

**Launch Lab****Carbon, the Organic Element****Procedure**

**WARNING:** *Always use extreme caution around an open flame. Point test tubes away from yourself and others.*

Read the procedure and safety information, and complete the lab form.

1. Place a small piece of bread in a test tube.
2. Using a test-tube holder, hold the tube over the flame of a laboratory burner until you observe changes in the bread.
3. Using a clean test tube and a small amount of paper instead of bread, repeat step 2.

**Think Critically**

4. **Infer** Based on what you observed and what remained in the test tubes, infer what these residues might be.

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