

Questions 1-15 = 4 points each, no partial credit; Questions 16-20 = 8 points each, with partial credit

ANSWER BOTH SCANTRON and PAPER Hand in both.

1. When the reversible reaction, $\text{N}_2 + \text{O}_2 \rightleftharpoons 2 \text{NO}$, has reached a state of dynamic equilibrium, which statement below is true?

(a) Both the forward and reverse reactions stop completely and no more NO, N_2 or O_2 are produced.

(b) The rate of the forward reaction equals the rate of the reverse reaction.

(c) The rate constant of the forward reaction equals the rate constant of the reverse reaction.

2. Which of the following best favors a reaction having a fast rate?

(a) low activation energy

(b) high activation energy

(c) low activation energy and high temperature

(d) high activation energy and high temperature

(e) high activation energy and low temperature

(f) low activation energy, high temperature, and negative ΔH

3. For a reaction with the rate law: $\text{Rate} = k[\text{A}]$:

(a) a plot of $\ln[\text{A}]$ vs. time gives a straight line.

(b) a plot of $1/[\text{A}]$ vs. $1/\text{time}$ gives a straight line.

(c) a plot of $[\text{A}]$ vs. time gives a straight line.

(d) a plot of $1/[\text{A}]$ vs. time gives a straight line.

(e) a plot of $\log \frac{[\text{A}]_0}{[\text{A}]}$ vs. $1/\text{time}$ gives a straight line.

4. The gas phase reaction $\text{C}_2\text{H}_4 + \text{Cl}_2 \rightarrow \text{C}_2\text{H}_4\text{Cl}_2$ follows the rate law: $\text{Rate} = k[\text{C}_2\text{H}_4][\text{Cl}_2]^2$. If the concentration of C_2H_4 is doubled while the concentration of Cl_2 remains constant, the initial rate of the reaction:

(a) increases by a factor of 4.

(b) decreases by a factor of 2.

(c) increases by a factor of 2. because the reaction is first order in C_2H_4

(d) increases by a factor of 1.5.

(e) remains constant.

5. Use the following information for the reaction: $2A + B \rightarrow C$. Initial rates were measured at different molar concentrations.

Experiment	[A]	[B]	Initial Rate (mol/L·s)
1	1.0×10^{-2}	1.0×10^{-2}	5.3×10^{-4}
2	2.0×10^{-2}	1.0×10^{-2}	1.06×10^{-3}
3	3.0×10^{-2}	2.0×10^{-2}	1.59×10^{-3}
4	2.0×10^{-2}	2.0×10^{-2}	1.06×10^{-3}

What is the order of this reaction with respect to reactant [B]?

- (a) Zero (b) One (c) Two (d) Three
The rate does not change when [B] changes.

6. What is a half-life?

(a) It is a special case when the rate constant equals one-half. (i.e. $k = 0.5$)

(b) A period of time required for the concentration of a reactant to reduce to one-half its original value.

(c) It is a rate law that is one-half order: (ie. Rate = $k[A]^{1/2}$)

(d) One half the time it takes for the reaction to go to completion.

(e) A period representing the amount of time required for an initial concentration of a reactant to reduce to 0.5 M.

7. Consider the system, $2 \text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2(\text{g}) \rightleftharpoons \text{CH}_4(\text{g}) + \text{CCl}_4(\text{g})$, which has an equilibrium constant of $K = 2.4$. If a system has:

$$[\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2] = 0.22 \text{ M}$$

$$[\text{CH}_4] = 1.64 \text{ M}$$

$$[\text{CCl}_4] = 0.58 \text{ M}$$

then, (a) the system is at equilibrium

(b) the system is not at equilibrium and will react to form more CH_2Cl_2

(c) the system is not at equilibrium and will react to form more CH_4 and CCl_4

$Q = (1.64)(0.58)/(0.22)^2 = 19.7$; $Q > K$, so product concentrations are too high; reaction shifts left.

8. Iodine-123 is used to study thyroid gland function. This radioactive isotope breaks down in a first order process with a half-life of 13.1 hours. What is the rate constant, k for the process?

- (a) 0.0529 hr^{-1} (b) 6.55 hr^{-1} (c) 9.08 hr^{-1} (d) 18.9 hr^{-1} (e) 26.2 hr^{-1}

for a first order reaction, $k = 0.693/t_{1/2}$

9. For the reaction $2 \text{SO}_2\text{Cl}_2(\text{g}) \rightleftharpoons 2 \text{SO}_2(\text{g}) + 2 \text{Cl}_2(\text{g})$, the expression for K_{eq} is

$$(a) \quad K_{eq} = \frac{[\text{SO}_2]^2[\text{Cl}_2]^2}{[\text{SO}_2\text{Cl}_2]^2}$$

10. The following system is at equilibrium $\text{CH}_4(\text{g}) + \text{CCl}_4(\text{g}) \rightleftharpoons \text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2(\text{g})$.

If CCl_4 is removed from the sample, what will then happen to the concentrations of CH_4 and of CH_2Cl_2 ?

- (a) both $[\text{CH}_4]$ and $[\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2]$ will increase
- (b) both $[\text{CH}_4]$ and $[\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2]$ will decrease
- (c) $[\text{CH}_4]$ will decrease and $[\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2]$ will increase
- (d) $[\text{CH}_4]$ will increase and $[\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2]$ will decrease**
- (e) $[\text{CH}_4]$ will remain constant and $[\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2]$ will increase

Reaction shifts left to replenish the decreased CCl_4 .

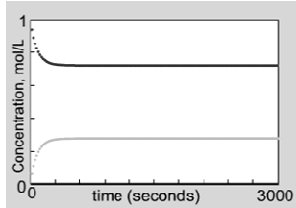
11. What are $[\text{H}_3\text{O}^+]$ and $[\text{OH}^-]$ for a solution that has a pH of 9.0?

- (a) $[\text{H}_3\text{O}^+] = 9 \text{ M}$ and $[\text{OH}^-] = 5 \text{ M}$
- (b) $[\text{H}_3\text{O}^+] = 5 \text{ M}$ and $[\text{OH}^-] = 9 \text{ M}$
- (c) $[\text{H}_3\text{O}^+] = 1 \times 10^{-9} \text{ M}$ and $[\text{OH}^-] = 1 \times 10^{-5} \text{ M}$**
- (d) $[\text{H}_3\text{O}^+] = 1 \times 10^{-5} \text{ M}$ and $[\text{OH}^-] = 1 \times 10^{-9} \text{ M}$
- (e) $[\text{H}_3\text{O}^+] = 1 \times 10^9 \text{ M}$ and $[\text{OH}^-] = 1 \times 10^5 \text{ M}$

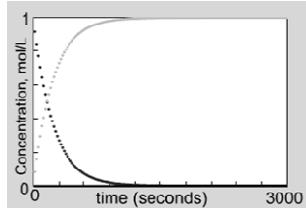
12. What is the conjugate base of HC_2O_4^- ?

- (a) $\text{H}_2\text{C}_2\text{O}_4$
- (b) $\text{C}_2\text{O}_4^{2-}$**
- (c) 2CO_2
- (d) $\text{H}_3\text{C}_2\text{O}_4^+$

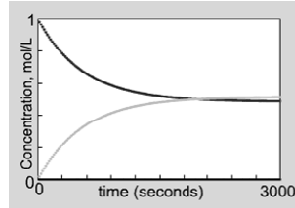
Questions 13-15 use the following concentration-time plots. The black line represents reactants and the light gray line represents products. Answer with the correct letter.



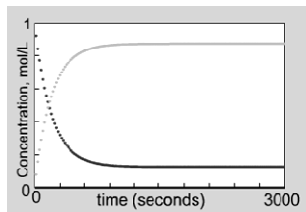
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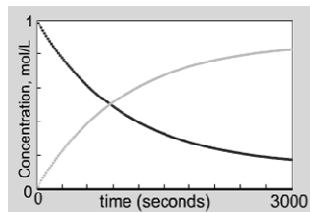
b.



c.



d.



e.

13. Which reaction goes to completion? B
14. Which reaction has the smallest equilibrium constant? A
15. Which reaction has an equilibrium constant of about 1 ($K = 1$)? C

For questions 16-20, your work MUST be shown. You must use the ICE method where noted. Partial credit for these problems will be given where appropriate.

16. The rate constant for a first order reaction at 773 K is 1.68 s^{-1} . The rate constant for this process at 873 K is 14.6 s^{-1} .

What is the activation energy for the reaction in kJ/mol? ($R = 8.314 \text{ J/mol}\cdot\text{K}$)

$$\ln \frac{14.6}{1.68} = -\frac{Ea}{R} \left[\frac{1}{873\text{K}} - \frac{1}{773\text{K}} \right]$$

$$2.162 = -\frac{Ea}{R} [-0.0001482]$$

$$Ea = \frac{2.162 \cdot 8.314 \text{ J/K}}{0.0001482} = 121000 \text{ J} = 121 \text{ kJ}$$

17. A highly toxic pesticide decomposes in the soil via a *first order rate law*. The rate constant for the decomposition is 0.0995 days^{-1} . How long will it take for it to decompose to 10% of its original concentration? In days.

The key here is that $[R]_t/[R]_o = 0.10$

$$\ln(0.10) = -kt$$

$$-2.303 = -0.0995 \text{ day}^{-1} t$$

$$t = 2.303/0.0995 \text{ days} = 23.1 \text{ days}$$

18. Butene isomerizes to form isobutane.



If a sample of 1.00 M butene is placed in a flask and allowed to react, what will [cyclobutane] be once equilibrium is established?

Show your work, the ICE method must be used and presented correctly.

	<i>butene</i>	\rightleftharpoons	<i>cyclobutane</i>
<i>Initial</i>	1.00		0
<i>Change</i>	-x		+x
<i>Equilibrium</i>	1.00 - x		x

$$K = 6.0 = \frac{x}{1.0 - x}$$

$$6.0(1.0 - x) = x$$

$$6.0 - 6.0x = x$$

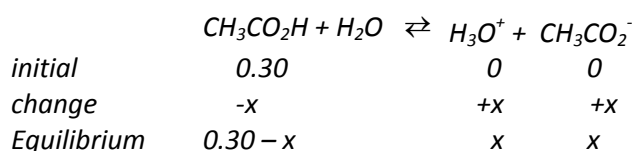
$$6.0 = 7x$$

$$x = 6/7 = 0.857 = [\text{cyclobutane}]$$

19. What is the pH of a 0.30 M solution of $\text{CH}_3\text{CO}_2\text{H}$? $K_a = 1.8 \times 10^{-5}$

Show your work, the ICE method must be used and presented correctly.

This is a standard weak acid equilibrium case.



$$K = 1.8 \times 10^{-5} = \frac{[\text{H}_3\text{O}^+][\text{CH}_3\text{CO}_2^-]}{[\text{CH}_3\text{CO}_2\text{H}]} = \frac{x^2}{0.30 - x} \approx \frac{x^2}{0.30}$$

$$x = \sqrt{0.30 \cdot 1.8 \times 10^{-5}} = 0.00232 \text{ M} = [\text{H}_3\text{O}^+]$$

$$\text{pH} = -\log(0.00232) = 2.63$$

20. Consider the reaction, $\text{C}_3\text{H}_6\text{ClOH}(\text{aq}) \rightarrow \text{C}_3\text{H}_5\text{OH}(\text{aq}) + \text{HCl}(\text{aq})$ which is first order in $\text{C}_3\text{H}_6\text{ClOH}$ with a rate constant of 0.125 min^{-1} . If the reaction is started with $[\text{C}_3\text{H}_6\text{ClOH}] = 0.88 \text{ M}$, what will the pH be after 15 minutes?

This problem requires you to determine how much $\text{C}_3\text{H}_6\text{ClOH}$ reacts in 15 minutes. That then will tell you how much HCl is produced. That, in turn tells the pH.

$$[\text{C}_3\text{H}_6\text{ClOH}]_{15\text{min}} = 0.88 \text{ M } e^{-(0.125)(15)} = 0.135 \text{ M}$$

$$\text{The change in } [\text{C}_3\text{H}_6\text{ClOH}] = 0.88 \text{ M} - 0.135 \text{ M} = 0.745 \text{ M}$$

Each $\text{C}_3\text{H}_6\text{ClOH}$ that reacts produces one HCl, so, $[\text{HCl}]_{15\text{min}} = 0.745$.

$$[\text{H}_3\text{O}^+] = 0.745; \text{ pH} = 0.128$$

pH = _____

hydrogen 1 H 1.0079	lithium 3 Li 6.941	beryllium 4 Be 9.0122																	helium 2 He 4.0026												
potassium 19 K 39.098	sodium 11 Na 22.990	magnesium 12 Mg 24.305	calcium 20 Ca 40.078	scandium 21 Sc 44.956	titanium 22 Ti 47.867	vanadium 23 V 50.942	chromium 24 Cr 51.996	manganese 25 Mn 54.938	iron 26 Fe 55.845	cobalt 27 Co 58.933	nickel 28 Ni 58.693	copper 29 Cu 63.546	zinc 30 Zn 65.39	gallium 31 Ga 69.723	carbon 6 C 12.011	nitrogen 7 N 14.007	oxygen 8 O 15.999	fluorine 9 F 18.998	neon 10 Ne 20.180												
rubidium 37 Rb 85.468	cesium 55 Cs 132.91	barium 56 Ba 137.33	strontium 38 Sr 87.62	yttrium 39 Y 88.906	zirconium 40 Zr 91.224	niobium 41 Nb 92.906	molybdenum 42 Mo 95.94	technetium 43 Tc [98]	ruthenium 44 Ru 101.07	rhodium 45 Rh 102.91	palladium 46 Pd 106.42	silver 47 Ag 107.87	cadmium 48 Cd 112.41	indium 49 In 114.82	tin 50 Sn 118.71	antimony 51 Sb 121.76	tellurium 52 Te 127.60	iodine 53 I 126.90	xenon 54 Xe 131.29												
francium 87 Fr [223]	actinium 89 Ac [227]	thorium 90 Th 232.04	protactinium 91 Pa 231.04	uranium 92 U 238.03	neptunium 93 Np [237]	plutonium 94 Pu [244]	americium 95 Am [243]	curium 96 Cm [247]	berkelium 97 Bk [247]	californium 98 Cf [251]	einsteium 99 Es [252]	fermium 100 Fm [257]	mendelevium 101 Md [258]	nobelium 102 No [259]	lawrencium 103 Lr [262]	rutherfordium 104 Rf [261]	dubnium 105 Db [262]	seaborgium 106 Sg [266]	bohrium 107 Bh [264]	hassium 108 Hs [269]	meitnerium 109 Mt [268]	ununnilium 110 Uun [271]	ununnium 111 Uuu [272]	ununtrium 112 Uub [277]	ununseptium 114 Uuq [289]	ununquadium 114 Uuq [289]	lead 82 Pb 207.2	bismuth 83 Bi 208.98	polonium 84 Po [209]	astatine 85 At [210]	radon 86 Rn [222]

* Lanthanide series

** Actinide series

lanthanum 57 La 138.91	cerium 58 Ce 140.12	praseodymium 59 Pr 140.91	neodymium 60 Nd 144.24	promethium 61 Pm [145]	samarium 62 Sm 150.36	europium 63 Eu 151.96	gadolinium 64 Gd 157.25	terbium 65 Tb 158.93	dysprosium 66 Dy 162.50	holmium 67 Ho 164.93	erbium 68 Er 167.26	thulium 69 Tm 168.93	ytterbium 70 Yb 173.04
actinium 89 Ac [227]	thorium 90 Th 232.04	protactinium 91 Pa 231.04	uranium 92 U 238.03	neptunium 93 Np [237]	plutonium 94 Pu [244]	americium 95 Am [243]	curium 96 Cm [247]	berkelium 97 Bk [247]	californium 98 Cf [251]	einsteium 99 Es [252]	fermium 100 Fm [257]	mendelevium 101 Md [258]	nobelium 102 No [259]