

# Fenton's reaction

Fenton's reaction is a chemical reaction in which in the presence of transition metals ( $\text{Fe}^{2+}$ ,  $\text{Cu}^+$ )  $\text{H}_2\text{O}_2$  is reduced and a highly active and toxic hydroxyl radical is formed.



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### Literature

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