

Supporting Information

Self-Assembly of Temperature Sensitive Unilamellar Vesicles by a Blend of Block Copolymers in Aqueous Solution

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Table S1. The concentrations of the sample in solution (%)

	F127	PE6200
F127 ₀		0.00
F127 _{0.25}		0.25
F127 _{0.5}		0.50
F127 _{0.75}	0.25	0.75
F127 _{1.0}		1.00
F127 _{1.25}		1.25
F127 _{1.5}		1.50
F127 _{1.75}		1.75

Table S2. The results of average size distribution by dynamic light scattering (DLS) (nm)

	25°C	35°C	45°C	55°C	65°C
F127 _{0.25}	-	23.4	24.0	22.1	21.2
F127 _{0.5}	-	25.0	26.2	43.6	47.5
F127 _{0.75}	26.3	26.2	62.5	73.3	71.2
F127 _{1.0}	27.6	27.4	76.5	75.9	79.3
F127 _{1.25}	29.2	28.0	79.2	81.7	90.7
F127 _{1.5}	30.4	29.5	80.3	91.3	87.2

Table S3. SLDs of core and corona of the micelle

 (\AA^{-2})

	Core	Corona
F127 ₀	3.75×10^{-7}	6.17×10^{-7}
F127 _{0.5}	3.62×10^{-7}	5.83×10^{-7}
F127 _{0.75}	3.61×10^{-7}	5.79×10^{-7}
F127 _{1.0}	3.60×10^{-7}	5.76×10^{-7}
F127 _{1.25}	3.59×10^{-7}	5.75×10^{-7}

Table S4. Intramicellar information of F127_x

(nm)

Sample	T (°C)	Micelle Shape	Ratio	PDI _{RC}	Core Radius	Corona Thickness	Cylinder Length	N _{agg}	
F127 ₀	30	Sphere	1	0.13	4.37	2.99		0.0007	
	35	Sphere		0.16	4.36	2.99		0.0045	
	40	Sphere		0.18	4.34	2.92		0.0060	
	45	Sphere		0.19	4.33	2.82		0.0102	
	50	Sphere		0.20	4.32	2.61		0.0137	
	55	Sphere		0.020	4.30	2.43		0.0167	
	60	Sphere		0.25	4.26	2.22		0.0197	
F127 _{0.5}	25	Sphere	0.67	0.24	4.87	1.90		0.0003	
	30	Cylinder		0.15	1.77	1.83	13.88	0.0027	
	35	Cylinder		0.22	1.73	1.82	13.40	0.0086	
	40	Cylinder		0.24	1.70	1.80	10.27	0.0241	
	45	Cylinder		0.23	1.65	1.80	8.81	0.0313	
	25	SC		0.33	0.04	5.15	35.80		0.0018
	30	SC			0.15	4.81	33.15		0.0438
	35	SC			0.12	4.77	31.98		0.0638
	40	SC			0.09	4.42	31.47		0.0890
	45	SC			0.20	3.83	10.22		0.1860
F127 _{0.75}	25	Sphere	0.75	0.38	4.93	2.18		0.0002	
	30	Cylinder		0.19	1.78	2.12	14.27	0.0025	
	35	Cylinder		0.16	1.76	2.00	10.16	0.0094	
	40	Cylinder		0.31	1.66	1.72	21.16	0.0181	
	45	Cylinder		0.54	1.13	1.55	30.73	0.0253	
	25	SC		0.25	0.069	5.23	35.91		0.0032

	30	SC		0.14	5.04	34.67		0.0645
	35	SC		0.14	5.04	33.88		0.0855
	40	SC		0.42	3.56	23.49		0.2590
	45	Vesicle		0.21	15.02	4.18		0.0188
	50	Vesicle	1	0.25	21.98	2.36		0.0338
	55	Vesicle		0.24	23.86	2.34		0.1490
	25	Sphere		0.39	5.06	2.20		0.0002
	30	Cylinder	0.8	0.14	1.80	2.18	14.53	0.0021
	35	Cylinder		0.14	1.77	2.02	10.24	0.0077
	40	Cylinder		0.57	1.24	1.56	33.32	0.0198
	25	SC		0.31	5.28	36.02		0.0160
F127 _{1.0}	30	SC	0.2	0.16	5.06	34.70		0.0806
	35	SC		0.16	5.01	34.53		0.0871
	40	Vesicle		0.20	13.56	8.67		0.0141
	45	Vesicle		0.27	30.02	2.47		0.0133
	50	Vesicle	1	0.24	36.85	2.42		0.0199
	55	Vesicle		0.26	37.94	2.41		0.0270
	60	Vesicle		0.30	39.77	2.39		0.0808
	25	Sphere	0.84	0.34	5.14	2.37		0.0002
	30	Cylinder		0.13	1.86	2.19	14.89	0.0019
	25	SC	0.16	0.16	5.31	30.70		0.0341
F127 _{1.25}	30	SC		0.20	5.06	34.87		0.0807
	40	Vesicle		0.21	23.99	2.16		0.0301
	45	Vesicle	1	0.21	31.87	2.21		0.0216
	50	Vesicle		0.21	35.52	2.20		0.0294
	55	Vesicle		0.52	38.94	2.19		0.0407

(PDI_{rc}: polydispersity of core radius, SC: stretched corona)

Spherical micelle model and vesicular micelle model (with core-shell); β_{core} of the vesicular micelle is 0.

$$P_{core}(q) = \left[\frac{3(\sin qR_{core} - qR_{core} \cos qR_{core})}{qR_{core}^3} \right]^2$$

$$P_{shell}(q) = \left[\frac{2 \exp(-x) - 1 + x}{x^2} \right]^2 \quad (x = q^2 R_g^2)$$

$$\beta_{core} = V_{core}(\eta_{core} - \eta_{solv})$$

$$\beta_{shell} = V_{shell}(\eta_{shell} - \eta_{solv})$$

$$S_{shell-core}(q) = \Phi(qR_{core})\psi(qR_g) \frac{\sin(q[R_{core} + dR_g])}{q[R_{core} + dR_g]} \psi(qR_g) = \frac{1 - \exp(-x)}{x}$$

$$S_{shell-shell}(q) = \psi^2(qR_g) \left[\frac{\sin(q[R_{core} + dR_g])}{q[R_{core} + dR_g]} \right]^2$$

$$N_{agg} = (1 - x) \frac{(4\pi R_{core}^3)}{3V_{core}}$$

Cylindrical micelle model (with core-shell)

$$P_{core}(q) = \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{4 \sin^2(\frac{1}{2} q H \cos \alpha)}{q^2 H^2 \cos^2 \alpha} \cdot \frac{4J_1^2(qR_{core} \sin \alpha)}{q^2 R_{core}^2 \sin^2 \alpha} \sin \alpha \, d\alpha \quad (J_1: \text{Bessel function of first order})$$

$$P_{shell}(q) = 2 \frac{\exp(-x) - 1 + x}{x^2} \quad (x = q^2 R_g^2)$$

$$\beta_{core} = \frac{V(1 - x)}{N_{agg}} (\eta_{core} - \eta_{solv})$$

$$\beta_{shell} = V_{shell}(\eta_{shell} - \eta_{solv})$$

$$S_{shell-core}(q) = \psi(qR_g) \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \psi(q) \Theta(q, R_{core} + dR_g, H + 2d, \alpha) \sin \alpha \, d\alpha$$

$$\Theta(q) = \left[\frac{R}{R_{core} + H} \frac{2J_1(qR_{core} \sin \alpha)}{qR_{core} \sin \alpha} \cos(qH/2 \cos \alpha) + \frac{H}{R_{core} + H} J_0(qR_{core} \sin \alpha) \frac{\sin \frac{qH}{2} \cos \alpha}{\frac{qH}{2} \cos \alpha} \right]$$

$$S_{shell-shell}(q) = \psi^2(qR_g) \int_0^{\pi/2} \Theta^2(q, R_{core} + dR_g, H + 2d, \alpha) \sin \alpha \, d\alpha$$

$$N_{agg} = n_{agg} S$$

$$S = 2\pi R_{core} H$$