

# First Law

$$1) 800 \text{ Cal} \times \frac{4.184 \text{ kJ}}{1 \text{ Cal}} \Rightarrow \boxed{3,347.2 \text{ kJ} \text{ or } 3,347,200 \text{ J}}$$

$$2) \Delta E_{th} = Q + W \quad (a) \quad \Delta E_{th} = \frac{3}{2} N k_B \Delta T, \quad \Delta T = 250 \text{ K}$$

$$\Rightarrow \Delta E_{th} = \frac{3}{2} (6.022 \times 10^{23}) (1.38 \times 10^{-23}) (250)$$

$$\boxed{\Delta E_{th} = 3116.4 \text{ J}}$$

$$(b) \quad Q = -W + \Delta E_{th} = -2000 \text{ J} + 3116.4 = 1116.4 \text{ J}$$

$\Rightarrow$  1116.4 Joules entered the system as heat during this thermodynamic process.

$$3) \Delta E_{th} = \frac{3}{2} N k_B \Delta T \quad (\text{for monatomic gas})$$

$$\Rightarrow \Delta T = \frac{\frac{2}{3} \Delta E_{th}}{N k_B}$$

$$= \frac{\frac{2}{3} (12 \times 10^3 \text{ J})}{(1.8 \times 10^{24}) (1.38 \times 10^{-23})}$$

$$\Delta E_{th} = Q + W = -8 \text{ kJ} + 20 \text{ kJ} = 12 \text{ kJ}$$

$$N = 3 \text{ mol} \times \frac{6.022 \times 10^{23} \text{ particles}}{1 \text{ mol}} = 1.8 \times 10^{24}$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{\Delta T = 322 \text{ K}}$$