Answer on Question #42480 – Physics – Molecular Physics | Thermodynamics

Question.

What amount of heat is required to raise the temperature of 20 grams of water from 10° C to 30° C? The specific heat of water is 4.18 J/g° C.

Given:

$$m = 20 g$$

$$T_1 = 10^{\circ} \text{C}$$

$$T_2 = 30^{\circ} \text{C}$$

$$c = 4.18 \frac{J}{g \cdot {}^{\circ}\text{C}}$$

Find:

$$Q = ?$$

Solution.

The known formula of transmission of heat for heating:

$$Q = cm(T_2 - T_1)$$

Calculate:

$$Q = 4.18 \cdot 20 \cdot 20 = 1672 J$$

Answer.

$$Q = cm(T_2 - T_1) = 1672 J$$