

Figure 1: Vapor pressure - temperature correlations of a) $[Hf\{\eta^2-(i^PrN)_2CNEtMe\}(NEtMe)_3]$ (1); b) $[Hf\{\eta^2-(i^PrN)_2CNEt_2\}(NEt_2)_3]$ (2); c) $[Hf\{\eta^2-((EtN)(i^BuN))CNEtMe\}(NEtMe)_3]$ (3) and d) $[Hf\{\eta^2-((EtN)(i^BuN))CNEt_2\}(NEt_2)_3]$ (4) according to Langmuir equations estimated by stepped isothermal TGA. 1 Torr vapor pressures are denoted by the intersect of dashed lines. Grey solid lines illustrate the respective linear regression



Figure 2: PEALD film growth characteristics on Si(100) employing $[Hf{\eta^2-(i^{P}rN)_2CNEtMe}(NEtMe)_3]$ (1) and oxygen plasma: a) Saturation study with varying precursor pulse lengths at 120 °C (blue) and 200 °C (red) substrate temperature; b) Film thickness *vs.* applied number of cycles; c) Dependency of film growth on the deposition temperature with a fixed precursor pulse of 2 s and d) influence of the plasma pulse length on the film growth at 60 °C (blue) and 120 °C (red). Dotted lines are shown to guide the eye.