

IUPAC Task Group on Atmospheric Chemical Kinetic Data Evaluation – Data Sheet oClOx95

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Rate coefficient data ($k = k_1$)

| $k/\text{cm}^3 \text{ molecule}^{-1} \text{ s}^{-1}$ | T/K | Reference | Technique/ Comments |
|--|--------------|--------------------|---------------------|
| <i>Relative Rate Coefficients</i> | | | |
| $(1.54 \pm 0.15) \times 10^{-14}$ | 298 | Carr et al. (2003) | RR (a) |

Comments

- (a) OH radicals were generated by the photolysis of O_3 at 254 nm in the presence of H_2O vapour in 1 bar of O_2 diluent. CH_3CN was used as the reference compound. Chemical analysis was achieved using FTIR spectroscopy and GC techniques and a rate coefficient ratio of $k(\text{HO}+\text{CCl}_3\text{C}(\text{O})\text{CH}_3)/k(\text{HO}+\text{CH}_3\text{CN}) = 0.70 \pm 0.07$ was obtained. Using $k(\text{HO}+\text{CH}_3\text{CN}) = 2.2 \times 10^{-14}$ (Atkinson et al., 2006) gives $k(\text{HO}+\text{CCl}_3\text{C}(\text{O})\text{CH}_3) = (1.54 \pm 0.15) \times 10^{-14} \text{ cm}^3 \text{ molecule}^{-1} \text{ s}^{-1}$.

Preferred Values

| Parameter | Value | T/K |
|--|-----------------------|--------------|
| $k/\text{cm}^3 \text{ molecule}^{-1} \text{ s}^{-1}$ | 1.5×10^{-14} | 298 |
| <i>Reliability</i> | | |
| $\Delta \log k$ | ± 0.15 | 298 |

Comments on Preferred Values

The recommendation is based on the study by Carr et al. (2003). The chlorine atom initiated oxidation of $\text{CCl}_3\text{C}(\text{O})\text{CH}_3$ was studied by Carr et al. (2003) in one atmosphere of O_2 and the formation of CO, CO_2 , and COCl_2 products were reported. Carr et al (2003) did not provide any information on the magnitude of the consumption of $\text{CCl}_3\text{C}(\text{O})\text{CH}_3$ and the precise mechanism by which these products form is not clear. As discussed by Calvert et al. (2010), photolysis leading to the formation of CO, CO_2 , and COCl_2 is probably the major atmospheric fate of $\text{CCl}_3\text{C}(\text{O})\text{CH}_3$.

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