

Synthesis and Mesomorphic Properties of Side Chain Liquid-Crystalline Biphenyl-Phenyl Polyacrylates

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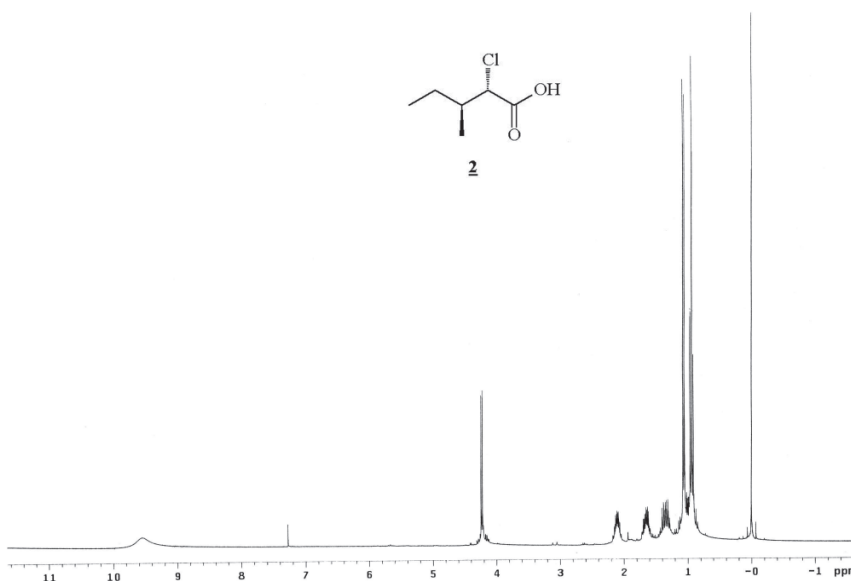


Figure S1. ^1H NMR (CDCl_3 , 300 MHz) for compound **2**.

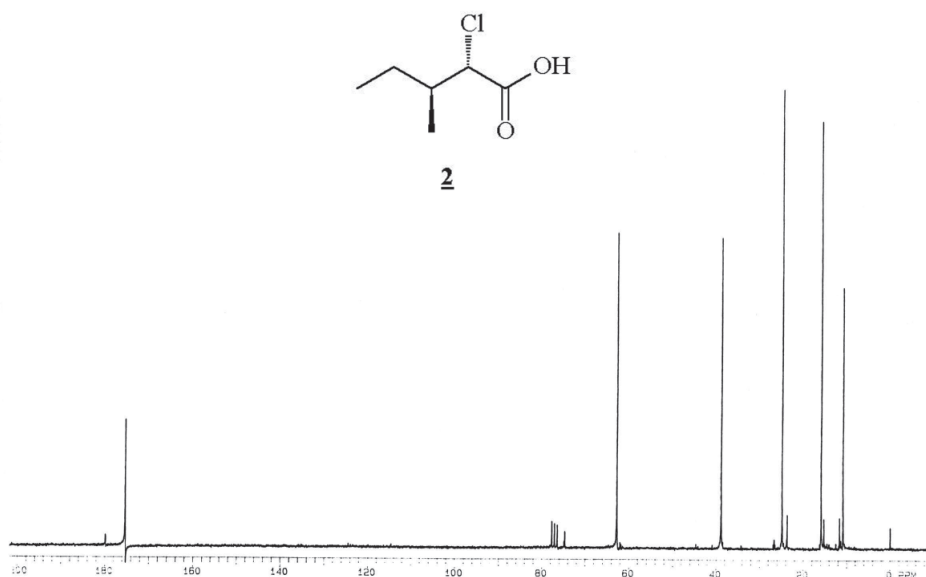
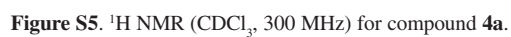
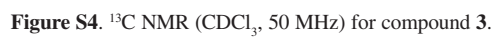
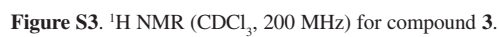


Figure S2. ^{13}C NMR (CDCl_3 , 50 MHz) for compound **2**.

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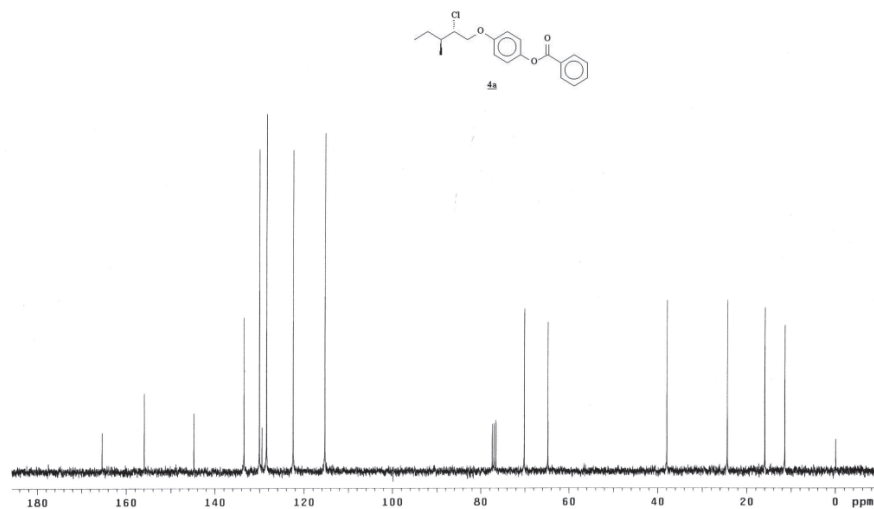


Figure S6. ^{13}C NMR (CDCl_3 , 75 MHz) for compound **4a**.

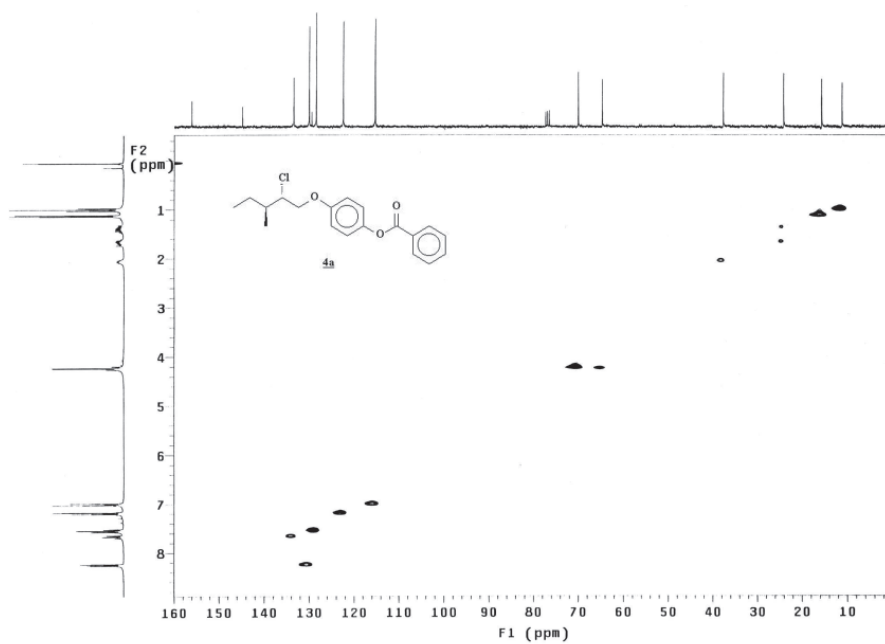


Figure S7. HMQC (^1H ^{13}C NMR, CDCl_3 , 300 MHz/75 MHz) for compound **4a**.

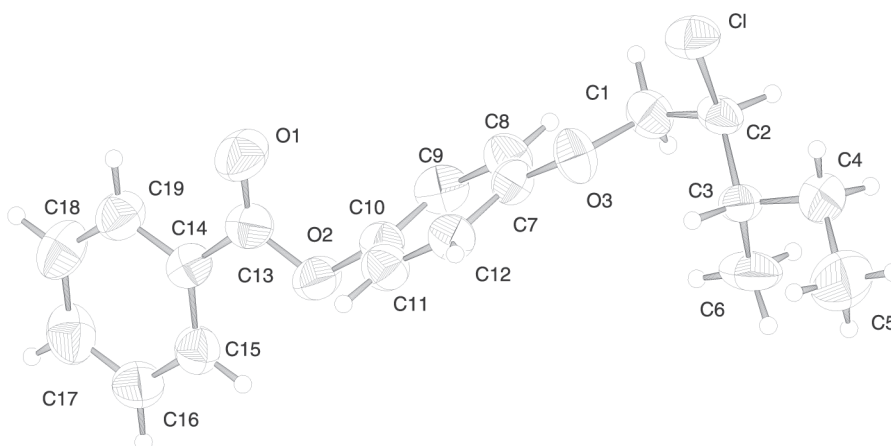


Figure S8. Molecular structure **4a**. Perspective view and atom labelling. Thermal ellipsoids are given at the 50% probability level. Reference 11.

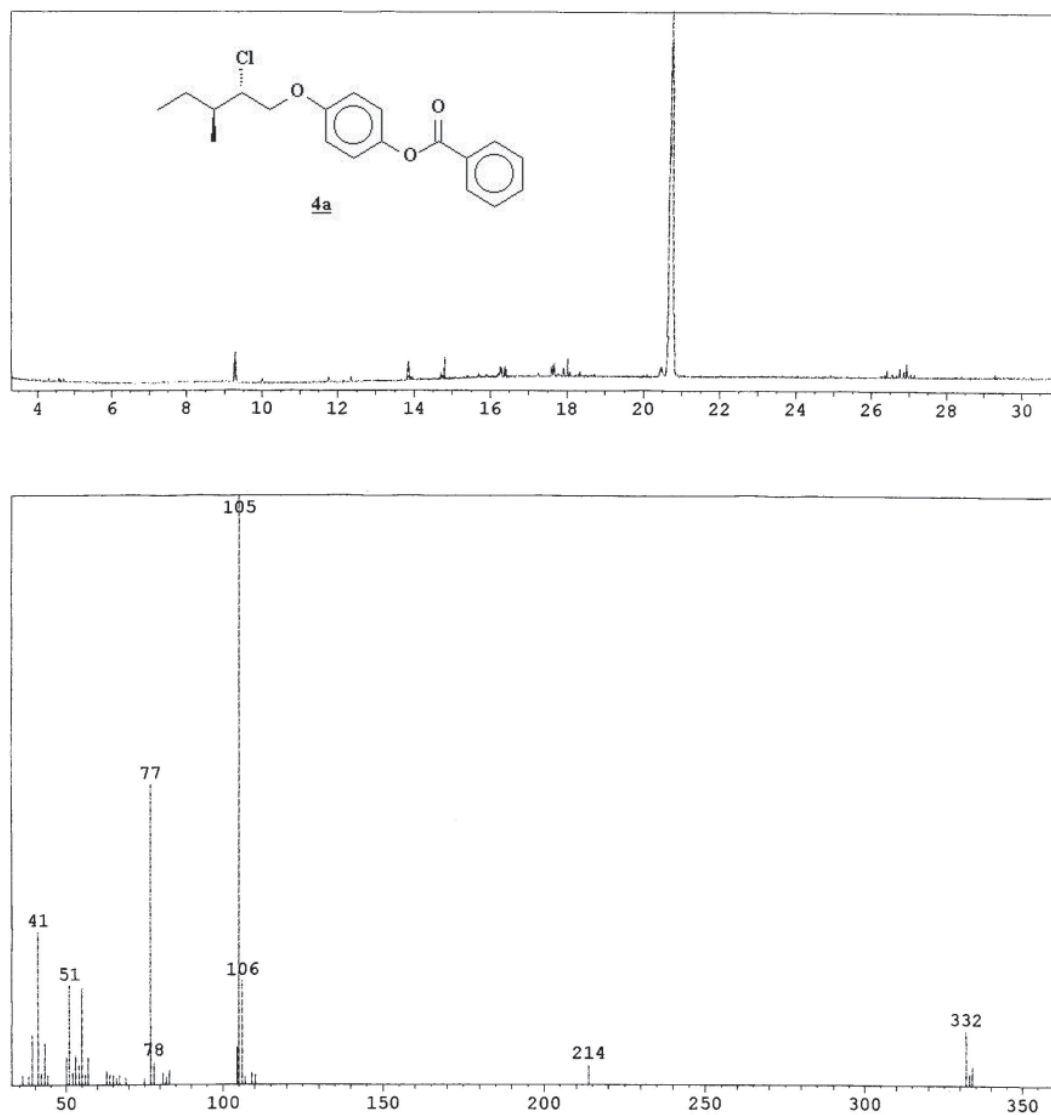


Figure S9. CG/MS (EI, 70 eV) for compound **4a**.

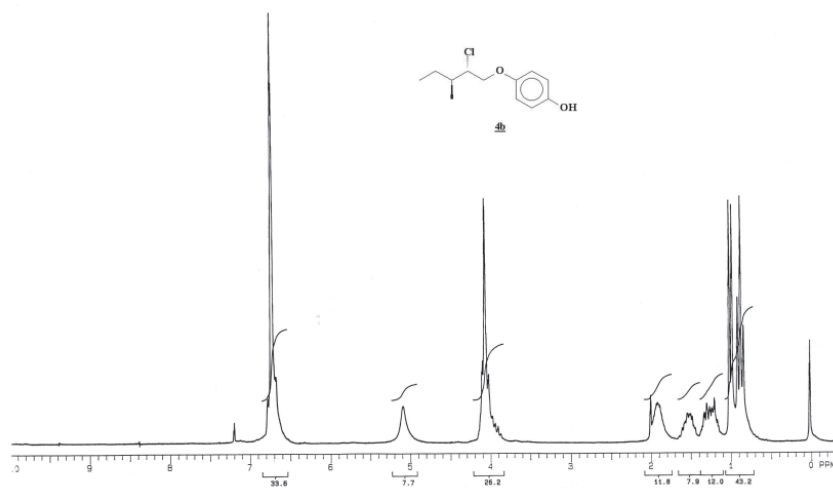


Figure S10. ^1H NMR (CDCl₃, 200 MHz) for compound **4b**.

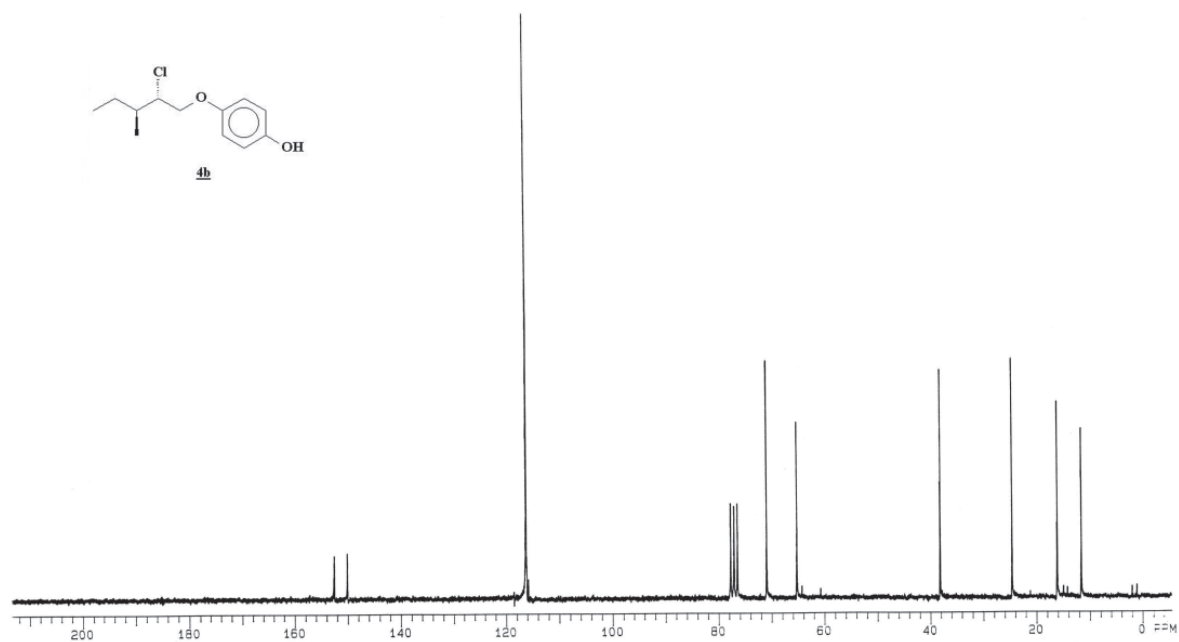


Figure S11. ^{13}C NMR (CDCl_3 , 50 MHz) for compound **4b**.

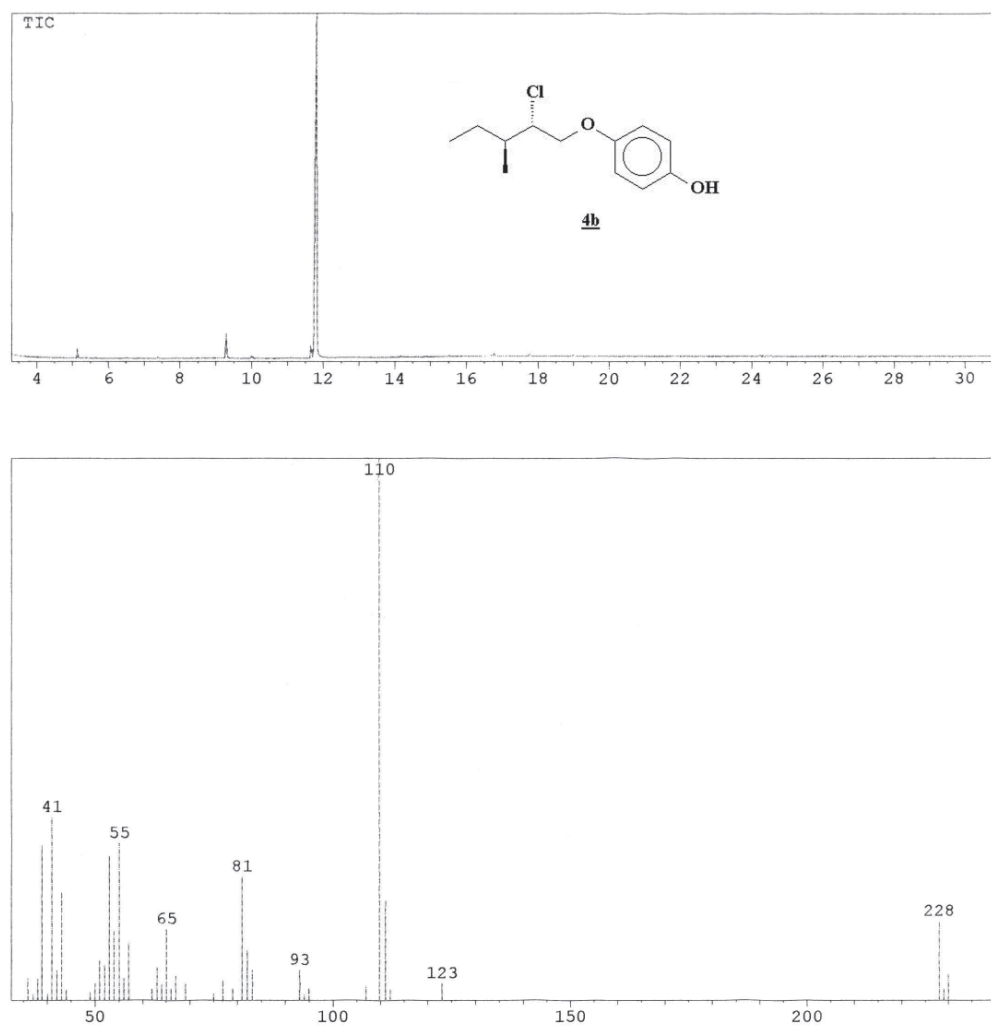


Figure S12. CG/MS (EI, 70 eV) for **4b**.

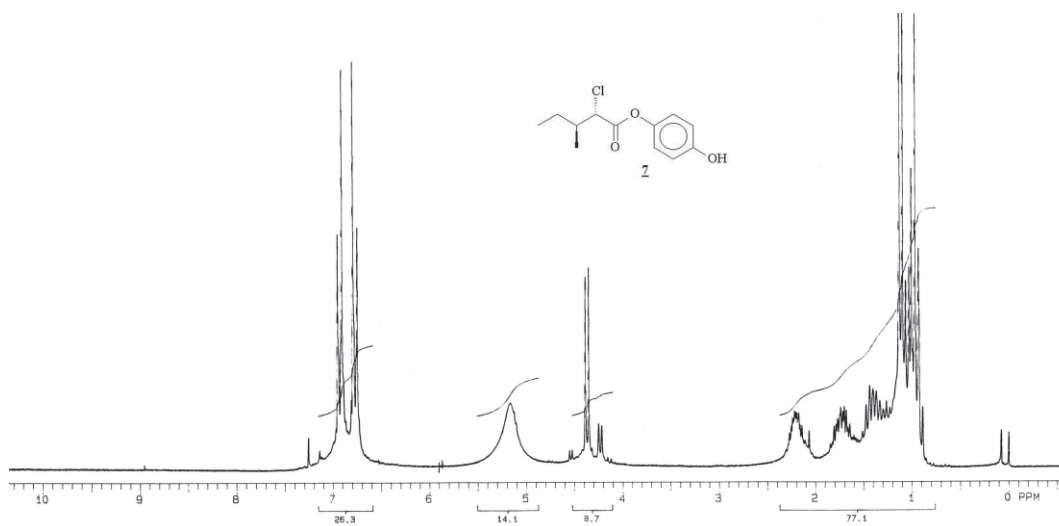


Figure S13. ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 200 MHz) for compound 7.

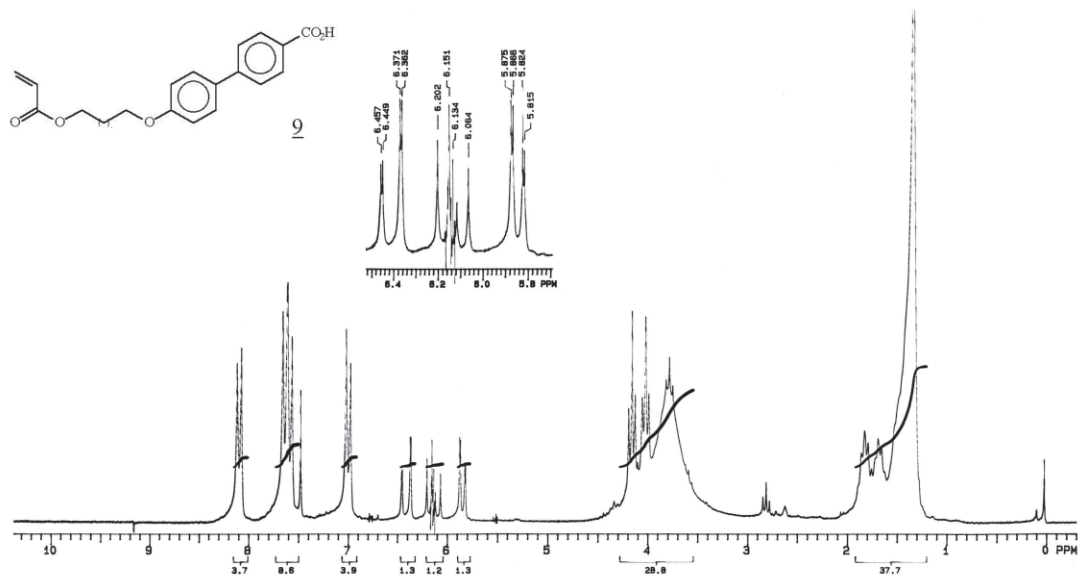


Figure S14. ¹H NMR (CDCl₃/DMSO, 200 MHz) for compound 9.

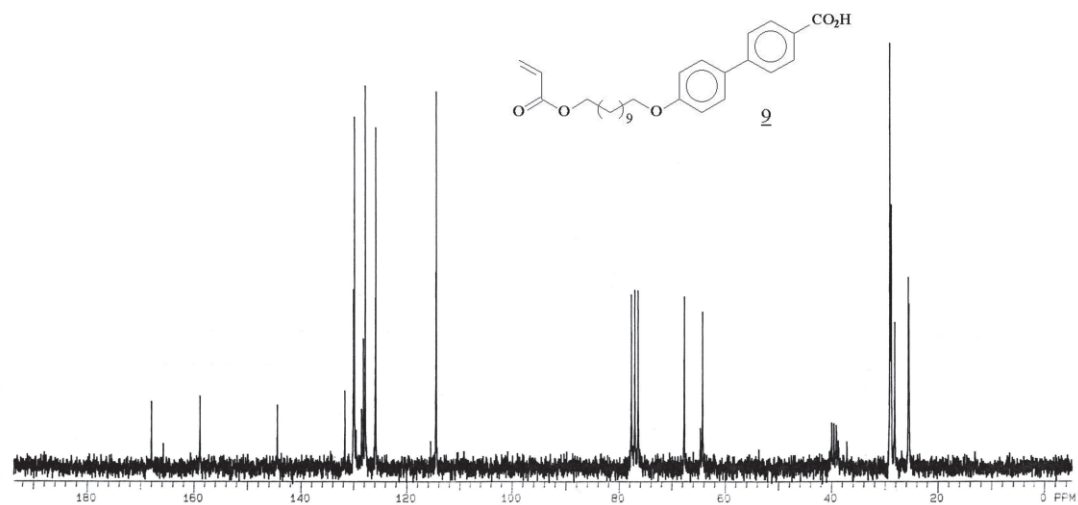


Figure S15. ¹³C NMR (CDCl₃/DMSO, 50 MHz) for compound 9.

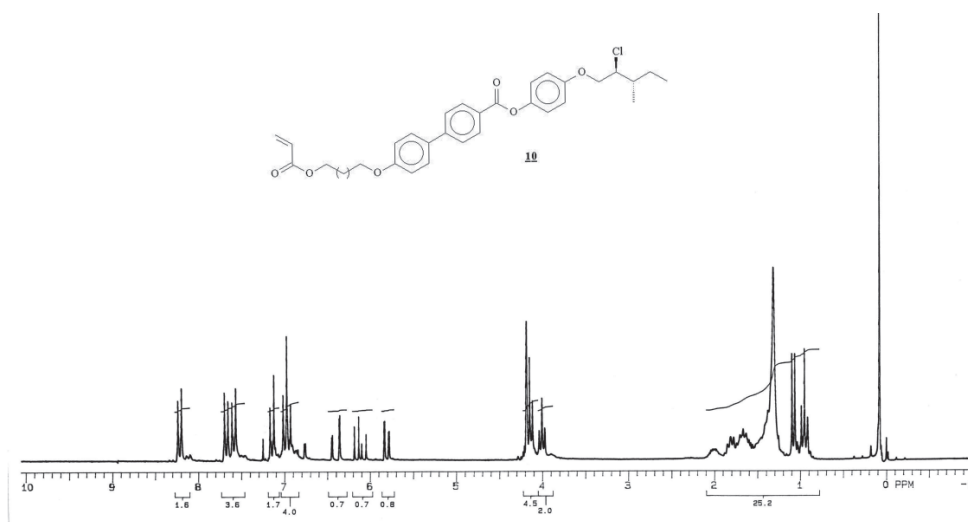


Figure S16. ^1H NMR (CDCl₃, 200 MHz) for compound **10**.

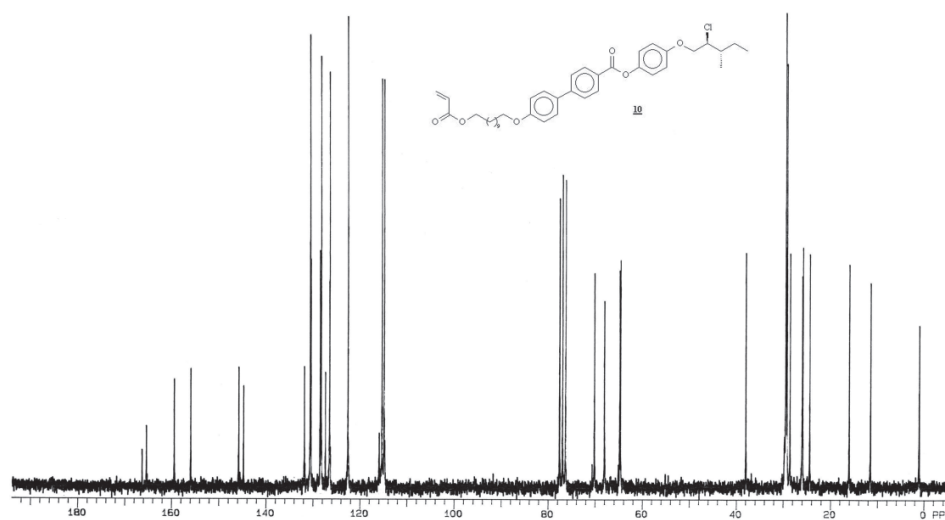


Figure S17. ^{13}C NMR (CDCl₃, 50 MHz) for compound **10**.

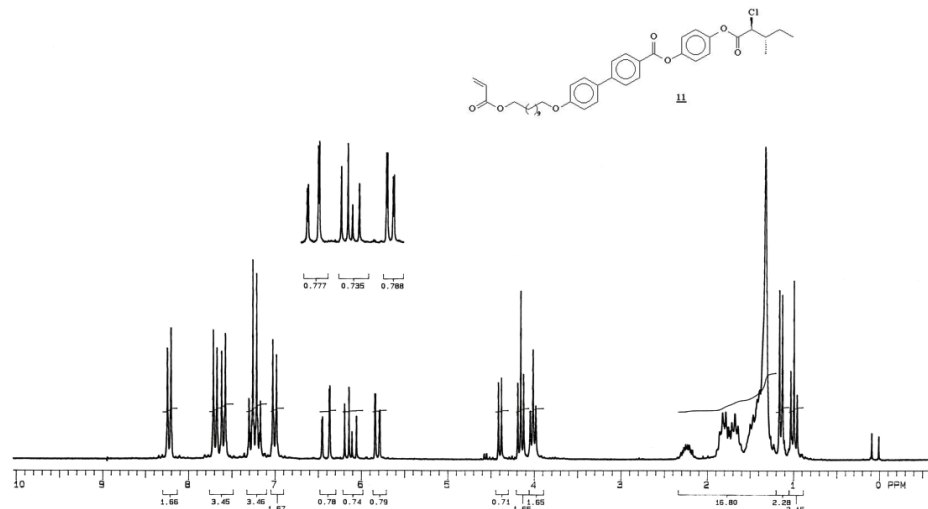


Figure S18. ^1H NMR (CDCl₃, 200 MHz) for compound **11**.

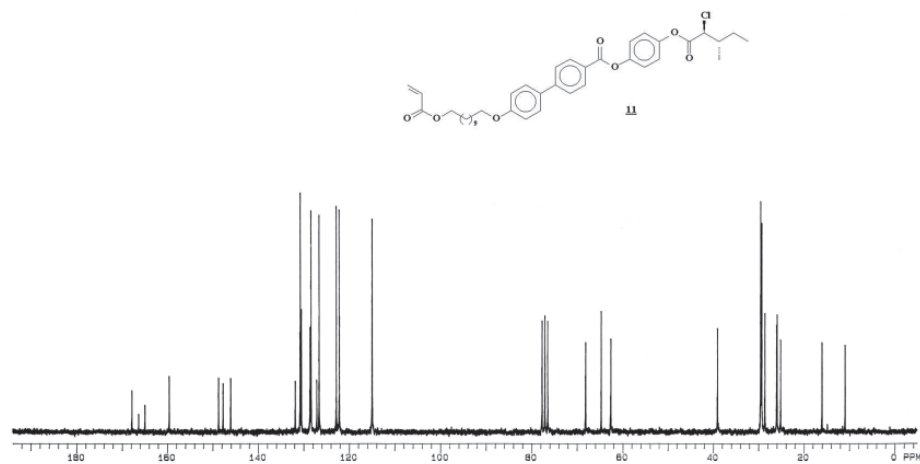


Figure S19. ¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 50 MHz) for compound 11.

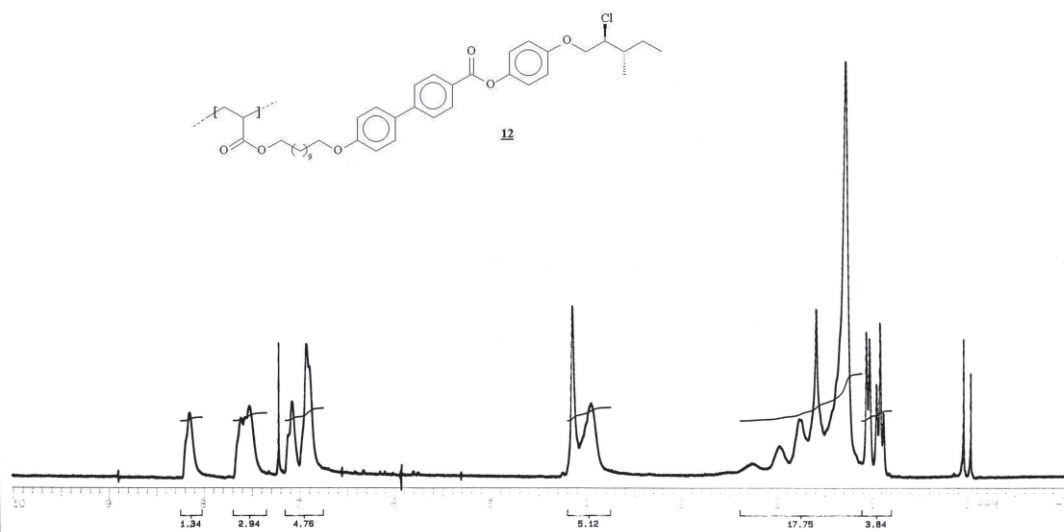


Figure S20. ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 200 MHz) for compound 12.

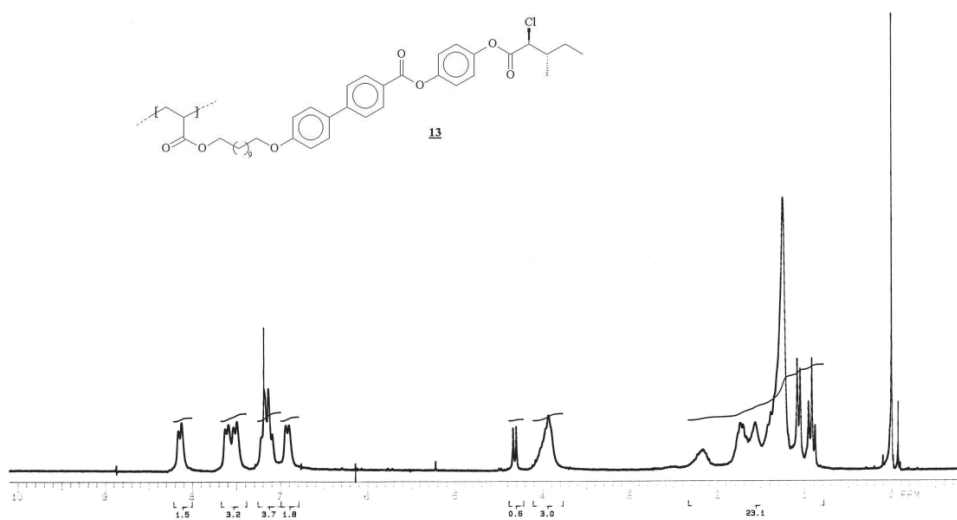


Figure S21. ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 200 MHz) for compound 13.

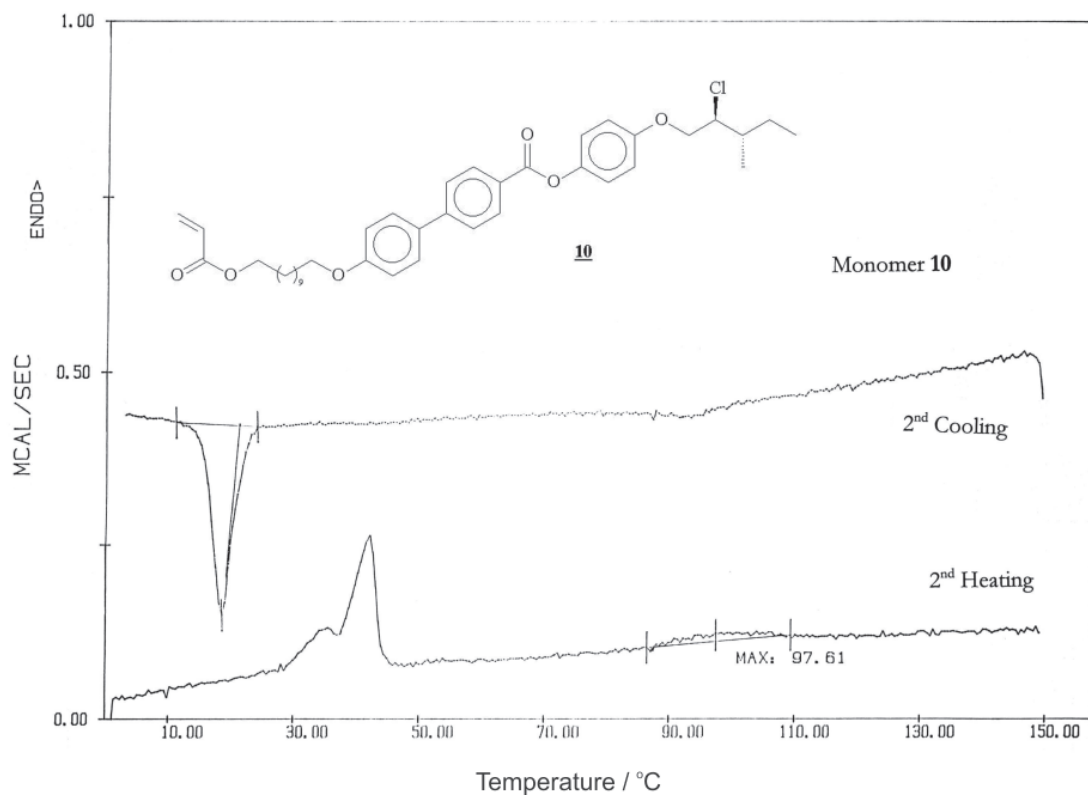


Figure S22. DSC Thermogram for monomer **10** on 2nd at 5 °C min⁻¹.

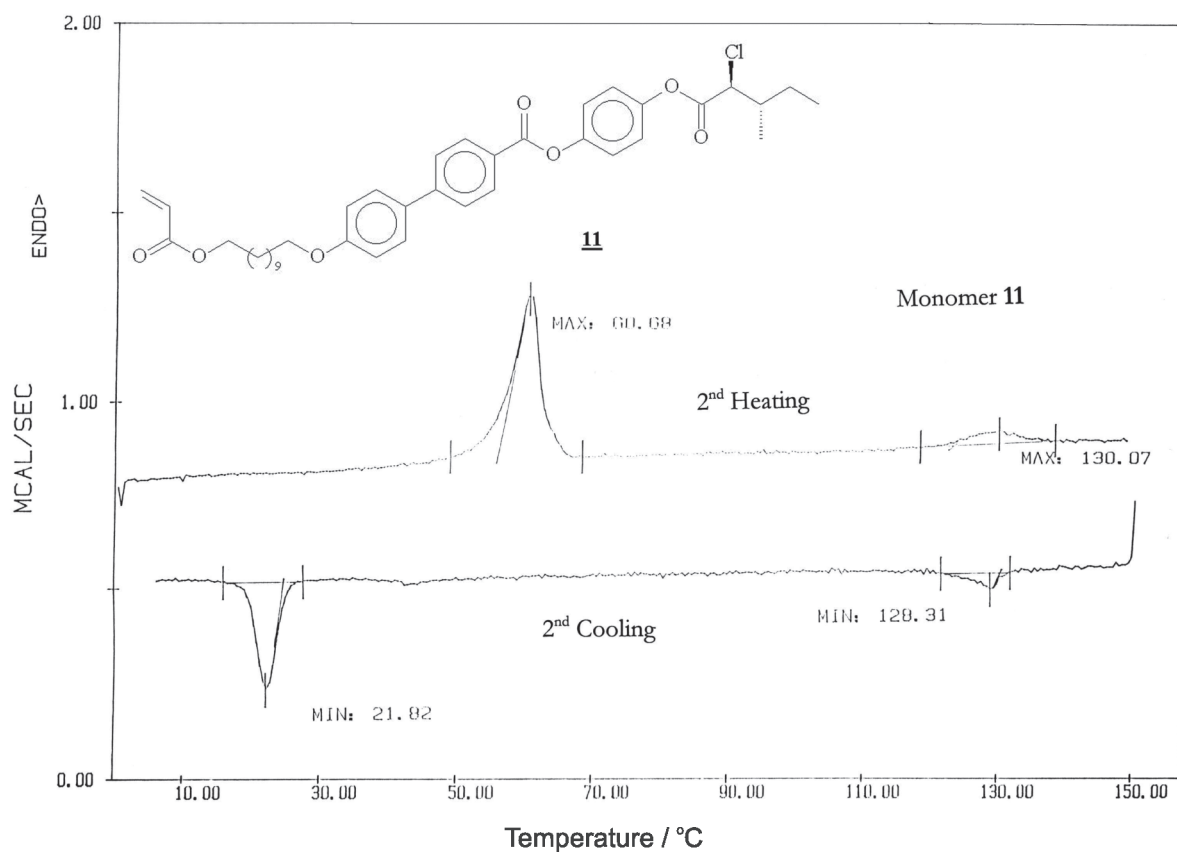


Figure S23. DSC Thermogram for monomer **11** on 2nd cycle at 5 °C min⁻¹.

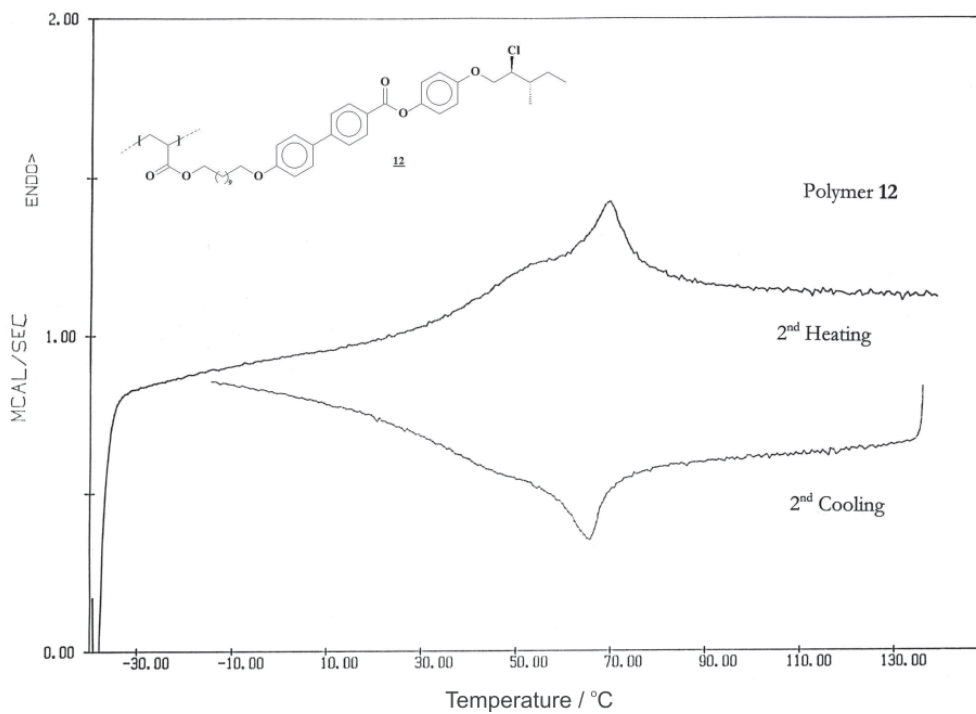


Figure S24. DSC Thermogram for polymer **12** on 2nd cycle at 10 °C min⁻¹.

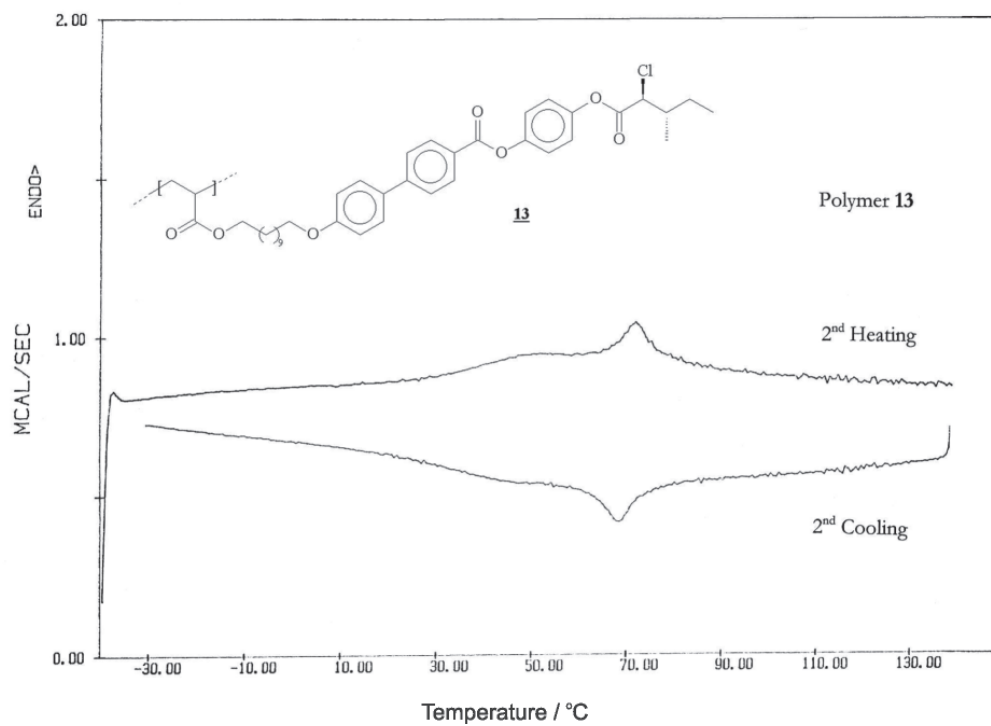


Figure S25. DSC Thermogram for polymer **13** on 2nd cycle at 10 °C min⁻¹.

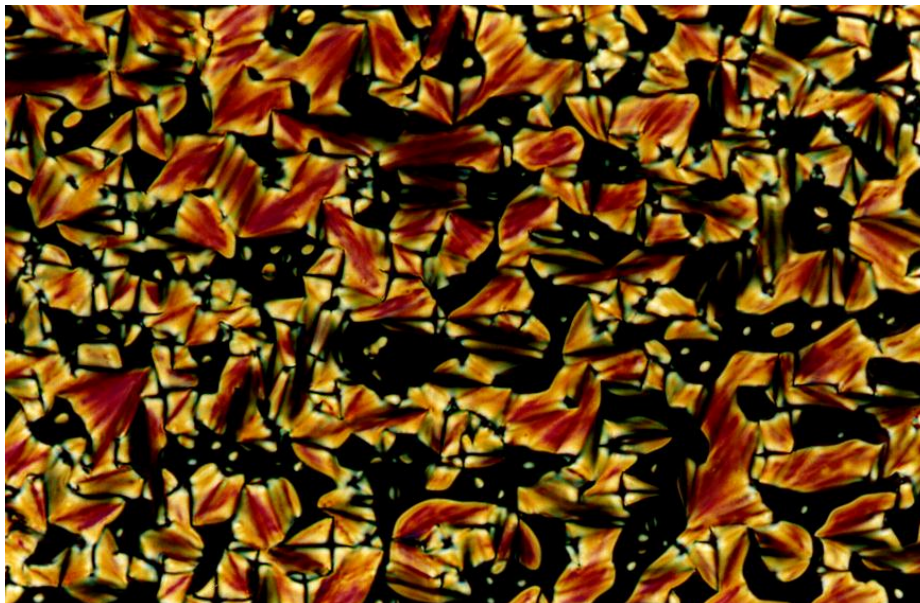


Figure S26. Texture of the smectic A* phase for **10** on cooling at 94 °C (40x)

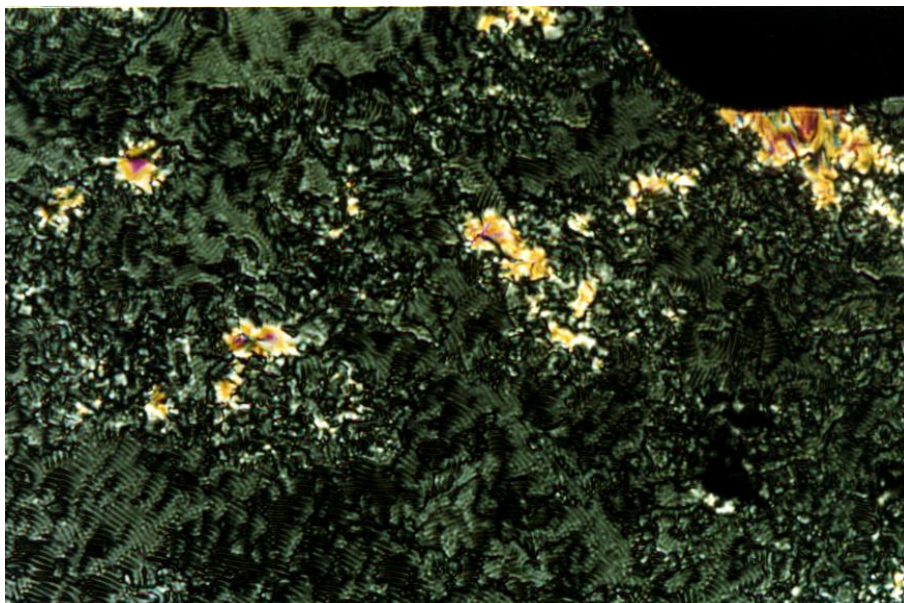
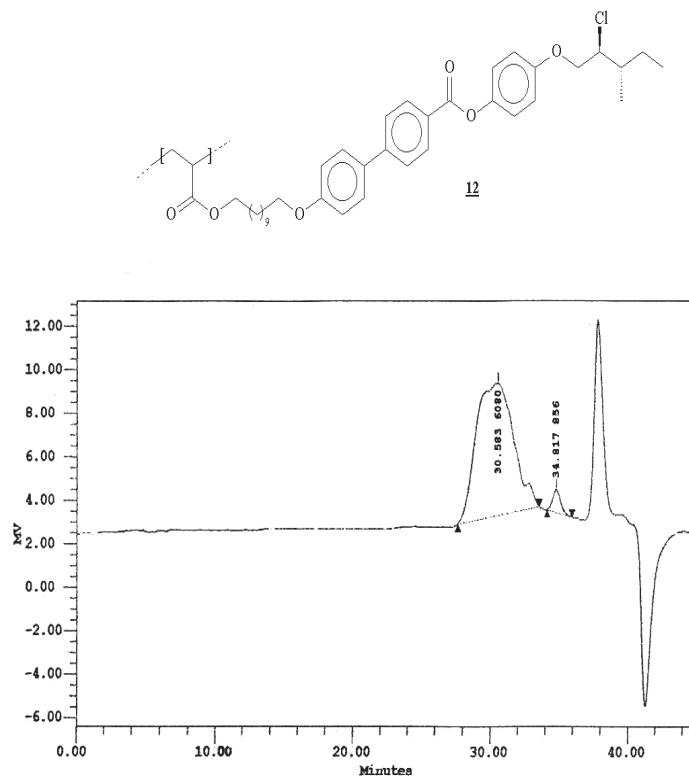
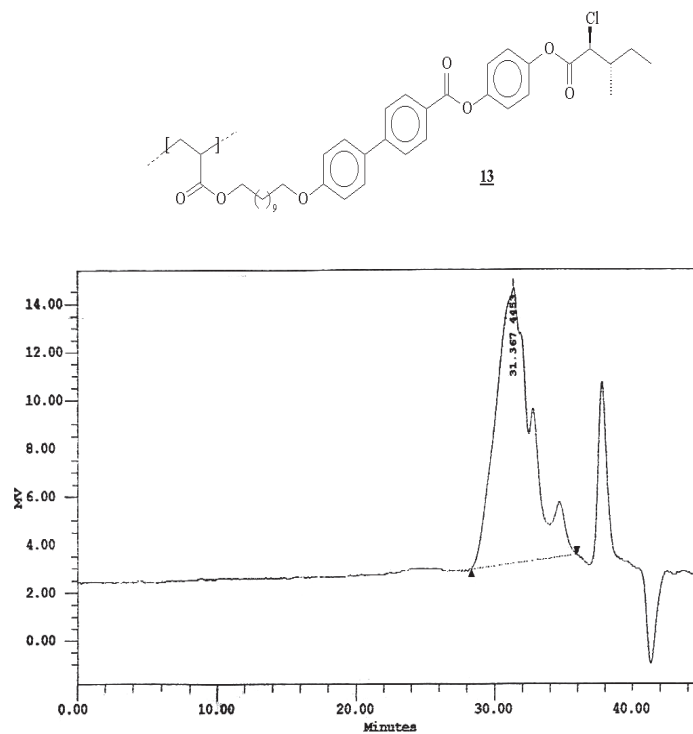


Figure S27. Texture of the smectic C* for **11** on cooling at 65 °C (40x)

Figure S28. GPC chromatogram for polymer **12**.Figure S29. GPC chromatogram for polymer **13**.