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Calculation of light energy storage and thermal conversion efficiency

Our results confirmed that Ti 3 C 2 had an outstanding internal light-to-heat conversion efficiency (i.e., 100%) and the MXene membrane with an underlying heat barrier achieved 84% light-to-water-evaporation efficiency under 1 sun light illumination (1 kW/m 2), which is among the state of the art of such a system.

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By combining photo-thermal materials with PCMs, PCPCMs with high photo-thermal conversion efficiency can be prepared. Under the irradiation of sunlight, PCPCMs can absorb light and convert it into thermal energy under sunlight irradiation, rapidly heating up to achieve phase change heat storage. However, due to the lack of in-depth exploration ...

The heat stored in the PCM container will help to generate continuous solar energy at night and improve the thermal power conversion efficiency of the TEGs. The energy conversion equilibrium equation is established for the CTEG unit. By numerical calculation, we conclude that the absorption rate of the coating surface is reduced by 0.1 and the ...

Besides the light absorption of a photothermal material, the light-to-heat conversion efficiency is another essential factor that directly quantifies the absorbed energy transferred to thermal energy, instead of radiative re-emission of photons. One straightforward method for determining the conversion efficiency is to measure the increase in temperature ...

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