

# **Latent heat thermal energy storage system review**





## Overview

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What is latent heat thermal energy storage?

Latent heat thermal energy storage refers to the storage and recovery of the latent heat during the melting/solidification process of a phase change material (PCM). Among various PCMs, medium- and high-temperature candidates are attractive due to their high energy storage densities and the potentials in achieving high round trip efficiency.

Should a latent thermal energy storage system be integrated?

Latent thermal energy storage systems using phase change materials are highly thought for such applications due to their high energy density as compared to their sensible heat counterparts. This review, therefore, gives a summary of major factors that need to be assessed before an integration of the latent thermal energy system is undertaken.

What is latent heat thermal energy storage (PCM)?

The corrosivity and stability of PCMs, which are commonly ignored in previous studies, are also examined. Summary Latent heat thermal energy storage refers to the storage and recovery of the latent heat during the melting/solidification process of a phase change material (PCM).

How to evaluate latent thermal energy storage performance?

Usually the latent thermal energy storage performance can be assessed with the energy analysis and exergy analysis as the following equations: The heat storage ratio, which is the ratio of the total energy stored in the system to the maximum energy stored in the system, and the heat release factor are used to evaluate energy performance.

Can phase change materials improve latent thermal energy storage?

The low thermal conductivity of phase change materials (PCMs) limits their large-scale application in the field of thermal storage. The coupling of heat



pipes (HPs) with PCMs is an effective method to enhance latent heat thermal energy storage.

What is thermal energy storage?

Thermal energy storage can be used in concentrated solar power plants, waste heat recovery and conventional power plants to improve the thermal efficiency. Latent thermal energy storage systems using phase change materials are highly thought for such applications due to their high energy density as compared to their sensible heat counterparts.



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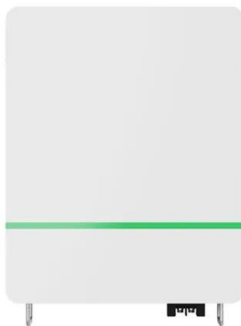


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### [Latent Heat Storage: An Introduction](#)

This chapter includes an introduction to thermal energy storage systems. It lists the areas of application of the storage. It also includes the different storage systems; sensible, latent, and chemical. It concentrates on ...



### Phase change material-integrated latent heat storage systems for

The energy storage systems are categorized into the following categories: solar-thermal storage; electro-thermal storage; waste heat storage; and thermal regulation. The fundamental technology underpinning these systems and materials as well as system design towards efficient latent heat utilization are briefly described.

### [Latent Heat Thermal Energy Storage](#)

Energy and exergy performance assessments for latent heat thermal energy storage systems  
Gang Li, in Renewable and Sustainable Energy Reviews, 2015  
Abstract Latent heat thermal energy storage (TES) can be an efficient option



to cater to fluctuating energy demands and at the same time to obtain a higher performance from the energy and exergy aspects.



### Review on heat transfer analysis in thermal energy ...

This paper provides a comprehensive review on the development of latent heat storage (LHS) systems focused on heat transfer and enhancement techniques employed in PCMs to effectively charge and ...

### Exergy based performance evaluation of latent heat thermal storage

Review of mathematical modeling on latent heat thermal energy storage systems using phase-change material Renew Sustain Energy Rev, 12 ( 2008 ), pp. 999 - 1031 View PDF View article View in Scopus Google Scholar



### Latent Heat Thermal Energy Storage Systems with Solid-Liquid ...

This paper provides a review of the solid-liquid phase change materials (PCMs) for latent heat thermal energy storage (LHTES). The commonly used solid-liquid PCMs and their thermal properties are summarized here firstly. Two major drawbacks that seriously limit



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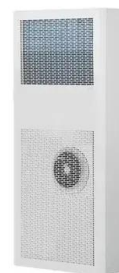


### Thermal performance of sensible and latent heat thermal energy storage

The charging time and energy storage capacity of the sensible thermal storage system was found to be lesser than the latent thermal storage system for all the flow rates. Based on the study, it is recommended that the latent thermal storage system is preferable for higher energy storage capacity, while for better charging and medium storage capacities sensible storage may be a ...

### Review of passive PCM latent heat thermal energy storage systems

Nowadays, thermal energy storage (TES) systems could be used to reduce buildings' dependency on fossil fuels, to contribute to a more efficient environmentally energy use and to supply heat reliably. The main advantage of using thermal storage is that it can



### Nano-Enhanced Phase Change Materials in Latent ...

Latent heat thermal energy storage systems (LHTES) are useful for solar energy storage and many other applications, but there is an issue with phase change materials (PCMs) having low thermal conductivity. This can be ...



### Latent Heat Storage: Storage Materials, Heat Transfer, and Applications

Phase change materials are frequently used in thermal storage systems due to their large latent heat and isothermal nature. This paper discusses different phase change materials. Techniques for improving their thermophysical properties are highlighted. Their



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### Effects of fin parameters on performance of latent heat thermal energy

A latent heat thermal energy storage system is composed of different parts including: container, internal tube for heat transfer fluid (HTF tube), heat transfer fluid, and phase change material. Each of these components can be selected and designed in different ways and consequently numerous LHTES systems are proposed and discussed in literature.





### Review of latent heat thermal energy storage for improved ...

Various heat transfer and thermal conductivity enhancement technique to enhance latent thermal energy storage system have been discussed. The paper also examines the schematics of some of the proposed & tested systems and describes the results of prototype setup for thermal load management and application in water heating system and buildings.

### A comprehensive review of latent heat energy storage for

Latent heat energy storage (LHES) offers high storage density and an isothermal condition for a low- to medium-temperature range compared to sensible heat storage. The ...



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### Heat transfer analysis in thermal energy storage--A ...

Thermal energy storage (TES) system is the most eminent storage method that aids in the power generation. Latent heat storage (LHS) is on the rapid mark-up that fosters the TES with the utilization of the phase transition of a material to store the heat. Typically

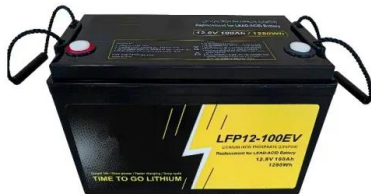
### Review of PCM charging in latent heat thermal energy storage systems

Improved performance of latent heat energy storage systems utilizing high thermal conductivity fins: A review J. Renewable Sustainable Energy, 9 ( 2017 ), Article 034103, 10.1063/1.4989738 View in Scopus Google Scholar



### Chapter Latent Heat Storage: An Introduction

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Energy storage systems have numerous classifications in literature. The most common one is to classify it to the broad category of thermal and chemical storage (Figure 2) [2]. The thermochemical storage stores heat



### **A comprehensive review of heat transfer intensification methods for**

Energy Storage is a new journal for innovative energy storage research, covering ranging storage methods and their integration with conventional & renewable systems. Abstract Latent heat thermal energy storage (LHTES) systems and their applications have been very substantive for the developments in energy science and engineering.



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### **Latent Heat Storage Materials and Systems: A Review**

The use of a latent heat storage system using Phase Change Materials (PCM) is an effective way of storing thermal energy (solar energy, off-peak electricity, industrial waste ...



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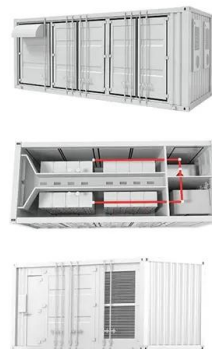


**A State of the Art Review on Sensible and Latent Heat Thermal Energy**

Sharing renewable energies, reducing energy consumption and optimizing energy management in an attempt to limit environmental problems (air pollution, global warming, acid rain, etc.) has today become a genuine concern of scientific engineering research. Furthermore, with the drastic growth of requirements in building and industrial worldwide ...

**A comprehensive review of latent heat energy storage for**

As the renewable energy culture grows, so does the demand for renewable energy production. The peak in demand is mainly due to the rise in fossil fuel prices and the harmful impact of fossil fuels on the environment. Among all renewable energy sources, solar energy is one of the cleanest, most abundant, and highest potential renewable energy sources. ...



**Latent Heat Thermal Energy Storage System , IntechOpen**

Latent heat thermal energy storage systems (LHTESS) are versatile due to their heat source at constant temperature and heat recovery with small temperature drop. In this context, latent heat thermal energy storage system employing



phase change material (PCM) is the attractive one due to high-energy storage density with smaller temperature difference ...



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### Alternative Heat Transfer Enhancement Techniques for Latent Heat

Request PDF , Alternative Heat Transfer Enhancement Techniques for Latent Heat Thermal Energy Storage System: A Review , Various enhancement techniques are proposed in the literature to alleviate

### Performance enhancement in latent heat thermal storage system: A review

Thermal energy can be stored in the form of sensible heat in which the temperature of the storage material varies with the amount of energy stored. Water or rock can be the best example [1].Alternatively, thermal energy can be stored as latent heat in which energy





### A Review on Active Heat Transfer Enhancement ...

Renewable energy resources require energy storage techniques to curb problems with intermittency. One potential solution is the use of phase change materials (PCMs) in latent heat thermal energy storage (LHTES) ...



### Phase change material (PCM) candidates for latent heat thermal energy

The inherent intensity fluctuation of solar power affects the power production of a CSP plant [26, 27]. Thermal energy storage (TES) concept can level-out this to a certain extent by capturing and storing solar heat when it is available and releasing it when desired [27].

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### A comprehensive review on current advances of thermal energy storage

Accurate and precise estimation of waste heat recovery can be estimated by coupling a latent heat thermal energy storage system (LHTES) to waste heat releasing system. The amount of waste heat recovered can be achieved 45% to 85% depending on the thermal energy storage material properties, size of processing industry, environmental conditions, etc., ...



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