IUPAC Task Group on Atmospheric Chemical Kinetic Data Evaluation

– Data Sheet AQ\_OH\_48

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**HO(aq) + CH3CHOHCH2CHOHCH3(aq) → CH3COHCH2CHOHCH3**

**+ CH3CHOHCHCHOHCH3**

**+ CH2CHOHCH2CHOHCH3**

**+ H2O**

*(Product distribution given by Ulanski et al. (1994))*

**Rate coefficient data**

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| *k*/ L mol-1 s-1 | *T*/K | *pH* | *I*/ mol L-1 | Reference | Technique/ Comments | |
| *Relative Rate Coefficients* | | | | | | |
| 2.3  109 | 294 | 6.5 | - | Ulanski et al., 1994 | PR / UV-Vis (a) |

*GR* (aq): Aqueous phase thermochemical data not available. As well, gas phase thermochemical data *R* (g) are not available.

**Comments**

(a) The rate constant was determined to be 2.3  1010 M‑1s‑1 relative to *k*(HO + SCN-) = 1.1  1010 M‑1s‑1; *c*(pentan-2,4-diol) = 10‑3 M, the concentration of SCN- varied from 2.1  10-5 to 1.2  10-4 M, absorbance of SCN- was measured at 480 nm. It was shown that a tertiary α-hydroxyalkyl radical is formed with a yield of 74%; as no temperature is given, for room temperature T = 294 K is assumed.

**Preferred Values**

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| **Parameter** | **Value** | ***T*/K** |
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| *k* / L mol-1 s-1 | 2.3  109 | 294 |
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*Reliability*

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| --- | --- | --- |
| Δ log *k* | ±0.15 | 294 |
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*Comments on Preferred Values*

The kinetic data by Ulanski et al. (1994) are the only available ones for the aqueous phase reaction of pentane-2,4-diol with the HO radical in aqueous solution. As the rate coefficient of the reference reaction is identical to the recommended value, no recalculation was necessary. The uncertainty is estimated to ±33% or Δ log *k* = 0.15. It should be noted that this rate coefficient refers to room temperature, which is estimated as T = 294 K

**References**

Ulanski, P., Bothe, E., Rosiak, J. M. and von Sonntag, C.: Macromol. Chem. Phys., 195, 1443–1461, 1994.