

2008 AP[®] CHEMISTRY FREE-RESPONSE QUESTIONS

A rate study of the reaction yielded the data recorded in the table below.

Experiment	Initial Concentration of NO (mol L ⁻¹)	Initial Concentration of O ₂ (mol L ⁻¹)	Initial Rate of Formation of NO ₂ (mol L ⁻¹ s ⁻¹)
1	0.0200	0.0300	8.52×10^{-2}
2	0.0200	0.0900	2.56×10^{-1}
3	0.0600	0.0300	7.67×10^{-1}

- (d) Determine the order of the reaction with respect to each of the following reactants. Give details of your reasoning, clearly explaining or showing how you arrived at your answers.
- (i) NO
 - (ii) O₂
- (e) Write the expression for the rate law for the reaction as determined from the experimental data.
- (f) Determine the value of the rate constant for the reaction, clearly indicating the units.

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**If you finish before time is called, you may check your work on this part only.
Do not turn to the other part of the test until you are told to do so.**