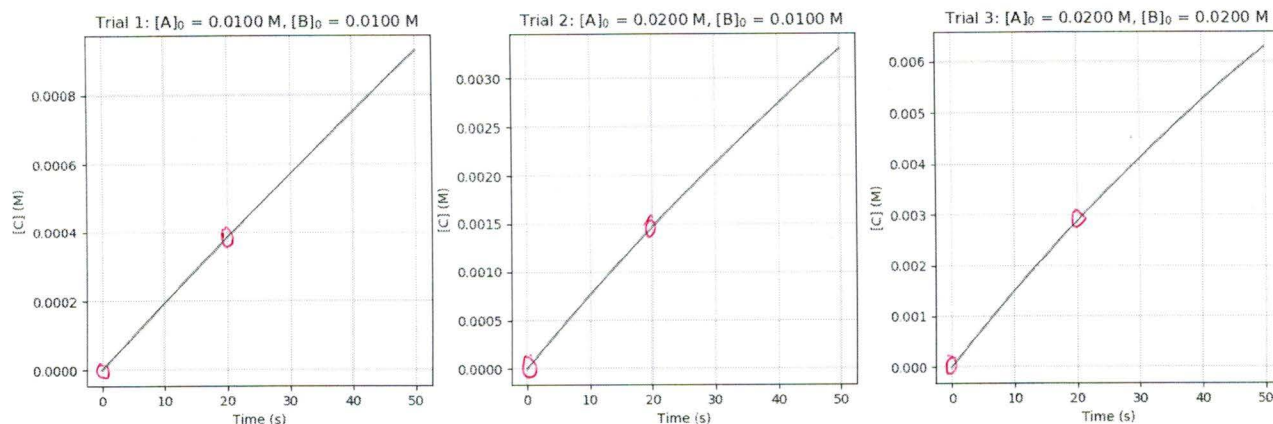


## Quiz 14.1 – Reaction Rates and Rate Equations

Name: KeyFor all questions in this quiz, consider the reaction:  $A + 2B \rightarrow 3C$ .

Below are graphs of the concentration of C over time under three different initial conditions:



Question 1

$$\text{rate} = \frac{1}{3} \frac{\Delta[C]}{\Delta t} = \frac{1}{3} \frac{0.0003 \text{ M}}{20 \text{ s}}$$

From the data in the graphs, estimate the average reaction rate over the first 20 s for each trial

$$\text{rate} = \frac{0.00038 \text{ M}}{60 \text{ s}} = 6.33 \cdot 10^{-6} \frac{\text{M}}{\text{s}}$$

$$\frac{0.0015 \text{ M}}{60 \text{ s}} = 0.000025 \frac{\text{M}}{\text{s}} = 2.50 \cdot 10^{-5} \frac{\text{M}}{\text{s}}$$

$$\frac{0.0029 \text{ M}}{60 \text{ s}} = 4.8 \cdot 10^{-5} \frac{\text{M}}{\text{s}}$$

Question 2

Find the reaction order for both of the reactants, and the overall reaction order

$$\frac{\text{rate}_2}{\text{rate}_1} = \frac{k[A]_2^m[B]_2^n}{k[A]_1^m[B]_1^n}$$

$$\frac{2.5 \cdot 10^{-5} \frac{\text{M}}{\text{s}}}{6.33 \cdot 10^{-6} \frac{\text{M}}{\text{s}}} = \left( \frac{0.0200}{0.0100} \right)^m$$

$$\frac{4.8 \cdot 10^{-5}}{2.5 \cdot 10^{-5}} = \left( \frac{0.0200}{0.0100} \right)^n$$

Question 3

$$3.95 = 2^m \rightarrow m=2$$

$$1.92 = 2^n \rightarrow n=1$$

Give the value for the rate constant  $k$ , with appropriate units

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

$$\text{Overall} = 3$$

$$4.8 \cdot 10^{-5} \frac{\text{M}}{\text{s}} = k (0.0200 \text{ M})^2 \cdot 0.0200 \text{ M} \rightarrow k = 6.00 \frac{1}{\text{s M}^2}$$

Question 4

Name the five factors which control rates of reaction:

• Particle Size • Concentrations • Temperature • Energetics/Sterics • Catalyst