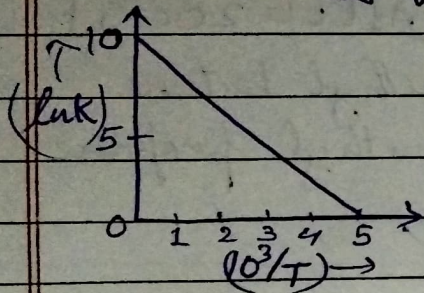


Q → The rate constant (k) of a reaction is measured at different temperatures (T), and the data are plotted in the given figure. The activation energy of the reaction in KJ mol^{-1} is: [JEE Main 2020 (Online)]



(A) R

(B) $2R$

(C) $\frac{1}{R}$

(D) $\frac{1}{2R}$

Ans: (B)

Explanation: Arrhenius Equation: $\ln k = \ln A - \frac{E_a}{RT}$

$$\rightarrow \text{Slope} = \frac{-E_a}{10^3 R} = \frac{-10}{5}$$

$$\rightarrow E_a = \underline{\underline{2R}} \text{ KJ/mol}$$