

Supporting Information

Functional Group-Template Integrated ABC Copolymer Silicone Surfactant Directing for Highly Hydrophobic Mesoporous Silica

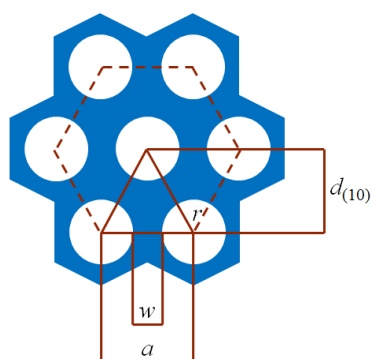
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Calculation of the theoretical mesopore volume V_{meso}



The theoretical mesopore volume V_{meso} can be calculated by the formula:

$$V_{\text{meso}} = 2\pi r^2 / \rho (\sqrt{3}a^2 - 2\pi r^2) \dots \dots \dots (1)$$

Where r is the radius of the mesopore, a is the unit cell parameter, ρ is the density of the SiO_2 .

As shown in the figure above, the wall thickness for the mesoporous materials with $p6mm$ structure can be evaluated with the relation:

$$w = a - 2r, \text{ viz. } a = w + 2r \dots \dots \dots (2).^1$$

Combining the formula (1) and (2), V_{meso} can be given by:

$$V_{\text{meso}} = \frac{2\pi}{\rho \left[\sqrt{3} \left(\frac{w^2}{r^2} + 4 \frac{w}{r} + 4 \right) - 2\pi \right]} \dots \dots \dots (3)$$

The ratio of the wall thickness to pore radius can be denoted as $\zeta = w/r$, and formula (3) can be given as:

$$V_{\text{meso}} = \frac{2\pi}{\rho \left[\sqrt{3} (\zeta^2 + 4\zeta + 4) - 2\pi \right]} \dots \dots \dots (4)$$

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