

Supporting Information to

**Combined Effects of Carbonate and Soft-Segment Molecular Structures on the
Nanophase Separation and Properties of Segmented Polyhydroxyurethane**

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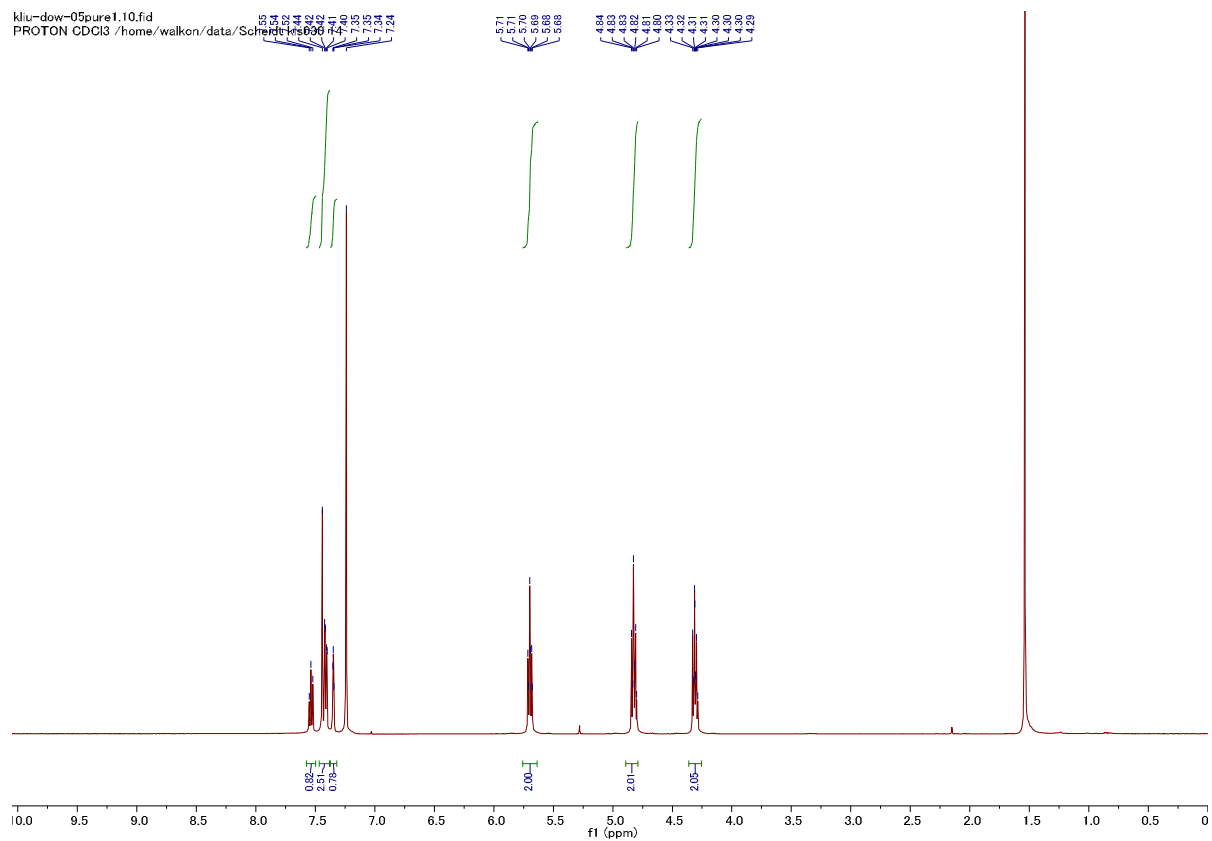


Figure S1. ^1H NMR spectrum of DVBDCC.

Divinyl Benzene Dicyclocarbonate (DVBDCC): ^1H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.55 – 7.34 (m, 4H), 5.70 (td, J = 8.0, 2.0 Hz, 2H, CH), 4.82 (td, J = 8.4, 5.0 Hz, 2H, CH_2), 4.31 (ddd, J = 8.6, 7.7, 4.9 Hz, 2H, CH_2).

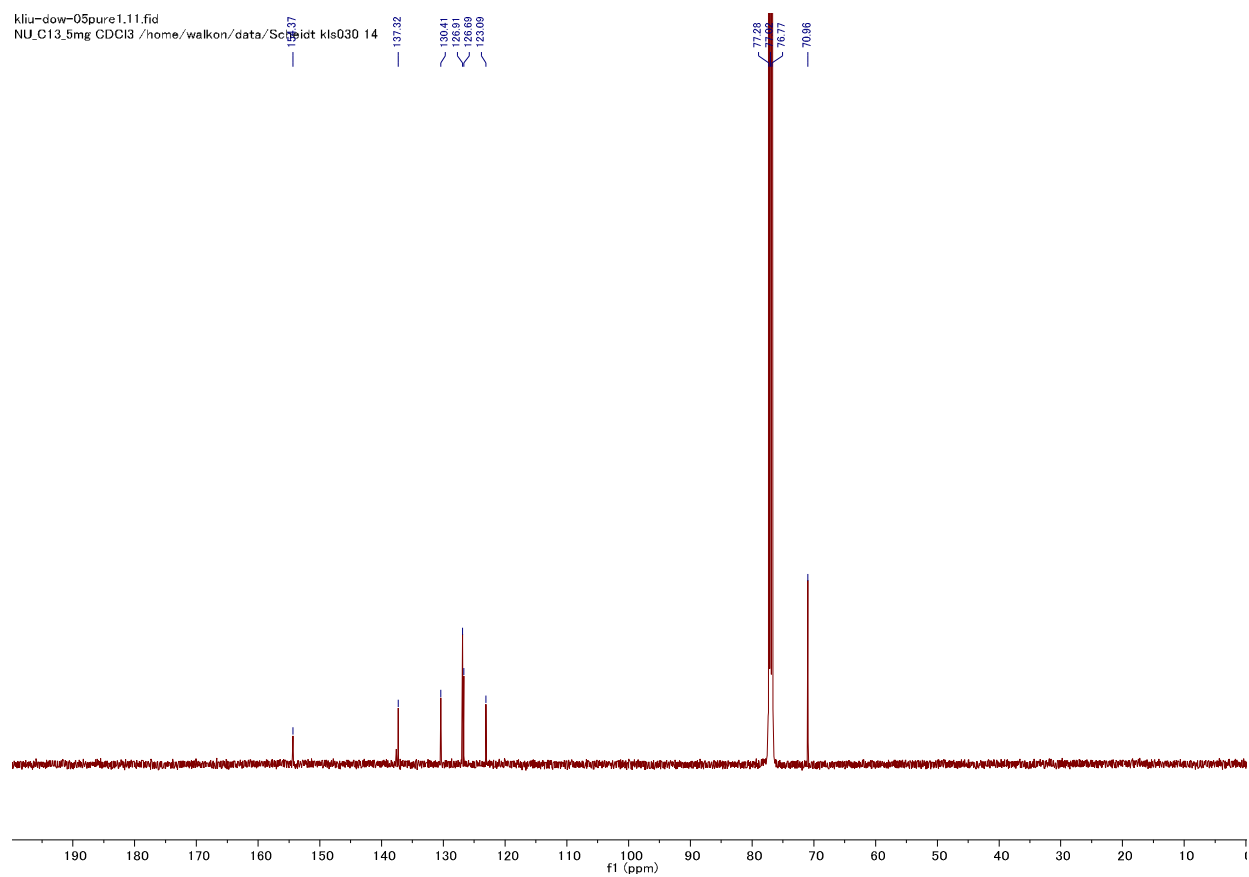


Figure S2. ^{13}C NMR spectrum of DVBDCC.

Divinyl Benzene Dicyclocarbonate (DVBDCC): ^{13}C NMR (CDCl_3 , 126 MHz) δ 154.3, 137.3, 130.4, 126.9, 126.6, 123.1, 70.9. LRMS (EI): Mass calcd for $[\text{M}]^+$ $\text{C}_{12}\text{H}_{10}\text{O}_6$: 250.0; found 250.1.

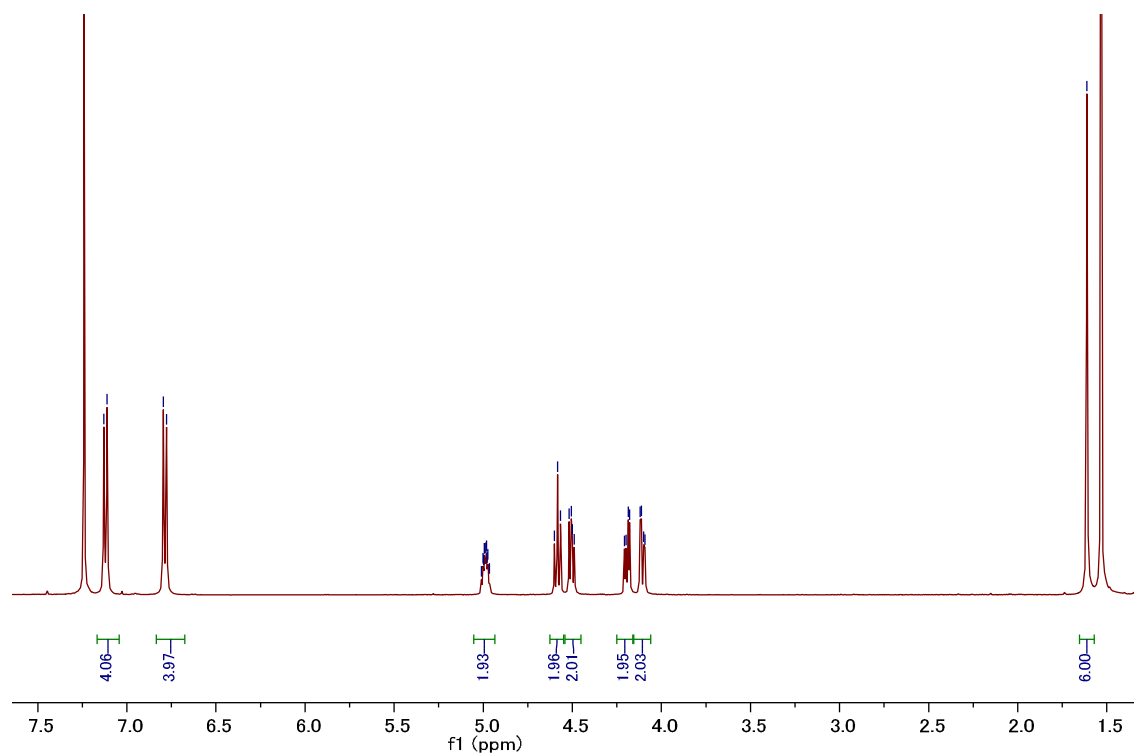


Figure S3. ^1H NMR spectrum of BPADC.

Bisphenol A Dicarboxylate (BPADC): ^1H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl_3) δ , 7.12 (d, $J = 8.8$ Hz, 2H), 6.79 (d, $J = 8.8$ Hz, 2H), 5.01 – 4.97 (m, 2H, CH in cyclic carbonate moiety) 4.58 (t, $J = 8.4$ Hz, 2H, CH_2 in cyclic carbonate moiety), 4.50 (dd, $J = 8.5, 5.9$ Hz, 2H, CH_2 in cyclic carbonate moiety), 4.19 (dd, $J = 10.6, 4.4$ Hz, 2H, CHCH_2OAr), 4.11 (dd, $J = 10.5, 3.5$ Hz, 2H, CHCH_2OAr), 1.61 (s, 6H, CH_3);

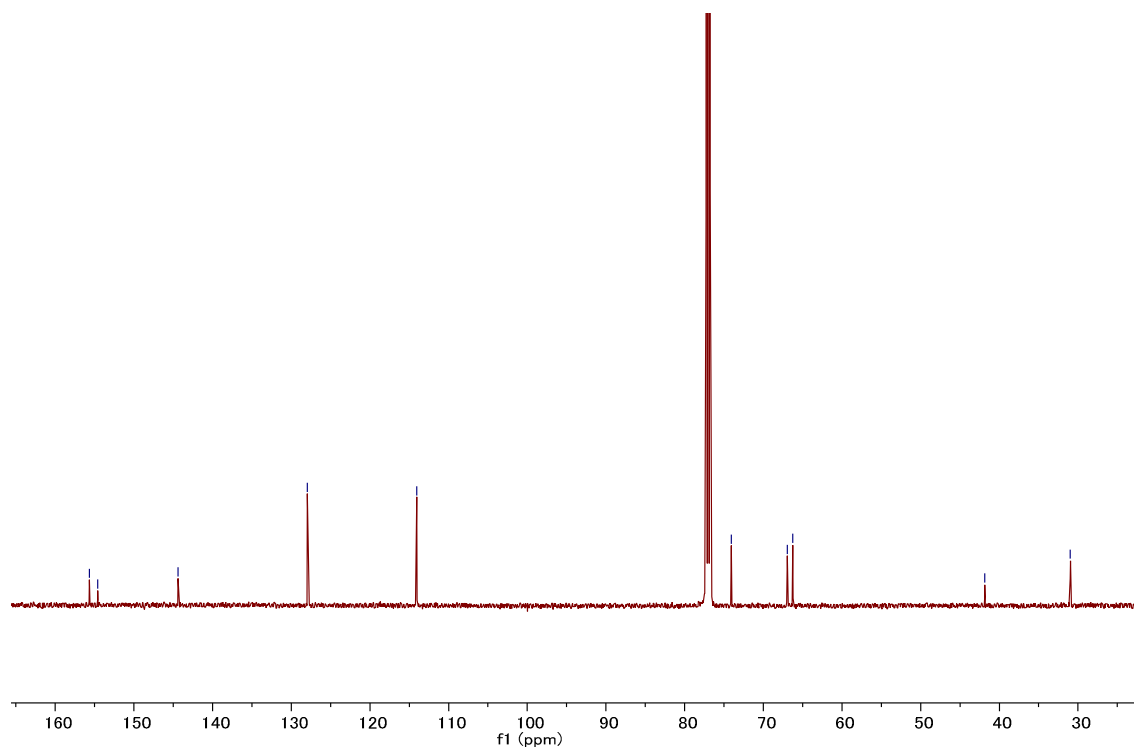


Figure S4. ^{13}C NMR spectrum of BPADC.

Bisphenol A Dicarboxylate (BPADC): ^{13}C NMR (CDCl_3 , 126 MHz) δ 155.6, 154.6, 144.3, 127.9, 114.0, 74.0, 66.9, 66.2, 41.8, 30.9; LRMS (EI): Mass calculated for $[\text{M}]^+$ $\text{C}_{23}\text{H}_{24}\text{O}_8$: 428.0; found 428.0

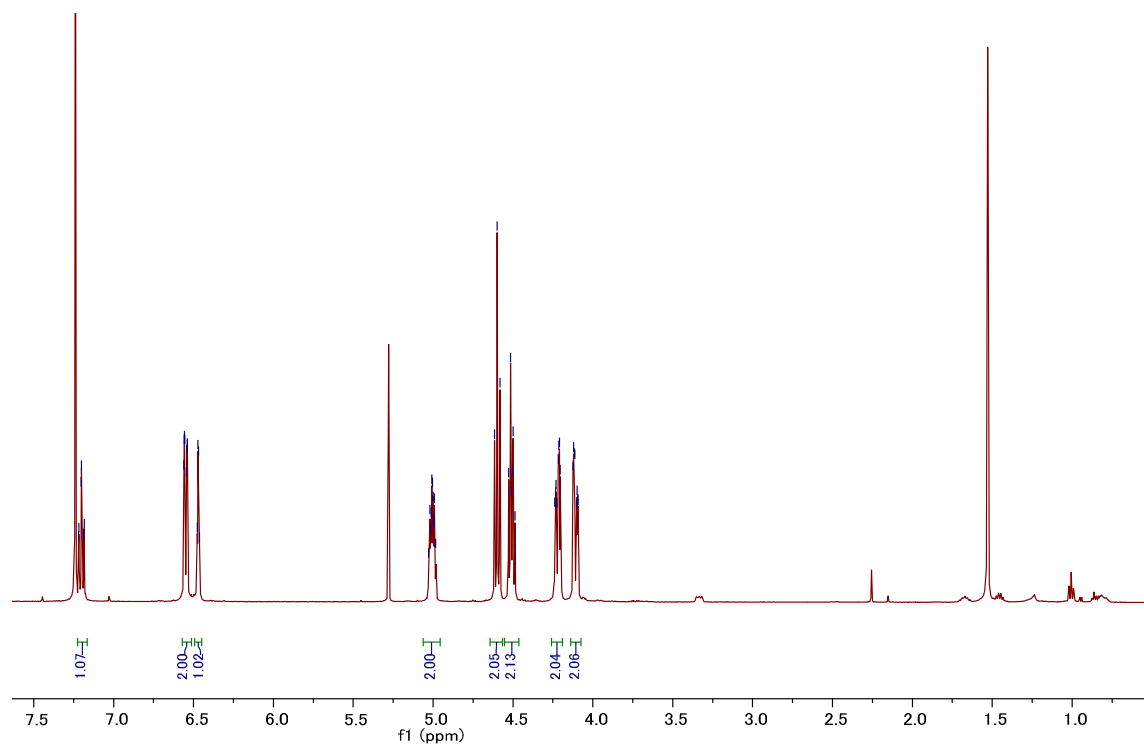


Figure S5. ^1H NMR spectrum of RBC.

Recorsinol Bis-carbonate (RBC): ^1H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl_3) δ , 7.20 (td, $J = 8.2, 0.9$ Hz, 1H), 6.56 – 6.54 (m, 2H), 6.48 – 6.40 (m, 1H), 5.03 – 4.98 (m, 2H, CH in cyclic carbonate moiety) 4.60 (t, $J = 8.5$ Hz, 2H, CH_2 in cyclic carbonate moiety), 4.51 (dt, $J = 8.6, 5.8$ Hz, 2H, CH_2 in cyclic carbonate moiety), 4.22 (dd, $J = 10.7, 3.9, 2.7$ Hz, 2H, CHCH_2OAr), 4.11 (ddd, $J = 10.7, 3.5, 1.1$ Hz, 2H, CHCH_2OAr).

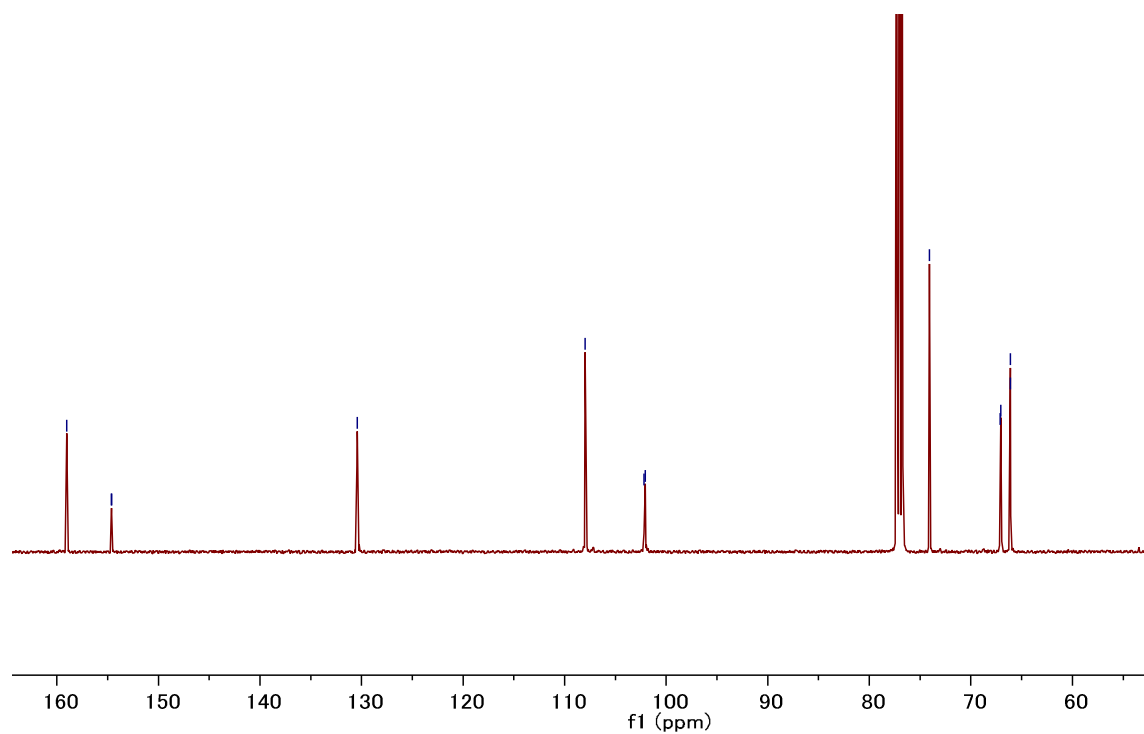


Figure S6. ^{13}C NMR spectrum of RBC.

Recorsinol Bis-carbonate (RBC): ^{13}C NMR (CDCl_3 , 126 MHz) δ 159.0, 154.6, 154.6, 130.4, 107.9, 102.1, 102.0, 74.0, 67.1, 67.0, 66.1, 66.0; LRMS (EI): Mass calculated for $[\text{M}]^+ \text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{14}\text{O}_8$: 310.1; found 310.1.

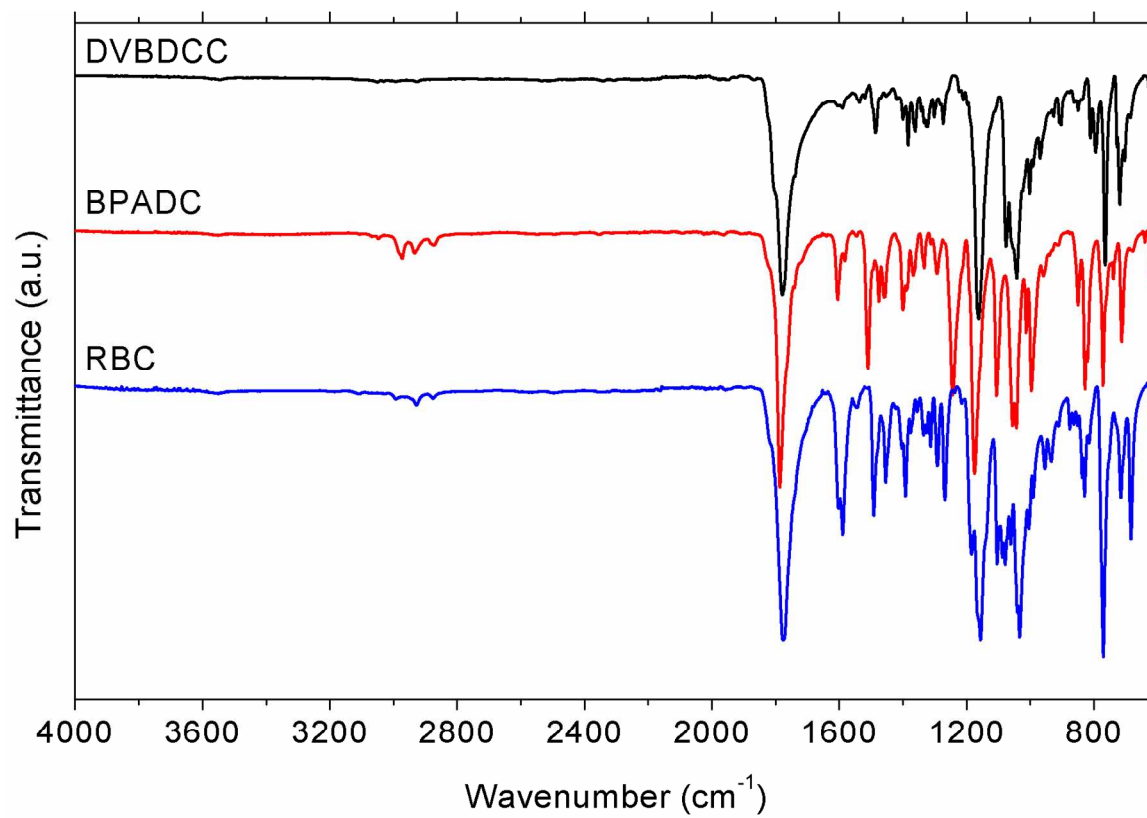


Figure S7. FTIR spectra of DVBDCC, BPADC, and RBC.

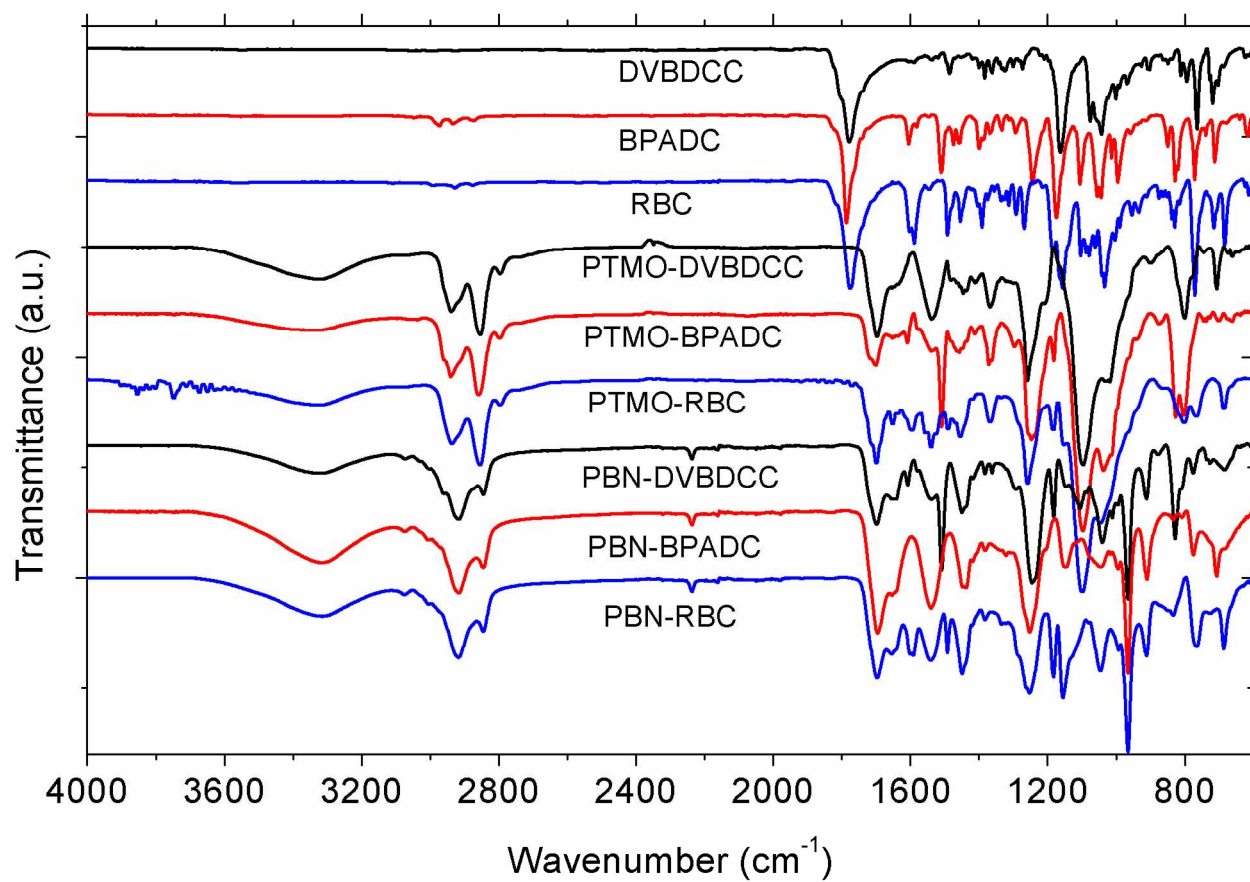


Figure S8. FTIR Spectra of all PHUs with their corresponding carbonate molecules.

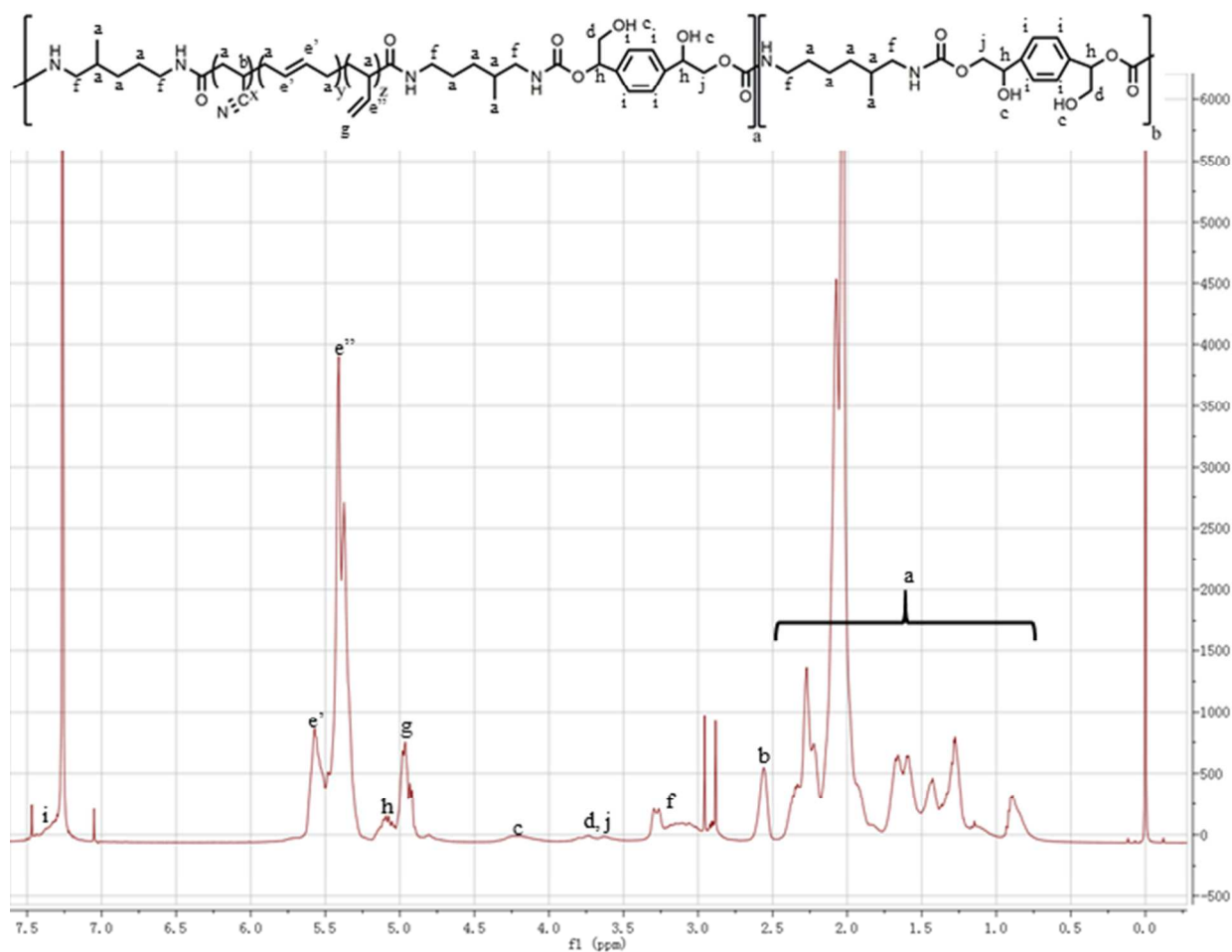


Figure S9. ^1H NMR spectrum of PBN-DVBDCC.

PBN-DVBDCC. ^1H NMR (CDCl_3 , 500 MHz), δ (ppm): 0.6-2.4 (15H, - $\text{NHCH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}(\text{CH}_3)\text{CH}_2\text{NH}$ -, $-\text{CH}_2\text{CH}(\text{CH}_2=\text{CH}_2)\text{CH}_2$ -, $-\text{CH}_2\text{CH}(\text{CN})$ -), 2.5-2.6 (1H, - $\text{CH}_2\text{CH}(\text{CN})$ -), 3.0-3.3 (2H, $-\text{CH}_2\text{NHC}(=\text{O})\text{OCH}_2$ -), 3.6-3.8 (4H, $-\text{CH}_2\text{OH}$, $-\text{CH}_2\text{OC}(=\text{O})\text{NH}$ -), 4.1-4.3 (2H, $-\text{CH}_2\text{OH}$, $\text{PhCH}(\text{OH})\text{CH}_2$ -), 4.8-5.0 (2H, $-\text{CH}(\text{CH}=\text{CH}_2)$), 5.0-5.2 (1H, $\text{PhCH}(\text{OH})\text{CH}_2\text{O}$ -), 5.3-5.5 (1H, $-\text{CH}(\text{CH}=\text{CH}_2)$), 5.5-5.6 (2H, $-\text{CH}_2\text{CH}=\text{CHCH}_2$ -), 7.0-7.5 (4H, Ph).

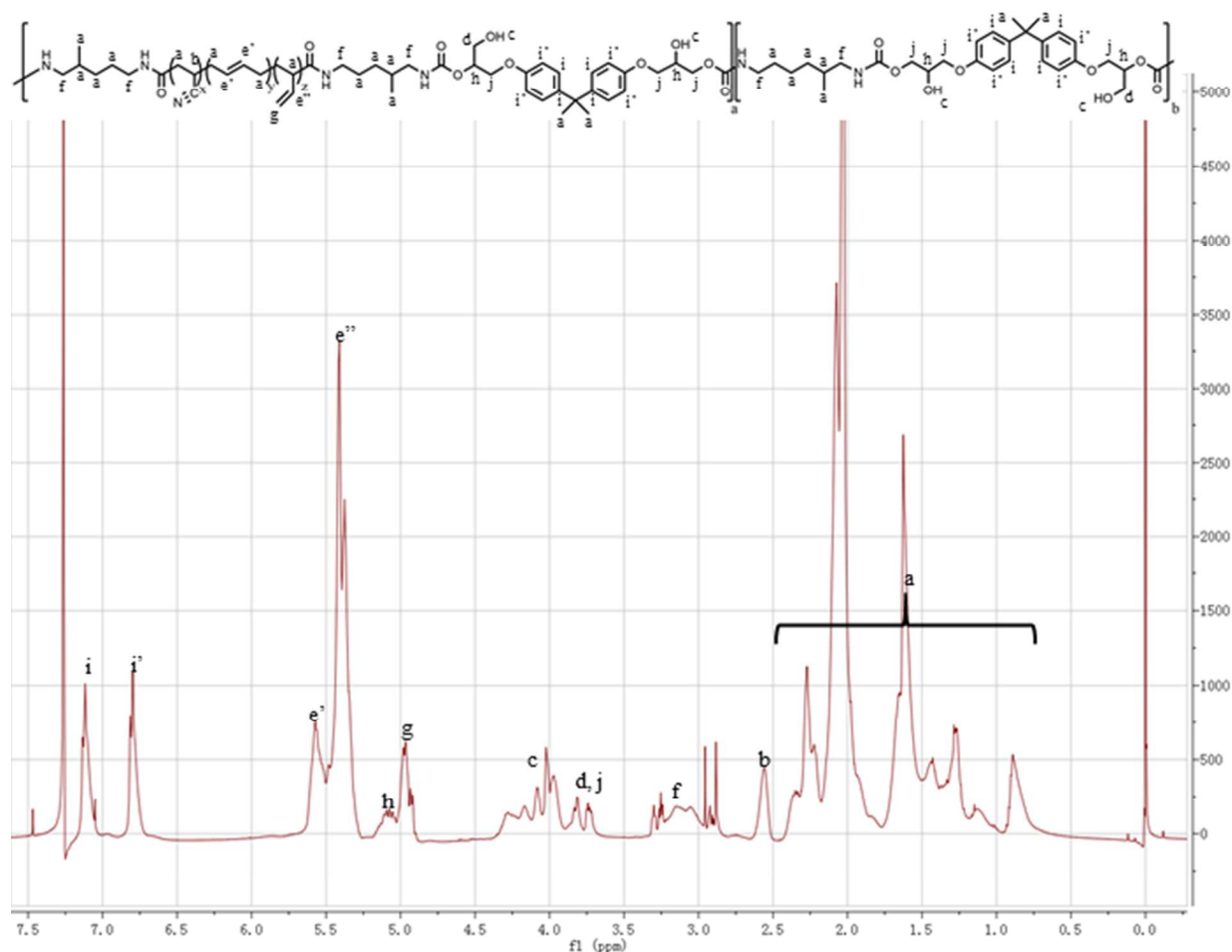


Figure S10. ^1H NMR spectrum of PBN-BPADC.

PBN-BPADC. ^1H NMR (CDCl_3 , 500 MHz), δ (ppm):

0.6-2.4 (21H, $-\text{NHCH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}(\text{CH}_3)\text{CH}_2\text{NH}-$, $-\text{CH}_2\text{CH}(\text{CH}_2=\text{CH}_2)\text{CH}_2-$, $-\text{CH}_2\text{CH}(\text{CN})-$, $\text{PhC}(\text{CH}_3)(\text{CH}_3)\text{Ph}$), 2.5-2.6 (1H, $-\text{CH}_2\text{CH}(\text{CN})-$), 3.0-3.3 (2H, $-\text{CH}_2\text{NHC}(=\text{O})\text{OCH}_2-$), 3.6-3.8 (6H, $-\text{CH}_2\text{OH}$, $-\text{CH}_2\text{OC}(=\text{O})\text{NH}-$, $-\text{CH}(\text{CH}_2\text{OH})\text{CH}_2\text{O}-$), 3.9-4.3 (2H, $-\text{CH}_2\text{OH}$, $\text{PhCH}(\text{OH})\text{CH}_2-$), 4.8-5.0 (2H, $-\text{CH}(\text{CH}=\text{CH}_2)$), 5.0-5.2 (1H, $\text{PhCH}(\text{OH})\text{CH}_2\text{O}-$), 5.3-5.5 (1H, $-\text{CH}(\text{CH}=\text{CH}_2)$), 5.5-5.6 (2H, $-\text{CH}_2\text{CH}=\text{CHCH}_2-$), 6.7-7.2 (8H, Ph).

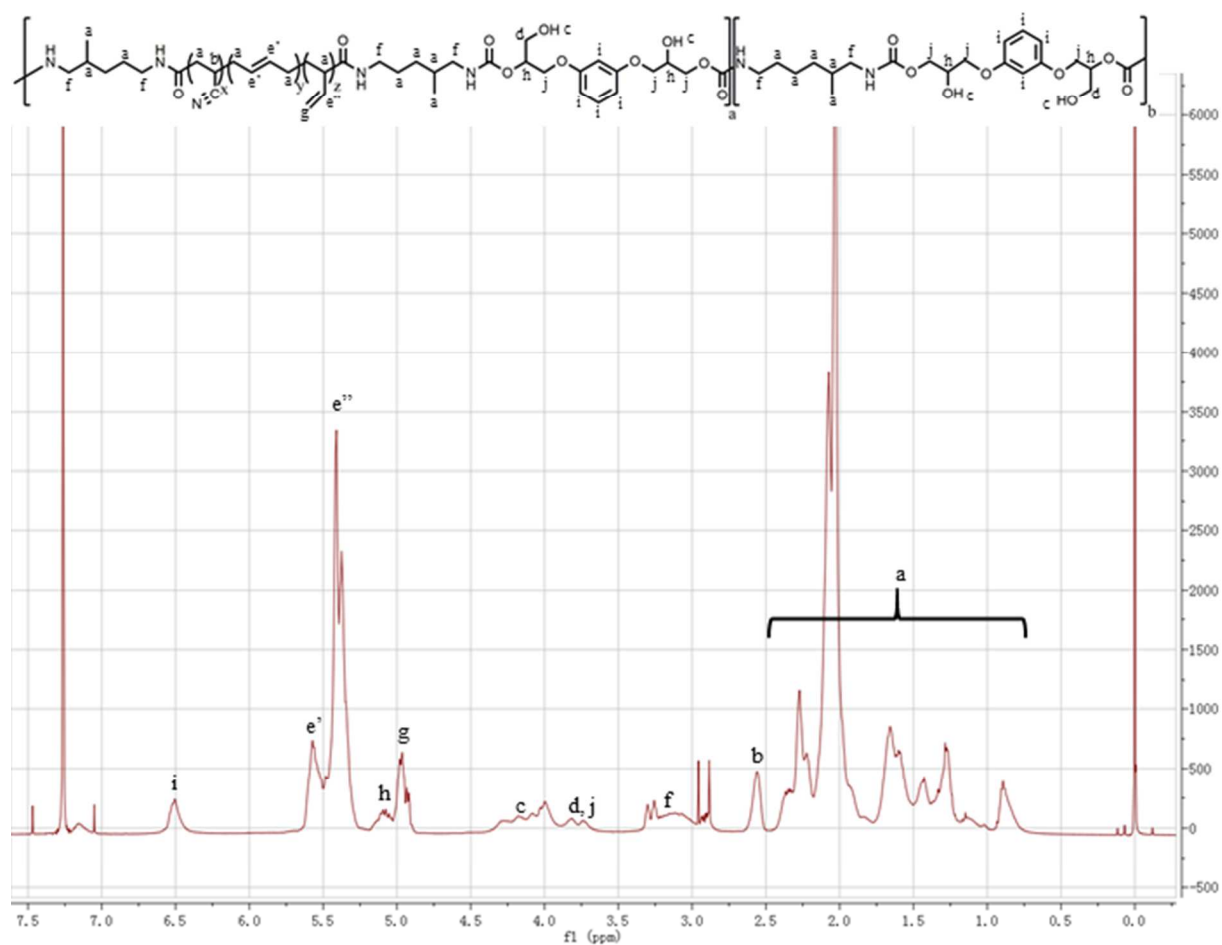


Figure S11. ^1H NMR spectrum of PBN-RBC.

PBN-RBC. ^1H NMR (CDCl_3 , 500 MHz), δ (ppm): 0.6-2.4 (15H, - $\text{NHCH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}(\text{CH}_3)\text{CH}_2\text{NH}$ -, $-\text{CH}_2\text{CH}(\text{CH}_2=\text{CH}_2)\text{CH}_2$ -, $-\text{CH}_2\text{CH}(\text{CN})$ -), 2.5-2.6 (1H, - $\text{CH}_2\text{CH}(\text{CN})$ -), 3.0-3.3 (2H, $-\text{CH}_2\text{NHC}(=\text{O})\text{OCH}_2$ -), 3.6-3.8 (6H, $-\text{CH}_2\text{OH}$ -, $-\text{CH}_2\text{OC}(=\text{O})\text{NH}$ -, $-\text{CH}(\text{CH}_2\text{OH})\text{CH}_2\text{O}$ -), 3.9-4.4 (2H, $-\text{CH}_2\text{OH}$ -, $\text{PhCH}(\text{OH})\text{CH}_2$ -), 4.8-5.0 (2H, $-\text{CH}(\text{CH}=\text{CH}_2)$), 5.0-5.2 (1H, $\text{PhCH}(\text{OH})\text{CH}_2\text{O}$ -), 5.3-5.5 (1H, $-\text{CH}(\text{CH}=\text{CH}_2)$), 5.5-5.6 (2H, $-\text{CH}_2\text{CH}=\text{CHCH}_2$ -), 6.4-6.6 (4H, Ph).

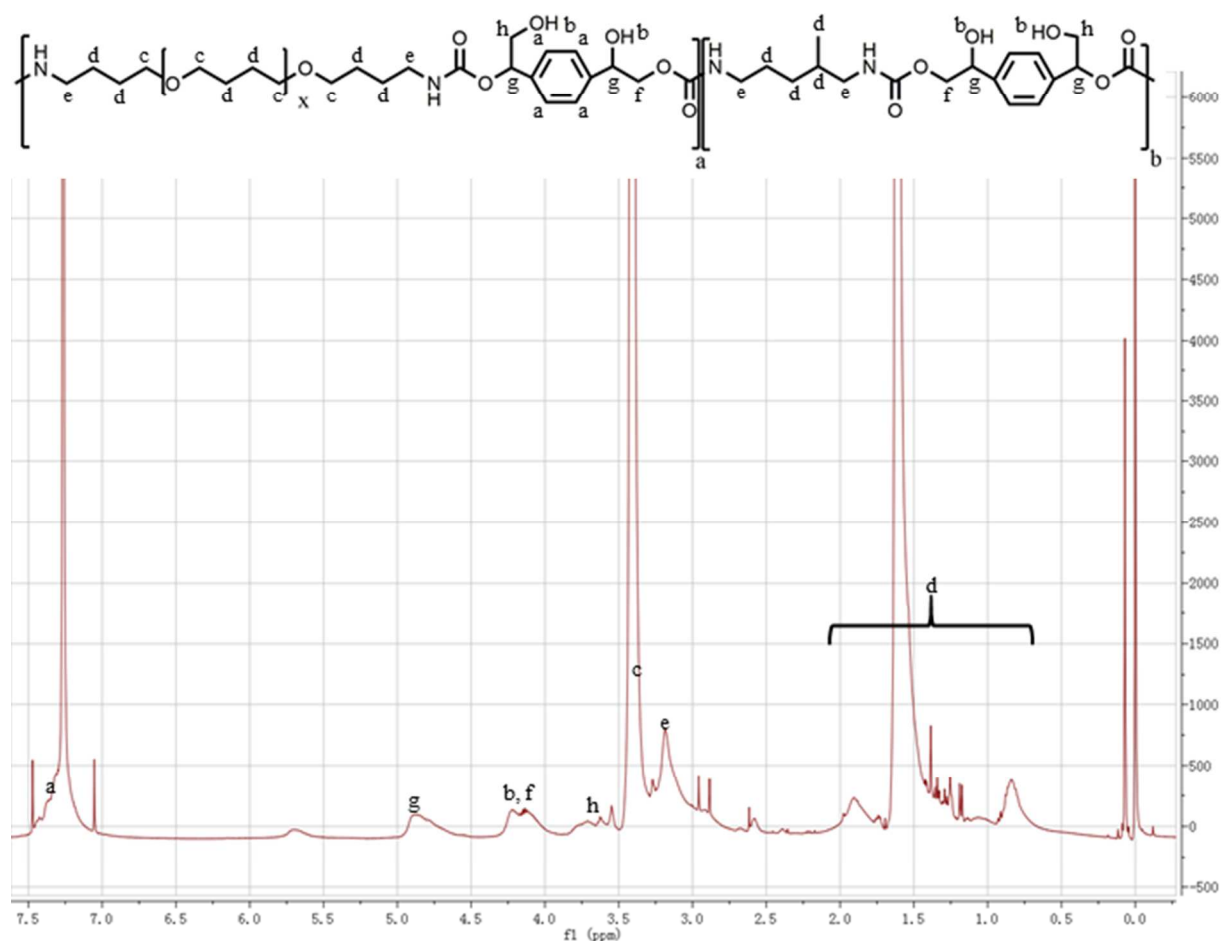


Figure S12. ^1H NMR spectrum of PTMO-DVBDCC.

PTMO-DVBDCC. ^1H NMR (CDCl_3 , 500 MHz), δ (ppm): 0.5-2.0 (16H, $-\text{OCH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{O}-$, $-\text{NHCH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{O}-$, $-\text{NHCH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}(\text{CH}_3)\text{CH}_2\text{NH}-$), 2.8-3.2 (4H, $-\text{NHCH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{O}-$, $-\text{NHCH}_2-$), 3.3-3.5 (6H, $-\text{CH}_2\text{OCH}_2-$, $-\text{NHC}(=\text{O})\text{OCH}_2-$), 3.6-3.8 (1H, $-\text{CH}_2\text{OH}$), 4.0-4.2 (2H, $-\text{CH}_2\text{OC}(=\text{O})\text{NH}-$), 4.2-4.3 (2H, $-\text{CH}_2\text{OH}$, $\text{PhCH}(\text{OH})\text{CH}_2-$), 4.8-5.0 (1H, $\text{PhCH}(\text{OH})\text{CH}_2-$), 7.0-7.5 (4H, Ph).

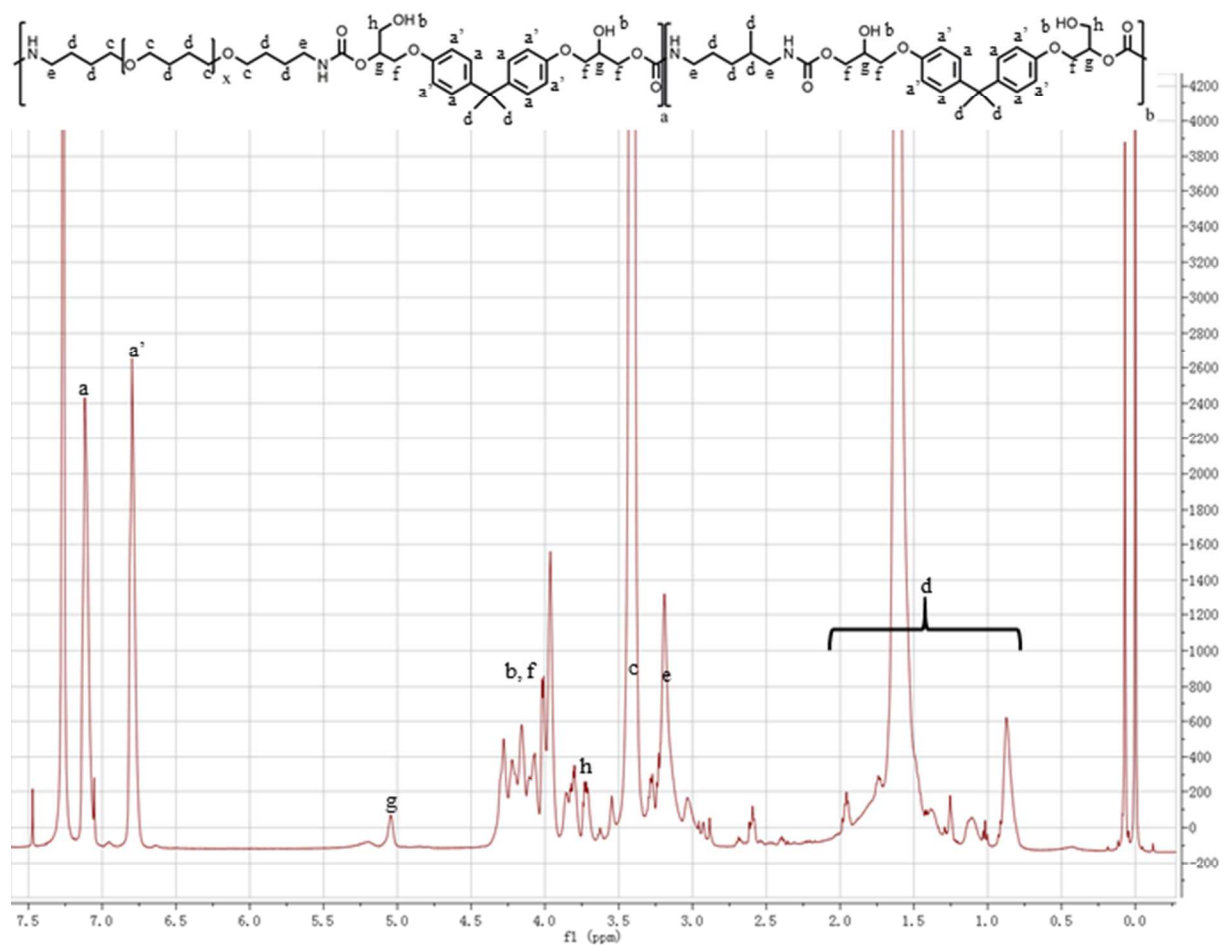


Figure S13. ^1H NMR spectrum of PTMO-BPADC.

PTMO-BPADC. ^1H NMR (CDCl_3 , 500 MHz), δ (ppm): 0.5-2.0 (22H, $-\text{OCH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{O}-$, $-\text{NHCH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{O}-$, $-\text{NHCH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}(\text{CH}_3)\text{CH}_2\text{NH}-$, $\text{PhC}(\text{CH}_3)(\text{CH}_3)\text{Ph}$), 2.8-3.2 (4H, $-\text{NHCH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{O}-$, $-\text{NHCH}_2-$), 3.3-3.5 (6H, $-\text{CH}_2\text{OCH}_2-$, $-\text{NHC}(=\text{O})\text{OCH}_2-$), 3.6-3.8 (1H, $-\text{CH}_2\text{OH}$), 4.0-4.2 (4H, $-\text{CH}_2\text{OC}(=\text{O})\text{NH}-$, $-\text{CH}(\text{CH}_2\text{OH})\text{CH}_2\text{O}-$), 4.2-4.3 (2H, $-\text{CH}_2\text{OH}$, $\text{PhCH}(\text{OH})\text{CH}_2-$), 4.8-5.0 (1H, $\text{PhCH}(\text{OH})\text{CH}_2-$), 6.7-7.2 (8H, Ph).

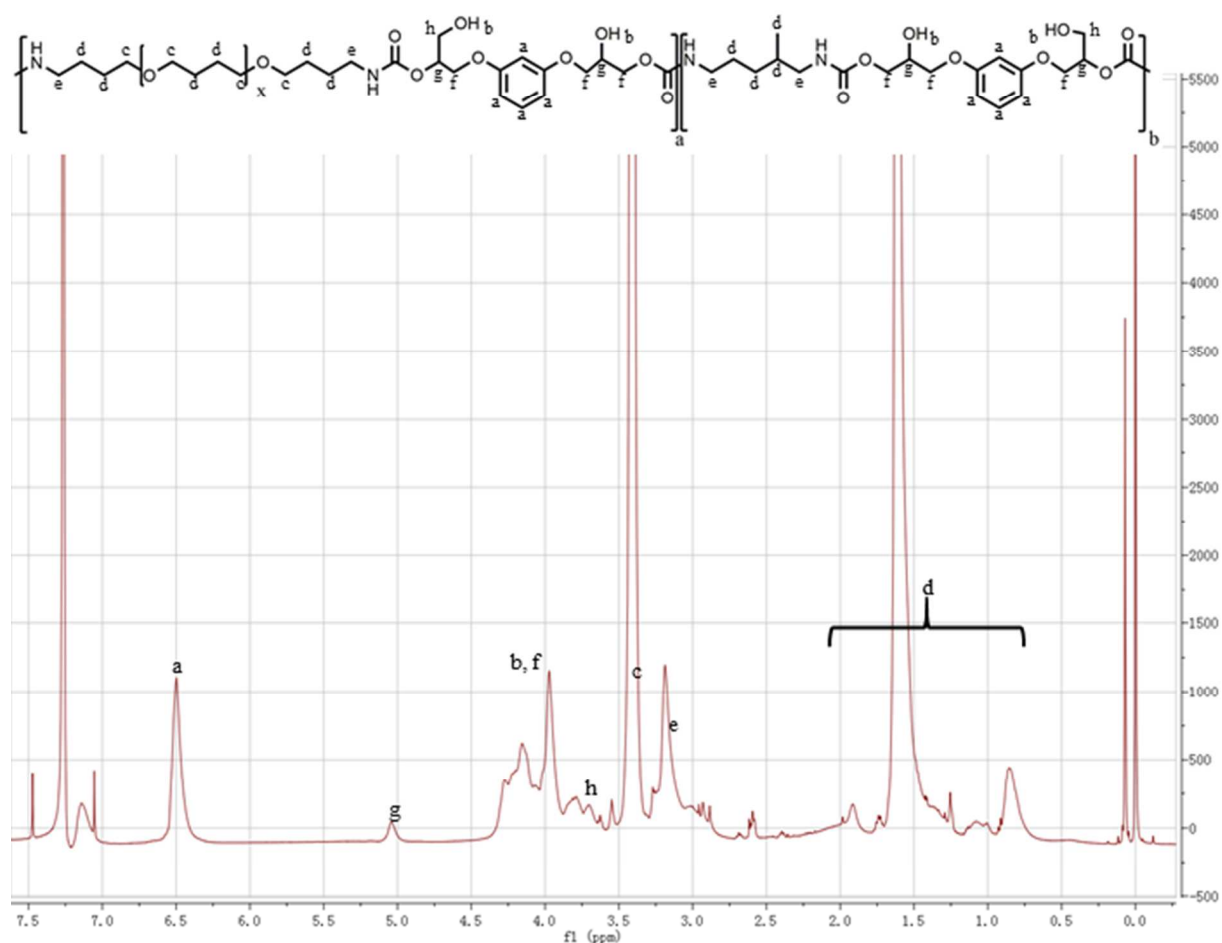


Figure S14. ^1H NMR spectrum of PTMO-RBC.

PTMO-RBC. ^1H NMR (CDCl_3 , 500 MHz), δ (ppm): 0.5-2.0 (16H, $-\text{OCH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{O}-$, $-\text{NHCH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{O}-$, $-\text{NHCH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}(\text{CH}_3)\text{CH}_2\text{NH}-$), 2.8-3.2 (4H, $-\text{NHCH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{O}-$, $-\text{NHCH}_2-$), 3.3-3.5 (6H, $-\text{CH}_2\text{OCH}_2-$, $-\text{NHC}(=\text{O})\text{OCH}_2-$), 3.6-3.8 (1H, $-\text{CH}_2\text{OH}$), 4.0-4.2 (4H, $-\text{CH}_2\text{OC}(=\text{O})\text{NH}-$, $-\text{CH}(\text{CH}_2\text{OH})\text{CH}_2\text{O}-$), 4.2-4.3 (2H, $-\text{CH}_2\text{OH}$, $\text{PhCH}(\text{OH})\text{CH}_2-$), 4.8-5.0 (1H, $\text{PhCH}(\text{OH})\text{CH}_2-$), 6.4-6.6 (4H, Ph).

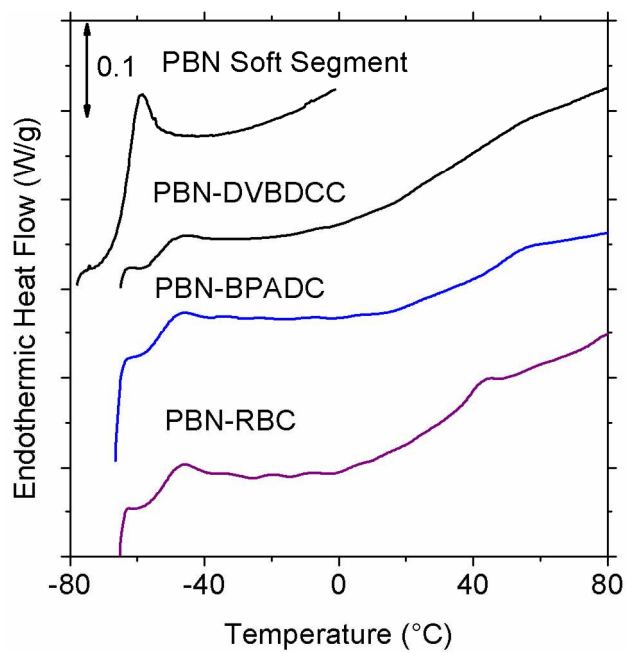


Figure S15. DSC heating scan of PBN-based PHUs.

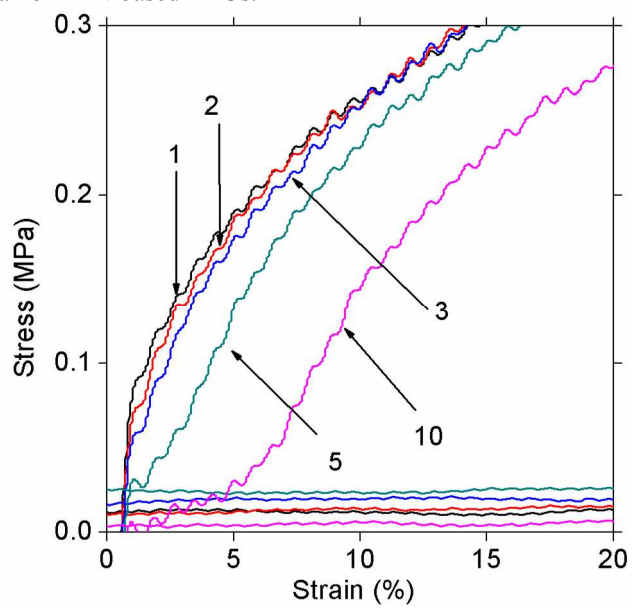


Figure S16. Zoomed version of PBN-RBC hysteresis.

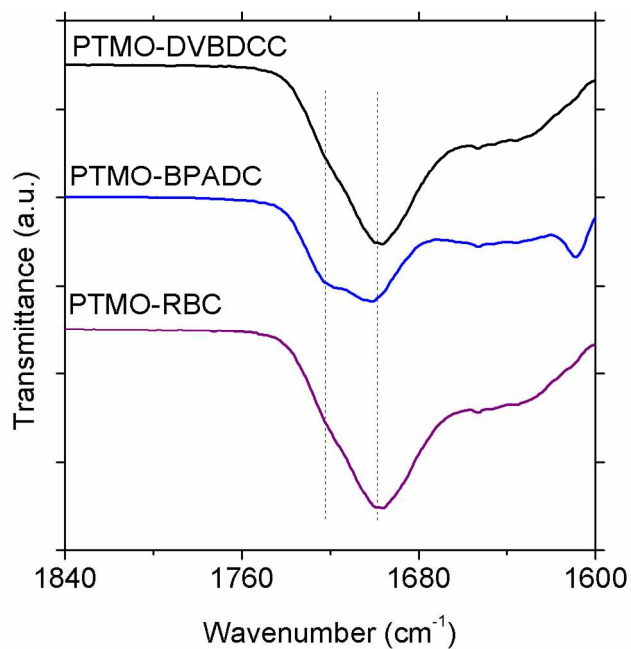


Figure S17. Comparison of FTIR spectra of PTMO-based PHUs in the carbonyl region. Free, non hydrogen-bonded carbonyl appears $\sim 1720 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ while hydrogen-bonded carbonyl appears $\sim 1690 \text{ cm}^{-1}$.

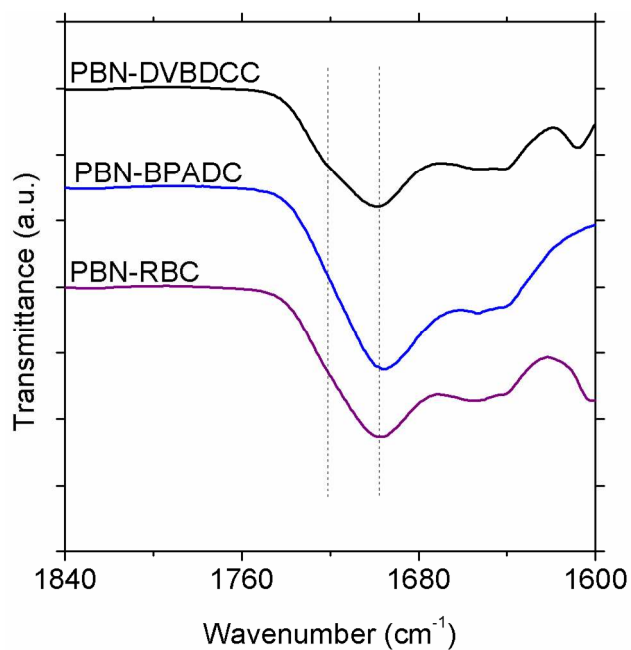


Figure S18. Comparison of FTIR spectra of PBN-based PHUs in the carbonyl region. Free, non hydrogen-bonded carbonyl appears $\sim 1720 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ while hydrogen-bonded carbonyl appears $\sim 1690 \text{ cm}^{-1}$.

Table S1. Apparent Weight-Average Molecular Weights of PHUs.*

Sample	M_w (kg/mole)
PTMO-DVBDCC	30.8
PTMO-RBC	37.9
PTMO-BPADC	37.7
PBN-DVBDCC	37.0
PBN-RBC	22.4
PBN-BPADC	25.0

*The overall signal to noise in RI detector was not high enough to reveal the details of molecular weight moments. It is likely due to low dn/dc values of samples in DMF.

