

# Progress in ~~Nitrogen~~ Novel Combustion Chemistry

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## ■ Hydrogen abstractions

- $\text{RH} + \text{NO}_2 \rightleftharpoons \text{R} + \text{HONO}$
- $\text{RH} + \text{NO}_2 \rightleftharpoons \text{R} + \text{HNO}_2$
- $\text{RH} + \text{NO} \rightleftharpoons \text{R} + \text{HNO}$

## ■ Nitrite/Nitrate/Nitro-/Nitroso-Compounds

- $\text{RONO} \rightleftharpoons \text{RO} + \text{NO}$
- $\text{RONO}_2 \rightleftharpoons \text{RO} + \text{NO}_2$
- $\text{RNO}_2 \rightleftharpoons \text{R} + \text{NO}_2$
- $\text{RNO} \rightleftharpoons \text{R} + \text{NO}$

## ■ Isomerizations

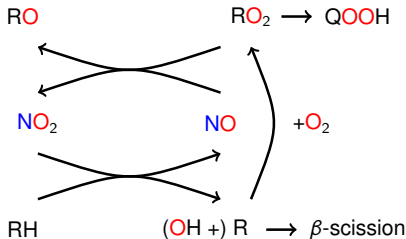
- $\text{RONO} \rightleftharpoons \text{RNO}_2$

## ■ HONO elimination

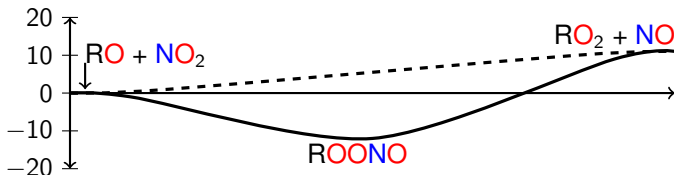
- $\text{RONO} \rightleftharpoons \text{alkene} + \text{HONO}$

## ■ NO<sub>x</sub> cycling

- $\text{RO}_2 + \text{NO} \rightleftharpoons \text{RO} + \text{NO}_2$
- $\text{R} + \text{NO}_2 \rightleftharpoons \text{RO} + \text{NO}$



And when RH is replaced with QOOH or OOQOOH?



Generalized potential energy surface for alkoxy radical (RO) + NO<sub>2</sub> system. Energies in kcal/mol. Well-skipping occurs at virtually all combustion-relevant temperatures and pressures.

Reaction	<i>A</i>	<i>n</i>	<i>E<sub>a</sub></i>
CH <sub>3</sub> O <sub>2</sub> + NO ⇌ CH <sub>3</sub> O + NO <sub>2</sub>	4.62E+15	-0.38	97.8
C <sub>2</sub> H <sub>5</sub> O <sub>2</sub> + NO ⇌ C <sub>2</sub> H <sub>5</sub> O + NO <sub>2</sub>	2.11E+14	-0.12	-470.6
NC <sub>3</sub> H <sub>7</sub> O <sub>2</sub> + NO ⇌ NC <sub>3</sub> H <sub>7</sub> O + NO <sub>2</sub>	1.07E+14	-0.25	-1302.0

Units: centimeters, kelvin, calories, moles

- (1) Fuller, M. E. Energy Conversion and Management **2014**, *88*, 199–205.
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