| Reactions                          | А                      | n         | Ea         | References             |
|------------------------------------|------------------------|-----------|------------|------------------------|
| $C_0$ - $C_2$ reaction base        |                        |           |            |                        |
| HO2+CO=CO2+OH                      | 1.6x10 <sup>5</sup>    | 2.2       | 17.9       | [38]                   |
| H2O2 (+M) =2OH (+M)                | 2.0x10 <sup>12</sup>   |           |            | [19]                   |
| HE/0.44/ AR/0.68/ O2/0.79/         | N2/1.00/ CO2/1         | .06/ H20/ | /5.1/ H2O2 | /5.2/                  |
| LOW /3.65x10 <sup>24</sup> -2.3 4. | 8749x10 <sup>4</sup> / |           |            |                        |
| TROE /0.43 1 1.0x10 <sup>8</sup> / | _                      |           |            |                        |
| HCHO+OH=CHO+H2O                    | 7.8x10 <sup>7</sup>    | 1.6       | -1.06      | [39]                   |
| C2H+OH=C2H2+O                      | 1.8x10 <sup>13</sup>   | 0.0       | 0.0        | [40]                   |
| $C_3$ - $C_5$ reaction base        |                        |           |            |                        |
| C2H3CHO+O2=CH2CHCO+OOH             | 3.0x10 <sup>13</sup>   | 0.0       | 38.5       | estimated <sup>a</sup> |
| СЗН6+ОН=НСНО+С2Н5                  | 1.5x10 <sup>12</sup>   | 0.0       | -0.9       | [41]                   |
| СЗН6+ОН=СН3+СН3СНО                 | 1.5x10 <sup>12</sup>   | 0.0       | -0.9       | [41]                   |
| СЗН7+О2=НО2+СЗН6                   | 3.7x10 <sup>16</sup>   | -1.63     |            | [42]                   |
| C4H4+C2H2=C6H5+H                   | 1.0x10 <sup>9</sup>    | 0.0       | 30.0       | [43]                   |
| С4Н5+О2=СНО+С2Н3СНО                | 5.7x10 <sup>28</sup>   | -5.31     |            | $estimated^{b}$        |
| C4H5+O2=C2H4+CO+CHO                | 1.1x10 <sup>29</sup>   | -5.31     |            | $estimated^{b}$        |
| C4H5+O2=C4H4+HO2                   | 5.2x10 <sup>15</sup>   | -1.26     | 3.31       | estimated <sup>b</sup> |
| С4Н6-1=С3Н3+СН3                    | 3.0x10 <sup>15</sup>   | 0.0       | 75.8       | [44]                   |
| С5Н4О+Н=С5Н3О+Н2                   | 8.1x10 <sup>7</sup>    | 2.03      | 15.9       | estimated <sup>c</sup> |
| С5Н4ОН+НО2=>ОН+ОН+С5Н4О            | 3.0x10 <sup>12</sup>   | 0.0       | 0          | estimated <sup>d</sup> |
| С5Н6=С5Н5+Н                        | 5.0x10 <sup>15</sup>   | 0.0       | 78.7       | [45]                   |
| С5Н7=С3Н4+С2Н3                     | 2.0x10 <sup>13</sup>   | 0.0       | 54.5       | estimated <sup>e</sup> |
| С5Н7=С2Н3+С3Н4                     | 2.0x10 <sup>13</sup>   | 0.0       | 38.1       | estimated <sup>e</sup> |
| С5Н8+02=С5Н7+ООН                   | 4.0x10 <sup>12</sup>   | 0.0       | 60.1       | estimated <sup>f</sup> |
| Reactions of aromatic species      |                        |           |            |                        |
| С6Н5+С3Н6=С6Н6+С3Н5                | 7.9x10 <sup>13</sup>   | 0.0       | 11.9       | [20]                   |
| С6Н5ОН+С5Н5=С6Н5О+С5Н6             | 2.7x10 <sup>14</sup>   | 0.0       | 25.2       | [21]                   |
| С6Н5ОН+С3Н5=С6Н5О+С3Н6             | 2.7x10 <sup>14</sup>   | 0.0       | 25.2       | [21]                   |
| С6Н5ОН+С4Н5=С6Н5О+С4Н6             | 2.7x10 <sup>14</sup>   | 0.0       | 25.2       | [21]                   |
| С6Н4ОН+СН3=НОС6Н4СН3               | 5.0x10 <sup>12</sup>   | 0.0       | 0.0        | $estimated^d$          |

## Table S1: Changes in the reactions of C<sub>0</sub>-C<sub>6</sub> species.

Notes: The rate constants are given at 1 atm ( - ) in cm<sup>3</sup>, mol, s, kcal units.

<sup>a</sup> -factor taken equal to that proposed by Marinov [46] and taken equal to the enthalpy of reaction calculated by the software Thergas [17].

<sup>b</sup>Rate constant taken equal to that of  $C_2H_3+O_2=HCHO+CHO$  [47].

<sup>c</sup>Rate constant taken equal to that of the similar reaction for benzene [22].

<sup>d</sup>Rate constants of unimolecular initiations or combinations calculated using software KINGAS [25]. <sup>e</sup> -factor taken equal to that proposed by Heyberger *et al.* [48] and activation energy estimated using the Evans-Polanyi correlation proposed by Sirjean *et al.* [31] for  $\beta$ -scissions of alkyl radicals. <sup>f</sup>Rate constant of this bimolecular initiation with oxygen molecule has been calculated as proposed by Ingham *et al.* [26] with

taken equal to the enthalpy of reaction calculated by the software Thergas [14] based on the group additivity methods proposed by Benson [15].

## Table S2: Added secondary mechanisms of the oxidation of ethylbenzene

| Reactions  | А  | n    | Ea            | References                     |
|--|--|------|---------------|--------------------------------|
| Added reactions of styrene                           |  |      |               |                                |
| styrene+HO2=>C6H5CH2CHO+OH                           | 1.0x10 <sup>12</sup>                         | 0.0  | 14.2          | estimated <sup>a</sup>         |
| styrene+HO2=>C6H5COCH3+OH                            | 1.0x10 <sup>12</sup>                         | 0.0  | 14.2          | estimated <sup>a</sup>         |
| styrene+O=C6H5CH2CHO                                 | 1.5x10 <sup>8</sup>                          | 1.45 | 0.9           | estimated <sup>b</sup>         |
| styrene+O=C6H5COCH3                                  | 1.5x10 <sup>8</sup>                          | 1.45 | 0.9           | estimated <sup>b</sup>         |
| Reactions of cumene                                  |  |      |               |                                |
| Unimolecular initiation                              |  |      |               |                                |
| C6H5+iC3H7=cumene                                    | 1.0x10 <sup>12</sup>                         | 0.0  | 0.0           | estimated <sup>c</sup>         |
| Bimolecular initiation                               |  |      |               |                                |
| cumene+O2=>CH3styre+H+HO2                            | 1.4x10 <sup>12</sup>                         | 0.0  | 33.6          | $estimated^d$                  |
| cumene+O2=C9H11-1+HO2                                | 2.4x10 <sup>13</sup>                         | 0.0  | 52.3          | estimated <sup>d</sup>         |
| Metatheses   | 1.4  |      |               |                                |
| cumene+O=OH+C9H11-1                                  | 1.0x10 <sup>14</sup>                         | 0.0  | 7.85          | estimated <sup>e</sup>         |
| cumene+H=H2+C9H11-1                                  | 5.7x10 <sup>7</sup>                          | 2.0  | 7.70          | estimated <sup>e</sup>         |
| cumene+OH=H2O+C9H11-1                                | 5.3x10 <sup>6</sup>                          | 2.0  | 0.45          | estimated <sup>e</sup>         |
| cumene+HO2=H2O2+C9H11-1                              | 1.2x10 <sup>12</sup>                         | 0.0  | 17.0          | estimated <sup>e</sup>         |
| cumene+CH3=CH4+C9H11-1                               | 6.0x10 <sup>-1</sup>                         | 4.0  | 8.2           | estimated <sup>e</sup>         |
| cumene+O=>OH+CH3styre+H                              | 2.1x10 <sup>11</sup>                         | 0.0  | 0.0           | estimated <sup>f</sup>         |
| cumene+H=>H2+CH3styre+H                              | 9.7x10 <sup>5</sup>                          | 2.37 | 5.81          | estimated <sup>g</sup>         |
| cumene+OH=>H2O+CH3styre+H                            | $1.7 \times 10^{9}$                          | 1.0  | 0.87          | estimated <sup>f</sup>         |
| cumene+OOH=>H2O2+CH3styre+H                          | 1.3x10 <sup>11</sup>                         | 0.0  | 14.0          | estimated <sup>f</sup>         |
| cumene+CH3=>CH4+CH3styre+H                           | 1.3  | 3.76 | 6.98          | estimated <sup>g</sup>         |
| Decomposition  | 13   |      |               |                                |
| C9H11-1=styrene+CH3                                  | $2.0 \times 10^{13}$                         | 0.0  | 31.0          | estimated <sup>a</sup>         |
| C9H11-1=C3H6+C6H5                                    | 2.0x10 <sup>13</sup>                         | 0.0  | 38.5          | estimated <sup>a</sup>         |
| C9H11-1=CH3styre+R1H                                 | $1.6 \times 10^{13}$                         | 0.0  | 34.3          | estimated <sup>a</sup>         |
| C9H11-1+O2=CH3styre+HO2                              | $7.5 \times 10^{10}$                         | 0.0  | 2.5           | estimated <sup>a</sup>         |
| C9H11-1+H=cumene                                     | 1.0x10 <sup>14</sup>                         | 0.0  | 0.0           | estimated <sup>n</sup>         |
| Reactions of methylstyrene (CR                       | (Astvre)                                     |      |               |                                |
| Unimolecular initiation                              |  |      |               |                                |
| C6H5C2H2+R4CH3=CH3styre                              | 4.0x10 <sup>11</sup>                         | 0.0  | 0.0           | $estimated^{c}$                |
| Bimolecular initiation                               |  |      |               |                                |
| CH3styre+O2=>C3H4+C6H5+HO2                           | 1.2x10 <sup>13</sup>                         | 0.0  | 49.0          | estimated <sup>d</sup>         |
| Metatheses   |  |      |               |                                |
| CH3styre+H=C2H3C6H4CH2+H2                            | 1.7x10 <sup>5</sup>                          | 2.5  | 2.5           | estimated <sup>a</sup>         |
| CH3styre+OH=C2H3C6H4CH2+H2O                          | 3.0x10 <sup>6</sup>                          | 2.0  | -0.3          | estimated <sup>a</sup>         |
| CH3styre+O=>OH+C3H4+C6H5                             | 5.1x10 <sup>13</sup>                         | 0.0  | 7.85          | estimated <sup>e</sup>         |
| CH3styre+H=>H2+C3H4+C6H5                             | 2.8x10 <sup>7</sup>                          | 2.0  | 7.70          | estimated <sup>e</sup>         |
| CH3styre+OH=>H2O+C3H4+C6H5                           | 2.7x10 <sup>6</sup>                          | 2.0  | 0.45          | estimated <sup>e</sup>         |
| CH3styre+H02=>H202+C3H4+C6H5                         | 6.0x10 <sup>11</sup>                         | 0.0  | 17.0          | estimated <sup>e</sup>         |
| CH3styre+CH3=>CH4+C3H4+C6H5                          | 3.0x10 <sup>-1</sup>                         | 4.0  | 8.2           | estimated <sup>e</sup>         |
| Reactions of benzofuran                              |  |      |               |                                |
| C6H5O+C2H2=>benzofuran+H                             | 1.2x10 <sup>10</sup>                         | 0.0  | 0.46          | estimated <sup>i</sup>         |
| C8H8O+H=C6H5O+C2H4                                   | $5.7 \times 10^{10}$                         | 1.43 | 5.65          | estimated <sup>g</sup>         |
| C8H7O+H=C8H8O  | $1.0 \times 10^{14}$                         | 0.0  | 0.0           | estimated <sup>h</sup>         |
| C8H8O+H=C8H7O+H2                                     | 9.6x10 <sup>6</sup>                          | 2.0  | 5.0           | estimated <sup>e</sup>         |
| С8Н80+0=С8Н70+ОН                                     | 1.6x10 <sup>13</sup>                         | 0.0  | 5.2           | estimated <sup>e</sup>         |
| C8H8O+OH=C8H7O+H2O                                   | 2.6x10 <sup>6</sup>                          | 2.0  | -0.77         | estimated <sup>e</sup>         |
| C8H8O+CH3=C8H7O+CH4                                  | 2.0x10 <sup>11</sup>                         | 0.0  | 9.6           | estimated <sup>e</sup>         |
| C8H8O+H=C8H7O-1+H2                                   | 8.0x10 <sup>13</sup>                         | 0.0  | 6.4           | estimated <sup>j</sup>         |
| C8H8O+O=C8H7O-1+OH                                   | $4.2 \times 10^{11}$                         | 0.0  | -2.0          | estimated <sup>j</sup>         |
| C8H8O+OH=C8H7O-1+H2O                                 | 3.5x10 <sup>9</sup>                          | 1.0  | -1.13         | estimated <sup>j</sup>         |
| C8H8O+CH3=C8H7O-1+CH4                                | 1.1x10 <sup>12</sup>                         | 0.0  | 9.1           | estimated <sup>j</sup>         |
| C8H7O=benzofuran+H                                   | 3.3x10 <sup>10</sup>                         | 0.88 | 35.7          | estimated <sup>k</sup>         |
| C8H7O-1+H=C8H8O                                      | $1.0 \times 10^{14}$                         | 0.0  | 0.0           | estimated <sup>h</sup>         |
| C8H7O-1=benzofuran+H                                 | 1.2x10 <sup>11</sup>                         | 0.98 | 42.2          | estimated <sup>g</sup>         |
|  | 1.6x10 <sup>12</sup>                         | 0.0  | 5.0           | estimated <sup>a</sup>         |
| C8H7O+O2=benzofuran+HO2                              | I.UAIU                                       |      |               |                                |
|  | $1.6 \times 10^{12}$                         | 0.0  | 15.2          | estimated <sup>a</sup>         |
| C8H7O+O2=benzofuran+HO2                              | 1.6x10 <sup>12</sup><br>1.4x10 <sup>12</sup> |      | 15.2<br>-1.04 | $estimated^a$<br>$estimated^1$ |
| C8H7O+O2=benzofuran+HO2<br>C8H7O-1+O2=benzofuran+HO2 | 1.6x10 <sup>12</sup>                         | 0.0  |               | _                              |

| <b>Reactions of acetophenone</b><br>C6H5COCH3+H=>H2+CH2CO+C6H5<br>C6H5COCH3+OH=>H2O+CH2CO+C6H5<br>C6H5COCH3+HO2=>H2O2+CH2CO+C6H5<br>C6H5COCH3+CH3=>CH4+CH2CO+C6H5 | 2.8x10 <sup>7</sup><br>5.3 x10 <sup>6</sup><br>6.0x10 <sup>11</sup><br>3.0x10 <sup>-1</sup> | 2.0<br>2.0<br>0.0<br>4.0 | 7.70<br>0.45<br>17.0<br>8.2 | estimated <sup>e</sup><br>estimated <sup>e</sup><br>estimated <sup>e</sup><br>estimated <sup>e</sup> |  |  |  |
|---|---|--------------------------|-----------------------------|--|--|--|--|
| Reactions of benzeneacetaldehyde  |   |                          |                             |  |  |  |  |
| C6H5CH2CHO+H=>H2+CO+benzyl  | 4.0 x10 <sup>13</sup>   | 0.0                      | 4.2                         | estimated <sup>m</sup>   |  |  |  |
| C6H5CH2CHO+OH=>H2O+CO+benzyl  | 4.2 x10 <sup>12</sup>   | 0.0                      | 0.5                         | estimated <sup>m</sup>   |  |  |  |
| C6H5CH2CHO+OOH=>H2O2+CO+benzyl  | 1.0 x10 <sup>12</sup>   | 0.0                      | 10.0                        | estimated <sup>m</sup>   |  |  |  |
| C6H5CH2CHO+CH3=>CH4+CO+benzyl   | 2.0 x10 <sup>-6</sup>   | 0.0                      | 2.5                         | $estimated^m$  |  |  |  |
| C6H5CH2CH0+C2H5=>C2H6+CO+benzyl   | 1.3 x10 <sup>12</sup>   | 0.0                      | 8.5E3                       | estimated <sup>m</sup>   |  |  |  |

Notes: The rate constants are given at 1 atm ( \_\_\_\_\_\_) in cm<sup>3</sup>, mol, s, kcal units.

- a: Rate constant taken equal to that proposed by Touchard et al. [37][49] in the case of alkenes, allylic and alkenyl radicals.
- b: Estimated from the rate constant of the addition of O atoms to 1,3-butadiene [11].
- c: Rate constants of unimolecular initiations or combinations calculated using software KINGAS [25].
- d: Rate constant of this bimolecular initiation with oxygen molecule has been calculated as proposed by Ingham *et al.* [26] with taken equal to the enthalpy of reaction calculated by the software Thergas [14] based on the group additivity methods proposed by Benson [15].
- e: Rate constants taken equal to the values proposed by Buda et al. [27] in the case of the similar reactions in models of alkanes oxidation.
- f: Rates constant taken equal to that of the similar reaction of toluene [8] taking into account the number abstractable H atoms.
- g: Rate constant taken equal to that theoretically calculated with CBS-QB3 method with Gausssian03 [17] by Tian *et al.* in the case of toluene [22] taking into account the number abstractable H atoms.
- h: Rate constant taken equal to that of the recombination of H atoms with alkyl radicals as proposed by Allara and Shaw [50].

i: Rate constant taken equal to that of the addition of OH radicals to acetylene as proposed by Baulch et al. [51].

- j: Rate constant taken equal to that of the similar reaction in the case of toluene [8] with A multiplied by 2/3 to take into account the number abstractable H atoms and with an activation energy 2 kcal/mol lower due to the abstraction of secondary H atoms instead of primary ones.
- k Rate constant taken equal to that proposed in the case of indanyl radicals [35].
- 1: Rate constant taken equal to that proposed by Heyberger *et al.* for addition to alkenes [48].
- m: Estimated as in the case of the reactions of aldehydes in the secondary mechanisms generated by EXGAS [25].

Table S3: Other changes in the primary mechanism of the oxidation of benzene and toluene for better reproducing low temperature reactivity (see description in [23]).

| Reactions                     | А                     | n     | Ea    | References                        | n°   |
|-------------------------------|-----------------------|-------|-------|-----------------------------------|------|
| C6H5+O2=>C6H5O2               | 1.86x10 <sup>13</sup> | -0.22 | -0.71 | [52]                              | (1)  |
| С6Н502=>С6Н5+О2               | 6.36x10 <sup>19</sup> | -1.37 | 48.74 | [52]                              | (2)  |
| С6Н502=>С6Н5О+О               | 1.27x10 <sup>15</sup> | -0.25 | 38.54 | [52]                              | (3)  |
| С6H5O2+OOH=C6H5OOH+O2         | 2.0x10 <sup>11</sup>  | 0.0   | -1.3  | Estimated <sup>a</sup>            | (4)  |
| С6Н5ООН=С6Н5О+ОН              | 1.5x10 <sup>16</sup>  | 0.0   | 43.0  | Estimated <sup>a</sup>            | (5)  |
| toluene+02=benzyl+HO2         | 1.8x10 <sup>12</sup>  | 0.0   | 39.7  | [51]                              | (6)  |
| toluene+CH3O=benzyl+CH3OH     | 2.12x10 <sup>10</sup> | 0.0   | 3.0   | [52]                              | (7)  |
| toluene+CH300=benzyl+CH300H   | 1.02x10 <sup>4</sup>  | 2.5   | 12.3  | [52]                              | (8)  |
| toluene+C6H5O2=benzyl+C6H5OOH | 1.02x10 <sup>4</sup>  | 2.5   | 12.3  | $\texttt{Estimated}^{\texttt{b}}$ | (9)  |
| benzyl+CH300=>C6H5CH2O+CH30   | 5.0x10 <sup>12</sup>  | 0.0   | 0.0   | $\texttt{Estimated}^{c}$          | (10) |
| benzyl+C2H5OO=>C6H5CH2O+C2H5O | 5.0x10 <sup>12</sup>  | 0.0   | 0.0   | $\texttt{Estimated}^{c}$          | (11) |
| benzyl+HO2=C6H5CH2OOH         | 8.21x10 <sup>4</sup>  | 2.2   | -5.13 | [54]                              | (12) |
| С6Н5СН2ООН=С6Н5СН2О+ОН        | 3.29x10 <sup>13</sup> | 0.42  | 39.9  | [54]                              | (13) |
| С6Н5СН2ООН=С6Н5СНО+Н2О        | 7.45x10 <sup>8</sup>  | 1.19  | 46.04 | [54]                              | (14) |
| C6H5CH2O=R1H+C6H5CHO          | 5.26x10 <sup>28</sup> | -5.08 | 22.2  | [55]                              | (15) |
| C6H5CH2O=C6H6#+R5CHO          | 2.37x10 <sup>32</sup> | -6.09 | 28.8  | [55]                              | (16) |
| С6H5CH2O=C6H5#+HCHO           | 7.21x10 <sup>33</sup> | -6.21 | 36.8  | [55]                              | (17) |
| C6H4CH3+O2=>OOC6H4CH3         | 3.72x10 <sup>13</sup> | -0.22 | -0.71 | [52]                              | (18) |
| ООС6Н4СН3=>С6Н4СН3+О2         | 6.36x10 <sup>19</sup> | -1.37 | 48.74 | [52]                              | (19) |
| OOC6H4CH3=>OC6H4CH3+O         | 1.27x10 <sup>15</sup> | -0.25 | 38.5  | [52]                              | (20) |
| С6H5CH2OO+H=C6H5CH2O+OH       | 3.8x10 <sup>14</sup>  | -0.19 | 1.89  | [56]                              | (21) |
| С6H5CH2OO+H=C6H5CH2OOH        | 4.35x10 <sup>60</sup> | -15.9 | 11.4  | [56]                              | (22) |
| C6H5CH200+H=benzyl+H02        | 1.96x10 <sup>4</sup>  | 2.47  | 1.43  | [56]                              | (23) |

Notes: The rate constants are given at 1 atm (k= AT<sup>n</sup>exp(-Ea/RT)) in cm<sup>3</sup>, mol, s, kcal units.

<sup>a</sup>Rate constants taken equal to the values proposed by Buda et al. [27] in the case of the similar reactions in models of alkanes oxidation. <sup>b</sup>Rate constants of unimolecular initiations or combinations calculated using software KINGAS [25]. <sup>c</sup>: Rate constant taken equal to that of reaction (5).

## Table S4: Reactions modified in the secondary mechanisms of toluene (see description in

[23]).

| Reactions  | А                    | n      | Ea           | References             | n°           |  |  |
|--|----------------------|--------|--------------|------------------------|--------------|--|--|
| Reactions modified in the secondary me                                   | chanism tolue        | ne     |              |                        |              |  |  |
| C6H5CHO+CH3=C6H5CO+CH4   | $2.0 \times 10^{-6}$ | 5.6    | 2.5          | estimated <sup>a</sup> | (24)         |  |  |
| С6Н5СНОН=С6Н5СНО+Н   | 2.0x10 <sup>13</sup> | 0.0    | 36.3         | estimated              | (24)         |  |  |
| bibenzyl+H=C6H6+C8H9-1   | 5.6x10 <sup>8</sup>  | 1.43   | 5.65         | estimated              | (26)         |  |  |
| bibenzyl+OH=C6H5OH+C8H9-1  | 7.8x10 <sup>2</sup>  | 2.88   | 3.2          | estimated              | (20)         |  |  |
| C14H13+O2= stilbene+HO2  | 1.6x10 <sup>12</sup> | 2.00   | 15.2         | estimated              | (27)         |  |  |
| C14H13+OOH=>R2OH+C6H5CHO+benzyl  | 8.2x10 <sup>4</sup>  | 2.20   | -5.13        |                        | (28)         |  |  |
| C14H13 is C6H5•CHCH2C6H5   | 0.2110               | 2.20   | 5.15         | estimated              | (29)         |  |  |
| Added submechanism for stilbene (C6H50                                   | гнснс6н5)            |        |              |                        |              |  |  |
| stilbene+H=>C6H6+C2H2+C6H5   | 5.7x10 <sup>8</sup>  | 1.43   | 5.65         | $estimated^{c}$        | (30)         |  |  |
| stilbene+OH=C6H5OH+C6H5C2H2  | $7.8 \times 10^2$    | 2.88   | 3.2          | estimated <sup>d</sup> | (31)         |  |  |
| stilbene+OH=C6H5CHO+benzyl   | 1.0x10 <sup>13</sup> | 0.0    | 5.9          | estimated              | (32)         |  |  |
| Added submachanism for phoneulhonoul of                                  |                      | COLLEN |              |                        |              |  |  |
| Added submechanism for phenylbenzyl et C6H5CH2O+toluene=C6H5OCH2C6H5+CH3 | 7.8x10 <sup>2</sup>  | 2.88   | 3.22         | estimated <sup>d</sup> | (33)         |  |  |
| C6H5O+benzyl=C6H5OCH2C6H5  | 1.0x10 <sup>11</sup> | 2.00   | 0.00         | estimated              |              |  |  |
| C6H5OCH2C6H5+H=C6H5OCH2C6H5<br>C6H5OCH2C6H5+H=C6H5CH2O+C6H6              | 8.5x10 <sup>12</sup> | 0.0    | 0.00<br>5.81 | Estimated <sup>h</sup> | (34)<br>(35) |  |  |
| C6H5OCH2C6H5+OH=>C6H5+C6H5CHO+H2O  | 3.5x10 <sup>9</sup>  | 1.0    | 0.87         | estimated              |              |  |  |
| C6H5OCH2C6H5+H=>C6H5+C6H5CHO+H2O<br>C6H5OCH2C6H5+H=>C6H5+C6H5CHO+H2      | 1.95x10 <sup>6</sup> | 2.37   | 0.87<br>5.81 | estimated <sup>c</sup> | (36)<br>(37) |  |  |
| C6H5OCH2C6H5+O=>C6H5+C6H5CHO+H2  | $4.2 \times 10^{11}$ | 2.37   | 0.00         | estimated <sup>j</sup> | (37)         |  |  |
| Conjocnzconj+0-/Conj+Conjch0+On  | 4.2810               | 0.0    | 0.00         | estimated              | (30)         |  |  |
| Added submechanism for methylphenylber                                   | zylether (Tol        |        |              |                        |              |  |  |
| OC6H4CH3+benzyl=TolOCH2C6H5  | 1.0x10 <sup>11</sup> | 0.0    | 0.00         | estimated <sup>1</sup> | (39)         |  |  |
| C6H4CH3+C6H5CH2O=TolOCH2C6H5   | 1.0x10 <sup>11</sup> | 0.0    | 0.00         | estimated              | (40)         |  |  |
| TolOCH2C6H5+H=toluene+C6H5CH2O   | 8.5x10 <sup>12</sup> | 0.0    | 5.81         | Estimated              | (41)         |  |  |
| TolOCH2C6H5+OH=>C6H4CH3+C6H5CHO+H2O                                      | 8.7x10 <sup>11</sup> | 1.0    | 0.87         | estimated <sup>]</sup> | (42)         |  |  |
| То1ОСН2С6Н5+Н=>С6Н4СН3+С6Н5СНО+Н2  | 4.9x10 <sup>6</sup>  | 2.37   | 5.81         | estimated <sup>c</sup> | (44)         |  |  |
| То10СН2С6Н5+О=>С6Н4СН3+С6Н5СНО+ОН  | 1.0x10 <sup>12</sup> | 0.0    | 0.00         | estimated <sup>j</sup> | (44)         |  |  |
| Added submechanism for ethylphenylphenol (PhenolC2H4bz)                  |                      |        |              |                        |              |  |  |
| bibenzyl+OH=PhenolC2H4bz+H   | 1.7x10 <sup>13</sup> | 0.0    | 10.6         | estimated <sup>k</sup> | (45)         |  |  |
| C6H4OH+C8H9-1=PhenolC2H4bz   | 1.0x10 <sup>11</sup> | 0.0    | 0.00         | estimated <sup>i</sup> | (46)         |  |  |
| HOC6H4CH2+benzyl=PhenolC2H4bz  | 1.0x10 <sup>11</sup> | 0.0    | 0.00         | estimated <sup>i</sup> | (47)         |  |  |
| PhenolC2H4bz+OH=>styrene+C6H5O+H2O                                       | 8.7x10 <sup>9</sup>  | 1.0    | 0.87         | estimated <sup>j</sup> | (48)         |  |  |
| PhenolC2H4bz+H=>styrene+C6H5O+H2   | 4.9x10 <sup>6</sup>  | 2.37   | 5.81         | $estimated^{c}$        | (49)         |  |  |
| PhenolC2H4bz+O=>styrene+C6H5O+OH   | 1.0x10 <sup>12</sup> | 0.0    | 0.0          | estimated <sup>j</sup> | (50)         |  |  |
| Added submechanism for 1-butenylbenzene (C6H5C4H7)                       |                      |        |              |                        |              |  |  |
| benzyl+C3H5=C6H5C4H7   | 5.0x10 <sup>12</sup> | 0.00   | 0.00         | estimated <sup>i</sup> | (51)         |  |  |
| C6H5C4H7+OH=>benzyl+pC3H4+H2O  | 5.2x10 <sup>9</sup>  | 1.0    | 0.87         | estimated <sup>j</sup> | (52)         |  |  |
| C6H5C4H7+H=>benzyl+pC3H4+H2  | 2.9x10 <sup>6</sup>  | 2.37   | 5.81         | estimated <sup>c</sup> | (53)         |  |  |
| C6H5C4H7+O=>benzyl+pC3H4+OH  | 6.3x10 <sup>11</sup> | 0.0    | 0.0          | estimated <sup>j</sup> | (54)         |  |  |
| C6H5C4H7+OH=>benzyl+pC3H4+H2O  | 3.0x10 <sup>6</sup>  | 2.0    | -1.52        |                        | (55)         |  |  |
| C6H5C4H7+H=>benzyl+pC3H4+H2  | 5.4x10 <sup>4</sup>  | 2.5    | -1.9         | estimated <sup>e</sup> | (56)         |  |  |
| C6H5C4H7+O=>benzyl+pC3H4+OH  | 8.8x10 <sup>10</sup> | 0.7    | 3.25         | estimated <sup>e</sup> | (57)         |  |  |
| <u>_</u>   |                      |        |              |                        |              |  |  |

Notes: The rate constants are given at 1 atm ( \_\_\_\_\_\_) in cm<sup>3</sup>, mol, s, kcal units.

a: Rate constant taken equal to that proposed by Baulch et al. [57] for acetaldehyde.

b: -factor taken equal to that proposed Heyberger *et al.* [48] and activation energy estimated using the Evans-Polyany correlation proposed by Sirjean *et al.* [31] for  $\beta$ -scissions of alkyl radicals.

c: Rate constant taken equal to that theoretically calculated with CBS-QB3 method with Gausssian03 [17] by Tian *et al.* [22], with when needed A-factor multiplied by a factor taking into account the number abstractable H atoms.

- d: Rate constant taken equal to that of the similar reaction of toluene proposed by Seta et al. [58].
- Rate constant taken equal to that proposed by Touchard et al. [37] in the case of allylic radicals. e:
- Rate constant taken equal to that used for the similar reaction of benzyl radicals [54]. f:
- Rate constant taken equal to that of the similar reaction for ethylene proposed by Baulch *et al.* [57]. Rate constant taken equal to that proposed by Manion and Louw [59] for the same reaction for phenol. g:
- h:
- i:
- Rate constant taken equal to that of the similar reaction in the case of toluene [8] with A-factor multiplied by a factor taking into account j: the number abstractable H atoms.
- k: Rate constant taken equal to that of the similar reaction in the case of toluene [8].

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