

Molarity

- measures concentration
- solute is measured in moles
- solution is measured in liters
- abbreviated with a CAPITAL M

$$M = \frac{\text{moles}}{\text{liters}}$$

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Practice:

$$M = \frac{\text{moles}}{\text{liters}}$$

What is the molarity of a solution that has 10 grams of sodium sulfate in 100 mL of solution

$$\frac{10 \text{ mol}}{142 \cancel{50}} \cdot \frac{.1018}{.1} = 1.018 \text{ M}$$

Na_2SO_4
 $\text{Na} = 2 \times 23 = 46$
 $\text{S} = 1 \times 32 = 32$
 $\text{O} = 4 \times 16 = 64$
 $\underline{\hspace{1.5cm}} 142 \text{ g/mol}$

$$10 \text{ g} \times \frac{1 \text{ mol}}{142 \text{ g}} = \frac{.07}{.1} = .7 \text{ M}$$

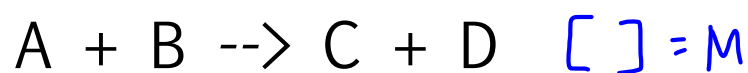
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Rate Laws:

- Increased concentration of a reactant usually increases the rate of reaction.
- However, increased concentration might actually have little effect on the rate of reaction.
- How can we tell?

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Rate Order and Rate Laws:



- General form of Rate Law:
- $$\text{rate} = k[A]^x[B]^y$$
- rate constant
- concentration of reactant A
- concentration of reactant B
- rate order with respect to A
- rate order with respect to B

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Rate Order and Rate Laws:

- Rate Laws are found experimentally
 - > change the concentration of one reactant at a time to see how the rates are affected
- Rate units: M/s (change in molarity per second)

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Rate Law Example #1:



$$[A]^x = \text{rate}$$

Trial	[A] = M	[B]	Rate (M/sec)
1	1.0	2.0	0.50
2	2.0	2.0	1.00
3	2.0	6.0	3.00

1. What happens to the rate when [A] doubles?
2. What is the rate order of reactant A?
3. What happens to the rate when [B] triples?
4. What is the rate order of reactant B?
5. What is the rate law for this reaction?

$$\text{rate} = k[A][B]$$

$$[A] \times 2 \quad \text{rate} \times 2$$

$$2^x = 2 \quad x = 1$$

$$[B] \times 3 \quad \text{rate} \times 3$$

$$3^y = 3 \quad y = 1$$

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Rate Law Example #2:



Trial	[A]	Rate (M/sec)
1	2.5	1.00
2	5.0	4.00
3	7.5	16.00

1. What happens to the rate when [A] doubles? $\times 4$
2. What is the rate order of reactant A? $[A] \times 2$ rate $\times 4$
3. What is the rate law for this reaction? $2^x = 4$
 $x = 2$

$$\text{rate} = k[A]^2$$

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Rate Law Example #3:



Trial	[A]	[B]	Rate (M/sec)
1	2.0	4.0	3.00
2	6.0	2.0	1.50
3	6.0	4.0	3.00

1. What happens to the rate when [A] triples? $[A] \times 3$ rate $\times 1$
2. What is the rate order of reactant A? $3^x = 1$ $x = 0$
3. What happens to the rate when [B] doubles? $[B] \times 2$ rate $\times 2$
4. What is the rate order of reactant B? $2^y = 2$ $y = 1$
5. What is the rate law for this reaction?

$$\text{rate} = k[B]$$

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