

Hydrogenation of amides to amines by heterogeneous catalysis: A review

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Table S1. Representative examples of the substrate scope in the catalytic hydrogenation with Pd/Re/graphite. Reproduced from Ref. [1] with permission from Wiley-VCH Verlag GmbH & Co. KGaA, Weinheim.

Entry	Substrate	Conv. ^[a] [%]	Products	Selectivity [%] ^[b]	Entry	Substrate	Conv. ^[b] [%]	Products	Selectivity [%] ^[b]
1		> 99 (93) ^[c]		100	12		> 99		100
2		> 99 (95) ^[c]		100	13		> 99		96
3		72		100					4
4		60		100	14		> 99		36
5		10		100					32
6		71		100	15		> 99		100
7		89		100	16		> 99		100
8		> 99		100	17		> 99		63 ^[f]
9		> 99 (88) ^[c]		100					29 ^[f]
10		9 (> 99) ^[d]		100 (92) ^[c]	18		> 99		100
11		21 (35) ^[e]		100					

[a] Reaction conditions: substrate (1.0 mmol), 2% Pd/10% Re/graphite (4 mol % Re), DME (0.2 M), 4 Å MS, H₂ (30 bar), 160 °C, 20 h. [b] Determined by GC, GC/MS, and/or ¹H NMR analysis. [c] Values in parentheses are the yield of isolated product after precipitation as a hydrochloride salt.

[d] Values in parentheses are for reactions conducted at 200 °C for 72 h. [e] 35% conversion was obtained when montmorillonite K-10 added. [f] Yield of isolated product.

Table S2. Hydrogenation of various amides using Pt-V/HAP as catalyst under mild reaction conditions. Reproduced from Ref. [2] with permission from Wiley-VCH Verlag GmbH & Co. KGaA, Weinheim.

Entry	Substrate	Product	Time [h]	Conv. [%]	Sel. [%]
1			8	99	>99
2 ^[a]			8	99	>99
3 ^[b]			18	99	98
4 ^[b]			36	92	97
5 ^[b]			18	96	96
6 ^[b]			48	92	96
7 ^[b]			18	99	>99
8 ^[b]			36	86	96
9 ^[b]			18	94	96
10			48	97	>99
11 ^[c]			48	99	97
12			48	85	>99
13 ^[b]			24	92	99
14 ^[b]			24	90	>99
15 ^[b]			24	81	>99
16			8	99	98
17 ^[d]			8	96	>99
18			24	90	99
19			24	97	97
20 ^[b]			48	83	93
21 ^[b]			48	92	97
22			24	98	96
23			9	50	89
24			24	0	-

Reaction conditions: Pt/V/HAP 0.1 g (Pt: 6 mol % and V: 7 mol %), substrate (0.5 mmol), DME (5 mL), 4 Å M.S. (0.1 g) in H₂ (30 bar) at 70 °C. Conversion and selectivity were determined by GC using an internal standard. [a] The 10th reuse of Pt/V/HAP. [b] Mass of Pt/V/HAP 0.3 g. [c] In H₂ (1 bar) at 100 °C. [d] At RT. M.S. = molecular sieves.

Table S3. Catalytic hydrogenation of various amides to amines using Re/TiO₂ as catalyst. Reproduced from Ref. [3] with permission from 2017 Wiley-VCH Verlag GmbH & Co. KGaA, Weinheim.

Entry	Substrate	Product	Reaction Conditions		
			T [°C]	t [h]	Yield [%]
1			180	24	86 (78)
2			200	24	83
3			200	20	91
4			180	24	54
5			180	24	85
6			180	24	99
7			180	24	99
8			180	24	94
9			180	24	94
10			200	36	56
11			200	24	87
12			180	36	70

[a] Reaction conditions: Re (2 mol%), amide (1 mmol), octane (3 mL), $p^{\text{H}_2} = 5 \text{ MPa}$. Yields were determined by GC analysis by using *n*-dodecane as the internal standard. Yields of isolated products are given in parenthesis.

Table S4. Catalytic hydrogenation of tertiary, secondary and primary amides over Rh-V/Al₂O₃ catalyst and dimethoxyethane as solvent. Reproduced from Ref. [4] with permission from Elsevier.

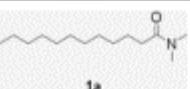
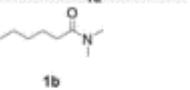
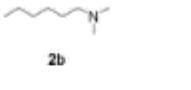
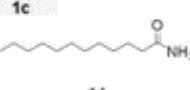
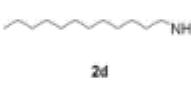
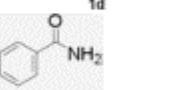
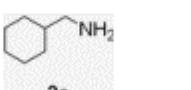
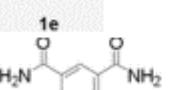
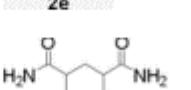
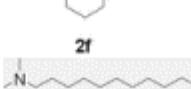
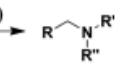
Entry	Amine	Amide	Yield, %	TOF, s ⁻¹
1			99	1.18 x 10^{-1}
2			99	1.18 x 10^{-1}
3			95	1.14 x 10^{-1}
4			40	4.79 x 10^{-2}
5			70	8.37 x 10^{-2}
6			<5	—
7			10	1.20 x 10^{-2}

Table S5. Substrate scope investigation for amide hydrogenation using RuWO_x/MgAl₂O₄ as catalyst. Reproduced from Ref. [5] with permission from The Royal Society of Chemistry.

		5 mol% Ru (RuWO _x /MgAl ₂ O ₄)			
Substrate	X ^a [%]	Major product	S ^b [%]	Minor product	S ^b [%]
1	96		84		15
2	>99		83		17
3	99		81		17
4	97		82		14
5	>99		80		18
6	>99		30		23 ^c
7	>99		85		8
8	>99		85		6
9	>90 ^d	Main product ^d :			>50%
10	93 ^e		87		13
11	6		>99	—	—
12	57 ^e		88		9
13	>99		45		17

^a Conversion. ^b Selectivity. ^c Very volatile compound; therefore, yields are underestimated by analysing the liquid phase. ^d 1,10-Decanediamine partially precipitates out of CPME resulting in a less precise product yield calculation. ^e Mixture of original amide and propionamide.

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