

# Use of Solar Energy in Buildings and Kitchens

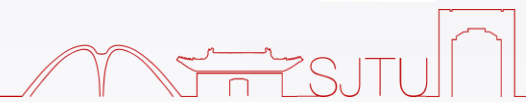
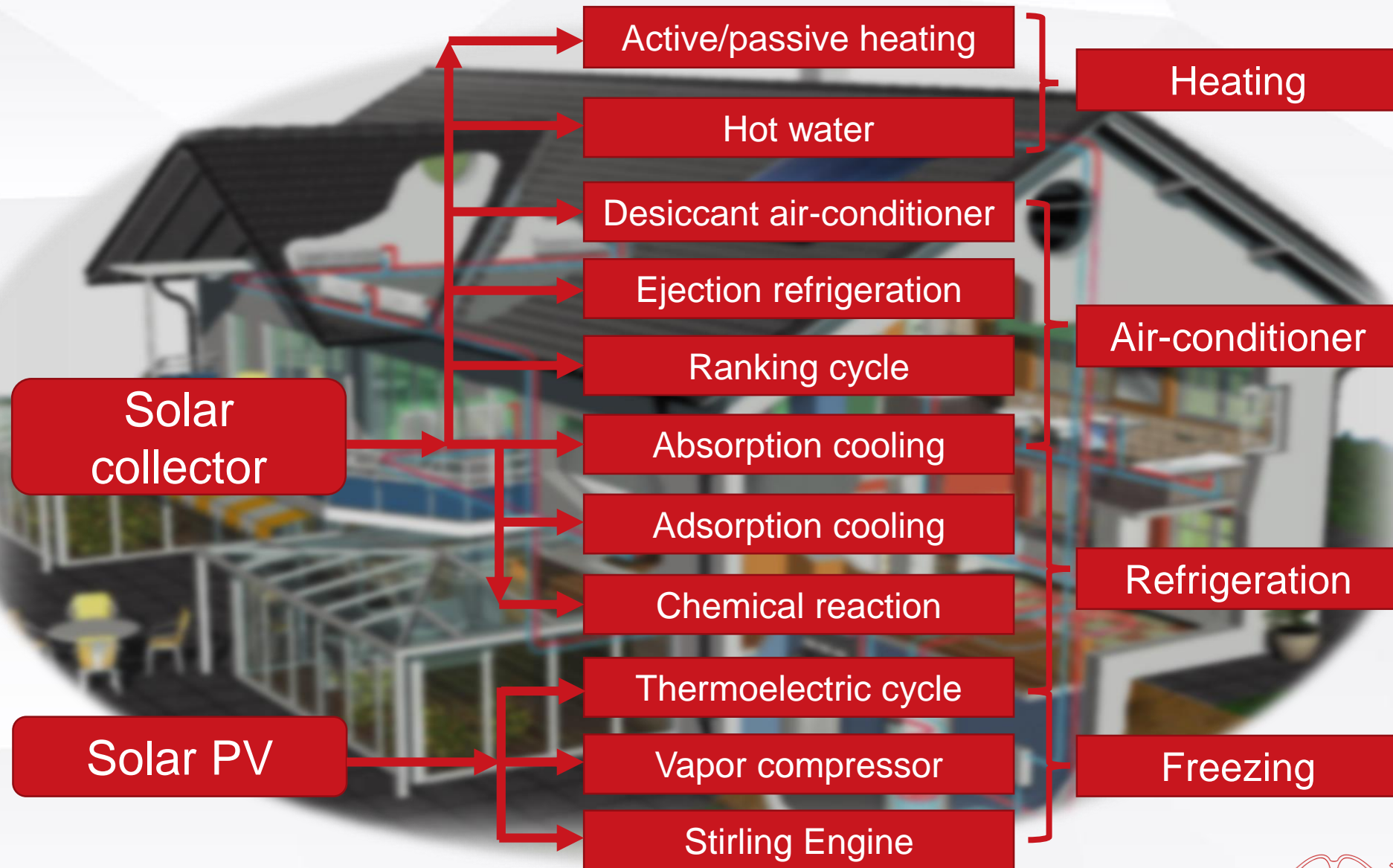
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# Solar energy technical Pathways in building





# Solar cooker



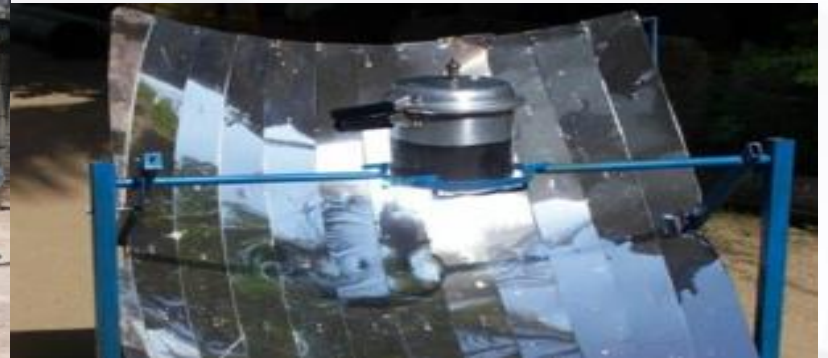
## “Pucca cooker” —Kiln type solar funnel cooker

## “Solar restaurant”





# Solar cooker in China





## Himin "Solar Kitchen" Product



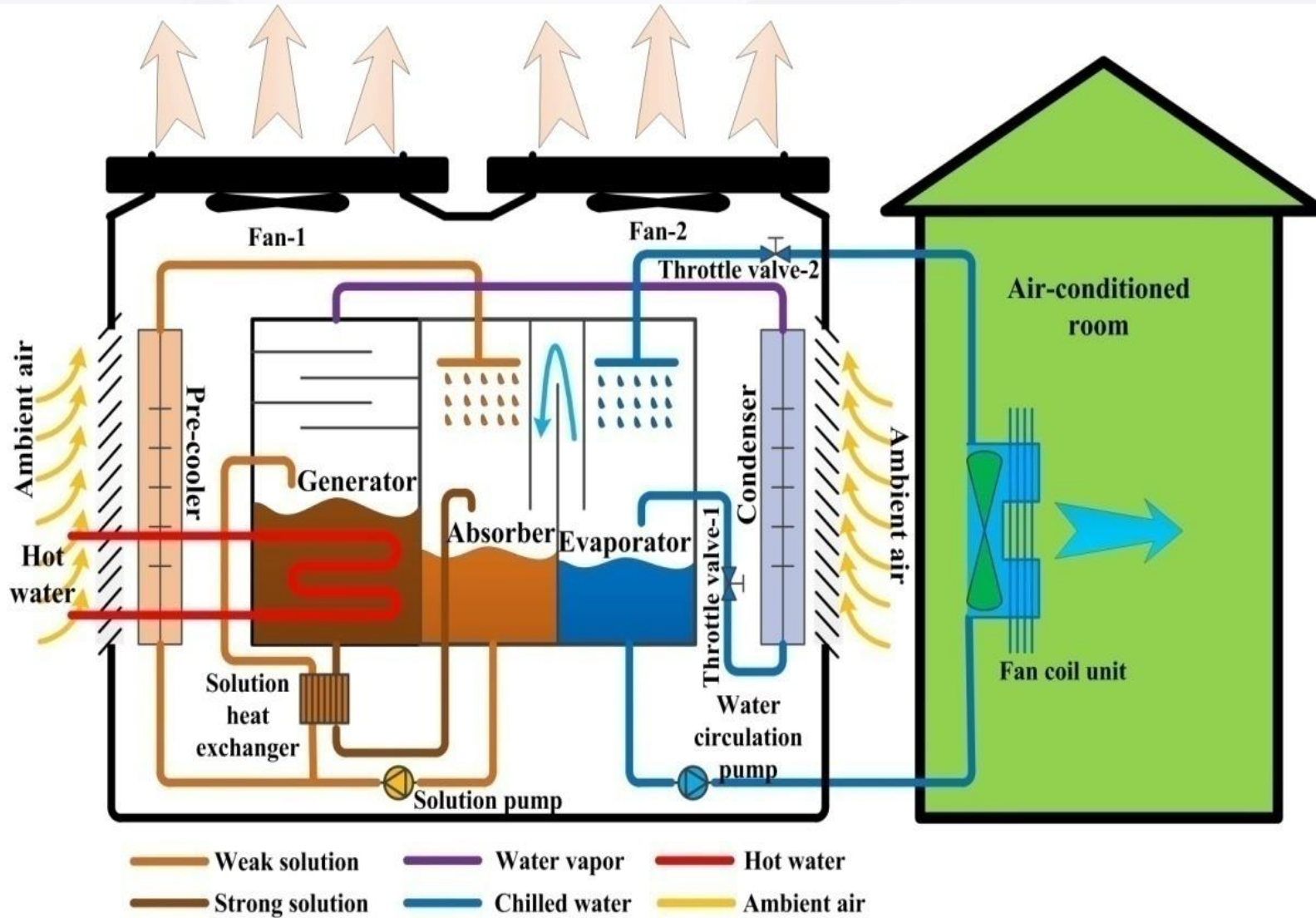


# Solar cooker using stirling engine

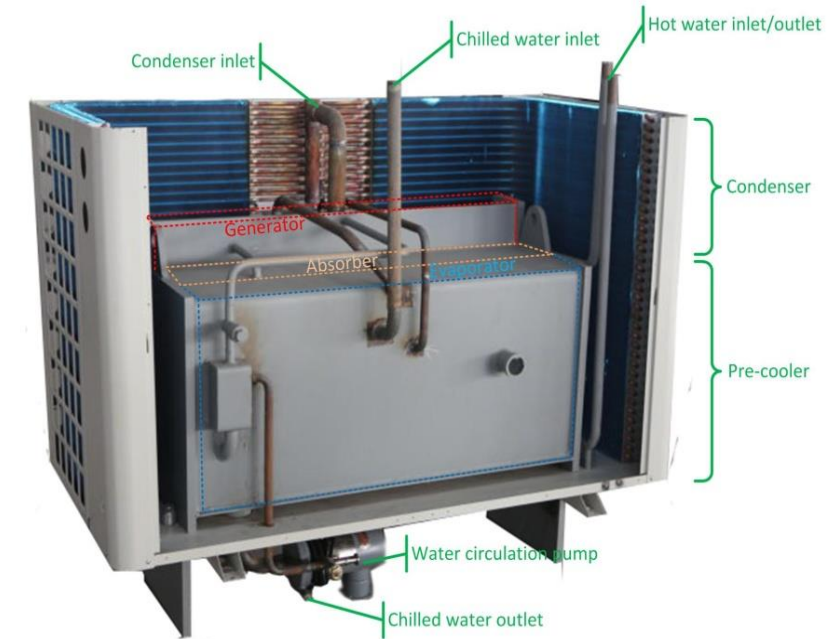




# Solar assisted vapor compression air-conditioner

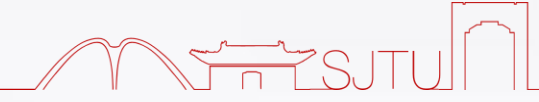
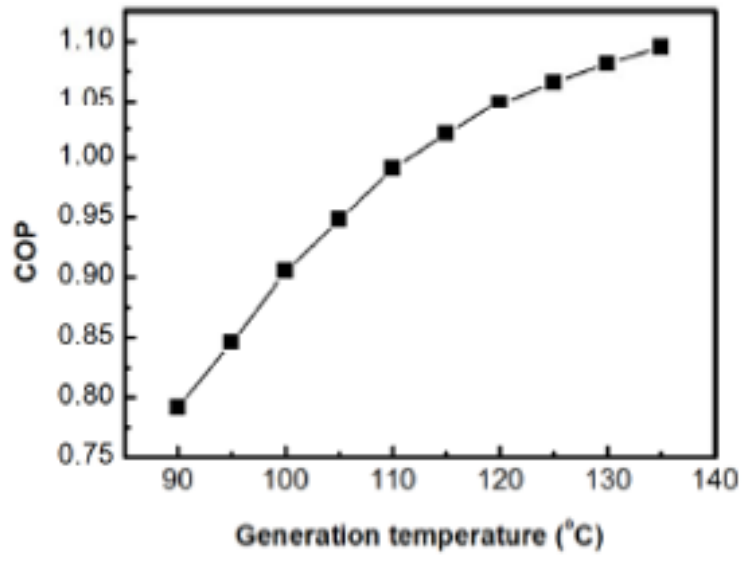
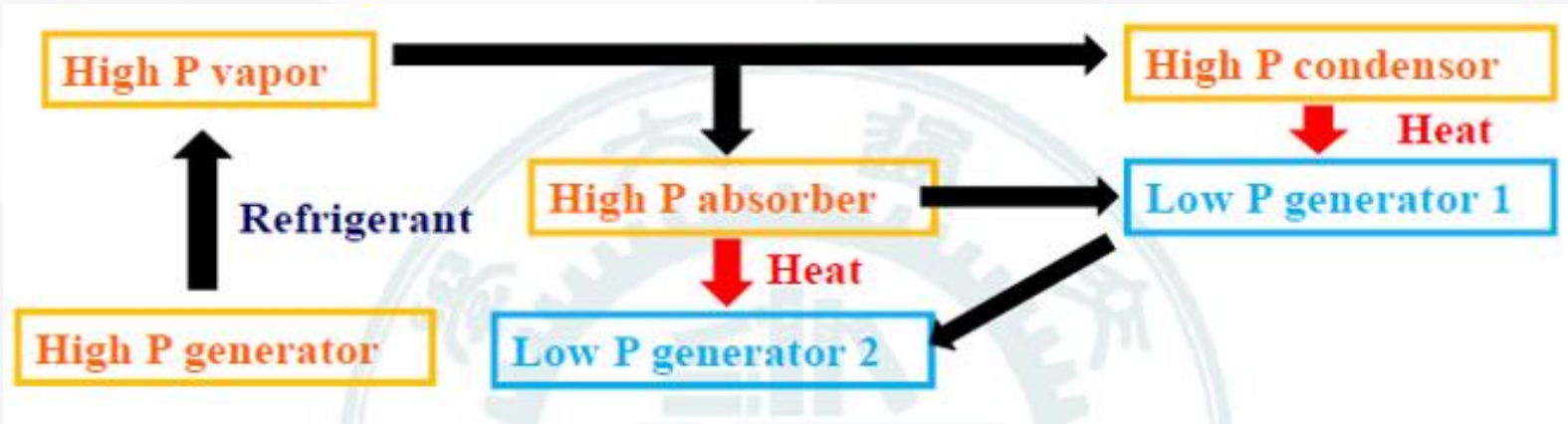


- Operation mode:
- 1.VC cooling
  - 2.Absorption chiller cooling
  - 3.Hybrid cooling





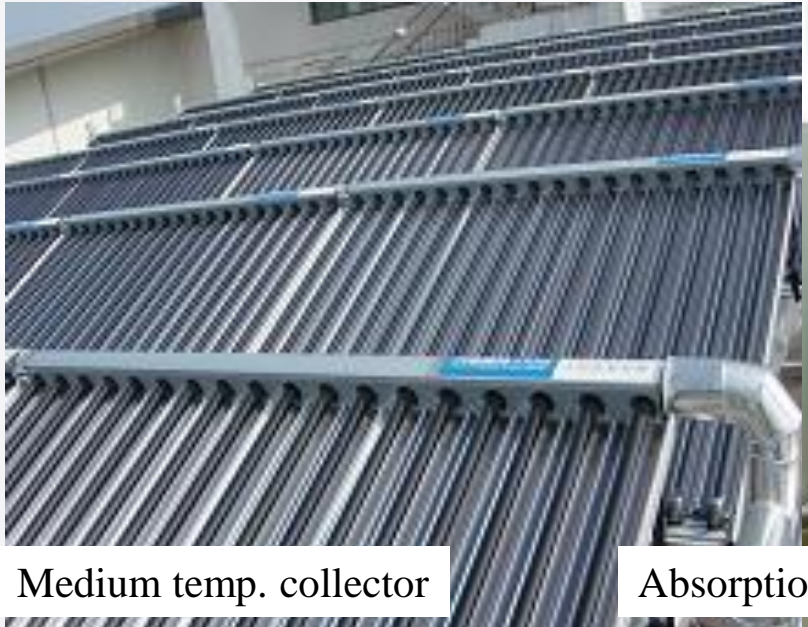
# Fresnel solar collector & absorption chiller







# Absorption chiller in Linuo-Paradigma



Medium temp. collector

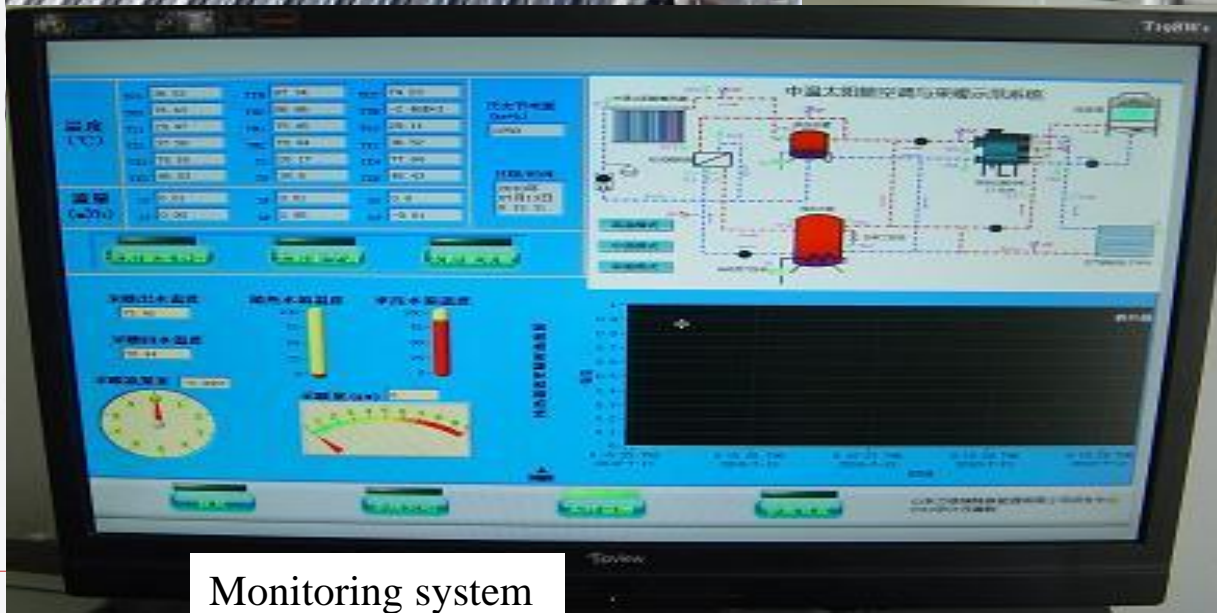


Absorption system

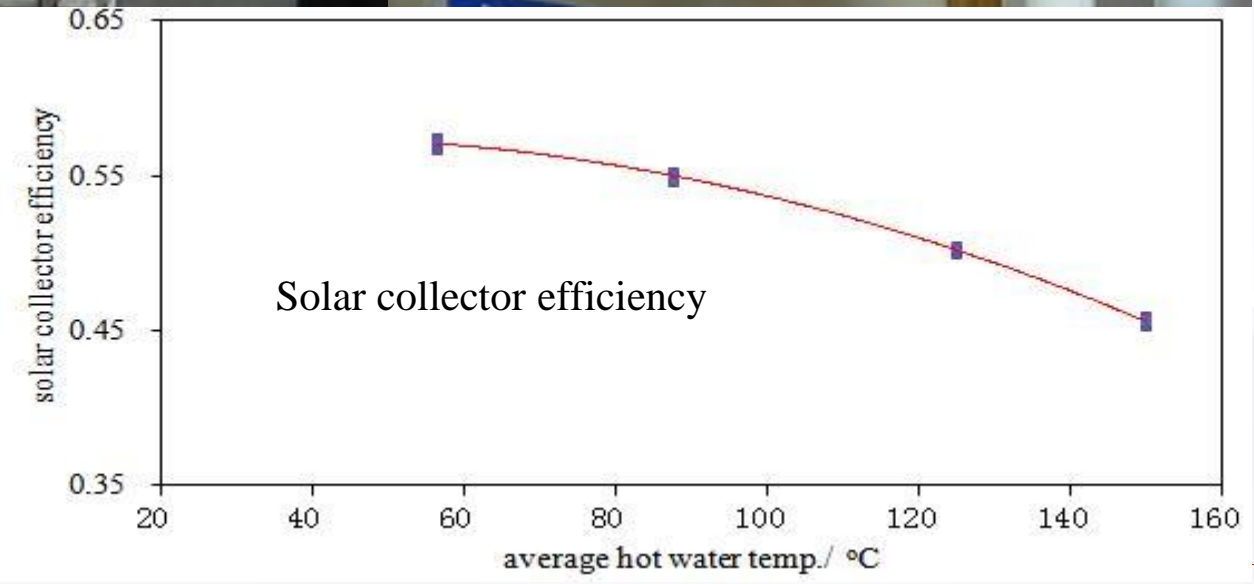
## 20kW Absorption Chiller



cooled hall



Monitoring system

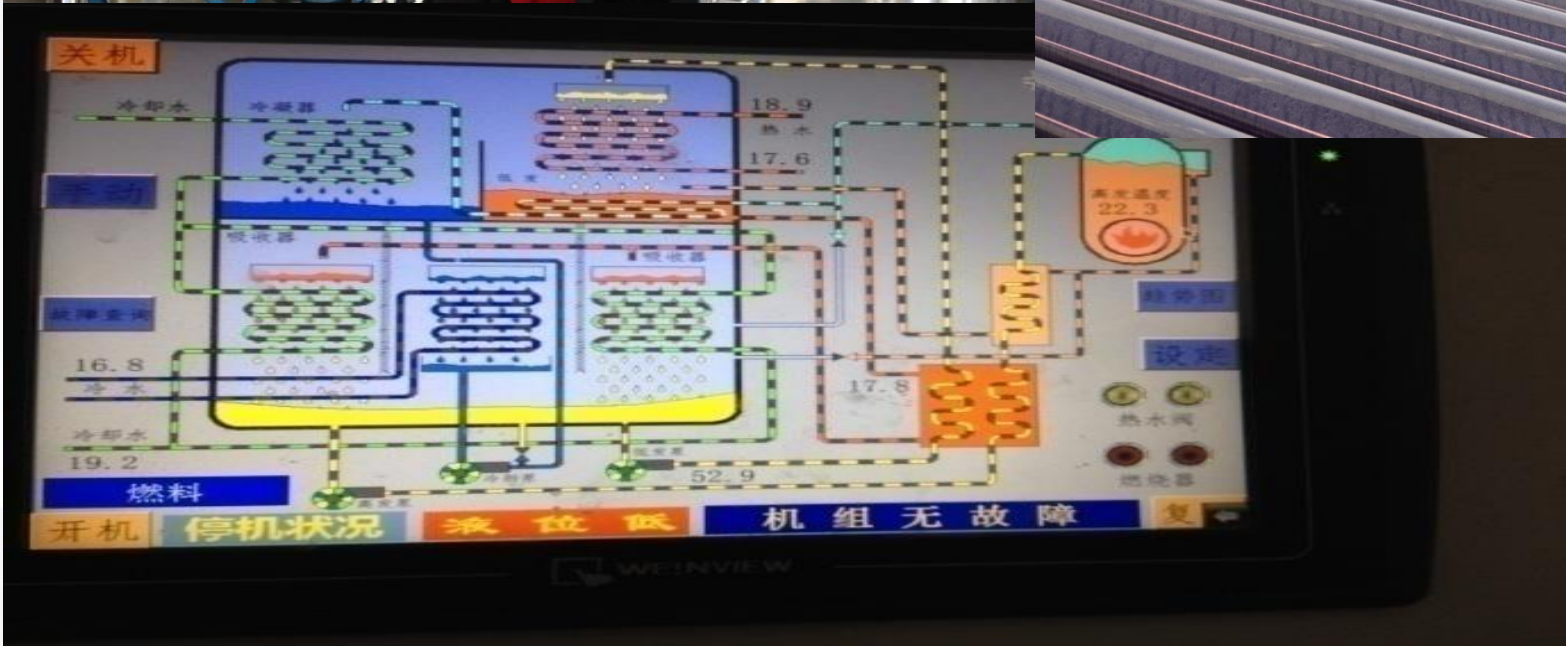




# Single/Double effect solar air-conditioner



Shandong  
Changle





# PV air-conditioner in Green Energy Laboratory



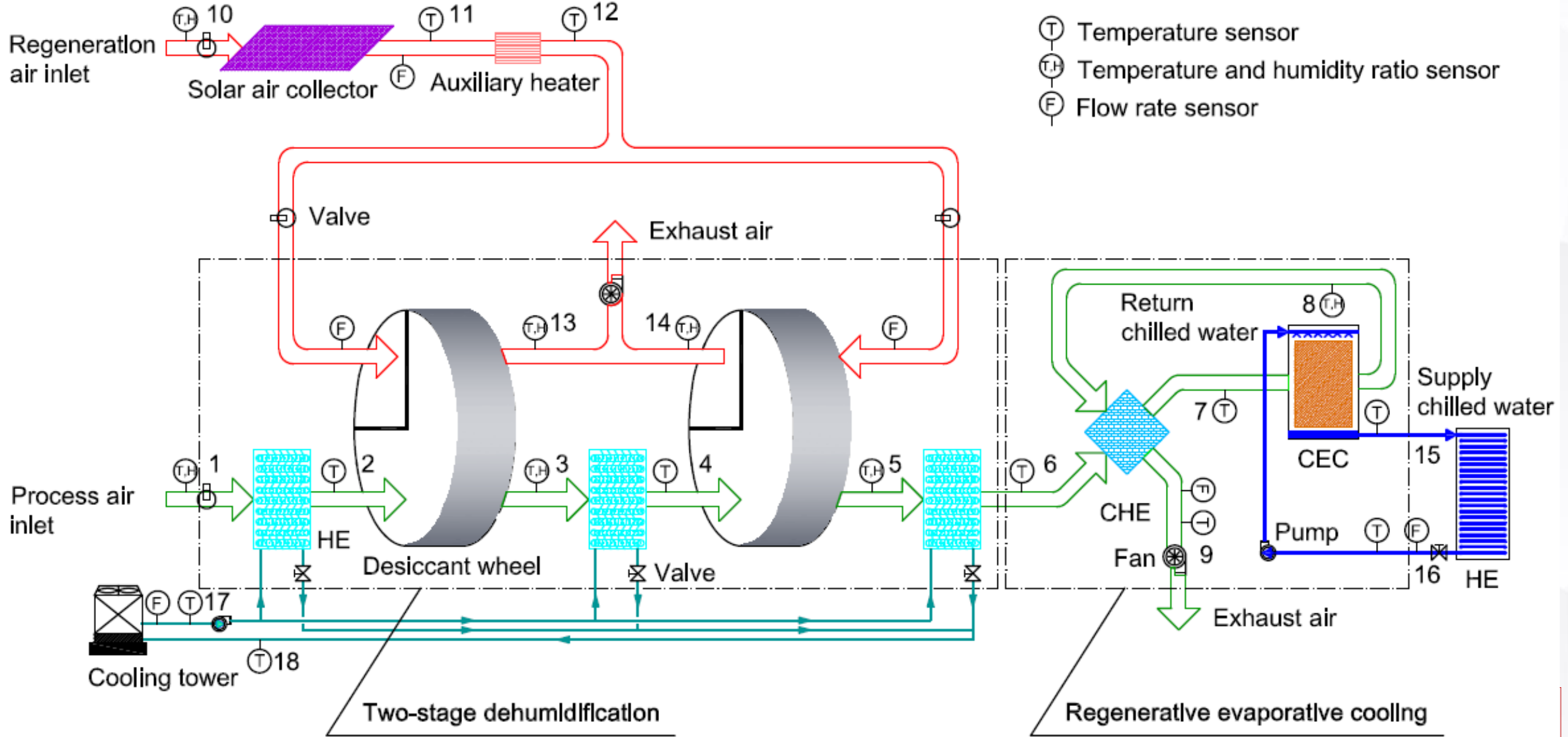


# PTC+ Single effect chiller——Wanke Dongguan Center





# Solar rotary desiccant air-conditioner system





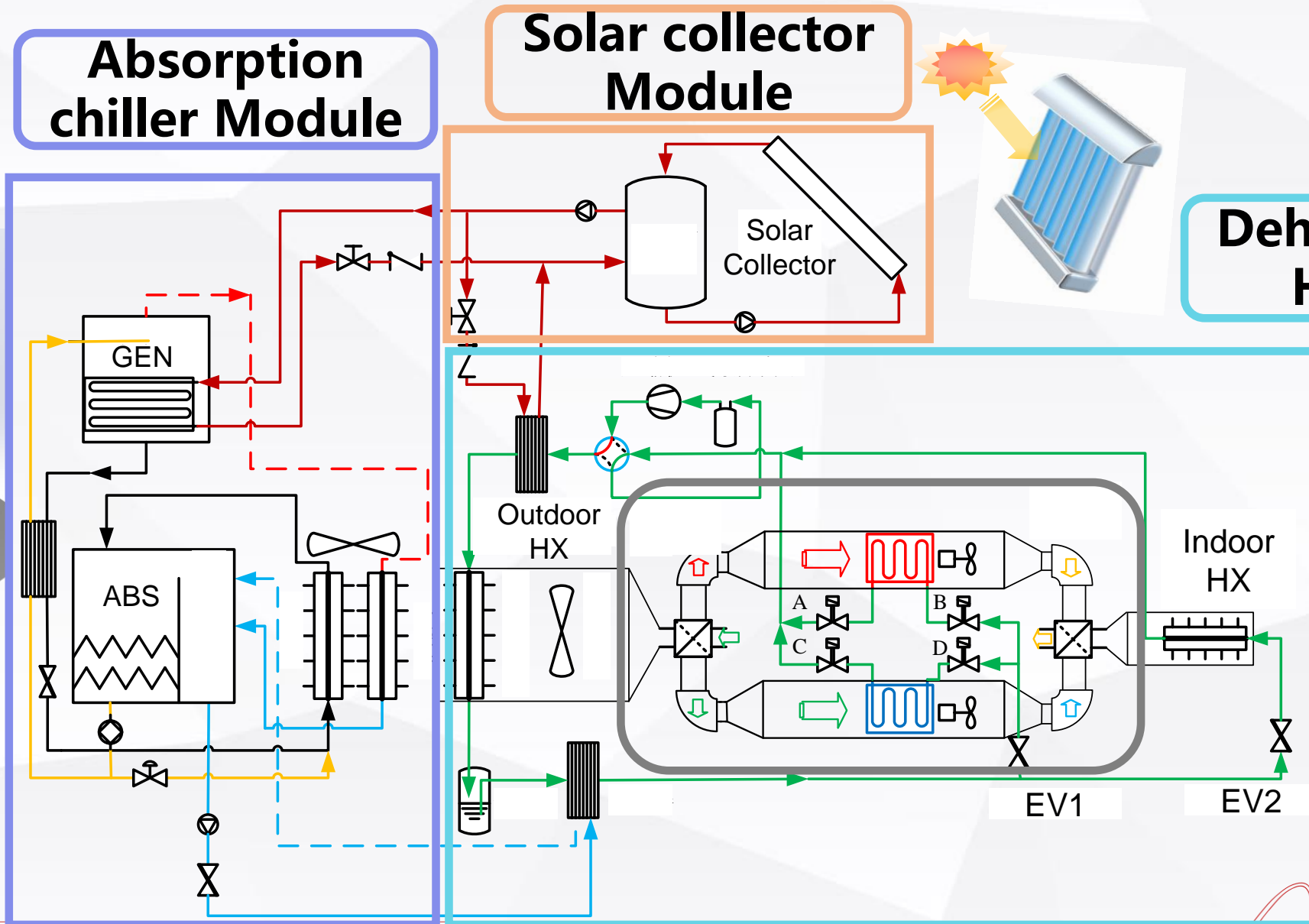
# Solar absorption & dehumidification HVAC system



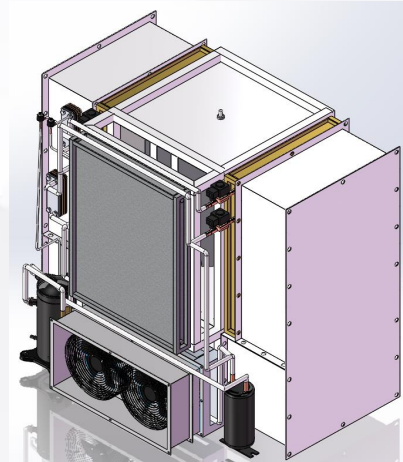
## Absorption chiller Module

## Solar collector Module

## Dehumidification HP Module



- Compression cycle
- Solid desiccant module





# Solar absorption & dehumidification HVAC system



Heating



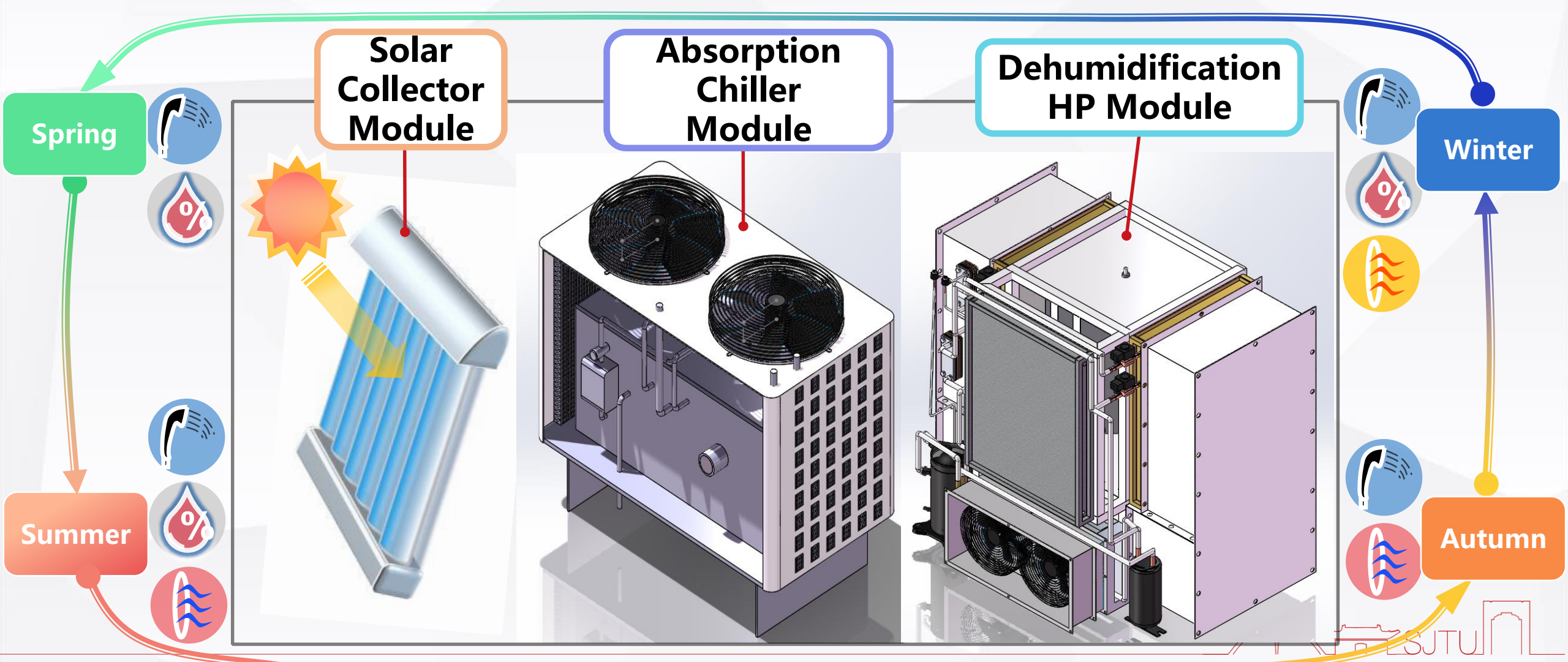
Domestic hot water



Cooling

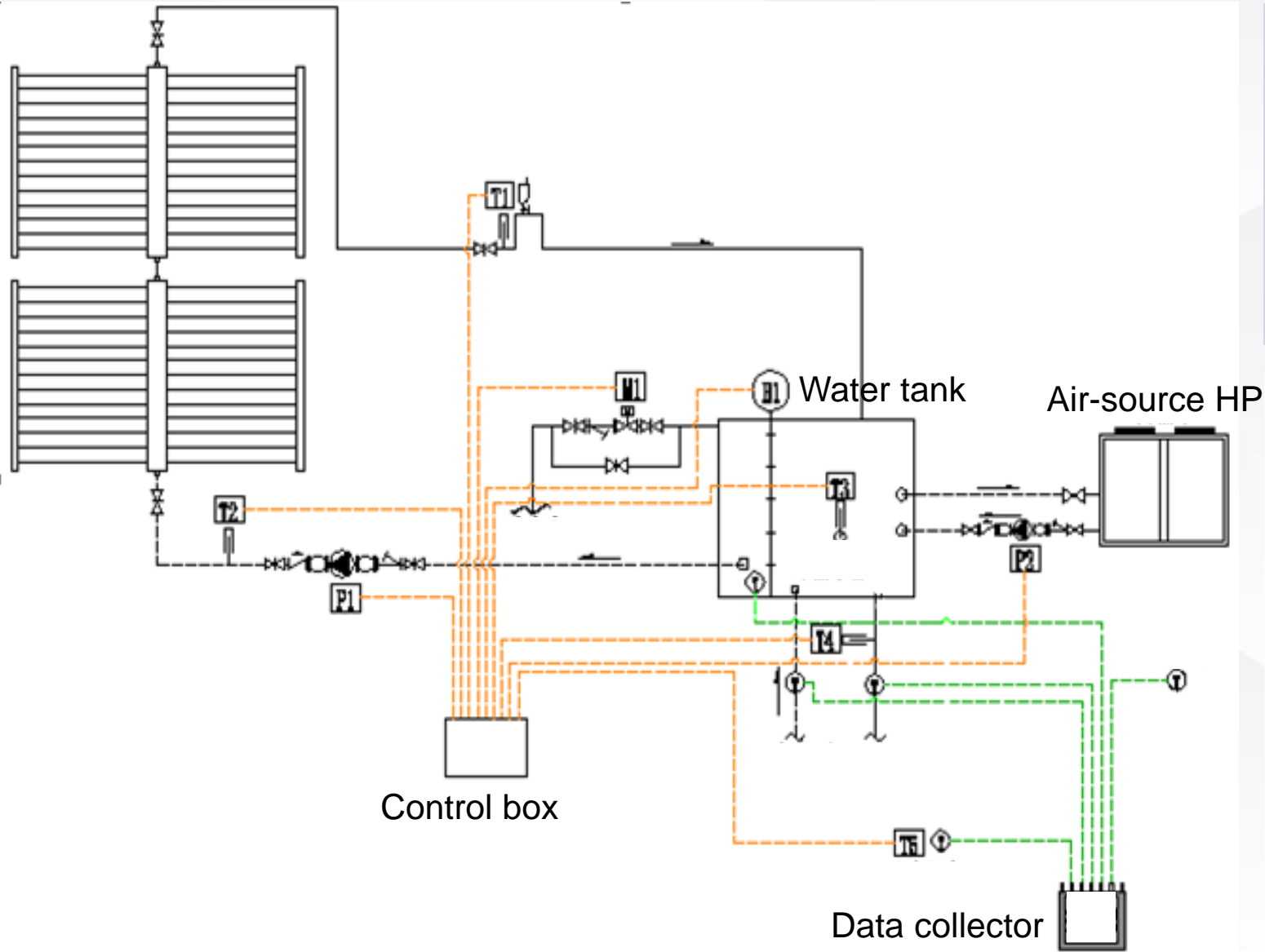


Dehumidification





# Solar energy combined with air-source HP system



- Low-temperature HP module
- High-efficiency solar module
- Multi-energy complementary module
- Heating module

Heating system	Solar & air-source HP	Gas boiler	Electric boiler
Energy consumption	77.5kWh	19.8 Nm <sup>3</sup>	190.6 kWh
Heating cost per day	\$38.7/d	¥ 49.5/d	¥ 69.8/d
Heating cost per area	\$46.47/m <sup>2</sup>	¥ 59.4/m <sup>2</sup>	¥ 83.8/m <sup>2</sup>







# Solar combined air-source HP system application



## Huairou in Hebei Province

- Heating area: 100m<sup>2</sup>
- Low-temperature air conditioner: 6P



## Daxing in Hebei Province

- Heating area: 60m<sup>2</sup>
- Low-temperature air conditioner: 3P





# Solar combined air-source HP system application



Tangshan, Hebei Province  
Area: 220 m<sup>2</sup>,  
38 m<sup>2</sup> solar collector  
5 P low-temperature air-conditioner





# PVT heat pump system

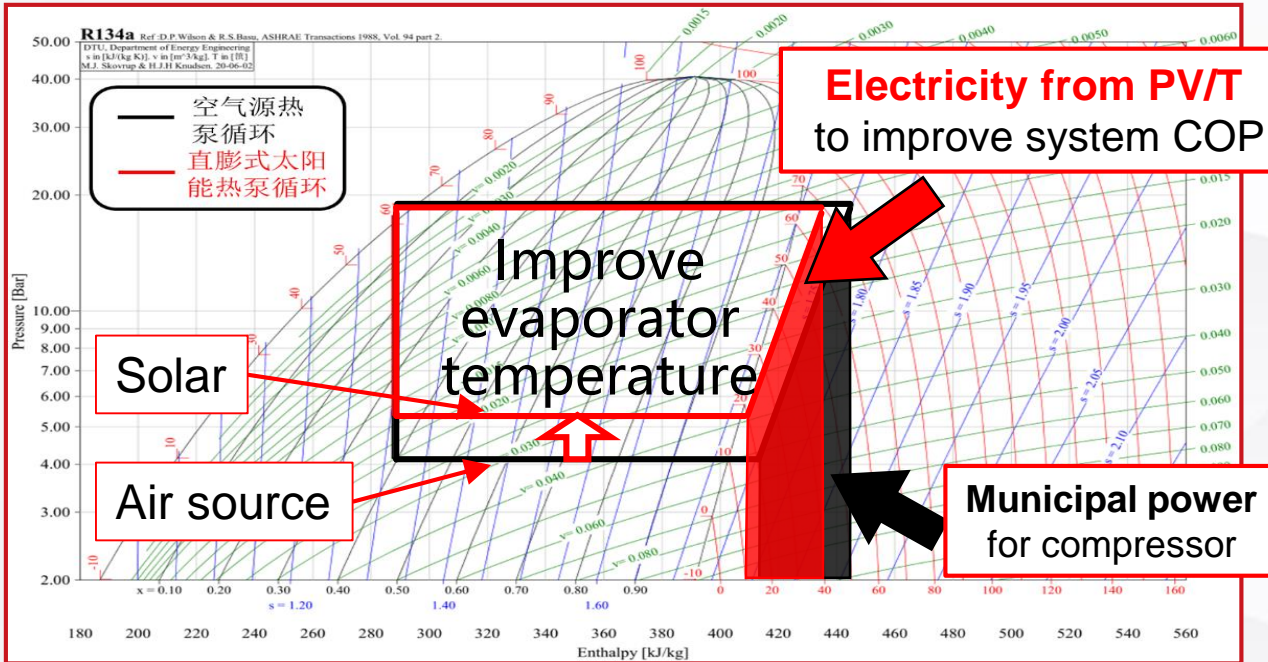


- By combining PVT module with heat pump system, **high-efficiency heat and power cogeneration** of building could be achieved;
- **Comprehensive utilization efficiency** of solar energy is improved greatly

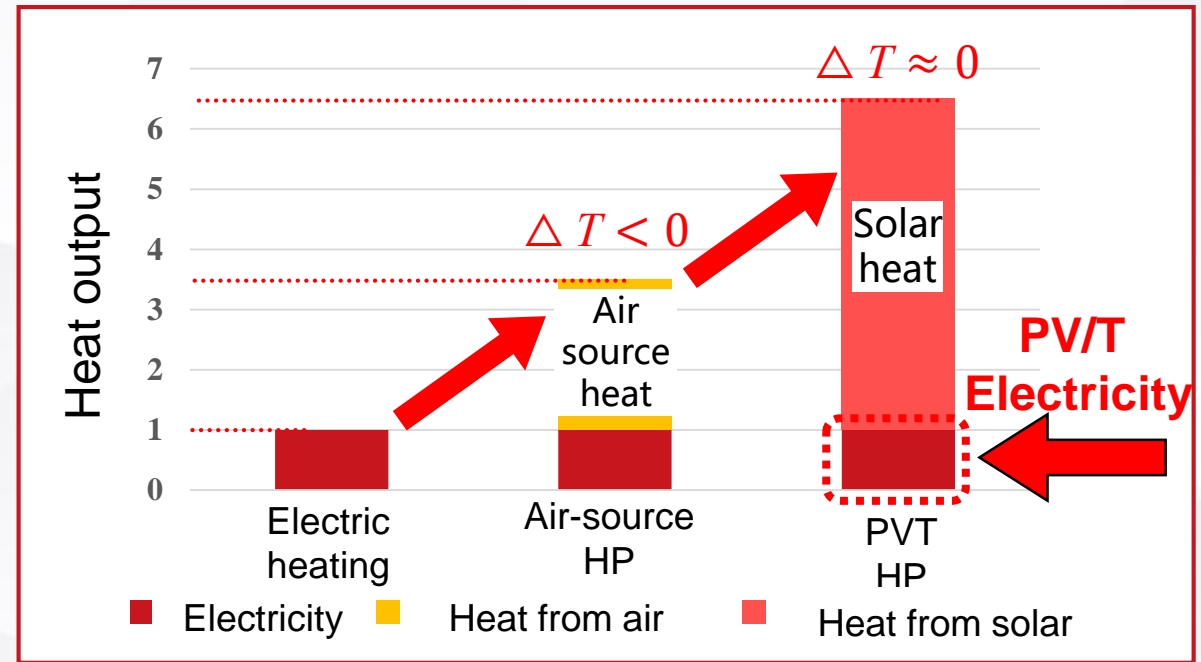
PV system efficiency: **14%**

PT system efficiency: **50%**

PV/T system:  
PV efficiency **18%** + PT efficiency **60%** = Comprehensive utilization **78%**



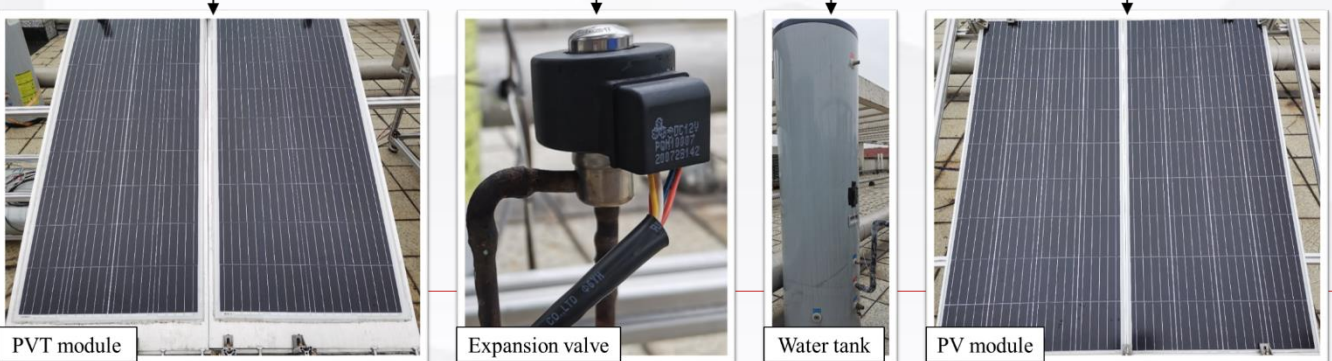
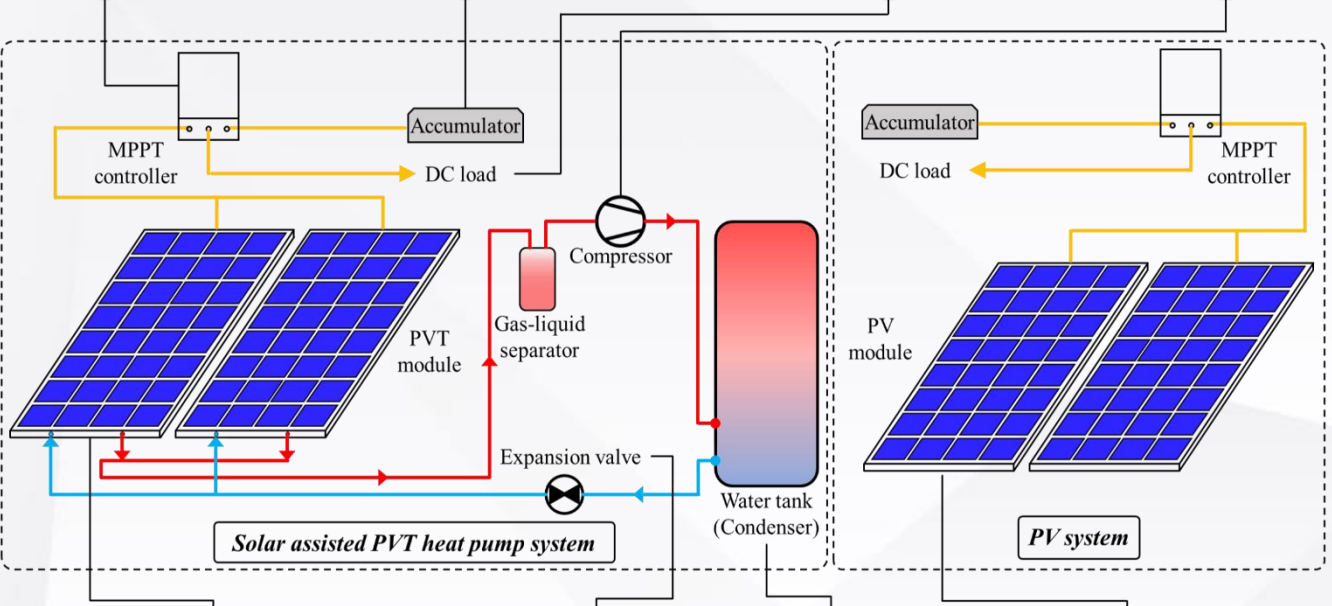
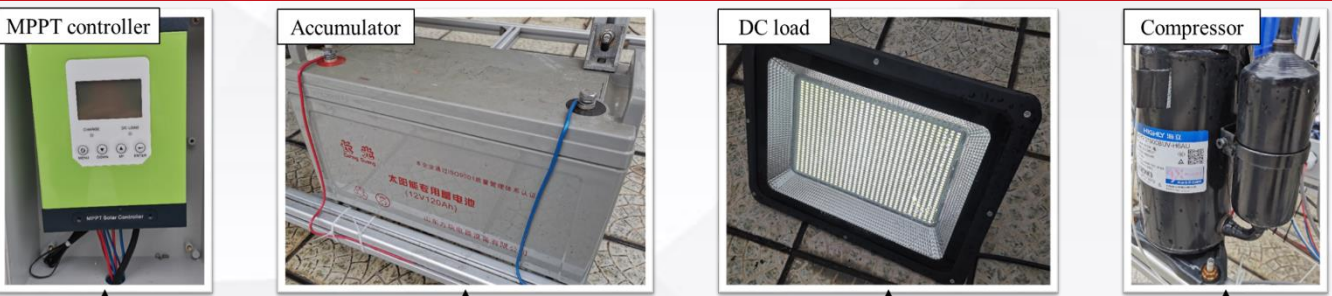
P-h Diagram of air source HP and PVT HP



Heat output of different systems

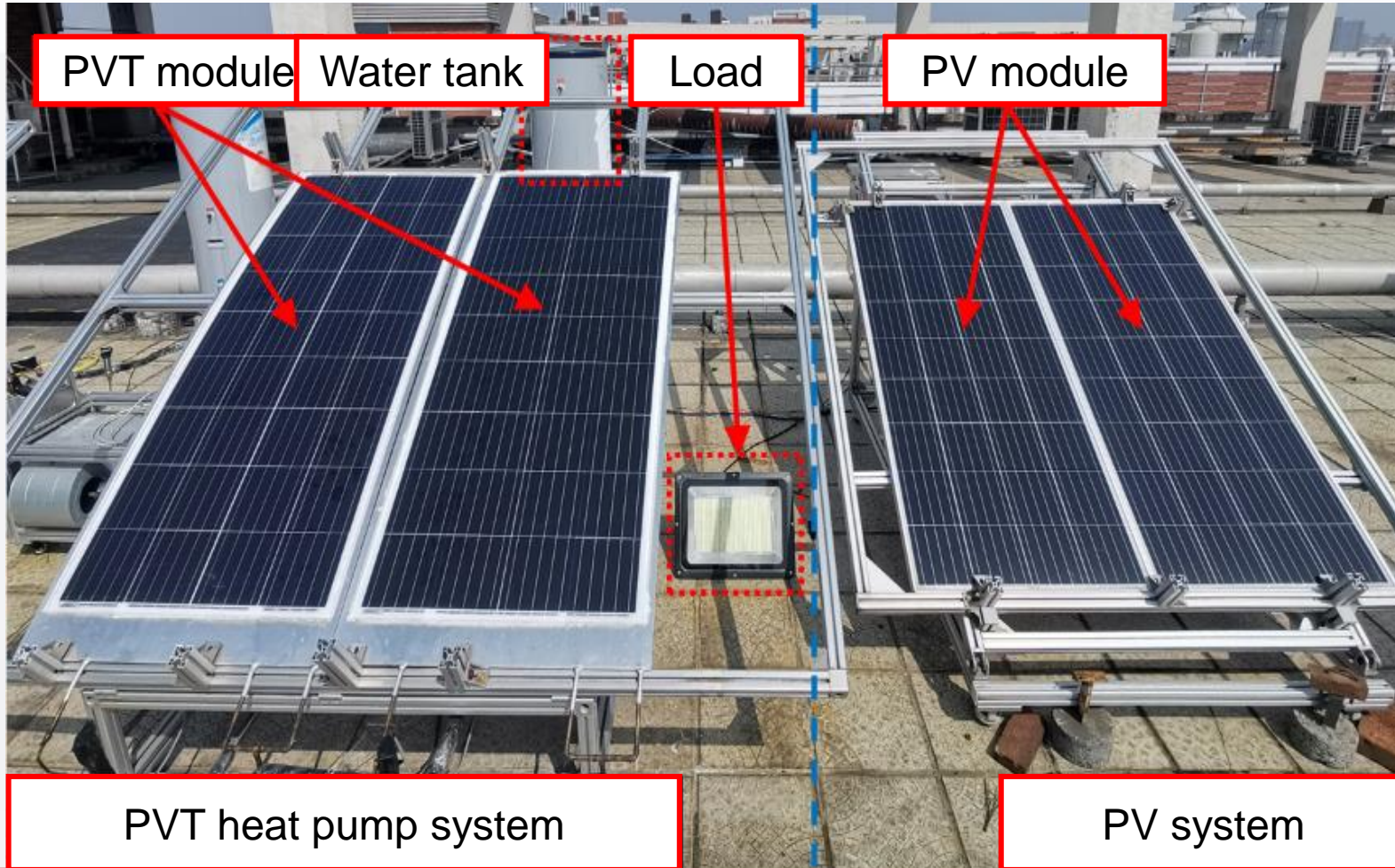


# PVT heat pump system



Parameter	Value	Unit
Tank volume	150	L
Compressor type	WHP01900BU V-H6AU	[-]
Compressor power	460	W
Refrigeration type	R134a	[-]
PVT number	2	[-]
PVT area	1.58m*0.72m =1.14	m <sup>2</sup>
PV area	1.48m*0.68m =1.01	m <sup>2</sup>
PV coefficient	-0.53	%/°C
Solar cell type	Silicon	[-]
PV per power	175	W

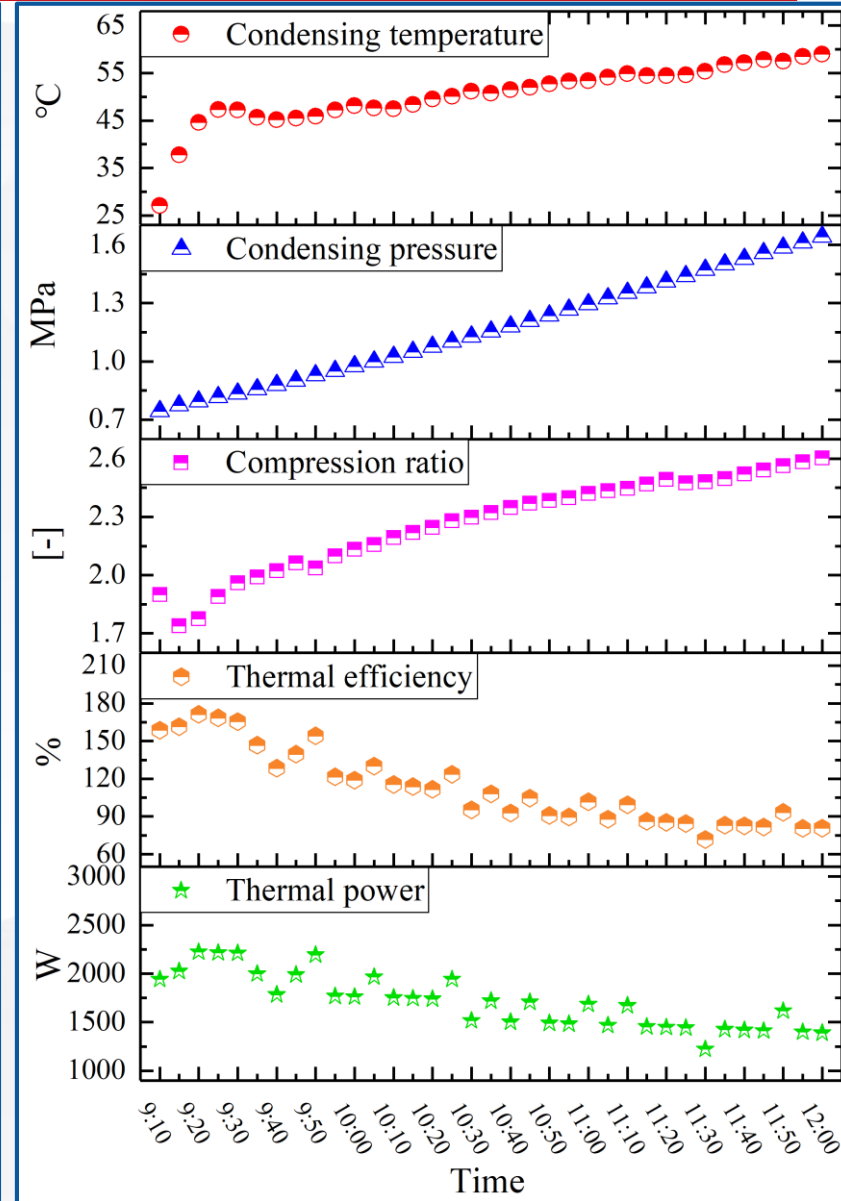
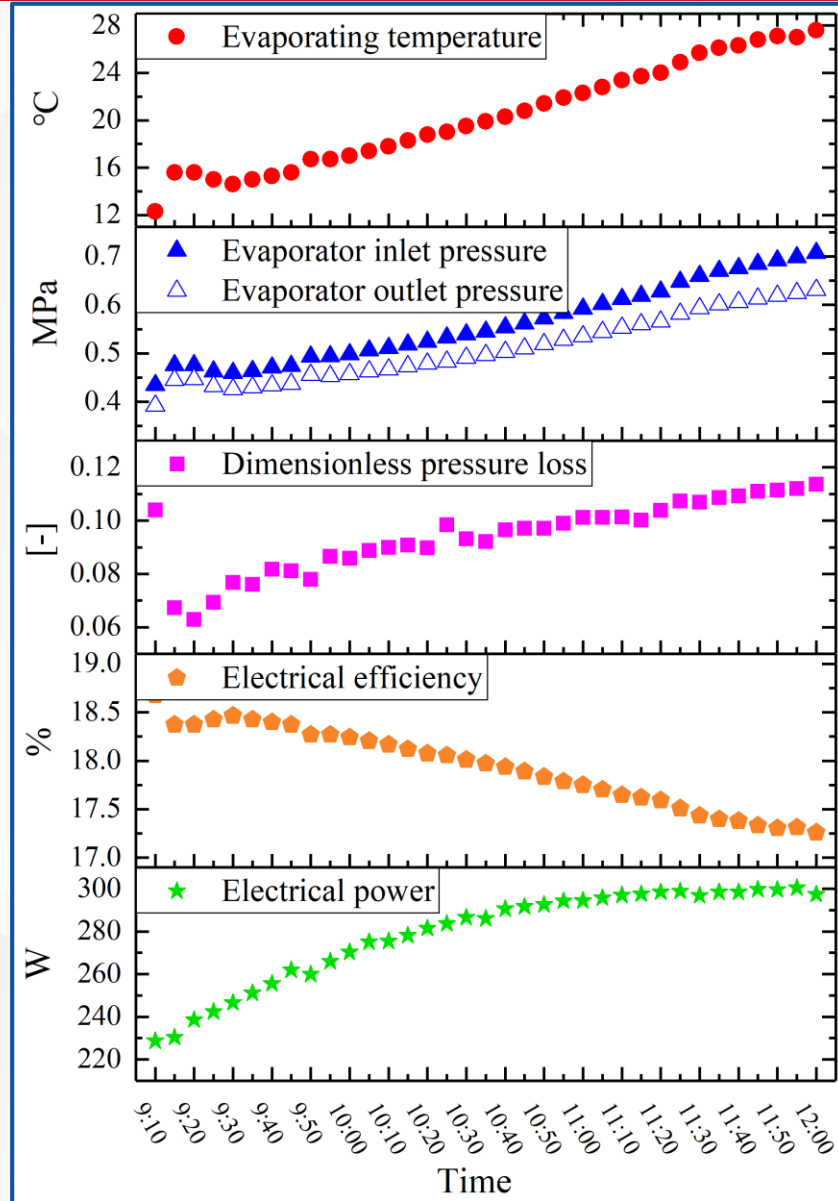
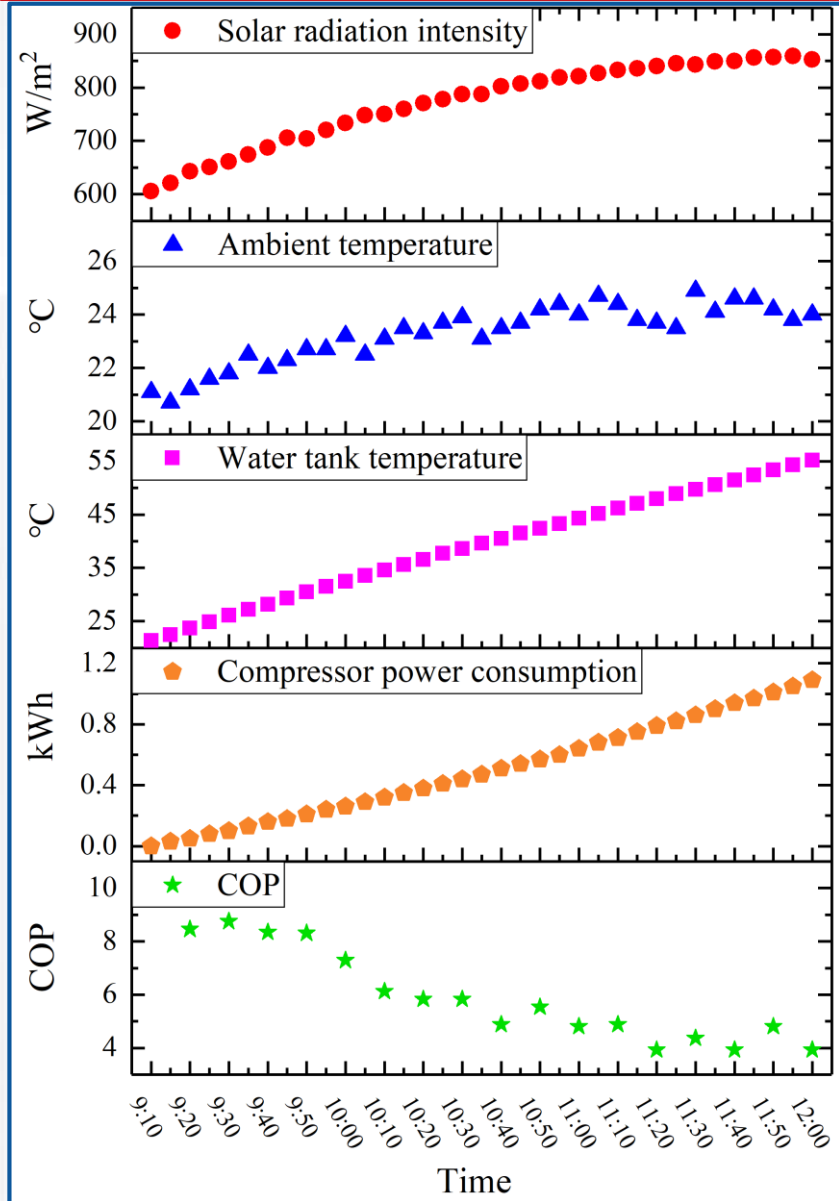
## PVT heat pump system experimental setup



Parameter	Value	Unit
Date	2021.03.29	[-]
Operating time	09:10-12:00	[-]
Ambient temperature	21	°C
Average intensity	771.4	W/m <sup>2</sup>
Wind velocity	2-5	m/s
Angle	30	degrees
Water tank temperature	19.6	°C



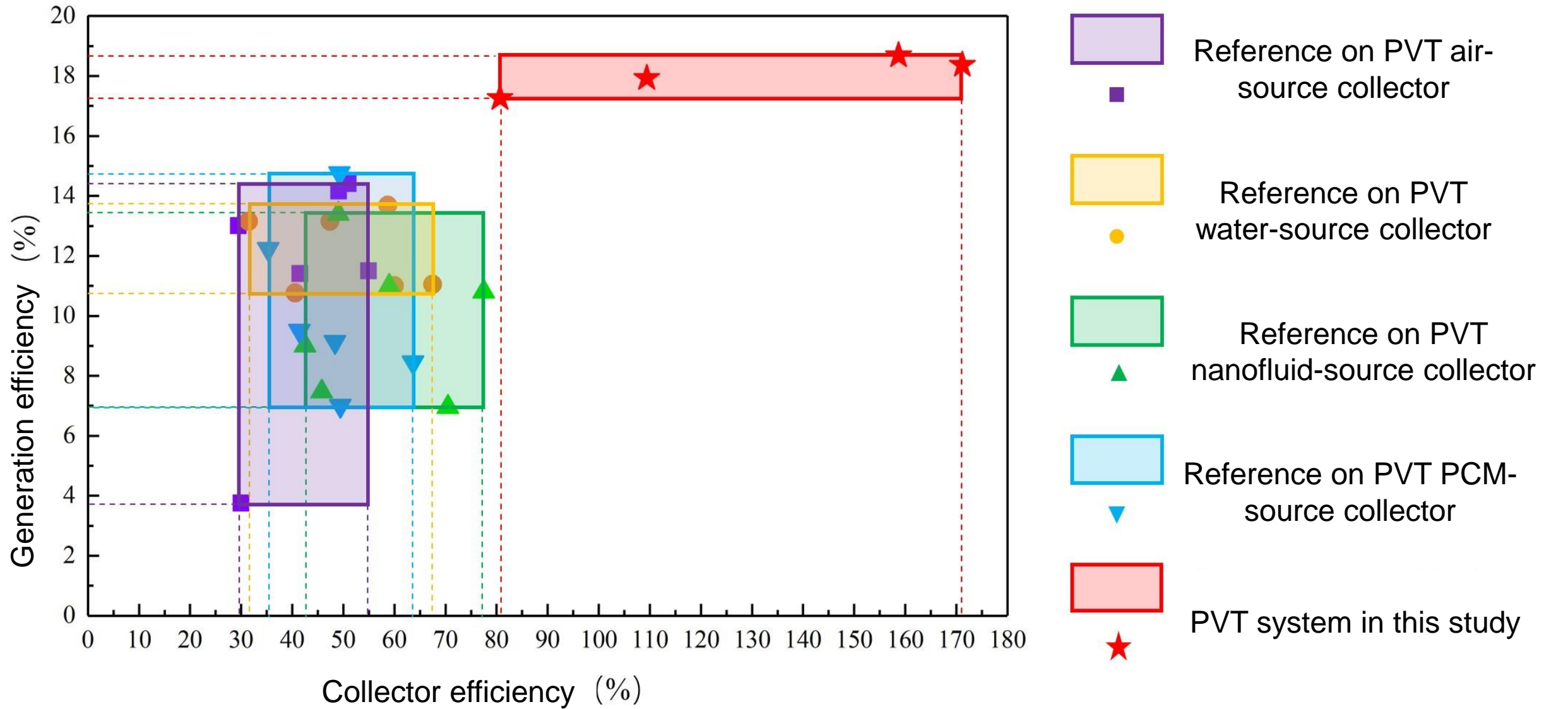
# PVT heat pump system performance



◆ System max COP 8.75; average heat gaining factor 109.4%; average generation efficiency 17.93%;



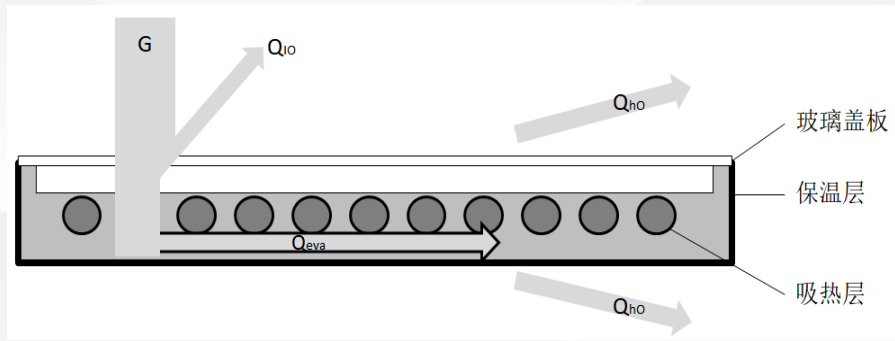
# PVT heat pump system



◆ Compared to other PVT technology, performance of generation and collector **improve greatly**



# PVT heat pump system application



- The traditional solar collector is difficult to work in rainy days; Traditional solar heat pump has low cop and low energy utilization.
- Using PVT coupled with heat pump system and photovoltaic power generation to supply compressor can greatly improve cop to more than 10;
- In rainy weather, the ambient air can be used as the heat source, and the water temperature can also be heated above 50 °C. The heat pump cycle is used to cool the photovoltaic panel, reduce the efficiency loss of the module at high temperature, and prolong its service life.





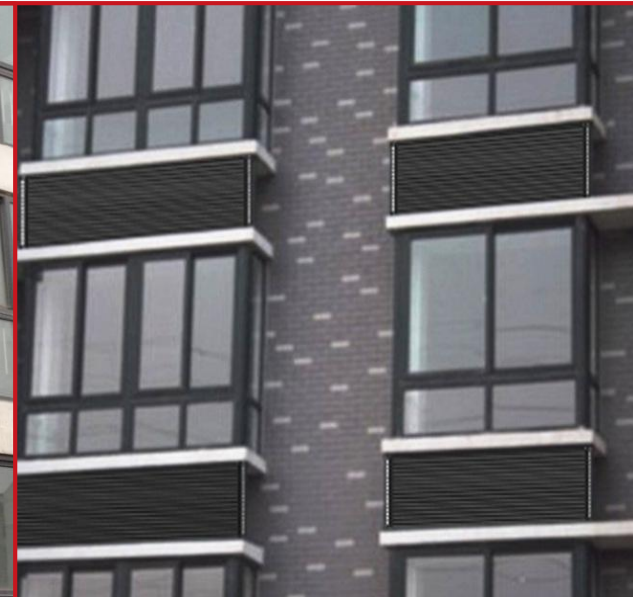


# PVT application in building



## ◆ Solar building component

- Roof, façade, balcony;
- Distributed cogeneration system;
- PV station transformation





# BIPV technologies



- **Building material type:** PV roof coil, glass PV curtain wall, etc;
- **Component type:** awning components, sunshade components, etc;
- **Installation with roof & wall:** installation on flat roof, sloping roof, etc

PV roof-Qingdao Railway Station  
(A-si, 103 kW On-grid system )

Glass PV curtain wall-Weihai Lanxing Office Building  
(A-si, 161 kW On-grid system )



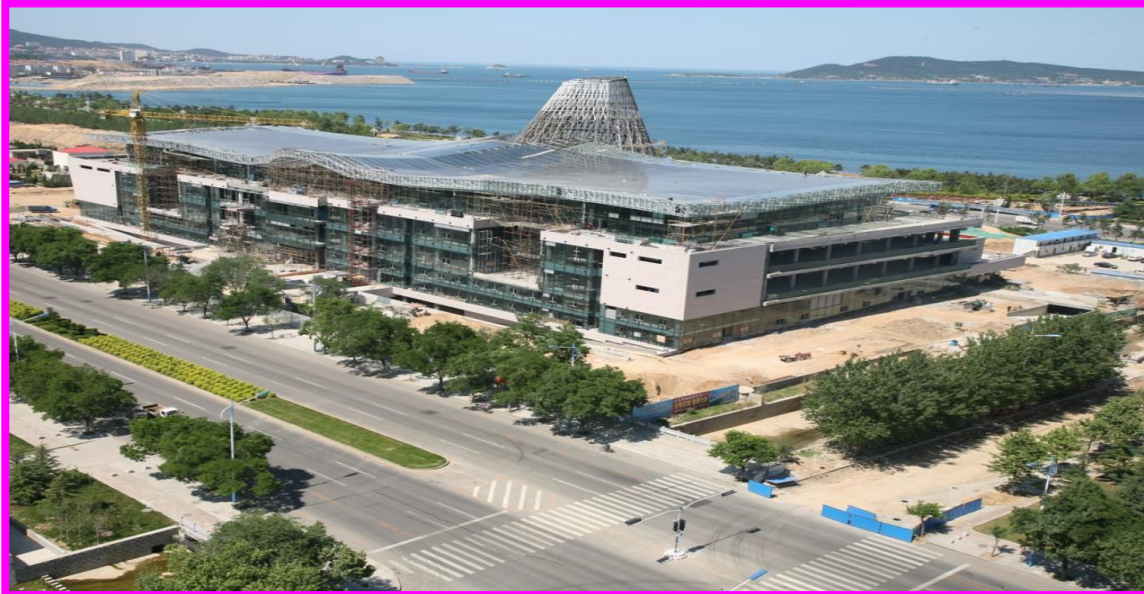


# BIPV case study



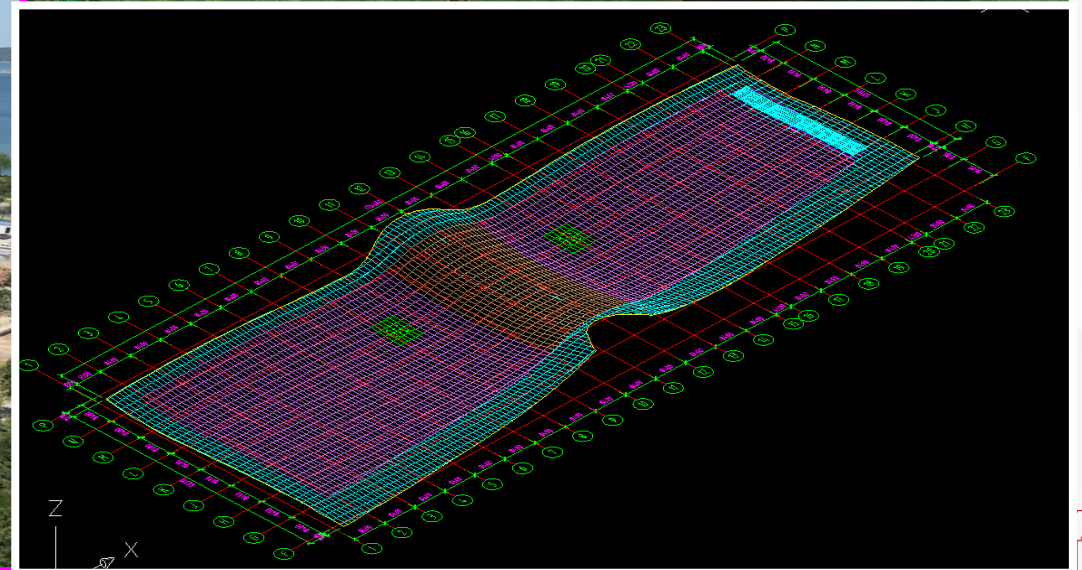
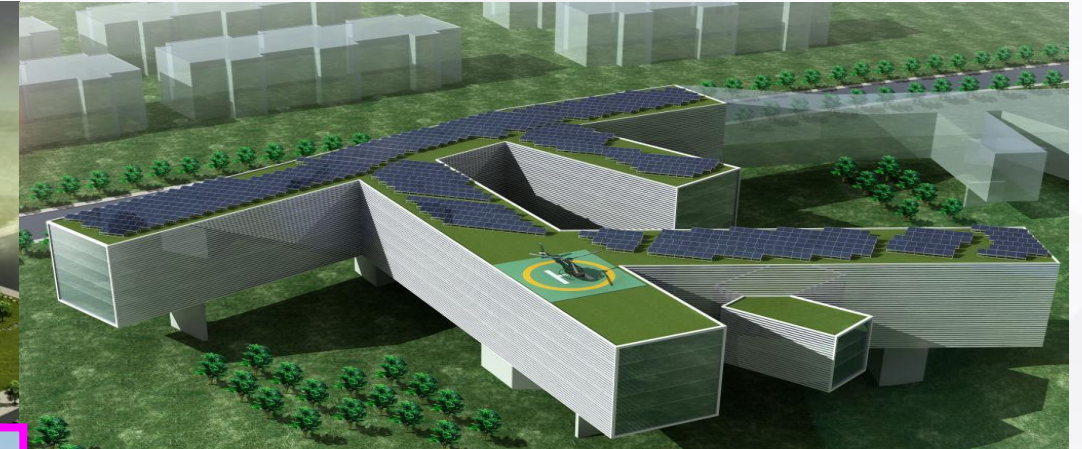
## WeiHai the public cultural centers

480kW On-grid system PC area: 8000m<sup>2</sup>



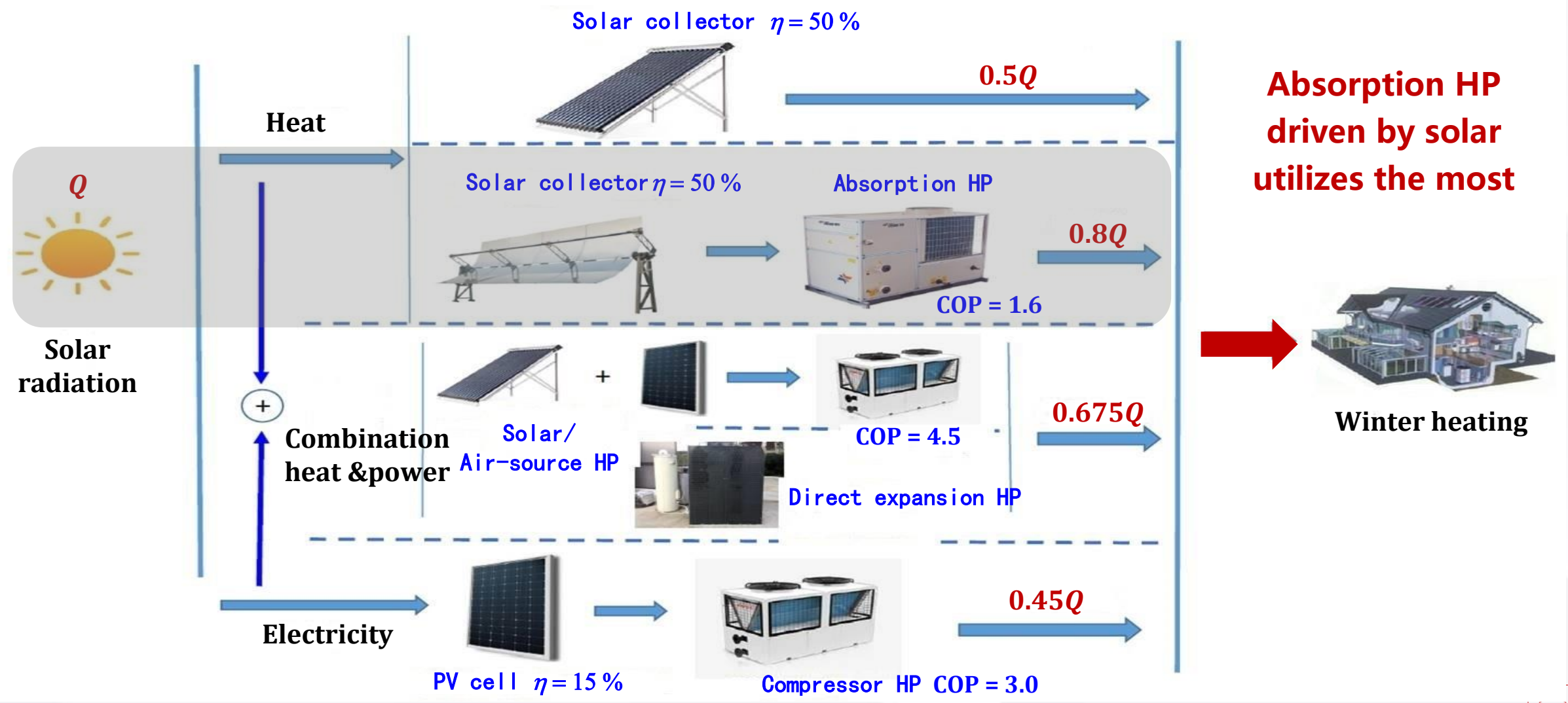
## Wanke headquarters office

267.2kW On-grid system PC area: 1940m<sup>2</sup>





# Absorption-resorption heat pump system

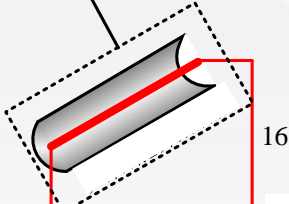




# GAX- Absorption HP driven by PTC



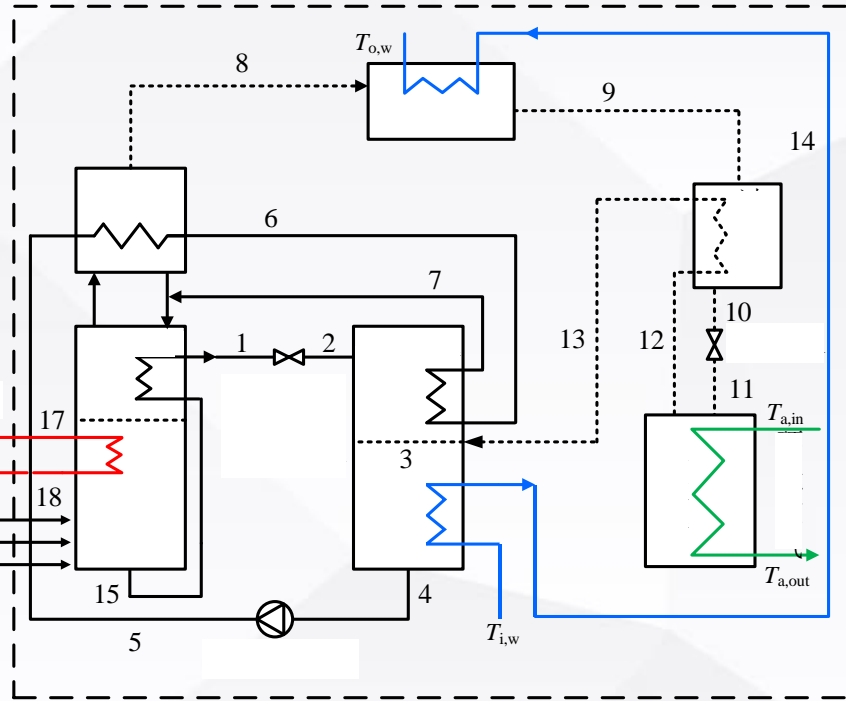
### PTC



### Assisted heat source (Gas)

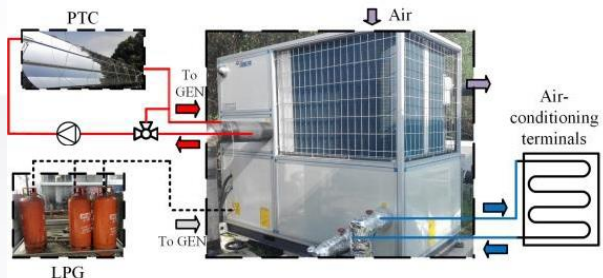


### GAX absorption heat pump

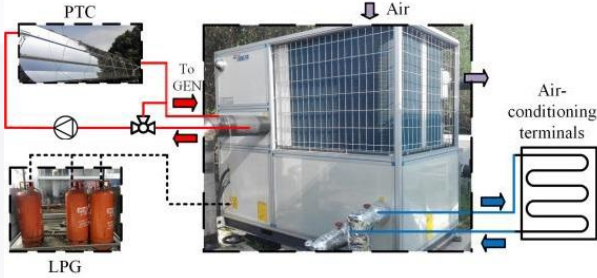


- Ammonia-water solution
- Ammonia refrigerator
- Heat transfer oil
- Supply/Return water
- Ambient air

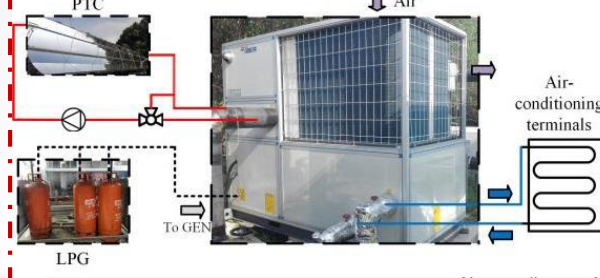
### Solar-gas combined driven mode



### Solar driven mode



### Gas driven mode





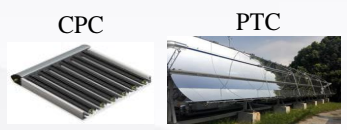
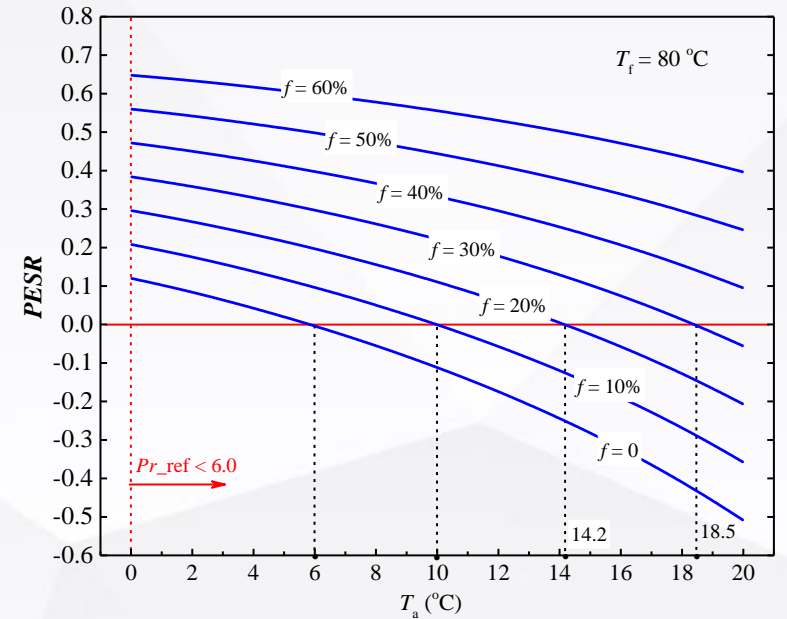
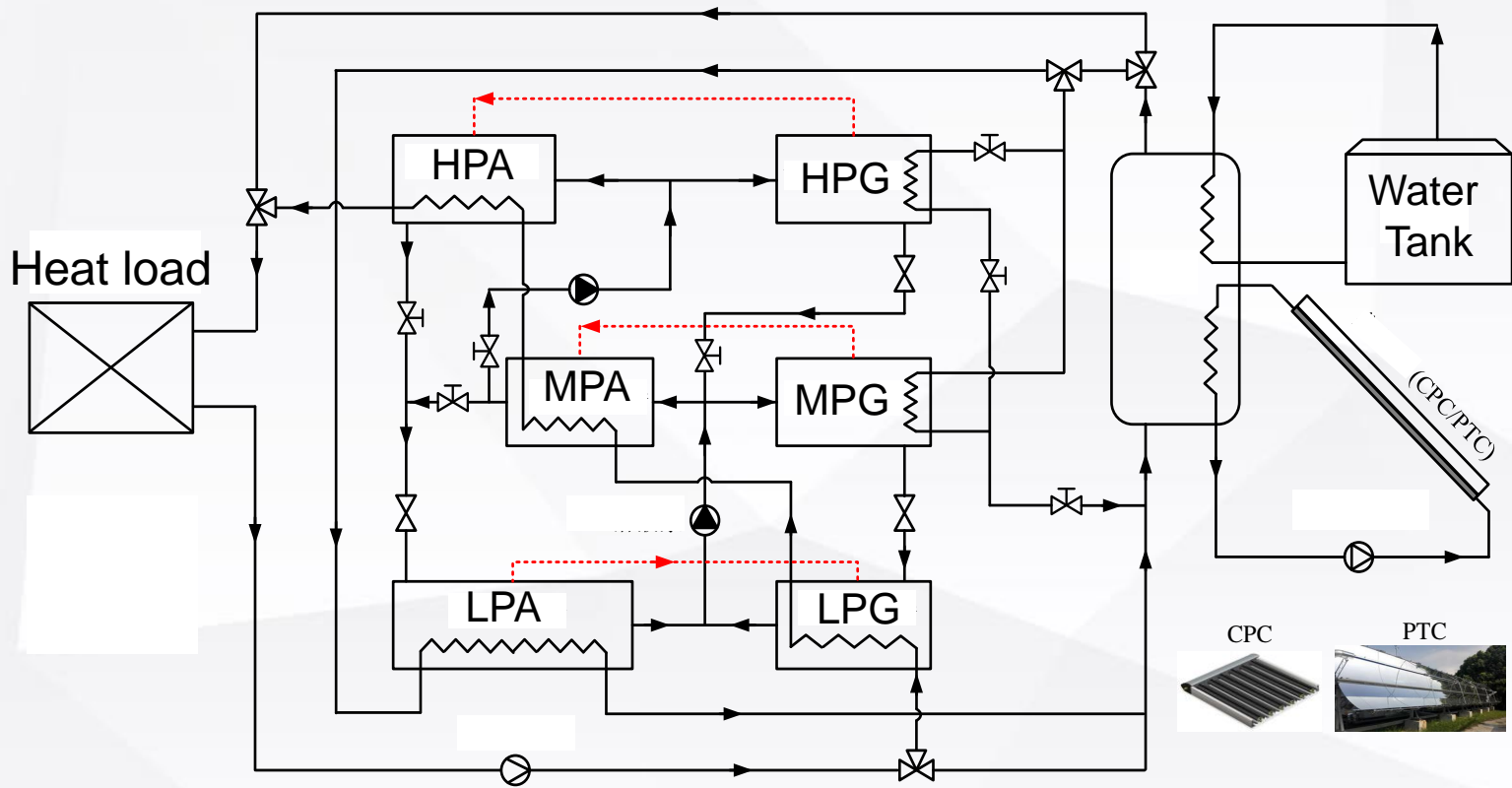
# Absorption-resorption heat pump system

Full utilization of solar energy

Collector temperature



- Higher than 70 °C , Combined with HPG, heating by HP;
- 35~70 °C , heating by solar collector directly;
- 10~35 °C , Combined with LPG, heating by HP

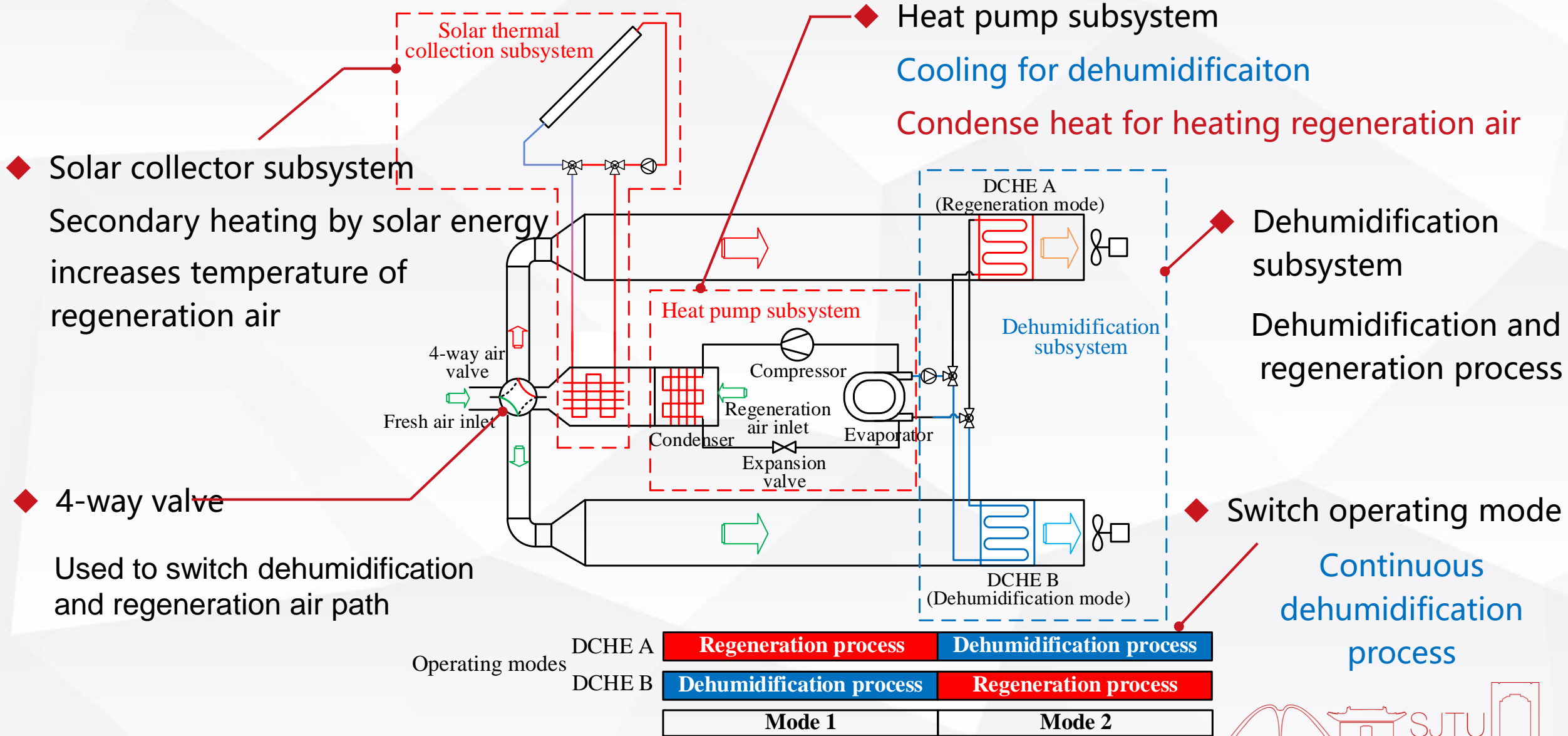


➤ When  $f > 40\%$ , the primary energy utilization performance is better than that of the common system.





# Solar combined air-dehumidification HP system

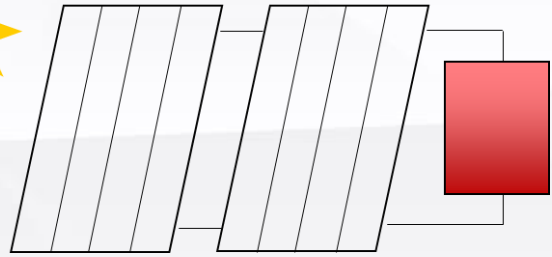




# Solar combined air-dehumidification HP system



## ◆ Solar collector subsystem



Solar heat enhanced regeneration

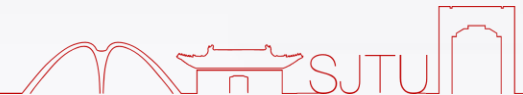
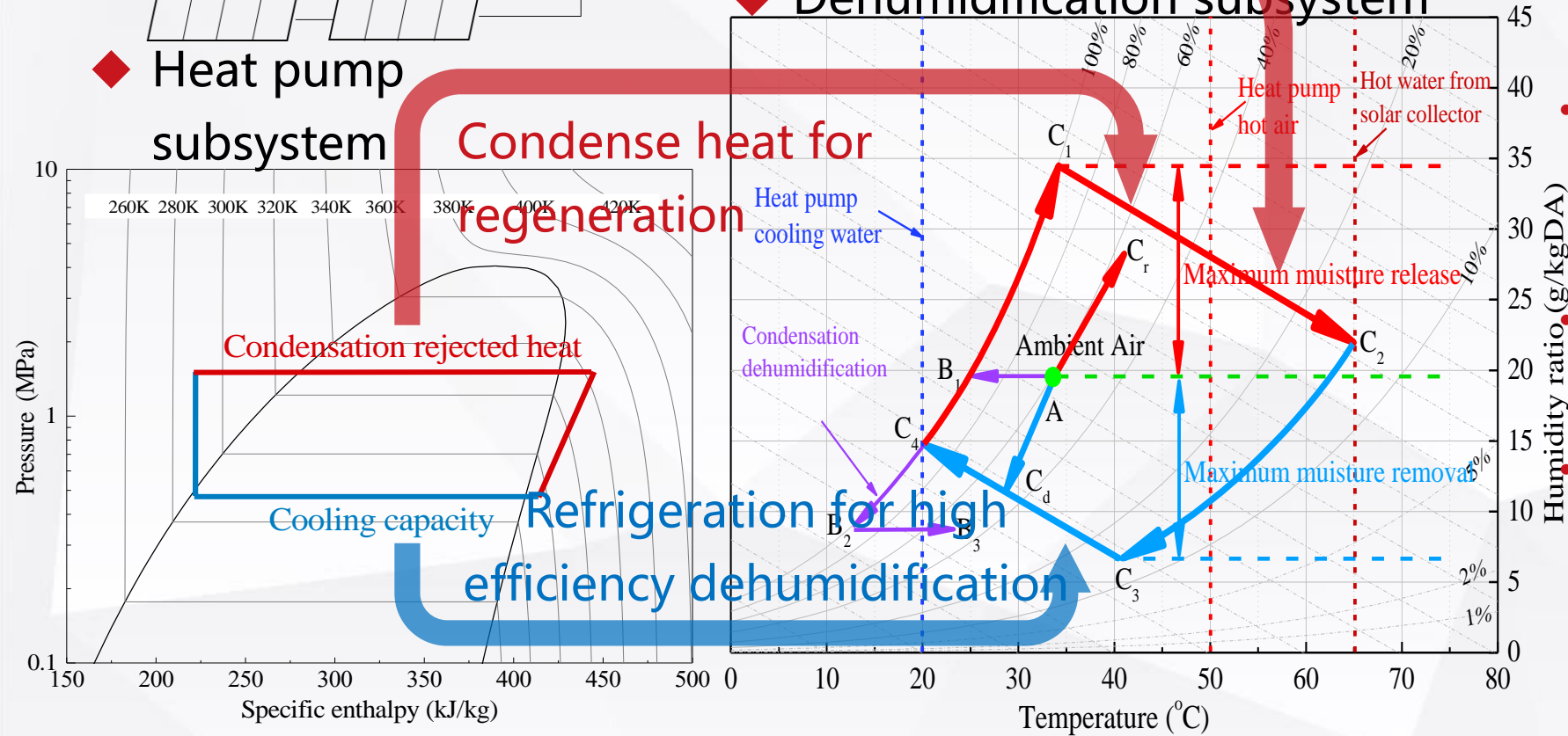
## ◆ Heat pump subsystem

Condense heat for regeneration

## ◆ Dehumidification subsystem

## ◆ Air cycle in system

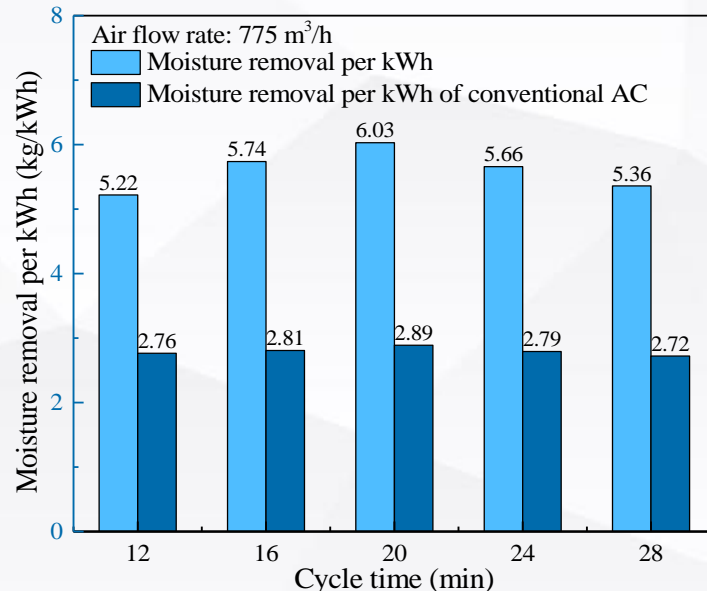
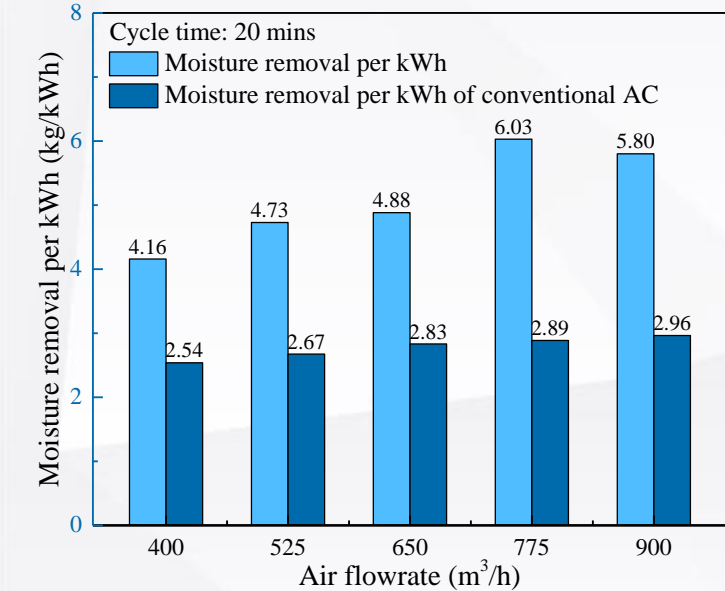
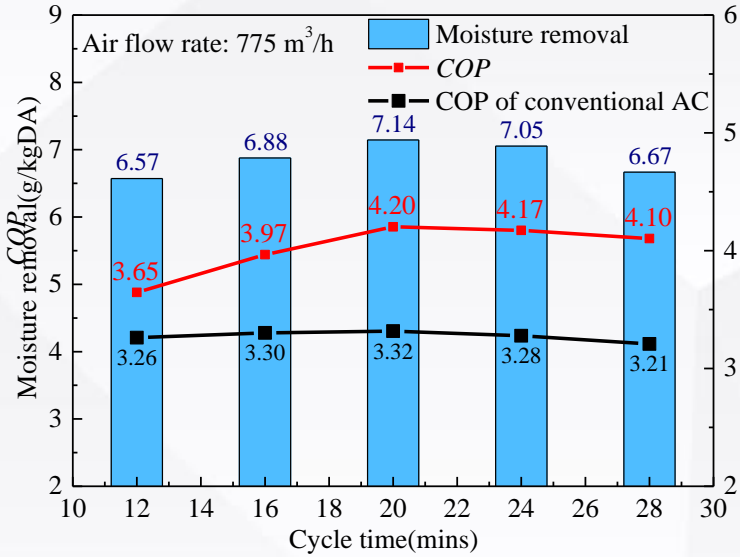
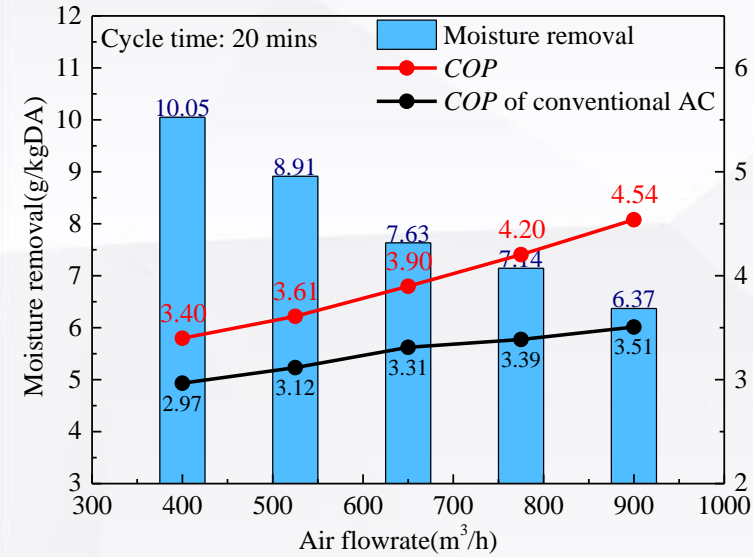
- $C_4 \rightarrow C_1$ : Saturated desiccant regeneration
- $C_1 \rightarrow C_2$ : Maximum regeneration capacity
- $C_2 \rightarrow C_3$ : Start dehumidification process
- $C_3 \rightarrow C_4$ : Maximum instantaneous dehumidification capacity







# Solar combined air-dehumidification HP system



## Experiment condition:

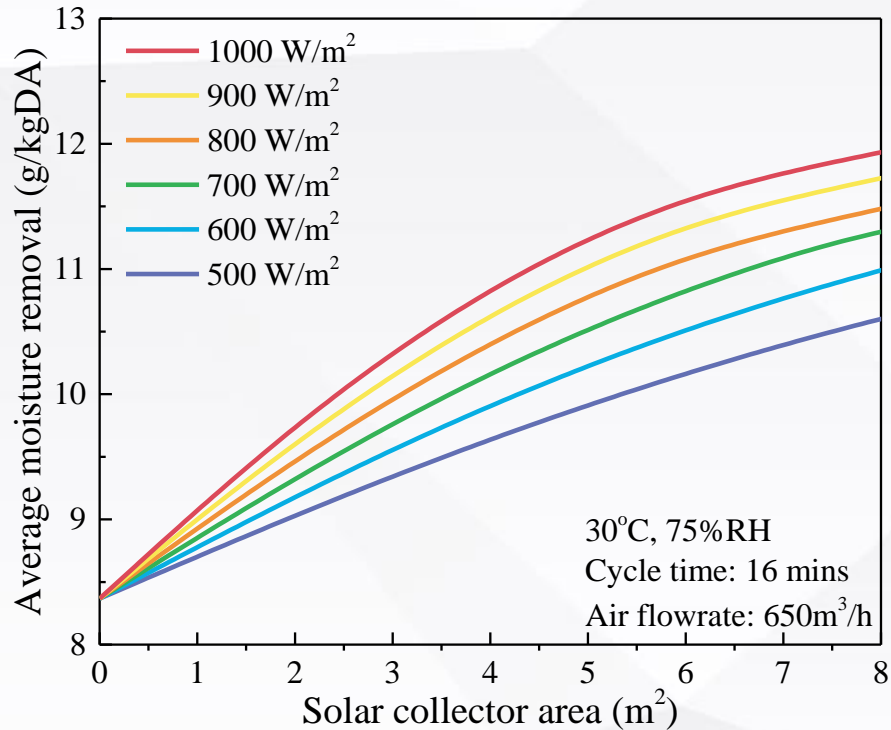
- 27.5°C, 78.4%RH
- 18.24g/kgDA

## Result:

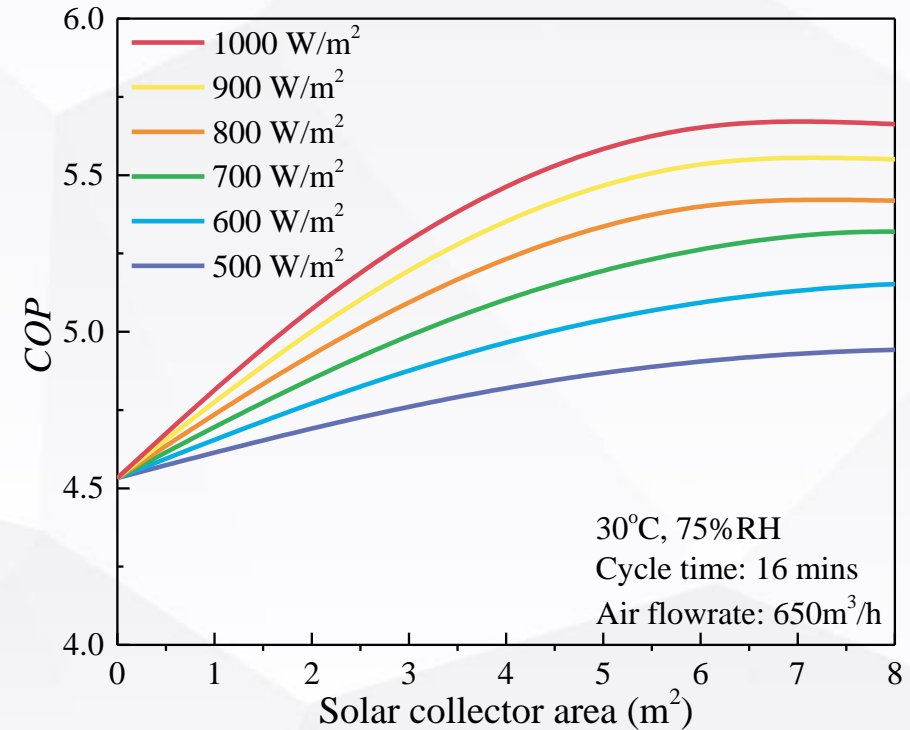
- Dehumidification capacity: 6.37~8.94 g/kgDA;
- System COP: 3.40~4.54;
- Compared to conventional technology, system COP improved by 14.5%~29.3%;
- Unit electricity dehumidification value: 4.16~6.03 kg/kWh;
- Unit electricity dehumidification capacity is 1.89-2.09 times that of conventional system



- ◆ Effect of radiation intensity and collector area on system dehumidification capacity



- ◆ Effect of radiation intensity and collector area on system COP



- ◆ The change of cop is similar to that of dehumidification, which increases with the increase of solar radiation intensity and heat collecting area, but the increase range is smaller;
- ◆ Under suitable heat collecting area and irradiation intensity, the dehumidification capacity of the system can reach **10 ~ 12 g / kgda** and COP can reach **5.0 ~ 5.7**.



- ① Solar cooker is welcome in rural areas, as well as tourist spots;
- ① Solar heating and cooling is very helpful for energy saving in building section;
- ① Solar PVT is one of the highest way to harvest solar energy;
- ① BIPV is important direction in solar energy utilization.



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