IUPAC Task Group on Atmospheric Chemical Kinetic Data Evaluation

 – Data Sheet AQ\_OH\_72

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**HO(aq) + CH3(CH)2CHO(aq) → CH3CH(OH)CH2CHO(aq) +**

 **CH3C(OH)CHCHO(aq) +**

 **(CH3CH(OH)CHCHO)2(aq)**

 *(Product distribution taken from Lilie and Henglein, 1970)*

**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* |
| 5.8  109 | 294 | - | - | Lilie and Henglein, 1970 | PR / UV-Vis (a) |

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

**Comments**

1. HO radicals were generated by irradiation of N2O saturated solutions; *c*(N2O) = 2.5 × 10‑2 M, concentration of the carbonyl compounds was given as “some 10‑4 molar”, concentration of the compound radicals was calculated to be around 10‑5 M; Lilie and Henglein determined the rate constant to be 3.5 × 109 M‑1s‑1, referring to the reference reaction HO + SCN‑ with *k*(HO + SCN‑) = 6.6 × 109 M‑1 s‑1; the selected reference rate constant *k* = 1.10 × 1010 M‑1s‑1 was used for recalculation; analysis was performed within a buffered pH range from 5 to 13; Lilie and Henglein determined, that 86% of the nonhydrated compound radical disproportioned to yield the enol and *β*-alcohol while the rest forms a dimer from radical recombination; as no exact temperature is given, T = 294 K is assumed for room temperature.

**Preferred Values**

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| **Parameter** | **Value** | ***T*/K** |
|  |  |  |
| *k* / L mol-1 s-1 | 5.8  109 | 294 |
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*Reliability*

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| Δ log *k* | ±0.15 | 294 |

*Comments on Preferred Values*

The only available determination of the rate constant has been performed by Lilie and Henglein (1970). That value has been recalculated, using the newly recommended constant for the reference reaction. The error of this determination is estimated as ±33% or Δ log *k* = 0.15. This rate coefficient refers to room temperature, which we estimate as T = 294 K.

**References**

Lilie, J. and Henglein, A.: Ber. Bunsen-Ges. Phys. Chem., 74(4), 388-393, 1970.