

What is solar humidification - dehumidification method?

The solar humidification-dehumidification method (HDH) is a thermal water desalination method. It is based on evaporation of sea water or brackish water and consecutive condensation of the generated humid air, mostly at ambient pressure. This process mimics the natural water cycle, but over a much shorter time frame.

Does a solar desalination unit have humidification and dehumidification?

A solar desalination unit with humidification and dehumidification is presented. Experiments on the unit were conducted. It was found that the performance of the system was strongly dependent on the temperature of inlet salt water to the humidifier, the mass flow rate of salt water, and the mass flow rate of the process air.

Can a solar concentrator heat a multi-stage humidification-dehumidification desalination system?

Experimental investigation of a multi-stage humidification-dehumidification desalination system heated directly by a cylindrical Fresnel lens solar concentrator. Integration of process modeling, design, and optimization with an experimental study of a solar-driven humidification and dehumidification desalination system

Can a solar HDD be used as a humidifier?

Sharshir et al. offered a solar HDD unit integrated with four solar stills that reused the drain warm water from humidifier for feeding the solar stills. The productivity of the conventional one, single solar still, four solar stills, HDD, and the proposed hybrid configuration were obtained to be 3.2, 10.5, 42, 24.3 and 66.3 l/day.

Can air humidification technique be used to design a solar desalination plant?

During a numerical and experimental analysis in Cairo in 2009, air humidification technique is employed as a developed effective method for design and manufacture of a solar desalination plant. For investigation purposes, three configurations were analyzed.

How does FDM determine the performance of a humidifier?

The outlet conditions of air from the humidifier are theoretically predicted by FDM with the given inlet conditions, which will be further used in the design calculation of the humidifier. Hot water to air flow rate ratio and inlet hot water temperature are identified as key operating parameters to evaluate the humidifier performance.

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This paper presents a theoretical study of a solar desalination system with humidification-dehumidification which is a promising technique of production of fresh water at small scale (few m<sup>3</sup>/d). A general model based on heat and mass transfer balances in each component of the system was developed and used to optimize the system's ...

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On the other hand, the lowest freshwater production was 2.34 kg (equal to 0.56 kg/h/m<sup>2</sup> solar humidifier) at the seawater flow rate of 0.05 kg/s and the condensation temperature of 30 °C. The study on the HDH

desalination system equipped with PVT modules showed that the highest amount of produced water was 0.82 L/h observed at the seawater flow rate of 30 kg/h ...

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The three basic parts of H-DH desalination system are heat source (air and water heater), humidifier, and dehumidifier. Various researches were conducted to improve the H-DH desalination system performance. The thermal performance of desalination system using humidification-dehumidification (H-DH) approach was experimentally investigated by Yuan et ...

W.F. He et al. / Desalination and Water Treatment 293 (2023) 1-13 3 2. Modeling 2.1. Definition of a dual-heated WPCS Configuration details of the dual-heated WPCS are shown

To provide both thermal and electrical energies needed for the humidification-dehumidification (HDH) desalination systems independent of fossil fuels, the present study ...

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