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Atmospheric fate of organosulfates through gas-phase and aqueous-phase reaction with hydroxyl radicals: implications in inorganic sulfate formation

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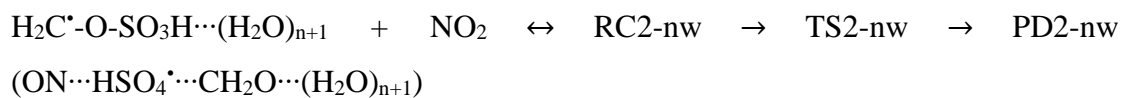
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Table S1: Electronic energy changes (ΔE) and Gibbs free energy changes (ΔG) for all intermediate species in the reaction of $\text{H}_2\text{C}^{\bullet}\text{-O-SO}_3\text{H}\cdots(\text{H}_2\text{O})_{n+1}$ with NO_2 . Energy units are kcal mol^{-1} . “RC” stands for intermediate reactant complex, “TS” stands for transition state, “PD” stands for product, “w” stands for water.



<i>Species</i>	ΔG	ΔE
n = 1		
RC2-1w	-54.85	-63.59
TS2-1w	18.55	11.94
PD2-1w	-52.45	-55.63
n = 2		
RC2-2w	-53.57	-63.48
TS2-2w	20.90	17.20
PD2-2w	-52.45	-54.56

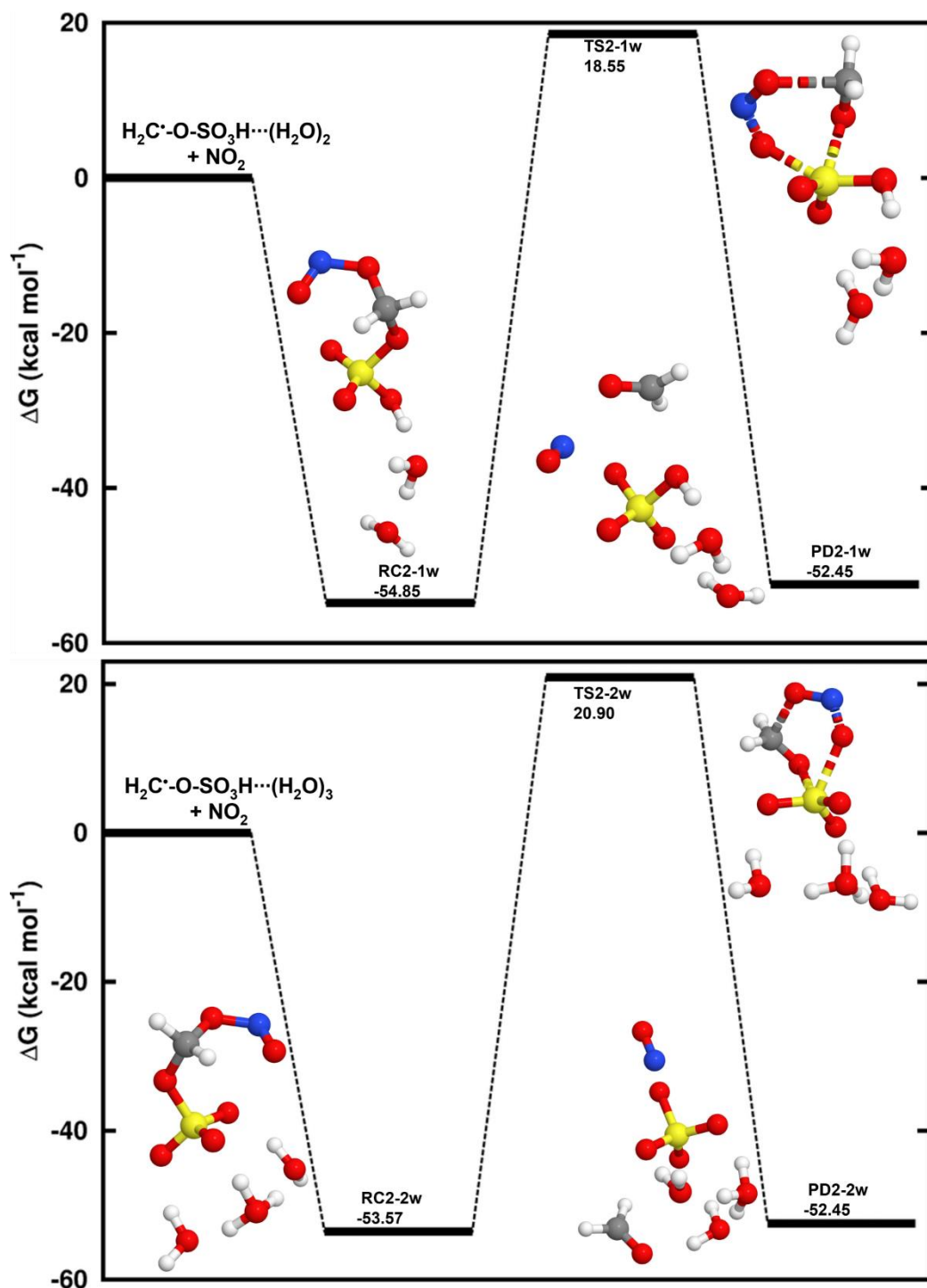


Figure S1 Gibbs free energy changes (in kcal mol^{-1}) and optimized structures of all stationary states in the reaction of $\text{H}_2\text{C}^\bullet\text{-O-SO}_3\text{H}\cdots(\text{H}_2\text{O})_{2-3}$ with NO_2 . The sulfur atom is in yellow, the oxygen atom is in red, the nitrogen atom is in blue, the carbon atom is in gray, and the hydrogen atom is in white. “RC” stands for intermediate reactant complex, “TS” stands for transition state, “PD” stands for product, “nw” stands for the number of added water molecules to the reaction of methyl sulfate with HO^\bullet radicals.

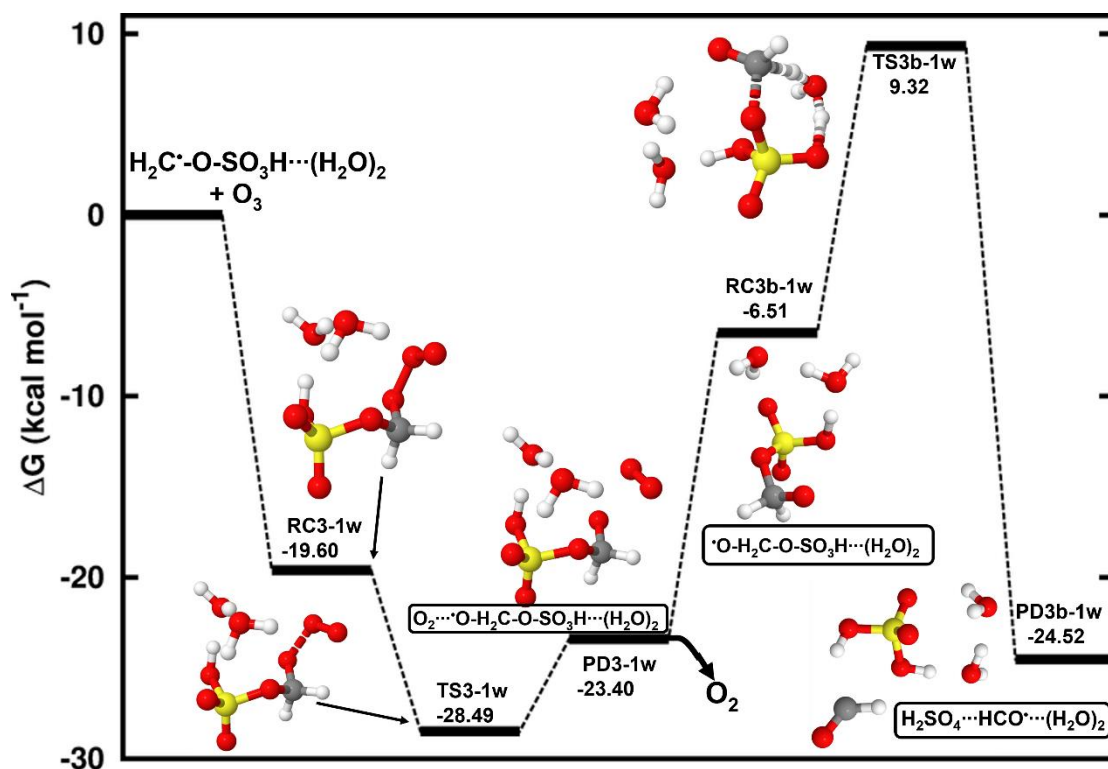


Figure S2 Gibbs free energy changes (in kcal mol⁻¹) and optimized structures for all intermediates in the reaction of H₂C[•]-O-SO₃H[•]·(H₂O)₂ with O₃. The sulfur atom is in yellow, the oxygen atom is in red, the nitrogen atom is in blue, the carbon atom is in gray, and the hydrogen atom is in white.

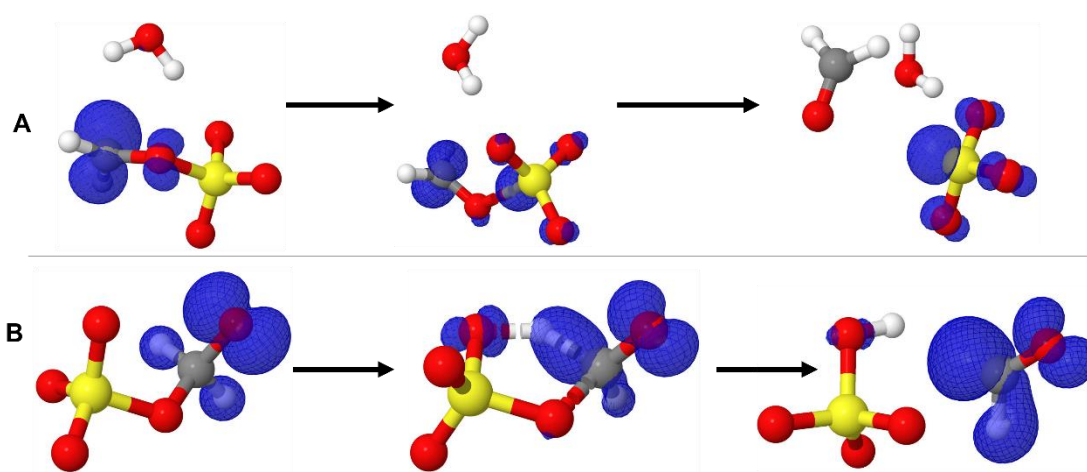


Figure S3 Representation of the spin density (blue color) on the electronic states of the decomposition of (A) H₂C[•]-O-SO₃[•] and (B) [•]O-H₂C-O-SO₃[•]. From left to right are the reactant, transition state and product complex, respectively. The sulfur atom is in yellow, the oxygen atom is in red, the nitrogen atom is in blue, the carbon atom is in gray, and the hydrogen atom is in white.

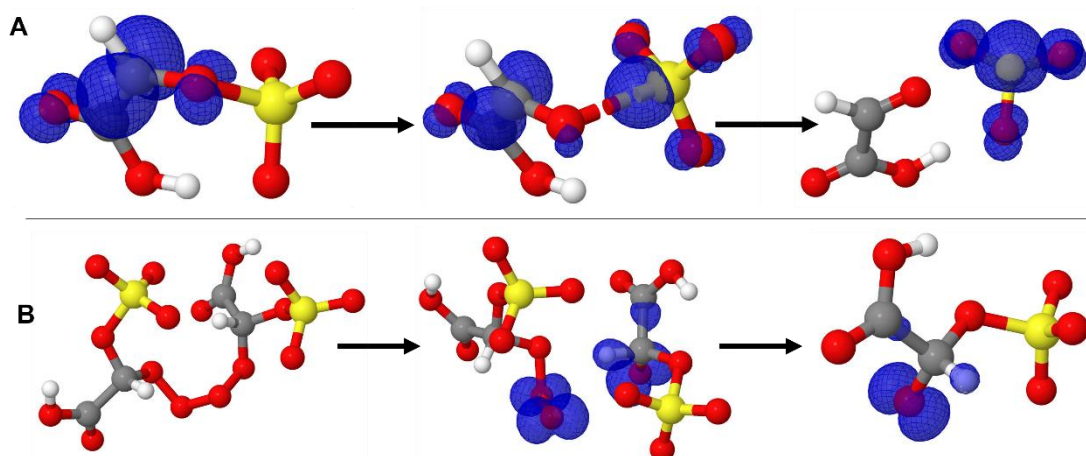


Figure S4 Representation of the spin density (blue color) on the electronic states of the decomposition of (A) $\text{HOOC-CH}^\bullet\text{-O-SO}_3^-$ (where from left to right are the reactant, transition state and the product complex, respectively) and (B) $\text{O}_3^\bullet\text{S-O-CH(COOH)-OO-OO-CH(COOH)-O-SO}_3^-$ (where from left to right are the singlet state, triplet state and the decomposition product, respectively). The sulfur atom is in yellow, the oxygen atom is in red, the nitrogen atom is in blue, the carbon atom is in gray, and the hydrogen atom is in white.