

## IEC TS 62804-1:2015

## Photovoltaic (PV) Modules - Test Methods for the detection of potential induced degradation

Part 1: Crystalline silicone
Confirmation of test results

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Applicant: Wuxi Suntech Power Co., Ltd.

16 Xin Hua Road, Xinwu District, 214028 Wuxi City, China

Product: Crystalline Silicon Photovoltaic (PV)-Modules

Type: A) STPXXXS-B72/Pnh+, STPXXXS-B72/Pnhm+

B) STPXXXS-B60/Pnh+, STPXXXS-B60/Pnhm+

XXX in the type replace the power in Watt and can be any number between:

425 – 450 for A) 350 – 375 for B)

Manufacturer: Wuxi Suntech Power Co., Ltd.

**Standard:** IEC TS 62804-1:2015

**Test conditions** 

Testing time: 192 h

Chamber temperature: 85°C

Relative Humidity: 85 %

Potential to ground: ± 1500 V

Pass criteria

Power degradation: < 5%

Dry Insulation:  $> 40 \text{ M}\Omega\text{m}^2$ 

Wet insulation:  $> 40 \text{ M}\Omega\text{m}^2$ 

Ground continuity:  $< 0.1\Omega$ 





Maximum power degradation: allowed

max. 5 %

measured

max. 1.01 %

The measured degradation is below the allowed degradation.

**Dry insulation resistance:** 

required

min.  $18.3 \text{ M}\Omega$ 

measured

>500 MΩ

The measured dry insulation resistance is above the minimum required dry insulation resistance.

Wet insulation resistance:

required

min.  $18.3 M\Omega$ 

measured

>500 MΩ

The measured wet insulation resistance is above the minimum required wet insulation resistance.

**Ground continuity test:** 

allowed

max.  $0.1\Omega$ 

measured

max.  $0.0040\Omega$ 

The measured resistance is below the max, allowed resistance.

Visual inspection:

No findings

The complete test results and the relevant bill of materials are given in Test Report No.: TRPVM-2020-40066-4.

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