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Concentration-Time		order	
order	Relation	2	$\frac{1}{[A]_t} = \frac{1}{[A]_o} + kt$
0	$[A]_t = [A]_o - kt$		
1	$\ln \frac{[A]_o}{[A]_t} = kt$		

R = 8.31 J/mol.K

**Q1.** Consider the reaction  $2\text{SO}_2(\text{g}) + \text{O}_2(\text{g}) \rightarrow 2\text{SO}_3(\text{g})$   
 If  $\text{O}_2$  is being reacted at a rate of  $3.56 \times 10^{-3} \text{ M/s}$ , what is the rate of formation of  $\text{SO}_3$ ? (2 marks)

- (a)  $-3.56 \times 10^{-3} \text{ M/s}$       (b)  $3.56 \times 10^{-3} \text{ M/s}$       (c)  $-7.12 \times 10^{-3} \text{ M/s}$   
 (d)  $7.12 \times 10^{-3} \text{ M/s}$       (e)  $1.78 \times 10^{-3} \text{ M/s}$

**Q2.** The following data are obtained at a given temperature for the reaction  
 $2\text{X} + \text{Y}_2 \rightarrow 2\text{Z}$  (2 marks)

[X] (M)	[Y <sub>2</sub> ] (M)	Rate (/Ms)
0.030	0.0055	$8.55 \times 10^{-3}$
0.030	0.0110	$1.71 \times 10^{-2}$
0.060	0.0055	$3.42 \times 10^{-2}$

Determine the order of reaction with respect to [X].

- (a) Zero-order      (b) first-order      (c) second-order  
 (d) can not be determined.

**Q3.** The reaction  $\text{A} \rightarrow \text{B}$  has a rate constant of  $0.025 \text{ s}^{-1}$  at a certain temperature. How long (in seconds) will it take to react 85% of A? (2 marks)

- (a) 75.9 s      (b) 6.5 s      (c) 759 s      (d) 65 s      (e) 650 s

**Q4.** A reaction is found to have an activation energy of 108 kJ/mol. If the rate constant for this reaction is  $4.60 \times 10^{-6} \text{ s}^{-1}$  at 275 K, what is the rate constant at 366 K? (2 marks)

- (a)  $5.81 \text{ s}^{-1}$       (b)  $11.7 \text{ s}^{-1}$       (c)  $1.72 \text{ s}^{-1}$       (d)  $3.63 \text{ s}^{-1}$       (e)  $0.581 \text{ s}^{-1}$

**Q5.** How many half-lives are required for the concentration of reactant to decrease to 12.5% of its original value? (2 mark)

- A) 1      (B) 3      C) 1.5      D) 2.5      E) 2