

# Chapter 9

## How fast?

Print out and complete this worksheet to generate a summary for Chapter 9.

**1** Explain what you understand by each of the following:

**a** rate equation

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**b** order of reaction

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**c** rate constant

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**2** Give the units of the rate constant for each of the rate equations **a**, **b** and **c**. In each case, the units of rate are  $\text{mol dm}^{-3} \text{s}^{-1}$  and the units of concentrations are  $\text{mol dm}^{-3}$ .

**a**  $\text{rate} = k[\text{X}]$

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**b**  $\text{rate} = k[\text{X}][\text{Y}]$

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**c**  $\text{rate} = k[\text{X}][\text{Y}]^2$

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**3** Explain what you understand by *rate-determining step*.

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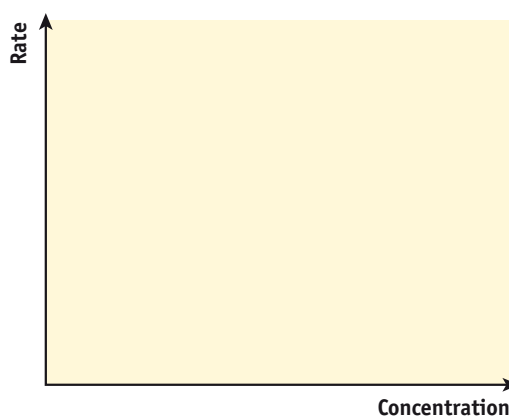
**4** Draw a graph of rate against concentration for each of the following types of reaction:

**a** a zero-order reaction



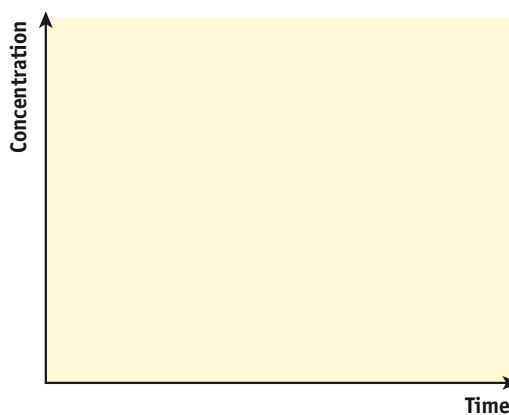
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b a first-order reaction

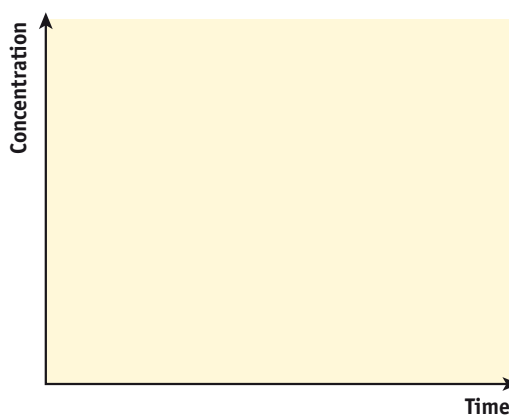


5 Draw a graph of concentration against time for each of the following types of reaction:

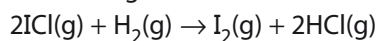
a a zero-order reaction



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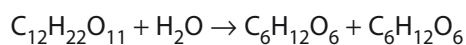
6 The table gives data for the reaction:



Initial concentration of $\text{ICl}/\text{mol dm}^{-3}$	Initial concentration of $\text{H}_2/\text{mol dm}^{-3}$	Initial rate/ $\text{mol dm}^{-3} \text{ s}^{-1}$
0.2	0.2	$6.4 \times 10^{-3}$
0.2	0.3	$9.6 \times 10^{-3}$
0.5	0.3	$2.4 \times 10^{-2}$

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- a** Calculate the order of reaction with respect to ICl and to  $H_2$ .
- b** Calculate the value of the rate constant for this reaction and give its units.
- 7** In an acid-catalysed reaction, sucrose,  $C_{12}H_{22}O_{11}$ , can be converted to a mixture of glucose and fructose. Both glucose and fructose have the molecular formula  $C_6H_{12}O_6$ .



In such a reaction, the following data were obtained:

<b>Concentration of <math>C_{12}H_{22}O_{11}/mol\ dm^{-3}</math></b>	2.00	1.70	1.45	1.23	1.04	0.89	0.75
<b>Time/min</b>	0	20	40	60	80	100	120

- a** Show that the conversion of sucrose into glucose and fructose is first order.
- b** Calculate the rate constant.