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New greenhouse energy storage wall



Overview

This study proposed a novel composite wall (NCW) with an independent modular wall made of expanded polystyrene board and reinforced concrete (EPCW), and a solar water heating system (SWHS). What is a solar greenhouse wall?

Traditional solar greenhouse wall combines the functions of heat preservation and heating. It cannot accommodate both heat storage and insulation that the heat stored in the wall is uncontrollably lost as the temperature difference between the interior and exterior increases.

How does a greenhouse north wall work?

Numerous studies have demonstrated that the greenhouse north wall functions as a thermal absorber during the daytime, effectively capturing both solar radiation and the air convective heat, and subsequently releasing the heat back into the air when the indoor air temperature is lower than that of the inner wall surface [6, 7].

How does a solar greenhouse work?

When the indoor air temperature of the solar greenhouse drops at nighttime, the proposed wall and the ordinary wall conduct stored energy back to the inner surface, which then transfers heat from the inner surface of the wall to the indoor environment through heat convection and heat radiation.

How does solar radiation affect heat storage in a greenhouse?

During the daytime, the heat preservation quilt is removed; thus, solar radiation energy can enter the greenhouse through polyethylene vinyl acetate film and irradiate the inner surface of north wall directly, causing a significant increase in north wall temperature, which can significantly increase the heat storage of north wall.

Do solar greenhouse walls have thermal performance?

Therefore, the thermal performance of solar greenhouse walls relies on composition and thickness. The proposal for appropriate wall designs has been extensively investigated through the modification of materials and structural forms, employing numerical simulation and field testing [, ,]. Fig. 2.

Can solar greenhouse overwinter cultivation be a novel wall design concept?

In this study, we proposed a novel wall design concept for solar greenhouse overwinter cultivation, incorporating the independent insulation composite wall and the solar water heating system. The thermal resistance of the novel composite wall was also assessed based on the energy balance process in a solar greenhouse.

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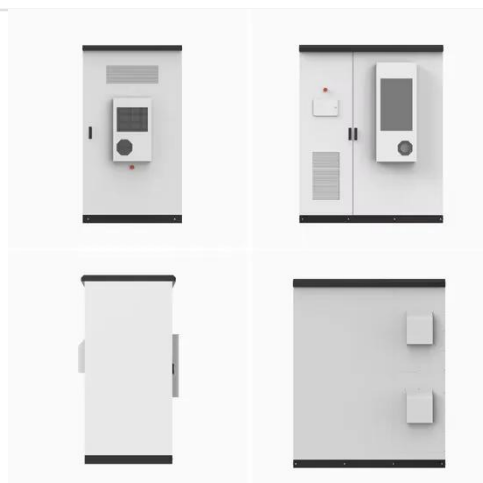


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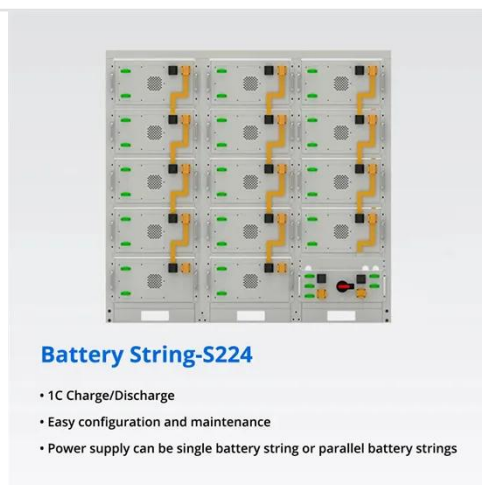


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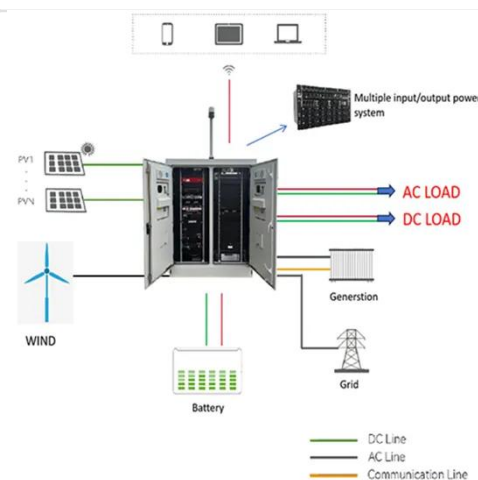
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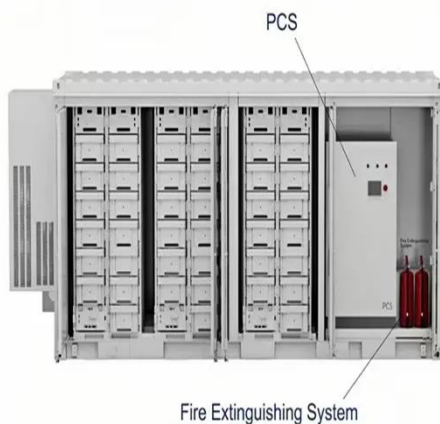


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