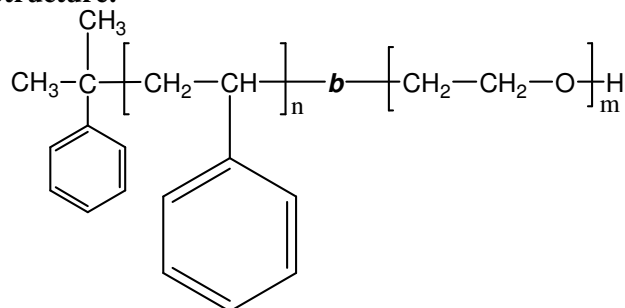


Sample Name: Poly(styrene-b-ethylene oxide)

Sample #: P19993-SEO

**Structure:**



**Composition:**

Mn x 10 <sup>3</sup>	PDI
190.0-b-16.0	1.07

**Synthesis Procedure:**

Poly(styrene-b-ethylene oxide) diblock copolymer was synthesised by living anionic polymerization.

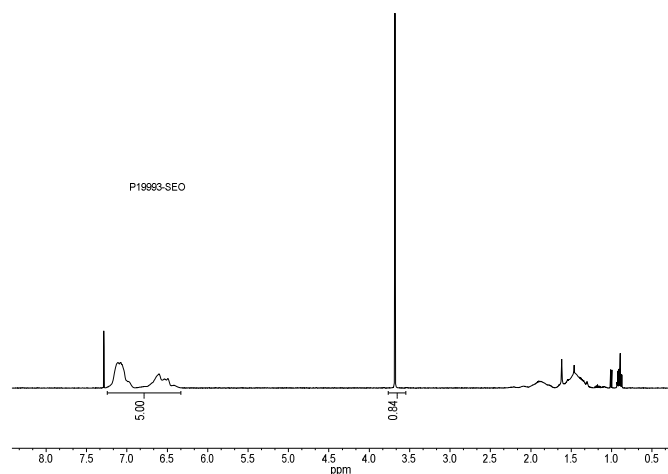
**Characterization:**

The polymer was characterized by <sup>1</sup>H NMR and size exclusion chromatography (SEC).

**Solubility:**

The polymer is soluble in THF (at 35 °C), CHCl<sub>3</sub>, benzene, toluene, dioxane. Low molecular weight SEO with high contents of the polyethylene oxide block can also be solubilized in methanol and water.

**<sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of the sample: SEO**



**Thermal analysis results:**

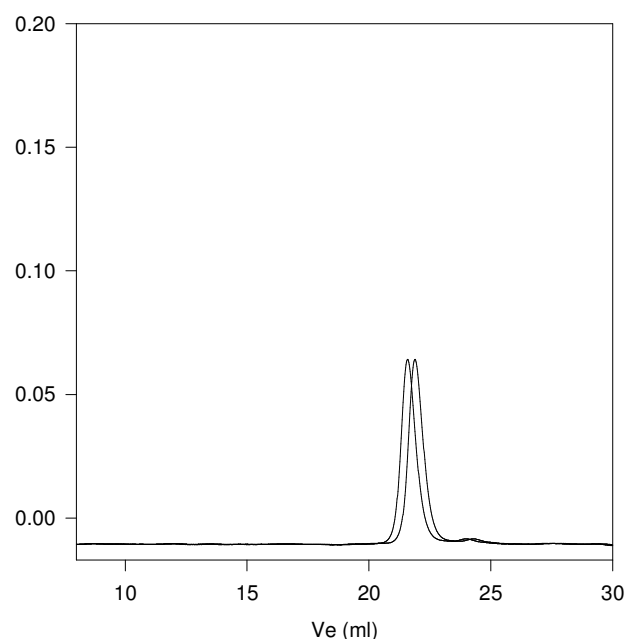
Thermal analysis was done on a TA Q100 differential scanning calorimeter at a heating rate of 20°C/min. The midpoint of the slope change of the heat flow plot of the second heating scan was considered as the glass transition temperature (T<sub>g</sub>).

The melting temperature (T<sub>m</sub>) was taken as a maximum of the endothermic peak.

For PS block: T <sub>g</sub> : 85°C	
For PEO block:	
T <sub>g</sub> : -63°C	T <sub>m</sub> : 61°C

**SEC elugram of the polymer:**

**P19993-SEO**



Size exclusion chromatography of poly(styrene-b-ethylene oxide)

—— Poly(styrene), M<sub>n</sub>=190,000, M<sub>w</sub>=205,000, PI=1.08

—— Block Copolymer PSt(190,000)-b-PEO(16,000), PI=1.07  
Composition from <sup>1</sup>H NMR