1 Supplementary material to

# Study of the unknown HONO daytime source at an European suburban site during the MEGAPOLI summer field campaigns.

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27 Supplementary material S1: HONO production and loss rates, including the missing

# 28 HONO source

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32 Figure S1.1: Contribution of HONO production and loss terms (hourly averaged between 9
and 26 July), including the calculated unknown HONO source from equation (4) during the
34 MEGAPOLI summer campaign.

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Figure S1.2: Contribution of HONO production and loss terms (hourly averaged between 20
of January and 5 of February), including the calculated unknown HONO source from
equation (4) during the MEGAPOLI winter campaign.

### 41 Supplementary material S2: Correlation plots between the unknown HONO source and

## 42 various parameters

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Figure S2.1: Correlation plots between the unknown HONO source and measured  $[NO_2]$ , [NO],  $[NO_2]^2$ , the product between measured [NO] and  $[NO_2]$ , measured black carbon aerosols concentrations (BC) and the product between measured  $[NO_2]$  and black carbon aerosols concentrations during the MEGAPOLI summer campaign at SIRTA observatory.



Figure S2.2: Correlation plots between the unknown HONO source and measured  $[NO_2]$ , [NO],  $[NO_2]^2$  and the product between measured [NO] and  $[NO_2]$  during the MEGAPOLI winter campaign at SIRTA observatory.

57 Supplementary material S3: Simulated OH concentrations for the MEGAPOLI winter

58 campaign

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Figure S3: Simulated OH concentrations (molecules.cm<sup>-3</sup>.s<sup>-1</sup>) for the MEGAPOLI winter 62 campaign, using a 0D-box model containing the Master Chemical Mechanism (v3.1) and 63 constrained with all measured species and parameters. Details of the model are given in 64 65 Michoud et al., 2012.

67 Supplementary material S4: Scatter plots between the HONO unknown source and the
68 product between J(NO<sub>2</sub>) and NO<sub>2</sub>



Figure S4.1: Scatter plot between the unknown HONO source and measured J(NO<sub>2</sub>)x[NO<sub>2</sub>]
during the MEGAPOLI summer campaign at SIRTA observatory. The dots of the scatter plot
have been coloured as a function of the date.





Figure S4.2: Scatter plot between the unknown HONO source and measured J(NO<sub>2</sub>)x[NO<sub>2</sub>]
during the MEGAPOLI winter campaign at SIRTA observatory. The dots of the scatter plot

79 have been coloured as a function of the date.

81 Supplementary material S5: Scatter plots between the HONO unknown source and
82 J(O<sup>1</sup>D)



Figure S5.1: Scatter plot between the unknown HONO source and measured J(O<sup>1</sup>D) during
the MEGAPOLI summer campaign at SIRTA observatory.



Figure S5.2: Scatter plot between the unknown HONO source and measured  $J(O^1D)$  during 

- the MEGAPOLI winter campaign at SIRTA observatory.

96 Supplementary material S6: Scatter plots between the HONO unknown source and
97 J(NO<sub>2</sub>)/wind speed







Figure S6.2: Scatter plot between the unknown HONO source and measured J(NO<sub>2</sub>)/wind
speed during the MEGAPOLI winter campaign at SIRTA observatory.

- 107 Supplementary material S7: Slopes, correlation coefficients of the weighted correlations
- 108 between the calculated unknown HONO source and J(NO2) including the difference
- 109 between measured and calculated HONO concentrations for each days of the summer
- 110 and winter campaigns
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| campaign | Day   | slopes | correlation coefficients ( $R^2$ ) |
|----------|-------|--------|------------------------------------|
| summer   | 09/07 | 93.6   | 0.98                               |
|          | 10/07 | 92.2   | 0.92                               |
|          | 11/07 | 82.0   | 0.55                               |
|          | 13/07 | 22.1   | 0.74                               |
|          | 19/07 | 17.0   | 0.86                               |
|          | 21/07 | 37.6   | 0.08                               |
|          | 25/07 | 86.9   | 0.54                               |
|          | 26/07 | 96.9   | 0.42                               |
| winter   | 20/01 | 288.9  | 0.40                               |
|          | 21/01 | 281,2  | 0.88                               |
|          | 22/01 | 147.4  | 0.84                               |
|          | 23/01 | 221.6  | -0.29                              |
|          | 24/01 | 553.1  | 0.57                               |
|          | 25/01 | 230.2  | 0.44                               |
|          | 28/01 | 292.7  | 0.95                               |
|          | 29/01 | 247.1  | 0.99                               |
|          | 31/01 | 208.5  | 0.97                               |
|          | 01/02 | 99.7   | 0.74                               |
|          | 02/02 | 11.4   | -0.03                              |
|          | 03/02 | 23.9   | 0.79                               |
|          | 04/02 | 63.3   | 0.82                               |
|          | 05/02 | 79.9   | 0.82                               |

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