

Physics 11  
Heat And Cooling Test

Answers to questions to be written in the space provided

Answers to questions involving calculations should be evaluated and given in decimal form.  
Quote the final answer to not more than four significant figures.

Marks maybe deducted for not showing working.  
Working must be legible and clearly set out.

Questions containing the instruction estimate may give insufficient numerical data for their solution.  
Students should provide appropriate figures to enable an approximate solution to be obtained.

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Teacher \_\_\_\_\_

Mark \_\_\_\_\_

1. Consider a cup of coffee at  $95^{\circ}\text{C}$  and a bath of water at  $40^{\circ}\text{C}$ .

a. By considering the molecules of water, explain why the coffee is at a

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2. The diagram below shows a reverse cycle air conditioner.



a. What does the term “reverse cycle” mean

b. Explain how the air conditioner is able to cool a room?

3. Consider the following advertisement for an evaporative air cooler. Sketch a diagram of the internal structure of such a cooler and explain how it works from a particle point of view.

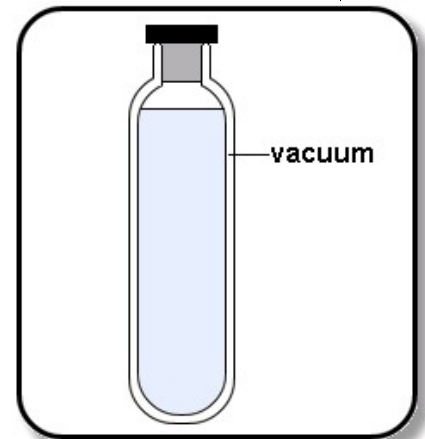
4. Complete the following conversions:

## Evaporative air coolers

a.  $25.0^{\circ}\text{C}$  to K

b.  $4.50 \times 10^2 \text{ K}$  to  $^{\circ}\text{C}$

Do Aussie summers make you feel like you're roasting in a dry oven? If you're desperate to cool down with a dash of moisture in the air, perhaps you

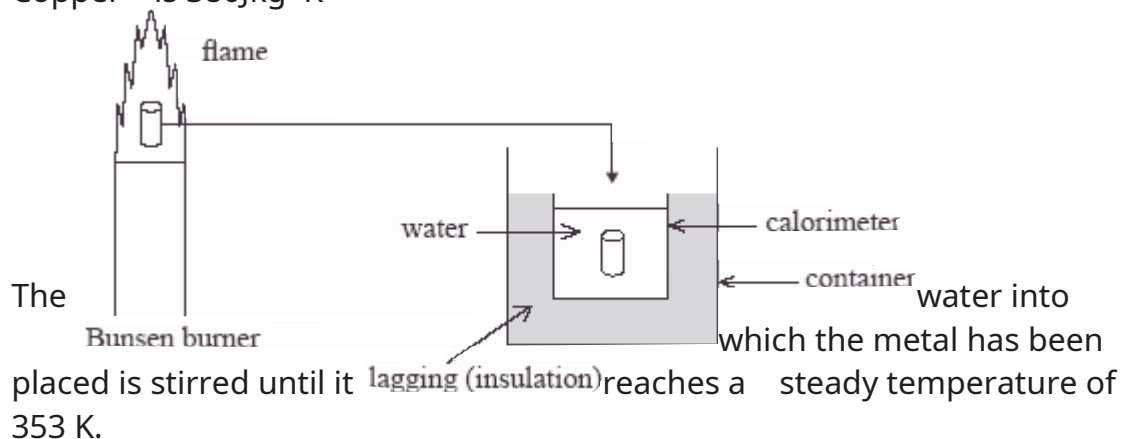


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**[12 marks]**

1. In an experiment to measure the temperature of a Bunsen burner flame. A 250g piece of copper is held in the flame of a Bunsen burner for several minutes. The metal is then quickly transferred to 285 ml of water contained in a 40.0 g calorimeter at 288 K. Please note specific heat for Copper is  $380\text{Jkg}^{-1}\text{K}^{-1}$



- a. Explain why the metal is transferred as quickly as possible from the flame to the water.

**[2 mark]**

- b. Explain why the water is stirred.

**[2 mark]**

c. Assuming negligible energy losses in the processes involved, the

d. Using your answer from c) determine the temperature of the

e. If instead of water, the same mass of ethyl alcohol was used,

End of Test