

Sample Name:

Amino-terminated poly(N-isopropyl acrylamide)

Sample # **P20148A-NIPAMNH2**

Structure:

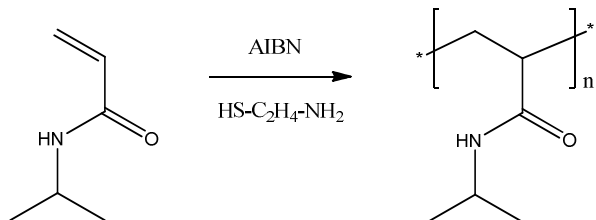


Composition:

| $M_n \times 10^3$ (g/mol) | M_w/M_n |
|---------------------------|-----------|
| 45.5 | 1.6 |

Synthesis Procedure:

Amino-terminated poly(N-isopropyl acrylamide) was prepared by free-radical polymerization of N-isopropyl acrylamide in presence of an amino-group containing chain-transfer agent. The product was purified by fractionation. The scheme of reaction is shown below:



Characterization:

The molecular weight and functionality degree of the polymer were calculated by titration using HClO_4 /Crystal violet in CHCl_3 /acetic acid. The polydispersity index (M_w/M_n) was determined by size exclusion chromatography (SEC) on a Varian liquid chromatograph equipped with a triple detector.

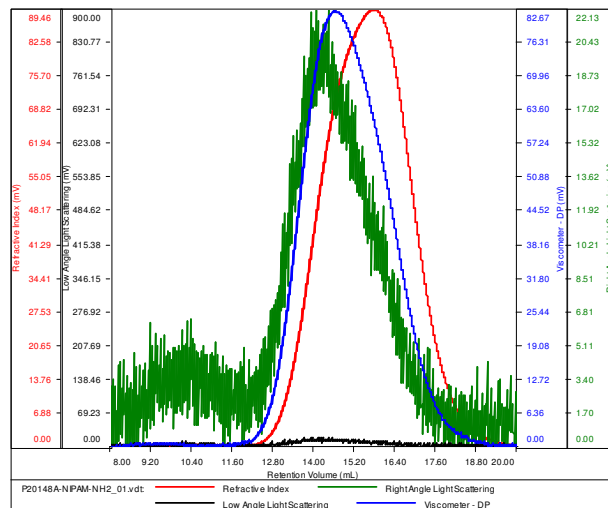
Solubility:

The polymer is soluble in water, THF, chloroform and dichloromethane; and is insoluble in hexane and ether.

SEC elugram of the polymer:

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| Conc (mg/mL) | 10.6063 |
| dn/dc (mL/g) | 0.0770 |
| Method | PS80K-17SEP2014-0000.vcm |
| Solvent | DMF w 0.03MLiBr |
| Column | PSS |



| Sample | Mn | Mw | Mp | Mw/Mn | IV |
|-------------------------|--------|--------|--------|-------|--------|
| P20148A-NIPAMNH2_01.vdt | 45,406 | 76,223 | 49,899 | 1.679 | 0.2502 |