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#### Can a looped heat pipe battery convert waste heat into electricity?

In this study, a novel looped heat pipe battery (LHPB) was proposed to achieve the aforementioned function. By absorbing heat through the evaporator of the proposed LHPB, the working fluid was transformed into high-speed vapor and blasted the generator rotor sealed in the LHPB condenser, which directly converted waste heat into electricity.

#### What is the recovery of waste heat for power?

The recovery of waste heat for power is a largely untapped type of combined heat and power(CHP), which is the use of a single fuel source to generate both thermal energy (i.e., heating or cooling) and electricity.

#### How does the charging process affect the COP of waste heat?

In the charging process, the mass flow rate of the waste heat increases from 296.02 kg/s to 352.93 kg/s because of the arrangement of the HP recuperator in the PR-PTES system and the R-PTES system. Then the amount of water stored in the heat storage system is boosted, and the COP of the HP cycle can be increased by 0.47.

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#### What is low-grade waste heat?

Nevertheless, the low-grade waste heat, defined as the available energy contained in the liquid (< 90 &#176;C), gas (&lt; 200 &#176;C), and solid (&lt; 400 &#176;C), accounting for 66 % of the total waste heat loss and the recovery technologies are very limited caused by the wide distribution and the low quality.

#### What is waste heat to Power (WHP)?

Waste heat to power (WHP) is the process of capturing heat discarded by an existing thermal process and using that heat to generate power (see Figure 1).

The vast majority of power generation in the United States today is produced through the same processes as it was in the late-1800s: heat is applied to water to generate steam, which turns a turbine, which turns a generator, generating electrical power. Researchers today are developing solid-state power generation processes that are more befitting the 21st ...

Here, we report an air/metal hydride battery with the function of both treating acid-base wastewaters and gathering the waste heat energy in the form of electricity. Remarkably, the proposed battery could exhibit a high coulombic efficiency of up to ca. 94%, along with an effective reduction in the acidity/alkalinity of waste

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"The use of waste heat for power production would allow additional electricity generation without any added consumption of fossil fuels," said Bruce E. Logan, Evan Pugh Professor and Kappe ...

Thermomagnetic generation (TMG), a promising technology to convert low-grade waste heat to electricity, utilizes high performance TMG materials. However, the drawbacks of large hysteresis, poor mechanical properties and inadequate service life hinder the practical applications. For the first time, we evaluat

Large amounts of waste heat, below 120 °C, are released globally by industry. To convert this low-temperature waste heat to power, thermally regenerative flow batteries (TRFBs) have recently been studied. Most analyses focus on either the discharging or the regeneration phase.

Researchers at Stanford University and the Massachusetts Institute of Technology have developed a new battery technology that captures waste heat and converts it into electricity. Vast amounts of excess heat are generated by ...

Waste heat streams can be used to generate power in what is called bottoming cycle CHP--another term for WHP.1 In this configuration, fuel is first used to provide thermal ...

Hence, using the condenser's waste heat increases the power generation of the ORC. Download: Download high-res image (126KB) Download: Download full-size image; Fig. 17. COP for different ORC-VCC coupling versus evaporating temperatures. Values retrieved from Saleh [133], Zhu et al. [134], and Al-Sayyab et al. [142]. Table 5 shows that dual-fluid ORC ...

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Carnot battery is a large-scale electrical energy storage technology, and pumped thermal energy storage (PTES) is one of the branches in which the waste heat can be efficiently utilized. The integration of the PTES

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That extra energy, of course, doesn"t just appear from nowhere: It comes from the heat that was added to the system. The system aims at harvesting heat of less than 100 C, which accounts for a large proportion of potentially harvestable waste heat. In a demonstration with waste heat of 60 C the new system has an estimated efficiency of 5.7 ...

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