Initial Rates

Consider the following chemical reaction:

 $2 \text{ NO } (g) + 2 \text{ H}_2 (g) \rightarrow \text{N}_2 (g) + 2 \text{ H}_2 \text{O} (g)$

Use the data below to answer the following questions.

Experiment	H ₂ , atm	NO, atm	Rate, atm/s
1	0.263	0.100	1.84 x 10 ⁻⁴
2	0.263	0.200	7.11 x 10 ⁻⁴
3	0.263	0.240	1.03 x 10 ⁻³
4	0.197	0.267	9.47 x 10 ⁻⁴
5	0.191	0.267	9.21 x 10 ⁻⁴
6	0.136	0.267	6.45 x 10 ⁻⁴

a) Determine the order with respect to H_2 .

b) Determine the order with respect to NO.

- c) What is the overall order of the reaction?
- d) Write the rate law for the reaction.
- e) What is the value of the rate constant, k?
- f) What is the rate, in atm/s if the H_2 pressure is 0.155 atm and NO is 0.240 atm?