

## Section Summary

### 14.1 Heat

- Heat and work are the two distinct methods of energy transfer.
- Heat is energy transferred solely due to a temperature difference.
- Any energy unit can be used for heat transfer, and the most common are kilocalorie (kcal) and joule (J).
- Kilocalorie is defined to be the energy needed to change the temperature of 1.00 kg of water between  $14.5^{\circ}\text{C}$  and  $15.5^{\circ}\text{C}$ .
- The mechanical equivalent of this heat transfer is  $1.00 \text{ kcal} = 4186 \text{ J}$ .

### 14.2 Temperature Change and Heat Capacity

- The transfer of heat  $Q$  that leads to a change  $\Delta T$  in the temperature of a body with mass  $m$  is  $Q = mc\Delta T$ , where  $c$  is the specific heat of the material. This relationship can also be considered as the definition of specific heat.

### 14.3 Phase Change and Latent Heat

- Most substances can exist either in solid, liquid, and gas forms, which are referred to as “phases.”
- Phase changes occur at fixed temperatures for a given substance at a given pressure, and these temperatures are called boiling and freezing (or melting) points.
- During phase changes, heat absorbed or released is given by:
- $Q = mL$ ,  
where  $L$  is the latent heat coefficient.

### 14.4 Heat Transfer Methods

- Heat is transferred by three different methods: conduction, convection, and radiation.

### 14.5 Conduction

- Heat conduction is the transfer of heat between two objects in direct contact with each other.
- The rate of heat transfer  $Q/t$  (energy per unit time) is proportional to the temperature difference  $T_2 - T_1$  and the contact area  $A$  and inversely proportional to the distance  $d$  between the objects:
- $\frac{Q}{t} = \frac{kA(T_2 - T_1)}{d}$ .

## 14.6 Convection

- Convection is heat transfer by the macroscopic movement of mass. Convection can be natural or forced and generally transfers thermal energy faster than conduction. Table 14.4 gives wind-chill factors, indicating that moving air has the same chilling effect of much colder stationary air. *Convection that occurs along with a phase change* can transfer energy from cold regions to warm ones.

## 14.7 Radiation

- Radiation is the rate of heat transfer through the emission or absorption of electromagnetic waves.
- The rate of heat transfer depends on the surface area and the fourth power of the absolute temperature:
- $\frac{Q}{t} = \sigma e A T^4$ ,

where  $\sigma = 5.67 \times 10^{-8} \text{ J/s} \cdot \text{m}^2 \cdot \text{K}^4$  is the Stefan-Boltzmann constant and  $e$  is the emissivity of the body. For a black body,  $e = 1$  whereas a shiny white or perfect reflector has  $e = 0$ , with real objects having values of  $e$  between 1 and 0. The net rate of heat transfer by radiation is

$$\frac{Q_{\text{net}}}{t} = \sigma e A (T_2^4 - T_1^4)$$

where  $T_1$  is the temperature of an object surrounded by an environment with uniform temperature  $T_2$  and  $e$  is the emissivity of the *object*.