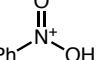
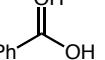
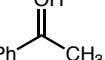
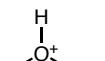
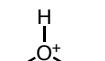
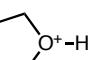
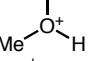
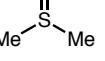
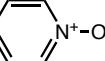
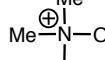
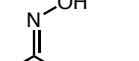
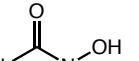
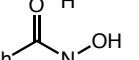
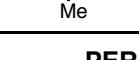
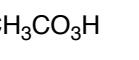
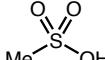
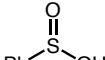
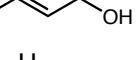


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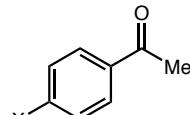
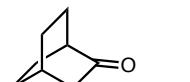
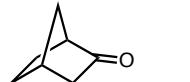
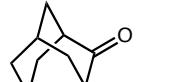
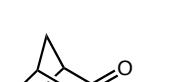
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<b>INORGANIC ACIDS</b>			<b>CARBOXYLIC ACIDS</b>			<b>ALCOHOLS</b>			<b>PROTONATED SPECIES</b>		
H <sub>2</sub> O	15.7	(32)		4.76 (12.3)		HOH	15.7	(31.2)		-12.4	
H <sub>3</sub> O <sup>+</sup>	-1.7		X=CH <sub>3</sub>			MeOH	15.5	(27.9)		-7.8	
H <sub>2</sub> S	7.00		CH <sub>2</sub> NO <sub>2</sub>	1.68		i-PrOH	16.5	(29.3)		-6.2	
HBr	-9.00	(0.9)	CH <sub>2</sub> F	2.66		t-BuOH	17.0	(29.4)		-6.5	
HCl	-8.0	(1.8)	CH <sub>2</sub> Cl	2.86		c-hex <sub>3</sub> COH	24.0			-3.8	
HF	3.17	(15)	CH <sub>2</sub> Br	2.86		CF <sub>3</sub> CH <sub>2</sub> OH	12.5	(23.5)		-2.05	
HOCl	7.5		CH <sub>2</sub> I	3.12		(CF <sub>3</sub> ) <sub>2</sub> CHOH	9.3	(18.2)		-2.2	
HClO <sub>4</sub>	-10		CHCl <sub>2</sub>	1.29		C <sub>6</sub> H <sub>5</sub> OH	9.95	(18.0)		-1.8	
HCN	9.4	(12.9)	CCl <sub>3</sub>	0.65		m-O <sub>2</sub> NC <sub>6</sub> H <sub>4</sub> OH	8.4			0.79	(+1.63)
HN <sub>3</sub>	4.72	(7.9)	CF <sub>3</sub>	-0.25		p-O <sub>2</sub> NC <sub>6</sub> H <sub>4</sub> OH	7.1	(10.8)		(+5.55)	
HSCN	4.00		H	3.77		2-naphthol		(17.1)			
H <sub>2</sub> SO <sub>3</sub>	1.9, 7.21		HO	3.6, 10.3		<b>OXIMES &amp; HYDROXAMIC ACIDS</b>					
H <sub>2</sub> SO <sub>4</sub>	-3.0, 1.99		C <sub>6</sub> H <sub>5</sub>	4.2 (11.1)			11.3	(20.1)			
H <sub>3</sub> PO <sub>4</sub>	2.12, 7.21, 12.32		o-O <sub>2</sub> NC <sub>6</sub> H <sub>4</sub>	2.17			8.88	(13.7)			
HNO <sub>3</sub>	-1.3		m-O <sub>2</sub> NC <sub>6</sub> H <sub>4</sub>	2.45				(NH)			
HNO <sub>2</sub>	3.29		p-O <sub>2</sub> NC <sub>6</sub> H <sub>4</sub>	3.44				(18.5)			
H <sub>2</sub> CrO <sub>4</sub>	-0.98, 6.50		o-ClC <sub>6</sub> H <sub>4</sub>	2.94		<b>PEROXIDES</b>					
CH <sub>3</sub> SO <sub>3</sub> H	-2.6 (1.6)		m-ClC <sub>6</sub> H <sub>4</sub>	3.83			11.5				
CF <sub>3</sub> SO <sub>3</sub> H	-14 (0.3)		p-ClC <sub>6</sub> H <sub>4</sub>	3.99			8.2				
NH <sub>4</sub> Cl	9.24		o-(CH <sub>3</sub> ) <sub>3</sub> N <sup>+</sup> C <sub>6</sub> H <sub>4</sub>	1.37			-2.6				
B(OH) <sub>3</sub>	9.23		p-(CH <sub>3</sub> ) <sub>3</sub> N <sup>+</sup> C <sub>6</sub> H <sub>4</sub>	3.43			2.1				
HOOH	11.6		p-OMeC <sub>6</sub> H <sub>4</sub>	4.47							
											
			R= H	4.25							
			trans-CO <sub>2</sub> H	3.02, 4.38							
			cis-CO <sub>2</sub> H	1.92, 6.23							

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<b>HYDROCARBONS</b>														
(Me) <sub>3</sub> CH	53		t-BuO-C(=O)Me	24.5 (30.3)		Me-C(=O)X								
(Me) <sub>2</sub> CH <sub>2</sub>	51		t-BuO-C(=O)Ph	(23.6)		X = H	(26.5)		X = H	(24.7)				
CH <sub>2</sub> =CH <sub>2</sub>	50		EtO-C(=O)-N <sup>+</sup> Me <sub>3</sub>	(20.0)		Ph	(19.8)		OMe	(25.7)				
CH <sub>4</sub>	48	(56)	EtO-C(=O)-C(=O)Me	11 (14.2)		SPh	(18.7)		NMe <sub>2</sub>	(27.5)				
△	46		MeO-C(=O)-C(=O)OMe	13 (15.7)		COCH <sub>3</sub>	(13.3)		Br	(23.8)				
CH <sub>2</sub> =CHCH <sub>3</sub>	43 (44)		MeO-C(=O)-S-C(=O)Me	(20.9)		SO <sub>2</sub> Ph	(12.5)		CN	(22.0)				
PhH	43		LiO-C(=O)-Ph	[30.2 (THF)]										
PhCH <sub>3</sub>	41 (43)								n = 4	(25.1)				
Ph <sub>2</sub> CH <sub>2</sub>	33.5 (32.2)								5	(25.8)				
Ph <sub>3</sub> CH	31.5 (30.6)								6	(26.4)				
HCC <sub>H</sub>	24								7	(27.7)				
PhCCH	23 (28.8)								8	(27.4)				
XC <sub>6</sub> H <sub>4</sub> CH <sub>3</sub>			<b>AMIDES</b>											
X = p-CN		(30.8)				X = H	(24.7)							
p-NO <sub>2</sub>		(20.4)				CH <sub>3</sub>	(24.4)			(28.1)				
p-COPh		(26.9)				Ph	(17.7)							
Me-C(=O)cyclopentadiene-Me		(26.1)				COCH <sub>3</sub>	(14.2)			(29.0)				
						COPh	(13.3)							
						CN	(10.2)			(25.5)				
						F	(21.6)							
						OMe	(22.85)							
						OPh	(21.1)							
						SPh	(16.9)							
						SePh	(18.6)							
						NPh <sub>2</sub>	(20.3)							
						N <sup>+</sup> Me <sub>3</sub>	(14.6)							
						NO <sub>2</sub>	(7.7)							
						SO <sub>2</sub> Ph	(11.4)							
H <sub>2</sub>		~36												

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<b>NITRILES</b>				<b>SULFIDES</b>				<b>SULFOXIDES</b>				<b>SULFONES</b>			
X= H			(31.3)	X= Ph			(30.8)	X= H			(35.1)	X= H			(29.0)
CH <sub>3</sub>			(32.5)	CN			(20.8)	Ph			(29.0)	CH <sub>3</sub>			(31.0)
Ph			(21.9)	COCH <sub>3</sub>			(18.7)	SPh			(29.0)	t-Bu			(31.2)
COPh			(10.2)	COPh			(16.9)	NO <sub>2</sub>				Ph			(23.4)
CONR <sub>2</sub>			(17.1)	SPh			(30.8)	SO <sub>2</sub> Ph				CH=CH <sub>2</sub>			(22.5)
CO <sub>2</sub> Et			(13.1)	SO <sub>2</sub> CF <sub>3</sub>			(20.5)	POPh <sub>2</sub>				CH=CHPh			(20.2)
CN	11		(11.1)	MeSCH <sub>2</sub> SO <sub>2</sub> Ph			(23.4)				CCH			(22.1)	
OPh			(28.1)	PhSCHPh <sub>2</sub>			(26.7)				CCPh			(17.8)	
N <sup>+</sup> Me <sub>3</sub>			(20.6)	(PhS) <sub>3</sub> CH			(22.8)				COPh			(11.4)	
SPh			(20.8)	(PrS) <sub>3</sub> CH			(31.3)				COMe			(12.5)	
SO <sub>2</sub> Ph			(12.0)				(30.5)				OPh			(27.9)	
<b>HETERO-AROMATICS</b>							(23.0)				N <sup>+</sup> Me <sub>3</sub>			(19.4)	
			(28.2)								CN			(12.0)	
			(30.1)								NO <sub>2</sub>			(7.1)	
			(26.7)	X= Ph			(30.7)				SMe			(23.5)	
			(25.2)	CO <sub>2</sub> Me			(20.8)				SPh			(20.5)	
			(30.2)	CN			(19.1)				SO <sub>2</sub> Ph			(12.2)	
			(30.0)	RSCH <sub>2</sub> CN							PPh <sub>2</sub>			(20.2)	
				R= Me			(24.3)							(22.3)	
				Et			(24.0)							(31.1)	
				i-Pr			(23.6)							(18.8)	
				t-Bu			(22.9)							(21.8)	
				PhSCH=CHCH <sub>2</sub> SPh			(26.3)							(26.6)	
				BuSH		10-11	(17.0)							(32.8)	
				PhSH		≈7	(10.3)	PhS							(32.8)
								PhS				(PhSO <sub>2</sub> ) <sub>2</sub> CH <sub>2</sub> Me			(14.3)

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<b>ETHERS</b>																	
<b>PHOSPHONIUM</b>																	
CH <sub>3</sub> OPh		(49)		P <sup>+</sup> H <sub>4</sub>		-14		RNO <sub>2</sub>				DMSO:					
MeOCH <sub>2</sub> SO <sub>2</sub> Ph		(30.7)		MeP <sup>+</sup> H <sub>3</sub>		2.7		R= CH <sub>3</sub>		≈10	(17.2)	JACS <u>97</u> , 7007 (1975)					
PhOCH <sub>2</sub> SO <sub>2</sub> Ph		(27.9)		Et <sub>3</sub> P <sup>+</sup> H		9.1		CH <sub>2</sub> Me			(16.7)	JACS <u>97</u> , 7160 (1975)					
PhOCH <sub>2</sub> CN		(28.1)		Ph <sub>3</sub> P <sup>+</sup> CH <sub>3</sub>		(22.4)		CHMe <sub>2</sub>			(16.9)	JACS <u>97</u> , 442 (1975)					
		(22.85)		Ph <sub>3</sub> P <sup>+</sup> i-Pr		(21.2)		CH <sub>2</sub> Ph			(12.2)	JACS <u>105</u> , 6188 (1983)					
<b>SELENIDES</b>																	
<b>PHOSPONATES &amp; PHOSPHINE OXIDES</b>																	
PhSe		(18.6)		(EtO) <sub>2</sub> P—CH <sub>2</sub> —X								JOC <u>41</u> , 1883 (1976)					
PhSeCHPh <sub>2</sub>		(27.5)		X= Ph		(27.6)		n= 3			(26.9)	JOC <u>41</u> , 1885 (1976)					
(PhSe) <sub>2</sub> CH <sub>2</sub>		(31.3)		CN		(16.4)		4			(17.8)	JOC <u>41</u> , 2786 (1976)					
PhSeCH <sub>2</sub> Ph		(31.0)		CO <sub>2</sub> Et		(18.6)		5			(16.0)	JOC <u>41</u> , 2508 (1976)					
PhSeCH=CHCH <sub>2</sub> SePh		(27.2)		Cl		(26.2)		6			(17.9)	JOC <u>42</u> , 1817 (1977)					
<b>AMMONIUM</b>																	
Me <sub>3</sub> N <sup>+</sup> CH <sub>2</sub> X				SiMe <sub>3</sub>		(28.8)		7			(15.8)	JOC <u>42</u> , 321 (1977)					
X= CN		(20.6)						<b>IMINES</b>				JOC <u>42</u> , 326 (1977)					
SO <sub>2</sub> Ph		(19.4)		X= SPh		(24.9)					(24.3)	JOC <u>43</u> , 3113 (1978)					
COPh		(14.6)		CN		(16.9)						JOC <u>43</u> , 3095 (1978)					
CO <sub>2</sub> Et		(20.0)		<b>PHOSPHINES</b>													
CONEt <sub>2</sub>		(24.9)		Ph <sub>2</sub> PCH <sub>2</sub> PPh <sub>2</sub>		(29.9)						JOC <u>43</u> , 1764 (1978)					
				Ph <sub>2</sub> PCH <sub>2</sub> SO <sub>2</sub> Ph		(20.2)						JOC <u>45</u> , 3325 (1980)					
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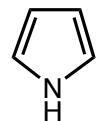
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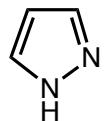
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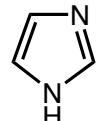
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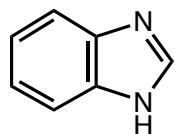
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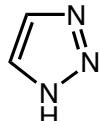
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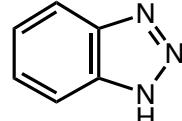
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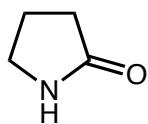
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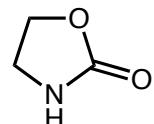
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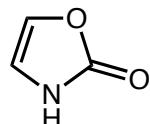
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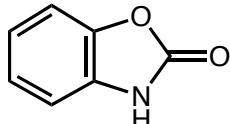
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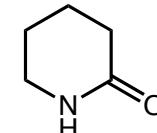
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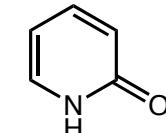
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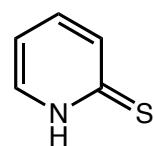
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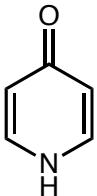
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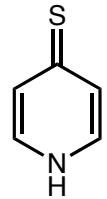
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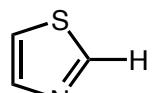
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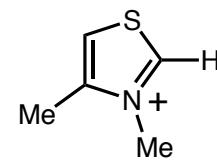
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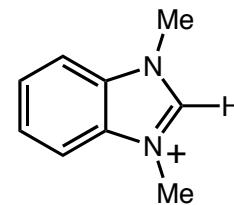
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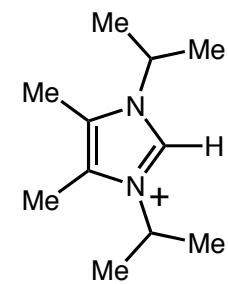
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