

95 Chemical Kinetics

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Q1 For the reaction $A + B \rightarrow A_2B$ Rate = $k[A][B]^2$ with $k = 2 \times 10^{-6} \text{ mol}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$
at $t = 0$, calculate the initial rate of the reaction when $[A] = 0.1 \text{ mol l}^{-1}$
and $[B] = 0.2 \text{ mol l}^{-1}$. calculate the rate of reaction after $[A]$ is reduced
to 0.01 mol l^{-1} ? $[8 \times 10^{-9} \text{ mol l}^{-1} \text{ s}^{-1}, 3.89 \times 10^{-9} \text{ mol l}^{-1} \text{ s}^{-1}]$

Q2 calculate the half life of a first order reaction from their rate
constants given below: a) 0.5 s^{-1} b) 2 min^{-1} c) 4 year^{-1}

Q3 The half life for radioactive decay of $C-14$ is 5730 years. An archaeological
sample contained that had only 30% of the $C-14$ found in living
tissue. Calculate the age of the sample? $[1845 \text{ years}]$

Q4 A first order reaction takes 40 minutes for 30% decomposition. calculate
 $t_{1/2}$ $[77.7 \text{ min}]$

Q5 Consider a reaction $A \rightarrow \text{products}$ with $k = 2 \times 10^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$. calculate the
concentration of A remaining after 100s if the initial concentration of
A is 1.0 mol l^{-1} ? $[0.1354 \text{ mol l}^{-1}]$

Q6 Sucrose decomposes in acid solution into glucose and fructose according
to the first order rate law with $t_{1/2} = 3.00 \text{ hours}$. what fraction of the
sample of sucrose remains after 8 hours? $[0.155]$

Q7 A first order reaction has a rate constant $1.15 \times 10^{-3} \text{ s}^{-1}$. How long will
6g of this reactant take to reduce to 3g? $[444 \text{ s}]$

Q8 A reactant is decomposed so as to half of its initial amount is
left. calculate the