

**Development of bilayer polysaccharide-based films combining extrusion and
electrospinning for active food packaging**

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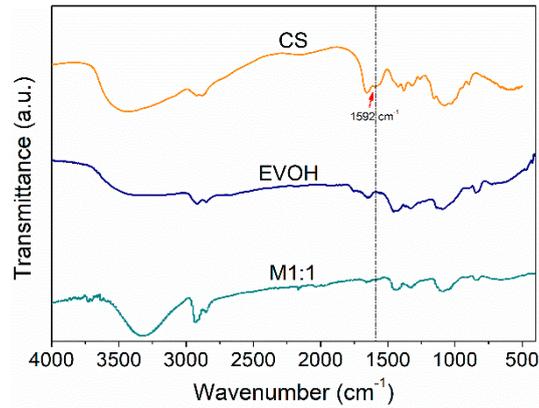


Figure S1 FTIR spectra for CS, EVOH and for the CS/EVOH electrospun film.

Table S1 Thickness, stress at break (σ_{\max}), strain at break (ϵ_{\max}) and Young's modulus (E) for the materials

Sample ^a	Average thickness* (μm)	σ_{\max} * (MPa)	ϵ_{\max} * (%)	E* (MPa)
TPS/MCC	248.5 ^a \pm 34.4	1.8 ^{a,b} \pm 0.8	2.0 ^a \pm 0.9	0.9 ^{a,b} \pm 0.0
SM	336.6 ^b \pm 51.6	0.9 ^b \pm 0.1	2.4 ^a \pm 0.4	0.6 ^a \pm 0.0
SM5	366.0 ^b \pm 24.1	1.3 ^b \pm 0.4	2.7 ^a \pm 0.6	0.6 ^a \pm 0.2
SM10	370.5 ^b \pm 38.5	1.7 ^{a,b} \pm 0.4	1.8 ^a \pm 0.9	1.4 ^b \pm 0.6
SM15	353.3 ^b \pm 82.1	2.2 ^a \pm 0.4	2.1 ^a \pm 0.2	1.3 ^b \pm 0.3

TPS/MCC, first layer composed of thermoplastic starch (TPS) incorporated with microcrystalline cellulose (MCC); SM, SM5, SM10 and SM15 bilayer films formed by deposition of electrospun nanofibers of chitosan/poly(ethylene-*co*-vinyl alcohol) mixed solution onto TPS/MCC layer with gallic acid at 0, 5.0, 10.0 and 15.0 mass% concentration, respectively.

*Means within a column with different letters are significantly different ($p < 0.05$).

Table S2 DPPH radical scavenging activity

Sample ^a	Radical scavenging activity* ($\mu\text{mol.L}^{-1}.\text{Eq.Trolox.g}^{-1}$)			Radical scavenging activity* (%)		
	GA extraction time in 95% ethanol					
	1 h	3 h	24 h	1 h	3 h	24 h
SM5	268.9 ^a ±19.1	324.8 ^a ±12.5	448.9 ^a ±66.7	15.9±1.5	19.2±0.9	26.5±4.2
SM10	238.8 ^a ±39.9	308.6 ^a ±30.8	624.4 ^{a,b} ±56.7	14.1±2.0	18.2±1.6	34.8±2.1
SM15	512.5 ^b ±36.3	554.4 ^b ±58.5	903.8 ^b ±62.2	30.3±2.9	32.8±4.4	53.5±3.0

^aSM5, SM10 and SM15 are bilayer films formed by deposition of electrospun nanofibers of chitosan/poly(ethylene-*co*-vinyl alcohol) mixed solution with gallic acid at 5.0, 10.0 and 15.0 mass% concentration, respectively, onto extruded TPS/MCC layer.

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