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## Emission characteristics of refractory black carbon aerosols from fresh biomass burning: a perspective from laboratory experiments

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Figure. S1 The mass of FS particles and effective density as a function of is mobility diameter. The Effective density of FS particles was measured using a DMA-APM-CPC system.



Figure S2. Detection efficiency of SP2 as a function of mass equivalent diameter of rBC particle at 80 nm  $\sim$  190 nm. The y-axis represents the count ratio between SP2 and CPC3010 measurements



Figure S3. Scatter plot and linear regression of LEO\_fitting Shell diameter of coated rBC and its Mobility diameter determined by Tandem DMA-SP2 system.



Figure S4. Normalized number size distribution and volume size distribution (presuming refractive index of m =1.5 -0i and spherical configuration of non-rBC particles) for all the data of burning experiments. For better view, the distributions were normalized to maximum value = 1. A lognormal function fitting was applied to the volume size distribution.



Figure S5. Histogram of coating thickness of rBC particles with MED =  $200 \pm 10$  nm and MED =  $250 \pm 10$  nm. A lognormal fitting was applied to the rBC particles with MED =  $200 \pm 10$  nm, and a Gaussian fitting was applied to the rBC particles with  $250 \pm 10$  nm.