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## APPENDICES

### Appendix A Degree of swelling of membranes

**Table A1** Degree of swelling of the poly(BA-deta) membranes in ethanol, water, and 50:50 ethanol-water mixtures

| Time (days) | Degree of Swelling |       |                  |
|-------------|--------------------|-------|------------------|
|             | Ethanol            | Water | EtOH:Water 50:50 |
| 1           | 0                  | 0     | 0                |
| 3           | 0                  | 0.88  | 0.89             |
| 5           | 0                  | 1.02  | 3.05             |
| 7           | 0                  | 1.52  | 3.08             |
| 10          | 0                  | 2.06  | 3.15             |
| 15          | 0.68               | 2.08  | 3.16             |

**Table A2** Degree of swelling of the poly(BA-tepa) membranes in ethanol, water, and 50:50 ethanol-water mixtures

| Time (days) | Degree of Swelling |       |                  |
|-------------|--------------------|-------|------------------|
|             | Ethanol            | Water | EtOH:Water 50:50 |
| 1           | 0                  | 0     | 0                |
| 3           | 0                  | 0.99  | 1.00             |
| 5           | 0                  | 1.99  | 4.21             |
| 7           | 0                  | 2.12  | 4.57             |
| 10          | 0                  | 3.14  | 4.68             |
| 15          | 0.78               | 3.14  | 4.69             |

## Appendix B Pervaporation study

**Table B1** Effect of feed temperatures on permeation flux of the poly(BA-deta) and poly(BA-tepa) membranes

| Temperature(°C) | Permeation flux(kg/m <sup>2</sup> h) |               |
|-----------------|--------------------------------------|---------------|
|                 | poly(BA-deta)                        | poly(BA-tepa) |
| 40              | 6.70                                 | 13.06         |
| 50              | 9.98                                 | 13.46         |
| 60              | - 10.68                              | 16.15         |
| 70              | 12.05                                | 17.77         |

**Table B2** Effect of ethanol concentrations on permeation flux of the poly(BA-deta) membranes

| Ethanol concentration in feed (wt%) | Total permeation flux (g/m <sup>2</sup> h) | Separation factor |
|-------------------------------------|--|-------------------|
| 10                                  | 19.45                                      | > 10,000          |
| 30                                  | 16.11                                      | > 10,000          |
| 50                                  | 12.89                                      | > 10,000          |
| 70                                  | 12.78                                      | > 10,000          |
| 90                                  | 12.32                                      | > 10,000          |

**Table B3** Effect of ethanol concentrations on permeation flux of the poly(BA-tepa) membranes

| Ethanol concentration in feed (wt%) | Total permeation flux (g/m <sup>2</sup> h) | Separation factor |
|-------------------------------------|--|-------------------|
| 10                                  | 20.25                                      | > 10,000          |
| 30                                  | 17.97                                      | > 10,000          |
| 50                                  | 12.04                                      | > 10,000          |
| 70                                  | 7.82                                       | > 10,000          |
| 90                                  | 3.23                                       | > 10,000          |

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