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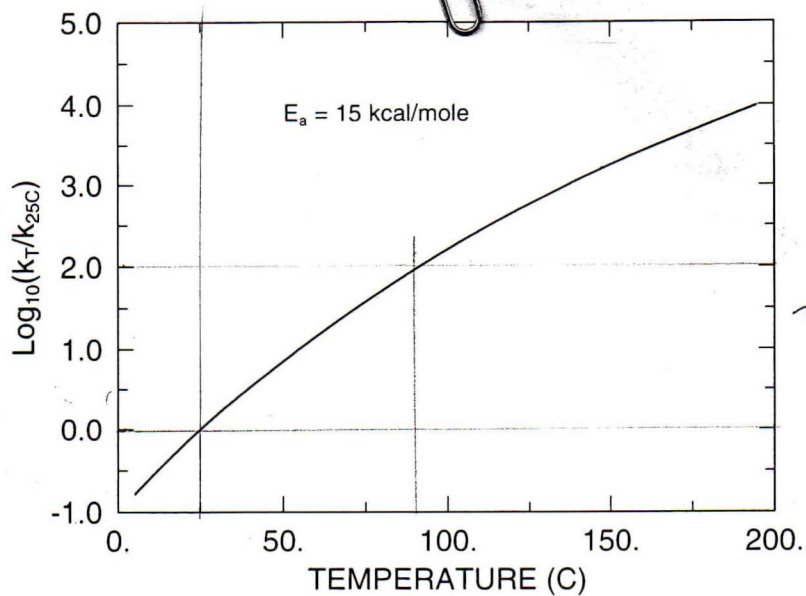
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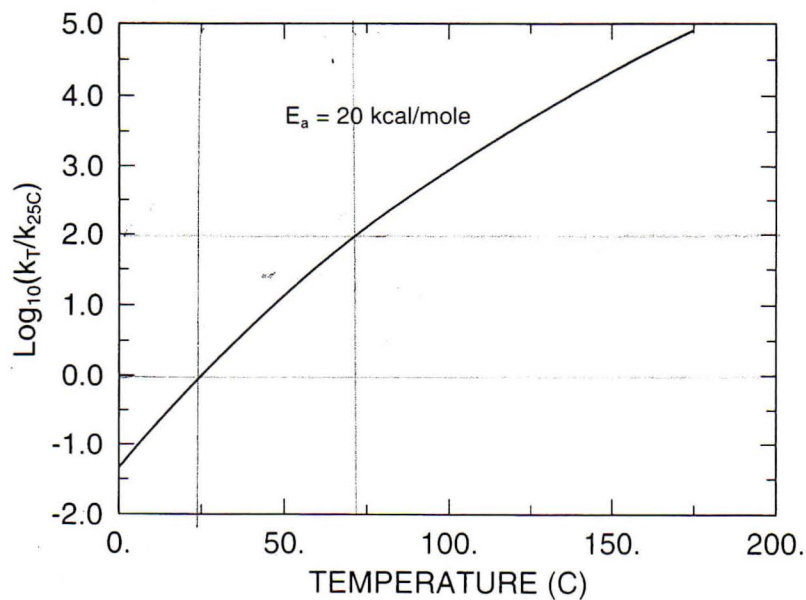
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(c)



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FIGURE 1.25. Change in rate constant as a function of temperature for a variety of activation energies. All rates are normalized to that at 25°C: (c)  $E_a = 15$  kcal/mole. Change of 4 orders of magnitude from 25°C to 200°C. (d)  $E_a = 20$  kcal/mole. Change of 6 orders of magnitude from 25°C to 200°C.