

Supporting Information

Linear Poly(ethylene imine)s: True Molar Masses, Solution Properties and Conformation

*Igor Perevyazko,^{*a} Alexander Gubarev,^a Lutz Tauhardt,^{b,c} Anatoly Dobrodumov,^d*

*Georges M. Pavlov,^{*a,d} Ulrich S. Schubert^{*b,c}*

^aDepartment of Molecular Biophysics and Polymers Physics , St. Petersburg State University

Universitetskaya nab., 7/9, 199034 St. Petersburg, Russia

^bLaboratory of Organic and Macromolecular Chemistry (IOMC), Friedrich Schiller University Jena,

Humboldtstr. 10, 07743 Jena, Germany

^cJena Center for Soft Matter (JCSM), Friedrich Schiller University Jena, Philosophenweg 7,

D-07743 Jena, Germany

^dInstitute of Macromolecular Compounds, Russian Academy of Science, 199004 St. Petersburg,

Russia

*Corresponding authors:

i.perevyazko@spbu.ru, georges.pavlov@mail.ru, ulrich.schubert@uni-jena.de

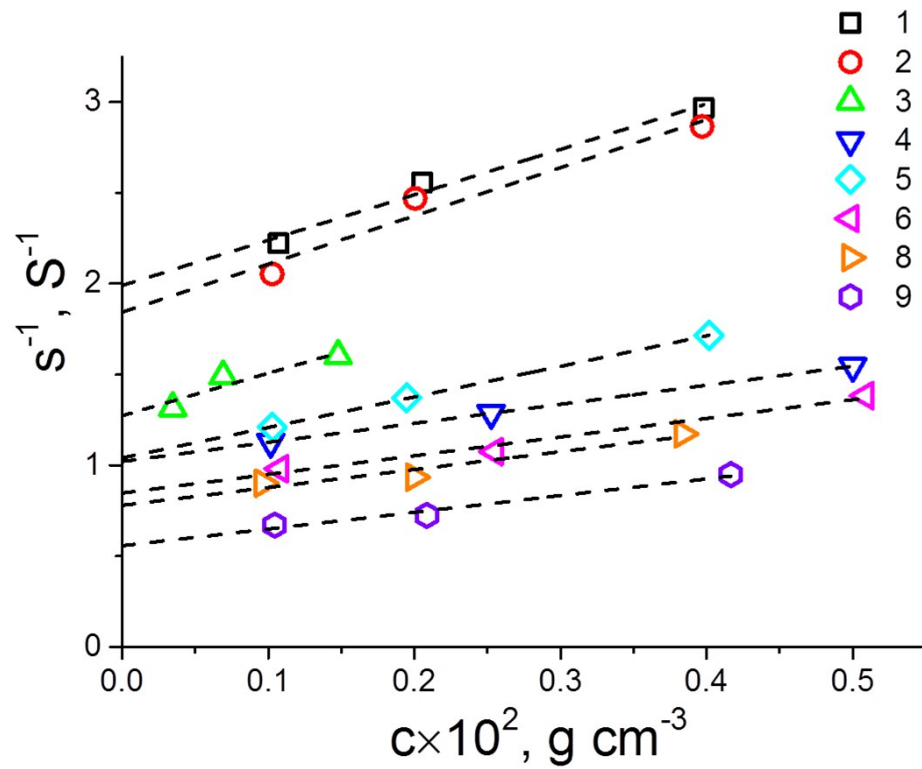


Figure 1 SI. Concentration dependences of the reciprocal sedimentation coefficient of LPEI samples in 0.2 M NaBr methanol, 20 °C.

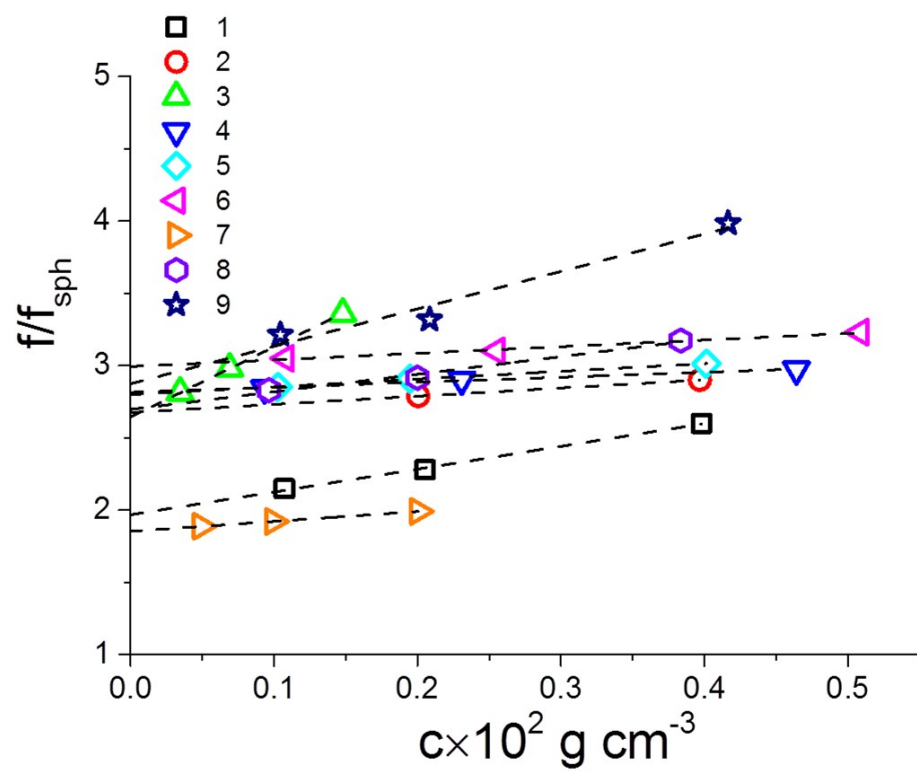


Figure 2 SI. Concentration dependences of the frictional ratios of LPEI samples in 0.2 M NaBr methanol, 20 °C.

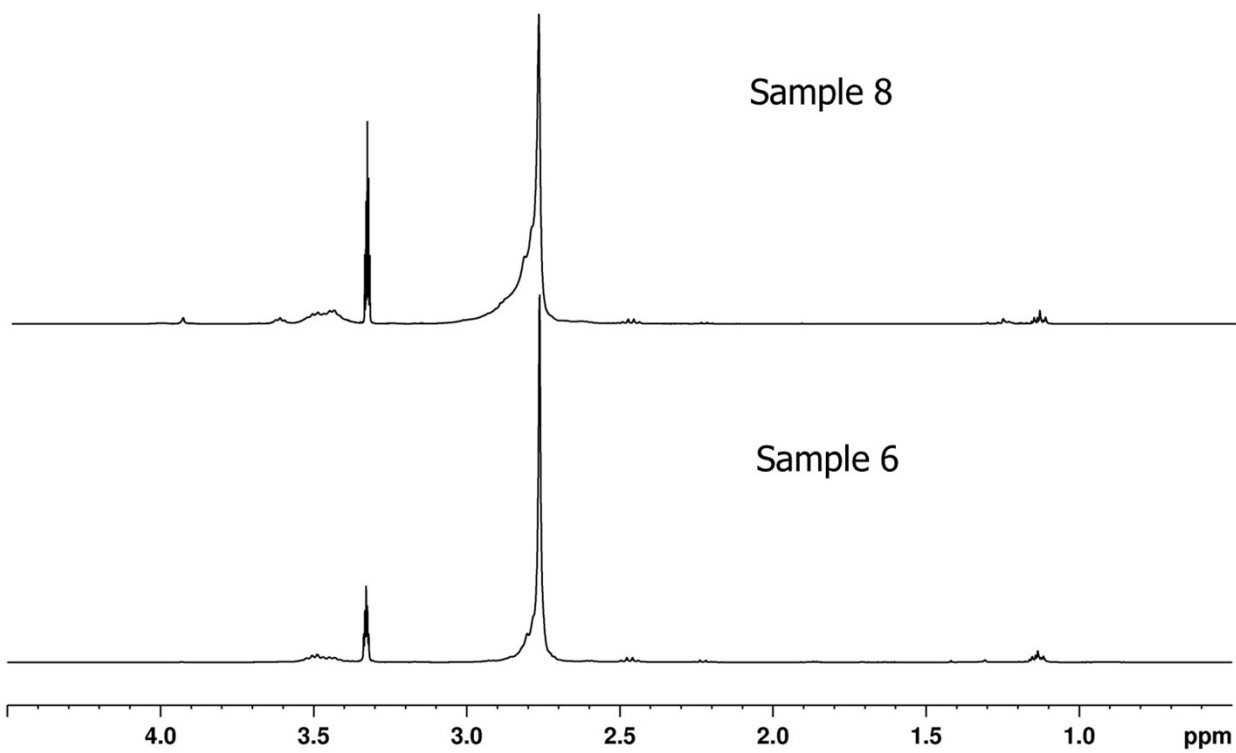


Figure 3 SI. ^1H -NMR spectra for LPEI samples 6 and sample 8 in deuterated methanol.

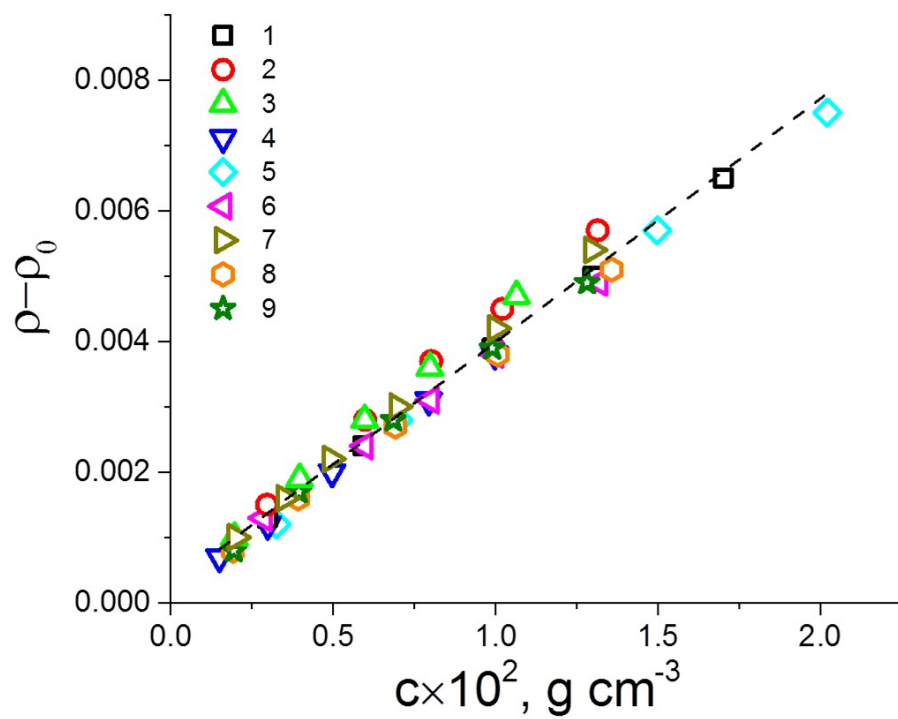


Figure 4 SI. Partial specific volume determination – dependence of the $\rho - \rho_0$ on the concentration of the LPEI samples in methanol, 20 °C.

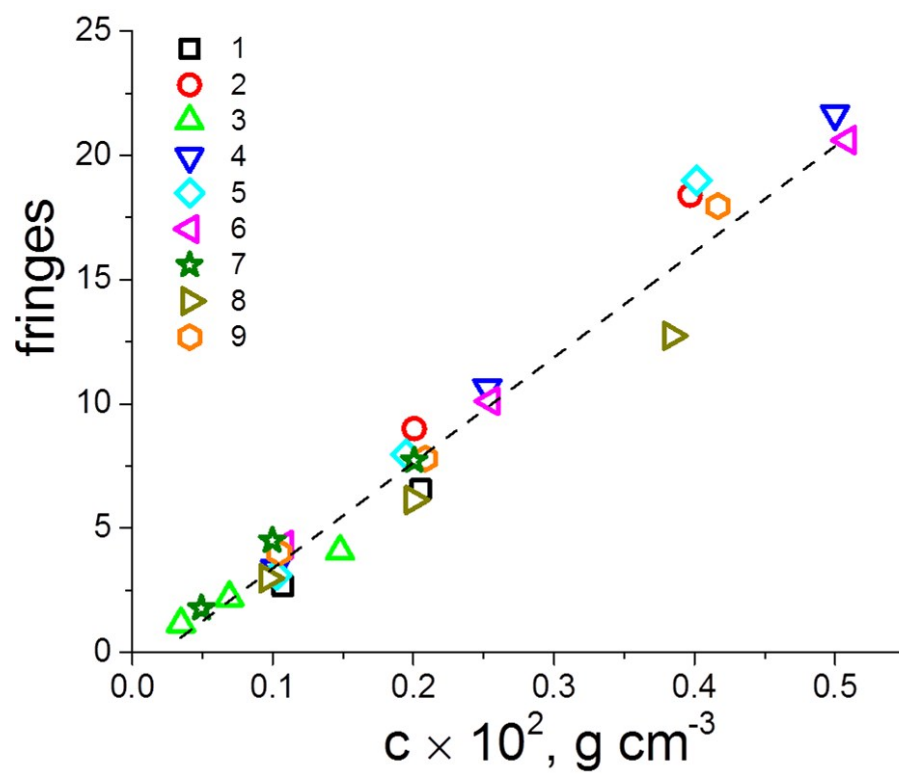


Figure 5 SI. Number of interference fringes over the concentration for LPEI samples in 0.2 M NaBr methanol, 20 °C.

Table 1 SI. Determined frictional ratios and intrinsic diffusion coefficients for LPEI samples.

Sample	$(f/f_{\text{sph}})_0$	$[D_{f/f}] \times 10^{11}$	$[D_{\text{isoth}}] \times 10^{11}$	$[D_{\text{NMR}}] \times 10^{11}$
1	1.97	5.17	7.32	5.0
2	2.67	2.90	4.89	3.8
3	2.65	2.49	4.58	--
4	2.81	2.04	3.99	2.9
5	2.79	2.09	3.61	--
6	2.99	1.77	2.13	2.4
7	1.85	3.76	4.15	3.1
8	2.70	1.93	2.80	2.3
9	2.87	1.52	2.07	1.4

$(f/f_{\text{sph}})_0$ and $[D_{f/f}]$ are determined in 0.2 M NaBr methanol at 20 °C, $[D_{\text{isoth}}]$ are determined in 0.2 M NaBr methanol at 25 °C, $[D_{\text{NMR}}]$ are determined in deuterated methanol at 24.6 °C.