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Can synthetic oils be used for thermal energy storage?
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How can oil field energy saving management improve the flow of crude oil?
Since the crude oil produced in our country has more than three high characteristics,the safety and stable transportation was one of the key links of oil field energy saving management. One of the ways to ensure the flow of crude oil in long distance pipeline was to adopt effective insulation measures.

What is thermal-storage heat-transfer & fluid-flow modeling?
At NREL,we use thermal-storage heat-transfer and fluid- flow modeling to simulate the flow of thermal energy and fluid over time in complex geometriessuch as tanks,piping,and packed beds.

What is a thermal storage process & components lab?
Our Thermal Storage Process and Components Laboratory is being established as a testing labwith the equipment and accessories needed to measure the fluid flow and heat transfer behavior/performance of process components of storage systems --complete with oil,steam,and salt heat transfer fluids.

Another application field is the improvement of the energy efficiency in the process heat industry by TES integration. Particularly the high-temperature energy intensive industries ...

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The use of thermal oil in the solar field is usually known as " heat transfer fluid (HTF) technology" because the thermal oil transfers the thermal energy delivered by the solar field to the thermal ...

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The process of heat transfer and blending is essentially dependent on the buoyancy of the fluid resulting from the hot crude oil jet flow by the nozzles. The Froude number along ...

At last, Nano-graphene and graphene coatings also show great power in energy conversion, energy storage and heat transfer development, which will be a new research ...

Sensible heat thermal energy storage materials store heat energy in their specific heat capacity (C p). The thermal energy stored by sensible heat can be expressed as (1) Q = ...

Our results show that as t increases from 200 rpm to 500 rpm and D increases from 400 mm to 600 mm, there is an improvement in the average crude oil temperature and ...

Boiling process is a highly efficient mechanism of heat transfer, which has an important role in industrial and domestic sectors. In this process, a large amount of thermal ...

The global energy sector is transitioning towards renewable sources due to the limited and non-renewable nature of fossil fuels [1].However, renewable energy sources are ...

The purpose of this work is to determine the influence of the operating modes of fuel oil heaters on the heat transfer process inside the storage tank, to determine the average ...

Purpose of work - analysis of non-stationary thermal fuel oil storage mode using a heat transfer model that takes into account the thermal conductivity, natural convection, the local supply of ...

The cheapest way to store solar energy over many hours, such as the five to seven hour evening peak demand now found in more places around the world is in thermal energy storage. As solar PV adoption has risen - ...

Taking a 1,000 m 3 floating roof crude oil storage tank with mechanical stirring and tubular heating device as the research object, the computational domain of numerical ...

At this point, many scholars had carried out extensive investigation dealing with the problem referring the process of shutdown and restart. Against the heat transfer characteristic ...

Based on the one-dimensional (1D) mass, momentum, and energy conservation equations of the oil stream, Wang derived the 1D heat transfer equation of the oil stream in the pipeline, and the influence of fluid ...

As a fundamental physical phenomenon, convective heat transfer plays a significant role in industrial heat transfer and energy fields. High-performance liquid convection not only ...

To enclose the heat transfer equation, the overall heat transfer coefficient and the numerical simulation of temperature fields of pipe wall and soil are introduced, and they together with the basic heat transfer equation

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Heat transfer fluids carry the heat to the storage tank and then to the steam generator. As a result, it is important for good fluids to have a low viscosity and high thermal capacity. Water, ...

Most CSP plants installed so far are based on Parabolic Trough (PT) collectors using Thermal Oil (TO) as Heat Transfer Fluid (HTF) up to 400 °C; an indirect Thermal Energy ...

Previous studies have analyzed storage tanks as a fixed volume fluid domain. Liu [7], Du [8] simulate the tank storage turnover process numerically by means of CFD, and analyze ...

The heat transfer fluid material can affect both the behaviors of a heat storage tank. Based on the Fluid-Solid Coupling method, the influences of five different heat transfer fluids ...

PCM has the characteristics of phase change energy storage and heat release, combining it with the gathering and transmission pipeline not only improves the insulation ...

The purpose of present study is to review the research progress of the flow and heat transfer characteristics of fluids in metal foams, and to summarize the prediction models ...

The molten salt from the cold storage tank (298 °C) are heated up in a heat exchanger by a heat transfer fluid (HTF), generally thermal oil, coming from the parabolic ...

The working hybrid nanofluid"s thermal field outlines degraded as index number values rose as well. ... work is that Williamson hybrid nanofluids (Cu-Ag/engine oil) gradually ...

To effectively get heat in and out of the solid material, channels of heat transfer fluid can be embedded within the storage material. Here we present design principles to ...

In order to achieve optimal safety and cost-effectiveness in crude oil storage, it is of paramount importance to conduct a comprehensive investigation the heat transfer and flow ...

In response to the energy conservation and emission reduction targets proposed by China"s Fourteenth Five-Year Plan, it is necessary for oilfield enterprises to achieve the ...

regimes on fuel oil storage tank is practically not been studied until recently. Purpose of work - analysis of non-stationary thermal fuel oil storage mode using a heat transfer model that takes ...

The temperature field of the fuel oil in the tank with a heat source of 100-150 kW/m 2 was solved by the finite difference method. The difference between the minimum oil ...

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Numerical modeling of heat transfer in the fuel oil storage tank at thermal power plant. EPJ Web Conf., 82 (2015), p. 01027. Crossref View in Scopus Google ... Research on ...

Few studies have been conducted in the field of free convection heat transfer with the aim of improving efficiency, energy storage and proper performance of oil tank heating ...

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