## Supporting Information for

## Solid-phase Synthesis and Circular Dichroism Study of $\boldsymbol{\beta}$-ABpeptoids

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Table S1. The optical rotations of (S)- and (R)-forms of the products and intermediates
(S)-isomer

Figure S1. Chiral HPLC analyses of compounds (S)/(R)-5a, and (S)/(R)-6a.


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Table S2. Isolated yields and nature of synthesized $\beta$-ABpeptoid oligomers

|  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| compd. no. | $\begin{gathered} \text { resin Qty. } \\ (\mathrm{mg})^{\mathrm{a}} \end{gathered}$ | isolated product Qty. (mg) ${ }^{b}$ | isolated product yield (\%) ${ }^{c}$ | compound nature |
| (S)-9a | 40 | 4.8 | 72\% | colorless sticky oil |
| (S)-9b | 40 | 6.8 | 70\% | colorless sticky semi-solid |
| (S)-9c | 40 | 8.9 | 69\% | white solid |
| (S)-9d | 30 | 8.2 | 68\% | white solid |
| (S)-9e | 30 | 10.4 | 72\% | white solid |
| (S)-9f | 20 | 7.3 | 66\% | white solid |
| (S)-9g | 20 | 8.1 | 63\% | white solid |
| (S)-9e-Ac ${ }^{\text {d }}$ | 40 | 12.6 | 64\% | white solid |
| (R)-9a | 30 | 3.5 | 71\% | colorless sticky oil |
| (R)-9b | 30 | 5.3 | 73\% | colorless sticky semi-solid |
| (R)-9c | 30 | 6.5 | 67\% | white solid |
| (R)-9d | 20 | 5.0 | 62\% | white solid |
| (R)-9e | 20 | 6.1 | 63\% | white solid |
| (R)-9f | 20 | 6.6 | 59\% | white solid |
| (R)-9g | 20 | 7.2 | 57\% | white solid |
| (R)-9e-Ac ${ }^{\text {d }}$ | 20 | 5.7 | 58\% | white solid |
| (S)-10a | 25 | 4.9 | 91\% | colorless sticky oil |
| (S)-10b | 25 | 6.0 | 78\% | white semi-solid |
| (S)-10c | 20 | 9.1 | 89\% | white solid |
| (S)-10d | 20 | 7.8 | 76\% | white solid |
| (S)-10e | 20 | 8.6 | 70\% | white solid |
| (S)-10f | 20 | 9.6 | 68\% | white solid |
| (S) -10 g | 20 | 10.3 | 63\% | white solid |
| (S)-10e-Ac ${ }^{\text {d }}$ | 20 | 7.6 | 60\% | white solid |

${ }^{a}$ Initial resin loading was $0.45 \mathrm{mmol} / \mathrm{gm}$. ${ }^{b}$ Determined based on $100 \%$ initial resin loading of the first residue.
${ }^{c}$ Quantities of isolated products are given after lyophilization of purified products. ${ }^{d} N$-terminal is acetylated.

Table S3. Synthesized $\beta$-ABpeptoid Oligomer Sequence, Purity, and Mass Confirmation

|  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| compd no. | chain length | \% purity ${ }^{\text {a }}$ | calcd mass | obsd mass ${ }^{\text {b }}$ |
| (S)-9a | 2 | 99 | 367.23 | 368.2 [ $\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$ |
| (S)-9b | 3 | 98 | 542.33 | 543.3 [M+H] ${ }^{+}$ |
| (S)-9c | 4 | 98 | 717.43 | 718.4 [M+H] ${ }^{+}$ |
| (S)-9d | 5 | 99 | 892.53 | 893.4 [M+H] ${ }^{+}$ |
| (S)-9e | 6 | 97 | 1067.62 | $1068.5[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$ |
| (S)-9f | 7 | 99 | 1242.72 | $1243.6[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$ |
| (S)-9g | 8 | 99 | 1417.82 | $1440.9[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{Na}]^{+C}$ |
| (S)-9e-Ac ${ }^{\text {d }}$ | 6 | 99 | 1109.64 | $1132.5[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$ |
| (R)-9a | 2 | 97 | 367.23 | $368.2[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$ |
| (R)-9b | 3 | 98 | 542.33 | 543.3 [M+H] ${ }^{+}$ |
| (R)-9c | 4 | 98 | 717.43 | 718.4 [M+H] ${ }^{+}$ |
| (R)-9d | 5 | 97 | 892.53 | $893.5[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$ |
| (R)-9e | 6 | 98 | 1067.62 | $1068.6[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$ |
| (R)-9f | 7 | 99 | 1242.72 | $1265.8[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{Na}]^{+C}$ |
| (R) -9 g | 8 | 98 | 1417.82 | $1439.8[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+c}$ |
| (R)-9e-Ac ${ }^{\text {d }}$ | 6 | 98 | 1109.64 | $1133.5[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{Na}]^{+}$ |
| (S)-10a | 2 | 99 | 467.26 | $468.2[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$ |
| (S)-10b | 3 | 98 | 692.37 | $693.4[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$ |
| (S)-10c | 4 | 99 | 917.49 | 918.4 [M+H] ${ }^{+}$ |
| (S)-10d | 5 | 99 | 1142.60 | $1144.5[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$ |
| (S)-10e | 6 | 99 | 1367.72 | $1368.6[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$ |
| (S)-10f | 7 | 99 | 1592.83 | $1614.8[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{Na}]^{+c}$ |
| (S)-10g | 8 | 97 | 1817.95 | $1839.9[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{Na}]^{+C}$ |
| (S)-10e-Ac ${ }^{\text {d }}$ | 6 | 98 | 1409.73 | $1431.7[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{Na}]^{+C}$ |

${ }^{a}$ Determined by analytical reversed-phase HPLC of purified products. ${ }^{b}$ Mass spectrometry data were acquired using ESI techniques. ${ }^{c}$ Mass spectrometry data were acquired using MALDI-TOF technique. ${ }^{d} N$-terminal is acetylated.

Table S4. HRMS Data for Synthesized $\beta$-ABpeptoid Oligomers


9a-g


| compd no. | chain length | chemical formula | calcd mass | obsd mass |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| (S)-9a | 2 | $\mathrm{C}_{22} \mathrm{H}_{29} \mathrm{~N}_{3} \mathrm{O}_{2}$ | $368.2338[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$ | 368.2339 |
| (S)-9b | 3 | $\mathrm{C}_{33} \mathrm{H}_{42} \mathrm{~N}_{4} \mathrm{O}_{3}$ | $543.3335[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$ | 543.3332 |
| (S)-9c | 4 | $\mathrm{C}_{44} \mathrm{H}_{55} \mathrm{~N}_{5} \mathrm{O}_{4}$ | $718.4332[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$ | 718.4334 |
| (S)-9d | 5 | $\mathrm{C}_{55} \mathrm{H}_{68} \mathrm{~N}_{6} \mathrm{O}_{5}$ | $893.5329[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$ | 893.5332 |
| (S)-9e | 6 | $\mathrm{C}_{66} \mathrm{H}_{8} \mathrm{~N}_{7} \mathrm{O}_{6}$ | $1068.6327[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$ | 1068.6323 |
| (S)-9f | 7 | $\mathrm{C}_{77} \mathrm{H}_{94} \mathrm{~N}_{8} \mathrm{O}_{7}$ | $1243.7324[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$ | 1243.7321 |
| (S)-9g | 8 | $\mathrm{C}_{88} \mathrm{H}_{107} \mathrm{Ng}_{9} \mathrm{O}_{8}$ | $1418.8321[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$ | 1418.8329 |
| (S)-9e-Ac ${ }^{\text {a }}$ | 6 | $\mathrm{C}_{68} \mathrm{H}_{83} \mathrm{~N}_{7} \mathrm{O}_{7}$ | $1132.6252[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{Na}]^{+}$ | 1132.6252 |
| (R)-9a | 2 | $\mathrm{C}_{22} \mathrm{H}_{29} \mathrm{~N}_{3} \mathrm{O}_{2}$ | 368.2338 [M+H] ${ }^{+}$ | 368.2335 |
| (R)-9b | 3 | $\mathrm{C}_{33} \mathrm{H}_{42} \mathrm{~N}_{4} \mathrm{O}_{3}$ | $543.3335[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$ | 543.3334 |
| (R)-9c | 4 | $\mathrm{C}_{44} \mathrm{H}_{55} \mathrm{~N}_{5} \mathrm{O}_{4}$ | $718.4332[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$ | 718.4329 |
| (R)-9d | 5 | $\mathrm{C}_{55} \mathrm{H}_{68} \mathrm{~N}_{6} \mathrm{O}_{5}$ | $893.5329[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$ | 893.5333 |
| (R)-9e | 6 | $\mathrm{C}_{66} \mathrm{H}_{81} \mathrm{~N}_{7} \mathrm{O}_{6}$ | $1068.6327[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$ | 1068.6330 |
| (R)-9f | 7 | $\mathrm{C}_{77} \mathrm{H}_{94} \mathrm{~N}_{8} \mathrm{O}_{7}$ | $1243.7324[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$ | 1243.7329 |
| (R) -9 g | 8 | $\mathrm{C}_{88} \mathrm{H}_{107} \mathrm{NaO}_{9}$ | $1418.8321[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$ | 1418.8328 |
| (R)-9e-Ac ${ }^{\text {a }}$ | 6 | $\mathrm{C}_{68} \mathrm{H}_{83} \mathrm{~N}_{7} \mathrm{O}_{7}$ | $1132.6252[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{Na}]^{+}$ | 1132.6247 |
| (S)-10a | 2 | $\mathrm{C}_{30} \mathrm{H}_{3} \mathrm{~N}_{3} \mathrm{O}_{2}$ | $468.2651[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$ | 468.2653 |
| (S)-10b | 3 | $\mathrm{C}_{45} \mathrm{H}_{48} \mathrm{~N}_{4} \mathrm{O}_{3}$ | $693.3805[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$ | 693.3808 |
| (S)-10c | 4 | $\mathrm{C}_{60} \mathrm{H}_{63} \mathrm{~N}_{5} \mathrm{O}_{4}$ | $918.4958[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$ | 918.4956 |
| (S)-10d | 5 | $\mathrm{C}_{75} \mathrm{H}_{78} \mathrm{~N}_{6} \mathrm{O}_{5}$ | $1143.6112[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$ | 1143.6110 |
| (S)-10e | 6 | $\mathrm{C}_{90} \mathrm{H}_{93} \mathrm{~N}_{7} \mathrm{O}_{6}$ | $1368.7266[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$ | 1368.7272 |
| (S)-10f | 7 | $\mathrm{C}_{105} \mathrm{H}_{108} \mathrm{~N}_{8} \mathrm{O}_{7}$ | $1593.8419[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$ | 1593.8427 |
| (S)-10g | 8 | $\mathrm{C}_{120} \mathrm{H}_{123} \mathrm{~N}_{9} \mathrm{O}_{8}$ | $1818.9573[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$ | 1818.9580 |

${ }^{a} N$-terminal is acetylated. Note- High Resolution Mass Spectrometry (HRMS) data were acquired using Fast Atom Bombardment ( $\mathrm{FAB}^{+}$) ionization techniques.

Figure S2. LC/MS spectra of crude product of nosyl protected dimer (S)-9a-Ns


Figure S3. HPLC chromatograms of crude products (S)-9a-g and (S)-10a-g.


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Figure S4. LC/MS spectra of purified oligomers (S)- and (R)-9a-g, and (S)-10a-g.


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Figure S5. CD data of $N$-benzylated $\beta$-ABpeptoid oligomers in PBS-ACN (1:3) $60 \mu \mathrm{M}$ (a) oligomers of (R)-form (R)-9a-g and, (b) (S)-form (S)-9a-g.


Figure S6. CD data of (S)-form of $N$-benzylated $\beta$-ABpeptoid oligomers (S)-9a-g in; (a) MeOH $(60 \mu \mathrm{M})$ and, (b) TFE ( $60 \mu \mathrm{M}$ ).


Figure S7. CD data of (S)-form of $N$-napthylmethyl $\beta$-ABpeptoid oligomers (S)-10a-g in; (a) PBS-ACN $(1: 3,60 \mu \mathrm{M})$, (b) MeOH $(60 \mu \mathrm{M})$, (c) TFE $(60 \mu \mathrm{M})$.


Figure S8. CD spectra (S)-form of $N$-napthylmethyl $\beta$-ABpeptoid octamer ( $\mathbf{S}$ )-10g in ACN (60 $\mu \mathrm{M}$ ) measured at $20^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ before and after heating to $70^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$.


Figure S9. ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ and ${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR data of; (R)-1, (S)-4, (S)-5a, (S)-5b, (S)-6a, and (S)-6b.


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Figure S10. 2D ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NOESY spectra of (a) $2 \operatorname{mer}(\mathbf{R})-9 \mathbf{a}$ (b) $3 \mathrm{mer}(\mathbf{R})-\mathbf{9 b}$ and, (c) 4mer (R)-9c. [Dotted square regions indicate increase in additional NOEs from 2 mer to 4 mer , presumably due to the conformationally (cis) dominant ordered arrangement across the amide bond.]



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