

Supporting Information: Electron Transfer Between Neptunium and Sodium Chlorite in Acidic Chloride Media

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Table S1: Neptunium rate law kinetics in low HCl_(aq) and LiCl_(aq) conditions.

Transition	Rate Law
Np ⁴⁺ → NpO ₂ ⁺	$\frac{dNpO_2^+}{dt} = -\frac{dNp^{4+}}{dt} = (49 \pm 7 \text{ mM} \cdot \text{s}^{-1}) [Np^{4+}]^{0.300 \pm 0.008} [NaClO_2]^{0.110 \pm 0.002}$
NpO ₂ ⁺ → NpO ₂ ²⁺	$\frac{dNpO_2^{2+}}{dt} = -\frac{dNpO_2^+}{dt} = (3 \pm 1 \text{ mM} \cdot \text{d}^{-1}) [NpO_2^+]^{0.98 \pm 0.02} [NaClO_2]^{1.71 \pm 0.01}$

Table S2: Neptunium rate law kinetics in high Cl_(aq) (>9 M LiCl) conditions.

Transition	Rate Law
Np ⁴⁺ → NpO ₂ ²⁺ (LiCl)	$\frac{dNpO_2^{2+}}{dt} = -\frac{dNp^{4+}}{dt} = (0.24 \pm 0.09 \text{ mM} \cdot \text{min}) [Np^{4+}]^{4.11 \pm 0.09} [NaClO_2]^{0.50 \pm 0.07}$

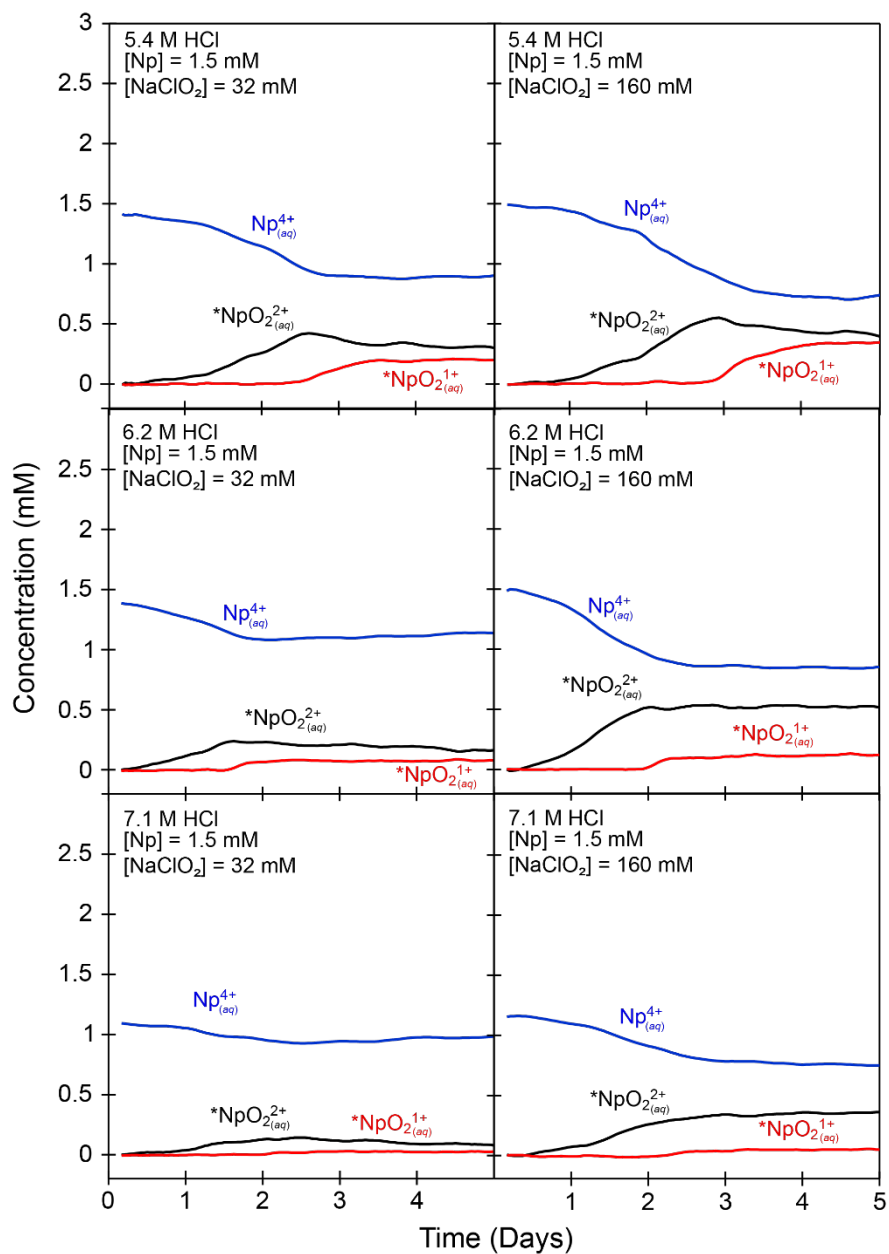


Figure S1: 1.5 mM $\text{Np}^{4+}_{(aq)}$ 25°C in various concentrations of $\text{HCl}_{(aq)}$ reacted with different concentrations of $\text{NaClO}_{2(aq)}$. *signifies estimated concentrations of $\text{NpO}_2^{+}_{(aq)}$ and $\text{NpO}_2^{2+}_{(aq)}$ using molar extinction coefficients from a previous report.⁵²

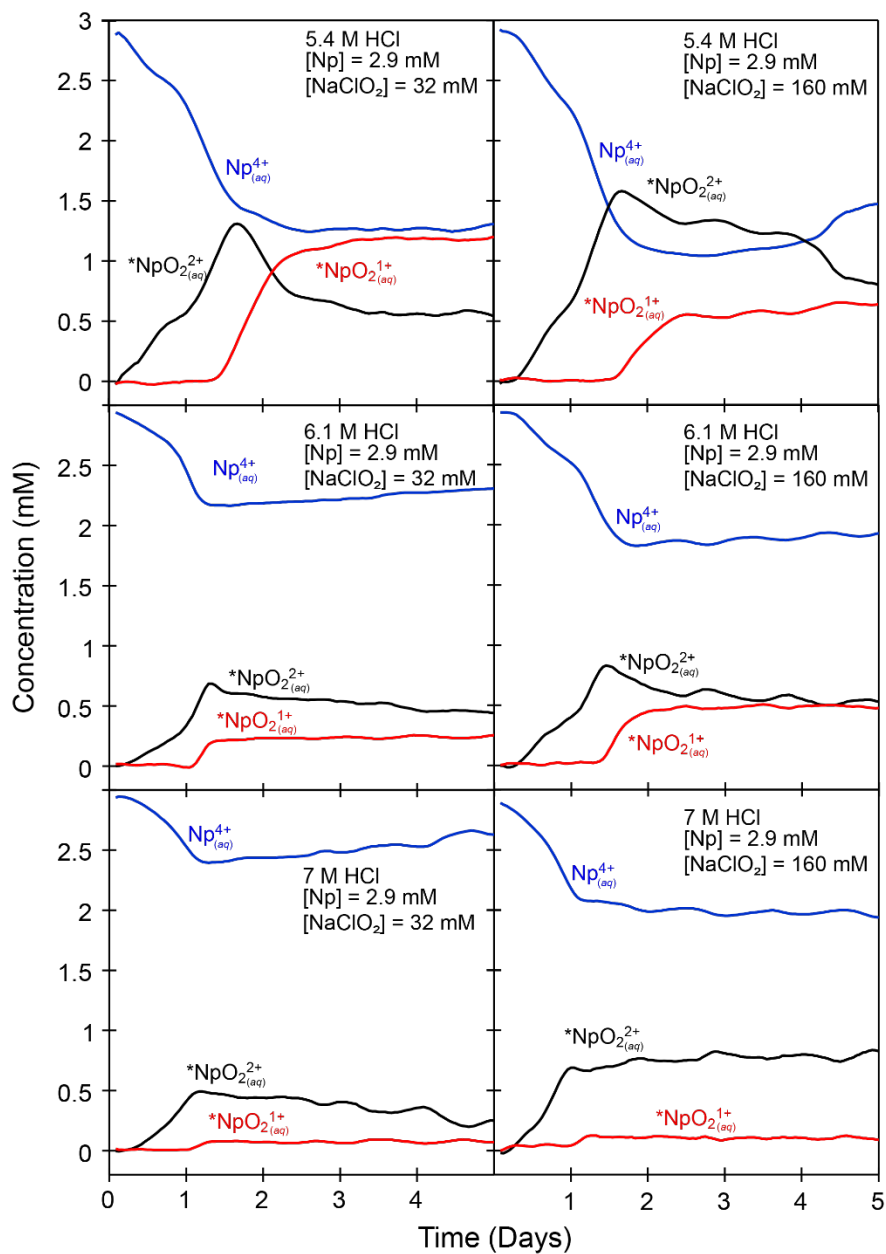


Figure S2: 2.9 mM $\text{Np}^{4+}_{(aq)}$ 25°C in various concentrations of $\text{HCl}_{(aq)}$ reacted with different concentrations of $\text{NaClO}_{2(aq)}$. *Signifies estimated concentrations of $\text{NpO}_2^{+}_{(aq)}$ and $\text{NpO}_2^{2+}_{(aq)}$ using molar extinction coefficients from a previous report.⁵²

Example calculation of rate constant determination shown in Table S1 and Table S2.

$$\frac{\text{Initial Rate}_a}{\text{Initial Rate}_b} = \frac{k[\text{Np}]_a^x [\text{NaClO}_2]_a^y}{k[\text{Np}]_a^x [\text{NaClO}_2]_b^y}$$

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$$\frac{\text{Initial Rate}_a}{\text{Initial Rate}_b} = \frac{[\text{NaClO}_2]_a^y}{[\text{NaClO}_2]_b^y}$$

$$\ln\left(\frac{\text{Initial Rate}_a}{\text{Initial Rate}_b}\right) = \ln\left(\frac{[\text{NaClO}_2]_a^y}{[\text{NaClO}_2]_b^y}\right)$$

$$y = \frac{\ln\left(\frac{\text{Initial Rate}_a}{\text{Initial Rate}_b}\right)}{\ln\left(\frac{[\text{NaClO}_2]_a}{[\text{NaClO}_2]_b}\right)}$$