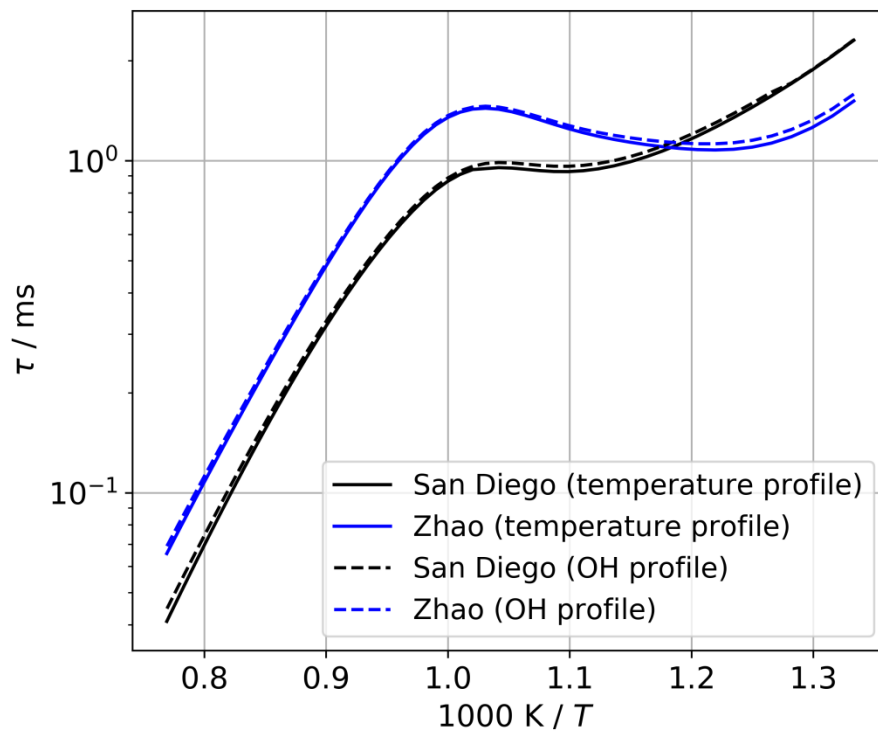


## Supplementary Material

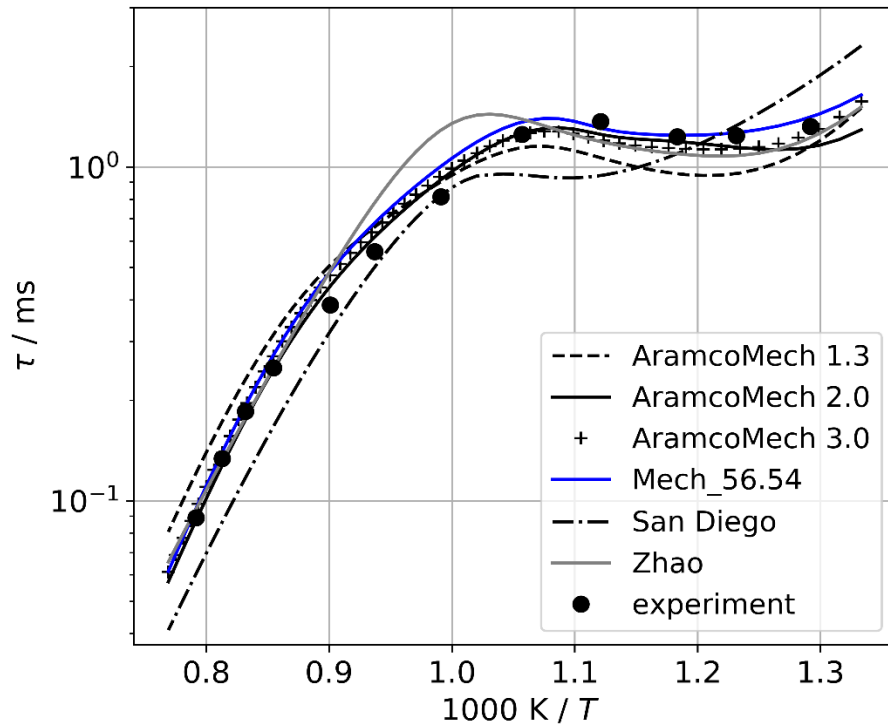
**Exact measurement conditions and corresponding ignition delay times obtained in the high-pressure shock tube study**

Mixture M1: 6.431% DME, 19.378% O <sub>2</sub> , 74.191% N <sub>2</sub> (φ=0.996)			
T (K)	P (bar)	τ (ms)	τ <sub>1st</sub> (ms)
686.9	33.31	3.1328	0.8124
723.3	37.89	1.1424	
736.9	34.05	0.8972	
796.7	34.37	0.3584	
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830.1	33.58	0.2949	
894.8	35.03	0.2939	
942.5	34.57	0.3420	
993.3	34.90	0.3549	
1002.4	35.19	0.3105	
1057.2	35.67	0.2734	0.2046
Mixture M2: 6.408% DME, 19.186% O <sub>2</sub> , 74.406% CO <sub>2</sub> (φ=1.002)			
T (K)	P (bar)	τ (ms)	τ <sub>1st</sub> (ms)
720.6	35.74	1.2709	0.6016
744.7	34.31	0.8036	
801.1	35.11	0.4612	
863.8	32.18	0.4315	
885.3	34.65	0.4183	
941.4	35.06	0.4101	
995.9	35.24	0.3370	
1054.1	35.90	0.2312	
1104.7	35.47	0.1510	
Mixture M3: 3.914% DME, 11.453% O <sub>2</sub> , 84.633% N <sub>2</sub> (φ=1.025)			
T (K)	P (bar)	τ (ms)	τ <sub>1st</sub> (ms)
845.4	39.92	0.7427	0.1321
949.3	38.97	0.7998	
1120.4	35.90	0.3409	
1211.2	35.43	0.1476	
1259.0	40.28	0.0853	
Mixture M4: 3.929% DME, 11.500% O <sub>2</sub> , 44.599% N <sub>2</sub> , 39.972% CO <sub>2</sub> (φ=1.025)			
T (K)	P (bar)	τ (ms)	τ <sub>1st</sub> (ms)
774.2	38.15	1.3215	0.1829
812.0	36.66	1.2397	
845.0	34.65	1.2318	
892.5	34.14	1.3682	
945.5	34.31	1.2508	
1009.1	35.50	0.8140	
1066.9	35.78	0.5579	
1109.6	35.49	0.3857	
1170.3	36.20	0.2502	
1201.7	34.68	0.1851	

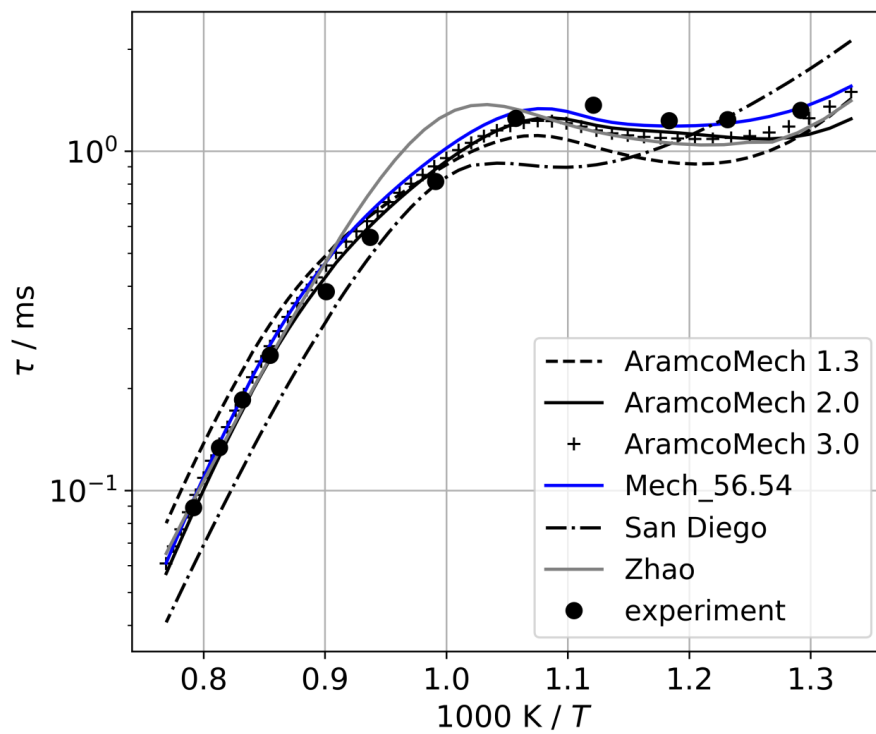
1230.4	37.02	0.1338	
1263.3	33.10	0.0889	
Mixture M4.1: 3.923% DME, 11.488% O <sub>2</sub> , 44.552% N <sub>2</sub> , 40.037% CO <sub>2</sub> ( $\phi=1.024$ )			
T (K)	P (bar)	$\tau$ (ms)	$\tau_{1st}$ (ms)
744.1	49.18	1.1836	0.6635
795.6	50.16	0.8194	0.2230
839.1	49.59	0.7469	0.1128
879.0	47.83	0.7451	0.0965
940.8	49.59	0.6713	0.1419
997.6	50.21	0.5211	
1040.7	49.44	0.4087	
1105.3	50.84	0.2400	
1157.7	51.27	0.1739	
1209.0	52.32	0.0976	
1066.7	14.40	1.5761	
1089.2	16.41	1.1490	
1102.3	15.23	0.9609	
1150.4	15.99	0.7678	
1183.7	14.77	0.4837	
1184.1	16.13	0.4788	
1197.7	15.24	0.4236	
1241.9	15.44	0.2384	
1265.1	14.26	0.1543	
1316.4	15.57	0.0914	
Mixture M5: 2.037% DME, 11.894% O <sub>2</sub> , 46.124% N <sub>2</sub> , 39.945% CO <sub>2</sub> ( $\phi=0.514$ )			
T (K)	P (bar)	$\tau$ (ms)	$\tau_{1st}$ (ms)
1003.9	34.52	1.0576	
1011.4	35.25	1.0482	
1070.0	36.64	0.6792	
1103.9	36.47	0.6811	
1212.0	35.51	0.2524	
1248.5	35.15	0.1466	
1300.2	34.57	0.0873	
Mixture M6: 7.359% DME, 10.788% O <sub>2</sub> , 41.837% N <sub>2</sub> , 40.016% CO <sub>2</sub> ( $\phi=2.046$ )			
T (K)	P (bar)	$\tau$ (ms)	$\tau_{1st}$ (ms)
713.7	33.83	1.6668	
745.6	34.20	0.8809	0.5823
818.1	35.55	0.5596	0.1435
867.8	35.87	0.5228	0.0875
892.0	33.98	0.6777	0.1524
952.3	35.28	0.6349	
1001.3	35.03	0.5382	
1038.2	34.02	0.4296	
1097.1	33.39	0.3012	
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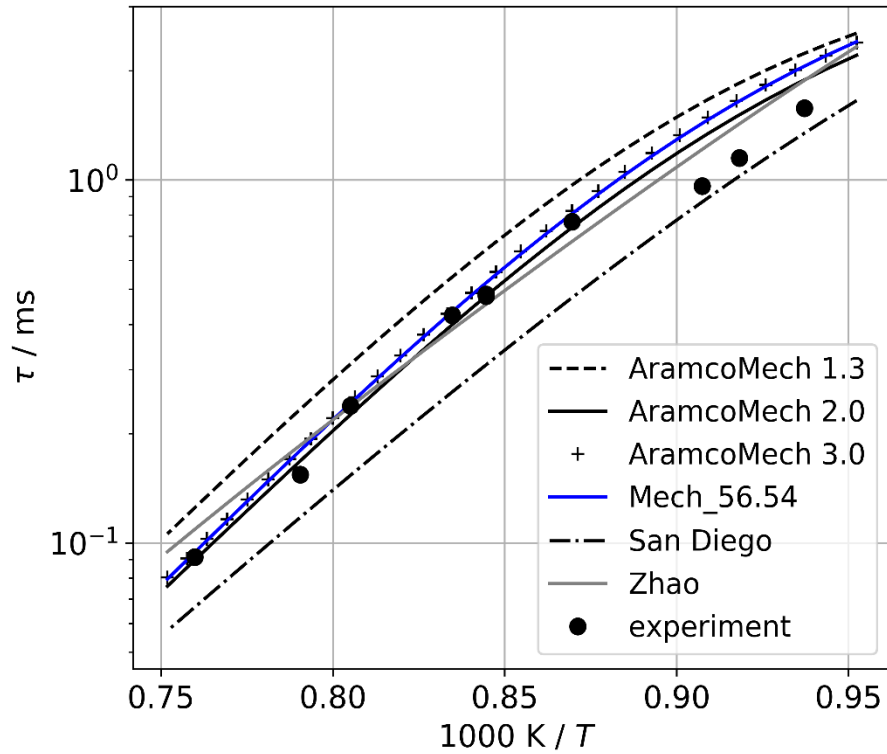
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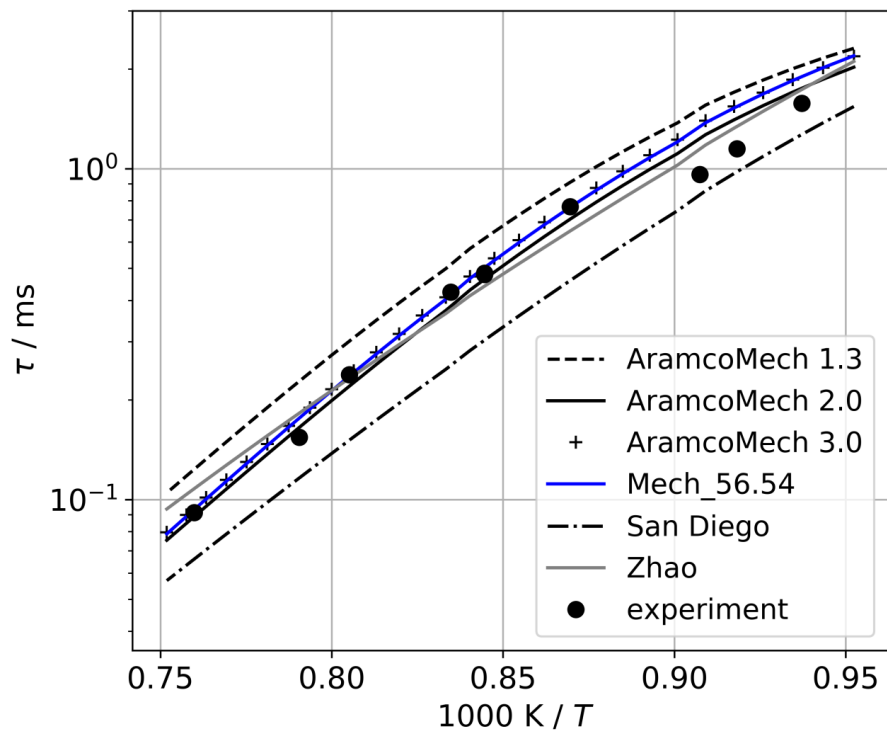
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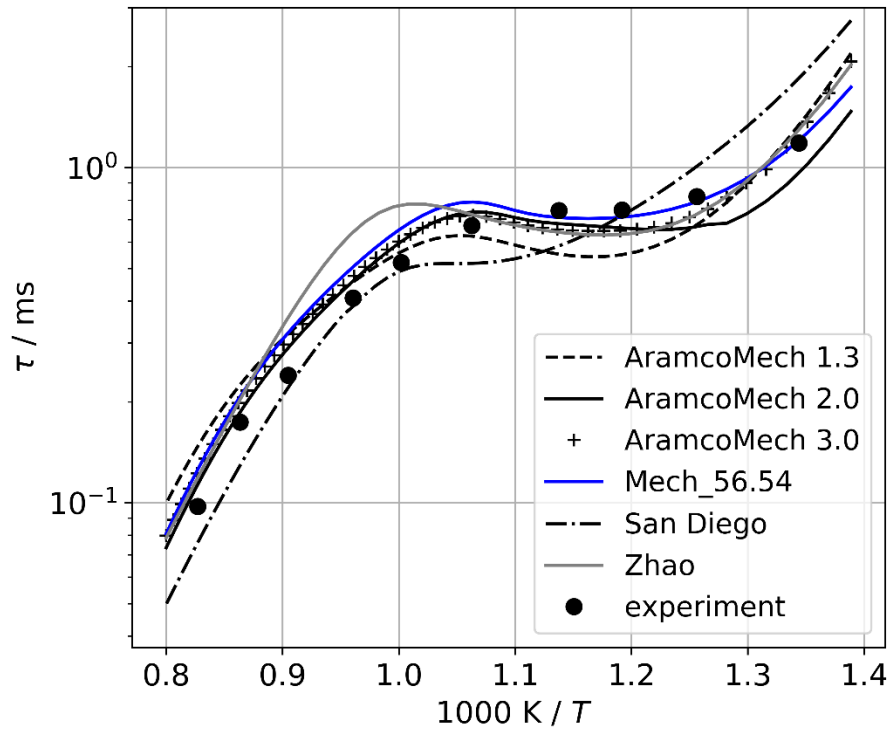
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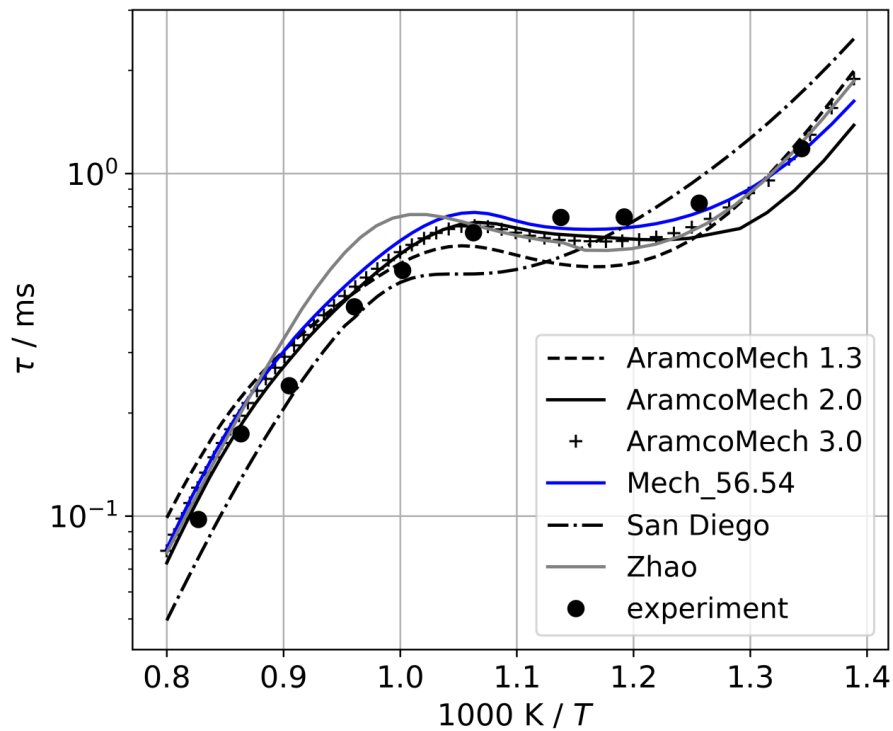
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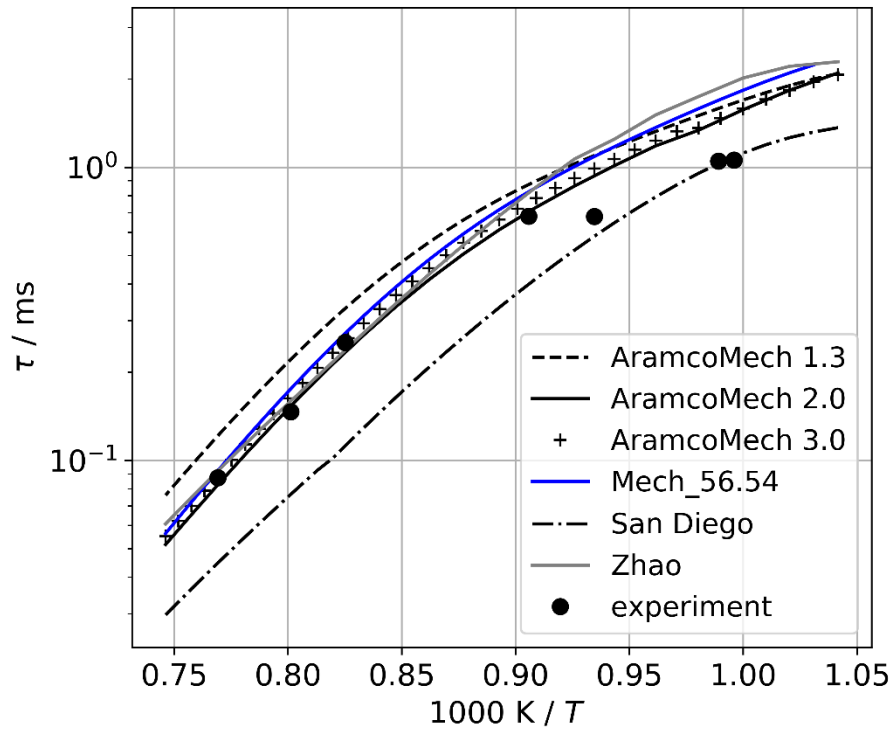
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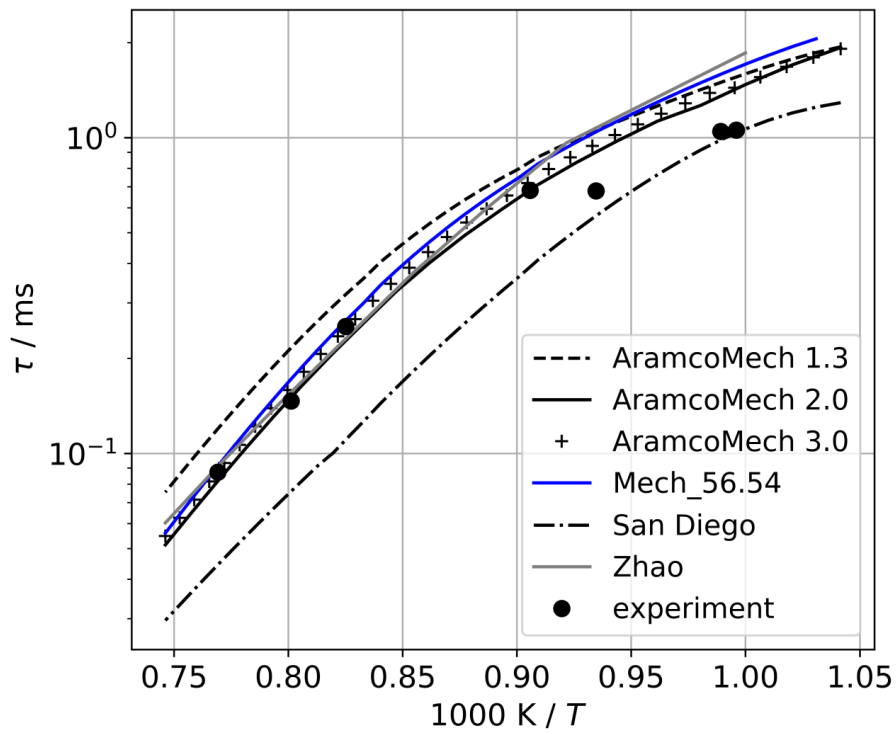
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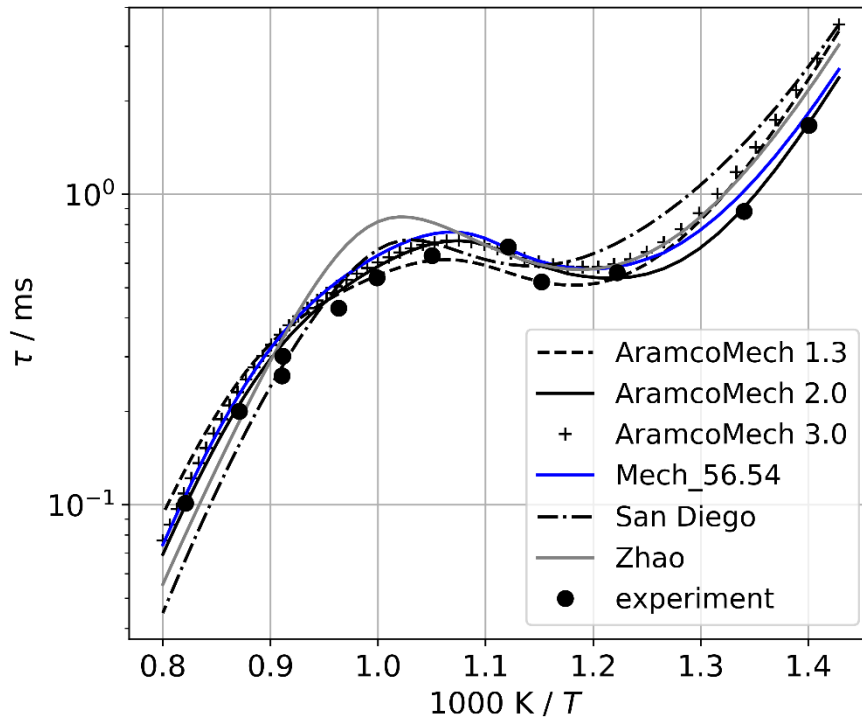
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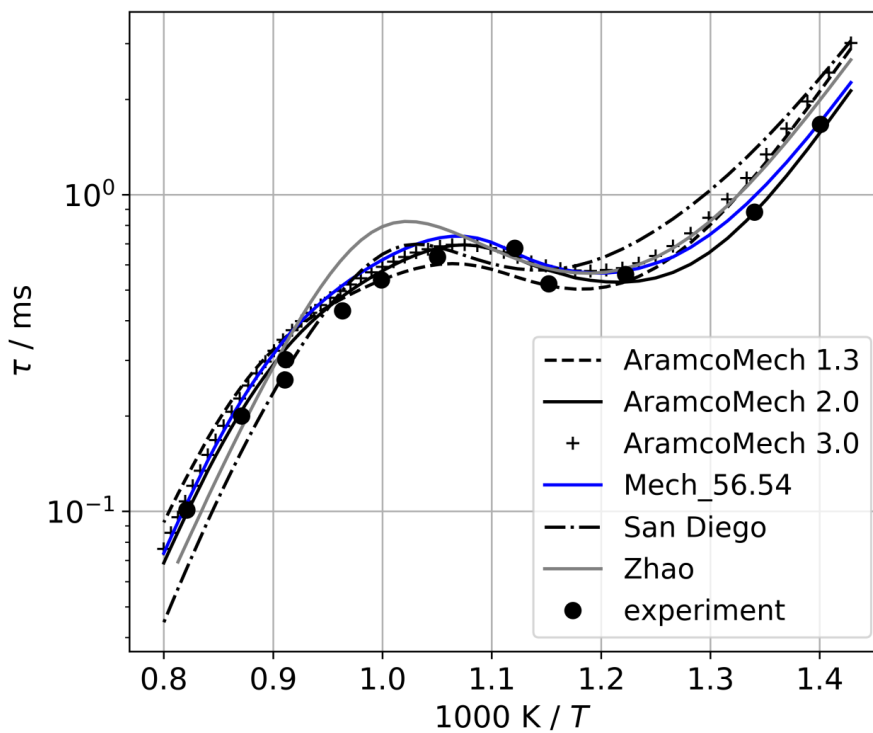
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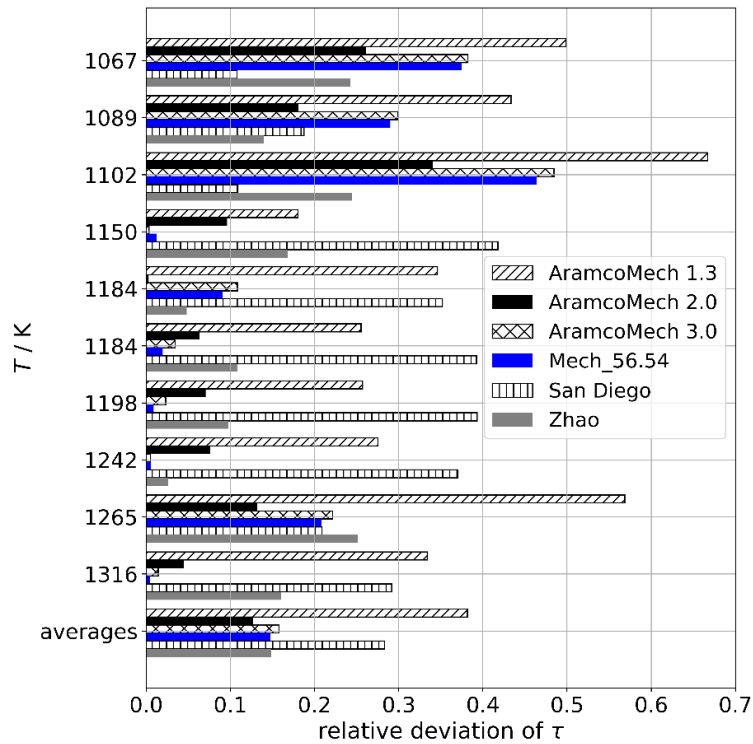


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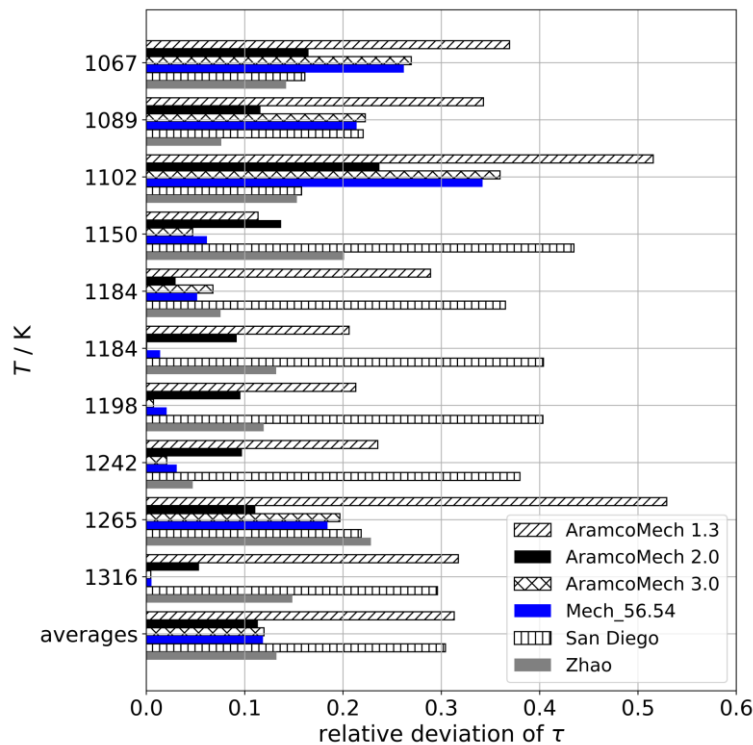


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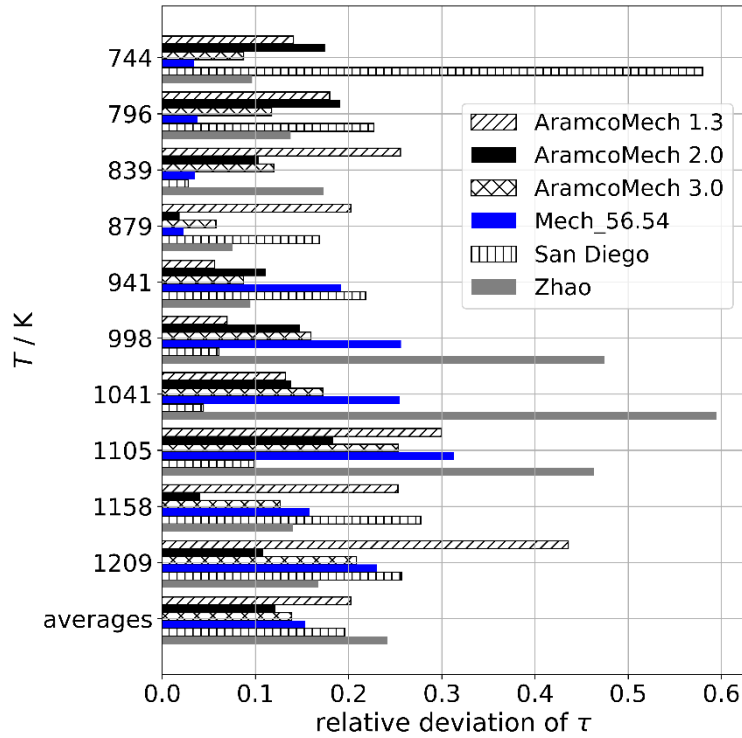




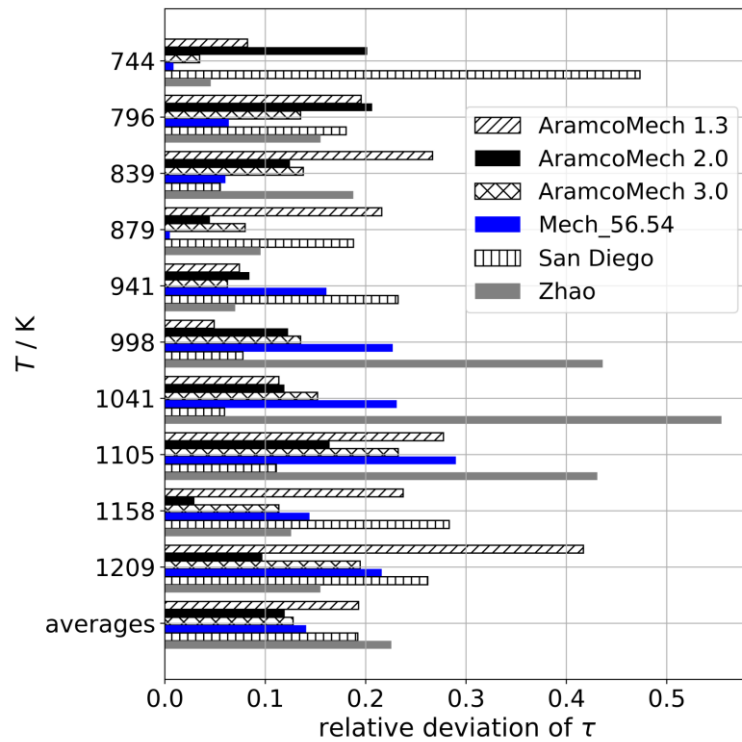
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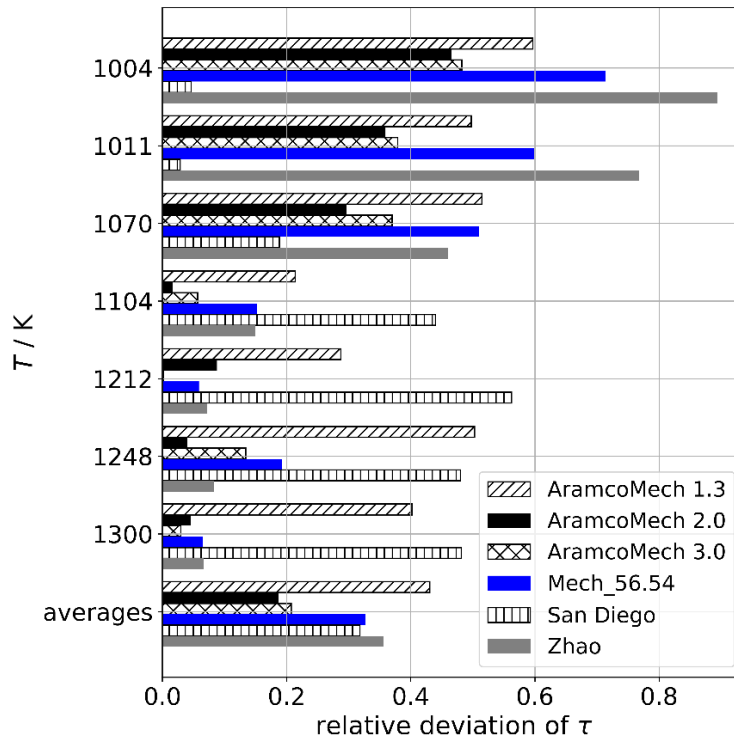
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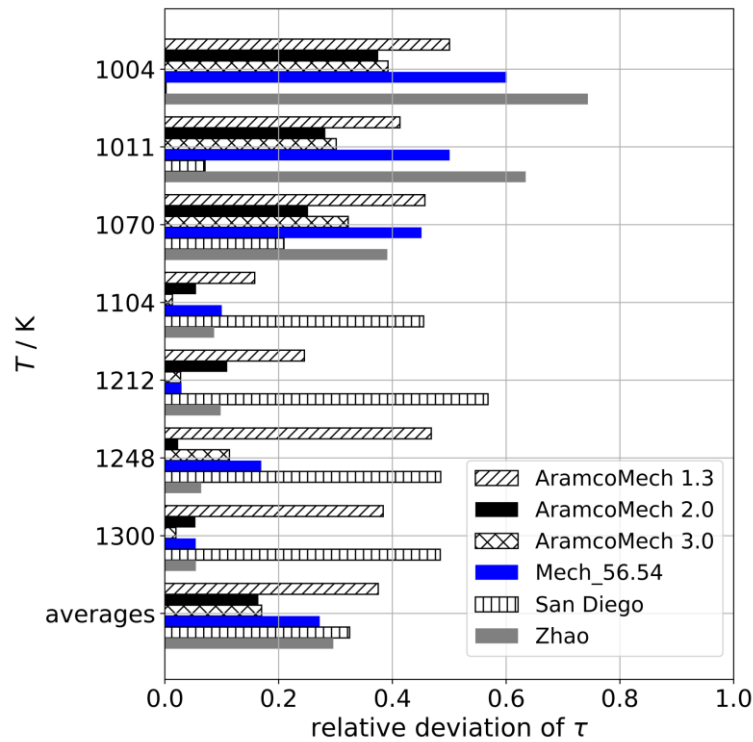
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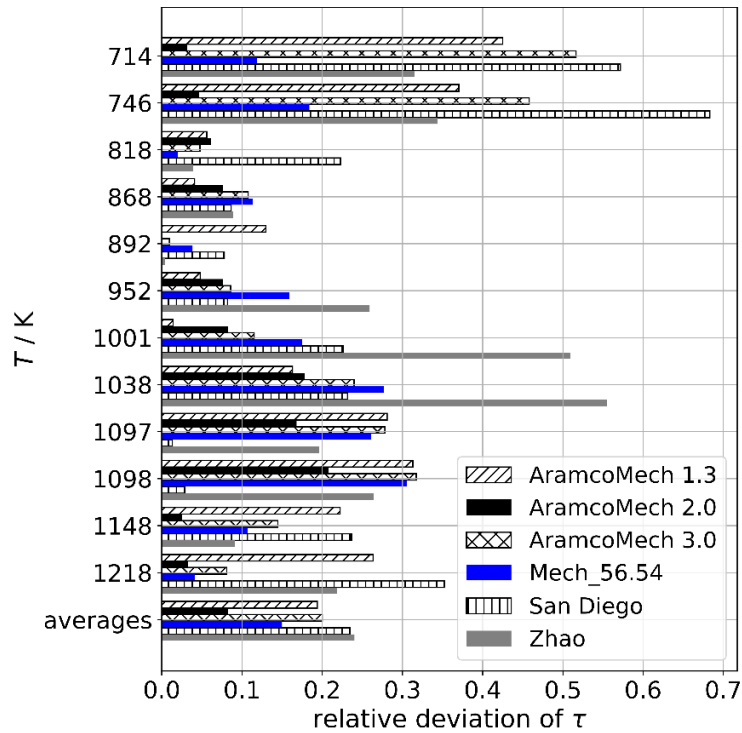
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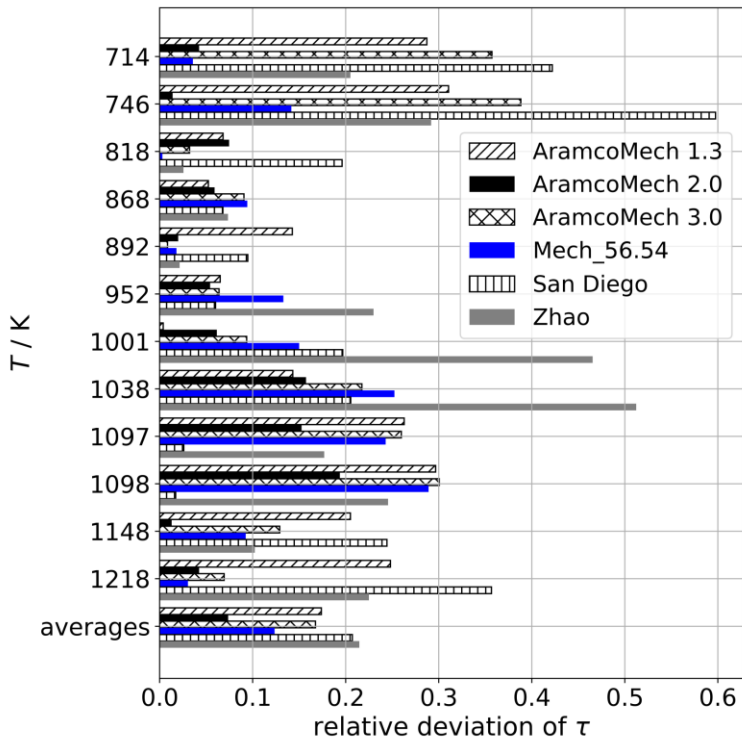
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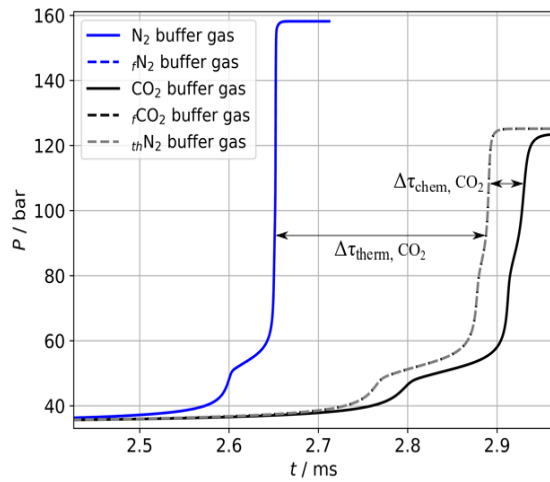


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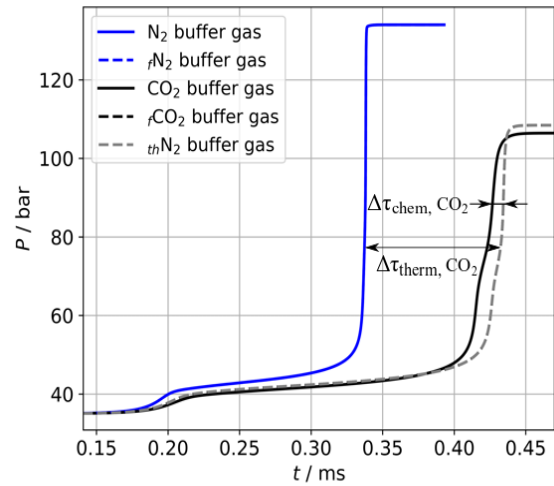


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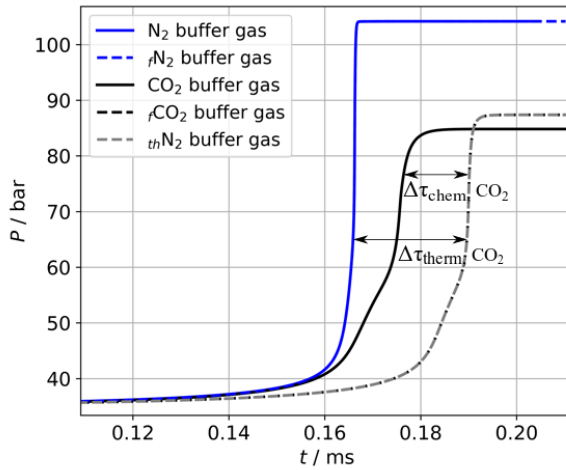
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**Thermal and chemical effects of CO<sub>2</sub> on ignition delay time using Zhao mechanism according to approach in Fig. 7 for pressure of 35 bar and temperature of 700 K (a), 850 K (b) and 1150 K (c)**

**Ignition delay times obtained with different real (N<sub>2</sub>, CO<sub>2</sub>) and fictive (fN<sub>2</sub>, fCO<sub>2</sub>, thN<sub>2</sub>) buffer gases using AramcoMech 2.0 and Zhao mechanism**

Mechanism	Temperature (K)	Ignition delay time (ms) for different buffer gases				
		N <sub>2</sub>	CO <sub>2</sub>	fN <sub>2</sub>	fCO <sub>2</sub>	thN <sub>2</sub>
AramcoMech 2.0	700	1.9403	2.0692	1.9427	2.0408	2.0358
	850	0.2323	0.3580	0.2447	0.3449	0.3241
	1150	0.1370	0.1521	0.1448	0.1656	0.1564
Zhao	700	2.6515	2.9112	2.6515	2.8829	2.8829
	850	0.3377	0.4173	0.3377	0.4311	0.4311
	1150	0.1660	0.1729	0.1660	0.1891	0.1891