

Supplementary Materials

Flexible Polyurethane Foams from Epoxidized Vegetable Oils and a Bio-based Diisocyanate

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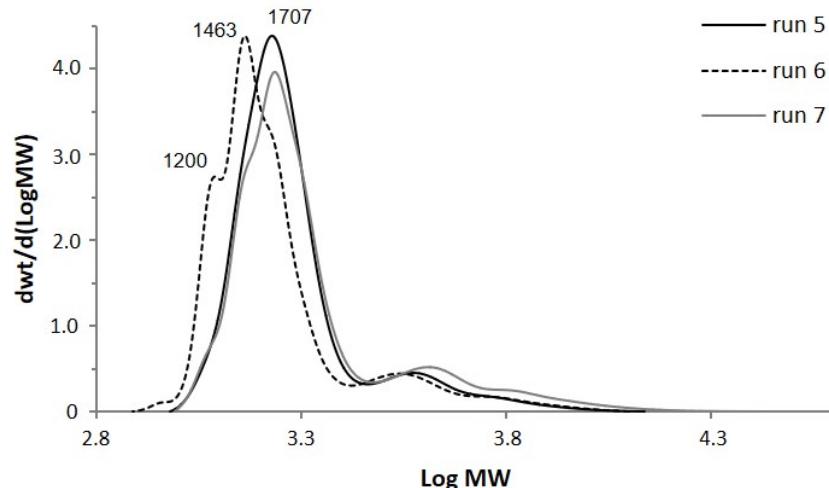


Figure S1. Effect of the reaction conditions on the molecular weight of bio-polyols from ESO and caprylic acid.

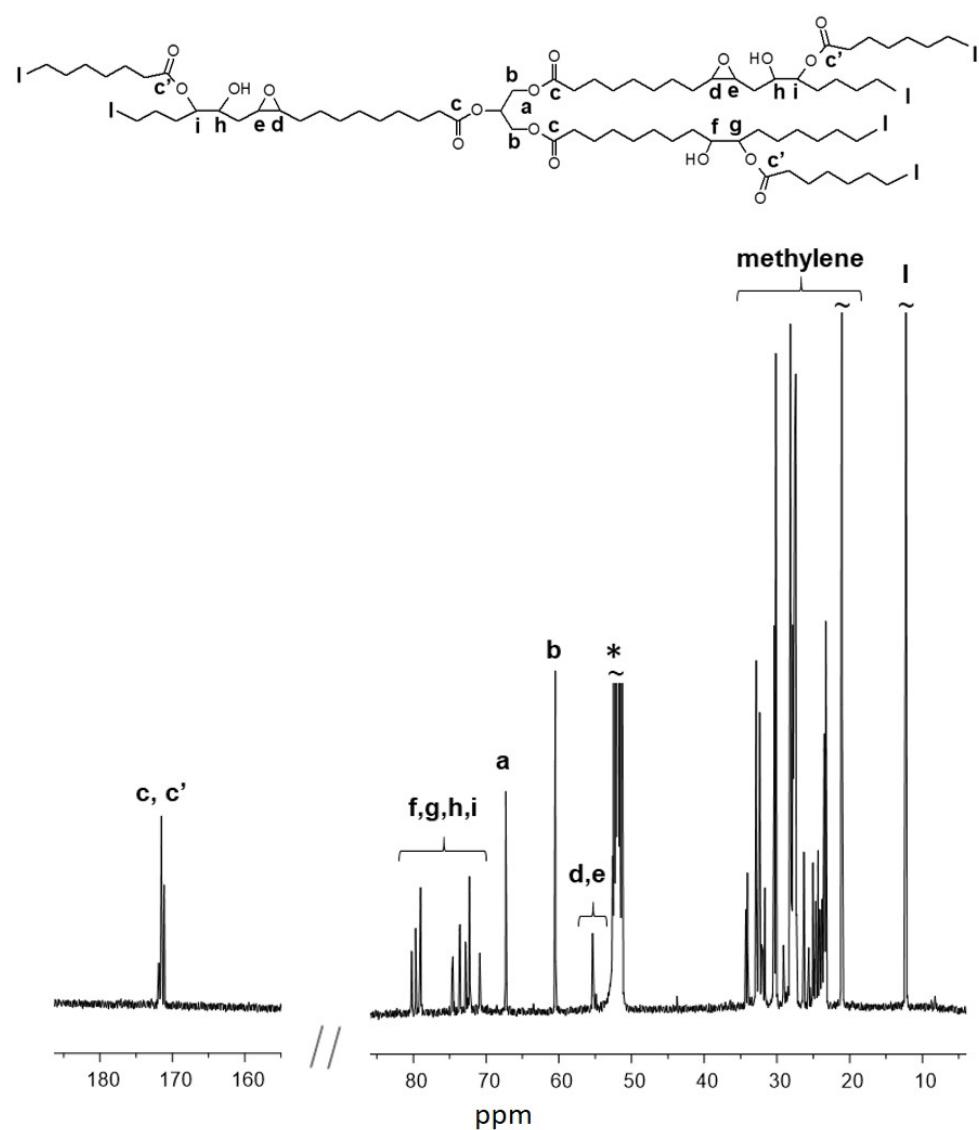


Figure S2. ^{13}C -NMR spectrum of bio-polyol from ESO and caprylic acid (Run 5 in Table 1).

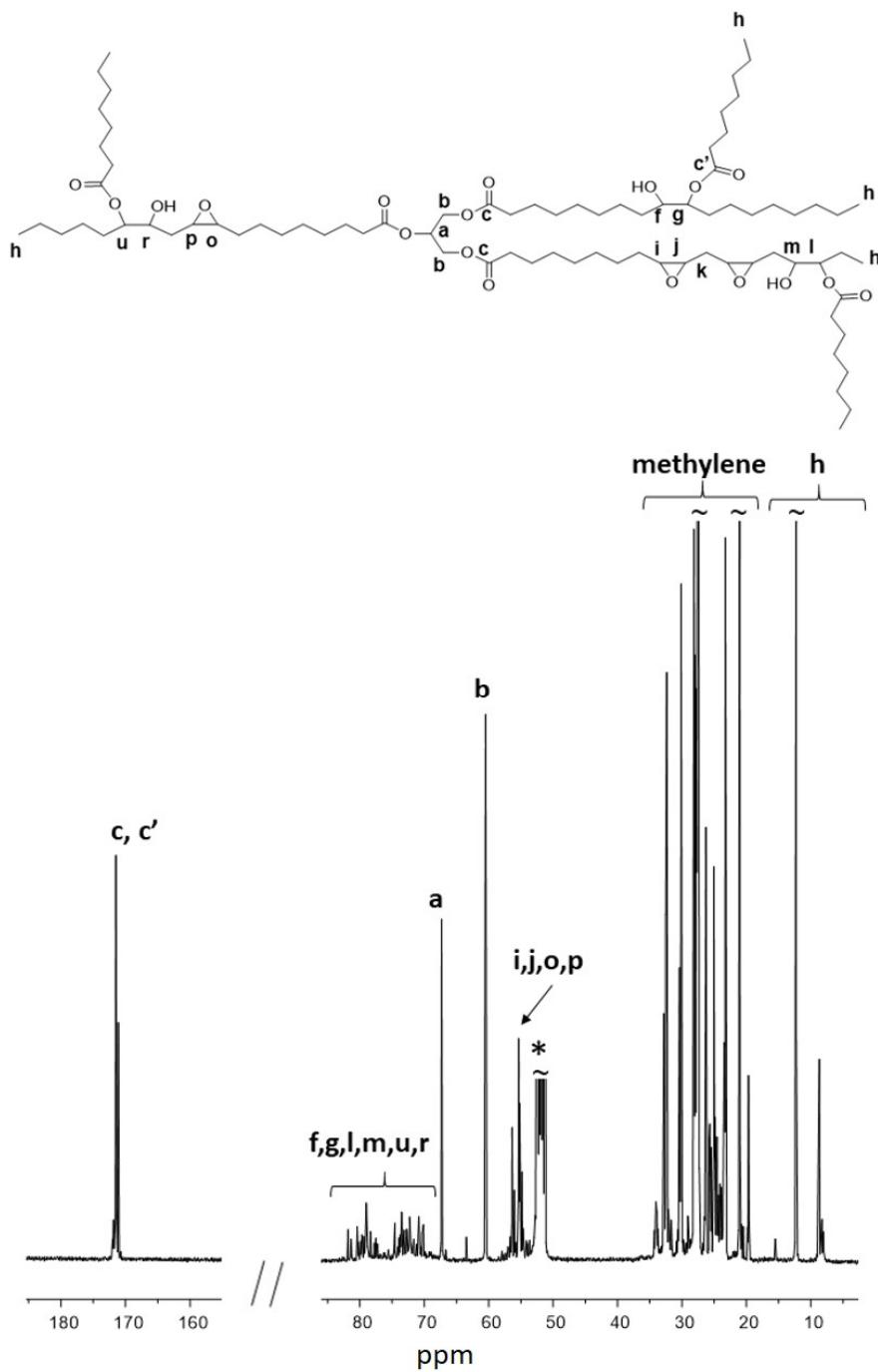


Figure S3. ^{13}C -NMR spectrum of bio-polyol from ELO and caprylic acid (Run 8 in Table 1).

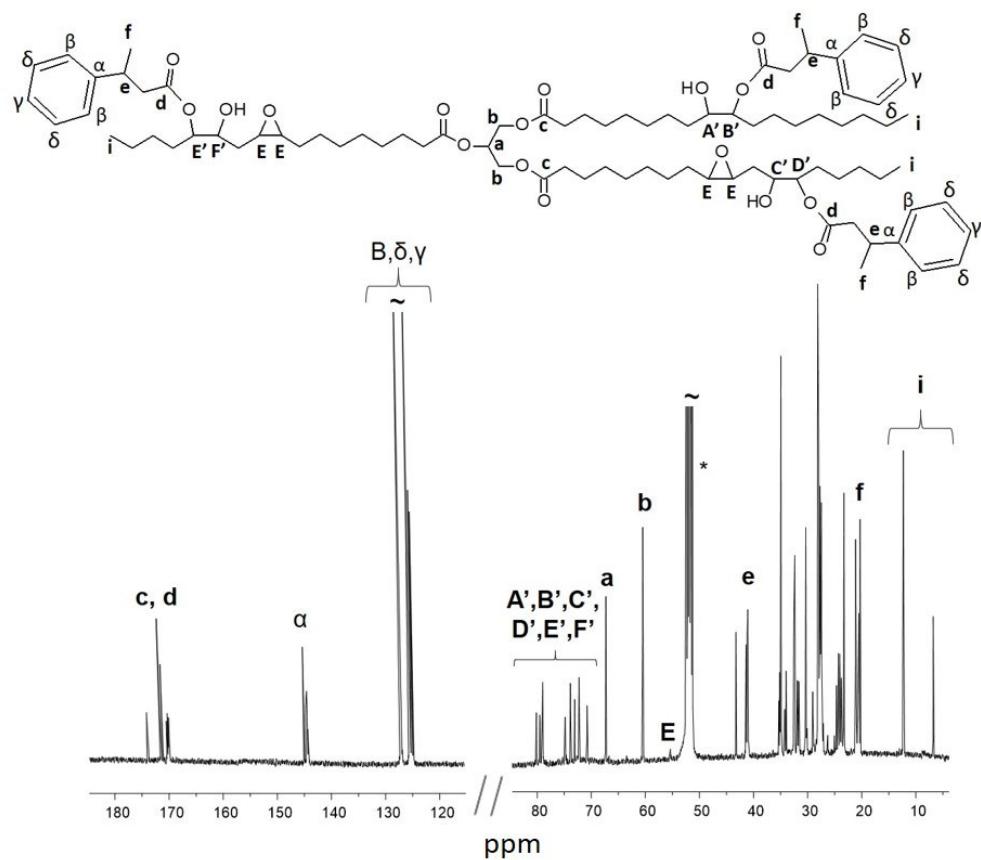


Figure S4. ^{13}C -NMR spectrum of bio-polyol from ESO and 3-phenyl butyric acid (Run 10 in Table 1).

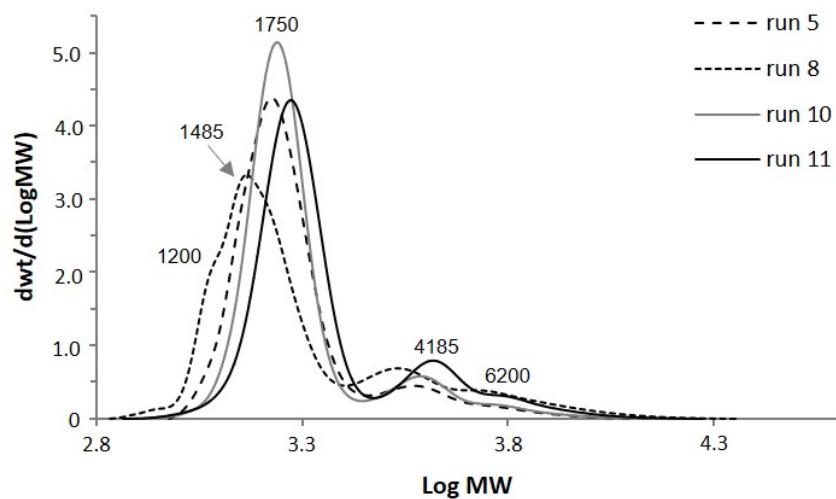


Figure S5. SEC chromatograms of selected bio-polyols.

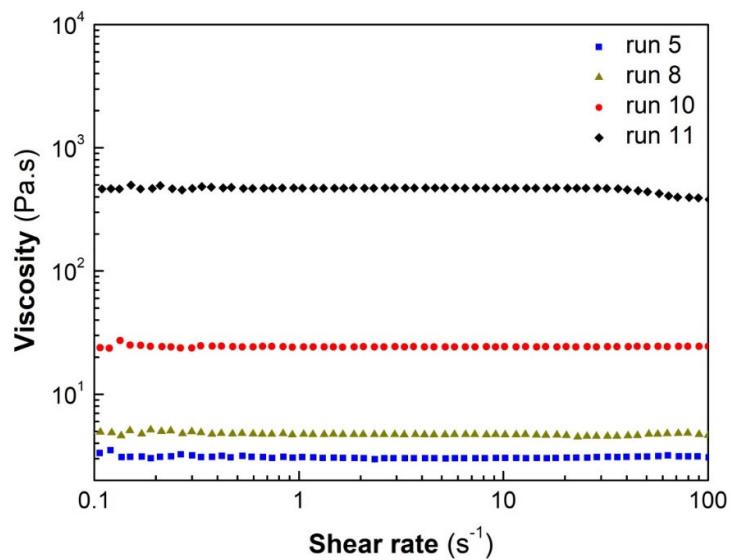


Figure S6. Viscosity of the selected bio-polyols.



Figure S7. Representative photos of prepared foam sections.

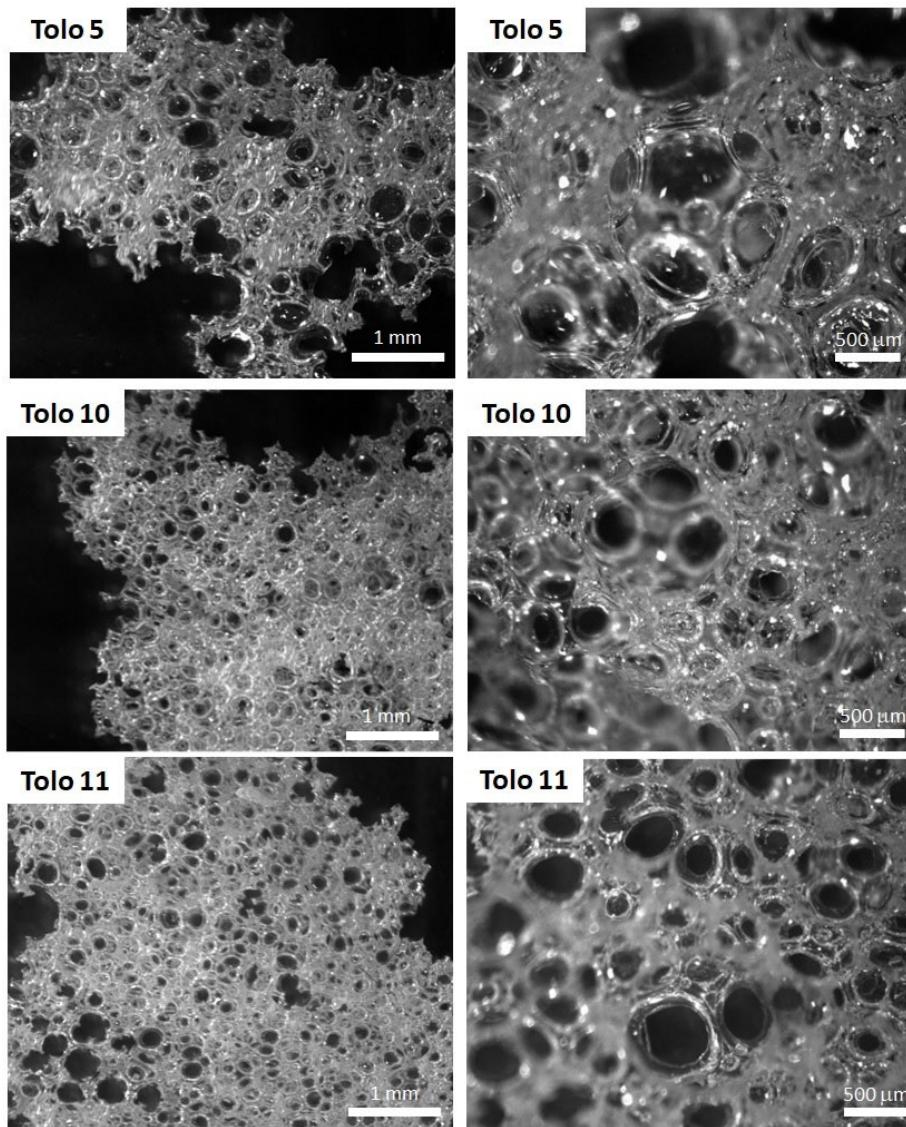


Figure S8. Optical microscope images of Tolo 5, and Tolo 10 and Tolo 11 at different magnifications (10 \times and 30 \times).

Table S1. Assignments of the main FTIR bands for flexible polyurethane foams.

Assignment	Group Assignment	Wavenumber (cm $^{-1}$)				
		Tolo 5	Tolo 8	Tolo 10	Tolo 11	Tolo ref
v _{st} C-O-C	Ether bond (PPG chain)	1107	1106	1107	1106	1106
v _{st} N-H	Urea	1502	1502	1503	1502	1501
v _{st} C-H & δ-N-H	Urea	1534	1532	1533	1533	1534
δ-C-N	Urethane	~1561	~1562	~1562	~1563	~1562
v _{st} C=O	Urea bidentate	~1639	~1639	~1639	~1641	~1639
v _{st} C=O	Urea monodentate	~1679	~1678	~1676	~1679	~1679
v _{st} C=O	Urethane-H bonded & Free Urea	1714	1715	1714	1714	1714
v _{st} C=O	Polyol residues (ester group)	1738	1736	1737	1738	-