# IUPAC Task Group on Atmospheric Chemical Kinetic Data Evaluation, Data Sheet CGI\_18\_(CH<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>COO + SO2

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 $(CH_3)_2COO + SO_2 \rightarrow (CH_3)_2CO + SO_3$ 

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#### Rate coefficient data

k/cm³ molecule-1 s-1	Temp	Reference	Technique/Commen
	/K		
Absolute Rate Coefficients			_
$(1.32\pm0.13)\times 10^{-10} \ (k_{\infty})$	298	Huang et al., 2015	PLP-LPUVA (a)
$k_{1} = \frac{(1.32 \pm 0.02) \times 10^{-10} [M]}{(4.88 \pm 0.32) \times 10^{17} + [M]}$			
$^{R_1} = (4.88 \pm 0.32) \times 10^{17} + [M]$			
$(1.90 \pm 0.19) \times 10^{-10} (300 \text{ Torr})$	283	Smith et al, 2016	PLP-LPUVA (b)
$(1.53 \pm 0.15) \times 10^{-10} (300 \text{ Torr})$	293 303		
$(1.26 \pm 0.13) \times 10^{-10} (300 \text{ Torr})$	303		
$(0.73 \pm 0.5) \times 10^{-10} (4 \text{ Torr He})$	293	Chhantal Pun et al.,	PLP-PIMS (c)
$(1.5 \pm 0.5) \times 10^{-10} (10 \text{ Torr He})$		2017	
$(1.37 \pm 1.2) \times 10^{-10} (10 \text{ Torr He})$			
$(CD_3)_2COO)$			
$(2.2 \pm 0.1) \times 10^{-10} \text{ (k}_{\infty})$	293	Chhantal Pun et al.,	PLP-CRDS-UVA
$(1.84\pm0.12)\times10^{-10}$ (10 Torr N <sub>2</sub> )		2017	(c)
$(1.90\pm0.07)\times10^{-10}$ (20 Torr N <sub>2</sub> )			
$(2.01\pm0.25)\times10^{-10}$ (30 Torr N <sub>2</sub> )			
$(2.13\pm0.03)\times10^{-10}$ (40 Torr N <sub>2</sub> )			
$(2.15\pm0.05)\times10^{-10}$ (50 Torr N <sub>2</sub> )			
$(2.29\pm0.08)\times10^{-10}$ (75 Torr <sub>N<sub>2</sub></sub> )			
$(2.24\pm0.06)\times 10^{-10} (100\text{Torr N}_2)$			

## **Comments**

(a)  $(CH_3)_2COO$  was generated from pulsed photolysis of a gaseous mixture consisting of 2,2 di-iodopropane  $((CH_3)_2CI_2)$ ,  $O_2$ , and buffer gas  $(N_2)$  at 248 nm , at 10 - 770 Torr total pressure and 298 K.  $(CH_3)_2COO$  was monitored by UV absorption in the region 300-450 nm, corresponding to the  $\tilde{B}$   $(1A') \leftarrow \tilde{X}(1A')$  electronic transition.  $(CH_3)_2COO$  decay kinetics were determined by recording the time-resolved UV absorption spectrum, after correction for other absorbers. IO, which is formed from

secondary chemistry of the reaction of iodoalkyl radicals with  $O_2$ , was also detected. The <u>rate coefficients obtained</u> were independent of total pressure above 100 Torr but at lower pressures the rate constant declined with pressure. This was attributed to participation of an <u>(activated complex ??)</u> formed in the reaction which can be stablised by collision with bath gas molecules. However a simple L-H energy transfer model did not give a good fit to the pressure dependence, and the <u>authors</u> they gave an <u>empirical</u> 'best fit' expression which is cited <u>in the table</u>, together with a value for the high pressure limiting value,  $(k_\infty)$ .

- (b)  $(CH_3)_2COO$  was generated from pulsed photolysis of a gaseous mixture consisting of 2,2- diiodopropane,  $(CH_3)_2CI_2$ ,  $O_2$ , and buffer gas  $(N_2)$  at 248 nm At a total pressure of 395 mbar.  $(CH_3)_2COO$  was monitored by time-resolved UV absorption at 340 nm. The amount of  $(CH_3)_2COO$  formed was estimated using a cross-section  $\sigma = 1.6 \times 10^{-17}$  cm<sup>2</sup> at 340 nm. The values of  $k^{II}$  at 396mbar exhibited a weak negative temperature dependence, (E/R = 1761 K).
- (c)  $(CH_3)_2COO\_was$  formed by laser photolysis of 2,2- diiodopropane in the presence of  $O_2$  and characterized by synchrotron photoionization mass spectrometry (He buffer gas) and by cavity ring-down ultraviolet absorption spectrometry ( $N_2$  buffer gas). The CRD measurement of the rate coefficient at 293 K and slightly higher pressures (between 10 Torr and 100 Torr in  $N_2$ ) yielded even larger rate coefficients, in the range  $(1.84 \pm 0.12) \times 10^{-10}$  to  $(2.29 \pm 0.08) \times 10^{-10}$  cm<sup>3</sup>s<sup>-1</sup>.

## **Preferred Values**

Parameter	Value	T/K
$k_{\infty}/\text{cm}^3$ molecule <sup>-1</sup> s <sup>-1</sup> k (M) (<100Torr)	$4.2 \times 10^{-13} \exp(1761/T)$ $\frac{1.5 \times 10^{-10} [M]}{4.9 \times 10^{17} + [M]}$	280 – 310 298
Reliability		
$\Delta \log k_{\scriptscriptstyle \infty}$	0.15	298
$\Delta$ (E/R)	500 K	280 - 303

## Comments on Preferred Values

The preferred values for  $(CH_3)_2COO$  (acetone oxide) reaction with  $SO_2$  are based on the studies of Huang et al (2015), Smith et al (2016) and Chhantyal-Pun et al (2017), in which the rate coefficients were measured by direct kinetic methods. At pressures above ~100 Torr the rate constant is independent of pressure and there is reasonable consistency in the results from the three studies. The temperature dependence is that reported by Smith et al 2016. The recommended value for  $k_\infty$  is the average from the 3 studies, corrected for temperature differences using the Arrhenius expression from Smith et al. (see Fig 1). However, rate coefficients measured by Chhantyal-Pun et al., using both cavity ring-down and photoionization methods, are larger than measurements at similar conditions reported by Huang et al. and Smith et al.; this is reflected in the uncertainty indicated in the stated  $\Delta \log k_\infty$  value.

Huang et al. (2015) report a decrease in the rate coefficient for this reaction with decreasing pressure below about 100 Torr ( $N_2/O_2$  buffer). The measurement of Chhantyal-Pun et al (using PIMS) at 4 Torr He, ( $k = (7.3 \pm 0.5) \times 10^{-11}$  cm<sup>3</sup> s<sup>-1</sup>), is similar to Huang et al.'s measurement at 20 Torr  $N_2$ , ( $7.0 \pm 0.4$ ) ×  $10^{-11}$  cm<sup>3</sup> s<sup>-1</sup>). PIMS measurements at 10 Torr yield a larger rate coefficient, ( $1.5 \pm 0.5$ ) ×  $10^{-10}$  cm<sup>3</sup> s<sup>-1</sup>, which agrees within combined uncertainties with the value of ( $1.84 \pm 0.12$ ) ×  $10^{-10}$  cm<sup>3</sup> s<sup>-1</sup>), obtained at 10 Torr  $N_2$  using the cavity ring-down method. As this reaction shows pressure dependence a difference in energy transfer efficiency between He and  $N_2$  may account for these differences in k at 10 Torr. The recommended expression for the pressure dependence uses the empirical formulation of Huang et al, with adjustment of the parameters to force the expression to give the mean value of  $k_\infty$  in the pressure independent region at 298K.

Measurements of k at 4 Torr of the reaction (CD<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>COO + SO<sub>2</sub> using PIMS, show an inverse kinetic isotope effect with the deuterated rate coefficient, (1.37  $\pm$  0.12)  $\times$  10<sup>-10</sup> cm<sup>3</sup> s<sup>-1</sup>, approximately twice the rate coefficient for the undeuterated reaction. This inverse kinetic isotope effect,  $k_{\rm H}/k_{\rm D} = 0.53 \pm 0.06$ , could reflect more effective collisional stabilization of the deuterated association complex because of the increased density of vibrational states. At 10 Torr total pressure, measurements were also taken at high photon energies (13 eV) to follow the formation of SO<sub>3</sub> product. The rise time of the SO<sub>3</sub> agrees reasonably well with the observed decay of (CH<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>COO confirming that SO<sub>3</sub> is a direct product of the reaction of (CH<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub>COO with SO<sub>2</sub>. \_Steady state kinetics studies<sub>3</sub> in which loss of SO<sub>2</sub> (Newlands et al, 2014) and formation of H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>

(Berndt et al., 2014) were measured in the ozonolysis of tetramethyl ethylene, give broadly consistent relative rate constants indicating  $SO_3$  formation is the main reaction pathway.

Quantum chemical studies predict that reaction with  $SO_2$  would first go through a barrierless formation of an energy-rich cyclic intermediate (Vereecken et al 2014); the near gas-kinetic experimental rate coefficient is consistent with this. The pressure dependence arises from the decomposition of the adduct back to reactants unless collisional stablisation occurs. In the case of  $(CH_3)_2COO$ , the stablisation is efficient and the adduct proceeds to form products: acetone and  $SO_3$ . The overall rate coefficients are similar in magnitude to directly measured rate coefficients of anti- $CH_3CHOO$  with  $SO_2$ , indicating a similar mechanism is involved.

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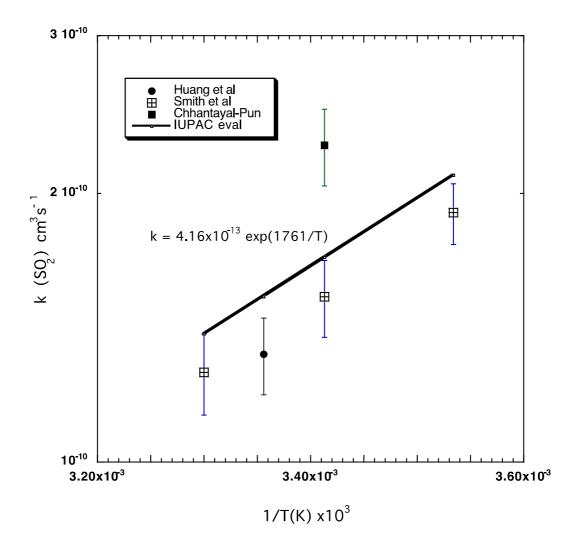


Fig 1: Temperature dependence of limiting high pressure rate constants  $k_{\infty}$  for reaction:  $(CH_3)_2COO + SO_2$ . Line shows IUPAC recommended Arrhenius expression for k(T), based on results of Smith et al, 2016.

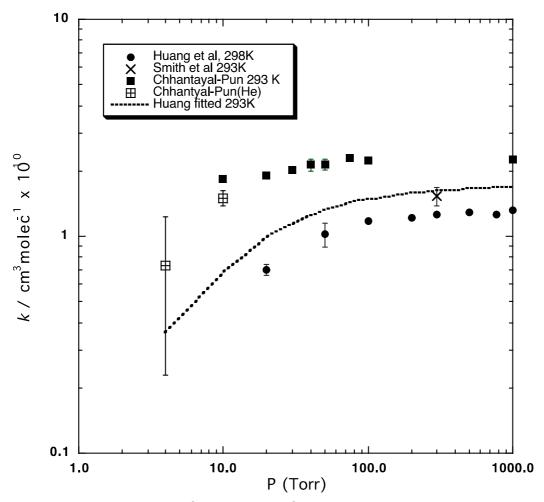


Fig 2: Pressure dependence of rate constants for  $(CH_3)_2COO + SO_2$ . Line shows IUPAC recommended for k(p) at 298 K, based on results of Smith et al, 2016.