Answer on Question #78391, Chemistry/ General Chemistry

How much energy in kilojoules is needed to heat 5.75 g of ice from -11.5 °C to 33.0 °C? The heat of fusion of water is 6.01 kJ/mol, and the molar heat capacity is 36.6 J/(mol \bullet K) for ice and 75.4 J/(mol \bullet K) for liquid water.

Solution

n(H20) = m/M

M=Mr

 $Mr(H2O) = Ar(H) \times 2 + Ar(O) = 1 \times 2 + 16 = 18$

n(H2O) = 5.75/18 = 0.32 (mol)

Q = Q1 + Q2 + Q3

Q1 – is the energy required to raise the temperature of 0.32 mol of ice from -11.5°C to 0°C. (We may use temperature in degrees of Celsius as difference of temperatures is the same both in K and in °C)

 $Q1=Cp\times n\times (T2-T1) = 36.6\times 0.32\times (0-(-11.5)) = 134.688 (J)$

Q2 – is the energy required to melt 0.32 mol of ice at 0°C.

 $Q2 = n \times \Delta Hf = 0.32 \times 6010 = 1923.2$ (J)

Q3 – is the energy required to raise the temperature of 0.32 mole of water from 0°C to 33°C.

Q3 = $Cp \times n \times (T2-T1) = 75.4 \times 0.32 \times (33.0-0) = 796.224$ (J)

Q = Q1+Q2+Q3 = 134.688+1923.2+796.224 = 2854.112 (J) = 2.854 (kJ)

Answer: 2.854 kJ

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