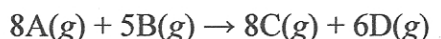


1. Consider the following reaction:



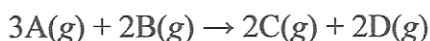
If [C] is increasing at the rate of $4.0 \text{ mol L}^{-1}\text{s}^{-1}$, at what rate is [B] changing?

- a. $-0.40 \text{ mol L}^{-1}\text{s}^{-1}$
- b. $-2.5 \text{ mol L}^{-1}\text{s}^{-1}$
- c. $-4.0 \text{ mol L}^{-1}\text{s}^{-1}$
- d. $-6.4 \text{ mol L}^{-1}\text{s}^{-1}$
- e. None of these choices is correct, since its rate of change must be positive.

$$\text{rate} = \frac{1}{8} \frac{d[C]}{dt} = -\frac{1}{5} \frac{d[B]}{dt}$$

$$\frac{d[B]}{dt} = -\frac{5}{8} (4.0 \frac{M}{s})$$

2. For the reaction:



the following data was collected at constant temperature. Determine the correct rate law for this reaction.

Trial	Initial [A] (mol/L)	Initial [B] (mol/L)	Initial Rate (mol/(L·min))
1	0.200	0.100	6.00×10^{-2}
2	0.100	0.100	1.50×10^{-2}
3	0.200	0.200	1.20×10^{-1}
4	0.300	0.200	2.70×10^{-1}

- a. Rate = $k[A][B]$
- b. Rate = $k[A][B]^2$
- c. Rate = $k[A]^3[B]^2$
- d. Rate = $k[A]^{1.5}[B]$
- e. Rate = $k[A]^2[B]$

comparing trial 1 and 2 tell you the rate is 2nd order in A
comparing trial 1 and 3 tell you the rate is first order in B

3. Tetrafluoroethylene, C_2F_4 , can be converted to octafluorocyclobutane which can be used as a refrigerant or an aerosol propellant. A plot of $1/[C_2F_4]$ vs. time gives a straight line with a slope of $0.0448 \text{ L mol}^{-1}\text{s}^{-1}$. What is the rate law for this reaction?

- a. Rate = $0.0448 \text{ (L mol}^{-1}\text{s}^{-1})[C_2F_4]$
- b. Rate = $22.3 \text{ (mol L}^{-1}\text{s)}[C_2F_4]$
- c. Rate = $0.0448 \text{ (L mol}^{-1}\text{s}^{-1})[C_2F_4]^2$
- d. Rate = $22.3 \text{ (mol L}^{-1}\text{s)}[C_2F_4]^2$
- e. Rate = $0.0448 \text{ s}^{-1} [C_2F_4]$

For a second order reaction the linear plot is $\frac{1}{[A]}$ vs time with slope = k

4. Cyclopropane is converted to propene in a first-order process. The rate constant is $5.4 \times 10^{-2} \text{ hr}^{-1}$. If the initial concentration of cyclopropane is 0.150 M , what will its concentration be after 22.0 hours?

- a. 0.0457 M
 b. 0.105 M
 c. 0.127 M
 d. 0.492 M
 e. None of these choices is correct.

$$\text{rate} = k [\text{cyclopropane}]$$

$$\ln\left(\frac{[A]_0}{[A]}\right) = kt \quad \ln\left(\frac{0.150}{?}\right) = (0.054)(22)$$

5. Butadiene, C_4H_6 (used to make synthetic rubber and latex paints) dimerizes to C_8H_{12} with a rate law of $\text{rate} = 0.014 \text{ L}/(\text{mol}\cdot\text{s}) [\text{C}_4\text{H}_6]^2$. What will be the concentration of C_4H_6 after 3.0 hours if the initial concentration is 0.025 M ?

- a. 0.0052 M
 b. 0.024 M
 c. 43 M
 d. 190 M
 e. 0.0000 M

$$\frac{1}{[A]} - \frac{1}{[A]_0} = kt$$

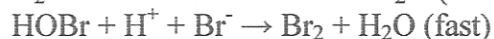
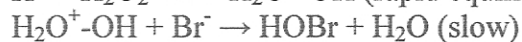
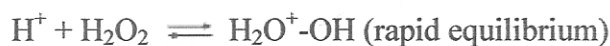
6. Dinitrogen tetroxide, N_2O_4 , decomposes to nitrogen dioxide, NO_2 , in a first-order process. If $k = 2.5 \times 10^3 \text{ s}^{-1}$ at -5°C and $k = 3.5 \times 10^4 \text{ s}^{-1}$ at 25°C , what is the activation energy for the decomposition?

- a. 0.73 kJ/mol
 b. 58 kJ/mol
 c. 140 kJ/mol
 d. 580 kJ/mol
 e. Greater than 1000 kJ/mol

$$\ln \frac{3.5 \times 10^4}{2.5 \times 10^3} = \frac{E_a}{R} \left(\frac{1}{268} - \frac{1}{298} \right)$$

(8.314)

7. Consider the following mechanism for the oxidation of bromide ions by hydrogen peroxide in aqueous acid solution.

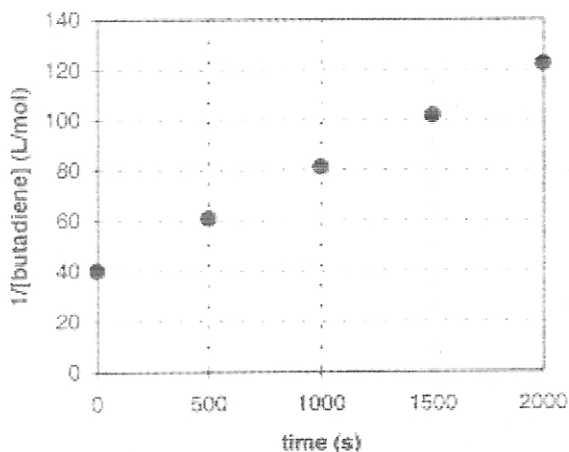


Which of the following rate laws is consistent with the mechanism?

- a. $\text{Rate} = k[\text{H}_2\text{O}_2][\text{H}^+]^2[\text{Br}^-]$
 b. $\text{Rate} = k [\text{H}_2\text{O}^+ \text{-OH}][\text{Br}^-]$
 c. $\text{Rate} = k[\text{H}_2\text{O}_2][\text{H}^+][\text{Br}^-]$
 d. $\text{Rate} = k[\text{HOBr}][\text{H}^+][\text{Br}^-][\text{H}_2\text{O}_2]$
 e. $\text{Rate} = k[\text{Br}^-]$

8. The gas-phase conversion of 1,3-butadiene to 1,5-cyclooctadiene, $2C_4H_6 \rightarrow C_8H_{12}$ was studied, providing data for the plot shown below, of $1/[1,3\text{-butadiene}]$ versus time.

- Explain how this plot confirms that the reaction is second order.
- Calculate the second-order rate constant, k .
- Determine the initial concentration of 1,3-butadiene in this experiment.



a. The fact that a plot of $1/[butadiene]$ vs. t gives a straight line proves that it is second order.

b. $k = \text{slope} = 8.2 \times 10^{-2} \text{ L mol}^{-1} \text{ s}^{-1}$

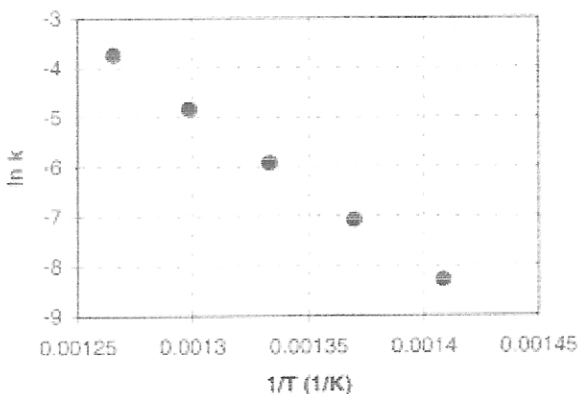
c. 0.025 mol/L

9. At 25.0°C , a rate constant has the value $5.21 \times 10^{-8} \text{ L mol}^{-1} \text{ s}^{-1}$. If the activation energy is 75.2 kJ/mol , calculate the rate constant when the temperature is 50.0°C .

$5.44 \times 10^{-7} \text{ s}^{-1}$

10. Cyclobutane decomposes to ethene in a first-order reaction. From measurements of the rate constant (k) at various absolute temperatures (T), the accompanying Arrhenius plot was obtained ($\ln k$ versus $1/T$).

- Calculate the energy of activation, E_a .
- Determine the value of the rate constant at $740. \text{ K}$. (In the plot, the units of k are s^{-1} .)



a. $260 \pm 20 \text{ kJ/mol}$

b. $1.6 \times 10^{-3} \text{ s}^{-1}$