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O (³P) + ice → products

Experimental data

Parameter	Temp./K	Reference	Technique/ Comments
<i>Uptake coefficients: γ</i>			
$\gamma_0 = 7 \times 10^{-6}$ for [O ₂] = 0	112-151	Murray and Plane, 2003	CWFT-RF (a)
$\gamma = 7 \times 10^{-6} + 2.6 \times 10^{-24} \exp(1372 \pm 72/T)$ for [O ₂] up to $1 \times 10^{15} \text{ cm}^{-3}$	112-151		

Comments

- (a) Cubic ice formed by vapour deposition at 90 K and annealed to 160 K. Uptake experiments performed using a fast flow reactor equipped with resonance fluorescence detection of O atoms at 130 nm. The BET surface area was used in the calculation of the uptake coefficients. A pulsed version of the O uptake experiment in the same flow tube was also performed and a chromatographic analysis of the pulse shape showed that O atoms were relatively strongly bound to some ice sites.

Preferred Values

Parameter	Value	T/K
γ	$7 \times 10^{-6} + 2.6 \times 10^{-24} \exp(1370/T)$ [O ₂]	110-150
<i>Reliability</i>		
$\Delta \log(\gamma)$	± 0.3	110-150
$\Delta(E/R) / K$	± 200	110-150

Comments on Preferred Values

Kinetic modelling indicated two mechanisms for O uptake: one that was independent of temperature and [O₂] between 112-151 K, and one that was dependent on [O₂] and had a negative temperature dependence. The preferred values are those reported in the single study of Murray and Plane (2003), with expanded errors. An Eley-Rideal mechanism was suggested as the mechanism by which adsorbed O atoms are removed from the ice surface by collisions with gas-phase O atoms or O₂ to form O₂ or O₃, respectively. Quantum chemical calculations showed that O atoms bind to either a single dangling hydrogen on a perfectly crystalline ice surface or to two dangling hydrogens in a disordered ice structure.

References

Murray, B.J. and Plane J.M.C.: Phys. Chem. Chem. Phys. 5, 4129, 2003.