

## SUPPLEMENTARY MATERIAL

for

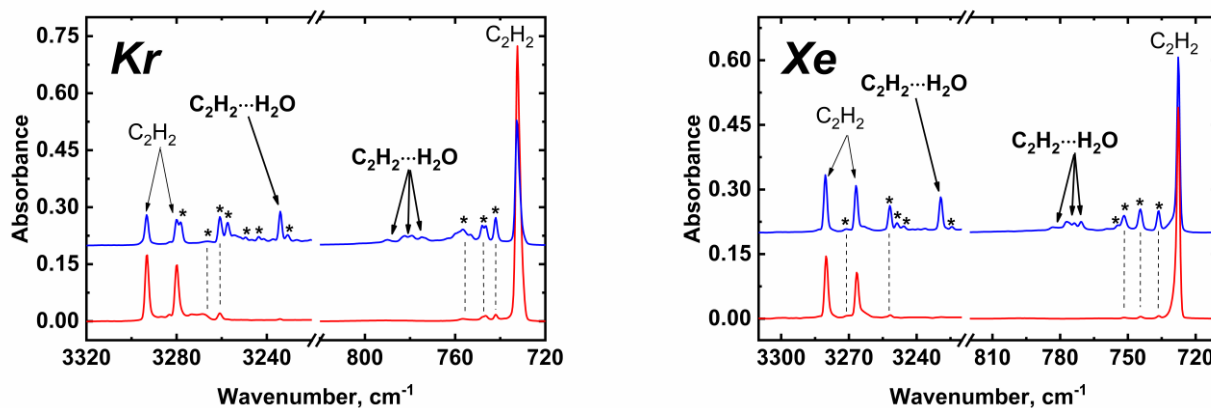
### Radiation-induced chemistry in the $C_2H_2-H_2O$ system at cryogenic temperatures: a matrix isolation study

Pavel V. Zasimov<sup>1</sup>, Sergey V. Ryazantsev<sup>2,1</sup>, Daniil A. Tyurin<sup>1</sup>, Vladimir I. Feldman<sup>1\*</sup>

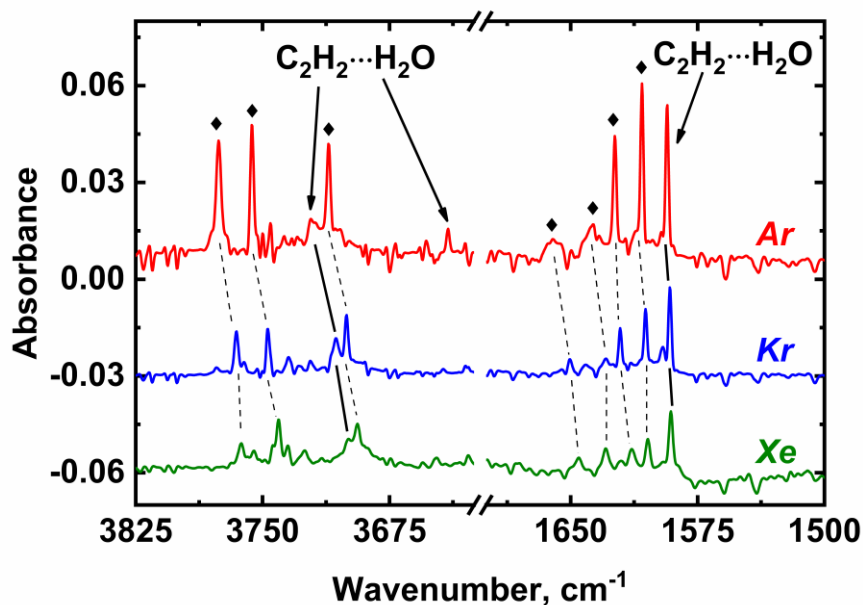
<sup>1</sup> Department of Chemistry, Lomonosov Moscow State University, 119991 Moscow, Russia

<sup>2</sup> Center for Energy Science and Technology, Skolkovo Institute of Science and Technology, 121205 Moscow, Russia

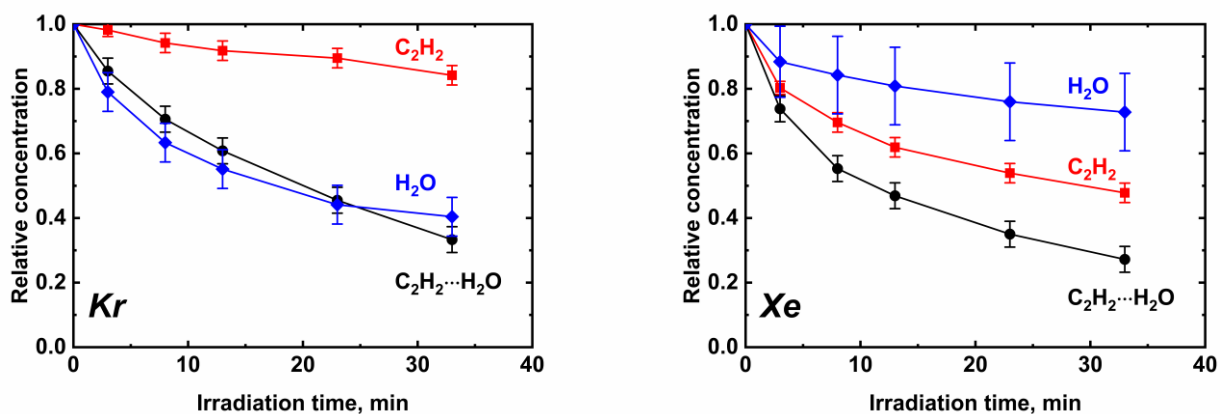
\*E-mail: feldman@rad.chem.msu.ru



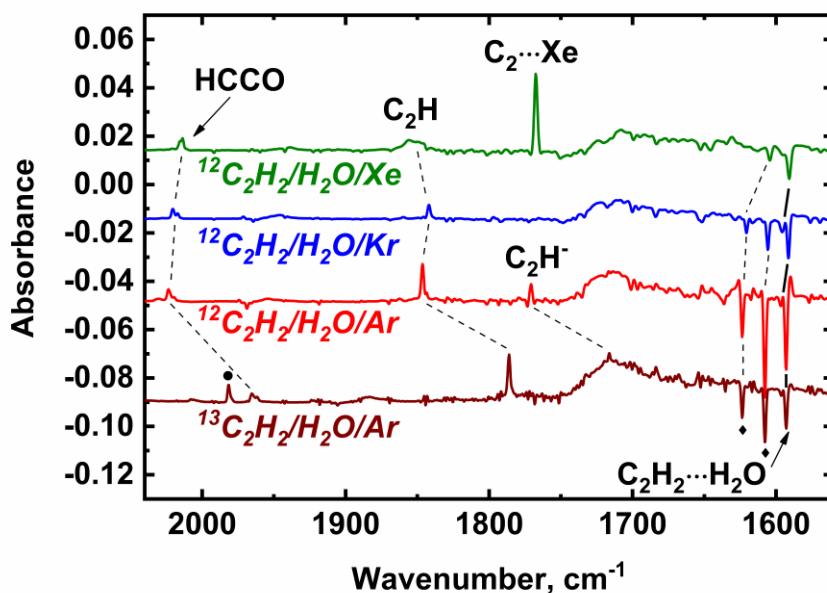
**Figure S1.** Fragments of FTIR spectra of the deposited  $^{12}C_2H_2/H_2O/Ng$  1:1:1000 (upper traces) and  $^{12}C_2H_2/Ng$  1:1000 (lower traces) matrices. Ng = Kr (left panel) or Xe (right panel). Spectra were recorded at 5 K. Absorptions due to acetylene associates ( $((^{12}C_2H_2)_n)$ ) are marked with asterisks.



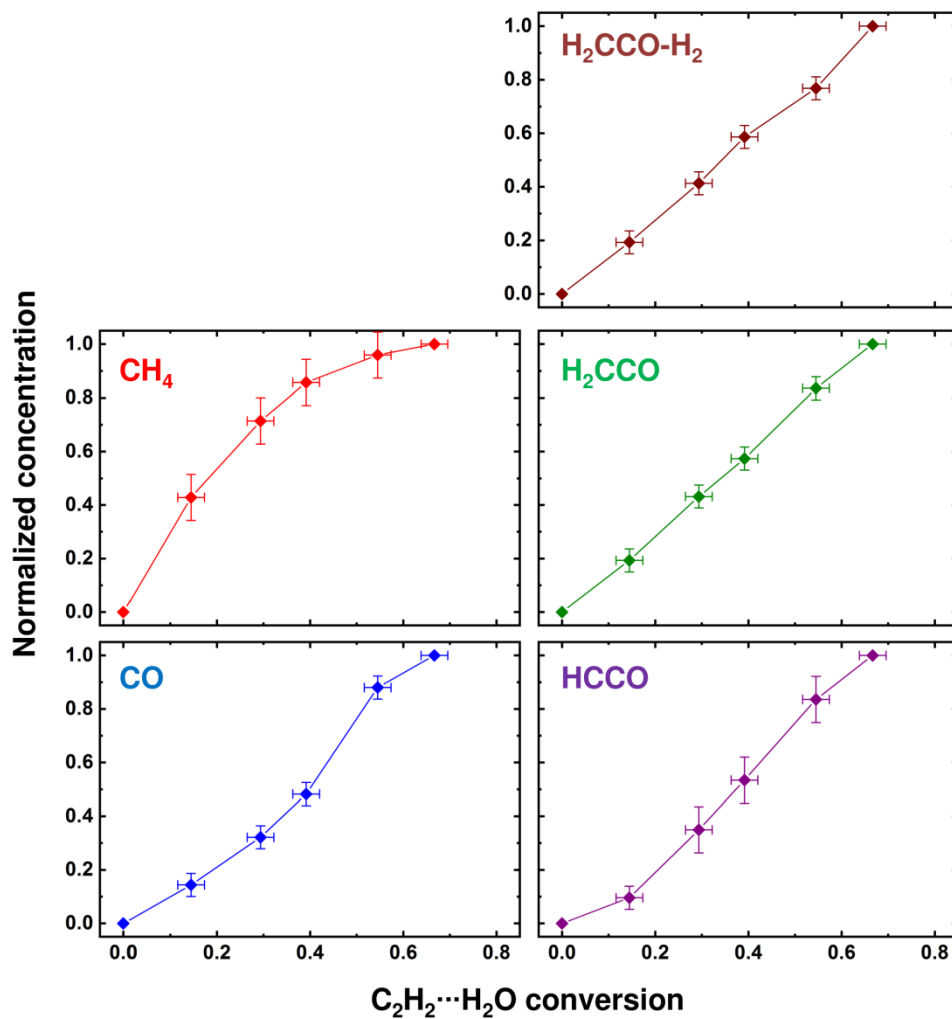
**Figure S2.** Fragments of FTIR spectra of the deposited  $^{12}\text{C}_2\text{H}_2/\text{H}_2\text{O}/\text{Ng}$  1:1:1000 matrices. Ng = Ar, Kr, and Xe. Spectra were recorded at 5 K. Absorptions due to matrix-isolated  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  molecules (multiple bands are due to hindered rotation) are marked with diamonds.



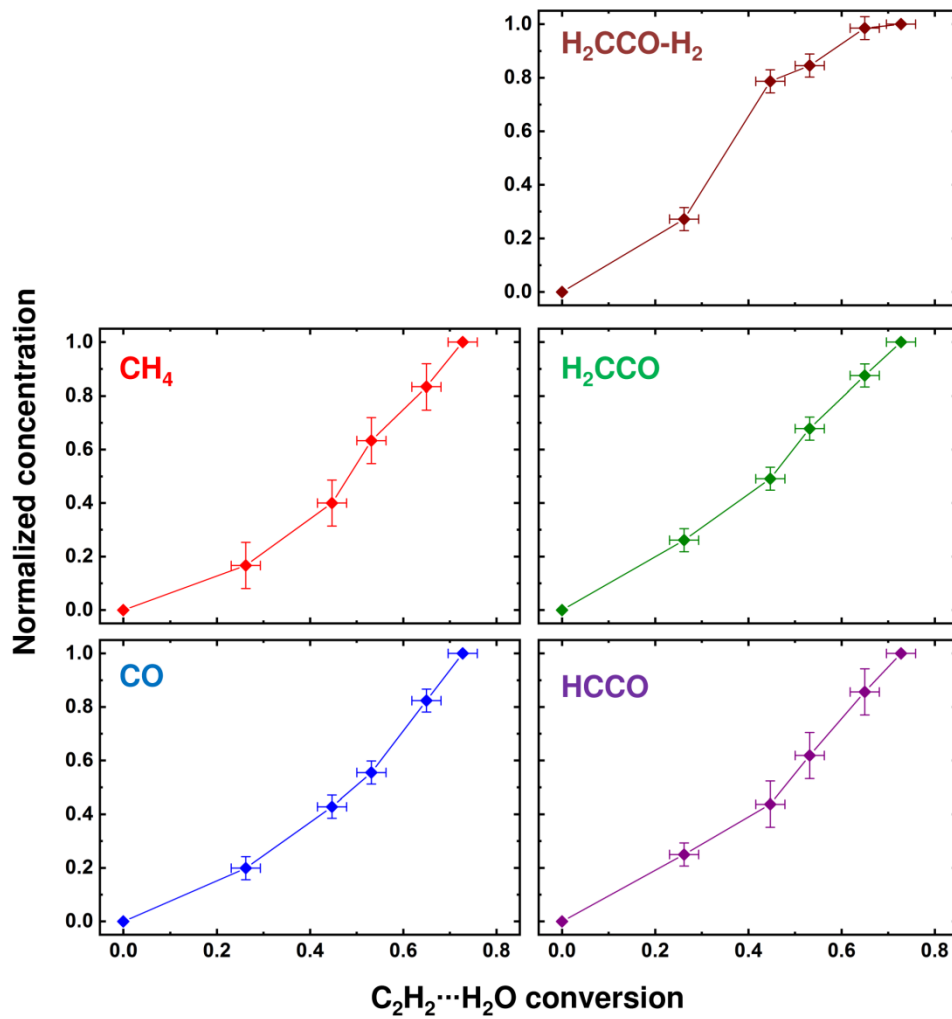
**Figure S3.** Kinetics of radiation-induced decay of  $\text{C}_2\text{H}_2$  and  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  isolated molecules and  $\text{C}_2\text{H}_2\cdots\text{H}_2\text{O}$  complexes in Kr (left panel) and Xe (right panel) matrices.



**Figure S4.** Fragments of the difference FTIR spectra of the  $C_2H_2/H_2O/Ng$  1:1:1000 samples ( $Ng = Ar, Kr, \text{ and } Xe$ ) showing the result of  $X$ -irradiation (all spectra represent the samples irradiated to a maximum dose in each experiment). Spectra were recorded at 5 K. Absorptions due to matrix-isolated  $H_2O$  molecules (multiple bands are due to hindered rotation) are marked with diamonds. Absorption due to  $^{13}C_4H$  is marked with a bullet. Please note that the broad “hump”-like feature in  $1740\text{--}1710\text{ cm}^{-1}$  is not related to the sample, but is an external artefact (see e.g. Saenko E. V., Feldman V. I., 2016, *Phys. Chem. Chem. Phys.*, 18, 47, 32503).



**Figure S5.** Build-up profiles of CH<sub>4</sub>, CO, H<sub>2</sub>CCO, HCCO, and H<sub>2</sub>CCO-H<sub>2</sub> generated under radiolysis of C<sub>2</sub>H<sub>2</sub>/H<sub>2</sub>O/Kr 1:1:1000 sample.



**Figure S6.** Build-up profiles of  $\text{CH}_4$ ,  $\text{CO}$ ,  $\text{H}_2\text{CCO}$ ,  $\text{HCCO}$ , and  $\text{H}_2\text{CCO-H}_2$  generated under radiolysis of  $\text{C}_2\text{H}_2/\text{H}_2\text{O}/\text{Xe}$  1:1:1000 sample.

**Table S1.** Optimized molecular geometries and corresponding energies for H<sub>2</sub>, H<sub>2</sub>CCO and H<sub>2</sub>CCO⋯H<sub>2</sub> complex obtained via CCSD(T) calculations employing the L2a\_3 basis set.\*

Atomic number	Cartesian coordinates			Energy, a.u.	
	x	y	z		
<b>H<sub>2</sub></b>					
1	0.00000000	0.00000000	0.37175183	-1.173088	
1	0.00000000	0.00000000	-0.37175183		
<b>H<sub>2</sub>CCO</b>					
8	0.00000000	0.00000000	1.93082680	-152.391771	
6	0.00000000	0.00000000	0.76666209		
6	-0.00000000	-0.00000000	-0.55017819		
1	0.94212439	0.00000000	-1.07365535		
1	-0.94212439	-0.00000000	-1.07365535		
<b>H<sub>2</sub>CCO⋯H<sub>2</sub>: Structure I</b>					
6	0.21512513	1.35710562	0.00000000	-153.565797	
6	-0.76847350	0.48211384	-0.00000000		
1	0.60622507	1.70490635	0.94234699		
1	0.60622507	1.70490635	-0.94234699		
8	-1.63724335	-0.29326653	-0.00000000		
1	0.85610678	-2.53918224	0.00000000		
1	0.12203480	-2.41658342	0.00000000		
<b>H<sub>2</sub>CCO⋯H<sub>2</sub>: Structure II</b>					
6	1.14656962	-0.38236892	0.00000000		-153.565858
6	0.60650334	0.81845738	0.00000000		
1	0.49959983	-1.24439056	0.00000000		
1	2.22045877	-0.47427645	-0.00000000		
8	0.12811635	1.87996015	0.00000000		
1	-2.30280091	-0.67076974	0.00000000		
1	-2.29844701	0.07338813	0.00000000		

\***Calculation details:** molecular geometries were fully optimized at the CCSD(T)/L2a\_3 level (with only the valence electron are correlated; tolerance of gradient:  $10^{-7}$  a.u.) using a PRIRODA code. More details of the calculation procedure could be found elsewhere (Sosulin I. S., Shiryayeva E. S., Tyurin D. A., Feldman V. I., 2018, J. Phys. Chem. A, 122, 16, 4042).