

1. Concept Analysis for Rate of Chemical Reaction

- **Concept Label** : rate of chemical reaction
- **Concept Definition** : rate of chemical reaction is the change in the concentrations
- **Concept Type** : abstract
- **Attribute** :
 - a. **Critical** : rate of chemical reaction, concentration of reactants or products, function of time
 - b. **Variable** : time, temperature , concentration , catalyst , activation energy , nature of reactants, average reaction rate, instantaneous reaction rate, initial reaction rate, order of reaction, half life time
- **Concept Position** :
 - a. **Supperordintae**: Chemical kinetics
 - b. **Coordinate** : equilibrium reaction
 - c. **Subordinate**: rate law
- Example : $A \rightarrow B$, rate = $\frac{\Delta[A]}{\Delta t}$, the rate of decomposition of N_2O_5 is $\frac{\Delta[N_2O_5]}{\Delta t}$
- Non example : the rate of decomposition of N_2O_5 is $\frac{\Delta[NO_2]}{\Delta t}$

2. Concept Analysis for Collision Theory

- **Concept Label** : collision theory
- **Concept Definition** : collision theory states that in order for a chemical reaction to occur the reactant atom or molecules must collide with each other
- **Concept Type** : abstract
- **Attribute** :
 - a. **Critical** : chemical reaction, collision theory , reactant atoms or molecules, collision,
 - b. **Variable** : activation energy, frequency of collision, kinetic energy, proper orientation, temperature , transition state
- **Position** :
 - a. **Supper Ordinate**: chemical kinetics
 - b. **Coordinate**: transition state theory
 - c. **Subordinate** : effective collision

- **Example** : the collision between the molecules of O_3 and NO will produce NO_2 and O_2
- **Non Example** : ineffective collision b/n the molecules of I_2 and H_2 will produce HI

3. Concept Analysis for Activation Energy

- **Concept Label** : activation energy
- **Concept Definition** : activation energy is the minimum amount of energy required for a successful collision of reactants or particles
- **Concept Type** : abstract
- **Attribute** :
 - a. **Critical** : activation energy, minimum amount of energy, successful collision of reactant
 - b. **Variable** : catalyst, temperature,
- **Concept Position** :
 - a. **Supper Ordinate** : collision theory
 - b. **Coordinate** : activation energy barrier
 - c. **Subordinate**: heat of reaction
- **Example** : activation energy on potential energy diagram for a chemical reaction
- **Non example** : reaction mechanisms

4. Concept Analysis for Catalyst

- **Concept Label** : catalyst
- **Concept Definition**: a catalyst is a substance that increases the rate of reaction without being changed at the end the reaction or a substance that permits reactions to proceed at lower energy than normally required.
- **Concept Type** : concrete
- **Attribute** :
 - a. **Critical** : catalyst, increases rate of reaction, without being changed
 - b. **Variable** : activation energy, heat of reaction, speed of reaction, time, rate of reaction, mechanism of reaction, type of catalyst
- **Concept Position** :
 - a. **Supper Ordinate**: none
 - b. **Coordinates**: reaction inhibitors

c. **Subordinates:** none

- **Example** : Pt, Fe, Ni, enzymes , H_2SO_4 , NaOH
- **Non Examples** : Na, water,

5. Concept Analysis for Rate Laws

- **Concept Label** : rate laws
- **Concept Definitions** : the rate law for a chemical reaction is an equation that links the rate with concentration or pressure of reactants and constant parameters
- **Concept Type** : Abstract
- **Attribute** :
 - a. **Critical** : rate law, rate of chemical reaction, equation links rate with concentration and constant parameter s
 - b. **Variable** : integrated rate law, differential rate law, concentration, order of reaction , rate constant, type of reaction
- **Concept Position** :
 - a. **Supper Ordinates** ; chemical kinetics
 - b. **Coordinates:** law of mass action
 - c. **Subordinates:** reaction order
- **Example** : the rate law for general reaction
 $aA + bB \rightarrow cC + dD$ is , $v = k[A]^m[B]^n$
- **Non Example** ; $K_{eq} = \frac{[C]^c[D]^d}{[A]^a[B]^b}$

6. Concept Analysis For reaction order

- **Concept Label** : rate order
- **Concept Definition:** the order of reaction with respect to certain reactant is defined as the exponent to which its concentration term in rate equation is raised.
- **Concept Type:** abstract
- **Attribute** :
 - a. **Critical** : order of reaction, reactants, exponents , rate equation, concentration
 - b. **Variable:** concentration ,reactants, exponents
- **Concept Position** :
 - a. **supper ordinate** : rate law
 - b. **coordinate** : none
 - c. **sub ordinate** : half life time

- **Example** : first order reaction, second order reaction , zero order reaction,
- **Non Example** : coefficients of reactants in chemical reaction

7. Concept Analysis for Half life Time

- **Concept Label** : Half life time
- **Concept Definition**: half life time is the time taken for the concentration of a reactant to drop to half of its original value.
- **Concept Type** : Abstract
- **Attribute** :
 - a. **Critical** : half life time, half of original value ,reactant concentration
 - b. **Variable** : time , concentration, rate constant,
- **concept position** :
 - a. **Supper Ordinates** : rate law
 - b. **Coordinate** : none
 - c. **Subordinate**: none
- **Examples**: half life time of 1st order reaction, half life time of 2nd order reaction.
- **Non Example** : the time difference between initial time and final time of reaction

8. Concept Analysis For Reaction Mechanisms

- **Concept Label** : reaction mechanisms
- **Concept Definition**: reaction mechanism is the step by step pathway by which a reaction occurs
- **Concept Type** : abstract
- **Attribute** :
 - a. **Critical** : reaction mechanism, step by step, pathway
 - b. **Variable** : rate determining step, steady state, reaction intermediate, transition state, activation energy, reactant, product
- **Concept Position** :
 - a. **supper ordinate** : rate of chemical reaction
 - b. **coordinate** : none
 - c. **subordinate** : elementary reaction
- **Example** : the reaction between NO₂ and CO takes two steps

$$\text{NO}_2 + \text{NO}_2 \rightarrow \text{NO}_3 + \text{NO}$$

$$\text{NO}_3 + \text{CO} \rightarrow \text{NO}_2 + \text{CO}_2$$
- **Non Example** : the reaction between NO₂ and CO produces NO and CO₂

9. Concept Analysis for Transition State Theory

- **Concept Label** : Transition State Theory
- **Concept definition** : transition state theory explains the reaction resulting from the collision of two molecules in terms of an activated complex.
- **Concept Type** : Abstract
- **Attribute** :
 - a. **Critical** : transition state theory, collision b/n two molecules, activated complex,
 - b. **Variable** : activation energy, reaction mechanisms, catalyst, temperature, activated complex, concentration.
- **Concept Position** :
 - a. **superordinate** : chemical kinetics
 - b. **coordinate** : collision theory
 - c. **subordinate**: none

Example: the activated complex for the reaction between CO and NO₂ is
 $\text{CO} \cdots \text{O}^- \cdots \text{NO}^+$

Non Example: the product or the activated complex for the reaction between CO and NO₂ is CO₂ and NO.