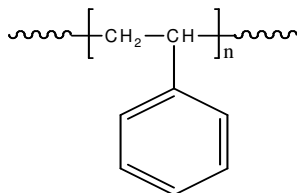


Sample Name: Polystyrene

Sample #: P19935-S

Structure:

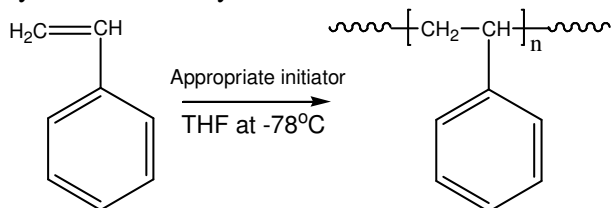


Composition:

Mn x 10 ³	PDI
498.0	1.08

Synthesis Procedure:

Polystyrene is obtained by living anionic polymerization of styrene as illustrated below:



Characterization:

The molecular weight and polydispersity index (PDI) are obtained by size exclusion chromatography (SEC) in THF. SEC analysis was performed on a Varian liquid chromatograph equipped with refractive and UV light scattering detectors. Three SEC columns from Supelco (G6000-4000-2000 HXL) were used with triple detectors from Viscotek Co.

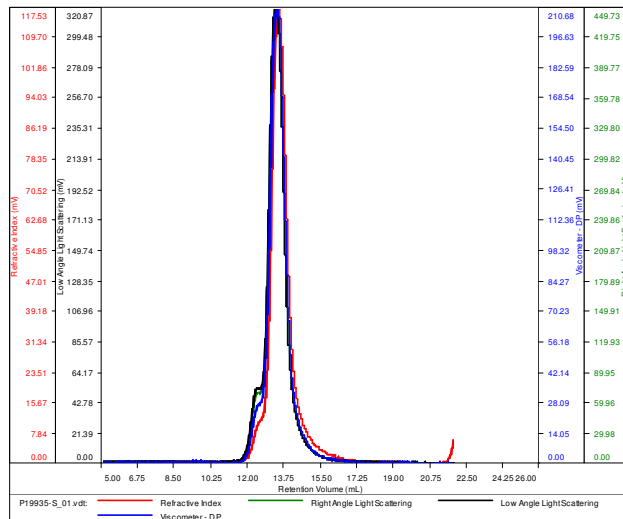
Solubility:

Polystyrene is soluble in DMF, THF, toluene and CHCl₃. It precipitates from methanol, ethanol, water and hexanes.

SEC elugram of the polymer in THF

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Conc (mg/mL)	2.6415
dn/dc (mL/g)	0.1650
Method	PS80k-May-25-2016-0000.vcm
Solvent	DMF w 0.023M LiBr
Column	PSS



Sample	Mn	Mw	Mp	Mw/Mn	IV
P19935-S_01.vdt	497,816	538,741	521,519	1.082	0.8628