An Extreme Case of Swelling of Mostly-c*is* Polydicyclopentadiene by Selective Solvent Absorption - Application in Decontamination and Environmental Remediation

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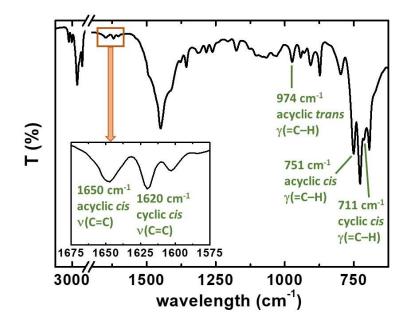


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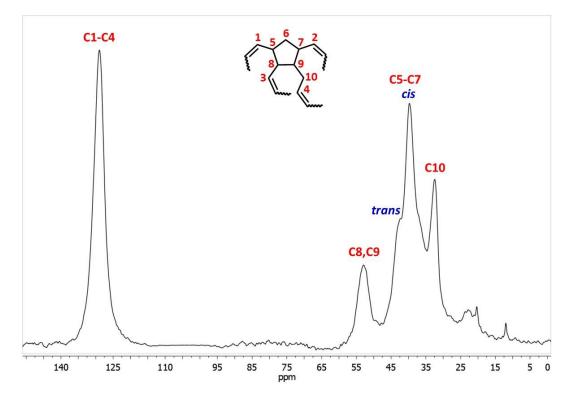


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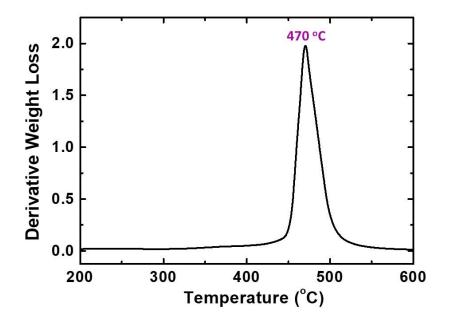


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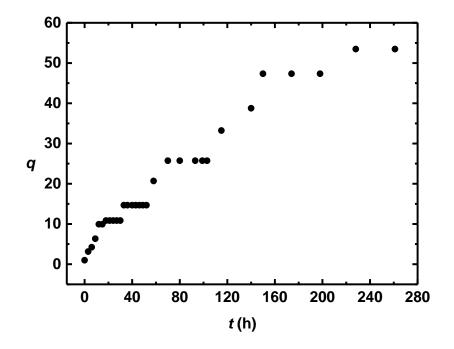


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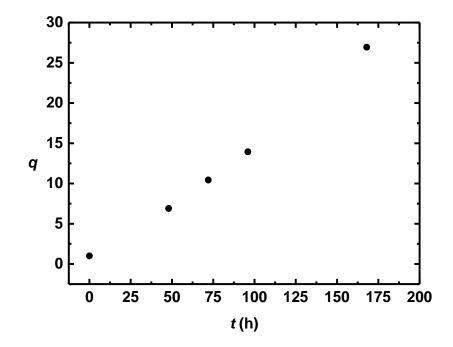


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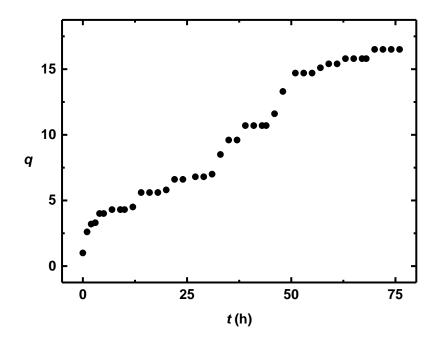


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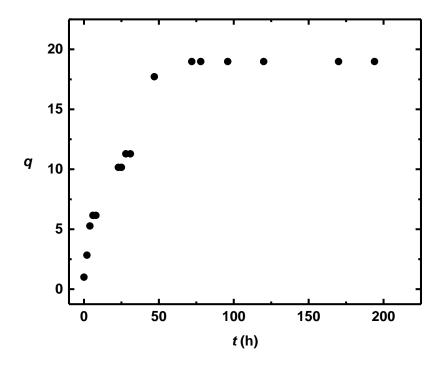


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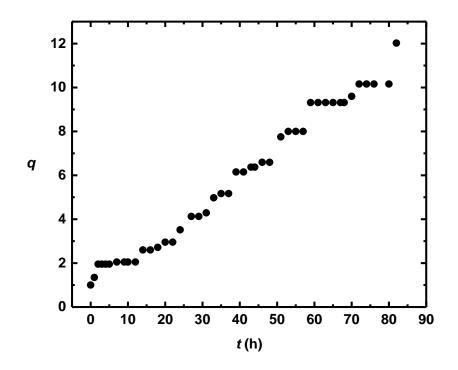


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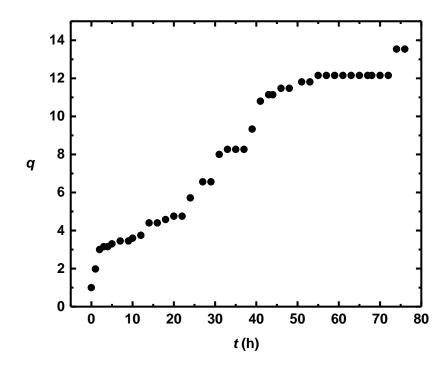


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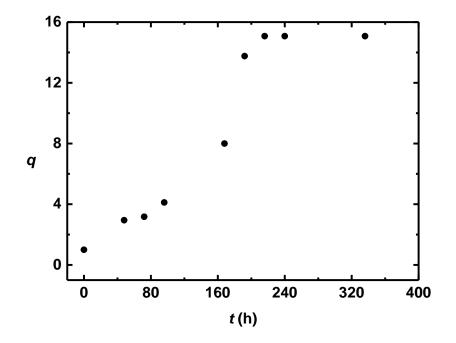


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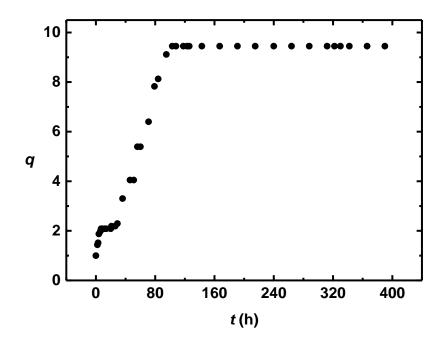


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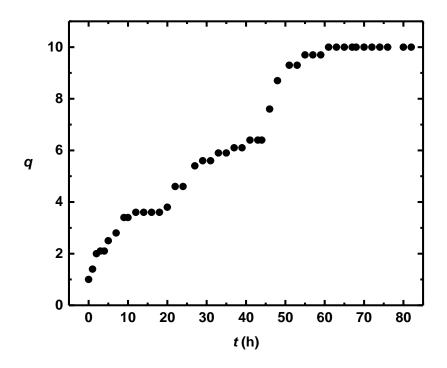


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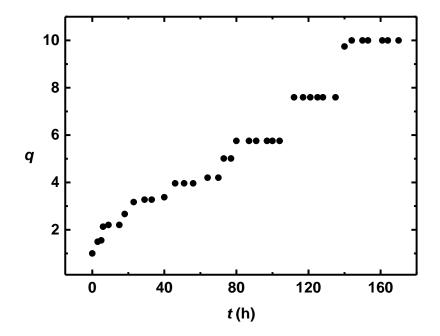


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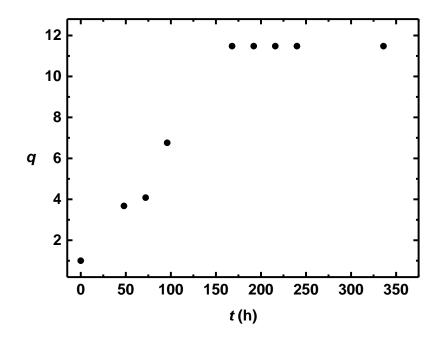


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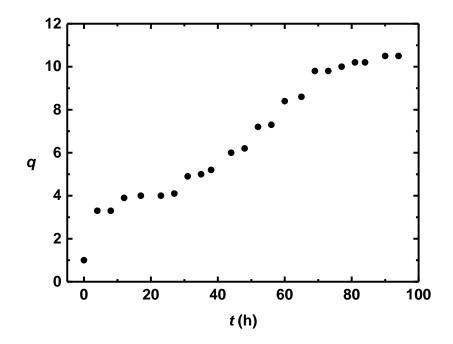


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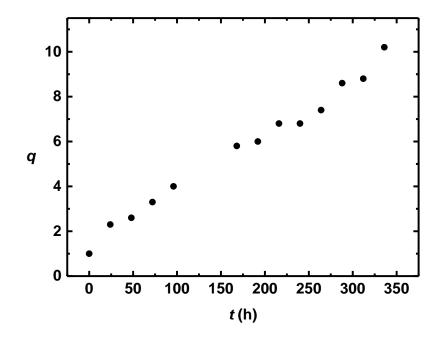


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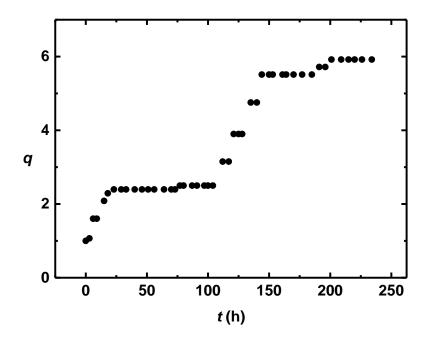


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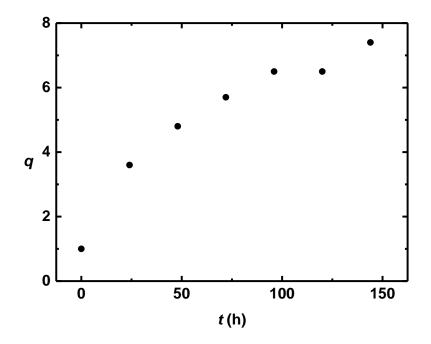


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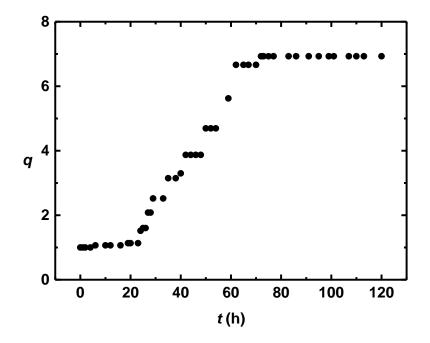


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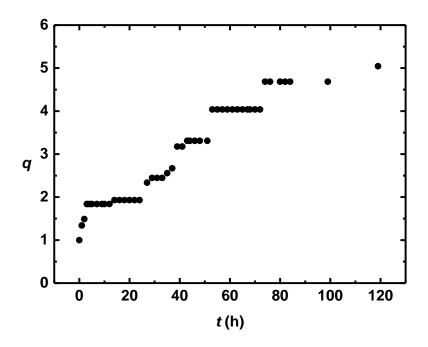


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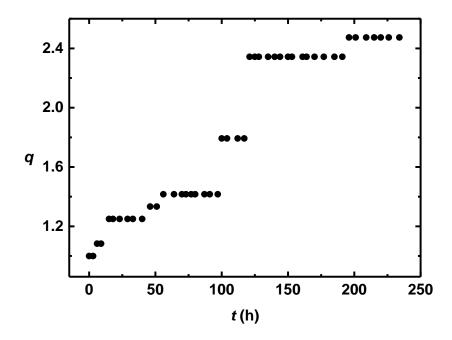


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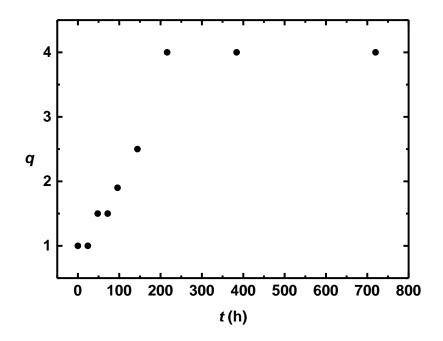


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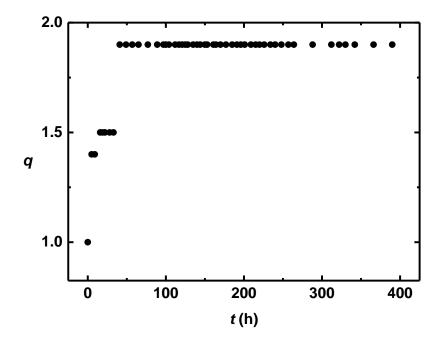


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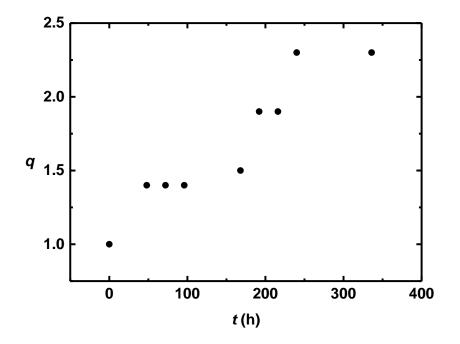


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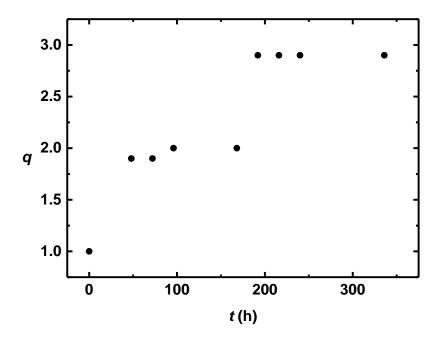


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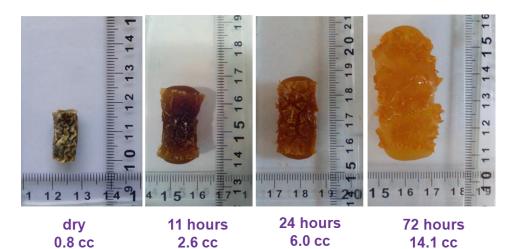


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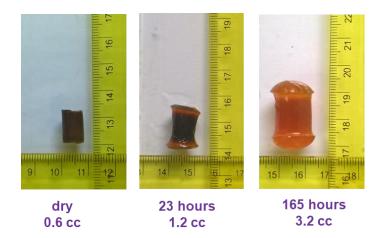


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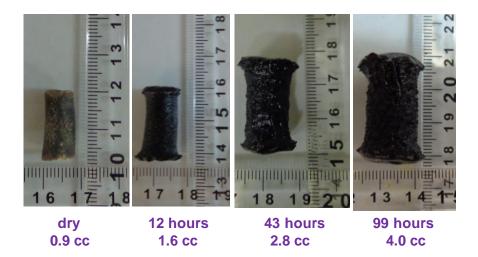


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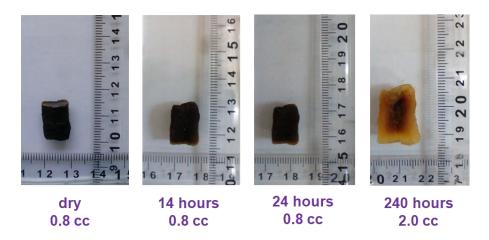


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Comparison of solvent uptake of W₂-PDCPD xerogels with polymeric materials from the literature

By comparison to other organic polymers on per weight basis, W2-PDCPD xerogels showed higher solvent uptake for toluene and CHCl₃ in several cases. Specifically, they outperformed: (a) photoresponsive copolymers derived from isodecyl acrylate, lauryl acrylate, tert-butylstyrene and 4-(methacrylamino)azobenzene (\sim 7× higher for toluene and \sim 4× higher for CHCl₃);¹ (b) copolymers of cinnamoyloxy ethyl methacrylate and octadecyl acrylate ($\sim 3 \times$ higher for toluene);² (c) disulfidelinked polymeric networks based on trimethylolpropane tris(3-mercaptopropionate), or on pentaerythritol tetrakis(3-mercaptopropionate) (more than $80 \times$ higher for CHCl₃ and $\sim 6 \times$ higher for CH_2Cl_2 ;³ (d) mesogenic polyelectrolyte gels (~13× higher for CHCl₃);⁴ (e) conjugated microporous (co)polymers synthesized from 1,3,5-triethynylbenzene or 1,3,5-triethynylbenzene and 1,4diethynylbenzene ($\sim 5 \times$ higher for CHCl₃);⁵ (f) polymethylsilsesquioxanes (appr. $6 \times$ higher for $CHCl_3$);⁶ (g) porous polyurea monoliths derived from toluene diisocyanate (~11× higher for toluene, ~6× higher for CHCl₃);⁷ (h) cis-9-octadecenyl-based polymers (~30× higher for toluene, ~10× higher for CHCl₃, $\sim 2^{\times}$ higher for THF, $\sim 2.5^{\times}$ higher for CH₂Cl₂, $\sim 3^{\times}$ higher for benzene);⁸ and (i) poly(alkoxysilanes) (more than $11 \times$ higher for toluene, $\sim 1.5 \times$ higher for benzene, almost equal for THF and CH₂Cl₂).⁹ On the other hand, solvent uptake was equal to or lower than what was reported for the photoresponsive polymer mentioned above (almost equal for CH₂Cl₂),¹ nanoporous polydivinylbenzene (almost equal for benzene),¹⁰ mesogenic polyelectrolyte gels ($\sim 4 \times$ lower for THF and $\sim 7 \times$ lower for CH₂Cl₂),⁴ and melamine formaldehyde sponges ($\sim 2 \times$ lower for CHCl₃).¹¹ The last three materials as well as polymethylsilsesquioxanes could also absorb solvents that W2-PDCPD did not absorb (e.g., DMF, DMSO, ketones, alcohols, alkanes).^{4,6,11} Compared to crosslinked lipophilic polyelectrolytes, **W2-PDCPD** showed higher uptake of toluene ($\sim 7 \times$), almost equal uptake of CHCl₃, and lower uptakes of chlorobenzene ($\sim 2\times$), THF ($\sim 8\times$), CH₂Cl₂ ($\sim 8\times$), dichloroethane ($\sim 65 \times$), while those materials could also absorb several solvents that could not be absorbed by W2-PDCPD xerogels, mainly alcohols and ketones, signifying the superiority of the latter in terms of selectivity.¹²

Table S1. Solvent uptake and density of W_2 -PDCPD xerogels and other materials from the literature, for comparison purposes.

	Bulk	Bulk Toluene uptake			Chloroform uptake			
Material	l density							
	(g cm ⁻³)	(g g ⁻¹)	(g cm ⁻³)	$(\mathrm{cm}^3 \mathrm{cm}^{-3})$	(g g ⁻¹)	(g cm ⁻³)	$(\mathrm{cm}^3 \mathrm{cm}^{-3})$	
Polymeric materials								
W ₂ -PDCPD	0.9	111	100	115 ¹³	89	80	54 ^{this work}	
polyurethane foams ¹⁴	0.061	28	1.7	2				
WCl ₆ -PDCPD ¹³	0.9	4.3	3.9	4.5				
GC-II-PDCPD aerogels ¹⁵	<1 ^b			1.5				
GC-I-PDCPD ¹⁶					3.38			
GC-I-PDCPD aerogels	0.282^{15}	0	0	0 ¹³				
ROMP polymers from		36						
norbornene-terminated								
macromonomers ¹⁷								
porous polyurea monoliths ⁷	0.093	10.14	0.94	1.1	15.02	1.40	0.94	
photoresponsive copolymer ¹	<1 ^b	15			19.5			
cinnamoyloxy ethyl	0.54	34	18	21				
methacrylate/octadecyl								
acrylate copolymers ²								
cis-9-octadecenyl-based		3.69			8.5			
polymers ⁸								
disulfide-linked polymeric		0.5			1.0			
networks ³								
conjugated microporous	0.027				16	0.4	0.3	
(co)polymers ⁵								
melamine formaldehyde	0.010 ^a				200	2.0	1.3	
sponges ¹¹								
mesogenic polyelectrolyte					6.5			
gels ⁴								
crosslinked lipophilic		15			75			
polyelectrolytes ¹²								
polymethylsilsesquioxanes ⁶	0.12				15	1.8	1.2	
poly(alkoxysilanes) ⁹		8.92						
Carbon materials								
carbon nanotube sponges ¹⁸	0.005-0.010				175	0.9-1.75		
graphene/carbon composite	0.003	279	0.8	1.0	400	1.2	0.8	
aerogels ¹⁹								
ultra-flyweight carbon	0.00016	350	0.06	0.06	550	0.09	0.06	
aerogels ²⁰								
nitrogen-doped graphene ²¹	0.002	200	0.4	0.5	500	1.0	0.7	
spongy graphene ²²	0.012	55	0.7	0.8	85	1.0	0.7	
graphene/FeOOH aerogels ²³		15						

^a The density of melamine formaldehyde sponges has not been measured, but ref. 8 states that similar materials have densities below 0.010 g cm⁻³. ^b Polymers were floating on water.

Solvent	$q_{\rm max}^{\ \ a}$	δ _D (MPa ^{1/2})	δ _P (MPa ^{1/2})	δ _H (MPa ^{1/2})	δ _T (MPa ^{1/2})	V _m (cm ³ /mol)	γ ^b (mN/m)
toluene	115	18.0	1.4	2.0	18.2	106.6	26.6
chloroform	54	16.8	5.7	8.0	19.5	80.5	25.3
bromobenzene	24	17.8	3.1	5.7	18.9	105.6	27.7
carbon disulfide	21	19.2	5.5	4.1	20.4	60.6	26.7
1,3-dichlorobenzene	19	20.2	0.0	0.6	20.2	114.5	33.9
carbon tetrachloride	16	19.2	5.1	2.7	20.0	97.1	30.6
chlorobenzene	14	19.0	4.3	2.0	19.6	102.1	30.0
1,2-dibromoethane	13	19.2	3.5	8.6	21.3	86.6	32.0
tetrahydrofuran	12	17.8	0.0	0.6	17.8	81.9	23.5
benzene	12	17.0	7.3	7.1	19.8	89.5	27.1
ethyl bromide	12	18.4	0.0	2.0	18.5	74.6	24.5
1-bromobutane	11	16.5	8.4	2.3	18.7	100.0	25.4
methylene dichloride	10	16.5	3.6	3.0	17.2	64.4	19.6
1,3,5-trimethylbenzene	8	18.0	0.6	0.6	18.0	139.5	28.8
1,4-dimethylbenzene	7	17.8	1.0	3.1	18.1	121.1	27.4
1,3-dimethylbenzene	7	18.0	2.3	2.3	18.3	100.0	26.2
1,2-dichlorobenzene	7	19.2	6.3	3.3	20.5	148.5	36.3
benzyl chloride	5	16.8	0.0	0.2	16.8	115.4	23.5
cyclohexane	4	18.8	7.1	2.6	20.3	108.9	31.8
1,4-dioxane	4	17.5	1.8	9.0	19.8	85.7	27.1
cyclohexanone	2	17.8	8.4	5.1	20.3	104.2	30.4
1,2-dichloroethane	2	17.0	7.3	7.1	19.8	148.5	32.1
pyridine	2	19.0	8.8	5.9	21.8	80.9	31.9
water	1	15.5	16.0	42.3	47.8	18.0	68.7
pentane	1	14.5	0.0	0.0	14.5	116.0	17.5
<i>N</i> , <i>N</i> -dimethylformamide	1	17.4	13.7	11.3	24.9	77.4	36.6
methanol	1	14.7	12.3	22.3	29.4	40.6	_ °
dimethylsulfoxide	1	18.4	16.4	10.2	26.7	71.3	40.7
diethyl ether	1	14.5	2.9	4.6	15.5	104.7	18.4
acetonitrile	1	15.3	18.0	6.1	24.4	52.9	29.7
acetone	1	15.5	10.4	7.0	19.9	73.8	24.3
hexane	1	14.9	0.0	0.0	14.9	131.4	19.3
2-propanol	1	14.9	6.1	16.4	23.6	76.9	_ c
glycerol	1	13.8	11.3	27.2	34.2	73.4	_ c
ethylene glycol	1	17.4	11.3	27.2	33.0	55.9	_ _ c
benzvl alcohol	1	17.0	6.3	13.7	23.8	103.8	38.7
<i>N,N</i> -dimethylacetamide	1	16.8	11.5	9.4	23.8	93.0	32.6
methyl-2-pyrrolidone	1	18.0	12.3	7.2	23.0	96.6 120.7	35.5
triethylamine	1	15.5	0.4	1.0	15.5	139.7	21.4
diisopropylamine	1	14.8	3.7	1.5	15.3	141.9	20.4
aniline	1	20.1	5.8	11.2	23.7	91.6	38.9
methyl methacrylate	1	15.8	6.5	5.4	17.9	106.7	23.9
propylene carbonate	1	20.0	18.0	4.1	27.2	85.2	46.3
ethyl acetate	1	15.8	5.3	7.2	18.2	98.6	23.7

Table S2. Experimental maximum volume degree of swelling (q_{max}) of W₂-PDCPD xerogels in various solvents; Hansen Solubility Parameters (HSP),²⁴ molar volume $(V_m)^{24}$ and surface tension (γ) of the solvents used in this study.

^a Experimental maximum volume degree of swelling of **W₂-PDCPD** gels at t_{max} (mean values of at least three measurements), calculated according to the equation $q_{max} = V_{max}/V_{in}$, where V_{max} is the volume of the wet-gel at t_{max} and V_{in} is the initial volume of the xerogel. ^b Surface tension (γ) calculated from Beerbower's equation: $\gamma = 0.01709 V_m^{1/3} [\delta_D^2 + 0.632(\delta_P^2 + \delta_H^2)]$. ^c Beerbower's equation is not valid for aliphatic alcohols.

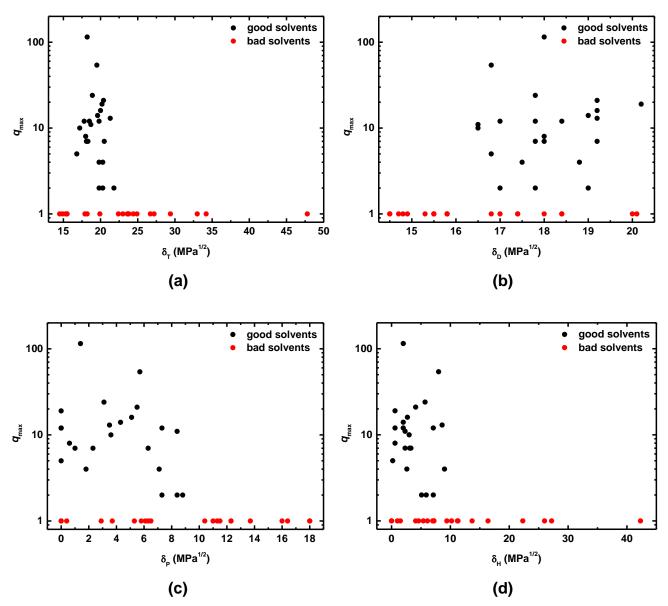


Figure S34. Relation between the experimental maximum volume degree of swelling (q_{max}) of **W₂-PDCPD** xerogels and the Hansen Solubility Parameters (HSP): total solubility parameter (δ_T , a), D-component (δ_D , b), P-component (δ_P , c) and H-component (δ_H , d) of the respective solvents.

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Table S3 shows the HSP of all solvents used in this study, their empirical classification as score "1" solvents (gels swelled) or score "0" solvents (gels did not swell) and the corresponding RED (Relative Energy Difference) values. RED values were calculated using the formula: RED = (distance of solvent from the center of the sphere) / (radius of the sphere). RED values close to 0 indicate higher, and RED values close to 1 indicate lower affinity of the solvent with the molecule under study (located at the center of the sphere).

Figure S35 shows the generated sphere (R = 5.9) and the HSP (in MPa^{1/2}) for **W₂-PDCPD**: δ_D = 18.15, δ_P = 3.69, δ_H = 3.55 MPa^{1/2}, and δ_T = 18.86 MPa^{1/2}. The 2D plots (Figure S36) display the boundaries in HSP space and help visualize whether the solvents tested cover sufficiently the entire range of each solubility parameter (δ_P , δ_D , and δ_H). It is obvious that solvents covering the entire range of the three HSPs have been used.

Table S3. Experimental maximum volume degree of swelling (q_{max}) of **W₂-PDCPD** xerogels in various solvents, Hansen Solubility Parameters (HSP) of the solvents,²⁴ scoring according to whether they are "good" ("1") or "bad" ("0") solvents, and calculated Relative Energy Differences (RED).

Solvents	$q_{\rm max}^{a}$	δ _D (MPa ^{1/2})	δ _P (MPa ^{1/2})	δ _H (MPa ^{1/2})	score	RED ^b
1,3-dimethylbenzene	115	18.0	2.3	2.3	1	0.327
chloroform	54	17.8	3.1	5.7	1	0.389
chlorobenzene	24	19.0	4.3	2.0	1	0.411
1,3-dichlorobenzene	21	19.2	5.1	2.7	1	0.470
toluene	19	18.0	1.4	2.0	1	0.485
bromobenzene	16	19.2	5.5	4.1	1	0.491
1,4-dimethylbenzene	14	17.8	1.0	3.1	1	0.502
1-bromobutane	13	16.5	8.4	2.3	1	0.577
1,2-dichlorobenzene	12	19.2	6.3	3.3	1	0.590
1,2-dichloroethane	12	17.0	7.3	7.1	1	0.624
benzyl chloride	12	18.8	7.1	2.6	1	0.665
benzene	11	18.4	0.0	2.0	1	0.683
1,3,5-trimethylbenzene	10	18.0	0.6	0.6	1	0.781
carbon tetrachloride	8	17.8	0.0	0.6	1	0.820
cyclohexanone	7	17.8	8.4	5.1	1	0.869
methylene dichloride	7	1.7	7.3	7.1	1	0.891
1,2-dibromoethane	7	19.2	3.5	8.6	1	0.922
tetrahydrofuran	5	16.8	5.7	8.0	1	0.931
ethyl bromide	4	18.4	0.0	2.0	1	0.966
pyridine	4	19.0	8.8	5.9	1	0.977
carbon disulfide	2	20.2	0.0	0.6	1	0.992
cyclohexane	2	16.8	0.0	0.2	1	0.992
1,4-dioxane	2	17.5	1.8	9.0	1	0.994
methyl methacrylate	1	15.8	6.5	5.4	0	1.007
ethyl acetate	1	15.8	5.3	7.2	0	1.061
trimethylamine	1	15.5	0.4	1.0	0	1.229
diisopropylamine	1	14.8	3.7	1.5	0	1.278
diethyl ether	1	14.5	2.9	4.6	0	1.289
hexane	1	14.9	0.0	0.0	0	1.493
aniline	1	20.1	5.8	11.2	0	1.503
acetone	1	15.5	10.4	7.0	0	1.511
pentane	1	14.5	0.0	0.0	ů 0	1.576
methyl-2-pyrrolidone	1	18.0	12.3	7.2	ů 0	1.603
<i>N</i> , <i>N</i> -dimethyl acetamide	1	16.8	11.5	9.4	0	1.724
benzyl alcohol	1	18.4	6.3	13.7	0	1.821
dimethyl formamide	1	17.4	13.7	11.3	0	2.106
2-propanol	1	15.8	6.1	16.4	0	2.293
dimethyl sulfoxide	1	18.4	16.4	10.4	0	2.339
acetonitrile	1	15.3	18.0	6.1	0	2.339
propylene carbonate	1	20.0	18.0	4.1	0	2.421
methanol	1	20.0 14.7	12.3	22.3	0	3.228
ethylene glycol	1	14.7	12.3	22.3	0	3.713
glycerol	1	17.0	11.0	20.0	0	4.076
water	1	15.5	16.0	42.3	0	5.314

^a Experimental maximum volume degree of swelling of **W**₂-**PDCPD** gels at t_{max} (mean values of at least three measurements), calculated according to the equation $q_{\text{max}} = V_{\text{max}}/V_{\text{in}}$, where V_{max} is the volume of the wet-gel at t_{max} and V_{in} is the initial volume of the xerogel. ^b Values calculated by the HSPiP 5.1.02 software.

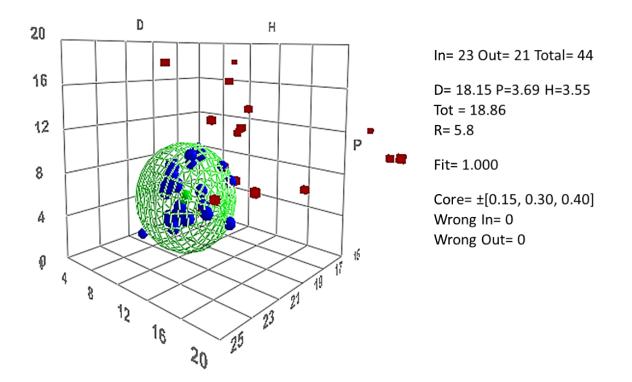


Figure S35. 3D plot of the individual Hansen Solubility Parameters (HSP) for each solvent tested. Blue dots represent solvents in which W_2 -PDCPD xerogels swelled (23 "good" solvents – score: "1"). Red squares represent solvents in which no swelling was observed (21 "bad" solvents – score: "0"). The green sphere, generated by the HSPiP 5.1.02 software, is the sphere with the minimum diameter that fits best the experimental data. The center of the sphere is a reasonable estimate of the HSP of W_2 -PDCPD, which is represented by the green dot. The sphere contains all "good" solvents and no "bad" solvents (referred to as wrong solvents), giving a fit value of 1.0, which is considered as a perfect fit.

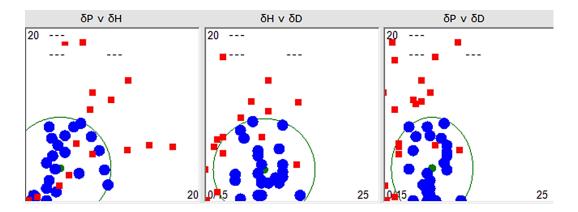


Figure S36. 2D projections, generated by the HSPiP 5.1.02 software, of the individual Hansen Solubility Parameters (HSP) for each solvent tested at the three planes of the cube inscribing the sphere of Figure S35, as indicated. Blue dots represent solvents in which W_2 -PDCPD xerogels swelled ("good" solvents). Red squares represent solvents in which no swelling was observed ("bad" solvents). The green dot represents W_2 -PDCPD itself. The green circle contains all "good" solvents.

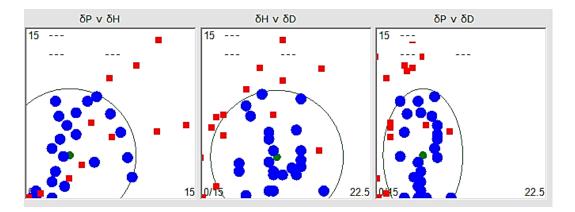


Figure S37. 2D projections, generated by the HSPiP 5.1.02 software, of the individual Hansen Solubility Parameters (HSP) for each solvent tested at the three planes of the cube inscribing the sphere of Figure 5 of the manuscript, as indicated. Blue dots represent solvents in which W_2 -PDCPD xerogels swelled ("good" solvents). Red squares represent solvents in which no swelling was observed ("bad" solvents). The green dot represents W_2 -PDCPD itself. The green circle contains all "good" solvents.

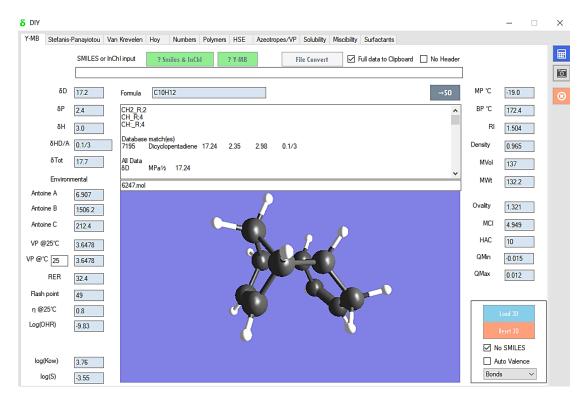


Figure S38. Calculation of the Hansen Solubility Parameters (HSP) of dicyclopentadiene (DCPD) using the DIY method of the HSPiP 5.1.02 software.

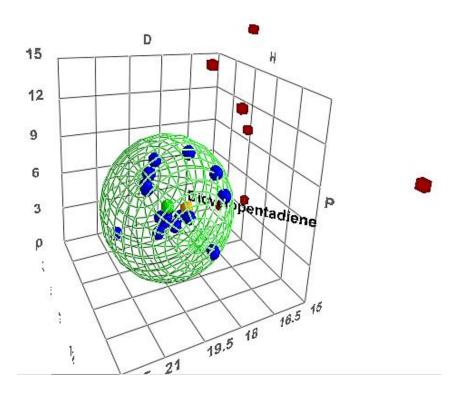


Figure S39. Same as Figure 5 of the manuscript, showing also the location of dicyclopentadiene (DCPD; orange dot; RED = 0.438).

Colored.	$\Delta 2 \delta_D^{a}$	$\Delta \delta_P b$	Δδ _H ^c
Solvent	$(MPa^{1/2})$	$(MPa^{1/2})$	(MPa ^{1/2})
toluene	0.3	2.3	1.6
chloroform	0.7	0.6	-2.2
bromobenzene	-2.1	-1.8	-0.6
carbon disulfide	-4.1	3.7	3.7
1,3-dichlorobenzene	-2.1	-1.4	0.9
carbon tetrachloride	0.7	3.7	3.0
chlorobenzene	-1.7	-0.6	1.6
1,2-dibromoethane	-2.1	0.2	-5.1
tetrahyfrofuran	2.7	-2.0	-4.5
benzene	-0.5	3.7	1.6
ethyl bromide	3.3	-4.7	1.3
1-bromobutane	3.3	0.1	0.6
methylene dichloride	2.3	-3.6	-3.6
1,3,5-trimethylbenzene	0.3	3.1	3.0
1,4-dimethylbenzene	0.7	2.7	0.5
1,3-dimethylbenzene	0.3	1.4	1.3
1,2-dichlorobenzene	-2.1	-2.6	0.3
benzyl chloride	-1.3	-3.4	1.0
cyclohexane	2.7	3.7	3.4
1,4-dioxane	1.3	1.9	-5.5
cyclohexanone	0.7	-4.7	-1.6
1,2-dichloroethane	2.3	-3.6	-3.6
pyridine	-1.7	-5.1	-2.4
water	5.3	-12.3	-38.8
pentane	7.3	3.7	3.6
<i>N</i> , <i>N</i> -dimethylformamide	1.5	-10.0	-7.8
methanol	6.9	-8.6	-18.8
dimethylsulfoxide	-0.5	-12.7	-6.7
diethyl ether	7.3	0.8	-1.1
acetonitrile	5.7	-14.3	-2.6
acetone	5.3	-6.7	-3.5
hexane	6.5	3.7	3.6
2-propanol	4.7	-2.4	-12.9
glycerol	1.5	-7.6	-23.7
ethylene glycol	2.3	-7.3	-22.5
benzyl alcohol	-0.5	-2.6	-10.2
N,N-dimethylacetamide	2.7	-7.8	-5.9
methyl-2-pyrrolidone	0.3	-8.6	-3.7
triethylamine	5.3	3.3	2.6
diisopropylamine	6.7	0.0	2.1
aniline	-3.9	-2.1	-7.7
methyl methacrylate	4.7	-2.8	-1.9
propylene carbonate	-3.7	-14.3	-0.6
ethyl acetate	4.7	-1.6	-3.7

Table S4. Calculated Hansen Solubility Parameters (HSP) of W2-PDCPD xerogels and solvents.

^a $\Delta 2\delta_D = (2\delta_{D1}) - (2\delta_{D2})$. ^b $(\Delta \delta_P) = (\delta_{P1}) - (\delta_{P2})$. ^c $(\Delta \delta_H) = (\delta_{H1}) - (\delta_{H2})$. "1" refers to **W₂-PDCPD** xerogels and "2" refers to the solvent. Hansen Solubility Parameters (HSP) for **W₂-PDCPD**: $\delta_D = 18.15$, $\delta_P = 3.69$, $\delta_H = 3.55$ MPa^{1/2}.

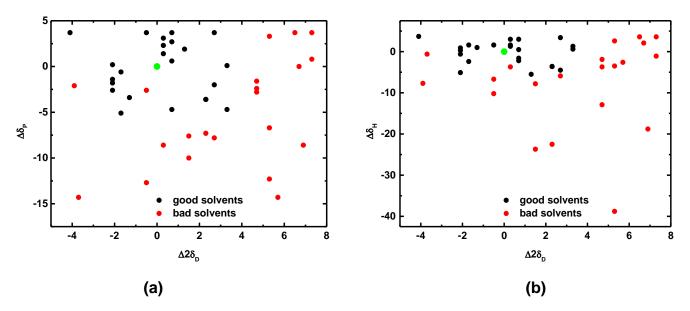


Figure S40. 2D plots of the magnitude differences between the solvent and W₂-PDCPD xerogels: $\Delta \delta_P vs \Delta 2\delta_D$ (a) and $\Delta \delta_H vs \Delta 2\delta_D$ (b). Green dot shows point (0,0).



Figure S41. Separation of methylene dichloride (dyed with Sudan blue) from water using W₂-PDCPD xerogels.

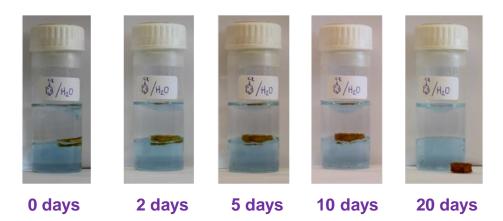


Figure S42. Separation of chlorobenzene (dyed with Sudan blue) from water using W₂-PDCPD xerogels.

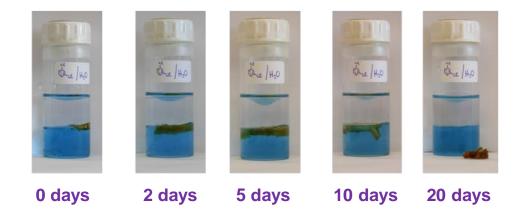


Figure S43. Separation of 1,3-dichlorobenzene (dyed with Sudan blue) from water using W₂-PDCPD xerogels.

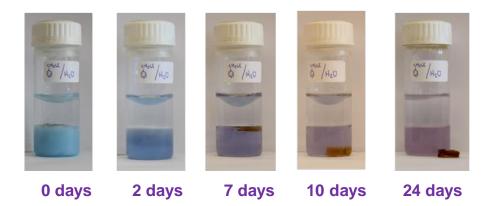


Figure S44. Separation of benzyl chloride (dyed with Sudan blue) from water using W₂-PDCPD xerogels.



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Figure S45. Separation of tetrahydrofuran from water using W₂-PDCPD xerogels.

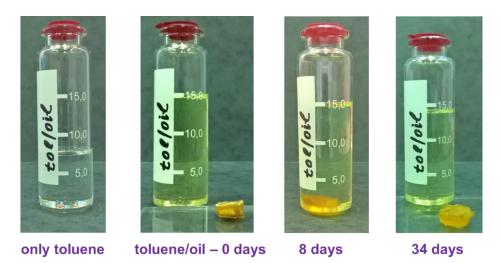


Figure S46. Separation of toluene from oil using W_2 -PDCPD xerogels.



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Figure S47. Separation of toluene from hexane using W₂-PDCPD xerogels.

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