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Annual cycle of hygroscopic properties and mixing state of the suburban aerosol in Athens, Greece

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Figure S1

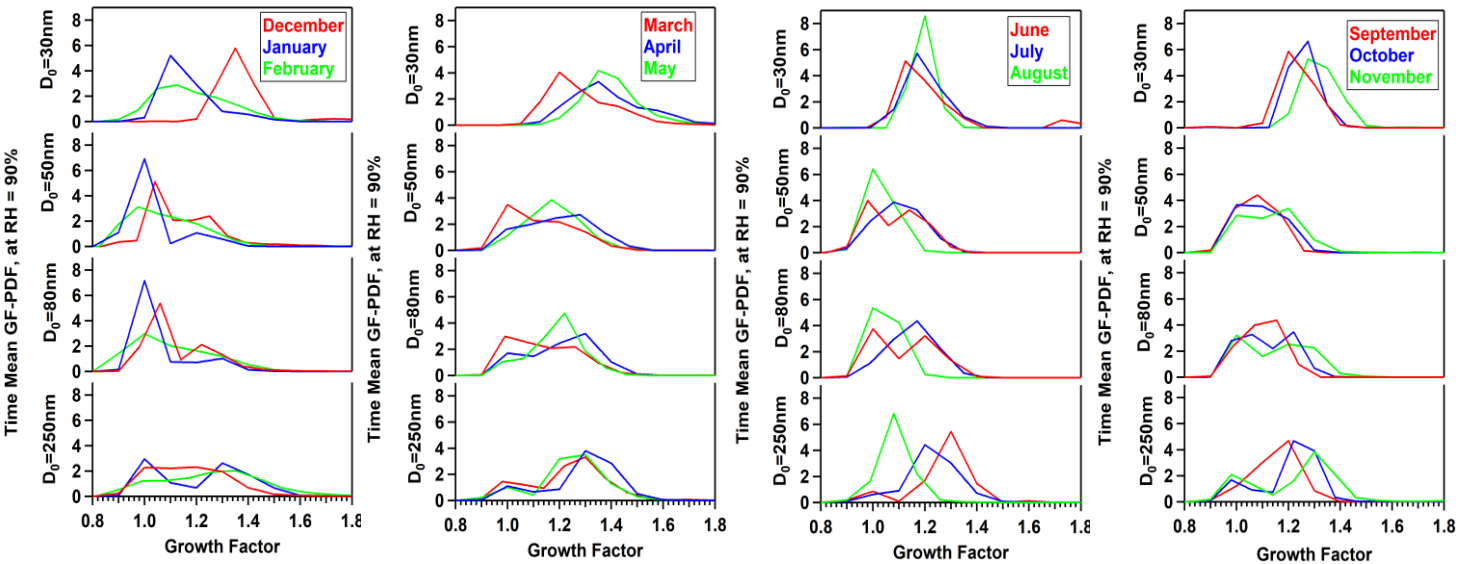


Figure S1 Monthly mean GF-PDFs for different dry particle sizes (30, 50, 80 and 250 nm)

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25 Figure S2

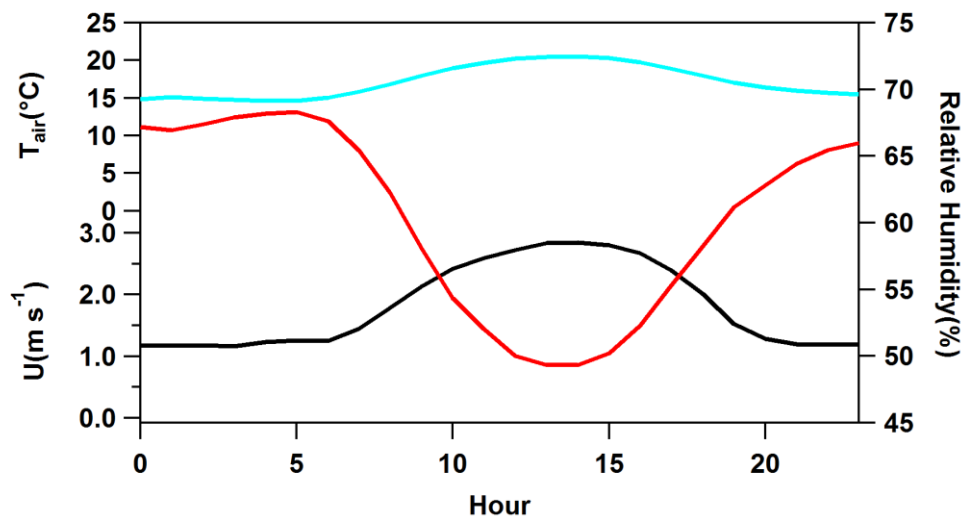


Figure S2 Diurnal variation of wind speed (black line), temperature (blue line) and relative humidity (red line).

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Figure S3

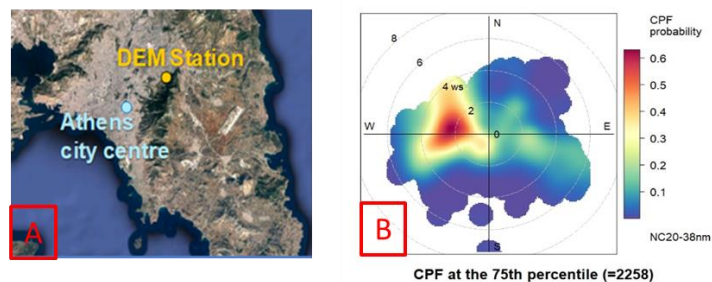


Figure S3 The DEM station in Athens, (from © Google Maps), A, and the CPF (conditional probability function) polar plot of 75th percentile of the total number concentration in the size range from 20 to 38nm, B (OpenAir; Carslaw and Ropkins, 2012).

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Figure S4

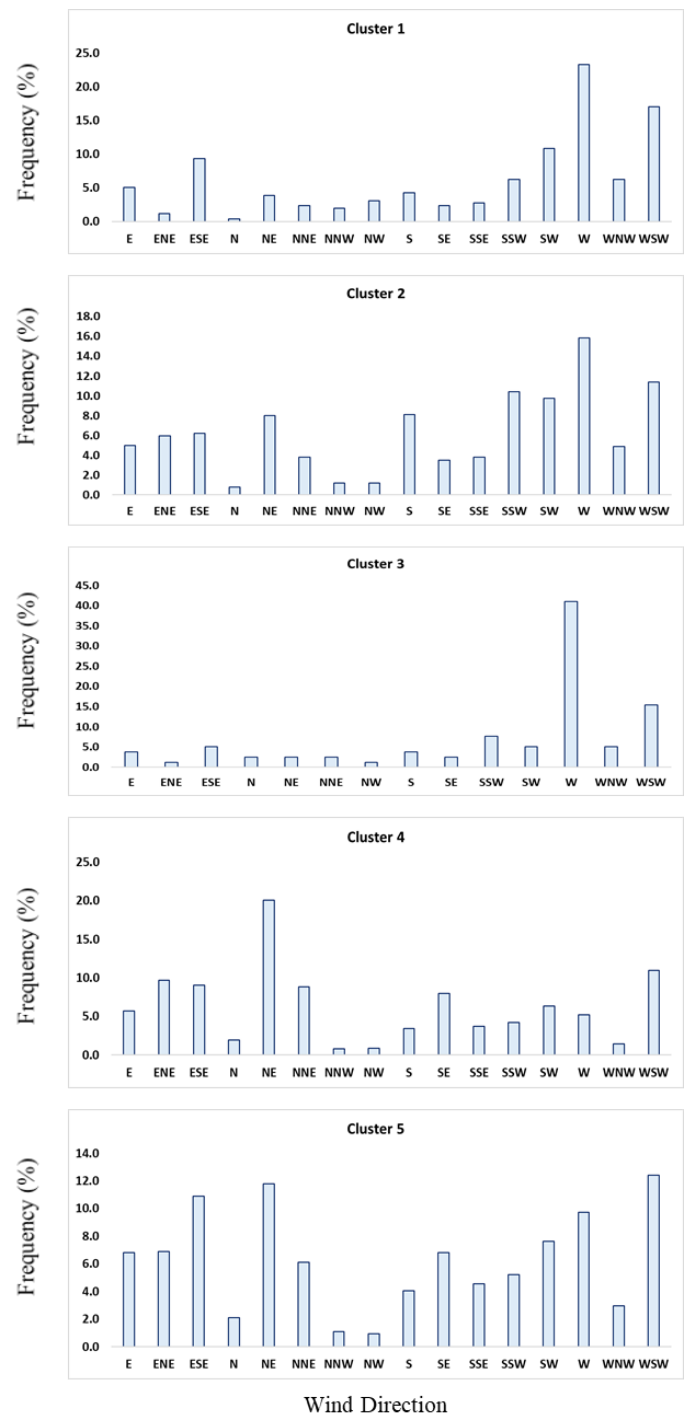


Figure S4 Frequency of wind direction for each cluster.

Table S1 Monthly mean GF at RH=90%, the mean GF for the two distinct GF ranges below/above the threshold GF of 1.12, the hygroscopicity parameter κ mean and the number fraction of each mode, for dry diameters 30, 50, 80 and 250nm.

Month	GF _{mean}	κ _{mean}	GF<1.12	f _{GF<1.12}	GF>1.12	f _{GF>1.12}
<i>Dry diameter of particle, D₀=30nm</i>						
01	1.17	0.12	1.08	0.07	1.22	0.58
02	1.19	0.14	1.05	0.08	1.26	0.60
03	1.29	0.19	1.10	0.08	1.29	0.92
04	1.39	0.33	1.11	0.02	1.38	0.98
05	1.40	0.28	1.12	0.01	1.40	0.99
06	1.23	0.19	1.10	0.02	1.22	0.98
07	1.20	0.14	1.10	0.1	1.19	0.9
08	1.20	0.22	1.11	0.11	1.20	0.89
09	1.25	0.26	1.10	0.05	1.24	0.95
10	1.27	0.20	1.11	0.01	1.26	0.99
11	1.32	0.26	1.10	0.01	1.32	0.99
12	1.41	0.29	1.10	0.01	1.40	0.99
<i>Dry diameter of particle, D₀=50nm</i>						
01	1.03	0.02	1.00	0.83	1.23	0.17
02	1.08	0.07	1.00	0.65	1.22	0.35
03	1.13	0.06	1.03	0.54	1.22	0.46
04	1.19	0.13	1.04	0.32	1.26	0.68
05	1.18	0.11	1.06	0.33	1.22	0.67
06	1.09	0.05	1.02	0.61	1.18	0.39
07	1.10	0.05	1.04	0.59	1.18	0.41
08	1.03	0.03	1.03	0.90	1.14	0.10
09	1.09	0.06	1.04	0.70	1.16	0.30
10	1.09	0.06	1.04	0.63	1.18	0.37
11	1.13	0.08	1.03	0.49	1.21	0.51
12	1.15	0.08	1.05	0.53	1.24	0.47
<i>Dry diameter of particle, D₀=80nm</i>						
01	1.06	0.03	1.00	0.79	1.25	0.21
02	1.11	0.08	1.00	0.59	1.25	0.41

03	1.15	0.08	1.03	0.49	1.20	0.51
04	1.21	0.13	1.04	0.29	1.27	0.71
05	1.19	0.11	1.04	0.26	1.23	0.74
06	1.22	0.07	1.03	0.50	1.22	0.50
07	1.15	0.08	1.05	0.39	1.20	0.61
08	1.05	0.03	1.05	0.90	1.14	0.10
09	1.10	0.06	1.05	0.60	1.17	0.40
10	1.12	0.07	1.03	0.54	1.21	0.46
11	1.15	0.08	1.02	0.45	1.24	0.55
12	1.13	0.08	1.04	0.61	1.24	0.39
Dry diameter of particle, $D_0=250\text{nm}$						
01	1.22	0.12	1.02	0.38	1.33	0.62
02	1.26	0.16	1.01	0.31	1.33	0.69
03	1.24	0.12	1.02	0.25	1.30	0.75
04	1.29	0.16	1.02	0.18	1.33	0.82
05	1.24	0.11	1.02	0.16	1.29	0.84
06	1.27	0.15	1.01	0.12	1.30	0.88
07	1.23	0.12	1.04	0.15	1.25	0.85
08	1.09	0.05	1.05	0.73	1.17	0.27
09	1.15	0.11	1.04	0.37	1.20	0.63
10	1.20	0.11	1.01	0.23	1.26	0.77
11	1.23	0.13	1.01	0.30	1.31	0.70
12	1.22	0.09	1.03	0.08	1.26	0.58

45 **Table S2** Mean GF-PDFs per cluster for different dry particle sizes (30, 50, 80 and 250 nm)

Cluster	GF _{Ddry=30nm}	GF _{Ddry=50nm}	GF _{Ddry=80nm}	GF _{Ddry=250nm}
1	1.35	1.16	1.19	1.23
2	1.28	1.11	1.13	1.22
3	1.34	1.17	1.19	1.26
4	1.26	1.10	1.11	1.20

5	1.29	1.11	1.13	1.21
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Table S3 Modal analysis of the average particle number size distributions per cluster

	σ 1	NMD1	NC1	σ 2	NMD2	NC2	σ 3	NMD3	NC3	σ 4	NMD4	NC4
Cluster 1	2.5	6.1	16403	1.6	28.2	8293	1.9	76.1	6275			
Cluster 2	2.4	5.0	5183				2.1	56.6	11138			
Cluster 3	1.5	6.3	38886	1.6	16.0	16046	2.2	54.2	7966			
Cluster 4	2.5	7.1	2330				2.2	61.4	3303	1.4	174.9	392
Cluster 5	1.4	6.9	2904	2.2	13.6	8570	2.1	70.9	4072			

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