# **IUPAC Task Group on Atmospheric Chemical Kinetic Data Evaluation – Data Sheet HOx VOC26**

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$$HO + CH3CH(OH)CH3 \rightarrow H2O + (CH3)2CHO$$
(1)  
 
$$\rightarrow H2O + CH3C(OH)CH3$$
(2)  
 
$$\rightarrow H2O + CH3CH(OH)CH2$$
(3)

 $\Delta H^{\circ}(1) = -58.8 \text{ kJ} \cdot \text{mol}^{-1}$ 

## Rate coefficient data $(k = k_1 + k_2 + k_3)$

k/cm³ molecule <sup>-1</sup> s <sup>-1</sup>	Temp./K	Reference	Technique/ Comments
Absolute Rate Coefficients			
$(5.48 \pm 0.55) \times 10^{-12}$	$296 \pm 2$	Overend and Paraskevopoulos, 1978	FP-RA
$5.8 \times 10^{-12} \exp[-(30 \pm 90)/T]$ (5.81 ± 0.34) x 10 <sup>-12</sup>	240-440 296	Wallington and Kurylo, 1987	FP-RF
$(5.69 \pm 1.09) \times 10^{-12}$	$298 \pm 2$	Nelson et al., 1990	PR-RA
1.044 x $10^{-17} T^{1.86} \exp(736/T)$ (5.10 ± 0.21) x $10^{-12}$	293-587 293	Dunlop and Tully, 1993	PLP-LIF (a)
2.80 x $10^{-12}$ exp[ $(184 \pm 40)/T$ ] $(5.17 \pm 0.23)$ x $10^{-12}$	253-372 298	Yujing and Mellouki, 2001	PLP-LIF
Relative Rate Coefficients $(5.38 \pm 0.70) \times 10^{-12}$	$298\pm2$	Nelson et al., 1990	RR (b)

#### **Comments**

- (a) The reactions of H<sup>16</sup>O radicals were studied over the temperature range 293 K to 745 K and the reactions of H<sup>18</sup>O radicals were studied at 548 K and 587 K. Non-exponential decays of H<sup>16</sup>O radicals were observed over the temperature range 504 K to 600 K and, while exponential H<sup>16</sup>O radical decays were observed above 600 K, the rate coefficients were significantly lower than expected from extrapolation of the lower temperature data. These observations are consistent with thermal decomposition of the CH<sub>3</sub>CH(OH)CH<sub>2</sub> radical formed in reaction channel (3) [the same radical as formed from HO radical addition to propene] at temperatures >500 K. Hence using H<sup>16</sup>O radicals, values of  $(k_1 + k_2 + k_3)$  were measured at temperatures  $\leq$ 500 K and  $(k_1 + k_2)$  at temperatures  $\geq$ 600 K. No regeneration of H<sup>18</sup>O radicals from thermal decomposition of the CH<sub>3</sub>CH(<sup>16</sup>OH)CH<sub>2</sub> radical can occur, and hence the measured H<sup>18</sup>O rate coefficients are those for  $(k_1 + k_2 + k_3)$ .
- (b) HO radicals were generated by the photolysis of CH<sub>3</sub>ONO in air. The concentrations of 2-propanol and cyclohexane (the reference organic) were measured by GC. The measured rate coefficient ratio k(HO + 2-propanol)/k(HO + cyclohexane) is placed on an absolute basis by use of a rate coefficient of  $k(\text{HO} + \text{cyclohexane}) = 6.97 \times 10^{-12} \text{ cm}^3 \text{ molecule}^{-1} \text{ s}^{-1}$  at 298 K (Atkinson, 2003).

### **Preferred Values**

 $k = 5.1 \times 10^{-12} \text{ cm}^3 \text{ molecule}^{-1} \text{ s}^{-1} \text{ at } 298 \text{ K}.$  $k = 2.6 \times 10^{-12} \exp(200/T) \text{ cm}^3 \text{ molecule}^{-1} \text{ s}^{-1} \text{ over the temperature range } 250-360 \text{ K}.$ 

Reliability

 $\Delta \log k = \pm 0.08 \text{ at } 298 \text{ K.}$  $\Delta (E/R) = \pm 100 \text{ K.}$ 

## Comments on Preferred Values

The absolute rate coefficients measured by Dunlop and Tully (1993) and Yujing and Mellouki (2001) are in excellent agreement over the temperature range common to both studies (293-378 K), and the preferred rate coefficients are derived from these two studies (Dunlop and Tully, 1993; Yujing and Mellouki, 2001). The H<sup>18</sup>O rate coefficients at 548 K and 587 K and the H<sup>16</sup>O rate coefficients at  $\leq$ 502 K obtained by Dunlop and Tully (1993) and the rate coefficients of Yujing and Mellouki (2001) (253-372 K) were fitted to the three parameter expression  $k = CT^2 \exp(-D/T)$ , resulting in k = 4.03 x  $10^{-18} T^2 \exp(792/T)$  cm<sup>3</sup> molecule<sup>-1</sup> s<sup>-1</sup> over the temperature range 253-587 K. The preferred Arrhenius expression,  $k = A \exp(-B/T)$ , is centered at 295 K and is derived from the three parameter expression with  $A = C e^2 T^2$  and B = D + 2T. The preferred rate coefficients are within 15% of those measured by Wallington and Kurylo (1987) over the temperature range 250-360 K, and are in agreement within the cited error limits with the room temperature absolute and relative rate coefficients of Overend and Paraskevopoulos (1978) and Nelson et al. (1990).

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