

## Heat Capacity and Specific Heat Problems: II

1. A student used a BIC butane lighter to heat a test tube containing 40.0 mL of water, initially at 5.0°C. The lighter was allowed to burn until the water reached 39.0°C. Before the heating process the lighter had a mass of 42.70 g. Afterwards it had a mass of 42.49 g.
  - a) Calculate the heat absorbed by the water. The specific heat capacity of water is 4.18 J/g °C.
  - b) Assuming all the heat from the burning butane (C<sub>4</sub>H<sub>10</sub>) was captured by the water, calculate the heat of combustion of the butane in kJ/mol.
2. When 0.6484 g of cetyl palmitate C<sub>32</sub>H<sub>64</sub>O<sub>2</sub> (a fruit wax), was burned in a bomb calorimeter with a heat capacity of 11.99 kJ/°C, the temperature of the calorimeter rose from 24.518°C to 26.746°C. Calculate the molar heat of combustion of cetyl palmitate in kJ/mol.
3. 1.20 g of hydrogen gas is completely burned in the presence of oxygen gas in a bomb calorimeter producing water. The heat capacity of the calorimeter is 9.43 kJ/°C and the temperature of the calorimeter rose from 25.55 °C to 41.97°C. Calculate the enthalpy change in J and in kJ/mol or water produced.
4. The combustion of 2.4 g of butane (C<sub>4</sub>H<sub>10</sub>) in a calorimeter causes a rise in temperature of 12°C. The calorimeter contains 4000 g of water and the calorimeter has a mass of 450 g.  
 $c_{\text{water}} = 4.18 \text{ J/g}\cdot\text{C}$                        $C_{\text{calorimeter}} = 1.39 \text{ J/g}\cdot\text{C}$   
Determine:
  - a) the heat absorbed by the calorimeter
  - b) the heat absorbed by the water
  - c)  $\Delta H$  in J/mol of butane
5. 5.61 g of potassium hydroxide (KOH) were dissolved in 200.0 mL of water. The temperature of the water rose from 20.0 °C to 27.0°C after dissolving. Calculate the molar heat of dissolving for KOH. (Specific heat of water = 4.18 J/g °C)
6. Calculate the enthalpy change that occurs when 68.0 g of liquid gold at a temperature of 1063°C are cooled to 23. The melting point of gold is 1063°C. The heat of fusion and specific heat capacity of gold are 64.0 J/g and 0.130 J/g °C respectively.
7. A 2.64 g sample of sucrose (C<sub>12</sub>H<sub>22</sub>O<sub>11</sub>) is burned in a bomb calorimeter. The heat capacity of the calorimeter is 9.43 kJ/°C. The temperature changes from 21.00°C to 25.62 °C. Calculate the heat of combustion of sucrose in kJ/mol.
8. 100 cm<sup>3</sup> of water was placed in a styrofoam cup and its temperature was found to be 18.0 °C. 0.1 mol of NH<sub>4</sub>Cl<sub>(s)</sub> was added and the temperature fell to 14.0 °C. Calculate  $\Delta H_{\text{(solution)}}$  for the dissolving of 1.0 mol of NH<sub>4</sub>Cl<sub>(s)</sub>. Draw a potential energy level diagram.