PVP/LDPE blends with graphene oxide for water soluble polymer pouch application

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Water soluble PVP/LDPE blend polymer was fabricated for sink-hole restoration polymer pouch.¹⁻³ The mechanical property and water solubility were important factor for polymer pouch application, which were measured according to various PVP/LDPE blend ratios. Tensile strength, elongation, and storage modulus were increased while water solubility were decrease according to blend with LDPE.4 In order to enhance mechanical properties, moreover, exfoliated graphene oxide (GO) Hummer's was used to filler. As a results, the mechanical property was enhanced while water solubility was almost not influenced on GO5.

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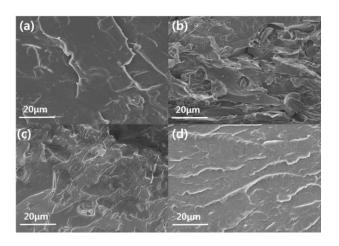


Figure 1: Cross-sectional SEM image of PVP/LDPE blend with various ratios, (a) raw PVP, (b) PVP/LDPE=7:3, (c) PVP/LDPE=3:7, (d) raw LDPE

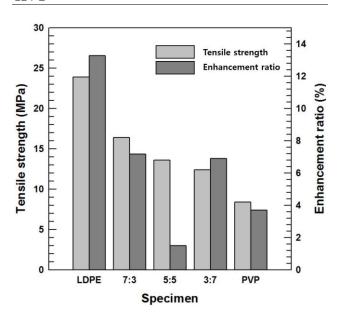


Figure 2: Tensile strength of 5 wt% GO containing PVP/LDPE and enhancement ratios.