

TABLE 2. THE IDEAL RESISTIVITY OF POTASSIUM AT ZERO PRESSURE, ρ_i ,
AND AT CONSTANT DENSITY, ρ'_i

T (°K)	ρ_i/T^* ($10^{-8} \Omega \text{ cm deg K}^{-1}$)	ρ'_i/T^\dagger ($10^{-8} \Omega \text{ cm deg K}^{-1}$)
8	0.080 ± 0.001	—
10	0.138	—
12	0.204	—
14	0.278	—
16	0.362	—
18	0.450	—
20	0.537	—
25	0.758	—
30	0.950_9	0.943_8
35	$1.110_0 \pm 0.0005^\ddagger$	1.098_9
40	1.240_2	1.224_4
45	1.348_8	1.327_8
50	1.437_8	1.410_9
55	1.511_9	1.478_9
60	1.573_8	1.534_3
70	1.667_2	1.611_8
80	1.736_4	1.661_0
90	1.790_1	1.692_4
100	1.835_9	1.715_5
110	1.876_5	1.732_6
120	1.911_5	1.743_5
130	1.943_9	1.751_8
140	1.974_3	1.757_7
150	2.003_2	1.761_8
160	2.031_5	1.765_4
170	2.058_6	1.767_3
180	2.086_1	1.769_2
190	2.113_5	1.771_1
200	2.140_6	1.771_6
210	2.168_7	1.772_5
220	2.197_9	1.774_1
230	2.227_3	1.774_9
240	2.257_4	1.776_6
250	2.288_0	1.778_0
260	2.319_0	1.779_4
270	2.350_2	1.780_5
273.1 ₅	2.360_1	1.780_7
280	2.383_2	1.782_6
290	2.418_2	1.785_4
295.1 ₅	2.436_0	1.786_3

* There is no significant difference below 30 °K between ρ_i and ρ'_i .

† The random error for these results is the same as for ρ_i/T , but there is in addition a possible systematic error (arising from uncertainties in the P - V - T data) which, at the higher temperatures, may be about twice as big as the random error.

‡ The random error in these values remains at $\sim \pm 0.0005$ above this temperature.