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Comments:

The loss of components from the bagasse fibers by alkali etching could be quantified by the inclusion of mass loss for the various soaking times; that data could be normalized to the starting mass of the fiber, giving a more quantitative picture than is provided by the inferred variation in composite thickness. Inclusion of additional details of tensile testing would be helpful--sample geometry, use of tabs (?), strain rate, number of samples tested- along with some indication as to whether the samples failed in the gage section (It is unclear in figure 6 whether the material on either side of the sample is an SEM mount or a tab, particularly in 6a). A standard deviation would be helpful as well, particularly as these samples likely are failing at flaws (voids). Polished sections of the composites, if available, would help to give the reader of a comparison of void content for the different fiber treatments and fiber/pp ratios, and also support the statement of a change in fiber diameter with NaOH treatment. The authors also state that the alkali

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etching changes the nature of the fiber matrix interface--higher magnification micrographs and/or polished sections could support this argument.

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Additional Questions: Title: Acceptable

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