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'Polarization in polystyrene-chloranil complex' P.K.C.Pillai and Rashmi *Polymer* 1979, **20**, 1245–1249

Abstract, 2nd line should read in the temperature range 34°–160°C.

p. 1246, line 17, read increase in E_p up to 40 kV cm⁻¹. For E_p about 50 kV cm⁻¹, the intensity of the peaks falls. Further increase

'Macroesters and macroions in the polymerization of THF with CPO₄⁻ anion' Krzysztof Matyjaszewski, Emile Franta and Stanislaw Penczek *Polymer* 1979, **20**, 1184–1185

Page 1184, column 2, should read

The ratio of the A/B signals was equal to 1/2 in all of the spectra recorded and the ratio $(A + B)/C$ depended on the temperature and polarity of the medium as for *triflic* and fluorosulphonic anions⁵.

Equation (3b) should read:

$$[I]_0 = [P^+](1 + \frac{[P^+]}{K_D} \cdot \frac{(1 + K_e)}{K_e})$$

in Table 1 read:

K_D , mol·l⁻¹ × 10⁻³ at $V_{CH_3NO_2}/V_{CH_2Cl_2} = 0$ $K_e = 0.09$

in Table 2 read: CH₃NO₂

Caption for Figure 1 should read:

Figure 1 ¹H n.m.r. spectrum of the region of living ends (4.15–5.00 ppm δ) in polymerization of THF with ClO₄⁻ at 20°C. [THF]₀ = 8.0 mol·l⁻¹ CD₃NO₂:CD₂Cl₂ = 0.89 (molar ratio). [I]₀ = 5 × 10⁻² mol·l⁻¹

We apologize for these errors.

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