

Table 2-11. Estimates of SO₂ Oxidation Rates in a Well-Mixed Troposphere

Reaction	Rate, % h ⁻¹			Discussion Section	Comments
I. Gas Phase					
HO radical	0.3 - 1.3			2.3.3.2	1
HO ₂ radical	0.4 - 2.0			2.3.3.2	1,2
CH ₃ O ₂ radical	0.3 - 1.5			2.3.3.2	1,2
II. Aqueous Phase pH=					
	1	2	3		
Mn(II) catalysis	1E-1	1E+1	1E+3	2.3.4.2	2,3,4
Fe(III) catalysis	5E-5	5E-1	5E+3	2.3.4.2	3,5
C (soot) catalysis	3E+1	3E+1	3E+1	2.3.4.3	6
O ₃ (40 ppb)	2E-8	2E-6	2E-4	2.3.4.4	3,7
O ₃ (120 ppb)	6E-8	6E-6	6E-4	2.3.4.4	3,7
H ₂ O ₂ (1 ppb)	2E-2	3E-2	3E-2	2.3.4.4	3,8
H ₂ O ₂ (10 ppb)	2E-1	2E-1	3E-1	2.3.4.4	3,8

NOTE: "E" denotes "exponential to 10th power;" e.g., 3E-1 = 3 x 10⁻¹

1. Typical range for daytime at northern midlatitudes during the summer.
2. This reaction rate is not well established; see discussion section.
3. Assumed that liquid water volume of aerosol = 50 x 10⁻¹² m³/m³, [SO₂]_g = 10 ppb (or 27 ug/m³).
4. Assumed that Mn(II) mass concentration = 20 ng/m³; also, the Mn(II) is assumed to be uniformly dissolved in the liquid water of the aerosol [Mn(II)] = 8.9 x 10³M). Rate calculation used the expression of Neytzell-de Wilde and Taverner (1958); see Table 2-7.