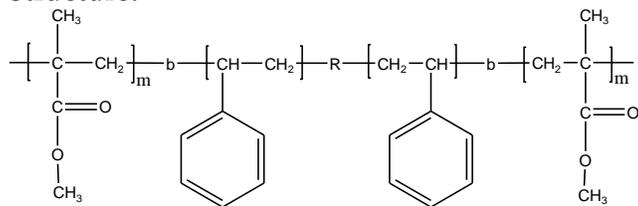


### Sample Name:

Poly(methyl methacrylate-b-styrene-b-methyl methacrylate)

Sample #: P8359-MMAS MMA

### Structure:

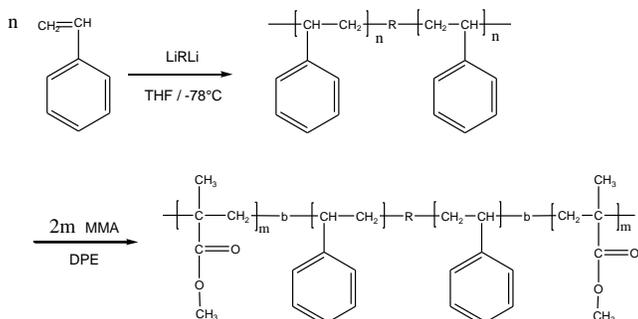


### Composition:

Mn x 10 <sup>3</sup>	PDI
38.0-b-133.0-b-38.0	1.2
T <sub>g</sub> for PS block:	109°C
T <sub>g</sub> for MMA block	131°C

### Synthesis Procedure:

Poly(methyl methacrylate -b- styrene -b- methyl methacrylate) is prepared by living anionic polymerization with sequence addition of styrene followed by methyl methacrylate, using difunctional initiator. The scheme of the reaction is illustrated below:



### Characterization:

The molecular weight and polydispersity index of this polymer were determined by size exclusion chromatography (SEC) using a Varian liquid chromatograph equipped with a UV and refractive index detector.

### Thermal analysis:

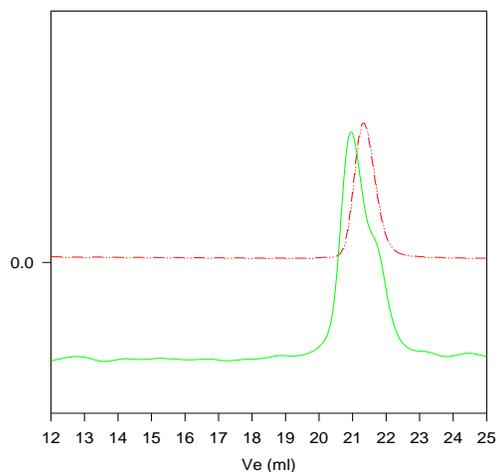
Thermal analysis of the samples was carried out on a TA Q100 differential scanning calorimeter at a heating rate of 10°C/min. The midpoint of the slope change of the heat flow plot of the second heating scan was considered as the glass transition temperature (T<sub>g</sub>).

### Solubility:

Polymer is soluble in THF, CHCl<sub>3</sub>, dioxane and benzene.

### SEC of Sample:

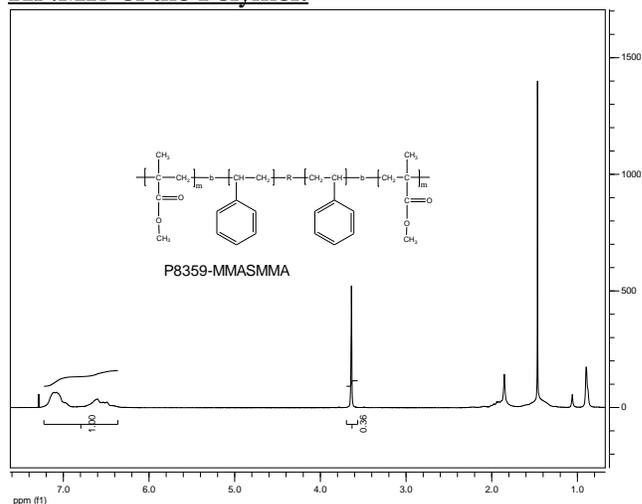
P8359-MMAS MMA



Polystyrene, M<sub>n</sub>=133000, M<sub>w</sub>=153000, PI=1.15

Block Copolymer PMMA(38000)-PS(133000)-PMMA(38000), PI=1.2

### HNMR of the Polymer:



### DSC thermogram for the sample:

