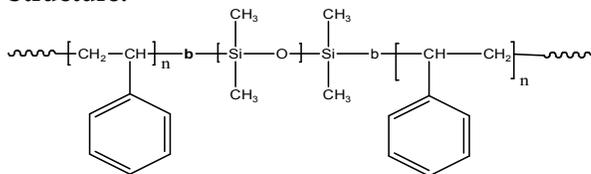


Sample Name:

Poly(styrene-b-dimethyl siloxane-b-styrene)

Sample #: P10751-SDMSS

Structure:



Composition:

Mn × 10 ³ S-b-DMS-b-S	Mw/Mn (PDI)
32.0-b-140.0-32.0	
Mn total by Light scattering: 159.0	1.3
Coupling %	80%

Synthesis Procedure:

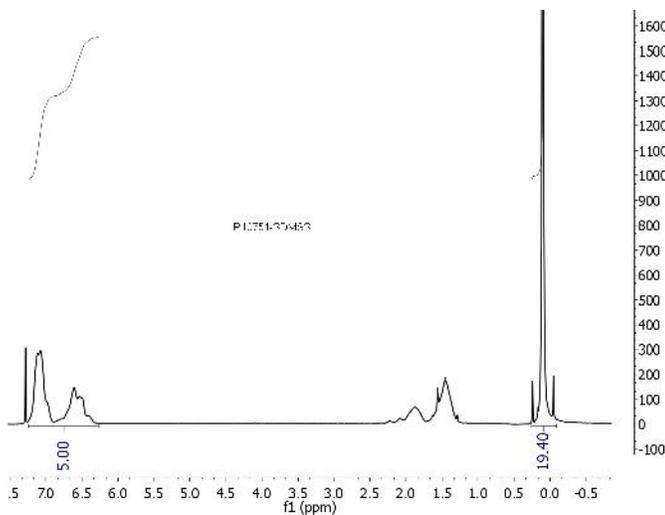
Poly(styrene-b-dimethyl siloxane-styrene) is prepared by living anionic polymerization with sequence addition of styrene followed by hexamethyl cyclotrisiloxane and linking reaction using dimethyl dichlorosilane. For the details please see the references.

Characterization: By size exclusion chromatography (SEC) to obtain the molecular weight and polydispersity index (PDI). The final block copolymer composition was calculated from ¹H-NMR spectroscopy by comparing the peak area of the styrene protons at 6.3-7.2 ppm with the peak area of siloxane protons near 0.13 ppm. Block copolymer PDI is determined by SEC.

Thermal Analysis:

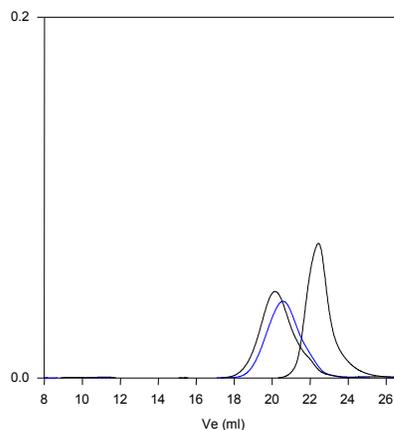
Thermal analysis of the samples was carried out on a TA Q100 differential scanning calorimeter at a heating rate of 10°C/min. The midpoint of the slope change of the heat flow plot of the second heating scan was considered as the glass transition temperature (T_g).

¹H NMR spectrum of the sample:



SEC profile of the block copolymer

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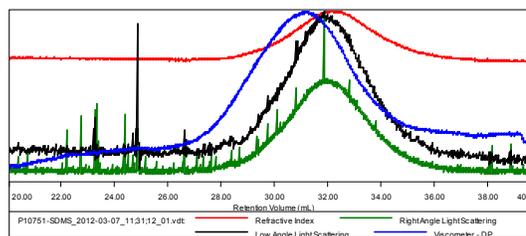


Size exclusion chromatography of poly(styrene-b-dimethylsiloxane)

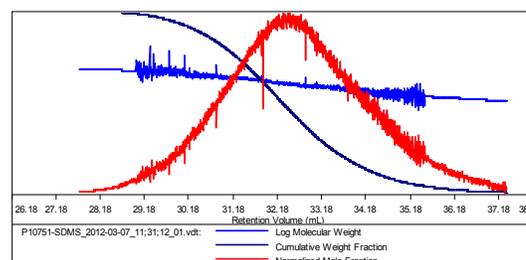
— Polystyrene, M_n=32000 M_w/M_n=1.15
— Poly(styrene-b-dimethylsiloxane)
M_n: PS(32,000)-b-PDMS(70,000)=1.28
After linking reaction:
PS-b-DMS-b-PS Mn 32,000-b-140,000-b-32000 Mw/Mn = 1.3

Sample ID: P10751-SDMS

Concentration (mg/mL)	2.3843
Sample dn/dc (mL/g)	0.0674
Method File	PS80K-Jan52012-2-0000.v cm
Column Set	3x PL 1113-6300
System	System 1

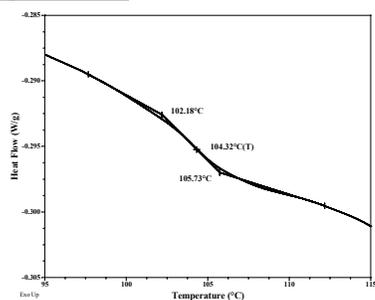


Sample	Mn (Da)	Mw (Da)	Mp (Da)	Mw/Mn	IV (dL/g)
P10751-SDMS_2012-03-07_11:31:12_0	158,725	164,134	164,961	1.034	1.1059

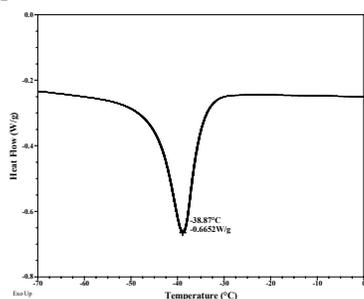


DSC thermogram for PS block:

T_g of Polystyrene block:



T_g of Polydimethylsiloxane:



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