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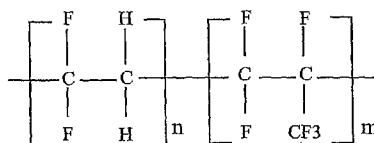
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Figure 1



(57) Abstract: The present invention provides a method for the production of a poly(vinylidene fluoride-co-hexafluoropropylene) (PVDF-HFP) asymmetric hollow fiber membrane. The invention comprises preparing a dope solution of PVDF-HFP with an additive of lithium chloride or glycerol dissolved in a solvent such as N-methylpyrrolidone (NMP). The dope solution is spun to form a PVDF-HFP asymmetric hollow fiber membrane.