Name _____ Chapter 5 AP Chemistry

Calorimetry Problems



1. A 2.839-g sample of C_2H_4O was burned in a bomb calorimeter whose total heat capacity is 16.77 kJ/°C. The temperature of the calorimeter increases from 22.62°C to 26.87°C. What is the heat of combustion per mole of C_2H_4O ?

2. A 1.55-g sample of propane, C_3H_8 , was burned in a bomb calorimeter whose total heat capacity is 12.3 kJ/°C. The temperature of the calorimeter plus its contents increased from 21.36°C to 27.69°C. What is the heat of combustion per gram of propane?

3. The heat capacity of lead is 0.13 J/g·°C. How many joules of heat would be required to raise the temperature of 15 g of lead from 22°C to 37°C?

4. A sample of aluminum absorbed 9.86 J of heat, and its temperature increased from 23.2°C to 30.5°C. What was the mass of the aluminum sample? (The specific heat of aluminum is 0.90 J/g·K.)