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The encapsulation of phase change materials (PCMs) is a convenient alternative for latent heat thermal energy storage systems (LHTESSs) because of the excellent relationship ...

This study aims to conduct a numerical simulation using ANSYS/Fluent to investigate the thermal behaviour of a phase change material (PCM) storage system integrated with a thermal solar collector ...

Phase change materials (PCM) are employed to store thermal energy in solar collectors, heat pumps, heat recovery, hot and cold storage. PCMs are encapsulated primarily in shell-and-tube, ...

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Rubitherm RT-50 have a good potential to store thermal energy at low solar radiation. Phase change materials have been recently introduced as key thermal energy storage (TES) medium ...

This study employs an in-house CFD solver to simulate melting in single and dual phase change materials (PCMs) arrangements within a shell-and-tube heat exchanger for thermal ...

An innovative indirect solar dryer, designed for banana dehydration, was developed and assessed, utilizing the Ansys software for simulation. The system comprises a vacuum tube water heater and a ...

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In this paper, for the packaging structure of phase change materials (PCMs) for solar thermal utilization, a cylindrical phase-change heat-storage rod (HSR) is proposed, and multi-angle ...

An obstacle to the use of solid-liquid phase change processes in energy systems is the typically low thermal conductivity of PCM [10], especially PCM made of organic materials (paraffin wax for ...

Thermal energy storage systems (TESS) have emerged as significant global concerns in the design and optimization of devices and processes aimed at maximizing energy utilization, ...

Finding that the most of the papers use several simulation programs to compare and support experimental results, this indicates that the method of simulating results is important for ...

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