

**Polyelektrolyt-modifizierte  
Mikroemulsionen  
als Templatphase für die  
Nanopartikelbildung**

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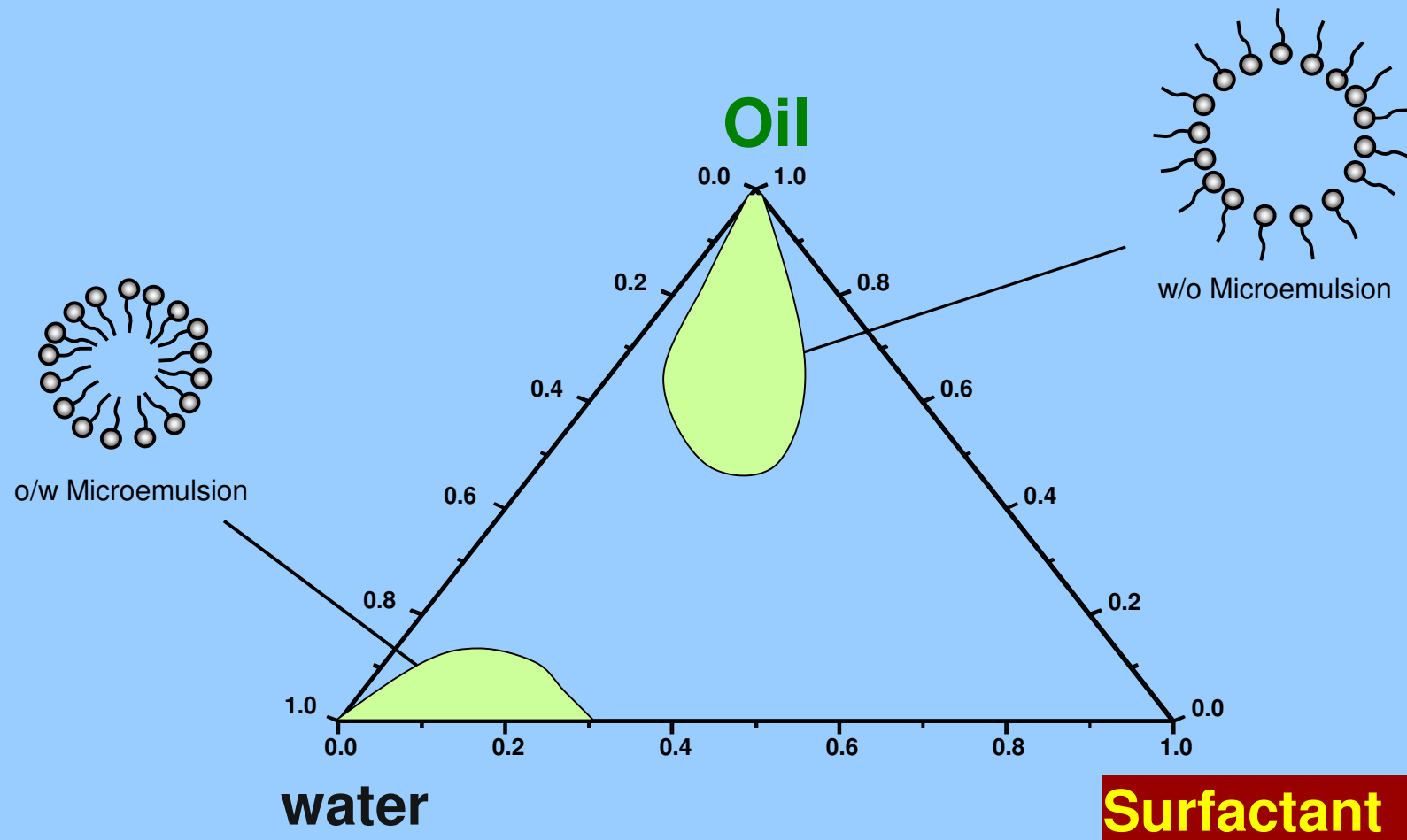
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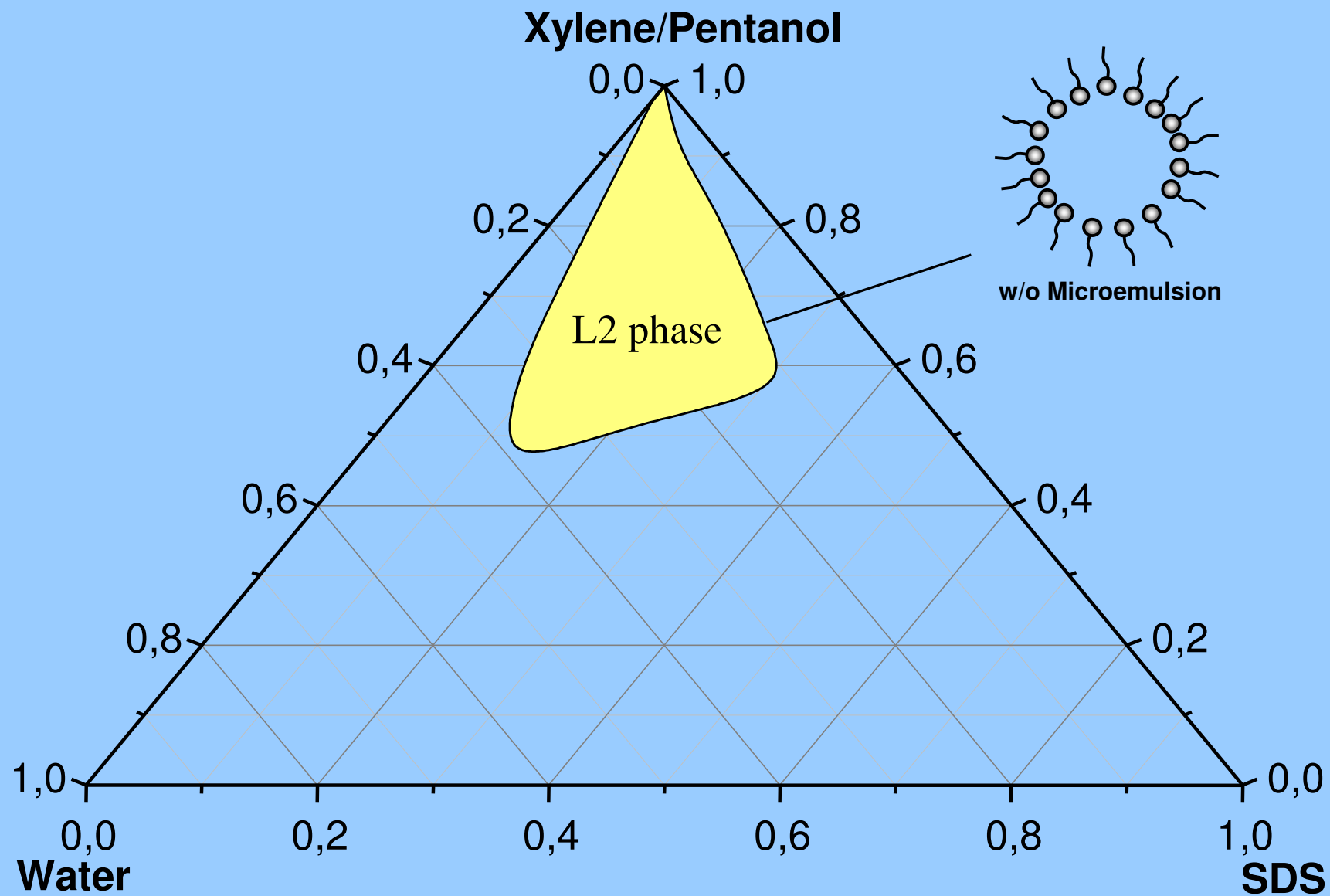


- **Microemulsions**

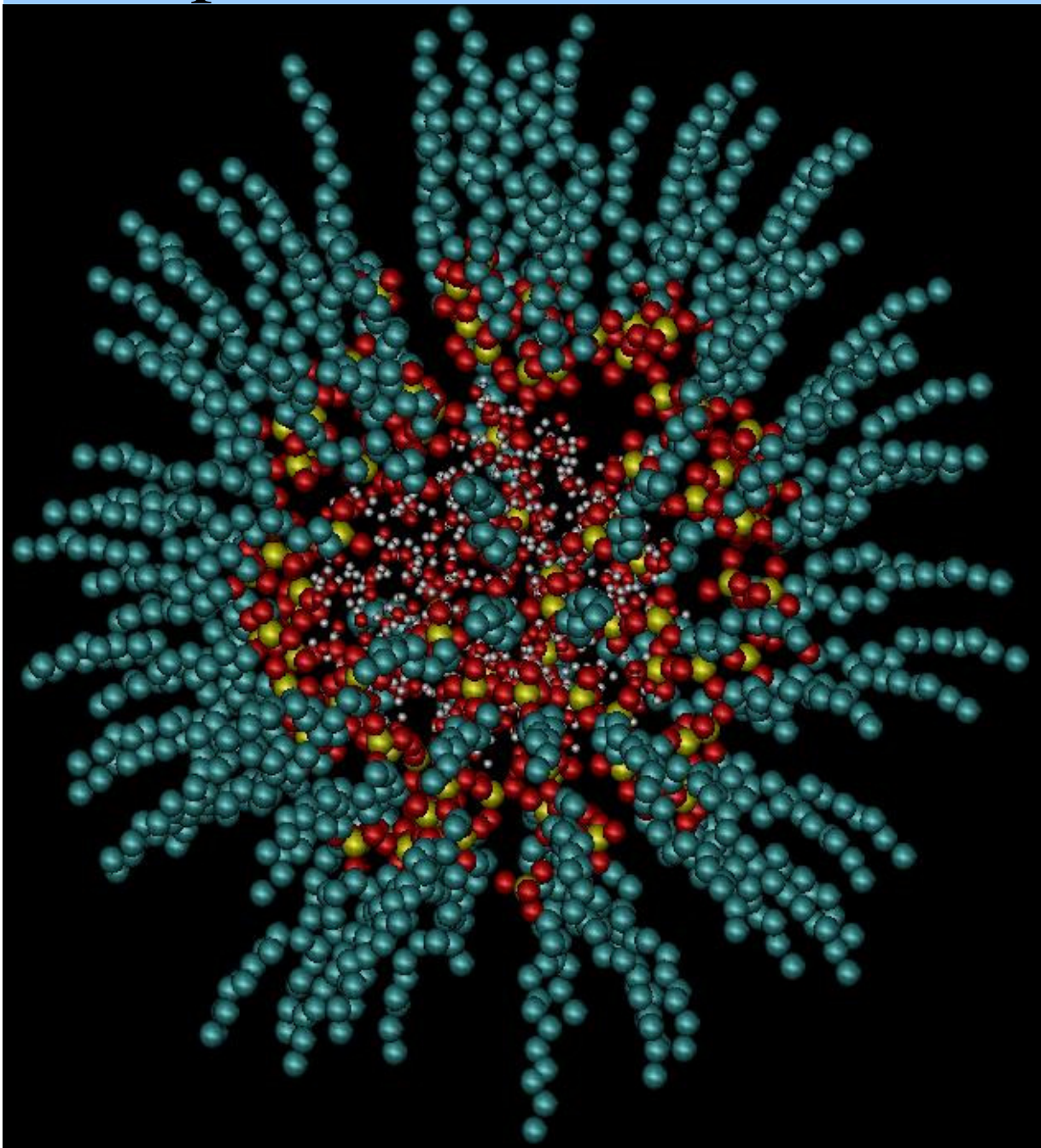
# Microemulsions

- Isotropic, optically clear
- Thermodynamically stable
- Newtonian-flow behaviour
- Low surface tension
- Reversible temperature behaviour
- Droplet size between 2 and 20 nm

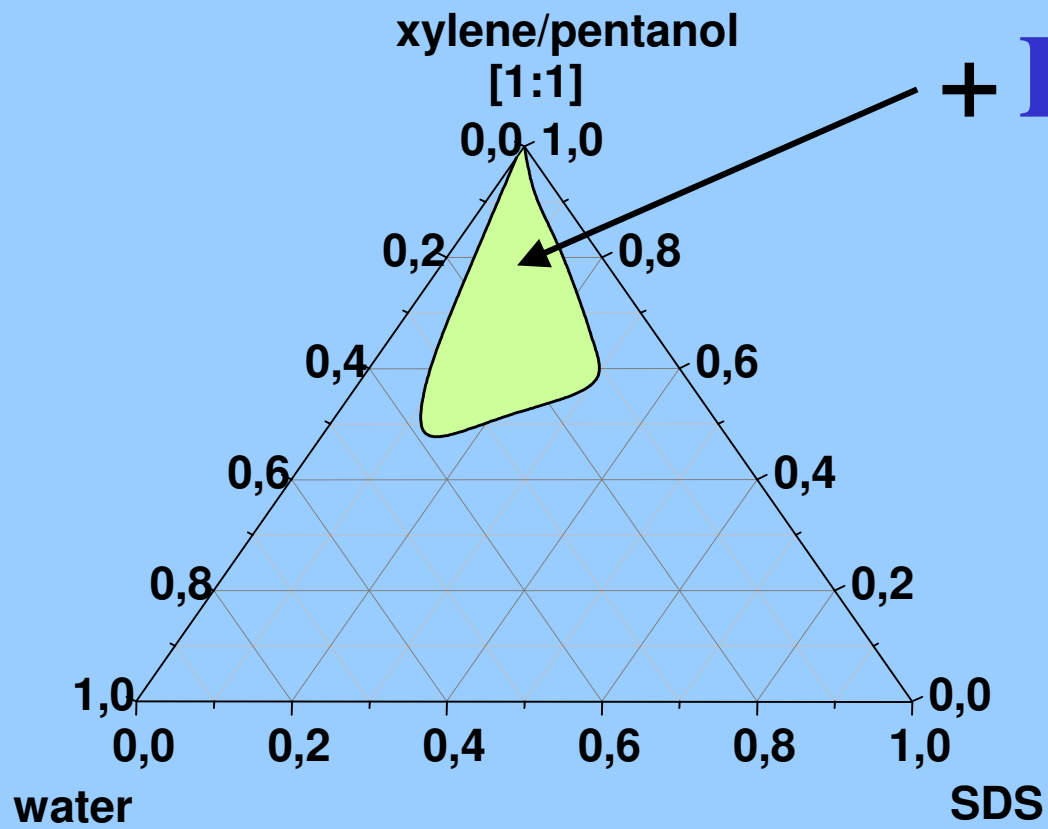




# Snapshot of an inverse microemulsion droplet

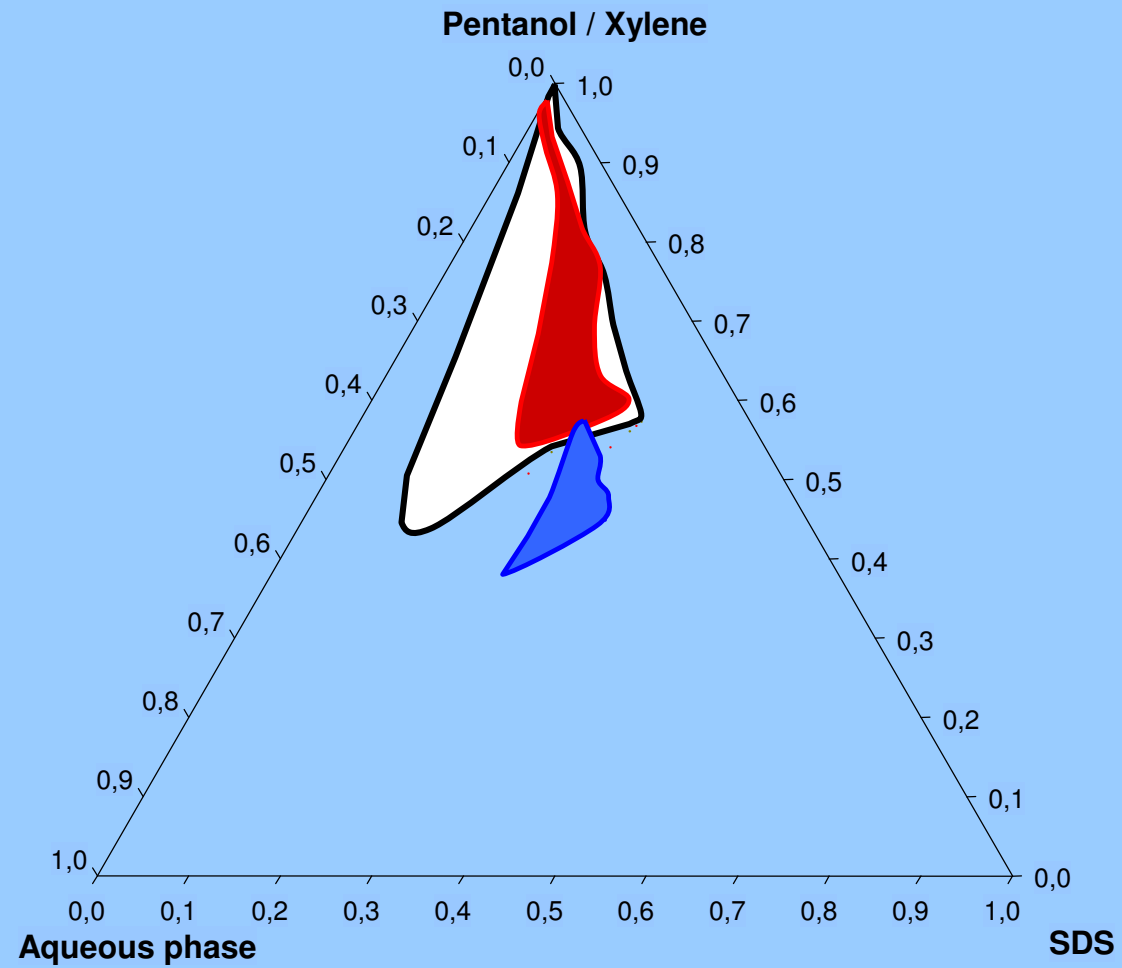


*A. Poghosyan, L. Arsenyan,  
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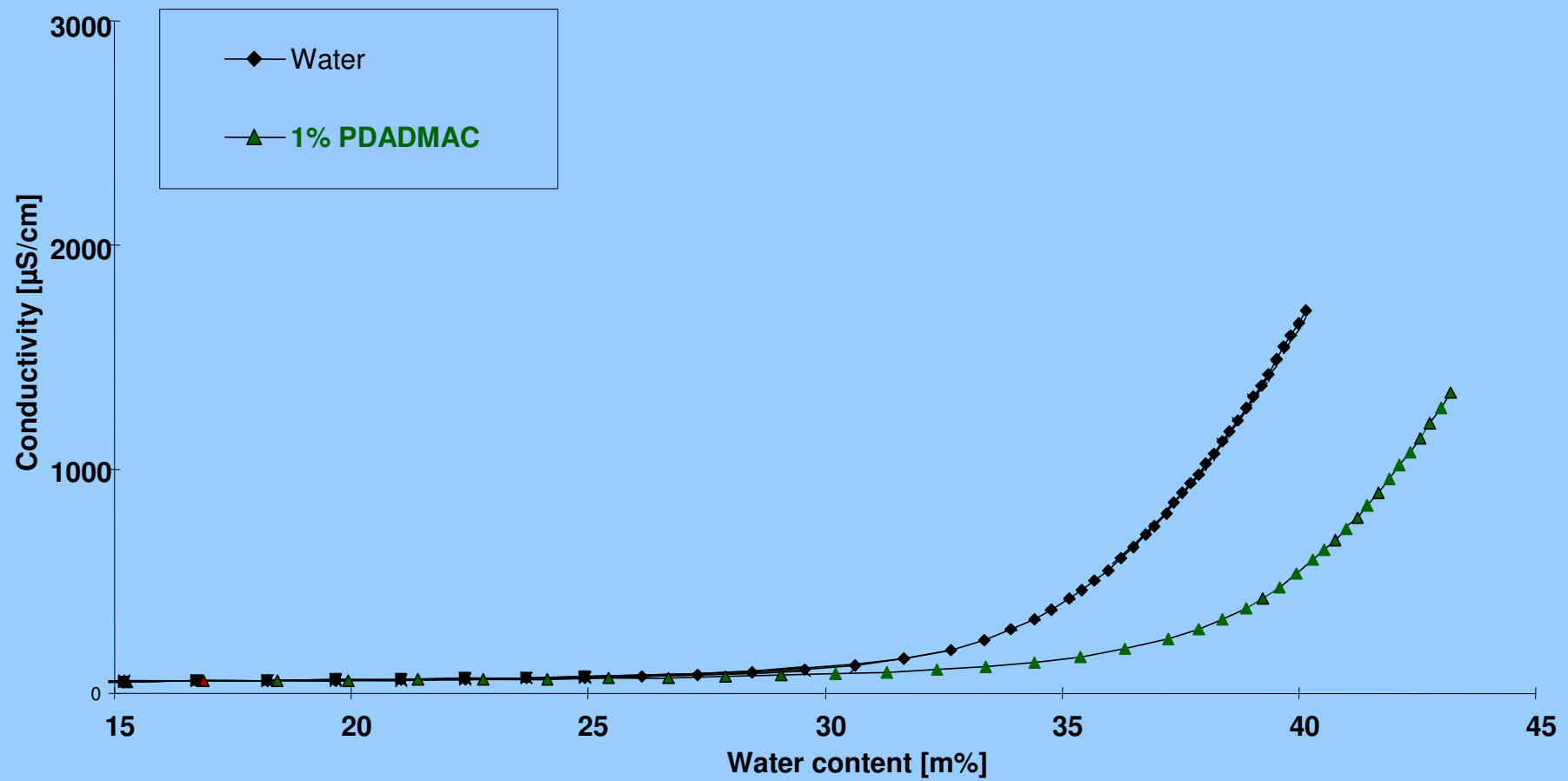
**+ Polyelectrolyte**

Partial phase diagram of water / SDS / pentanol / xylene system in dependence on the PDADMAC-concentration ( — 1 weight% ; — 10 weight% , — 30 weight% )

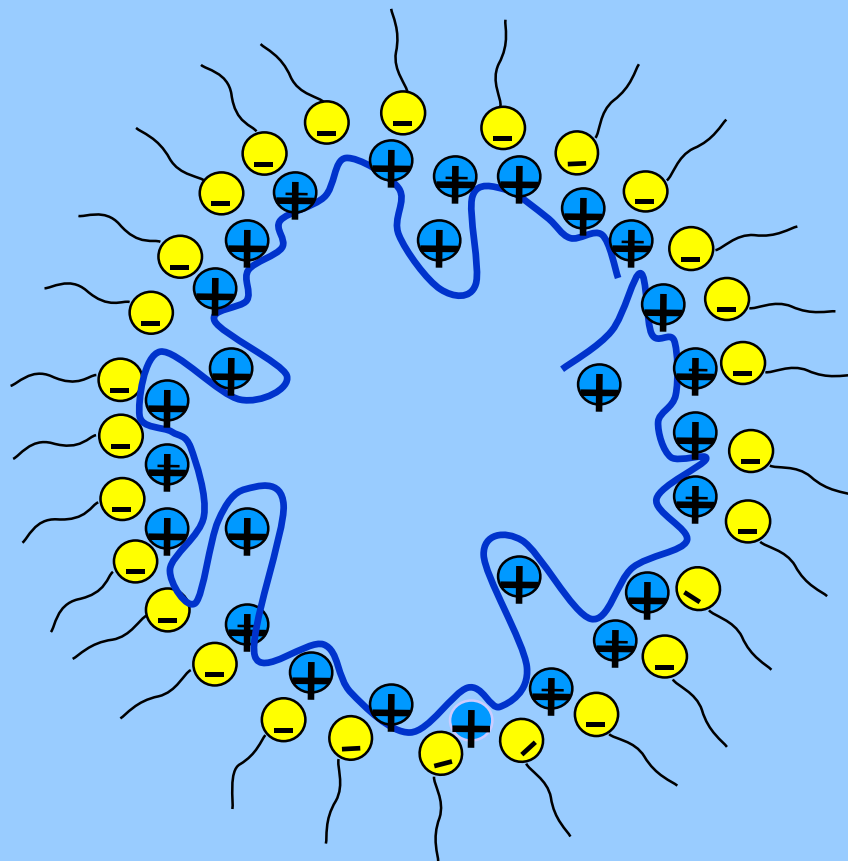




*T. Beitz, J.Koetz, S.E. Friberg; Progress in Colloid & Polymer Sci. (1998) 111, 100-106.*



# PDADMAC-modified microemulsions



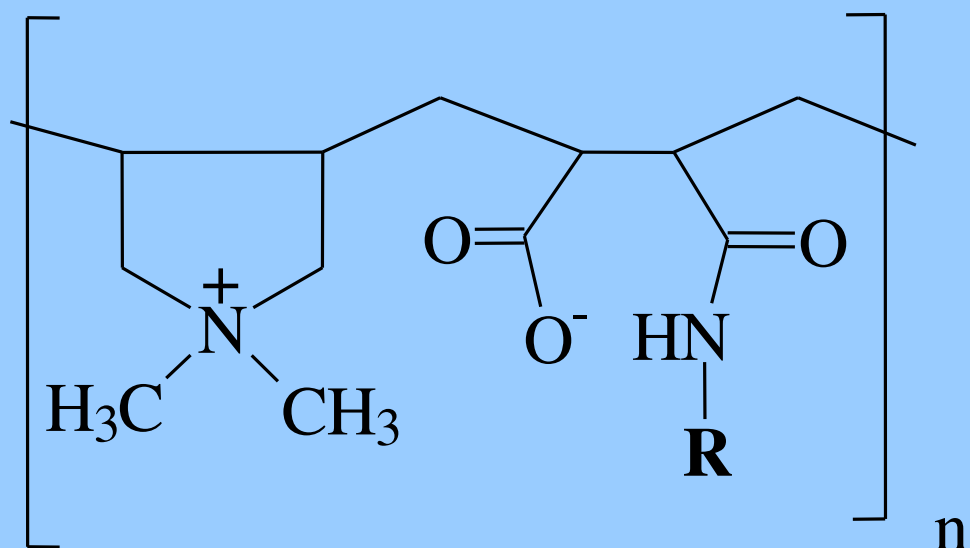
→ **Oppositely charged PDADMAC can be incorporated !!**

→ **PDADMAC increase the stability of the surfactant film !!**

SDS-based system modified by adding:

- Poly(dimethyldiallylammonium chloride) (PDADMAC)
- **Polyampholytes (Mw ~ 22,000 g/mol)**

# Poly-(N,N-diallyl-N,N-dimethylammonium-alt-maleamic carboxylate)



PalR

**PalH**      R= hydrogen

**PalPh**     R= phenyl

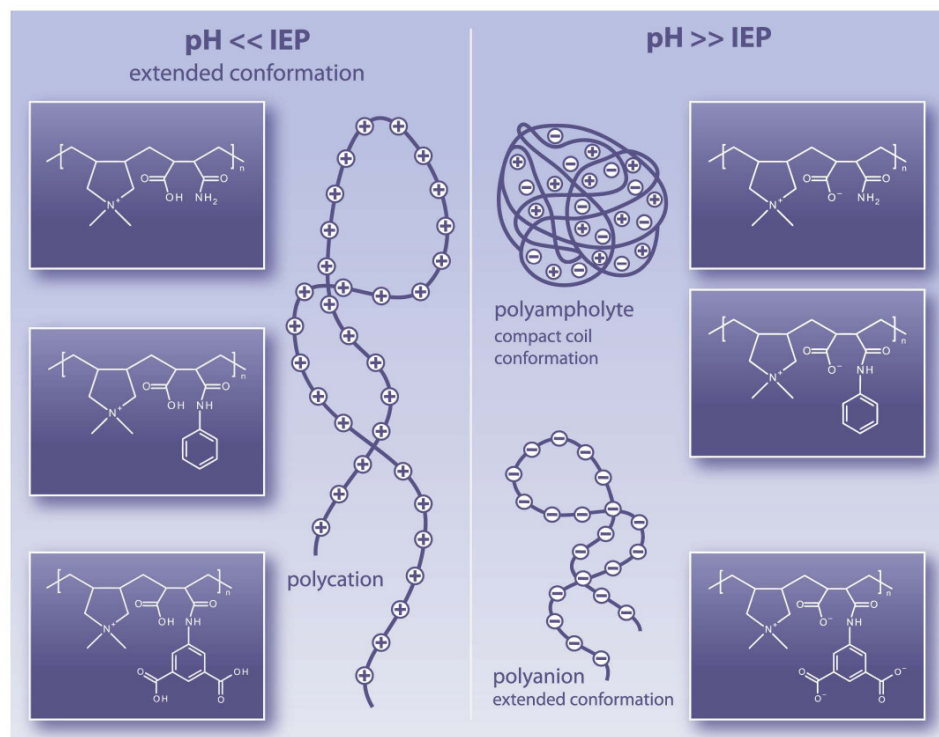
**PalPhBisCarb**

R= phenylbiscarb



# Macromolecular Chemistry and Physics

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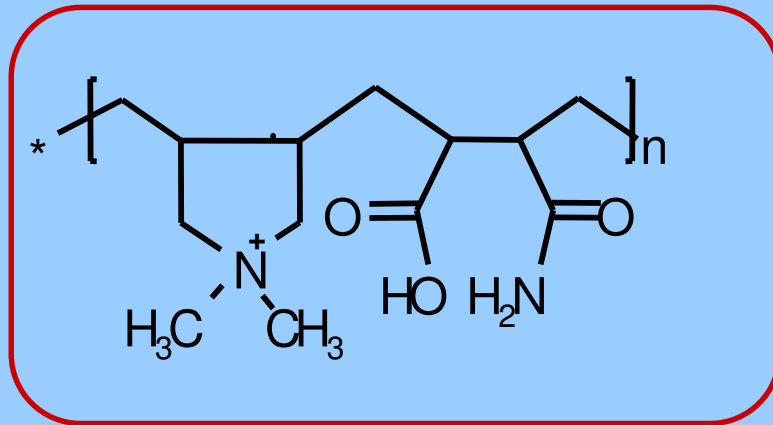


*M. Fechner, J. Koetz;  
Macromol. Chem. Phys.  
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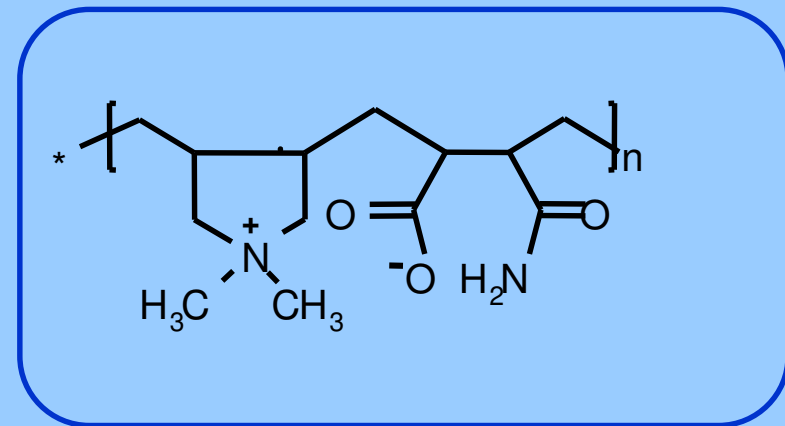
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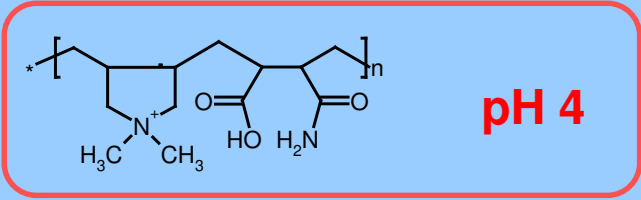
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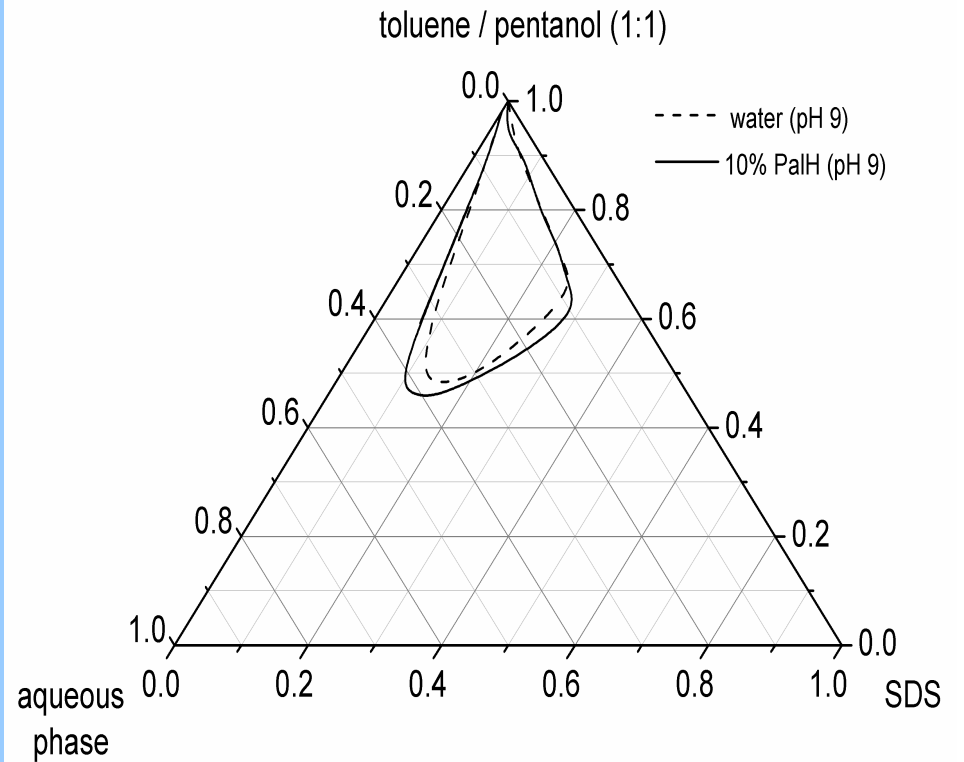
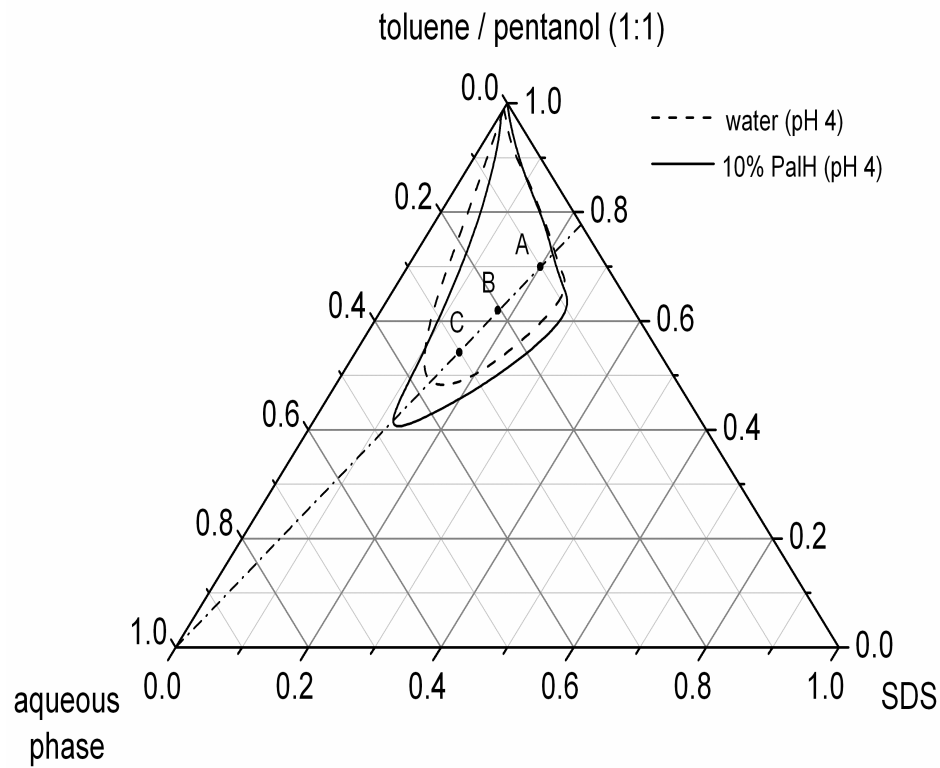
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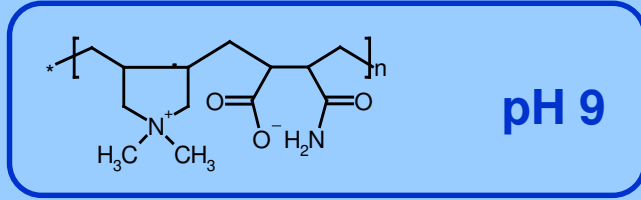
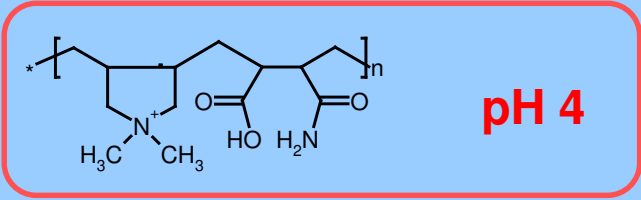
$\text{pK}_a^0 = 6.6$



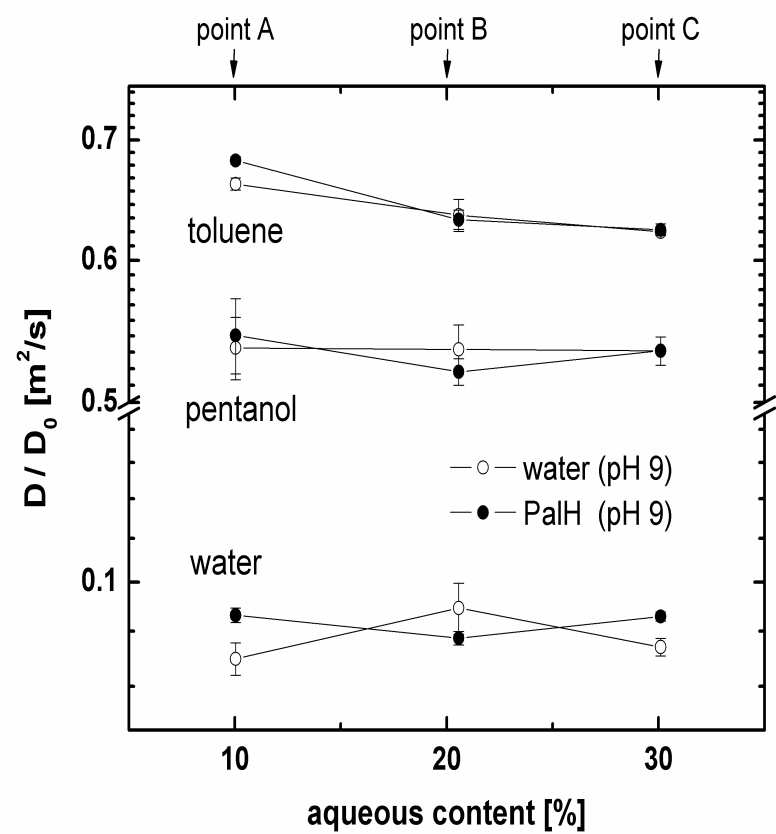
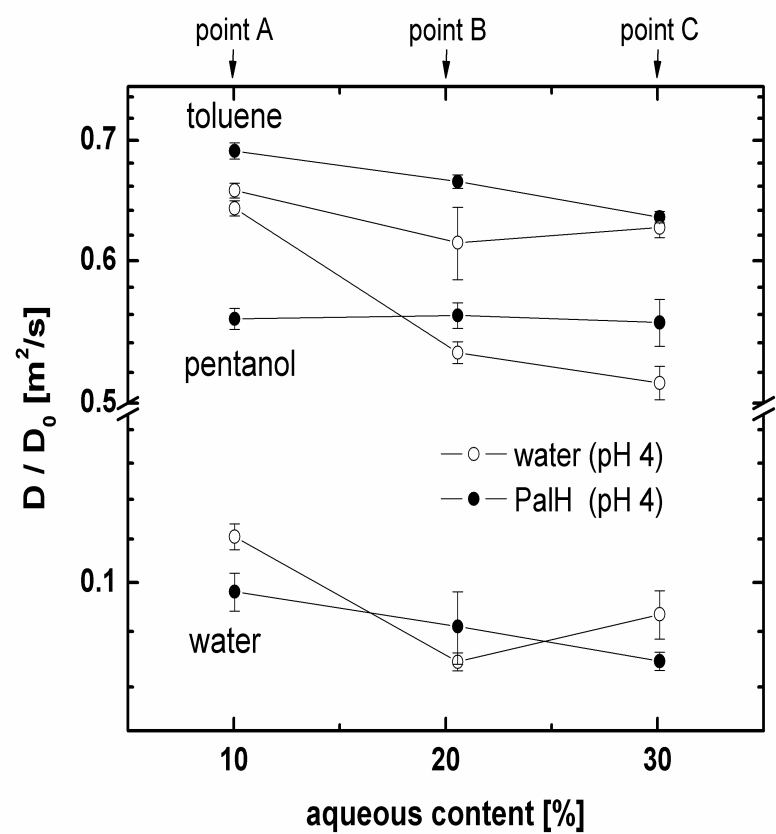
## Partial Phase diagrams



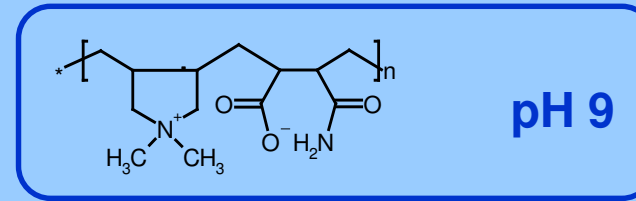
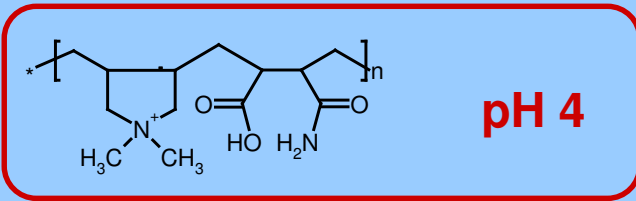
***M. Fechner, M. Kramer, E. Kleinpeter, J. Koetz; Colloid Polymer Sci 287 (2009), 1145-1153.***



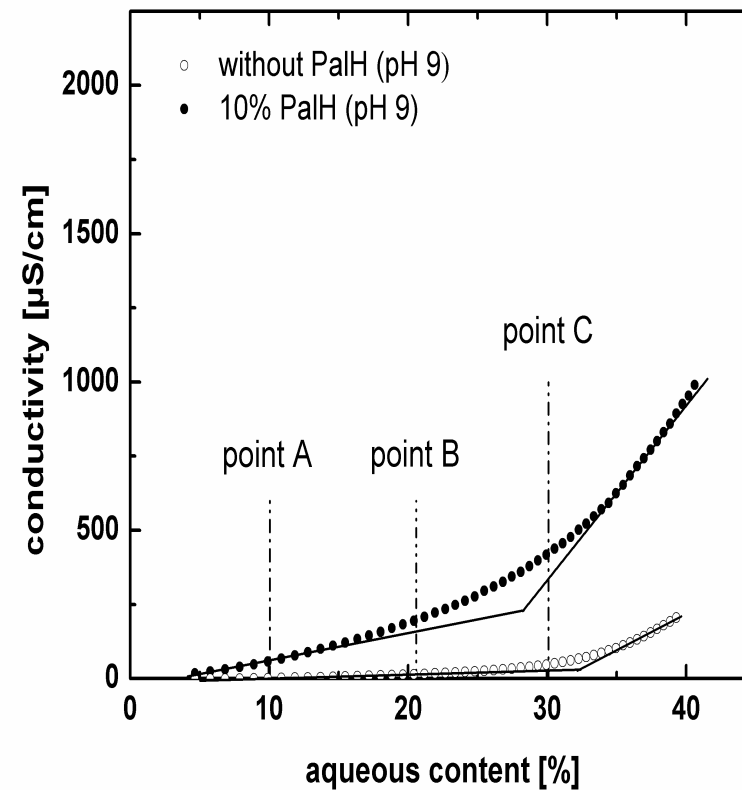
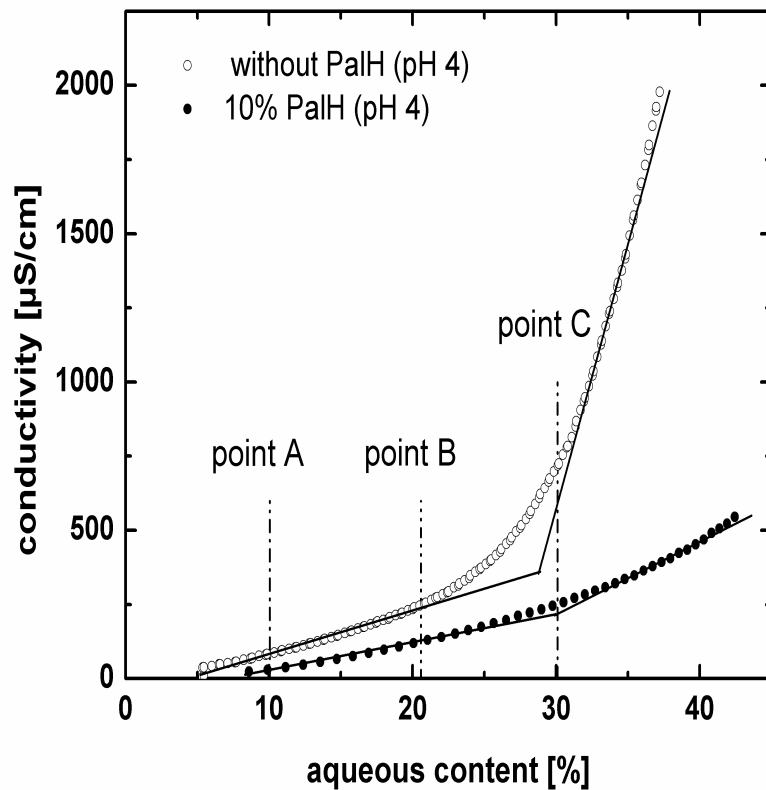
## Reduced diffusion coefficients determined by NMR

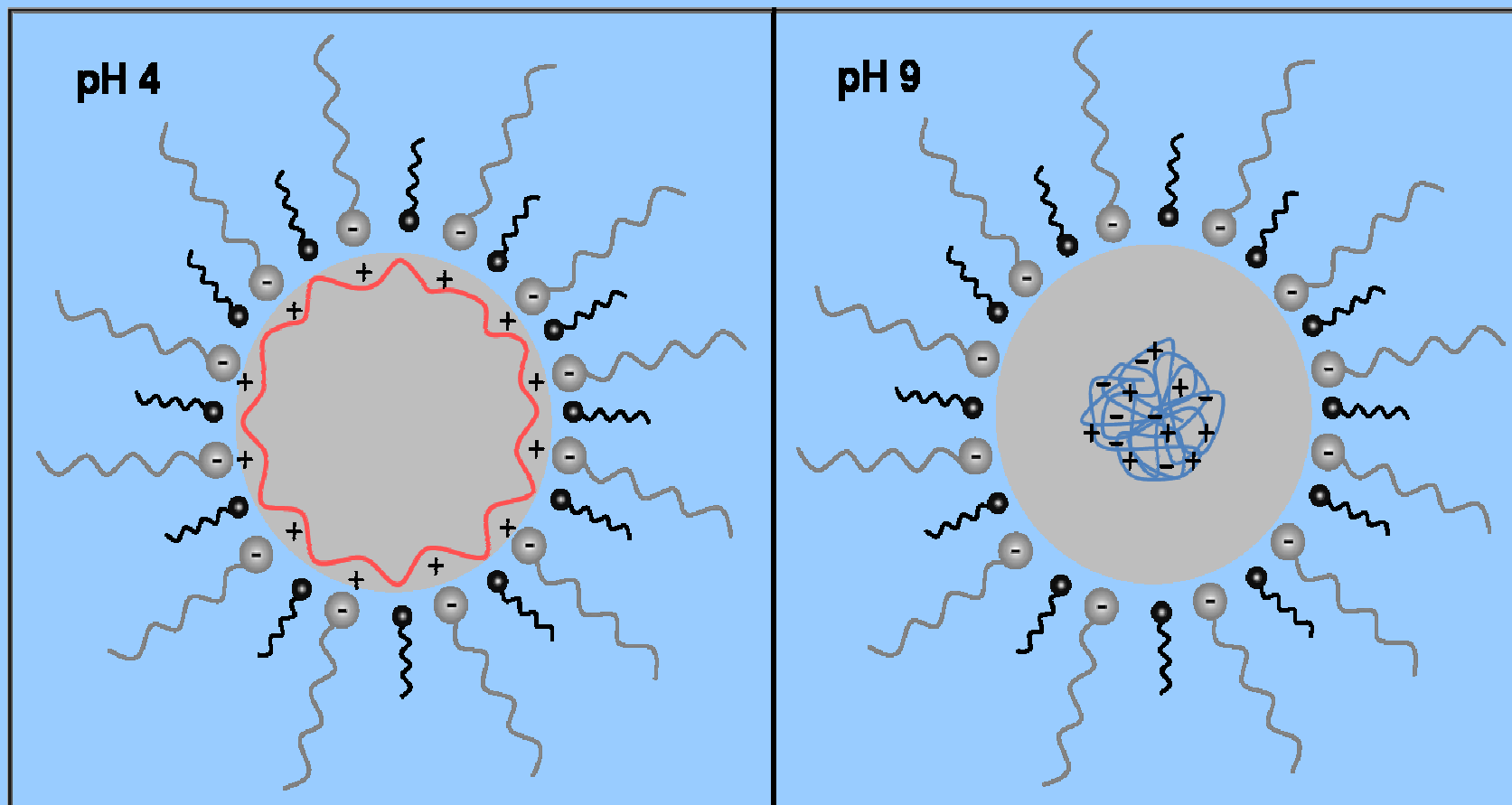






## Conductometric titrations

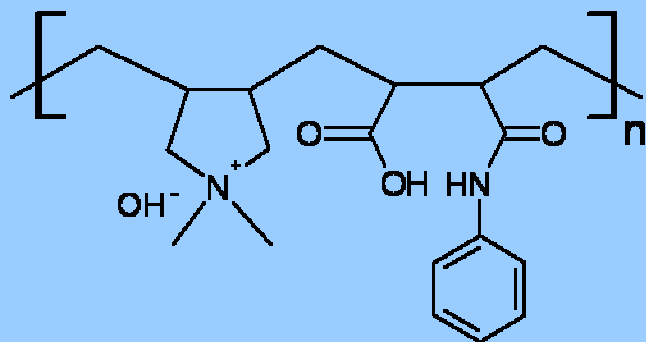




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**pH << IEP**

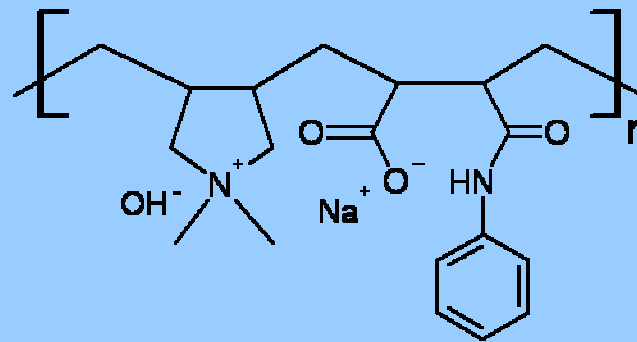
**PalPh**



**polycation**

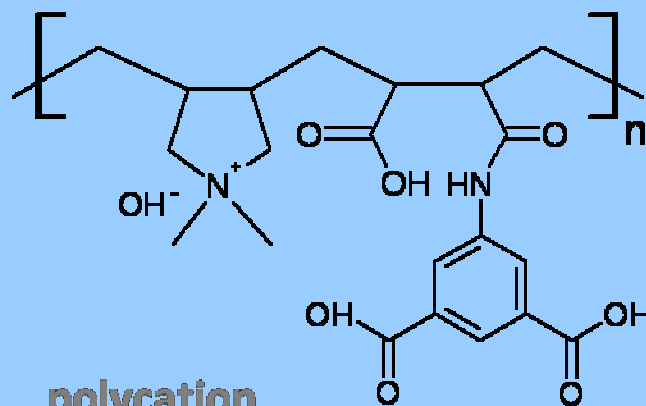
**pH >> IEP**

**PalPh**



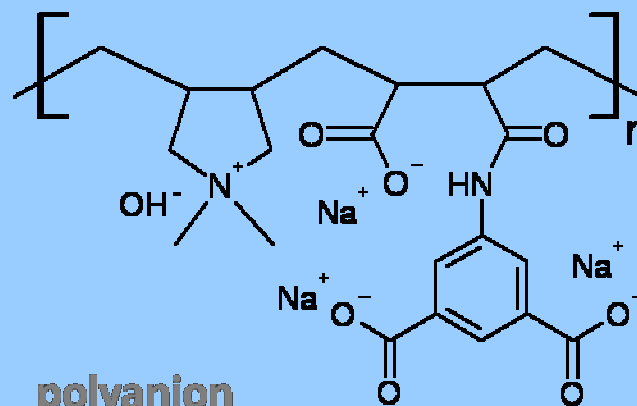
**polyampholyte**

**PalPhBisCarb**



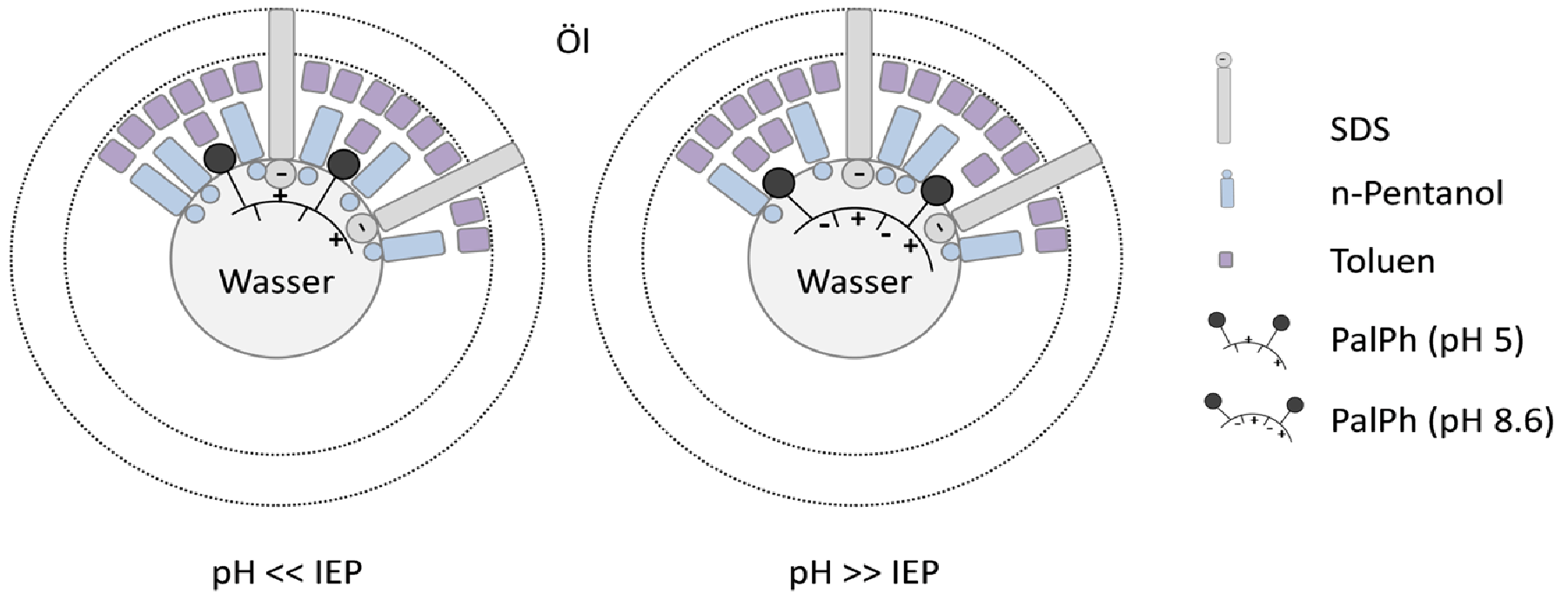
**polycation**

**PalPhBisCarb**



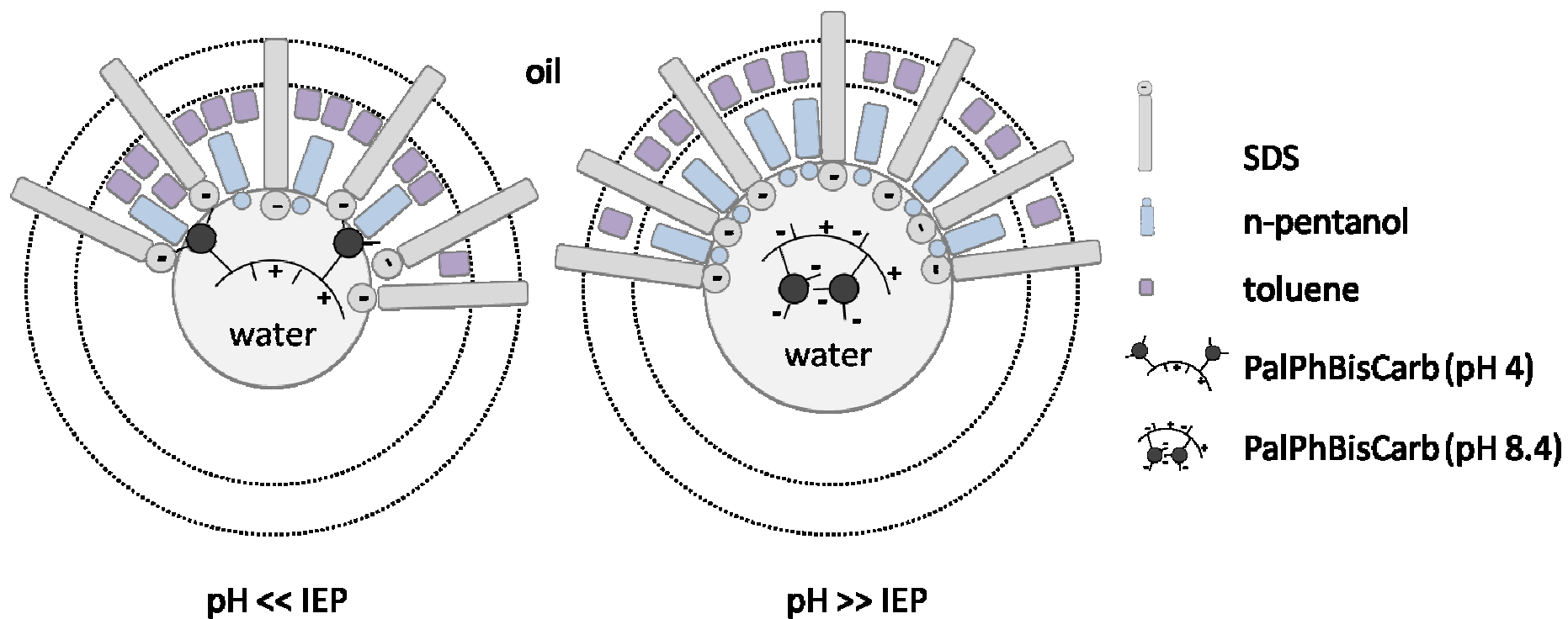
**polyanion**

# PalPh



***M. Fechner, J. Koetz; Langmuir 27 (2011) 5316-5323***

# PalBisCarb



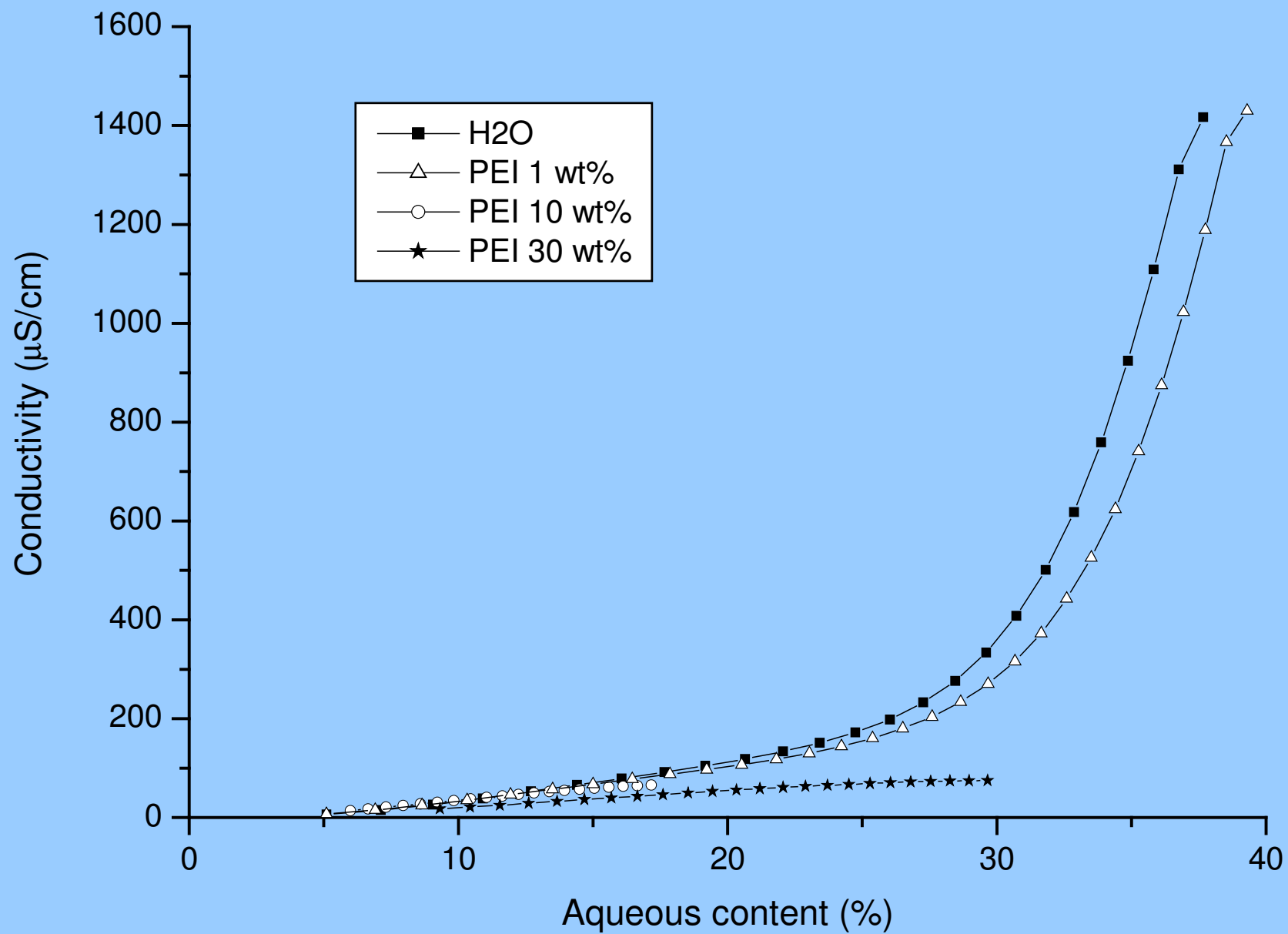
*M. Fechner, J. Koetz; Langmuir 27 (2011) 5316-5323*

**By varying the pH value of the polyampholyte:**

- the location of the polyampholyte inside the droplets can be tuned**
- the droplet-droplet interactions can be changed**

SDS-based system modified by adding:

- Poly(dimethyldiallylammonium chloride) (PDADMAC)
- Polyampholytes ( $M_w \sim 22,000$  g/mol)
- **Poly(ethyleneimine) (PEI;  $M_w = 25000 - 600000$  g/mol)**



*C. Note, S. Kosmella, J. Koetz J. of Colloid and Interface Sci. 302 (2006) 662-668*

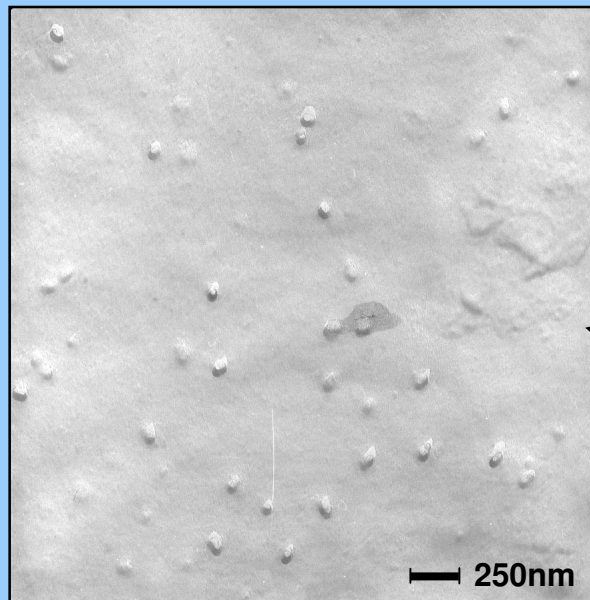


# PEL-modified microemulsions

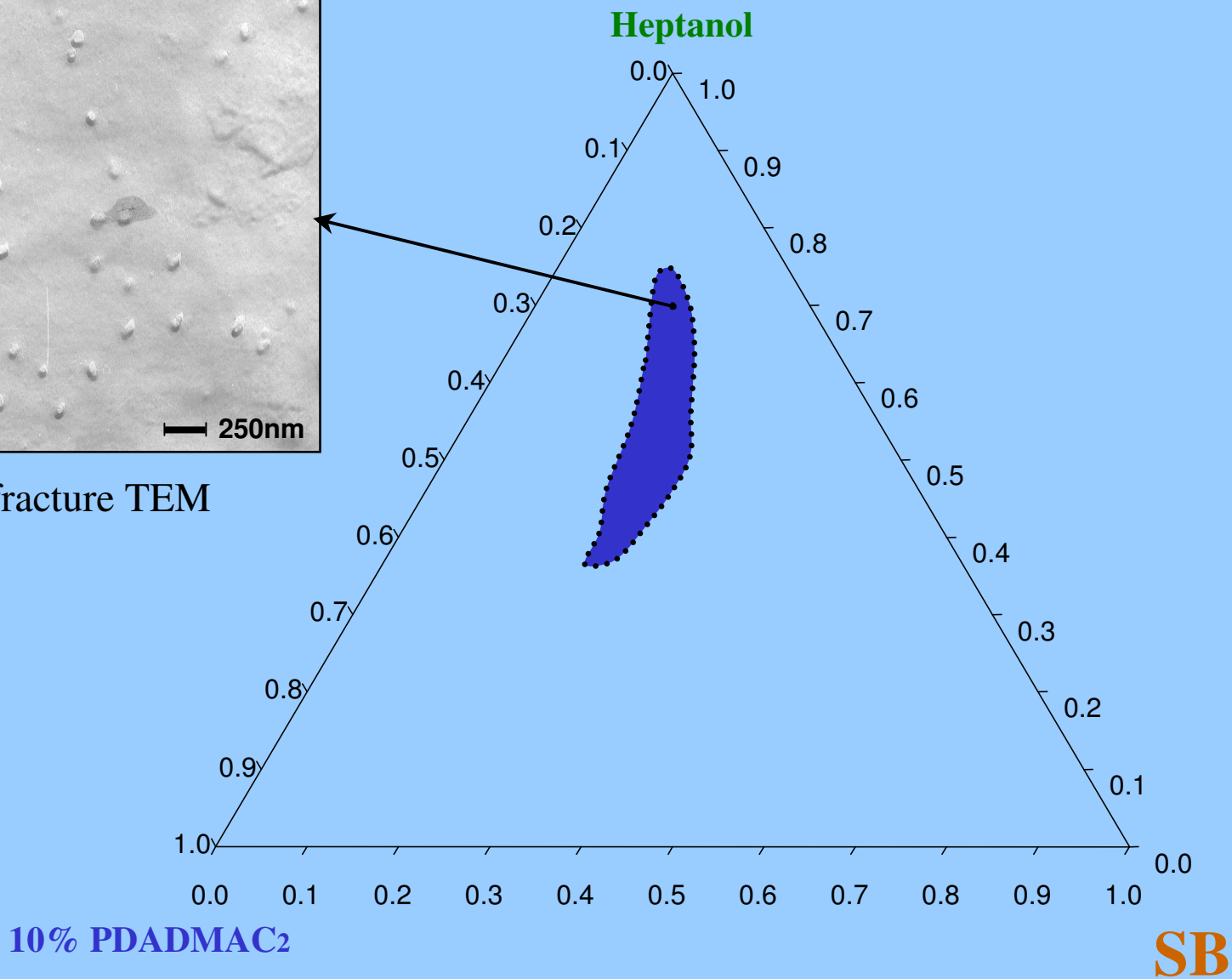
- Water / Alcohol / SB

L2 - phase

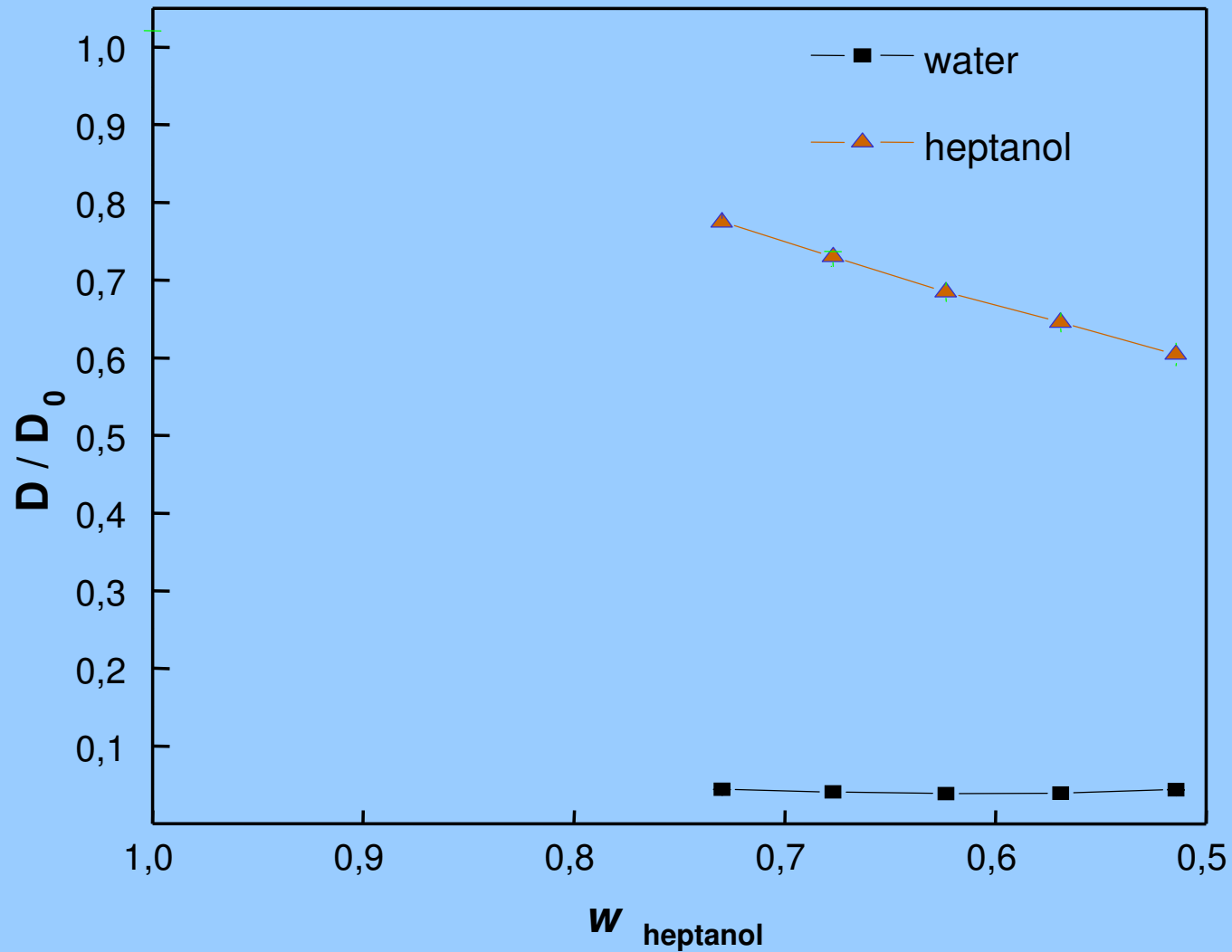
**+ PDADMAC**



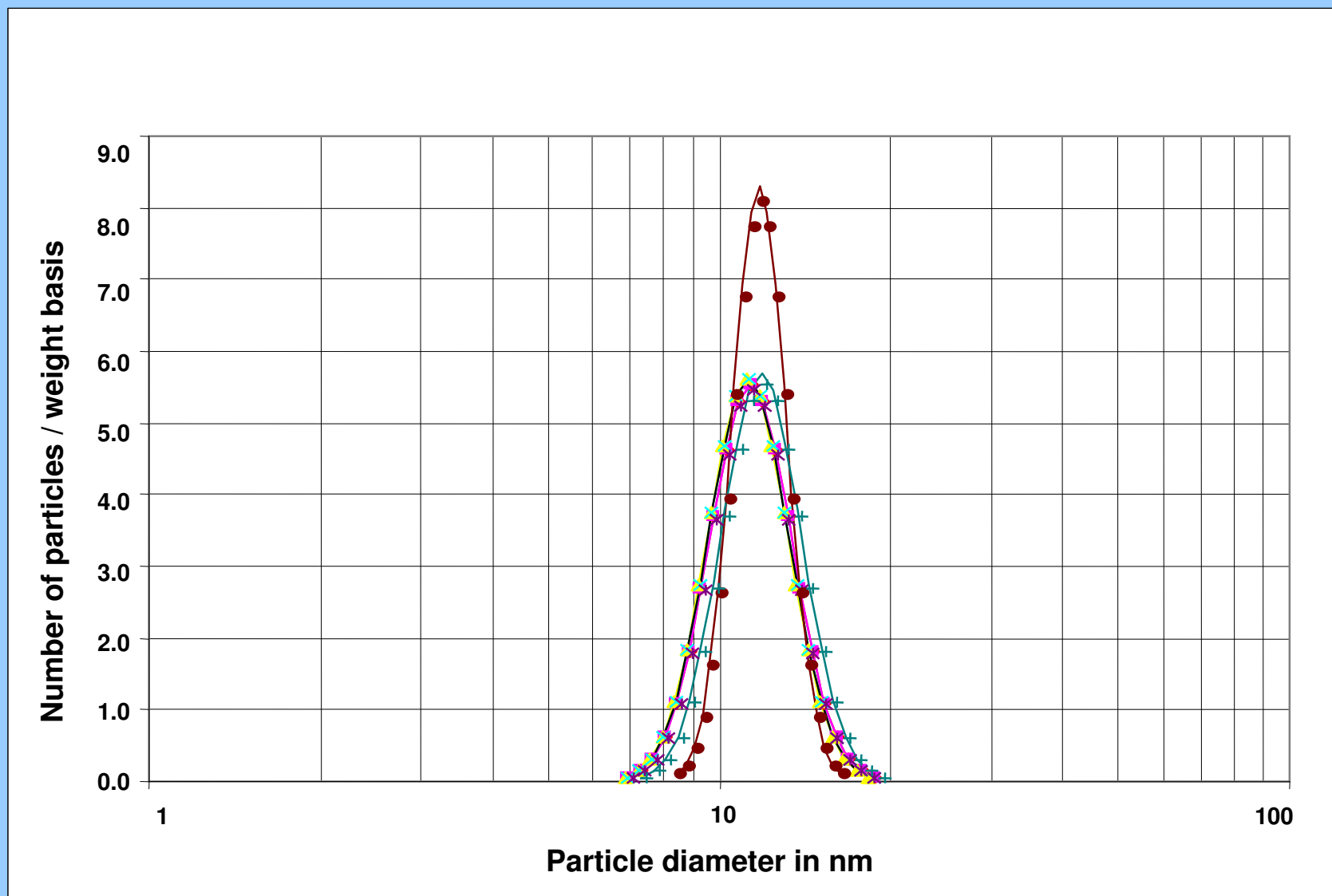
Freeze fracture TEM



## Reduced diffusion coefficients $D/D_0$ of a polymer-modified microemulsion (10% PDADMAC/SB/heptanol)



## Particle size distribution determined by ultrasound relaxation at point P1



*J. Baier, J. Koetz, S. Kosmella, B. Tiersch, H. Rehage; J. of Physical Chemistry B 111 (2007) 8612-8618*

# PEL-modified microemulsions

- Water / Alcohol / **SB**

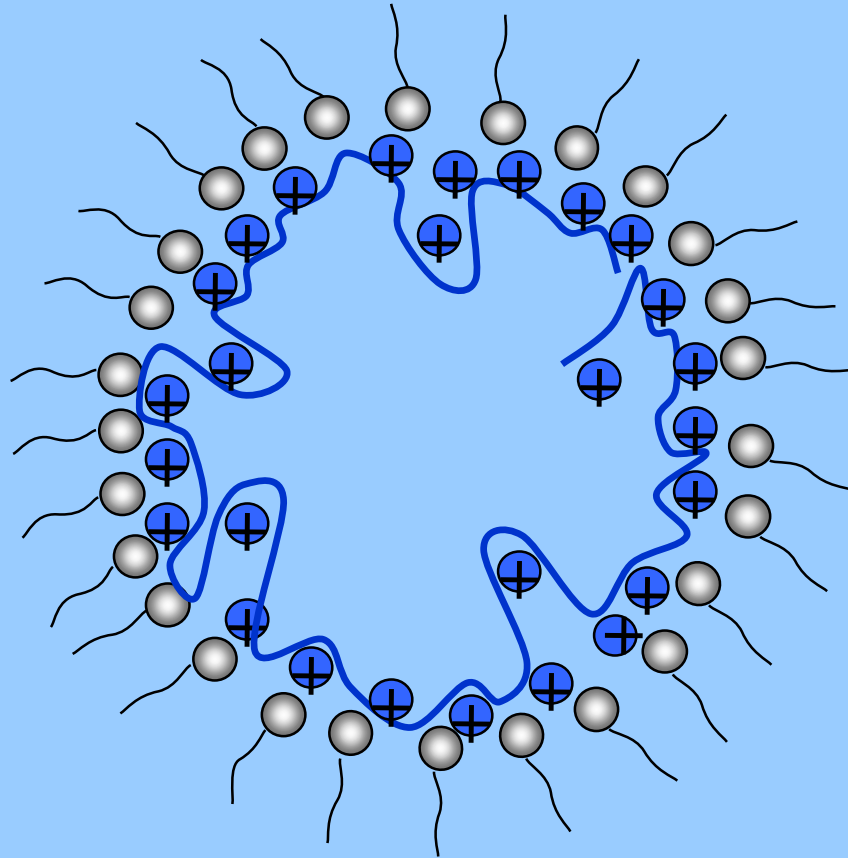
L2 - phase

+ *PDADMAC*

+ *PEI*

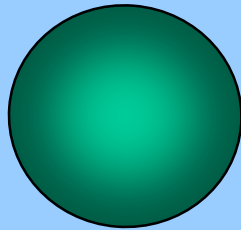
# Polyelectrolytes

- **Can be incorporated into w/o microemulsions !**
- **Can „boosting“ the L2 phase !**
- **Can influence the droplet-droplet interactions !**
- **Can tune the surfactant film stability !**



PEL-modified  
microemulsions  
as templates for  
the nanoparticle  
formation

# Nanoparticle formation in reverse PEL-modified microemulsions

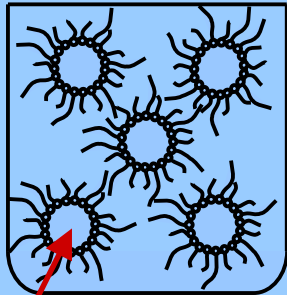


- *BaSO<sub>4</sub>*
- *ZnS*
- *CdS*
- *Magnetite*
- *Hydroxylapatite*
- *Gold*

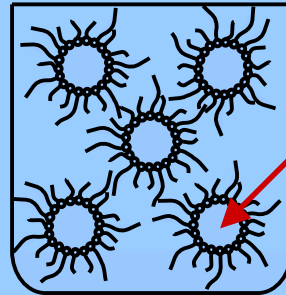


w/o Microemulsion I

w/o Microemulsion II



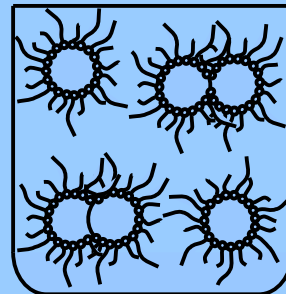
containing  
 $\text{Na}_2\text{SO}_4$



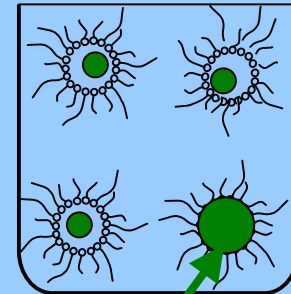
containing  
 $\text{BaCl}_2$

Mix Microemulsion I and II

Collision and  
coalescence of droplets



Precipitation



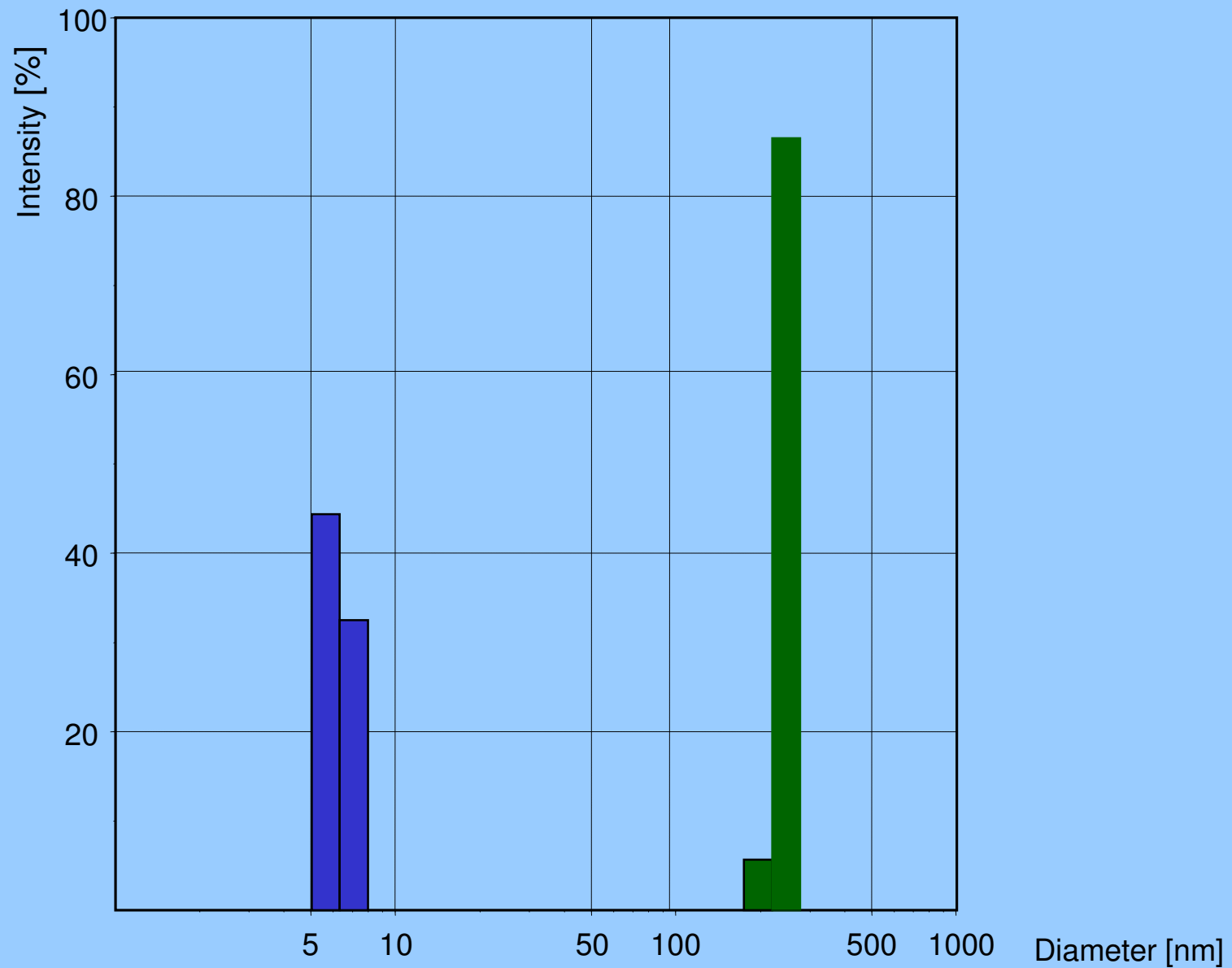
$\text{BaSO}_4$   
nanoparticle  
formation!

# ***Polymer-modified Nanoparticles***

**Nanoparticle formation in polymer-modified  
w/o microemulsions**

**Solvent evaporation**

**Redispersion of the polymer-stabilized  
nanoparticles**

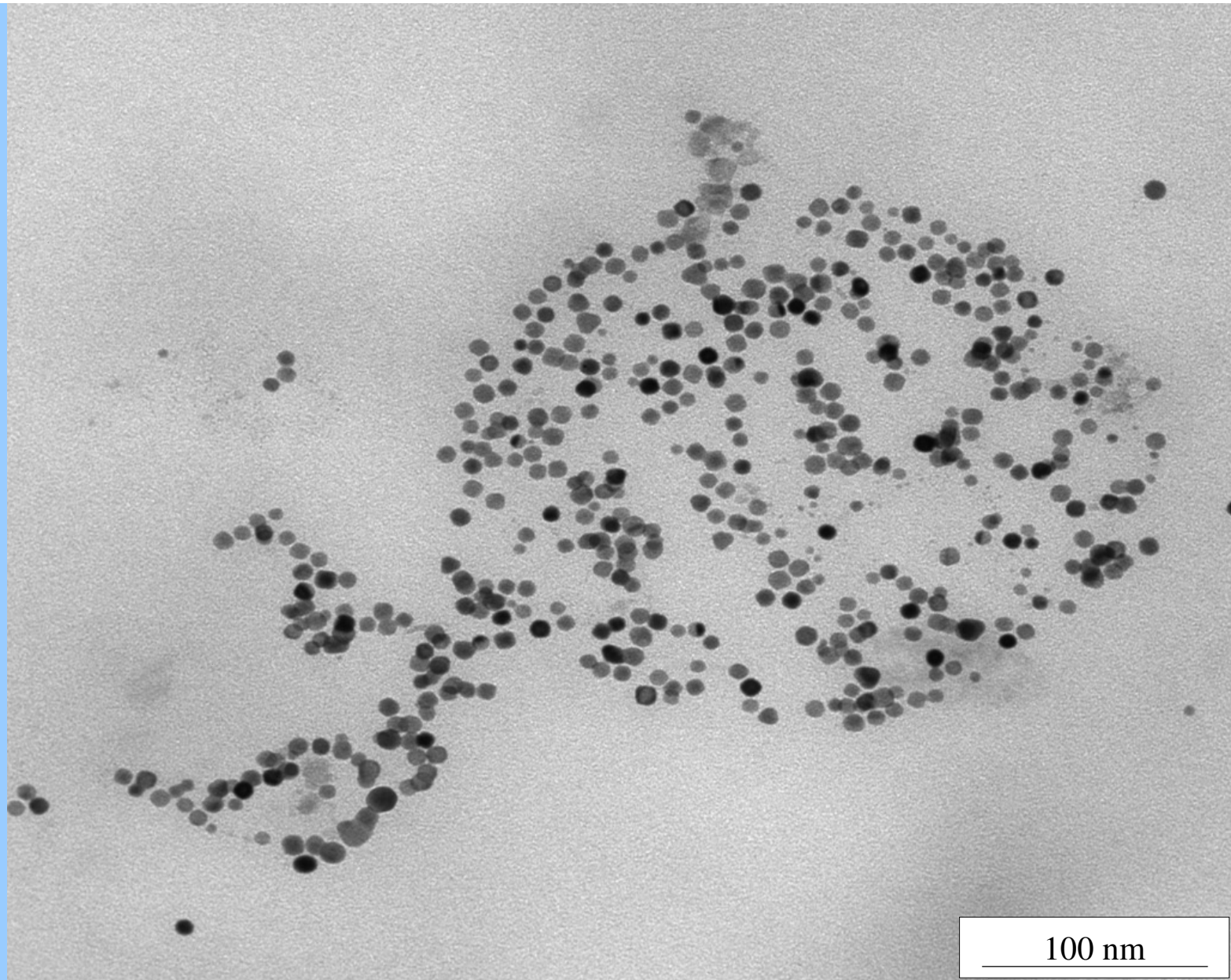


The average  $\text{BaSO}_4$ -particle size of the main fracture (detected by dynamic light scattering) in sample A **in presence of PDADMAC (blue)** and **in absence of PDADMAC (green)**

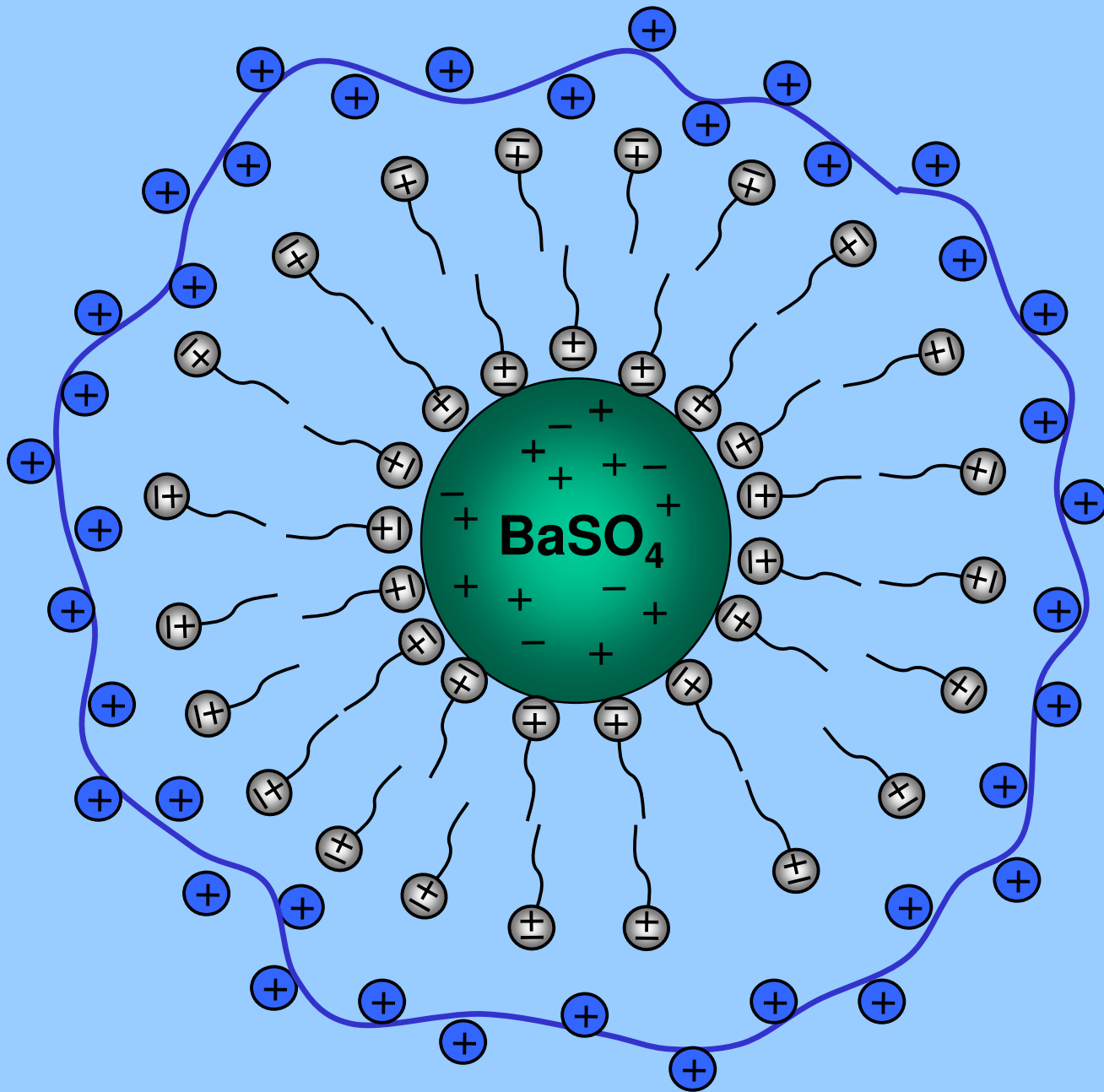
## Particle size and zeta potential of redispersed BaSO<sub>4</sub>-particles determined by dynamic light scattering

sample	particle size [nm]		zeta potential [mV]
	(dynamic light scattering*)	(ultracentrifugation)	
<b>A (without polymer)</b>	<b>312.8 ± 39.6</b>		<b>+8.3 ± 2.9</b>
<b>A</b>	<b>6.9 ± 2.2</b>	<b>4.4 ± 0.3</b>	<b>+27.1 ± 1.6</b>
<b>B</b>	<b>6.6 ± 4.7</b>	<b>5.1 ± 0.5</b>	<b>+24.0 ± 0.8</b>
<b>C</b>	<b>6.1 ± 1.1</b>	<b>6.5 ± 0.2</b>	<b>+24.0 ± 6.6</b>
<b>D</b>	<b>6.3 ± 1.9</b>		<b>+27.4 ± 4.4</b>
<b>E</b>	<b>6.0 ± 0.5</b>		<b>+33.6 ± 3.4</b>

\*average size of the main fraction automatic peak analysis by intensity



Redispersed BaSO<sub>4</sub> nanoparticles:  $7.5 \pm 1.4$  nm  
in presence of PDADMAC



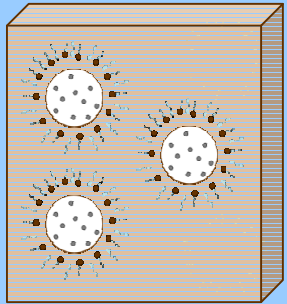
# Part 1: BaSO<sub>4</sub>

- **Polyelectrolyte–stabilized BaSO<sub>4</sub> – nanoparticles with particle diameter of 5-7 nm can be redispersed in presence of low molecular weight PDADMAC !!**

*J. Koetz, J. Bahnemann, G. Lucas, B. Tiersch, S. Kosmella:*

*Colloids and Surfaces A: Physicochem. Eng. Aspects 250 (2004) 423-430*

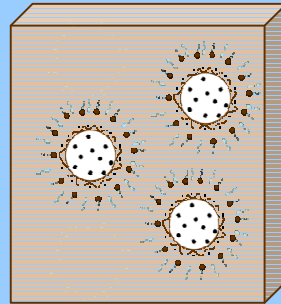
microemulsion B



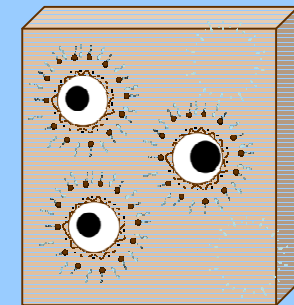
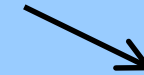
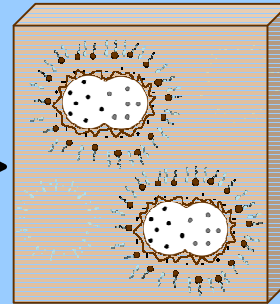
procedure 1



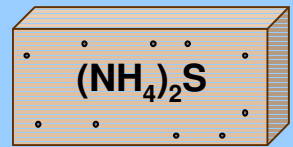
microemulsion A



coalescence



nanoparticle formation

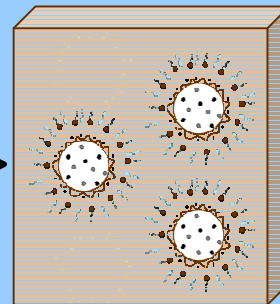
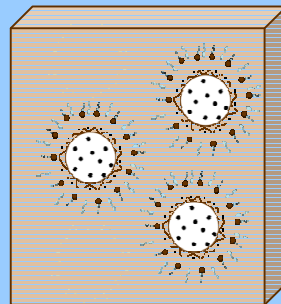


aqueous solution

procedure 2



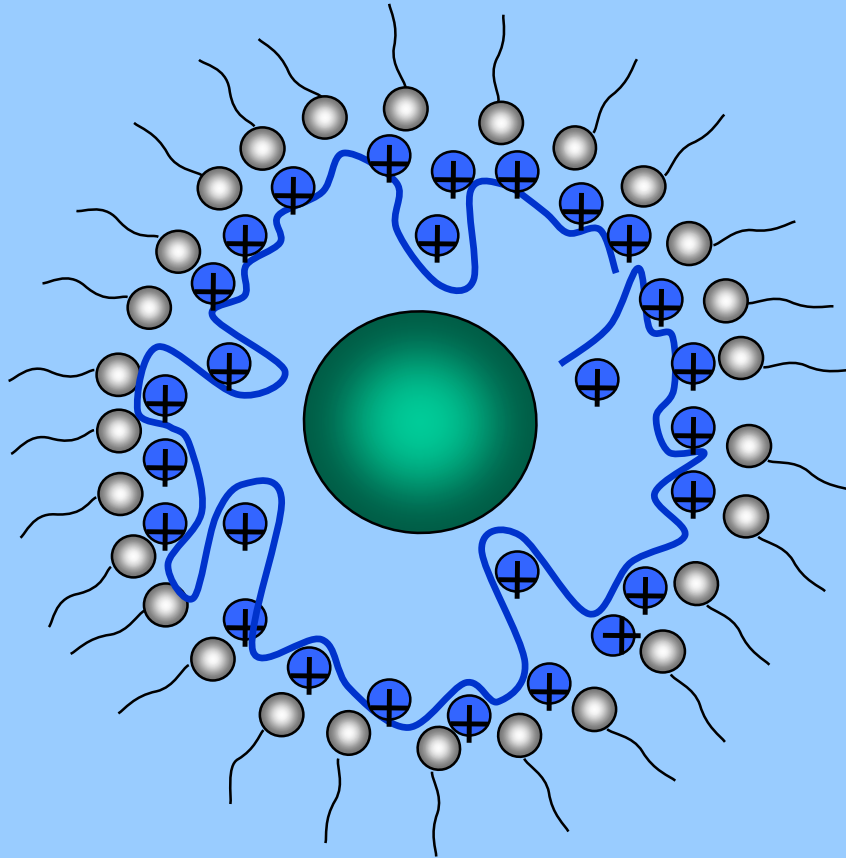
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# CONCLUSIONS:

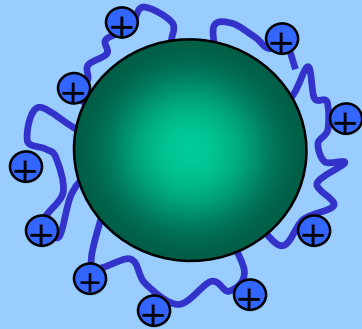
## Polyelectrolyte-modified microemulsions as nanoreactors



→ PEL control the  
particle growing  
process !!

# CONCLUSIONS:

## Polyelectrolyte-modified microemulsions as nanoreactors



→ PEL stabilize the nanoparticles during the redispersion process !!