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 (1)

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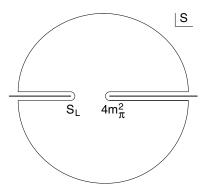


Fig. 1. A schematic illustration of dissociative recombination. The direct mechanism,  $4m_{\pi}^2$  is initiated when the molecular ion  $S_L$  captures an electron with kinetic energy.

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Piston Mass	Analytical Frequency	$TRIA6-S_1$ Model	% Error
	(Rad/s)	(Rad/s)	
1.0	281.0	280.81	0.07
0.1	876.0	875.74	0.03
0.01	2441.0	2441.0	0.0
0.001	4130.0	4129.3	0.16

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