

$$q = mc\Delta T$$

← formula used

Answer key

$$C_{H_2O} = 4.18 \text{ J/g}^\circ\text{C}$$

1. How much energy must be absorbed by 20.0 g of water to increase its temperature from 283.0 °C to 303.0 °C?

$$q = (20)(4.18)(303 - 283)$$
$$q = 1672 \text{ J}$$

2. When 15.0 g of steam drops in temperature from 275.0 °C to 250.0 °C, how much heat energy is released?

$$q = (15.0)(4.18)(250 - 275)$$
$$q = -1567.5 \text{ J}$$

3. How much energy is required to heat 120.0 g of water from 2.0 °C to 24.0 °C?

$$q = 120(4.18)(24 - 2)$$
$$q = 11035.2 \text{ J}$$

4. If 720.0 g of steam at 400.0 °C absorbs 800.0 kJ of heat energy, what will be its increase in temperature?

$$800.0 = (720)(4.18)(\Delta T)$$
$$\Delta T = 0.266^\circ\text{C}$$

5. How much heat (in kJ) is given out when 85.0 g of lead cools from 200.0 °C to 10.0 °C? (Cp of lead = 0.129 J/g °C)

$$q = (85)(0.129)(10 - 200)$$
$$q = -2083.35 \text{ J}$$

6. If it takes 41.72 joules to heat a piece of gold weighing 18.69 g from 10.0 °C to 27.0 °C, what is the specific heat of the gold?

$$41.72 = (18.69)(c)(27 - 10)$$
$$c = 0.13 \text{ J/g}^\circ\text{C}$$

7. 8. A certain mass of water was heated with 41,840 Joules, raising its temperature from 22.0 °C to 28.5 °C. Find the mass of water

$$41840 = m(4.18)(28.5 - 22)$$
$$m = 1539.9 \text{ g}$$

Formula used for all problems $\rightarrow (m_1)(c_1)(\Delta T_1) = -(m_2)(c_2)(\Delta T_2)$
 $q_1 = -q_2$

8. A lump of chromium (Cr) has a mass of 92.5 grams and a temperature of 89.5°C. It is placed into a calorimeter with 75.2 g of water at 20.5°C. After stirring, the final temperature of the mixture is 27.4°C. What is the specific heat of Cr metal?

$$(75.2)(4.18)(27.4 - 20.5) = -(92.5)(c)(27.4 - 89.5)$$

$$c = 0.377 \text{ J/g}^\circ\text{C}$$

9. A sample of Ag metal is heated to 80.0°C and dropped into 50.0 g of water at 23.2°C. The final temperature of the Ag-water mixture is 27.6°C. The specific heat of silver is 0.234 J/g°C. What is the mass of the silver?

$$(50)(4.18)(27.6 - 23.2) = -(m)(0.234)(27.6 - 80)$$

$$m = 75 \text{ g}$$

10. A 10.0 kg piece of metal at 50.0°C is placed in 1.00 kg of water at 10.0°C. The metal and water come to the same temperature of 31.4°C. What is the specific heat of the metal?

$$(1.00)(4.18)(31.4 - 10) = -(10)(c)(10 - 50)$$

$$c = 0.224 \text{ J/g}^\circ\text{C}$$

11. A 79.9 g sample of silver at a high temperature is dropped into 53.5 g sample of water at 25.5°C, the final temperature of the mixture is 28.9°C. What was the *initial temperature* of the silver?

$$(53.5 \text{ g})(4.18)(28.9 - 25.5) = -(79.9)(0.234)(28.9 - T_i)$$

$$760.342 = -18.486(28.9 - T_i)$$

$$760.342 = -534.2454 + 18.486T_i$$

$$T_i = 70^\circ\text{C}$$