

Half-life = the time required for  $\frac{1}{2}$  of the mass of a substance to decay.

Time	mass
0	100.0g original mass
2	50.0g
4	25.0g
6	12.5g
8	6.25g
10	3.125g

Ex. if the half-life of carbon is 2 days. If we have 100.0g to start, how many grams would be remaining after 10 days?

hours	mass
0	200.0g
6	100.0g
12	50.0g
18	25.0g
24	12.5g
30	6.25g

If the half-life of radium is 6 hours. If you begin with 200.0g and end with 6.25g how many hours did this take?

Week	mass
0	500.0g
1	250.0g
2	125.0g
3	62.5g
4	31.25g
5	15.625
6	7.8125
	7.813g

If strontium has a half-life of 7 days, and we begin with 500.0g how much will be left in 6 weeks?

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## Solutions:

Solution - homogeneous mixture of two or more substances in a single physical state

Solute - what is being dissolved (smaller quantity)

Solvent - substance that does the dissolving (most common is water)

aqueous - solution that has water as its solvent (aq)

tincture - solution that has alcohol as its solvent

amalgams - alloy that contains mercury (old dental fillings)

alloy - a solid solution of two or metals

electrolytes - aqueous solution that has dissolved ions - which result in the ability to carry an electrical charge



miscible - substance can dissolve in the solvent

immiscible - substance can not dissolve in the solvent

Stability - solute stays dissolved

equilibrium - amount of solute leaving soln. = amt of solute dissolving

How can we control dissolving:

1. Temperature - Solids + liquids - increase temp  
gases - lower temp.

2. Stirring - constant motion evens out the concentration

3. Surface area -   more surface area -  
quicker dissolving

4. Pressure - increase pressure forces mixing