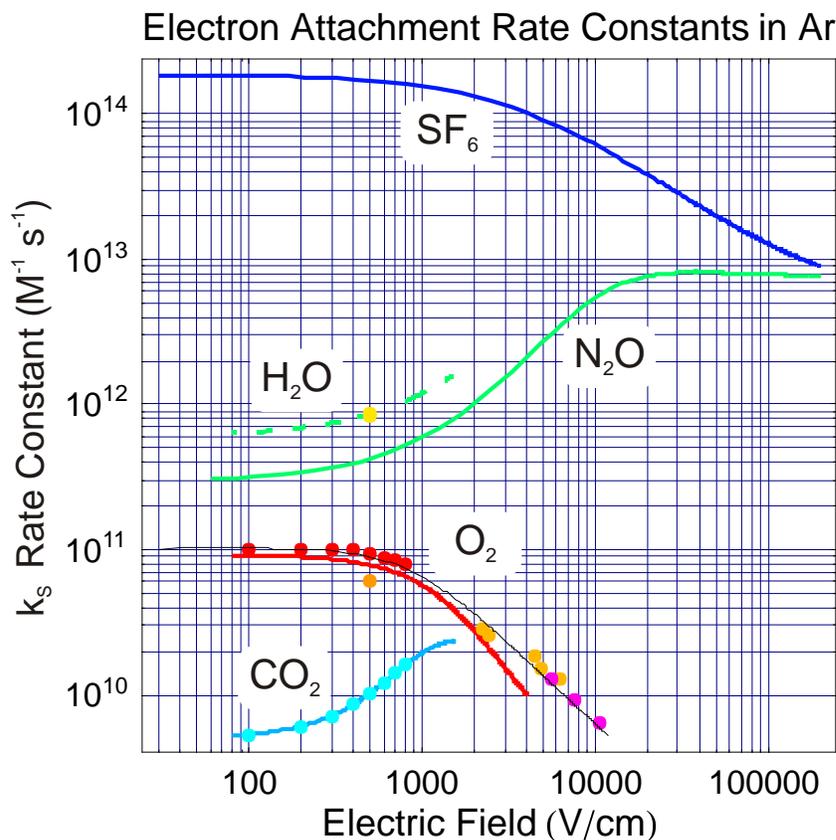


Electron attachment [33, 34, 35, 36]



The solid lines for O_2 , N_2O , and SF_6 are from Bakale, Sowada, and Schmidt [33]; the red points for O_2 and all the points for CO_2 are from Bettini (ICARUS) [34]; for O_2 the orange points are from Aprile, Giboni, and Rubbia [35] (at 500 V/cm) and from Adams, *et al.* [36] (for the points above 2kV/cm), and the magenta points are from Hofmann, *et al.* [37]; and the yellow point for H_2O is from μ BooNE docDB 429-v1 and the dashed curve is the curve for N_2O scaled to this point. The solid black line is a best fit, specified below, to the data for O_2 .

$$Q(t) = Q_0 \text{Exp}(-t / \tau_A)$$

$$\text{with } \tau_A = (k_s n_s)^{-1}$$

k_s is electron attachment rate constant in $M^{-1} s^{-1}$

n_s is molar (M) solute concentration in LAr

$$1 \text{ M} = 2.503 \times 10^{-8} \rho_{LIQUID}(T) \times \text{ppb}$$

the attachment rate constant depends on electric field

$$k_s = \frac{p_0 + p_1 E + p_2 E^2}{1 + q_1 E + q_2 E^2 + q_3 E^3}$$

$$\text{with } p_0 = 348.066 \quad p_1 = 44068.9 \quad p_2 = 27.3268$$

$$q_1 = 4351.98 \quad q_2 = 1.88415 \quad q_3 = 0.00478478$$

E is in V / cm