

Supporting information

Metallopolymer-Based Block Copolymers for Perfluorinated Substances (PFAS) and Ion Removal

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1.-Polymers and Nomenclature

Table S1: Summarized molar masses and block segment content (weight content (wt.%), P_{XX} wt%) of PtBAEMA and PCoEtBAEMA of synthesized polymers calculated by SEC measurements and ^1H NMR spectroscopy.

Sample	Polymer	$M_{n, NMR}$ ^{a)}	\bar{D} ^{b)}	wt.% _{PCoEtBAEMA(UV-Vis)} ^{c)}
P _{6.2}	PS ₇₉₇ - <i>b</i> -(PCoEtBAEMA ₇ - <i>co</i> -PMMA ₈)	87.8	1.08	6.2
P _{20.1}	PS ₇₇₃ - <i>b</i> -(PCoEtBAEMA ₃₁ - <i>co</i> -PMMA ₁₂)	98.7	1.08	20.1
P _{27.5}	PS ₉₀₈ - <i>b</i> -(PCoEtBAEMA ₆₅ - <i>co</i> -PMMA ₂₈)	134.4	1.10	27.5
P _{31.1}	PS ₇₇₃ - <i>b</i> -(PCoEtBAEMA ₅₇ - <i>co</i> -PMMA ₂₇)	114.4	1.11	31.1
P _{33.3}	PS ₈₇₄ - <i>b</i> -(PCoEtBAEMA ₆₈ - <i>co</i> -PMMA ₄₈)	143.3	1.10	33.3
P _{40.1}	PS ₇₇₆ - <i>b</i> -(PCoEtBAEMA ₈₀ - <i>co</i> -PMMA ₃₀)	127.0	1.10	40.1
P _{92.6}	PCoEtBAEMA ₃₈₇ - <i>b</i> -PMMA ₁₃₃	225.5	1.07	92.6 ^{d)}

^{a)} PS molar masses were determined by SEC in THF (kg mol⁻¹, PS standards) and used to calculate NMR values for the corresponding block copolymers; ^{b)} Dispersity of polymers prior to functionalization measured by SEC in DMF with styrene standard ^{c)} Weight content of PCoEtBAEMA in % calculated by UV-Vis spectroscopy in THF at 489 nm ^{d)} Weight content determined by ^1H NMR data of the block copolymers.

Polymer synthesis and data:

A detailed description of the synthetic and analytical procedure, including the composition calculation, can be found in the supporting information of our previous work under DOI:10.1039/D4PY00780H. All newly synthesized polymers for this work (P_{27.5}, P_{33.3}, and P_{92.6}) were analyzed accordingly, and relevant data (NMR and SEC) is presented in the following.

2.-Proton Nuclear Resonance Spectroscopy ($^1\text{H-NMR}$) of prepared Polymers

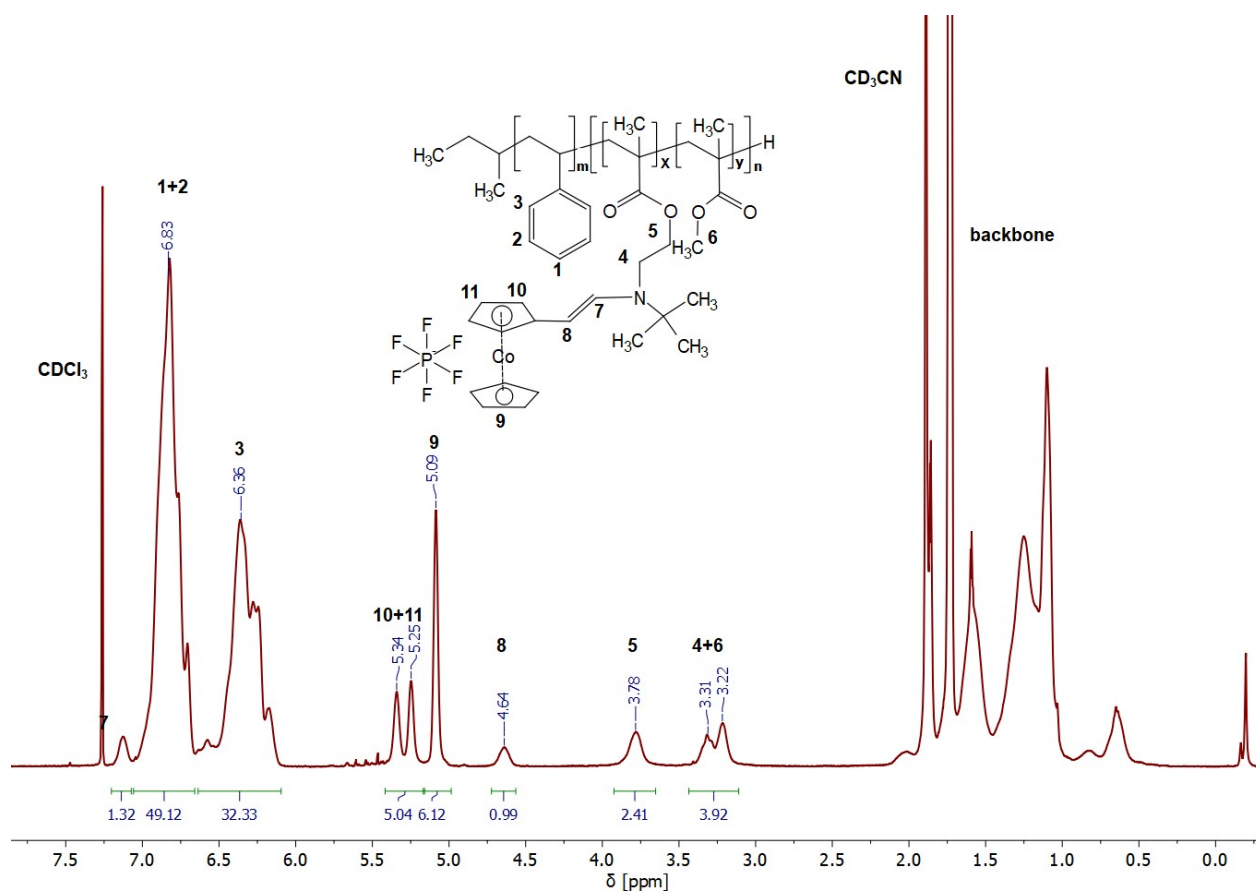
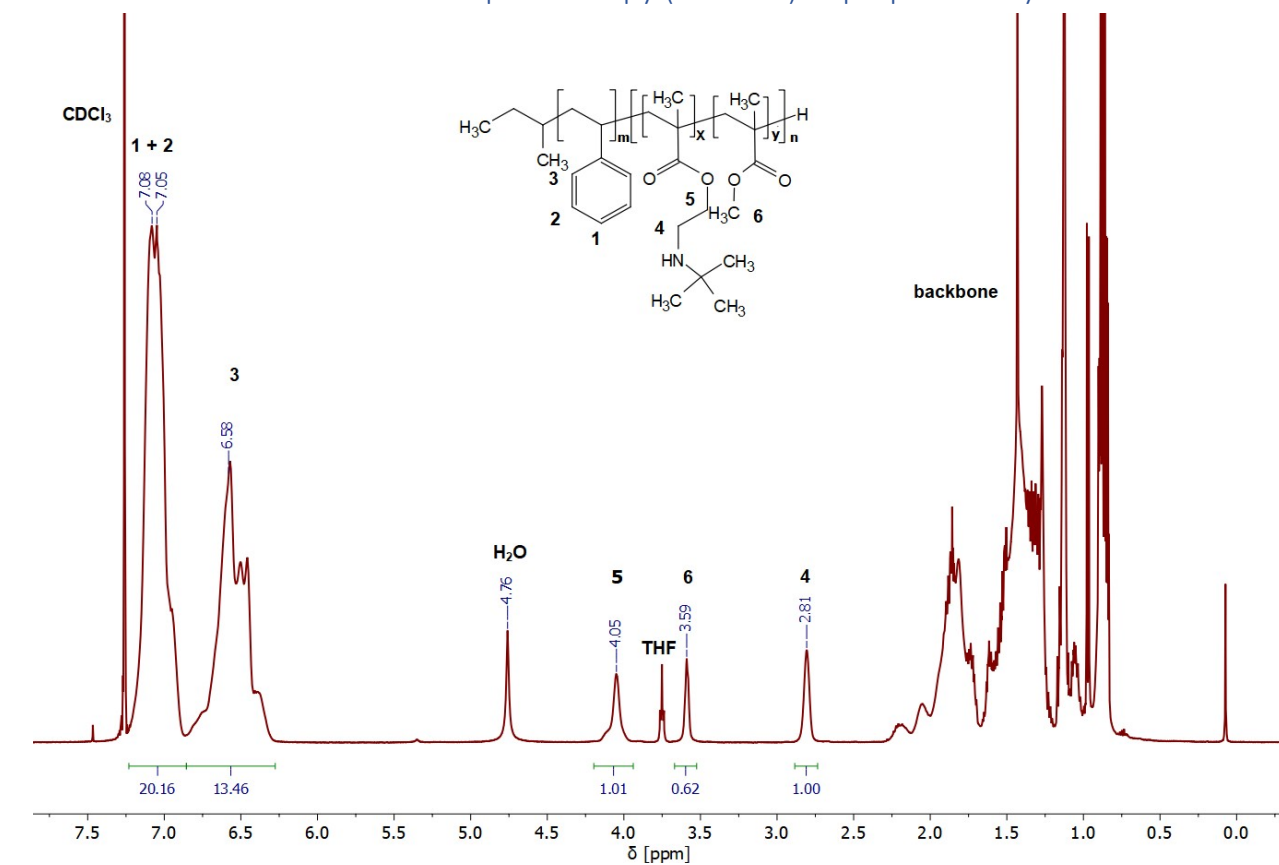


Figure S1: $^1\text{H-NMR}$ (500 MHz, CDCl_3 , δ in ppm) of $\text{PS}_{908}\text{-}b\text{-(PtBAEMA}_{65}\text{-}co\text{-PMMA}_{28})$

Figure S2: $^1\text{H-NMR}$ (500 MHz, $\text{CDCl}_3/\text{CDCN}$, δ in ppm) of $\text{PS}_{908}\text{-}b\text{-(PCoEtBAEMA}_{65}\text{-}co\text{-PMMA}_{28})$

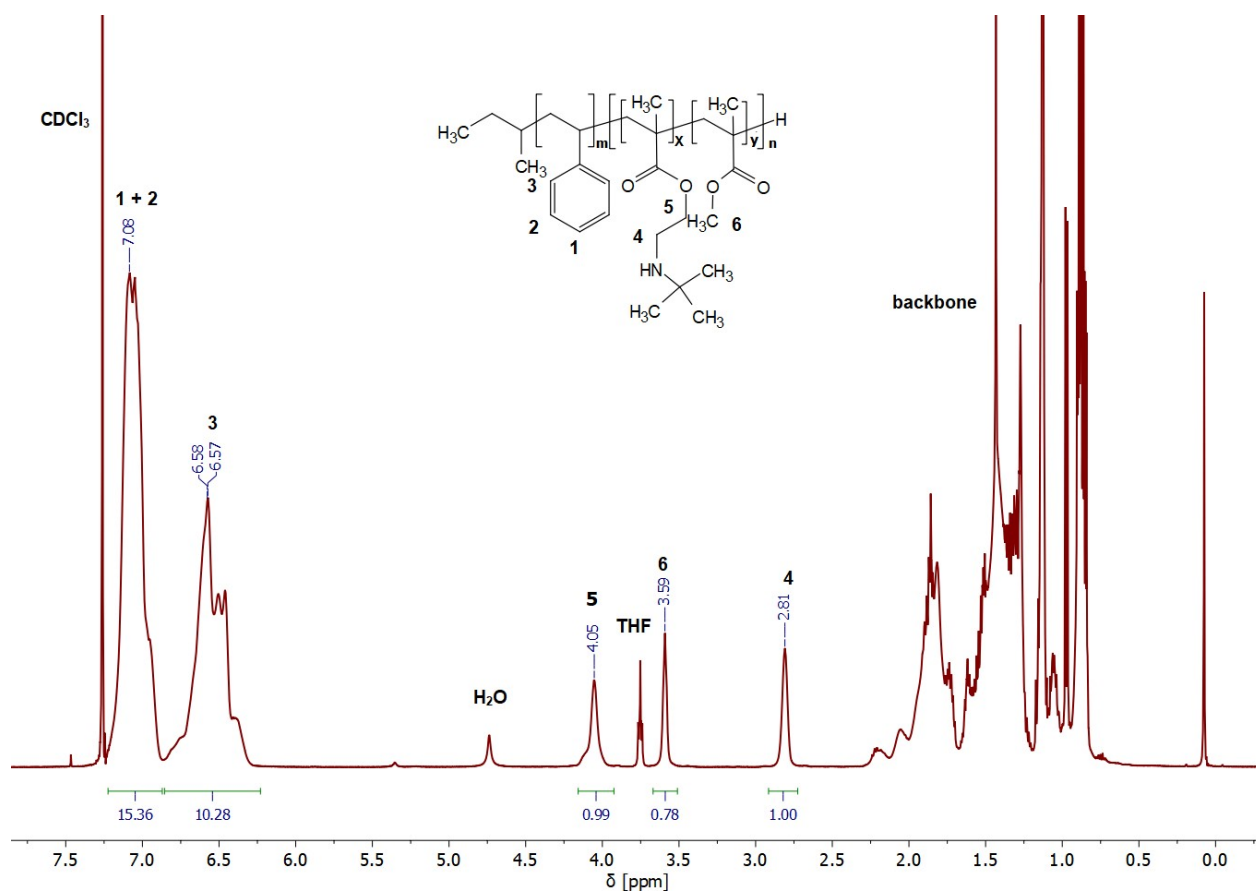


Figure S3: $^1\text{H-NMR}$ (500 MHz, CDCl_3 , δ in ppm) of $\text{PS}_{874}\text{-}b\text{-(PtBAEMA}_{88}\text{-}co\text{-PMMA}_{48})$

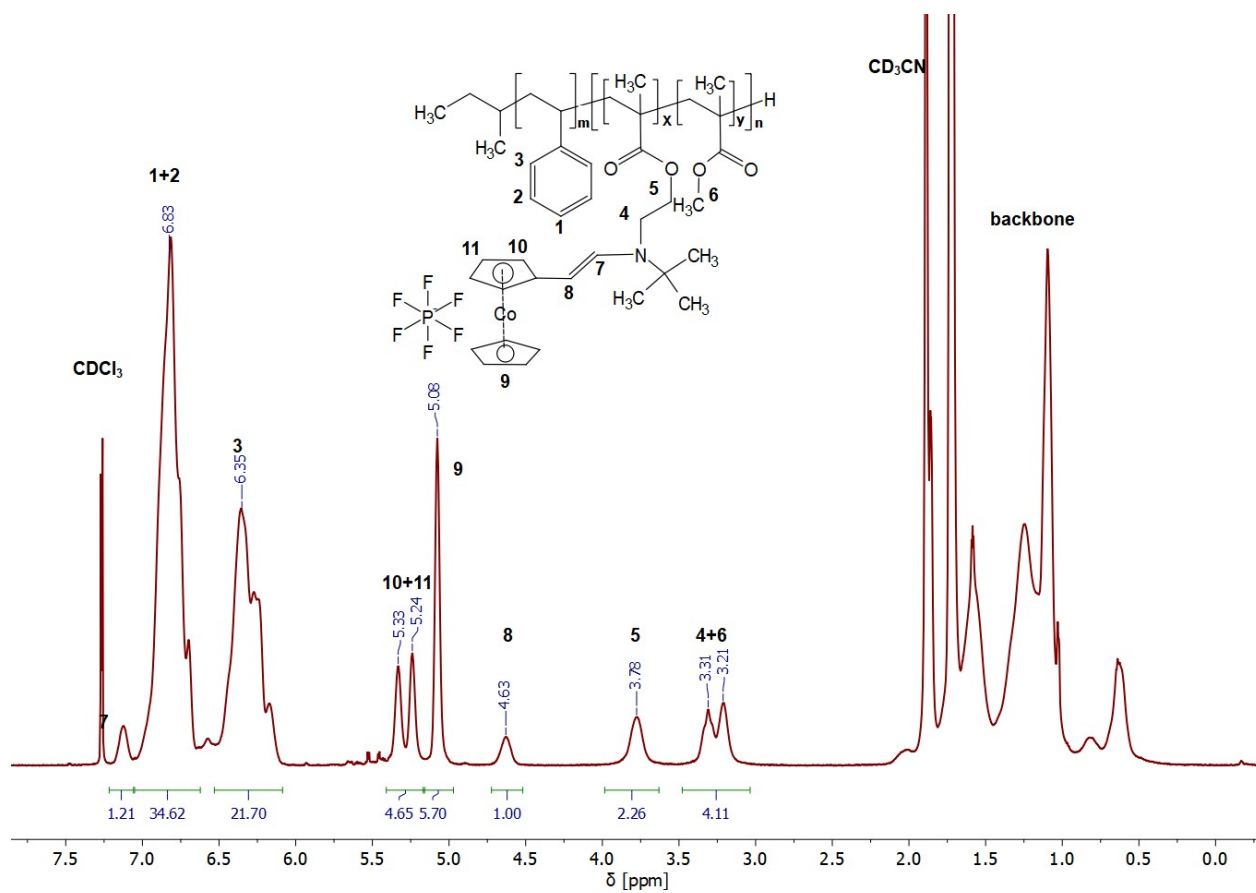


Figure S4: $^1\text{H-NMR}$ (500 MHz, $\text{CDCl}_3/\text{CDCl}_2$, δ in ppm) of $\text{PS}_{874}\text{-}b\text{-(PCoEtBAEMA}_{88}\text{-co-PMMA}_{48})$

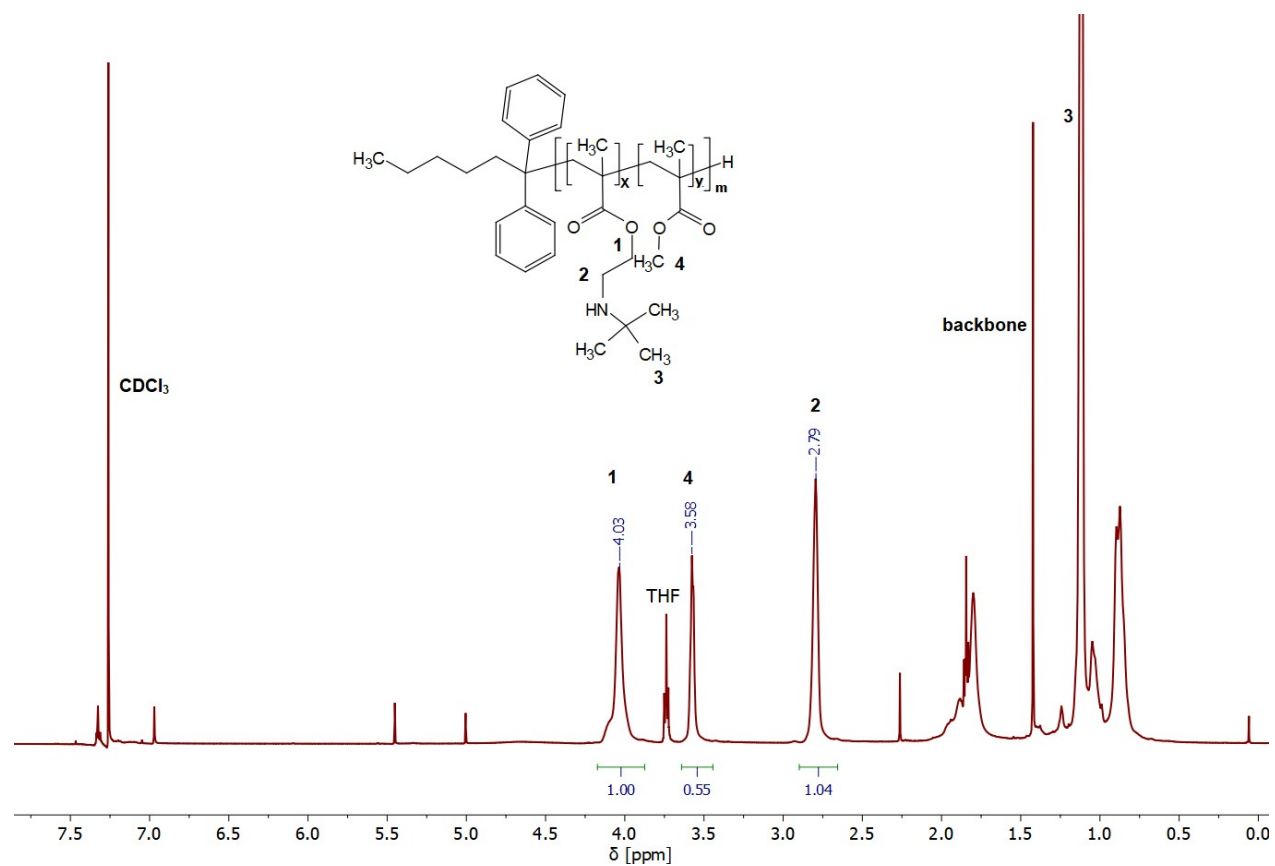


Figure S5: ¹H-NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃, δ in ppm) of PtBAEMA₃₈₇-*b*-PMMA₁₃₃

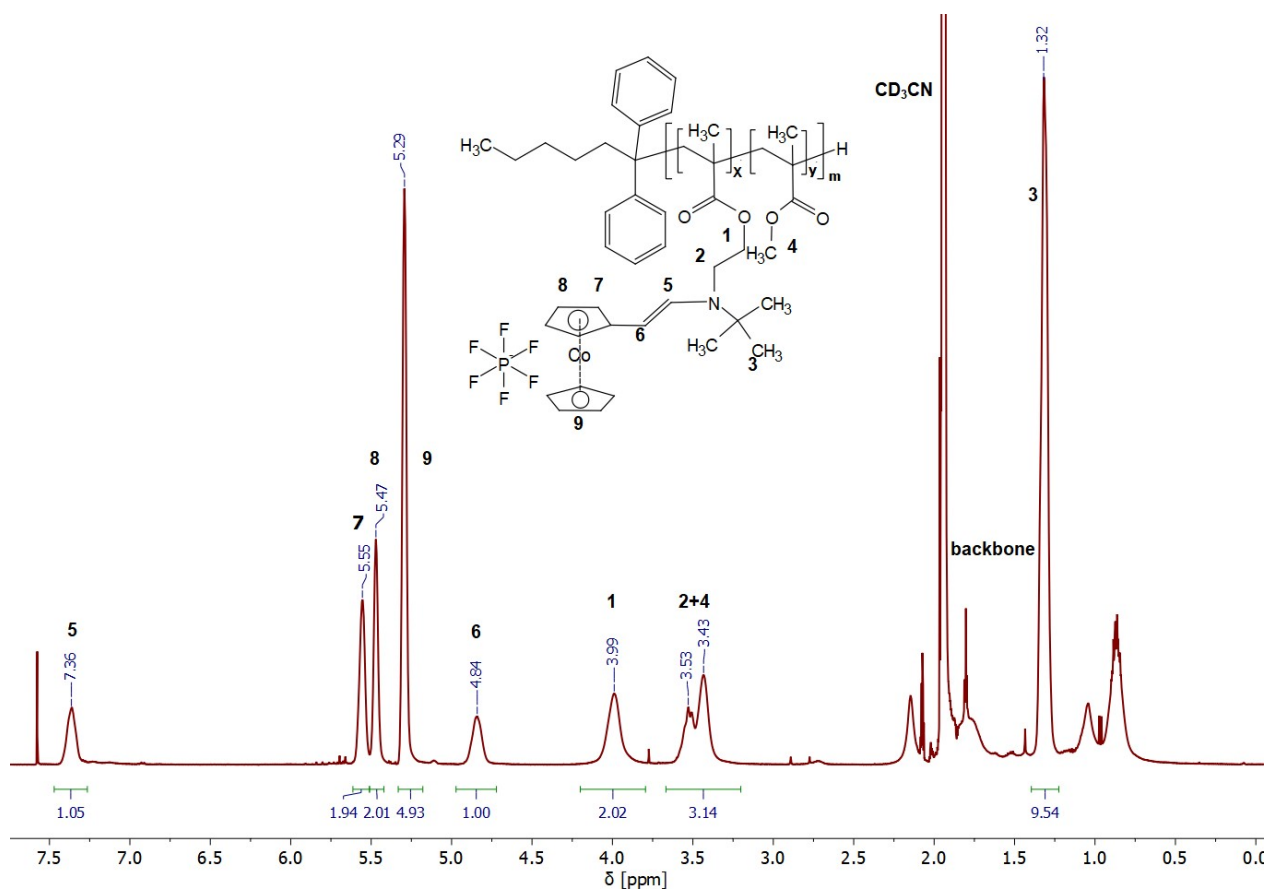


Figure S6: ¹H-NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃/CD₃CN, δ in ppm) of PCoEtBAEMA₃₈₇-*b*-PMMA₁₃₃

3.-Size Exclusion Chromatography (SEC) of prepared Polymers

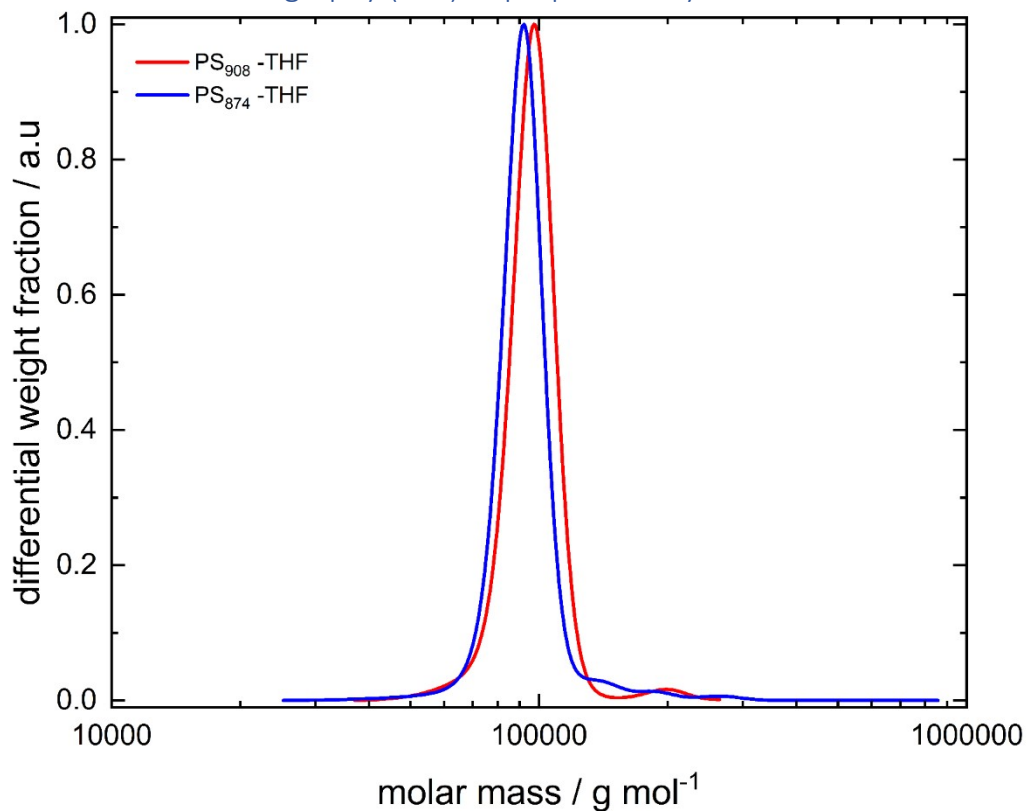


Figure S7: SEC (THF, polystyrene standard) of PS₉₀₈ and PS₈₇₄ first polystyrene block for calculation

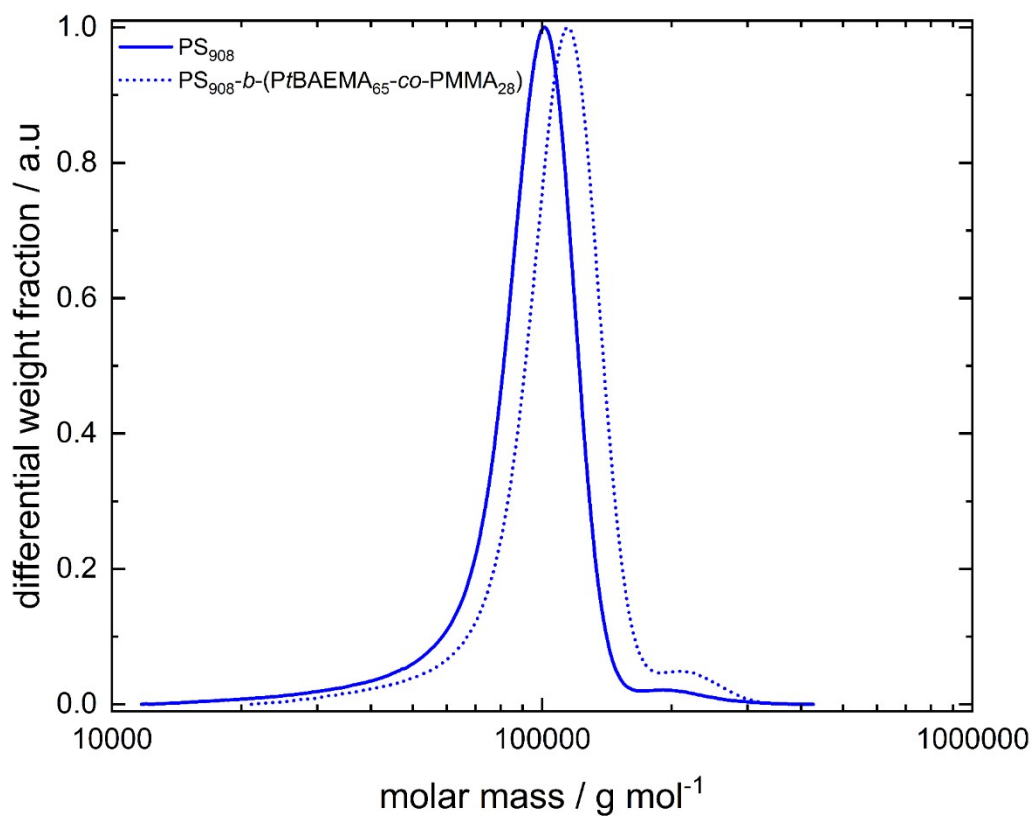


Figure S8: SEC (DMF, PMMA standard) of PS₉₀₈ and PS₉₀₈-*b*-(PtBAEMA₆₅-*co*-PMMA₂₈)

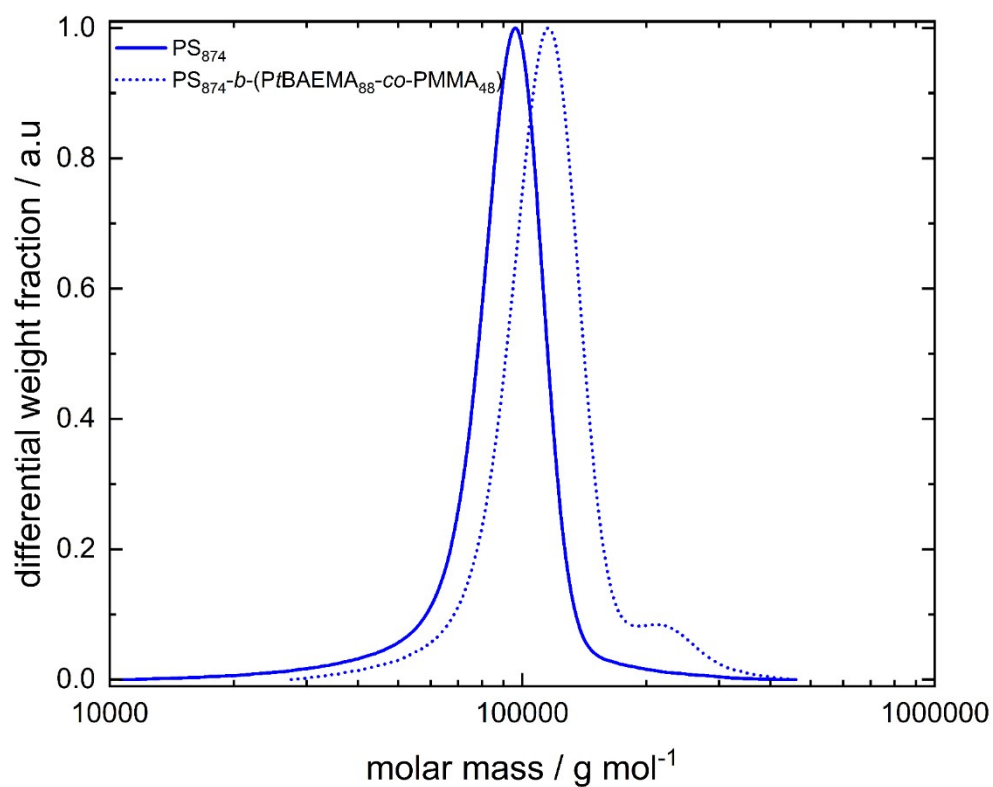


Figure S9: SEC (DMF, PMMA standard) of PS₈₇₄ and PS₈₇₄-*b*-(PtBAEMA₈₈-*co*-PMMA₄₈)

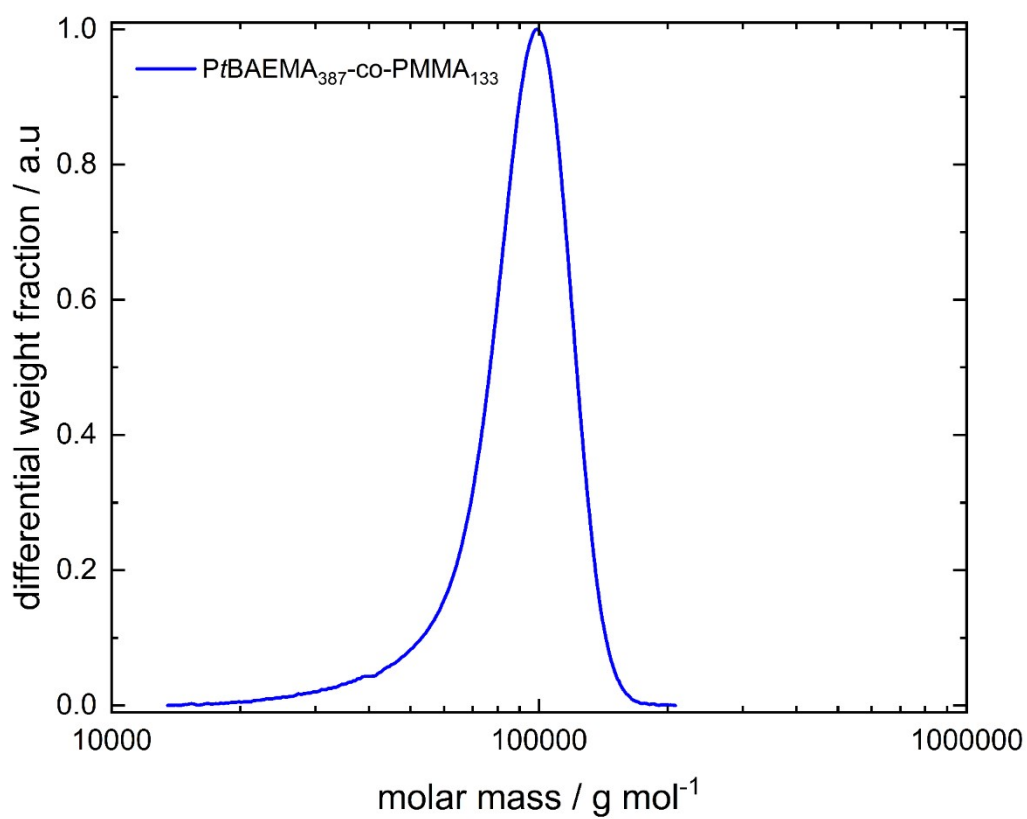


Figure S10: SEC (DMF, PMMA standard) of P(*t*BAEMA₈₈-*co*-MMA₄₈)

4.-Photographs of Prepared Membranes and SEM Images of the Membrane Surface

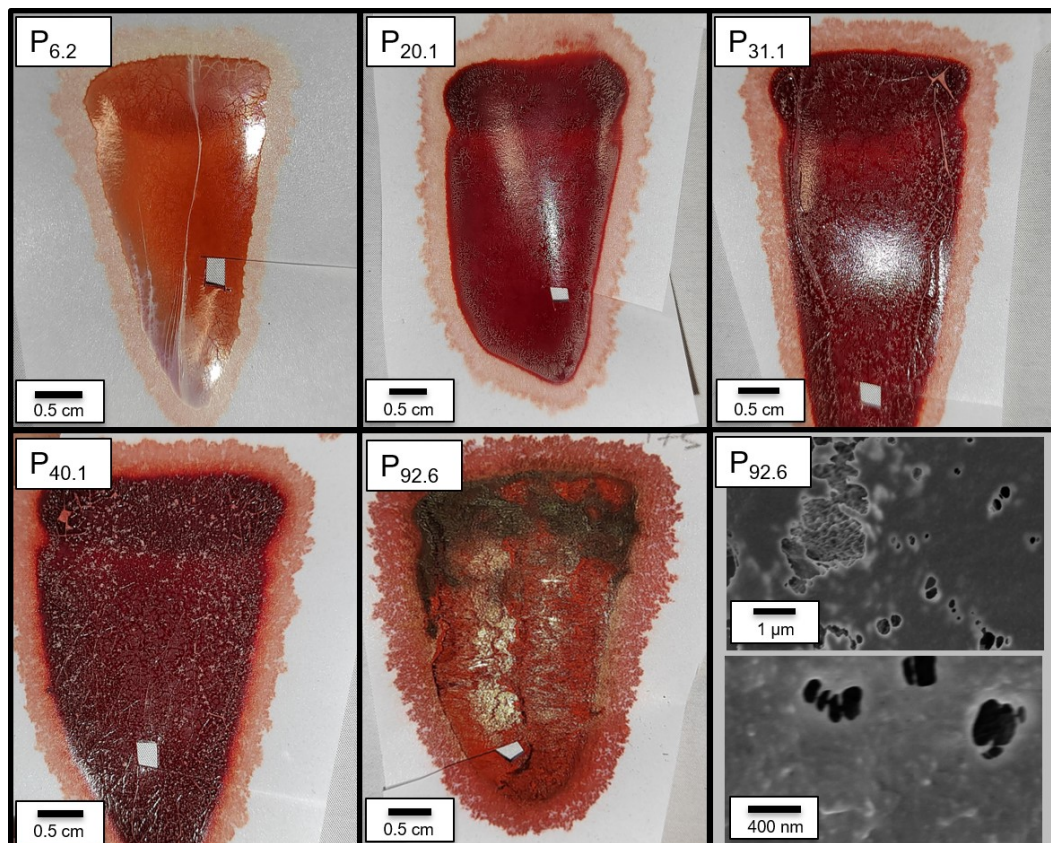


Figure S11: Images of prepared membranes from NMP solution with increasing amount of cobaltocenium containing PtBAEMA in weight percent (P_{xx} wt%) and scanning electron microscopy images of $P_{92.6}$.

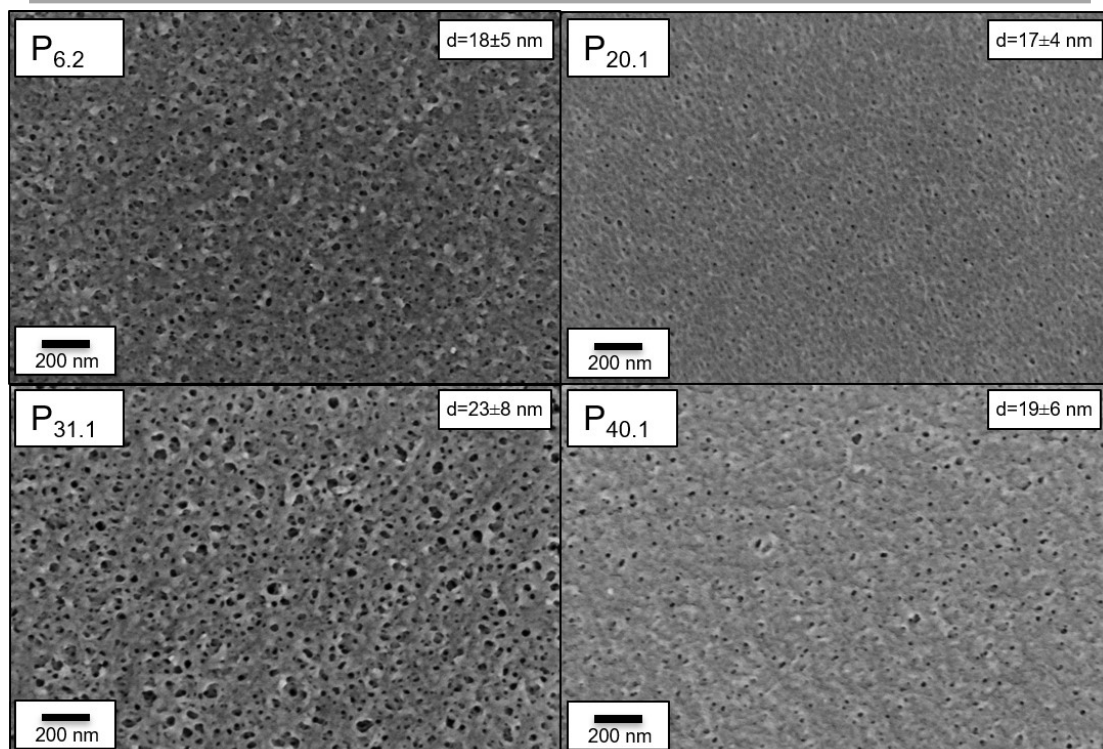


Figure S12: Scanning electron microscopy (SEM) images of membranes from NMP solution with increasing amount of cobaltocenium containing PtBAEMA in weight percent (P_{xx} wt%)

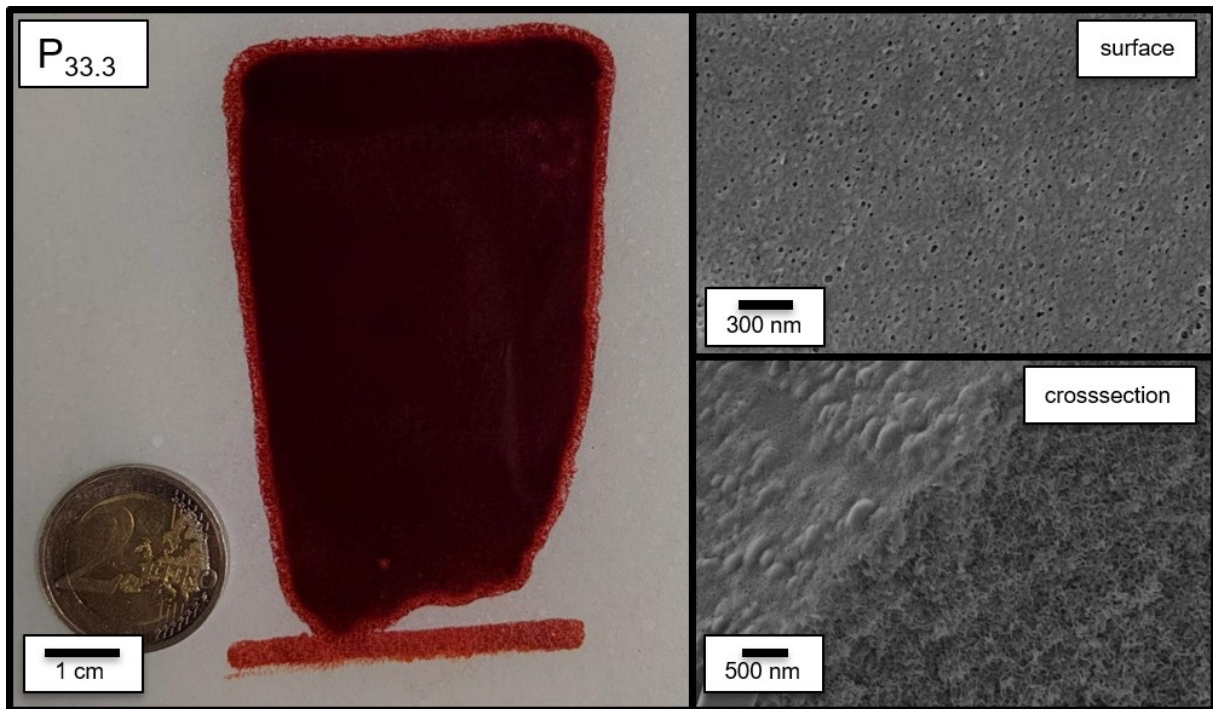
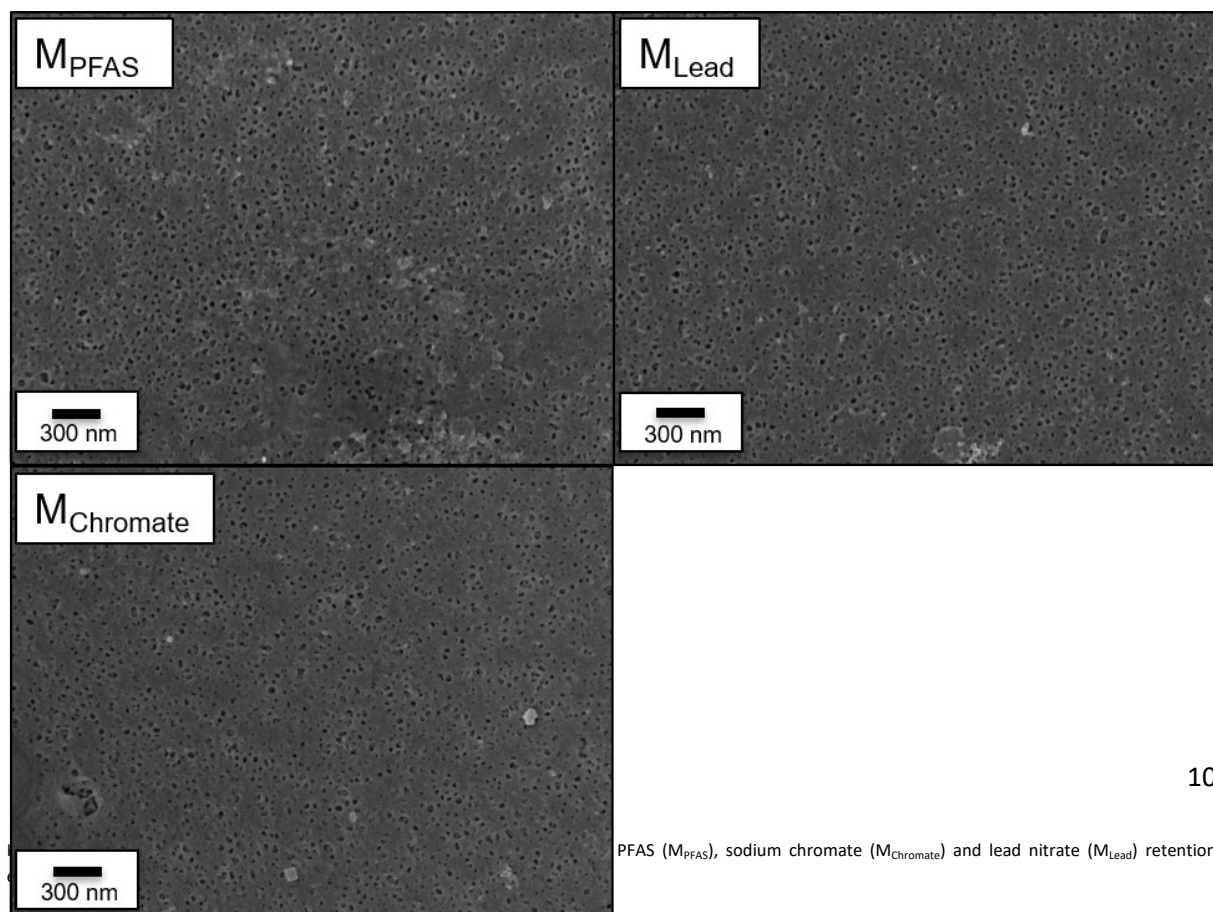


Figure S13: Image of large membrane formed from a DMAC solution of $P_{33.3}$ and respective scanning electron microscopy images of the surface and crosssection.



PFAS (M_{PFAS}), sodium chromate ($M_{Chromate}$) and lead nitrate (M_{Lead}) retention

5.-Additional Permeance Experiments in Simulated Seawater

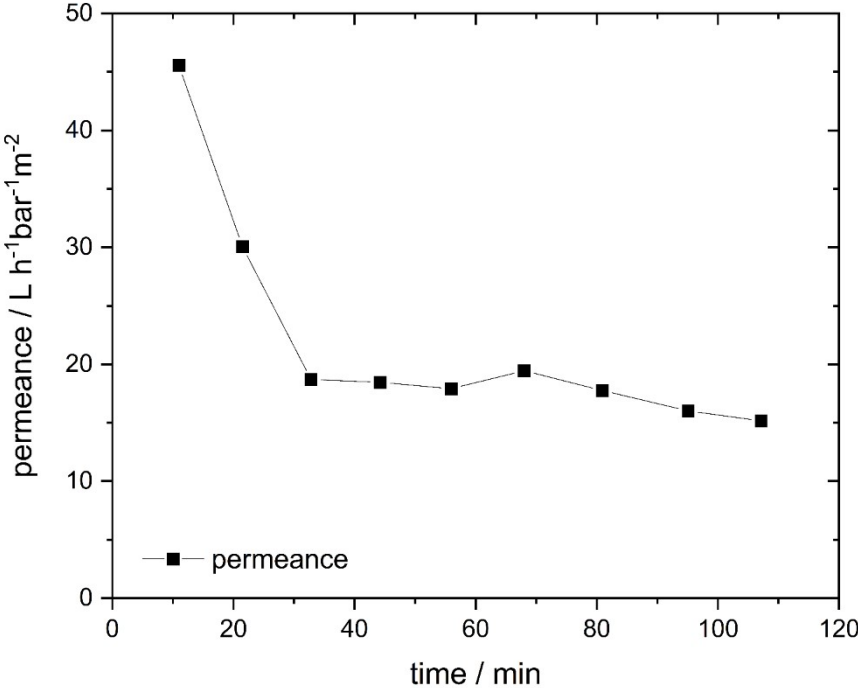


Figure 15: Water flux experiment with a sodium chloride concentration of 3.5 wt% and a pressure of 0.4 bar

6.-Cyclic Voltammetry Data

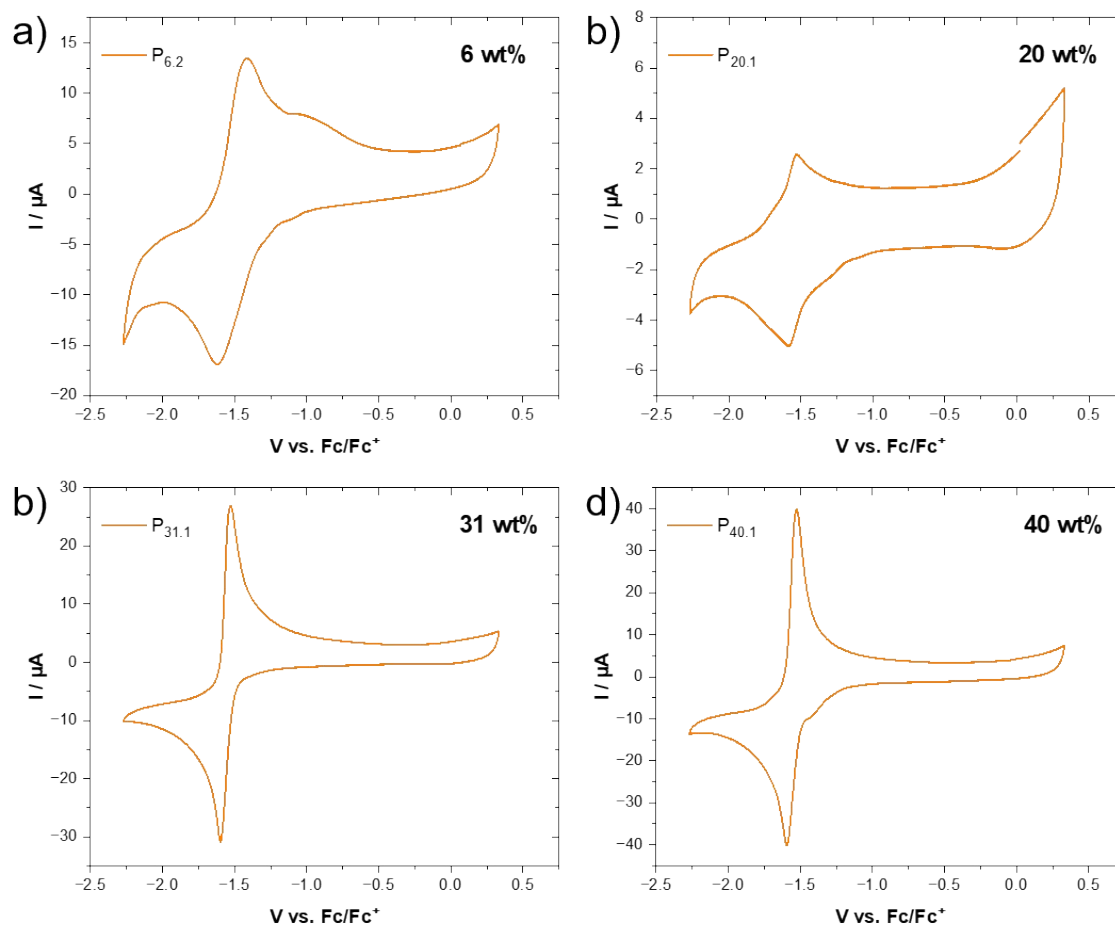


Figure S16: Cyclic voltammetry (CV) investigation of cobaltocenium containing BCP- films in acetonitrile with 0.1 M TBAPF₆ at a scan rate of 200 mV s^{-1} , Pt working, and Ag/AgCl reference electrode containing increasing cobaltocenium amounts (P_{xx} wt%): a) P_{6.2}. b) P_{20.1}. c) P_{31.1}. d) P_{40.1}.

7.-Thermogravimetric Analysis Data and Ceramic in Synthetic Air

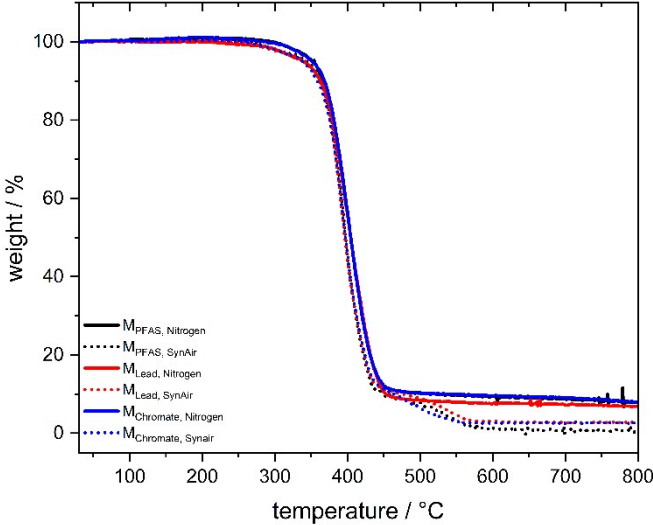


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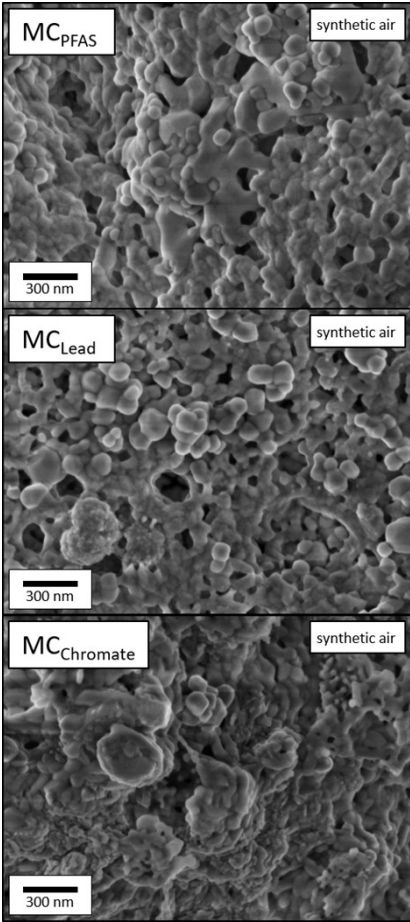


Figure S18: Scanning electron microscopy (SEM) images of the ceramic membrane after calcination in synthetic air up to 800°C with 10 K min⁻¹ of PFAS (M_{PFAS}), sodium chromate ($M_{Chromate}$) and lead nitrate (M_{Lead}) retention experiments.

8.-Ceramic Composition and Mapping via Energy-dispersive X-ray Spectroscopy (EDS)

Table S2: Summary of elemental composition of membrane ceramic formed after calcination in nitrogen and synAir up to 800°C with 10 K min⁻¹ determined by energy-dispersive X-ray spectroscopy (EDS)

Sample	Atmosphere ^{a)}	Ceramic yield / wt%	C / wt%	O / wt%	P / wt%	Co / wt%	Cr / wt%
M _{PFOA} . N2	nitrogen	7.9	56.2	19.0	8.3	16.5	0
M _{PFOA} . SynAir	synAir	[0.47]	15.5	44.0	14.8	25.8	0
M _{Lead} . N2	nitrogen	6.9	65.9	19.4	4.8	9.9	0
M _{Lead} . SynAir	synAir	2.8	16.3	34.9	14.7	34.1	0
M _{Chromate} . N2	nitrogen	7.9	69.9	18.8	3.1	6.7	1.5
M _{Chromate} . SynAir	synAir	2.7	12.3	36.5	14.2	31.4	3.2

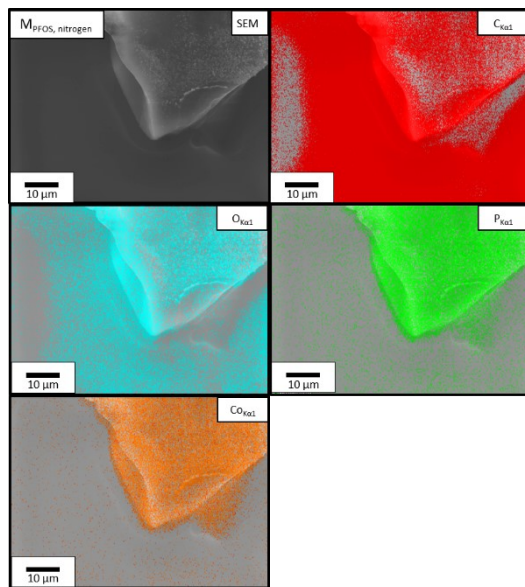
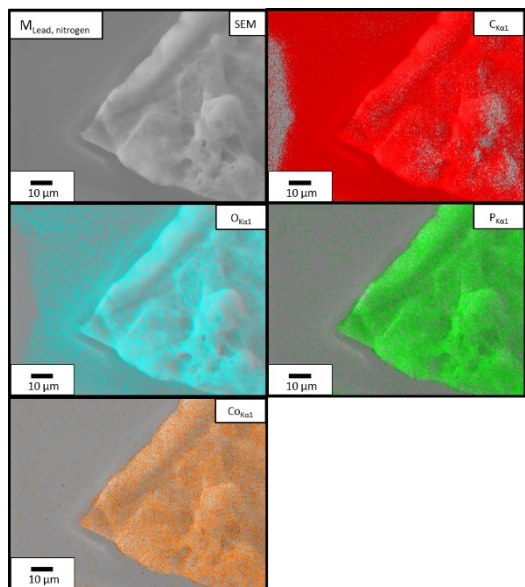


Figure S19: Energy-dispersive X-ray spectroscopy (EDS) images of respective elements found for M_{PFOA} made in a nitrogen atmosphere



^{a)}synAir is a mixture of nitrogen and oxygen (80/20).

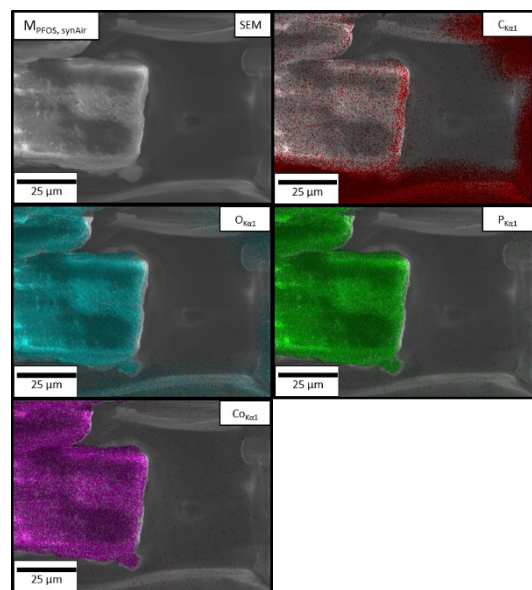


Figure S20: Energy-dispersive X-ray spectroscopy (EDS) images of respective elements found for M_{PFOA} made in an oxidative atmosphere

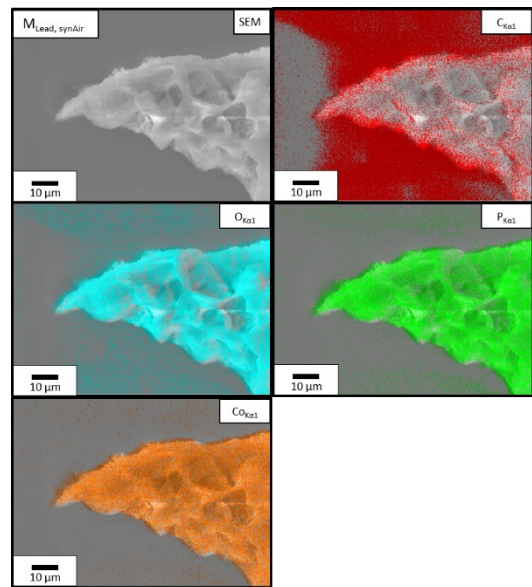


Figure S22: Energy-dispersive X-ray spectroscopy (EDS) images of respective elements found for M_{Lead} made in an oxidative atmosphere

Figure S21: Energy-dispersive X-ray spectroscopy (EDS) images of respective elements found for M_{Lead} made in a nitrogen atmosphere

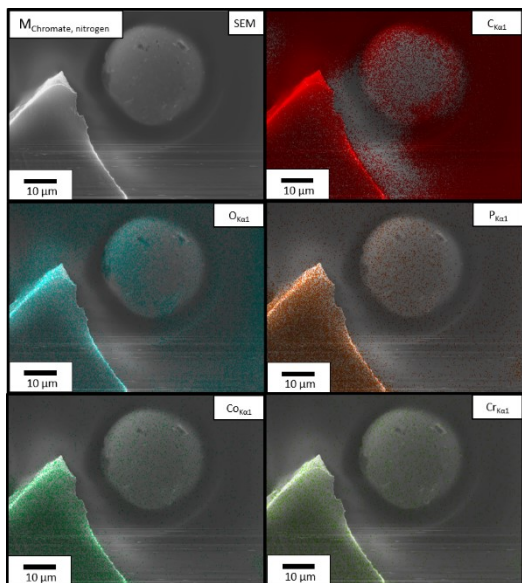


Figure S23: Energy-dispersive X-ray spectroscopy (EDS) images of respective elements found for M_{Chromate} made in a nitrogen atmosphere

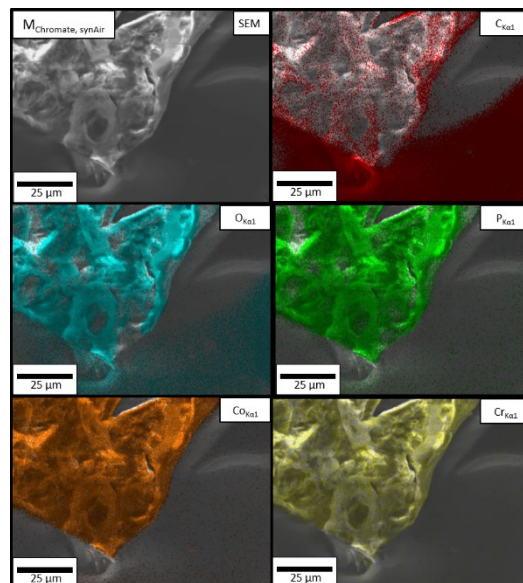


Figure S24: Energy-dispersive X-ray spectroscopy (EDS) images of respective elements found for M_{Chromate} made in an oxidative atmosphere