# Comparison

## Plate Heat Exchanger (PHE) VS Spiral Heat Exchanger (SHE)

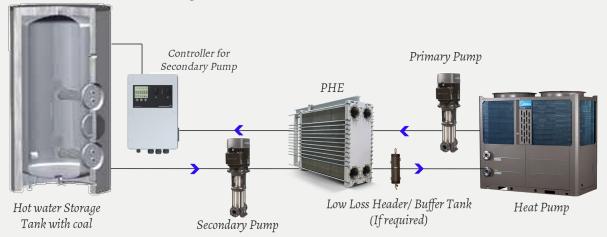
#### Plate Heat Exchanger

- Additional equipemnts/components required for secondary circulation loop like Secondary Circulation pump along with controller panel and extra pipping and valves required.
- 2. Extra Power Consumption for secondary circulation pump.
- 3. Heat loss via PHE which is generally not insulated and secondary circulation loop pipings, valves and fittings.

#### Spiral Heat Exchanger

- 1. No secondary circulation loop is required.
- 2. Only one circulation pump power consumption.
- 3. No external HE and secondary circulation loop.

### Scheme - I with Plate Heat Exchanger



- 4. PHE requires maintance like replacement of gaskets and has limited life of appeox. 10 years.
- 5. Extra investment on secondary pump, control panel & secondary loop pipping, valves and fitting.
- 6. Larger footprints due to external PHE & Secondary Loop.
- 4. SHE requires zero maintance and life is more than 25 years.
- 5. Approx. 20-40% less captial cost
- 6. Less footprints due to no external HE & Secondary loop requiremnt and there is only primary pipings outside.

#### Scheme - II with Spiral Heat Exchanger

