

Are hybrid solar collectors a viable alternative to fossil fuels?

This review revealed that hybrid solar collectors possess an undeniable potential to cover a wide range of applications and alleviate the global warming impact linked mainly to the fossil energy systems' utilization. However, their energetic performance has to be further improved to achieve the competitiveness with fossil fuel-based systems.

What is a hybrid solar collector?

The development of these technologies resulted in the inception of hybrid solar collectors, which integrate both thermal and photovoltaic technologies for a dual production of thermal energy and electricity.

What are concentrating and non-concentrating hybrid solar collectors?

Concentrating and non-concentrating hybrid solar collectors have drawn increasing interest thanks to their multiple advantages compared to the conventional counterparts, including the higher efficiency and dual production of thermal and electrical energies, alleviating energy security and environmental concerns.

Do hybrid solar collectors have a thermal exergy?

From exergetic perspective, hybrid solar collectors have an insignificant thermal exergy in contrast to the electrical one. This issue could be surmounted by developing efficient thermal management techniques, reducing the thermal losses, and recovering the waste heat.

How to evaluate hybrid solar collectors?

The assessment of hybrid solar collectors using energetic, exergetic, economic and environmental effectiveness indicators, depending on their applications, is of great importance to accurately evaluate their overall performance. Thus, it is also valuable to identify the most beneficial applications for hybrid solar collectors.

Can a hybrid photovoltaic thermal collector drive a space cooling system?

Moreover, the electrical output of hybrid photovoltaic thermal collectors can be used to drive electrical cooling systems such as the compression chiller. In this context, Chen et al. evaluated a hybrid cooling system driven by PVT collector for space cooling application.

Heliostat Field Collector, Solar Tower or Central Receiver, which is pictured in Fig. 11, is a type of concentrating solar collectors consisting of many uniformly distributed heliostats that operate to focus sunlight on a central receiver installed at the top of a tower where there is a heat extraction fluid receiving the concentrated solar ...

The article focuses on the use of hybrid solar collectors as one of the ways to increase the efficiency of solar systems in general. The authors consider the design of a solar collector with the arrangement of circulation pipes above the heat-absorbing surface with a transparent coating. A solar system with natural circulation of

the heat carrier

The system is connected as follows: A stream of cold saline water is passed into the C-PV/T system via a dehumidifier, DH (1) before entry to the PV/T solar collectors (3). In this PV/T solar collector, two purposes are achieved namely, cooling the PV cells to improve their power generation efficiency, and raising the temperature of the saline ...

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Furthermore, the global energy market has been perturbed due to the invasion of Ukraine bringing back concerns about the world"s energy security. Thereby, the exploitation of renewable energy resources presents a great opportunity to alleviate these energetic and environmental concerns. ... Hybrid solar collectors have been commonly used with ...

Chow, T.T. (2010) A Review on Photovoltaic/Thermal Hybrid Solar Technology, *Appl. Energy*, 87(2): ... R.A., and Otanicar, T. (2020) A Review of Nanofluid-Based Direct Absorption Solar Collectors: Design Considerations and Experiments with Hybrid PV/Thermal and Direct Steam Generation Collectors, *Renewable Energy*, 145: 903-913.

In the article the power supply scheme of a private house was developed for the Western Ukraine region conditions with Sun energy usage and soil thermal energy. It was evaluated the annual heat-flux density of the scheme. The solar collectors are justified and...

As shown in Fig. 18, the main components of these hybrid systems include solar collectors, solar thermal storage tanks (in some cases), geothermal production and reinjection wells, heat exchangers, condensers, ... the target on the Zaporizhzhia nuclear plant in the recent war in Ukraine. This study focused mainly on the multigeneration schemes ...

The solar hybrid collector (PV/T) modules are a beneficial approach that simultaneously transforms solar radiation into heat and electric power. ... The instability of energy supply and damage to energy infrastructure as a result of hostilities on the territory of Ukraine have increased the urgency of developing autonomous and backup energy ...

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This study addresses challenges in enhancing the thermal efficiency of parabolic solar collector energy systems using hybrid nanofluids, focusing on issues like nanoparticle clumping and decreased effectiveness.

The objective is to optimize design parameters for improved energy absorption and efficiency by evaluating the thermal performance of hybrid nanofluids through ...

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PVT hybrid solar collector was established mainly to optimize the SE exploitation. The utilized region by PVT is greater than that used by traditional PV or thermal collectors. To clarify, with ...

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The authors propose the design of a hybrid thermal and photovoltaic solar collector and propose a mathematical model of a heating system with such a solar collector based on thermal performance. This article focuses on determining the fill ...

Chow et al. [22] present the modeling and comparative study of the performance of a PVT hybrid water solar collector. Two prototypes of hybrid solar collectors were constructed, the first of which was modeled in 2006 [23]. The second, more efficient component was modeled more finely [22]. It is a glazed solar collector composed of a crystalline ...

The article points to the need for the use of hybrid solar collectors to ensure the effective collection of solar energy and emphasizes the importance of further research and improvement of the constructional elements of such a system to reduce

Including PM in hybrid solar collectors (SC) enhances thermal efficiency compared to other designs due to increased heat transfer area, resulting in higher output air temperatures [37], [68]. A comparative analysis of different hybrid PVT collector structures highlighted their respective advantages [18].

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The incorporation of various solar collectors with hybrid nanofluid is discussed as follows: 3.1. Concentrated solar collectors. Due to their higher concentration ratio, concentrated solar collectors like parabolic trough and dish types are the most popular collectors for TES applications. A detailed explanation of the research studies ...

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the optimal values of the mass flow rate of the heat carrier in the solar collector and the mass of the heat carrier in the storage tank to achieve its maximum thermal efficiency for the given conditions. 4. Theoretical prerequisites

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A computer model of the proposed design of a photovoltaic thermal hybrid solar collector (PVT) was developed, and its thermotechnical characteristics were investigated. ... 12, Lviv, Ukraine ...

The most common types of solar collectors are flat plate solar collectors, evacuated-tube solar collectors, and hybrid photovoltaic-thermal solar collector systems. They differ in design and efficiency as well as testing methods that * Corresponding author. Email address: halyna.f.matiko@lpnu.ua

In this paper, we provide a comprehensive overview of the state-of-the-art in hybrid PV-T collectors and the wider systems within which they can be implemented, and assess the worldwide energy...

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