

No.	Compound name	Reaction equation	pH	Rate constant (L mol <sup>-1</sup> s <sup>-1</sup> )	Comments	Reference
136	o-Xylene	$\text{O}^- + \text{C}_6\text{H}_4(\text{CH}_3)_2 \longrightarrow \text{OH}^- +$ 2-CH <sub>3</sub> C <sub>6</sub> H <sub>4</sub> CH <sub>2</sub>	13	$1.8 \times 10^9$	p.r.; P.b.k. at 261 nm in N <sub>2</sub> O-satd. soln. contg. 0.5 mol L <sup>-1</sup> NaOH.	751009