

**Barley – a yet un-tapped feedstock for improved vegetable protein-based wood adhesives**

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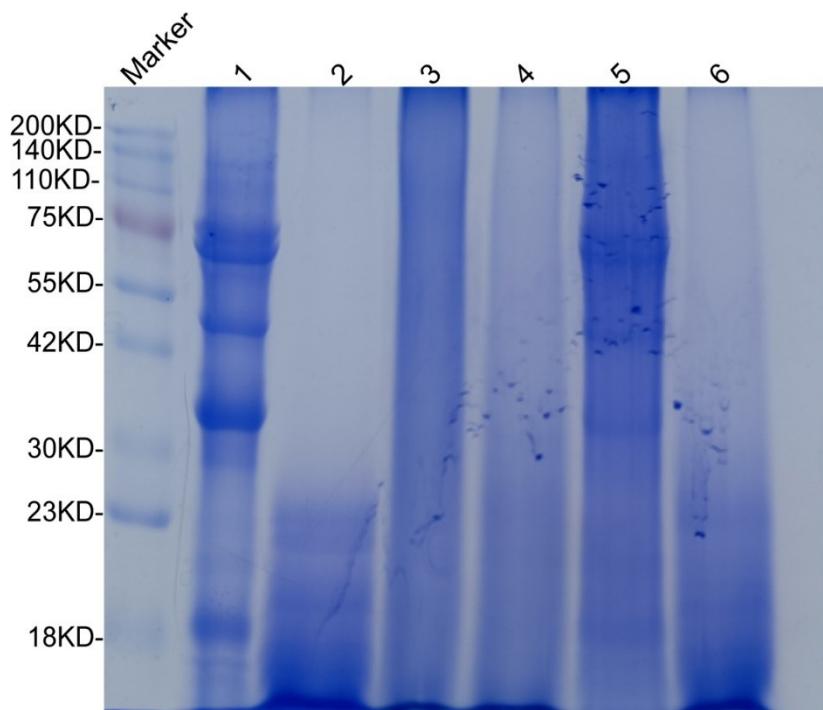
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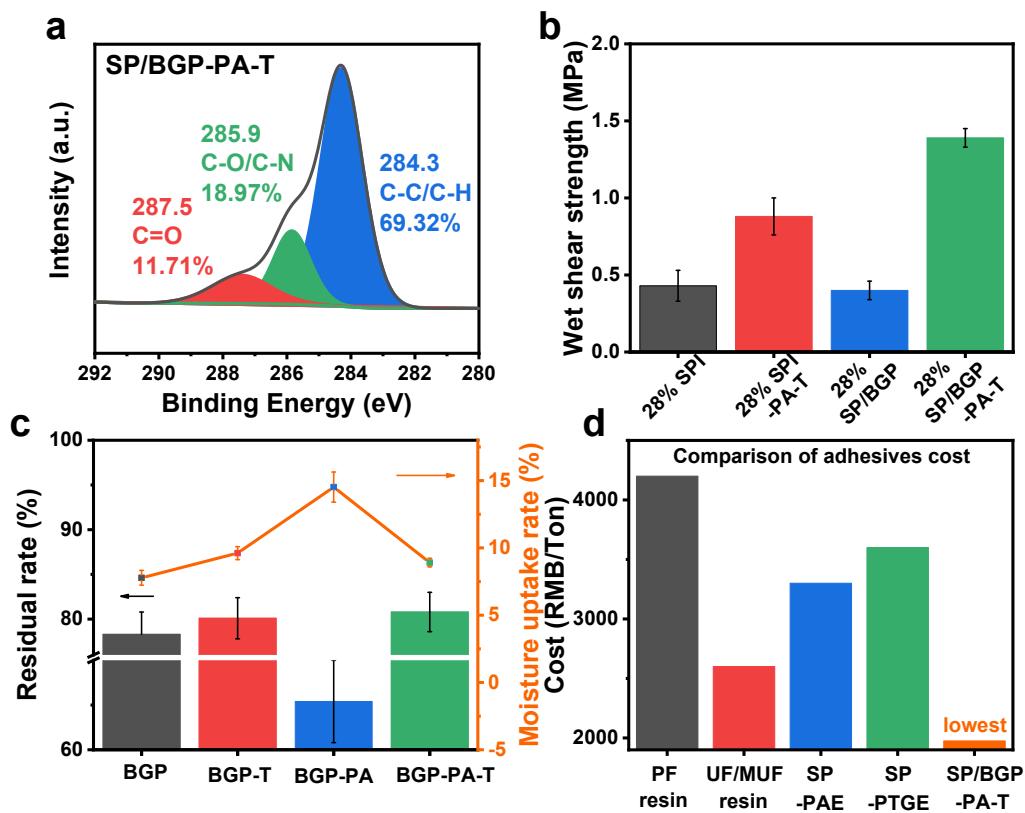
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**Fig. S1.** The SDS-PAGE images of SP, SP-PA, BGP, BGP-PA, SP/BGP, and SP/BGP-PA adhesives.



**Fig. S2.** (a) C1s spectrum of SP/BGP-PA adhesive, (b) the wet shear strength of 28%

SP, 28% SPI-PA-T, 28% SP/BGP, and 28% SP/BGP-PA-T adhesives, (c) the moisture absorption and residual rate of BGP based adhesives, (d) comparison of the cost of different adhesives.

**Table S1.** The cost calculation of SP/BGP-PA-T adhesive (RMB per ton).

| Raw materials            | SPI   | Water | TGA   | BG    | PA    | SP/BGP-PA-T    |
|--------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|----------------|
| Unit Price (RMB per ton) | 12000 | 4.16  | 9540  | 1300  | 33000 | -              |
| Consumption (Kg)         | 70    | 860   | 30    | 625   | 1     | -              |
| Cost (RMB)               | 840   | 3.58  | 286.2 | 812.5 | 33    | <b>1975.28</b> |

**Table S2.** The cost calculation of SP/BGP-SDS-T adhesive (RMB per ton).

| Raw materials            | SPI   | Water | TGA   | BG    | SDS  | SP/BGP-SDS-T   |
|--------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|----------------|
| Unit Price (RMB per ton) | 12000 | 4.16  | 9540  | 1300  | 6000 | -              |
| Consumption (Kg)         | 70    | 860   | 30    | 625   | 10   | -              |
| Cost (RMB)               | 840   | 3.58  | 286.2 | 812.5 | 60   | <b>2002.28</b> |

**Table S3.** The cost calculation of SP/BGP-pH11-T adhesive (RMB per ton).

| Raw materials            | SPI   | Water | TGA  | BG   | NaOH | SP/BGP-pH11-T |
|--------------------------|-------|-------|------|------|------|---------------|
| Unit Price (RMB per ton) | 12000 | 4.16  | 9540 | 1300 | 5400 | -             |
| Consumption (Kg)         | 70    | 860   | 30   | 625  | 10   | -             |

|            |     |      |       |       |    |                |
|------------|-----|------|-------|-------|----|----------------|
| Cost (RMB) | 840 | 3.58 | 286.2 | 812.5 | 54 | <b>1996.28</b> |
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**Table S4.** The price of different plywood adhesives.

| Formulation of adhesives for the wood industry      | Price per ton (RMB) |
|---|---------------------|
| Phenol formaldehyde (PF) resin adhesive             | <b>4200</b>         |
| Urea-formaldehyde (UF) resin adhesive               | <b>2400</b>         |
| 14% SPI + 28% PAE (12.5% solids content) +58% water | <b>3300</b>         |
| 14% SPI + 4% PTGE + 82% water                       | <b>3600</b>         |
| SP/BGP-PA-T   | <b>1975.28</b>      |

**Table S5.** The comprehensive performance (Wet shear strength, Residual rate, Chemical fossil product addition, Viscosity, and Cost) of SP/BGP-PA-T adhesive as compared to the previously reported SPI-based and SM-based adhesives.

| Soy-based adhesive (SPI/SM)         | Wet shear strength (MPa) | Residual rate (%) | Chemical fossil product addition | Viscosity (Pa·s) | Cost (RMB/Ton) | References |
|-------------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|----------------------------------|------------------|----------------|------------|
| SP/BGP-PA-T                         | 1.55                     | 83.4%             | 0                                | 5.07             | 1975.28        |            |
| SPI/BP@mica12                       | 1.05                     | -                 | 1.44%                            | -                | 4300           | <b>1</b>   |
| SPI-DBA@HBPA-CPBA-Ag                | 1.28                     | -                 | 2.8%                             | 91.41            | -              | <b>2</b>   |
| SPI/TGA/WPF-PDA/Cu(OH) <sub>2</sub> | 1.22                     | 72.8%             | 1.5%                             | -                | -              | <b>3</b>   |
| SM-T-CSSH                           | 1.49                     | 79.2%             | 2.45%                            | 61.96            | -              | <b>4</b>   |
| SM@BDAB-HDE                         | 1.25                     | 80.0%             | 8.8%                             | -                | -              | <b>5</b>   |
| SM-DACS-HNTs@N                      | 1.53                     | 79.2%             | 0.7%                             | -                | 2673           | <b>6</b>   |
| SM/TTE/CDs/BT@PDA@PANI              | 1.16                     | 84%               | 4%                               | -                | 2532           | <b>7</b>   |
| SM-CA/TA/FC-HNTs@SH                 | 1.46                     | 77.1%             | 0.8%                             | 33.0             | 2200           | <b>8</b>   |
| SM-PM                               | 1.02                     | 74.55%            | 0                                | 14.96            | -              | <b>9</b>   |
| SP-HBPE-SB                          | 0.9                      | 70.6%             | 3.85%                            | -                | 2020           | <b>10</b>  |
| TSM/SEP/KH-560                      | 1.18                     | 76.8%             | 1%                               | 73.04            | -              | <b>11</b>  |
| SPI/EHL-ESO-7                       | 1.07                     | -                 | 6.9%                             | -                | -              | <b>12</b>  |

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