

Figure 1 shows the graph of temperature against time. Some of the various calculated ¹ and recorded values are listed in table 1.

Using the additive model in the graph, I calculated c as 0.45 J g^{-1} .

This value of c agrees with various other values I've found:

- $c = 0.460 \text{ J g}^{-1}$ [1]
- $c = 0.450 \text{ J g}^{-1}$ [2]
- $c = 0.444 \text{ J g}^{-1}$ [3]

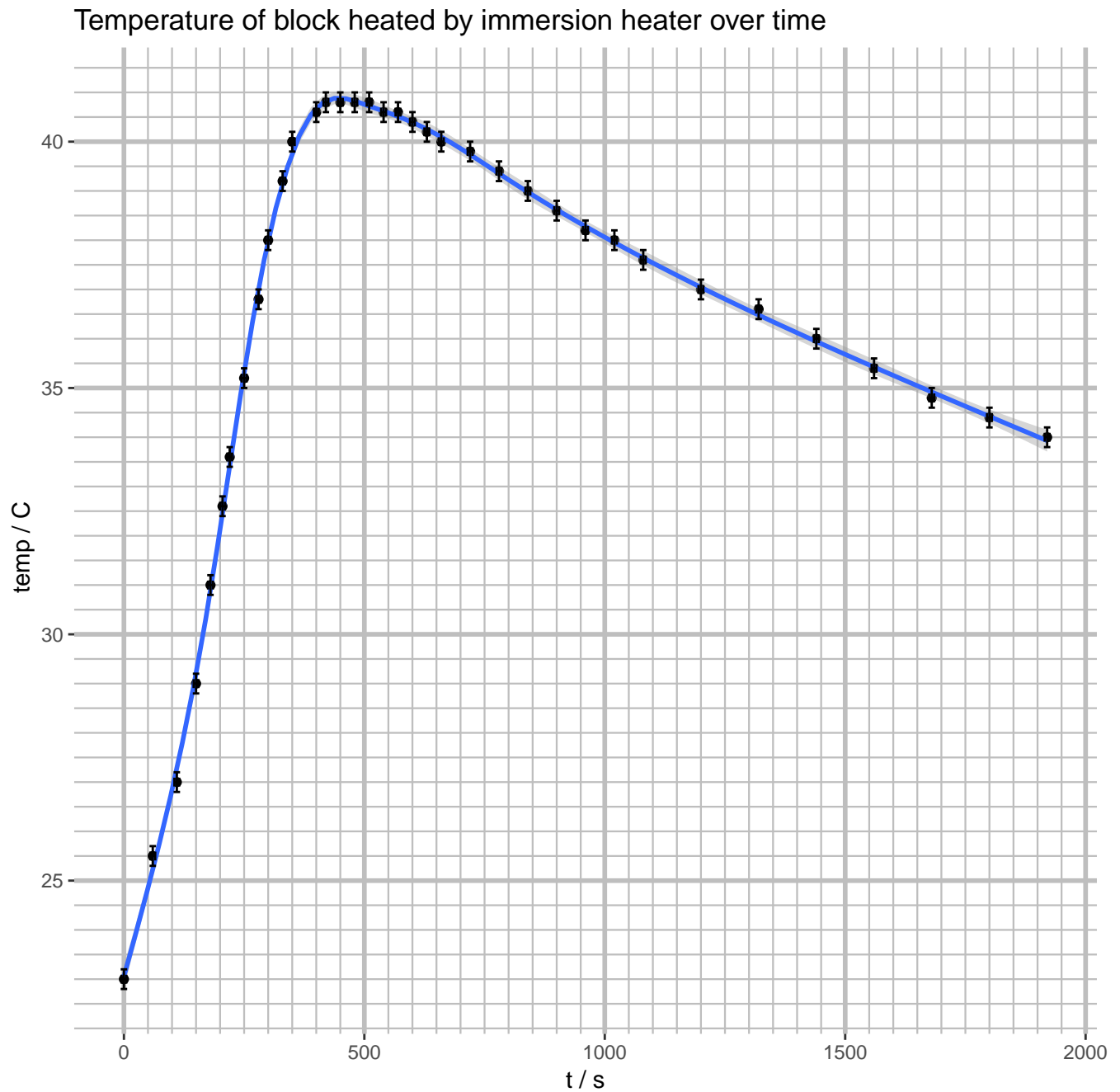


Figure 1: Graph of temperature against time

¹https://github.com/elterminad0r/physics/tree/master/thermal_cap/analyse.r

t_1	446.8 s
t_2	1473.2 s
A_1	4537.0 s °C
A_2	21 070.4 s °C
$\theta_{\text{corrected max}}$	42.3 °C
θ_{start}	23.0 °C
t_{heat}	210.0 s
c	0.45 J g ⁻¹

Table 1: Intermediate values in the calculation of c

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