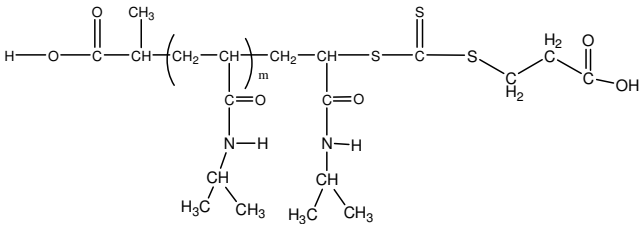
Sample Name: **α,ω-dicarboxy terminated poly(N-isopropyl acrylamide)**

Sample #: **P16039C-NIPAM2COOH**

Structure:

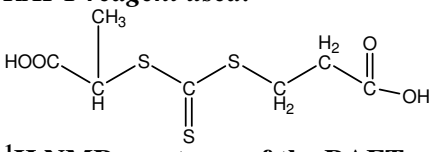


Composition:

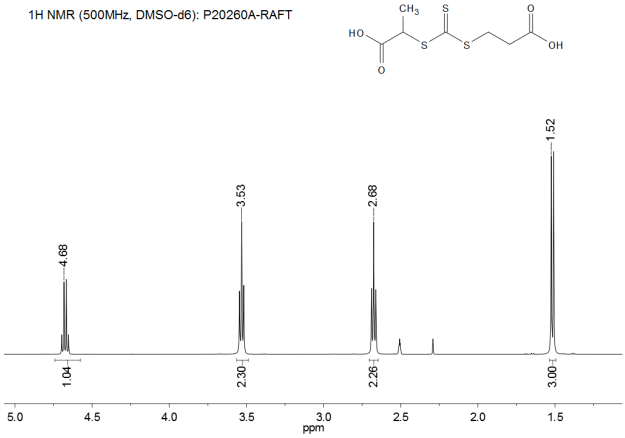
Mn x 10^3	PDI
22.5	1.16

Synthesis Procedure:
α,ω-dicarboxy Terminated Poly(N-isopropyl acrylamide) was prepared by RAFT process.

RAFT reagent used:



^{1}H NMR spectrum of the RAFT reagent:



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 with triple detector in DMF at 50oC.

Thermal analysis:
Thermal analysis of the samples was carried out using a differential scanning calorimeter (TA Q100) at a heating rate of 10°C/min.The inflection glass transition temperature (T_g) has been considered.

SEC elugram of the polymer:

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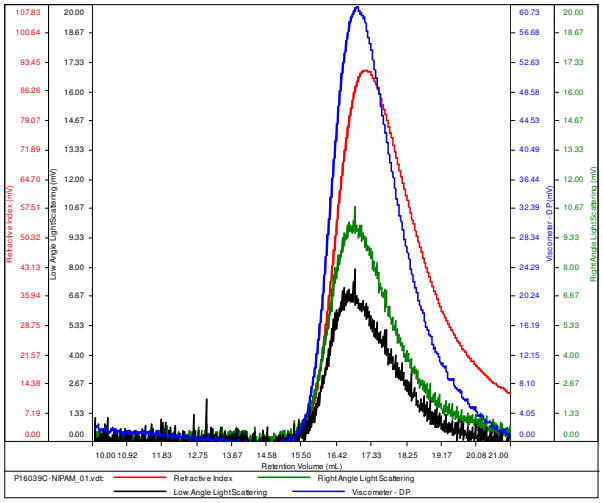
Conc (mg/mL)	9.1598
dn/dc (mL/g)	0.0770
Method	PS80k-May-25-2016-0000.vcm
Solvent	DMF w 0.023M LiBr
Column	PSS



Sample	Mn	Mw	Mp	Mw/Mn	IV
P16039C-NIPAM_01.vdt	22,282	25,943	26,965	1.164	0.1529

DSC thermogram of the polymer: