A 40 g block of ice is cooled to  $-78^{\circ}$ C. It is added to 560 g of water in an 80 g copper calorimeter at a temperature of 25°C. Determine the final temperature. The specific heat of ice is 0.500 cal/g and the heat of fusion of ice is 80 cal/g.

$$\begin{split} m_i c_i \Big( 0^o - T_i \Big) + m_i L_f + m_i c_w \Big( T_f - 0^o \Big) &= \Big( m_w c_w + m_c c_c \Big) \big( T_w - T_f \big) \\ &\quad 40 (.5) (78) + 40 (80) + 40 (1) T_f = \big( 560 (1) + 80 (.0924) \big) \big( 25 - T_f \big) \\ &\quad 4750 + 40 T_f = 14200 - 567 T_f \\ &\quad 607 T_f = 9450 \\ &\quad T_f = 15.5^o C \end{split}$$

Now, what if you started with 160 g of ice? Clearly the heat given up by the ice in coming to 0°C and then melting is 19000c instead of 4750c. If you do the calculation above you would obtain  $T_f$  negative. What does this mean?

There are two possibilities: 1) not all the ice melts at  $T_f = 0^{\circ}C$ , or 2) the water freezes and the final temperature is less than  $0^{\circ}C$ .

Let's try the first possibility where only X grams of the ice melts and the system ends up at 0°C, i.e.

$$m_{i}c_{i}(0^{o} - T_{i}) + XL_{f} = (m_{w}c_{w} + m_{c}c_{c})(T_{w} - 0)$$
  
160(.5)(78) + X(80) = (560(1) + 80(.0924))25  
6240 + X80 = 14185  
X = 99 g of ice melts

Thus, at equilibrium you would find 60 g of ice, 660 g of water and the calorimeter at  $0^{\circ}$ C.