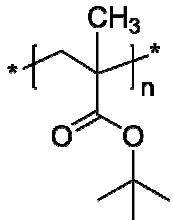


Sample Name: Poly(*tert*-butyl methacrylate),
predominantly syndiotactic

Sample #: P40623-tBuMA

Structure:



Composition:

M _n x 10 ³ (g/mol)	M _w /M _n
443	1.05

Synthesis procedure:

Poly(*tert*-butyl methacrylate) was obtained by living anionic polymerization. For more details, see ref.[1].

Characterization:

The tacticity of the polymer was calculated from ¹H NMR spectroscopy data.

The molecular weight and polydispersity index (M_w/M_n) of the polymer were determined by size exclusion chromatography (SEC) equipped with a triple detector and using DMF as an eluent.

Solubility:

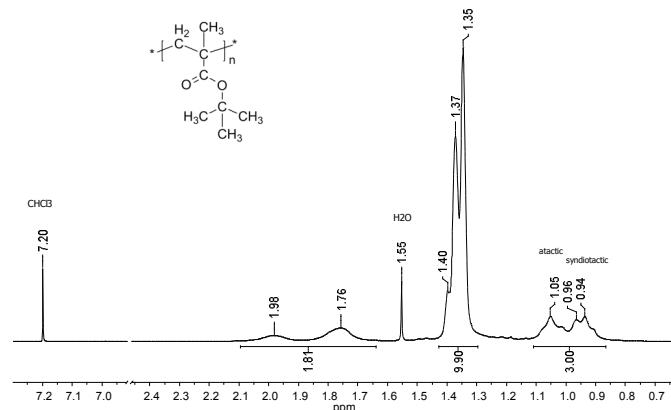
Poly(*tert*-butyl methacrylate) is soluble in THF, chloroform, toluene and dioxane. The polymer precipitates from cold methanol and ethanol.

Reference:

1. S. K. Varshney, Z. Gao, X. F. Zhong, A. Eisenberg, "Effect of Lithium Chloride on the "Living" Polymerization of *tert*-Butylmethacrylate and Polymer Microstructure Using Monofunctional Initiators". *Macromolecules* 1994, 27, 1076.

¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) spectrum:

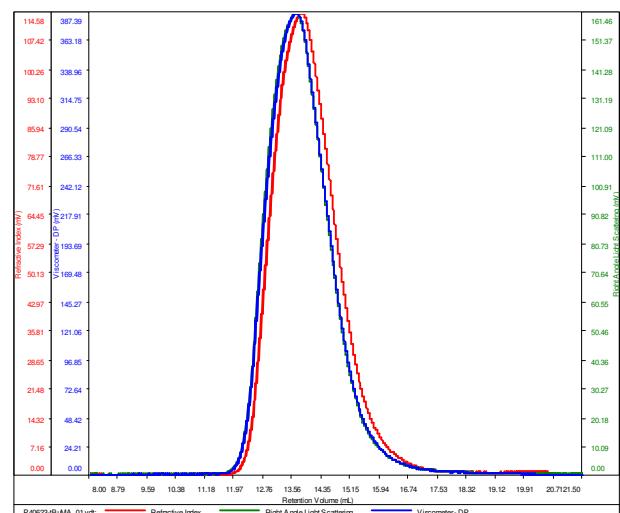
1H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃): P40623-tBuMA



SEC elugram:

P40623-tBuMA

Conc	28.2394
d _n /d _c	0.0600
Solvent	DMF w 0.023M LiBr
Flow Rate	0.7000
Method	PS80k-May2017-0000.vcm



Sample	M _n	M _w	M _p	M _w /M _n	IV
P40623-tBuMA_01.vdt	443,813	467,764	463,031	1.054	0.3013