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## Overview

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We developed a model that describes the tearing energy of a layered structure by accounting for the tearing of the individual layers in the backsheet, the effect of mechanical constraint, and the adhesive debonding between the layers.

In this work, we focus on layered PV module backsheets and demonstrate that the tearing properties can vary markedly with damp heat exposure (85°C/85%RH), which is the exposure condition recommended by the qualification standard IEC 61215.

The unaged film shows two distinct PVDF melting peaks, with the main peak at 162 °C and a second, lower intensity peak at 167 °C. The cooling cycle also shows the presence of two distinct .

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