

12. Complete combustion of 1.00 mol of acetone ($\text{C}_3\text{H}_6\text{O}$) liberates 1790. kJ of heat (the reaction is shown below). Given that $\Delta H^\circ_f (\text{CO}_2) = -393.5 \text{ kJ/mol}$ and $\Delta H^\circ_f (\text{H}_2\text{O}) = -285.8 \text{ kJ/mol}$, calculate the standard enthalpy of formation of acetone. *Make sure to balance the reaction!*



$$\Delta H_{\text{rxn}} = \sum \Delta H_f \text{ prod.} - \sum \Delta H_f \text{ reactants}$$
$$-1790 = [3(-285.8) + 3(-393.5)] - [\Delta H_f \text{ C}_3\text{H}_6\text{O} + 0]$$

$$\Delta H_f \text{ C}_3\text{H}_6\text{O} = -248 \text{ kJ/mol}$$

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