

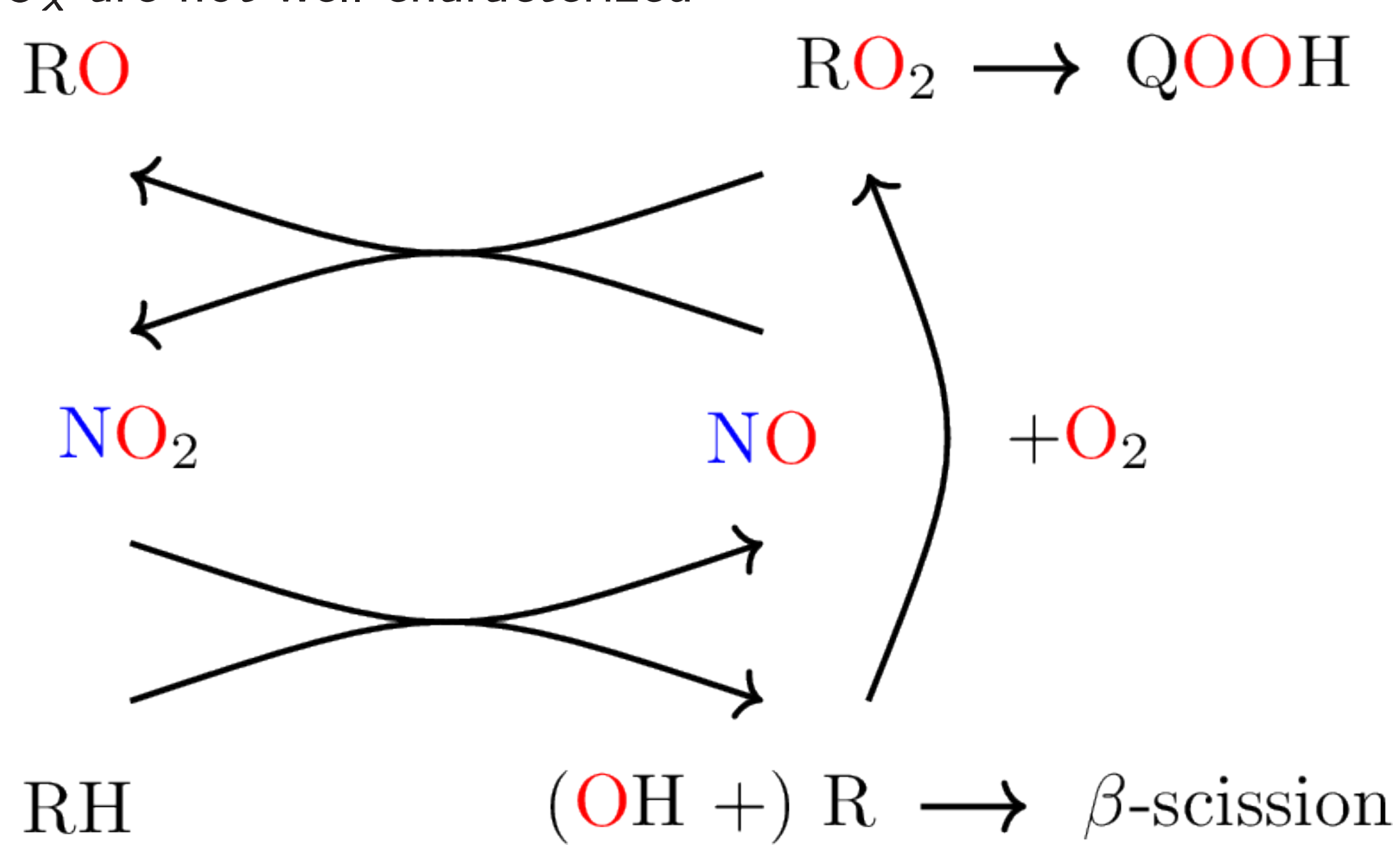
Reaction Class-Based CHON Combustion Mechanism Development

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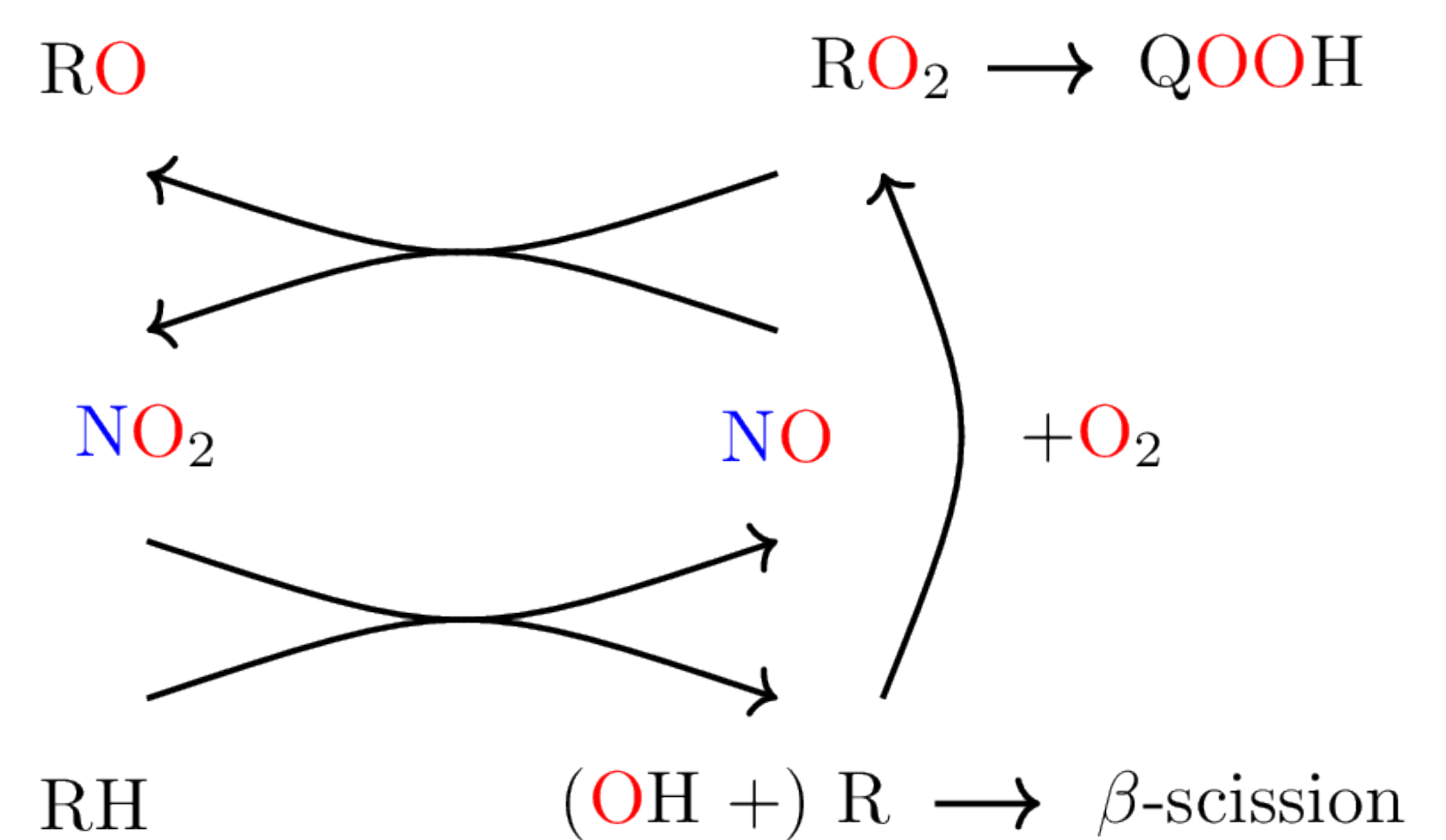
Introduction

- Interactions of NO_x (NO and NO₂) with the combustion process are increasingly relevant in engines with exhaust gas recirculation (EGR) and/or alkyl nitrate cetane enhancers
- Low-temperature combustion reactions with nitrogen are not well-studied and may have significant effects
- Sustainable fuels, produced from bio-based carbon feedstocks, CO₂, and renewable electricity, contain additional functional groups whose reactions with NO_x are not well-characterized

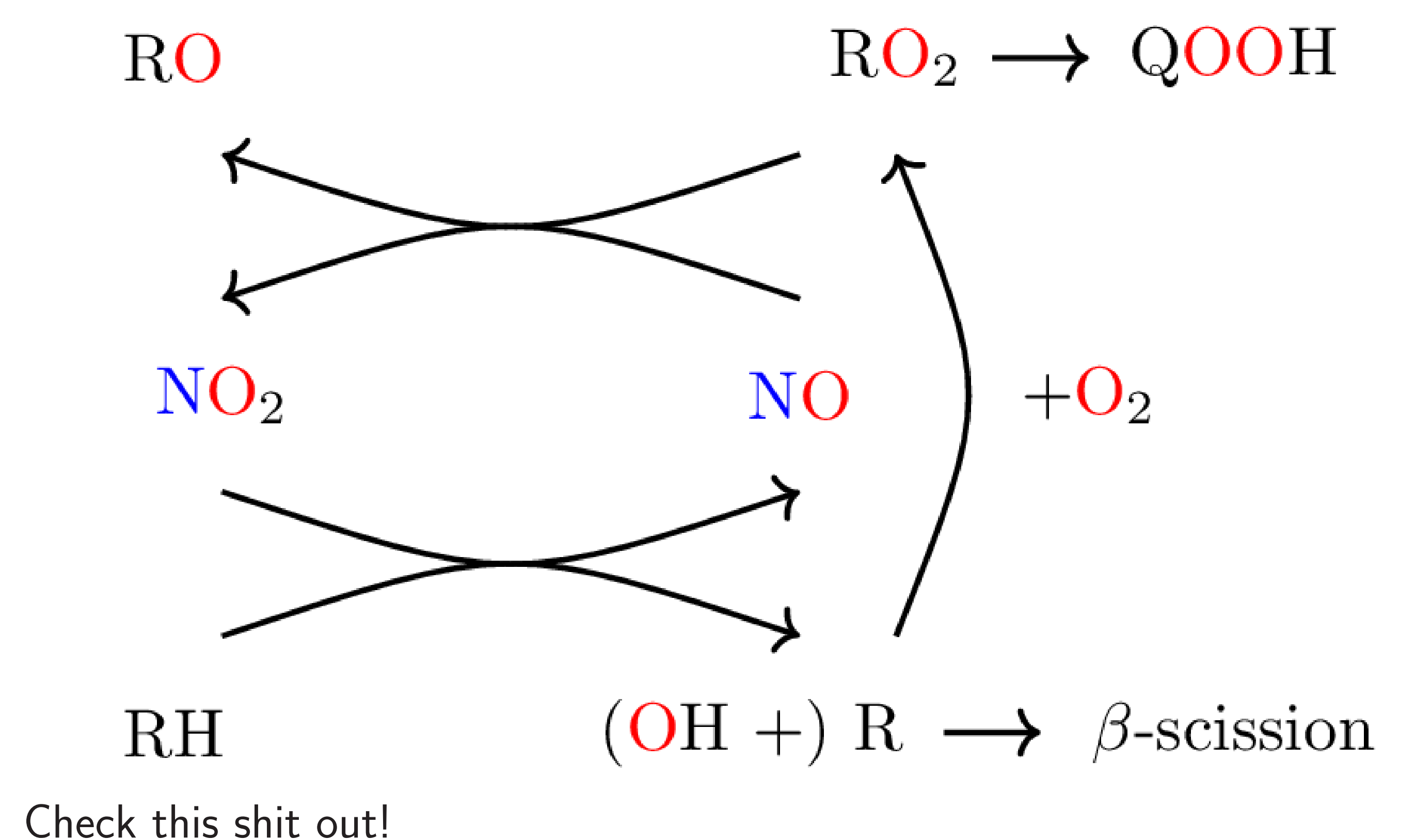
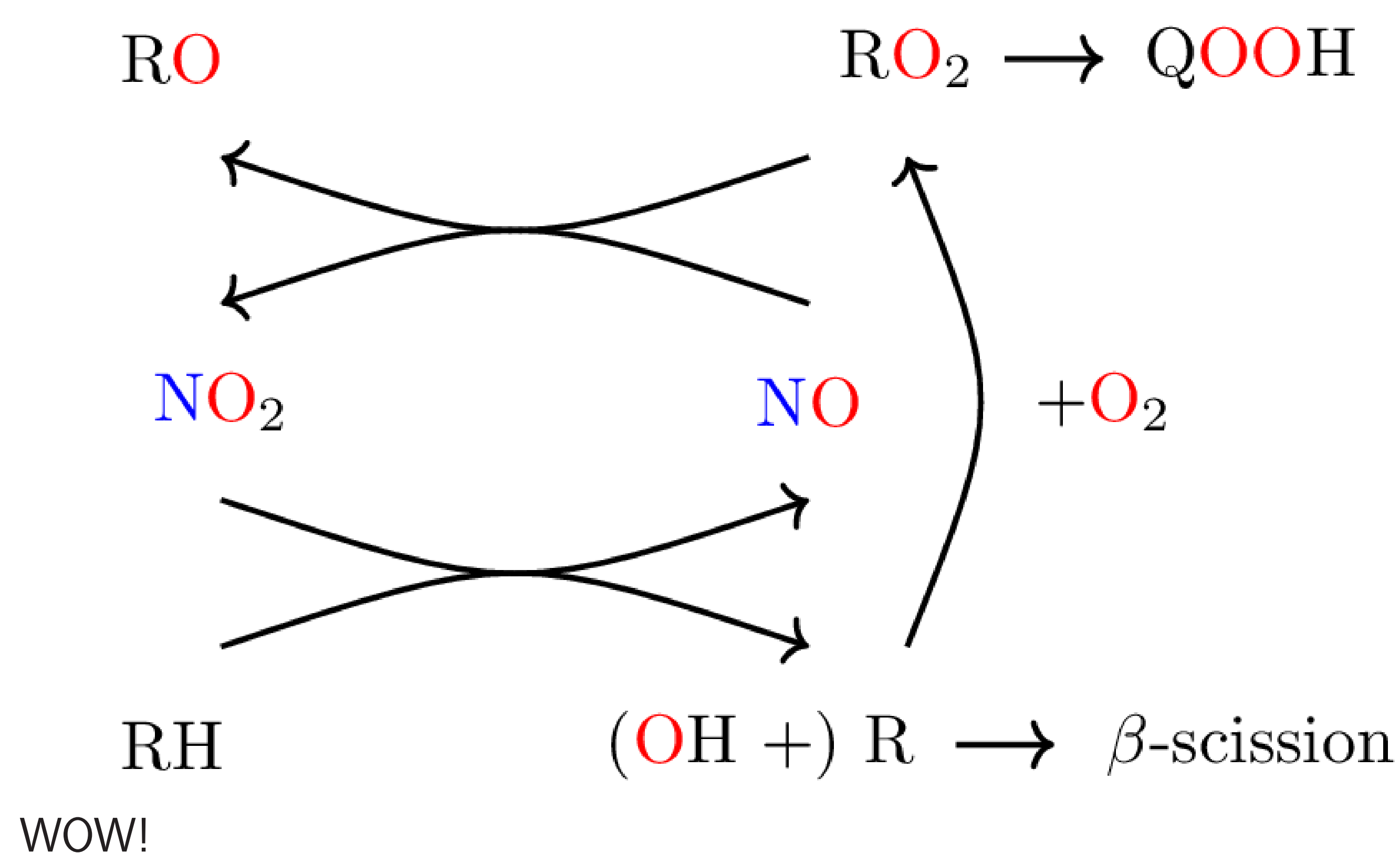


Model Development

- Pentane isomer mechanism (CHO) of Bugler *et al.* utilized as C₀-C₅ base mechanism



Modeling results



Work-in-progress

Ab initio calculations

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