



Supplement of

Upper tropospheric $\rm CH_4$ and CO affected by the South Asian summer monsoon during the Oxidation Mechanism Observations mission

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flight no.	date	CO uncertainty [%]	CH₄ uncertainty [%]
8	7.21.2015	3.52	0.33
9	7.25.2015	3.47	0.34
10	7.28.2015	3.23	0.33
11	8.1.2015	3.41	0.23
12/13	8.6.2015	19.42	0.26
14	8.8.2015	4.64	0.24
15/16	8.9.2015	4.08	0.19
17/18	9.10.2015	3.78	0.21
19	8.13.2015	7.89	0.34
20	8.15.2015		0.19
21	8.18.2015	5.26	0.21
22	8.23.2015		0.20
23	8.25.2015	3.61	0.31
24	8.27.2015		0.23

Table S1: Uncertainty for CO and CH₄ for all flights during OMO.

Detailed overview of all OMO flights for p>300 hPa:

- a) CO and CH₄ in situ and EMAC data along the flight track. The AMA is colour coded due to $c[CH_4] >= 1879.8$ ppb (yellow). Further the deviation between EMAC and in situ data are shown for CO and CH₄. Additionally, the flight altitude is in grey.
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- b) 204 hPa EMAC data for CO and wind field and in situ CO along the flight track. White contours represent CH₄ threshold and background values according to section 3.1.
- c) 204 hPa EMAC data for CH₄ and wind field and in situ CH₄ along the flight track. White contours represent CH₄ threshold and background values according to section 3.1.
- d) 10 day back centroid trajectories for 10 min releases along the flight track (black); colour coded is the altitude in hPa. Triangles are back trajectories for CH₄ mixing ratios above the CH₄ threshold and circles for below the CH₄ threshold.
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5 Figure S1: Flight 08 (07.21.2015): transfer flight from Oberpfaffenhofen to Paphos.









5 Figure S2: Flight 09 (07.25.2015): measurement flight from Paphos to Paphos over Cyprus.





90

CO [ppbv]

80°E

100

100°E

110

120°E

120

130

140°E

140

60°E

80

10°N

0°

0°

40

20°E

60

50

40°E

70





5 Figure S3: Flight 10 (07.28.2015): measurement flight from Paphos to Paphos over Cyprus.









5 Figure S4: Flight 11 (08.01.2015): transfer flight from Paphos to Gan.











5 Figure S5: Flight 12/13 (08.06.2015): measurement flight from Gan to Bahrain and return to Gan.



b)





5 Figure S6: Flight 14 (08.08.2015): measurement flight from Gan to Gan towards Sri Lanka.







5 Figure S7: Flight 15/16 (08.09.2015): measurement flight from Gan to Bahrain and return to Gan.









5 Figure S8: Flight 17/18 (08.10.2015): transfer flight from Gan to Paphos via refuelling stop in Bahrain.



b)

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5 Figure S9: Flight 19 (08.13.2015): measurement flight from Paphos to Paphos towards Oman.





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5 Figure S10: Flight 20 (08.15.2015): measurement flight from Paphos to Paphos towards Oman.







b)





5 Figure S11: Flight 21 (08.18.2015): measurement flight from Paphos to Paphos towards Oman.









5 Figure S12: Flight 22 (08.23.2015): measurement flight from Paphos to Paphos over Egypt, Greece, the Mediterranean; with profiles over Egypt.







5 Figure S13: Flight 23 (08.25.2015): measurement flight from Paphos to Paphos over Egypt, Etna, the Mediterranean; with profiles over Egypt and low altitude at the Etna.









5 Figure S14: Flight 24 (08.27.2015): transfer flight from Paphos to Oberpfaffenhofen via Etna with low altitude.

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