

Supporting information

Bio-based high-latent-efficiency cross-linking accelerator with steric-hindrance and salt-formation effects

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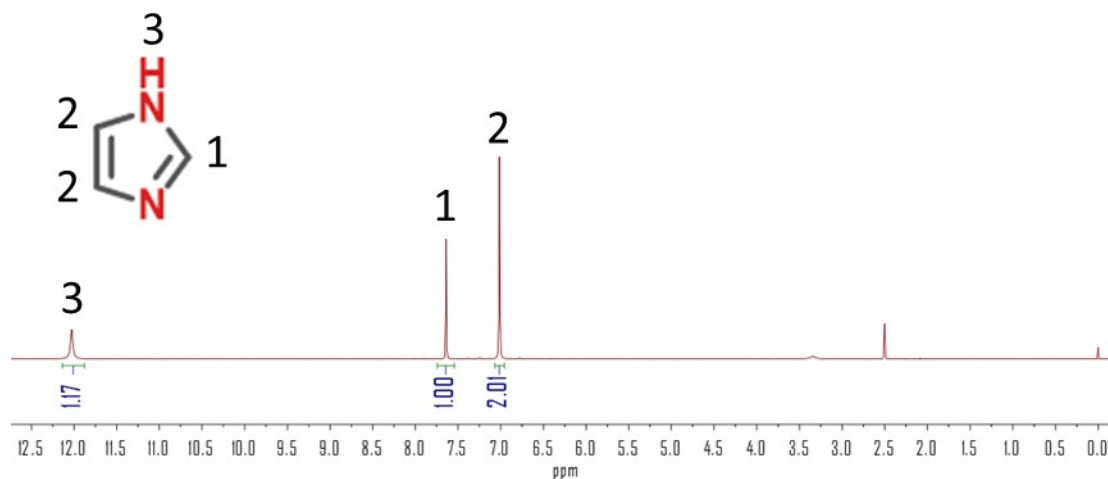


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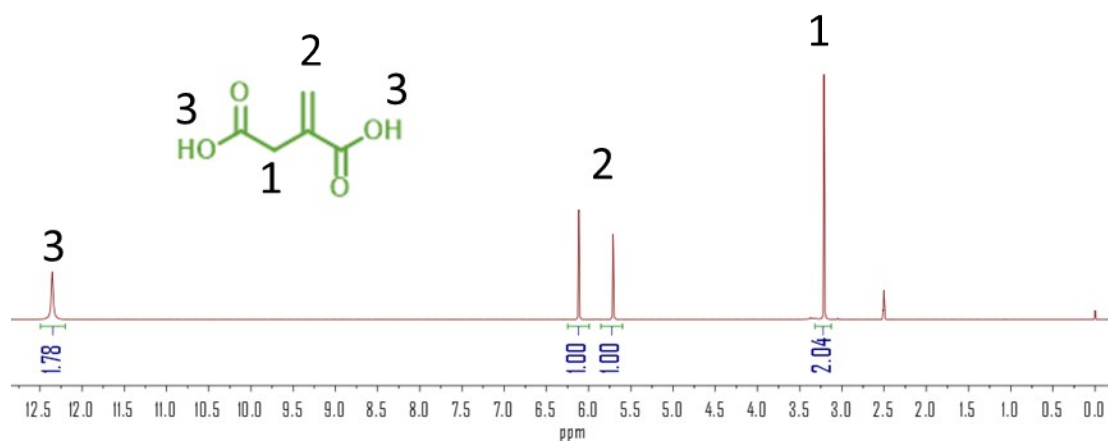


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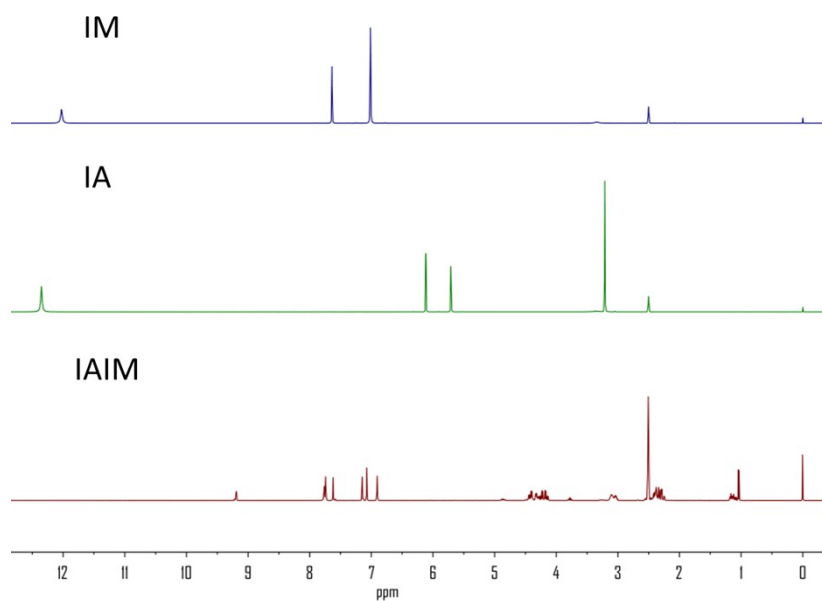


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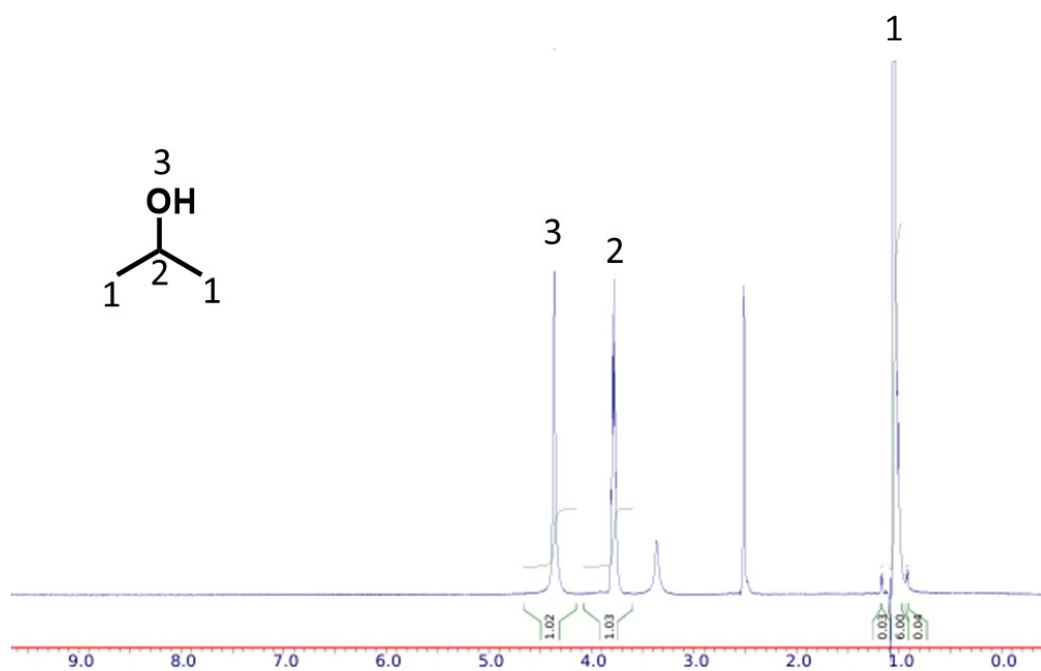


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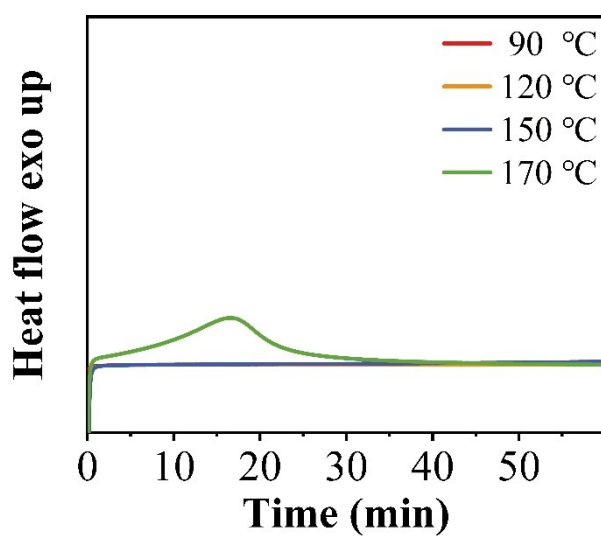


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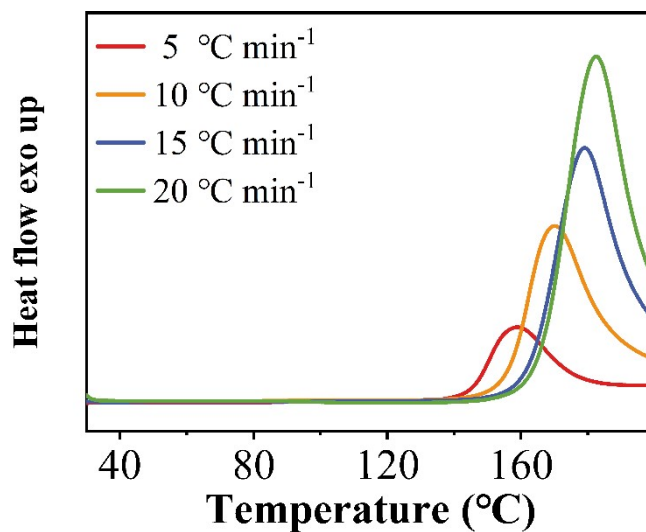


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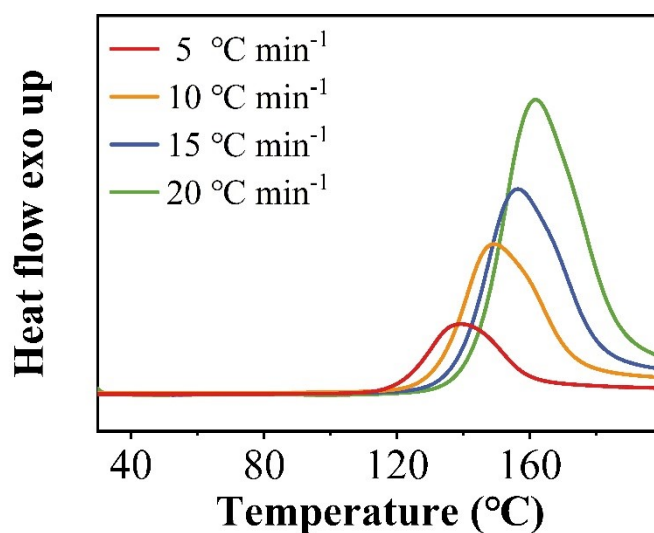


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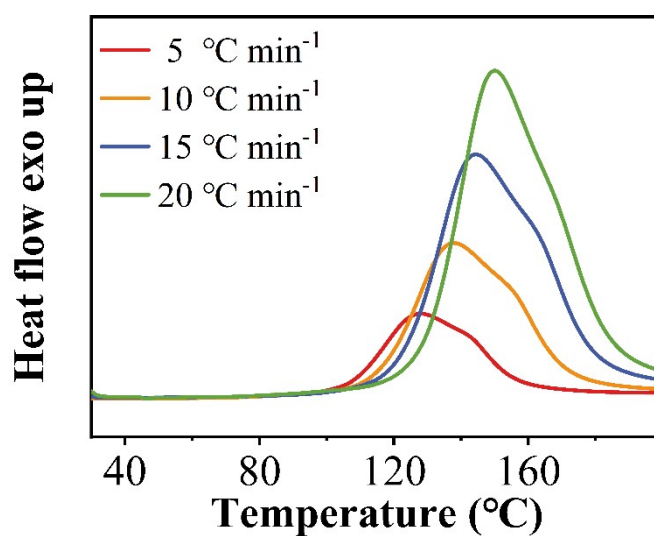


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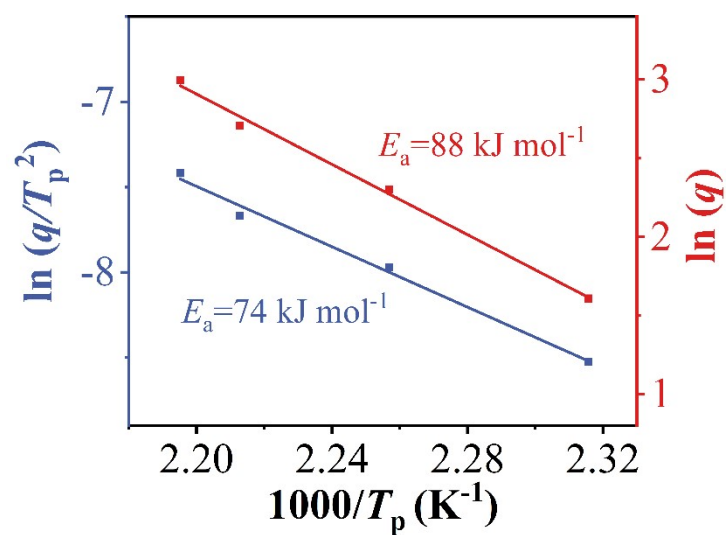


Fig. S9 Activation energy of the curing reaction of E-D-IAIM₂ system.

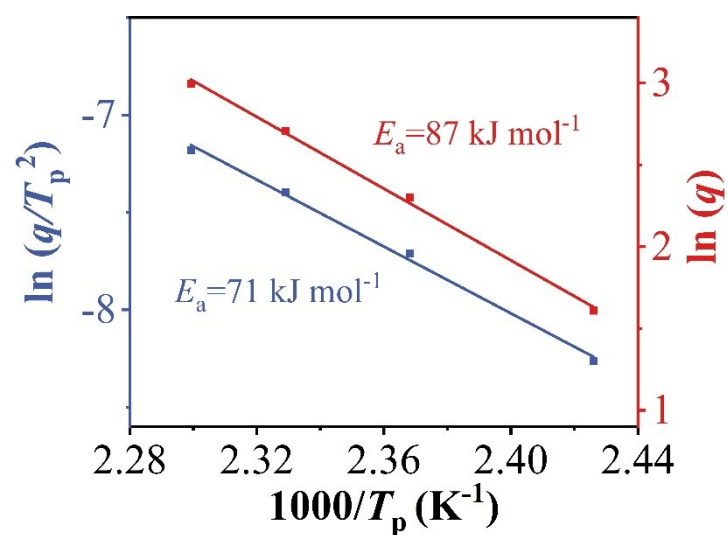


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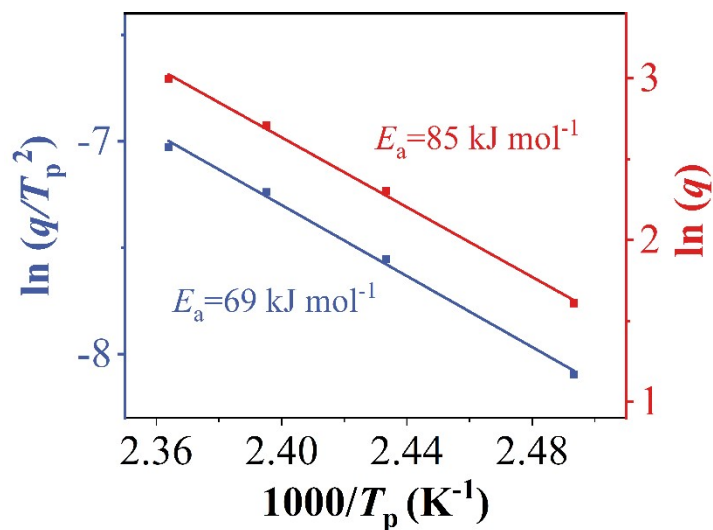


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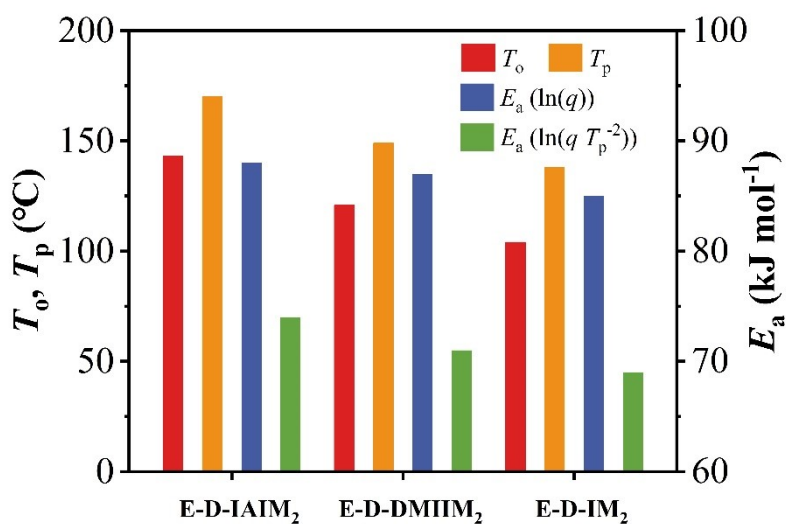


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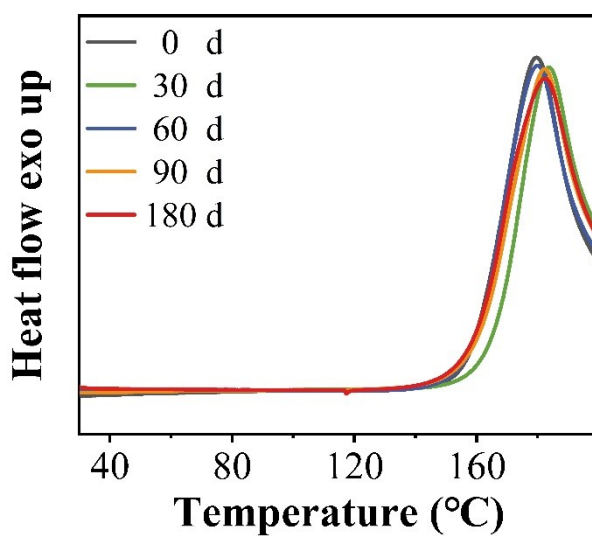


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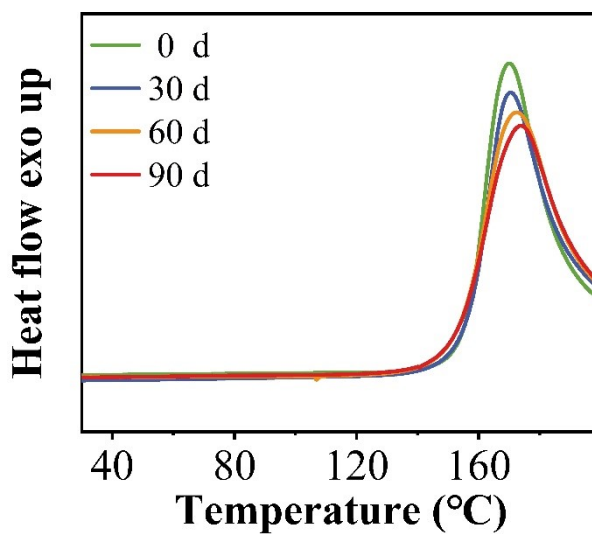


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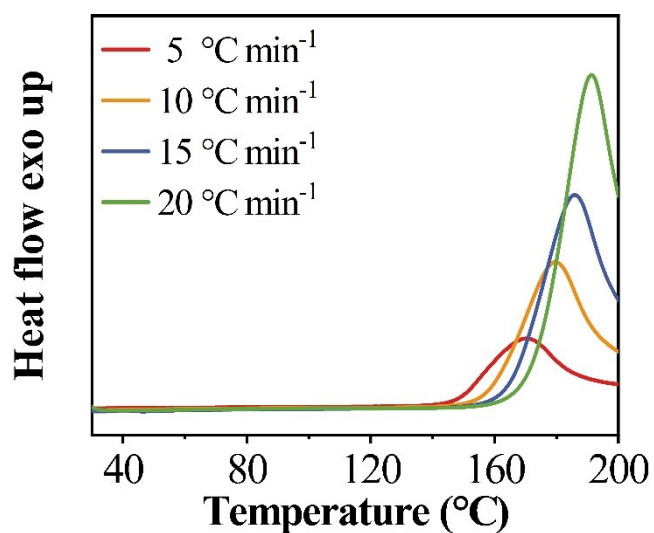


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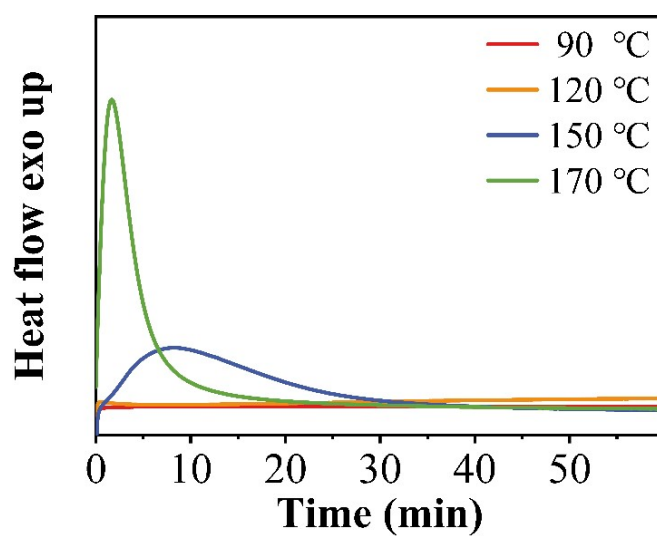


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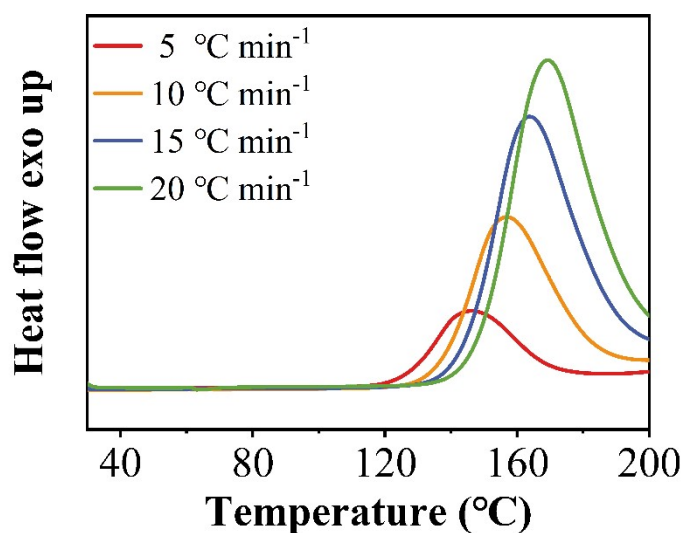


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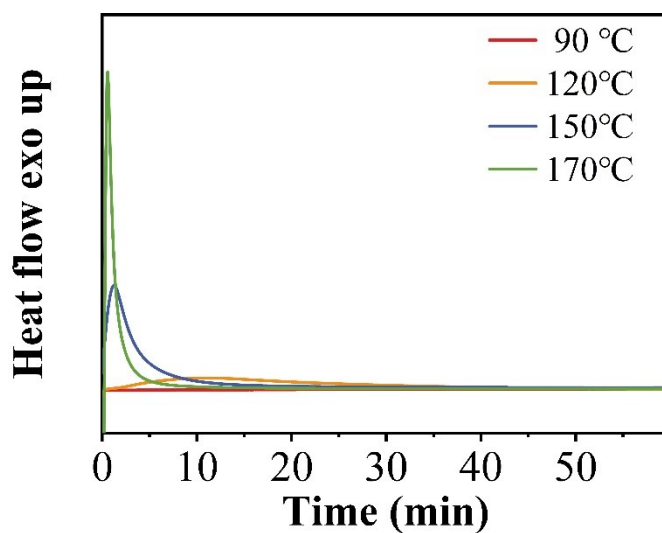


Fig. S18 Isothermal DSC curves of E-D-DMIIM₁ system at different temperatures.

Table S1. Curing kinetics parameters E_a , T_o and T_p of E-D-IAIM₂, E-D-DMIIM₂ and E-D-IM₁ systems.

Sample	T_o (°C)				T_p (°C)				E_a (kJ mol ⁻¹)	
	5	10	15	20	5	10	15	20	Kissinger	Ozawa
	°C min ⁻¹				°C min ⁻¹					
E-D-IAIM ₂	137	143	147	150	159	170	179	183	88	74
E-D-DMIIM ₂	114	121	127	129	139	149	156	162	87	71
E-D-IM ₂	98	104	105	111	128	138	145	150	85	69

Table S2. Tensile test results of the cured epoxy resins.

Sample	Tensile strength (MPa)	Young's modulus (GPa)	Elongation at break (%)
E-D-IAIM ₁	60±4.7	1.58±0.12	5.9±0.5
E-D-IAIM ₂	52±1.3	1.47±0.10	5.7±0.6
E-D-DMIIM ₁	63±4.1	1.62±0.15	7.7±1.6
E-D-DMIIM ₂	64±2.6	1.55±0.10	8.0±1.4
E-D-IM ₁	65±2.0	1.52±0.06	7.8±0.7

E-D-IM ₂	64±4.2	1.55±0.19	9.6±0.2
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