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KEY ANSWERS

CHEMICAL KINETICS & THERMODYNAMICS-2

- The rate of a chemical reaction at constant temperature is proportional to :**
 - 1) The amount of products formed
 - 2) The product of the masses of the reactants
 - 3) The product of the molar concentrations of the reactants
 - 4) The mean free path of the reactions
- The reaction becomes faster if**
 - 1) Lower the energy of reactants
 - 2) Higher the energy of products
 - 3) Lower the activation energy
 - 4) Higher the activation energy
- For the reaction, $A + 2B \rightarrow C$, the rate of reaction at a given instant can be represented by**
 - 1) $+ d[A] / dt = - 1/2 d[B] / dt = + d[C] / dt$
 - 2) $+ d[A] / dt = + 1/2 d[B] / dt = + d[C] / dt$
 - 3) $- d[A] / dt = + 1/2 d[B] / dt = - d[C] / dt$
 - 4) $- d[A] / dt = - 1/2 d[B] / dt = + d[C] / dt$
- For a reaction of the type $aA + bB \rightarrow$ Products : - $d[A] / dt$ is equal to :**
 - 1) $- d[B] / dt$
 - 2) $- a/b d[B] / dt$
 - 3) $- b/a d[B] / dt$
 - 4) $- b/a d[B] / dt$
- Radio – active decay follows**
 - 1) First order
 - 2) Second order
 - 3) Third order
 - 4) Zero order
- Concentration of a reactant is changed from 1 mole to 0.75 mole in 25 minutes in a litre vessel. The rate of reaction is**
 - 1) 10^{-2}
 - 2) 10^{-3}
 - 3) 3×10^{-2}
 - 4) 3×10^{-3}
- For the reaction $4A + B \rightarrow 2C + 2D$. Which of the following statement is incorrect ?**
 - 1) The rate of formation of C is one half of the rate of consumption of A
 - 2) The rate of appearance of D is the half of the rate of disappearance of B
 - 3) The rate of disappearance of B is one fourth of the rate of disappearance of A
 - 4) The rate of formation of C and D are equal
- In a first order of reaction the concentration of the reactant decreases from 0.8M to 0.4M in 15 minutes. The time taken for the concentration to change from 0.1M to 0.025M is**
 - 1) 7.5 minutes
 - 2) 15 minutes
 - 3) 30 minutes
 - 4) 60 minutes
- Decomposition of nitrogen pentoxide is known to be a first order reaction. 75 percent of the oxide had decomposed in the first 24 minutes. At the end of an hour after the start of the reaction the amount of oxide left over will be**
 - 1) Zero
 - 2) about 1%
 - 3) about 2%
 - 4) about 3%
- The rate constant for the reaction $2N_2O_5 \rightarrow 4NO_2 + O_2$ is $3 \times 10^{-5} S^{-1}$. If the rate is $2.4 \times 10^{-5} \text{ mol L}^{-1} S^{-1}$ the concentration of N_2O_5 in mol L^{-1} is**
 - 1) 1.4
 - 2) 1.2
 - 3) 0.04
 - 4) 0.8
- In case of – endothermic reaction threshold energy is equal to**
 - 1) Heat of reaction + activation energy of the reverse reaction
 - 2) Heat of reaction + activation energy of the forward reaction
 - 3) Heat of reaction + energy of reactants
 - 4) Energy of reactants + Heat of reaction + activation energy of the reverse reaction
- A reaction involving two different reactants**
 - 1) can never be a first order reaction
 - 2) can never be a second order reaction
 - 3) can never be a unimolecular reaction
 - 4) can never be a bimolecular reaction
- By the n order of reactions, n we mean**
 - 1) The number of reactants which take part in the reaction
 - 2) The least number of molecules of the reactants needed for the reaction
 - 3) The number of concentration terms in the velocity equation of the reaction
 - 4) The sum of power to which the concentration terms are raised in the velocity equation

28. According to Arrhenius theory, the activation energy is
- 1) the energy gained by the molecule on colliding with another reaction
 - 2) the energy the molecule should possess in order to undergo reaction
 - 3) the energy it should possess so that it can enter in to an effective collision
 - 4) the energy it has to further acquire so that it can enter in to an effective collision
29. The rate of a first order reaction is $1.5 \times 10^{-2} \text{ mol L}^{-1} \text{ m}^{-1}$ at 0.5M concentration of reactant. The half life of the reaction is
- 1) 0.83m
 - 2) 23.1m
 - 3) 90m
 - 4) 120m
30. In a first order reaction the concentration of reactant decreases from 800 mol dm^{-3} to 50 mol dm^{-3} in $2 \times 10^4 \text{ s}$. The rate constant of reaction in S^{-1} is
- 1) 2×10^4
 - 2) 3.45×10^{-5}
 - 3) 1.386×10^{-4}
 - 4) 2×10^{-6}
31. The minimum energy a molecule should possess in order to enter in to a fruitful collision is known as
- 1) Reaction energy
 - 2) Collision energy
 - 3) Activation energy
 - 4) threshold energy
32. The equation for the rate constant is $k = A e^{-\frac{E_a}{RT}}$. A chemical reaction will proceed more rapidly if there is a decrease in
- 1) k
 - 2) A
 - 3) E_a
 - 4) T
33. Consider an endothermic reaction $x \rightarrow y$ with the activation energies E_b and E_f for the backward and forward reactions respectively. In general
- 1) $E_b < E_f$
 - 2) $E_b > E_f$
 - 3) there is no definite relation between E_b & E_f
 - 4) $E_b = E_f$
34. If a is the initial concentration of reaction, then the half - life period of a reaction of n th order is proportional to
- 1) a^n
 - 2) a^{n-1}
 - 3) a^{1-n}
 - 4) a^{n+1}
35. The energy of activation of a reactant is reduced by
- 1) Increased temperature
 - 2) Reduced temperature
 - 3) Reduced pressure
 - 4) Increased pressure
36. For a given reaction $t_{1/2} = 1 / k_a$ the order of a reaction is
- 1) 0
 - 2) 1
 - 3) 2
 - 4) 3
37. For a certain reaction the activation energy is zero. What is the value of rate constant at 300K if $k = 1.6 \times 10^6 \text{ S}^{-1}$ at 280K
- 1) $1.6 \times 10^6 \text{ S}^{-1}$
 - 2) Zero
 - 3) ∞
 - 4) $32 \times 10^{12} \text{ S}^{-1}$
38. Arrhenius equation, $k = A \cdot e^{-E_a/RT}$ gives the relationship between
- 1) Rate constant and temperature
 - 2) Equation constant and temperature
 - 3) Rate constant and gas constant
 - 4) Rate constant and Arrhenius factor
39. If a substance with half life of 3 days is taken to other place in 12 days, what amount of substance is left now ?
- 1) 1/4
 - 2) 1/8
 - 3) 1/16
 - 4) 1/32
40. The activation energy for the forward reaction $X \rightarrow Y$ is 60 kJ mol^{-1} and ΔH is -20 kJ mol^{-1} . The activation energy for the reverse reaction is
- 1) 40 kJ mol^{-1}
 - 2) 60 kJ mol^{-1}
 - 3) 80 kJ mol^{-1}
 - 4) 20 kJ mol^{-1}
41. On which of the following factors, the rate constant does not depend ?
- 1) Temperature
 - 2) concentration
 - 3) Presence of catalyst
 - 4) Nature of reactants
42. Consider the reaction, $\text{N}_2 + 3\text{H}_2 \rightarrow 2\text{NH}_3$. If the rate of increase in concentration of ammonia is $x \text{ mol L}^{-1} \text{ s}^{-1}$, the rate of decrease of concentration of hydrogen would be
- 1) $x \text{ mol L}^{-1} \text{ s}^{-1}$
 - 2) $2x \text{ mol L}^{-1} \text{ s}^{-1}$
 - 3) $3x \text{ mol L}^{-1} \text{ s}^{-1}$
 - 4) $1.5 \times \text{mol L}^{-1} \text{ s}^{-1}$
43. For a zero order reaction involving gaseous species, the rate of the reaction changes with change in
- 1) concentration
 - 2) pressure
 - 3) volume
 - 4) temperature
44. Which of the following represents the expression for $3/4$ th life of a first order reaction ?
- 1) $\frac{k}{2.303} \cdot \log \frac{4}{3}$
 - 2) $\frac{2.303}{k} \cdot \log \frac{3}{4}$
 - 3) $\frac{2.303}{k} \cdot \log 4$
 - 4) $\frac{2.303}{k} \cdot \log 3$
45. For the reaction, $2A \rightarrow B + C$, a plot of $\log [A]$ versus time is found to be a straight line. The order of the reaction must be
- 1) one
 - 2) zero
 - 3) two
 - 4) three

46. For a first order reaction, $A \rightarrow B$, $t_{1/2} = 1$ hr. What fraction of the initial concentration of A reacts in 4 hours ?
 1) 15 / 16 2) 1 / 16 3) 7 / 8 4) 1 / 8
47. The plot of $\log k$ vs $\frac{1}{T}$ helps to calculate
 1) Energy of activation 2) Rate constant of the reaction
 3) Order of the reaction 4) Energy of activation as well as the frequency factor
48. The rate of a certain reaction increases by 2.3 times when the temperature is raised from 300K to 310K. If k is the rate constant at 300K, then the rate constant at 310K will be equal to
 1) $2k$ 2) k 3) $2.3k$ 4) $3k^2$
49. For a reaction, $aA \rightarrow bB$, the rate law is $\text{rate} = k [A]^{3/2}$. If the concentration of A is doubled, the rate of reaction would become
 1) Twice 2) Thrice 3) 1.5 times 4) 2.8 times
50. When the conc. of the reactant is increased 16 times, the rate becomes 2 times. The order of the reaction is
 1) 1/4 2) 1/8 3) 3 4) 4
51. The rate of a gaseous reaction is given by the expression $K [A] [B]$. If the volume of the reaction vessel is suddenly reduced to $1/4^{\text{th}}$ of the initial volume, the reaction rate relating to original rate will be
 1) 1/10 2) 1/8 3) 8 4) 16
52. The unit of rate constant for a zero order reaction is
 1) litre sec^{-1} 2) $\text{litre mol}^{-1} \text{sec}^{-1}$ 3) $\text{mol litre}^{-1} \text{sec}^{-1}$ 4) mol sec^{-1}
53. A reaction $A + B \rightarrow C + D$ is found to be of second order, its rate constant being $0.05 \text{ dm}^3 \text{ mol}^{-1} \text{ S}^{-1}$. If the concentrations of A and B are 0.05 mol dm^{-3} each, rate of the reaction is
 1) 1.25×10^{-4} 2) 2.5×10^{-3} 3) 0.05 4) 6.25×10^{-4}
54. For the reaction $A \rightarrow B$, the rate increases by a factor of 2.25 when the conc. of A is increased by 1.5. What is the order of the reaction ?
 1) 0 2) 2 3) 1 4) 2
55. Rate constant of $C + D \rightarrow A + B$ is 0.006 sec^{-1} . Equilibrium constant for $A + B \rightleftharpoons C + D$ is 0.25. Rate constant for $A + B \rightarrow C + D$ is
 1) 0.015 S^{-1} 2) 41.7 S^{-1} 3) $1.5 \times 10^{-3} \text{ S}^{-1}$ 4) 0.024 S^{-1}
56. For the reaction $A + B \rightarrow C$, it is found that doubling the conc. of A increases the rate by 4 times and doubling the conc. of B doubles the reaction rate. What is the overall order of the reaction ?
 1) 3/2 2) 4 3) 1 4) 3
57. For a reaction $A + B \rightleftharpoons C + D$ if conc. of A is doubled without altering that of B, rate doubles. If the conc. of B is increased nine times without altering that of A, rate triples. Order of the reaction is
 1) 1 2) 3/2 3) 2 4) 4/3
58. In the reaction, $A + 2B \rightarrow C + 2D$, the initial rate $-d[A]/dt$ at $t = 0$ was found to be $2.6 \times 10^{-2} \text{ M sec}^{-1}$. What is the value of $-d[B]/dt$ at $t = 0$?
 1) 2.6×10^{-2} 2) 5.2×10^{-2} 3) 1.0×10^{-1} 4) 6.5×10^{-3}
59. The rate of the reaction $2A_2 + B_2 \rightarrow 2A_2B$ is found to be X at a particular conc. of A and B. The rate will be 2X when the conc. of A alone is doubled. The rate will be $\sqrt{2} X$ when conc. of B alone is doubled. Then order of the reaction is
 1) 1.5 2) 2 3) 3 4) 2.5
60. Half - life of a certain I order reaction is 10 minutes. The time that the reaction takes for its 100% completion is
 1) 20 minutes 2) 15 minutes 3) 40 minutes 4) infinite