

MOZ

ZSM-10

Si (88), Al (12)

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Type Material: $K_{24}Al_{24}Si_{84}O_{216} \cdot xH_2O \cdot yR^{[1]}$
(SDA = 1,4-dimethyl-1,4-diazabicyclo[2.2.2]octane dihydroxide)

Method: J.B. Higgins and K.D. Schmitt [1]

Batch Composition: 1 SiO₂ : 0.068 Al₂O₃ : 29.5 H₂O : 0.06 (SDA²⁺)O : 0.365 K₂O

Source Materials

- deionized water (MilliQ quality from Millipore)
- fumed silica (Aldrich)
- aluminum hydroxide (Reheis F2000, 5.20 mmol Al₂O₃/g or from Aldrich, 57% Al₂O₃)
- potassium hydroxide (Aldrich, 90 wt.% diluted with water to 20 wt%)
- 1,4-dimethyl-1,4-diazabicyclo[2.2.2]octane dihydroxide (made in-house; 10 wt% or 1.135 N; purity confirmed by NMR and CHN)

Batch Preparation (for 1.351 g dry product)

- (1) Combine 10.535 g MilliQ water, 8.176 g potassium hydroxide (20 wt.%), and 0.487 g aluminum hydroxide in a 50 ml polypropylene closed vial. The mixture was stirred using a magnetic bar for 15 min.
- (2) Add 2.402 g fumed silica; magnetically mixed to homogenize.
- (3) Add 4.227 g SDA solution; magnetically mixed to homogenize.
- (4) Cover and magnetically stir for 3 days at room temperature.^a

Crystallization

- Vessel: Teflon-lined stainless steel autoclave
- Temperature: 100° C
- Time: 15 days
- Agitation: 60 rpm (tumbling oven)

Product Recovery

- (1) Remove reactor from oven and quench
- (2) Filter (with glass-frit funnel) to recover solids
- (3) Wash product with ~300 mL DI water
- (4) Dry in an oven at 100°C
- (5) Yield: 1.351 g

Product Characterization

- XRD: MOZ
- Elemental analysis: 7.5 SiO₂ : 1 Al₂O₃ °
- Crystal size and habit: Aggregates of poorly faceted nano-sized crystallites
- Micropore volume of calcined potassium-form is 0.12 cc/g by nitrogen adsorption

Reference

[1] J.B. Higgins, K.D. Schmitt, *Zeolites* 16 (1996) 236-244.

Notes

a. pH of the initial gel is 13.1 and the pH of the final gel after crystallization is 12.7.

b. as-synthesized; organic content not specified.