Supporting Information

Biobased Polymers via Radical Homopolymerization and Copolymerization of a Series of Terpenoid-Derived Conjugated Dienes with *exo*-Methylene and 6-Membered Ring

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Figure S1. SEC curves of the homopolymers obtained in the radical polymerization of β -Phe, (–)-HCvD, and PtD: [M]₀/[VAm-110]₀ = 5000/30 mM in toluene at 100 °C.



Figure S2. ¹³C NMR spectra (in C₂D₂Cl₄ at 100 °C) of poly((–)-HCvD) obtained in the cationic (A) and radical (B) polymerization: $[(-)-HCvD]_0/[CEVE-HCl]_0/[SnCl_4]_0/[nBu_4NCl]_0 = 100/1.0/5.0/4.0$ mM in toluene/CH₂Cl₂ (50/50 vol%) at -78 °C (M_n (Calcd) = 15200) (A) or $[(-)-HCvD]_0/[VAm-110]_0 = 5000/30$ mM in toluene at 100 °C (B).



Figure S3. Differential scanning calorimetry (DSC) curves of $poly(\beta$ -Phe), poly((-)-HCvD), and poly(PtD) obtained in the radical polymerization: $[M]_0/[VAm-110]_0 = 5000/30$ mM in toluene at 100 °C.



Figure S4. Time-conversion curves for the radical copolymerization of terpenoid-derived *exo*-methylene 6-membered ring conjugated dienes with MA (A), AN (B), MMA (C), and St (D) as a comonomer: $[diene]_0/[comonomer]_0/[AIBN]_0 = 1500/1500/30$ mM in toluene at 60 °C.

| Entry | M_1 | M_2 | Time (h) | Conv. (%) ^b | $M_{\rm n}({\rm SEC})^c$ | $M_{\rm w}/M_{\rm n}^{\ c}$ |
|-------|-------|-------|----------|------------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------------|
| | | | | M_1/M_2 | | |
| 1 | β-Phe | MA | 242 | 17/11 | 1600 | 2.80 |
| 2 | HCvD | MA | 96 | 49/48 | 11700 | 1.62 |
| 3 | PtD | MA | 90 | 32/25 | 6300 | 1.68 |
| 4 | VnD | MA | 364 | 8/9 | 480 | 1.87 |
| 5 | β-Phe | AN | 90 | 30/25 | 4700 | 1.96 |
| 6 | HCvD | AN | 24 | 56/60 | 19400 | 1.68 |
| 7 | PtD | AN | 35 | 64/58 | 14700 | 1.61 |
| 8 | VnD | AN | 175 | 11/19 | 1100 | 1.65 |
| 9 | β-Phe | MMA | 130 | 6/2 | 1700 | 2.60 |
| 10 | HCvD | MMA | 340 | 22/29 | 7900 | 1.91 |
| 11 | PtD | MMA | 250 | 19/20 | 4500 | 2.49 |
| 12 | VnD | MMA | 268 | 4/8 | 350 | 1.80 |
| 13 | β-Phe | St | 240 | 17/13 | 1400 | 2.51 |
| 14 | HCvD | St | 175 | 21/27 | 6600 | 2.20 |
| 15 | PtD | St | 110 | 16/17 | 2400 | 1.87 |
| 16 | VnD | St | 260 | 8/9 | 460 | 1.36 |

Table S1. Radical copolymerization of terpenoid-derived *exo*-methylene 6-membered ring conjugated dienes (M_1) and various common vinyl monomers (M_2) in toluene at 60 °C^{*a*}.

^{*a*}Polymerization condition: $[M_1]_0/[M_2]_0/[AIBN]_0 = 1500/1500/30$ mM in toluene at 60 °C. ^{*b*}Determined by ¹H NMR of reaction mixture. ^{*c*}Determined by SEC.



Figure S5. SEC curves of the copolymers obtained in the radical copolymerization of terpenoid-derived *exo*-methylene 6-membered-ring conjugated dienes (M₁) with various common vinyl monomers (M₂): $[M_1]_0/[M_2]_0/[VAm-110]_0 = 1500/1500/30$ mM in toluene at 100 °C.



Figure S6. ¹H NMR spectra (in CDCl₃ at 55 °C) of copolymers obtained in the radical copolymerization of β -Phe (A), (–)-HCvD (B), or PtD (C) with AN: [diene]₀/[AN]₀/[VAm-110]₀ = 1500/1500/30 mM in toluene at 100 °C.



Figure S7. ¹H NMR spectra (in CDCl₃ at 55 °C) of copolymers obtained in the radical copolymerization of β -Phe (A), (–)-HCvD (B), or PtD (C) with MMA: [diene]₀/[MMA]₀/[VAm-110]₀ = 1500/1500/30 mM in toluene at 100 °C.



Figure S8. ¹H NMR spectra (in CDCl₃ at 55 °C) of copolymers obtained in the radical copolymerization of β -Phe (A), (–)-HCvD (B), or PtD (C) with St: [diene]₀/[St]₀/[VAm-110]₀ = 1500/1500/30 mM in toluene at 100 °C.



Figure S9. Time-conversion curves for the RAFT copolymerization of (–)-HCvD with MA (A), AN (B), MMA (C), and St (D) as a comonomer: $[(-)-HCvD]_0/[comonomer]_0/[CBTC]_0/[VAm-110]_0 = 1500/1500/30/10$ mM in toluene at 100 °C.



Figure S10. ¹H NMR spectra (in CDCl₃ at 55 °C) of copolymers obtained in the RAFT copolymerization of (–)-HCvD with MA (A), AN (B), MMA (C), or St (D) as a comonomer: $[(-)-HCvD]_0/[\text{comonomer}]_0/[\text{CBTC}]_0/[\text{VAm-110}]_0 = 1500/1500/30/10 \text{ mM}$ in toluene at 100 °C.



Figure S11. ¹H NMR spectra of (–)-VnD (A) and PtD (B) in CDCl₃ at 25 °C



Figure S12. ¹³C NMR and DEPT spectra of (–)-VnD in CDCl₃ at 25 °C.



Figure S13. ¹H-¹H COSY and HMQC spectra of (–)-VnD in CDCl₃ at 25 °C.



Figure S14. ¹³C NMR and DEPT spectra of PtD in CDCl₃ at 25 °C.



Figure S15. ¹H-¹H COSY and HMQC spectra of PtD in CDCl₃ at 25 °C.