#### **CONCEPT:** HEAT CAPACITY

• As you heat an object its temperature increases because heat is \_\_\_\_\_\_ proportional to its temperature change.

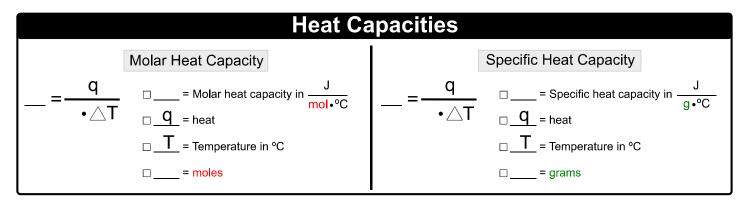
Heat–Temperature Relationship q  $\propto$ 

**EXAMPLE:** If the temperature of a water bath goes from 25 K to 50 K, what can be said about the amount of heat?

- a) It will double
- b) It will remain the same
- c) It will be halved
- d) It will triple

## **Molar & Specific Heat Capacity**

- Heat Capacity ( \_\_\_ ): The amount of heat required to change the temperature of a weighted substance.
  - □ Specific Heat Capacity (\_\_\_): Amount of heat required to change the temperature of 1 g of substance by 1 K.
  - □ **Molar Heat Capacity** ( \_\_\_ ): Amount of heat required to change the temperature of 1 mole of substance by 1 K.



**EXAMPLE:** If 15.7 g of silver raises its temperature by 17.2 °C when it absorbs 6845.5 J, what is its molar heat capacity?

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# **Rearranged Specific Heat Formula**

• By rearranging the specific heat capacity given above we can solve for the amount of heat \_\_\_\_\_ or \_\_\_\_.

Specific Heat Capacity Formula			
	q = mc∆T		

**EXAMPLE:** How much heat (in kJ) is released when 120.0 g  $H_2O$  goes from 90 °C to 45 °C? The specific heat capacity of  $H_2O$  is 4.184 J / g • °C.

**PRACTICE:** A sample of copper absorbs 3.53 kJ of heat, which increases the temperature by 25 °C, determine the mass (in kg) of the copper sample if the specific heat capacity of copper is 0.385 J / g • °C.

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**PRACTICE:** Based on their given specific heat capacities which substance would show the greatest temperature change upon absorbing 25.0 J of heat?

a) 250.0 g Al

b) 250.0 g Cu

c) 250.0 g ethanol

d) 250.0 g wood

Specific Heat Capacities		
Substances	Specific Heat Capacity	
Elements Aluminum, Al Copper, Cu	0.900 0.385	
Compounds Ethanol, C <sub>2</sub> H <sub>5</sub> OH	2.460	
<mark>Materials</mark> Wood	1.760	

**PRACTICE**: 50.00 g of heated metal ore is placed into an insulated beaker containing 822.5 g of water. Once the metal heats up the final temperature of the water is 32.08 °C. If the metal gains 14.55 kJ of energy, what is the initial temperature of the water? The specific heat capacity of copper is 4.184 J / g • °C.