

Abstract:

Provided is a method for producing at least one type of thermoplastic resin selected from the group consisting of a polycarbonate, a polyester and a polyester carbonate, the method including a step for subjecting a dihydroxy compound and a diaryl carbonate and/or a dicarboxylic acid ester to melt polycondensation in the presence of a transesterification catalyst selected from a compound represented by formula (1) and/or a compound represented by formula (2). (1) R^1 to R^{24} are each a hydrogen atom, an alkyl group having 1-10 carbon atoms or a cycloalkyl group. Some of the carbon atoms may be substituted by heteroatoms. Among R^1 to R^{24} , alkyl groups or the like substituted on a same N atom may bond to each other to form a ring. The values of a to d are each 0 or 1. X^- is a monovalent anion. (2) Ar^1 to Ar^{12} are each a substituted or unsubstituted aryl group. M^- is a monovalent anion.