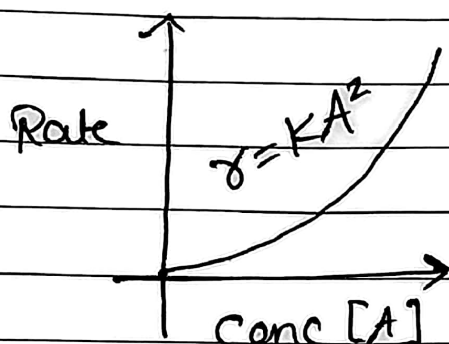
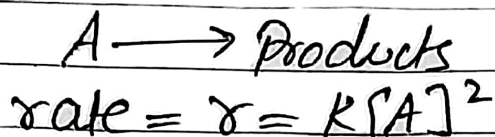


Chemical Kinetics - 07

Second, Third & nth Order Kinetics

Second Order :



Integrated Rate Law



$$r = k[A]^2$$
$$r = -\frac{1}{A} \frac{dA}{dt}$$

$$-\frac{1}{A} \frac{dA}{dt} = k[A]^2$$

$$\int_{A_0}^A \frac{dA}{A^2} = \int_0^t -k dt$$

$$\text{Let at } t=0 \quad t=t$$
$$A=A_0 \quad A=A$$

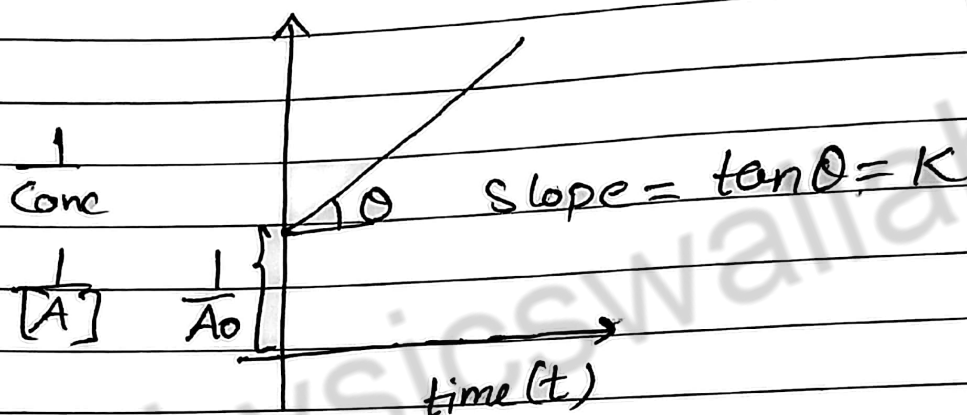
$$\left[-\frac{1}{A} \right]_{A_0}^A = -k(t)_0^t$$

$$\frac{1}{A} - \frac{1}{A_0} = kt$$

$$t = \frac{1}{k} \left[\frac{1}{A} - \frac{1}{A_0} \right]$$

$$\frac{1}{A} = kt + \frac{1}{A_0}$$

Plot of $\frac{1}{\text{Conc}}$ v/s time



Half Life:

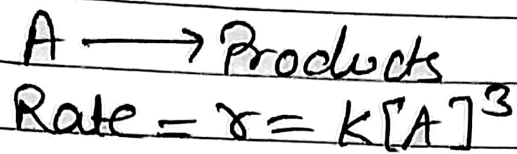
at $t = t_{1/2}$ $A = \frac{A_0}{2}$

$$t = \frac{1}{k} \left[\frac{1}{A} - \frac{1}{A_0} \right]$$

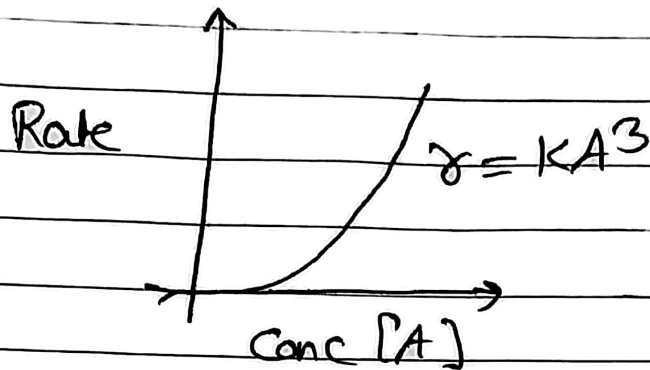
$$t_{1/2} = \frac{1}{k} \left[\frac{1}{A_{0/2}} - \frac{1}{A_0} \right]$$

$$t_{1/2} = \frac{1}{kA_0}$$

Third order Kinetics



$$\text{Rate} = r = k[A]^3$$



Integrate Rate Law



$$r = k[A]^3$$

$$r = -\frac{1}{3} \frac{dA}{dt}$$

$$-\frac{1}{3} \frac{dA}{dt} = k[A]^3$$

$$\int_{A_0}^A \frac{dA}{A^3} = \int_0^t -k dt$$

$$\left[-\frac{1}{2A^2} \right]_{A_0}^A = -k(t)_0^t$$

$$\frac{1}{2A^2} - \frac{1}{2A_0^2} = kt$$

$$t = \frac{1}{2k} \left[\frac{1}{A^2} - \frac{1}{A_0^2} \right]$$

Second

$$t = \frac{1}{k} \left[\frac{1}{A} - \frac{1}{A_0} \right]$$

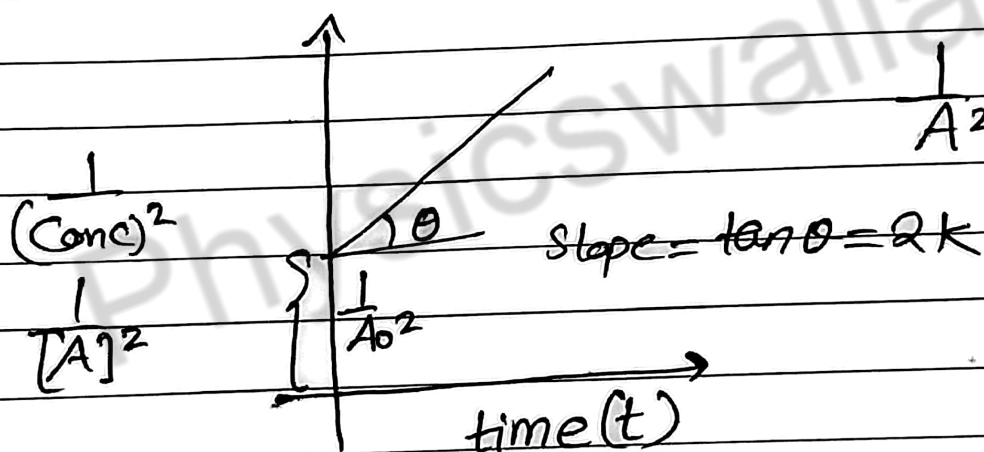
Third

$$t = \frac{1}{2k} \left[\frac{1}{A^2} - \frac{1}{A_0^2} \right]$$

for n^{th} order

$$t = \frac{1}{(n-1)k} \left[\frac{1}{A^{n-1}} - \frac{1}{A_0^{n-1}} \right] \text{ for } n \geq 2$$

Graph of $\frac{1}{A^2}$ v/s time for 3rd Order



Half Life:

$$\text{at } t = t_{1/2} \quad A = \frac{A_0}{2}$$

$$t_{1/2} = \frac{1}{2k} \left[\frac{1}{(A_0/2)^2} - \frac{1}{A_0^2} \right]$$

$$t_{1/2} = \frac{3}{2kA_0^2}$$

Second

$$t_{1/2} = \frac{1}{kA_0}$$

Third

$$t_{1/2} = \frac{3}{2kA_0^2}$$

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First

$$t_{1/2} = \frac{0.693}{k}$$

Zero

$$t_{1/2} = \frac{A_0}{2k}$$

for any order: $t_{1/2} \propto (A_0)^{1-n}$ Remember

for $n \geq 2$ $t_{1/2} = \frac{(2^{n-1} - 1)}{(n-1)k(A_0)^{n-1}}$

Fourth Order Kinetics

$$t = \frac{1}{3k} \left[\frac{1}{A^3} - \frac{1}{A_0^3} \right]$$

$$t_{1/2} \propto A_0^3$$

$$t_{1/2} = \frac{7}{3kA_0^3}$$

Fifth Order \div $t = \frac{1}{4k} \left[\frac{1}{A^4} - \frac{1}{A_0^4} \right]$

$$t_{1/2} = \frac{15}{4kA_0^4}$$