Solar straight-through tube for thermal power generation

What is a straight-through tube?
The straight-through tube can use glass materials with different thermal expansion coefficients in the inner and outer tubes to achieve the same thermal expansion difference.

What are the different solar thermoelectric technologies?
This chapter introduces various solar thermoelectric technologies including micro-channel heat pipe evacuated tube solar collector incorporated thermoelectric power generation system, solar concentrating thermoelectric generator using the micro-channel heat pipe array, and novel photovoltaic-thermoelectric power generation system.

What is a central receiver in a solar thermal system?
Generating power from solar thermal systems is an effective method for realizing grid-scale dispatchable power generation and replacing conventional energy. The central receiver plays a vital function in the entire power generation system 1. Introduction

What is integrated solar heat pipe thermoelectric generator module?
The integrated solar heat pipe thermoelectric generator module consists of a square channel for the cooling water, a thermoelectric generator, a heat pipe with selective absorbing coating, and an evacuated tube. Schematic diagram of the micro-channel heat pipe evacuated tube solar collector incorporated thermoelectric module

What is the outlet temperature of a straight-through tube?
Outlet temperature of two kinds of tubes. The simulations show that the Nusselt number (Nu) of the straight-through tube is 17.4 and 4.0 times higher than that of the Dewar-tube with 4.36 (See Fig. 4 and Eq. (3), (4), (5), (6), (7), (8), (9a), (9b), (10), (11), (12)) for a water temperature of 312 K (about 39 °C).

Can solar power be used to generate thermal energy?
Utilizing solar power to generate thermal energy is an effective methodfor realizing grid-scale dispatchable power generation and replacing conventional energy,which may bring revolutionary solutions to serious energy problems (Romero et al.,2002,Behar et al.,2013).

A straight-through all-glass evacuated tube collector (ETC) made of high-quality borosilicate glass was developed for large-scale low and medium temperature solar hot water ...

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consumer of energy resources.

Fossil fuel based power generation is and will still be the back bone of our world economy, albeit such form of power generation significantly contributes to global CO 2 emissions. Solar energy is a clean, environmental friendly energy source for power generation, however solar photovoltaic electricity generation is not practical for large commercial scales due to its cost ...

In addition, a comparison is made between solar thermal power plants and PV power generation plants. Based on published studies, PV-based systems are more suitable for small-scale power ...

Solar thermal power is a promising and rapidly expanding source of carbon-free energy. Analysis and design techniques for solar thermal power generation for the Solar Power Tower (SPT) systems are currently mathematically difficult. We simulated a model of a SPT that...

Solar energy is a green, stable and universal source of renewable energy, with wide spectrum and broad area characteristics [1] is regarded as being one of the renewable energy sources with the greatest potential to achieve sustained, high intensity energy output [1], [2].The conflict between population growth and water shortage has become one of the most ...

Metal heat-absorbing body ET is a new form developed since the all-glass ET, which can be divided into U-tube, straight-through, and HP types, which has expanded the application scope of SWCs. ... The primary component of thermal solar systems, responsible for converting solar energy into thermal energy for various applications, is the solar ...

Concentrated solar power (CSP) with thermal storage (TES) can generate continuous power output. It can be used for various applications by overcoming the intermittent solar radiation.

The simulation results reflect effectively the optical and thermal properties of the concentrated solar thermal power generation system, and provide the reference for the design, optimization and ...

In the context of solar tower power, the significance of the receiver has to do with its capacity to convert sun rays into heat. This heat is then conveyed to a heat transfer fluid.

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Solar thermal power systems use concentrated solar energy Solar thermal power (electricity) generation systems collect and concentrate sunlight to produce the high temperature heat needed to generate electricity. All solar thermal power systems have solar energy collectors with two main components: reflectors (mirrors) that capture and focus ...

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Flat-plate collectors are the most common and widely used type of solar thermal collectors. They consist of a flat, insulated box with a dark absorber plate covered by a transparent glass or plastic cover. The sunlight ...

According to the working temperature of solar energy utilization system, it can be divided into three types: low-temperature heat utilization (<100 o C), mid-temperature heat utilization (100 ...

Solar thermal-electric power systems collect and concentrate sunlight to produce the high temperatures needed to generate electricity. All solar thermal power systems have solar energy collectors with two main components: reflectors (mirrors) that capture and focus sunlight onto a receiver most types of systems, a heat-transfer fluid is heated and circulated in the receiver ...

clean energy power generation methods, solar thermal power generation can turn the traditional power grid into a technology of energy Internet because of its unique advantages. The thermal power generation will play a key and key role in the energy Internet and will play a leading role. Keywords A New Generation of Energy Systems, Renewable ...

Compared with photovoltaic and wind power generation, it is useful to improve the uneven solar energy distribution for power generation, which is more accessible to the power grid. 1 Direct steam generation solar thermal power generation (DSG-STP) is one of the most promising and effective methods for solar energy utilization by converting solar energy into heat for storage.

Data-based methods are useful for accurate modelling of solar thermal systems. In this work, several artificial neural network (ANN) techniques are proposed to predict the ...

The symmetric and asymmetric outward convex corrugated tubes proposed by Wang et al. [125], [126] as the metal tube of tube receiver for a parabolic trough solar collector system can increase not only the overall heat transfer performance, but also decrease the thermal deformation of the tube receiver. The optical-thermal-structural sequential coupled analysis ...

One of the main problems of solar power tower plants with molten salt as heat transfer fluid is the reliability of central receivers. The receiver must withstand high working temperatures, molten ...

this central receiver is the need to transfer heat to the fluid through the walls of the tubes of the panels, which results in loss of energy and reduced ... solar thermal power generation on a large scale, and established a large number of experimental power stations. In ...

Increasing the generation of renewable energies to reduce the consumption of fossil fuels that produce high concentration of greenhouse gases is the priority that several governments have set for themselves in the medium term. In this paper, the modeling of a solar thermal energy generation plant is carried out. The

climatic data correspond to two coastal ...

Solar thermal power generation S P SUKHATME Mechanical Engineering Department, Indian Institute of Technology, Powai Bombay, 400 076, India Abstract. The technologies and systems developed thus far for solar-thermal power generation and their approximate costs are described along with discussions for future prospects. Keywords.

Kalogirou (2004) also analyzed the optical and thermal performance of various solar thermal systems such as flat plate collector (FPC), compound parabolic collector (CPC), evacuated tube collector (ETC), linear Fresnel reflector (LFR), parabolic trough collector (PTC), power tower (PT) and parabolic dish collector (PDC) for various applications such as space ...

7. Thermal energy storage (TES) TES are high-pressure liquid storage tanks used along with a solar thermal system to allow plants to bank several hours of potential electricity. o Two-tank direct system: solar thermal ...