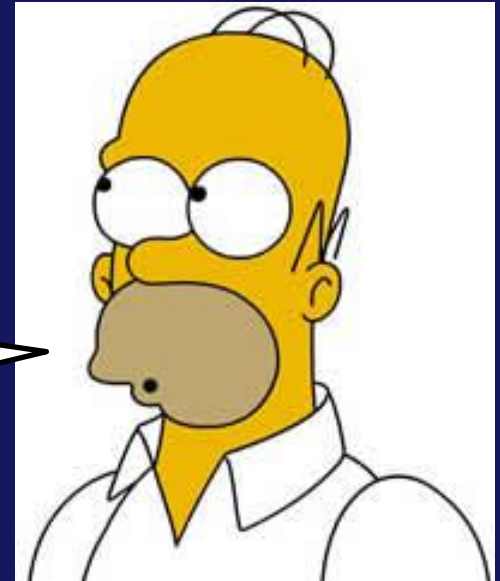


# Ready for some more **SCIENCE** Homer?

**Alright brain,  
you don't like me  
and I don't like you;  
but let's get through this  
and I can get back  
to killing you  
with beer!**



*Homer gives  
his brain a pep talk*

*Disclaimer: Homer's approach to  
learning science is not endorsed by Dr H!*

# REVIEW:

## THE TWO LAWS OF THERMODYNAMICS

### #1 First Law

*(2 simple ways of understanding it)*

- **Energy can be transformed** (changed from one form to another), but the **total amount always remains the same**. (It is never destroyed)

*(same as the “Law of Conservation of Energy”)*

- **HEAT added = increase in THERMAL ENERGY**  
+ external **WORK DONE**

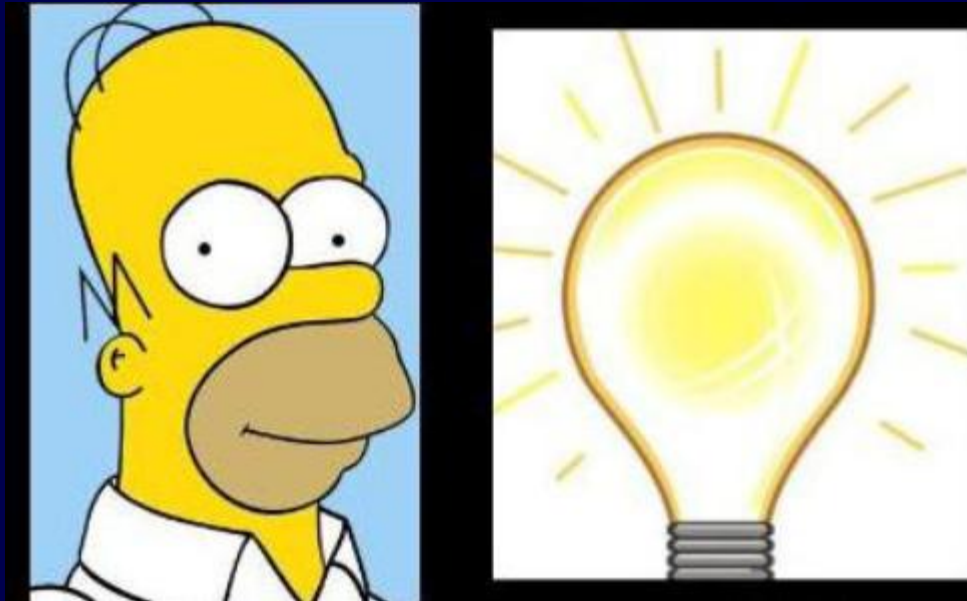


Although energy may not be destroyed, it *can*  
become **INEFFICIENT**  
-- i.e., not easily used or available to do work!

**Efficiency = work done / energy used**

# ENERGY EFFICIENCY & LIGHT BULBS

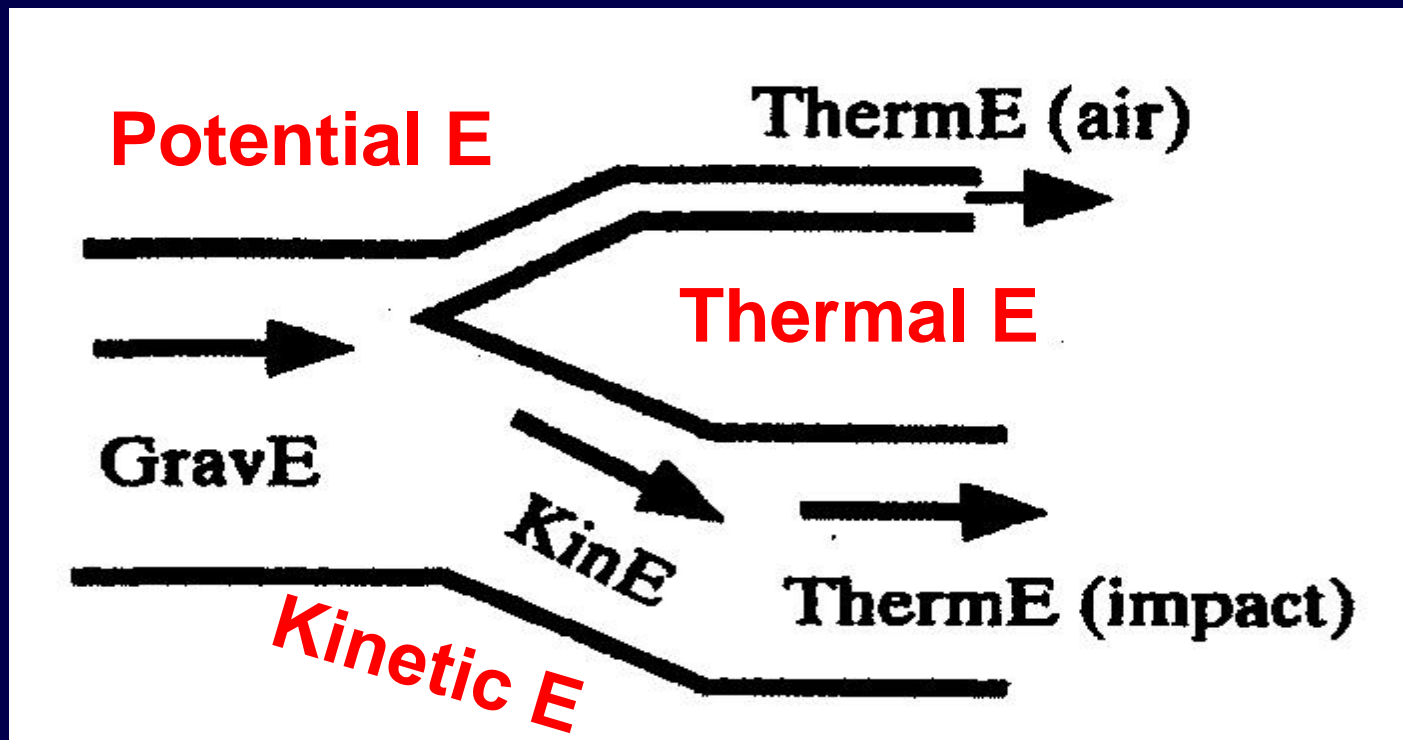
Which type of light bulb should  
Homer buy???



Flip to the Class Notes Appendix: p 113

*Remember this?*  
*An "Energy Flow Diagram"*

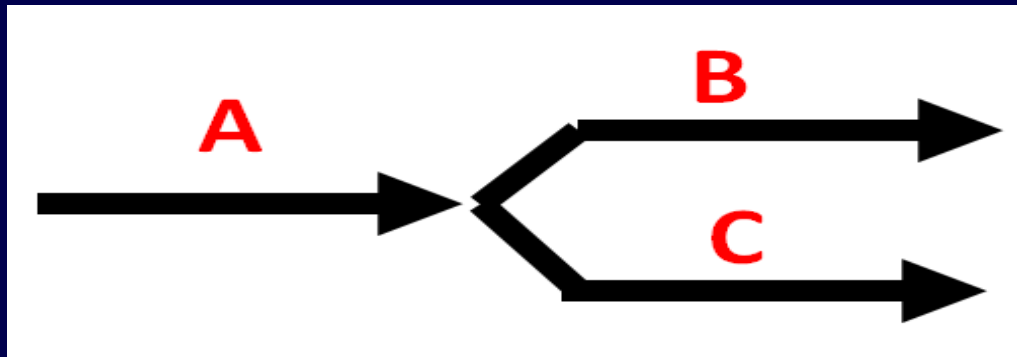
Energy flow for a falling book, with air resistance.



**1<sup>st</sup> Law of Thermodynamics**

# How would you draw an energy flow diagram for a LIGHT BULB?

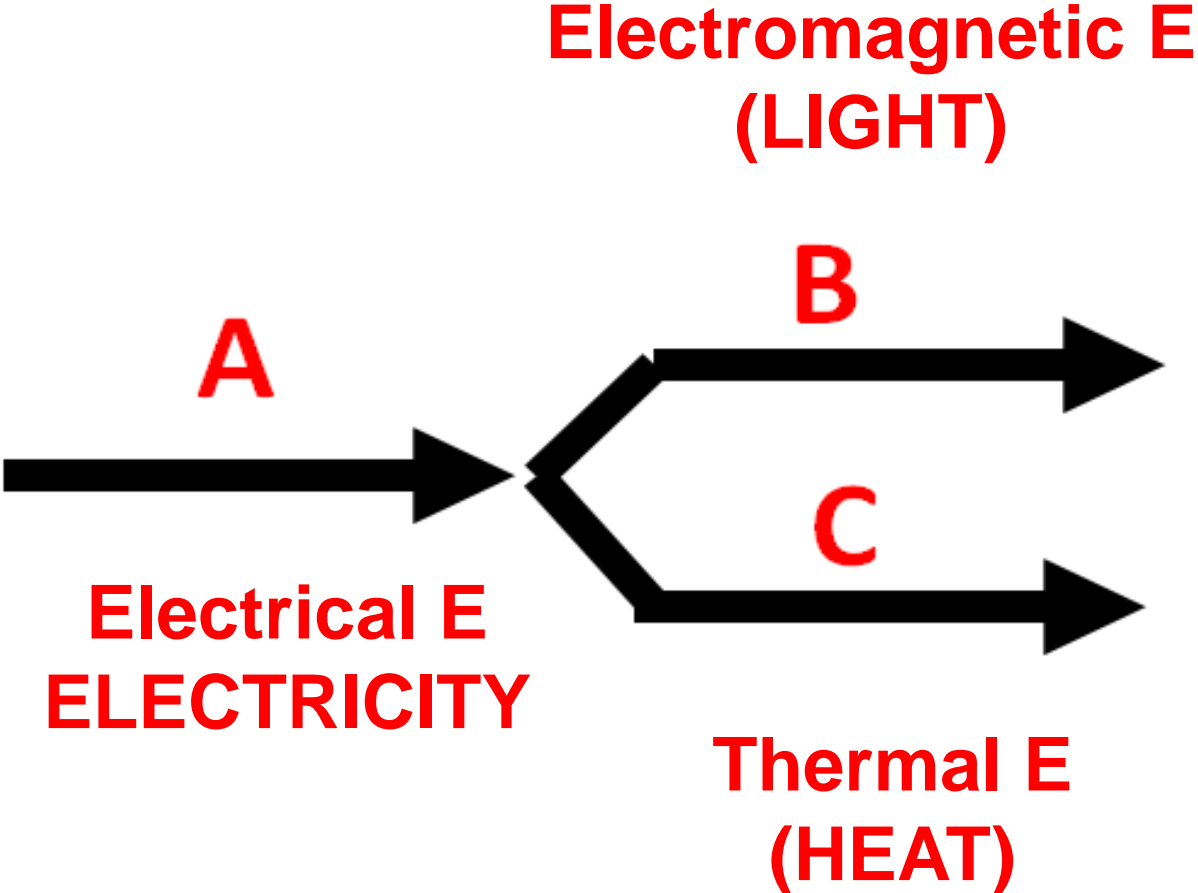
Here is a simple and unlabeled ENERGY FLOW DIAGRAM for a generic LIGHT BULB.



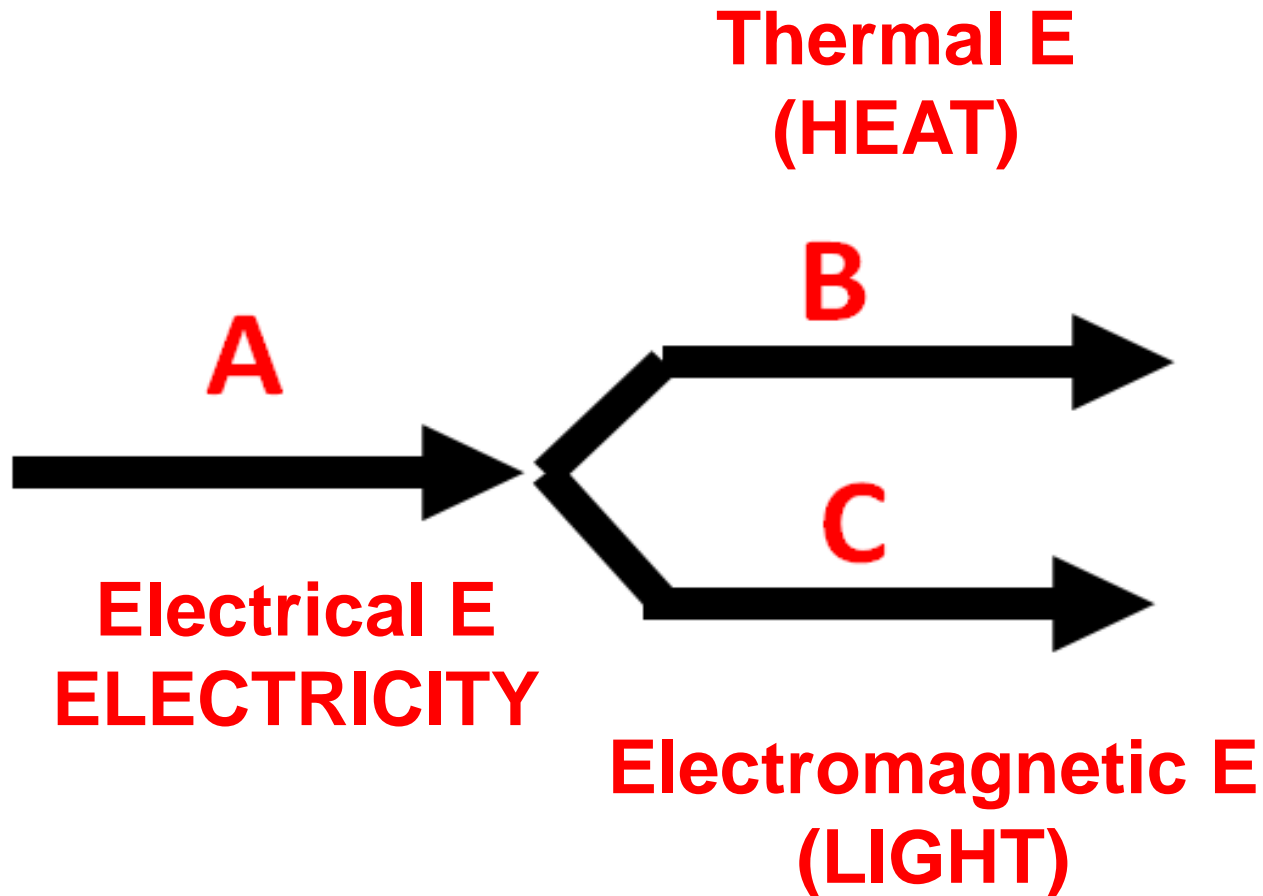
(the width of the arrows has not been adjusted to show the relative amounts of energy in each type of energy flow.)

## Which arrow is which?

Choices: light (electromagnetic energy)  
electricity (electrical energy)  
heat (thermal energy).

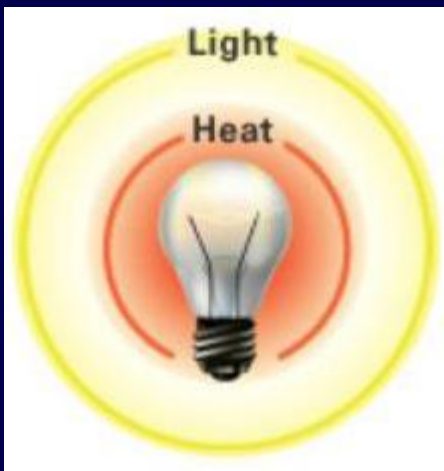


Also correct . . . .



**BUT HOW WOULD YOU DRAW  
THE ARROW WIDTHS??**





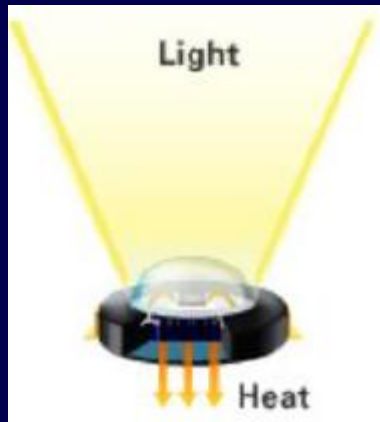
**INCANDESCENT BULBS:** electricity passes through a metal filament until it becomes so hot that it glows.

**Release 90% of their energy as heat.**



**COMPACT FLUORESCENT BULBS (CFL):** electric current is driven through a tube containing gases. Reaction produces ultraviolet light → visible light aided by the fluorescent coating on the inside of the tube.

**Release about 80% of energy as heat.**



LED bulbs use **LIGHT EMITTING DIODES** to produce light. The movement of electrons through a semiconductor material illuminates the tiny LED light sources.




**LEDs can approach 80% efficiency**

(i.e., 80% of the electrical energy is converted to light energy.)

Draw a proper **ENERGY FLOW DIAGRAM** for each type of light bulb:

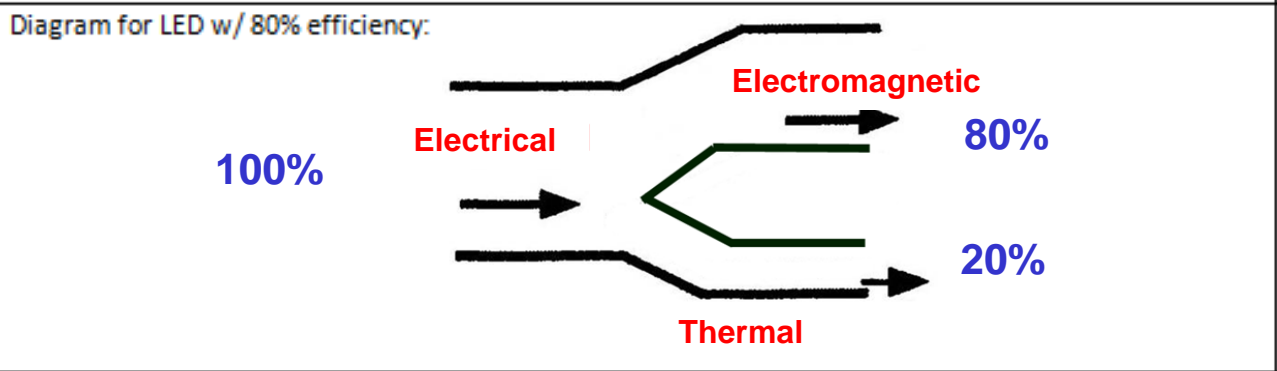
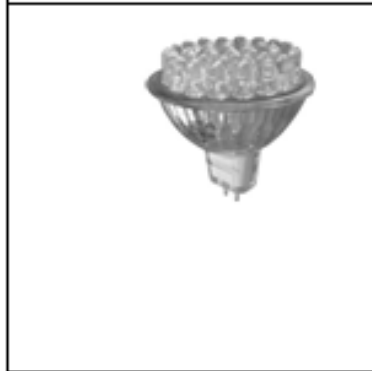
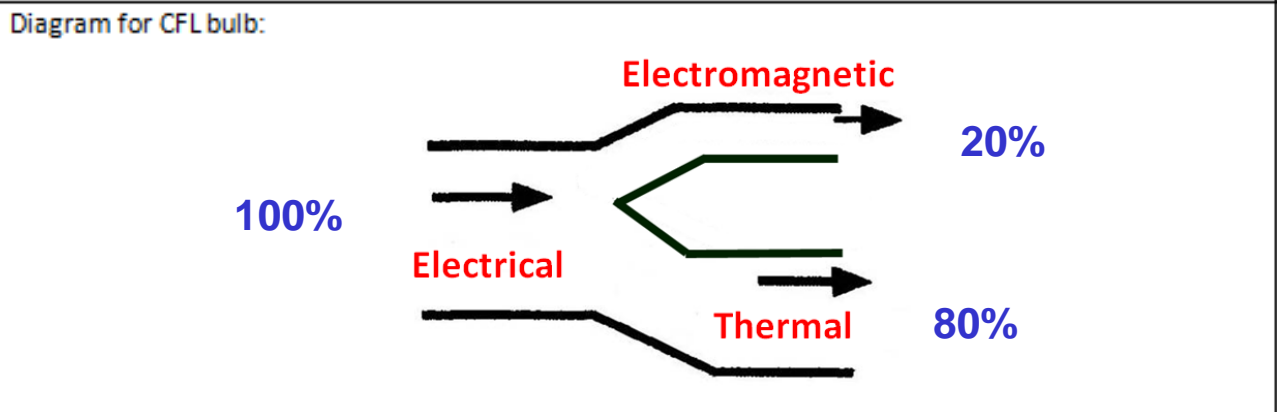
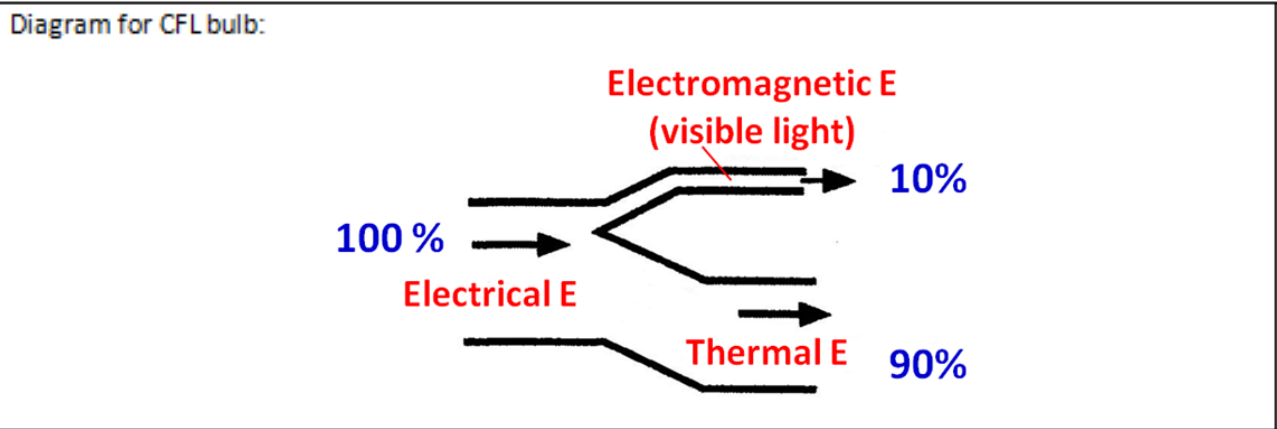
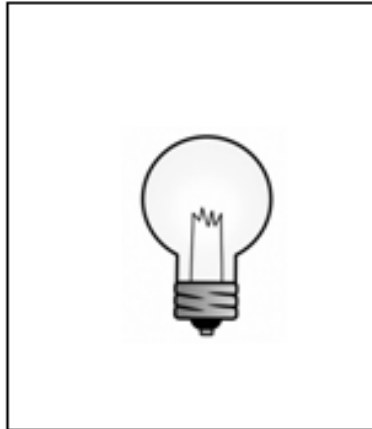
Width of the arrows should properly represent (**electrical energy**) converted into light (**electromagnetic energy**) and heat (**thermal energy**).

## THE ARROW WIDTHS WILL BE DIFFERENT FOR EACH TYPE OF LIGHT BULB!

		RANK
	Diagram for CFL bulb:	
	Diagram for CFL bulb:	
	Diagram for LED w/ 80% efficiency:	



Then . . .  
based on your  
Energy Flow  
Diagrams, RANK the  
**amount of thermal  
energy being  
emitted by each  
bulb type** based on  
the bulb's expected  
temperature -- from  
coolest (#1) to  
hottest (#3)



# #2 Second Law

*(3 things to remember)*

- Thermal energy flows spontaneously ONLY from a higher temperature object to a lower-temperature object (and not the other way).
- Thermal energy input to do the work must also have thermal energy output (exhaust) hence heat engines are never 100% efficient.
- There is an irreversibility about any process that creates thermal energy. Energy disperses or dissipates if it is not hindered from doing so!

# MORE ABOUT THERMAL ENERGY:

First, some more background is needed . . . . .

- Unit of Measure of Thermal Energy  
(i.e., the joule or calorie)
- Specific Heat
- Heat Capacity
- Change of Phase  
(i.e., Latent Energy LE & Sensible Heat (H))
- Heat Transfer

# Quick Review: Thermal Energy Units

Unit for Thermal Energy  
= the *joule* or *calorie*.

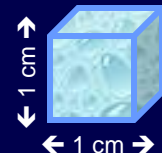
“Low Joule Cola”



Label  
from a  
soda  
bottle  
purchased  
in Europe

A CALORIE is the amount of thermal energy required to change the temperature of 1 gram of water by  $1^{\circ}\text{C}$  (specifically from  $14.5^{\circ}\text{C}$  to  $15.5^{\circ}\text{C}$ ) **1 calorie = 4.186 joules**

(one gram of water is roughly equivalent to the weight of one cubic centimeter of water



. . . or about the mass of 1 small paper clip!



review

REMINDER: 1 calorie is NOT the same as our everyday language use of the term “calorie” in “nutrition” discussions:

**“nutrition calorie” = kilocalorie!**



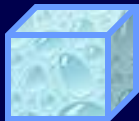
1 “calorie” in nutrition context =  
1000 calories  
or a kilocalorie (Kcal)

“Munch”

# Key Term:

**Specific Heat** = the amount of thermal energy (in calories) required to raise the temperature of 1 gram of **any substance** by  $1^{\circ}\text{C}$ .

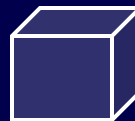
Specific heat =  
1.00 calorie



1 g  
of water

vs.

Specific heat =  
0.24 calorie



1 g  
of air

vs.

Specific heat =  
0.20 calorie



1 g  
of sand



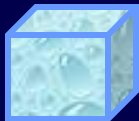
# One Other Key Term:

***Heat Capacity*** = **specific heat x mass** (density) of a substance for a given VOLUME.

(Density is measured in grams per cubic centimeter.)

**Heat capacity** represents the capacity of a substance to absorb heat in relation to its volume and density.

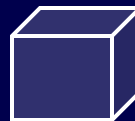
Heat capacity =  
**1.00**  
calorie / cubic cm



1 cubic cm  
of water

vs.

Heat capacity =  
**0.00024 – .00034**  
calorie / cubic cm



1 cubic cm  
of air

vs.

Heat capacity =  
**0.1 – 0.6** *higher if wet*  
calorie / cubic cm



1 cubic cm  
of sand

# Specific Heat & Heat Capacity for Different Substances

Substance	Specific Heat		Heat Capacity
	<i>cal</i>	<i>joules</i>	
water	1.00	4.186	1.00
air	0.24	1.005	0.00024 - 0.00034
concrete	0.21	.879	0.50
sand	0.20	.837	0.10 - 0.60 (higher if wet)
iron	0.105	.440	0.82
silver	0.056	.234	0.59



Note the **HEAT CAPACITY** differences between higher density substances (like **water, iron**) vs. the low density substance of **AIR**.



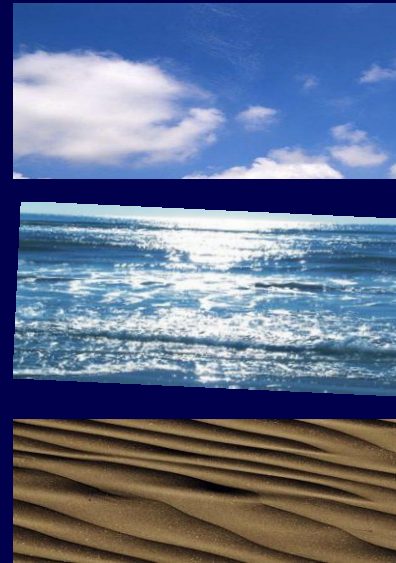
CLICKER  
SELF-TEST  
TIME!!! .....→

Channel 32

Q1 - Assume you have an equal volume of WATER, AIR & SAND.

Which will HEAT UP THE FASTEST if the same amount of thermal energy is transferred into the substance?

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2. WATER
3. SAND



HINT: the greater the heat capacity, the LONGER it will take to heat up the substance.

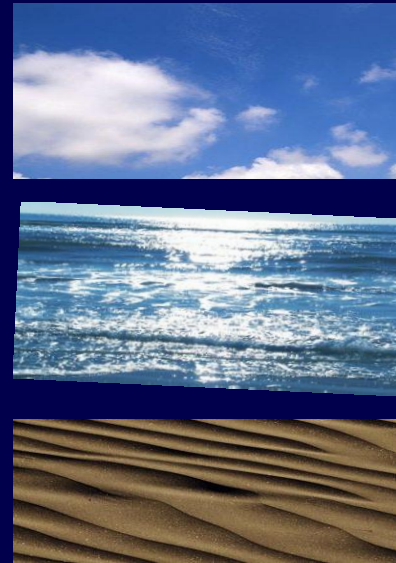
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Explanation:

The lower the heat capacity, the quicker the response to a transfer of heat into the substance!



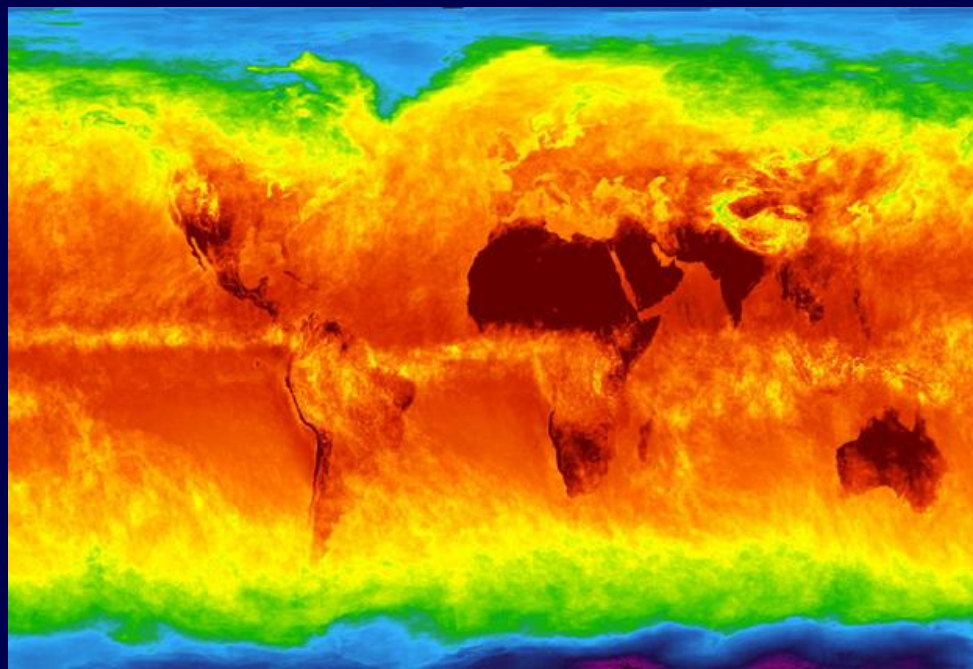
**Q2 – As global warming is occurring we will be able to detect it FIRST where?**

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Map of global surface temperatures



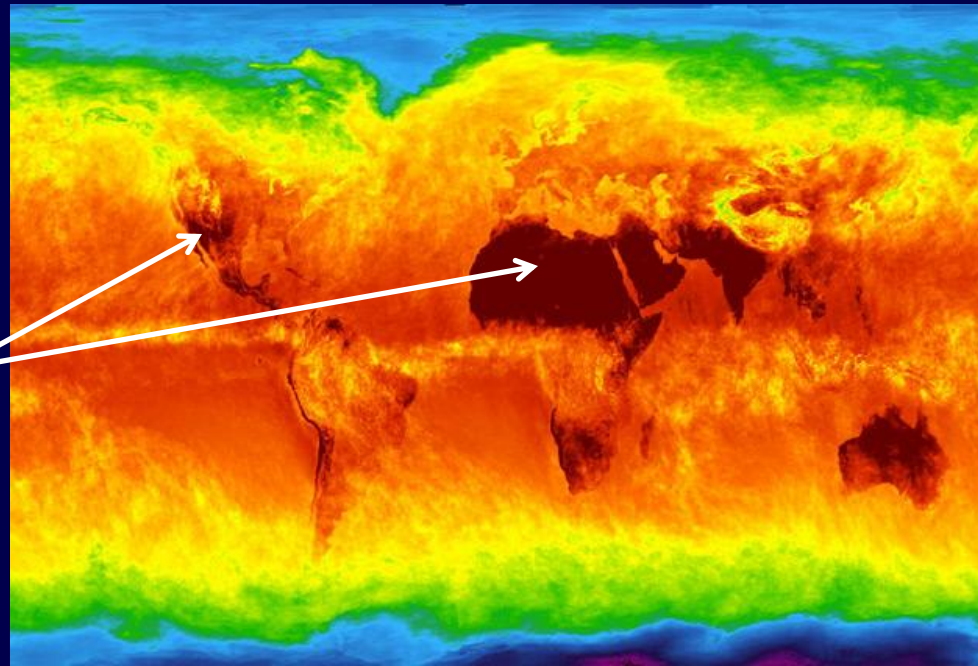
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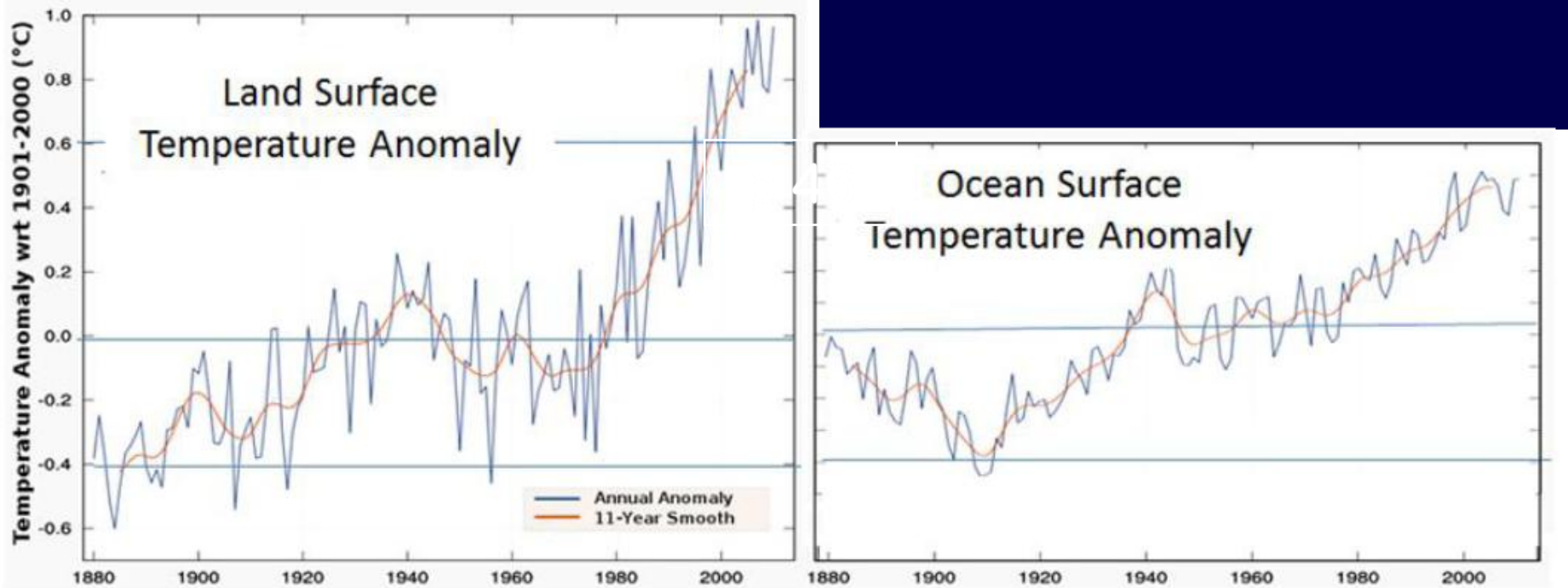
Note where the hottest temperatures occur





## INDICATOR INTERLUDE . . .

**Q. Why does the ocean surface warm more slowly than the land surface?**



<http://www.ncdc.noaa.gov/cmb-faq/anomalies.php>





Q3 - Why will he burn his tongue, even if the pie crust is cool enough to hold?

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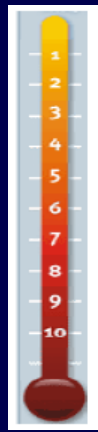
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INDICATOR INTERLUDE ...

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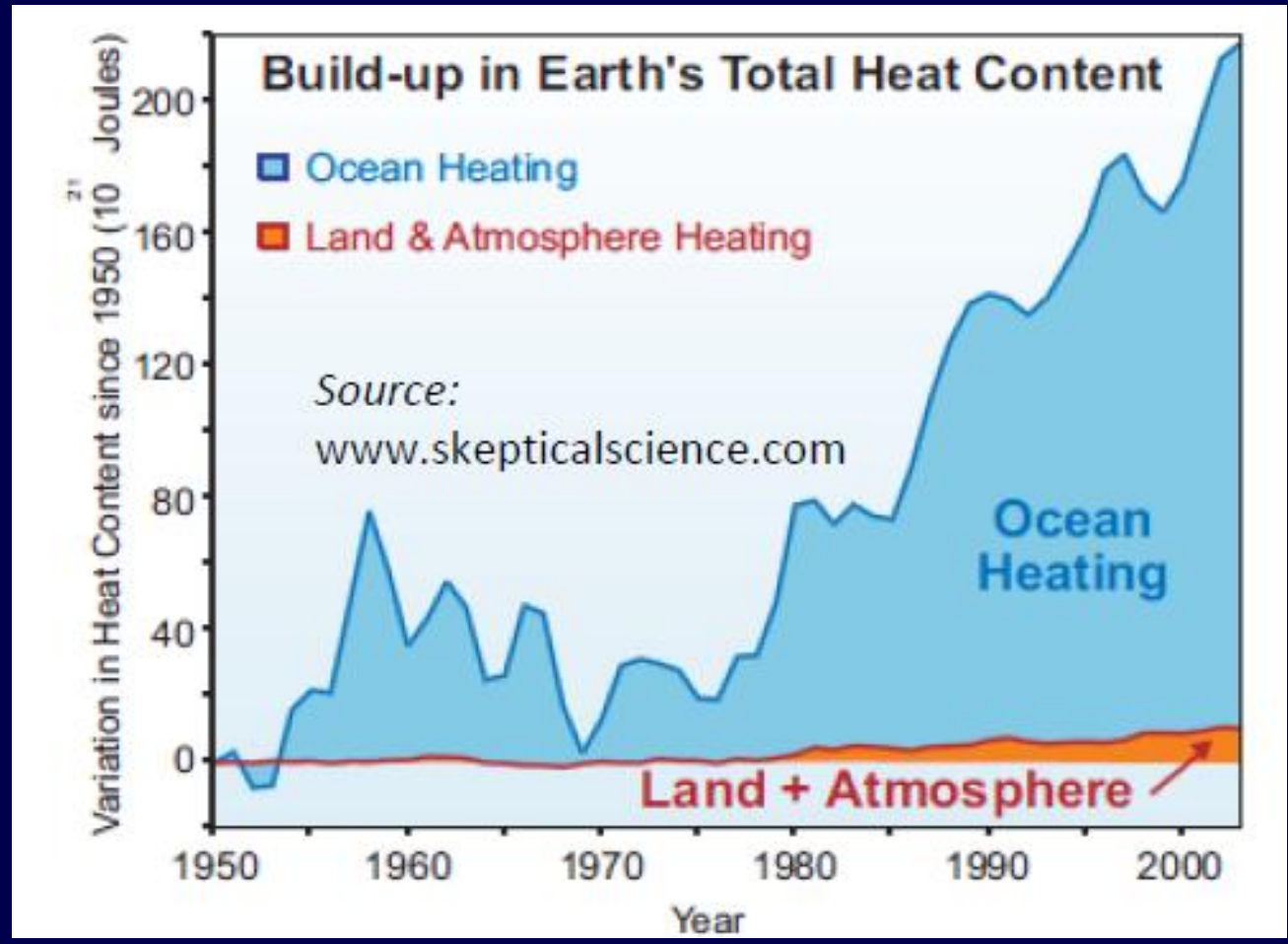


Figure: Total Earth Heat Content from 1950 (Murphy 2009). Ocean data from Domingues et al 2008. <http://www.skepticalscience.com/How-do-we-know-global-warming-is-still-happening.html>

*One last quick review point . . . .*

Heat generally causes EXPANSION of a substance.

WHY?

When the temperature of the substance increases:

- the molecules jiggle faster
- more energetic collisions occur between the molecules
- molecules are forced to move farther apart
- thereby expanding the substance and making it **LESS DENSE.**

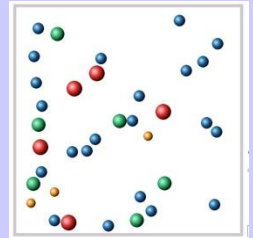
As air heats up, it expands, hence **hot air is less dense than cold air** & tends to **RISE**.

Likewise, **cold air is more dense than hot air** & tends to **SINK**

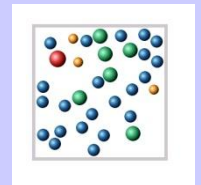
We call this process **CONVECTION** & it is a form of **HEAT TRANSFER**

These thermal differences play an important role in driving **ATMOSPHERIC CIRCULATION, WEATHER & GLOBAL CLIMATE PATTERNS . . . . .**

**HOT**



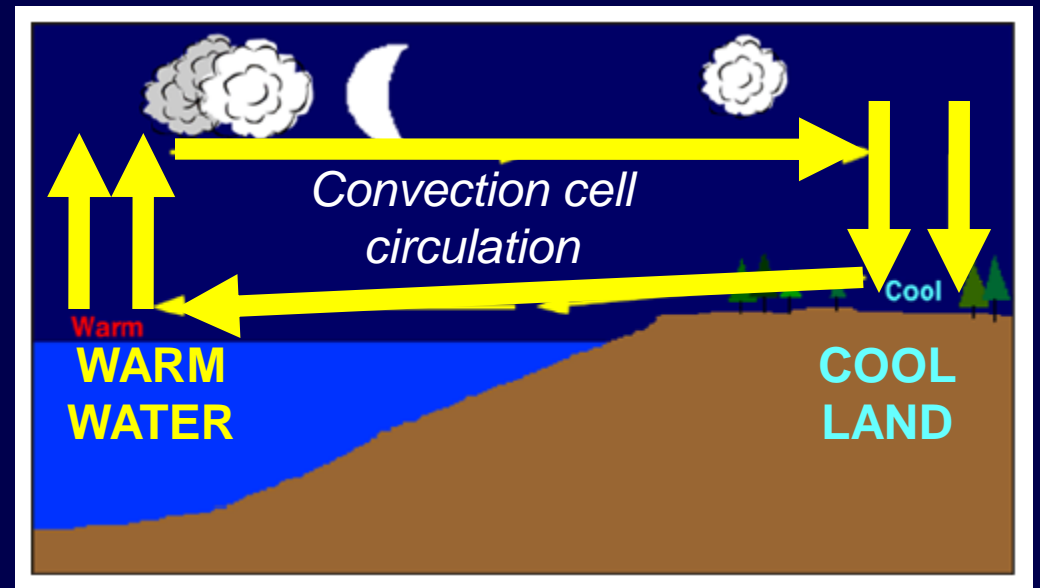
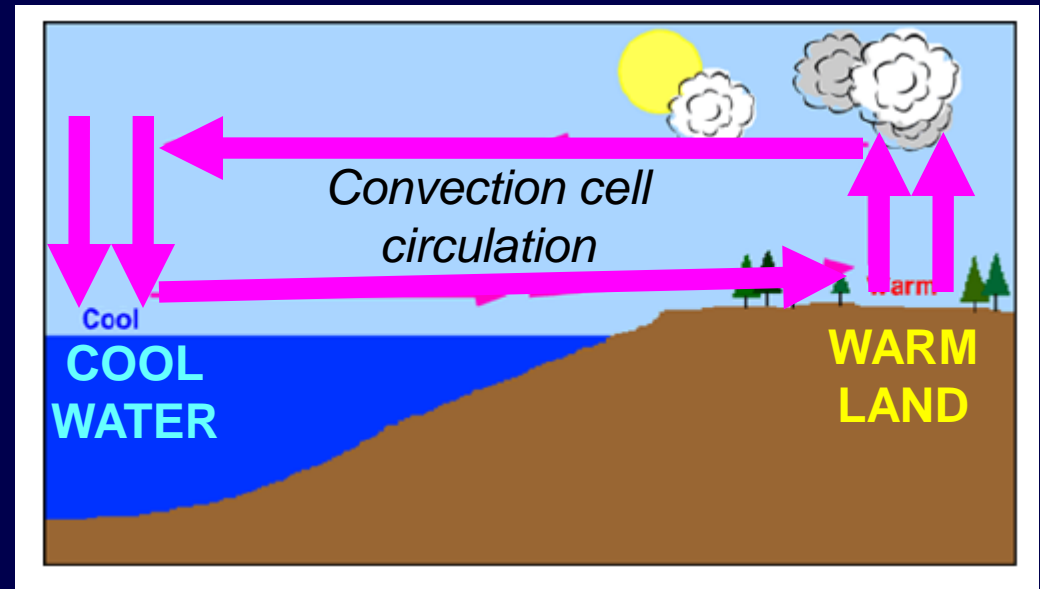
**COLD**



Example:

**Sea Breezes &  
Land Breezes are  
driven by  
CONVECTION**

(this will be connected  
to global climate  
patterns later this  
semester)



“Convection” is a form of . . . . .



# THERMAL ENERGY TRANSFER

(aka “Heat Transfer”)

Heat Transfer = the process  
by which thermal energy moves  
from one place to another

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There are 3 ways that heat can travel:

**CONDUCTION** = passage of thermal energy through a body without large-scale movement of matter within the body. Most effective in SOLIDS.

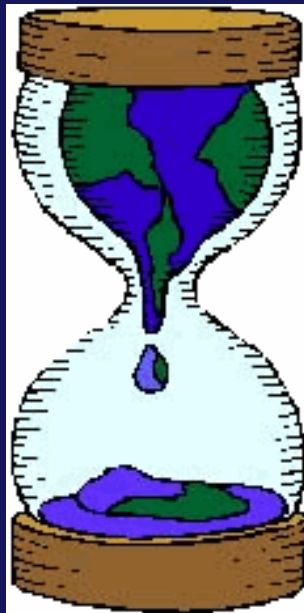
**CONVECTION** = passage of thermal energy through a fluid (liquid or gas) by means of large-scale movements of material within the fluid, as in a convection cell. Most effective in GASES & LIQUIDS.

**RADIATION** = the transfer of thermal energy by electromagnetic radiation. The only one of the three mechanisms of heat transfer that does not require atoms or molecules to facilitate the transfer process, i.e., **does not even need MATTER as a medium to transfer energy!**



Got all that Homer?

# A short “Homer Simpson” Break!



<http://fp.arizona.edu/kkh/nats101gc/Heat-transfer.html>

# HEAT TRANSFER

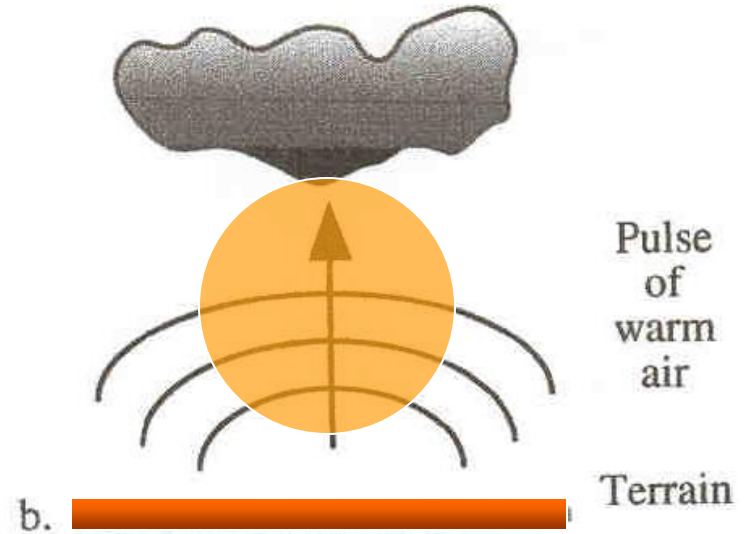
## CONDUCTION

Jiggling molecule → jiggling molecule  
transfer of heat  
(kinetic energy at molecular scale)



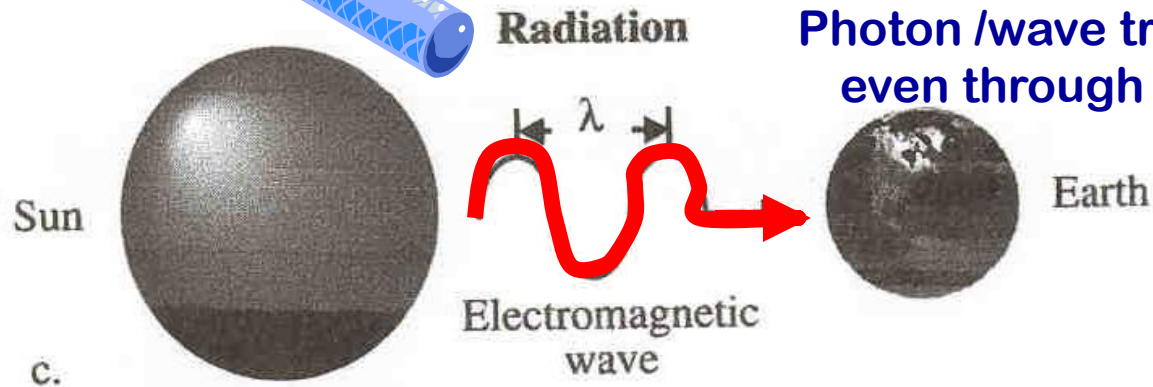
## CONVECTION

Mass of warm air or liquid heats,  
expands, rises



## RADIATION

Photon /wave transport:  
even through a void!



# Electromagnetic Radiation

*(a KEY POINT about it!)*

**Electromagnetic energy (radiation) is not heat energy.**

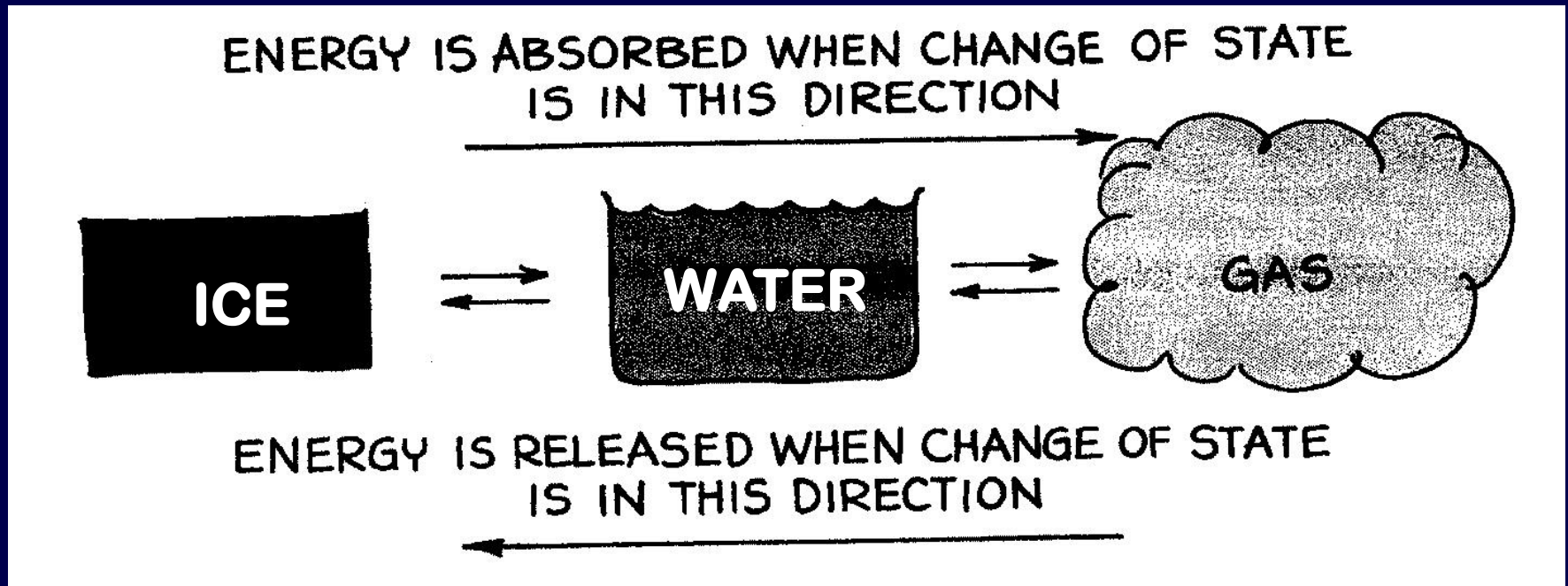
**It does not become heat (jiggling molecules) **until it strikes an object, is absorbed by the object and sets the molecules in the object in motion, thereby heating up the object.****

## KEY CONCEPT:

The sun's energy comes in as radiant (electromagnetic) energy, **and is converted to measurable heat only after it is absorbed** (e.g., by the surface of the earth, a gas in the atmosphere, etc.).

# THERMAL ENERGY & PHASE CHANGES IN H<sub>2</sub>O

Energy stored as **LATENT ENERGY**  
(energy is “hidden” & not sensed)



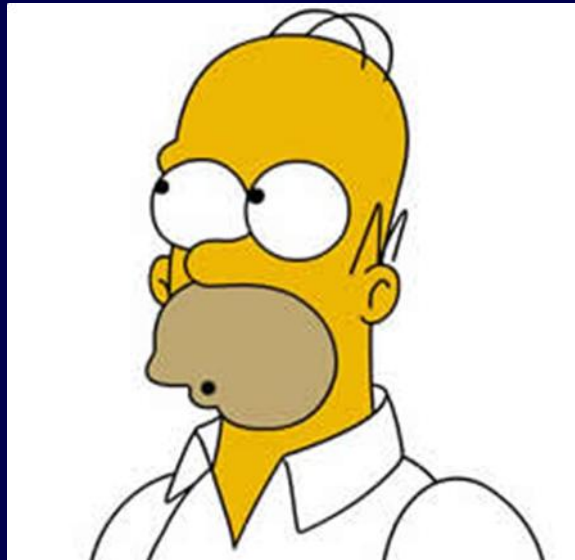
← Energy released as **SENSIBLE HEAT**  
(i.e. the warmth can be “sensed”)

Now back to p 46



SNOOZING?

How about some practice questions  
for TEST #2, Homer?





Q -The “**Goldilocks Problem**” refers to the question: “Why is Venus too hot, Mars too cold, and Earth’s temperature just right!” Your textbook explains that . . .

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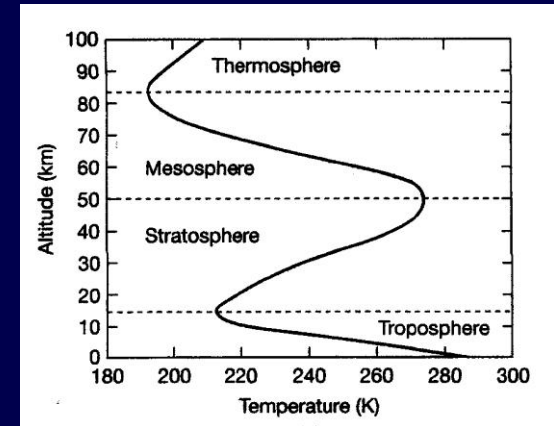
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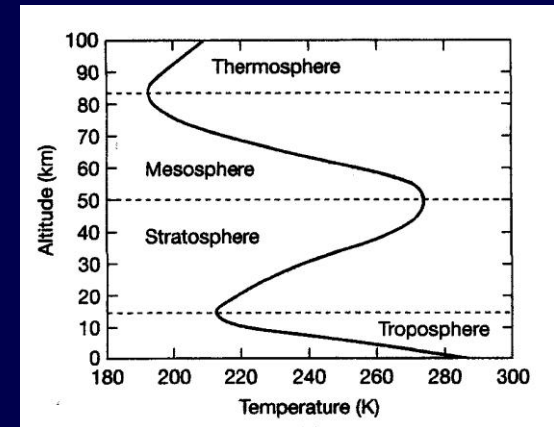
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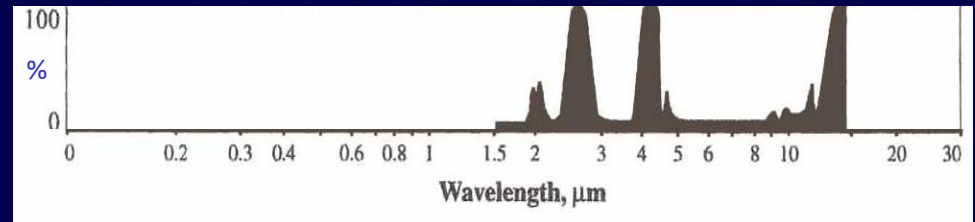


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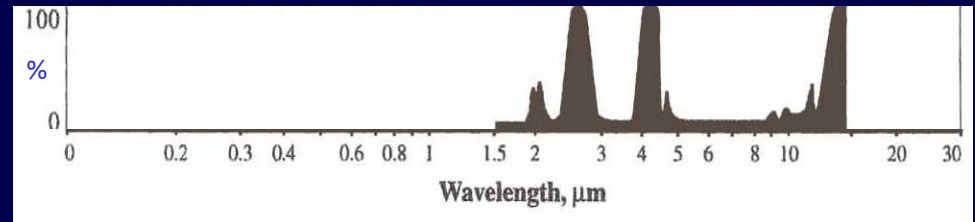


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Study hard for **TEST #2** Homer!

