Supporting Information

Porous calcium silicate bioactive material-alginate composite for bone regeneration application

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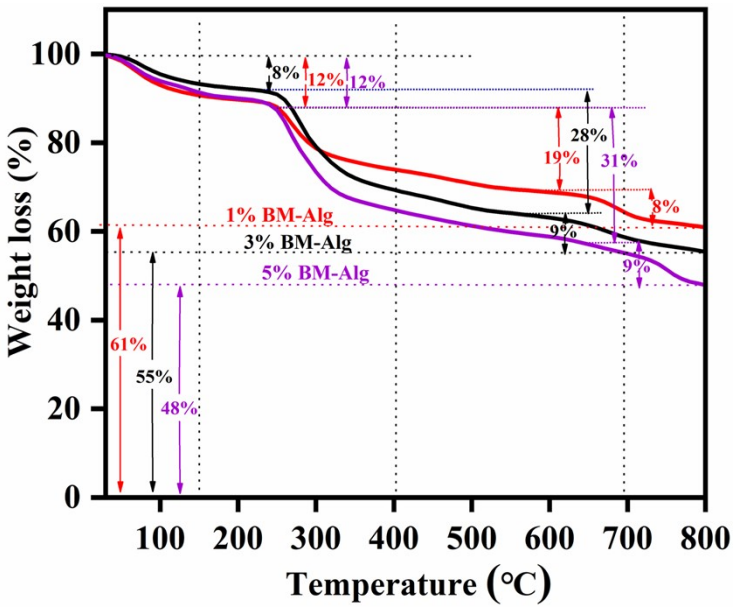

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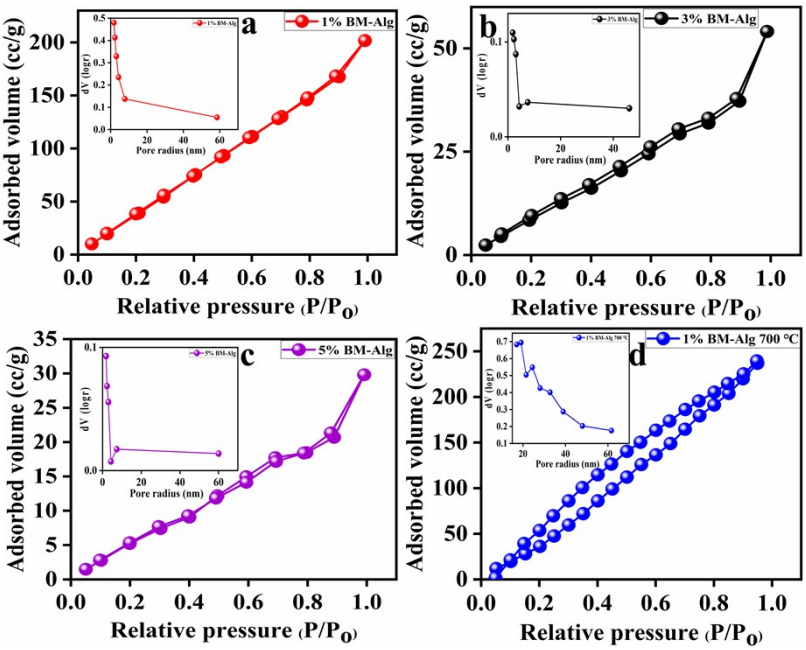

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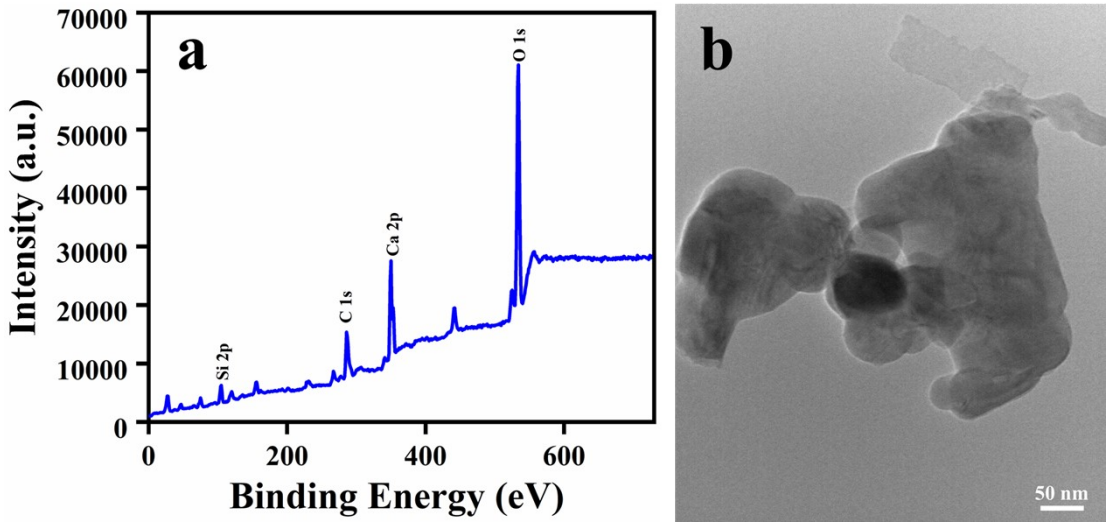

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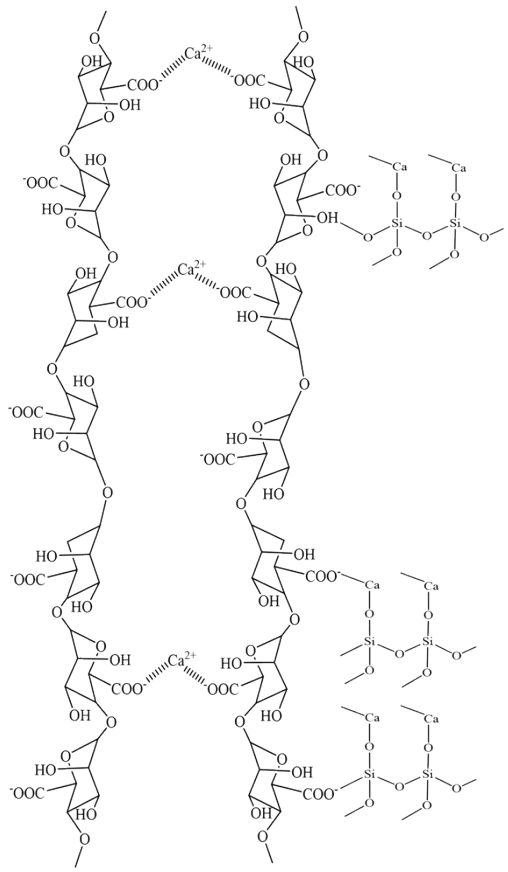

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Sr. No.	Sample name	Concentration of sample	Shrimp Survived			Total number of shrimp used	The total number of shrimp survived	Percentage mortality
			T1	T2	T3			
1.	Control	-	10	10	10	30	30	00
2.	1% BM-Alg	10 µg	09	09	08	30	26	13.33
		100 µg	08	07	08	30	23	23.33
		1000 µg	06	06	07	30	19	36.66
3.	1% BM-Alg 700 ℃	10 µg	09	10	09	30	28	3.33
		100 µg	08	07	09	30	24	26.66
		1000 µg	06	07	06	30	19	36.66