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Chemical properties, sources and size-resolved hygroscopicity of submicron black-carbon-containing aerosols in urban Shanghai

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20 Table S1: Summary of the input parameters and uncertainties ($\pm\sigma$) for the calculations
 21 of hygroscopic parameters.

Parameter	average values	Uncertainty	Reference
O/C	0.26	± 0.06	Measured from SP-AMS
κ_{AN}	0.58	± 0.01	Gysel et al., (2007)
κ_{AS}	0.48	± 0.01	Gysel et al., (2007)
κ_{AHS}	0.56	± 0.01	Gysel et al., (2007)
$\kappa_{OA} / (O / C)$	0.29	± 0.05	Chang et al.,(2010)
$\kappa_{rBC-rich}$	0.09	± 0.02	Chang et al.,(2010)
$\kappa_{HOA-rich}$	0.02	± 0.01	Chang et al.,(2010)
κ_{BBOA}	0.03	± 0.01	Chang et al.,(2010)
κ_{WS-HOA}	0.09	± 0.02	Chang et al.,(2010)
κ_{LO-OOA}	0.07	± 0.01	Chang et al.,(2010)
κ_{MO-OOA}	0.16	± 0.03	Chang et al.,(2010)
κ_{rBC}	0		
ϵ_{AN}	0.192	± 0.083	Wu et al., (2016)
ϵ_{AS}	0.089	± 0.064	Wu et al., (2016)
ϵ_{AHS}	0.024	± 0.016	Wu et al., (2016)
$\epsilon_{rBC-rich}$	0.089	± 0.043	Wu et al., (2016)
$\epsilon_{HOA-rich}$	0.099	± 0.065	Wu et al., (2016)
ϵ_{BBOA}	0.044	± 0.034	Wu et al., (2016)
ϵ_{WS-HOA}	0.104	± 0.083	Wu et al., (2016)
ϵ_{LO-OOA}	0.071	± 0.046	Wu et al., (2016)
ϵ_{MO-OOA}	0.115	± 0.066	Wu et al., (2016)
ϵ_{rBC}	0.196	± 0.069	Wu et al., (2016)

23 Table S2: Summary of correlation coefficients between different $rBCc$ OA factors and NR-PM₁ OA factors with the ship emission tracer (V) during
 24 ship emission period (SEP) and non-ship emission period (Non-SEP)(see main text for details), respectively.

		$rBCc$ OA							NR-PM ₁ OA				
	r	rBC	HOA-rich	rBC -rich	BBOA	WS-HOA	LO-OOA _{rBC}	MO-OOA _{rBC}	HOA _{rBC}	HOA	COA	LO-OOA _{NR-PM1}	MOOOA _{NR-PM1}
SEP	V	0.69	0.69	0.28	0.55	0.72	0.22	-0.15	0.71	0.84	0.08	0.64	0.02
No-SEP	V	-0.01	0.25	0.01	-0.01	-0.04	-0.15	-0.62	0.06	0.19	0.20	-0.26	-0.77



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27 Figure S1: Location of the sampling site (red five-pointed star) and its surroundings.

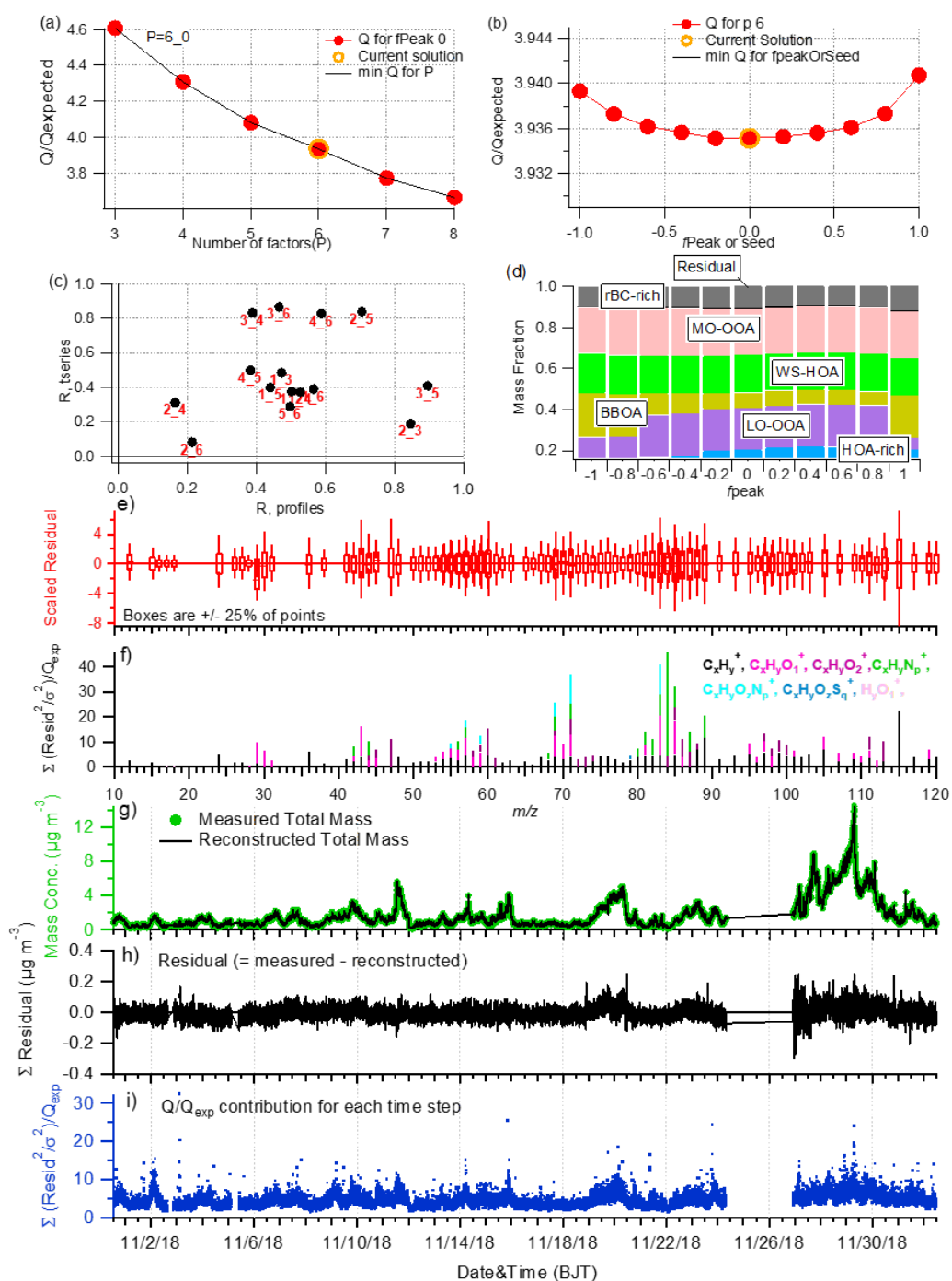
28 The bottom right inset figure shows the International Container Companies and the

29 ports, and the top right inset figure shows the site location in the scale of Yangtze River

30 Delta (© Google Maps).

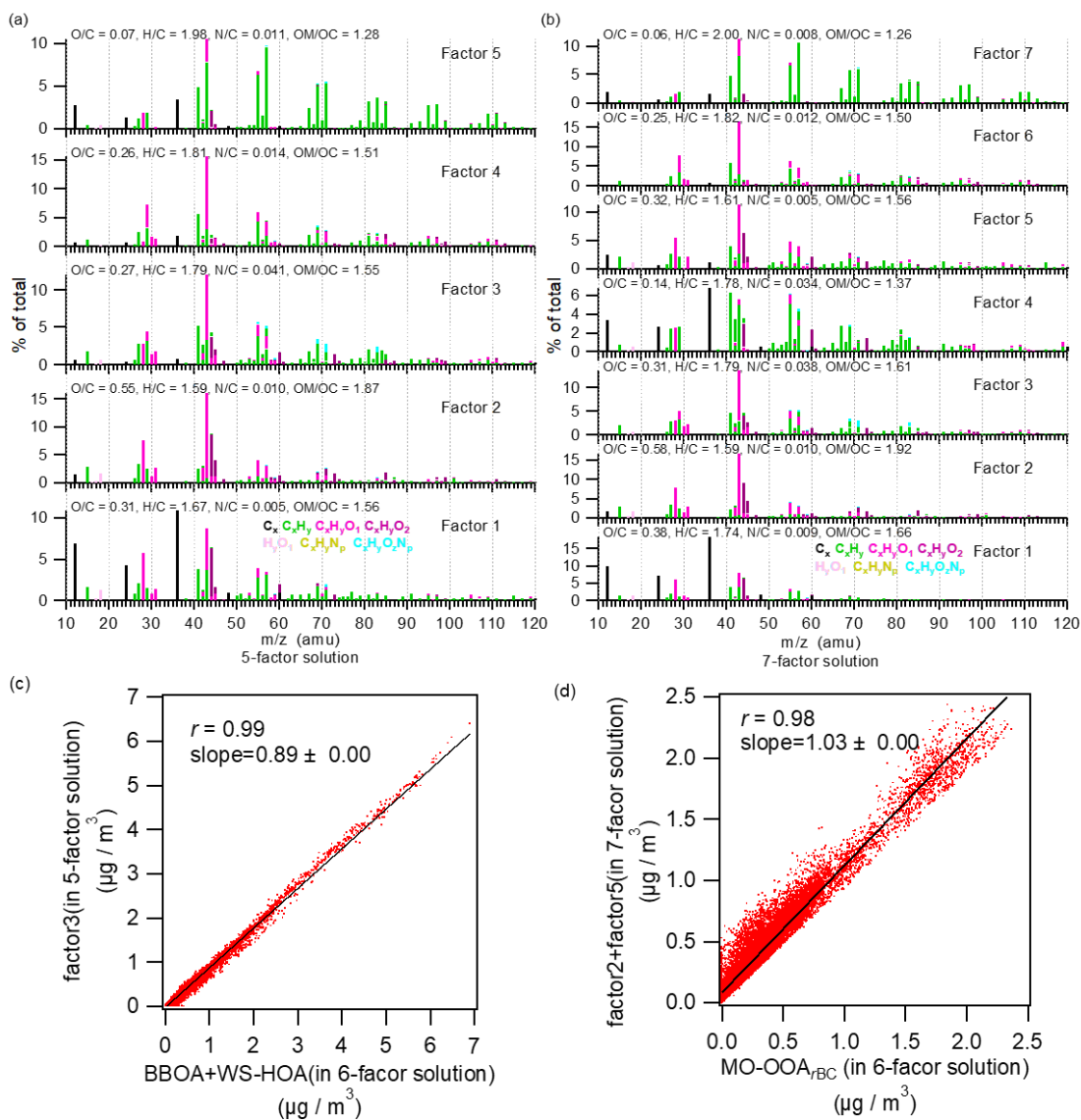
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34 Figure S2. Summary of critical diagnostic plots of the PMF results for the 6-factor
 35 solution of rBCc OA: (a) Q/Q_{exp} as a function of the number of factors (P from 3 to 8).
 36 For the best solution (6-factor): (b) Q/Q_{exp} as a function of f_{Peak} , (c) cross-correlations
 37 of the time series and spectral profiles among the six factors, (d) fractions of OA factors
 38 as a function of f_{Peak} , (e) the box and whiskers plot showing the distributions of scaled
 39 residuals for each m/z , (f) the Q/Q_{exp} values for each ion, (g) time series of the measured
 40 and the reconstructed OA mass loadings, (h) variations of the residuals of the fit, (i) the
 41 Q/Q_{exp} values for each time step.



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43 Figure S3. The average mass spectra of (a) 5-factor solution (factor 3 was a mixed factor

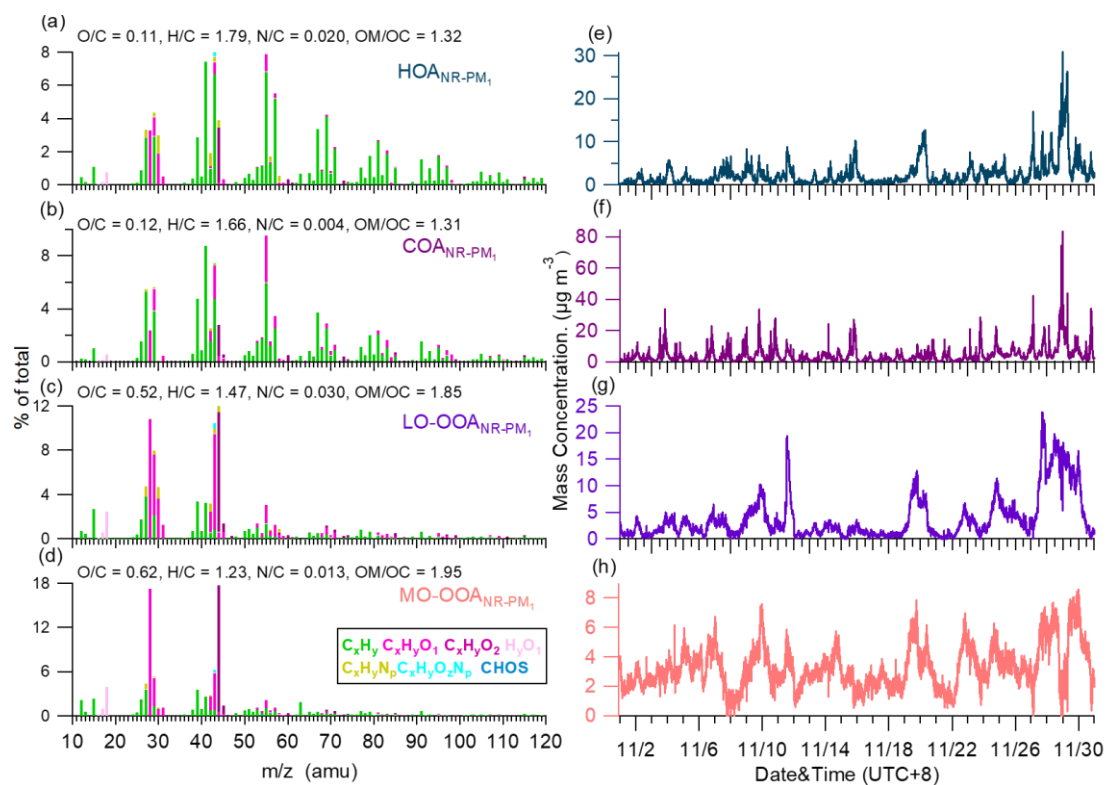
44 of BBOA and WS-HOA) and (b) 7-factor solution (MO-OOA splits into two factors,

45 factor 5 and factor 2) resolved from positive matrix factorization of NR-PM₁ OA.

46 Scatter plots of (c) the sum of BBOA and WS-HOA with factor 3 (in 5-factor solution),

47 and (d) the sum of factor 5 and factor 2 (in 7-factor solution) with MO-OOA_{BC}.

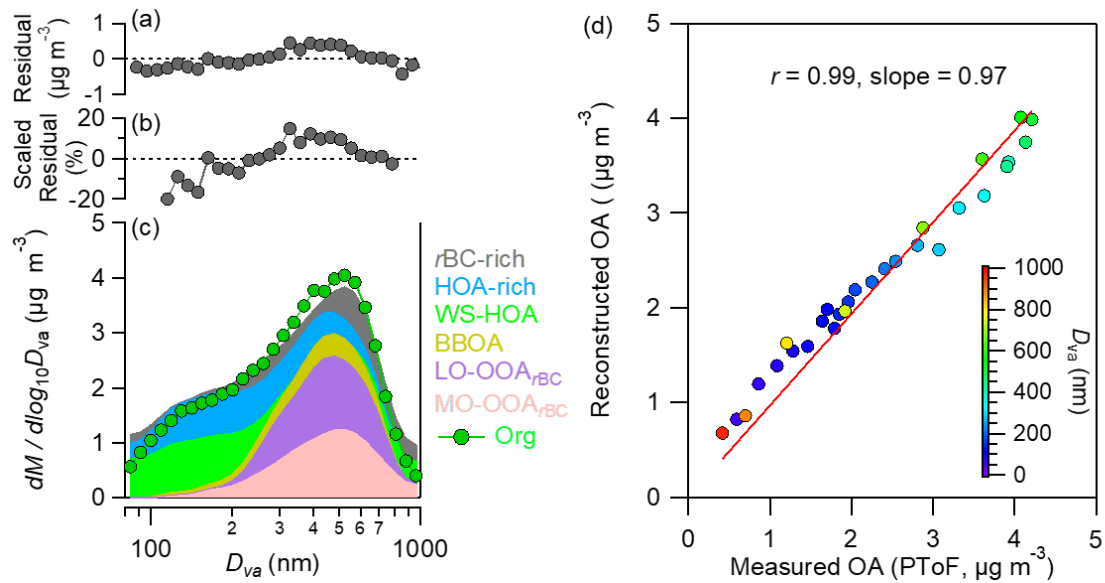
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51 Figure S4. High resolution mass spectra (a-d) and time series (e-h) of the 4-factor
 52 solution resolved from PMF analysis of the NR-PM₁ OA.

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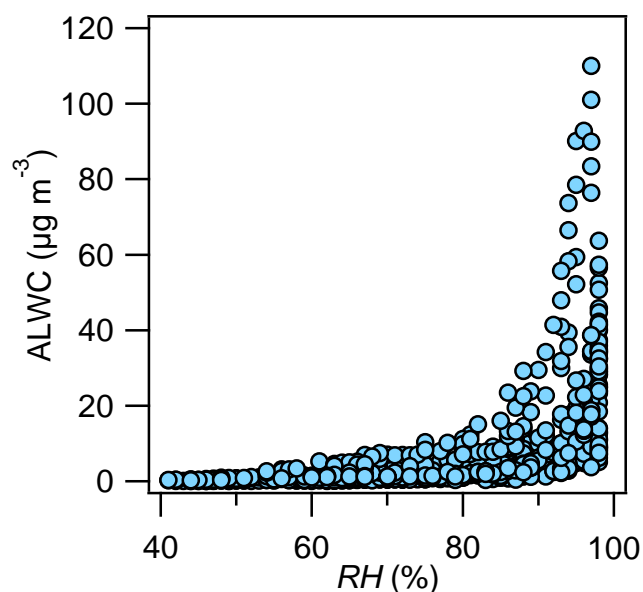


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55 Figure S5. Summary of key diagnostic plots of derivation of size distributions of
 56 individual *r*BCc OA factors. (a) Absolute and (b) relative residuals between the
 57 reconstructed and measured OA mass concentrations in different size bins. (c) Stacked
 58 size distributions of the six OA factors compared to the size distributions of total OA.
 59 (d) Reconstructed OA mass concentrations compared to the measured values for
 60 different size bins (80-1000 nm).

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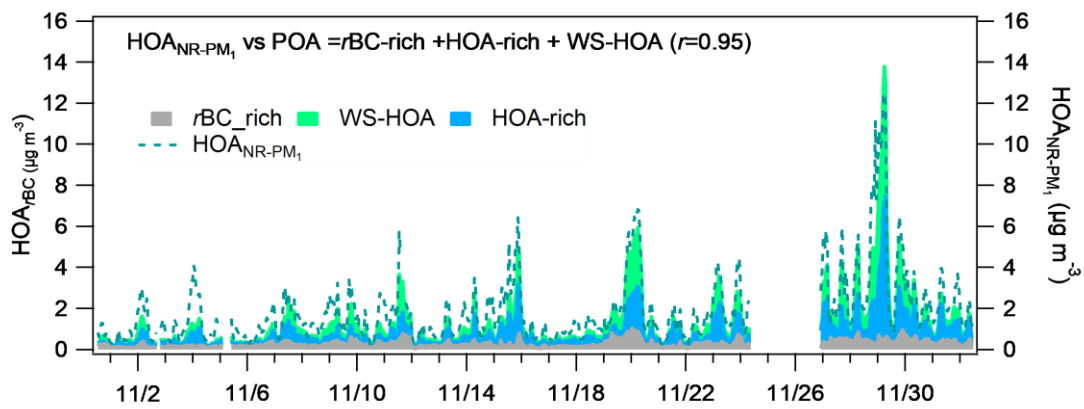
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64 Figure S6. Calculated aerosol liquid water content (ALWC) values versus RH for each
65 time point (see main text for details). The ALWC was calculated by using model II of
66 extended aerosol inorganic model (E-AIM II), and based only on the inorganic
67 components measured by SP-AMS. The main calculation steps are summarized below:
68 (1) the model II determines the state of a system containing water and the inorganic
69 salts in equilibrium at the corresponding temperature and relative humidity (converted
70 to a value of 0-1); (2) the molar concentration of H^+ is obtained according to the ion
71 balance based on the inorganics (SO_4^{2-} , NO_3^- and NH_4^+) measured by SP-AMS (Cl^-
72 is not considered here as it is a very minor component), and the quantities of these four
73 ions (SO_4^{2-} , NO_3^- , NH_4^+ and H^+) are converted to the molar concentrations in particles
74 in per m^3 of air; (3) select the solids allowed to be formed according to the actual
75 condition; (4) use these parameters (temperature, relative humidity, four ions, and
76 allowed solids) to perform the LWC calculations using E-AIM II
77 (<http://www.aim.env.uea.ac.uk/aim/model2/model2a.php>) online.

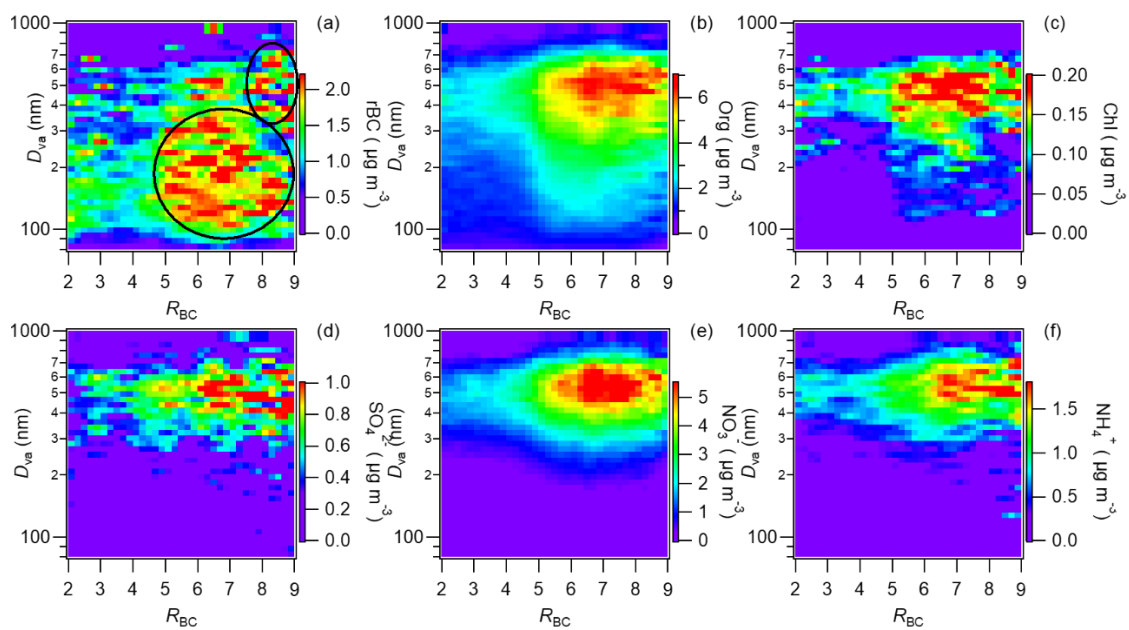
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80 Figure S7. Time series of the stacked three $r\text{BCc}$ POA factors (termed POA) (i.e., $r\text{BC}$ -
81 rich, HOA-rich, and WS-HOA) and $\text{HOA}_{\text{NR-PM}_1}$.

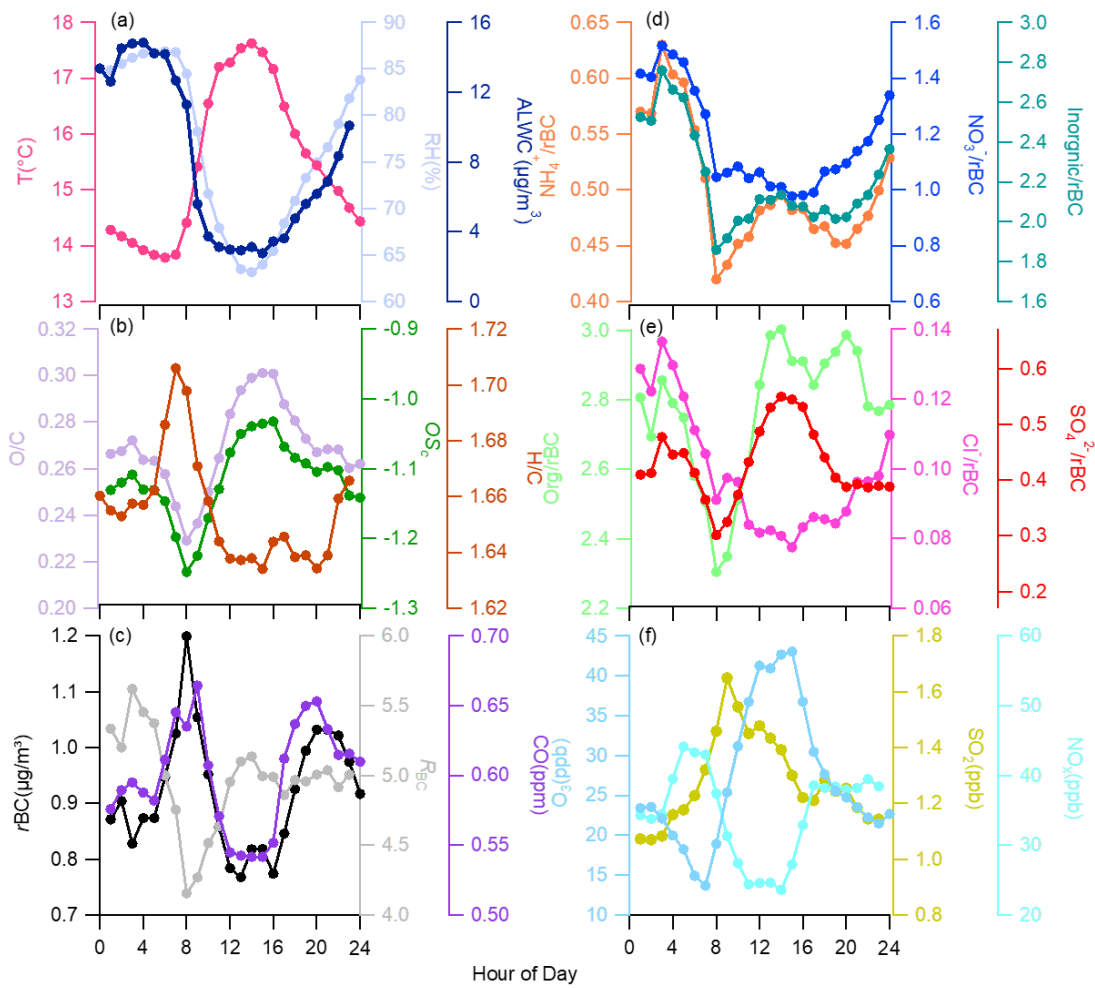
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84 Figure S8. Image plots of size distributions of $rBCc$ components as a function of R_{BC} .

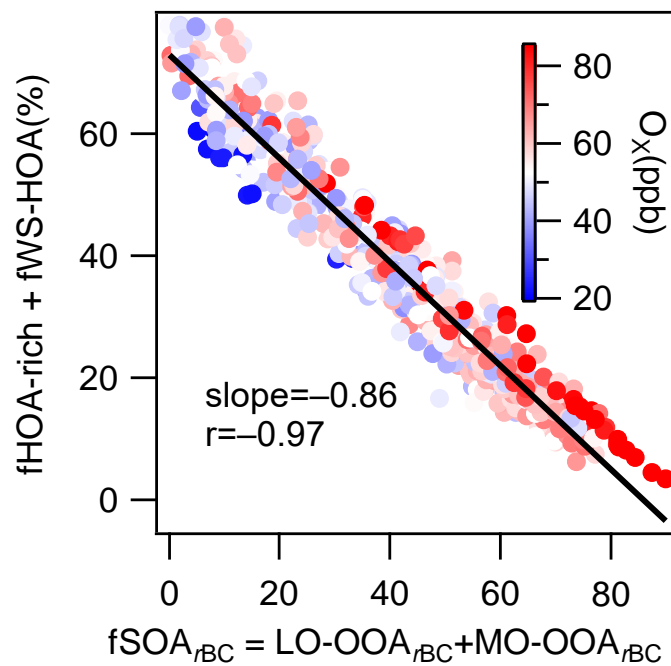
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87 Figure S9. Campaign-average diurnal variations of (a) T , RH and ALWC , (b) O/C , H/C
 88 and oxidation state ($\text{OS}_c = 2 \times \text{O}/\text{C} - \text{H}/\text{C}$), (c) R_{BC} , r_{BC} and CO , (d) $\text{NO}_3^-/r_{\text{BC}}$, $\text{NH}_4^+/
 89 r_{\text{BC}}$ and inorganics/ r_{BC} (inorganics = $\text{NO}_3^- + \text{NH}_4^+ + \text{SO}_4^{2-} + \text{Cl}^-$), (e) $\text{SO}_4^{2-}/r_{\text{BC}}$, $\text{Cl}^-/r_{\text{BC}}$
 90 and organics/ r_{BC} , and (f) gaseous species (O_3 , SO_2 , NO_x).

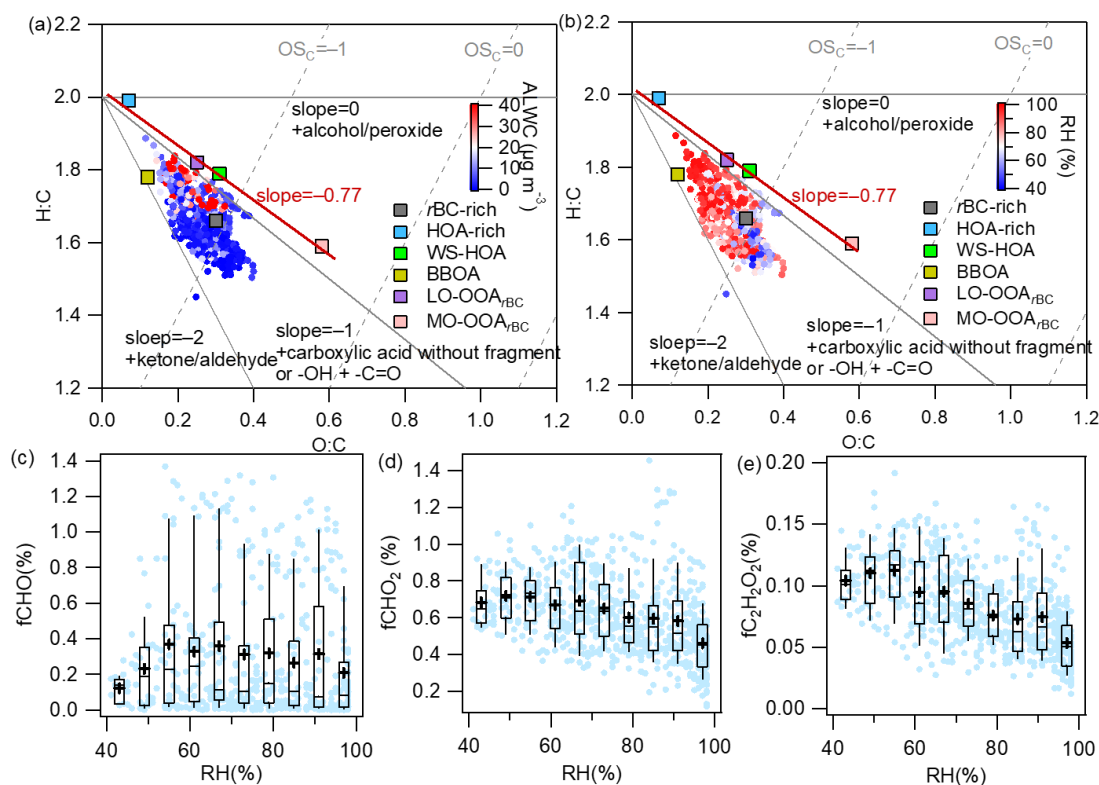
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93 Figure S10. Relationship between the mass fraction (%) of the sum of HOA-rich and
 94 WS-HOA and the sum of LO-OOA_{rBC} and MO-OOA_{rBC} (colored by O_x
 95 concentrations).

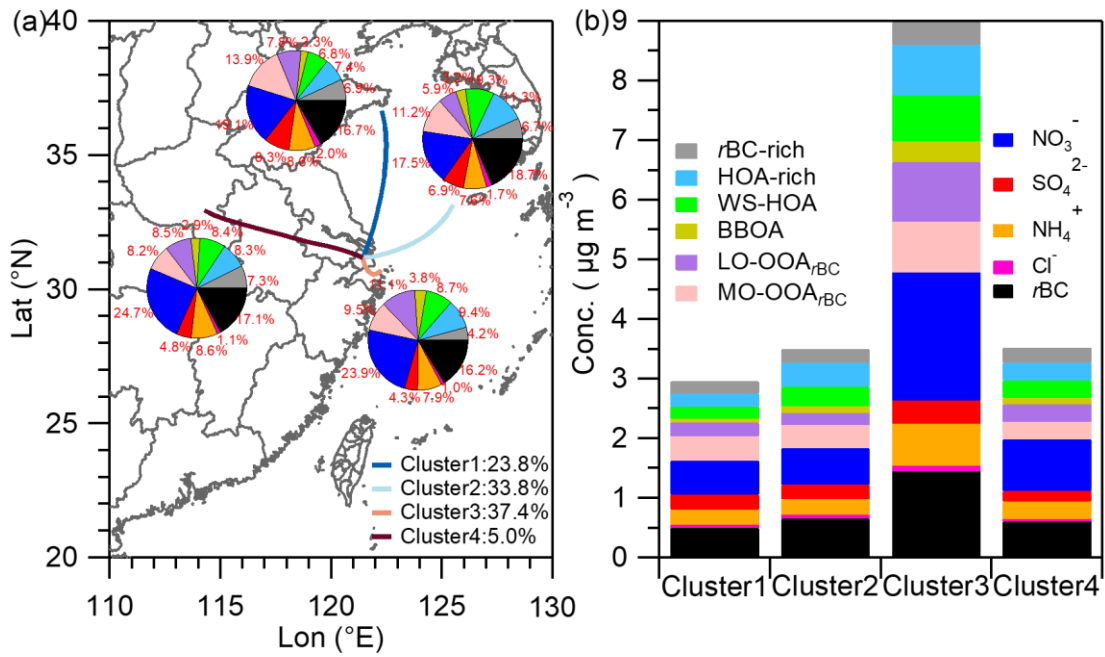
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98 Figure S11. Van Krevelen diagram of H/C versus O/C ratios for all *r*BCc OA and the
 99 six factors colored by ALWC (a) and RH (b) (the red line is the fitted line of the four
 100 OA factors). (c-e) Mass fractions of selected oxygenated ion fragments as a function of
 101 RH (the whiskers above and below the boxes mark the 90% and 10% percentiles,
 102 respectively; the upper and lower edge of the boxes represent the 75% and 25%
 103 percentiles, respectively; and the lines and triangles inside the boxes denote the median
 104 and mean values, respectively).

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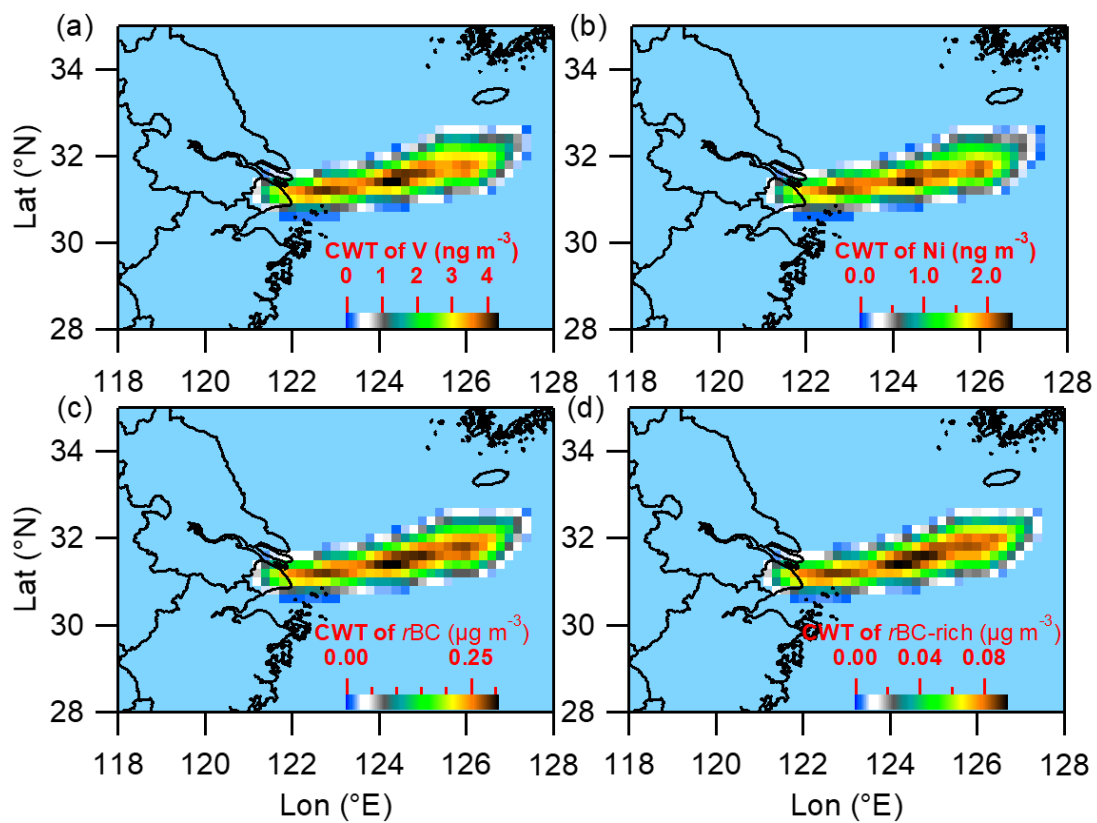


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107 Figure S12. (a) Four clusters of 24-h backward trajectories (at altitude of 500 m)
 108 analyzed by NOAA HYSPLIT model (<http://www.arl.noaa.gov/ready/hysplit4.html>)
 109 embedded in Zefir(Petit et al., 2017), with the pie chart showing the average *r*BCc
 110 chemical compositions in each cluster. (b) Stacked mass concentrations of the *r*BCc
 111 components of the four clusters.

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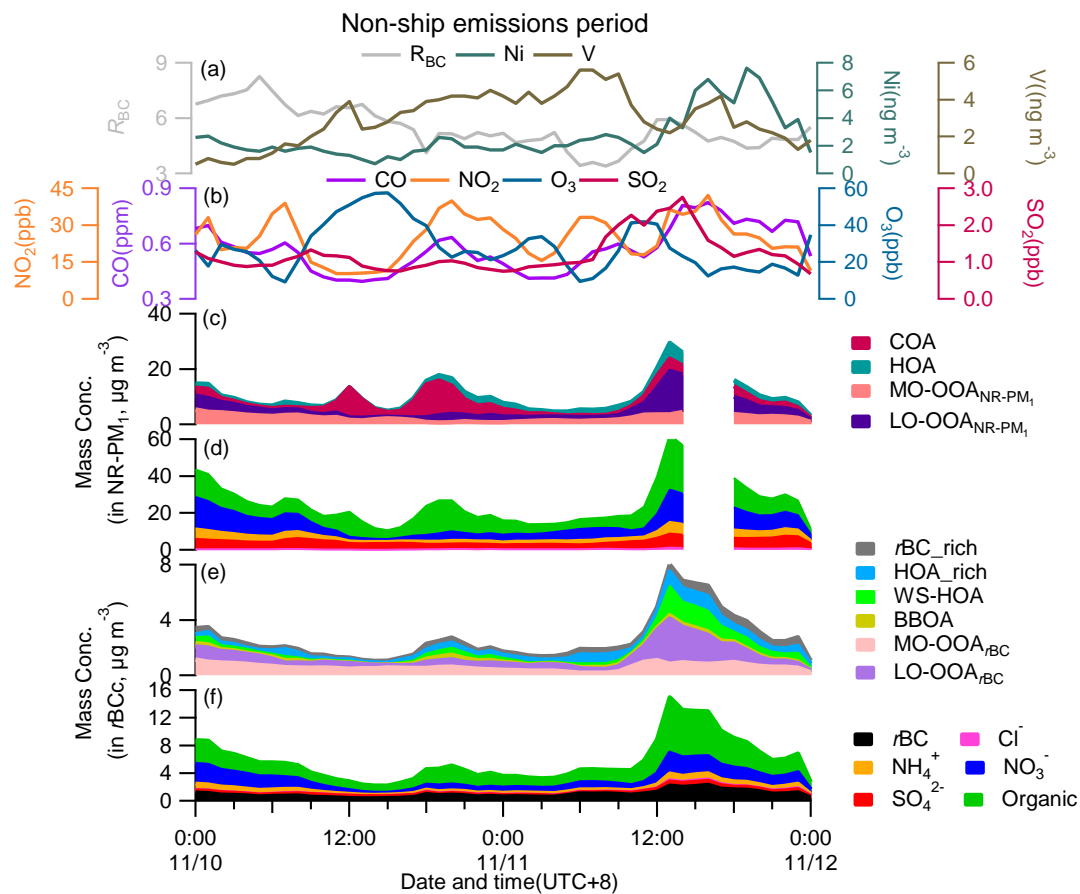
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115 Figure S13. Concentration-weighted trajectories (CWT) of ship emission tracers of V
 116 (a) and Ni (b), and rBC (c) and rBC-rich OA factors (d) (the regions with high CWT
 117 values indicate potentially high concentrations of these species).

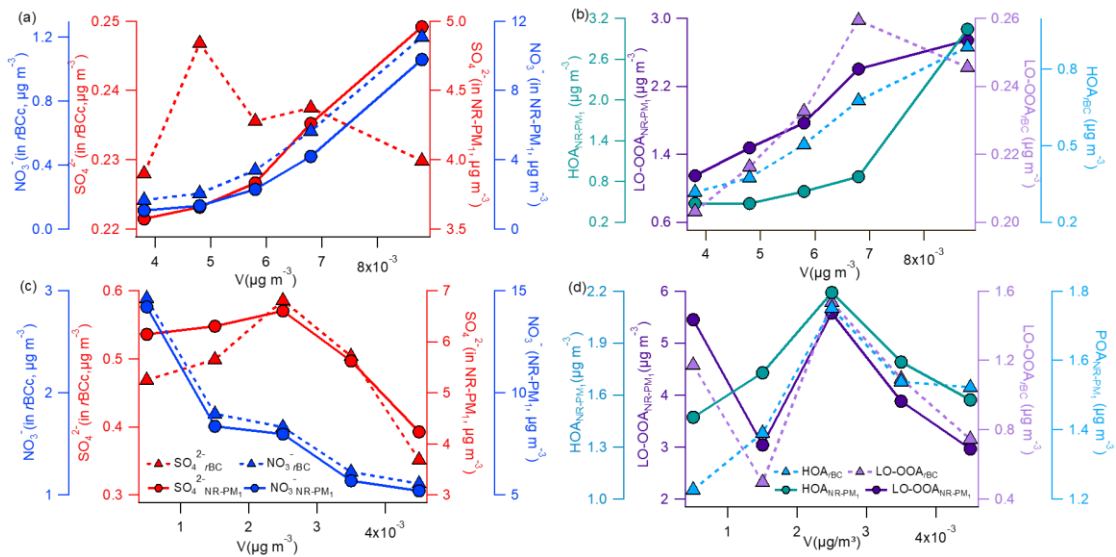
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120 Figure S14. Time series of (a) mass concentrations of particle-phase Ni and V, and R_{BC} ,
 121 (b) mass concentrations of CO, NO₂, O₃, SO₂, stacked concentrations of (c) NR-PM₁
 122 OA factors, (d) NR-PM₁ species, (e) $rBCc$ OA factors, and (f) $rBCc$ components during
 123 the non-ship emission period (Non-SEP).

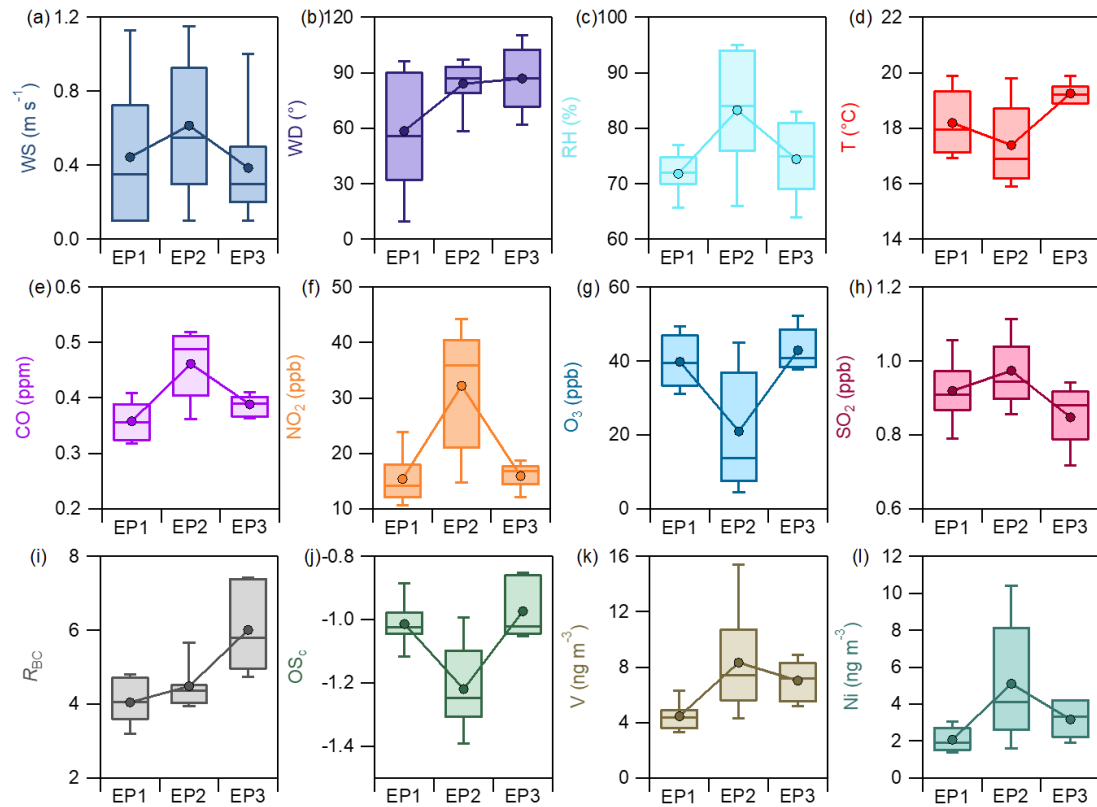
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126 Figure S15. Mass concentrations of the rBCc nitrate, sulfate, OA factors in rBCc
 127 (dashed lines) and in NR-PM₁ (solid lines) as a function of V concentrations during
 128 ship emission period (a, b) and non-ship emission period (c, d).

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131 Figure S16. Box plots of meteorological parameters (a-d), gaseous pollutants (e-h), R_{BC}
 132 (i), OSc (j), and ship emission tracers V (k) and Ni (l) of the three episodes during ship
 133 emission period (SEP)(meanings of the boxes are the same as those described in Fig.
 134 S8).

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