

1 Introduction. The transport of heat in fractured media is a key process in a range of environmental and industrial applications (Bense et al., 2016; Guo et al., 2016), including geothermal energy production (Axelsson et al., 2001; Olasolo et al., 2016; O'Sullivan et al., 2001), aquifer thermal energy storage (Kim et al., 2010; Molson et al., 1992), and hydrothermal flows ...

the 2018 European Rock Mechanics Symposium (Vol. 1, pp. 821-826). CRC PRESS. ... Fractured rock, FRACOD model, Underground thermal energy storage, HYDROCK, Artificially fractured hard rock aquifer ...

High-temperature aquifer thermal energy storage (HT-ATES) systems are designed for seasonal storage of large amounts of thermal energy to meet the demand of industrial processes or district heating systems at high temperatures (> 100 °C). The resulting high injection temperatures or pressures induce thermo- and poroelastic stress changes ...

20 May 2022 IGreenLab Summit 2022 - DTU Energy 1 Rock Bed Thermal Energy Storage for Medium-Temperature Applications Kurt Engelbrecht, Kai Knobloch, Yousif Muhammad Department of Energy Conversion and Storage, Technical University of Denmark. initial focus (TES > 600 °C) today's presentation (TES ~ 200 °C) ...

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where T_2 denotes the material temperature at the end of the heat absorbing (charging) process and T_1 at the beginning of this process. This heat is released in the respective discharging process. In Table 1, some characteristic materials are listed together with their thermophysical properties needs to be considered that some material values, such as ...

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The use of filler material (e.g. natural rock, ceramics, sand etc.) in sensible heat storage system is an effective way to store thermal energy, and had the advantage to have low cost compared to ...

In this study, the charging efficiency, the discharging efficiency, the cyclic efficiency, and the capacity ratio of packed-bed TES systems of rocks only and rock/PCM capsule ...

Thermal energy storage (TES) has received significant attention and research due to its widespread use, relying on changes in material internal energy for storage and release [13]. ... (porous sedimentary rock). It is commonly used not only as a construction material but also as an insulator for heat, cold, and sound. Additionally, it serves ...

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The results obtained indicated that Hong Kong basalt is the optimal candidate for high-temperature thermal energy storage material, with 850 °C identified as the suitable maximum working temperature. Other igneous rocks from Hong Kong can be utilized for mid-to-low temperature range (100-500 °C) thermal energy storage engineering.

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A potential answer to the world's energy issue of balancing energy supply and demand is thermal energy storage (TES). During times of low demand, excess clean energy can be stored and released later using TES systems [1]. The International Energy Agency (IEA) [2] claims that TES can increase grid stability and dependability while also being a cost-effective ...

Heat storage in the form of sensible and latent heat is the most studied technologies and is at an advanced state of development (Fig. 2) [2,6,12] sensible heat storage, thermal energy is stored by raising the temperature of a material [13] and the storage density is equal to the product of the specific heat of this material by the temperature change [9].

Thermal energy storage is an integral part of the drive for low cost of concentrated solar power (CSP). Storage of thermal energy enables CSP plants to provide base load power. Alternative, cheaper concepts for storing thermal energy have been conceptually proposed in previous studies. Using rocks as a storage medium and air as a heat transfer fluid, the ...

natural convection in a rock-pit mine air preconditioning system acting as a large-scale thermal energy storage mass, Applied Energy (2018). -L. Amiri, S.A. Ghoreishi-Madiseh, A.P. Sasmito, F.P. Hassani, Evaluation of Heat Transfer Performance between Rock and Air in Seasonal Thermal Energy Storage Unit, Energy

The Siemens thermal energy storage system in rock, is being implemented in the scope of the Future Energy Storage (FES) project using the excess energy from wind power to heat a resistance and with an industrial blower making the hot air, at 600 °C, go through the empty spaces of the rock (a basalt aggregate) promoting heat exchanges between ...

Thermal energy storage (TES) is a technology that stocks thermal energy by heating or cooling a storage medium so that the stored energy can be used at a later time for heating and cooling ...

Rock cavern as thermal energy storage Simon Berglund Sustainable Energy Engineering, master's level 2020 Luleå; University of Technology Department of Engineering Sciences and Mathematics. Preface ... In January 2018, a new climate law was enforced in Sweden. This law binds Sweden to a series of climate steps,

The potential degradation of a rock bed thermal energy storage system is investigated systematically from both material- as well as system-level perspectives. The performance changes of a 1 MWhth ...

Thermal energy storage coupled to nuclear reactors may both increase nuclear flexibility and capitalize on price volatility, benefitting the economics for the struggling nuclear industry. This research maps the option space for constructing a crushed rock thermal energy storage (TES) system coupled to a light water reactor and employs a ...

During the winter period, in Mediterranean region, the storage and reuse of solar energy in thermal form is an important issue for heating greenhouses. In the present work, the performance of a combination of two systems i.e. rock-bed thermal energy storage and water filled passive solar, for heating canarian greenhouse was analyzed and discussed.

Keywords: Rock Bed; Thermal Energy Storage; TESS; Low Cost, Concentrating Solar Power, CSP 1. Introduction Currently, molten salt is primarily used for the purpose of thermal energy storage in CSP Plants. By making use of a rock bed TESS, storage costs can be reduced. Thermal rock bed storage forms part of seasonal sensible thermal ...

The 3D mathematical model of rock-pit STES developed by [11] was extended to take into account overlying ambient air to allow for conjugate fluid flow and heat transfer, and to capture the development of natural

convection flow caused by temperature differences within the ambient air and broken rock. The physical domain of the rock-pit STES system comprises a ...

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