

Thermochemistry Worksheet

Heat capacity	Heat to cause temp change	Enthalpy
Heat capacity(J/°C) = mc	$q = m \times c \times \Delta T$	$H = E + PV$ $\Delta H_{\text{reaction}} = H_{\text{products}} - H_{\text{reactants}}$
m = mass of the material c = the specific heat of the material	q = amount of heat added to the system m = mass of the substance c = specific heat of the substance ΔT = change in temperature.	H = enthalpy E = internal energy P = pressure V = volume

1. Calculate the amount of heat needed to increase the temperature of 125 g of water from 22°C to 59°C (Specific heat of water is 4.184 J/g-°C).

$$q = m \times c \times \Delta T$$

$$q = (125 \text{ g})(4.184 \text{ J/g} \cdot \text{°C})(59 \text{°C} - 22 \text{°C}) = 19,351 \text{ J}$$

2. Calculate the specific heat of copper, given that 204.75 J of energy raises the temperature of 15 g of copper from 35°C to 70°C.

$$q = m \times c \times \Delta T \quad c = q / m \times \Delta T$$

$$c = (204.75 \text{ J}) / (15 \text{ g})(70 \text{°C} - 35 \text{°C}) = 0.39 \text{ J/g} \cdot \text{°C}$$

3. 432 J of energy is required to raise the temperature of a block of aluminum ($c_{\text{aluminum}} = 0.89 \text{ J} \cdot \text{°C}^{-1} \text{ g}^{-1}$) from 20°C to 60°C. Calculate the mass of aluminum present.

$$q = m \times c \times \Delta T \quad m = q / c \times \Delta T$$

$$m = (432 \text{ J}) / (0.89 \text{ J/g} \cdot \text{°C})(60 \text{°C} - 20 \text{°C}) = 121.3 \text{ g}$$

4. Calculate ΔH_{rxn} for the reaction: $2\text{CO(g)} + \text{O}_2\text{(g)} \rightarrow 2\text{CO}_2\text{(g)}$ [ΔH_f of CO = -110.5 kJ/mol, ΔH_f of $\text{O}_2 = 0$ kJ/mol, ΔH_f of $\text{CO}_2 = -393.5$ kJ/mol]. Is this reaction Exothermic or Endothermic?

$$\Delta H_{\text{reaction}} = H_{\text{products}} - H_{\text{reactants}}$$

$$\Delta H_{\text{reaction}} = H_{\text{CO}_2} - [2H_{\text{CO}} + H_{\text{O}_2}]$$

$$\Delta H_{\text{reaction}} = -393.5 - [2(-110.5) + 0] = -172.5 \text{ kJ/mol}$$

Exothermic

5. A pure gold ring and pure silver ring have a total mass of 17.0 g. The two rings are heated to 65.4 °C and dropped into 12.4 mL of water at 22.3 °C. When equilibrium is reached, the temperature of the water is 24.7 °C. What is the mass of the gold ring? [C_p gold = $0.129 \text{ J g}^{-1} \text{ °C}^{-1}$, C_p silver = $0.237 \text{ J g}^{-1} \text{ °C}^{-1}$]

$$(\text{mass gold}) (\Delta t \text{ gold}) (C_p \text{ gold}) + (\text{mass silver}) (\Delta t \text{ silver}) (C_p \text{ silver}) = (\text{mass water}) (\Delta t \text{ water}) (C_p \text{ water})$$

$$(x) (40.7 \text{ °C}) (0.129 \text{ J g}^{-1} \text{ °C}^{-1}) + (17.0 \text{ g} - x) (40.7 \text{ °C}) (0.237 \text{ J g}^{-1} \text{ °C}^{-1}) = (12.4 \text{ g}) (2.4 \text{ °C}) (4.184 \text{ J g}^{-1} \text{ °C}^{-1})$$

$$x = 8.98 \text{ g}$$