

- 3.1 Since the reaction order, hence concentration dependency, is not known we are not given enough information to find the rate of reaction at the higher concentration  $\leftarrow$
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- 3.3 For the 2<sup>nd</sup> order disappearance of a single reactant Eq 16, pg 49 gives
- $$kt = \frac{1}{C_{A0}} \left( \frac{X_A}{1-X_A} \right) \quad \text{--- or ---} \quad t = \frac{1}{kC_{A0}} \left( \frac{X_A}{1-X_A} \right)$$

Now for 50% conversion:  $t_{50} = \frac{1}{kC_{A0}} \left( \frac{1/2}{1-1/2} \right) = \frac{1}{kC_{A0}} = 5 \text{ min}$

For 75% conversion:  $t_{75} = \frac{1}{kC_{A0}} \left( \frac{3/4}{1-3/4} \right) = \frac{3}{kC_{A0}} = 15 \text{ min}$

$\therefore$  the extra time needed is 10 minutes  $\leftarrow$

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- 3.5 Since the fractional disappearance is independent of initial concentration we have a first order rate, or
- $$-\frac{dC}{dt} = kC \quad \text{--- or ---} \quad \ln \frac{C_0}{C} = kt \quad \text{--- where } C = \text{monomer concentration}$$

We also can find the rate constant. Thus replacing values

$$\ln \frac{C_0}{0.8C_0} = k(34 \text{ min}) \quad \text{--- or ---} \quad k = \frac{-\ln 0.8}{34 \text{ min}} = 0.00657 \text{ min}^{-1}$$

Hence the rate of disappearance of monomer is given by

$$-r = -\frac{dC}{dt} = (0.00657 \text{ min}^{-1})C \quad \leftarrow$$


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- 3.7 Mago's betting habits, and his losses, can be described by
- $$-\frac{d\$}{dt} = k\$ \quad \text{--- or ---} \quad \ln \frac{\$}{\$_0} = kt \quad \text{--- where } \$ = \text{money at hand}$$

Now at  $t=0$  ---  $\$ = 180$   
 $t=2 \text{ hrs}$  ---  $\$ = 135$  } from which we can find his "paupacity" constant

$$k = \frac{1}{t} \ln \frac{\$}{\$_0} = \frac{1}{2} \ln \frac{180}{135} = 0.144 \text{ hr}^{-1}$$

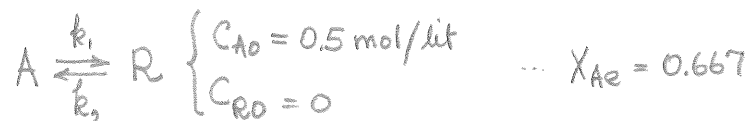
3.7 After his raise we have  $t=0 \dots \$_0 = ?$   
 (Continued)  $t=3 \text{ hrs } \$ = 135$  } ... from this find  $\$_0$

For Unchanged betting habits

$$\ln \frac{\$_0}{135} = (0.144)(3) \dots \text{ or } \$_0 = 208$$

Hence his raise is  $208 - 180 \dots \text{ or } \$28$

3.9 For a first order reversible reaction



the integrated conversion equation in a batch reactor (constant volume because it is a liquid) is given by

$$-\ln \left( 1 - \frac{X_A}{X_{Ae}} \right) = (k_1 + k_2)t$$

Replacing values we then find

$$-\ln \left( 1 - \frac{1/3}{2/3} \right) = (k_1 + k_2) 8 \text{ min} \dots \therefore k_1 + k_2 = \frac{\ln 2}{8} = 0.086625 \text{ min}^{-1} \dots (i)$$

Now from thermodynamics we know that

$$K = \frac{C_{Re}}{C_{Ae}} = \frac{k_1}{k_2} = \frac{0.5 \times 2/3}{0.5 \times 1/3} = 2$$

equilibrium constant

Thus  $k_1 = 2k_2 \dots (ii)$

Solving (i) & (ii) gives  $\begin{cases} k_2 = \frac{0.086625}{3} = 0.028875 \\ k_1 = 0.057750 \end{cases}$

Thus the rate expression for the disappearance of A.

$$-r_A = 0.05775 C_A - 0.028875 C_R$$

$\uparrow$  mol/lit.min     $\uparrow$  min<sup>-1</sup>     $\uparrow$  mol/lit     $\uparrow$  min<sup>-1</sup>     $\uparrow$  mol/lit

3.11 From the table of data

$$\text{at } C_A = 500 \quad t = 100 \text{ min}$$

Thus

$$\text{at } t = 5 \text{ hrs} + 100 \text{ min} = 400 \text{ min}$$

$$C_A = 200 \frac{\text{mol}}{\text{m}^3} \quad \text{--- or } X_A = 0.6 \quad \leftarrow$$

3.13

Let A = galloping dominoes. Then by this game alone  $-\left(\frac{d\$}{dt}\right)_A = k_A \$$  ----- (i)

Let B = chuk-a-luck. Then by this game alone  $-\left(\frac{d\$}{dt}\right)_B = k_B \$$  ----- (ii)

Playing A & B simultaneously  $-\frac{d\$}{dt} = -\left(\frac{d\$}{dt}\right)_A - \left(\frac{d\$}{dt}\right)_B = (k_A + k_B) \$$  ----- (iii)

From the problem statement we can find  $k_A$  from (i),  $k_B$  from (ii). We then use these in (iii) to see how long he can play both games simultaneously. This is our strategy.

Integrating (i) we get  $\ln \frac{\$}{\$_0} = k_A t$  --- or ---  $k_A = \frac{1}{t} \ln \frac{\$}{\$_0}$   
and with the data given  $k_A = \frac{1}{4} \ln 2$  ----- (iv)

Similarly with (ii)  $k_B = \frac{1}{2} \ln 2$  ----- (v)

Integrating (iii) gives  $\ln \frac{\$}{\$_0} = (k_A + k_B) t$  --- or ---  $t = \frac{1}{k_A + k_B} \ln \frac{\$}{\$_0}$

and with (iv) & (v)

$$t = \frac{1}{\frac{3}{4} \ln 2} \ln \frac{1000}{10} = 8.87 \text{ hrs} \quad \leftarrow$$

Note: This is simply a case of two "1<sup>st</sup> order reactions" in parallel, see pg. 49.

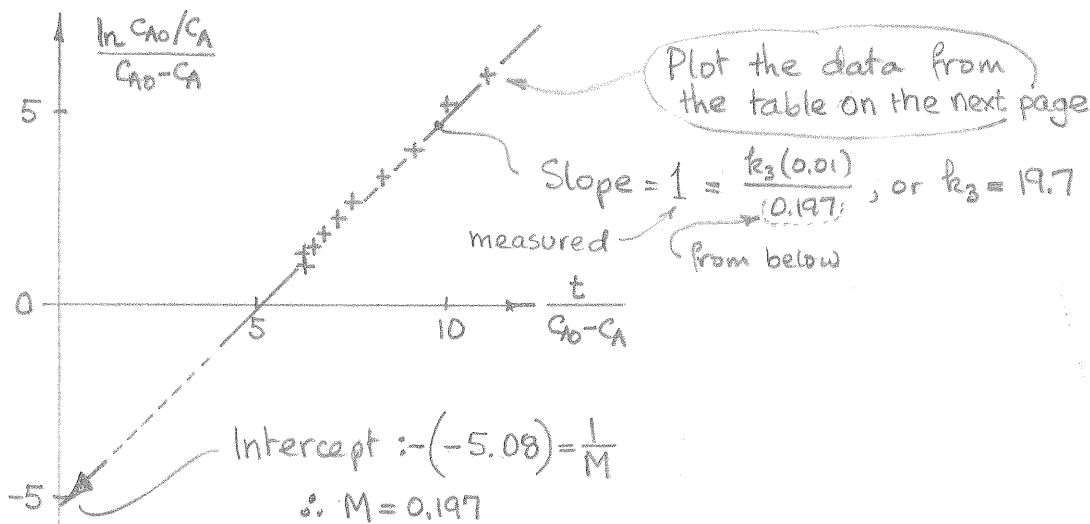
3.15 We can test the fit of the Michaelis-Menten type equation in many ways, integral or differential. We will sketch these different solutions in turn. But first let us transform the M-M equation into the following useful form

$$-r_A = \frac{k_3 C_{E0} C_A}{C_A + M} = \frac{k_4 C_A}{1 + k_5 C_A} \quad \text{--- where } \begin{cases} k_4 = \frac{k_3 C_{E0}}{M} \\ k_5 = \frac{1}{M} \end{cases} \quad \text{--- (i)}$$

↖ use this form

Integral method Integrating (i) gives

$$\frac{\ln C_{A0}/C_A}{C_{A0} - C_A} = -k_5 + \frac{k_4 t}{C_{A0} - C_A} \quad \begin{cases} \text{slope: } k_4 = \frac{k_3 C_{E0}}{M} \\ \text{intercept: } -k_5 = \frac{1}{M} \end{cases} \quad \text{--- (i)}$$



From this figure the constants in Eq. (i) are

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} k_3 = 19.7 \text{ hr}^{-1} \\ M = 0.197 \frac{\text{millimol}}{\text{lit}} \end{array} \right\} \text{ thus } r_A = \frac{19.7 C_A C_{E0}}{0.197 + C_A} \quad \leftarrow$$

3.15  
(continued)

$t$	$C_A$	$\frac{\ln C_{A0}/C_A}{C_{A0}-C_A}$	$\frac{t}{C_{A0}-C_A}$
1	0.84	1.09	6.25
2	0.68	1.2	6.25
3	0.53	1.35	6.39
4	0.38	1.56	6.45
5	0.27	1.80	6.85
6	0.16	2.18	7.15
7	0.09	2.65	7.7
8	0.04	3.36	8.34
9	0.018	4.08	9.17
10	0.006	5.15	10.1
11	0.0025	6.01	11.0

↙ given
↘ for integral method, above

3.17 For first order processes

$$k = \frac{0.6931}{t_{1/2}} = \frac{0.6931}{76 \text{ min}} = 9.12 \times 10^{-3} \text{ min}^{-1}$$

After one day

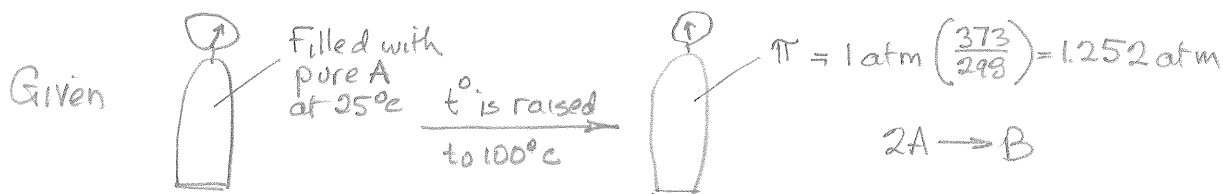
$$\frac{C_A}{C_{A0}} = e^{-kt} = e^{-(9.12 \times 10^{-3})(24 \times 60)} = 1.98 \times 10^{-6} \leftarrow$$

Thus the radioactivity drops to  $2 \times 10^{-6}$  of the original value.3.19 The time for complete conversion of an  $n^{\text{th}}$  order reaction from Eq. 29, is

$$t = \frac{C_{A0}^{1-n}}{(1-n)k} = \frac{(1)^{1-1/2}}{(1-1/2)3} = \frac{2}{3} \text{ hr}$$

Therefore after 1 hr  $X_A = 1$ , or  $C_A = 0 \leftarrow$

3.21



Tabulate

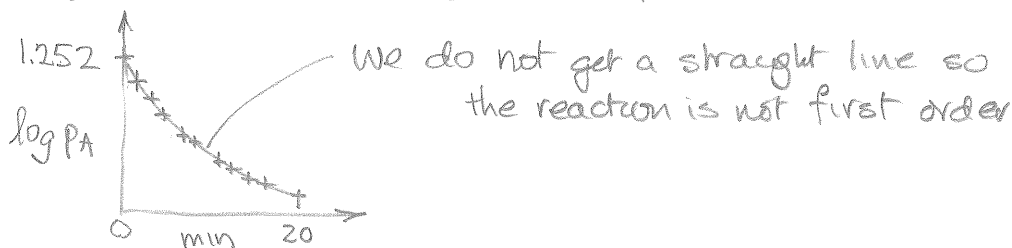
①	②	③	④
time (min)	$\pi$ (atm)	$p_A$ (atm)	$1/p_A$ (atm <sup>-1</sup> )
0	(1.252)	(1.252)	(0.800)
1	1.14	1.028	0.975
2	1.04	0.828	1.208
3	0.982	0.712	1.404
4	0.940	0.628	1.592
5	0.905	0.558	1.792
6	0.876	0.488	2.049
7	0.850	0.448	2.232
8	0.832	0.412	2.427
9	0.815	0.378	2.646
10	0.800	0.348	2.873
15	0.754	0.256	3.90
20	0.728	0.204	4.90

← given → ← calc'd. →

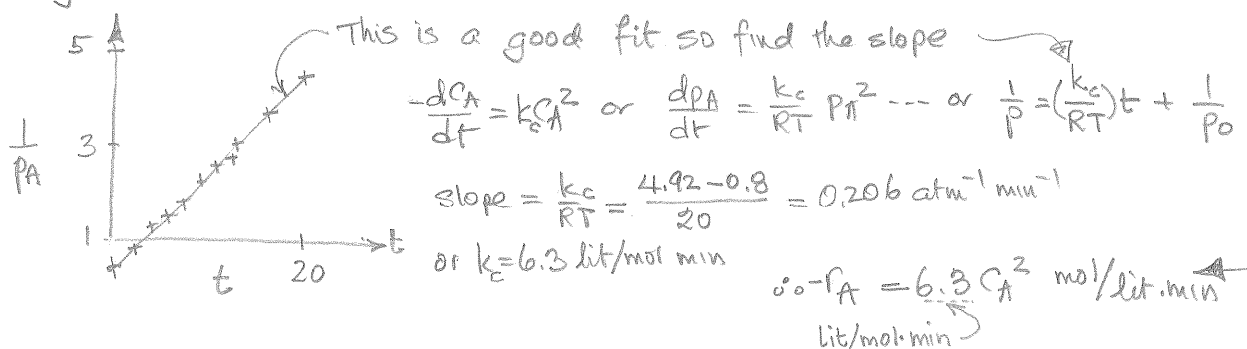
Column ③ is obtained from Eq 5, or

$$p_A = p_{A0} - \frac{a}{\Delta n} (\pi - \pi_0) = 1.252 - \frac{2}{(-1)} (\pi - 1.252) = 2p_A - 1.252$$

Try first order kinetics. For this plot as shown



Try second order kinetics. For this plot as shown



3.23 Let us try  $n^{\text{th}}$  order kinetics. Then from Eq 33a, taking ratios, we get

$$\frac{(n-1)kt_2}{(n-1)kt_1} = \frac{C_{A0} \left[ \left( \frac{C_{A2}}{C_{A0}} \right)^{1-n} - 1 \right]}{C_{A0} \left[ \left( \frac{C_{A1}}{C_{A0}} \right)^{1-n} - 1 \right]} \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

Replacing values give.

$$2 = \frac{-1}{\left( \frac{1}{4} \right)^{1-n} - 1} \quad \text{--- or } n = \frac{1}{2} \quad \leftarrow$$

Replacing in Eq 33a gives

$$\left( \frac{1}{2} - 1 \right) kt_2 = 1^{1-1/2} \left( \frac{\text{mol}}{\text{lit}} \right)^{1-1/2} [0-1]$$

or

$$k = 1 \frac{(\text{mol})^{1/2}}{(\text{lit})^{1/2} \cdot \text{hr}}$$

$$\therefore -r_A = \left( 1 \frac{\text{mol}^{1/2}}{\text{lit}^{1/2} \text{ hr}} \right) C_A^{1/2}, \quad \frac{\text{mol}}{\text{lit} \cdot \text{hr}} \quad \leftarrow$$

3.25 Here we are given  $p_A$  vs  $t$  data, so we have two possible approaches

- (a) We could first transform all pressure readings into concentrations and then solve, or
- (b) We could stay with pressure readings and then transform our final equation into concentration units.

Let us stick with pressure units, and let us start by guessing first order reversible kinetics. Why reversible? Because at  $t = \infty$  there is still some unreacted  $p_A$ . So the rate equation we will test is



On integration we get

$$\ln \left( 1 - \frac{X_A}{X_{A\infty}} \right) = \frac{k_1 t}{X_{A\infty}} \quad \text{--- (54)}$$

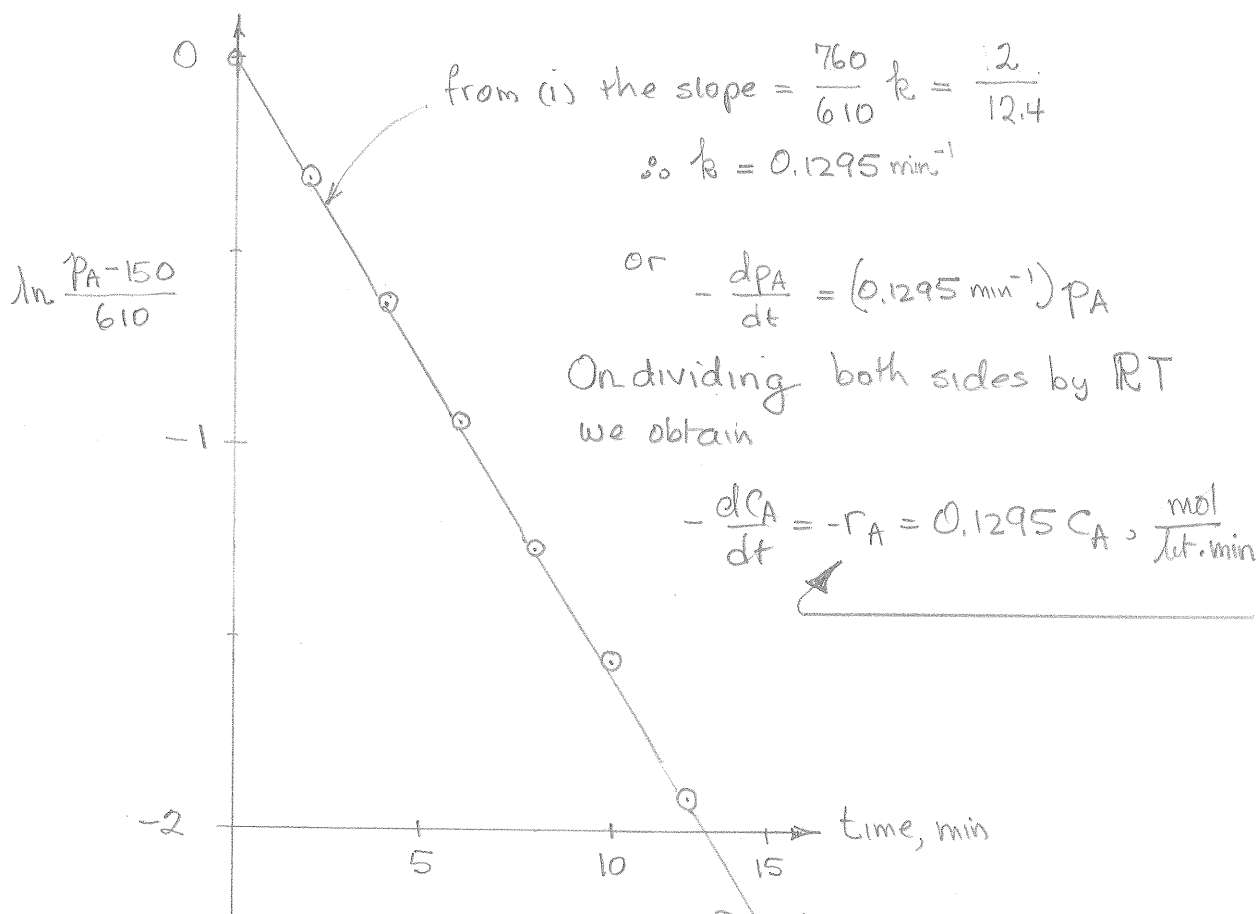
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(continued)

In pressure units this integrated expression becomes

$$\ln \frac{P_A - P_{Ae}}{P_{A0} - P_{Ae}} = \frac{k_1 t}{(P_{A0} - P_{Ae})/P_{A0}} \quad \text{--- (i)}$$

Let us see whether this equation fits the facts. So tabulate &amp; plot

$t, \text{min}$	$P_A$	$\frac{P_A - P_{Ae}}{P_{A0} - P_{Ae}}$	$\ln \frac{P_A - P_{Ae}}{P_{A0} - P_{Ae}}$
0	760	1	0
2	600	450/610	-0.3042
4	475	325/610	-0.6296
6	390	240/610	-0.9328
8	320	170/610	-1.2777
10	275	125/610	-1.5951
12	240	90/610	-1.9136
14	215	65/610	-2.2391
$\infty$	150	0	$-\infty$

Note: For 1<sup>st</sup> order rxs $k_c$  and  $k_p$  have the same value,  $\text{time}^{-1}$ 

what this shows is that if we have isothermal 1<sup>st</sup> order kinetics we can use  $P_A$  or  $C_A$  without changing the rate constants



3.27 Since we are told that the reaction is elementary the stoichiometric equation shows that the reaction is 2<sup>nd</sup> order. So for a small relative concentration change we can write

$$-\frac{\Delta C_A}{\Delta t} = k \bar{C}_A^2$$

$$\text{or } k = -\frac{\Delta C_A}{\Delta t} \frac{1}{\bar{C}_A^2} = \frac{-0.2 \text{ mol/lit}}{7\frac{2}{3} \text{ hr}} \cdot \frac{1}{(19.9 \text{ mol/lit})^2} = 6.6 \times 10^{-5} \text{ lit}^2/\text{mol}^2 \cdot \text{hr}$$

$$\therefore -r_{\text{NH}_2\text{-CO-NH}_2} = (6.6 \times 10^{-5}) C_{\text{NH}_2\text{-CO-NH}_2}^2, \frac{\text{mol}}{\text{lit} \cdot \text{hr}} \quad \longleftarrow$$

3.29



	$2A \rightarrow B$	
Amount of A or B :	0.8	0.4
Amount of inert :	0.2	0.2
Total :	1.0	0.6
	$\therefore \varepsilon_A = -0.4$	

For a first order reaction in a variable volume set-up, we have from Eq. 7.9 :

$$-\ln \left( \frac{\varepsilon_A + 1 - V/V_0}{\varepsilon_A} \right) = kt \quad \text{--- or ---} \quad -\ln \left( \frac{-0.4 + 1 - 0.8}{-0.4} \right) = k \cdot 3 \text{ min}$$

$$\therefore k = \frac{\ln 2}{3} = 0.231 \text{ min}^{-1} \quad \longleftarrow$$

3.31 The units of the rate constant tells that this is a 2<sup>nd</sup> order reaction

$$-r_A = k C_A^2 = k_0 e^{-E/RT} C_A^2$$

Thus

$$k = k_0 e^{-E/RT}$$

or

$$\ln k = \ln k_0 - \frac{E}{R} \left( \frac{1}{T} \right)$$

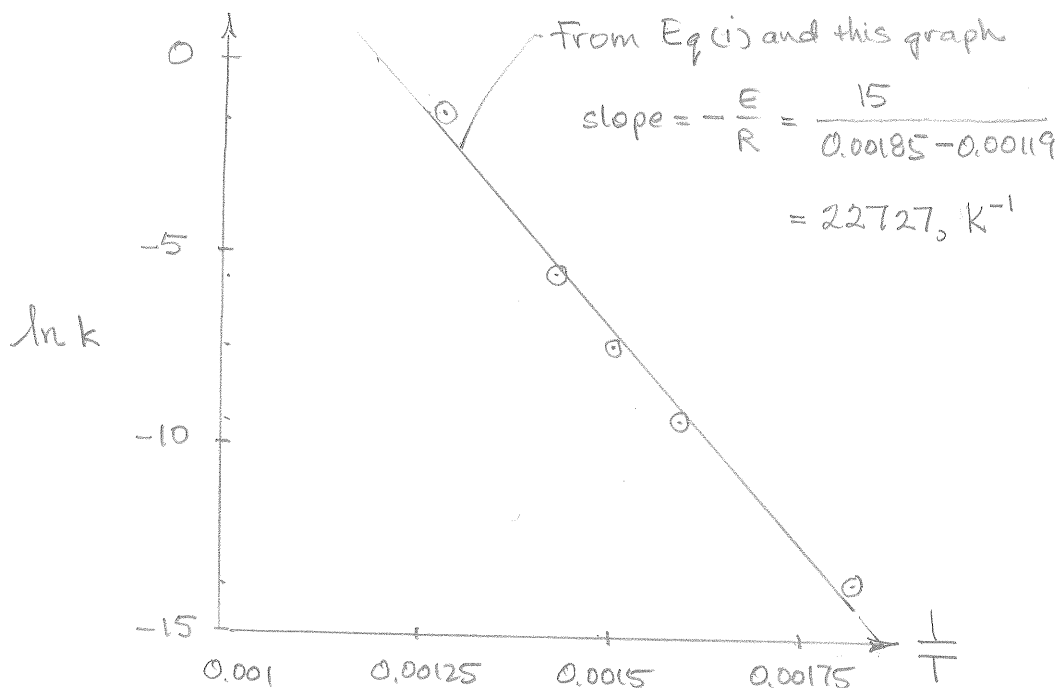
So to find the value of the rate constant, or  $k_0$  and  $E/R$ , we must plot  $\ln k$  vs  $1/T$ . The slope gives  $E/R$  and the intercept gives  $k_0$ . Let us follow this procedure

3.31  
(continued)

First let us tabulate

$T, ^\circ\text{C}$	$T, \text{K}$	$1/T, \text{K}^{-1}$	$k$	$\ln k$
508	781	0.00128	0.1059	-1.6974
427	700	0.00143	0.0031	-5.7764
393	666	0.001502	0.000588	-7.4388
356	629	0.001590	$80.9 \times 10^{-6}$	-9.4223
273	546	0.001832	$0.942 \times 10^{-6}$	-13.8753

Next plot as shown below



To find the value of  $k_0$  take the second data point.  
 From Eq (i)

$$\begin{aligned}\ln k_0 &= \ln k - \frac{E}{R} \left( \frac{1}{T} \right) \\ &= -5.7764 - 22727 \left( \frac{1}{700} \right) = -38.2439 \\ \text{or } k_0 &= e^{38.2439} = 4.06 \times 10^{16}\end{aligned}$$

So for the temperature range covered in the reported data

$$-r_{\text{HI}} = 4.06 \times 10^{16} e^{-22727/T} \text{ cm}^2 \text{ mol}^{-1} \text{ s}^{-1}$$