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What is a concrete thermal storage system?
In 2018, as part of the EDITOR Project (Funded by European funds through SOLAR-ERA.NET), CADE launched a concrete thermal storage system consisting of two containers with a capacity of 600 kWh, capable of storing thermal energy generated in a concentrating solar field and releasing that energy at a later time to generate process steam.

What are concrete storage modules used for?
Concrete storage modules were also used in the project EDITOR funded by the solar ERA-NET framework. The storage was coupled with a parabolic through collector and installed in the KEAN drinks factory in Limassol, Cyprus. The HTF employed is a silicone-based thermal oil named HELISOL ® XA with reduced environmental impact.

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Alonso, M.C.; Vera-Agullo, J.; Guerreiro, L.; Flor-Laguna, V.; Sanchez, M.; Collares-Pereira, M. Calcium aluminate based cement for concrete to be used as thermal energy storage in solar thermal electricity plants. Cem. Concr. Res. 2016, 82, 74-86. [Google Scholar] [CrossRef]

What is a solid thermal storage solution based on?
Thanks to CADE's innovative DNA and initiatives,such as EDITOR or TES4Trig,CADE has managed to develop its own solid thermal storage solutions and technologies (solidTES) based on different materials such as solid aggregates or special types of concrete.

What is thermal energy storage?
Thermal energy storage (TES) addresses the mismatches between energy supply and demand, which involve time, temperature, power, and location [1]. Therefore, TES has multiple applications.

What is a future-ready thermal oil system?
Future-ready thermal oil systems are at the heart of our power,solar and waste heat storing solutions. In these systems,thermal oil is used to transfer thermal energy from a sink to the ThermalBattery(TM),before supplying it back to a sink when needed.

The main challenges related to concrete TES for CSP applications are related to on-site construction, different thermal expansion coefficient of steel pipes and concrete, and limitations ...

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Designing a concrete module and determining its operating conditions is not an easy task due to the fluid dynamics and heat transfer phenomena involved in the storage process between ...

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The performance of a 2 × 500 kWhth thermal energy storage (TES) technology has been tested at the Masdar Institute Solar Platform (MISP) at temperatures up to 380°C over a period of more than 20 ...

In order to improve the actual configurations, this study proposes a novel concept for thermal energy storage using concrete based on a modular concept, improved concrete formulation, ...

TANKRETE project, developed by InCrescendo, is aimed at tackling this problem while contributing to increase the CSP profitability. TANKRETE is a cylindrical tank with an isolating ...

Thermal properties of the new concrete, such as capacity, conductivity and high temperature integrity, outperforms previously reported values. The performance of a 2 × 500 kWh th ...

Concrete storage has so far been designed for parabolic trough solar thermal power plants of the ANDASOL-type, using thermal oil as heat transfer fluid. So for this 50 MWe plant a concrete storage ...

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To enhance the heat transfer rate in concrete based sensible heat thermal energy storage (SHTES) systems, the well-proven technique of fin incorporation is implemented. ...

This state-of-the-art review examines the applications of concrete-based SHS across diverse domains,

including buildings, concentrated solar power systems, and industrial power ...

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This study aims to develop a novel concrete formulation designed for high-temperature applications and capable of withstanding thermal cycling. To achieve this, a refractory concrete was conceptualized ...

A concrete storage module is principally composed of a tube register, two fluid headers and concrete as the sensible storage material (Figure 3), where additional components such as insulation and ...

Thermal applications are drawing increasing attention in the solar energy research field, due to their high performance in energy storage density and energy conversion efficiency. In these ...

Abstract: This paper concerns a solar thermal water heating system that combines two concrete modules connected in series for thermal energy storage. The heat transfer performance of the ...

A landmark review of concrete as thermal energy storage material is presented through a bibliometric analysis approach. This study shows influential literature and the current relevant ...

What is the thermal behavior of solar energy storage systems? The thermal behavior of various solar energy storage systems is widely discussed in the literature, such as bulk solar energy storage, ...

The TES using concrete as the heat storage media is a regenerative heat storage system where the concrete modules are cyclically heated and cooled by heat transfer fluid (HTF) flows.

Abstract Guidelines for designing a concrete storage module and for its integration into a solar plant, respecting constraints linked both to an adequate solar field operation and to the production system ...

The objective of this paper is to review the recent technologies of thermal energy storage (TES) using phase change materials (PCM) for various applications, particularly concentrated ...

First, to characterize the thermal energy storage capacity and thermal performance of geopolymer concrete, considering critical factors such as air velocity, tube diameter, and module size.

This paper shows the work carried out to determine the thermal behavior of a concrete storage unit for medium temperature applications. The experimental thermal storage module using concrete was ...

This article outlines a new 100 kW th solar beam-down facility for testing high temperature concrete storage at 393°C and the first project to use the facility for TES testing in ...

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