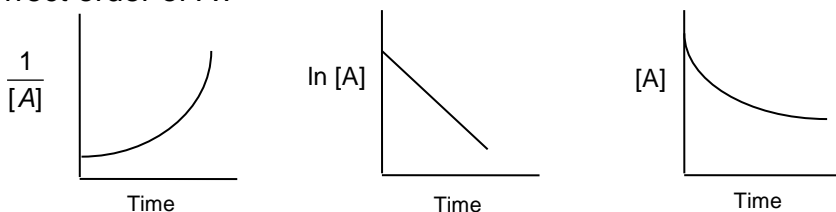


**Part 1. Multiple Choice.** Mark your answers on the provided **scantron form**. Use a **phone #** for the 10 digit ID #. **Write and bubble your name and ID # (your phone #) on the information side** and **bubble the same PHONE # on the answer side AGAIN.** (40 points; 4 points each)

- Consider the reaction  $2\text{Cr}(\text{OH})_3 + \text{BrO}_3^- + 4\text{OH}^- \rightarrow \text{Br}^- + 2\text{CrO}_4^{2-} + 5\text{H}_2\text{O}$ . If the rate of disappearance of  $\text{Cr}(\text{OH})_3$  is  $3.0 \times 10^{-3} \text{ M/s}$ , what is the rate of appearance of  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$ ?  
A.  $1.2 \times 10^{-3} \text{ M/s}$  B.  $1.5 \times 10^{-3} \text{ M/s}$  C.  $3.0 \times 10^{-3} \text{ M/s}$  D.  $1.5 \times 10^{-2} \text{ M/s}$  E.  $7.5 \times 10^{-3} \text{ M/s}$
- The rate law for a given reaction is **Rate = k[A][B]<sup>3</sup>**. If the concentration of A is quadrupled and the concentration of B is tripled, the reaction rate would increase by a factor of \_\_\_\_.  
A. 12 B. 27 C. 36 D. 108 E. 192
- The half-life is 115 minutes for a first order reaction. The rate constant, k, in  $\text{s}^{-1}$ , is  
A.  $1.00 \times 10^{-4} \text{ s}^{-1}$  B.  $6.03 \times 10^{-3} \text{ s}^{-1}$  C.  $0.362 \text{ s}^{-1}$  D.  $4.78 \times 10^3 \text{ s}^{-1}$  E.  $9.96 \times 10^3 \text{ s}^{-1}$

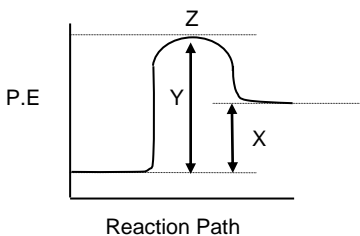
- The following graphs were prepared from experimental data for a reactant, A. What is the correct order of A?



- A. zero order B. first order C. second order D. insufficient information provided
- A mechanism for a naturally occurring reaction that destroys ozone is:  
Step 1:  $\text{O}_3(\text{g}) + \text{HO}(\text{g}) \rightarrow \text{HO}_2(\text{g}) + \text{O}_2(\text{g})$   
Step 2:  $\text{HO}_2(\text{g}) + \text{O}(\text{g}) \rightarrow \text{HO}(\text{g}) + \text{O}_2(\text{g})$   
Which statement is **not true** for this mechanism  
A. There is not enough information to determine which step is slower.  
B. The overall reaction is:  $\text{O}_3(\text{g}) + \text{O}(\text{g}) \rightarrow 2 \text{O}_2(\text{g})$   
C. The overall rate law must be  $\text{rate} = k[\text{O}_3][\text{O}]$ .  
D. Both steps are bimolecular.  
E. HO is a catalyst and  $\text{HO}_2$  is an intermediate.

- For the following reaction,  $2\text{H}_2(\text{g}) + \text{O}_2(\text{g}) \rightleftharpoons 2\text{H}_2\text{O}(\text{g})$ ,  $K_c = 2.5 \times 10^4$ .  
What is  $K_c$  for the reaction  $2 \text{H}_2\text{O}(\text{g}) \rightleftharpoons 2 \text{H}_2(\text{g}) + \text{O}_2(\text{g})$ ,  $K_c = ?$   
A.  $4.0 \times 10^{-5}$  B.  $-2.5 \times 10^4$  C.  $2.5 \times 10^4$  D.  $1.6 \times 10^2$  E.  $6.3 \times 10^{-3}$
- The rate law for the reaction  $\text{NO}_2 + \text{CO} \rightarrow \text{NO} + \text{CO}_2$  is **Rate = k[NO<sub>2</sub>]<sup>2</sup>**.  
Which one of the following mechanisms is consistent with this experimental rate law?  
A.  $\text{NO}_2 + \text{CO} \rightarrow \text{N} + \text{CO}_2$  *slow*  
 $\text{N} + \text{NO}_2 \rightarrow \text{NO}$  *fast*  
B.  $\text{NO}_2 + 2\text{CO} \rightarrow \text{N} + 2\text{CO}_2$  *slow*  
 $\text{N} + \text{NO}_2 \rightarrow 2\text{NO}$  *fast*  
C.  $\text{NO}_2 + \text{NO}_2 \rightarrow \text{NO}_3 + \text{NO}$  *fast*  
 $\text{NO}_3 + \text{CO} \rightarrow \text{NO}_2 + \text{CO}_2$  *slow*  
D.  $\text{NO}_2 + \text{NO}_2 \rightarrow \text{NO}_3 + \text{NO}$  *slow*  
 $\text{NO}_3 + \text{CO} \rightarrow \text{NO}_2 + \text{CO}_2$  *fast*

8. For the following diagram, which statement is not correct?

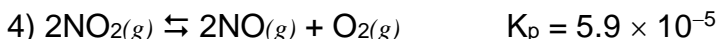
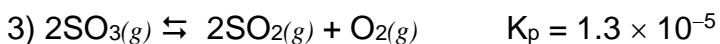
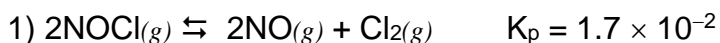


- A. X is the heat of reaction.
- B. The products are lower in energy than the reactants.
- C. Z is the transition state.
- D. Y is the activation energy for the reaction.
- E. The reaction is endothermic.

9. All the following statements are true **EXCEPT**

- A. in a series of stepwise reactions, the rate-determining step is the slow one.
- B. the rate constant for a reaction changes when temperature is changed.
- C. a catalyst increases the rate of reaction by decreasing the heat of reaction,  $\Delta H$ .
- D. the rates of most chemical reactions change with time.
- E. the rate constant does not depend on the reactant concentrations.

10. Arrange the following reactions in order of increasing tendency to go to completion.



From **least to most** complete:

- A.  $2 < 1 < 4 < 3$     B.  $3 < 1 < 4 < 2$     C.  $4 < 3 < 1 < 2$     D.  $4 < 3 < 2 < 1$     E.  $3 < 4 < 1 < 2$

**Part 2. Short answer** (18 points)

1. Consider the following equilibrium reaction:



a) Write the  $K_c$  expression for this equilibrium reaction. (3 pts)

For b-e, predict the effect of the following changes on the equilibrium position (15 pts):

b) Adding  $\text{CO}_2$  (left, right, no change) \_\_\_\_\_

c) Increasing the volume (left, right, no change) \_\_\_\_\_

d) Removing  $\text{CH}_4$  (left, right, no change) \_\_\_\_\_

e) Decreasing the temperature (left, right, no change) \_\_\_\_\_

f) What happens to the value of  $K_c$  (increase, decrease or stay the same), if we decrease the temperature?  
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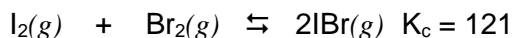
**Part Three. Numerical Problems.** You must **SHOW YOUR WORK** to receive full credit! Make sure you circle your **final answer**, and express your final answer with the proper number of sig figs and the proper units! (42 points)

1. Given the initial reaction rate data for the following reaction:  $3A + B \rightarrow C$

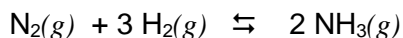
Trial	[A] (M)	[B] (M)	Rate $\left(\frac{M}{s}\right)$
1	0.200	0.250	$1.1 \times 10^{-4}$
2	0.800	0.250	$4.4 \times 10^{-4}$
3	0.200	0.750	$9.9 \times 10^{-4}$

- a) What trials should be used to find the order for A? (1 pt) \_\_\_\_\_
- b) Order for A = \_\_\_\_\_. (2 pts)
- c) What trials should be used to find the order for B? (1 pt) \_\_\_\_\_
- d) Order for B = \_\_\_\_\_. (2 pts)
- e) Write the rate law for this reaction. Make sure to use the orders found above! (2 pts)
- f) Calculate the rate constant,  $k$ , and include the proper units. Show your work! (4 pts)
2. The decomposition of hydrogen peroxide is described by the equation:  $2H_2O_2 \rightarrow 2H_2O + O_2$ . The reaction is first order in  $H_2O_2$  and the rate constant is  $1.8 \times 10^{-5} s^{-1}$  at a certain temperature. The initial concentration of  $H_2O_2$  is 1.45 M. What will the concentration of  $H_2O_2$  be after 58 hours? (8 pts)

3. A mixture of 0.415 M  $I_2(g)$  and 0.415 M  $Br_2(g)$  is placed in a container and undergoes the following reaction. Calculate the concentrations of  $I_2$ ,  $Br_2$ , and  $IBr$  after the system has reached equilibrium. (10 pts)



4. For the following reaction,  $K_c = 55$  at 280 °C.



- a) Calculate Q when 0.50 moles of  $N_2$ , 1.0 moles of  $H_2$  and 5.0 moles of  $NH_3$  are placed in a 2.0 L flask: (5 pts)

- b) Comparing your calculated Q to  $K_c$ , which statement is true? (Circle one) (2 pts)

- i. the reaction is at equilibrium
- ii. the reaction will shift right to attain equilibrium
- iii. the reaction will shift left to attain equilibrium

- c) What is the value of  $K_p$  at 280 °C? (5 pts)

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