

## *Supporting Information*

### **Controllable Polymeric Pseudo-Crown Ether Fluorescent Sensors: Responsiveness and Selective Detection of Metal Ions**

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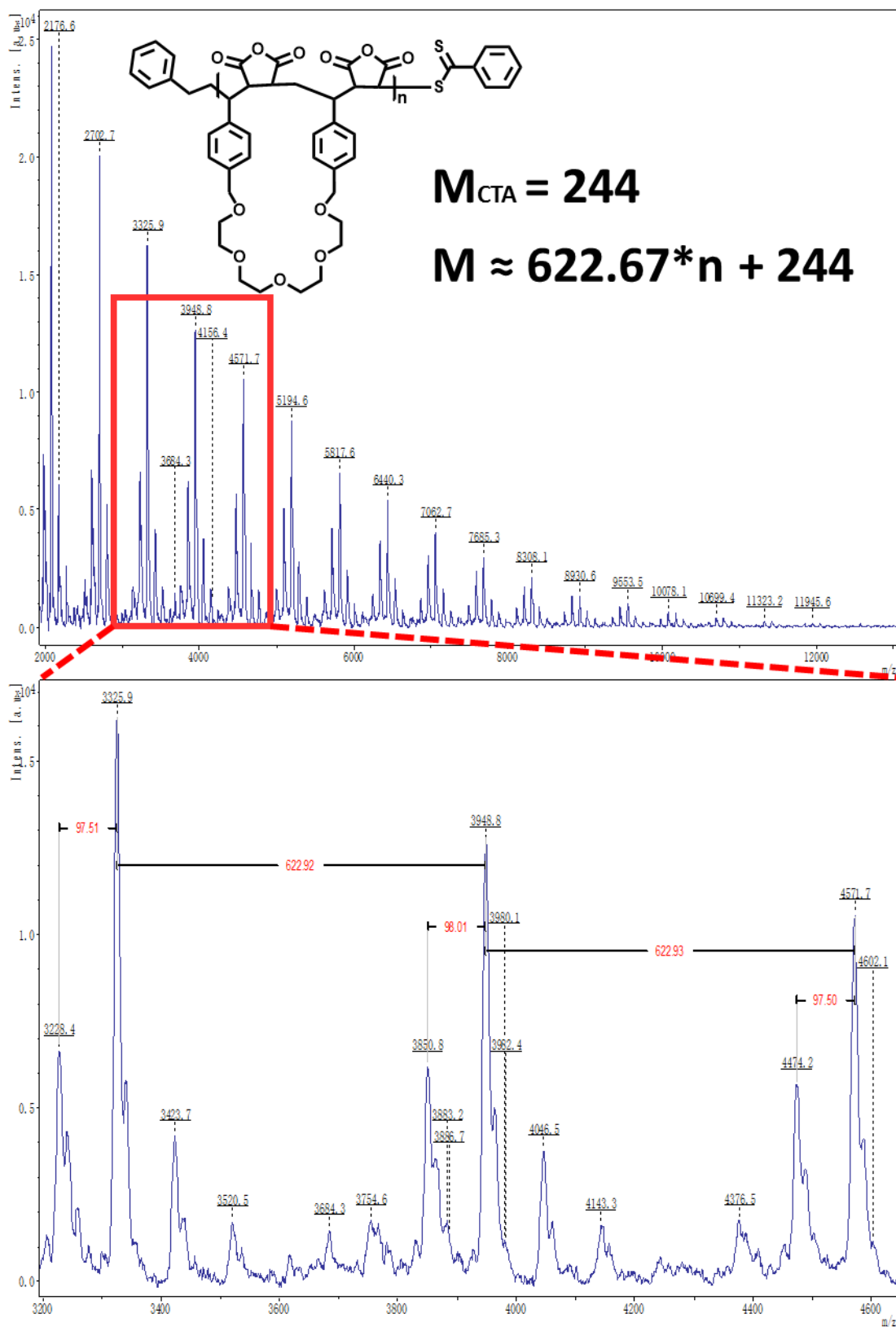
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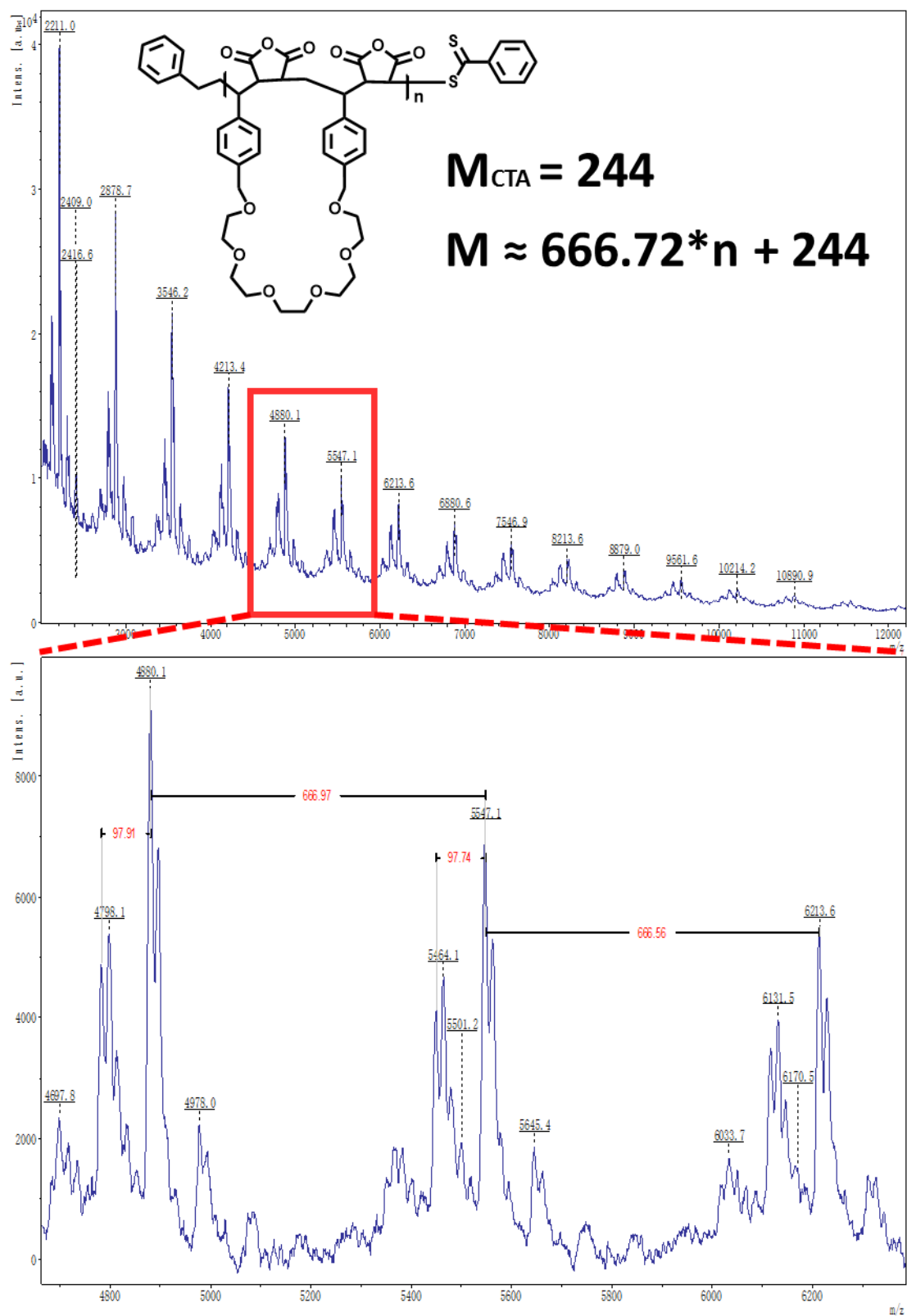
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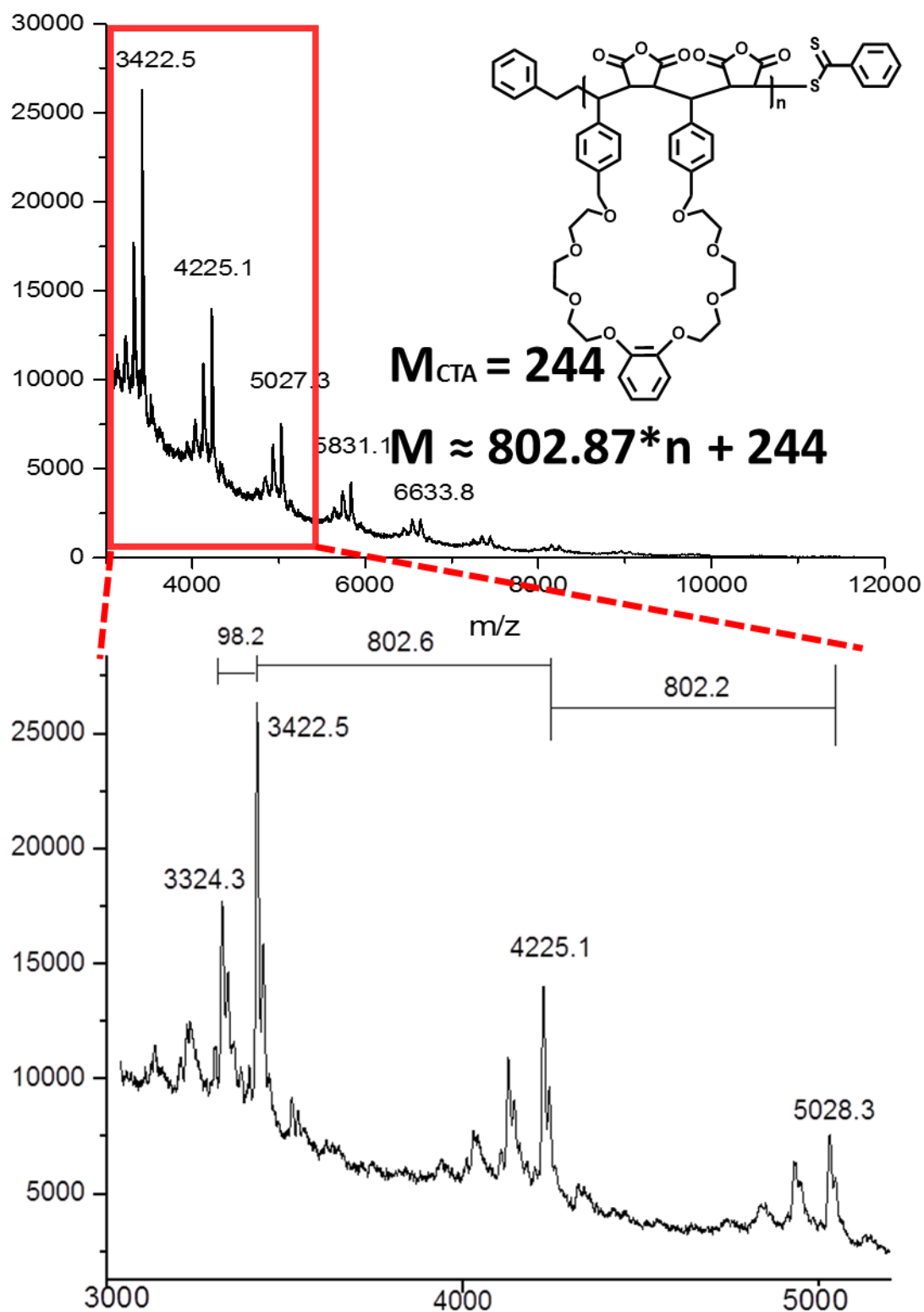
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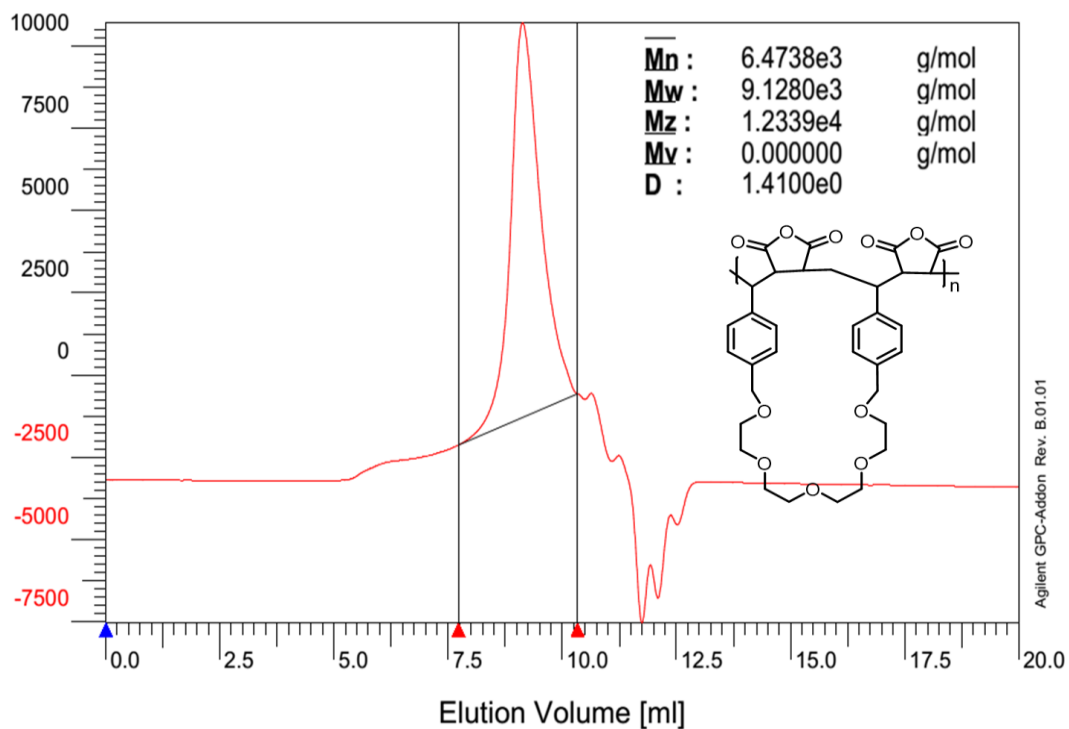
**Figure S1.** MALDI-TOF mass spectrum of copolymer **PDSM1** (top) and an enlarged zone (bottom)



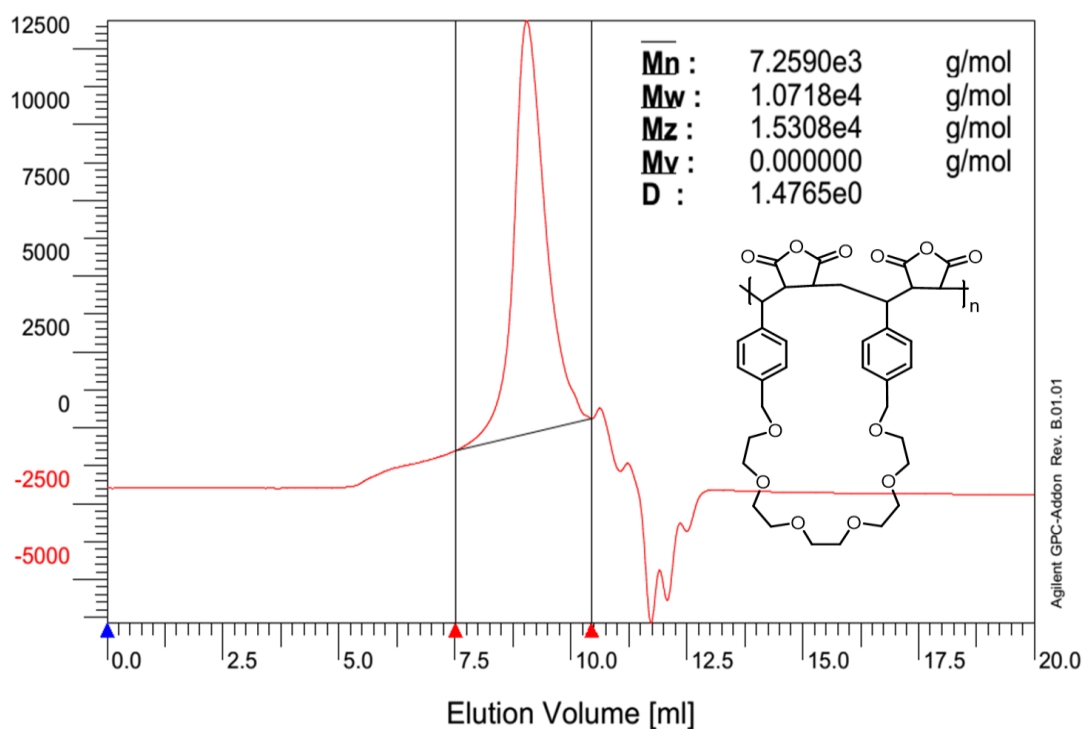
**Figure S2.** MALDI-TOF mass spectrum of copolymer **PDSM2** (top) and an enlarged zone (bottom)



**Figure S3.** MALDI-TOF mass spectrum of copolymer **PDSM3** (top) and an enlarged zone (bottom)



**Figure S4. GPC curve of PDSM1**



**Figure S5. GPC curve of PDSM2**

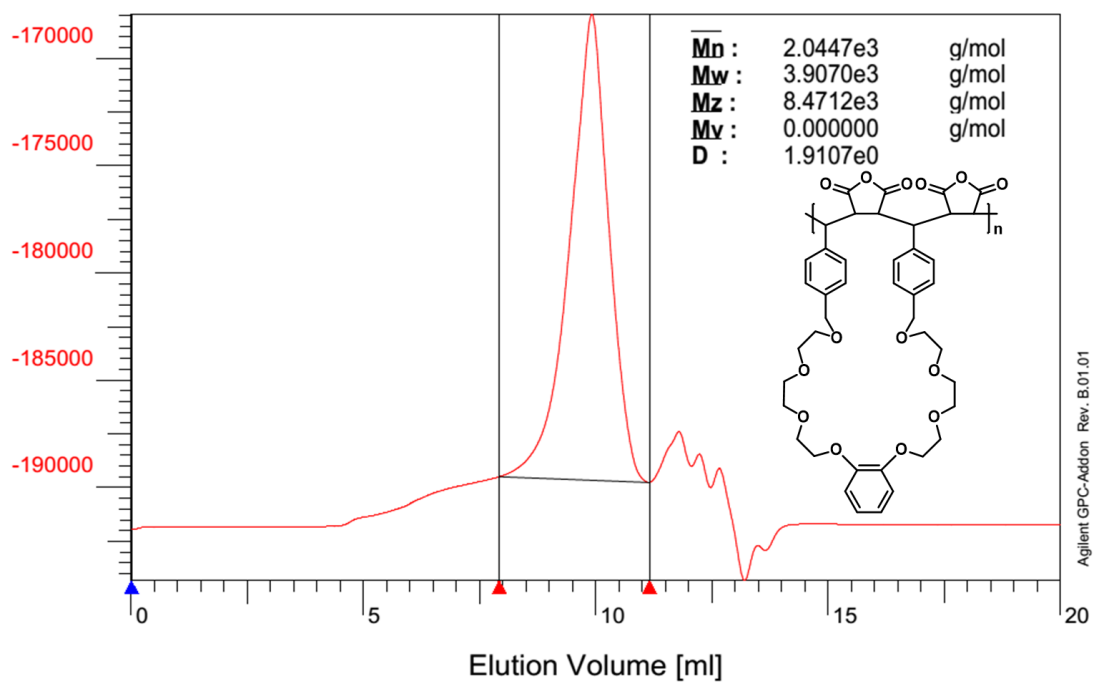


Figure S6. GPC curve of **PDSM3**

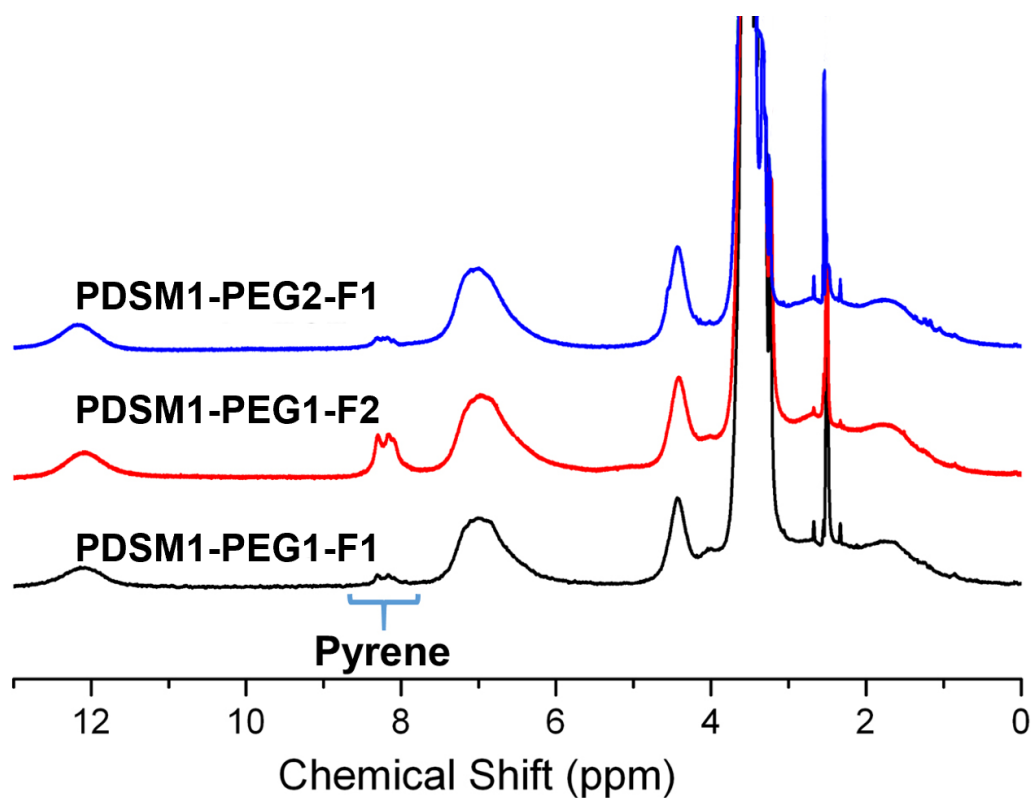


Figure S7.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectra of **PDSM-PEG-F** ( $\text{DMSO-}d_6$ , 25  $^\circ\text{C}$ )

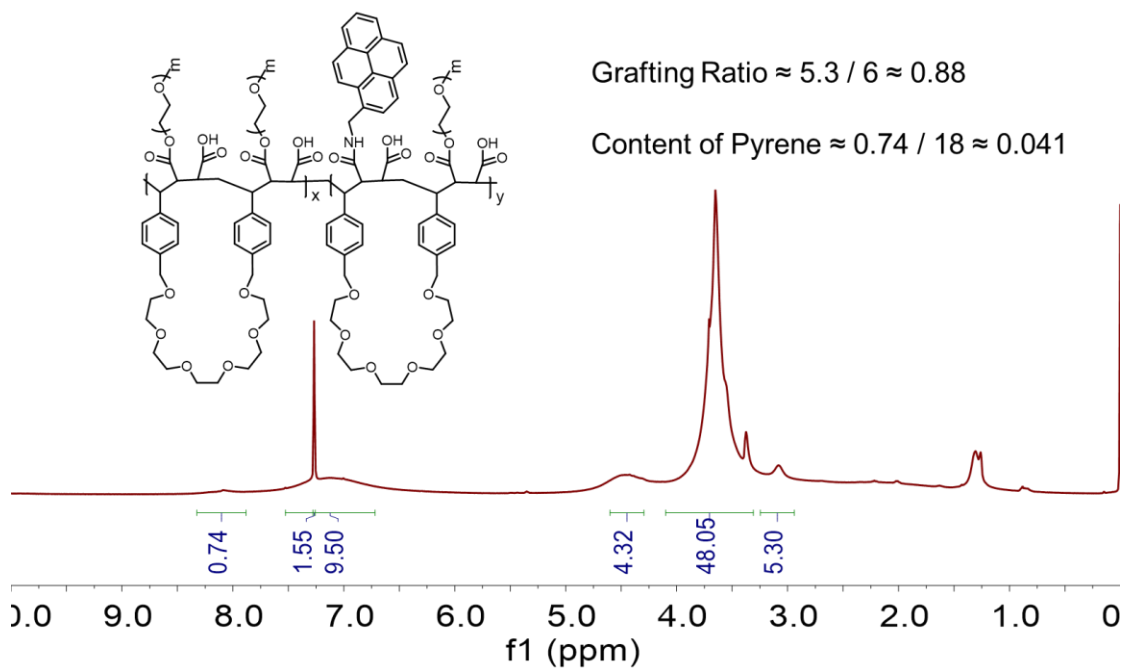


Figure S8.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of PDSM2-PEG1-F1 ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 25  $^\circ\text{C}$ )

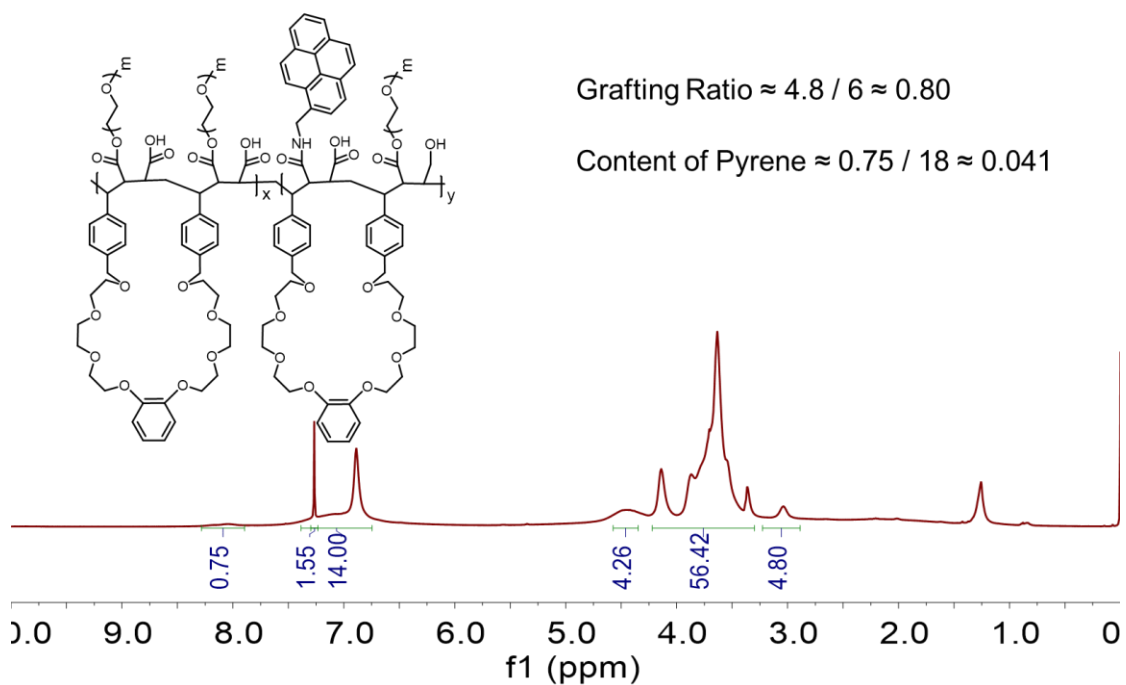
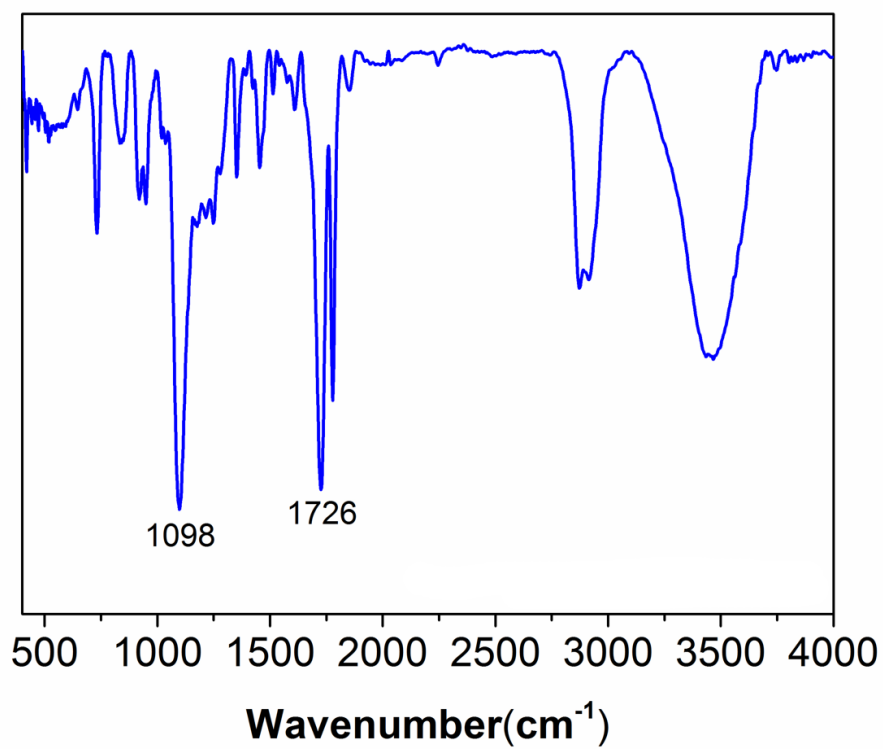
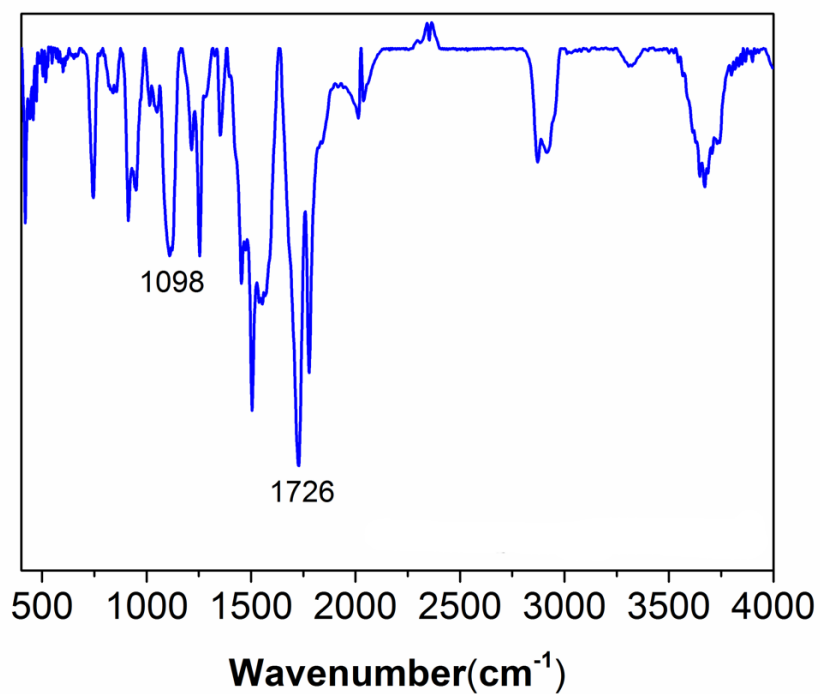


Figure S9.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of PDSM3-PEG1-F1 ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 25  $^\circ\text{C}$ )

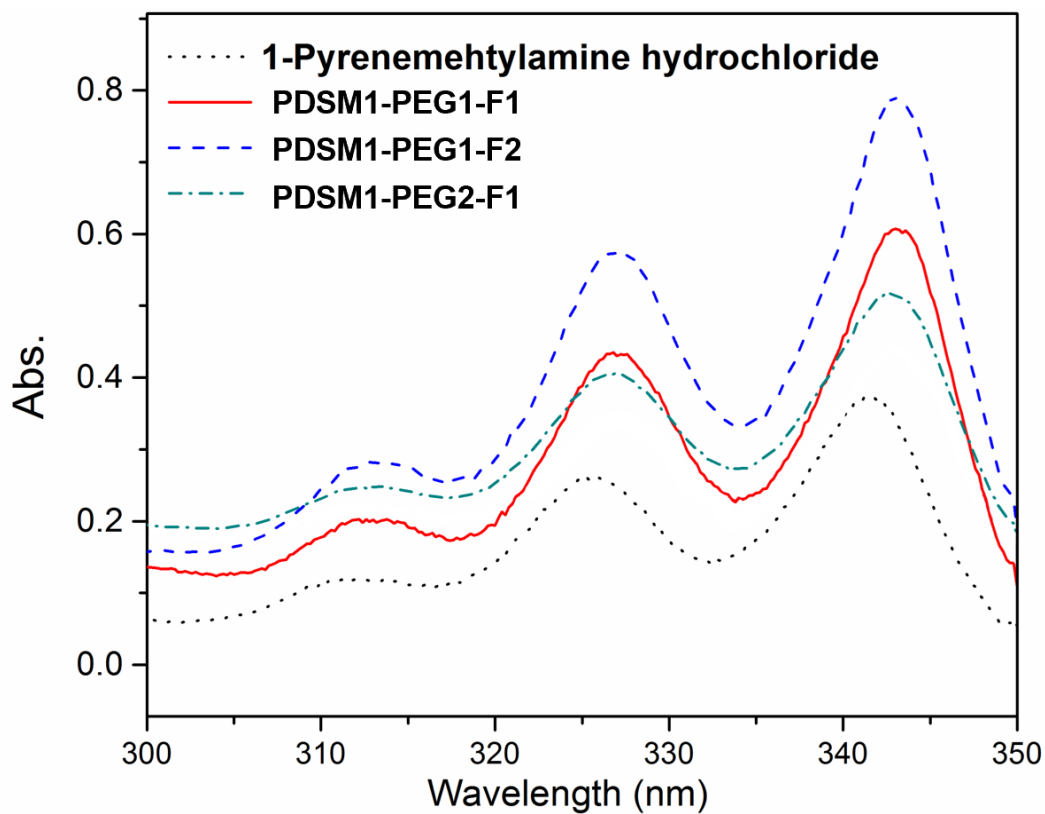


**Figure S10.** FT-IR spectrum of the grafting cyclopolymer **PDSM2-PEG1-F1**

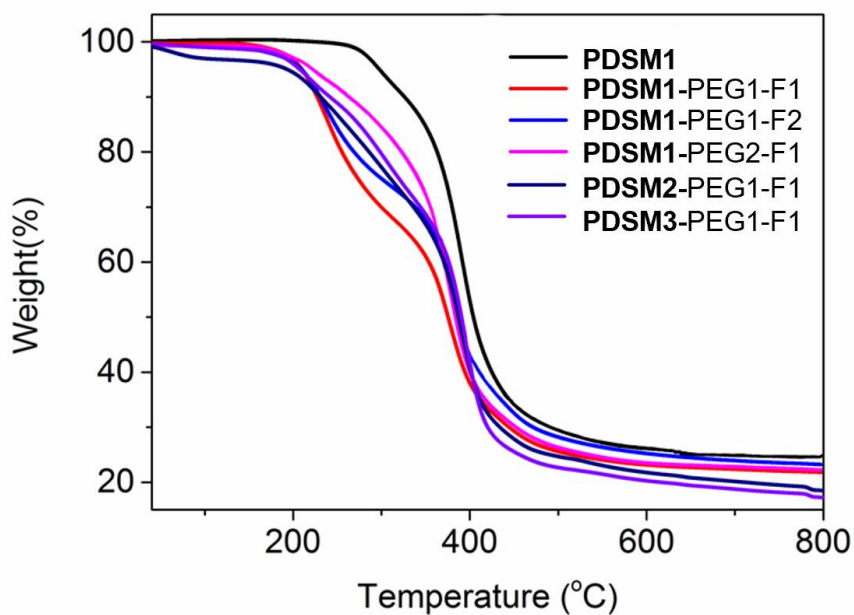


**Figure S11.** FT-IR spectrum of the grafting cyclopolymer **PDSM3-PEG1-F1**





**Figure S12.** UV-vis spectra of 1-Pyrenemethylamine hydrochloride and **PDSM-PEG-F** (THF : H<sub>2</sub>O = 1 : 1, [1-Pyrenemethylamine hydrochloride] =  $1 \times 10^{-4}$  mol/L, [**PDSM-PEG-F**] =  $2.5 \times 10^{-2}$  g/L)



**Figure S13.** TGA profiles for the different **PDSM-PEG-F** copolymers

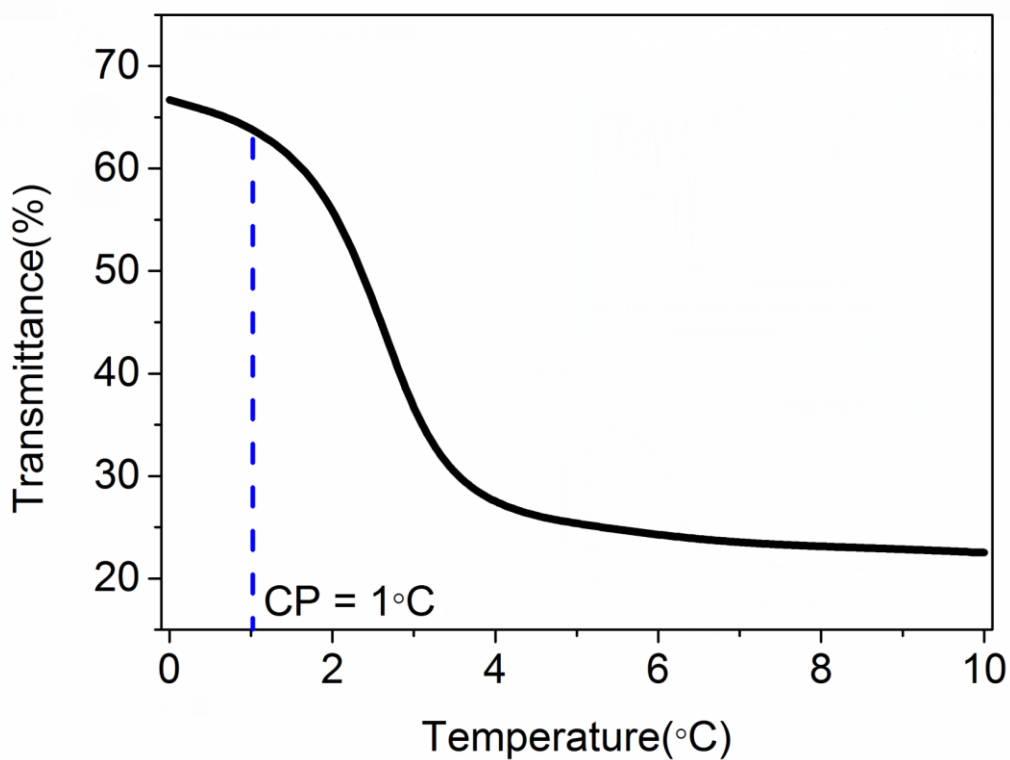


Figure S14. TGA profiles for the different PDSM2-PEG1-F1 copolymers

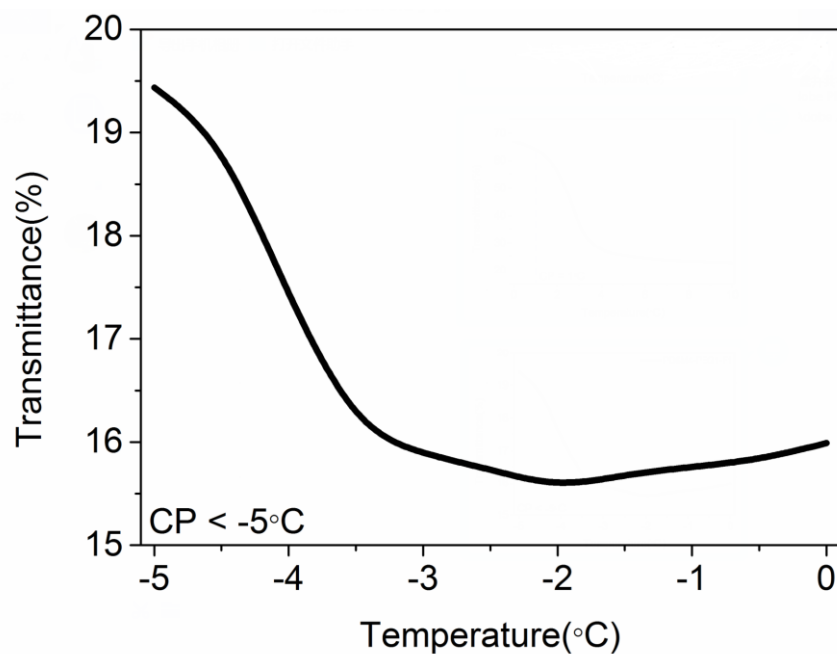
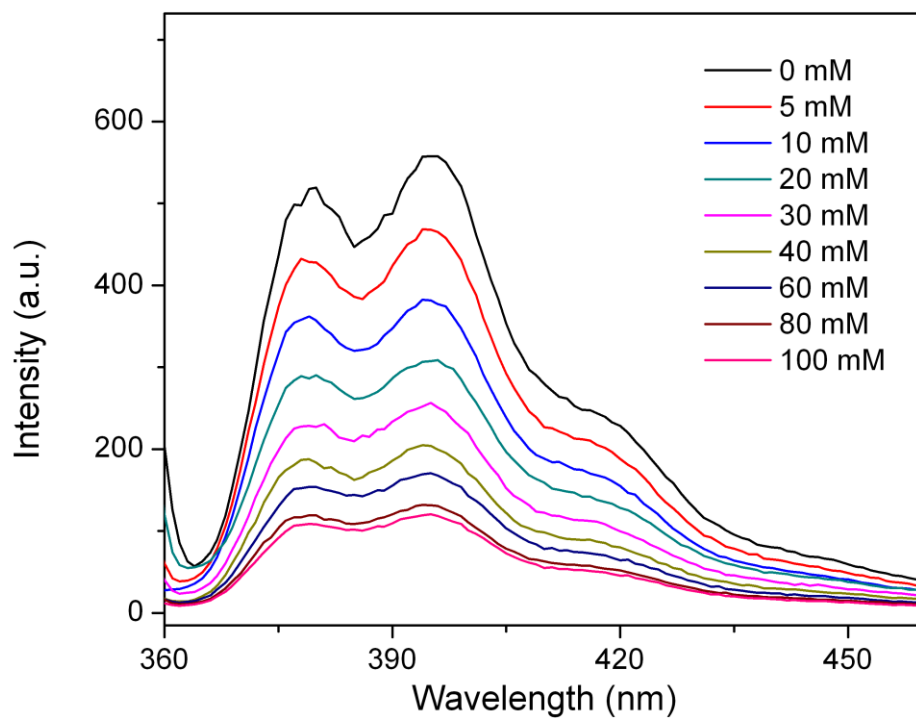
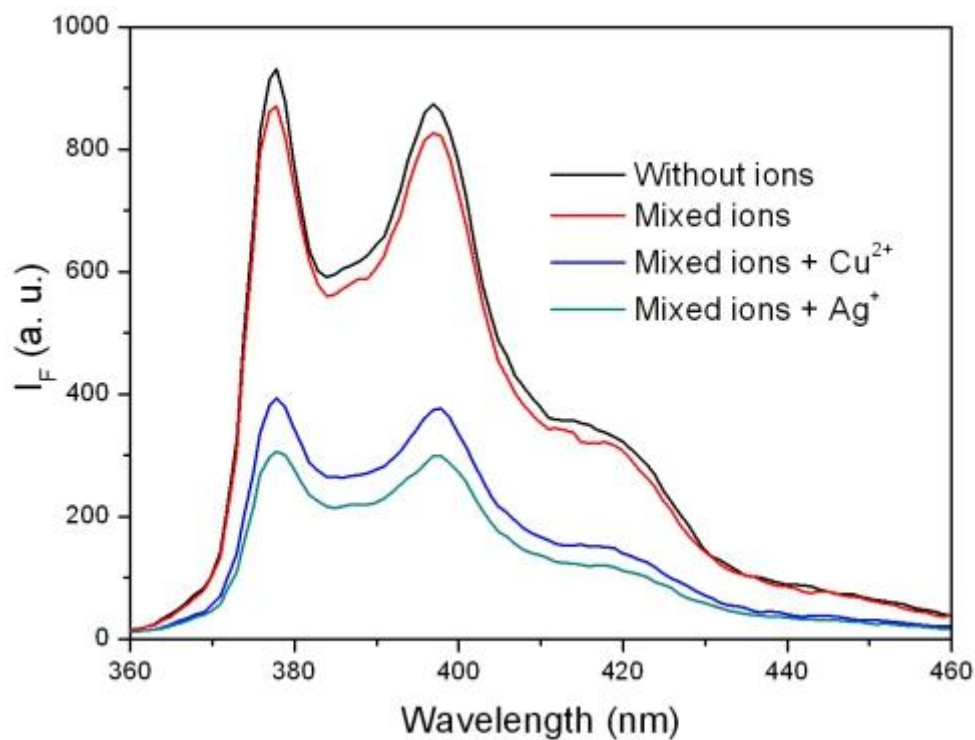


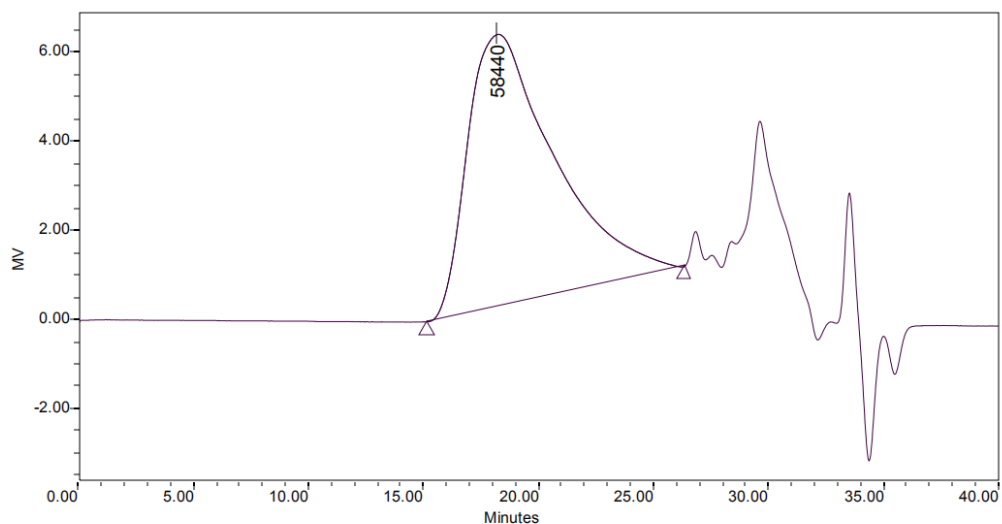
Figure S15. TGA profiles for the different PDSM3-PEG1-F1 copolymers



**Figure S16.** Fluorescent spectra of pyrene after adding  $\text{Cu}^{2+}$  under room-temperature ( $\text{pH} = 2.0$ ,  $\lambda_{\text{excitation}} = 345 \text{ nm}$ , slit width = 5 nm,  $[\text{Pyrene}] = 10^{-7} \text{ M}$ )



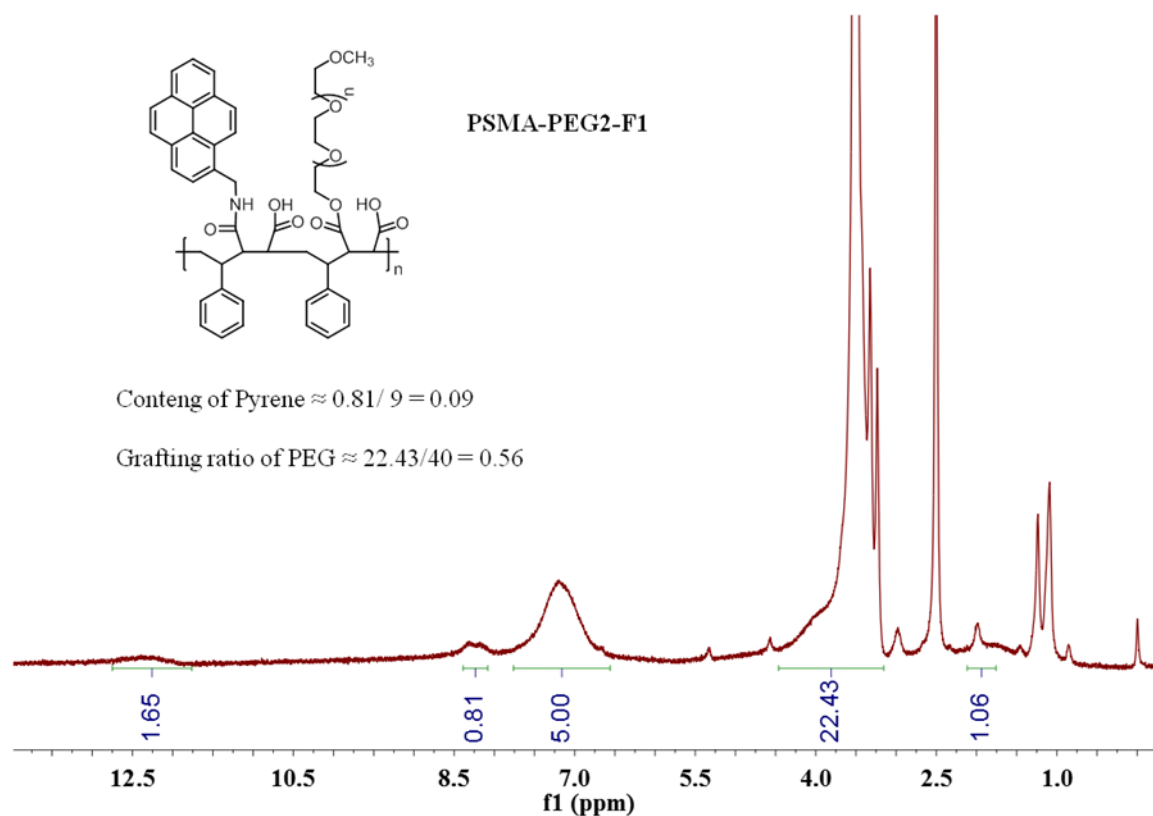
**Figure S17.** Interference of Metal ions on the detection of PDSM1-PEG1-F1 to  $\text{Cu}^{2+}$  or  $\text{Ag}^+$ , Mixed ions:  $\text{K}^+$ ,  $\text{Na}^+$ ,  $\text{Mg}^{2+}$ ,  $\text{Ca}^{2+}$  and  $\text{Fe}^{3+}$ , 10  $\mu\text{M}$  to each metal ion.



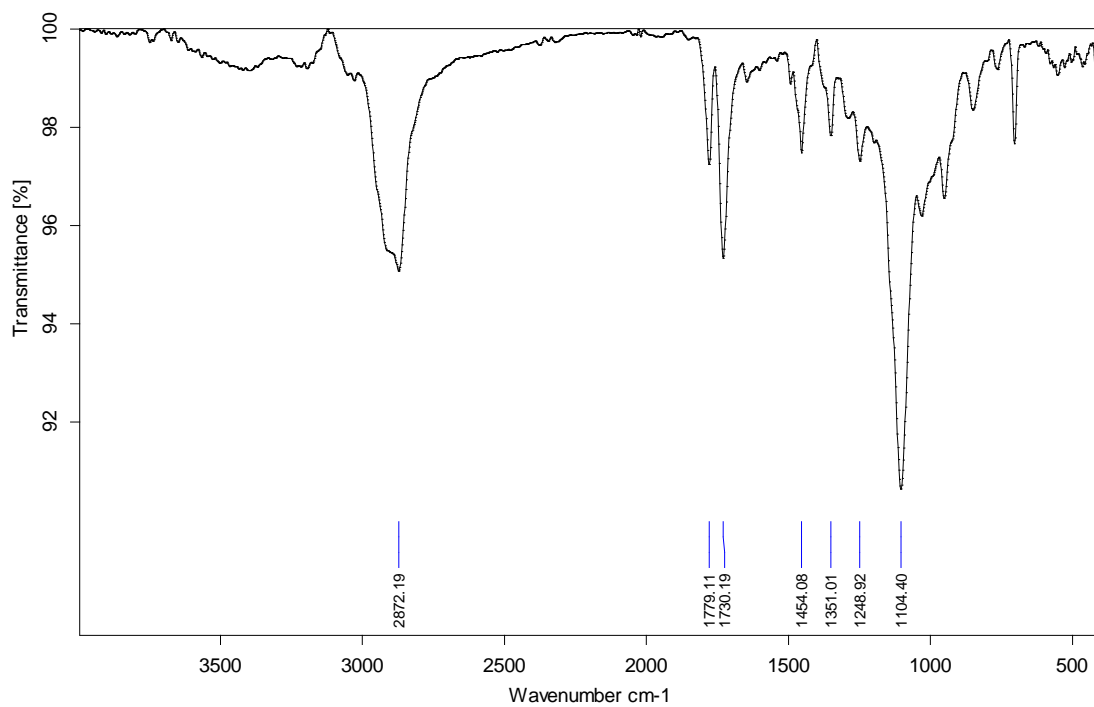
**Broad Unknown Relative Peak Table**

Distribution Name	Mn (Daltons)	Mw (Daltons)	MP (Daltons)	Mz (Daltons)	Mz+1 (Daltons)	Polydispersity	Mz/Mw	Mz+1/Mw
1	24317	56453	58440	106503	170994	2.321527	1.886568	3.028955

**Figure S18.** The GPC of polystyrene-*co*-polymaleic anhydride (PSMA).



**Figure S19.** The  $^1\text{H}$  NMR of PSMA-PEG2-F1 ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ ).



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**Figure S20.** The IR of PSMA-PEG2-F1.