

14.27 a) Since this particular reaction is zero order in A, doubling the concentration of A will not change the rate of the reaction.

b) The reaction is zero order in A, second order in B and second order overall.

c) $M^{-1}s^{-1}$

14.28 a) $\text{rate} = k[A][C]^2$

b) Doubling [A] will double the rate.

c) Tripling [B] will not change the rate.

d) Tripling [C] will increase the rate by a factor of nine

e) Since the reaction is third order overall, tripling the concentration of all reactants will increase the rate by a factor of 27.

f) Similarly, when the concentration is cut in half the rate decreases by a factor of 1/8.

14.29 a) $\text{rate} = k[\text{N}_2\text{O}_5]$

b) $\text{rate} = k[\text{N}_2\text{O}_5] = 4.82 \times 10^{-3} \text{s}^{-1} [0.0240 \text{M}] = 1.16 \times 10^{-4} \text{M/s}$

c) Because this reaction is first order in N_2O_5 , doubling the concentration of this reactant will double the rate, making it $2.32 \times 10^{-4} \text{M/s}$.

d) Because this reaction is first order in N_2O_5 , halving the concentration of this reactant will halve the rate, making it $0.58 \times 10^{-4} \text{M/s}$. ($5.8 \times 10^{-5} \text{M/s}$).

14.33 a) Comparing the 1st and 2nd trials, we see that doubling the concentration of OCl^- while the concentration of I^- remains constant causes the rate to double, indicating that the reaction is first order in OCl^- . Comparing the 1st and 3rd trials, we see that doubling the concentration of I^- while the concentration of OCl^- remains constant causes the rate to double, indicating that the reaction is first order in I^- . As a result, the rate law for this reaction is $\text{rate} = k[\text{OCl}^-][\text{I}^-]$

14.33 b) First, we must determine the value of k . Using trial 1:

$$\text{rate} = k[\text{OCl}^-][\text{I}^-]$$

$$1.36 \times 10^{-4} \text{M/s} = k[1.5 \times 10^{-3} \text{M}][1.5 \times 10^{-3} \text{M}]$$

$$k = 60 \text{M}^{-1} \text{s}^{-1}$$

Next, we solve the rate law equation at these new concentrations:

$$\text{rate} = k[\text{OCl}^-][\text{I}^-]$$

$$\text{rate} = 60 \text{M}^{-1} \text{s}^{-1} [2.0 \times 10^{-3} \text{M}][5.0 \times 10^{-4} \text{M}]$$

$$\text{rate} = 6.0 \times 10^{-5} \text{M/s}$$

14.35 a) Comparing the 1st and 2nd trials, we see that halving the concentration of NH_3 while the concentration of BF_3 remains constant causes the rate to halve, indicating that the reaction is first order in NH_3 . Comparing the 3rd and 4th trials, we see that increasing the concentration of BF_3 by a factor of 1.75 while the concentration of NH_3 remains constant causes the rate to increase by a factor of 1.75, indicating that the reaction is first order in BF_3 . As a result, the rate law for this reaction is $\text{rate} = k[\text{NH}_3][\text{BF}_3]$

b) This reaction is second order overall

c) Referencing trail 1:

$$\text{rate} = k[\text{NH}_3][\text{BF}_3]$$

$$0.2130M/s = k[0.250M][0.250M]$$

$$k = 3.41M^{-1}s^{-1}$$

d)

$$\text{rate} = k[\text{NH}_3][\text{BF}_3]$$

$$\text{rate} = 3.41M^{-1}s^{-1}[0.500M][0.100M]$$

$$\text{rate} = 0.171M/s$$

14.37 a) Comparing the 1st and 2nd trials, we see that increasing the concentration of NO by a factor of 2.5 while the concentration of Br₂ remains constant causes the rate to increase by a factor of 6.25, indicating that the reaction is second order in NO. Comparing the 1st and 3rd trials, we see that increasing the concentration of Br₂ by a factor of 2.5 while the concentration of NO remains constant causes the rate to increase by a factor of 2.5, indicating that the reaction is first order in Br₂. As a result, the rate law for this reaction is $\text{rate} = k[\text{NO}]^2[\text{Br}_2]$

b) $\text{rate} = k[\text{NO}]^2[\text{Br}_2]$

$$24M/s = k[.10M]^2[0.20M] \quad k = 12000M^{-2}s^{-1}$$

$$150M/s = k[.25M]^2[0.20M] \quad k = 12000M^{-2}s^{-1} \quad \text{Ave } k = 12000M^{-2}s^{-1}$$

$$60M/s = k[.10M]^2[0.50M] \quad k = 12000M^{-2}s^{-1}$$

$$735M/s = k[.35M]^2[0.50M] \quad k = 12000M^{-2}s^{-1}$$

c) From the balanced equation, we see that the rate of appearance of NOBr will be twice the rate of disappearance of Br₂.

$$14.37 \text{ d) } \text{rate} = k[\text{NO}]^2[\text{Br}_2]$$

$$\text{rate} = 12000M^{-2}s^{-1}[0.075M]^2[0.25M]$$

$$\text{rate} = 16.9M/s$$

This calculated rate is the rate of appearance of NOBr. We determined in the previous question that the rate of disappearance of Br₂ will be half this rate or 8.45M/s.