# Second Law Analysis of Thermal Energy Storage Systems

## Overview

Thermal energy storage systems play a dominant role to store excess energy during off-peak hours and supply during peak hours from power plants. Also there is scope in many industrial applications to use thermal energy storage to improve energy conservation. In the present course the importance of energy storage and the details related to various thermal energy storage systems will be discussed. The role of thermal energy storage systems in reducing environmental issues will also be discussed. The heat transfer aspects related to energy storage, losses and the efficiency for various thermal energy storage systems will be presented. The sensible energy storage systems, latent heat energy storage systems and the advances in thermal energy storage systems with case studies will be discussed. Also the type of thermal energy storage systems employed for power plants including compressed air energy storage and the related analysis and details will be discussed. The analysis of multiple storage system and their role in district heating will also be covered.

The second law of thermodynamics is receiving lot attention for the analysis of power generation and thermal systems. In the course, the second law analysis of sensible energy storage systems, latent heat energy storage systems and the ways to reduce the losses from energy storage will be presented. The Thermodynamic optimization of sensible and latent heat energy storage systems will also be discussed. Exergy economics approach vs. energy economics approach for thermal energy storage systems will be discussed. The role of exergy analysis for thermal energy storage systems and district energy systems will also be discussed. Future research directions in exergy area will be presented. Course participants will learn various thermal energy storage systems through brainstorming lecture series, discussions and through question answer interactions. Different case studies will be discussed on this particular subject area to stimulate research motivation for participants.

Modules	A: Thermal Energy Storage Systems : July 17 - July 19
	B: Exergy and Economic Approach : July 20 – July 22
You Should	<ul> <li>Undergraduates, MTech/M.Sc., and PhD students. Any student with a basic background in</li> </ul>
Attend If	thermodynamics will be able to follow these lectures and gain valuable information.
Attenu II	<ul> <li>BTech/B.Sc. and MTech/M.Sc. level teachers who wish to update their knowledge in an</li> </ul>
	important special field of thermal energy storage.
	<ul> <li>Executives, engineers and researchers from industry, service and government organizations</li> </ul>
	including R&D laboratories who are engaged in solar power and thermal energy storage.
Fees	The participation fees for taking the course is as follows:
	Students (UG/PG): Rs. 5000
	Research Scholars: Rs. 8000
	Faculty Members: Rs. 12,000
	Foreigners: USD 300
	Industry and Others: Rs. 15000
	The above fee include all instructional materials, computer use for tutorials and assignments,
	laboratory equipment usage charges, 24 hr free internet facility. The participants will be provided
	with accommodation on payment basis.

## The Faculty

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### **Course Co-ordinator**

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