

COMPRÉHENSION DES SOURCES ET DES PROCESSUS DE FORMATION DE LA POLLUTION PARTICULAIRE EN RÉGION ILE-DE-FRANCE

SOURCES AND FORMATION PROCESSES OF PARTICULATE POLLUTION OVER THE ILE-DE-FRANCE REGION

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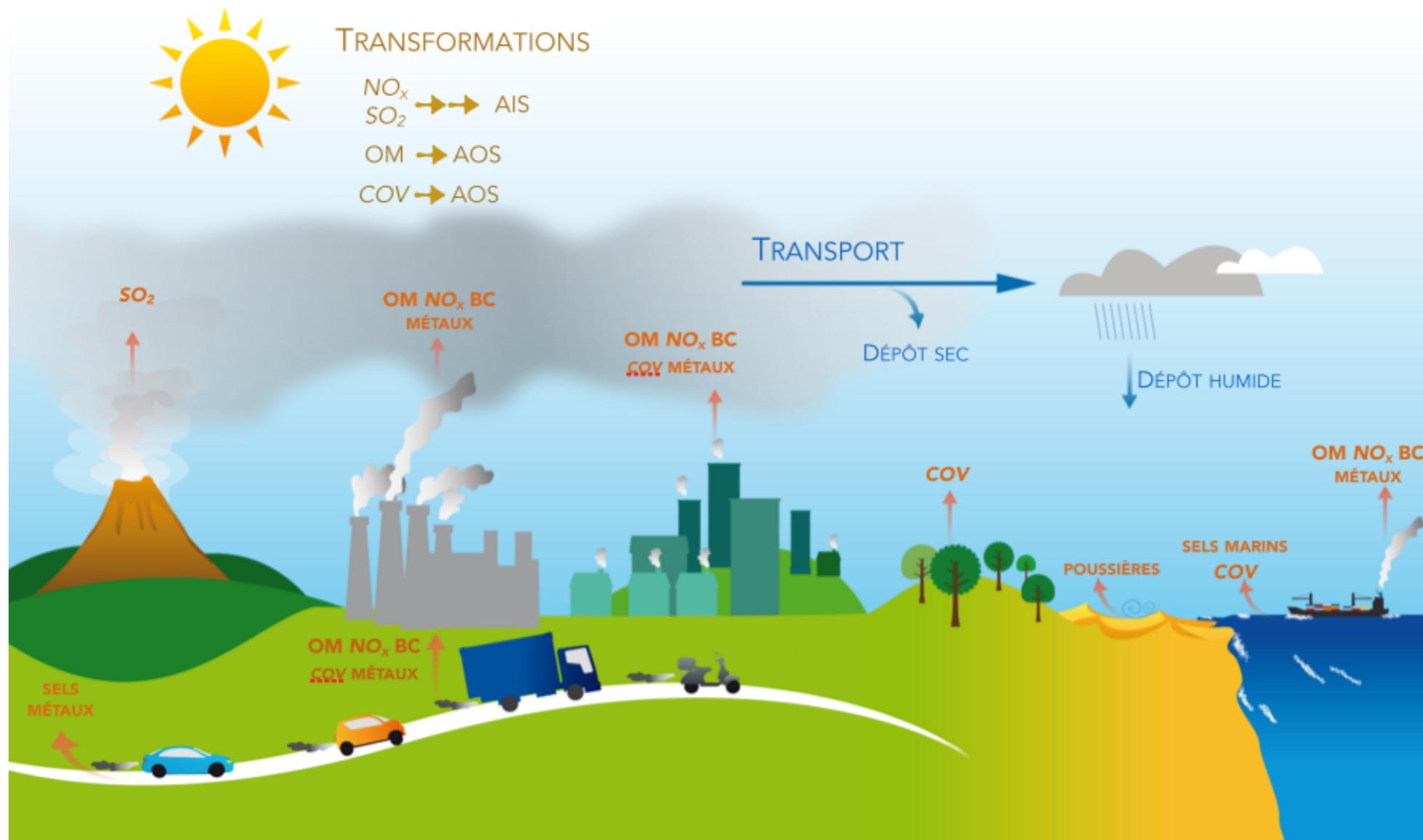
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MOTIVATIONS, OBJECTIVES & STRATEGIES

Particulate pollution is complex by virtue of:

- the multitude of emission sources & the diversity of their chemical fingerprint
- the whole diversity of transformation processes
- meteo. parameters favoring accumulation or transport



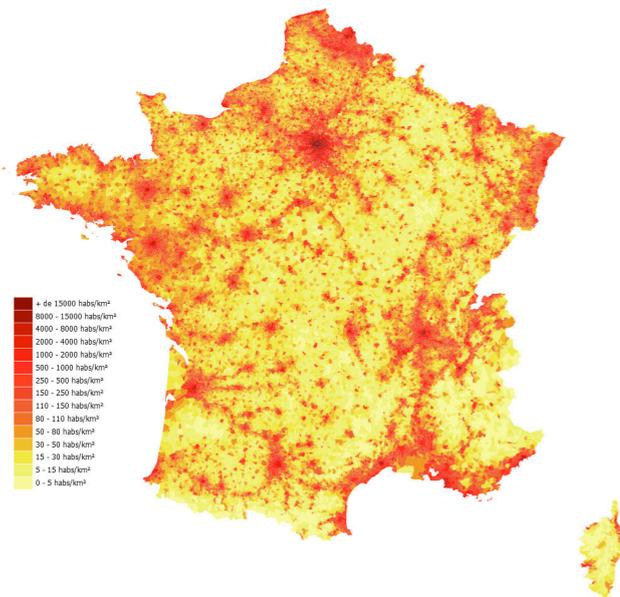
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- Particulate pollution can be associated with cardiovascular, respiratory, cerebrovascular and neurodegenerative diseases, linked to chronic exposition (1st environmental risk in the world)
- Submicron particles have higher toxic potential, as they go deeper into bronchial tubes. Small particles are usually associated with anthropogenic emissions while bigger particles are linked to natural emissions

➔ Need of a **continuous** monitoring of the **chemical** properties of **fine** particles



Ile-de-France is the most populated area (~12 M inhabitants) over only 2-3% of french territory

Exacerbated exposition to outdoor aerosol pollution

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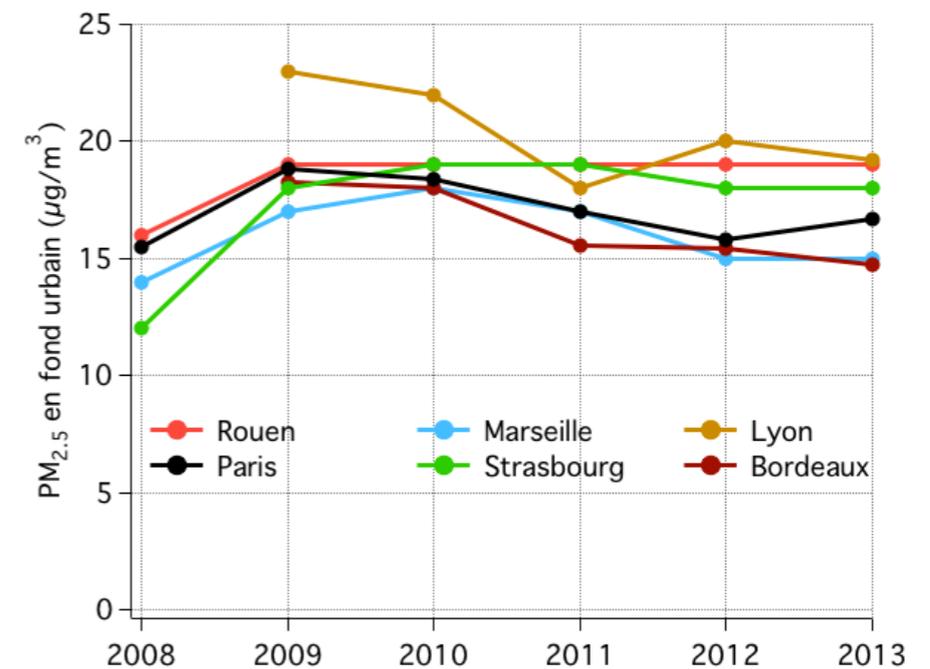
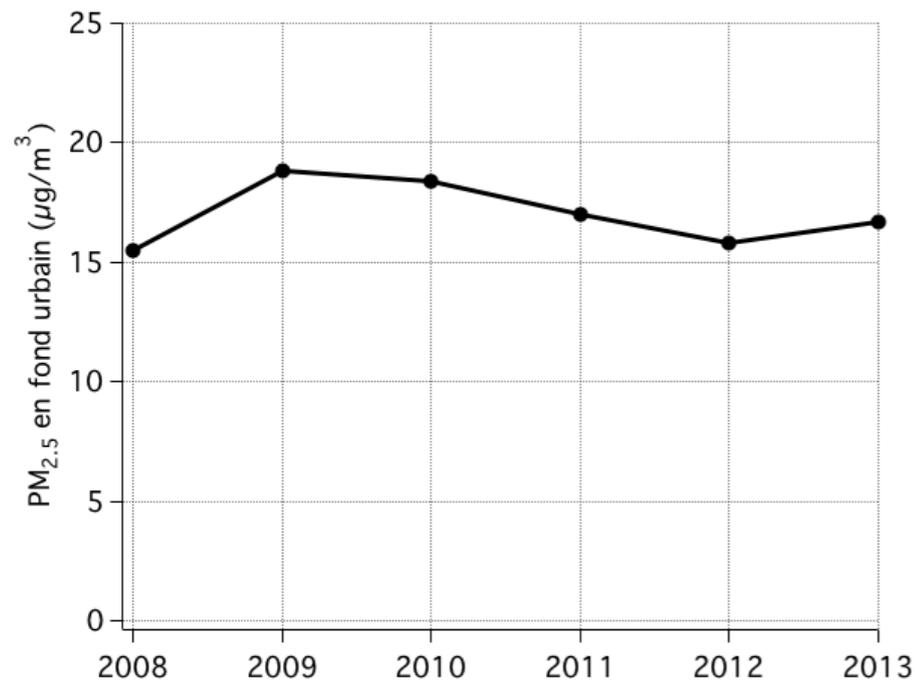


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Relative stagnation of annual [PM_{2.5}] in IdF...

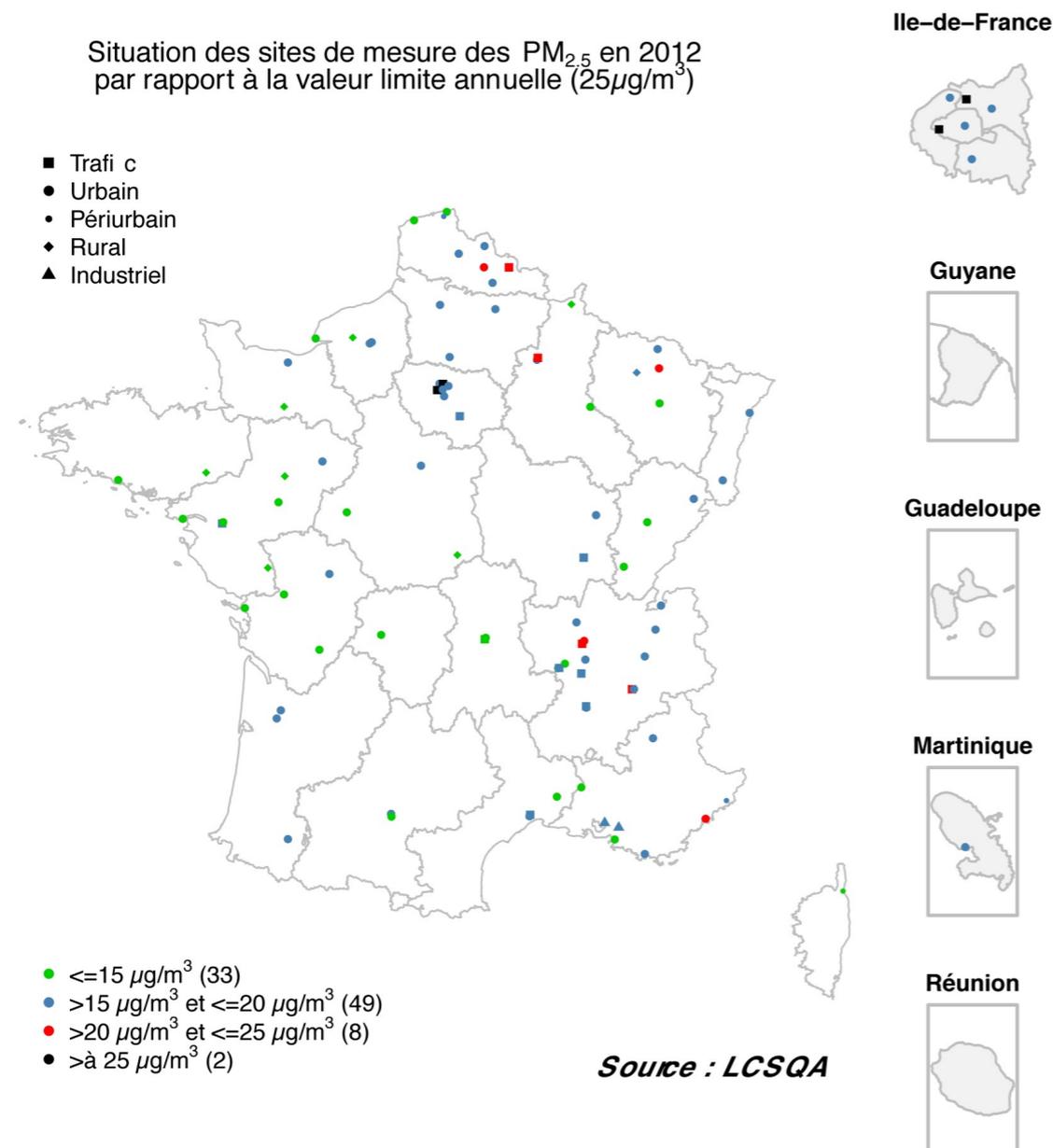
... Observed in most French cities

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But only IdF is concerned by limit values exceeding!

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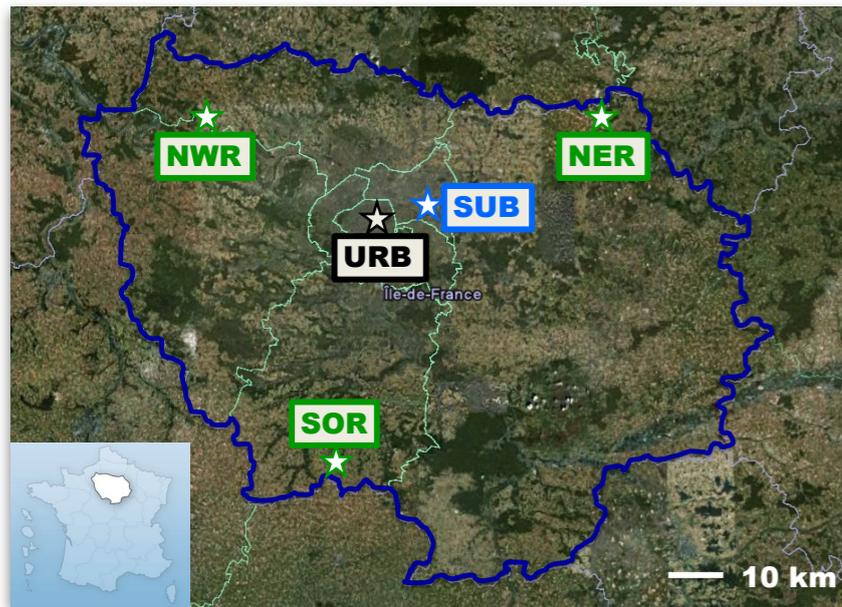
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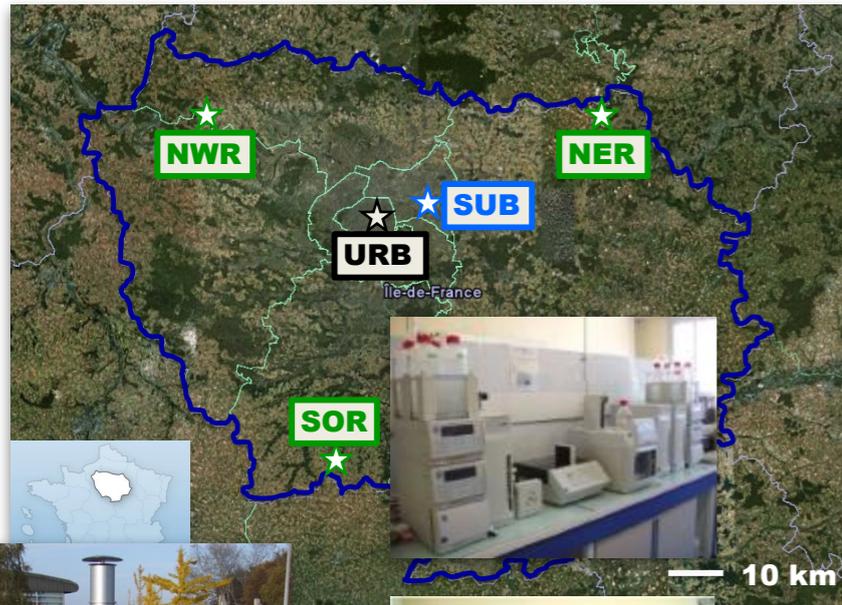
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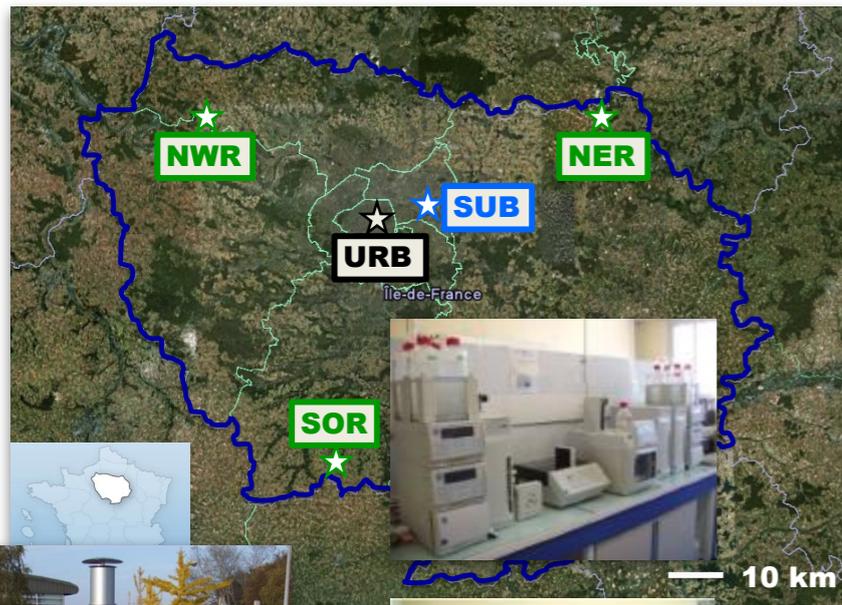
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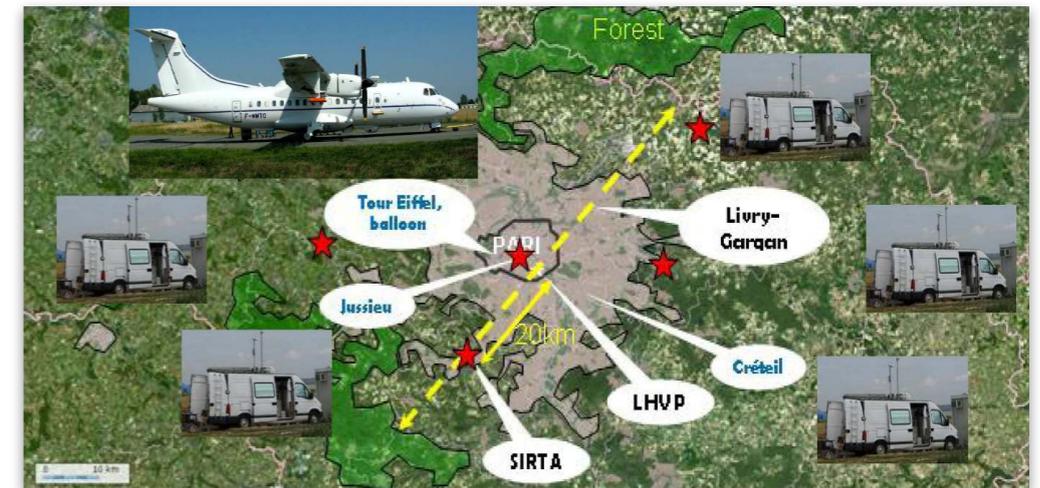
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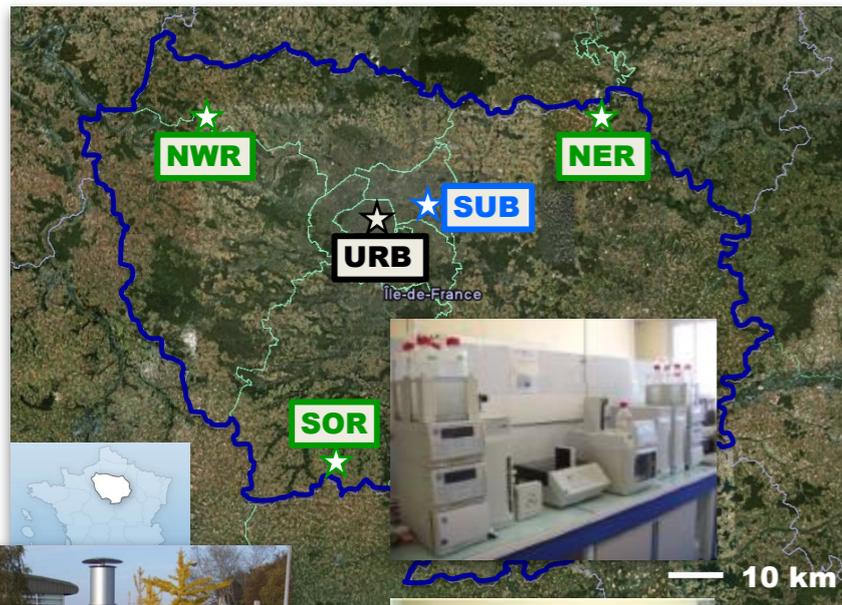
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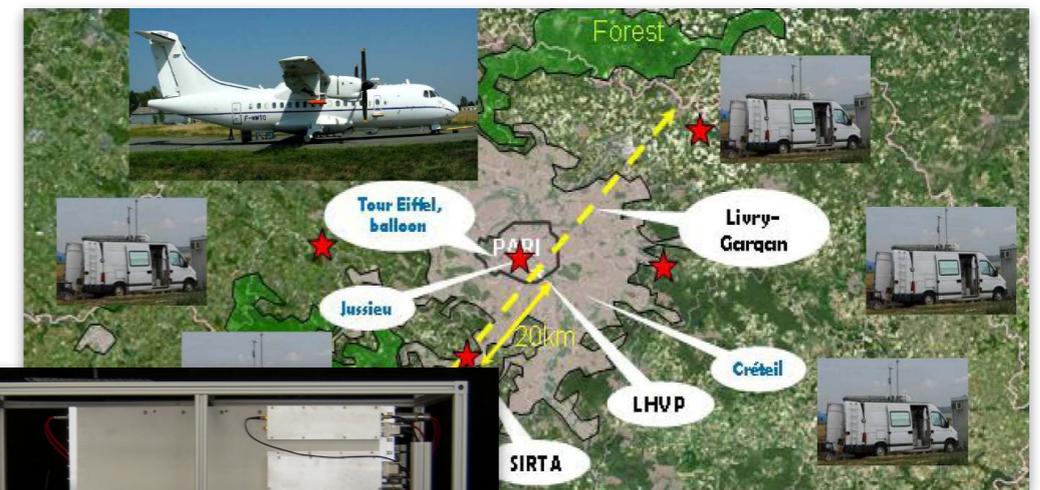


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Online chemical composition and sizing via Aerosol Mass Spectrometer

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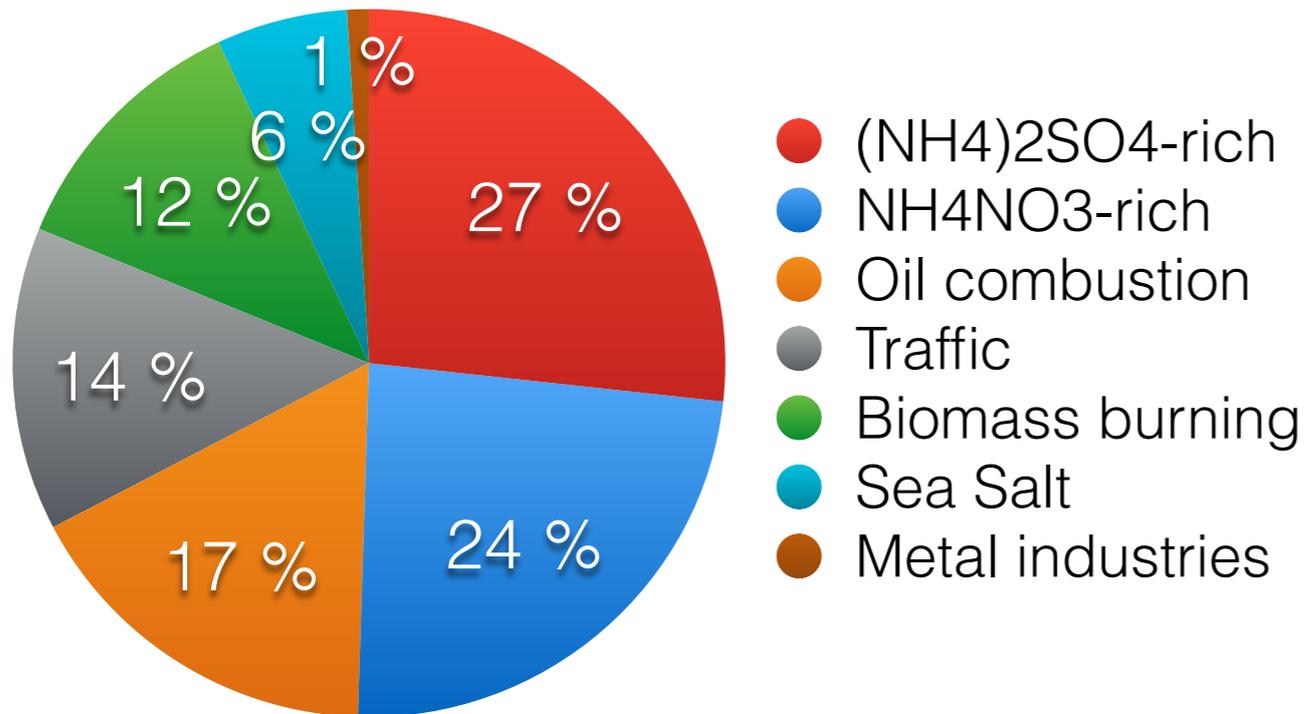
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PM_{2.5} source apportionment

Bressi et al., 2014



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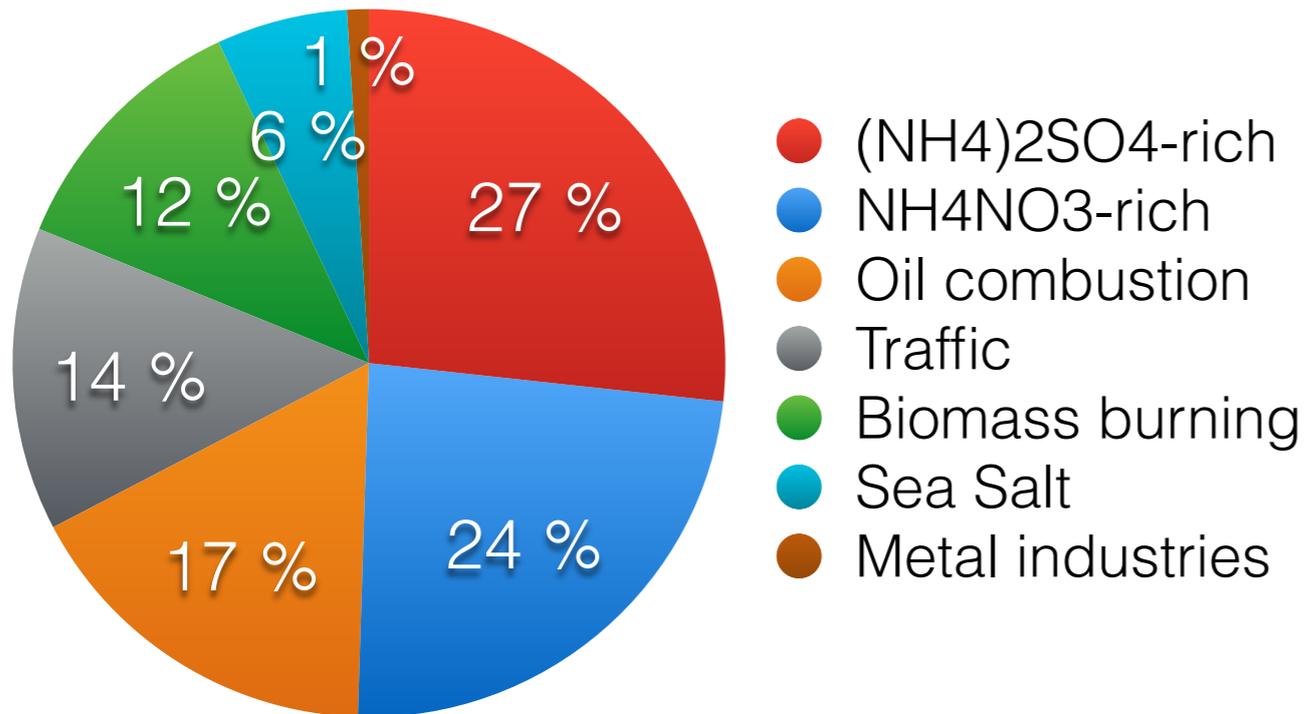
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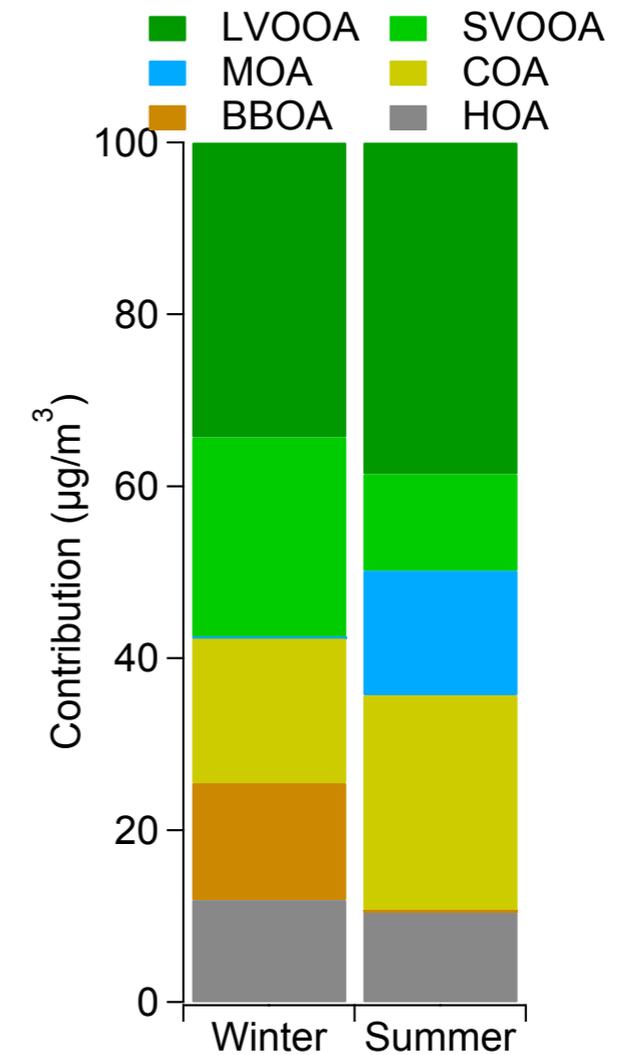
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SOURCE APP.



OA source apportionment

Crippa et al., 2013a&b



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- Cooking appears to be a significant source of OA
- Oxidized OA major component of OA

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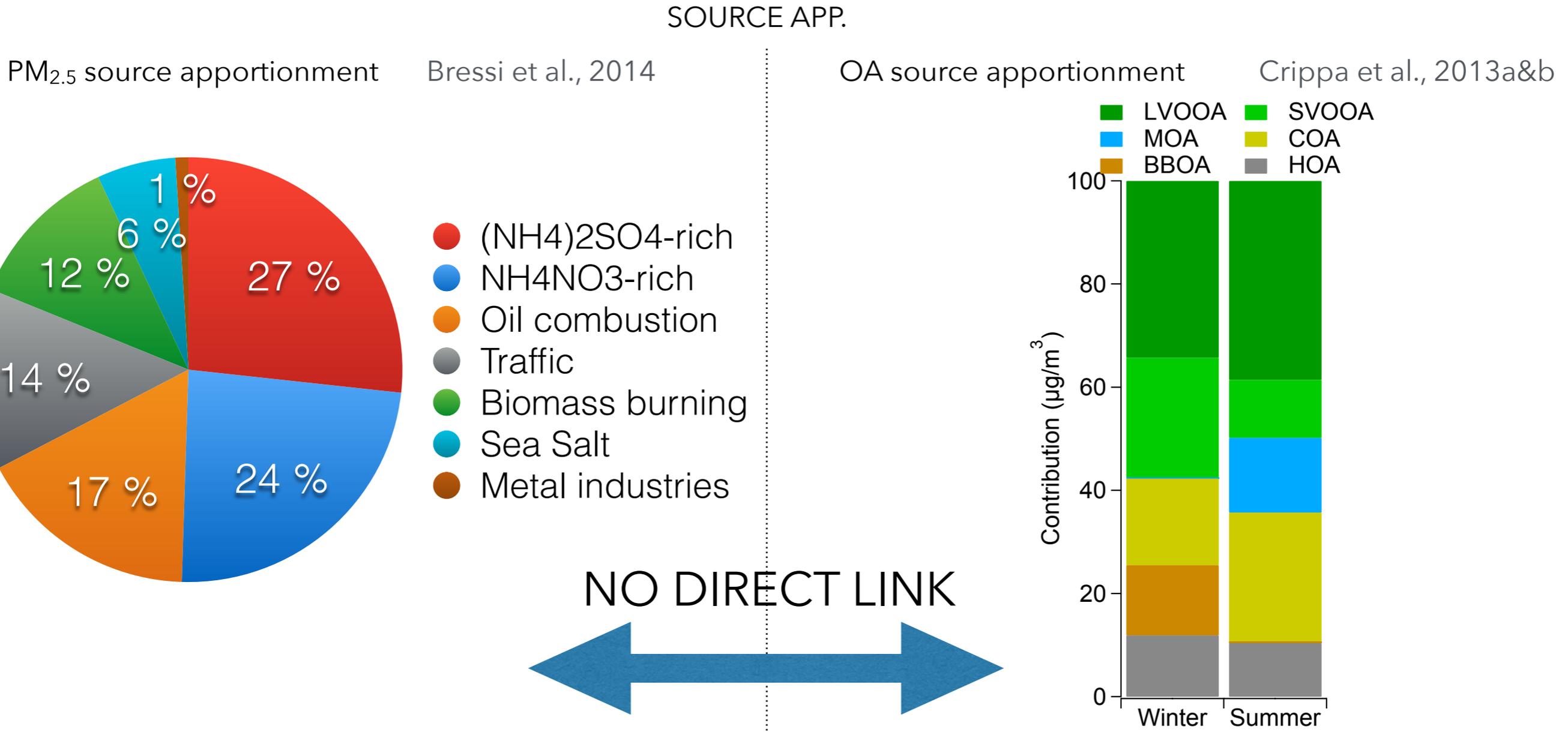
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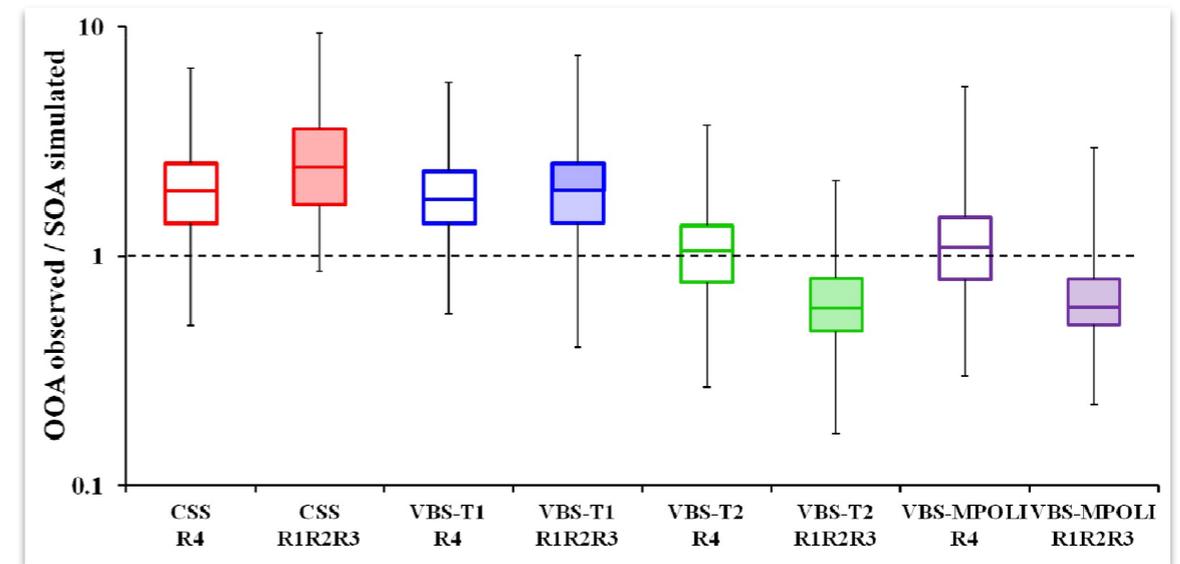
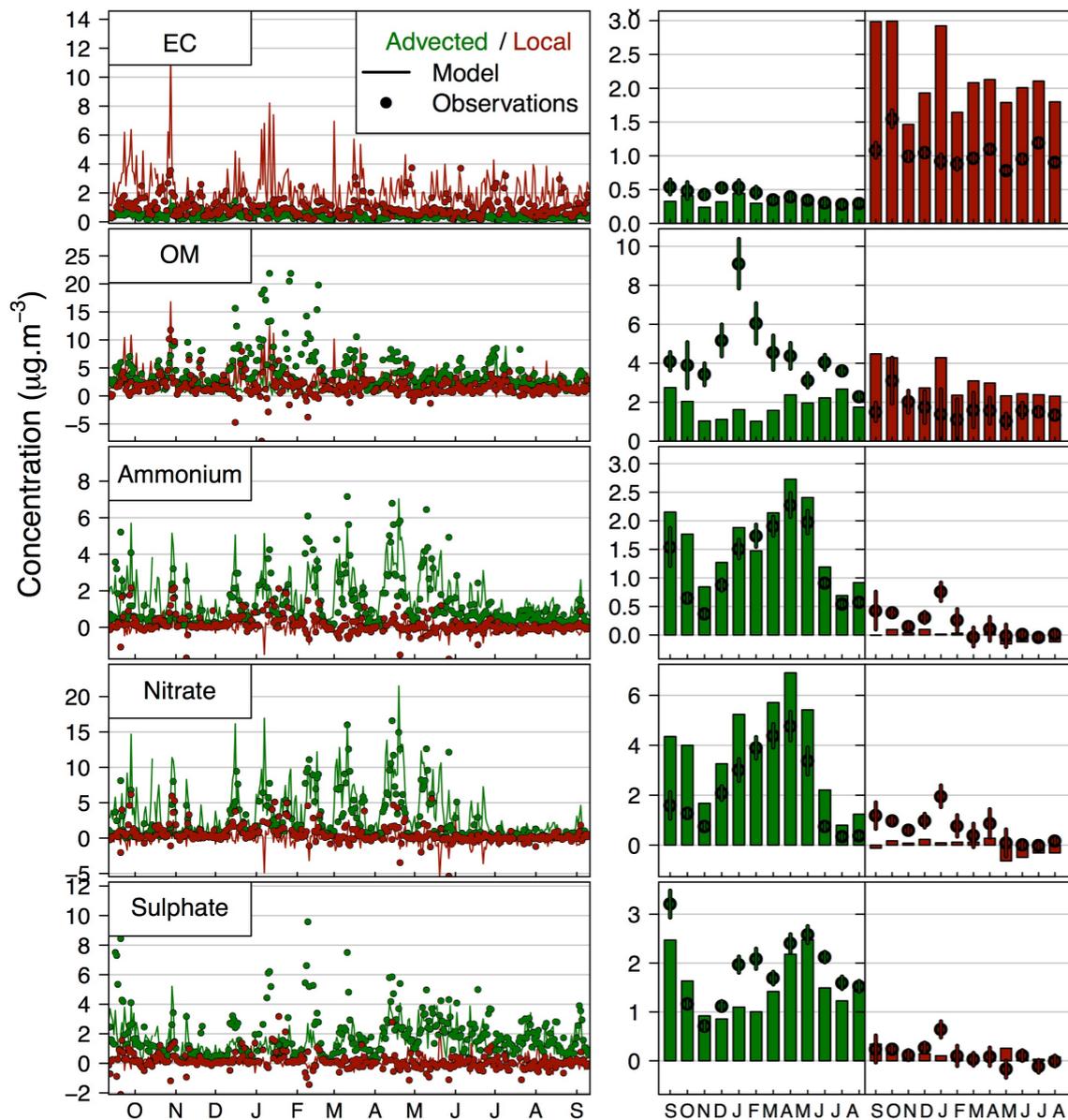
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Petetin et al., 2014

COMP. W/ MODELS

Zhang et al., 2013



Difficulties of several models to reconstruct OM, and more specifically secondary OA

Difficulties with OM and NO_3

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Long term obs.

High time res.

Perennial station

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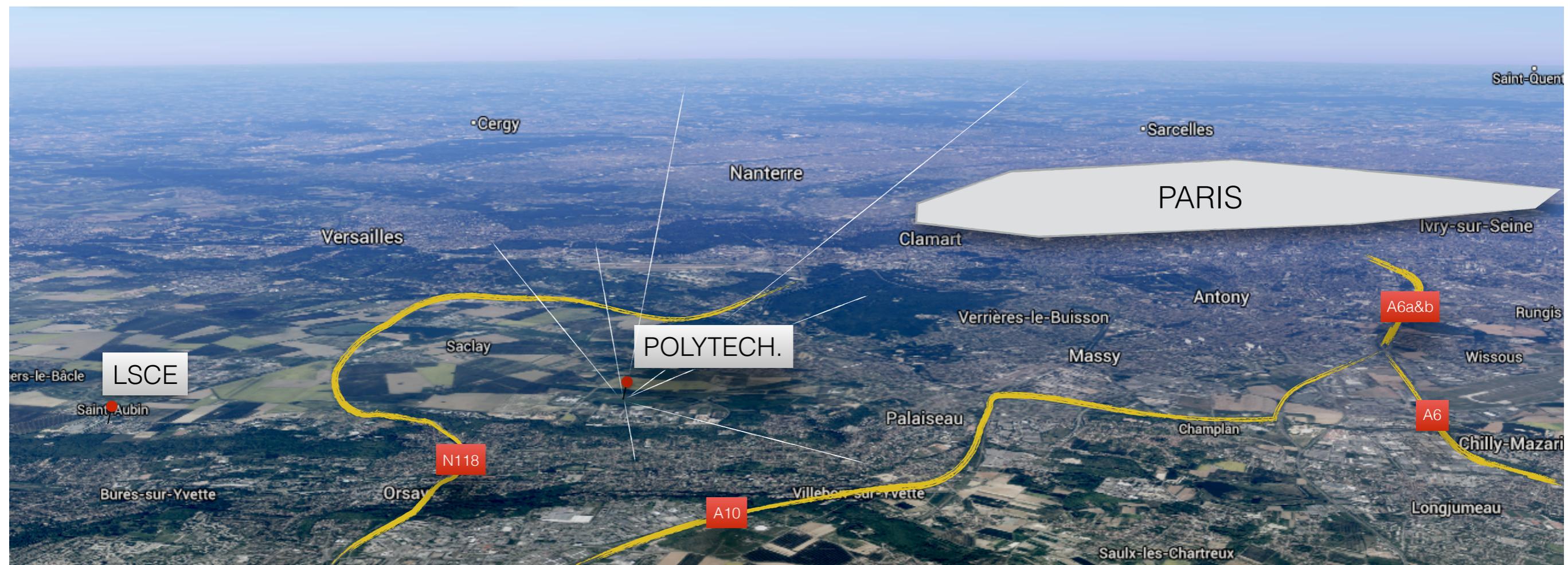
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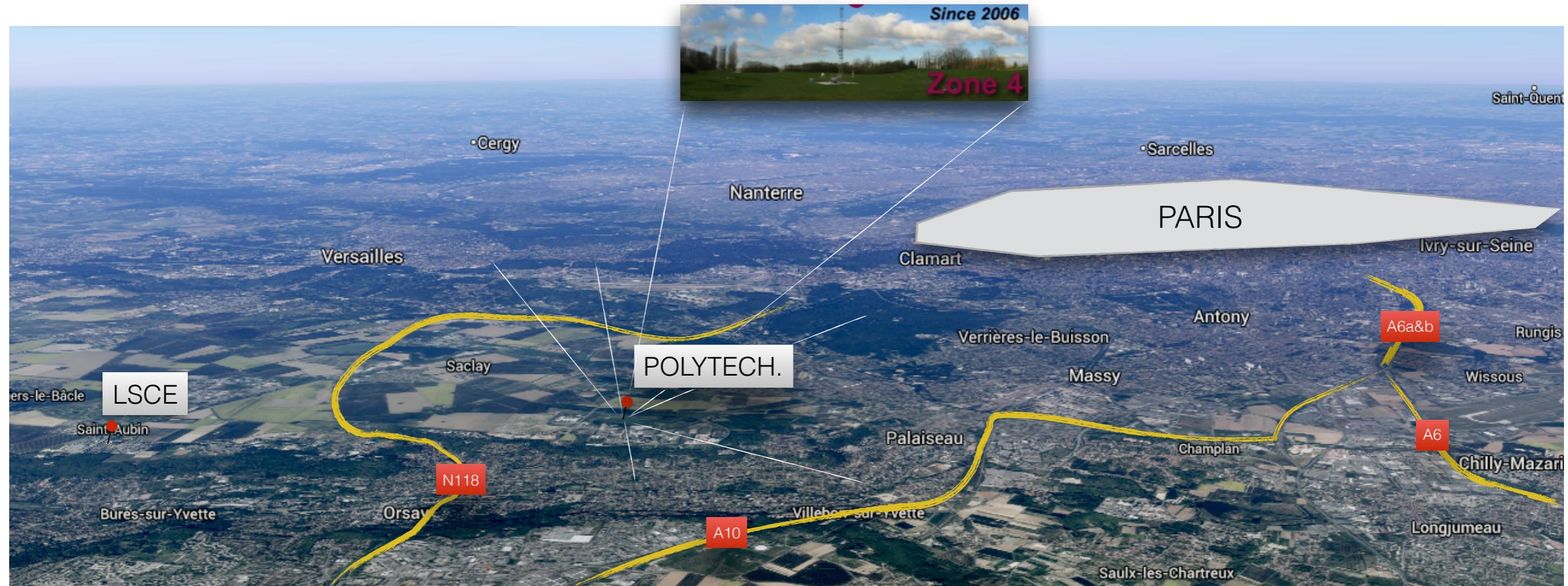
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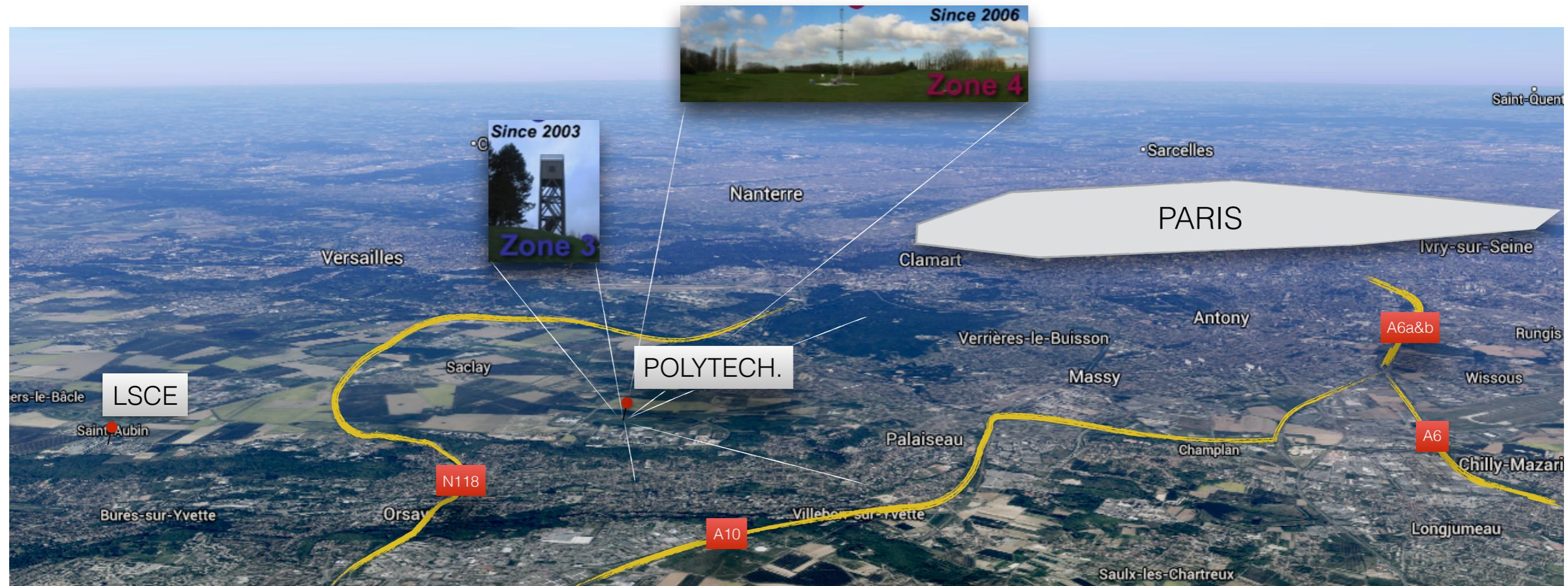
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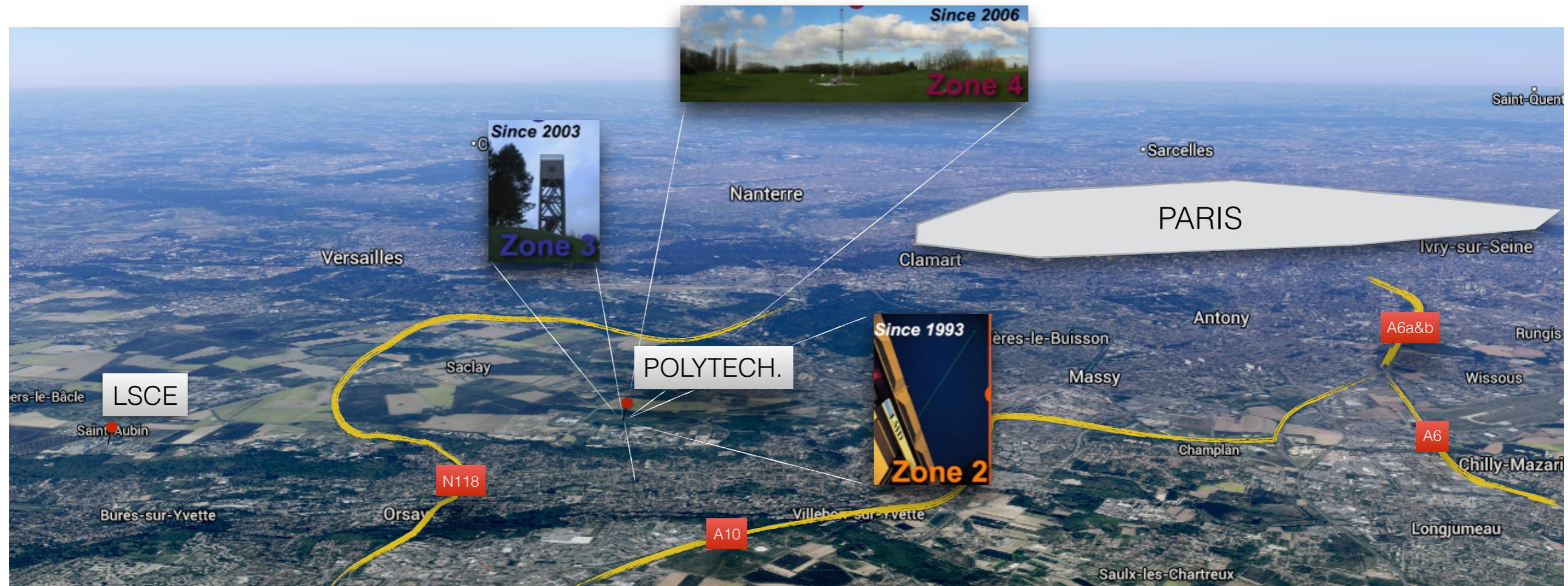
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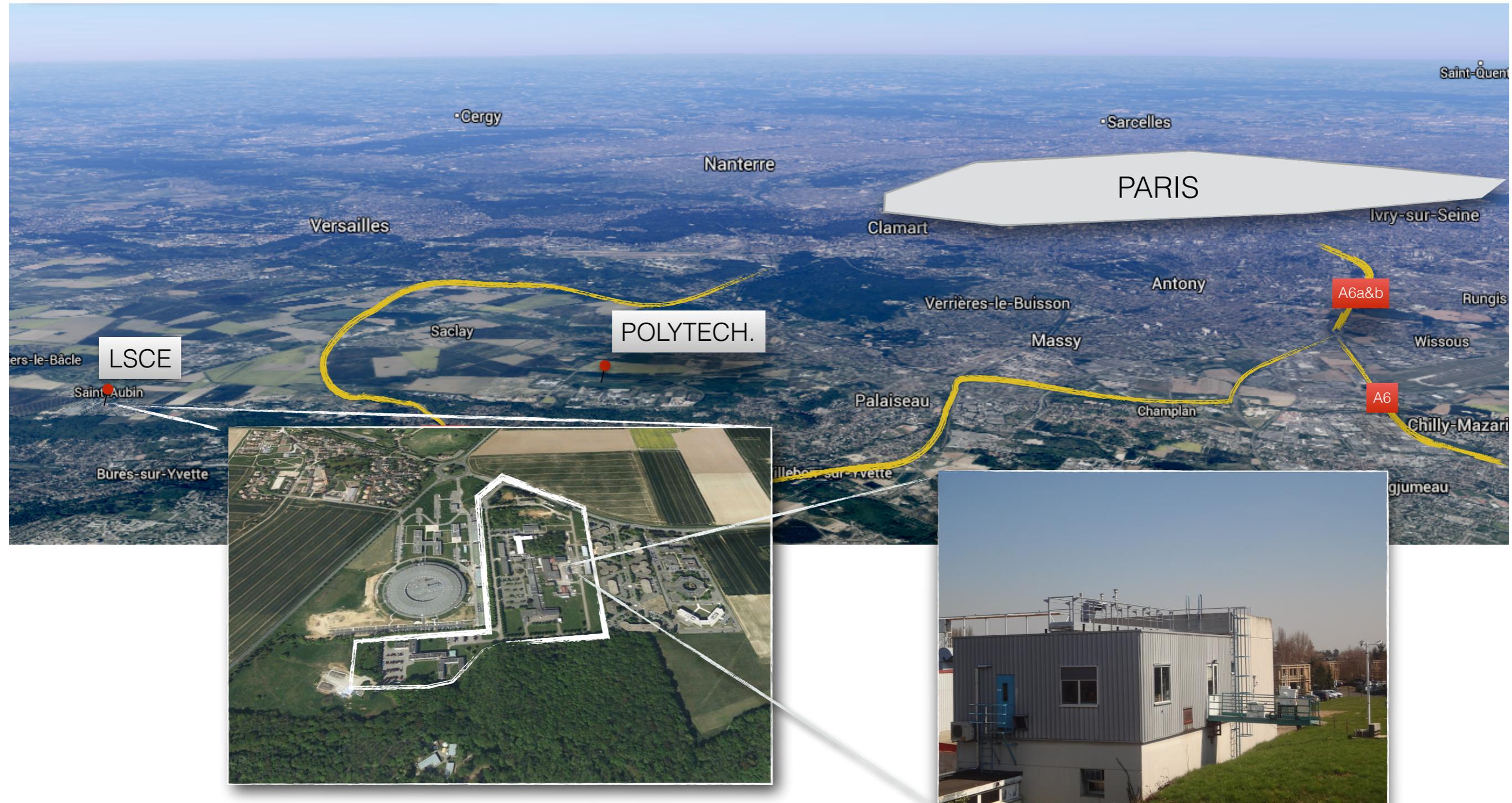


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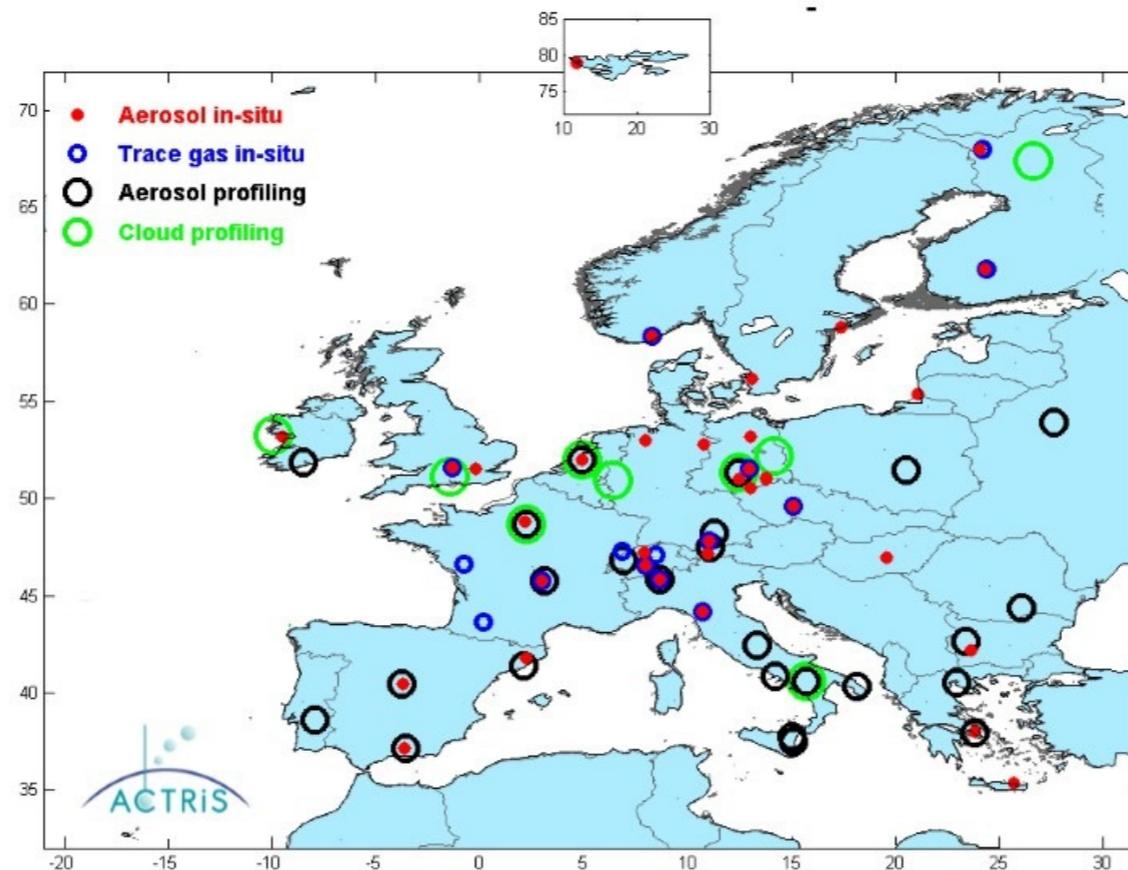
Located ~4km from Ecole Polytechnique, LSCE hosts an in-situ observation station, and has been officially part of SIRTA since 2012



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SIRTA is part of networking activities: ACTRIS (Aerosols, Clouds, and Trace gases Research InfraStructure network)

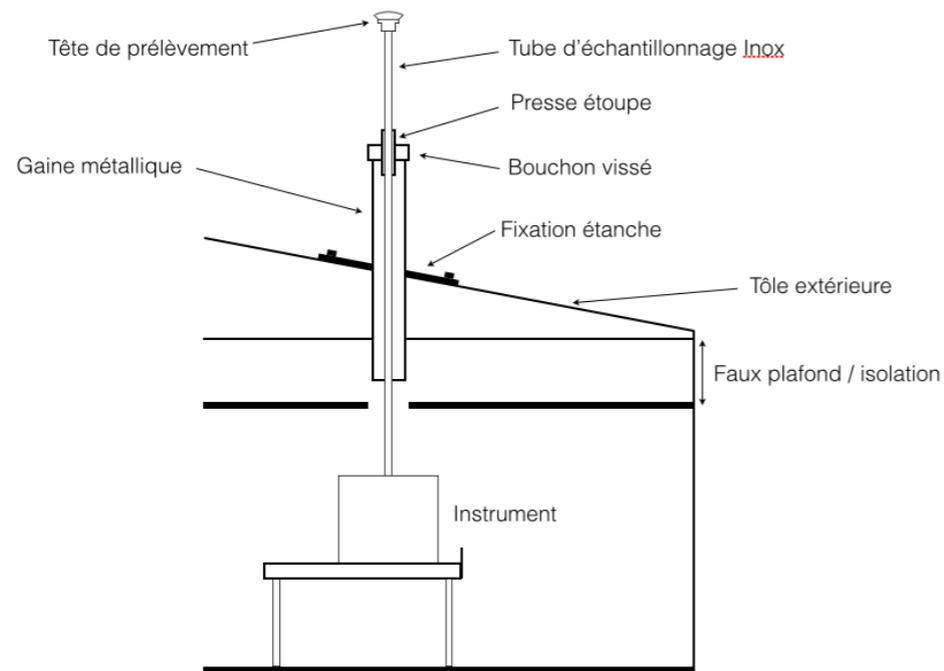
- provide high quality data throughout Europe on a single database
- promote transnational collaborations (intensive field campaigns / intercomparison exercises)
- training, meeting, sharing feedbacks
- promote the use of state-of-the-art instrumentation



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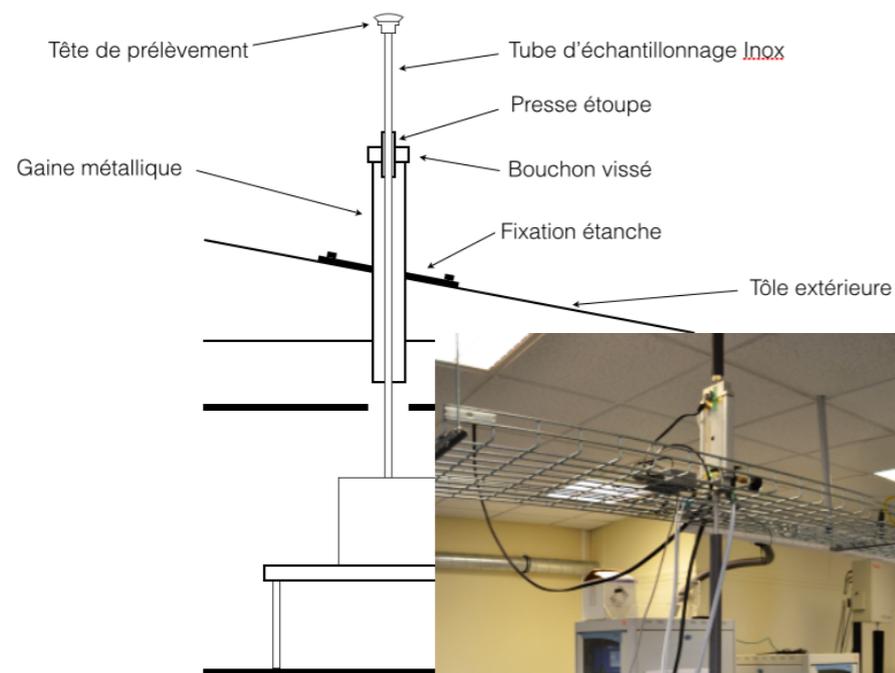
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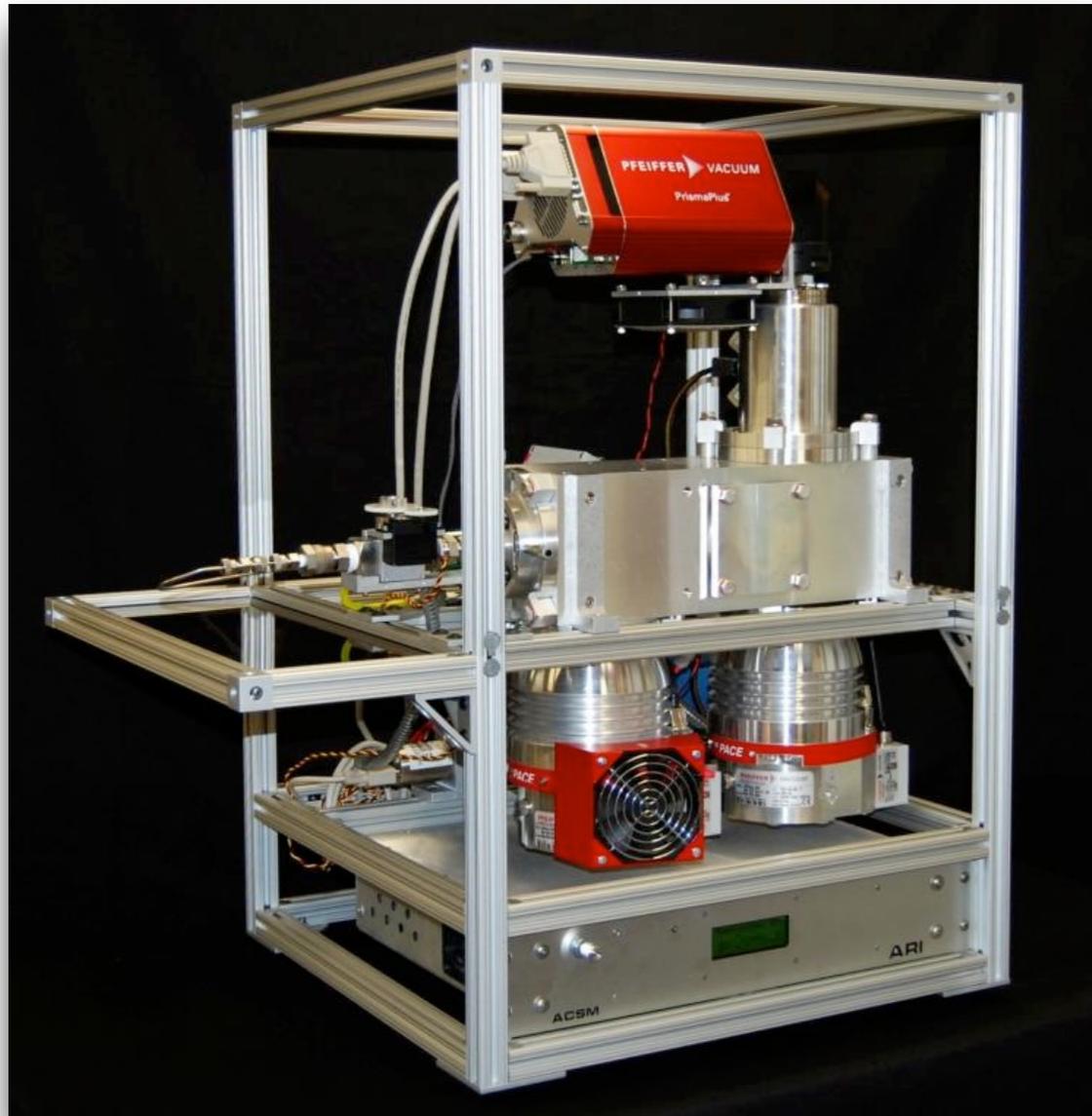
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Mass Spectrometer

Designed for robust long term monitoring

Reduced maintenance

OM, NO₃⁻, SO₄²⁻, NH₄⁺, Cl⁻ 30min

Compared to filters:

Pro:

High time resolution with less artefacts (esp. SV material)

OA source apportionment

Cons:

Data treatment is more complex

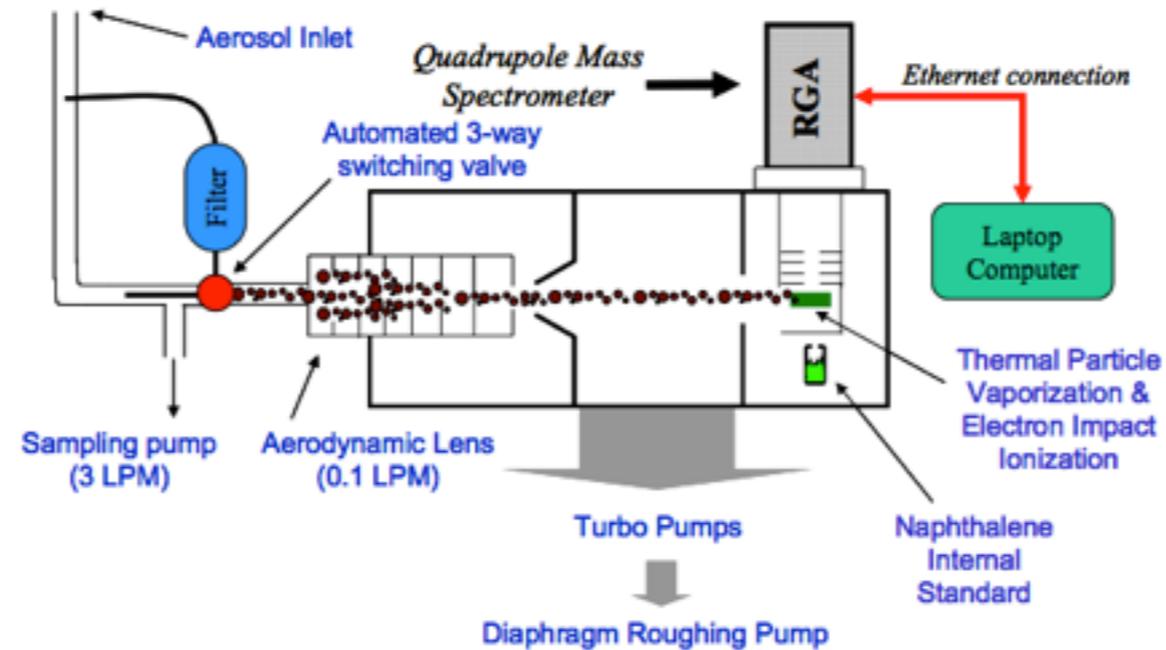
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- Particle beam focused through an aerodynamic lens
- Particles are flash-vaporized on a 600°C heated conical tungsten vaporizer, and ionized with electron impact at 70 eV
- Fragments are separated through a quadrupole

- Sequential analyses, with an upstream total filter mounted in parallel allows the removal (by subtraction) of the signal due to gas-phase compounds.

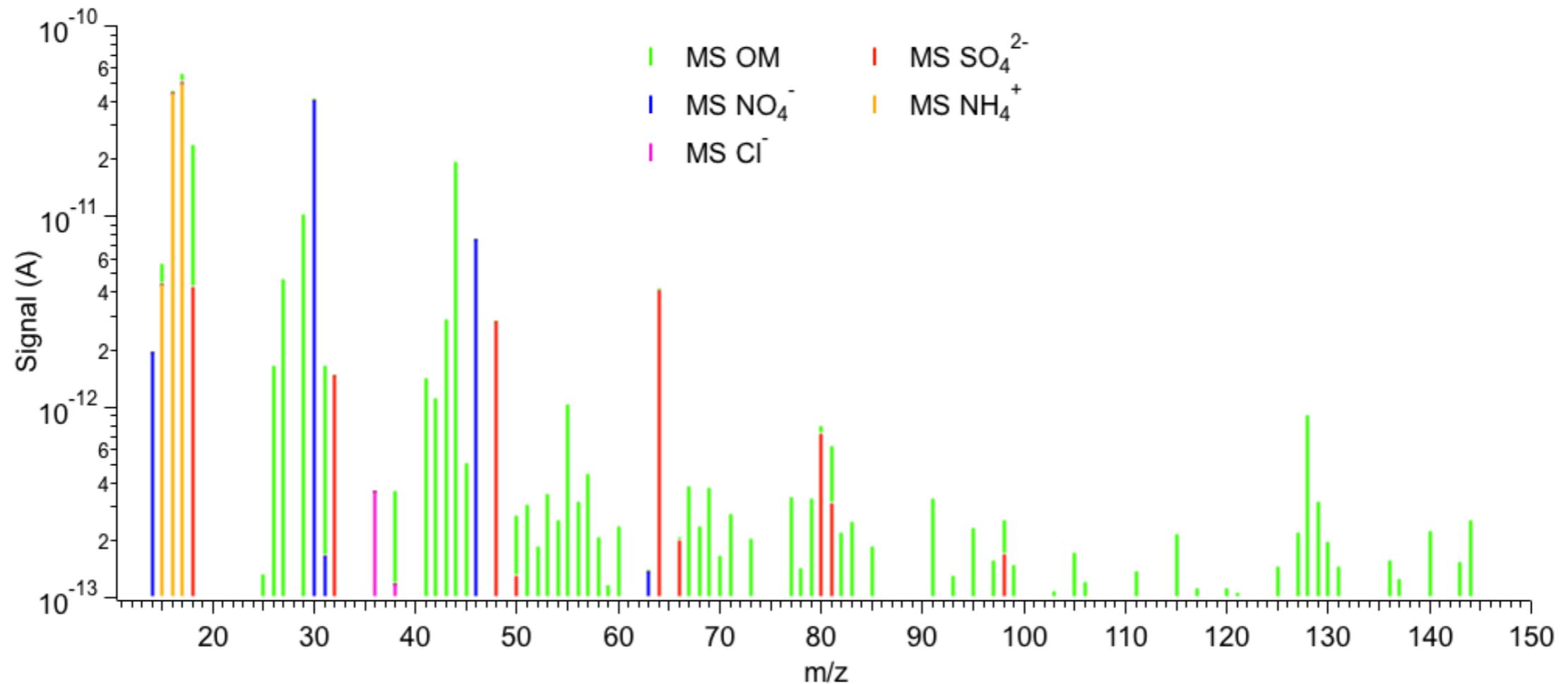
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- A fragmentation panel is applied to reconstruct the concentration of organics and inorganics following reference fragmentation patterns *Allan et al., 2004*

$$IC_S = \sum_i a_i^S \cdot m/z_i$$

$$IC_S (A) \xrightarrow{\text{response factor}} [S] (\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3)$$

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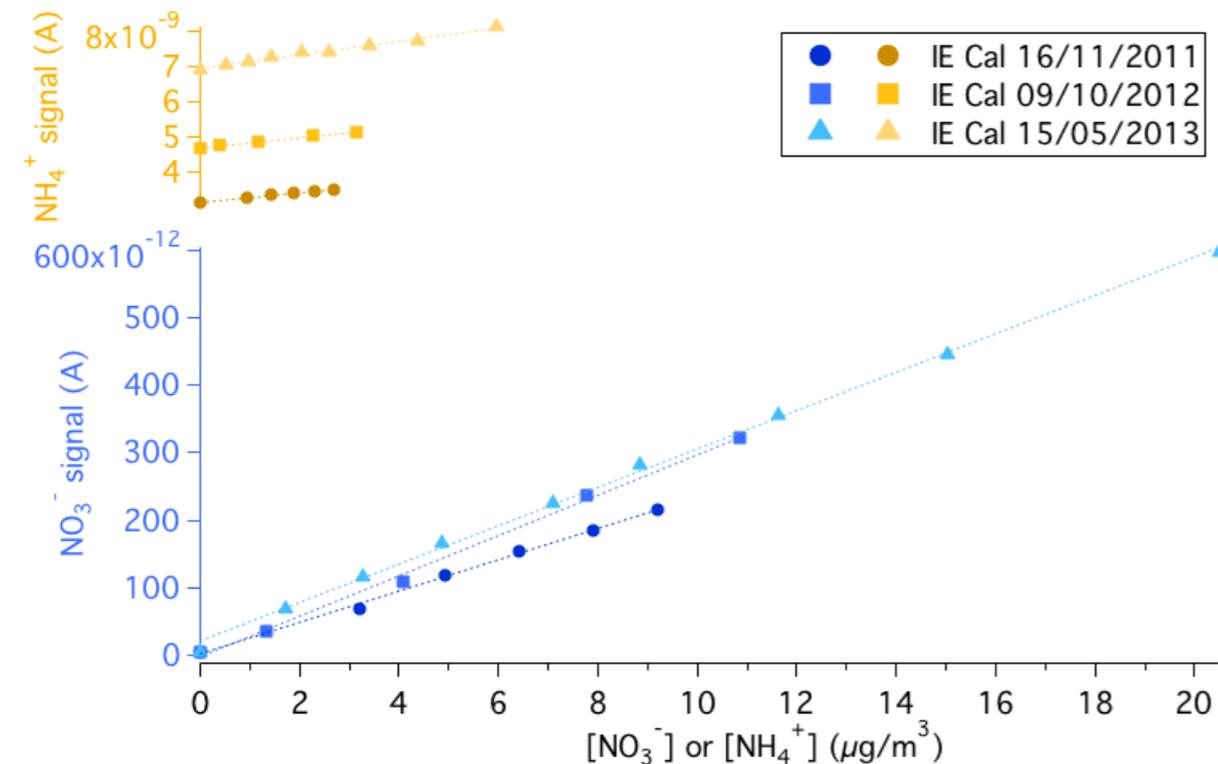
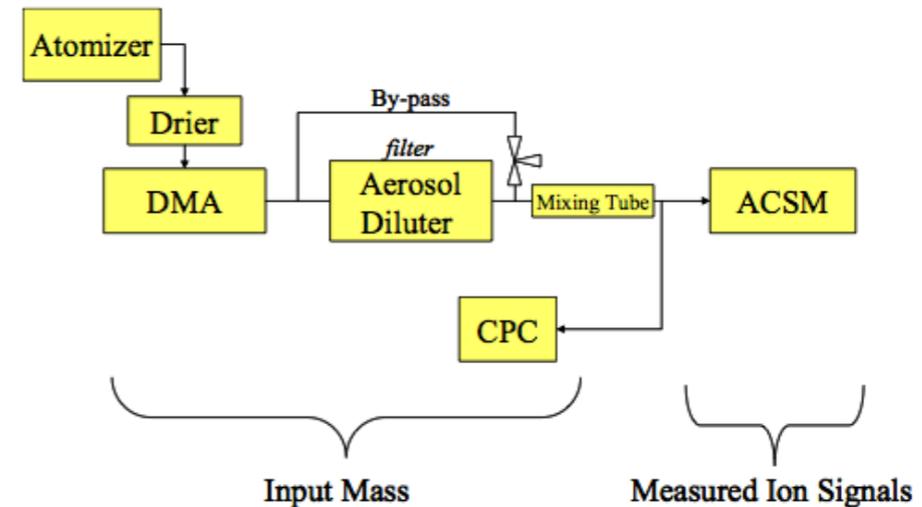
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The response factor of the instrument is determined through the direct injection of 300 nm NH_4NO_3 particles

- the CPC is used to determine the concentration of NH_4NO_3
- the by-pass total filter is used to vary the concentration



- 3 calibrations were performed in 2 years
- The consistency of the slopes allowed us to use a single averaged RF

13% uncertainty

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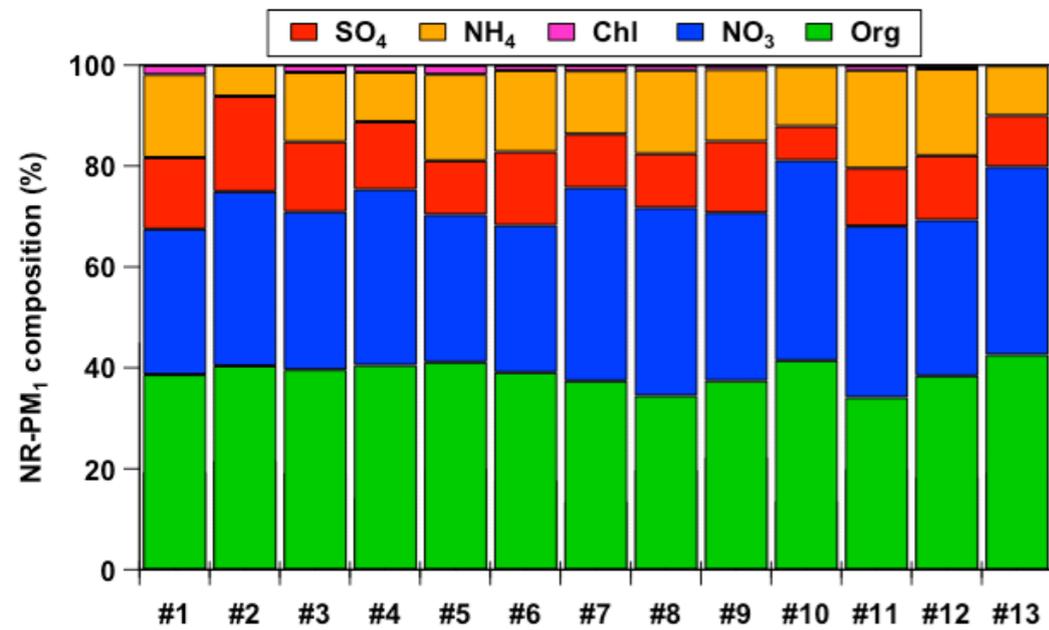
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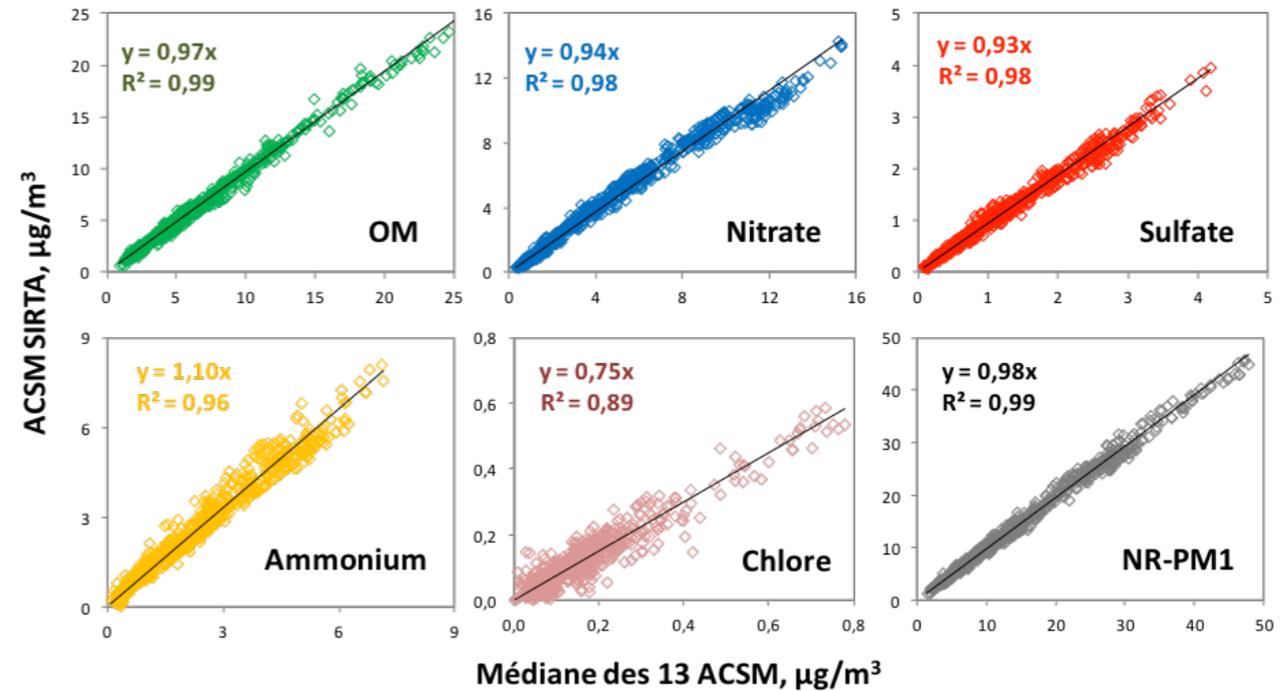
ACSM intercomparison *Crenn et al., in prep.; Frohlich et al., in prep.; Belis et al., in prep*

From 12/11 to 02/12, 13 ACSMs, 10 U.E. countries, ~20 scientists, at SIRTA

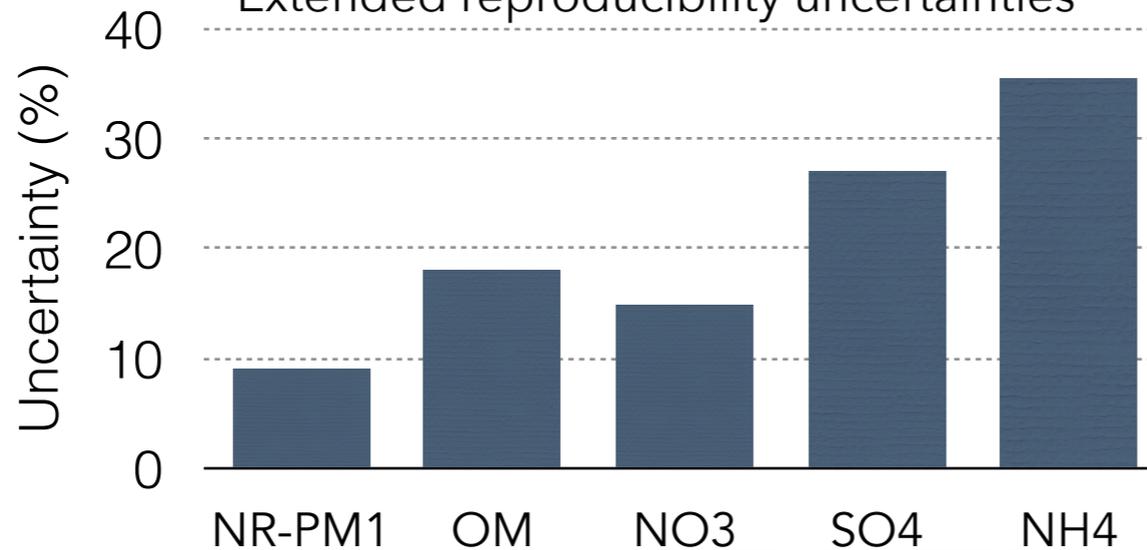
Average chemical composition



Consistency of SIRTA ACSM



Extended reproducibility uncertainties



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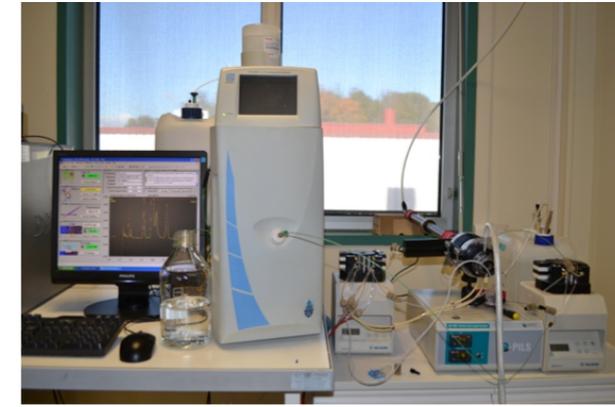
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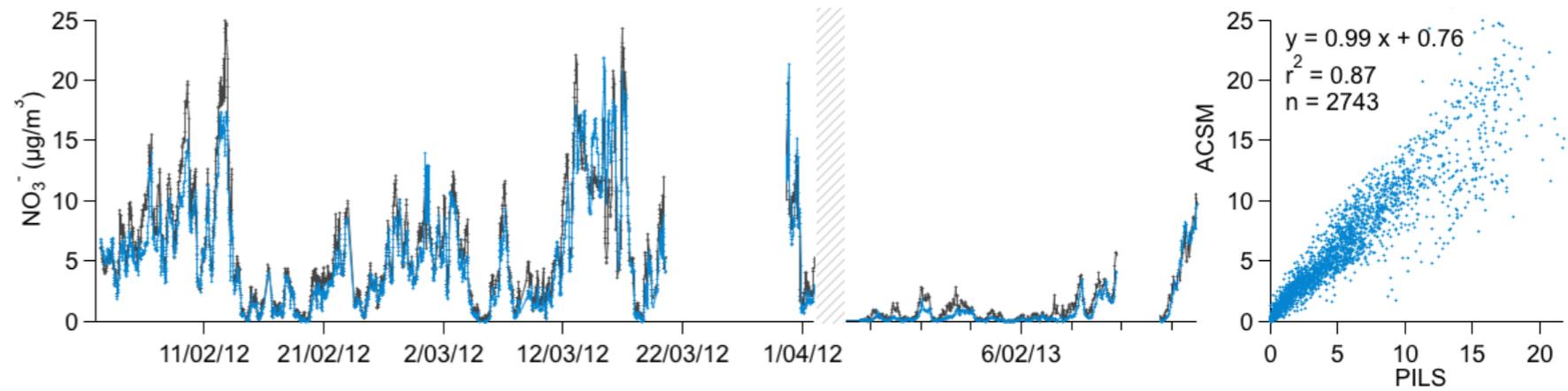
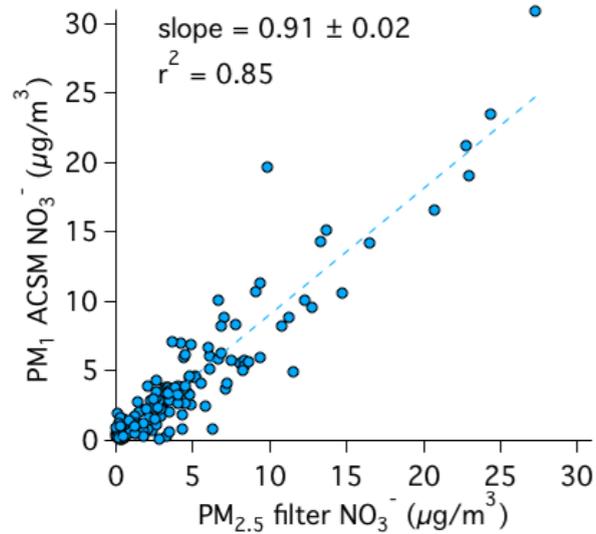
Specie by specie



FILTERS



PILS-IC



Satisfactory consistency between ACSM and PILS or filters

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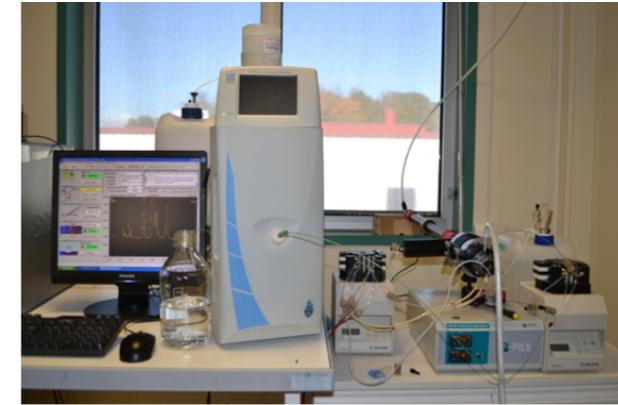
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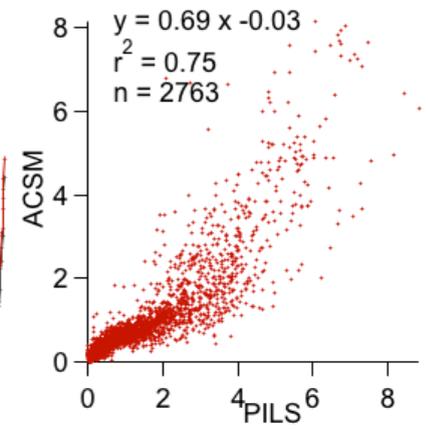
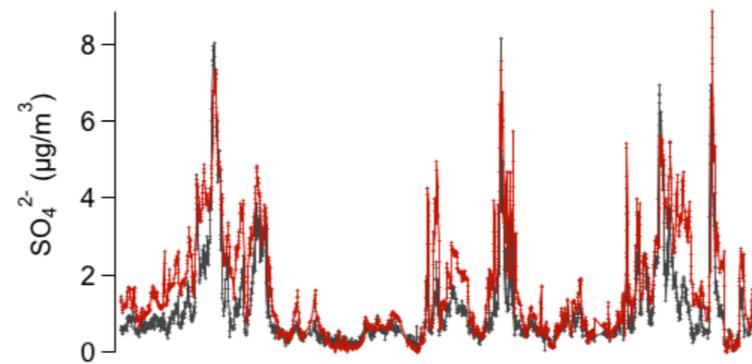
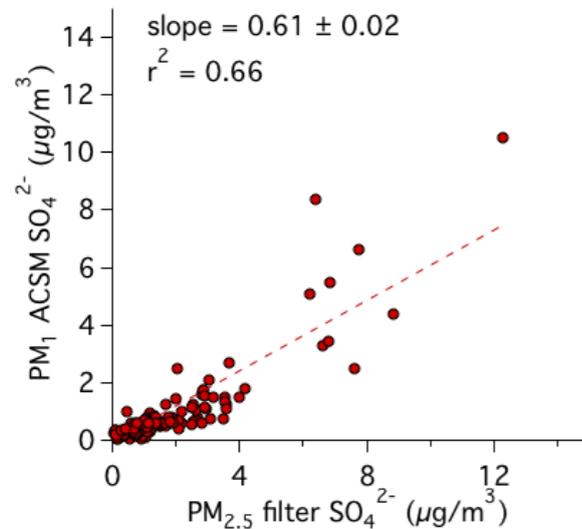
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Underestimation of ACSM for SO₄. Can be due to:

- PILS and filters takes refractory SO₄ into account
- Some SO₄ may be found between PM_{2.5} and PM₁
- Bouncing effect and fragmentation issue of SO₄ particles within the ACSM (?)

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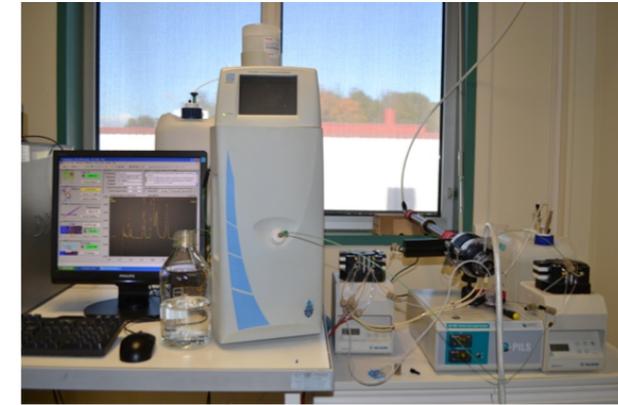
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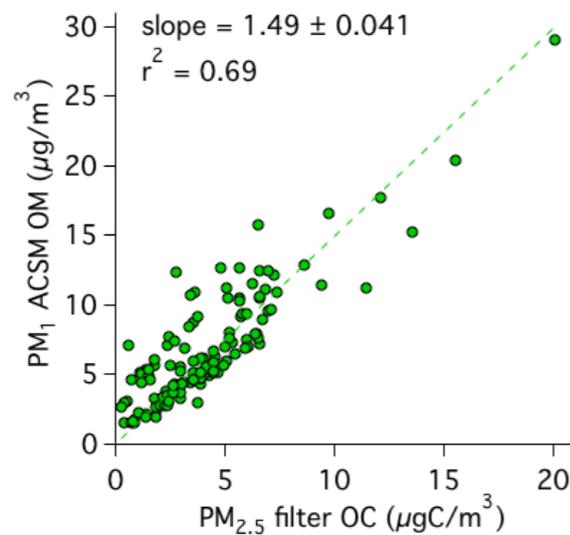
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FILTERS



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Slope significantly different from Bressi et al. (2013). Can be due to:

- Sampling artefacts for filter sampling
- Some OM may be found between $PM_{2.5}$ and PM_1

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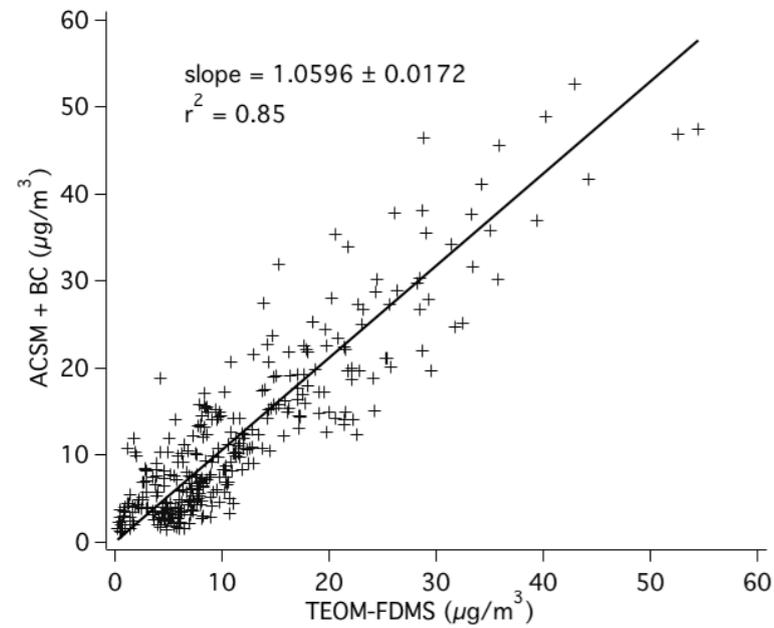
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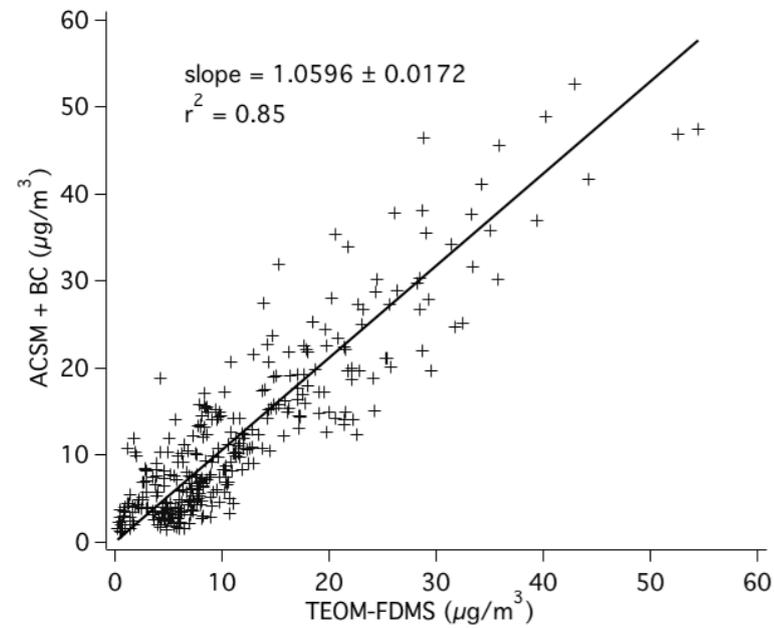
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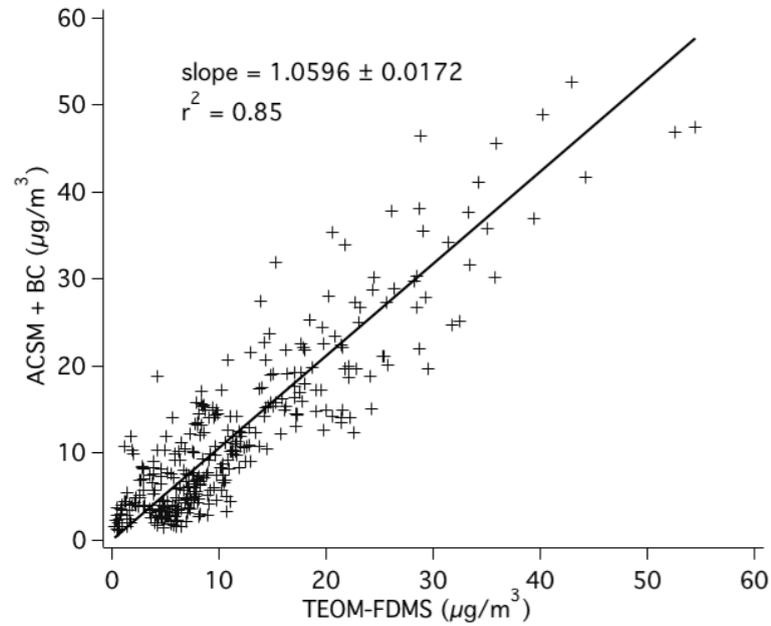
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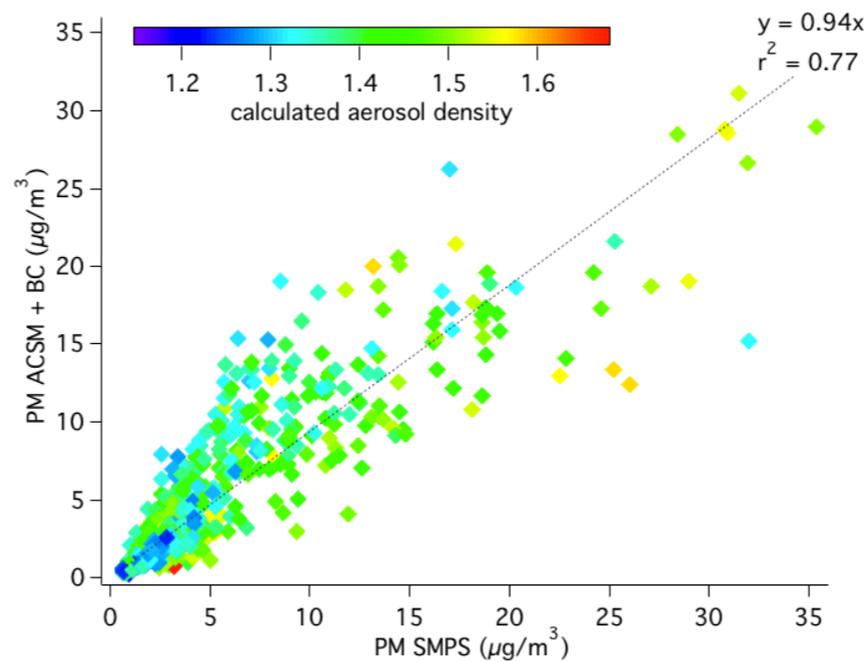
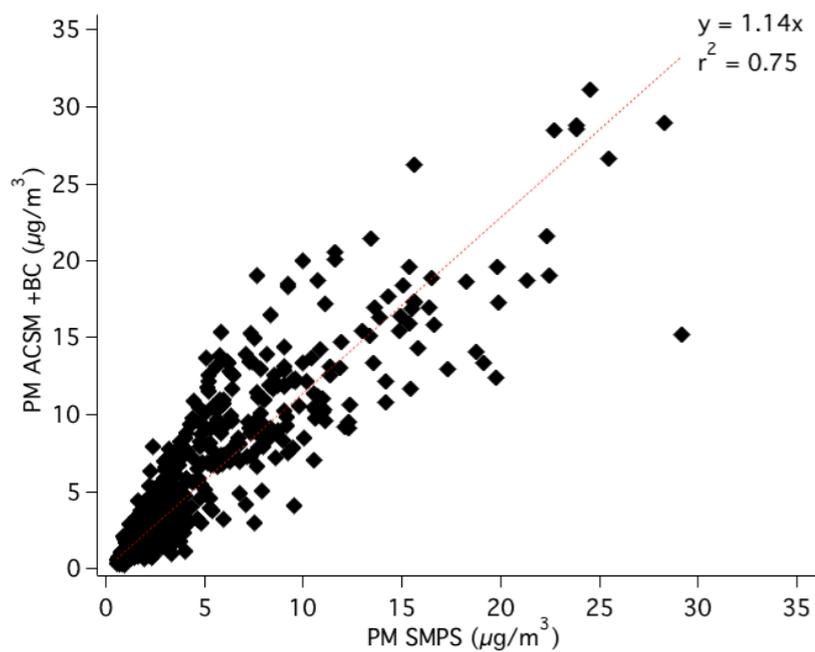
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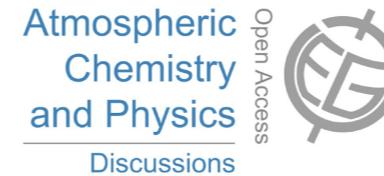
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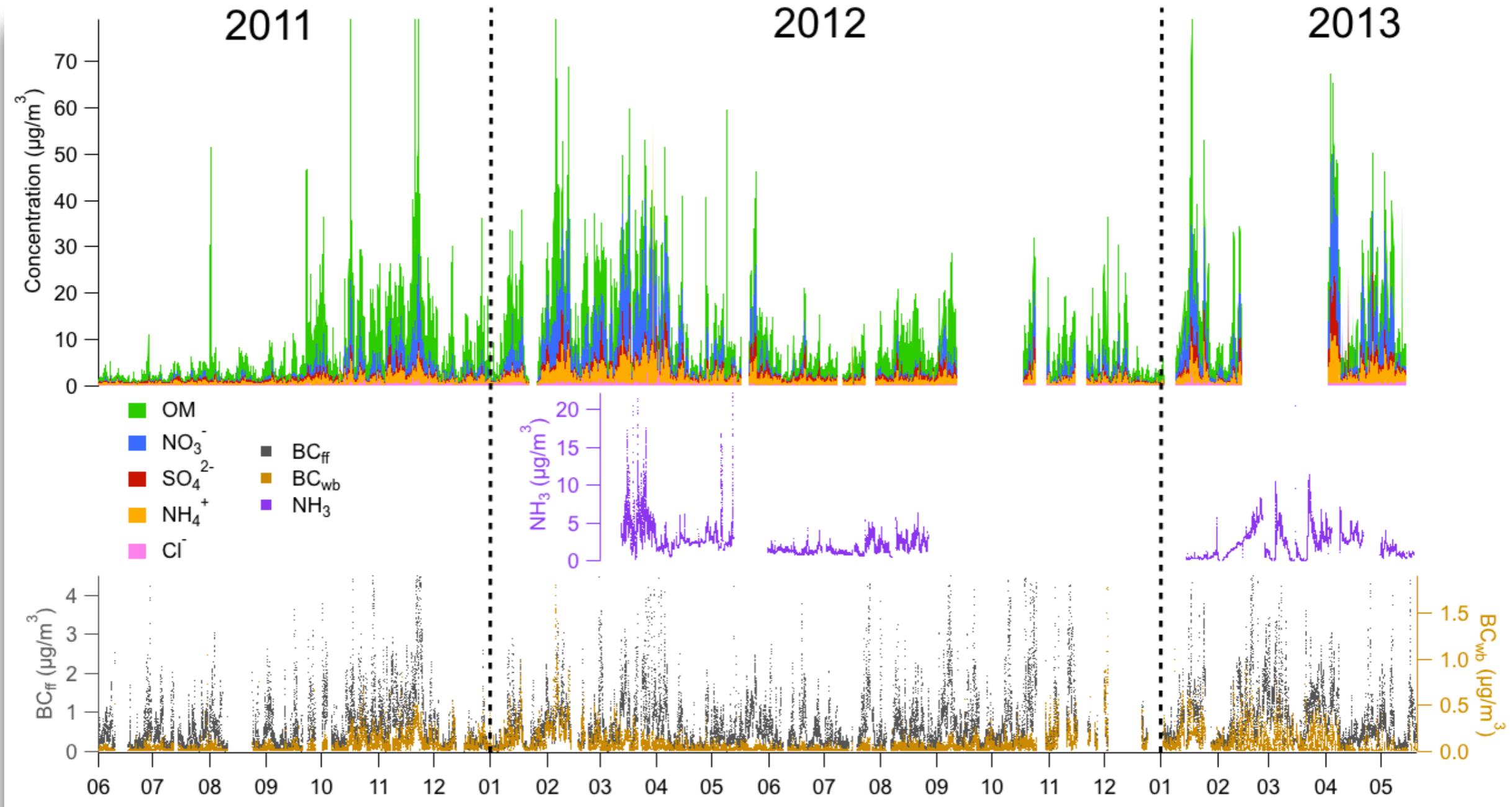
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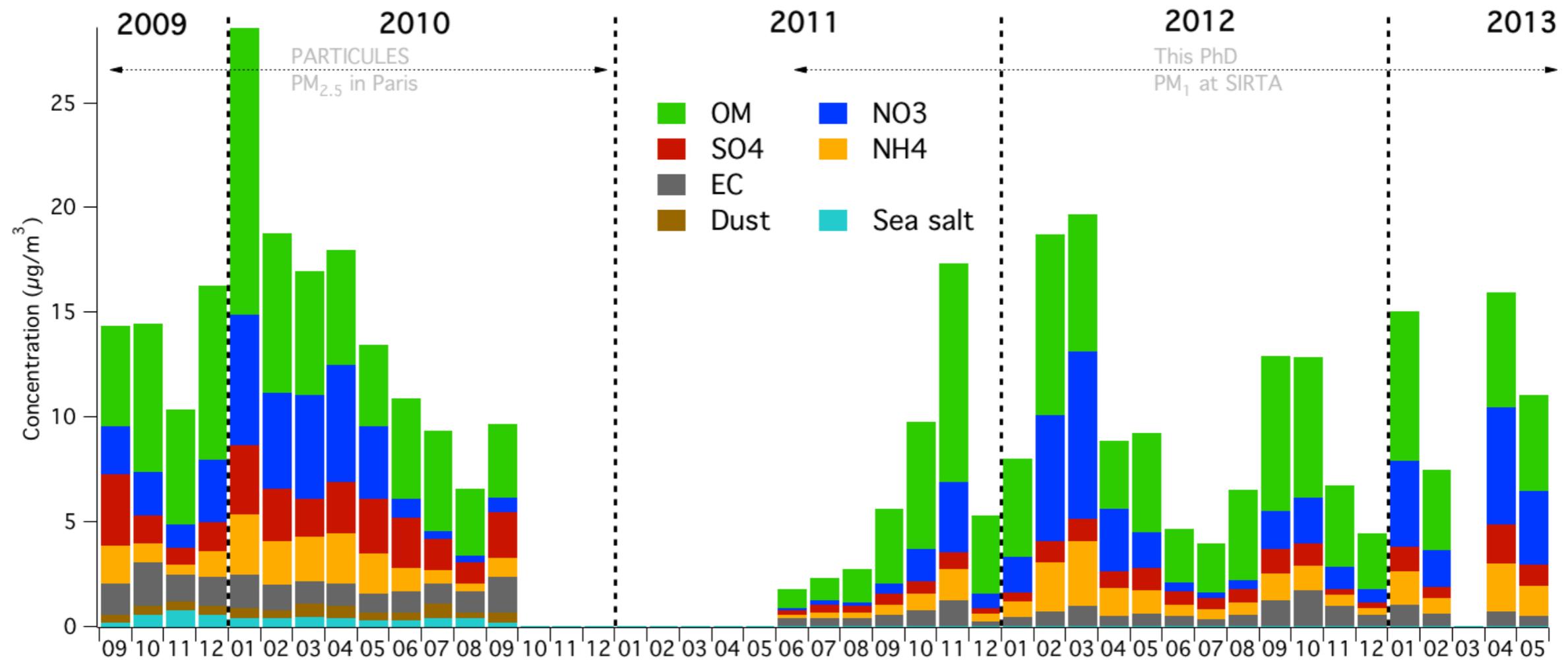


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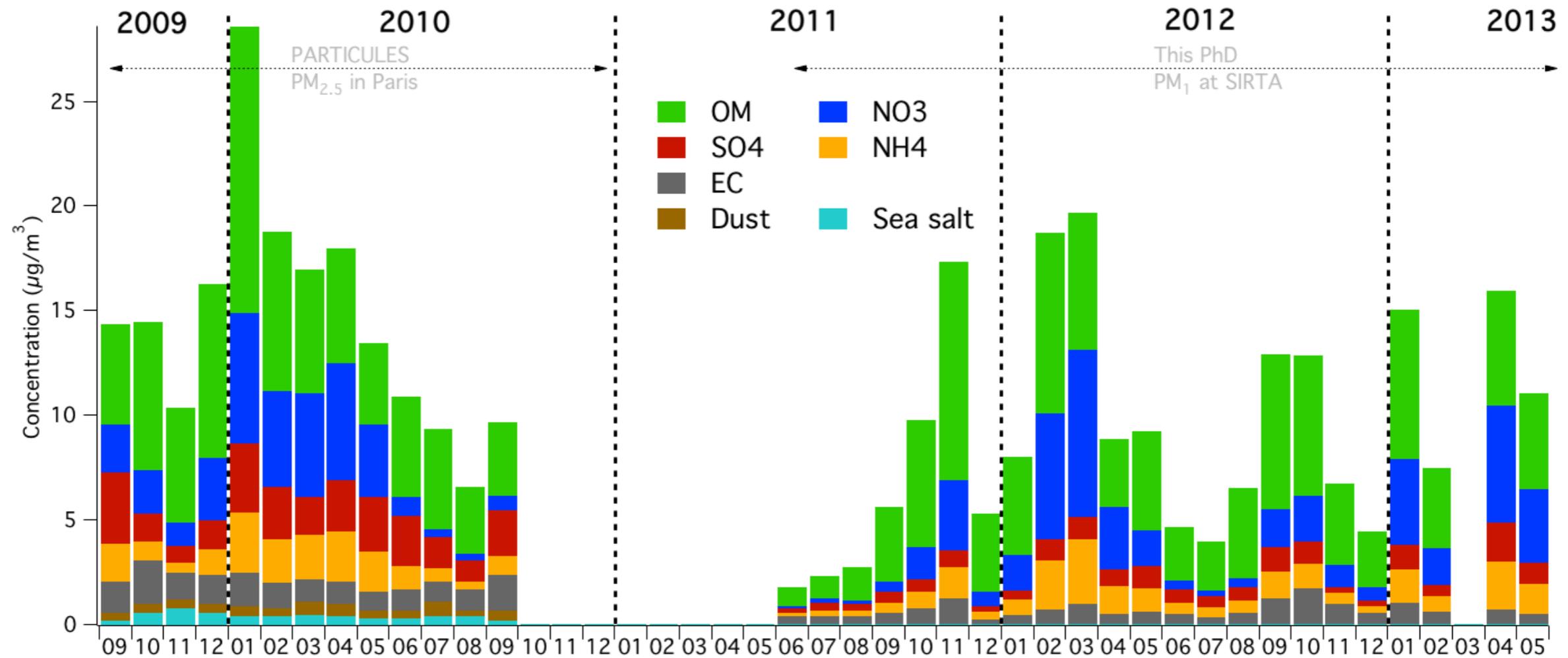


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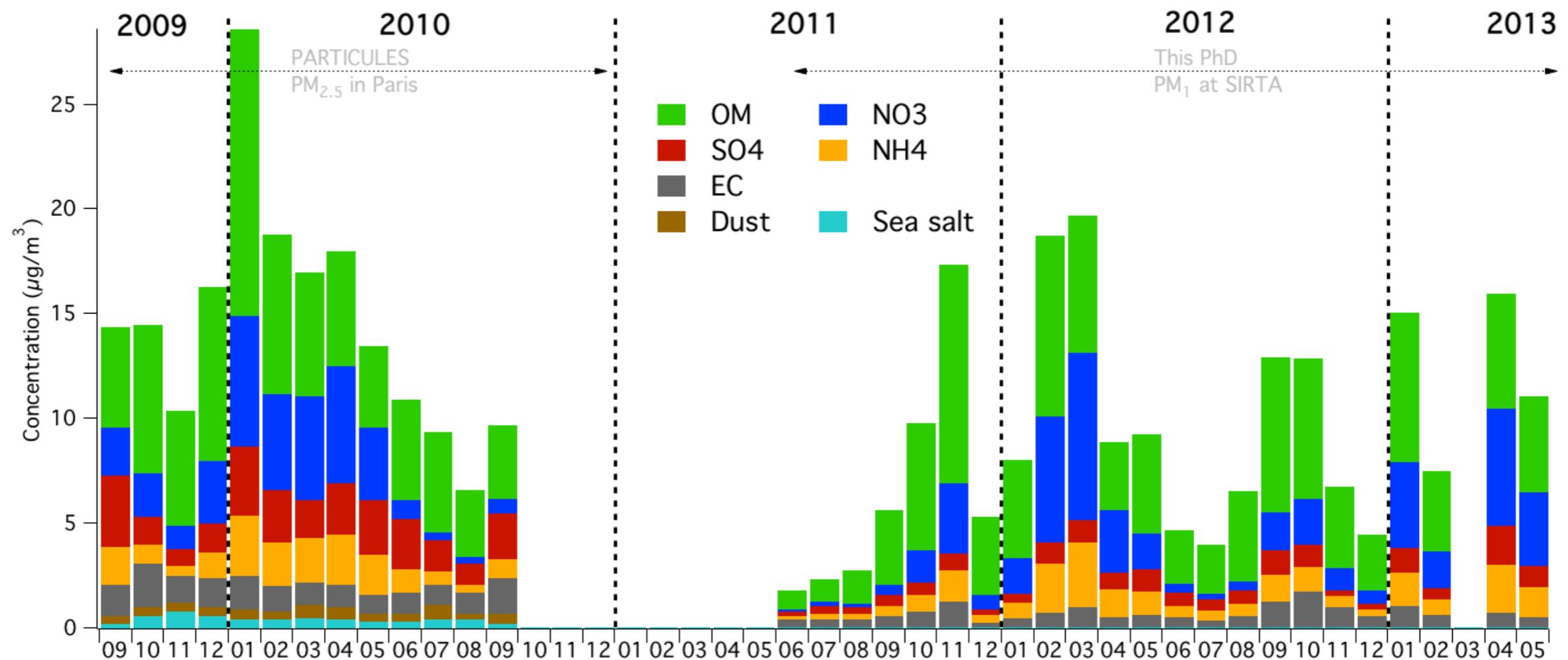
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High contribution of OM in winter

High contribution of NH_4NO_3 during spring

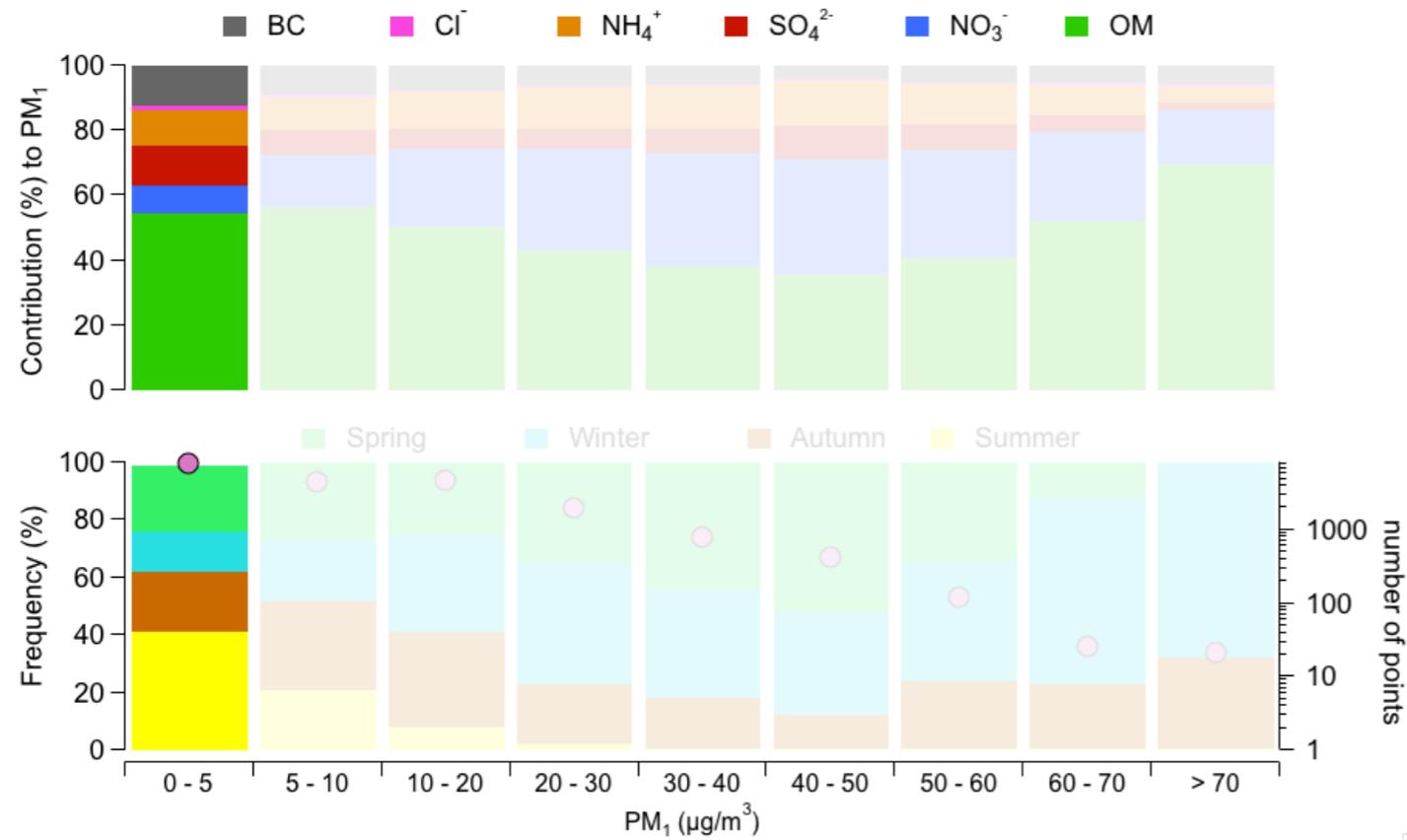
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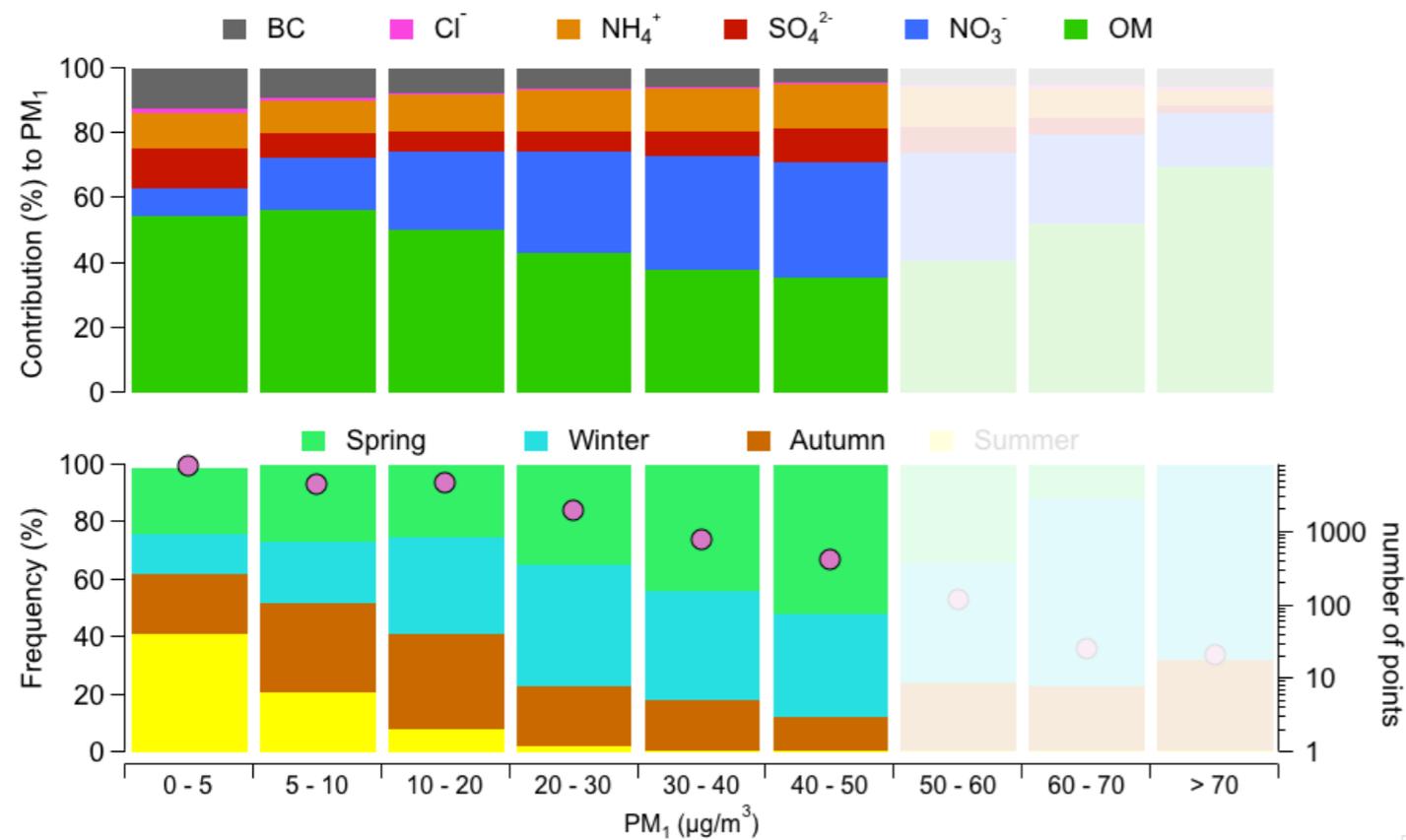
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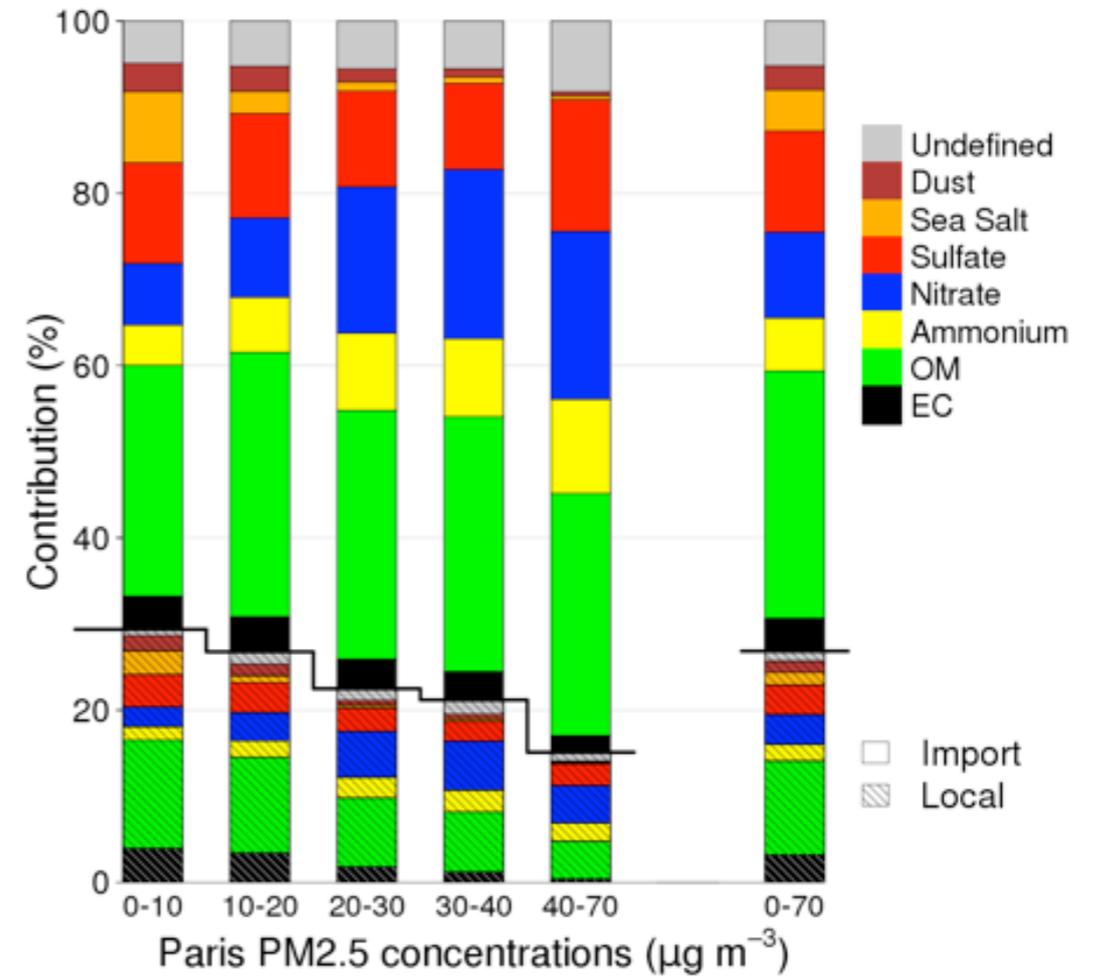
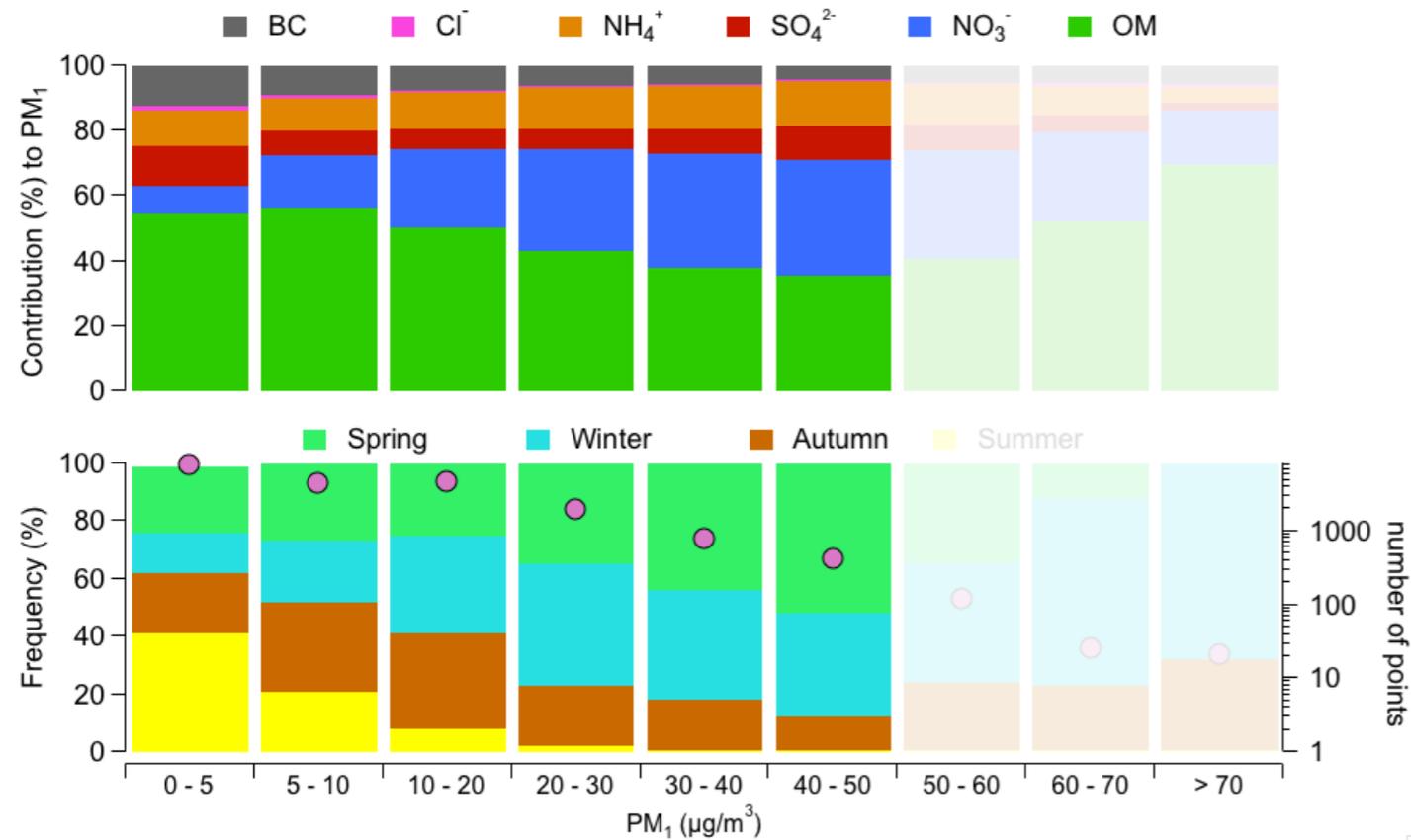
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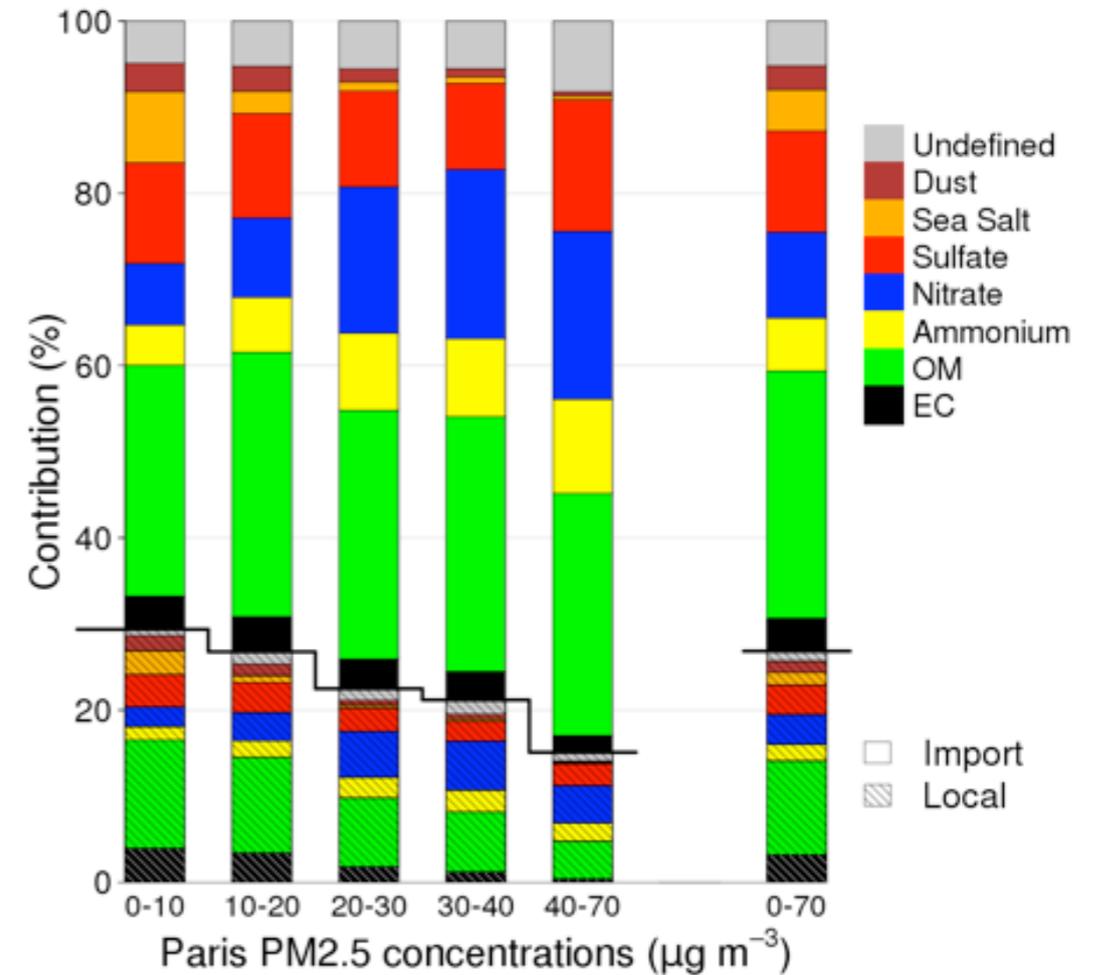
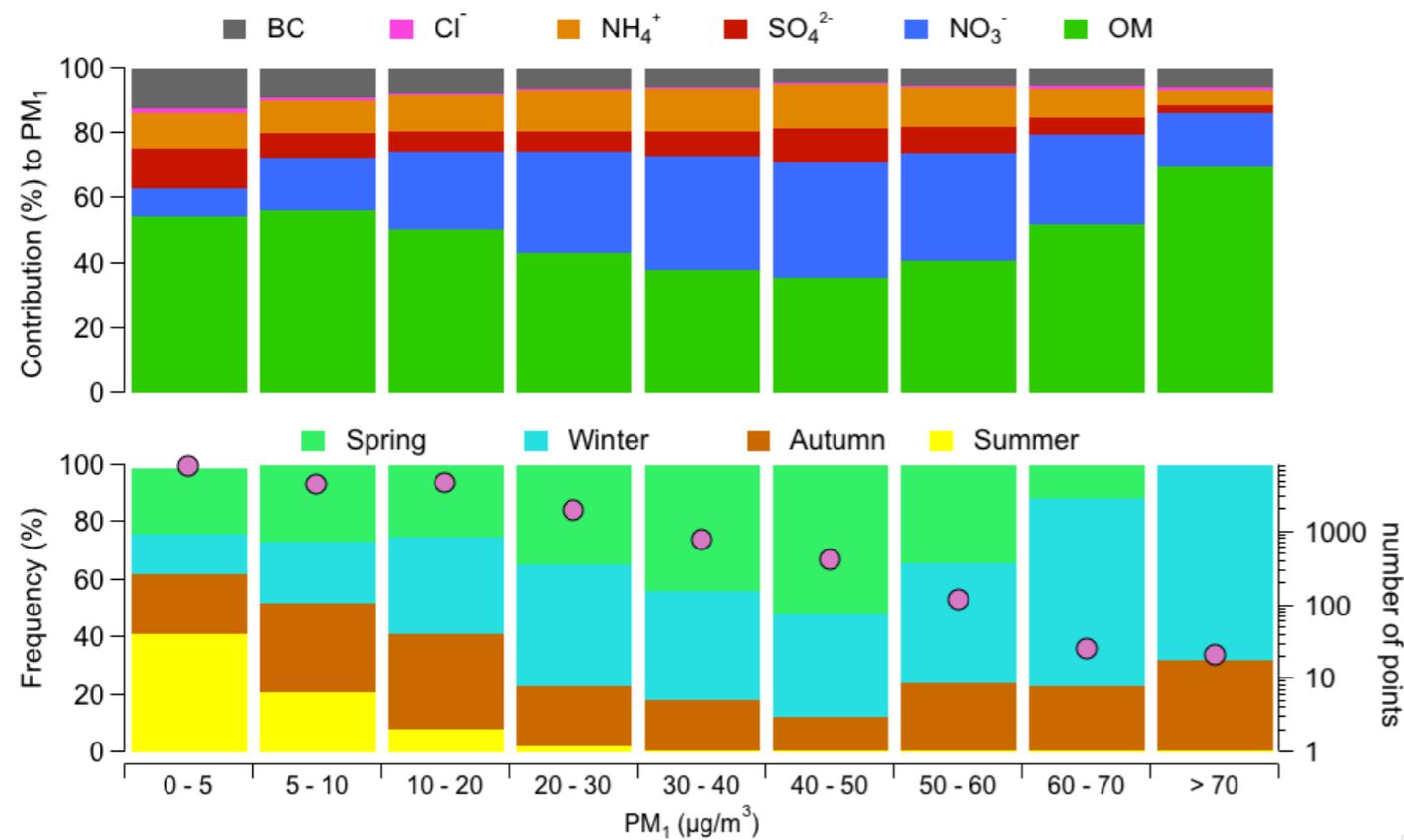
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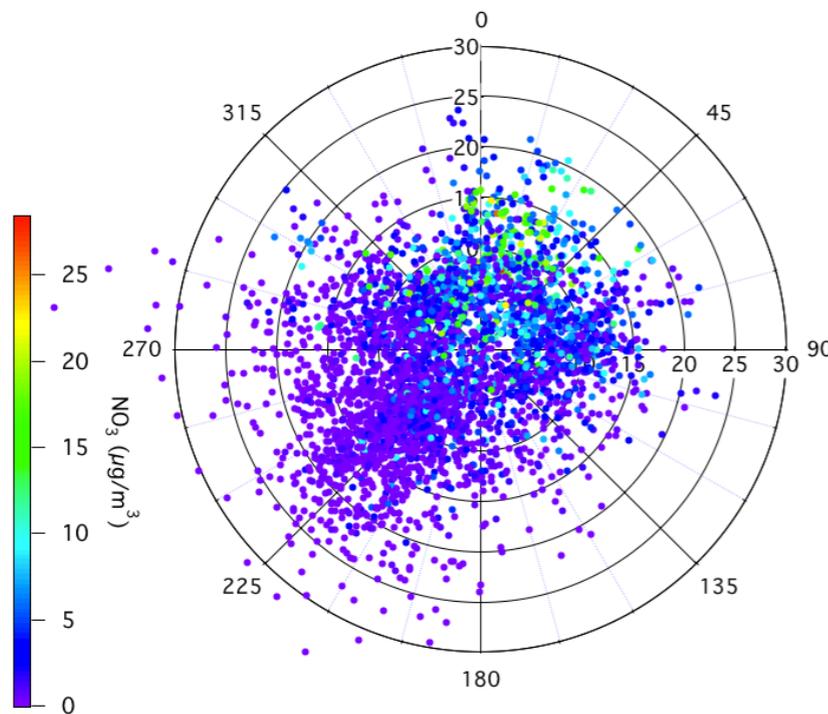
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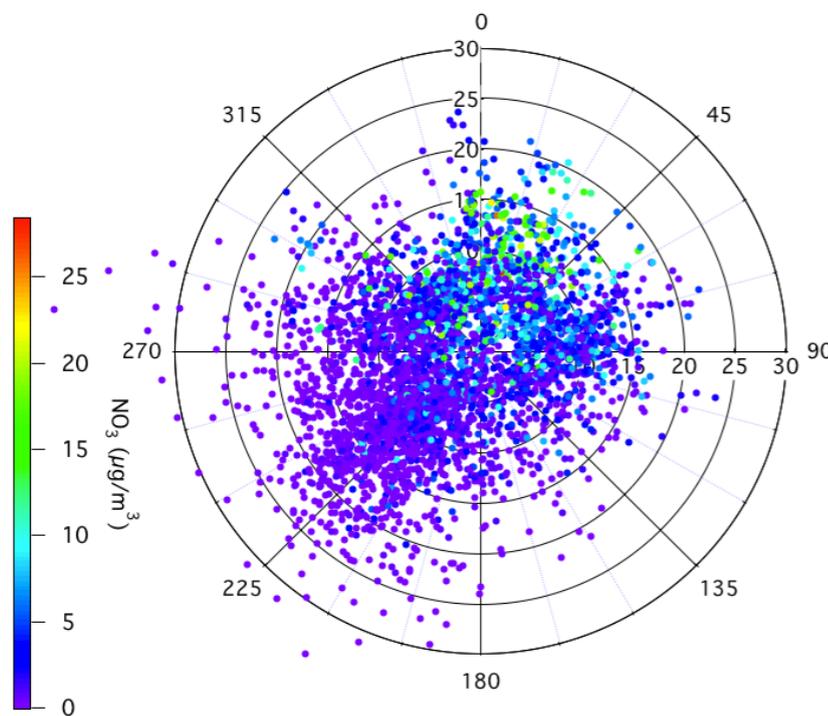
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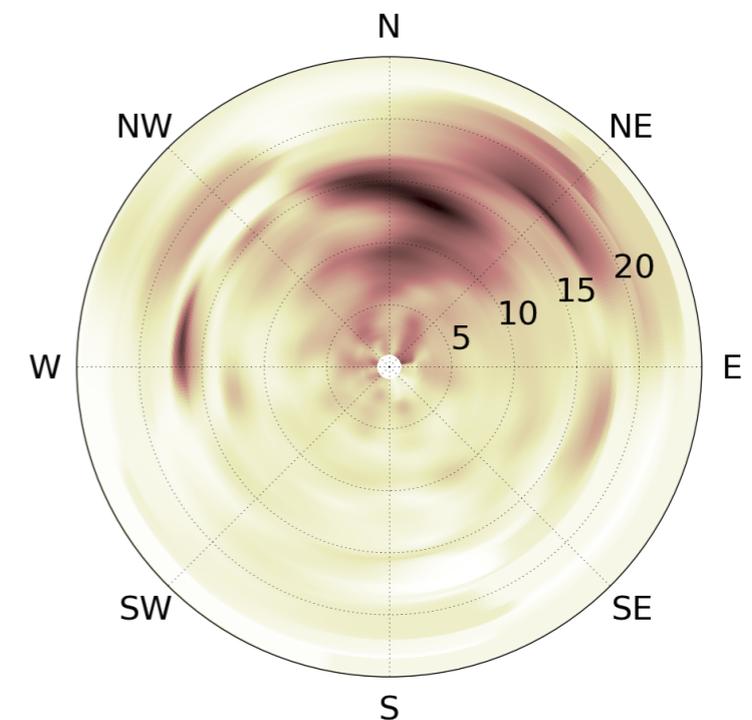
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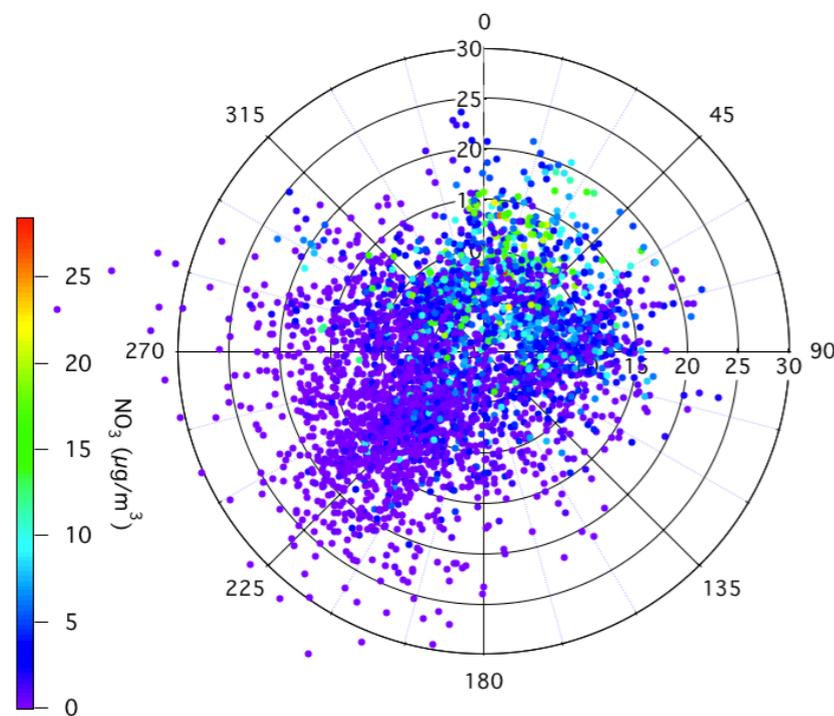
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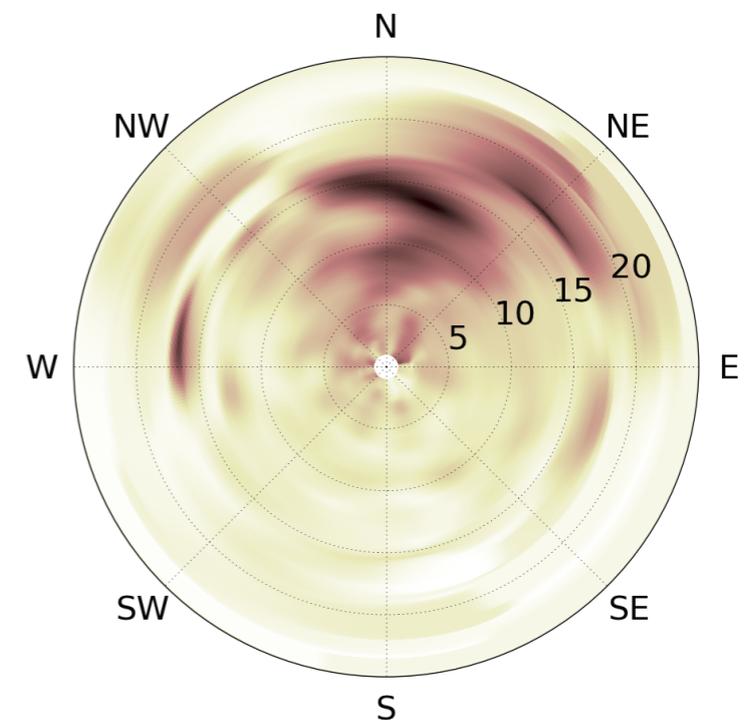
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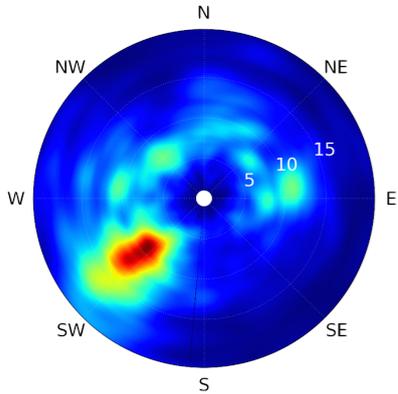
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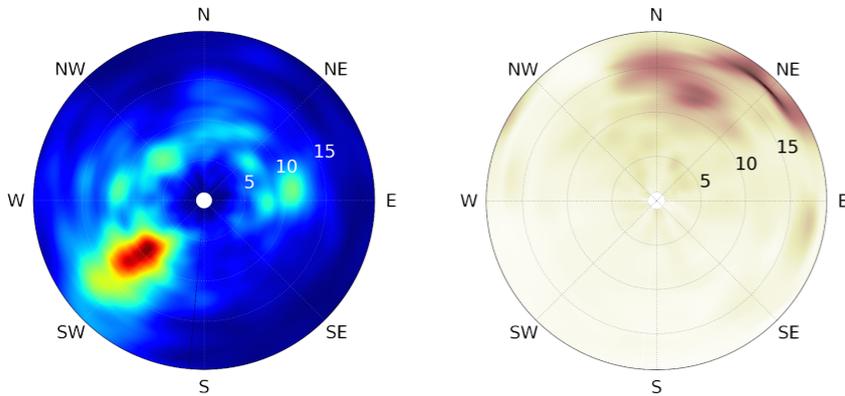
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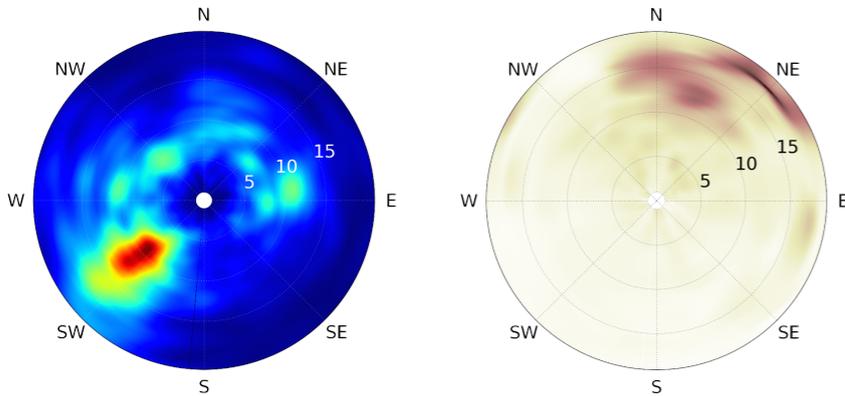
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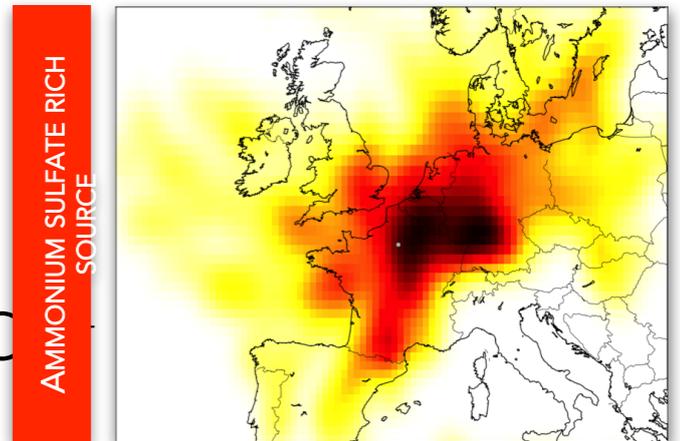
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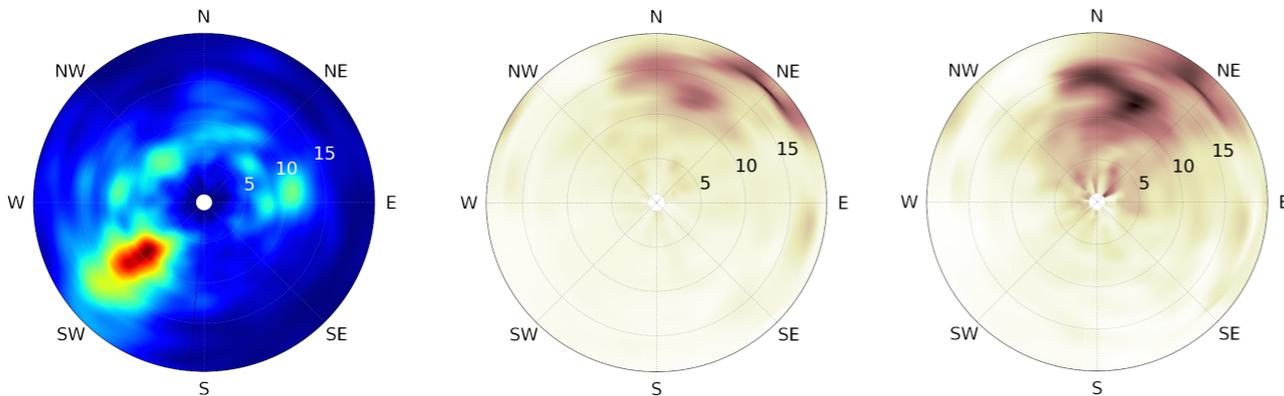
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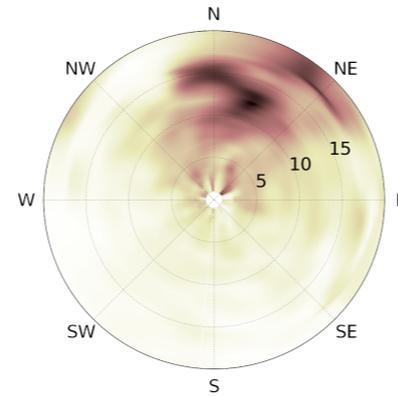
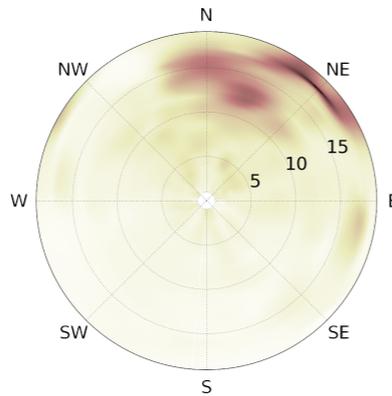
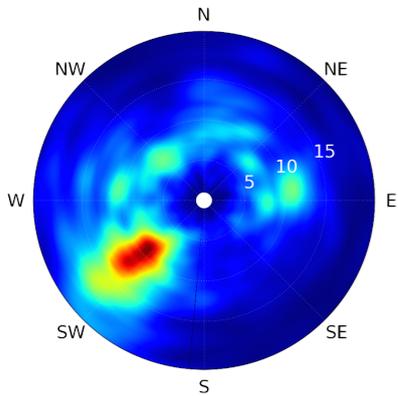
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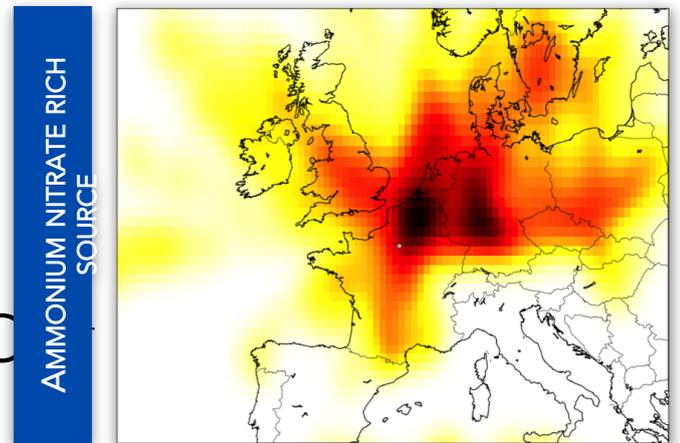
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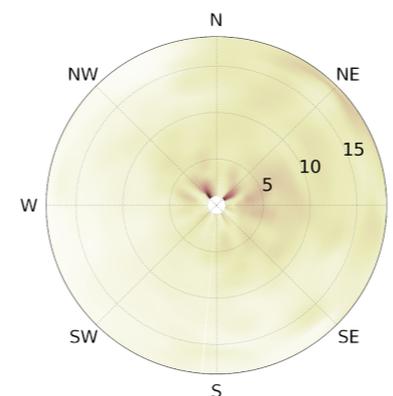
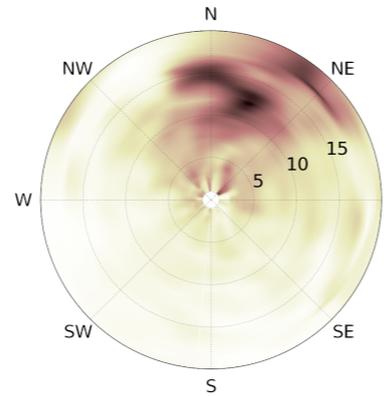
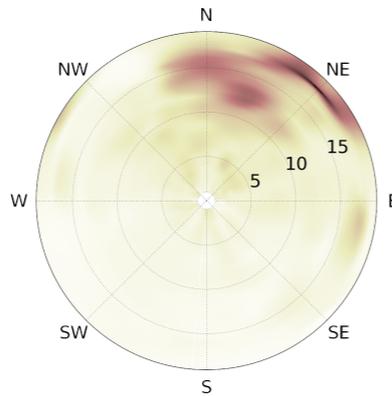
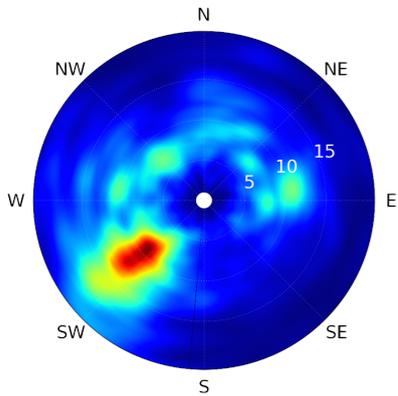
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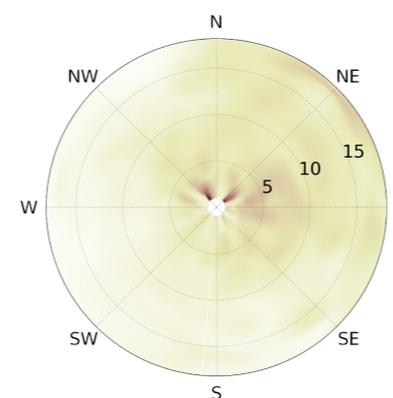
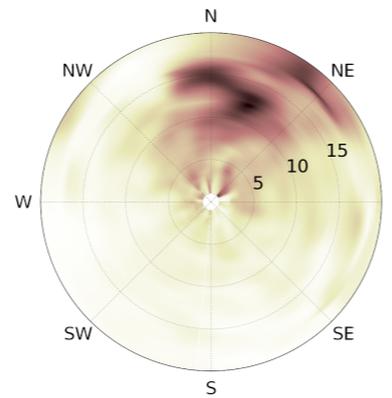
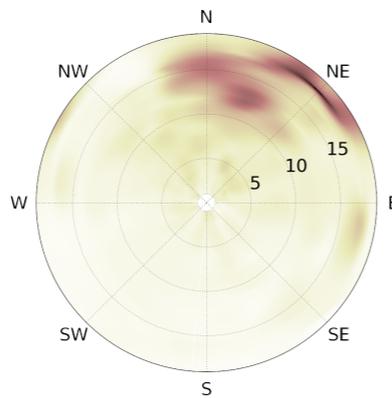
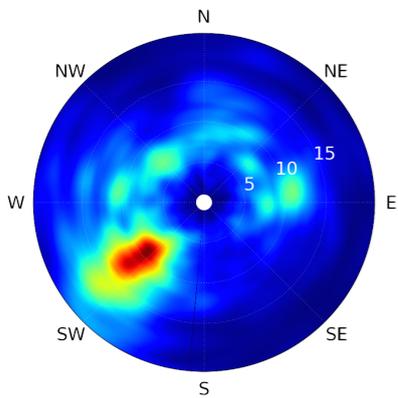
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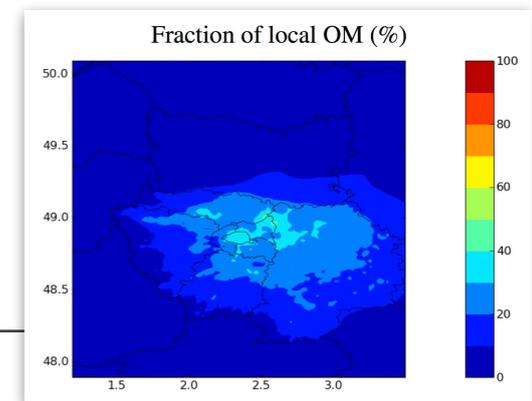
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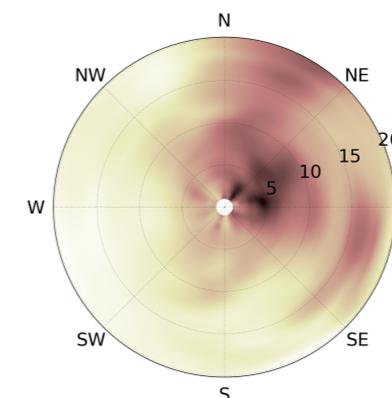
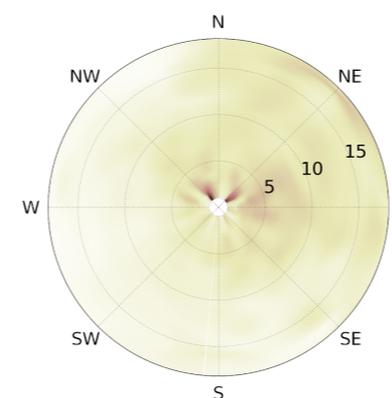
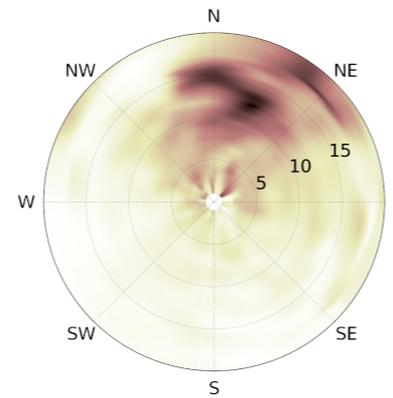
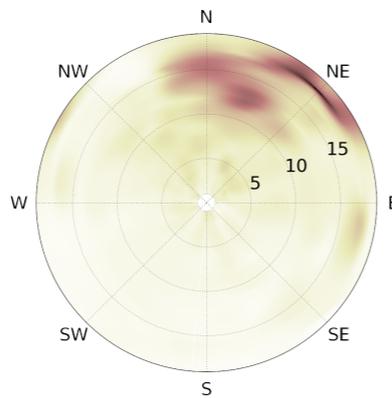
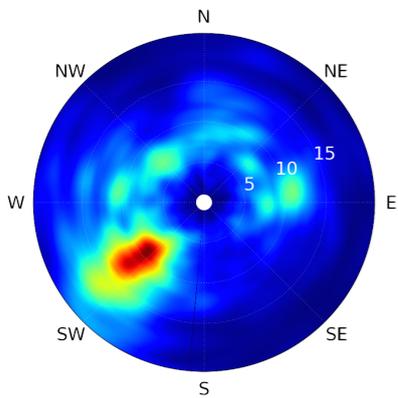
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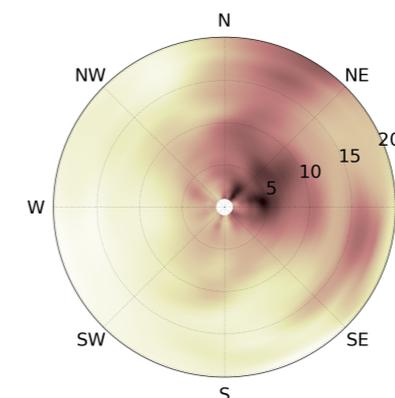
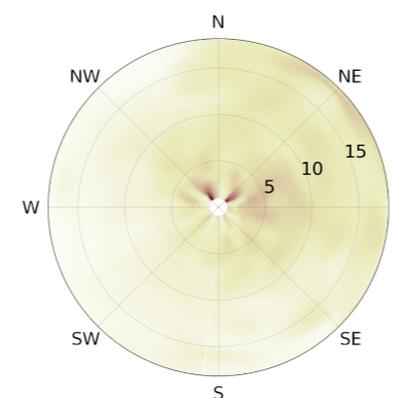
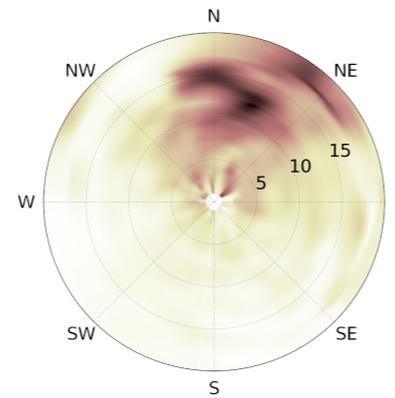
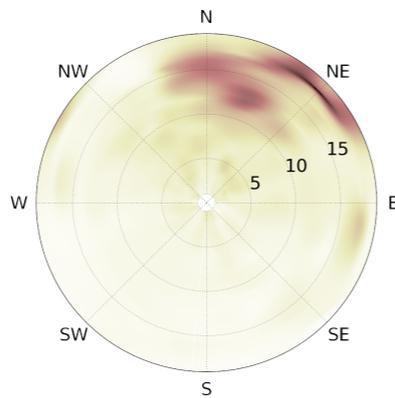
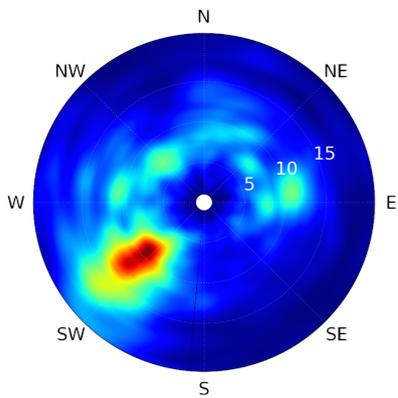
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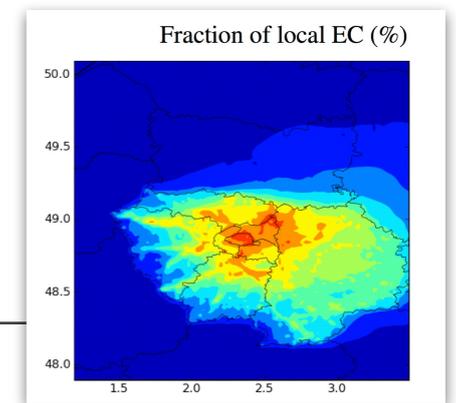
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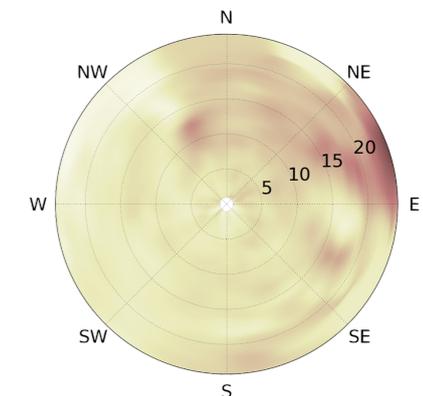
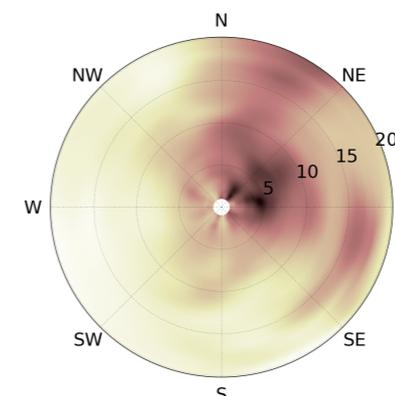
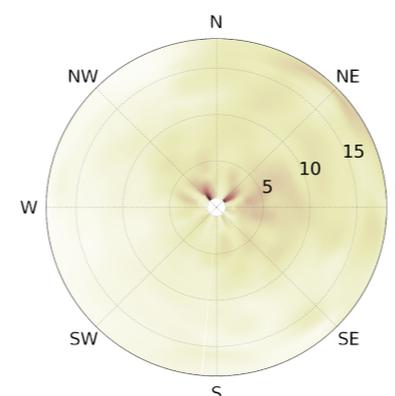
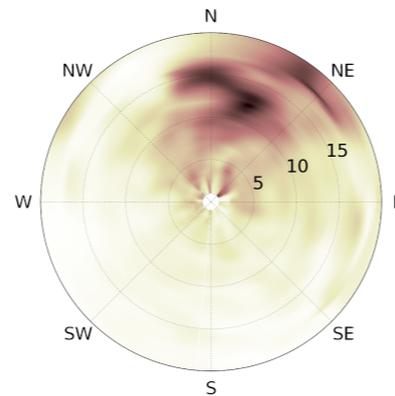
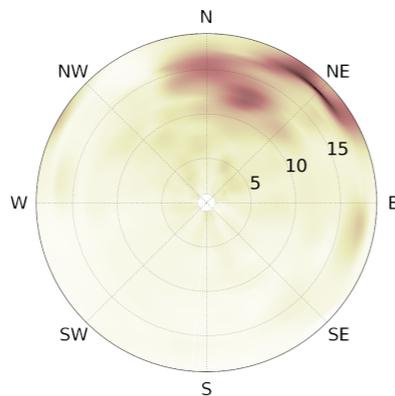
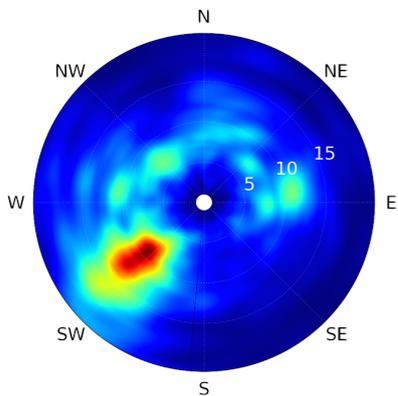
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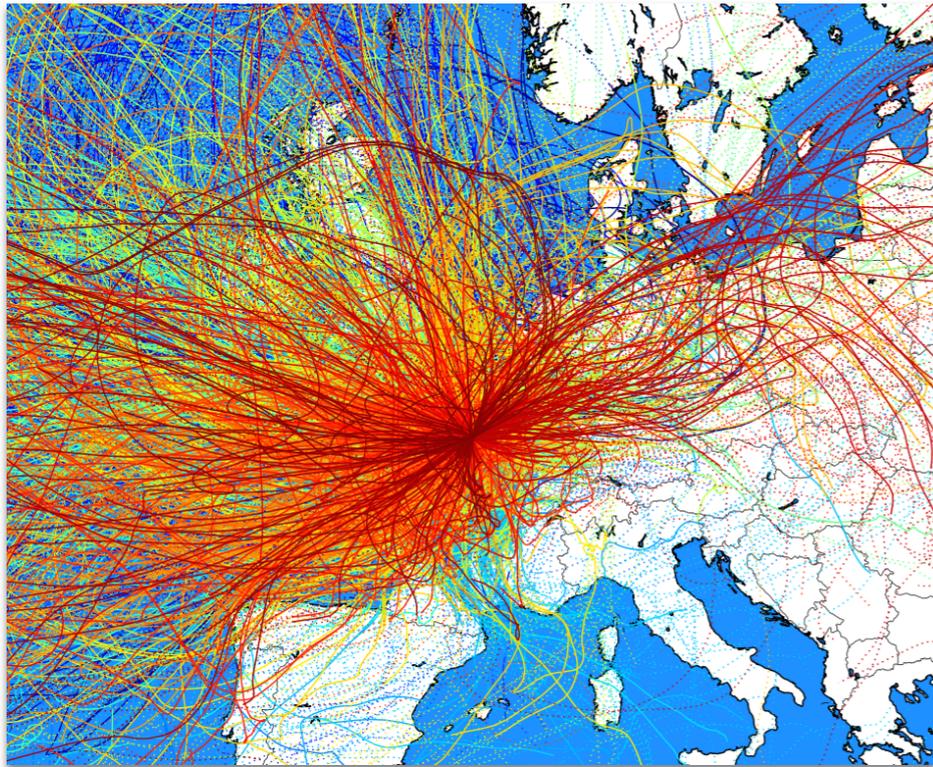
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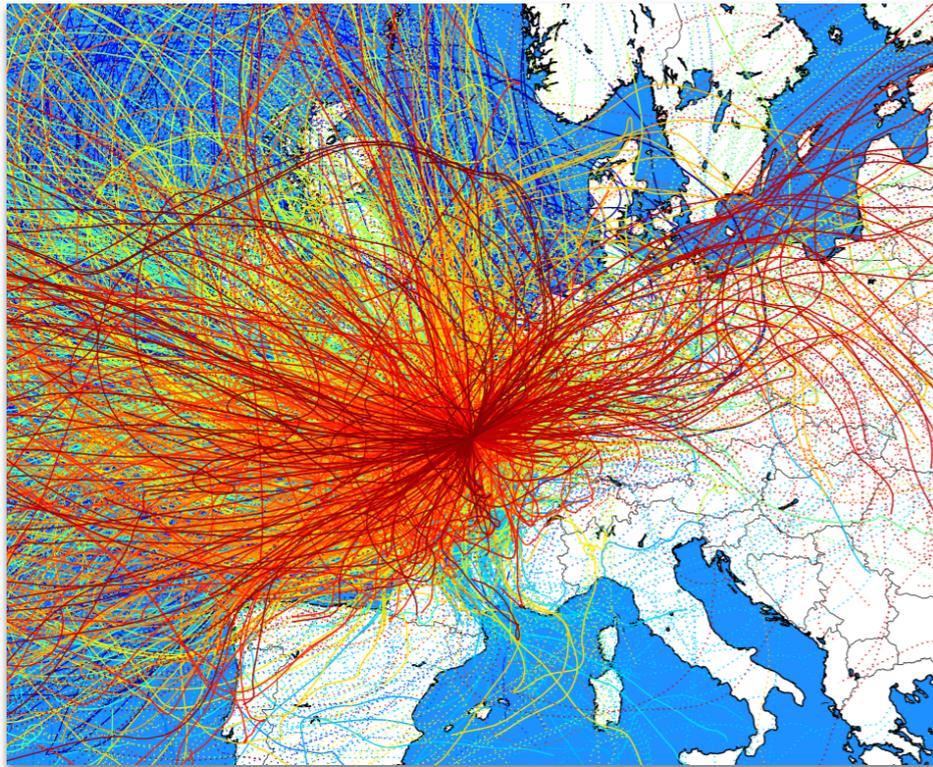
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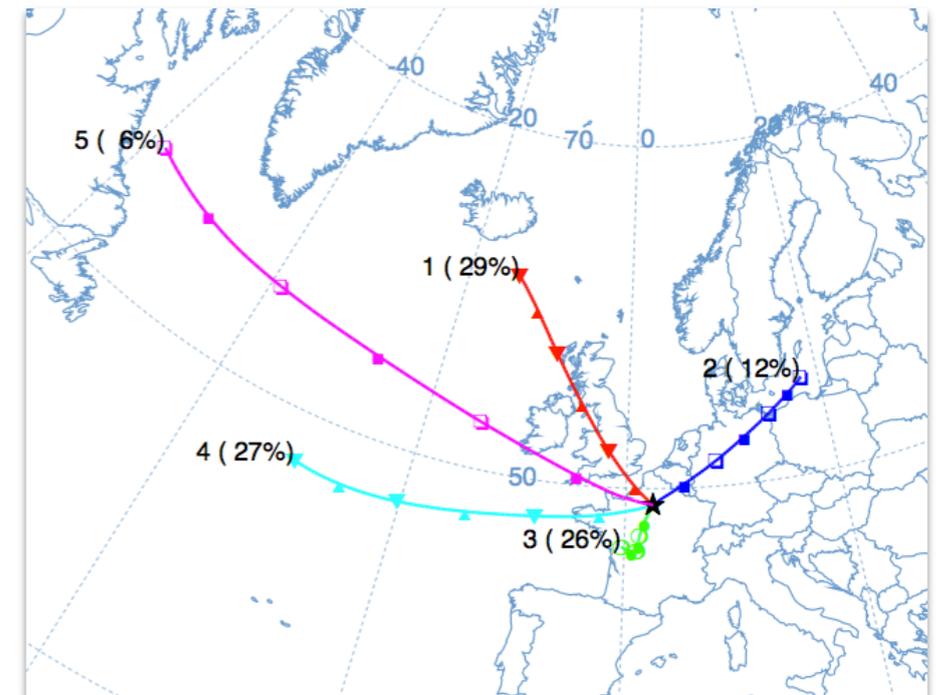
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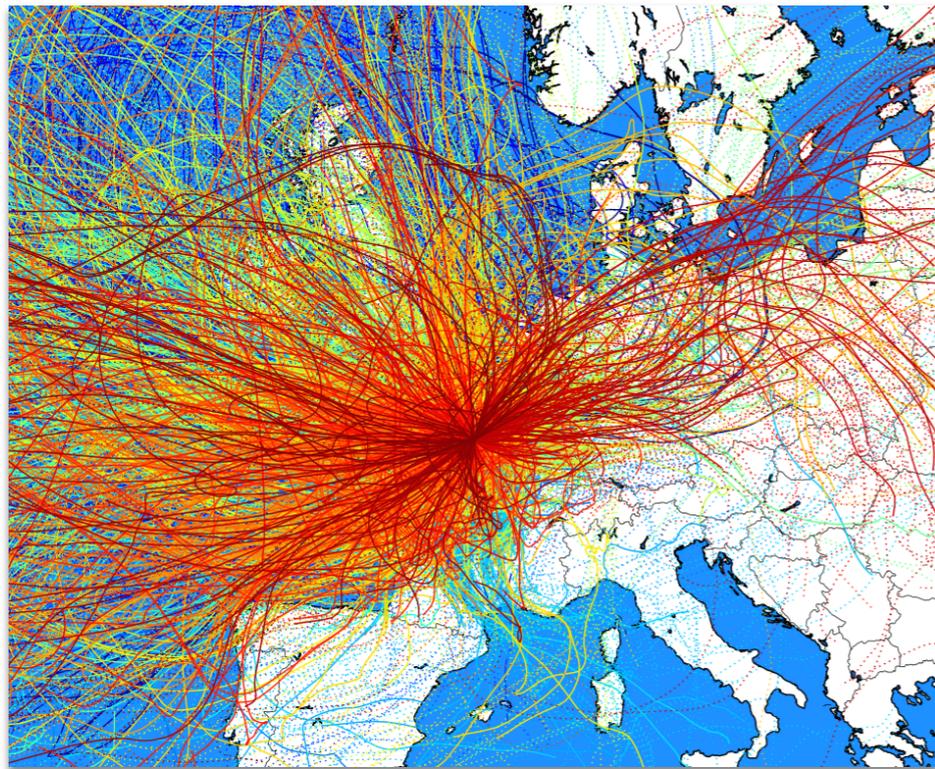
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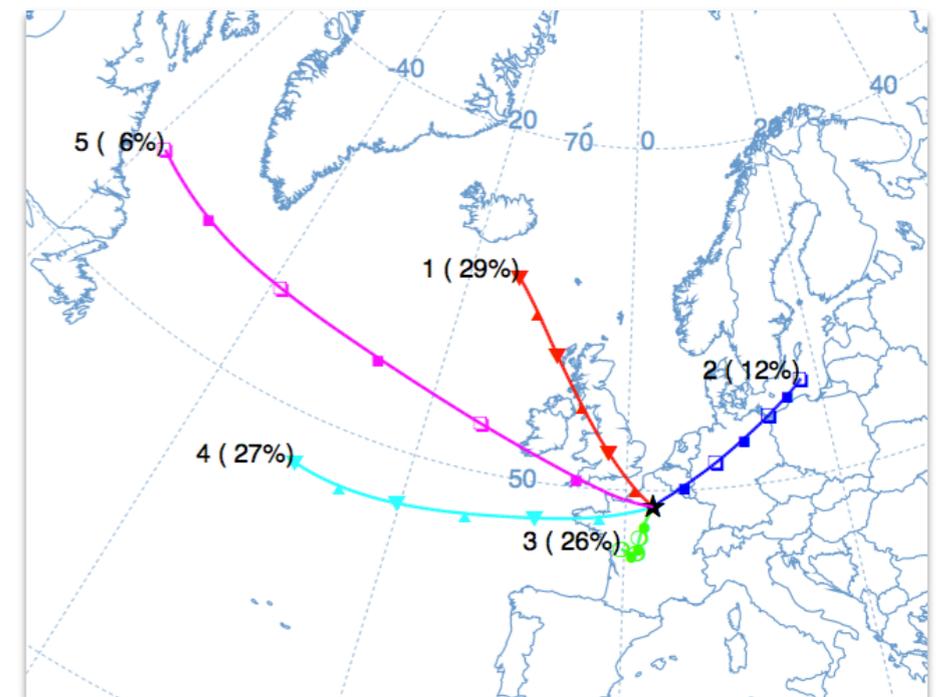
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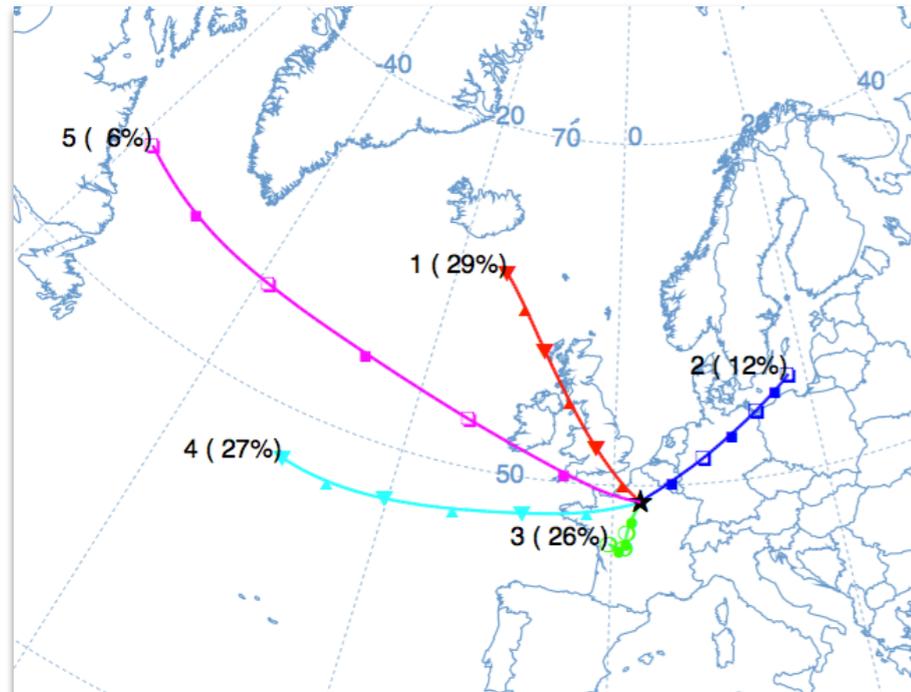
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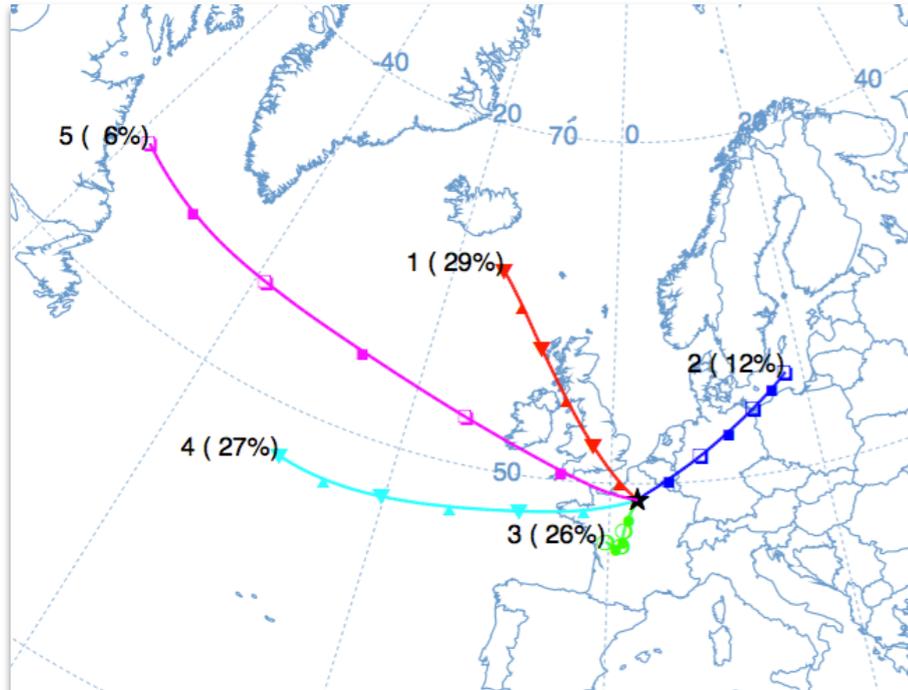
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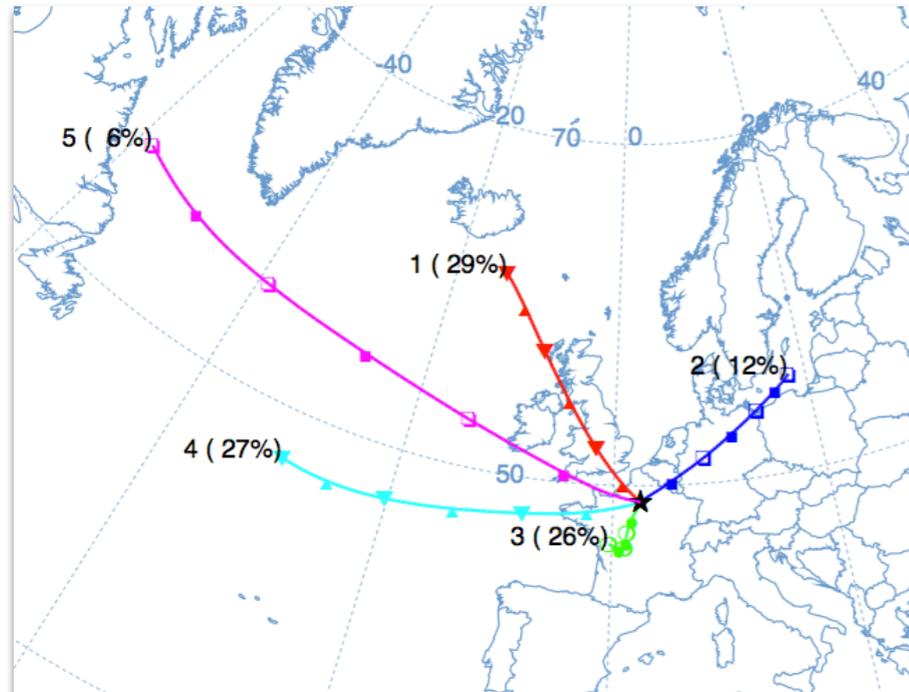
Influence of Great Britain and/or shipping and/or industries in Northern France?

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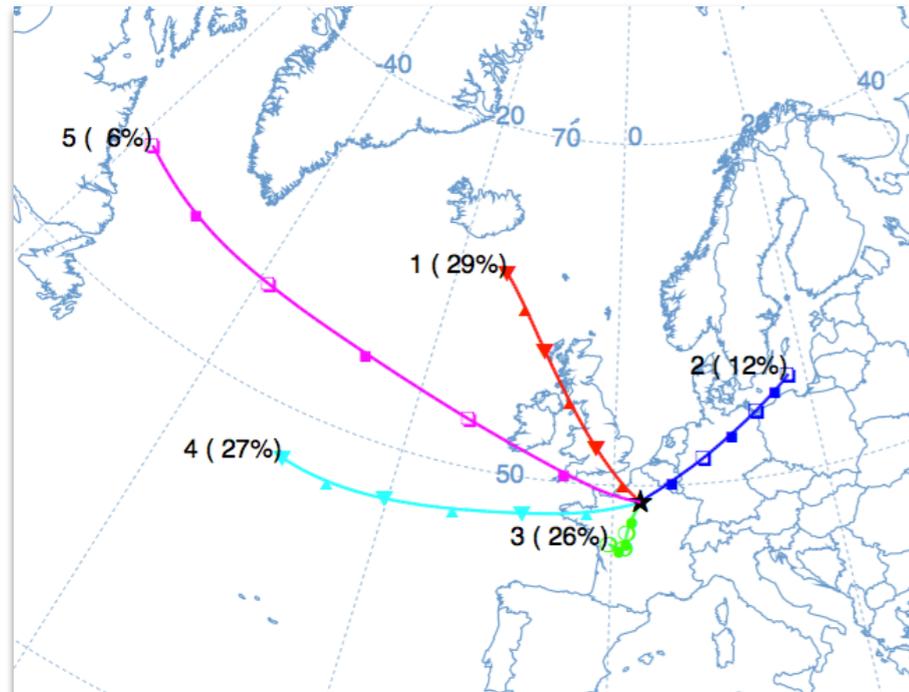
These air masses are usually associated with cold temperatures in winter, favoring wood burning at local scales

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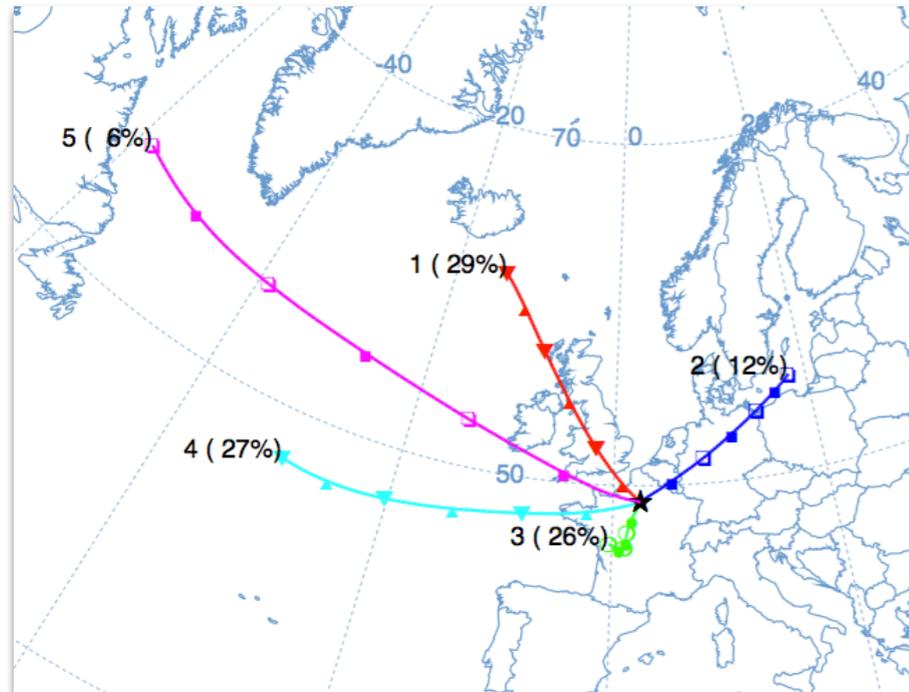
Stagnant air masses, accumulation of pollutants, concomitant with high OM and significant NO₃

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Clean air masses from the Atlantic ocean.

Low PM levels

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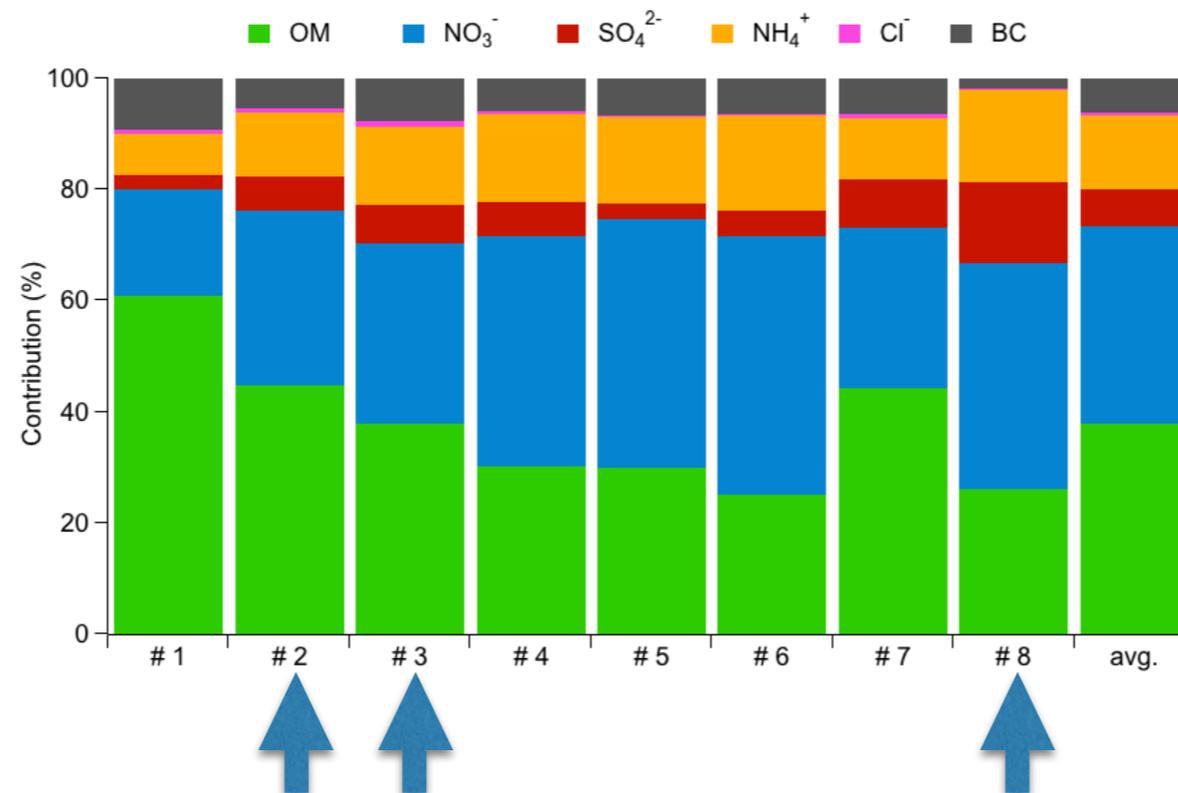
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Persistent pollution episode: $PM_1 > 20 \mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$ for at least 3 consecutive days

Between June 2011 & May 2013: 8 persistent pollution episodes



Observed discrepancies in average chemical compositions underline differences in geographical origins, and (trans)formation processes

Chemical composition, BC fractions, meteo (T, RH & BLH), BC/SO₄ ratio, wind rose, and back-trajectories every 3h

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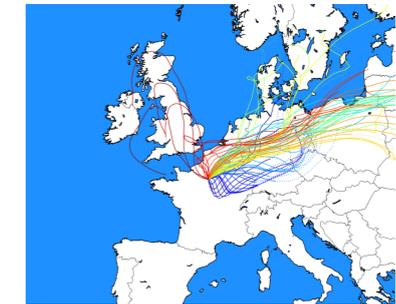
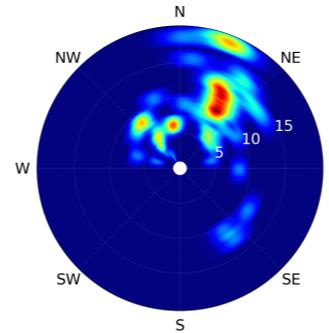
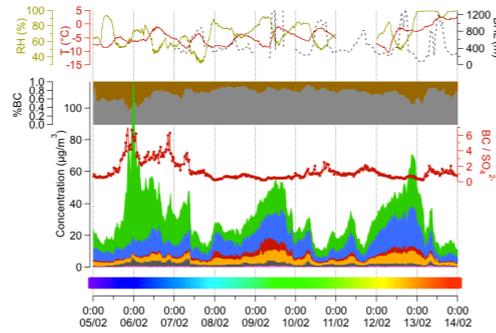
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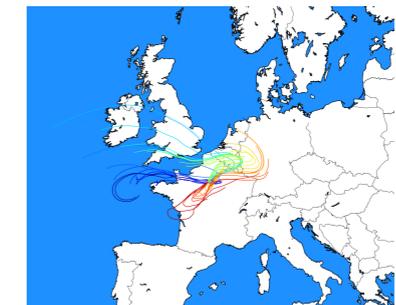
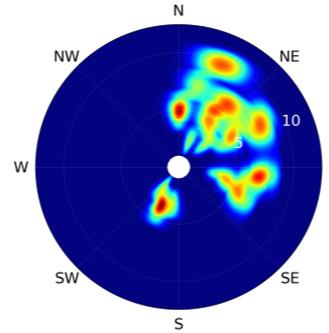
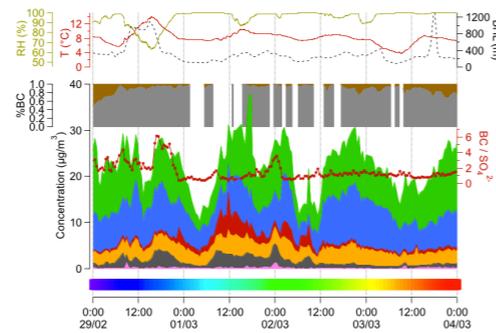
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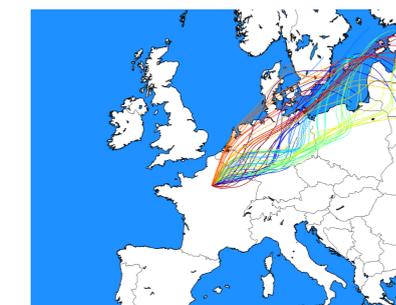
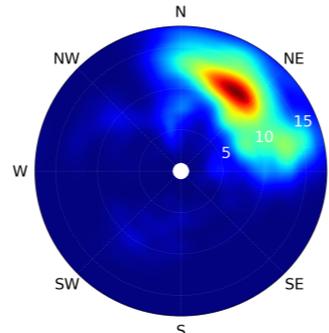
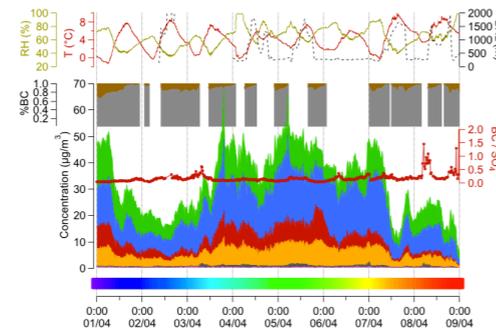
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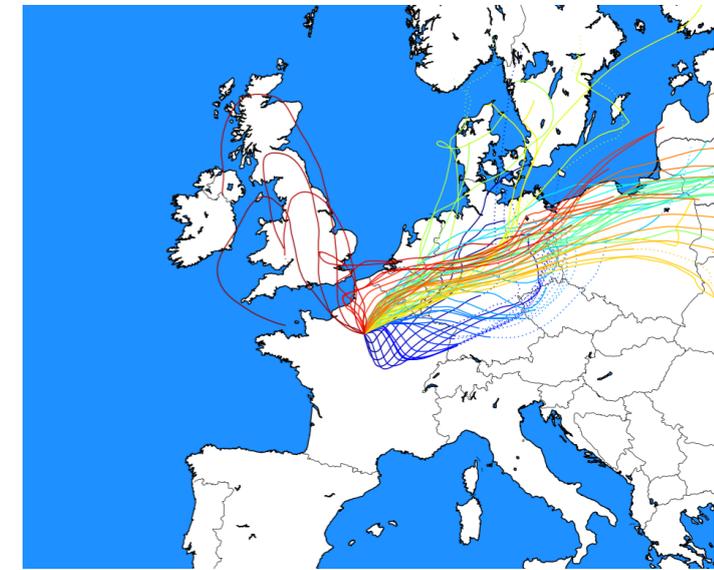
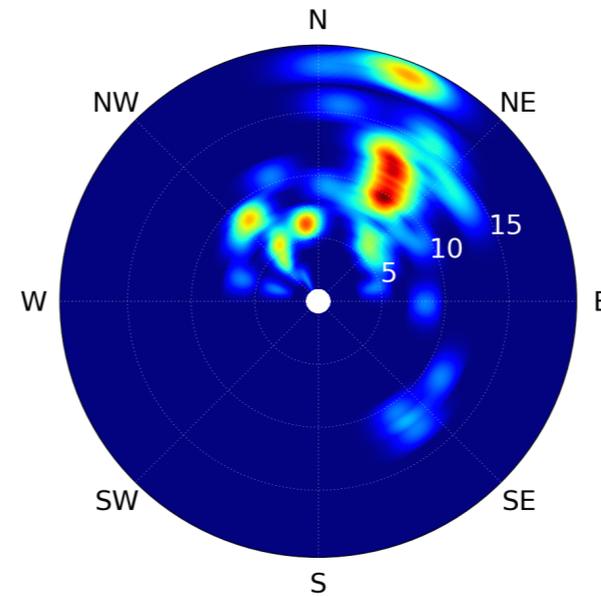
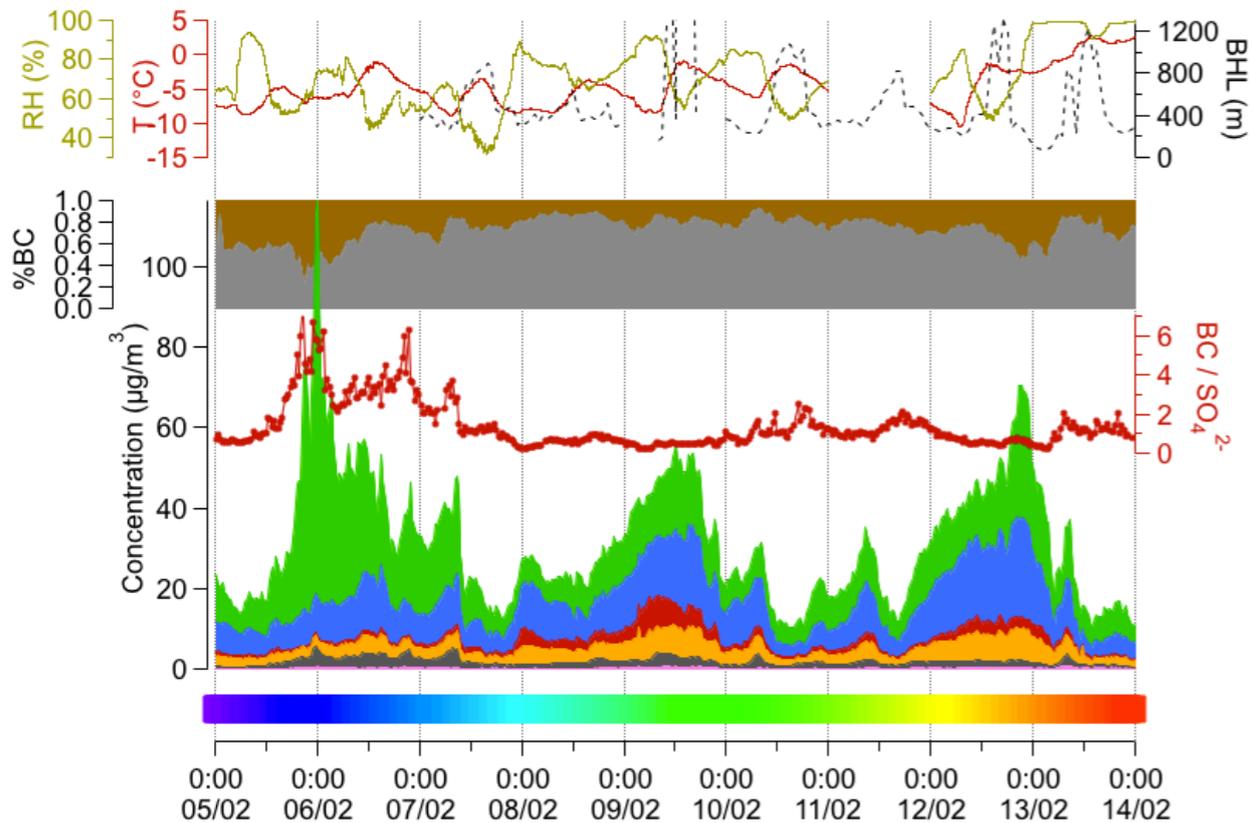


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1st phase

low temperatures, high OM, BC, %BC_{wb}, BC/SO₄ ratio
local wood burning emissions

2nd phase

air masses coming from the NNE, high NH₄NO₃
mid- to long-range transport

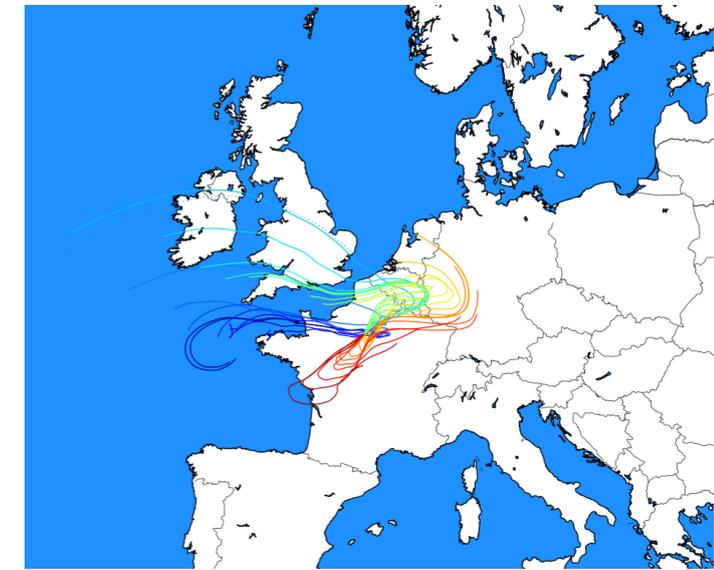
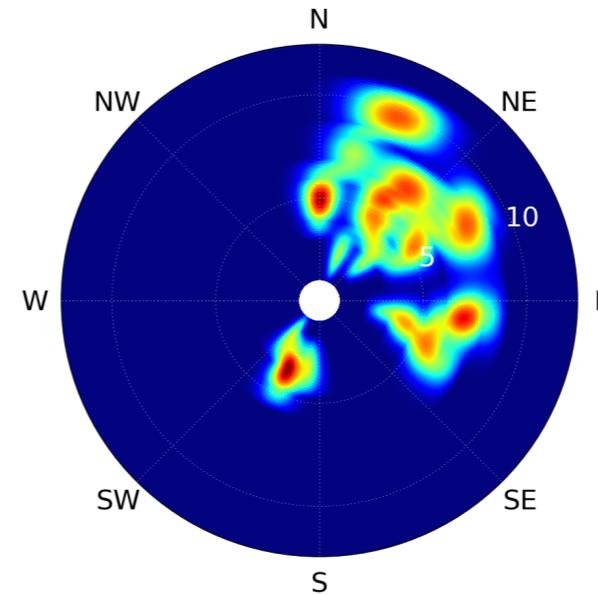
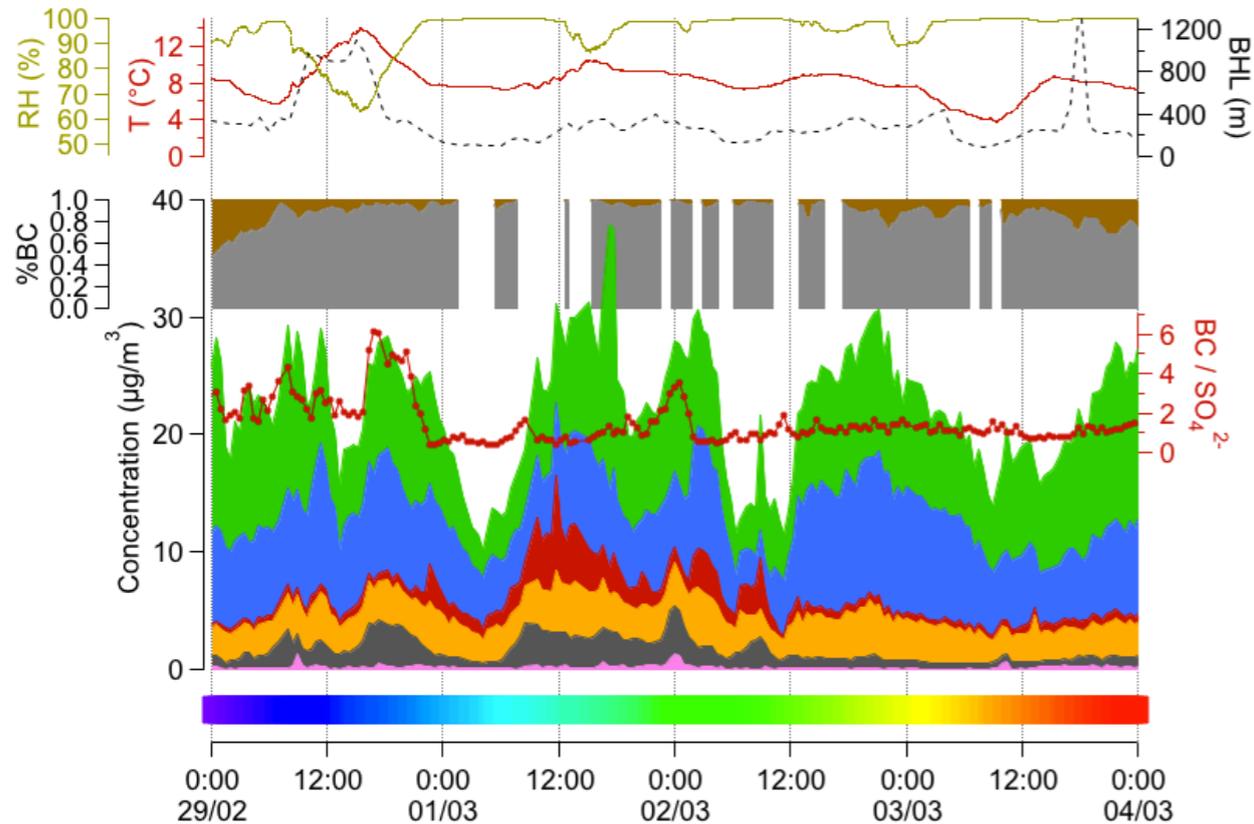
Influence of local emissions

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very high RH (100% most of the time)

Concentration drops on 01/03 & 02/03 due to two stratus lowering fog events (Parifog observations) occurring during the second half of the night.

higher SO₄ after 1st fog suggests transported SO₂ (air masses near English Channel & Belgium) and local/regional oxidation by fast fog processing

Kai et al. (2007), Rengarajan et al. (2011)

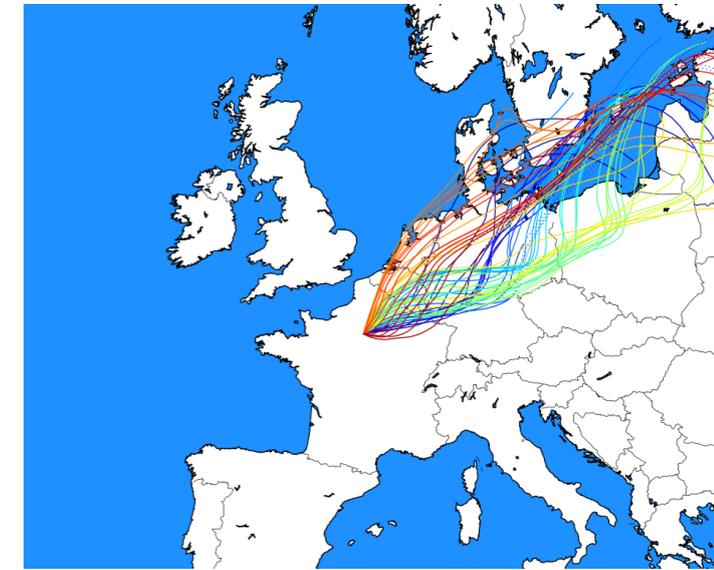
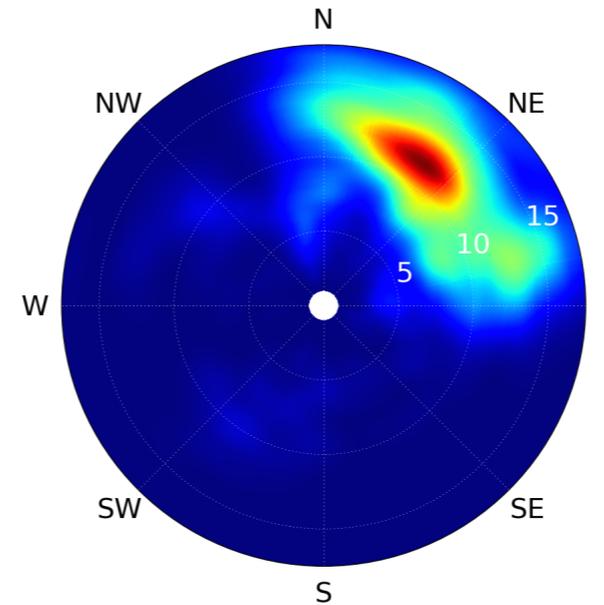
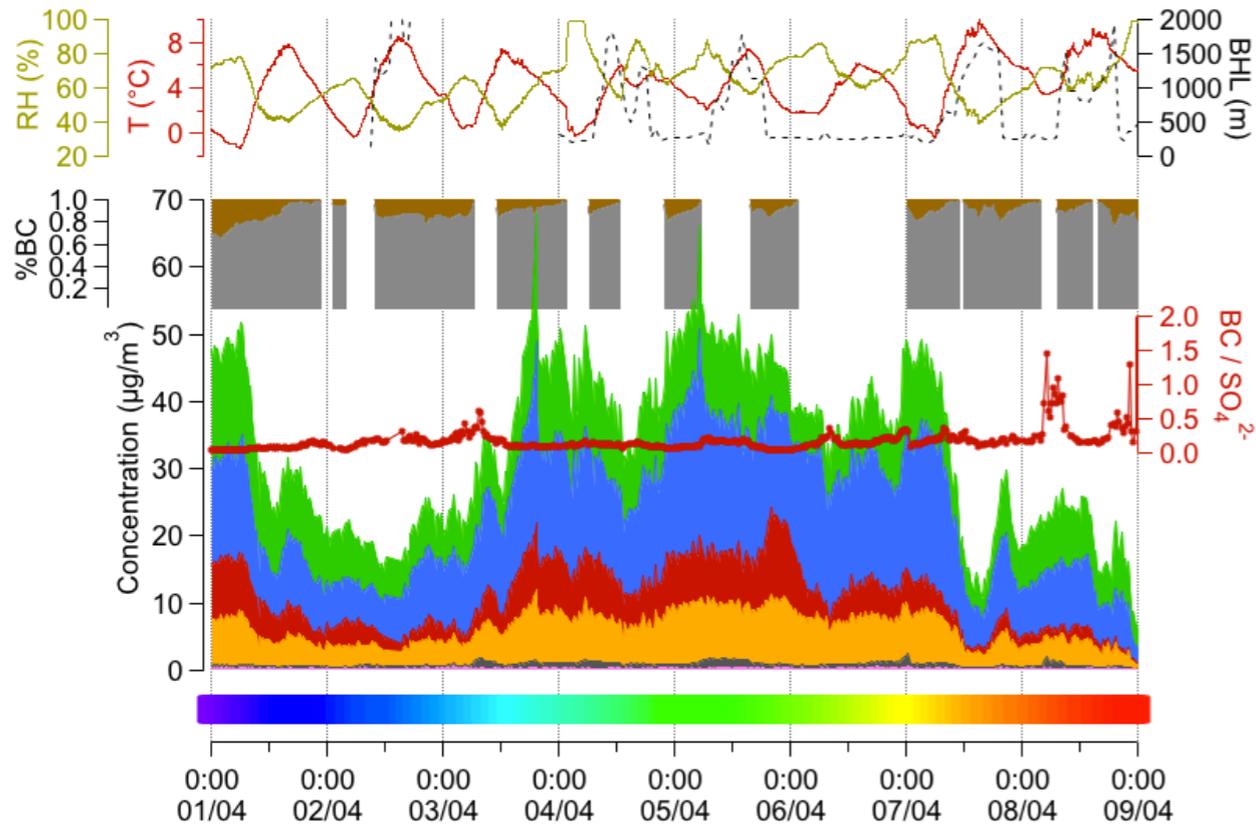
Influence of fogs regarding the chemical transformation of PM₁

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Air masses from the NE and very low BC/SO₄
Chemical composition dominated by NH₄NO₃ and (NH₄)₂SO₄

Evidence of advected secondary pollution

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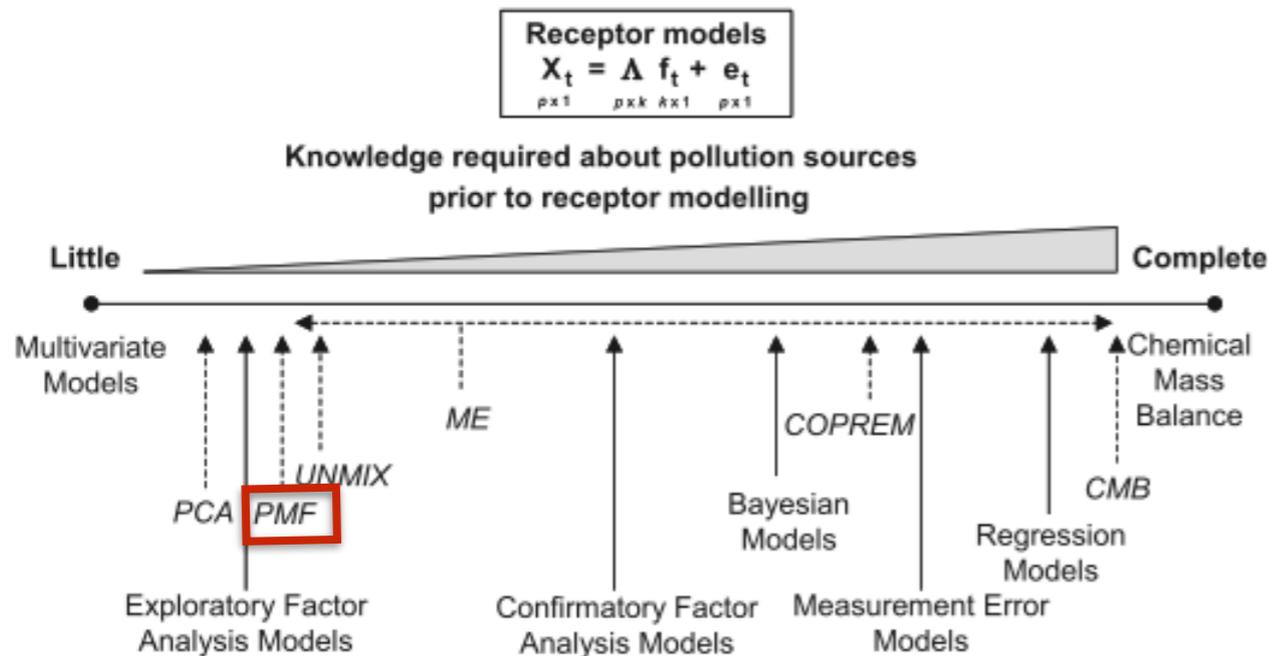
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PMF:

- no *a priori* knowledge of G, F, or number of factors
- $G > 0$



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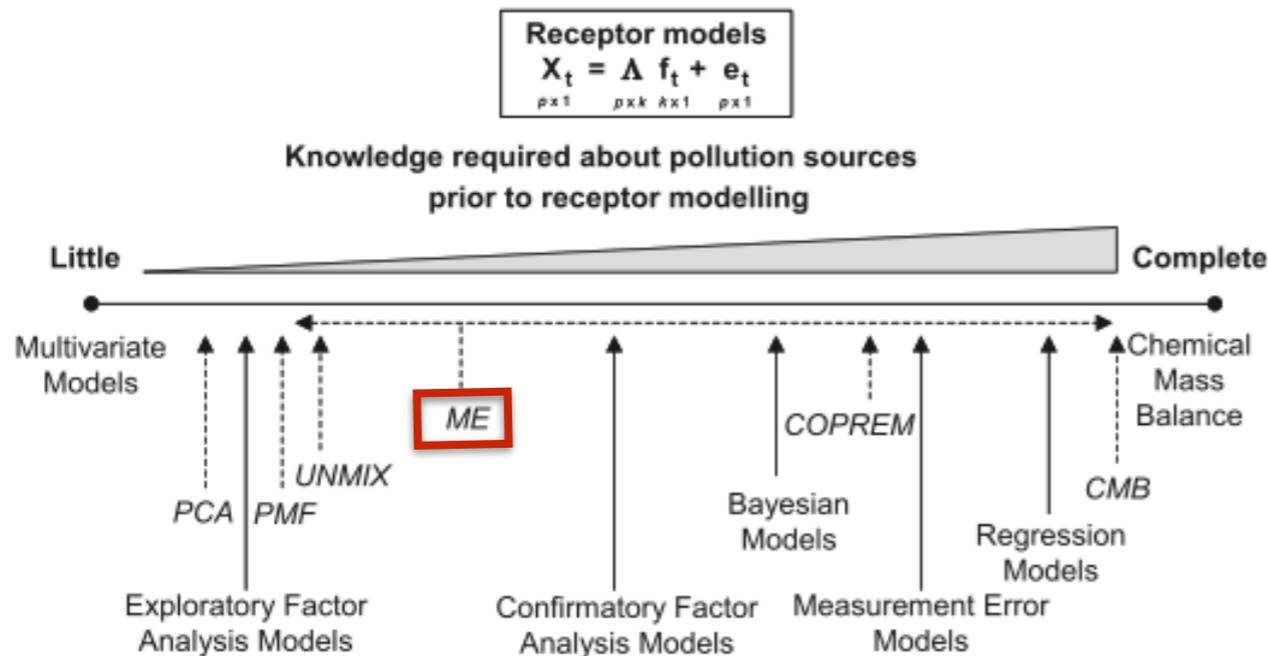
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ME-2:

- possibility to constrain *a priori* information (e.g. source profile)
- $f_{j, \text{solution}} = f_j \pm a * f_j$ where a is the « degree of freedom » of the constrain

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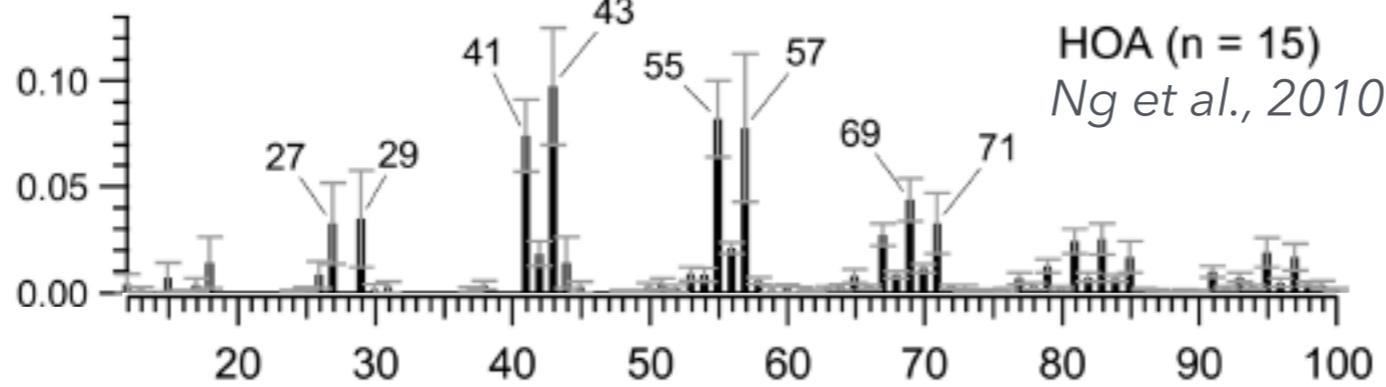
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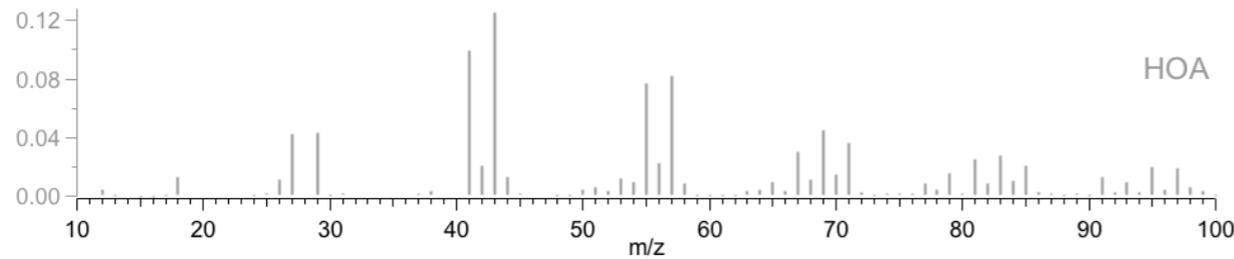
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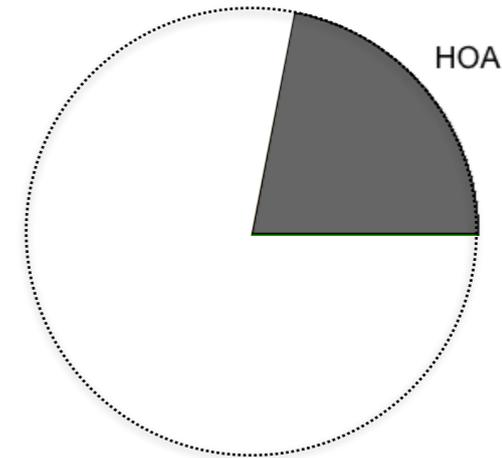
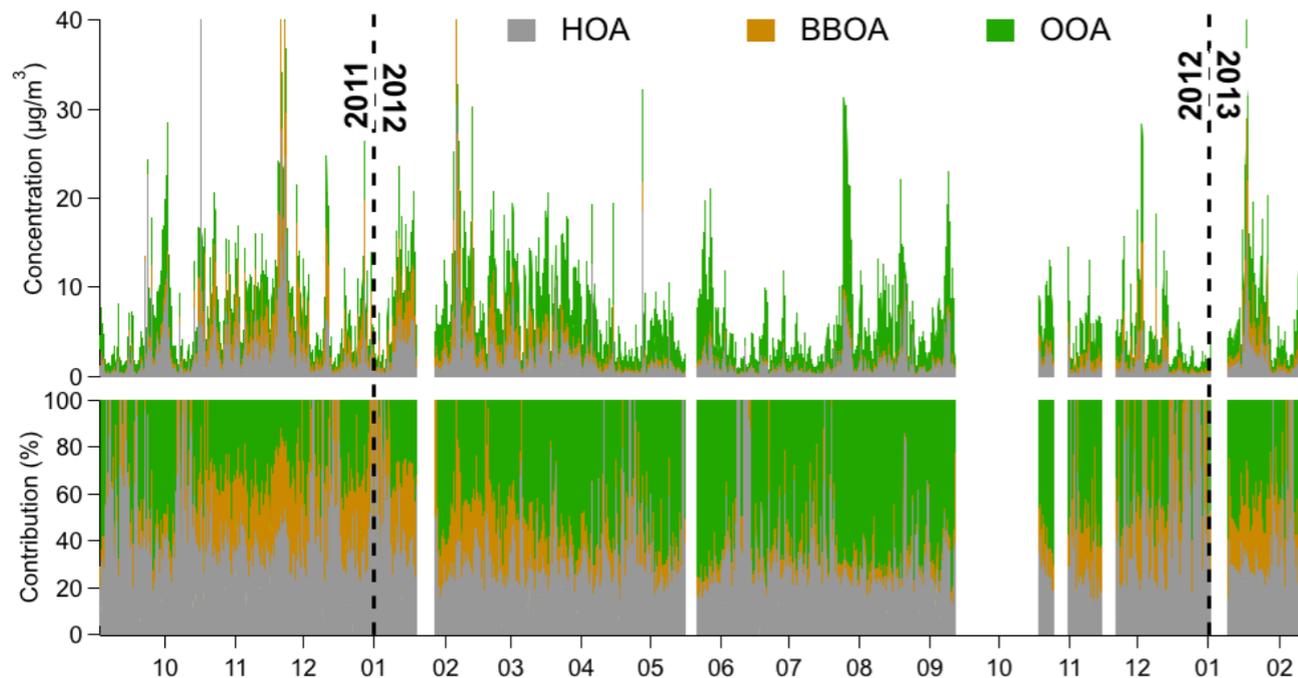


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- Fragmentation characteristic of unsaturated hydrocarbons (C_nH_{2n+1})
- 22 % of OA
- Higher concentrations during autumn (more traffic)
- Higher contributions along with clean air masses (low PM levels)

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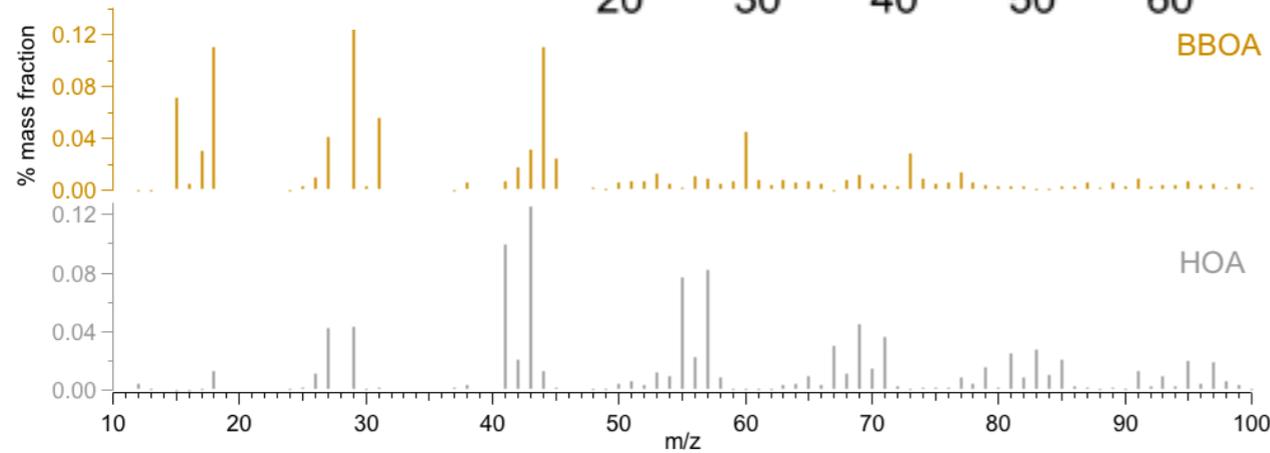
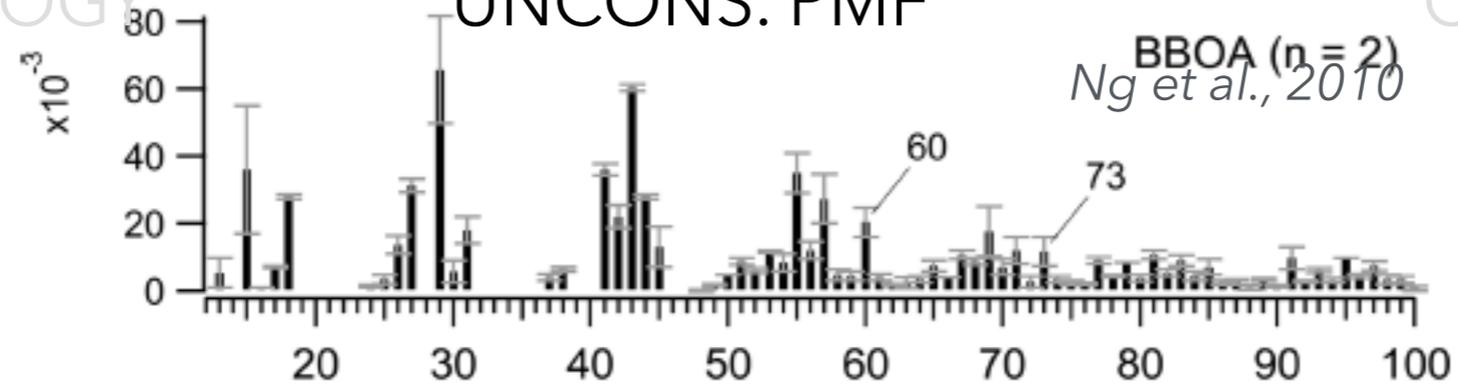


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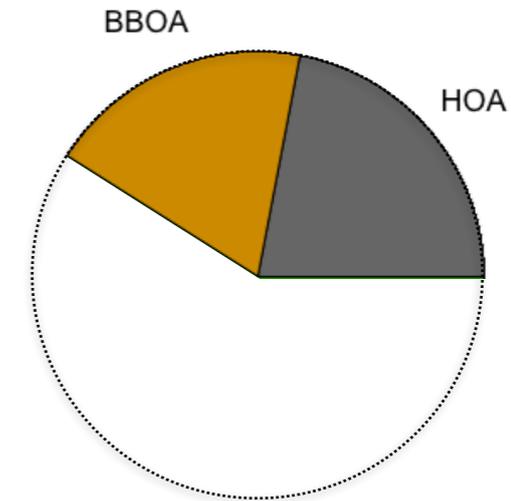
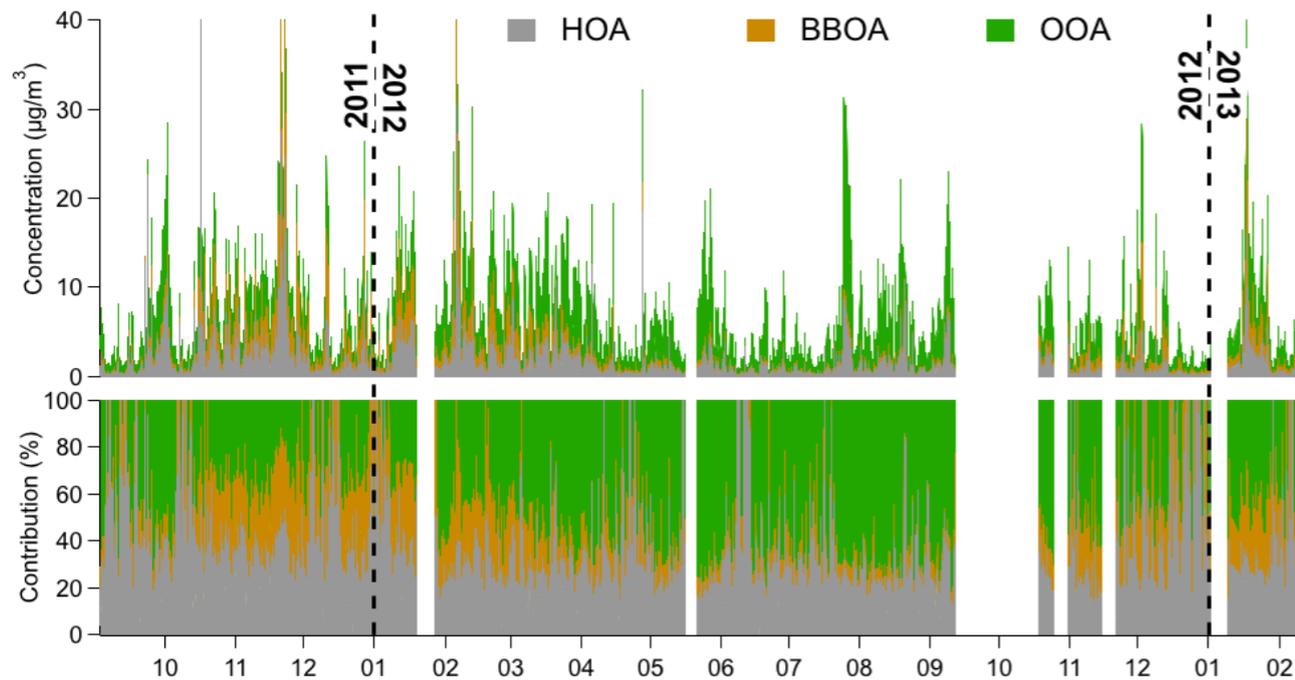
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- Frag. characteristic of levoglucosan, tracer of biomass burning (*Simoneit et al., 1999*)
- 19 % of OA
- Strong seasonality with highest concentrations during cold seasons



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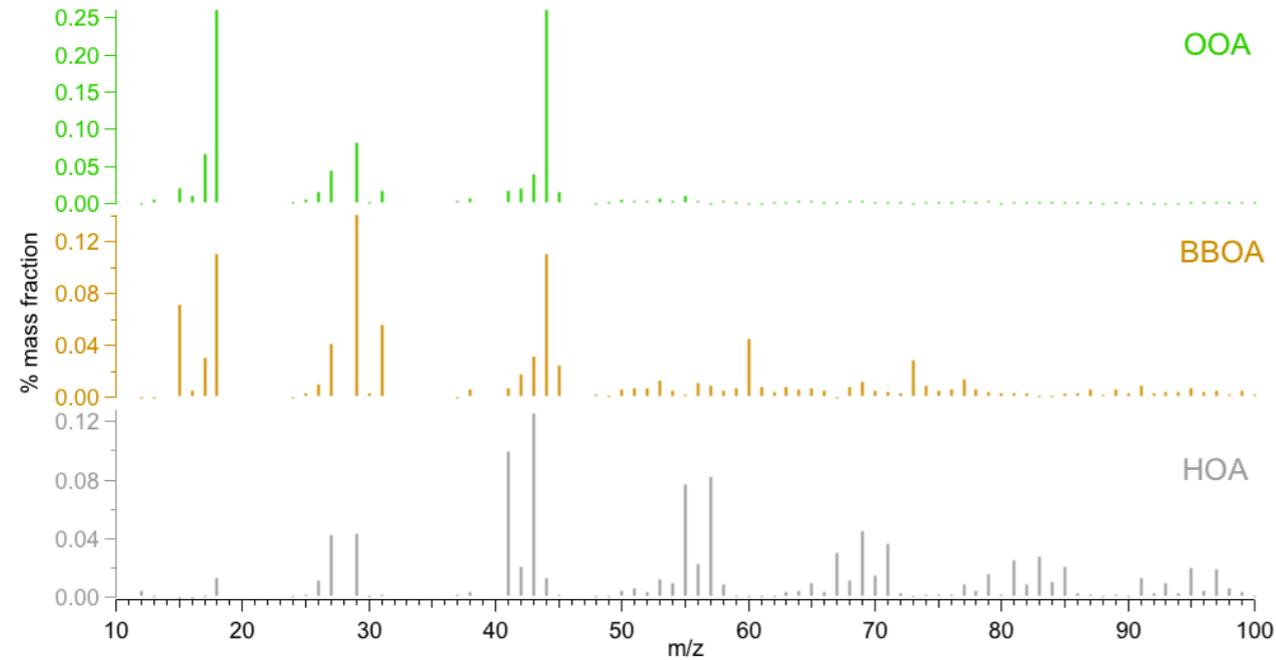
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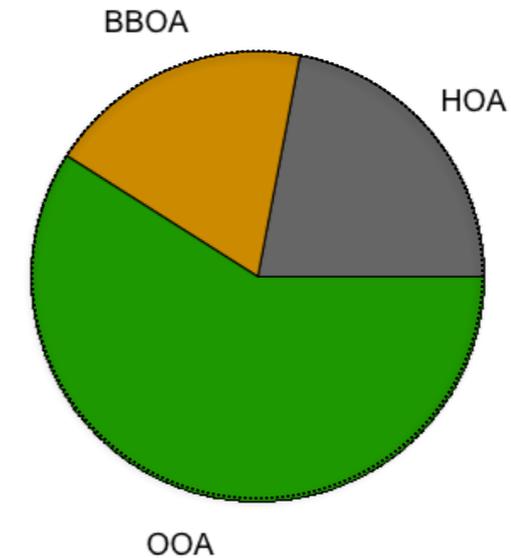
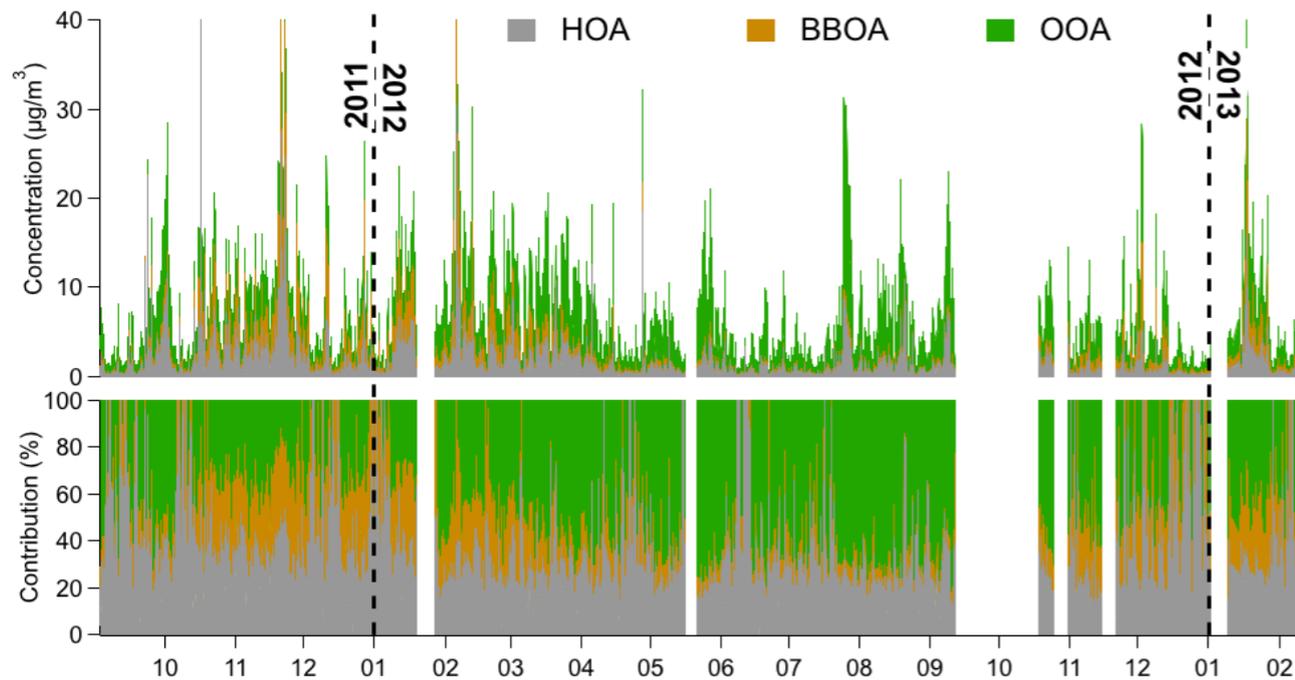
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- Mass spectra dominated by m/z44 (CO_2^+)
- 59 % of OA

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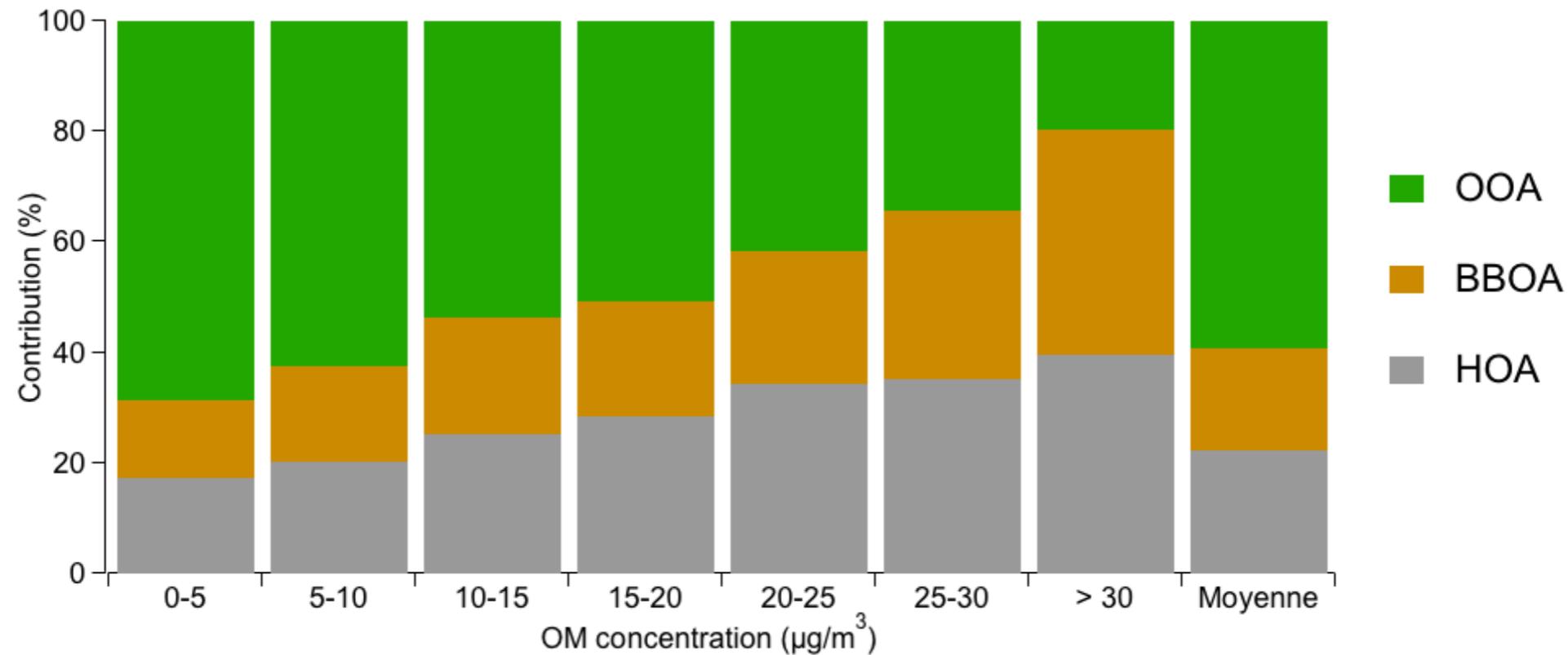
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3 factors - The added value from filters



The BBOA contribution to OM gets higher with OM concentrations and correspond to sporadic spikes

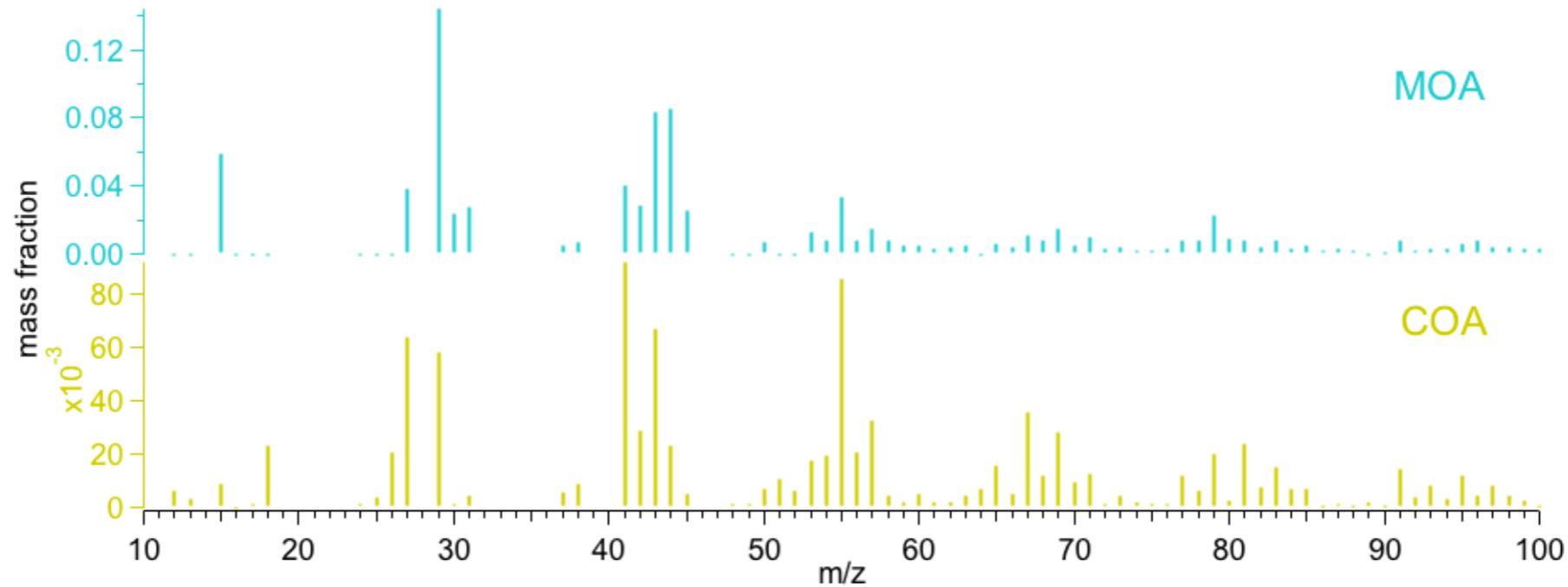
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COA & MOA previously identified at SIRTA with AMS instrument (*Crippa et al., 2013a&c*)



HOA, COA, MOA factors constrained with α -value=0.1
2 factors left unconstrained

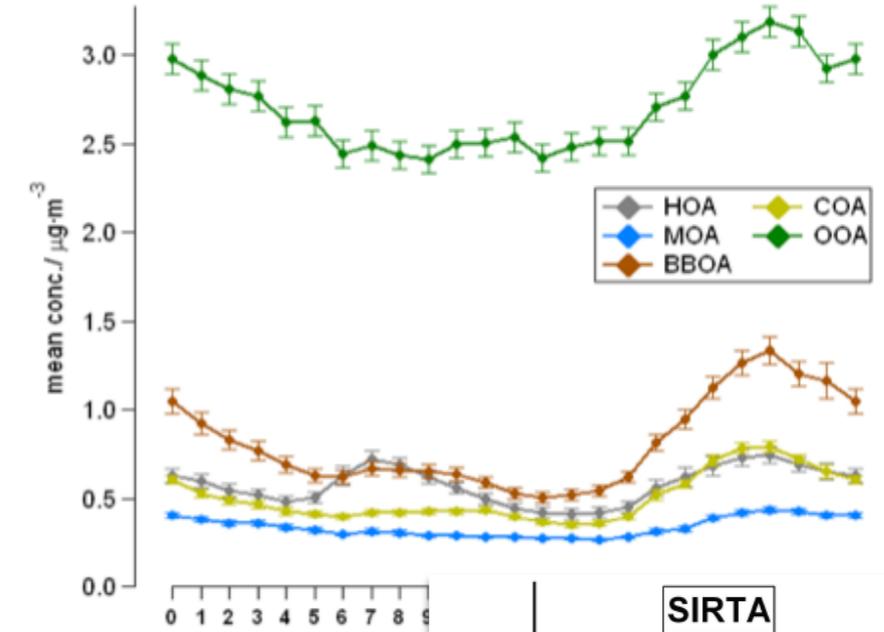
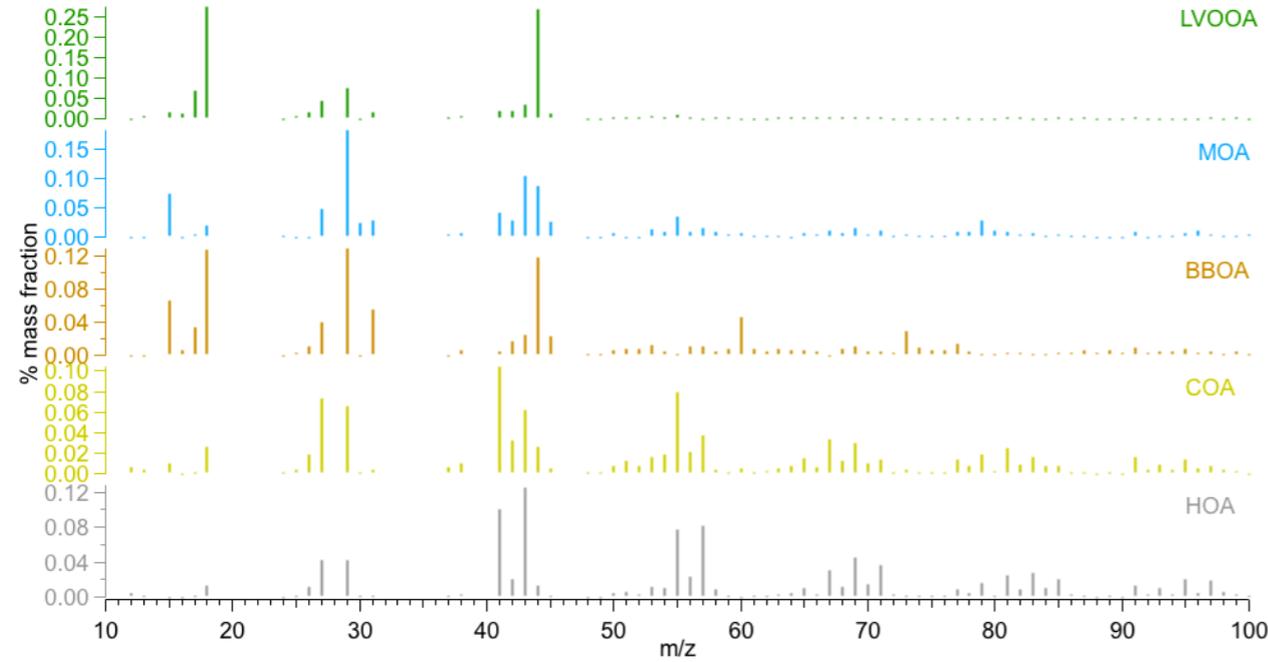
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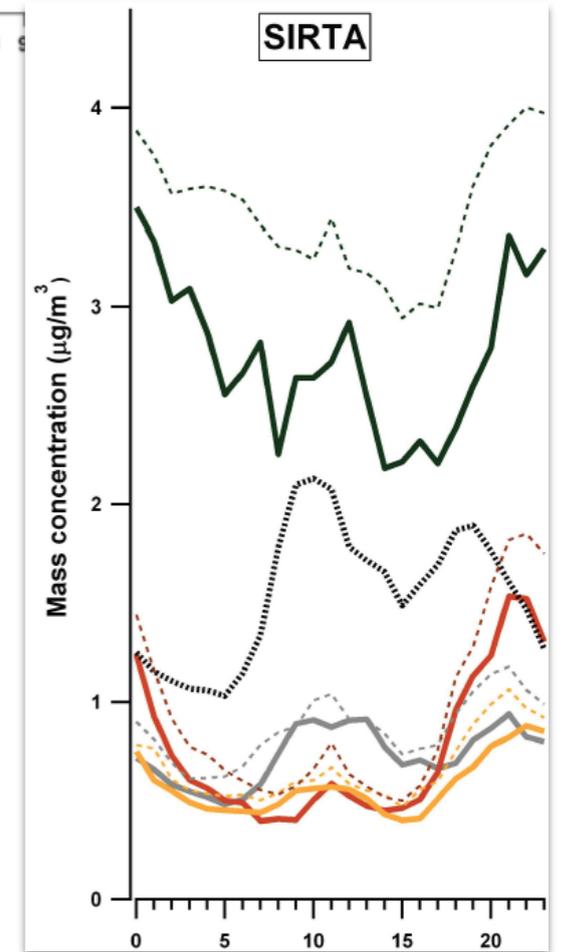
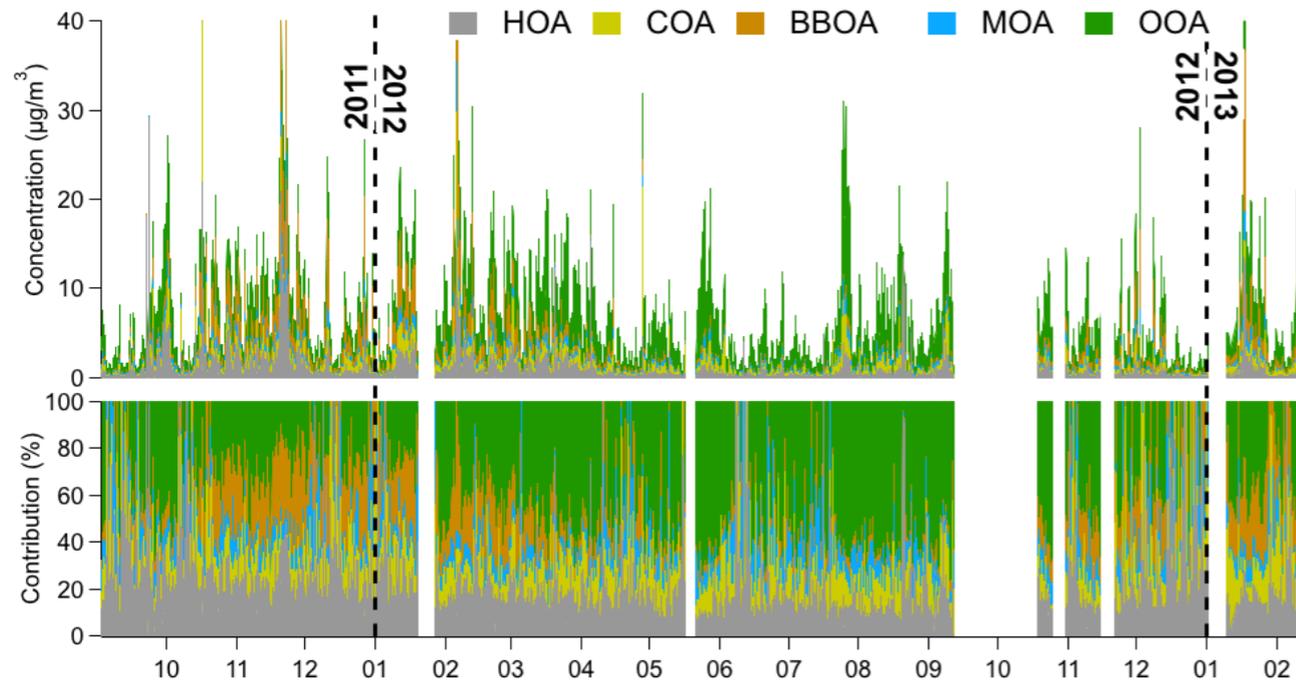
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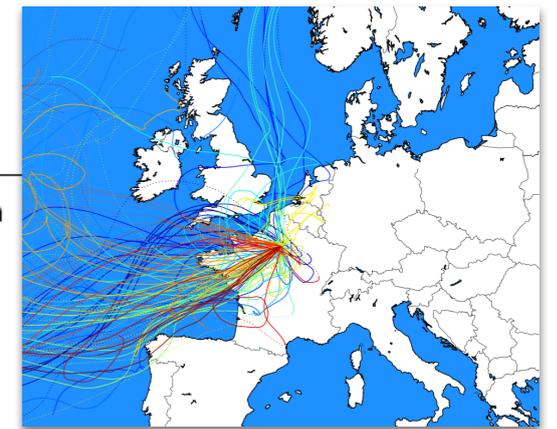
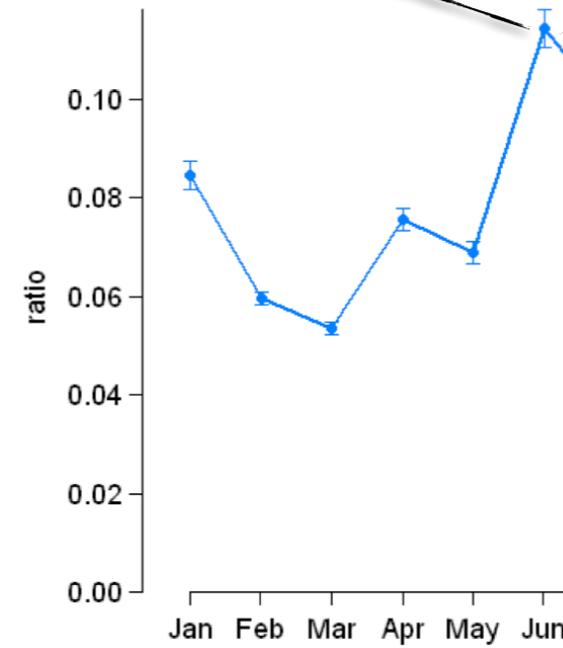
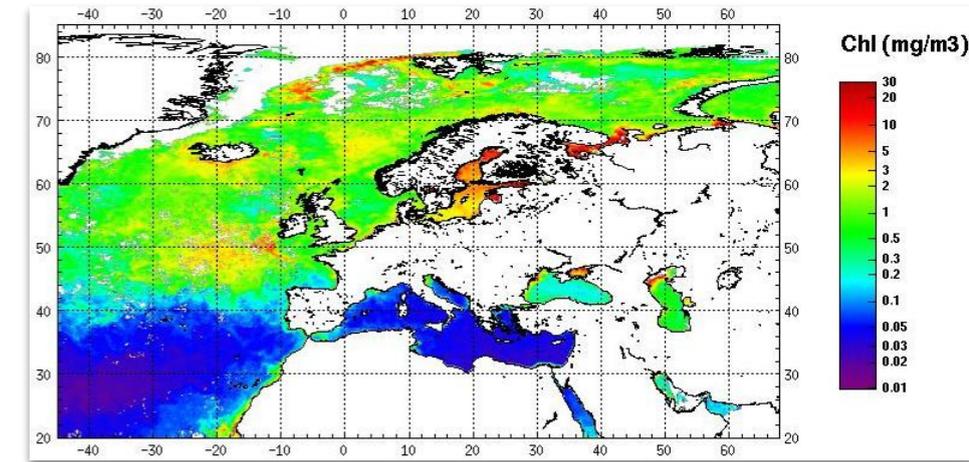
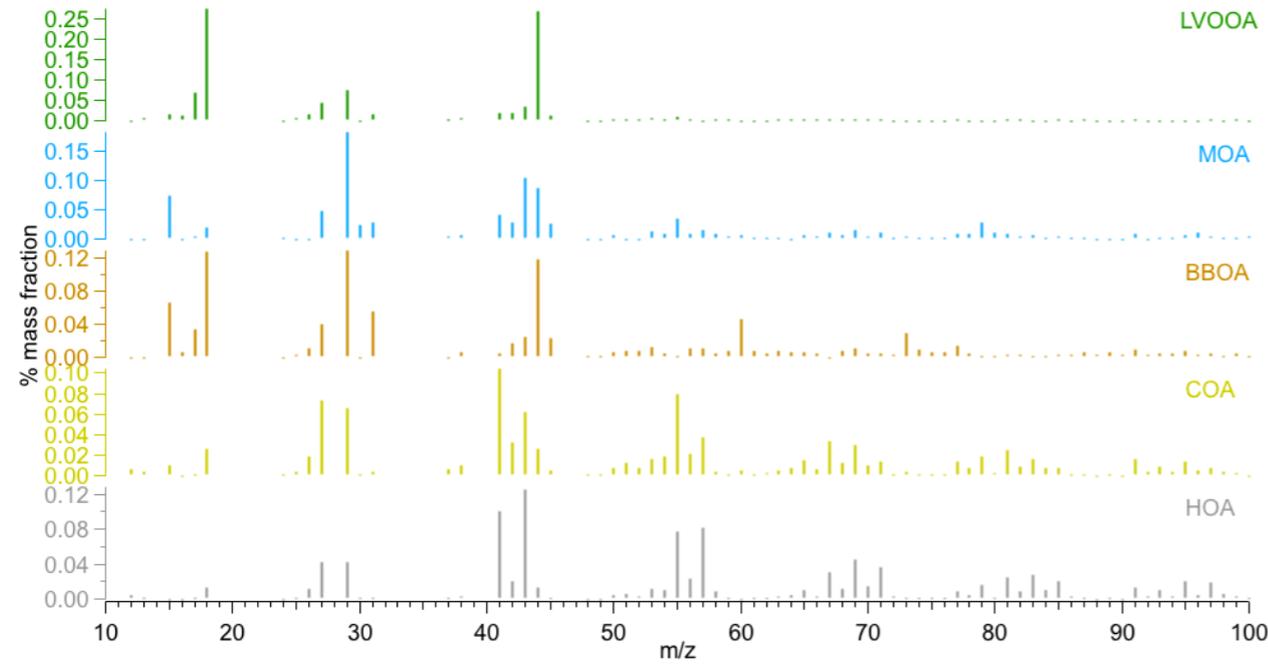
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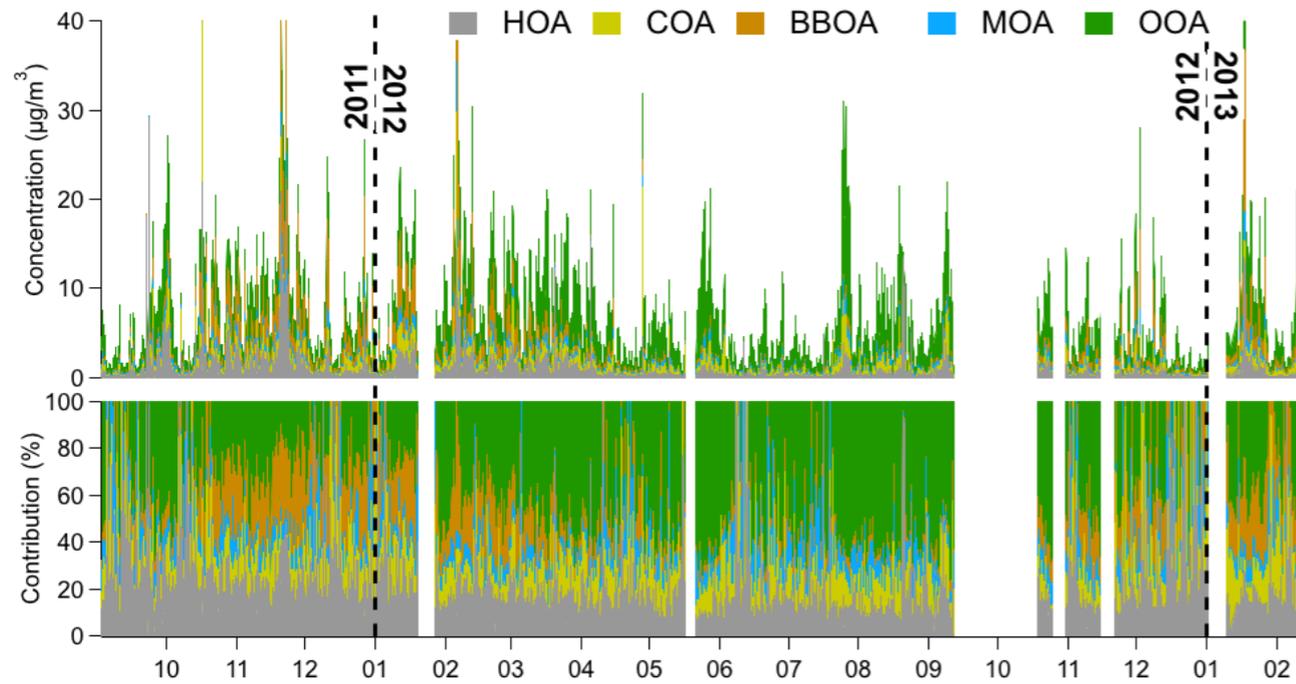
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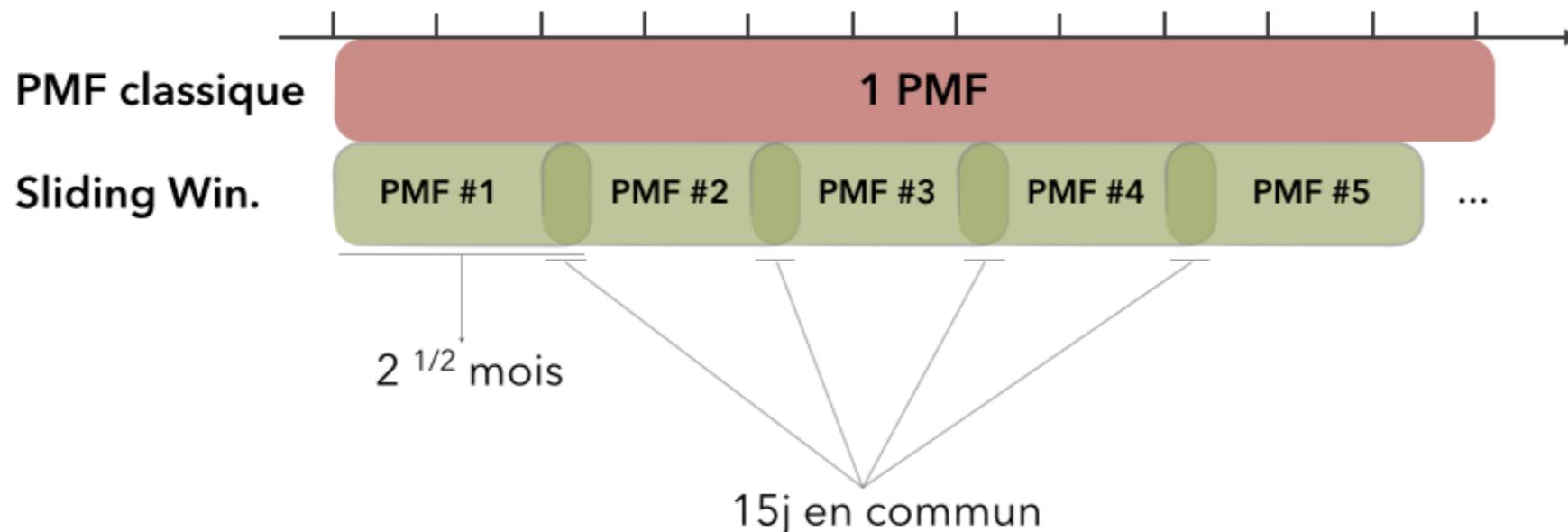
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Results seem to make sense, but no external tracers are available to corroborate additional profiles (e.g. MSA for MOA, and cholesterol for COA)

There might be issues regarding the seasonality of fixed factor profiles over long term periods (could be especially true for OOA). This be explored with shorter PMF analyses

on going work with V. Crenn (LSCE) & F. Canonaco (PSI)



CHARACTERIZATION OF ORGANIC AEROSOLS

Going beyond regular PMF analysis, some novel approaches offer new perspectives towards a refine characterization of OA & non-refractory material:

- Crippa et al., 2013b: combine PTR-MS & AMS data
- Sun et al., 2012: combine OA matrix, and some m/z of NO₃ and SO₄
- McGuire et al., 2014: use of the total NR matrix

How about taking all PM₁ components (OM, NO₃, SO₄, NH₄, Cl, BC) into account to apportion PM₁ sources?

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$$X = G * F + E$$

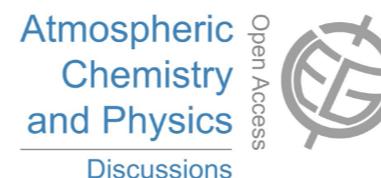
OA Source apportionment

- m/z from ACSM/AMS - online data
- Grouping org. molecules following frag. pattern and sources temporality
- Igor procedure
- HOA
- BBOA
- OOA
- COA
- MOA

PM Source apportionment

- chem. comp. database- offline data
- Source profile
- EPA PMF v.3(5)
- Biomass Burning
- Traffic & resuspension
- Industries
- Sea Salt & marine biogenic
- Shipping
- NO₃-rich sec. aer.
- SO₄-rich sec. aer.

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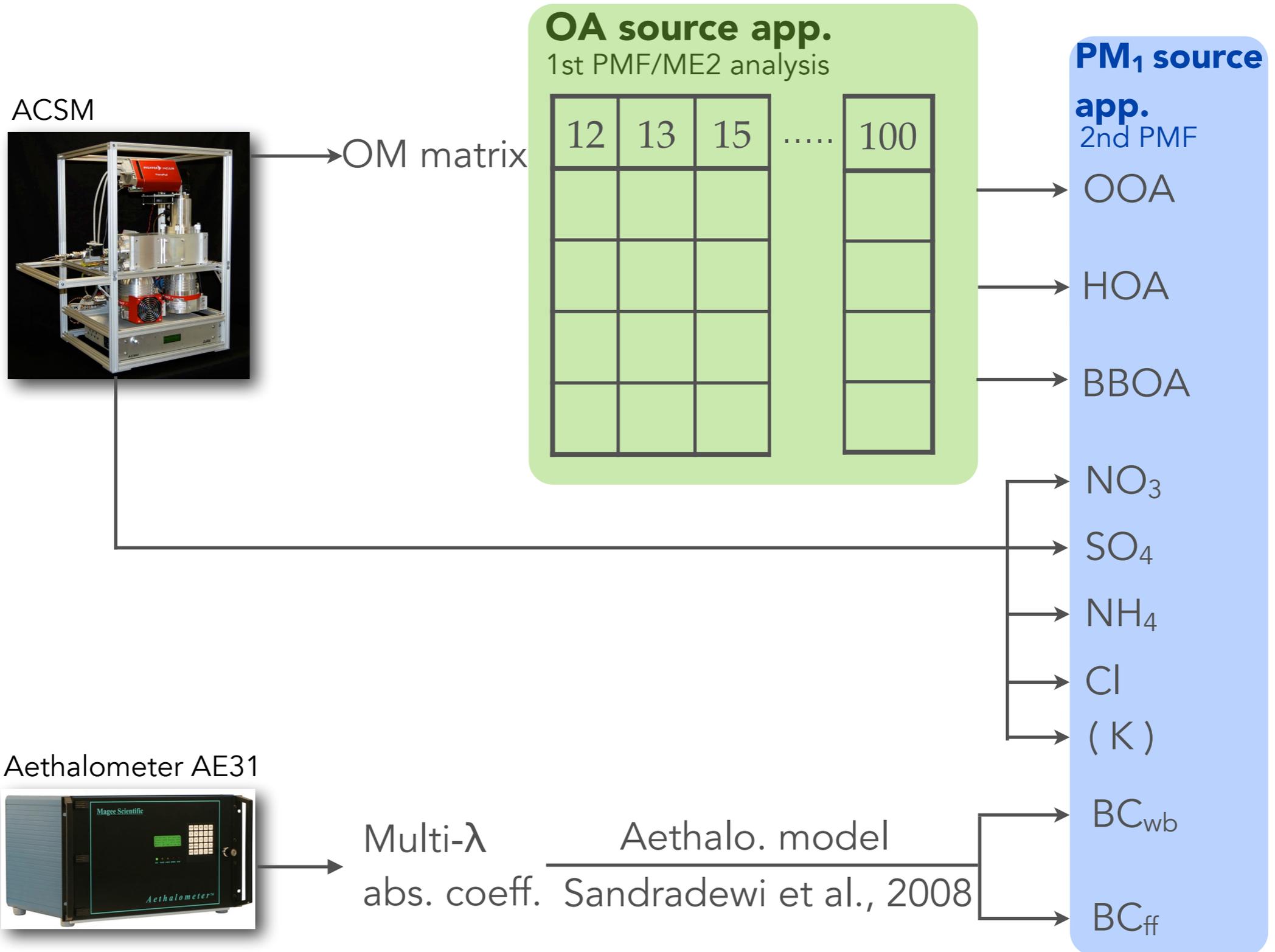
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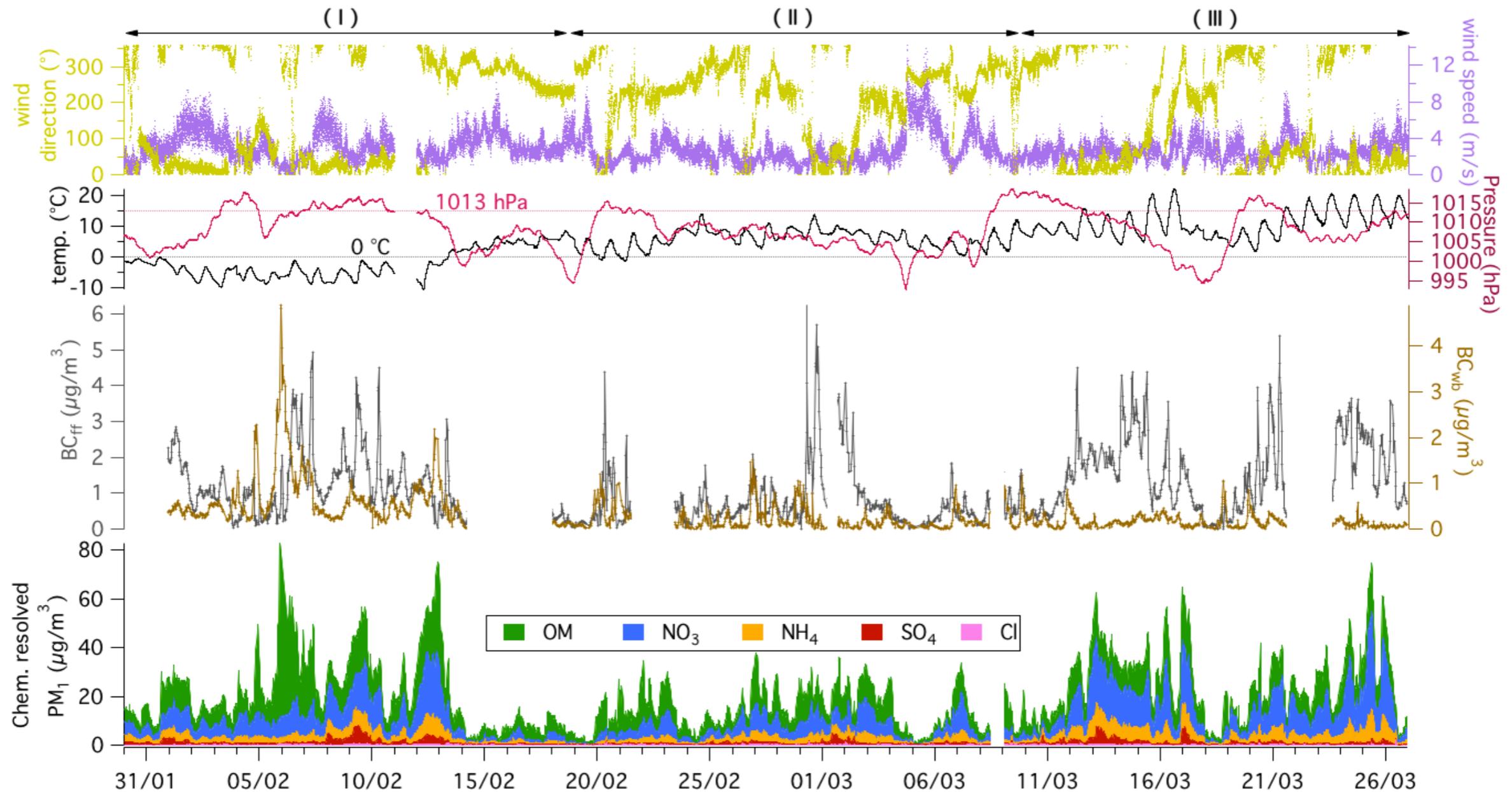
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Methodology applied to a 2-month dataset, from 31/01 to 27/03



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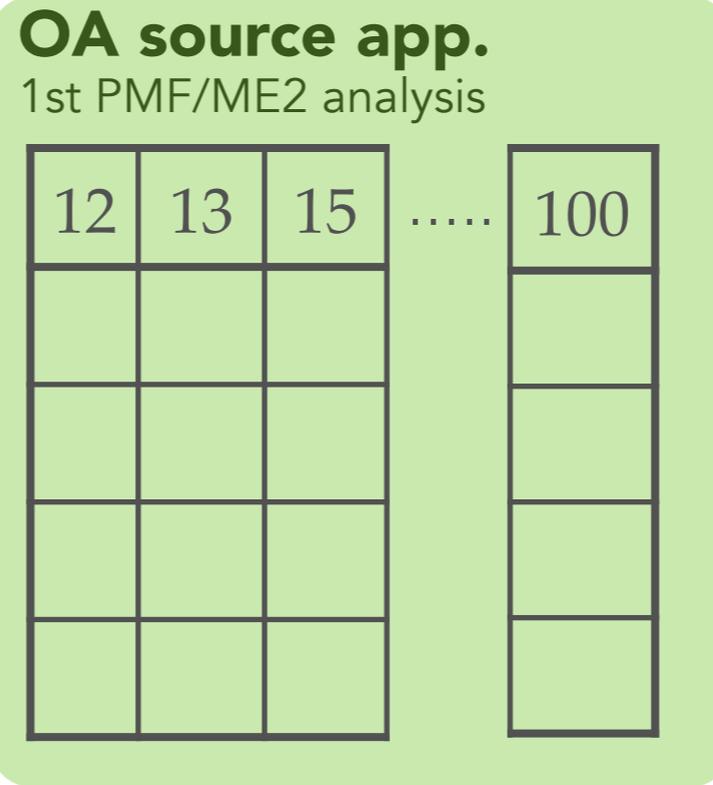
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OM matrix



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2nd PMF

OOA
HOA
BBOA

NO
SO
NH
Cl
(K)

BC
BC

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Multi-abs. coeff.

Aethalo. model

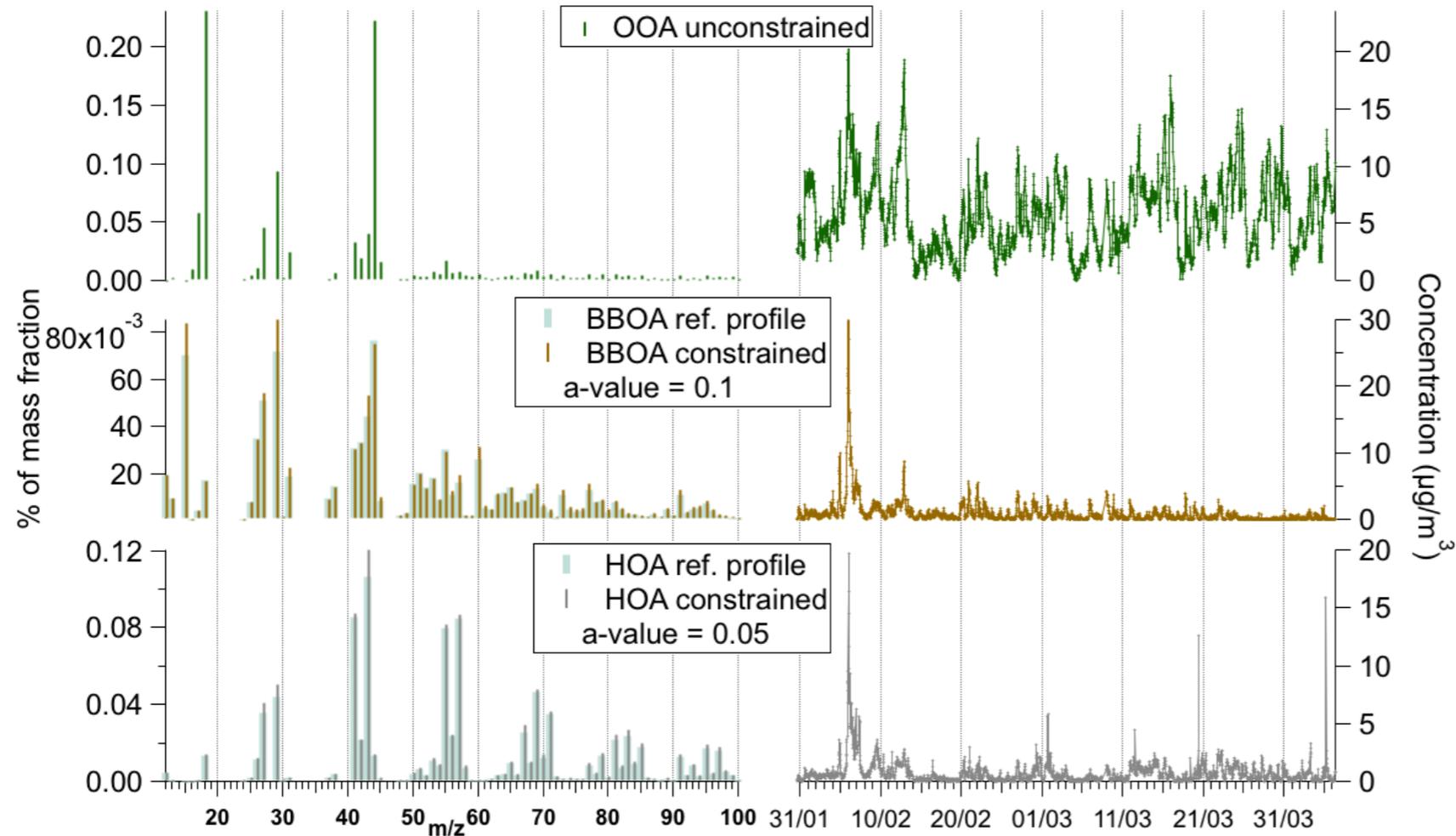
Sandradewi et al., 2008

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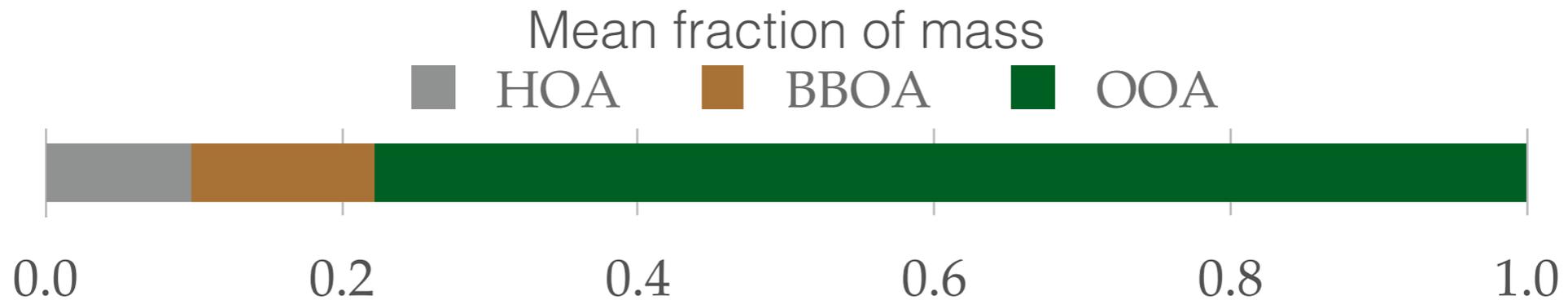
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3 OA factors commonly observed when using AMS/ACSM



OOA represents the majority of OA, but cannot be directly linked to a pollution source !!!

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OM matrix

OA source app.
1st PMF/ME2 analysis

12	13	15	100

PM₁ source app.
2nd PMF

OOA

HOA

BBOA

NO₃

SO₄

NH₄

Cl

(K)

BC_{wb}

BC_{ff}

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Multi-λ

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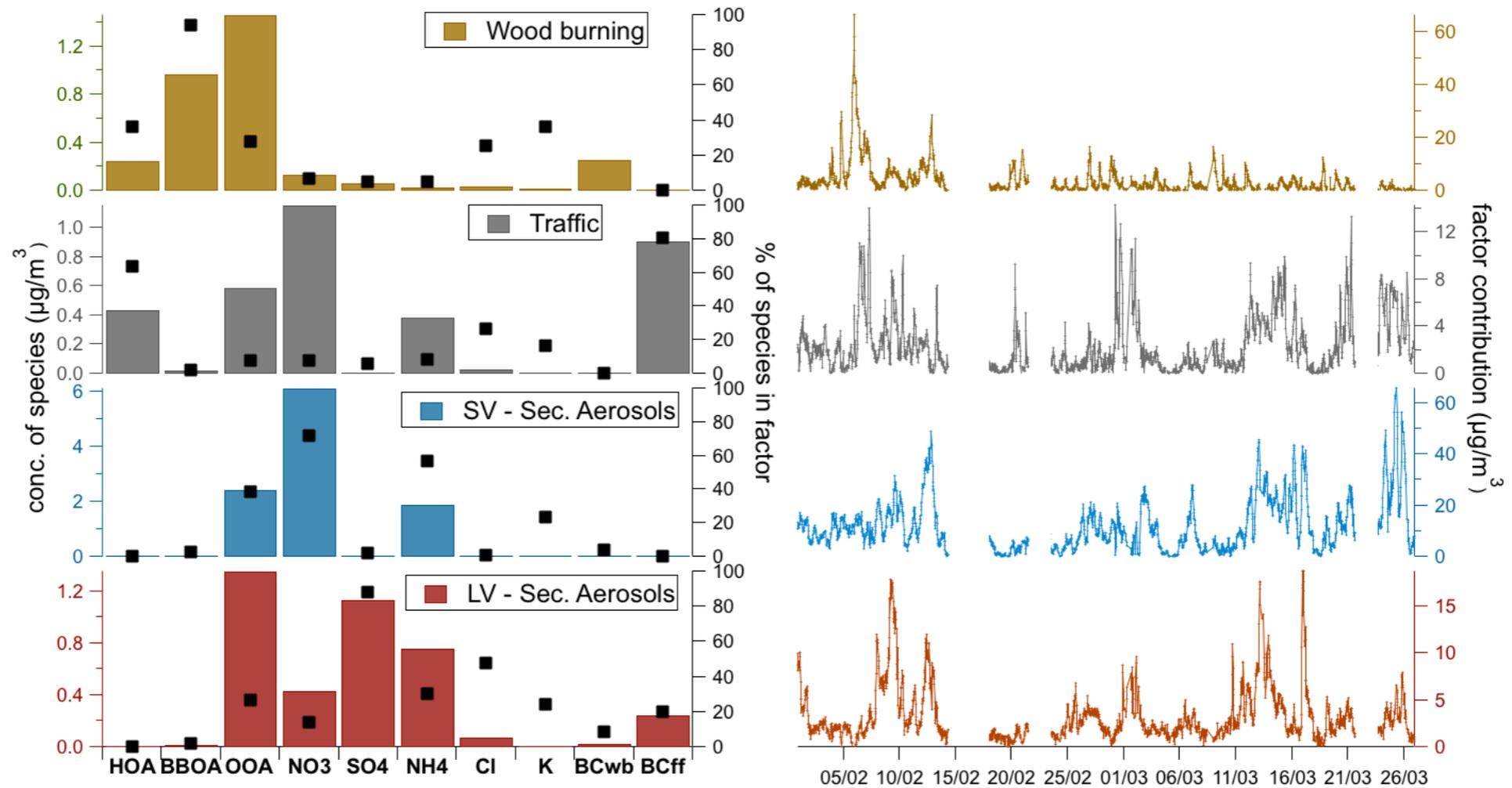
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Results - profiles & time series



4-factor solution most realistic
stability checked by bootstrap
(100% for each factor)

bootstrap	f1	f2	f3	f4
f1	100	0	0	0
f2	0	100	0	0
f3	0	0	100	0
f4	0	0	0	100

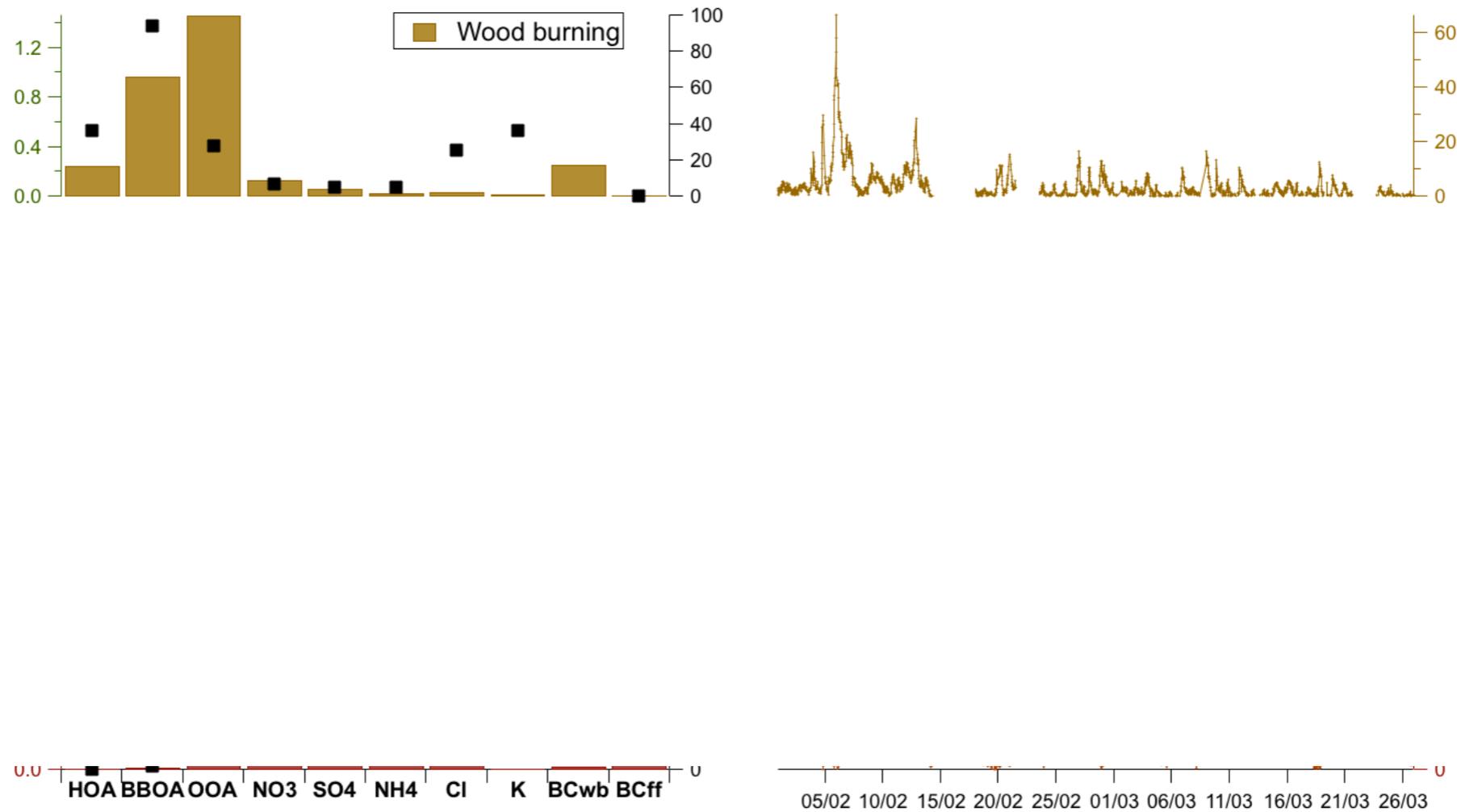
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90% of BBOA & 85% of BC_{wb} explained by this factor
presence of HOA, illustrating its covariation with BBOA
OOA represents around 50% of OA_{wb} (fast condensation of VOCs? atmospheric ageing?)

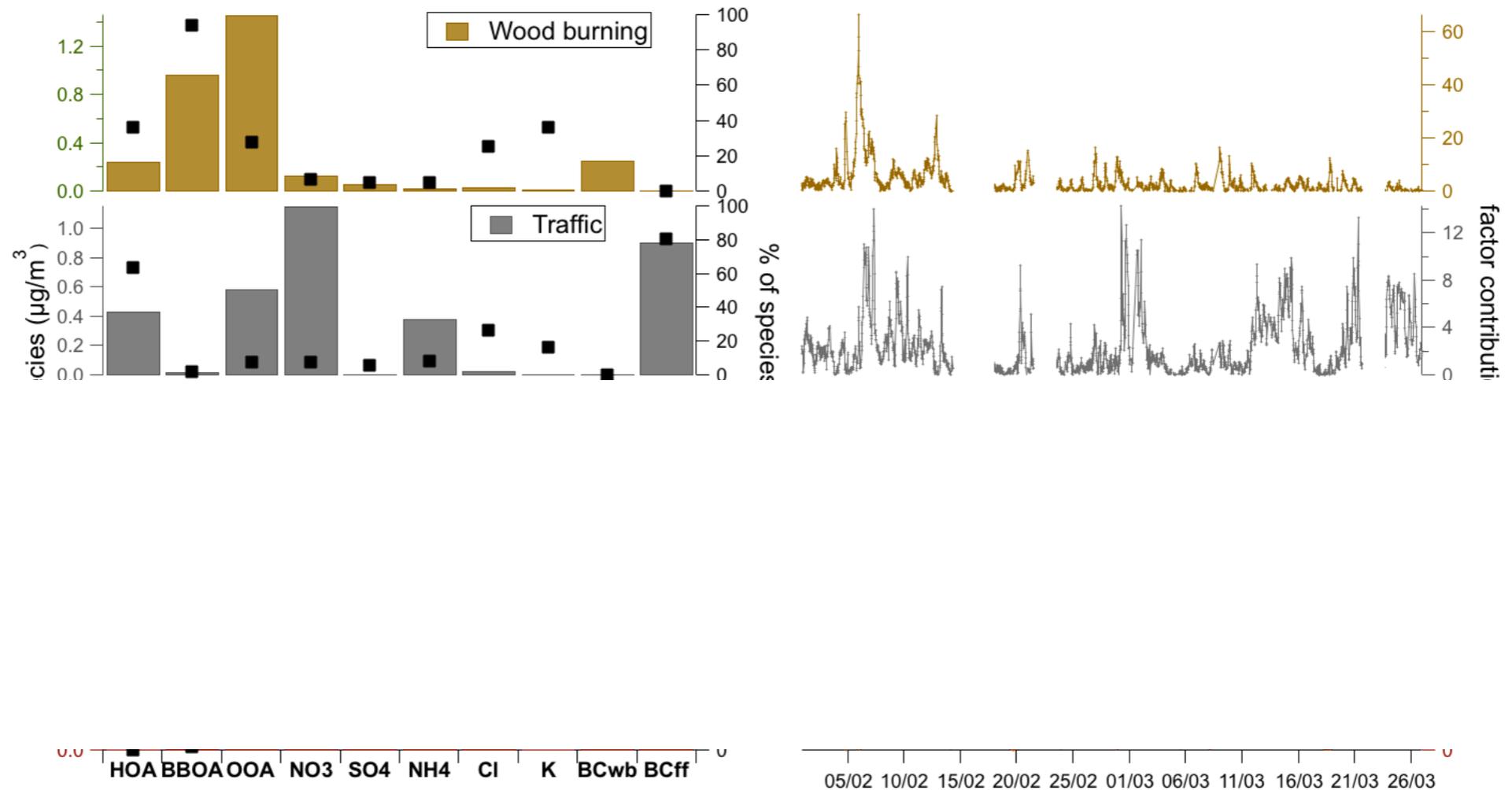
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60% of HOA & 80% of BC_{ff} explained by this factor

OOA represents more than 50% of OA_{ff} (fast oxidation and condensation processes?)

NH₄ & NO₃ (in stoichiometric proportion) suggest condensation with mobile emissions

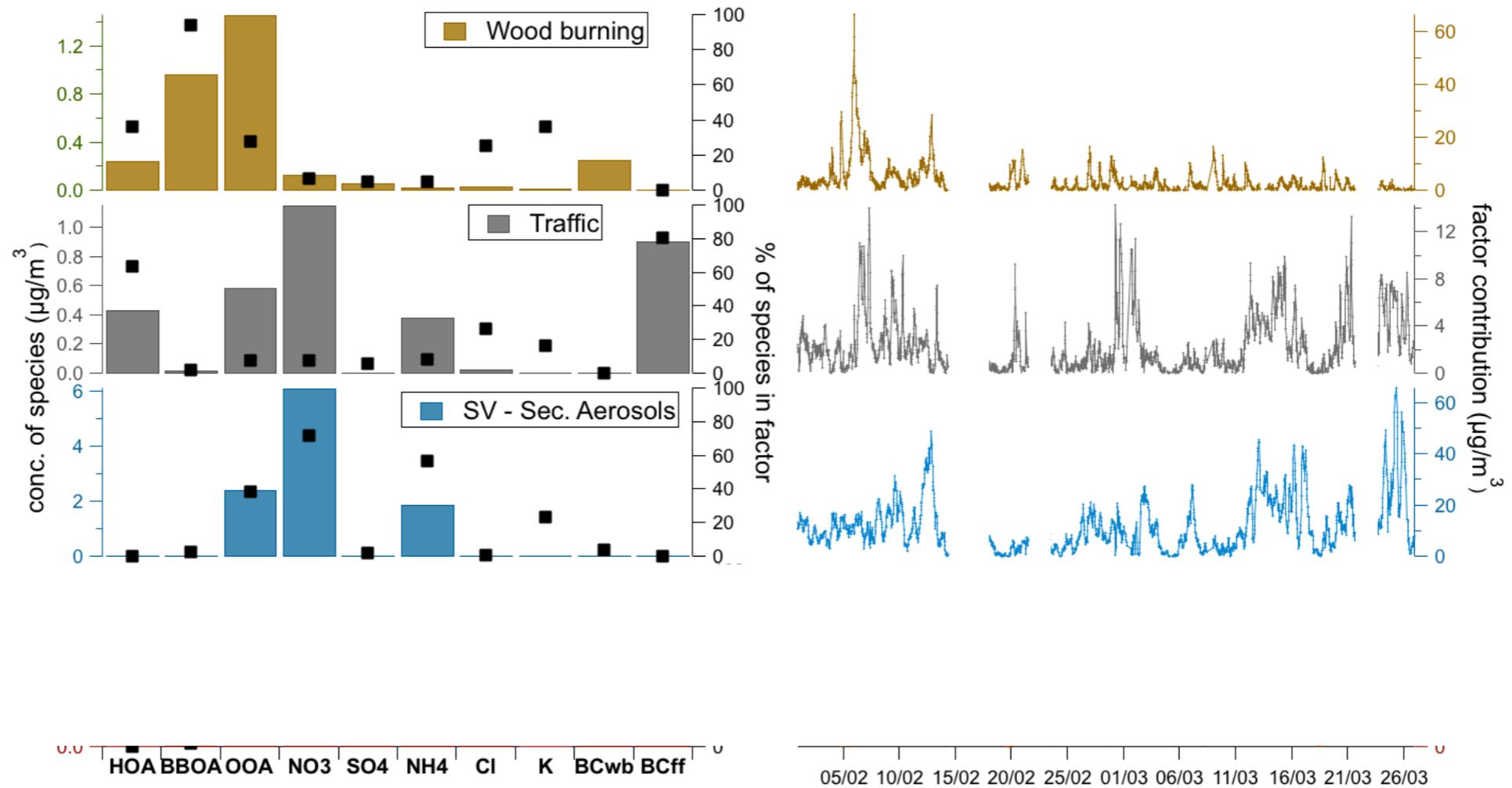
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Profile dominated by NH₄NO₃

OOA in this profile should be considered as semi-volatile

not associated to a source, this factor represents semi volatile secondary aerosols

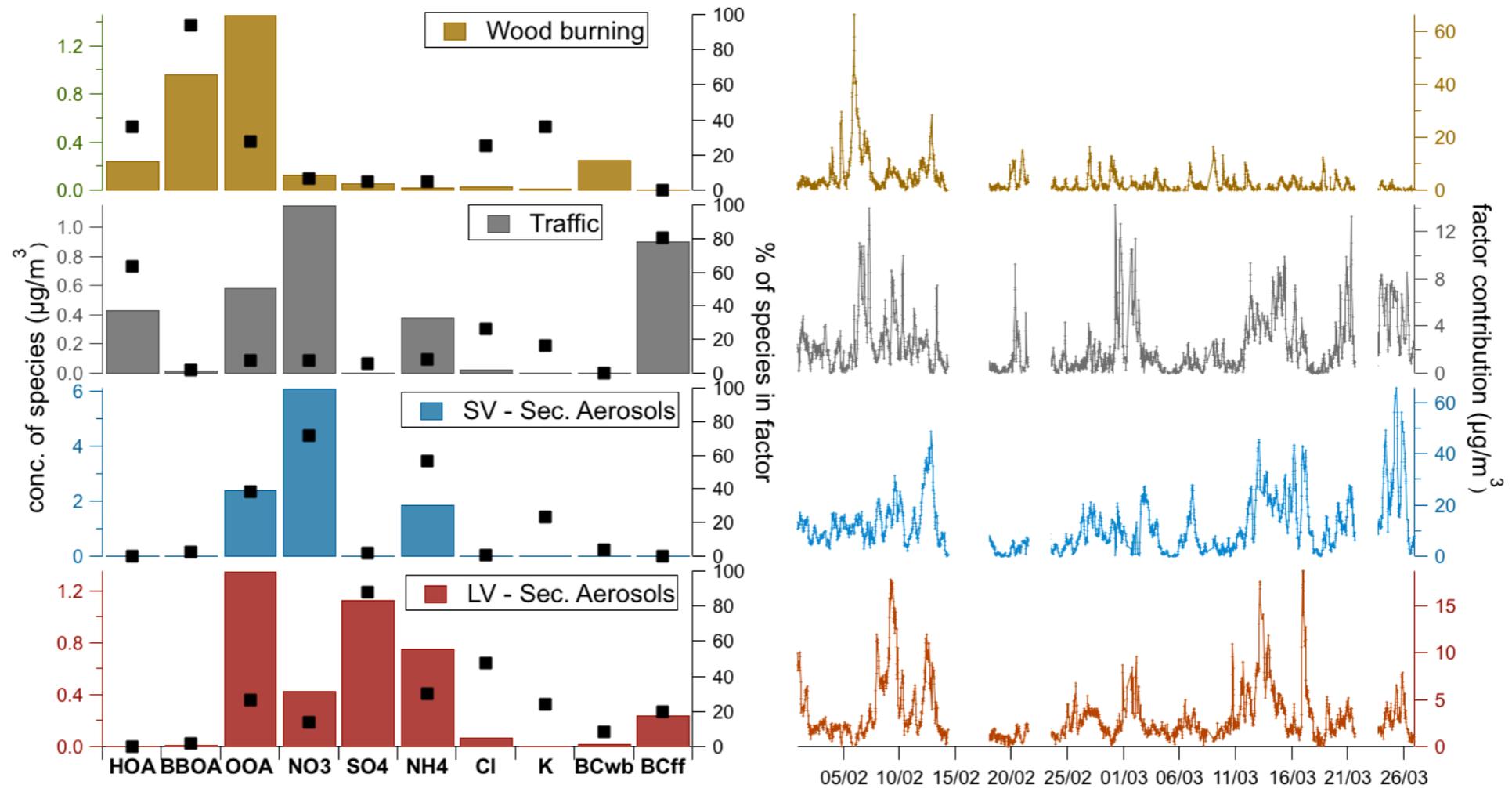
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Profile dominated by (NH₄)₂SO₄

Noteworthy BC_{ff} could suggest internal mixing with SOA and sulfates

not associated to a source, this factor represents low-volatile secondary aerosols

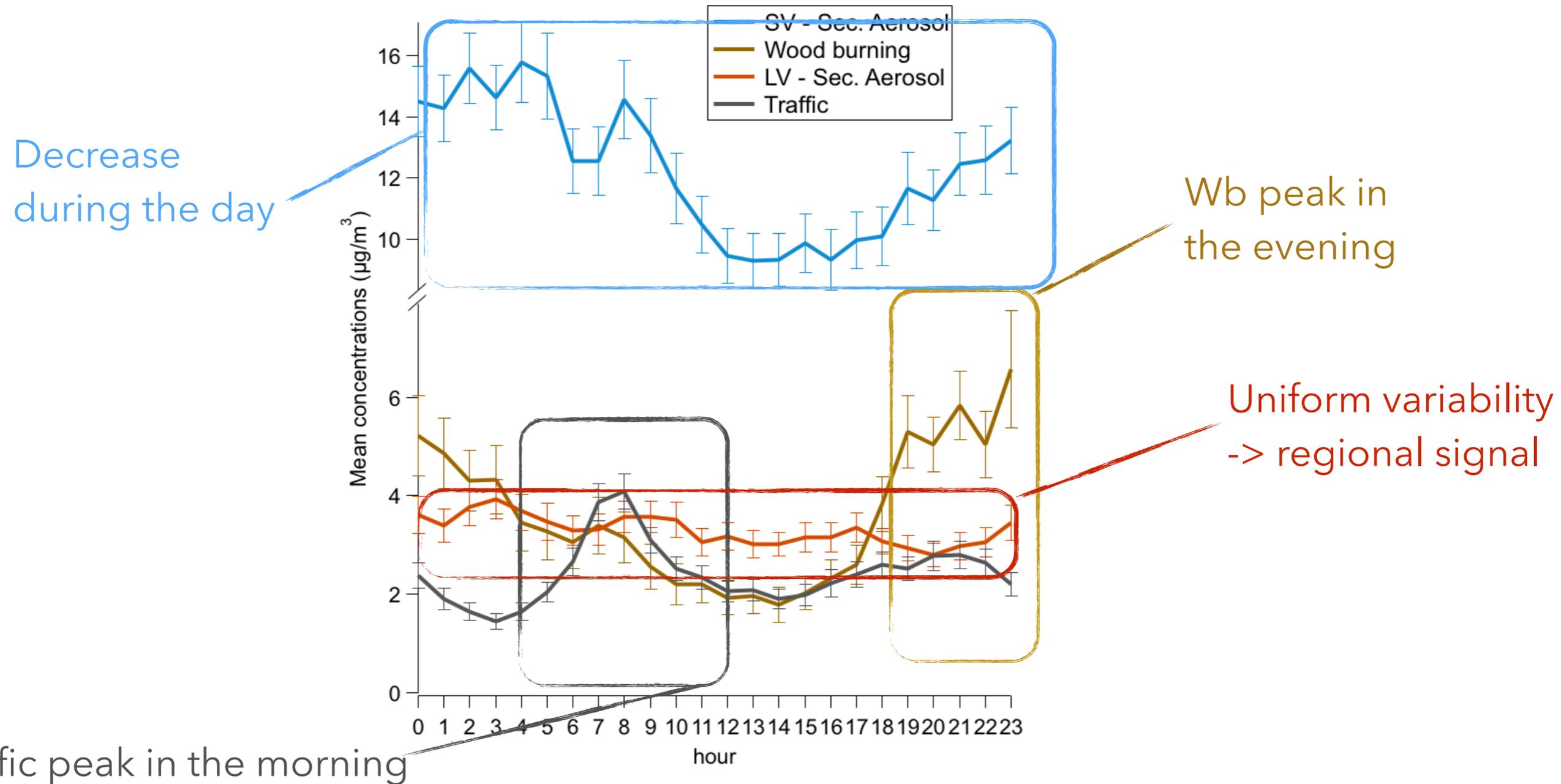
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Results - diurnal variations



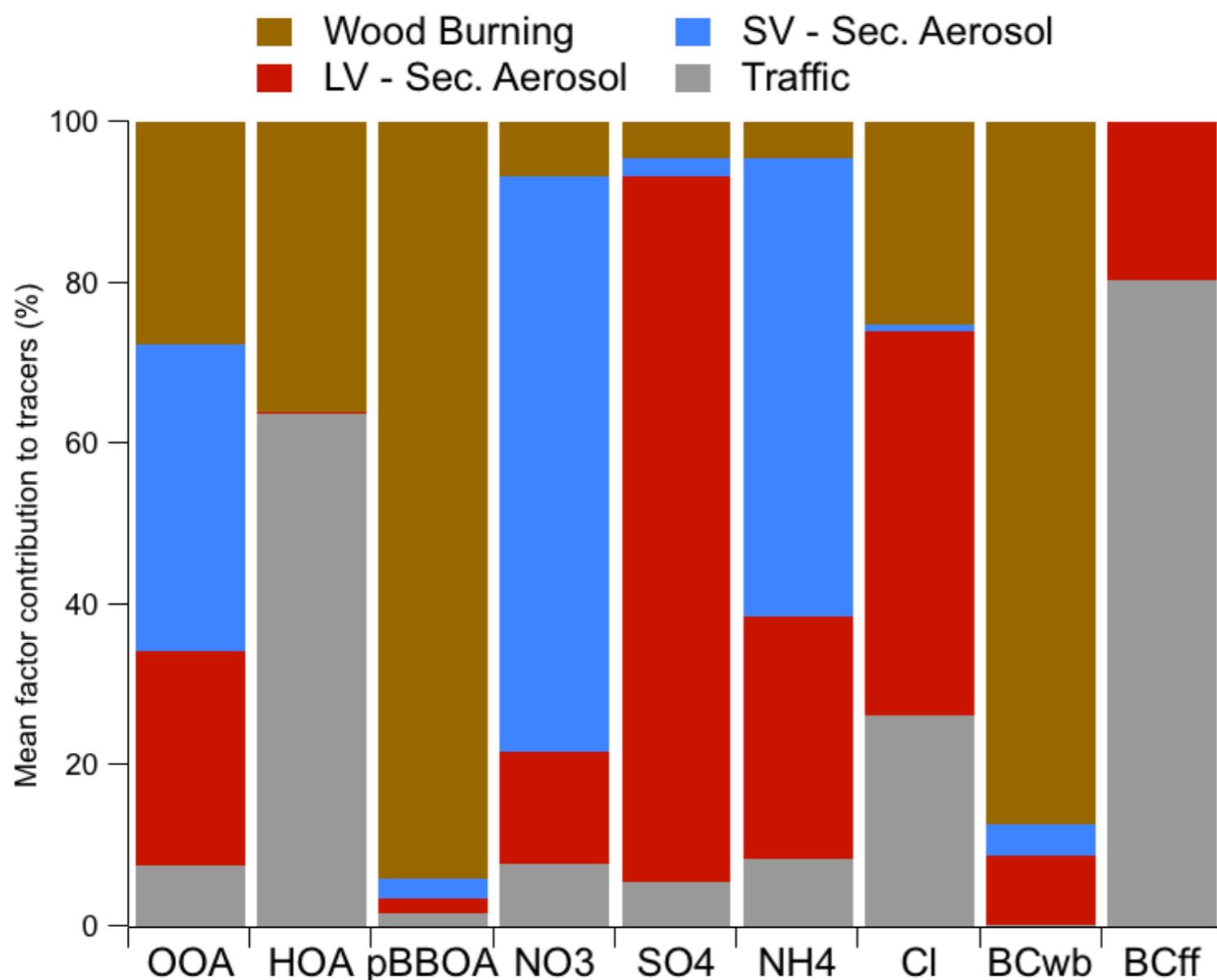
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Results - summary



- BBOA stays an excellent of wood burning emissions, but is not representative of the total mass
- HOA stays a good tracer of traffic emissions in urban areas, but is found to be significantly attributed to wood burning
- OOA is distributed in all 4 factors, but secondary material make up the major contribution. The OOA found in the wood burning and traffic factors may represent fast secondary organic formation, but should not be representative of the whole variety of wb and traffic-related SOA.

CONCLUSION & PERSPECTIVES

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- ACSM appeared to be a credible solution for robust online monitoring of the chemical composition of sub micron aerosols over long term periods
- ACSM + Aethalometer satisfactorily close PM_{10} mass
- Construction of a unique database (the longest in Europe). Strong implications for modeling studies to improve air quality forecast.
- Feasible and on-going implementation within regional operational network (Air Rhone Alpes, Air Lorraine)

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- Automated Python tools to investigate geographical origins (PSCF, NWR, cluster)
- Long term characterization of OA for the 1st time in Paris (and among 1st studies in Europe) **Sliding Windows**
- First tentative of PM₁ source apportionment with online data (AMS/ACSM)

Intercomparison of PMF alternative approaches

THANK YOU!

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SOURCE

METEO

CHEMICAL COMP.

Complex chemical composition essentially linked to the multitude of emission sources, and that each source has her inner chemical fingerprint (profile)

FIGURE JLJ

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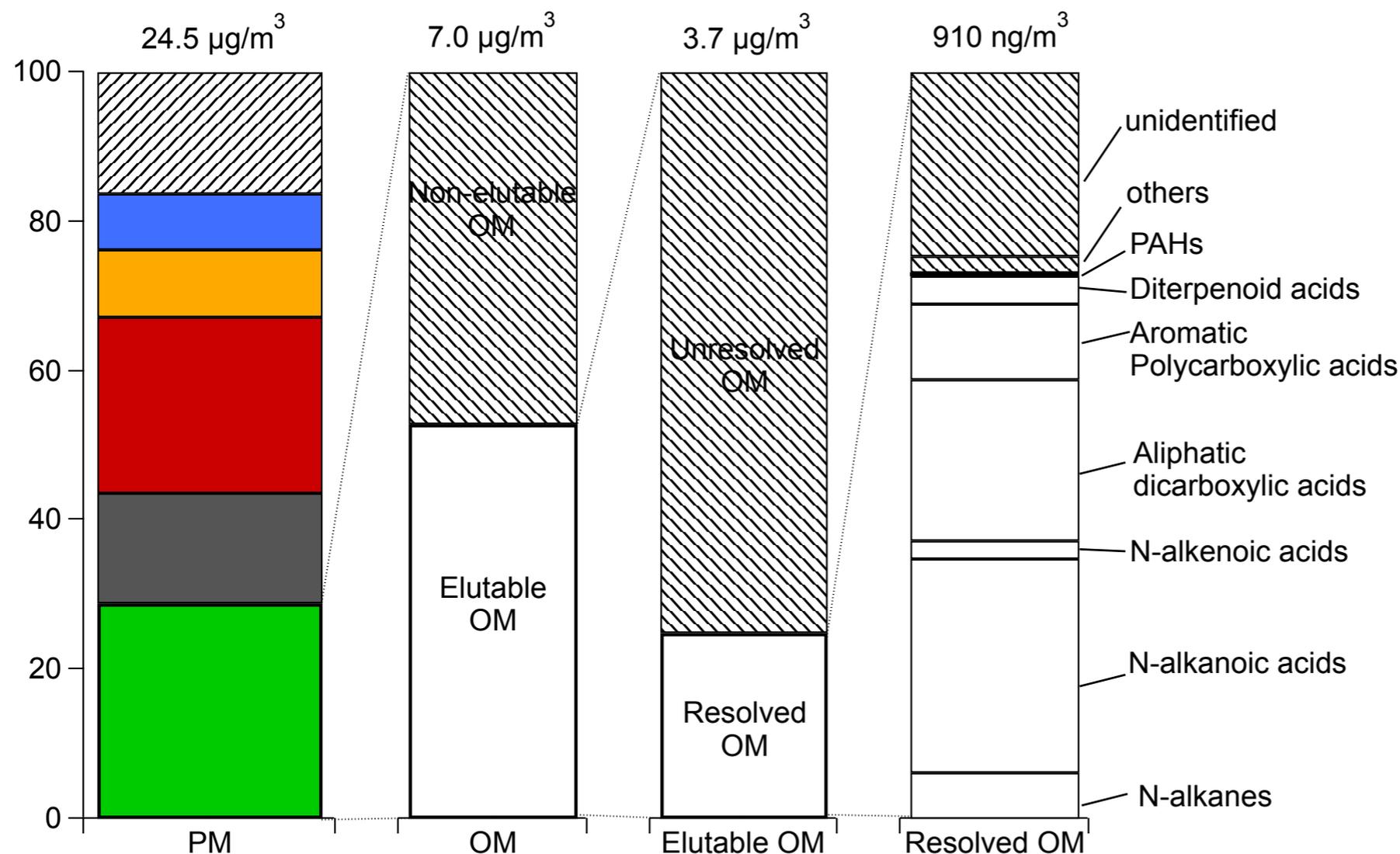


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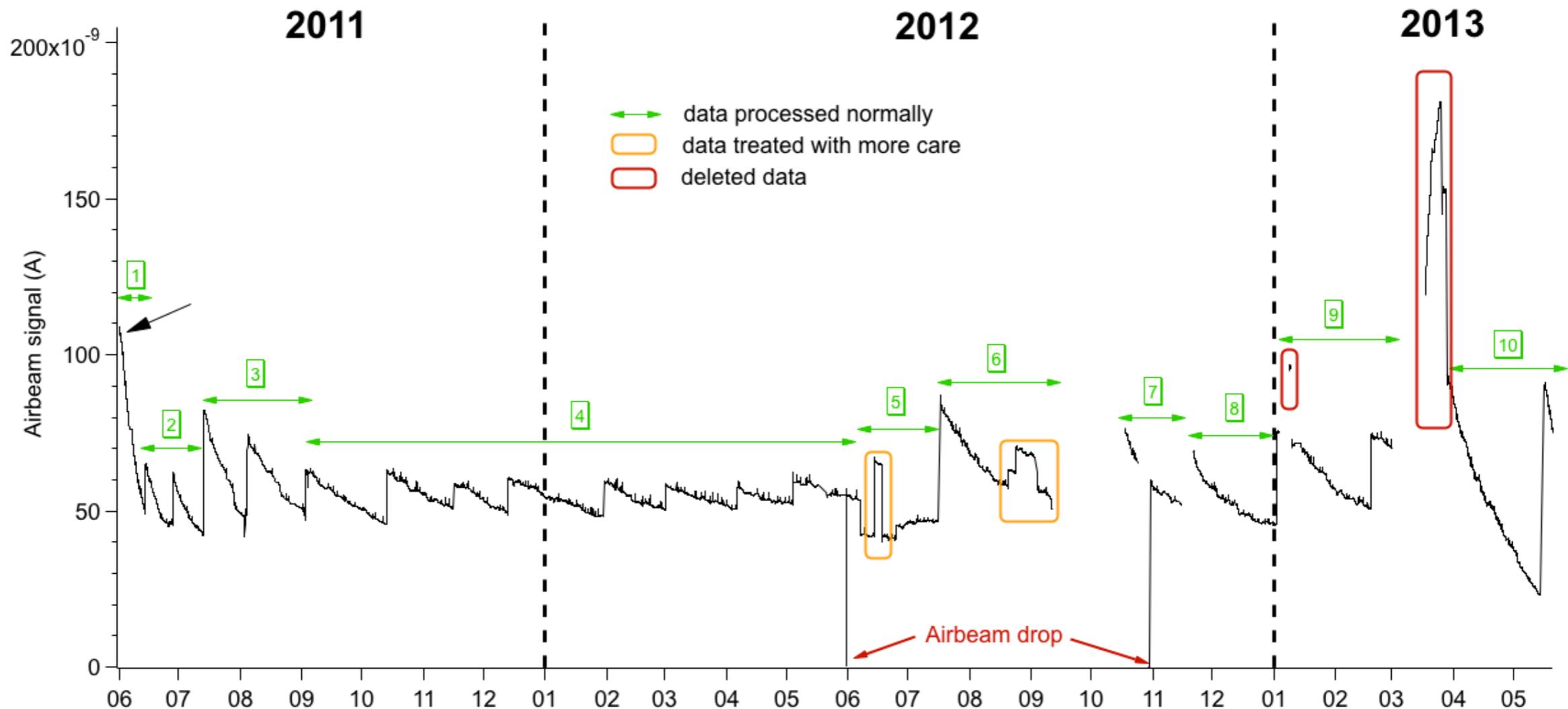
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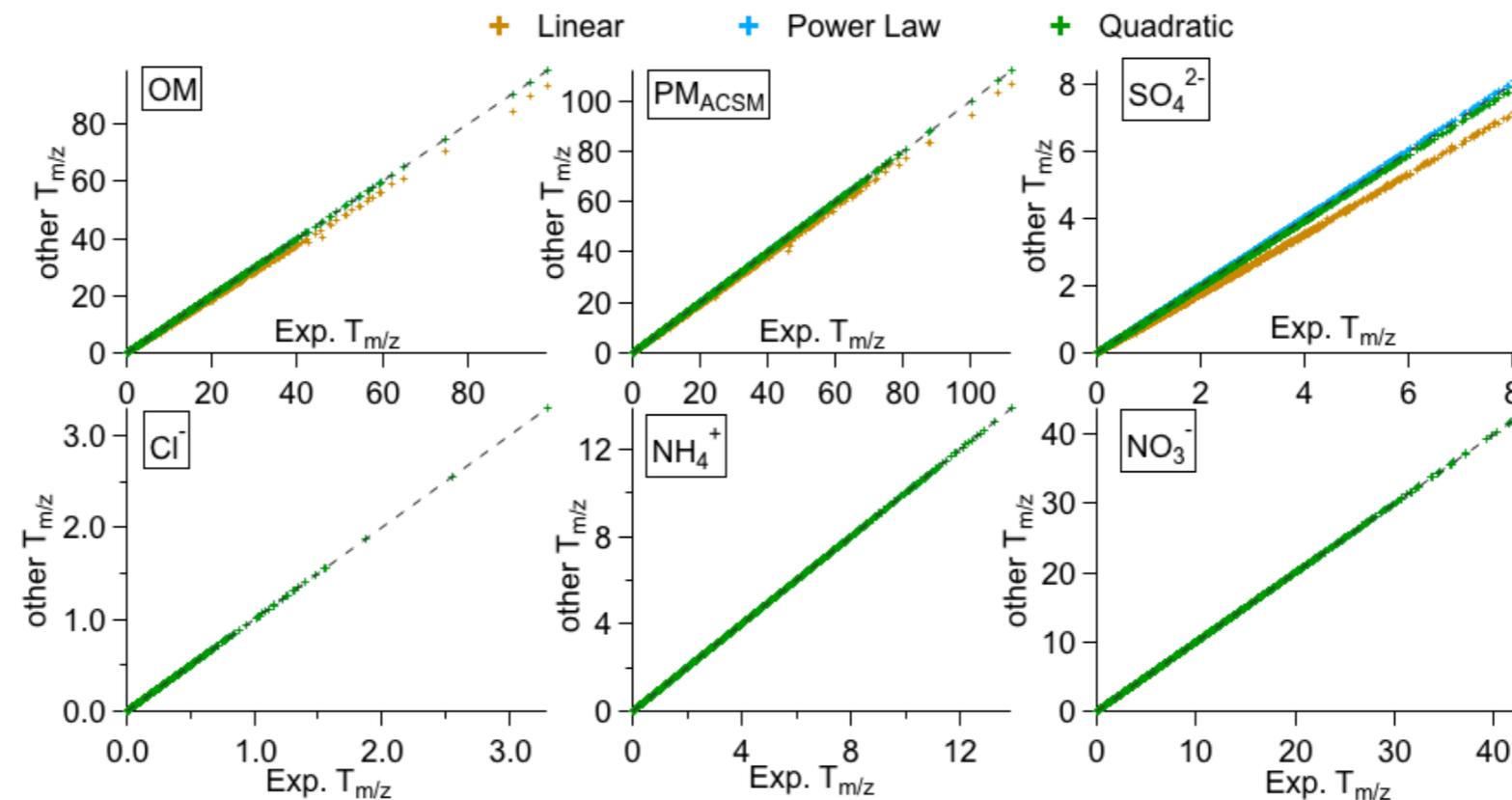
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Does not affect PM_{ACSM} much, but needs to be done, especially regarding the statistical analysis of OM mass spectra

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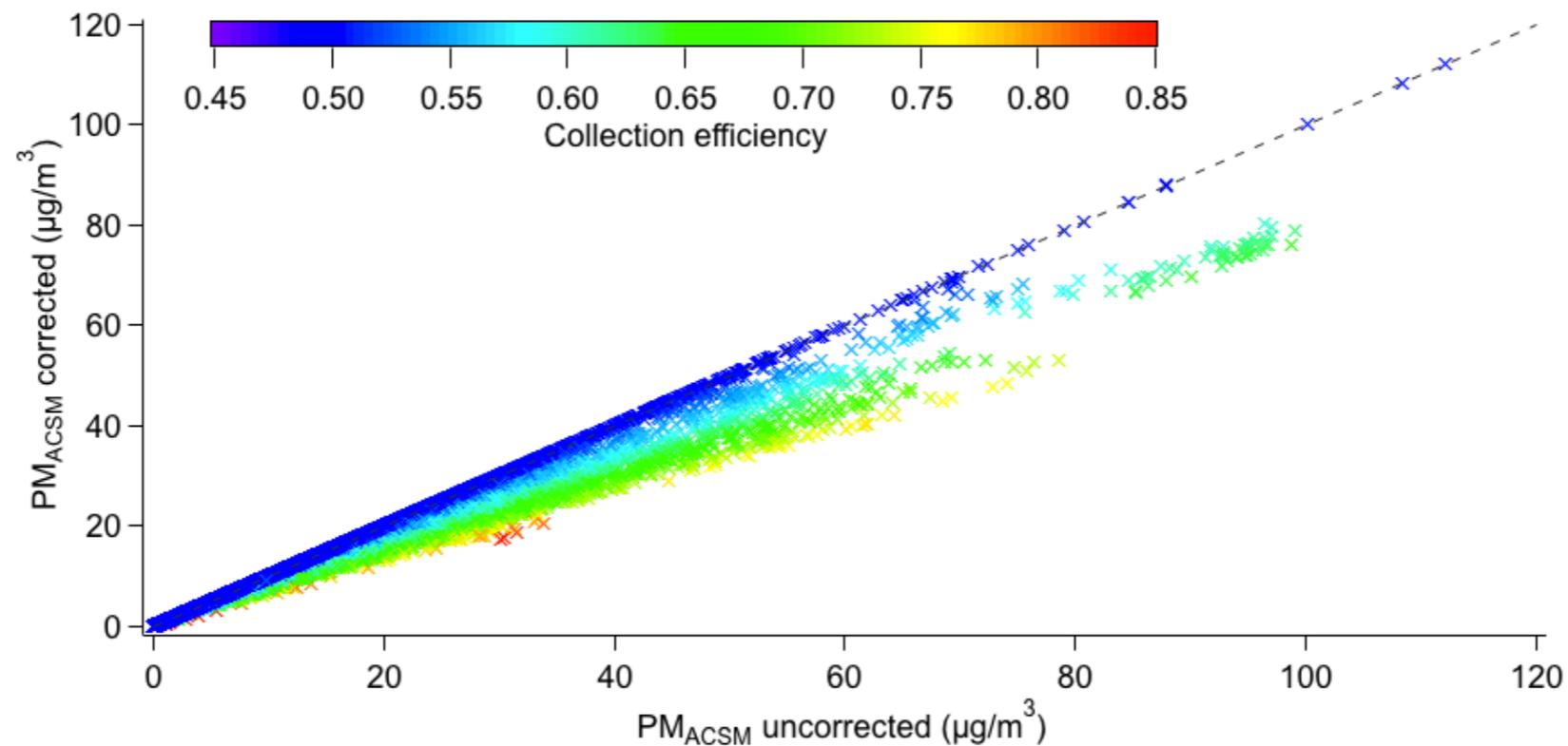
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- Collection efficiency need to be corrected from overestimations linked to NH_4NO_3 mass fraction (*Middlebrook et al., 2012*)



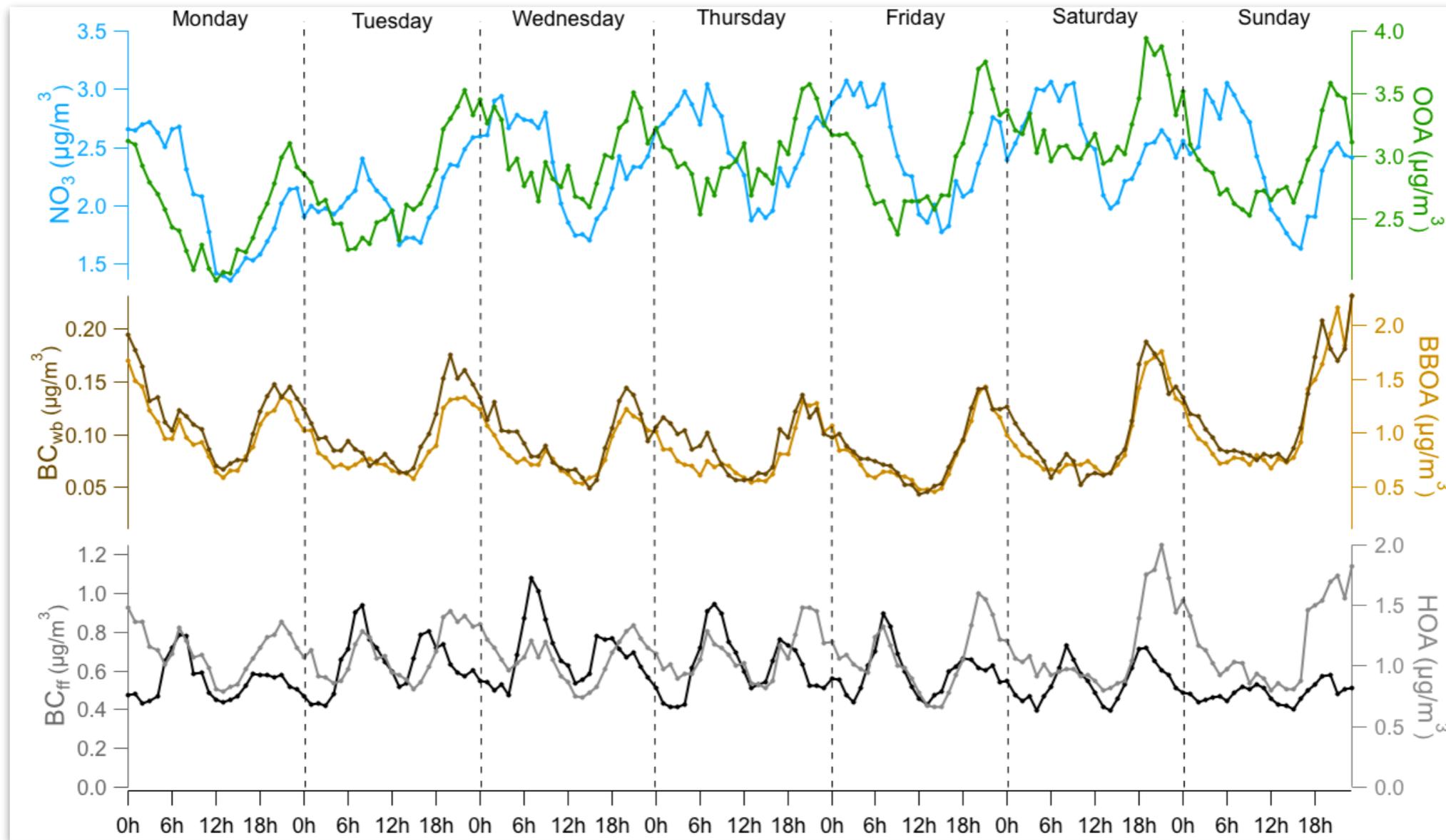
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Uncertainties

One of the most important part of a PMF analysis is to best estimate uncertainties of the dataset

Tracers

Aerodyne's uncertainties for inorganics not fully available yet (undergoing work)

«Polissar» approach (Polissar et al., 1998) promoted on the US EPA PMF soft

$$Unc. = \begin{cases} \frac{5}{6} \cdot LOD & \text{if } C \leq LOD \\ \sqrt{rel.unc.^2 \cdot C^2 + LOD^2} & \text{if } C > LOD \end{cases}$$

	NO	NH	SO	Cl	K	BC	BC
LOD (µg/m	0.12	0.51	0.28	0.1	0.02	0.1	0.1
rel. unc. (%)	15	15	15	20	50	40	40



«Weak» variable



«Strong» variable

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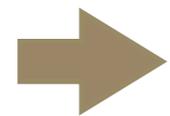
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OA fractions

- No automated calculations of uncertainties for time series of PMF outputs (undergoing work)



«Polissar» approach

	HOA	BBOA	OOA
LOD (µg/m	0.1	0.1	0.1
rel. unc. (%)	30	30	30



«Weak» variable



«Strong» variable

- Empirical determination of LODs and rel. unc. Definitely not the best way, but best compromise to give weight to OA (otherwise, too strong weight of inorganics)

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Results - sensitivity tests

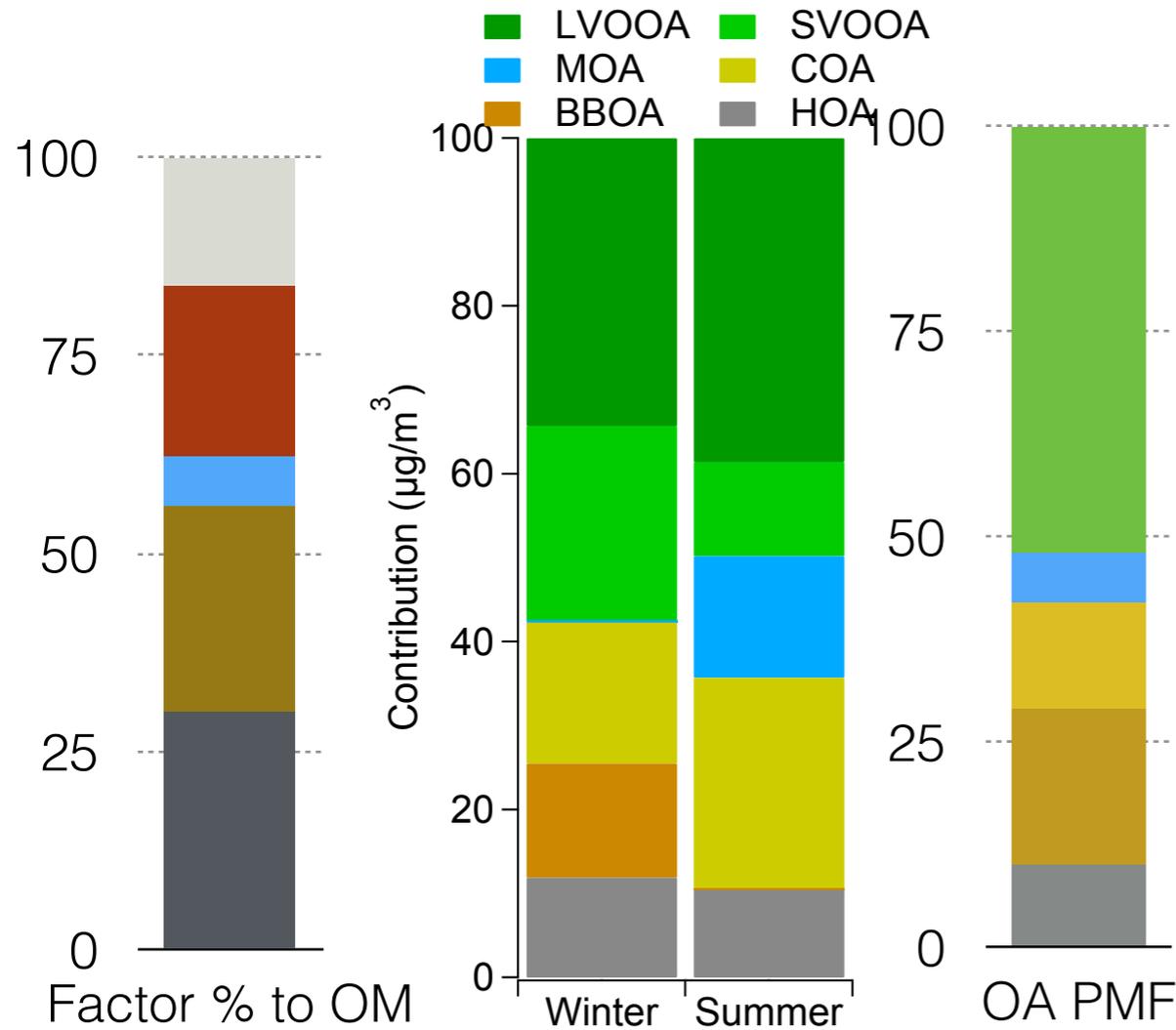
- Constrained and unconstrained OA source app. give similar results. The resulting consecutive PMF analyses are not fundamentally different.
- A wide range of α -values (OA-source app.) has poor impact on OA fractions' profiles and time series.
- Residuals shows that little information stay unused from the OA source app.
- Bootstrap analysis highlight the stability of the 4-factor solution
- Several relative uncertainties used in the PM1 source app. were tested in order to refine the empirical initial guesses
- The intense wood burning peak has little impact on final results

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Secondary OM from Bressi et al.: 28%
 Secondary OM from OA PMF: 59%

- OM from other sources
- OM from SO₄-rich source
- OM from NO₃-rich source
- OM from WB source
- OM from Traffic source

- OOA
- MOA
- COA
- BBOA
- HOA

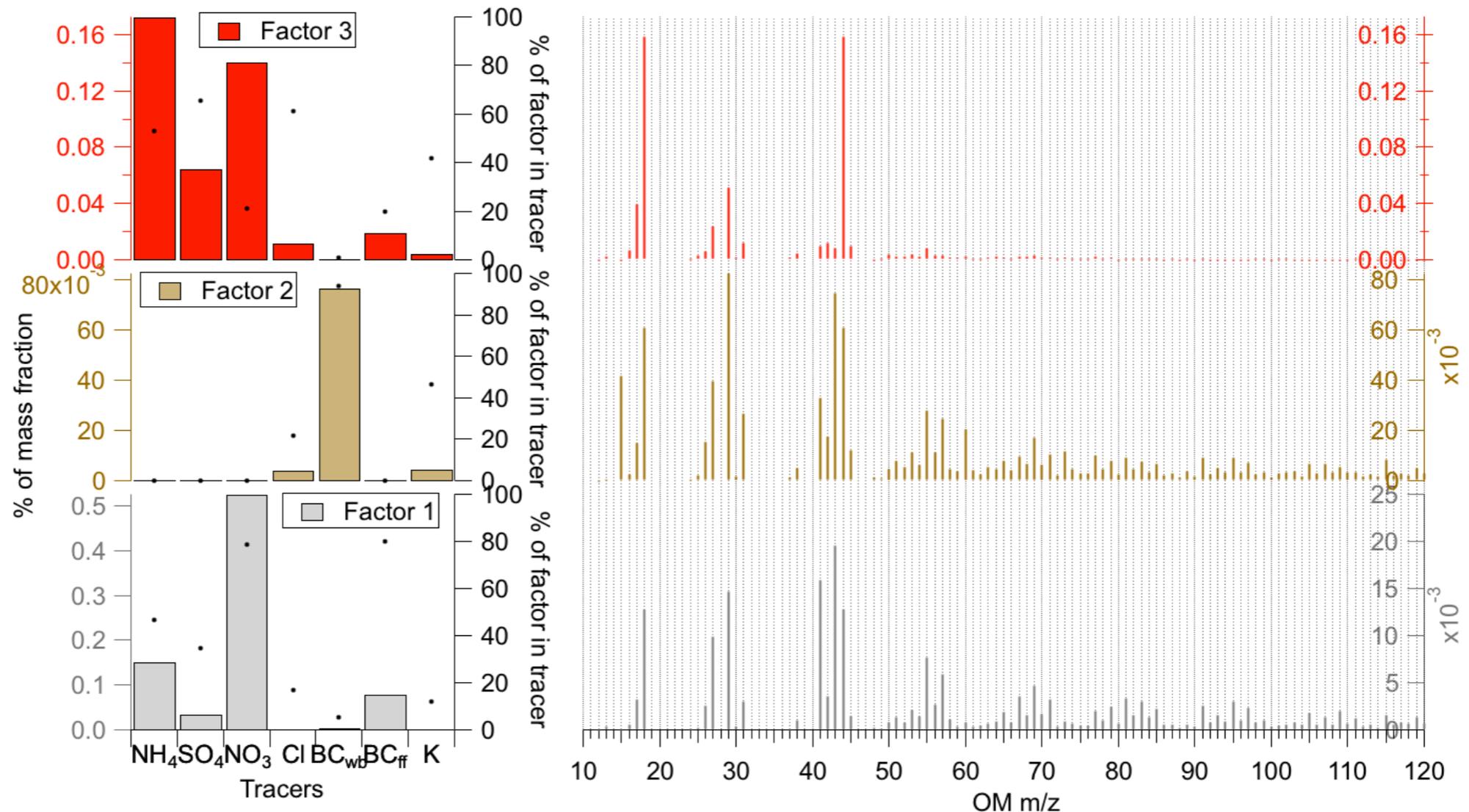
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Other approaches - « All in one » PMF



- 3-factor solution is most stable (from bootstrap analysis)
- AS-rich factor, wood burning factor, and AN-rich + traffic factor
- OA profiles make sense but AN-rich + traffic factor stay convoluted

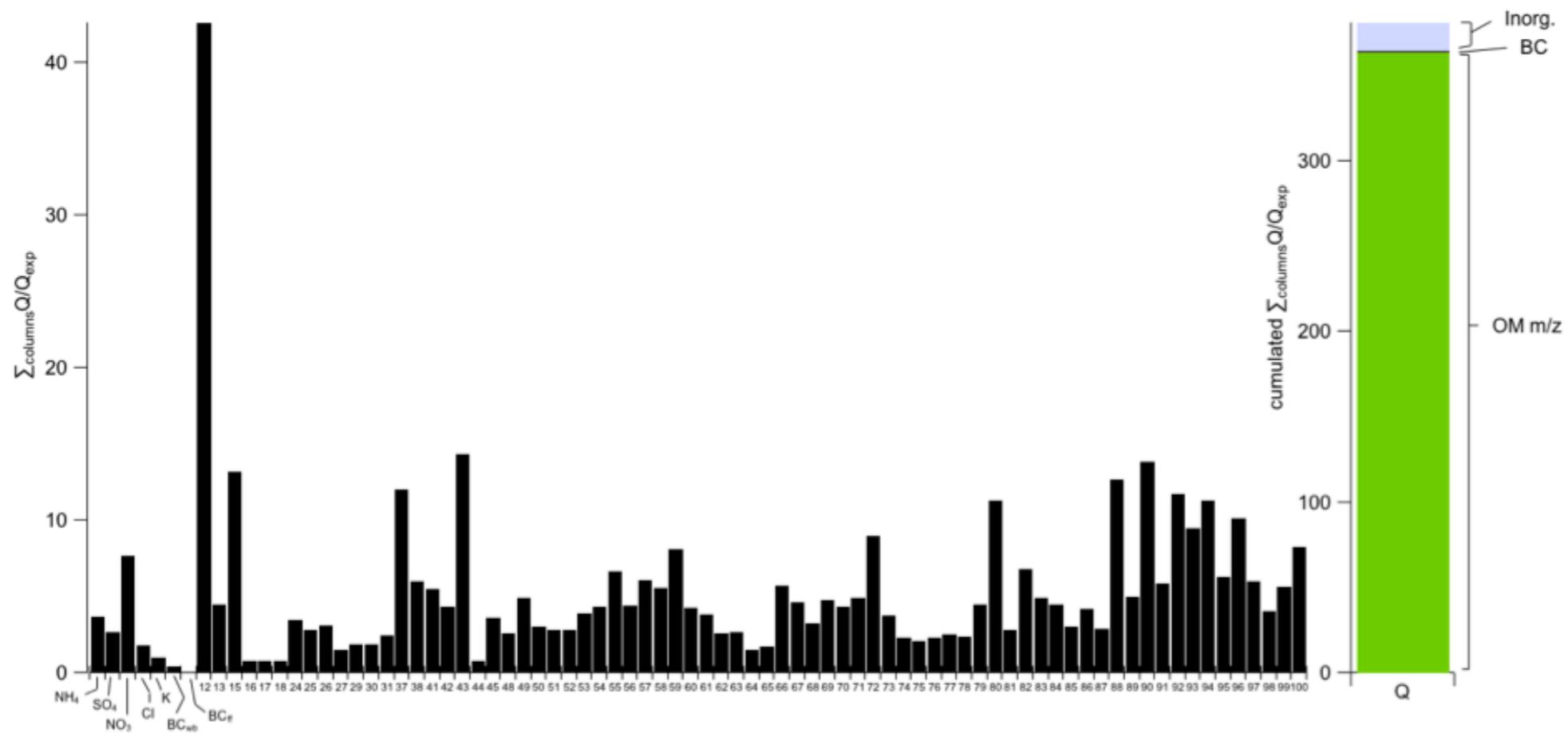
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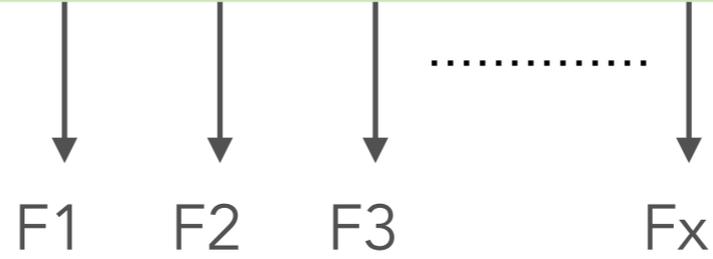
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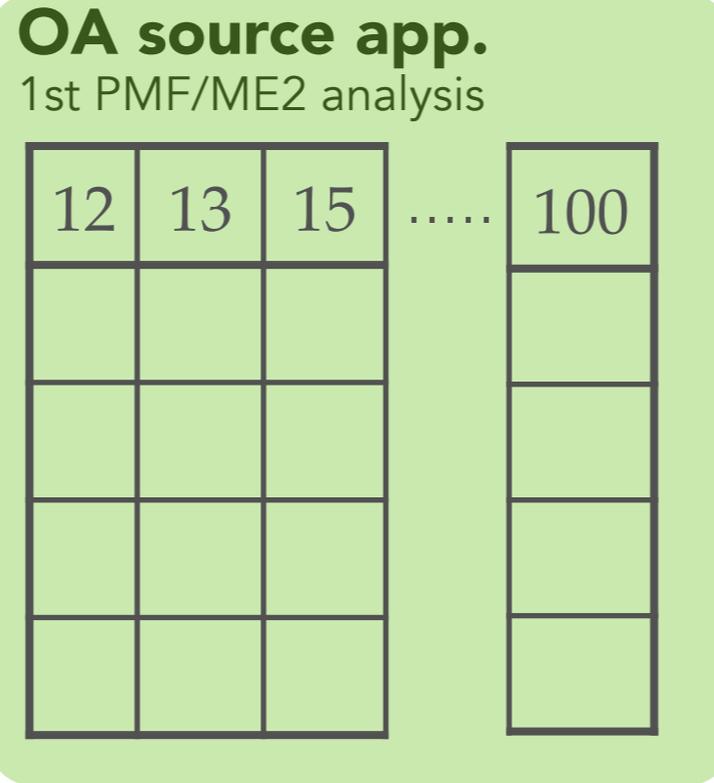
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Aethalo. model

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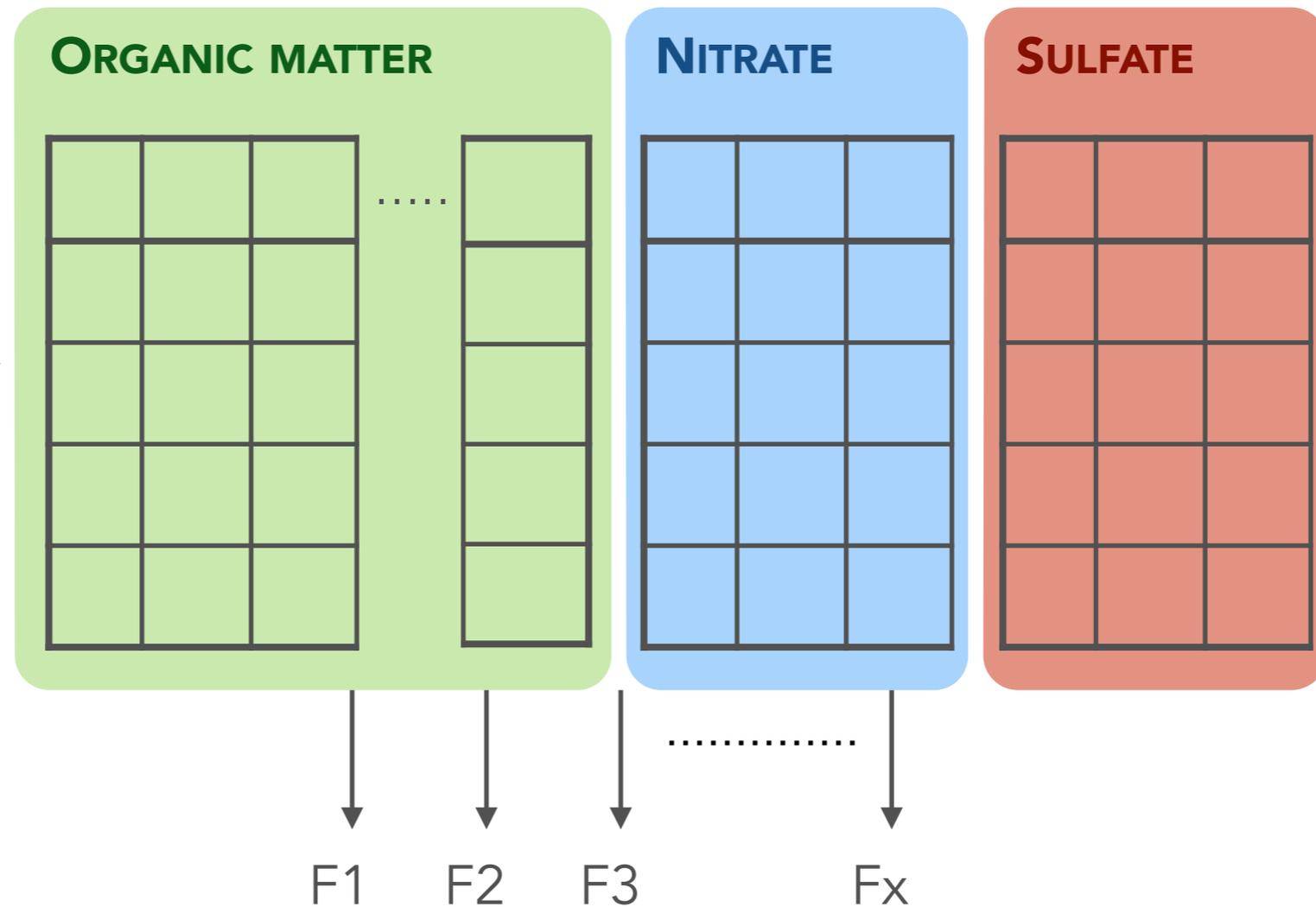
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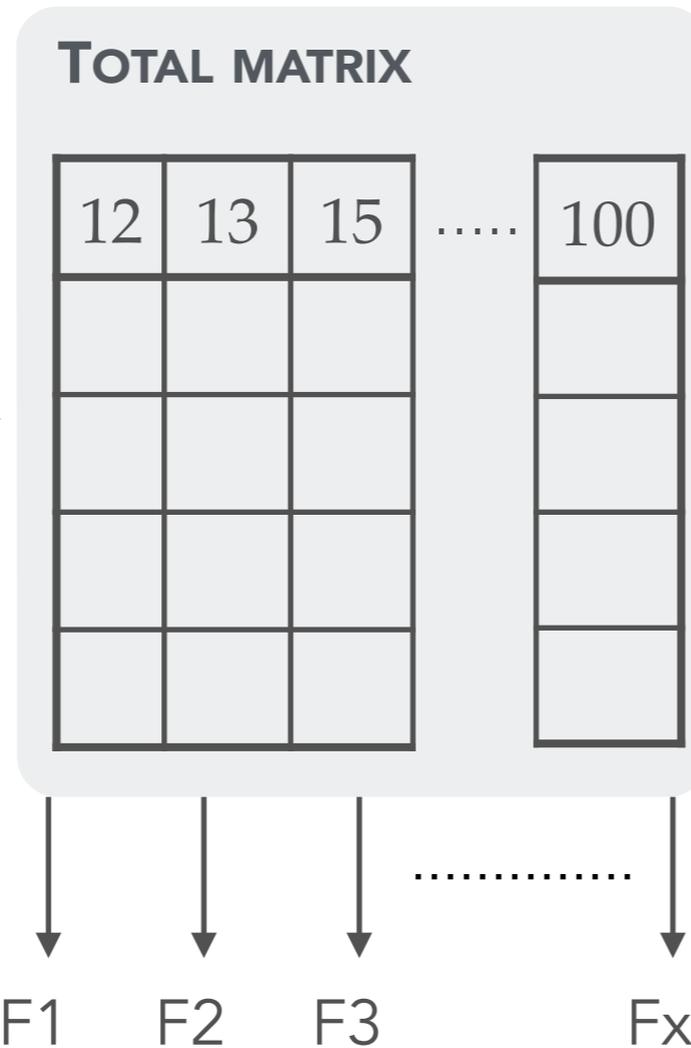
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