

$$Q = mC\Delta T \quad \text{or} \quad Q = mC(T_f - T_i)$$

Material	Specific Heat $\left(\frac{J}{kg \text{ } ^\circ C}\right)$
water	4,184
oxygen	918
aluminum	900
argon	520
steel	470
zinc	388
bronze	370
Platinum	133
gold	129

1. I have an unknown mass of gold. I heat it from 20°C to 340°C by adding 2064 Joules of heat energy. What is the mass of the gold?

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Already Know		
Answer as equation <i>with unit</i> :		

2. I have an unknown substance. I have a mass of 0.05 kg. I heat it from 20°C to 23°C when adding 19.95 Joules of heat energy. What is the specific heat of my mystery substance? What substance is it?

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Answer as equation <i>with unit</i> :		

3. I have an unknown mass of steel. I heat it from room temperature ( $20^{\circ}\text{C}$ ) to its boiling point ( $1510^{\circ}\text{C}$ ) by adding 4.2 million Joules of heat energy. What is the mass of my steel?

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Already Know		
Answer as equation <i>with unit</i> :		

4. I have a container of of 23 kg of an unknown gas. I heat it from  $15^{\circ}\text{C}$  to  $24^{\circ}\text{C}$  by adding 107,640 Joules of heat energy. What is the specific heat of my gas, and what kind of gas is it?

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Answer as equation <i>with unit</i> :		