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With the rapid development of science and technology, the ever-increasing energy shortages and global warming have become enormous challenges that the global community must face [[1], [2], [3], [4]]. Phase change energy storage material refers to a kind of clean green material that can absorb, store or release a large amount of latent heat energy in ...

All results indicate that TCDWs would be used as a good reversible thermochromic composite phase change material for thermal energy storage with good stability and excellent mechanical properties, and could have potential applications in the fields of thermal insulation, decoration, furniture, storage and building energy conservation.

Phase change materials (PCMs) [4] are developed to support phase change energy storage technology, and can be considered as thermal insulation material due to approximatively isothermal phase change process [5, 6]. The thermal insulation performance is related to the latent heat of phase transition.

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Phase change materials (PCMs) are utilized for thermo-electric energy harvesting systems by using phase transitions. The thermal energy harvesting can be controlled for different isothermal fields. Introducing graphene nano-platelets (GNPs) fillers in the system can enlarge the Seebeck effect, thus increasing the thermo-electric energy harvesting performance. In this ...

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Inorganic PCMs are particularly prone to losing bound water during repeated phase change cycles, reducing energy storage capacity and issues like phase segregation or weathering. ... The melting and freezing processes should be completely reversible without any material degradation after numerous cycles, while also maintaining non-corrosiveness ...

Phase change materials (PCMs) are ideal carriers for clean energy conversion and storage due to their high thermal energy storage capacity and low cost. During the phase transition process, PCMs are able to store thermal energy in the form of latent heat, which is more efficient and steadier compared to other types of heat storage media (e.g ...

The energy storage efficiency plays an important role to describe the phase change performance for latent heat storage and release after phase change materials was encapsulated [42]. And the energy storage efficiency was much closed to their actual core content in samples, which indicated that microcapsules could release almost all of latent ...

Phase change materials (PCMs) have attracted tremendous attention in the field of thermal energy storage owing to the large energy storage density when going through the isothermal phase transition process, and the functional PCMs have been deeply explored for the applications of solar/electro-thermal energy storage, waste heat storage and utilization, ...

Conventional phase change materials struggle with long-duration thermal energy storage and controllable latent heat release. In a recent issue of *Angewandte Chemie*, Chen et al. proposed a new concept of spatiotemporal phase change materials with high supercooling to realize long-duration storage and intelligent release of latent heat, inspiring the design of ...

To broaden the application scope of wood-based phase-change materials and introduce functional diversity, this research developed a wood-based phase-change energy storage composite featuring reversible thermochromic properties. Thermochromism refers to the reversible color change phenomenon in materials as temperature varies (Fu and Hu, 2017).

One of the numerous TES technologies that is garnering a lot of attention is reversible latent heat storage based on phase change materials (PCMs), which offers the advantages of high energy storage density and small temperature swings. ... Solar-thermal energy storage within phase change materials (PCMs) can

overcome solar radiation ...

Nowadays, single functional materials have been unable to meet the needs of various application scenarios [16]. Driven by the advanced applications of reversible and rewritable data storage or printing technology, chromic materials are considered to be very promising, which will change into different colors according to different stimuli (including temperature, pressure, ...

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Chemical structures and synthetic scheme of solar thermal conversion materials with phase-change energy storage. Table 1. Sample identification and compositions. Samples Compositions a; PCM: ... An excellent thermal stability and reversible phase transition of OCSPCMs were achieved. The simplicity and low cost of color-matching not only ...

The rapid development of economy and society has involved unprecedented energy consumption, which has generated serious energy crisis and environmental pollution caused by energy exploitation [1, 2] order to overcome these problems, thermal energy storage system, phase change materials (PCM) in particular, has been widely explored [3, 4]. Phase ...

The rapid advancement of phase change material (PCM) has spurred numerous innovations, such as the use of reversible optical properties of solid-liquid phase change materials in the manufacturing of optical devices. However, these materials often exhibit poor stability and low heat storage performance. Here, a method for producing cellulose-based ...

In this study, a series of gelators (Gn, n is the number of carbon atoms of used fatty alcohol,  $n = 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14, 16$  and  $18$ ) were synthesized by reacting 4,4'-diphenylmethane diisocyanate with fatty alcohols. Meanwhile, n-octadecane-based gels as form-stable phase change materials (FSPCMs) for thermal energy storage were prepared by ...

Shaped-stabilized reversible thermochromic phase change materials of (TBC-LB, TBB-LB) were assembled by impregnation the TBC (crystal violet lactone/bisphenol A/tetradecanol) or TBB (3,3'-Bis (1-n-octyl-2-methylindol-3-yl) phthalide/bisphenol A/tetradecanol) into lignin-retained bamboo (LB) for energy storage.

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