

# **DESERT Technology**

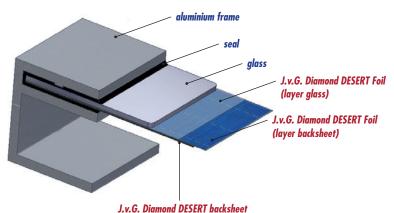
Increasing Power Output Extending Module Lifetime (up to 75 years) Maximum (sustained) Temperature up to 145 °C 100% no PID Proven German/Bavarian quality

Turnkey production lines – Germany

Continuous research and development plays a major role in opening up new possibilities in the manufacturing of solar modules. At I.v.G Thoma GmbH we consider it our job to be a pacemaker in this process.

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Figure 1: Photovoltaic using J.V.G.Diamond DESERT Foil



# **DESERT Advantages**

# 100% no PID

Our measuremants showed 100% no PID. Tested at J.v.G. Thoma laboratory.

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#### **Maximum (sustained) Temperature**

125°C average 145°C (maximum 5 minutes)

# **Proven German/Bavarian quality**

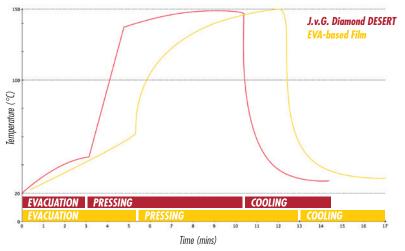
Developed at J.v.G. Thoma GmbH in cooperation with Jurawatt Vertriebs GmbH

# **Processing Advantages**

# No crosslinking during lamination

- Up to 30% reduced cycle time
- Increased yields and capacity
- reduced conversion costs

Figure 2: Lamination Cycle Time Comparison



# **Performance Advantages**

J.v.G. Diamond DESERT Foils provide significantly improved electrical performance. High volume resistivity and low leakage current improve electrical insulation and enable "PID Zero" performance. As illustrated in the figures below, improved electrical performance results in increasing energy yield.



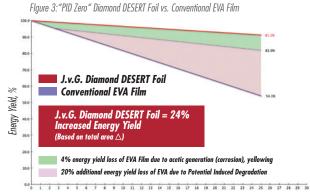


# **Key Technical Attributes**

- 10-20x lower Water Vapor Transmission Rate (WVTR)
- Outstanding Volume Resistivity
- No generation of acetic acid
- Non-yellowing

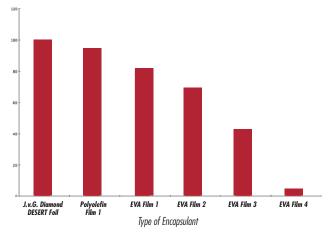
# **Performance Advantages**

- Significantly reduced degradation rates
- "PID Zero"performance

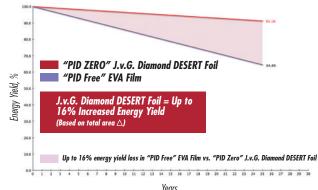


Years





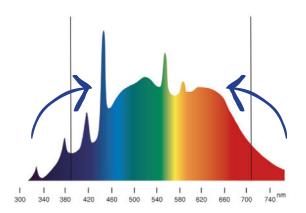
#### Figure 4: "PID Zero"Diamond DESERT Foil vs. "PID Free" EVA Film



#### >3% more power with

- J.v.G Diamond DESERT Foil layer glass +3%
- J.v.G Diamond DESERT Foil layer backsheet +3%
- J.v.G Diamond DESERT Foil backsheet +3%

Nano coating in Foil we get more then 3% more power output as "best EVA foils". Converting/shifting of photons is the key technology to make it available for solar cell conversion. Material is in internal tests (>1000 cycles proven) and in certification process. Ask for delivery time for your special need.



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