

## Mercury(II)

Reaction	Baes and Mesmer, 1976	Powell et al., 2005	Brown and Ekberg, 2016
$\text{Hg}_2^{2+} + \text{H}_2\text{O} \rightleftharpoons \text{Hg}_2\text{OH}^+ + \text{H}^+$	-3.33		$-4.45 \pm 0.10$
$\text{Hg}^{2+} + \text{H}_2\text{O} \rightleftharpoons \text{HgOH}^+ + \text{H}^+$	-3.40	$-3.40 \pm 0.08$	$-3.40 \pm 0.08$
$\text{Hg}^{2+} + 2 \text{H}_2\text{O} \rightleftharpoons \text{Hg}(\text{OH})_2 + \text{H}^+$	-6.17	$-5.98 \pm 0.06$	$-5.96 \pm 0.07$
$\text{Hg}^{2+} + 3 \text{H}_2\text{O} \rightleftharpoons \text{Hg}(\text{OH})_3^- + 3 \text{H}^+$	-21.1	$-21.1 \pm 0.3$	
$\text{HgO}(\text{s}) + 2 \text{H}^+ \rightleftharpoons \text{Hg}^{2+} + \text{H}_2\text{O}$		$2.37 \pm 0.08$	$2.37 \pm 0.08$

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