

Title (en)

Thermal buffering of downhole equipment with phase change material

Title (de)

Wärmpufferung von Bohrlochausrüstung mit Speicherstoff

Title (fr)

Mise en mémoire tampon thermique d'équipement de trou de forage avec matériau de changement de phase

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Abstract (en)

A downhole assembly may include a housing containing a heat-producing component in thermal communication with a thermal buffering component. The thermal buffering component includes a container having a phase change material disposed therein that is selected to have a phase change at or below a selected temperature.

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