

- (b) One end of a copper rod, with diameter 2.0 cm and length 50.0 cm, is in good thermal contact with a hot bath maintained at 100°C while the other end is immersed in a mixture of 200 g ice and 100 g water initially maintained at 0°C inside a container whose thermal capacity is negligible. Both the copper rod and the container are well-lagged. How long does it take for the temperature of the mixture to rise from 0°C to 20°C ?

[Thermal conductivity of copper = $400 \text{ W m}^{-2} \text{ K}^{-1}$;

Specific heat capacity of water = $4200 \text{ J kg}^{-1} \text{ K}^{-1}$

Latent heat of fusion of water = $3.34 \times 10^5 \text{ J kg}^{-1}$]

[6 marks]