

Reaction between CH₃C(O)OOH (peracetic acid) and OH: A combined experimental and theoretical study of the kinetics and mechanism

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Supplementary Information

Table S1. Rate constants for the reaction OH (k_6) and OD (k_7) with CH₃C(O)OH at 298 K.

Precursor	[CH ₃ C(O)OH] ^a	[Precursor] ^b	[OH] ₀ ^c	k^d	k_6 or k_7^e
H ₂ O ₂ (OH)	0	19.42	6.47	472.67 ± 2.3	6.95 ± 0.08
	19.54 ± 1.20	19.42	6.48	1679.33 ± 6.2	
	24.70 ± 1.25	19.42	6.48	2016.66 ± 12.3	
	30.76 ± 1.31	19.41	6.47	2606.32 ± 9.2	
	36.82 ± 1.37	19.42	6.48	3046.21 ± 8.7	
	41.76 ± 1.04	19.42	6.47	3363.66 ± 10.6	
H ₂ O ₂ (OH)	0	4.85	1.62	668.94 ± 10.4	7.04 ± 0.28
	17.75 ± 1.18	3.83	1.28	1930.14 ± 59.3	
	4.01 ± 1.04	3.33	1.11	986.54 ± 17.2	
	11.64 ± 1.17	2.99	1.00	1512.84 ± 30.4	
	18.51 ± 1.19	3.23	1.08	1972.35 ± 43.9	
	21.95 ± 1.22	2.99	1.00	2229.59 ± 35.0	
	24.81 ± 1.25	2.56	0.85	2393.95 ± 39.4	
DNO ₃ (OD)	0	5.84	1.95	1129.54 ± 26.5	7.30 ± 0.26
	14.15 ± 1.14	5.95	1.98	2153.9 ± 58.2	
	9.88 ± 1.10	6.31	2.11	1865.88 ± 60.2	
	11.45 ± 1.11	5.95	1.99	1960.29 ± 48.0	
	16.17 ± 1.16	6.32	2.11	2312.91 ± 47.5	
	4.27 ± 1.04	5.88	1.96	1436.82 ± 43.0	

^a in 10¹⁴ molecule cm⁻³ (errors are total uncertainty, 2σ).

^b in 10¹⁴ molecule cm⁻³.

^c Calculated from [H₂O₂] or [DNO₃], in 10¹¹ molecule cm⁻³.

^d First-order decay constant for OH or OD (s⁻¹).

^e 10⁻¹³ cm³ molecule⁻¹ s⁻¹.

Table S2. Reaction between OH or OD and CH₃C(O)OOH : Experimental conditions and Results.

Temp (K)	Precursor	[CH ₃ C(O)OH] ^a	[CH ₃ C(O)OOH] ^b	[OH] ₀ ^c	$k_4' + k_6' + k_d$	k_6'	$k_4' + k_d$	k_4
298	PAA	12.8 ± 0.41	26.8 ± 2.87	13.4	1089 ± 5	904 ± 141	185±128	3.2 ± 0.6
		8.20 ± 0.47	16.7 ± 2.36	8.3	715 ± 3	579 ± 90	136±82	
		15.6 ± 0.39	35.7 ± 3.32	17.9	1337 ± 3	1102 ± 172	235±156	
		14.5 ± 0.40	33.5 ± 3.21	16.8	1254 ± 4	1024 ± 160	230±145	
		2.52 ± 0.58	6.17 ± 1.84	3.1	302 ± 2	178 ± 28	124±25	
		4.82 ± 0.53	11.6 ± 2.11	5.8	470 ± 3	340 ± 53	130±48	
306	PAA	8.62 ± 0.48	12.9 ± 2.17	6.4	744 ± 6	570 ± 89	174±81	4.3 ± 0.5
		20.2 ± 0.36	37.8 ± 3.42	18.9	1611 ± 12	1335 ± 209	276±189	
		13.0 ± 0.42	21.9 ± 2.63	10.9	1081 ± 8	859 ± 134	222±122	
		18.3 ± 0.37	32.5 ± 3.15	16.2	1459 ± 12	1210 ± 189	249±172	
		15.8 ± 0.40	28.0 ± 2.93	14.0	1299 ± 11	1044 ± 163	255±148	
316	PAA	8.49 ± 0.48	13.7 ± 2.22	6.9	665 ± 5	520 ± 81	145±74	3.7 ± 0.6
		20.2 ± 0.36	38.5 ± 3.45	19.2	1498 ± 9	1238 ± 193	260±175	
		12.8 ± 0.42	22.7 ± 2.66	11.3	1005 ± 6	784 ± 123	220±111	
		18.1 ± 0.38	32.6 ± 3.16	16.3	1322 ± 8	1109 ± 173	213±157	
		15.4 ± 0.40	28.8 ± 2.97	14.4	1160 ± 8	944 ± 147	217±134	
		3.90 ± 0.56	6.79 ± 1.87	3.4	377 ± 2	239 ± 37	138±34	
326	PAA	8.35 ± 0.49	14.4 ± 2.25	7.2	616 ± 6	478 ± 75	138±68	2.5 ± 0.8
		19.9 ± 0.38	37.8 ± 3.42	18.9	1400 ± 8	1140 ± 178	260±161	
		12.4 ± 0.45	22.9 ± 2.68	11.5	882 ± 8	710 ± 111	172±101	
		17.7 ± 0.40	33.2 ± 3.19	16.6	1226 ± 11	1014 ± 158	212±144	
		15.2 ± 0.41	29.1 ± 2.98	14.5	1061 ± 10	871 ± 136	190±124	
		4.70 ± 0.56	8.21 ± 1.94	4.1	421 ± 3	269 ± 42	152±38	
335	PAA	8.92 ± 0.49	14.9 ± 2.28	7.5	643 ± 7	481 ± 75	162±68	2.9 ± 0.6
		19.4 ± 0.39	37.3 ± 3.40	18.7	1321 ± 9	1046 ± 163	275±148	
		12.4 ± 0.44	20.7 ± 2.56	10.3	852 ± 11	669 ± 104	184±95	
		17.9 ± 0.39	32.3 ± 3.15	16.2	1195 ± 15	965 ± 151	229±137	
		15.8 ± 0.41	28.1 ± 2.93	14.0	1070 ± 10	852 ± 133	218±121	
		4.35 ± 0.54	7.96 ± 1.93	4.0	397 ± 7	235 ± 37	163±34	
345	PAA	8.91 ± 0.50	14.4 ± 2.25	7.2	589 ± 8	454 ± 71	135±65	3.5 ± 0.4
		19.3 ± 0.39	36.3 ± 3.35	18.2	1193 ± 13	983 ± 154	209±140	
		12.6 ± 0.45	22.5 ± 2.66	11.3	787 ± 11	642 ± 100	145±91	
		17.9 ± 0.40	31.9 ± 3.13	16.0	1104 ± 13	912 ± 142	192±130	
		15.7 ± 0.42	28.3 ± 2.95	14.2	995 ± 13	800 ± 125	195±114	
		5.66 ± 0.54	10.4 ± 2.05	5.2	406 ± 6	288 ± 45	118±41	
353	PAA	8.81 ± 0.50	14.8 ± 2.27	7.4	548 ± 16	429 ± 67	120±63	4.0 ± 0.4
		19.6 ± 0.39	35.5 ± 3.31	17.8	1155 ± 10	954 ± 149	201±135	
		12.8 ± 0.45	22.6 ± 2.66	11.3	776 ± 14	623 ± 97	154±89	
		17.3 ± 0.40	32.5 ± 3.16	16.3	1013 ± 10	842 ± 132	171±119	
		15.6 ± 0.42	28.4 ± 2.95	14.2	915 ± 15	759 ± 119	156±108	
		5.46 ± 0.57	8.83 ± 1.97	4.4	351 ± 8	266 ± 42	85±38	
298	DONO ₂	12.6 ± 0.52	26.9 ± 2.87	2	1993 ± 41	890 ± 139	1104±132	4.3 ± 0.5
		8.89 ± 0.28	18.4 ± 2.45	2	1686 ± 36	628 ± 98	1058±96	
		15.8 ± 0.41	33.3 ± 3.20	2	2218 ± 54	1116 ± 174	1102±167	
		29.4 ± 0.66	61.9 ± 4.63	2	3325 ± 71	2076 ± 324	1249±302	
		23.5 ± 0.64	49.0 ± 3.98	2	2862 ± 73	1659 ± 259	1202±246	

^aConcentration of CH₃C(O)OH in 10¹⁴ molecule cm⁻³. ^bConcentration of CH₃C(O)OOH in 10¹⁴ molecule cm⁻³. ^cOH concentration in 10¹¹ molecule cm⁻³.

Table S3. Reaction scheme used in the numerical simulations.

Reaction	Rate coefficient	Reference
$\text{OH} + \text{CH}_3\text{COOH} \rightarrow \text{H}_2\text{O} + \text{CH}_3 + \text{CO}_2$	$8.4 \times 10^{-20} T^2 \exp(1356/T)$	(IUPAC, 2020)
$\text{OH} + \text{CH}_3\text{C(O)OOH} \rightarrow \text{H}_2\text{O} + \text{CH}_3\text{C(O)O}_2$	varied	This work
$\text{OH} + \text{CH}_3 \rightarrow \text{CH}_3\text{OH}$	1.2×10^{-10}	(Sangwan et al., 2012)
$\text{OH} + \text{CH}_3\text{C(O)O}_2 = \text{HO}_2 + \text{CH}_3$	1×10^{-10}	By analogy to $\text{OH} + \text{CH}_3\text{O}_2$
$\text{OH} + \text{HO}_2 \rightarrow \text{H}_2\text{O} + \text{O}_2$	$4.8 \times 10^{-11} \exp(250/T)$	(IUPAC, 2020)
$\text{HO}_2 + \text{HO}_2 \rightarrow \text{H}_2\text{O}_2$	2.0×10^{-12}	(IUPAC, 2020)
$\text{HO}_2 + \text{CH}_3\text{C(O)O}_2 \rightarrow \text{CH}_3\text{C(O)OOH} + \text{O}_2$	$1.5 \times 10^{-12} \exp(480/T)$	(IUPAC, 2020)
$\text{HO}_2 + \text{CH}_3\text{C(O)O}_2 \rightarrow \text{CH}_3\text{C(O)OH} + \text{O}_3$	$4.4 \times 10^{-15} \exp(1910/T)$	(IUPAC, 2020)
$\text{HO}_2 + \text{CH}_3\text{C(O)O}_2 \rightarrow \text{OH} + \text{CH}_3 + \text{CO}_2$	$4.66 \times 10^{-12} \exp(235/T)$	(IUPAC, 2020)
$\text{CH}_3 + \text{CH}_3 \rightarrow \text{C}_2\text{H}_6$	5×10^{-11}	(Slagle et al., 1988)
$\text{HO}_2 + \text{CH}_3 \rightarrow \text{CH}_3\text{O} + \text{OH}$	3×10^{-11}	(Baulch et al., 2005)
$\text{CH}_3\text{C(O)O}_2 + \text{CH}_3\text{C(O)O}_2 \rightarrow 2 \text{CH}_3 + 2 \text{CO}_2 + \text{O}_2$	$2.9 \times 10^{-12} \exp(500/T)$	(IUPAC, 2020) ^a

^aAssumes rapid decomposition of the initially formed $\text{CH}_3\text{C(O)O}$ radical.

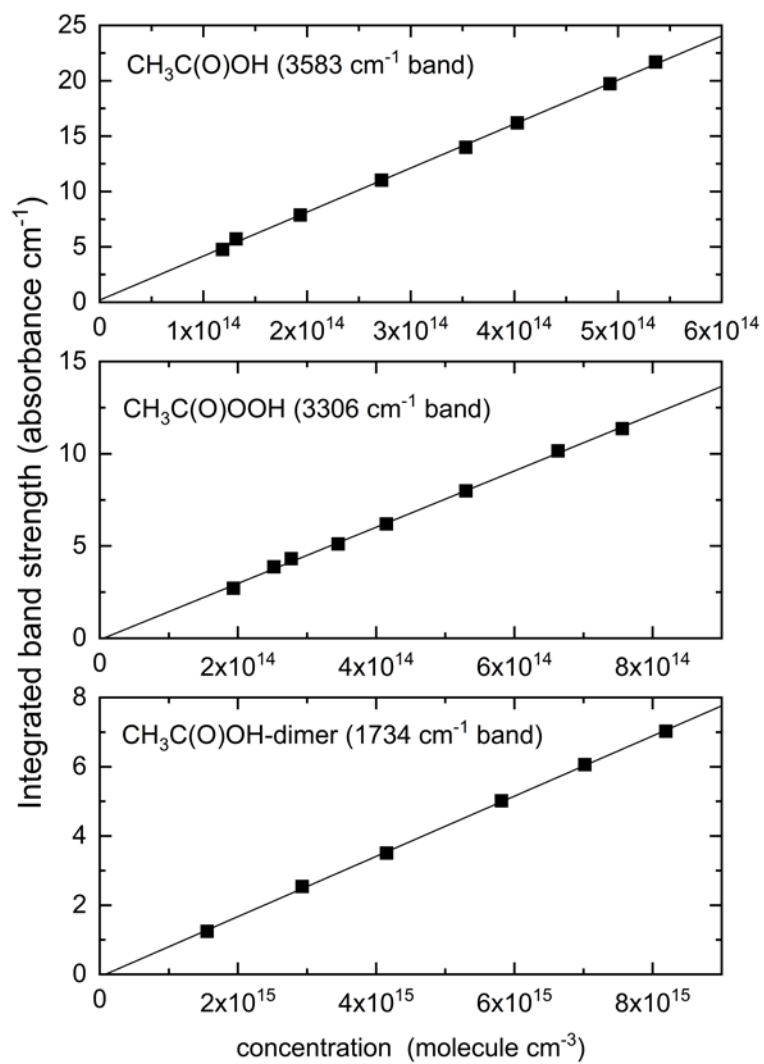


Figure S1. Beer-Lambert plots (integrated absorption over listed bands) versus concentration of CH₃C(O)OH, CH₃C(O)OOH and CH₃C(O)OH-dimer.

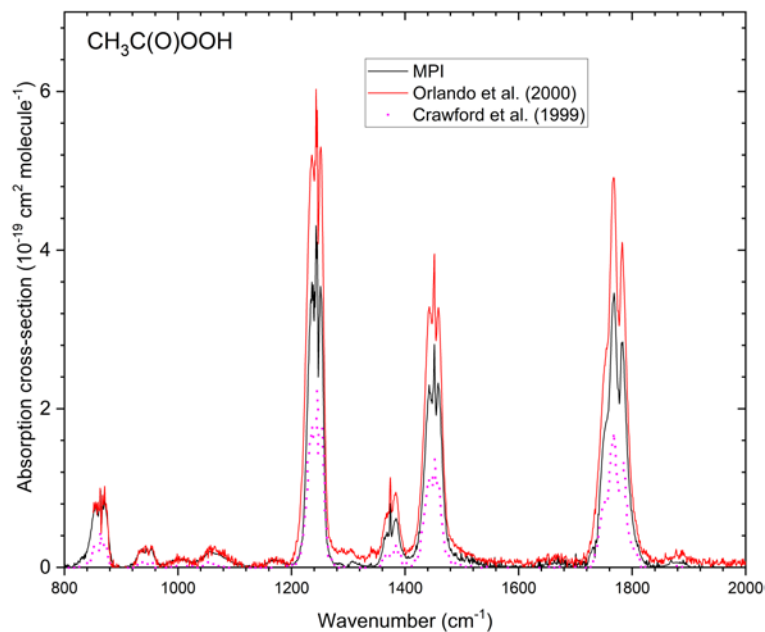


Figure S2. IR spectra of CH₃C(O)OOH recorded in this work (MPI), and those published by Orlando et al. (2000) (who reported a single value at 1251 cm⁻¹) and Crawford et al. (1999). The spectrum of Crawford et al. was digitized from their Figure 2, that of Orlando et al. was kindly provided by the authors.

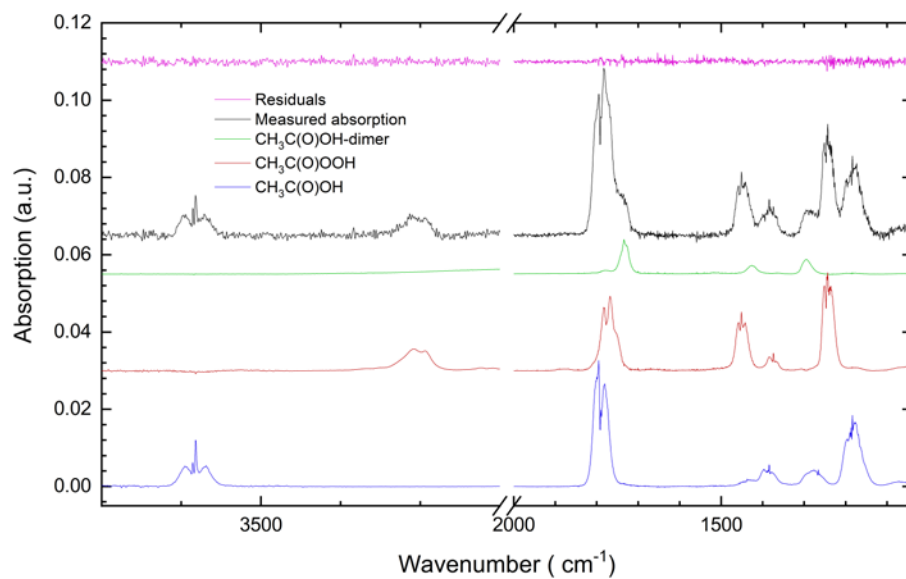


Figure S3. IR-absorption (black trace) measured during an experiment to determine k_4 at 298 K and 125 Torr N₂. The scaled reference spectra of CH₃C(O)OOH, CH₃C(O)OH and CH₃C(O)OH-dimer as well as the residual obtained by subtraction are also displayed.

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