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# British Thermal Unit Mean

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A non-SI unit of energy equal to 1/180 of the amount of heat required to raise the temperature of one pound avoirdupois of air-free water from 32 to 212 degrees Fahrenheit at a constant pressure of one atmosphere. Mean British thermal unit is equal to 1.05587 kJ.