



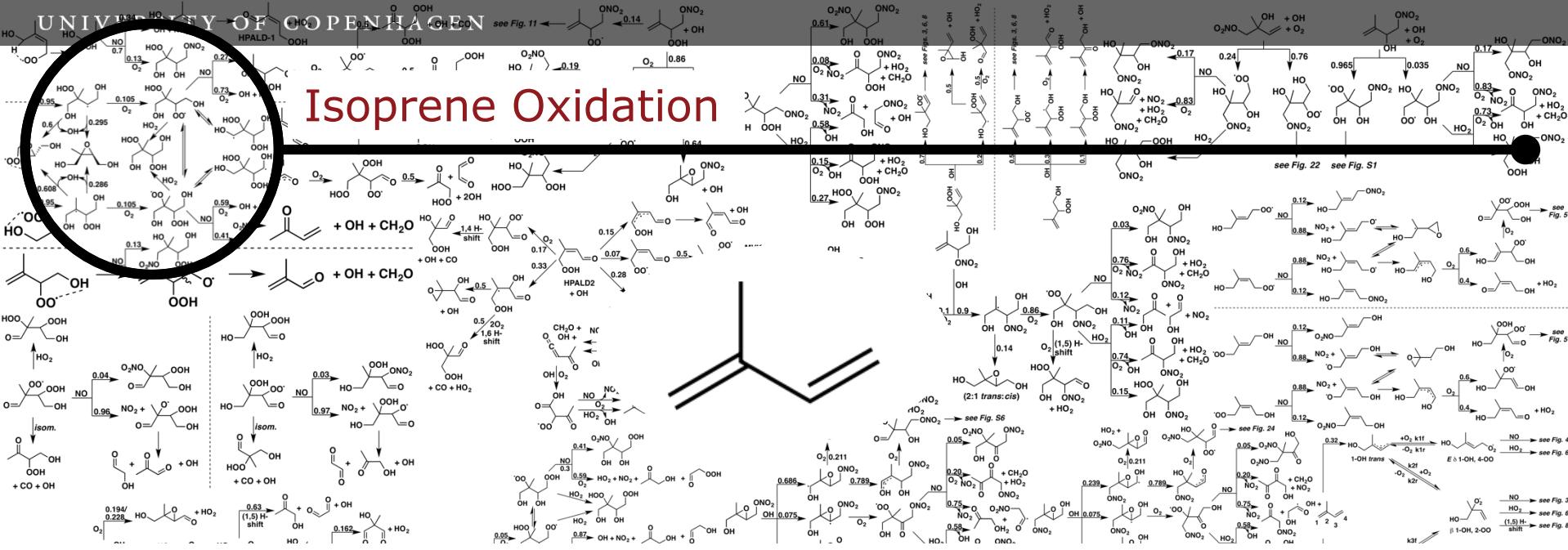
The Importance of Peroxy Radical Hydrogen Shift Reactions in Atmospheric Isoprene Oxidation

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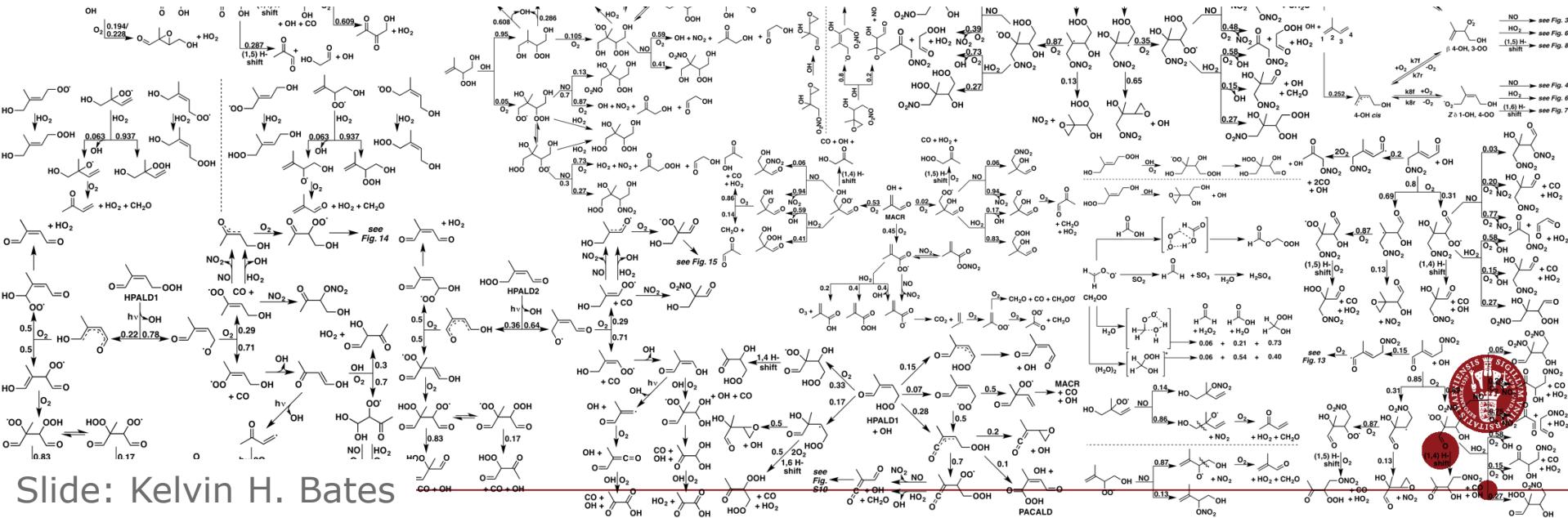
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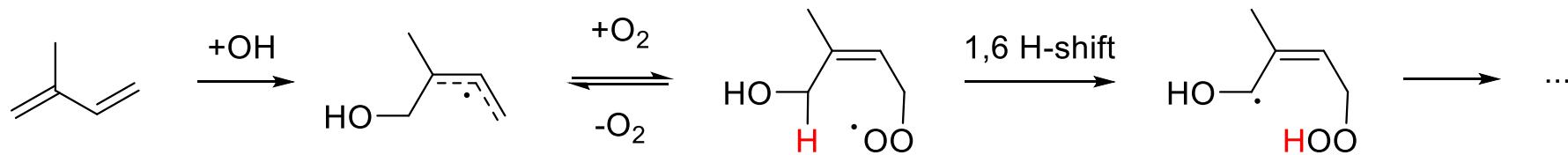
Isoprene Oxidation

"Gas-Phase Reactions of Isoprene and Its Major Oxidation Products" Chem. Rev., 2018, 118 (7), pp 3337–3390



1,6 H-shift in Isoprene

Simplified scheme for 1-OH:



H-shift rate constants (297 K, s^{-1})

	Experiment ¹	Theory ²
1-OH system	0.36	0.49
4-OH system	3.7	5.4

¹ Teng et al. J. Am. Chem. Soc., **2017**, 139, 5367–5377

² Peeters et al., J. Phys. Chem. A, **2014**, 118, 8625–8643



Multi-Conformer Transition State Theory

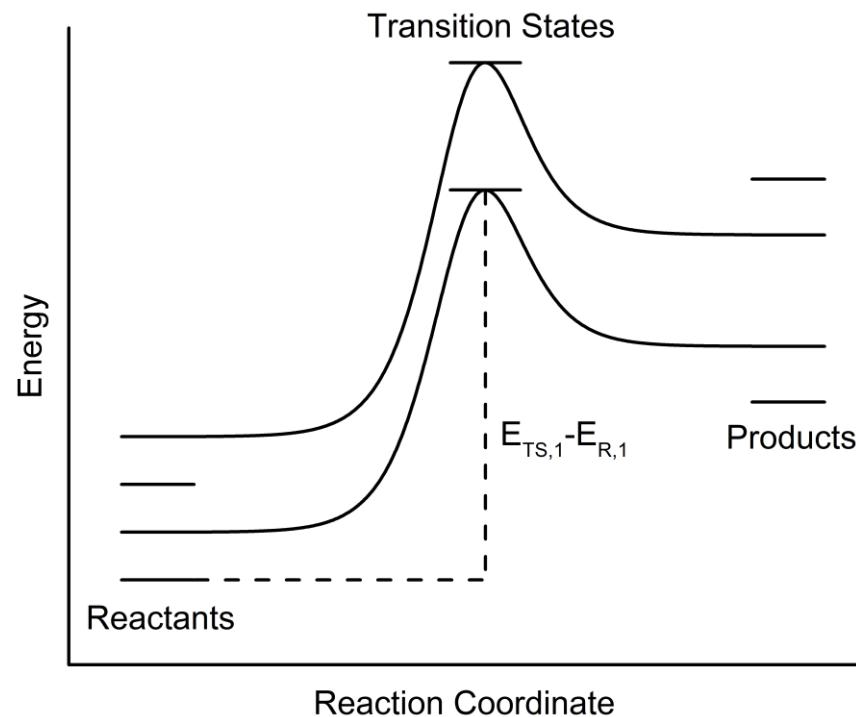
Conventional TST, unimolecular reaction:

$$k = \kappa \frac{k_B T}{h} \frac{Q_{TS}}{Q_R} e^{\frac{-(E_{TS} - E_R)}{k_B T}}$$

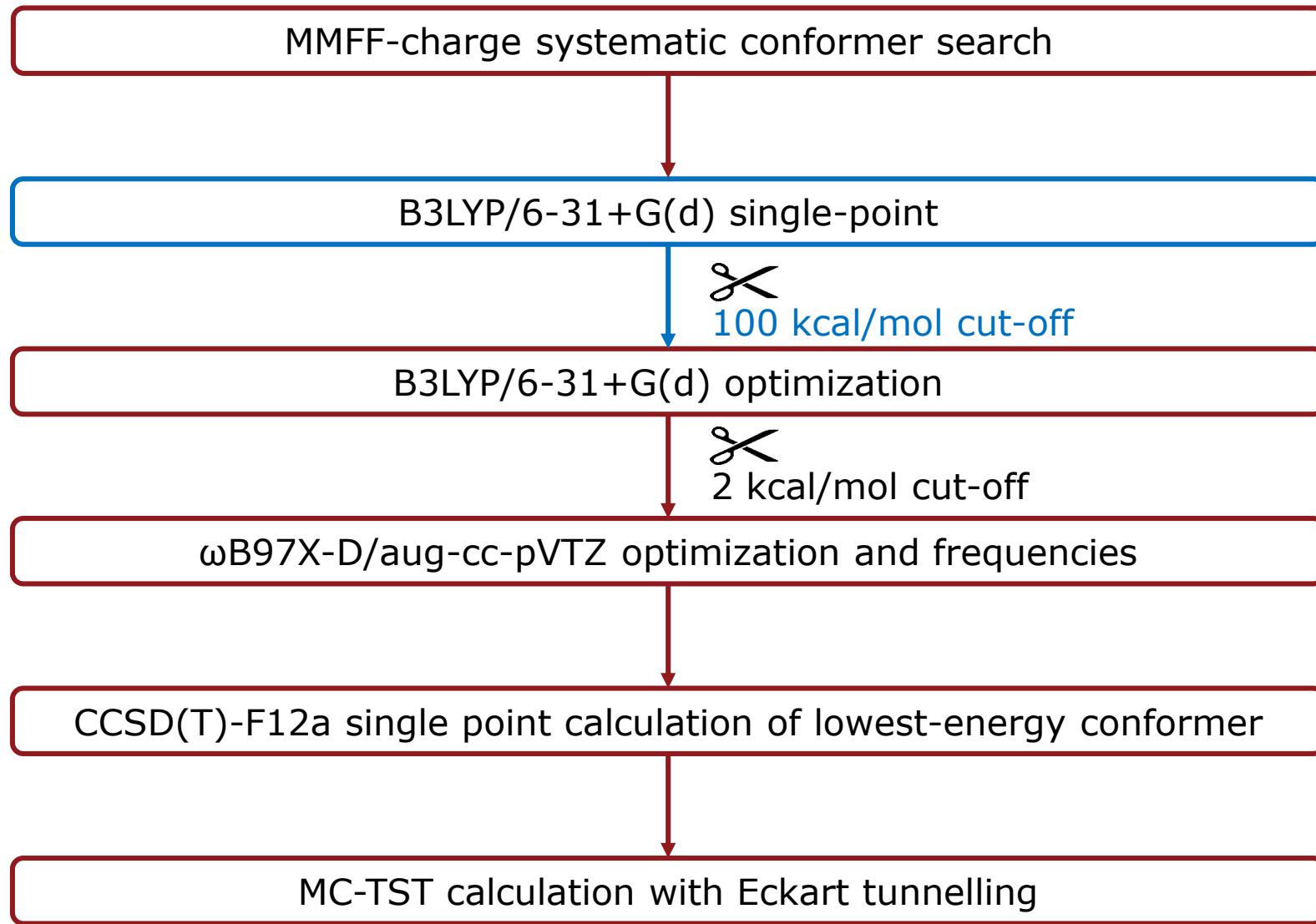
MC-TST, unimolecular reaction:

$$k = \kappa \frac{k_B T}{h} \frac{\sum_i^{TS} e^{-\frac{\Delta E_i}{k_B T}} Q_{TS,i}}{\sum_j^R e^{-\frac{\Delta E_j}{k_B T}} Q_{R,j}} e^{\frac{-(E_{TS,1} - E_{R,1})}{k_B T}}$$

$E_{TS,1} - E_{R,1}$ = Energy difference between lowest-energy conformer of reactant and transition state

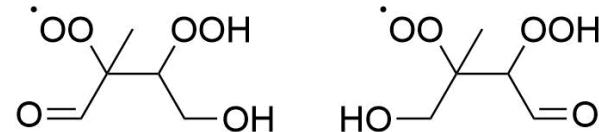


Theoretical Approach

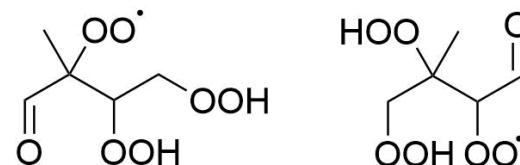


Peroxy Radicals Studied

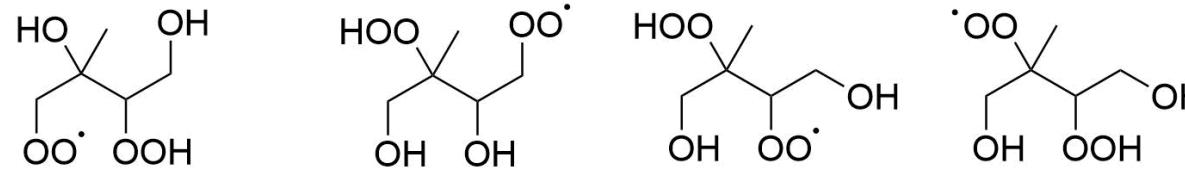
δ -ISOPOO + NO



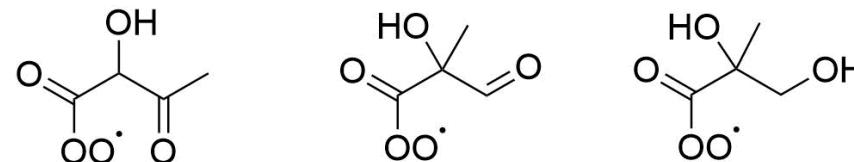
Following 1,6
H-shift in Z-
ISOPOO



β -ISOPOOH + OH



IEPOX + 2 OH



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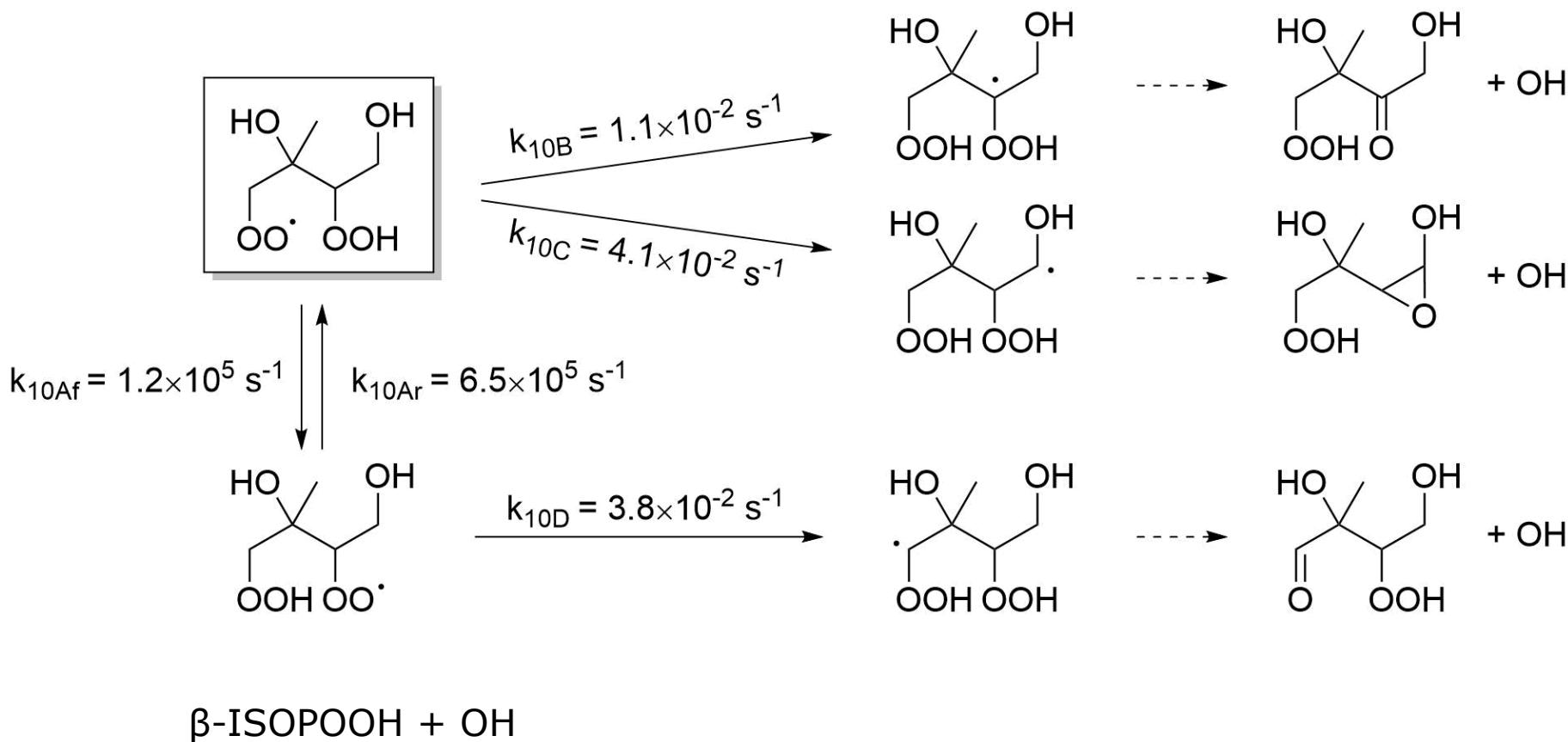
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Example Reaction Scheme

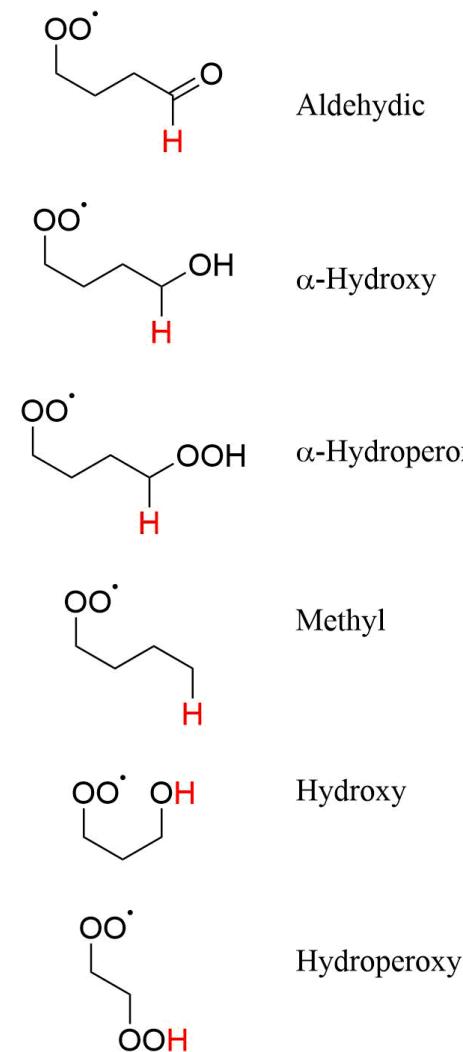
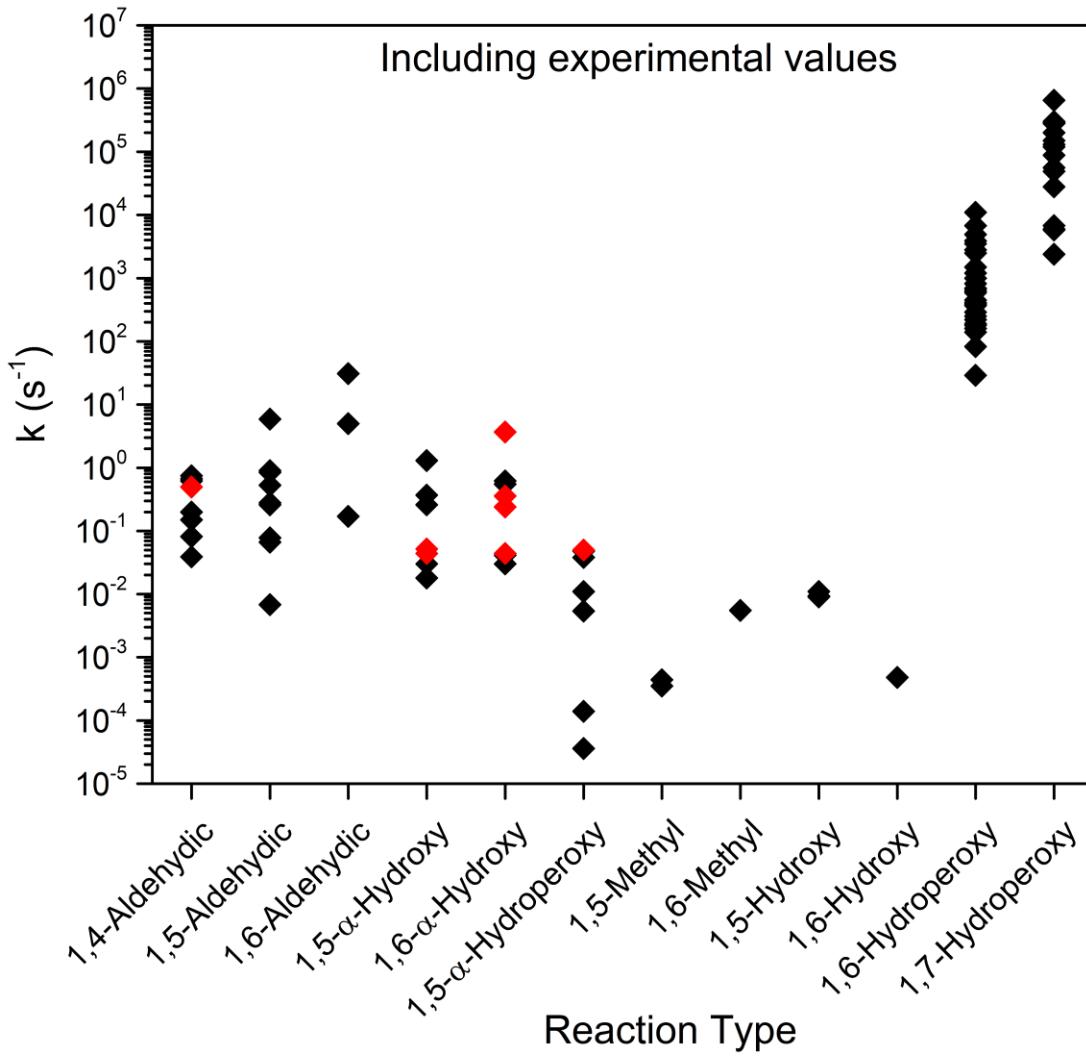


β -ISOPOOH + OH

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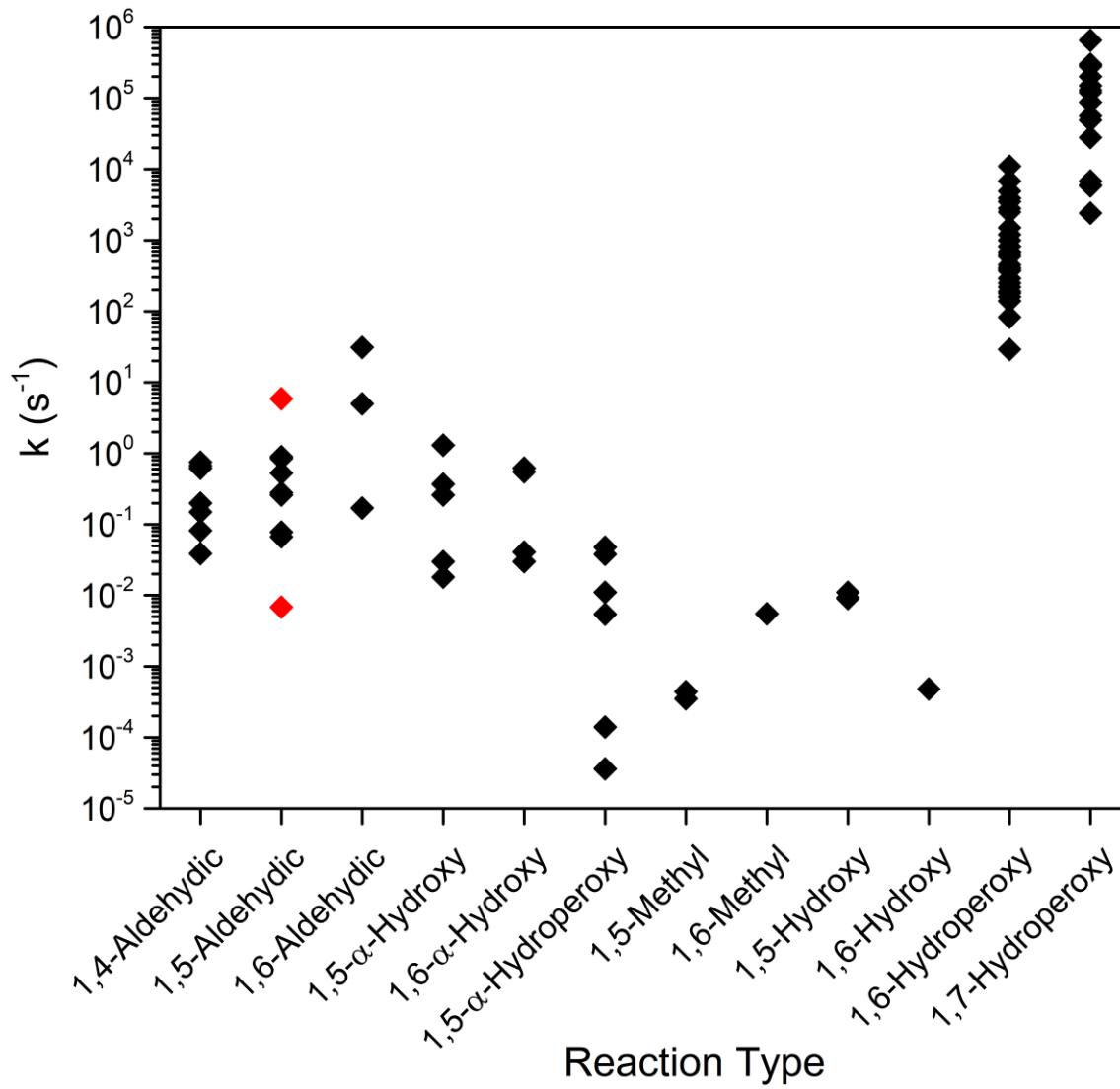
Rate Constants



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Stereoisomerism: Effect

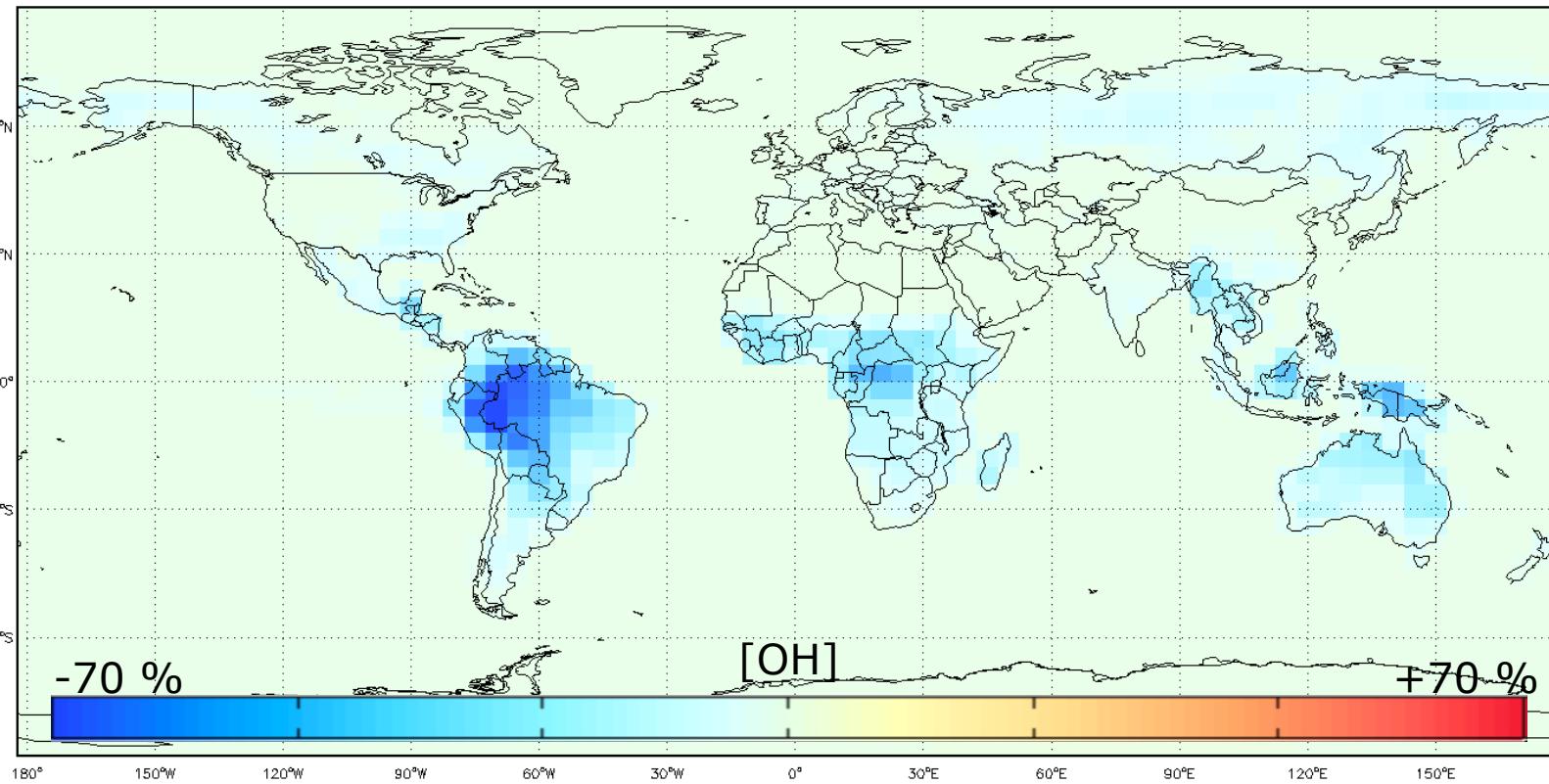


GEOS-Chem Modeling

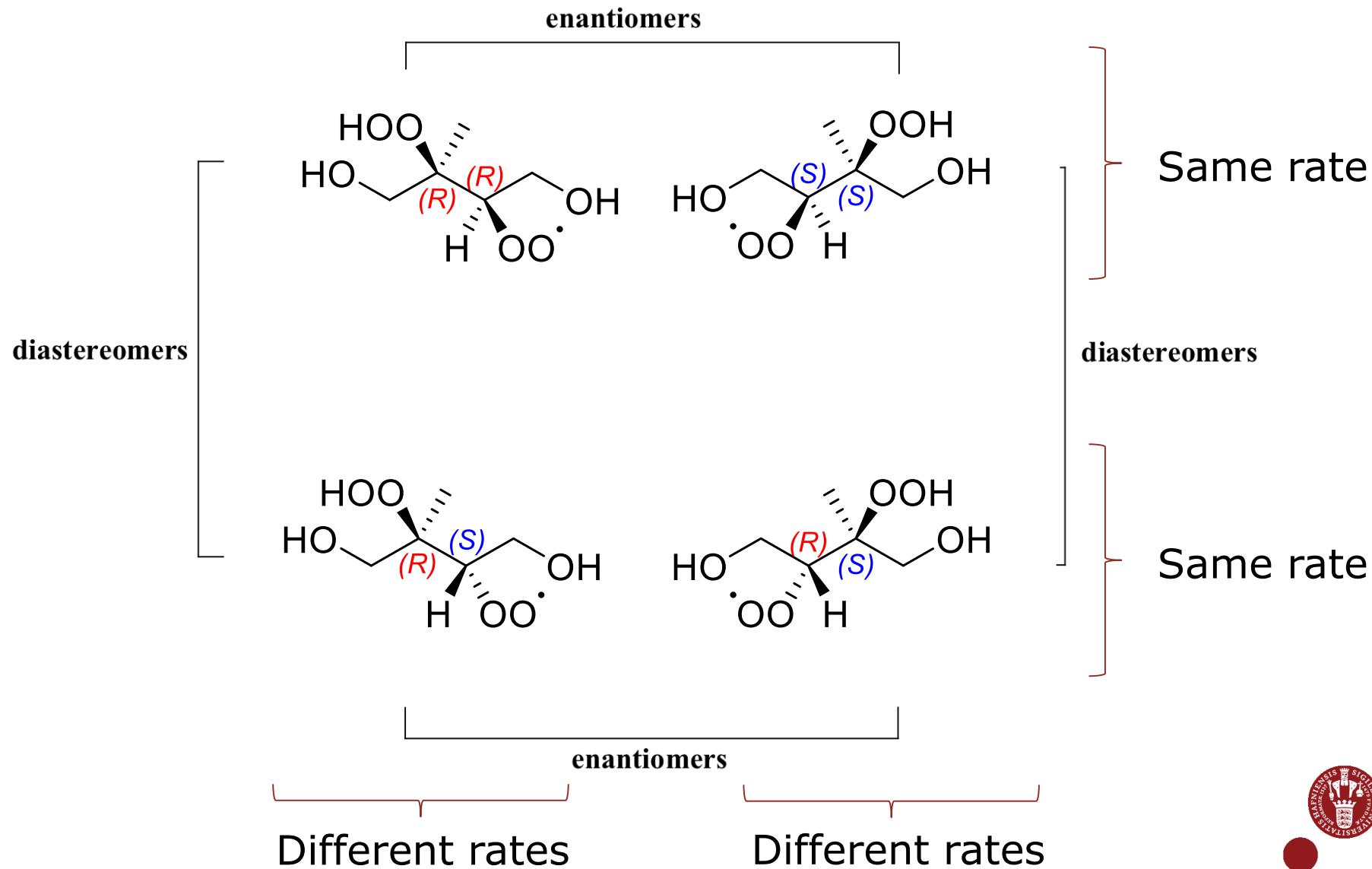
Yield of H-shift products for given peroxy radical: $10^{-5} - 1$

Unique H-shifts: $\geq 0.30 \times$ isoprene (total $0.5 \times$ isoprene)

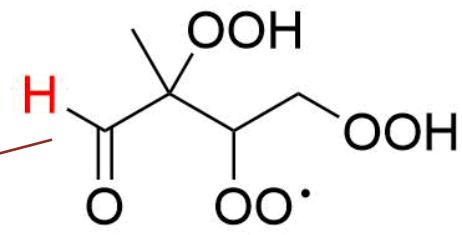
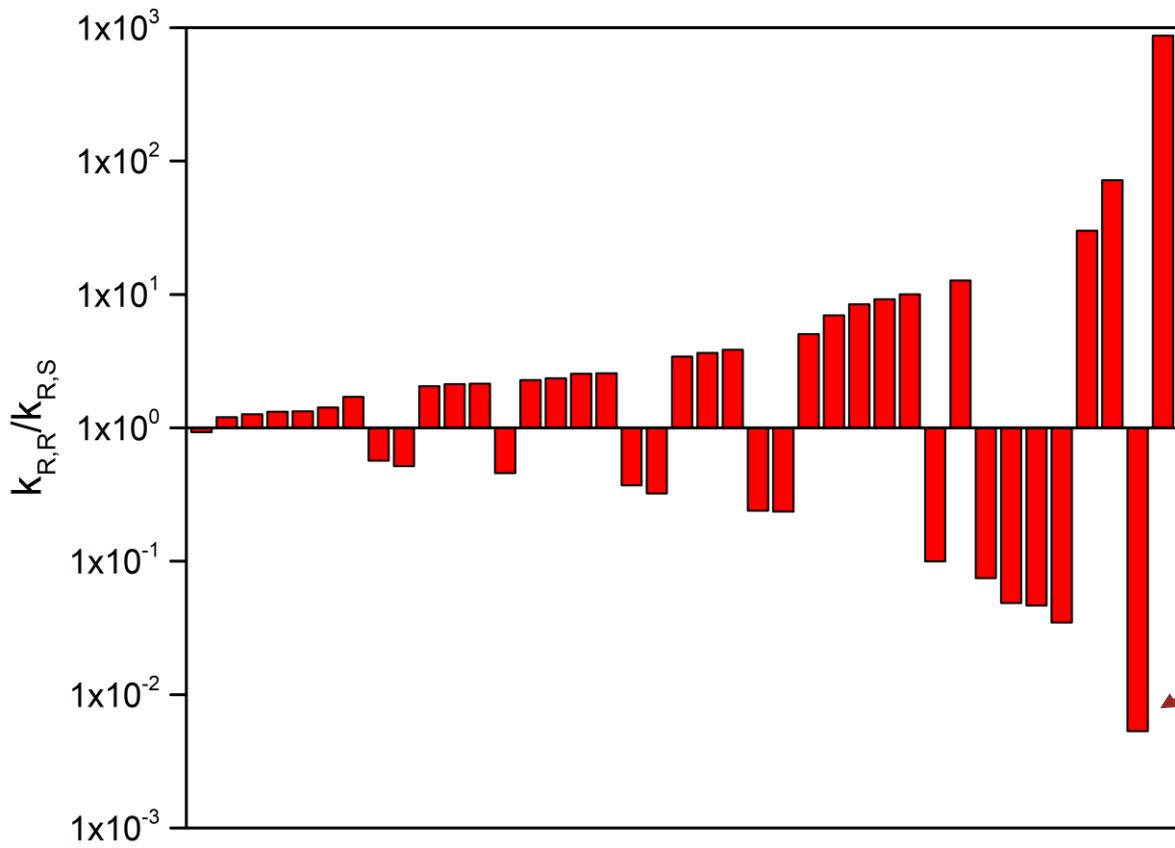
OH recycling: $0.47 \times$ isoprene



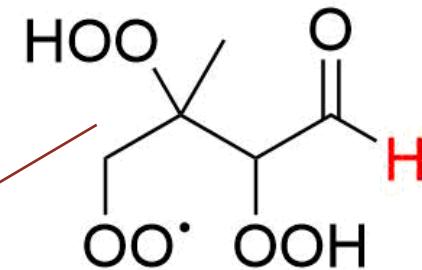
Stereoisomerism



Stereoisomerism: Isoprene



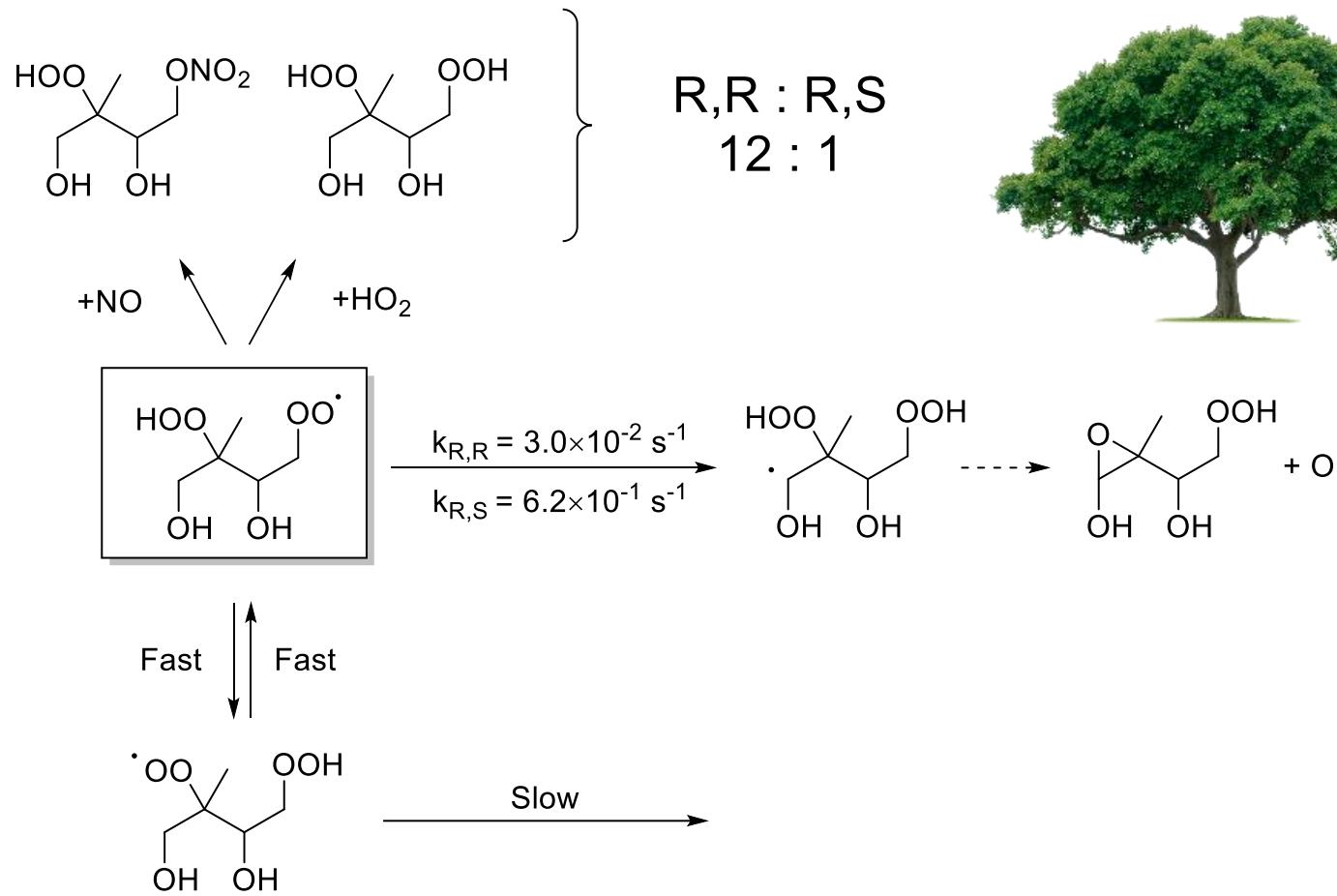
$$\frac{k_{R,R}}{k_{R,S}} = 874$$



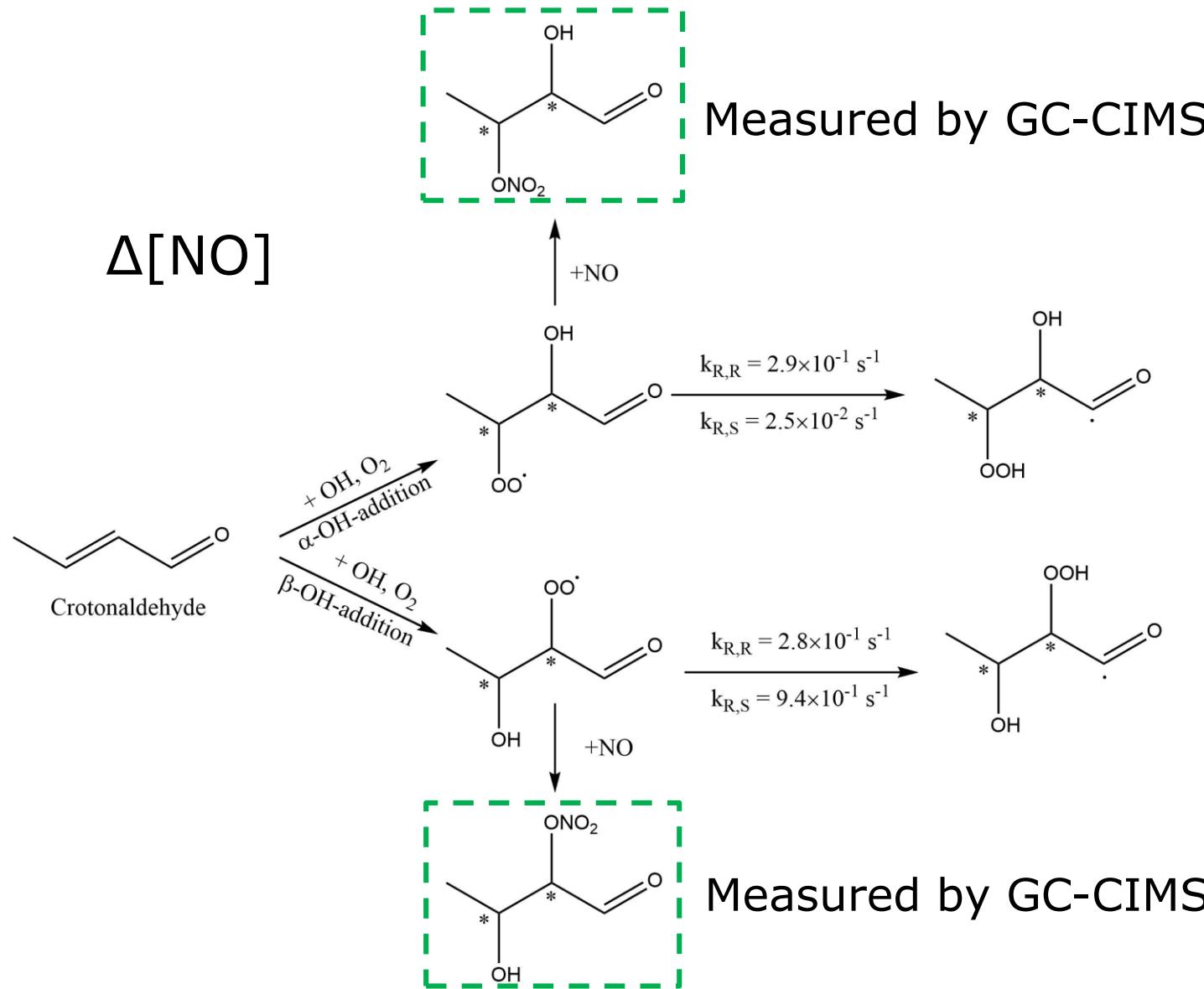
$$\frac{k_{R,R}}{k_{R,S}} = \frac{1}{188}$$



Chiral enhancement

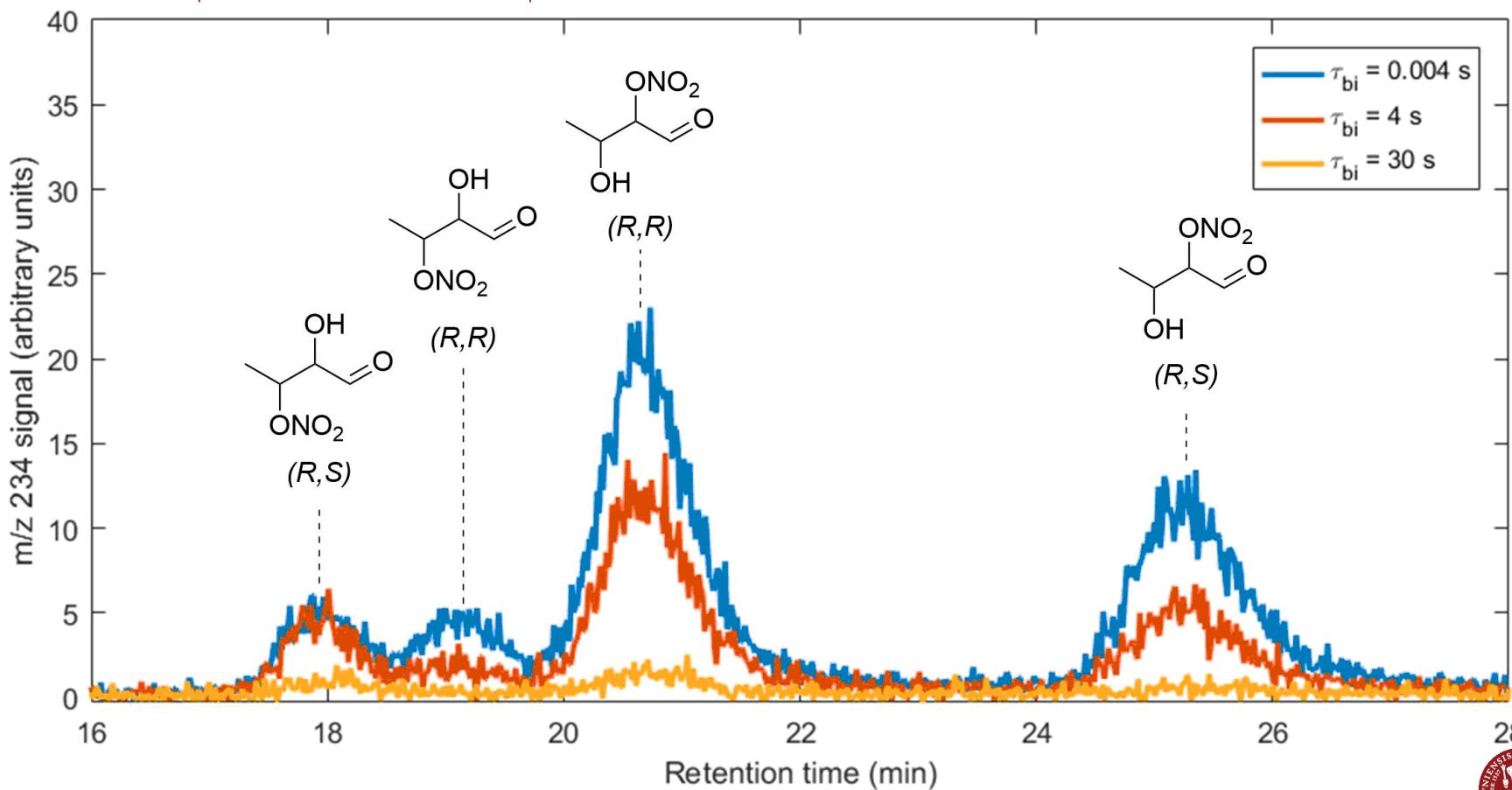


Stereospecificity in Crotonaldehyde Oxidation



Stereospecificity in Crotonaldehyde Oxidation II

Calcs: $k_{(R,R)} \sim 10 \times k_{(R,S)}$



Conclusions

- Calculated MC-TST rate constants for peroxy H-shifts in isoprene oxidation
- Large variation within reaction classes
- Modeling suggests that 30 % of isoprene undergoes H-shift
- Potentially large stereospecificity



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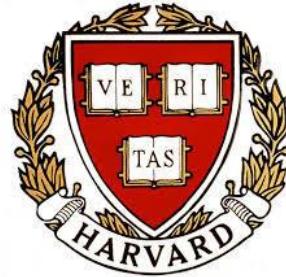
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