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Heating Substances

Always exercise extreme caution when using Bunsen burners, hot plates, heating lamps and furnaces!

- Make sure that your hair, clothing, and hands are at a safe distance from the Bunsen burner flame or hot plate at all times.

- When heating substances, point the mouth of the container away from people, and NEVER look into a container that is being heated.

- Use tongs, test tube holders or hot hand rubber protectors if necessary.

- Always allow glassware to cool before touching it. And do NOT place hot glassware directly on the lab counter. Use an insulated pad.

*If you have any questions regarding the content above, please ask your professors or TAs!