



What are phase change materials (PCMs) for thermal energy storage applications? Fig. 1. Bibliometric analysis of (a) journal publications and (b) the patents, related to PCMs for thermal energy storage applications. The materials used for latent heat thermal energy storage(LHTES) are called Phase Change Materials (PCMs).

Can thermal energy storage be used with phase change materials? Therefore,the use of thermal energy storage (TES) with phase change materials (PCMs) is a very good optionto achieve such objective. For industrial applications,two temperature levels are identified of interest,a mid-temperature range between 60 ?C and 80 ?C,and a high-temperature range from 150 ?C to 250 ?C.



Are viable phase change materials suitable for high-temperature applications? Highlight of differences with available data. This study reports the results of the screening process done to identify viable phase change materials (PCMs) to be integrated in applications in two different temperature ranges: 60???80 ?C for mid-temperature applications and 150???250 ?Cfor high-temperature applications.



What are the selection criteria for thermal energy storage applications? In particular, the melting point, thermal energy storage density and thermal conductivity of the organic, inorganic and eutectic phase change materials are the major selection criteria for various thermal energy storage applications with a wider operating temperature range.



How much research has been done on phase change materials? A thorough literature survey on the phase change materials for TES using Web of Science led to more than 4300 research publicationson the fundamental science/chemistry of the materials,components,systems,applications,developments and so on,during the past 25years.





How to choose a PCM based on phase change temperature? After the phase change temperature, the most suitable PCMs will be selected based on the melting enthalpy, and the thermal conductivity. The first property will indeed affect the energy density thus determining the compactness of the TES.



Even though screening the pair of metal hydrides is essential for the effectiveness of MHs-TES systems, a literature review reveals that there are relatively few studies that have ???



Phase change materials (PCMs), capable of reversibly storing and releasing tremendous thermal energy during nearly isothermal and isometric phase state transition, have received extensive attention in the fields of energy ???



Downloadable (with restrictions)! Towards latent heat storage in the low-to-medium temperature range (70???250 ?C), screening of sugar alcohols and their binary eutectic mixtures as potential ???



Among several thermal energy storage technologies, the latent heat thermal energy storage (LHTES) system using phase change material (PCM) is useful because of its ability to charge and discharge a large amount of heat at ???





An optical screen is described that allows rapid parallel mapping of the amorphous-to-crystalline phase transition temperature and optical contrast associated with the phase change on such libraries. The results are shown to ???



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In this framework, our objective is to develop and study new biosourced phase change materials, able to compete with water as storage material and presenting improved performances in ???



Solid-liquid phase change energy storage has drawn considerable attention from researchers both domestically and internationally due to its many benefits, which include a ???



Phase change materials (PCM) are deemed to be a great option for thermal energy storage (TES) with high energy density, but the low thermal conductivity of numerous PCM ???





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Thermal energy storage is known as a key element to optimize the use of renewable energies and to improve building performances. Phase change materials (PCMs) derived from wastes or by-products of plant or animal oil ???



In this study, a new multi-criteria phase change material (PCM) selection methodology is presented, which considers relevant factors from an application and material handling point of ???



Through high-throughput screening, materials exhibiting phase change temperatures between 10.5 and 22 ?C are pinpointed. In Arkansas, Beijing, Minnesota, and Shanghai, a significant enhancement in demand-oriented ???



Thermal energy storage (TES) plays an important role in industrial applications with intermittent generation of thermal energy. In particular, the implementation of latent heat thermal energy storage (LHTES) technology in ???