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Exploration of the atmospheric chemistry of nitrous acid in a coastal city of southeastern China: results from measurements across four seasons

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Supplementary Material

Table S1. Comparison of HONO concentrations and related parameters at this site with other regions.

| Site | Country | Туре | Seasons | RH (%) | T (°C) | NO/NO ₂ | HONO (ppb) | Reference |
|-----------------------------|----------------------|--------------------------|-------------|-----------------|----------------|--------------------|---|----------------------|
| Jinan | China | Urban | Annual | 51.42 | 16.07 | 15.38/27.92 | 1.15 ± 1.07 | (Li et al. 2018) |
| | | | Spring | 56.67 | 16.77 | 11.33/29.67 | 1.16 ± 0.90 | |
| | | | Summer | 38.67 | 26.67 | 5.67/17.33 | 1.12 ± 0.93 | |
| | | | Autumn | 53.00 | 16.33 | 13.00/23.67 | 0.78 ± 0.60 | |
| | | | Winter | 59.67 | 3.00 | 31.17/36.33 | 1.71 ± 1.62 | |
| Kathmandu | Nepal | Urban | Winter | | _ | 3.16/14.14 | 1.55 | (Yu et al. 2009) |
| Beijing | China | Urban | Severe haze | — | | 29.35/48.1 | 1.95 | (Hou et al. 2016) |
| | | | Clean | | | 5.2/18.85 | 0.72 | , |
| Guangzhou | China | Urban | Summer | 77 | 31.2 | —/30.3 | ~2.8 | (Qin et al. 2009) |
| Shanghai | China | Urban | Annual | _ | | /18.78 | 0.92 ± 0.57 | (Wang et al. 2013) |
| Changzhou | China | Urban | Spring | 53.7 ± 19.8 | 18.7 ± 4.8 | 8.2/22.9 | 1.55 ± 1.21 | (Shi et al. 2020) |
| Beijing | China | Urban | Summer | 56.79 | 28.27 | 6.44/31.70 | 1.45 ± 0.58 | (Spataro et al. |
| | | | Winter | 26.02 | 3.51 | 25.90/38.76 | 1.04 ± 0.73 | 2013) |
| Xi'an) | China | Urban | Summer | — | — | —/20.9 | 1.12 ± 0.97 | (Huang et al. 2017) |
| Beijing | China | Urban | Annual | 43.34 | 16.01 | | 1.44 ± 1.33 | (Wang et al. |
| 5 0 | | | Spring | 34.73 | 18.44 | —/25.97 | 1.05 ± 0.95 | 2017a) |
| | | | Summer | 55.30 | 28.11 | —/19.21 | 1.38 ± 0.90 | |
| | | | autumn | 51.11 | 17.33 | /32.91 | 2.27 ± 1.82 | |
| | | | winter | 30.48 | -3.57 | —/19.96 | 1.05 ± 0.89 | |
| Nanjing | China | Industrial | Winter | 68 | 6.1 | 7.97/23.9 | 1.32 ± 0.92 | (Zheng et al. 2020) |
| Touji Island | China | Marine background | Autumn | 74 | 14.2 | 0.5/5.3 | 0.20 ± 0.20 | (Wen et al. 2019) |
| The North Atlantic Ocean | _ | Marine boundary layer | 5 July 2013 | _ | | — | $\begin{array}{ccc} 0.0113 & \pm \\ 0.0016 & \end{array}$ | (Ye et al. 2016) |
| | | 5 5 | 8 July 2013 | — | | — | 0.0088 ± 0.0023 | |
| Cyprus | Mediterranean Sea | Coastal remote | summer | _ | 18-28 | 0.02/0.14 | 0.035 ± 0.025 | (Meusel et al. 2016) |
| Kwangju | Korea | Suburban | Autumn | 74.55 | 15.08 | — | 0.67 ± 0.60 | (Park et al. 2004) |

| Nanjing | China | Suburban | Annual | 72 | 17.00 | 5.7/16.4 | 0.69 ± 0.58 | (Liu et al. 2019) |
|-----------------|-------|----------|--------|-------|-------|-------------|---------------|-------------------|
| | | | Spring | 73 | 17.67 | 2.35/15.15 | 0.68 ± 0.48 | |
| | | | Summer | 77 | 28.00 | 1.2/10.1 | 0.45 ± 0.37 | |
| | | | Autumn | 72 | 18.11 | 5.25/16.15 | 0.66 ± 0.53 | |
| | | | Winter | 66 | 4.33 | 15.58/25.75 | 1.04 ± 0.75 | |
| Hongkong | China | Suburban | Annual | 73 | 25 | 10.7/21.7 | 0.71 | (Xu et al. 2015) |
| | | | Spring | 75 | 28 | 5.5/15.5 | 0.35 | |
| | | | Summer | 71 | 32 | 8/19.8 | 0.65 | |
| | | | Autumn | 67 | 23 | 10.1/26.8 | 0.93 | |
| | | | Winter | 78 | 17 | 19.3/24.7 | 0.91 | |
| Western Yangtze | China | Suburban | Spring | _ | | — | 0.76 ± 0.79 | (Nie et al. 2015) |
| River delta | | | | | | | | |
| Xiamen | China | Suburban | Annual | 78.35 | 22.95 | 5.80/14.99 | 0.54 ± 0.47 | This work |
| | | | Spring | 84.21 | 16.59 | 8.47/18.10 | 0.62 ± 0.58 | |
| | | | Summer | 84.12 | 30.00 | 4.79/13.39 | 0.61 ± 0.39 | |
| | | | Autumn | 69.55 | 24.02 | 2.18/12.88 | 0.41 ± 0.30 | |
| | | | Winter | 78.13 | 18.41 | 8.86/17.03 | 0.54 ± 0.47 | |

Note: "-" means no data found in the corresponding reference.



Figure S1. Time series measurements of NO₂ from the IBBCEAS and TEI 42*i*.



Figure S2. Time series of photolysis rate constants.



Figure S3. Diurnal variations of HONO_{corr}/NO₂.



Figure S4. Correlations between the strength of Runknown and BC (colored by orange), UV (colored by dark yellow), and BC*UV (colored by magenta) in autumn and winter, respectively



Figure S5. Correlations between *J*(HONO)×HONO and *J*(NO₂)×NO₂.



Figure S6. Diurnal profile of the measured values of HONO and the value estimated using the parameterized formula Eq. (10).



Figure S7. Diurnal variation of NO₂ concentration and HONO concentration simulated by Eq. (10).

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Figure S8. Diurnal variations of $J(O^1D)$.



Figure S9. Diurnal variations of *J*(HONO).