

AQRP WORKSHOP

Update and evaluation of model
algorithms needed to predict
Particulate Matter from Isoprene

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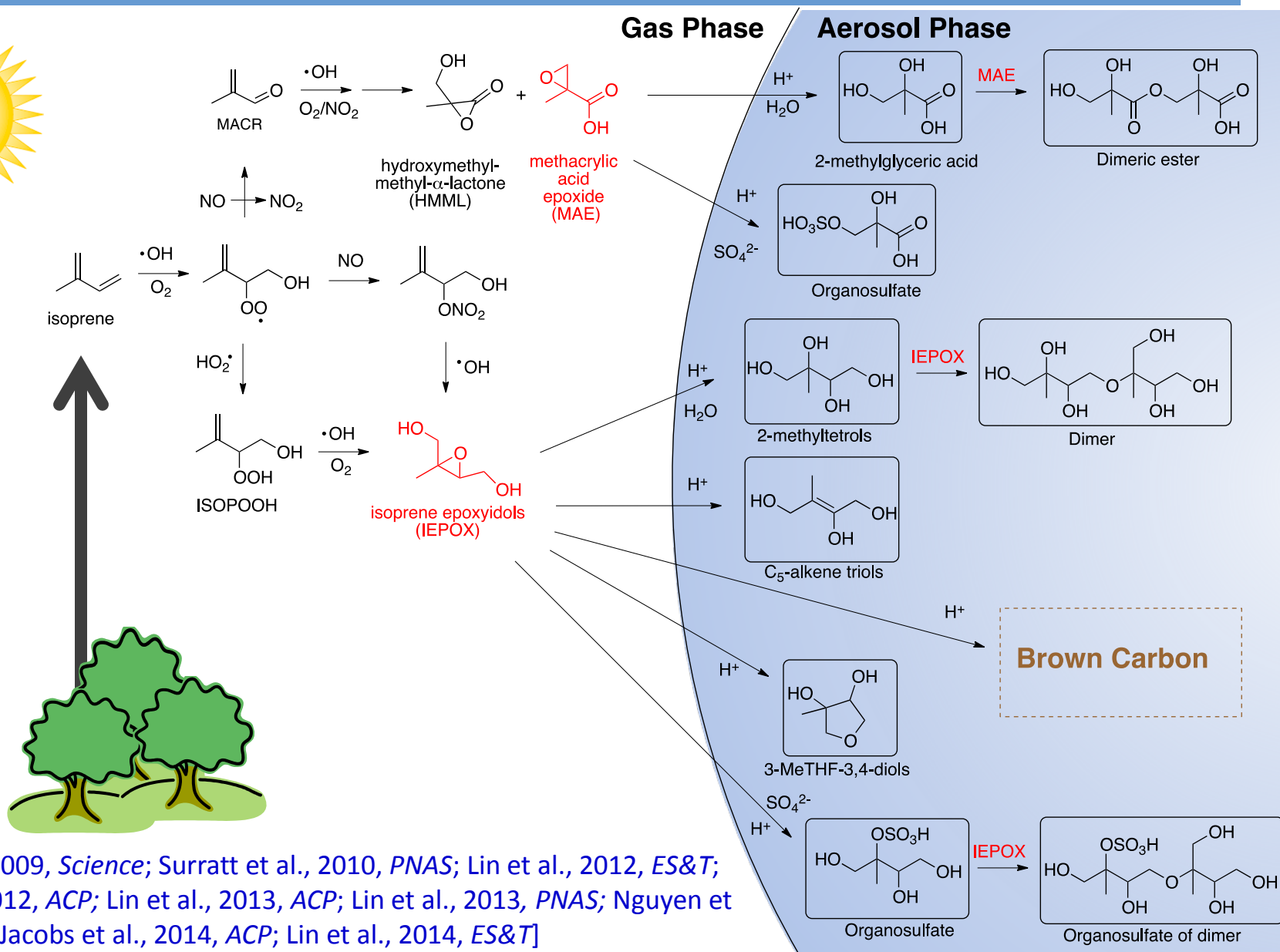
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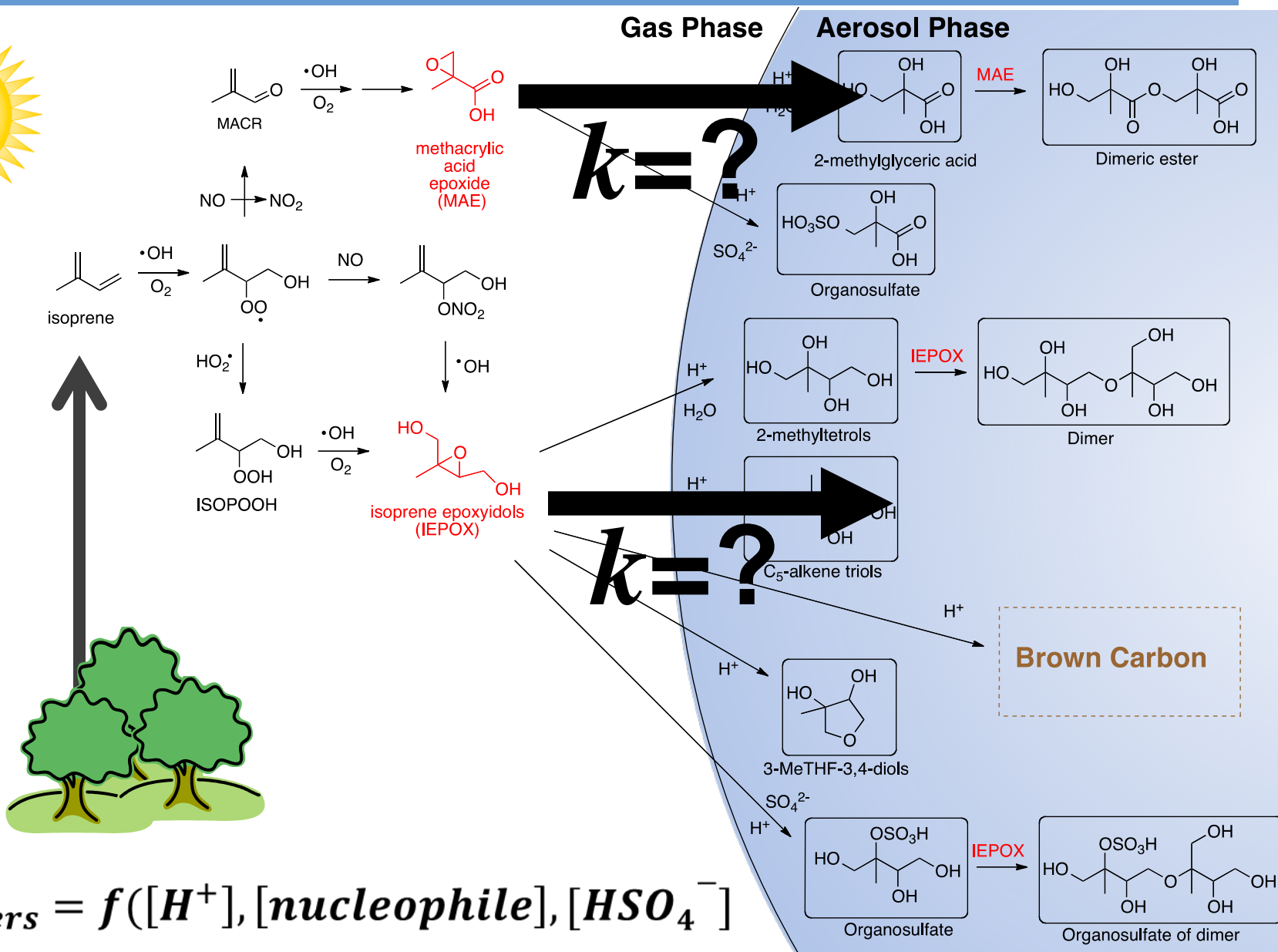
Isoprene-Derived Epoxides Promote SOA Formation



[Paulot et al., 2009, *Science*; Surratt et al., 2010, *PNAS*; Lin et al., 2012, *ES&T*; Zhang et al., 2012, *ACP*; Lin et al., 2013, *ACP*; Lin et al., 2013, *PNAS*; Nguyen et al., 2014, *ACP*; Jacobs et al., 2014, *ACP*; Lin et al., 2014, *ES&T*]



Isoprene-Derived Epoxides Are Critical in SOA Formation from Isoprene Oxidation





What is the Reactive Flux to Particles?

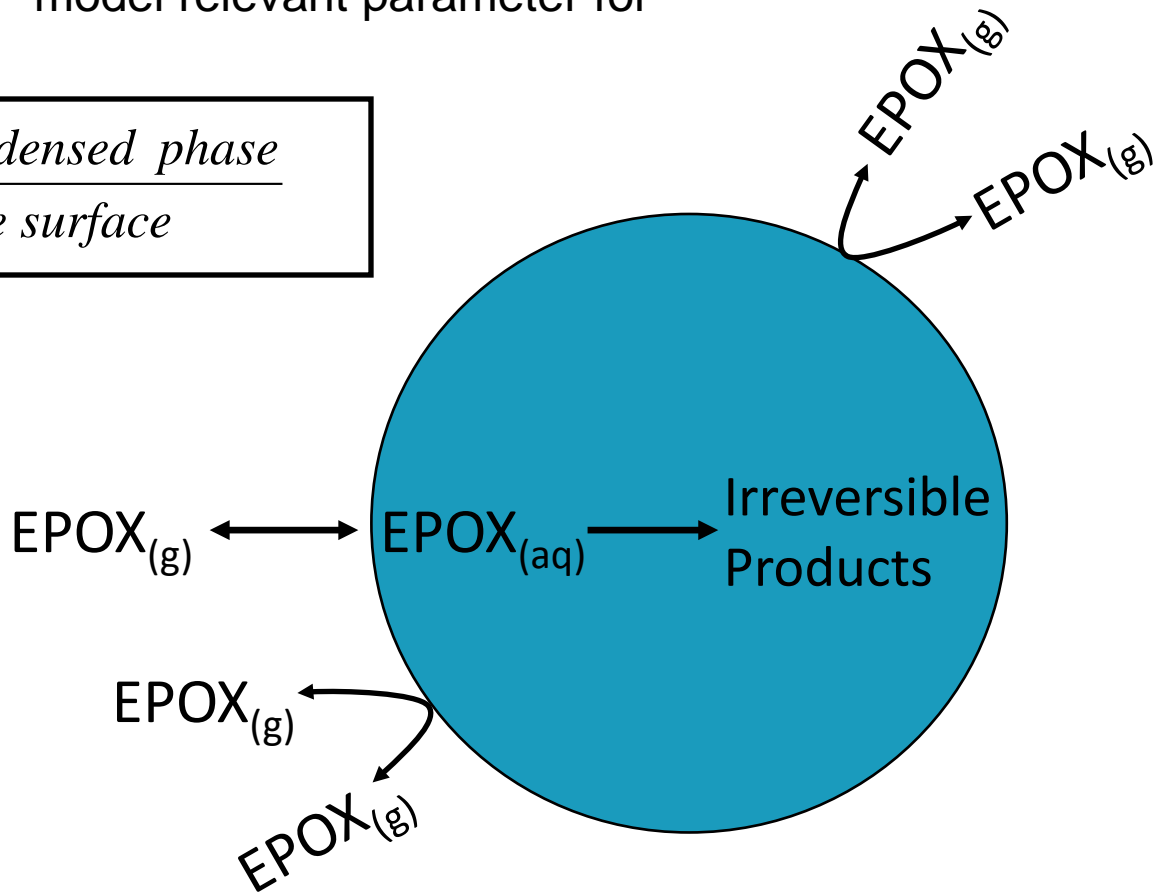
Gas-Aerosol Reaction Probability – model relevant parameter for heterogeneous chemistry

$$\gamma = \frac{\# \text{ molecules removed by condensed phase}}{\# \text{ molecules striking the surface}}$$

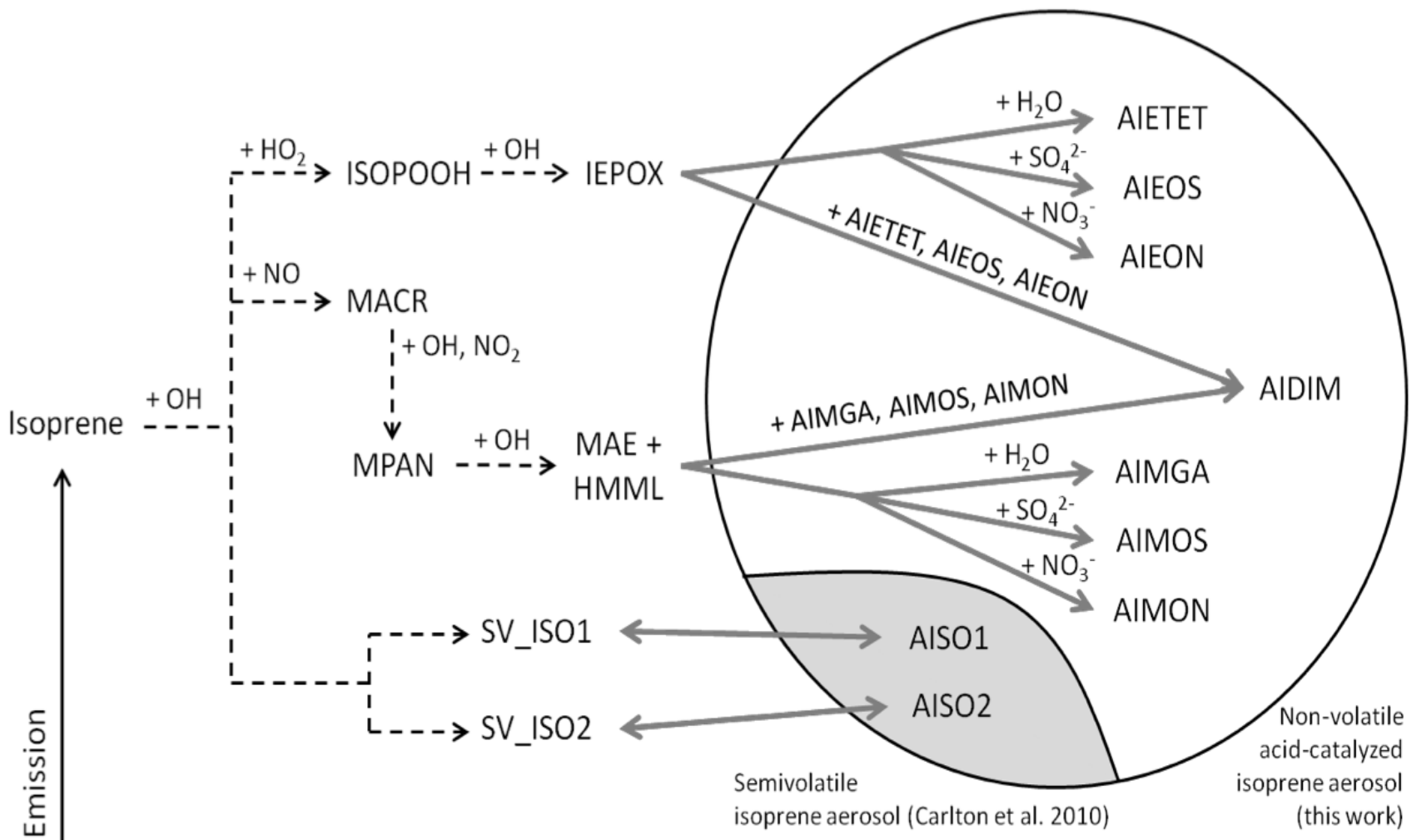
$$\frac{d[\text{EPOX}]}{dt} = k_{het}[\text{EPOX}]$$

$$= \gamma \frac{S_a \omega}{4} [\text{EPOX}]$$

collision frequency

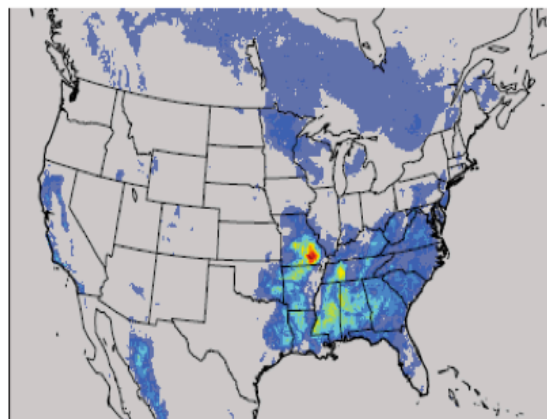


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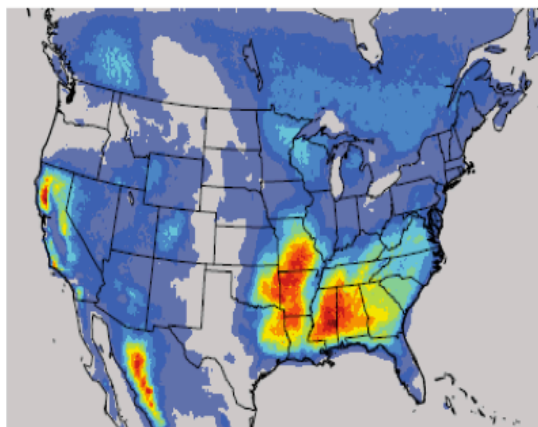


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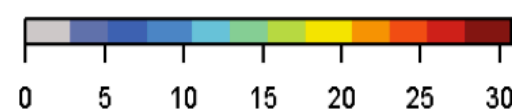
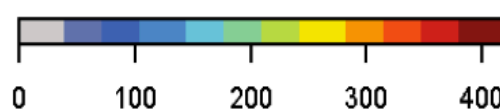
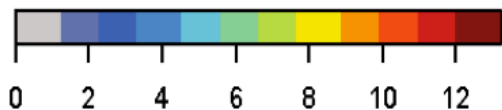
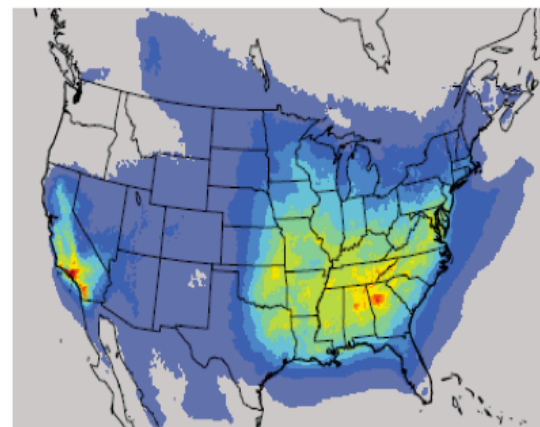
(a) Isoprene [ppb]



(b) IEPOX [ppt]



(c) MAE [ppt]



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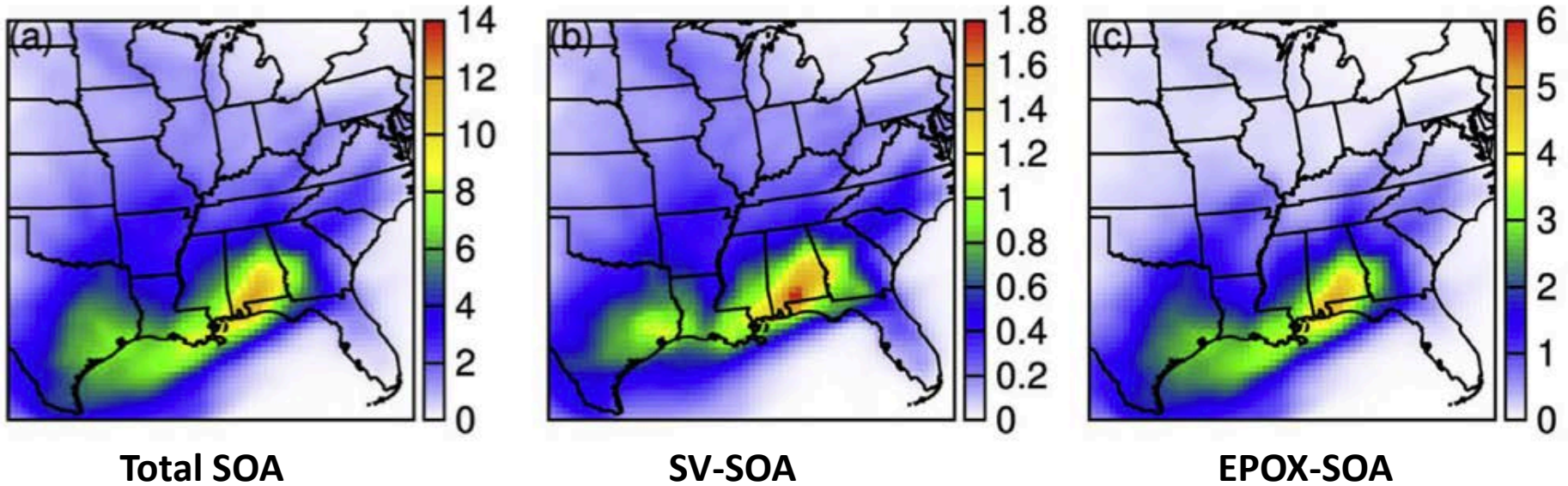
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Epoxide Pathways Improve Model Predictions of Isoprene Markers and Reveal Key Role of Acidity in Aerosol Formation

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Model Implementation



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Modeling regional secondary organic aerosol using the Master Chemical Mechanism



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Proposal Objectives

Task 1. Integration of Gas-Phase Epoxide Formation and Subsequent SOA Formation into UNC MORPHO Box Model

Task 2. Synthesis of Isoprene-derived Epoxides and Known SOA Tracers

Task 3. Indoor Chamber Experiments Generating SOA Formation Directly from Isoprene-Derived Epoxides

Task 4. Modeling of Isoprene-derived SOA Formation From Environmental Simulation Chambers

Task 1 – Gas Phase Evaluation

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Assessment of SAPRC07 with updated isoprene chemistry against outdoor chamber experiments

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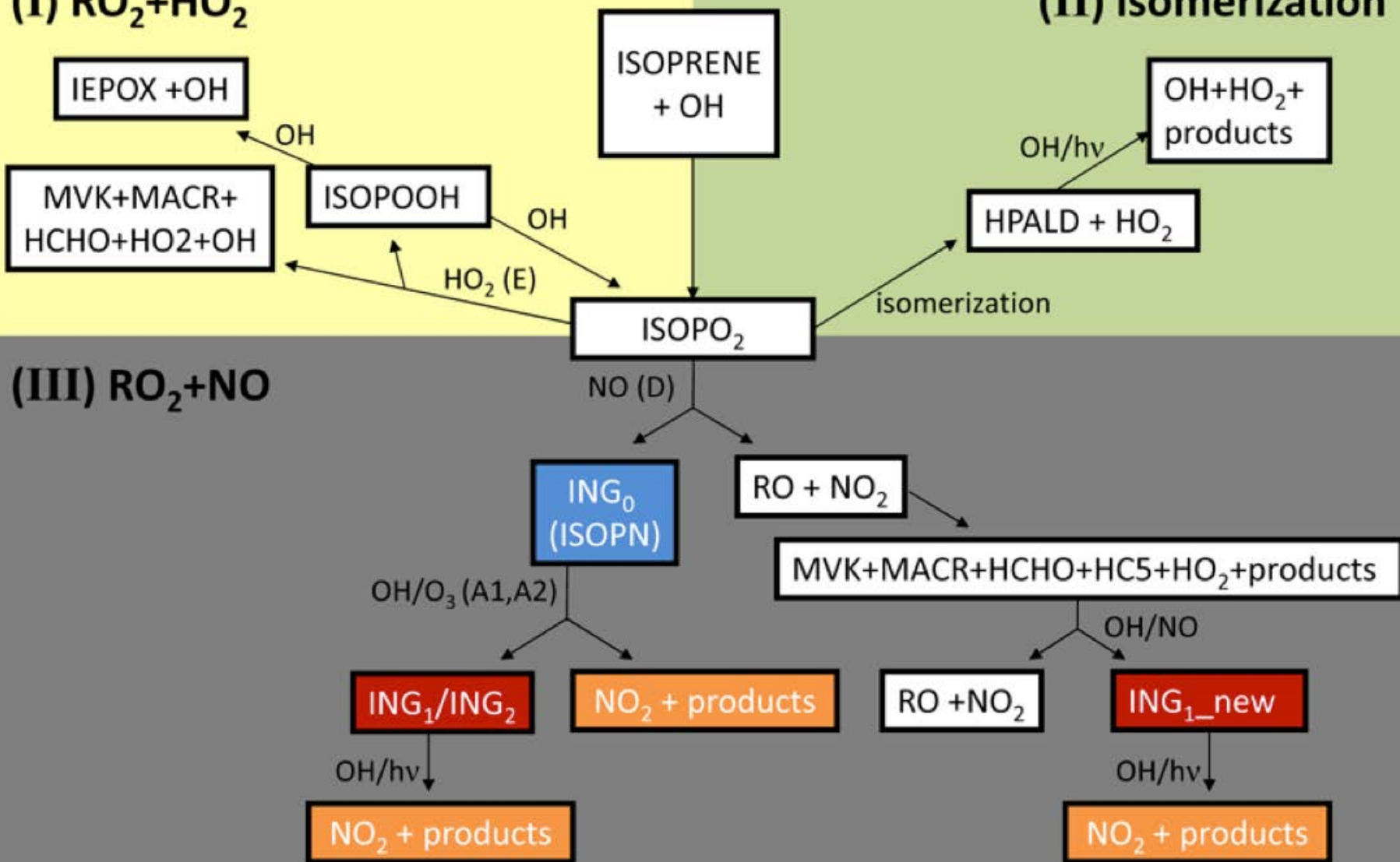
Formation of ING_0

Formation of $ING_{1,2}$

Recycling of NO_x from $ING_{0,1,2}$

(I) RO_2+HO_2

(II) isomerization



Task 1 – Gas Phase Evaluation



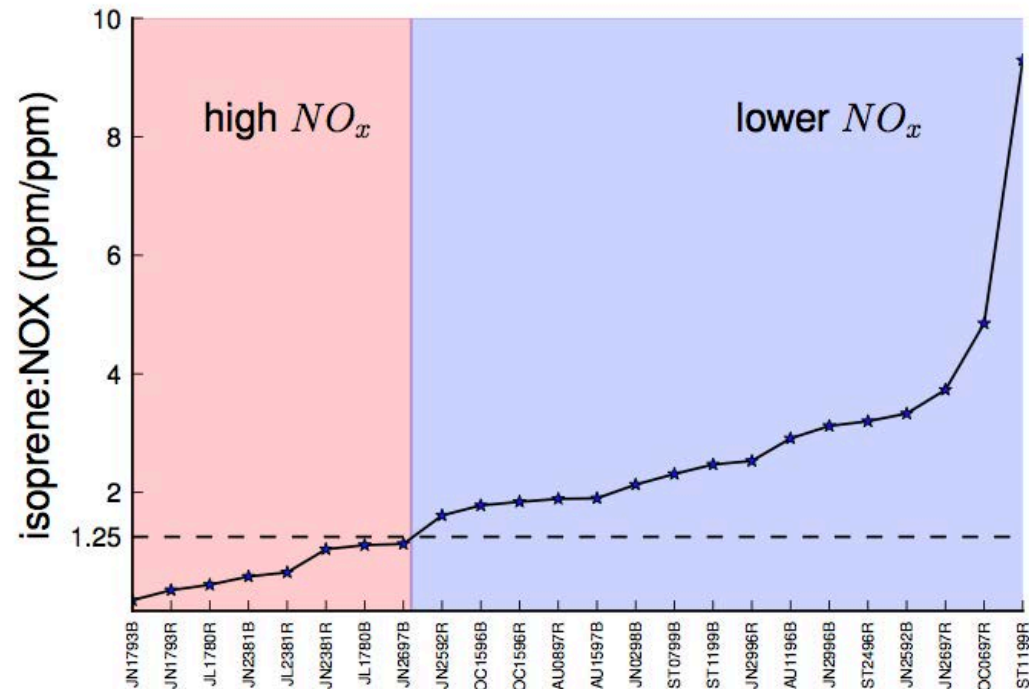
UNC dual gas-phase chamber, Pittsboro, NC, 1994

Experimental:

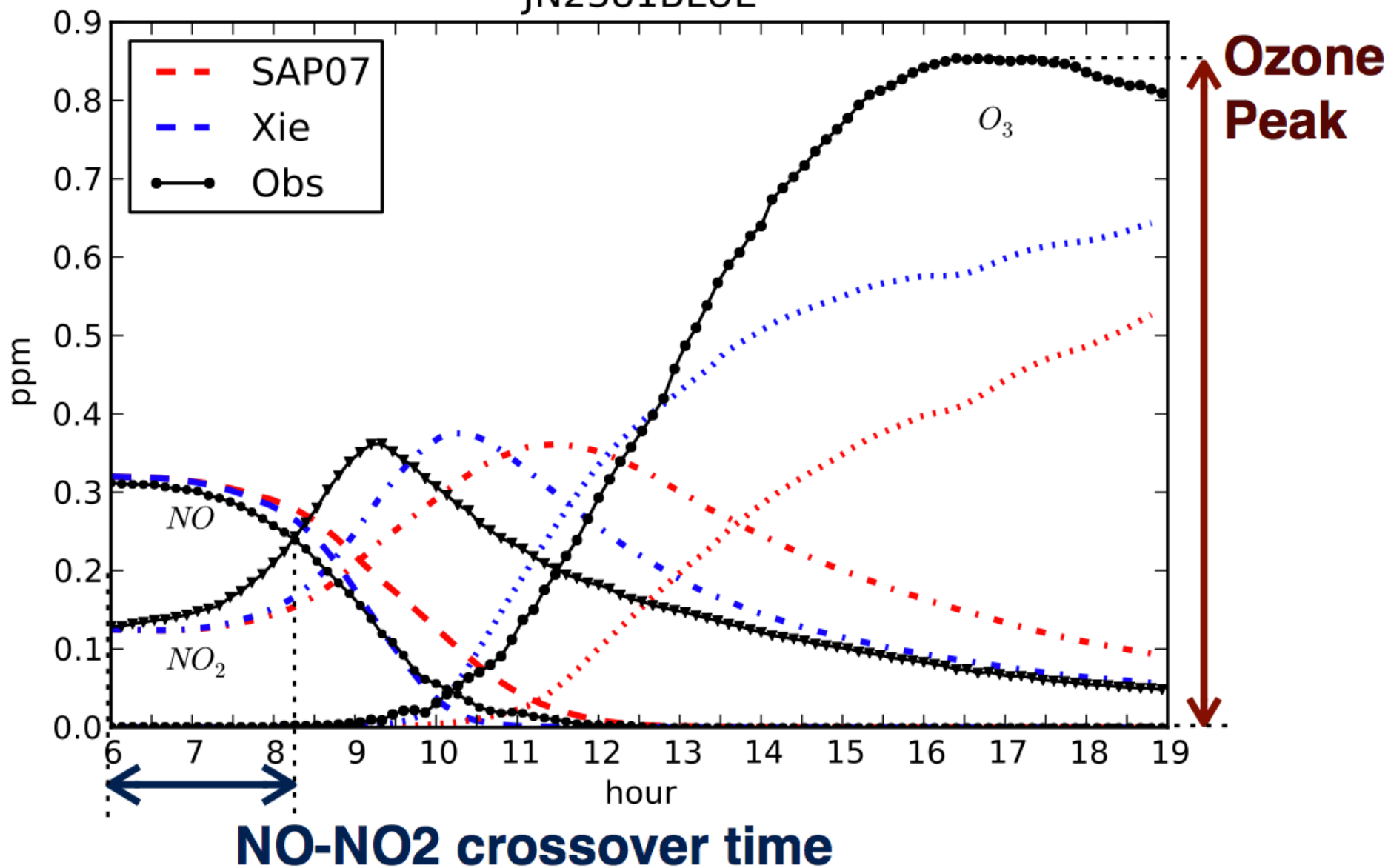
- ▶ 16 characterization runs
- ▶ 24 isoprene runs
- ▶ Compounds measured: O_3 , NO, NO_2 , Isoprene, CO, HCHO, PAN...

Modeling:

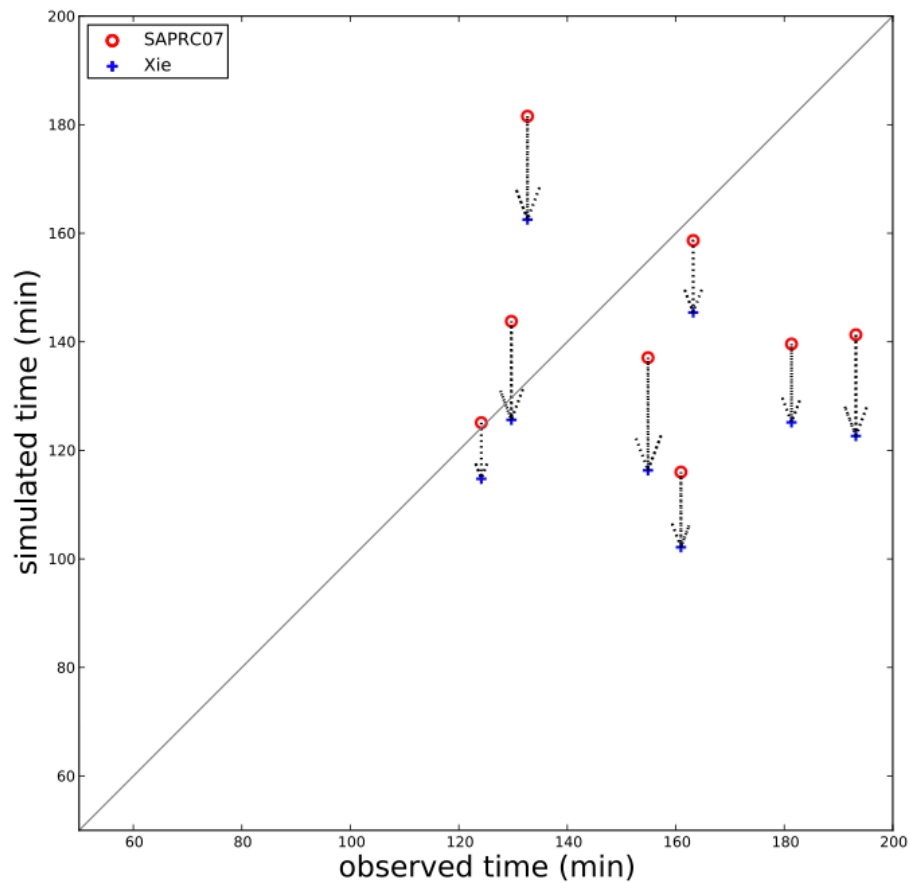
- ▶ MORPHO (UNC)



O_3 and NO_X Concentration Time Series JN2381BLUE

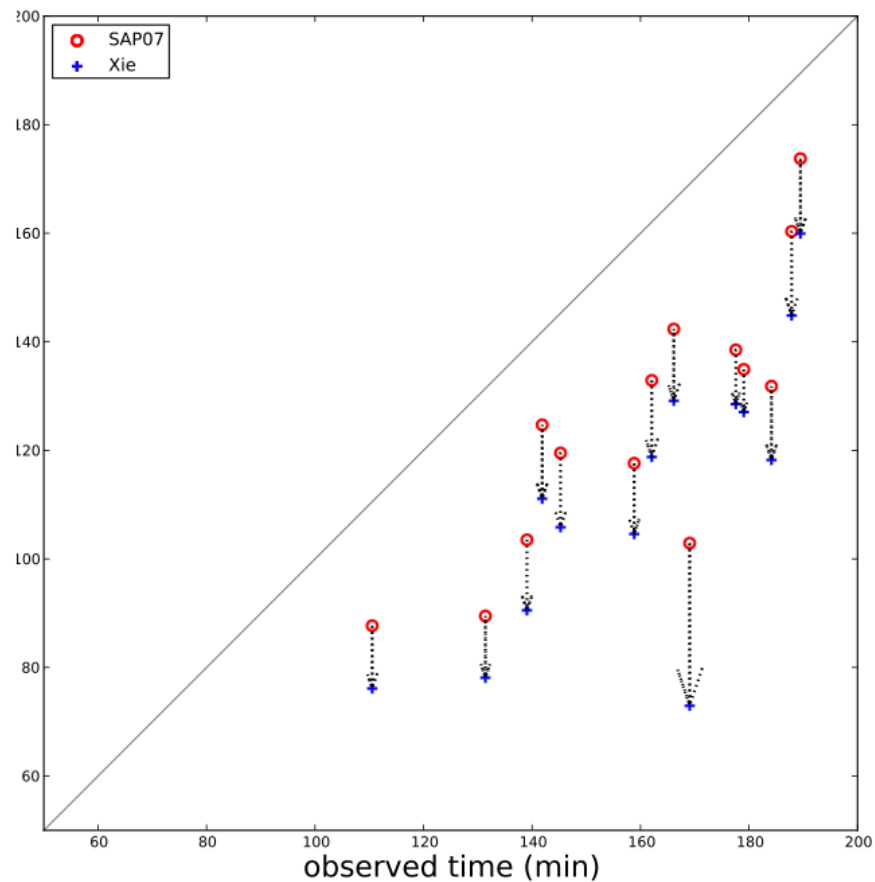


High NO_x



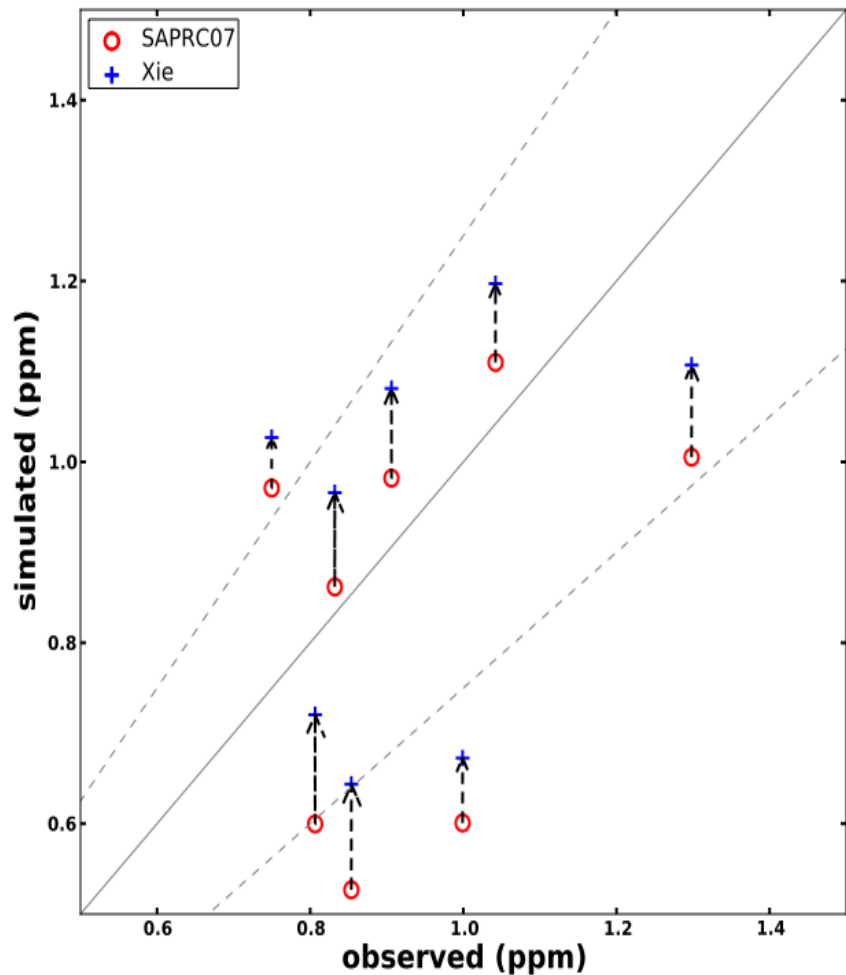
Mech	NMB(%)	R ²
SAPRC07	-5.4	0.022
Xie	-16.0	0.032

Lower NO_x

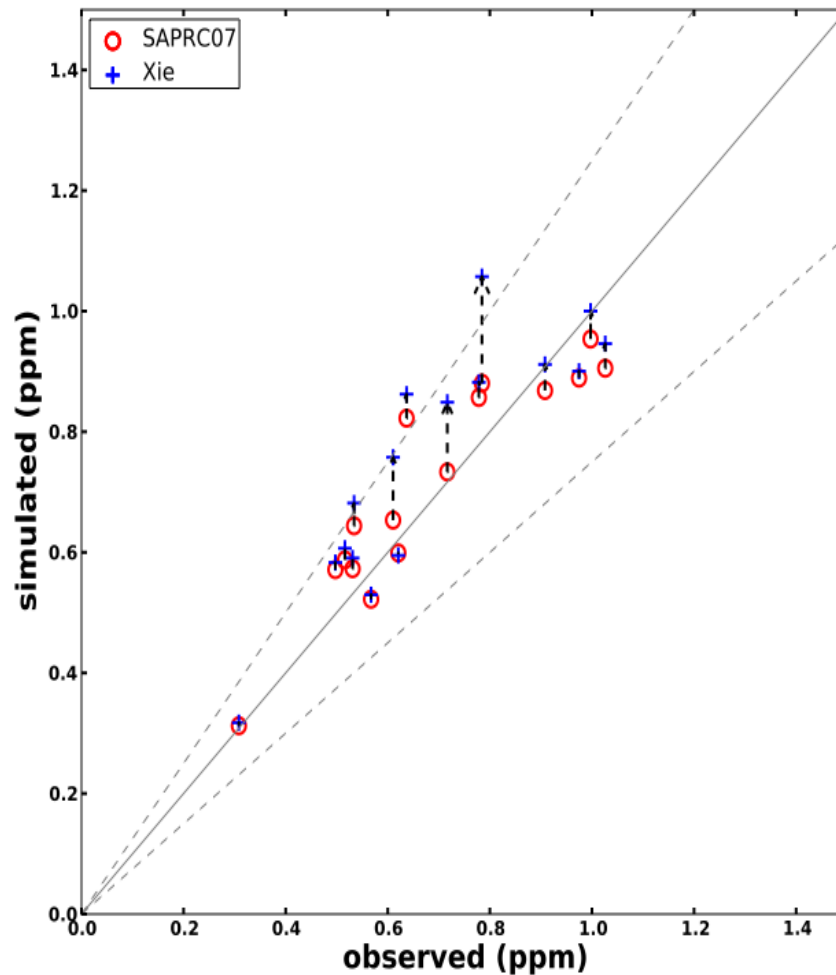


Mech	NMB(%)	R ²
SAPRC07	-24.1	0.77
Xie	-32.3	0.68

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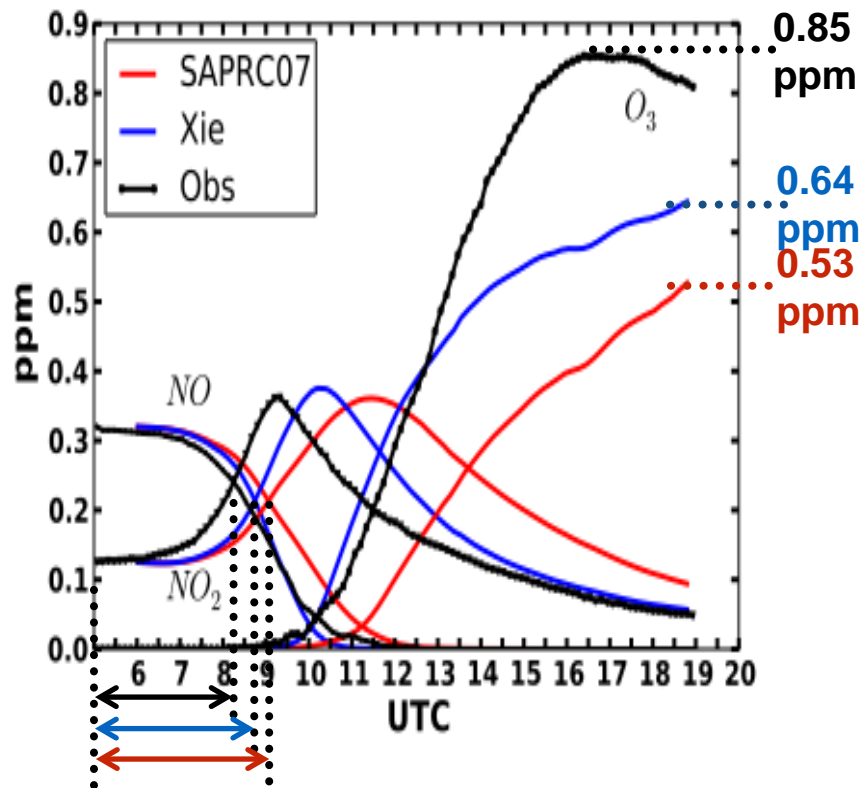
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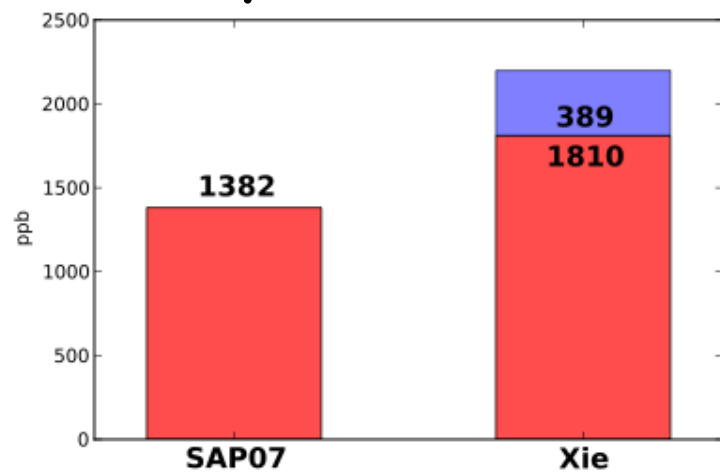
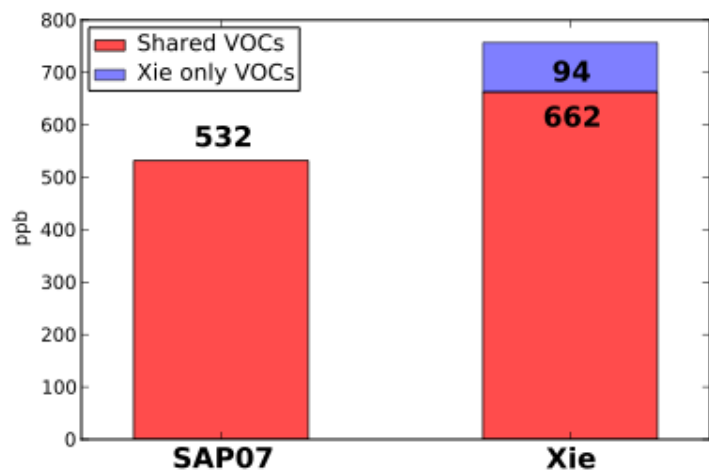
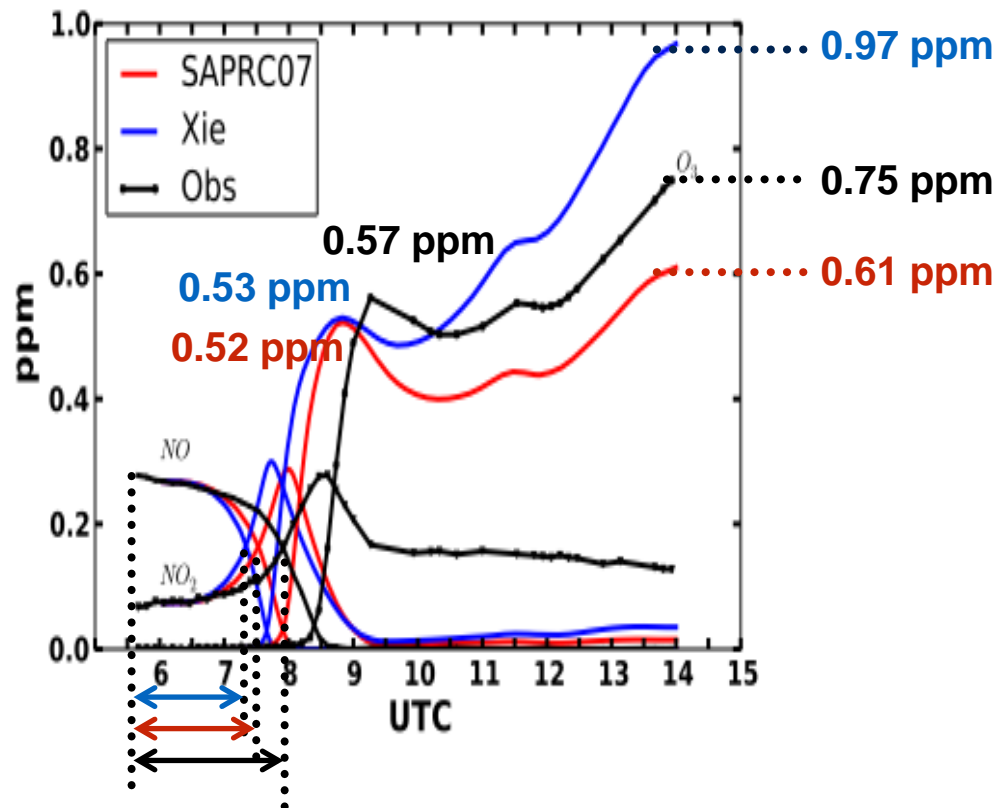
Mech	NMB(%)	R ²	P value
SAPRC07	-9.79	0.13	0.38
Xie	0.58	0.14	0.36

Mech	NMB (%)	R ²	P value
SAPRC07	4.92	0.85	9.51E-06
Xie	11.08	0.76	1.42E-16

High NO_x



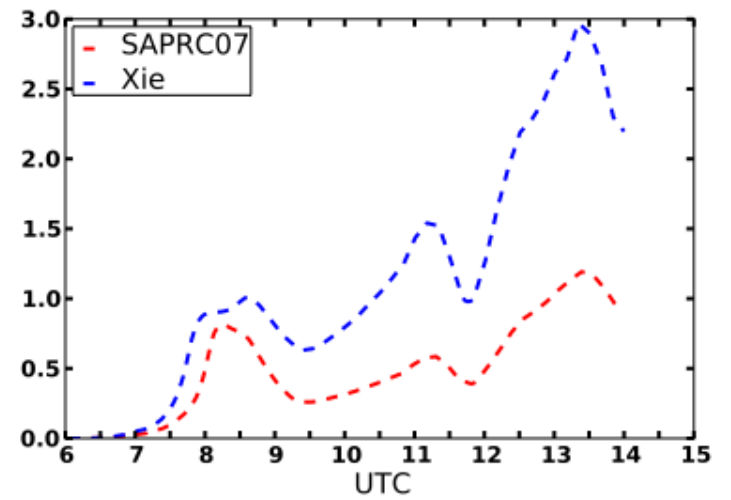
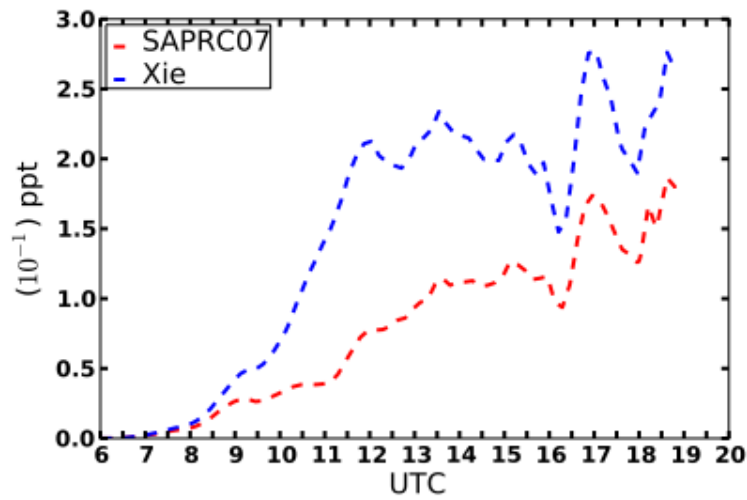
Lower NO_x



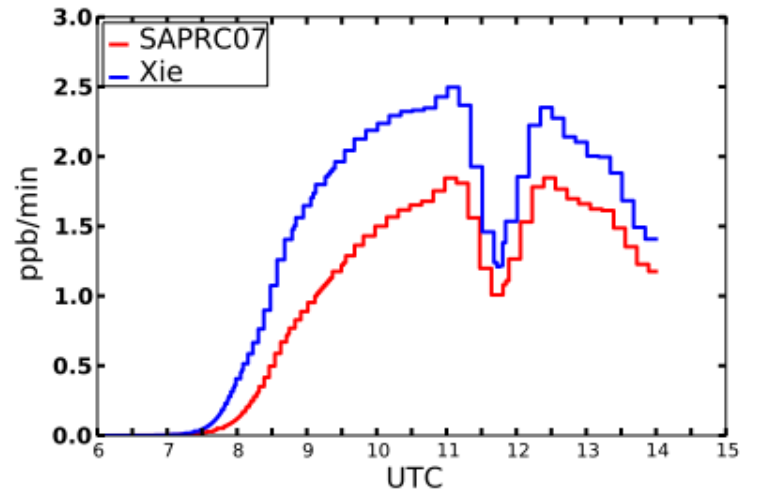
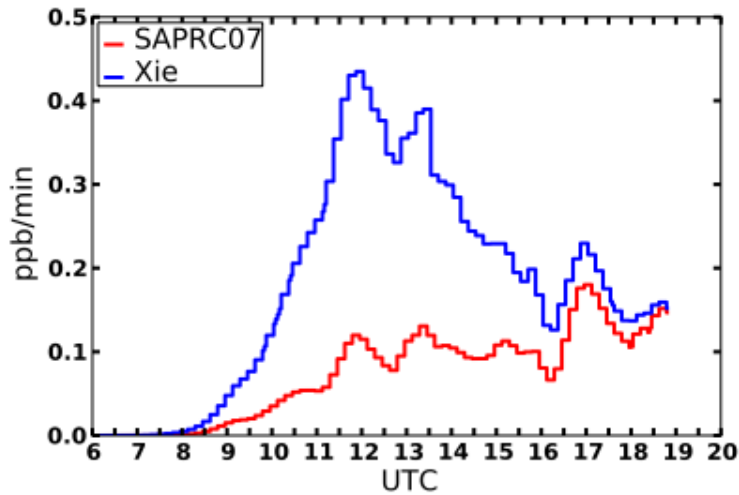
High NO_x

Lower NO_x

OH conc.

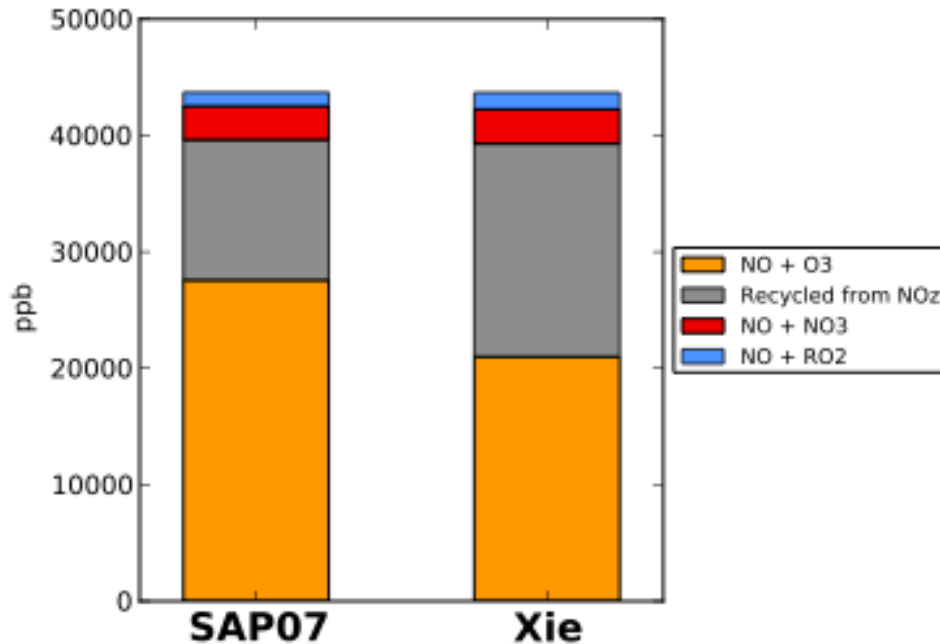


HO₂ from Aldehydes

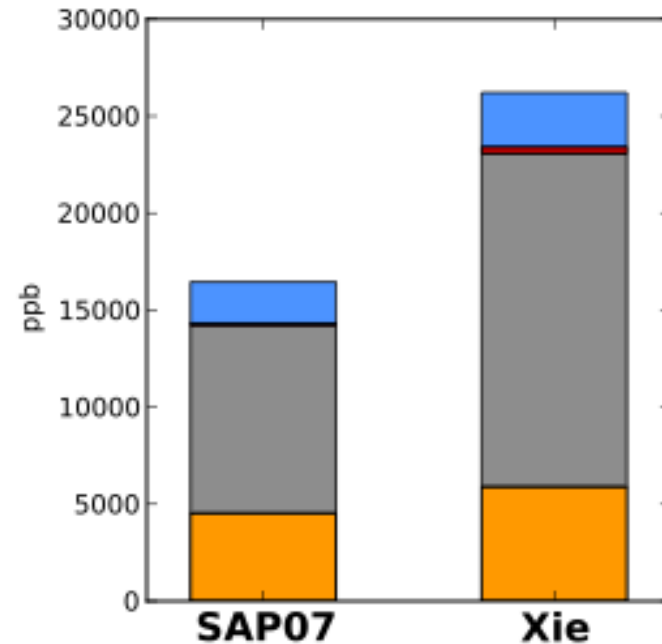


Sources of NO₂

High NO_x



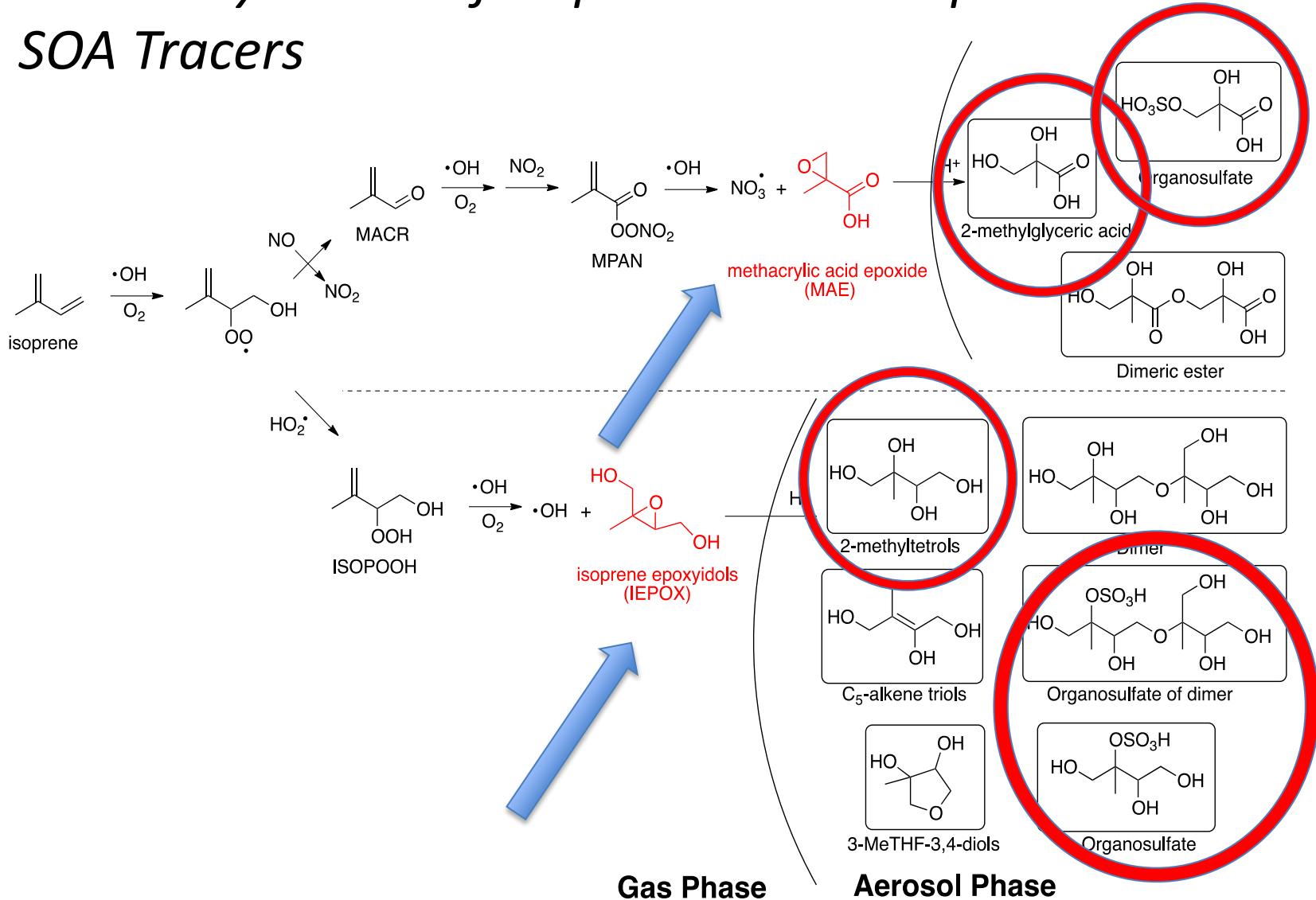
Lower NO_x



- *High NO_x* – 65% NO₂ made through NO + O₃ for SAPRC07; 47% made through recycling from NO_z for Xie
- *Lower NO_x* – 77% more NO₂ recycled from NO_z for Xie

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Task 3. Indoor Chamber Experiments Generating SOA Formation Directly from Isoprene-Derived Epoxides

Expt. #	Epoxide	[Epoxide] (ppb)	Initial Seed		RH (%)	T (°C)
			Seed Aerosol Type	Aerosol ($\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$)		
1	IEPOX	300	$(\text{NH}_4)_2\text{SO}_4$	~20-30	~50-60	~20-25
2		300	$(\text{NH}_4)_2\text{SO}_4 + \text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$	~20-30	~50-60	~20-25
3	MAE	300	$(\text{NH}_4)_2\text{SO}_4$	~20-30	~50-60	~20-25
4		300	$(\text{NH}_4)_2\text{SO}_4 + \text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$	~20-30	~50-60	~20-25
5	none		$(\text{NH}_4)_2\text{SO}_4$	~20-30	~50-60	~20-25
6	none		$(\text{NH}_4)_2\text{SO}_4 + \text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$	~20-30	~50-60	~20-25
7	IEPOX	300	none	none	~50-60	~20-25
8	MAE	300	none	none	~50-60	~20-25

0.6 M $(\text{NH}_4)_2\text{SO}_4 + 0.6 \text{ M } \text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$

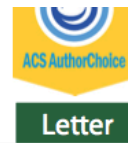
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Task 4. Modeling of Isoprene-derived SOA Formation From Environmental Simulation Chambers



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Heterogeneous Reactions of Isoprene-Derived Epoxides: Reaction Probabilities and Molar Secondary Organic Aerosol Yield Estimates

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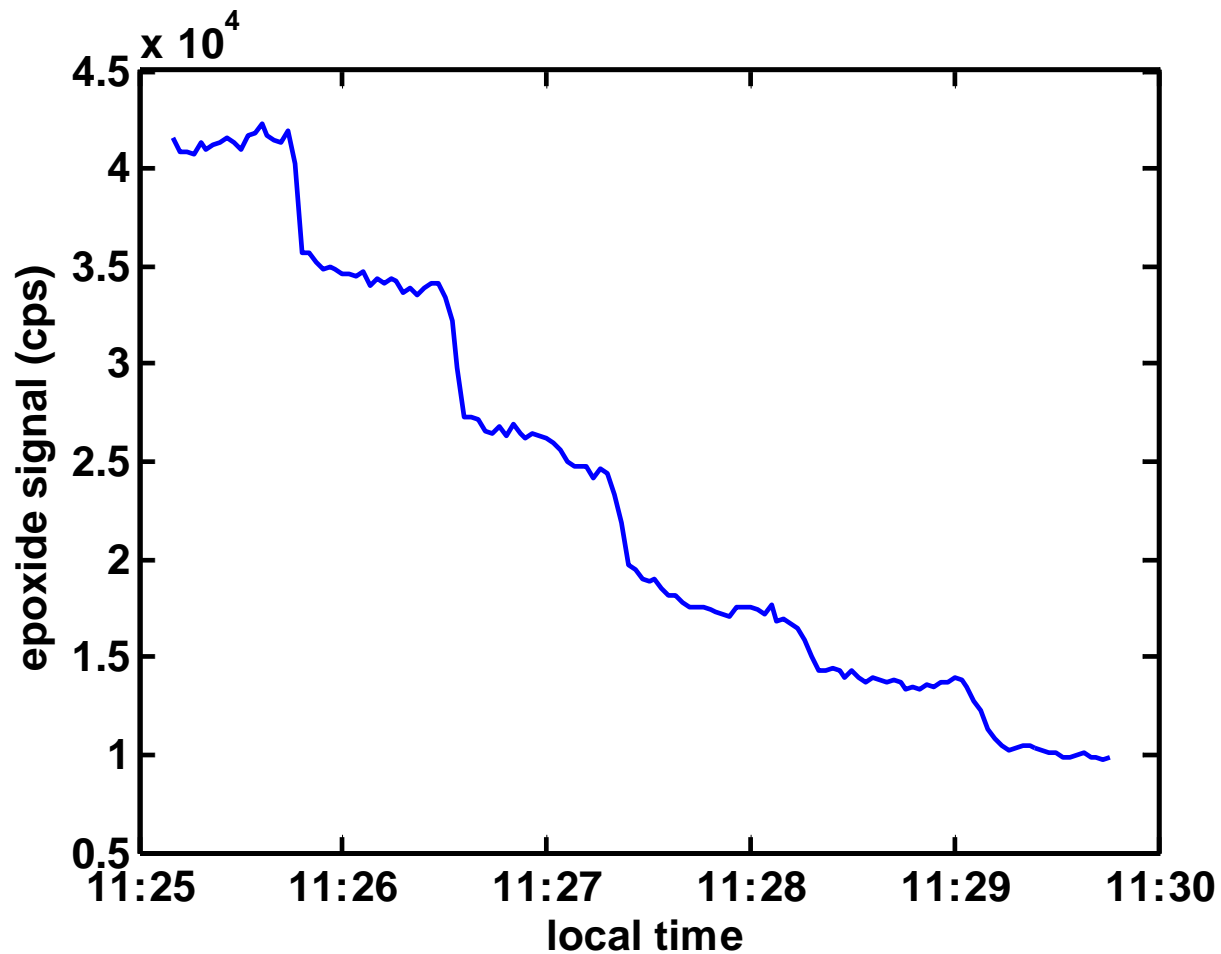
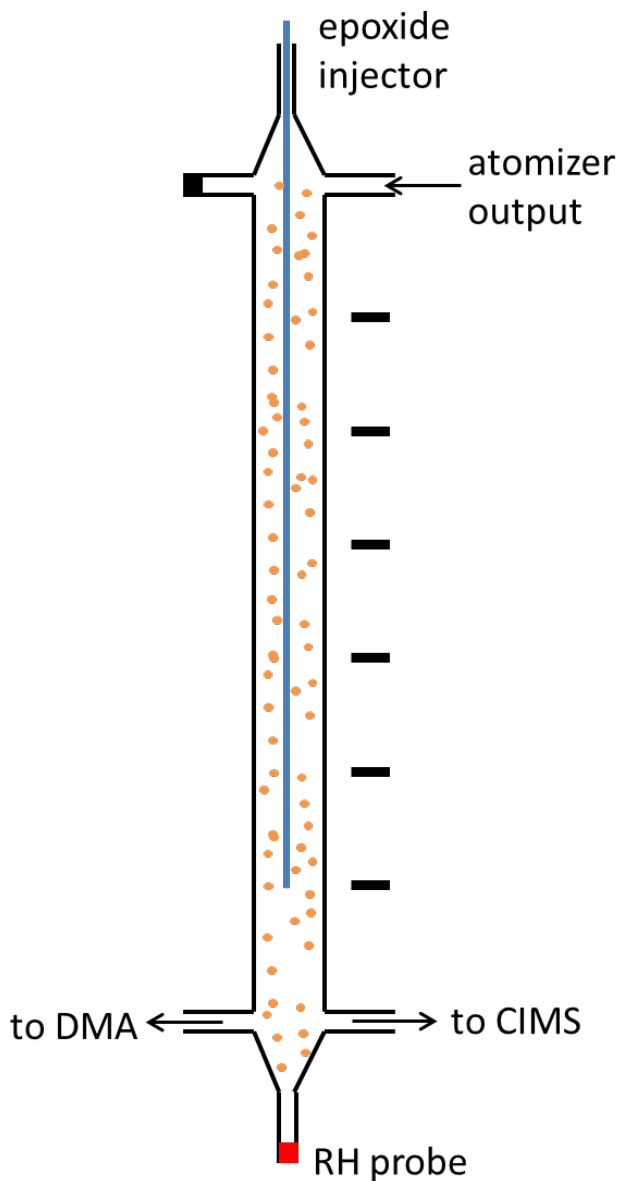
Constraining Condensed-Phase Formation Kinetics of Secondary Organic Aerosol Components from Isoprene Epoxydiols

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Manuscript in preparation



Measuring Reactive Uptake



[Riedel et al., 2015, *ES&T Letters*; Gaston et al., 2014, *ES&T*]



Measuring Reactive Uptake

From linear fit:

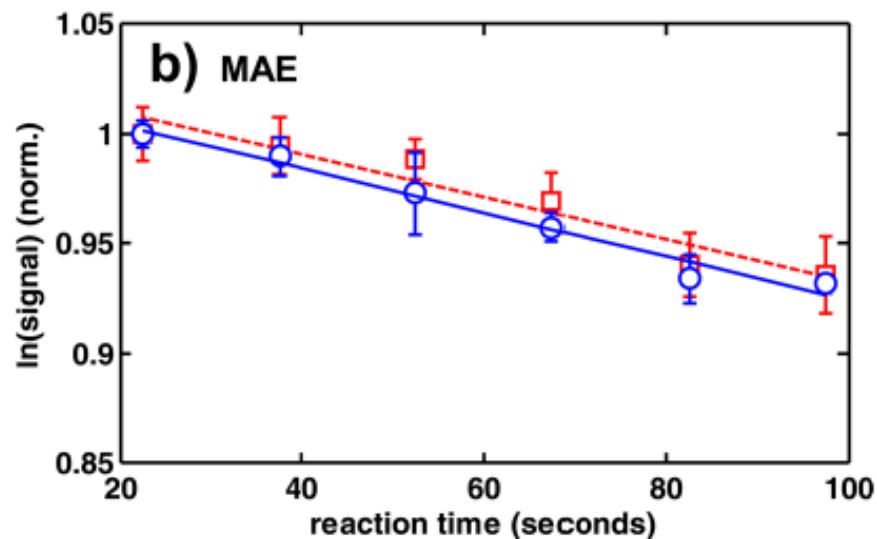
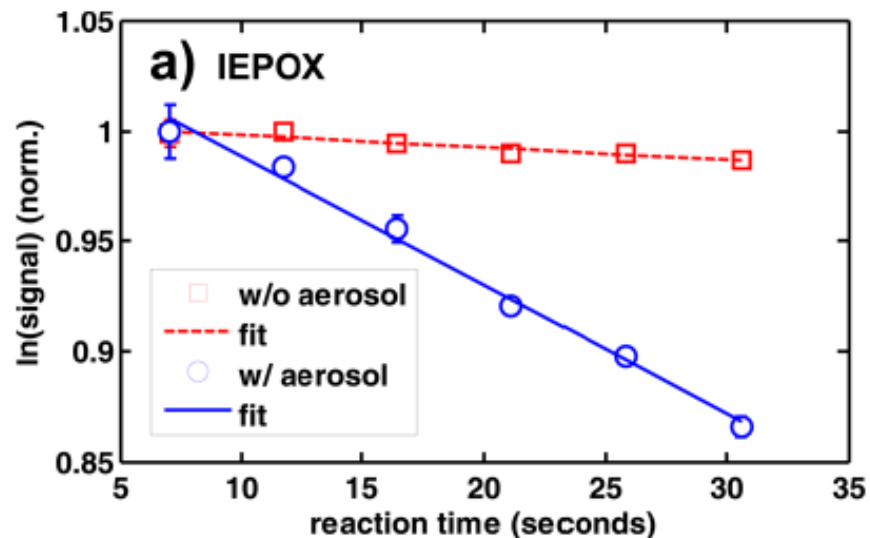
$$k_{total} = -m$$

$$k_{wall} = -m$$

$$k_{total} \approx k_{het} + k_{wall}$$

$$\gamma \approx \frac{4k_{het}}{S_a \omega}$$

[Riedel et al., 2015, *ES&T Letters*]





γ Results

epoxide	aerosol	RH	aerosol $[H^+]$ (M) ^a	$\gamma \pm 1\sigma$
IEPOX	$(NH_4)_2SO_4$	0.50	7.74×10^{-5}	$6.5 \times 10^{-4} \pm 6.4 \times 10^{-4}$
IEPOX	$MgSO_4 + H_2SO_4$	0.08	0.04	$1.1 \times 10^{-2} \pm 3 \times 10^{-3}$
IEPOX	$MgSO_4 + H_2SO_4$	0.53	0.73	$9.4 \times 10^{-3} \pm 3 \times 10^{-3}$
IEPOX	$(NH_4)_2SO_4 + H_2SO_4$	0.05	2.78	$2.1 \times 10^{-2} \pm 1 \times 10^{-3}$
IEPOX	$(NH_4)_2SO_4 + H_2SO_4$	0.59	2.01	$1.9 \times 10^{-2} \pm 2 \times 10^{-3}$
MAE	$MgSO_4 + H_2SO_4$	0.03	0.73	$4.9 \times 10^{-4} \pm 1 \times 10^{-4}$
MAE	$(NH_4)_2SO_4 + H_2SO_4$	0.03	2.78	$5.2 \times 10^{-4} \pm 1.1 \times 10^{-4}$

γ values are consistent with those measured in a previous study [Gaston et al., 2014, *ES&T*] and with aqueous phase reaction mechanisms [Eddingsaas et al., 2010, *JPCA*] – dependence on $[H^+]$, $[HSO_4^-]$, [nucleophile], but $[H^+]$ found to have strongest effect



Modeling Smog Chamber Data

Chamber model setup:

- 0-D time-dependent chemical box model
- Initialize model with:
 - y from flow reactor measurements
 - epoxide mass injected from chamber measurements
 - DMA reported aerosol [surface area] and [mass] from chamber measurements
- Only epoxide losses are to particles and chamber walls
- Only particle losses are to chamber walls

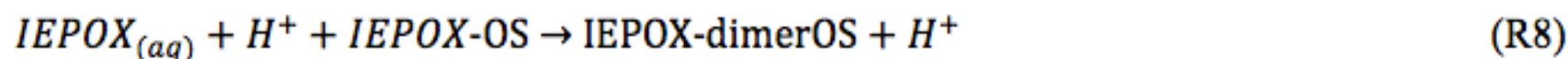
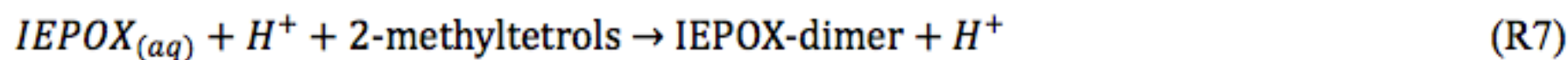
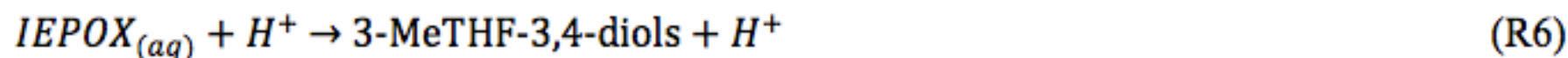
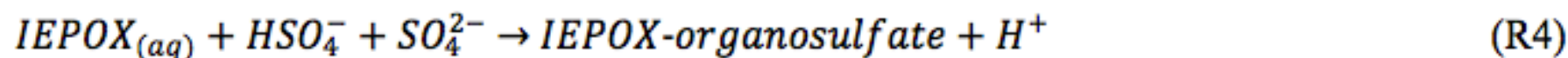
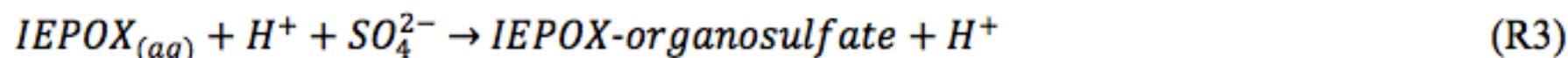
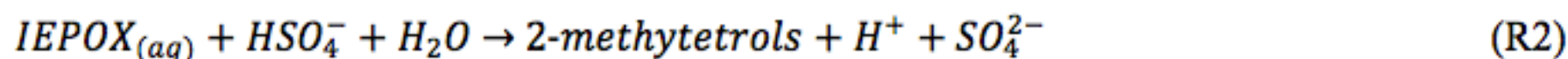
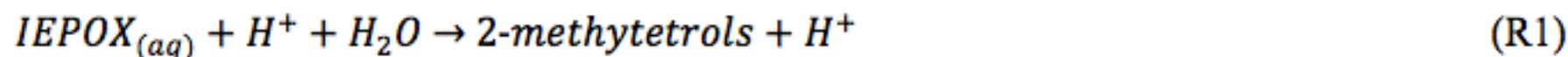


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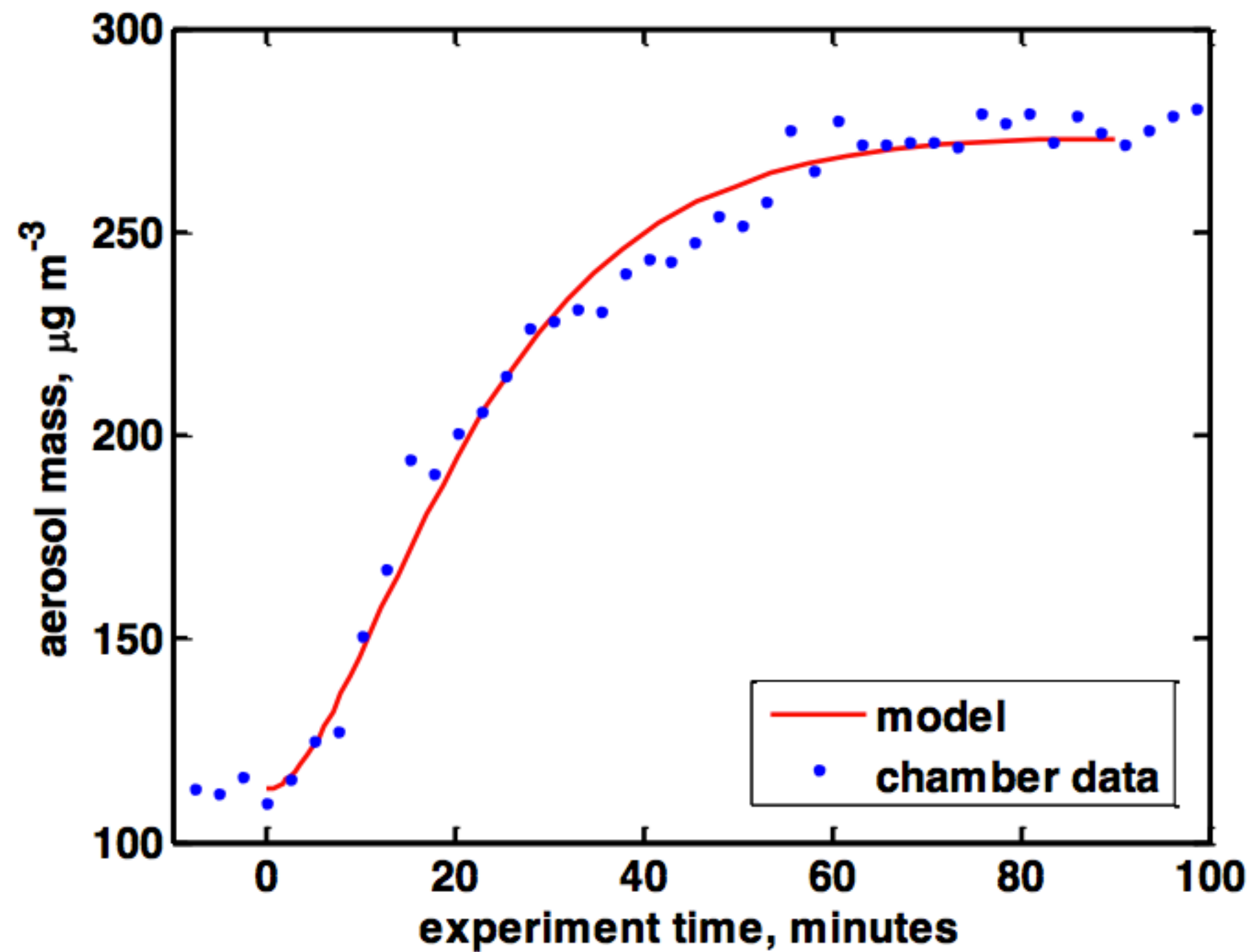
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- SOA production in the model:

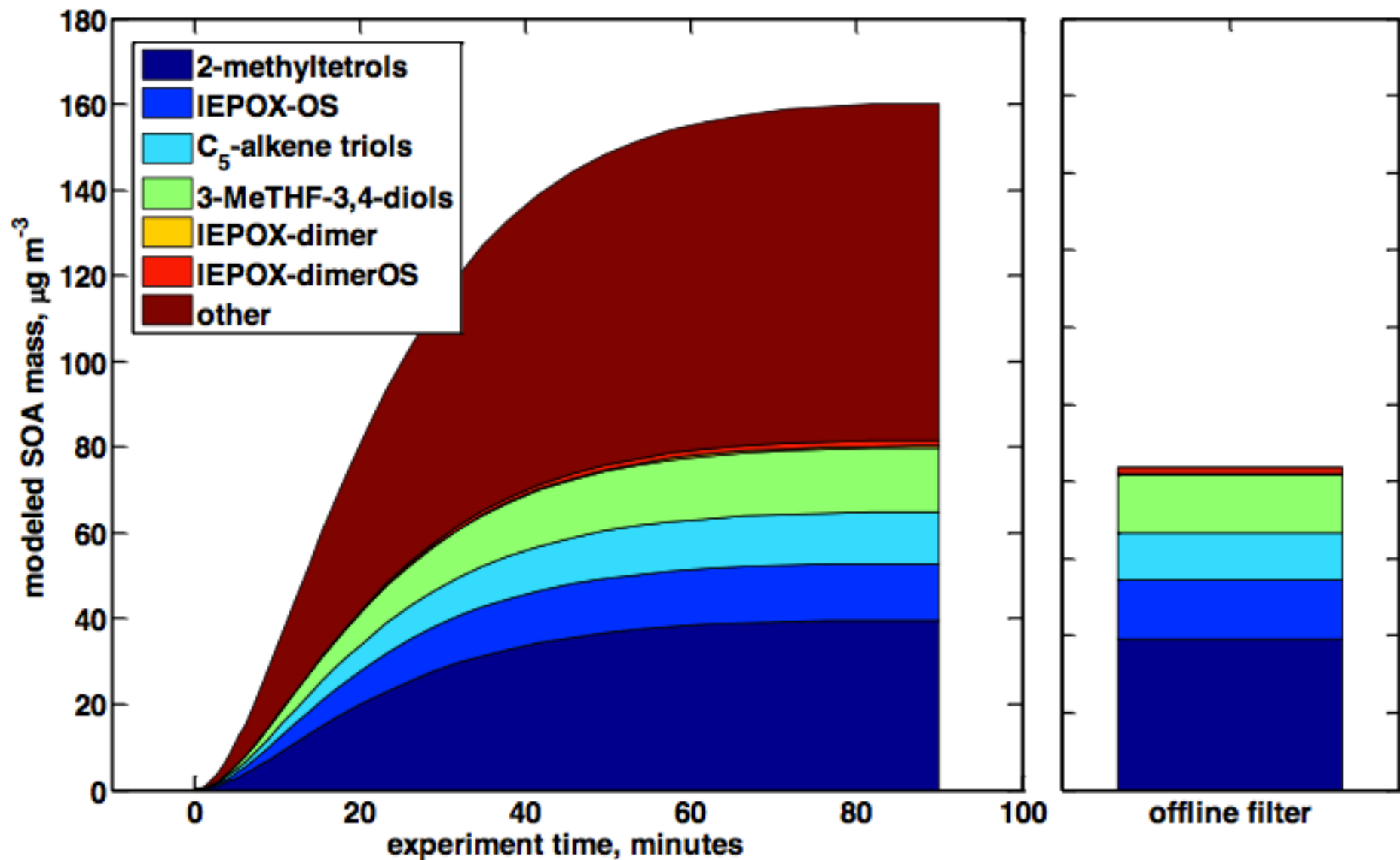
$$P_{SOA} = \gamma \frac{S_a \omega}{4} \phi_{SOA}[\mathbf{epoxide}]_{(g)}$$



SOA tracer formed	k	reaction
2-methyltetrols	$9.0 \times 10^{-4} \text{ M}^{-2} \text{ s}^{\text{a}}$	(R1)
2-methyltetrols	$1.3 \times 10^{-5} \text{ M}^{-2} \text{ s}^{\text{a}}$	(R2)
IEPOX-OS	$2.0 \times 10^{-4} \text{ M}^{-2} \text{ s}^{\text{a}}$	(R3)
IEPOX-OS	$2.9 \times 10^{-6} \text{ M}^{-2} \text{ s}^{\text{a}}$	(R4)
C ₅ -alkene triols	$7.8 \pm 0.4 \times 10^{-4} \text{ M}^{-1} \text{ s}$	(R5)
3-MeTHF-3,4-diols	$9.2 \pm 1.2 \times 10^{-4} \text{ M}^{-1} \text{ s}$	(R6)
IEPOX-dimer	$7.7 \pm 2.7 \times 10^{-7} \text{ M}^{-2} \text{ s}$	(R7)
IEPOX-dimerOS	$8.1 \pm 3.3 \times 10^{-6} \text{ M}^{-2} \text{ s}$	(R8)
other SOA	$5.4 \pm 0.2 \times 10^{-3} \text{ M}^{-1} \text{ s}$	(R9)

^afrom Eddingsaas et al., 2010; see also Pye et al., 2013







Questions?
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Sensitivity Runs

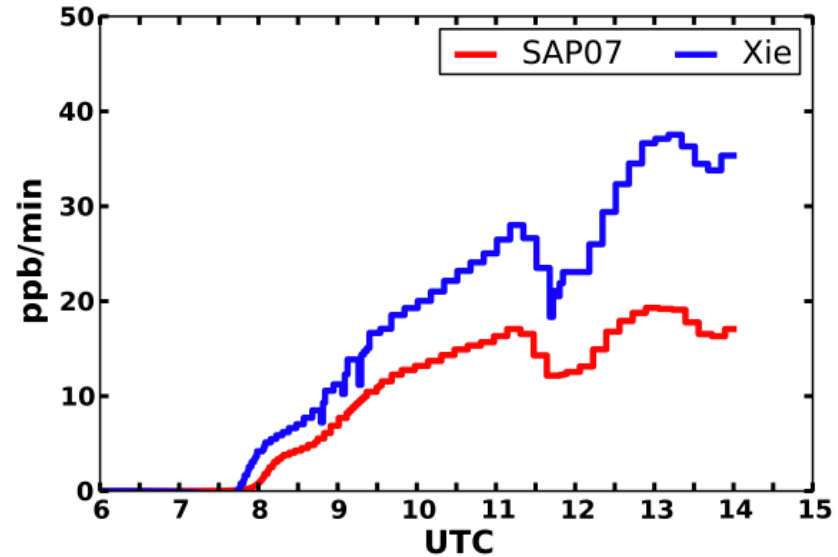
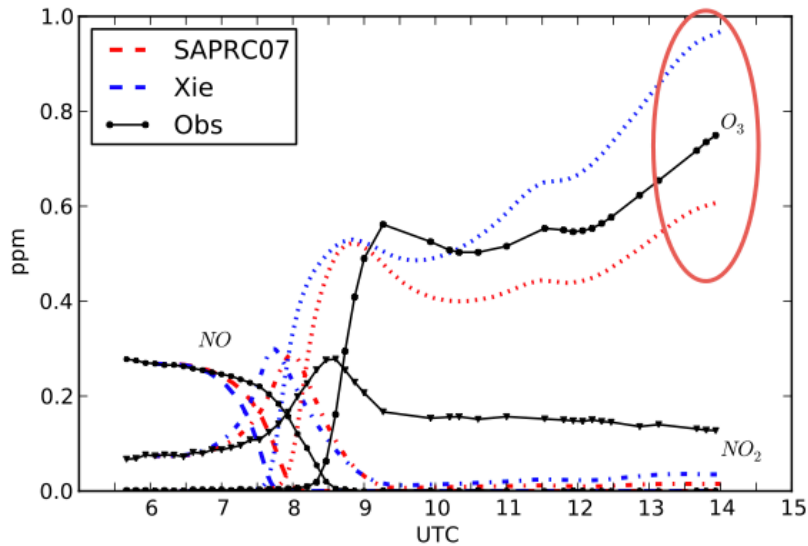
Lower NOX case: JN2697RED

Case	Description	$K_{\text{isom,ISOPO}_2}$	ISOPN yields
Run	BASE	K^*	0.6
Run A	lower $K_{\text{isom,ISOPO}_2}$	0.5K	0.6
Run B	lower ISOPN yield	K	0

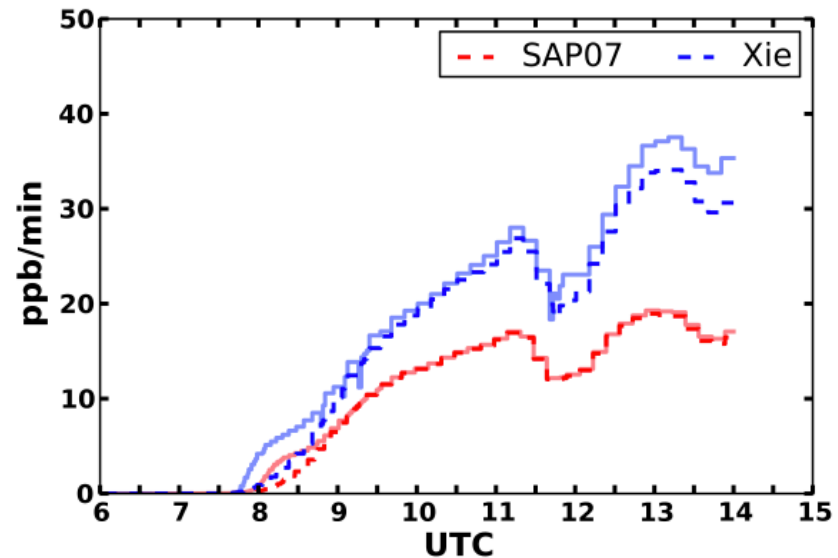
* $K = (4.07e+8 * \text{EXP}(-7694/TK)) \text{ cm}^3/\text{s}$

- ISOPO2 isomerization rate has no impacts on O_3
- ISOPN yields shut-down reduces O_3 maximum by 5%

NO₂ Recycling Rate



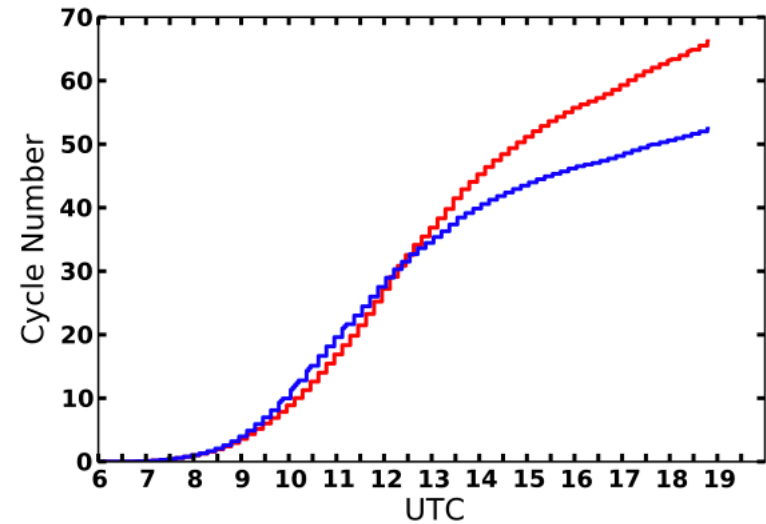
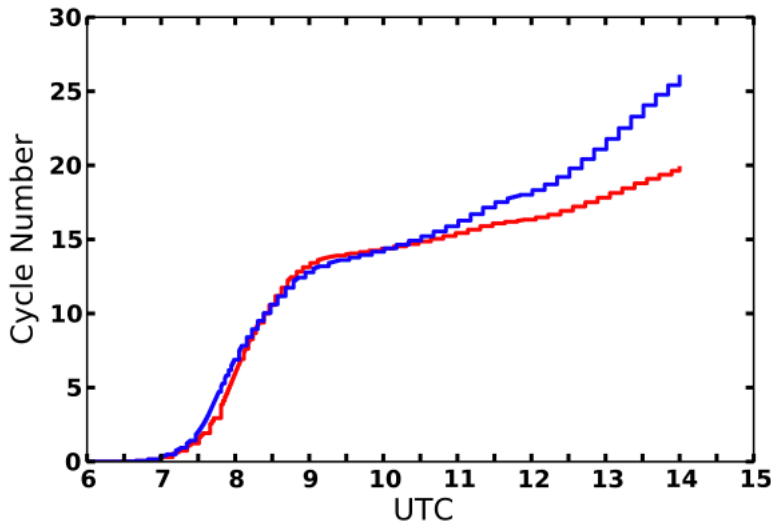
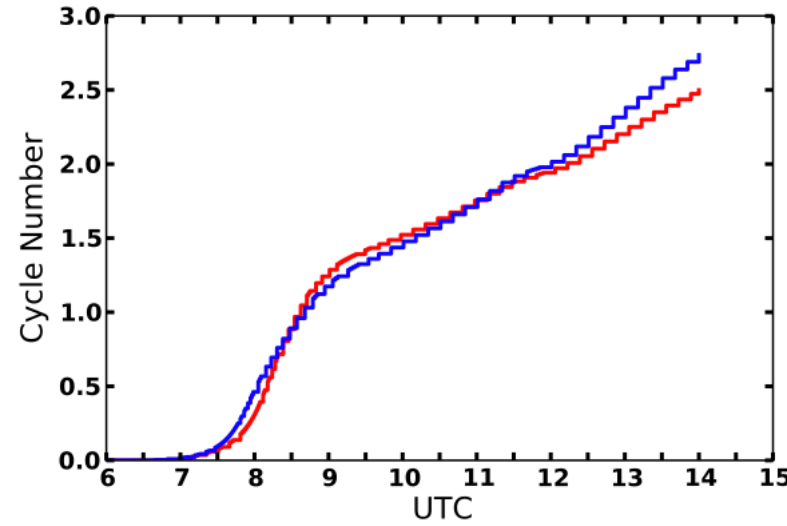
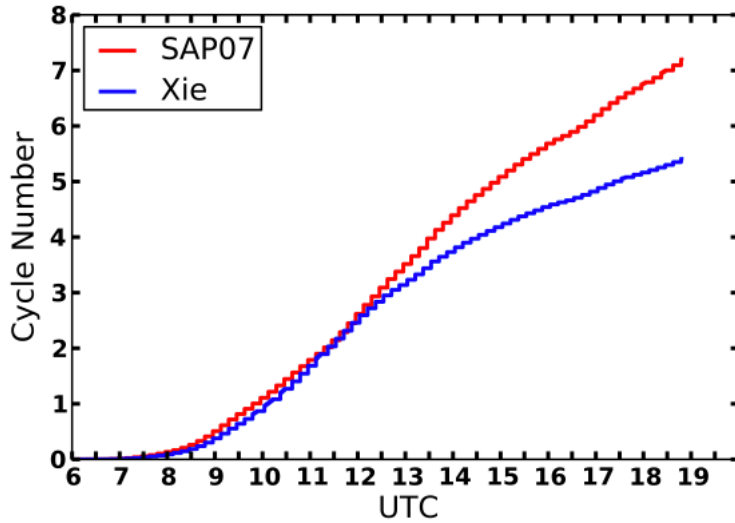
- PANs accounts for 92% of the total NO₂ recycling from NO_z
- Xie mechanism predicts 64% more PNA than SAPRC07



Radical Cycle for Lower NO_x Case

High NO_x

Lower NO_x

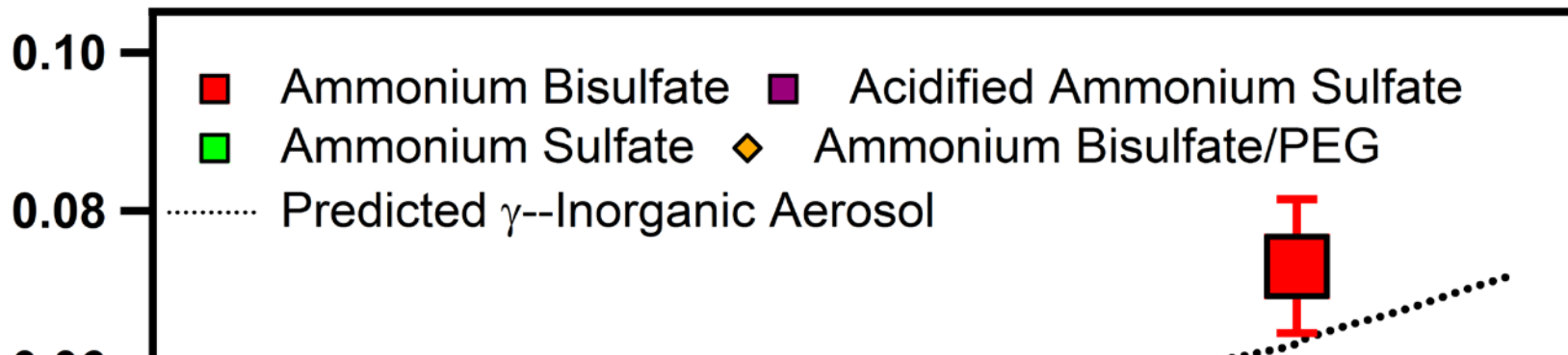


OH cycle

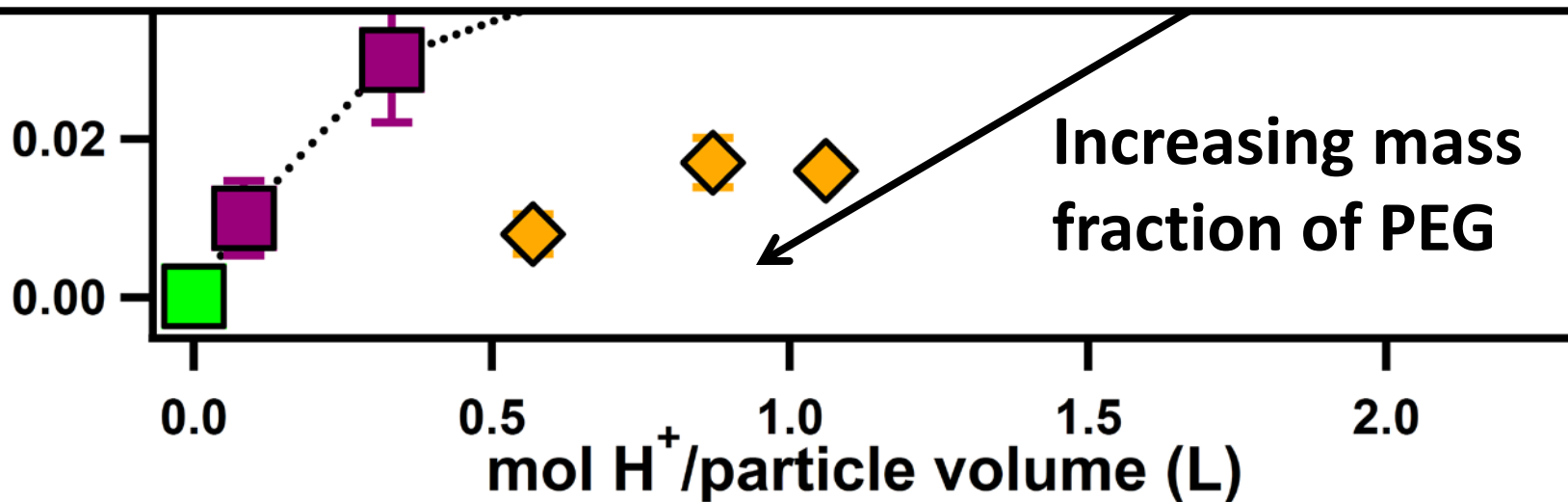
NO cycle



Do Organic Coatings Impact Uptake of IEPOX?



Organics can suppress the reactive uptake of IEPOX by creating diffusion and solubility barriers





ϕ_{SOA} Results

epoxide	aerosol	RH	aerosol $[H^+]$ (M) ^a	$\gamma \pm 1\sigma$	modeled ϕ_{SOA} range
IEPOX	$(NH_4)_2SO_4$	0.50	7.74×10^{-5}	$6.5 \times 10^{-4} \pm 6.4 \times 10^{-4}$	0.17 - 0.21
IEPOX	$MgSO_4 + H_2SO_4$	0.08	0.04	$1.1 \times 10^{-2} \pm 3 \times 10^{-3}$	0.04 - 0.06
IEPOX	$MgSO_4 + H_2SO_4$	0.53	0.73	$9.4 \times 10^{-3} \pm 3 \times 10^{-3}$	0.03 - 0.05
IEPOX	$(NH_4)_2SO_4 + H_2SO_4$	0.05	2.78	$2.1 \times 10^{-2} \pm 1 \times 10^{-3}$	0.10 - 0.12
IEPOX	$(NH_4)_2SO_4 + H_2SO_4$	0.59	2.01	$1.9 \times 10^{-2} \pm 2 \times 10^{-3}$	0.06 - 0.08
MAE	$MgSO_4 + H_2SO_4$	0.03	0.73	$4.9 \times 10^{-4} \pm 1 \times 10^{-4}$	0.07 - 0.14
MAE	$(NH_4)_2SO_4 + H_2SO_4$	0.03	2.78	$5.2 \times 10^{-4} \pm 1.1 \times 10^{-4}$	0.16 - 0.25

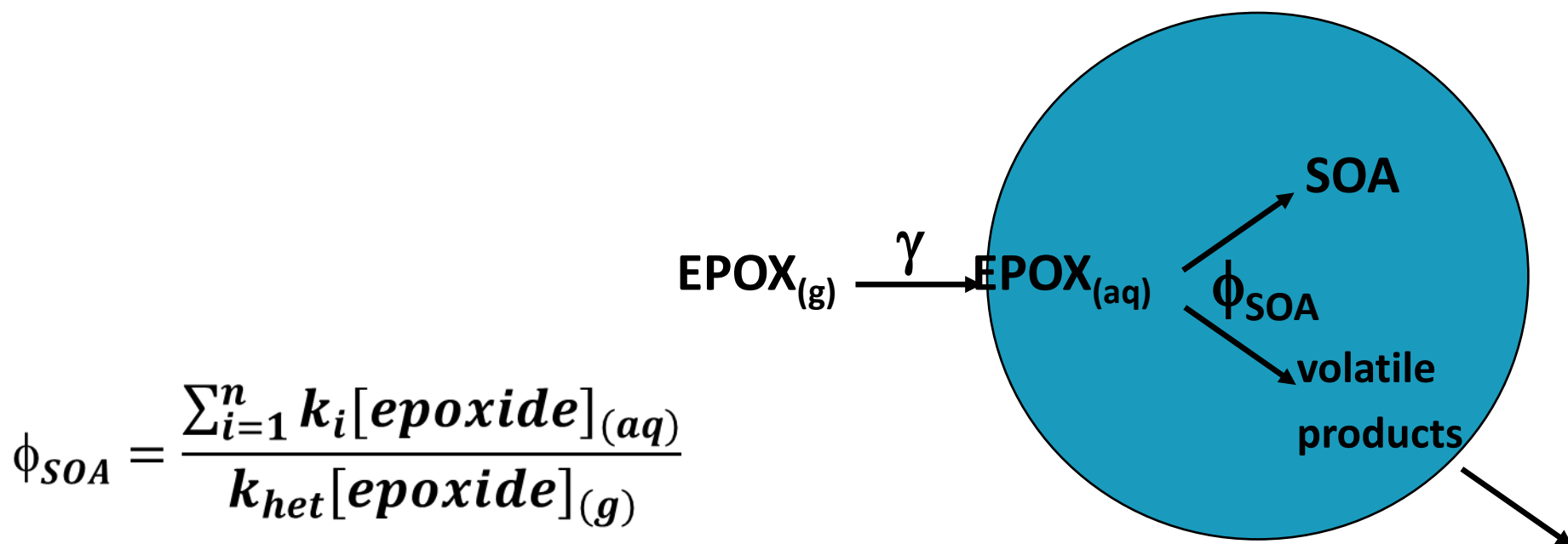
- ϕ_{SOA} ranges 0.03 – 0.21 for IEPOX
- ϕ_{SOA} ranges 0.07 – 0.25 for MAE
- observed higher ϕ_{SOA} for $(NH_4)_2SO_4$ seed types
- similar ϕ_{SOA} for highly acidic and near neutral seed
 - SOA growth takes longer for near neutral seed



What Fraction Makes SOA?

$$SOA = \text{tracer}_1 + \text{tracer}_2 + \text{tracer}_i + \dots \text{tracer}_n$$

$$SOA = \text{organosulfate} + 2\text{-methyltetrol} + C_5\text{-alkene triols} + \text{etc.}$$



$$\phi_{SOA} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n k_i [\text{epoxide}]_{(aq)}}{k_{het} [\text{epoxide}]_{(g)}}$$

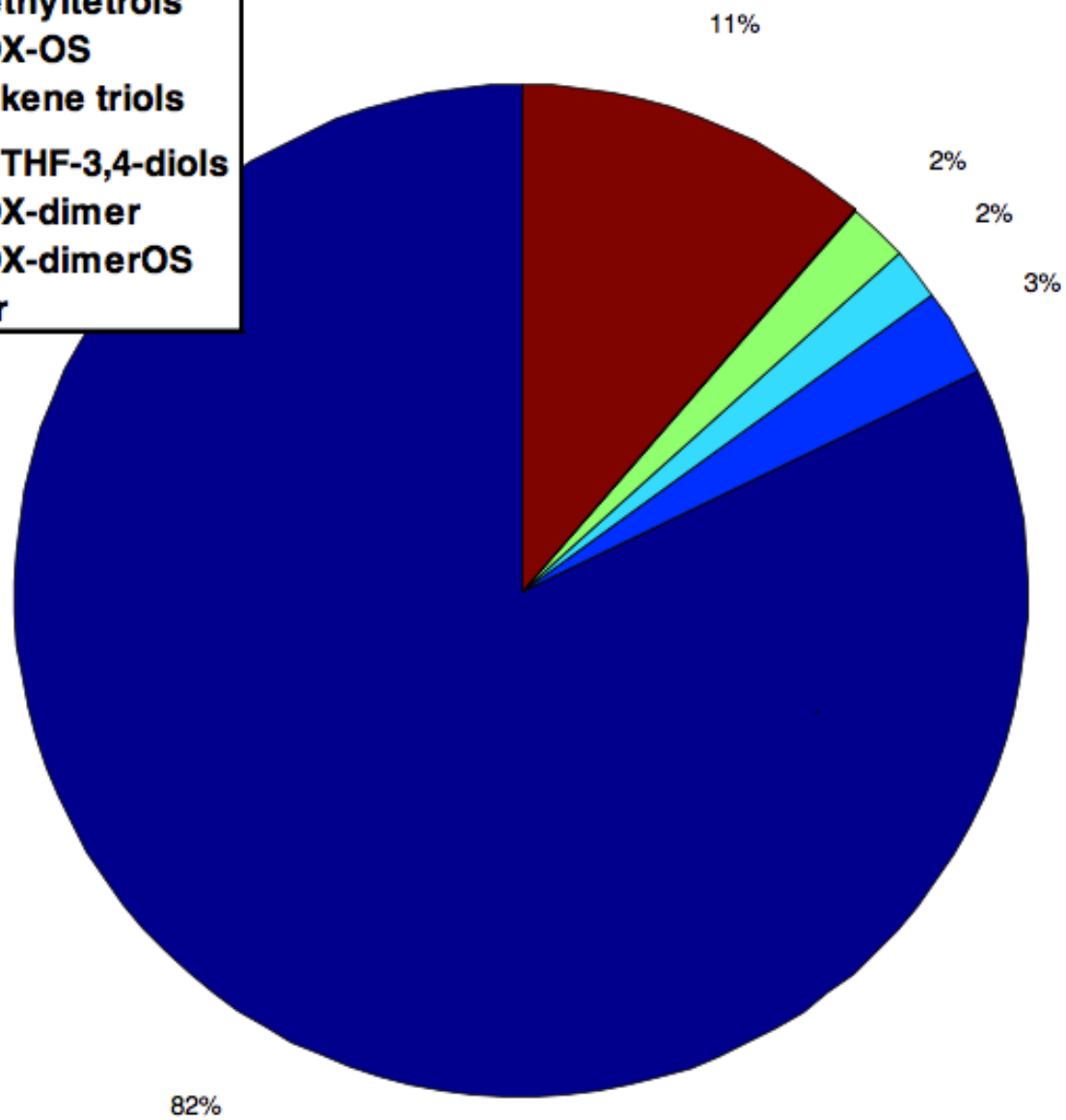
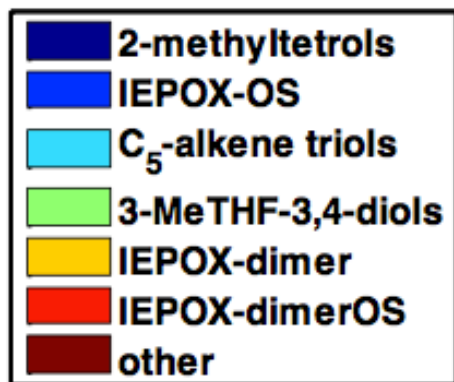
Can't quantify all tracers... so we need a different approach.



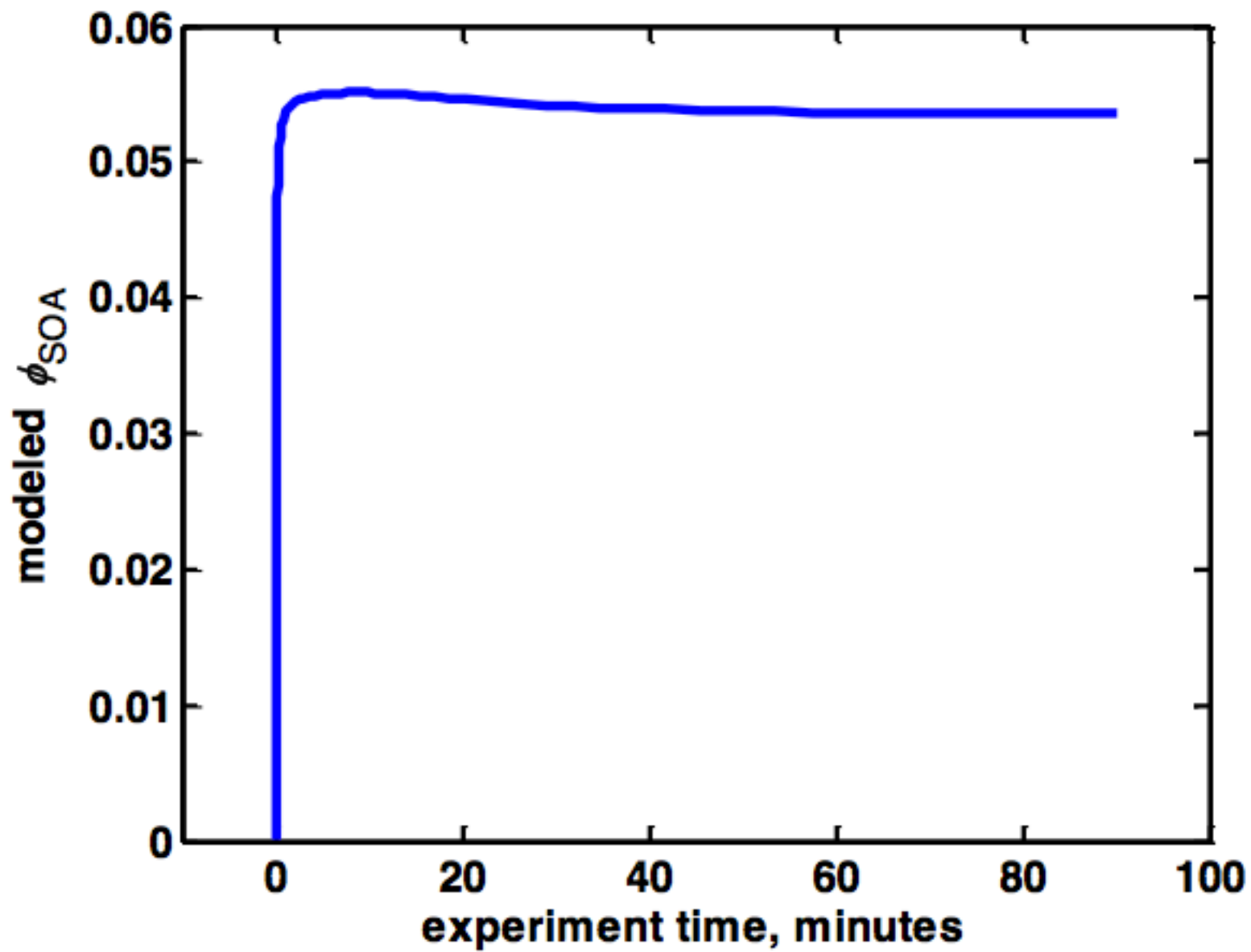
In Conjunction with Existing Chamber Data, γ Results Used in Model to Estimate ϕ_{SOA}

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Chosen to match aerosol composition and RH from chambers studies showing observable SOA production.

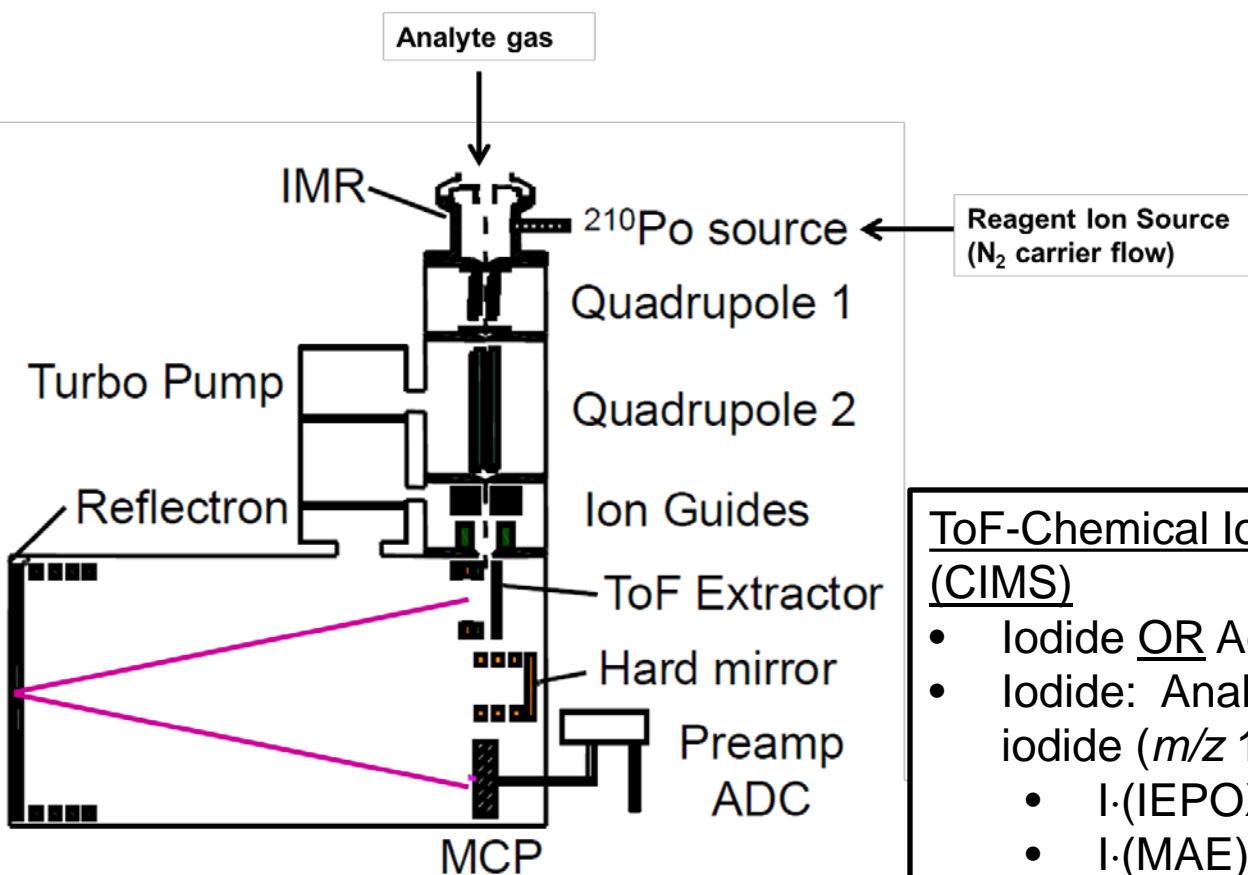


Total predicted SOA mass = 0.45 $\mu\text{g m}^{-3}$





Measuring Reactive Uptake



ToF-Chemical Ionization Mass Spectrometer (CIMS)

- Iodide OR Acetate reagent chemistry
- Iodide: Analyte detected as cluster with iodide (m/z 126.9)
 - $\text{I}\cdot(\text{IEPOX})^-$: m/z 244.9
 - $\text{I}\cdot(\text{MAE})^-$: m/z 228.9
- Acetate: Analyte detected as cluster with acetate (m/z 59) or deprotonated acid
 - $\text{C}_2\text{H}_3\text{O}_2\cdot(\text{IEPOX})^-$: m/z 177 (cluster)
 - $\text{MAE}(-\text{H}^+)$: m/z 101 (deprotonated)