## **Electronic Supporting Information**

## Effect of Molar Mass of Poly(2-Oxazoline) Based Glycopolymers on Lectin Binding

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**Figure S1**: The assigned <sup>1</sup>H NMR of step one of the synthesis of 2-(3-butenyl-2-oxaazoline) (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 400 MHz)



**Figure S2**: The assigned <sup>1</sup>H NMR of step two of the synthesis of 2-(3-butenyl-2-oxazoline) (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 400 MHz).



Figure S3: The assigned <sup>1</sup>H NMR of the purified 2-(3-butenyl-2-oxazoline) (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 400 MHz).



**Figure S4:** The kinetic plots of 2-(3-Butenyl-2-oxazoline) at 110 °C in acetonitrile. The plots demonstrate a linear first-order kinetic characteristic of living polymerisation. (A) Evolution of molecular weight and dispersity over conversion of the CROP reaction. (B) Semi-logarithmic plot of ButeneOx at 110 °C in acetonitrile. (C) Evolution of GPC traces over different time points measured (eluent: THF +2 % TEA +0.1 % BHT).



**Figure S5:** The assigned  $t_0$  <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of the stock solution used for each first block of **P1-P5** which include 2-(3-butenyl-2-oxaoline) and MeCN this was initiated with propargyl tosylate and after 22 mins EtOx was added in varying amounts depending on the chain length desired (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 400 MHz).



**Figure S6:** Example assigned  $t_1$  <sup>1</sup>H NMR Spectrum of **P1** at the point before the addition of EtOx, (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 400 MHz).



Figure S7: The assigned t<sub>f</sub> <sup>1</sup>H NMR Spectrum of P1 (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 400 MHz).



Figure S8: The assigned t<sub>f</sub> <sup>1</sup>H NMR Spectrum of P2(CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 400 MHz).



Figure S9: The assigned t<sub>f</sub> <sup>1</sup>H NMR Spectrum of P3(CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 400 MHz).



Figure S10: The assigned t<sub>f</sub> <sup>1</sup>H NMR Spectrum of P5(CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 400 MHz).



Figure S11: The assigned t<sub>f</sub> <sup>1</sup>H NMR Spectrum of P6(CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 400 MHz).



Figure S12: MALDI-Tof MS of P1. Confirming the telechelic structure.



Figure S13: GPC chromatogram of P1. The GPC was carried out in THF.



**Figure S14:** GPC chromatogram of **P2**. With the red trace showing the 1<sup>st</sup> block of the polymer and the black trace showing the addition of the 2<sup>nd</sup> block The GPC was carried out in THF.



**Figure S15:** GPC chromatogram of **P3**. With the red trace showing the 1<sup>st</sup> block of the polymer and the black trace showing the addition of the 2<sup>nd</sup> block. The GPC was carried out in THF.



**Figure S16:** GPC chromatogram of **P4**. With the red trace showing the 1<sup>st</sup> block of the polymer and the black trace showing the addition of the 2<sup>nd</sup> block. The GPC was carried out in THF.



**Figure S17:** GPC chromatogram of **P5**. With the red trace showing the 1<sup>st</sup> block of the polymer and the black trace showing the addition of the 2<sup>nd</sup> block. The GPC was carried out in THF.



Figure S18: GPC chromatogram of P6. The GPC was carried out in THF.



Figure S19: The assigned final <sup>1</sup>H NMR Spectrum of GP1 (D<sub>2</sub>O 400 MHz).



Figure S20: The assigned final <sup>1</sup>H NMR Spectrum of GP2 (D<sub>2</sub>O 400 MHz).



Figure S21: The assigned final <sup>1</sup>H NMR Spectrum of GP3 (D<sub>2</sub>O 400 MHz).



Figure S22: The assigned final <sup>1</sup>H NMR Spectrum of GP5 (D<sub>2</sub>O 400 MHz).



Figure S23: GPC chromatogram of the final GP1. The GPC was carried out in DMF.



Figure S24: GPC chromatogram of the final GP2. The GPC was carried out in DMF.



Figure S25: GPC chromatogram of the final GP3. The GPC was carried out in DMF.



Figure S26: GPC chromatogram of the final GP4. The GPC was carried out in DMF.



Figure S27: GPC chromatogram of the final GP5. The GPC was carried out in DMF.



Figure S28: FT-IR spectrum of GP1 before deacetylation.



Figure S29: FT-IR spectrum of GP2 before deacetylation.



Figure S30: FT-IR spectrum of GP3 before deacetylation.



Figure S31: FT-IR spectrum of GP4 before deacetylation.



Figure S32: FT-IR spectrum of GP1 after deacetylation.



Figure S33: FT-IR spectrum of GP2 after deacetylation.



Figure S34: FT-IR spectrum of GP3 after deacetylation.



Figure S35: FT-IR spectrum of GP4 after deacetylation.



Figure S36: FT-IR spectrum of GP5 after deacetylation.



Figure S37: SPR binding curves of the negative control P6 against the lectins DC-SIGN, MBL and Langerin.