

## Chapter 13 Chemical Kinetics

## The Rate of Reaction

**Chemical kinetics:** The study of reaction rates, including how reaction rates change with varying conditions and which molecular events occur during the overall reaction.

- **Reaction rate (معدل سرعة التفاعل):** The change in the concentration of a reactant or a product with time (M/s).

• **معدل سرعة التفاعل:** التغير في تركيز المتفاعلات أو النواتج لكل وحدة زمن.



$$Rate = -\frac{\Delta[A]}{\Delta t}$$

$$Rate = \frac{\Delta[B]}{\Delta t}$$

$\Delta[A]$  = change in concentration of A over time period  $\Delta t$

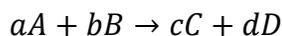
$\Delta[B]$  = change in concentration of B over time period  $\Delta t$

• **وحدة سرعة التفاعل (Rate):**

$$M/s = mol/L \cdot s = mol L^{-1} s^{-1}$$

**Example**

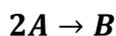
إذا كان لدينا المعادلة التالية:



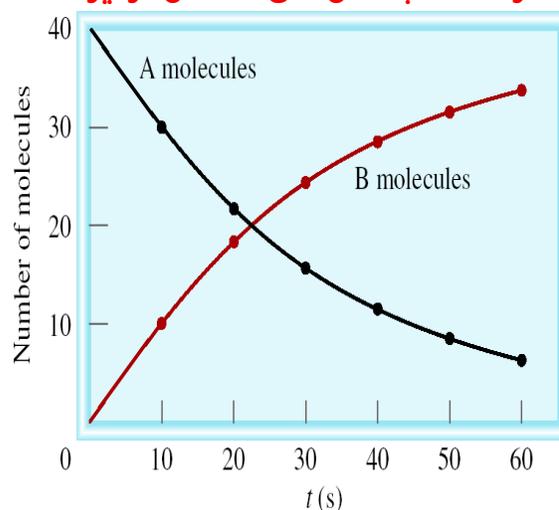
$$\text{So, } \boxed{\text{rate} = \frac{-1 \Delta[A]}{a \Delta t} = \frac{-1 \Delta[B]}{b \Delta t} = \frac{1 \Delta[C]}{c \Delta t} = \frac{1 \Delta[D]}{d \Delta t}}$$

"Rate expression"

-الإشارة السالبة تدل على نقصان تركيز المتفاعلات مع الزمن



$$\text{Rate expression: } \text{rate} = \frac{-1 \Delta[A]}{2 \Delta t} = \frac{-1 \Delta[B]}{1 \Delta t}$$

**Example 1:**

Write the rate expressions for the following reactions in terms of the disappearance of the reactants and the appearance of the products:

- $2KClO_3 \rightarrow 2KCl + 3O_2$
- $2KClO_3 + 4KCl \rightarrow 6KCl + 3O_2$
- $I^- + OCl^- \rightarrow Cl^- + OI^-$

**Solution:**

- $\text{Rate} = \frac{-1 \Delta[KClO_3]}{2 \Delta t} = \frac{1 \Delta[KCl]}{2 \Delta t} = \frac{1 \Delta[O_2]}{3 \Delta t}$
- $\text{Rate} = \frac{-1 \Delta[KClO_3]}{2 \Delta t} = \frac{-1 \Delta[KCl]}{4 \Delta t} = \frac{1 \Delta[KCl]}{6 \Delta t} = \frac{1 \Delta[O_2]}{3 \Delta t}$
- $\text{Rate} = \frac{-1 \Delta[I^-]}{1 \Delta t} = \frac{-1 \Delta[OCl^-]}{1 \Delta t} = \frac{1 \Delta[Cl^-]}{1 \Delta t} = \frac{1 \Delta[OI^-]}{1 \Delta t}$

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**Example 2:**

Suppose that, at a particular moment during the reaction, molecular  $NO_2$  is formed at the rate of  $0.036 M/s$ .

(a) At what rate is  $N_2O_5$  being reacting?

(b) At what rate is  $O_2$  formed?

**Solution:**

$$Rate = \frac{-1 \Delta[N_2O_5]}{2 \Delta t} = \frac{1 \Delta[NO_2]}{4 \Delta t} = \frac{1 \Delta[O_2]}{1 \Delta t}, \quad \frac{\Delta[NO_2]}{\Delta t} = 0.036 M/s$$

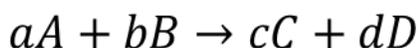
$$a. \quad \frac{-1 \Delta[N_2O_5]}{2 \Delta t} = \frac{1 \Delta[NO_2]}{4 \Delta t},$$
$$\frac{\Delta[N_2O_5]}{\Delta t} = -2 \times \frac{0.036}{4} = -0.018 M/s$$

$$b. \quad \frac{1 \Delta[NO_2]}{4 \Delta t} = \frac{1 \Delta[O_2]}{1 \Delta t},$$
$$\frac{\Delta[O_2]}{\Delta t} = \frac{0.036}{4} = 0.009 M/s$$

## • The Rate Law

**Rate law:** the relationship of the rate of a reaction to the rate constant and the concentrations of the reactants raised to some powers.

$$\text{Rate} = k[A]^x[B]^y$$



$x = \text{order of } A$       رتبة A

$y = \text{order of } B$       رتبة B

$x + y = \text{order of the reaction}$       رتبة التفاعل

$k = \text{Rate constant}$

### (تحديد رتبة التفاعل بطريقتين)

1.  $x + y = 0$  , zero order reaction
2.  $x + y = 1$  , first order reaction
3.  $x + y = 2$  , second order reaction
4.  $x + y = 3$  , third order reaction

Order of the reaction	Units of k
1. Zero order	$\text{mol L}^{-1} \text{s}^{-1} = \text{M s}^{-1}$
2. First order	$\text{s}^{-1}$
3. Second order	$\text{L mol}^{-1} \text{s}^{-1} = \text{M}^{-1} \text{s}^{-1}$
4. Third order	$\text{L}^2 \text{mol}^{-2} \text{s}^{-1} = \text{M}^{-2} \text{s}^{-1}$

**Example 1:**

Consider the following data of the oxidation of iodide with hydrogen peroxide:



Determine:

- (a) the rate law  
 (b) the rate constant  
 (c) the rate of the reaction when  $[I^-] = 0.03 \text{ M}$ ,  $[H^+] = 6.0 \times 10^{-3} \text{ M}$   
 and  $[H_2O_2] = 5.0 \times 10^{-3} \text{ M}$

**Solution:**

- a.  $rate = k [H_2O_2]^x [I^-]^y [H^+]^z$   
 b. To find k you should know x, y and z

$$\text{Exp 4} \div \text{1: } \frac{1.15 \times 10^{-6} = k [0.010]^x [0.010]^y [0.00100]^z}{1.15 \times 10^{-6} = k [0.010]^x [0.010]^y [0.00050]^z} \rightarrow$$

$$\frac{1.15 \times 10^{-6}}{1.15 \times 10^{-6}} = \frac{k}{k} \left(\frac{0.010}{0.010}\right)^x \left(\frac{0.010}{0.010}\right)^y \left(\frac{0.00100}{0.00050}\right)^z$$

$$\rightarrow 1 = 1^x 1^y 2^z \rightarrow 1 = 2^z \rightarrow z = 0$$

$$\text{Exp 3} \div \text{1: } \frac{2.30 \times 10^{-6}}{1.15 \times 10^{-6}} = \frac{k}{k} \left(\frac{0.010}{0.010}\right)^x \left(\frac{0.020}{0.010}\right)^y \left(\frac{0.00050}{0.00050}\right)^0$$

$$2 = 2^y \rightarrow y = 1$$

$$\text{Exp 2} \div \text{1: } \frac{2.30 \times 10^{-6}}{1.15 \times 10^{-6}} = \frac{k}{k} \left(\frac{0.020}{0.010}\right)^x \left(\frac{0.010}{0.010}\right)^1 \left(\frac{0.00050}{0.00050}\right)^0$$

$$2 = 2^x \rightarrow x = 1$$

Let we chose Exp 1:  $rate = k [H_2O_2]^1 [I^-]^1 [H^+]^0 \rightarrow rate = k [H_2O_2] [I^-]$

$$1.15 \times 10^{-6} = k \times 0.010^1 \times 0.010^1$$

$$k = \frac{1.15 \times 10^{-6} \text{ M/s}}{0.010 \text{ M} \times 0.010 \text{ M}} = \mathbf{0.0115 \text{ M}^{-1} \text{s}^{-1}}$$

$$\text{c. } rate = k [H_2O_2] [I^-] = 0.0115 \times 5 \times 10^{-3} \times 0.03 \times 0.006^0 = \mathbf{1.7 \times 10^{-6} \text{ M/s}}$$

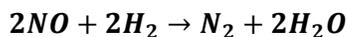
Exp. No.	Initial $[H_2O_2]_0$ (M)	Initial $[I^-]_0$ (M)	Initial $[H^+]_0$ (M)	Initial Rate (M/s)
1	0.010	0.010	0.00050	$1.15 \times 10^{-6}$
2	0.020	0.010	0.00050	$2.30 \times 10^{-6}$
3	0.010	0.020	0.00050	$2.30 \times 10^{-6}$
4	0.010	0.010	0.00100	$1.15 \times 10^{-6}$

$$x + y + z = 1 + 1 + 0 = 2$$

رتبة التفاعل = 2

**Example 2:**

The reaction of nitric oxide with hydrogen at 1280°C is



If the rate constant is  $2.5 \times 10^2 \text{ M}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$ , find the rate of the reaction when

$[NO] = 0.055 \text{ M}$  and  $[H_2] = 0.01 \text{ M}$

Exp. No.	$[NO](\text{M})$	$[H_2] (\text{M})$	(M/s)
1	0.005	0.002	$1.3 \times 10^{-5}$
2	0.01	0.002	$5 \times 10^{-5}$
3	0.01	0.004	$10 \times 10^{-5}$

**Solution:**

$$rate = k[NO]^x[H_2]^y$$

Firstly we should find x and y, Exp 2 ÷ 1:  $\frac{5 \times 10^{-5}}{1.3 \times 10^{-5}} = \frac{k}{k} \left(\frac{0.01}{0.005}\right)^x \left(\frac{0.002}{0.002}\right)^y \rightarrow \cong 4 = 2^x \rightarrow x = 2$

From rate constant:  $\text{M}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$ , so order of the reaction is third order (رتبة التفاعل = 3)

$x + y = 3$ $2 + y = 3, y = 1$
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$$rate = k[NO]^2[H_2] = 2.5 \times 10^2 \times 0.055^2 \times 0.01 = 7.56 \times 10^{-3} \text{ M/s}$$

## • Change of Concentration with Time

To calculate the concentration of a reactant (or product) after some time of starting the reaction

### We use Integrated Rate Laws (Concentration—Time Equations)

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### • First-Order Reactions

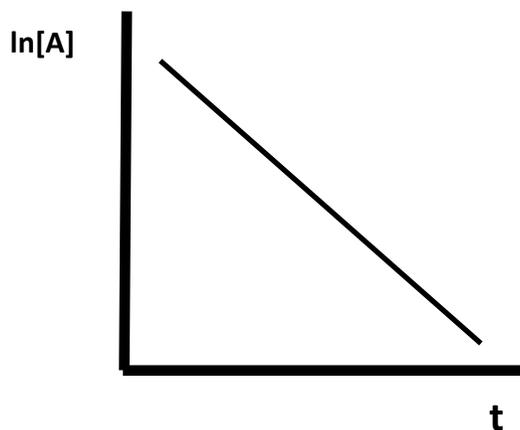
For  $A \rightarrow \text{Product}$

$$\text{Rate} = k[A]$$

$$k = \frac{\text{rate}}{[A]} = \frac{M/s}{M} = s^{-1}$$

$$\ln[A] = \ln[A^\circ] - kt$$

$$\text{or, } \ln\left(\frac{[A]}{[A^\circ]}\right) = -kt$$



$[A]$  is the concentration of A at any time  $t$   
 $[A]_0$  is the concentration of A at time  $t=0$

$\text{Slope} = -k$   
 $\text{Intercept} = \ln [A^\circ]$

**Half-life,  $t_{1/2}$** 

is the time required for the concentration of a reactant to decrease to half of its initial concentration.

الزمن اللازم لخفض تركيز المادة المتفاعلة إلى نصف تركيزها الأول.

$$t_{1/2} = t, \text{ when } [A] = \frac{[A^\circ]}{2}$$

Half-life for first order is:

$$\ln[A] = \ln[A^\circ] - kt \rightarrow kt_{1/2} = \ln[A^\circ] - \ln[A]$$

$$\rightarrow kt_{1/2} = \ln\left(\frac{[A^\circ]}{[A^\circ]/2}\right) = kt_{1/2} = \ln 2$$

$$\text{So, } t_{1/2} = \frac{\ln 2}{k} = \frac{0.693}{k}$$

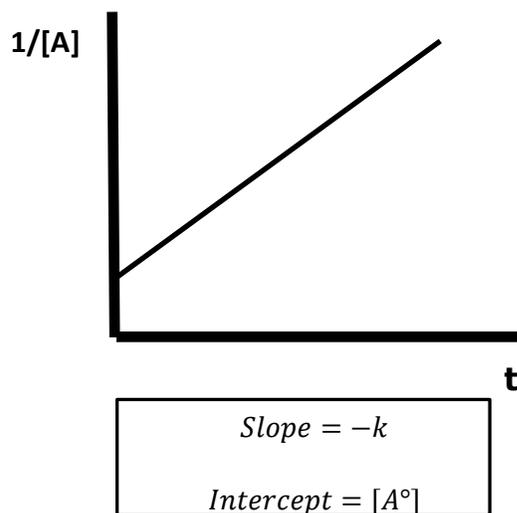
- **Second-Order Reactions**

$$\text{Rate} = k[A]^2$$

$$k = \frac{\text{rate}}{[A]^2} = \frac{M/s}{M^2} = M^{-1} s^{-1}$$

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

$$T_{1/2} = \frac{1}{k[A^\circ]}$$



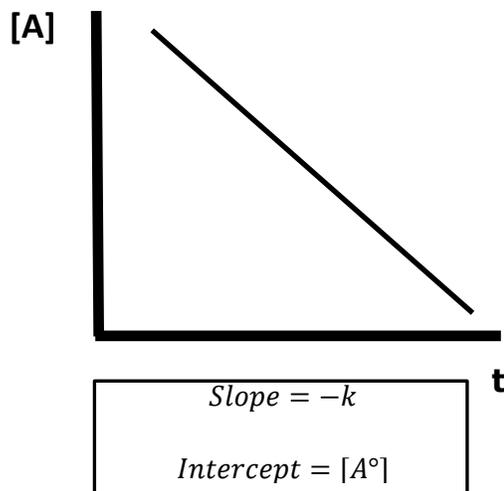
- Zero-Order Reactions**

$$\text{Rate} = k$$

$$k = \text{rate} = M/s$$

$$[A] - [A^\circ] = -kt$$

$$T_{1/2} = \frac{[A^\circ]}{2k}$$



### Summary of the Kinetics of Zero-Order, First-Order and Second-Order Reactions

Order of the reaction	Order	Rate law	Units of k	Concentration time equation	Half-Life	Straight-Line Plot
Zero order	0	$\text{Rate} = k$	$M s^{-1}$	$[A] - [A^\circ] = -kt$	$T_{1/2} = \frac{[A^\circ]}{2k}$	$[A] \text{ vs } t$
First order	1	$\text{Rate} = k[A]$	$s^{-1}$	$\ln[A] = \ln[A^\circ] - kt$	$T_{1/2} = \frac{\ln 2}{k}$	$\ln[A] \text{ vs } t$
Second order	2	$\text{Rate} = k[A]^2$	$M^{-1} s^{-1}$	$\frac{1}{[A]} - \frac{1}{[A^\circ]} = kt$	$T_{1/2} = \frac{1}{k[A^\circ]}$	$\frac{1}{[A]} \text{ vs } t$

**Example 1:**

The hydrolysis of a certain compound A follows first-order kinetics with a rate constant of  $2.5 \times 10^{-3} \text{ s}^{-1}$  at  $25^\circ\text{C}$ . If the initial concentration of A is  $0.020 \text{ mol/L}$ , determine:

1. The concentration of A after 300 seconds.
2. How long in minutes it take for the concentration of A to decrease to  $0.010 \text{ mol/L}$  from its initial value?

**Solution:**

$$1. \ln[A] = \ln[A^\circ] - kt$$

$$\ln[A] = \ln[0.020] - 2.5 \times 10^{-3} \times 300$$

$$\ln[A] = -4.66 \rightarrow [A] = e^{-4.66} = 9.45 \times 10^{-3} \text{ M}$$

$$2. \ln[A] = \ln[A^\circ] - kt$$

$$\ln[0.010] = \ln[0.020] - 2.5 \times 10^{-3} \times t$$

$$t = \frac{\ln[0.010] - \ln[0.020]}{-2.5 \times 10^{-3}} = 277 \text{ s} = 4.6 \text{ min}$$

**Example 2:**

A second-order reaction is 46% complete at the end of 33 minutes. What is the length of the second half-life of this reaction?

- A. 2225 s
- B. 40 min
- C. 27 min
- D. 39 min
- E. 38.8 s

**Solution:**

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

$$k = \frac{1}{t} \left( \frac{1}{[A]} - \frac{1}{[A^\circ]} \right) = \frac{1}{33 \text{ min} \times 60 \text{ s/min}} \left( \frac{1}{54} - \frac{1}{100} \right) = \frac{1}{1980 \text{ s}} \times 8.52 \times 10^{-3} \text{ M}^{-1} = 4.3 \times 10^{-6} \text{ M}^{-1} \text{ s}^{-1}$$

$$T_{1/2} = \frac{1}{k[A^\circ]} = \frac{1}{4.3 \times 10^{-6} \times 100} = 2325.6 \text{ s} = \mathbf{38.8 \text{ min}}$$

**Example 3:**

The decomposition of compound A is a reaction with a rate constant of  $1.8 \times 10^{-2}$  M/s at  $30^\circ\text{C}$ . determine:

- How long it takes for the concentration of A to decrease from 0.058 M to 0.004 M ?
- How long (in minutes) will it take to convert 63 percent of the starting material?
- Calculate the half-life of the reaction if the initial concentration of A is 0.0055 M and if it is 0.001 M.

**Solution:**

a.  $[A] - [A^\circ] = -kt$

$$0.004 - 0.058 = -1.8 \times 10^{-2} \times t \rightarrow t = \frac{0.004 - 0.058}{-1.8 \times 10^{-2}} = 3 \text{ s}$$

b.  $[A] - [A^\circ] = -kt$

$$37 - 100 = -1.8 \times 10^{-2} \times t \rightarrow t = \frac{37 - 100}{-1.8 \times 10^{-2}} = 3500 \text{ s} = 58 \text{ min}$$

c.  $t_{1/2} = \frac{[A^\circ]}{2k} = \frac{0.0055}{2 \times 1.8 \times 10^{-2}} = 0.15 \text{ s}$

$$t_{1/2} = \frac{[A^\circ]}{2k} = \frac{0.001}{2 \times 1.8 \times 10^{-2}} = 0.028 \text{ s}$$

## • Activation Energy

### Effect of temperature on the reaction rate:

تأثير درجة الحرارة على سرعة التفاعل:

$Temperature \uparrow \rightarrow Kinetic\ energy \uparrow \rightarrow number\ of\ collision \uparrow \rightarrow rate\ of\ the\ reaction \rightarrow rate\ constant\ (k) \uparrow$   
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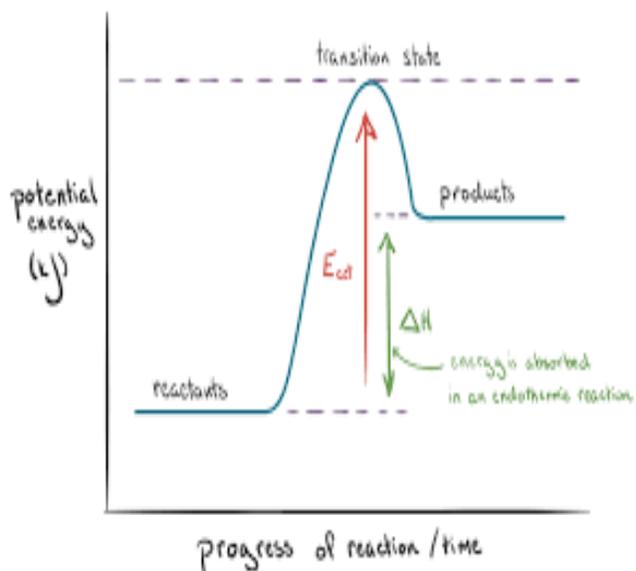
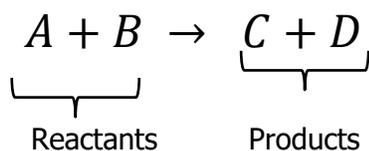
### In collision theory, the rate constant ( $k$ ) for a reaction depends on:

1. The collision frequency (number of collisions per unit time)
2. The fraction of collisions having energy greater than the activation energy ( $E_a$ )

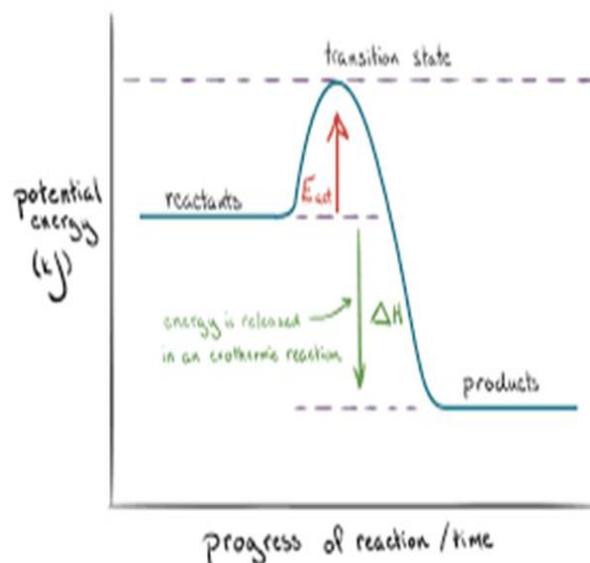
**activation energy ( $E_a$ ) (طاقة التنشيط):** The minimum amount of energy required to initiate a chemical reaction.

طاقة التنشيط: أقل طاقة لازمة لحدوث التفاعل الكيميائي.

1101	Endothermic reaction	Exothermic reaction
Reactants and products	Reactants < products	Reactants > products
$\Delta H$ إشارة	+	-
$E_a$	$E_{a_{endo}} > E_{a_{exo}}$	$E_{a_{endo}} > E_{a_{exo}}$
$E_a$ forward and $E_a$ reverse	$E_a$ forward > $E_a$ reverse	$E_a$ forward < $E_a$ reverse



**Endothermic reaction (ماص للحرارة)**



**Exothermic reaction (طارد للحرارة)**

Rate constant is related to temperature with **Arrhenius Equation**.

$$k = Ae^{-E_a/(RT)}$$



$$\ln \frac{k_1}{k_2} = \frac{E_a}{R} \left( \frac{1}{T_2} - \frac{1}{T_1} \right)$$

A : Constant called the frequency factor.

$E_a$ : Activation energy (J/mol)

R : Gas constant: 8.314 J/mol.K

T : temperature in K

k : rate constant

### Example 1:

The rate constant of a first-order reaction is  $2.58 \times 10^{-3} \text{ s}^{-1}$  at  $0^\circ\text{C}$ .

If the activation energy for the reaction is 45.6 kJ/mol, what is the rate constant at  $37^\circ\text{C}$ ?

### Solution:

$$\ln \frac{k_1}{k_2} = \frac{E_a}{R} \left( \frac{1}{T_2} - \frac{1}{T_1} \right)$$

$$\ln \left( \frac{2.58 \times 10^{-3}}{k_2} \right) = \frac{45600}{8.314} \left( \frac{1}{310} - \frac{1}{273} \right)$$

$$\ln \left( \frac{2.58 \times 10^{-3}}{k_2} \right) = -2.4, \quad \frac{2.58 \times 10^{-3}}{k_2} = e^{-2.4}$$

$$k_2 = \frac{2.58 \times 10^{-3}}{e^{-2.4}} = \mathbf{0.028 \text{ s}^{-1}}$$

$$k_1 = 2.58 \times 10^{-3} \text{ s}^{-1}, \quad k_2 = ??$$

$$T_1 = 0^\circ\text{C} \rightarrow 273 \text{ K}, \quad T_2 = 37^\circ\text{C} \rightarrow 310 \text{ K}$$

$$E_a = 45.6 \frac{\text{KJ}}{\text{mol}} = 45600 \frac{\text{J}}{\text{mol}}, \quad R = 8.314 \text{ J/K} \cdot \text{mol}$$

**Example 2:**

The rate constant for the decomposition of nitrogen pentoxide into nitrogen dioxide and oxygen is  $1.2 \times 10^{-3} \text{ mol/L} \cdot \text{s}$  at 400 K and  $2.8 \times 10^{-2} \text{ mol/L} \cdot \text{s}$  at 450 K.

- Find the activation energy  $E_a$ .
- Calculate the rate constant at 500 K.

**Solution:**

$$\ln \frac{k_1}{k_2} = \frac{E_a}{R} \left( \frac{1}{T_2} - \frac{1}{T_1} \right)$$

$$a. \ln \left( \frac{1.2 \times 10^{-3}}{2.8 \times 10^{-2}} \right) = \frac{E_a}{8.314} \left( \frac{1}{450} - \frac{1}{400} \right)$$

$$-3.15 = E_a \times -3.34 \times 10^{-5}$$

$$\rightarrow E_a = 94280 \text{ J} = \mathbf{94.28 \text{ KJ}}$$

$$k_1 = 1.2 \times 10^{-3} \text{ mol/L} \cdot \text{s}, \quad k_2 = 2.8 \times 10^{-2} \text{ mol/L} \cdot \text{s}$$

$$T_1 = 400 \text{ K}, \quad T_2 = 450 \text{ K}$$

$$E_a = ??, \quad R = 8.314 \text{ J/K} \cdot \text{mol}$$

$$b. \ln \left( \frac{1.2 \times 10^{-3}}{k_2} \right) = \frac{94280}{8.314} \left( \frac{1}{500} - \frac{1}{400} \right)$$

$$\ln \left( \frac{1.2 \times 10^{-3}}{k_2} \right) = -5.67, \quad \frac{1.2 \times 10^{-3}}{k_2} = e^{-5.67}$$

$$k_2 = \frac{1.2 \times 10^{-3}}{e^{-5.67}} = \mathbf{0.35 \text{ M}^{-1} \text{ s}^{-1}}$$

$$k_1 = 1.2 \times 10^{-3} \frac{\text{mol}}{\text{L}} \cdot \text{s}, \quad k_2 = ??$$

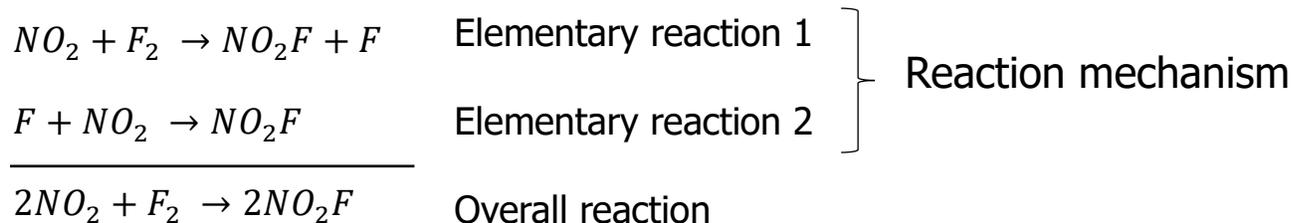
$$T_1 = 400 \text{ K}, \quad T_2 = 500 \text{ K}$$

$$E_a = 94280 \text{ J}, \quad R = 8.314 \text{ J/K} \cdot \text{mol}$$

## Elementary reactions and reaction mechanism

A balanced chemical equation is a description of the overall result of a chemical reaction.

- The overall reaction is actually made from several one-step reactions. Each is called **Elementary reaction**:

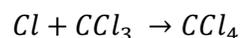
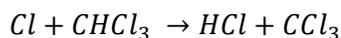
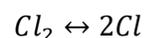


- The sequence of **elementary steps** that leads to product formation is the **reaction mechanism**.

### Example:

Consider the following elementary reactions

Obtain the net, or overall, chemical equation from this mechanism.



**Solution:**  $Cl_2 + CHCl_3 \rightarrow HCl + CCl_4$

## Molecularity of a reaction

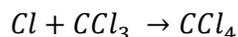
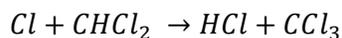
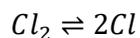
**molecularity of a reaction:** the number of molecules reacting in an elementary step.

- Unimolecular reaction – elementary step with 1 molecule
- Bimolecular reaction – elementary step with 2 molecules
- Termolecular reaction – elementary step with 3 molecules

	Example of reaction	Rate law
Unimolecular reaction	$A \rightarrow \text{products}$	$\text{rate} = k[A]$
Bimolecular reaction	$A + B \rightarrow \text{products}$ $A + A \rightarrow \text{products}$	$\text{rate} = k[A][B]$ $\text{rate} = k[A]^2$
Termolecular reaction	$A + B + C \rightarrow \text{products}$ $2A + B \rightarrow \text{products}$ $A + A + A \rightarrow \text{products}$	$\text{rate} = k[A][B][C]$ $\text{rate} = k[A]^2[B]$ $\text{rate} = k[A]^3$

### Example 1:

What is the molecularity of each step in the following mechanism?



### Solution:

- The forward part of the first step is unimolecular.
- The reverse part of the first step is bimolecular.
- The second step is bimolecular.
- The third step is bimolecular.

## • Elementary reactions and reaction mechanism

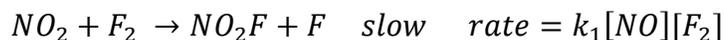
**The rate-determining step (RDS):** the slowest step in the sequence of steps leading to product formation.

- The rate-determining step should predict the same rate law that is determined experimentally.

- يجب أن يتوافق قانون سرعة التفاعل مع التفاعل البطيء (RDS) في التفاعل.
- يجب أن تكون مجموع كل المعادلات البطيئة والسريعة (الميكانيكا) تؤدي إلى المعادلة المطلوبة (المعادلة النهائية).

**Example:** Consider the reaction of  $\text{NO}_2$  with  $\text{F}_2$  is believed to occur in the

Following steps:



The rate of the overall reaction is:  $\text{rate} = k_1[\text{NO}_2]^1[\text{F}_2]^1$  (same of slow reaction)

**Intermediates (الوسيط):** species that appear in a reaction mechanism but not in the overall balanced equation.

An intermediate is always formed in an early elementary step and consumed in a later elementary step.

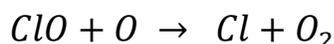
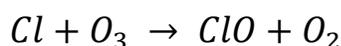
**الوسيط:** هو المركب أو العنصر الذي يظهر مع النواتج في المعادلة الأولى في التفاعل ويظهر مع المتفاعلات في المعادلة الثانية ولكن لا يظهر أبداً في المعادلة النهائية للتفاعل.

**Catalysis (المحفز):** the increase in the rate of a reaction that results from the addition of a catalyst.

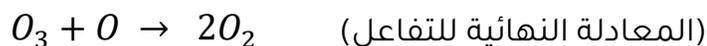
Catalysis is always consumed in an early elementary step and formed in a later elementary step.

المحفز يظهر مع المتفاعلات في المعادلة الأولى ويظهر مع النواتج في المعادلة الثانية، ولكن لا يظهر أبداً في المعادلة النهائية للتفاعل.

**Ex:**



**Solution:**

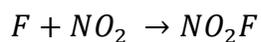
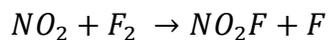


Intermediate:  $ClO$

Catalysis:  $Cl$

**Example 2:**

Given the following mechanism:

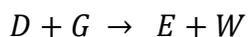
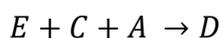
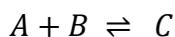


Identify the intermediate in the reaction.

- A.  $NO_2$
  - B.  $F_2$
  - C.  $NO_2F$
  - D.  $F$
  - E. None of these
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**Example 3:**

Given the following mechanism:



Identify the intermediates and catalysts in the reaction.

- A. C is intermediate, E is the catalyst
  - B. B and D are intermediates, W is the catalyst
  - C. C and D are intermediates, A is the catalyst
  - D. G is intermediate, E and D are the catalysts
  - E. C and D are intermediates, E is the catalyst
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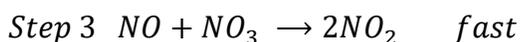
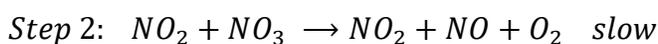
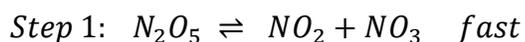
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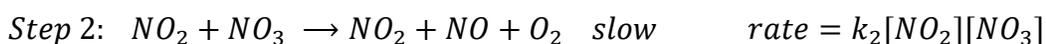
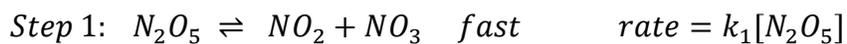
Find the overall rate law for the reaction.



Mechanism:



### Solution:



So,  $\text{rate} = k[\text{NO}_2][\text{NO}_3]$  but,  **$\text{rate} = k[\text{N}_2\text{O}_5]^x$**

In equilibrium ( $\rightleftharpoons$ )(Step 1),  $k_1[\text{N}_2\text{O}_5]^1 = k_{-1}[\text{NO}_2][\text{NO}_3]$

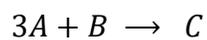
,  $x = 1$

So,  **$\text{rate} = k[\text{N}_2\text{O}_5]$**

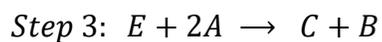
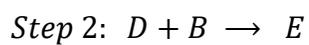
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**Example 5:**

The reaction



Given the following mechanism:



*If step 2 is the rate – determining step, then the rate of formation of C should equal:*

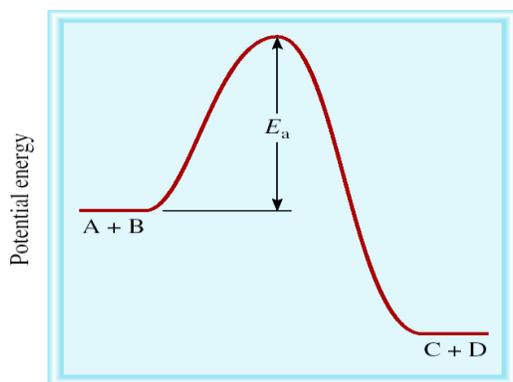
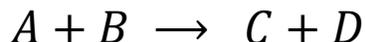
- A.  $k[A]^3[B]$
- B.  $k[B]^2$
- C.  $\frac{k[A][B]^2}{[A]}$
- D.  $k[A]^2[B]^3$
- E.  $k[A]$

## • Catalyst

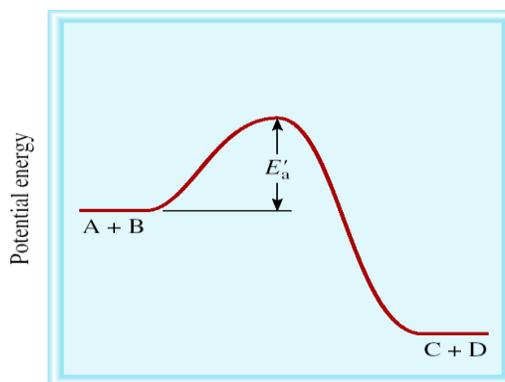
**Catalyst:** is a substance that increases the rate of a chemical reaction without itself being **consumed**.

Add catalyst →

1. Decrease  $E_a$
2. Increase rate of the reaction
3. Increase rate constant ( K )
4. Decrease the time for reaction



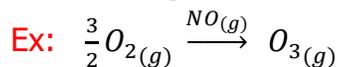
Reaction progress  
**(Uncatalyzed)**



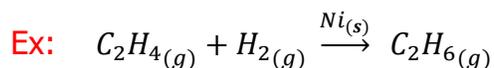
Reaction progress  
**(Catalyzed)**

### Types of catalysts:

**1. Homogenous:** Same phase of catalyst and reaction material.



**2. Heterogeneous:** Different phase of catalyst and reaction material.



### 3. Enzymes

❖ The substance whose reaction the enzyme catalyzes is called the **substrate**.

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