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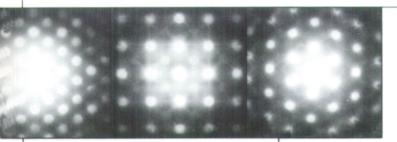
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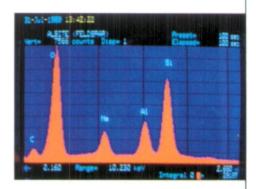
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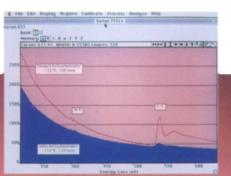
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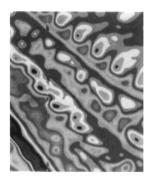
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ON THE COVER: Optical interference micrograph of a thin film of a polystyrene/polymethylmethacrylate symmetric, diblock copolymer heated to 170°C for 72 hours and cooled to room temperature. The individual colors correspond to different optical path lengths in the film and, hence, different thicknesses. It can be seen that the film thickness is quantized, i.e., the thickness changes are discrete, which results from the orientation of the lamellar morphology of the copolymer parallel to the surface of the underlying silicon substrate. For more about this topic, see "Behavior of Block Copolymers in Thin Films'' by T.P. Russell et al. on p. 33.

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