

Supplementary materials

Amphiphilic Block Copolymer PCL-PEG-PCL as Stationary Phase for Capillary Gas Chromatographic Separations

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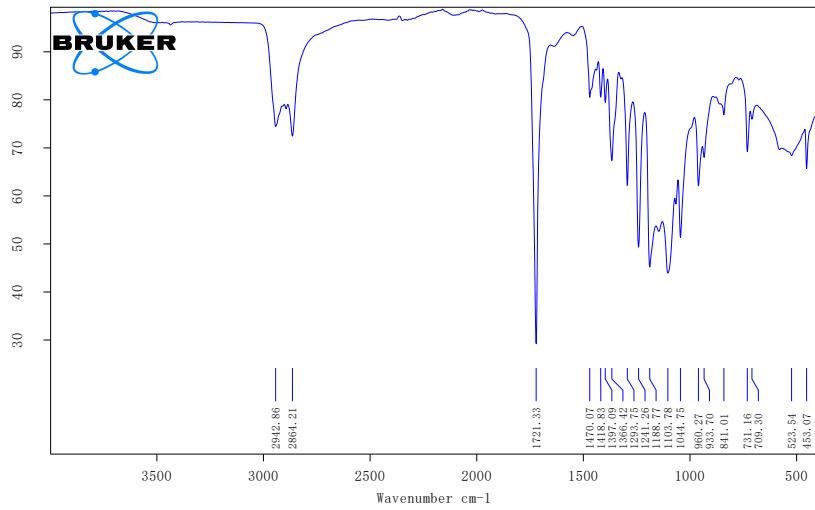


Fig. S1. FT-IR spectra of the PCL-PEG-PCL

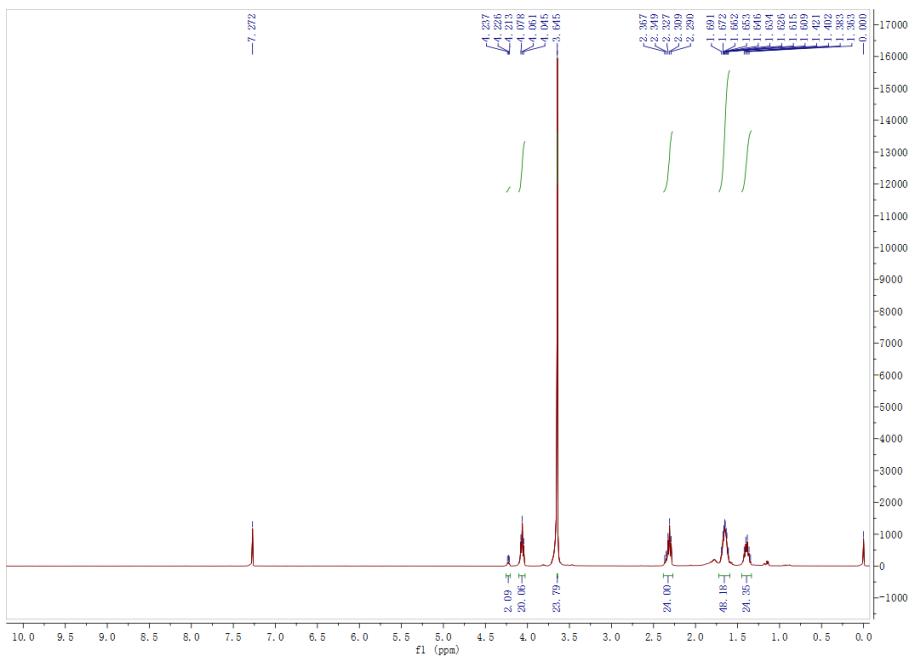


Fig. S2. ^1H -NMR spectrum (CDCl_3) of the PCL-PEG-PCL

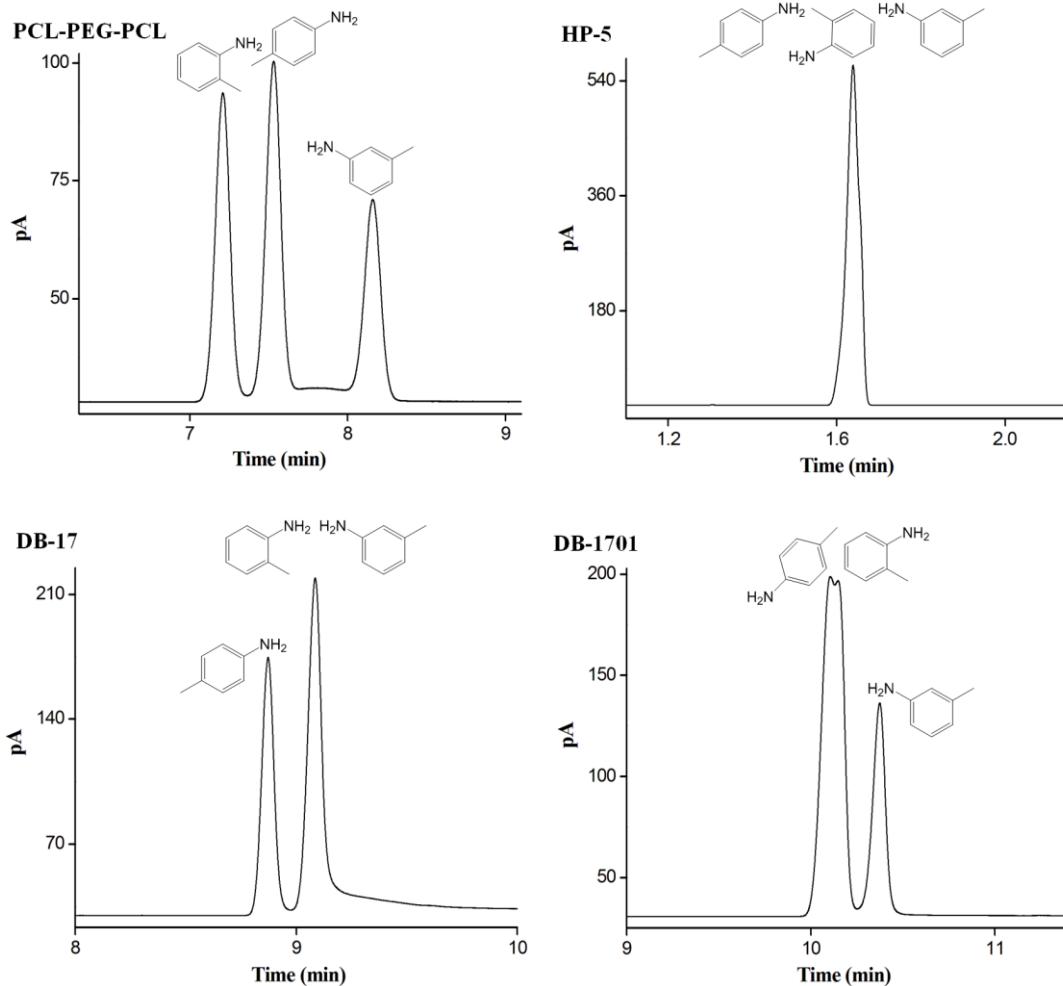


Fig. S3. GC separations of toluidine isomers on the PCL-PEG-PCL (10 m × 0.25 mm) column in comparison to the HP-5 (10 m × 0.25 mm), DB-17 (30 m × 0.25 mm), and DB-1701 (30 m × 0.25 mm) commercial columns. The GC separation on four columns was performed under same condition. Temperature programs for toluidine: 125°C, flow rate at 0.6 mL/min.

Table S1 Solutes and their descriptors for determining the system constants of the stationary phases by the Abraham solvation parameter model.

Probe solute	E	S	A	B	L
Methyl hexanoate	0.080	0.60	0	0.45	3.874
Methyl heptanoate	0.072	0.60	0	0.45	4.392
Methyl octanoate	0.065	0.60	0	0.45	4.838
1-Pentanol	0.219	0.42	0.37	0.48	3.106
1-Hexanol	0.210	0.42	0.37	0.48	3.610
1-Heptanol	0.211	0.42	0.37	0.48	4.115
2-Pentanone	0.143	0.68	0	0.51	2.755
2-Hexanone	0.136	0.68	0	0.51	3.262
2-Heptanone	0.123	0.68	0	0.51	3.760
2-Octanone	0.108	0.68	0	0.51	4.257
1-Bromopentane	0.356	0.40	0	0.12	3.611
1-Bromohexane	0.349	0.40	0	0.12	4.130

1-Bromoheptane	0.343	0.40	0	0.12	4.663
1-Bromooctane	0.339	0.40	0	0.12	5.090
1,2,3-Trichlorobenzene	1.03	0.86	0	0	5.419
1,2,4-Trichlorobenzene	0.98	0.81	0	0	5.248
1,3,5-Trichlorobenzene	0.98	0.73	0	0	5.045
1,2-Dichlorobenzene	0.872	0.78	0	0.04	4.518
1,3-Dichlorobenzene	0.847	0.73	0	0.02	4.410
1,4-Dichlorobenzene	0.825	0.75	0	0.02	4.435
Toluene	0.601	0.52	0	0.14	3.325
Ethylbenzene	0.613	0.51	0	0.15	3.778
<i>n</i> -propylbenzene	0.604	0.50	0	0.15	4.230
<i>n</i> -Butylbenzene	0.600	0.51	0	0.15	4.730
1,2,3-Trimethylbenzene	0.728	0.61	0	0.19	4.565
1,2,4-Trimethylbenzene	0.677	0.56	0	0.19	4.441
1,3,5-Trimethylbenzene	0.649	0.52	0	0.19	4.344
2,6-Dimethylaniline	0.972	0.89	0.2	0.46	5.028
2,3-Dimethylphenol	0.85	0.81	0.53	0.36	4.952
2,4-Dimethylphenol	0.843	0.80	0.53	0.39	4.770
3,4-Dimethylphenol	0.83	0.86	0.56	0.39	4.980
3,5-Dimethylphenol	0.82	0.84	0.57	0.36	4.856
<i>o</i> -Toluidine	0.966	0.92	0.23	0.45	4.442
<i>m</i> -Toluidine	0.946	0.95	0.23	0.45	4.463
<i>p</i> -Toluidine	0.923	0.95	0.23	0.45	4.452
2-Chloroaniline	1.033	0.92	0.25	0.31	4.674
3-Chloroaniline	1.053	1.10	0.30	0.30	4.909
4-Chloroaniline	1.060	1.13	0.30	0.32	4.889
Benzene	0.608	0.53	0	0.14	2.760
Acetophenone	0.818	1.01	0	0.48	4.501
Phenol	0.805	0.89	0.6	0.31	3.766
Benzaldehyde	0.820	1	0	0.39	4.008