



A barrier material is usually needed on a f ber-based food package to protect the packed food from gases and moisture and thus maintain its quality. Barrier materials presently used in food packaging

The impact of dissolved matter on the performance of four fberline process stages was investigated: oxygen delignif cation, hot acid treatment, chlorine dioxide bleaching, and hydrogen peroxide reinforced alkaline extraction. In particular the impact on delignif cation due to dissolved lignin was studied. The impact of unoxidized and oxidized dissolved matter on lignin