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Process-level simulation of chemical composition, size distribution and cloud condensation nuclei of secondary organic aerosol from α -pinene ozonolysis

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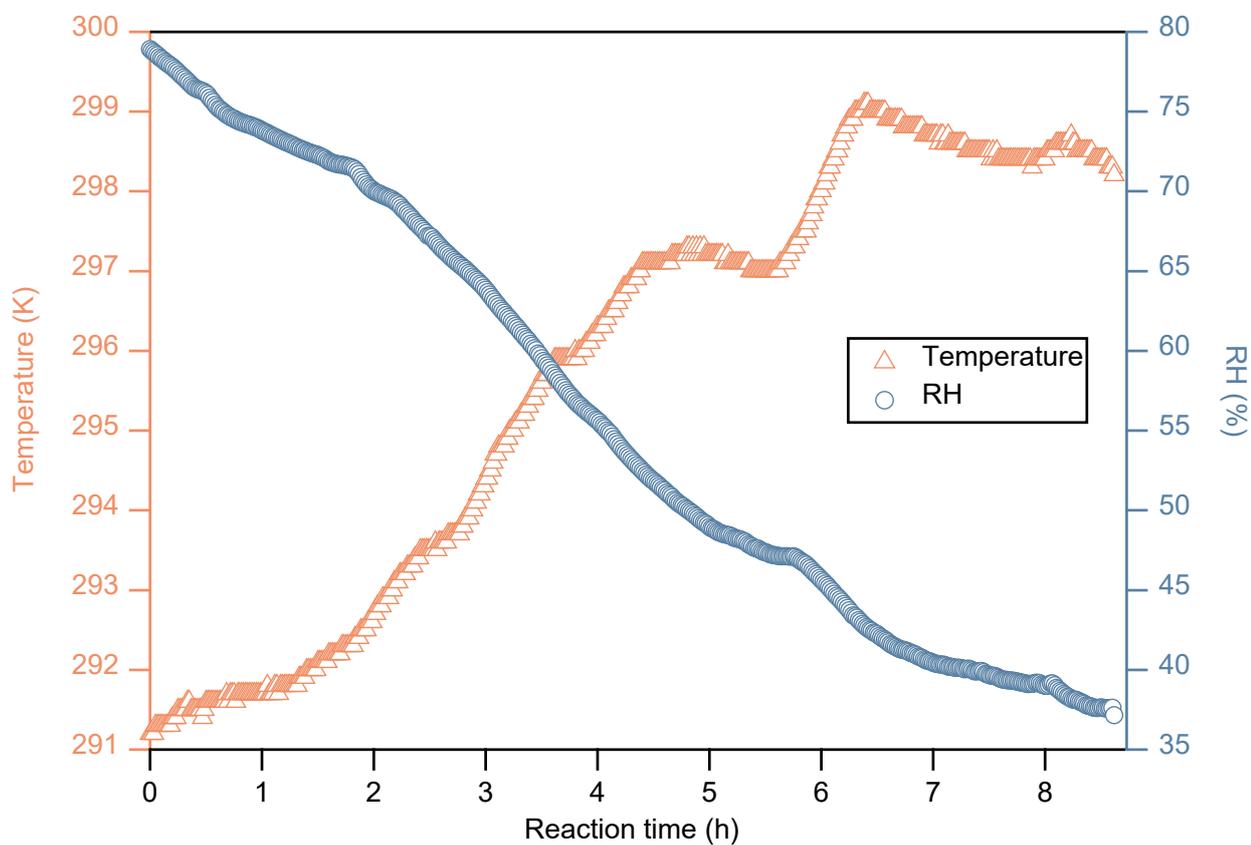
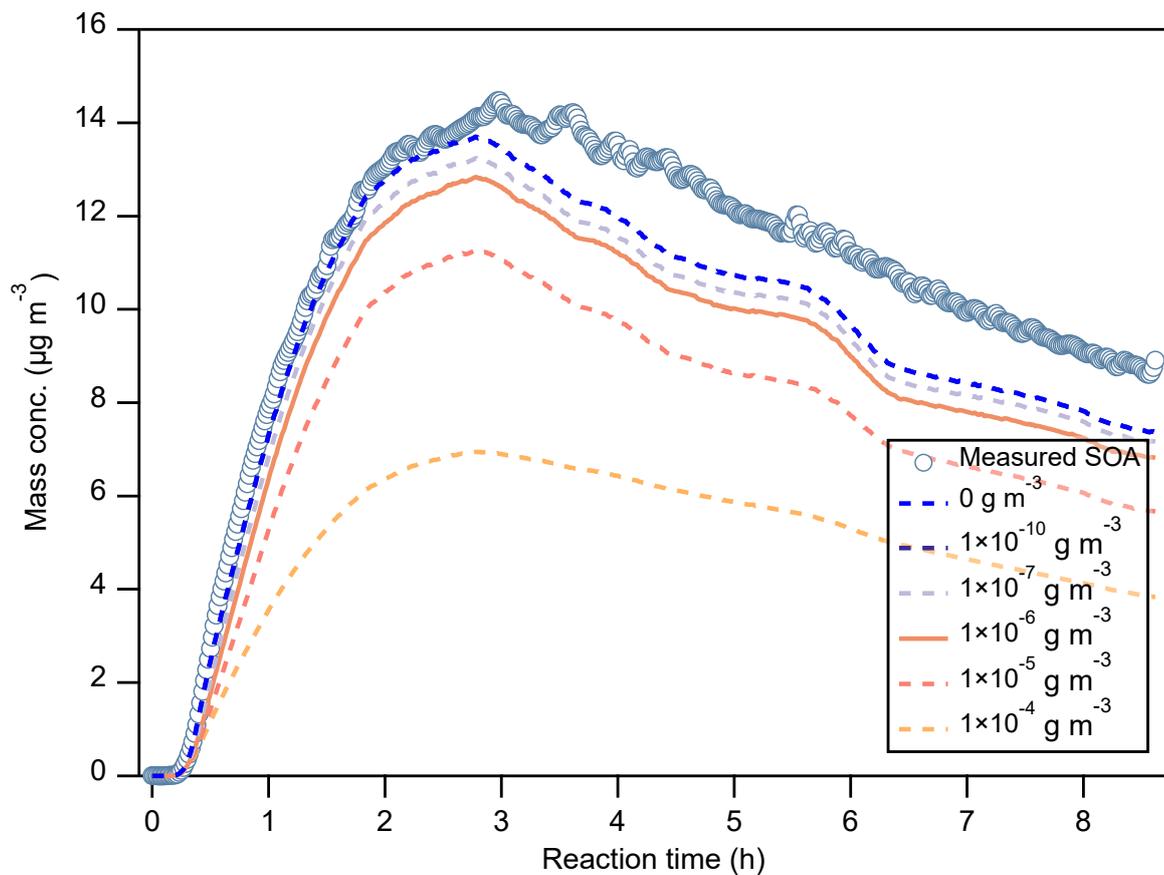
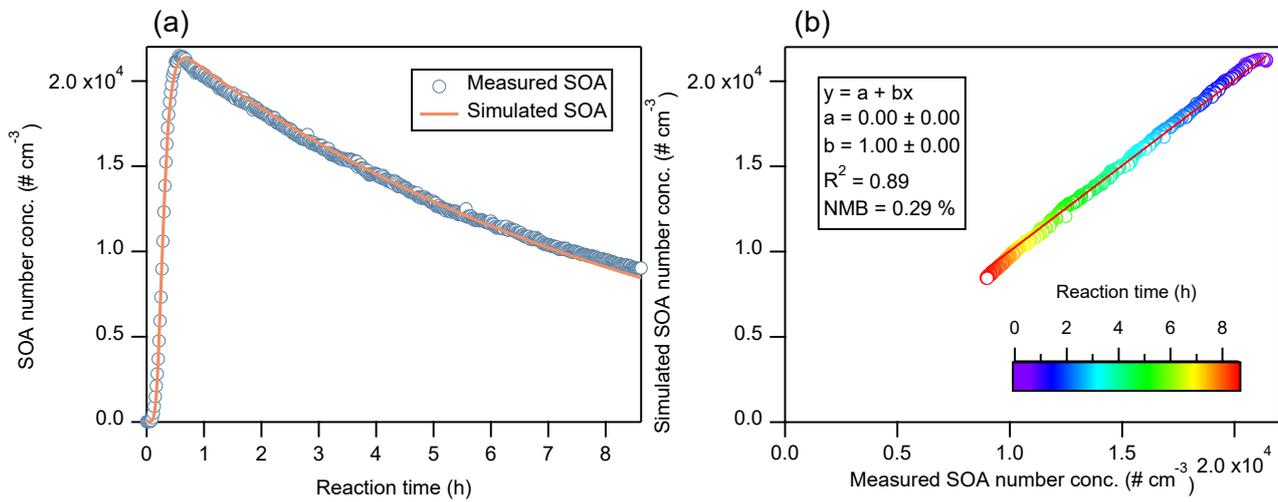


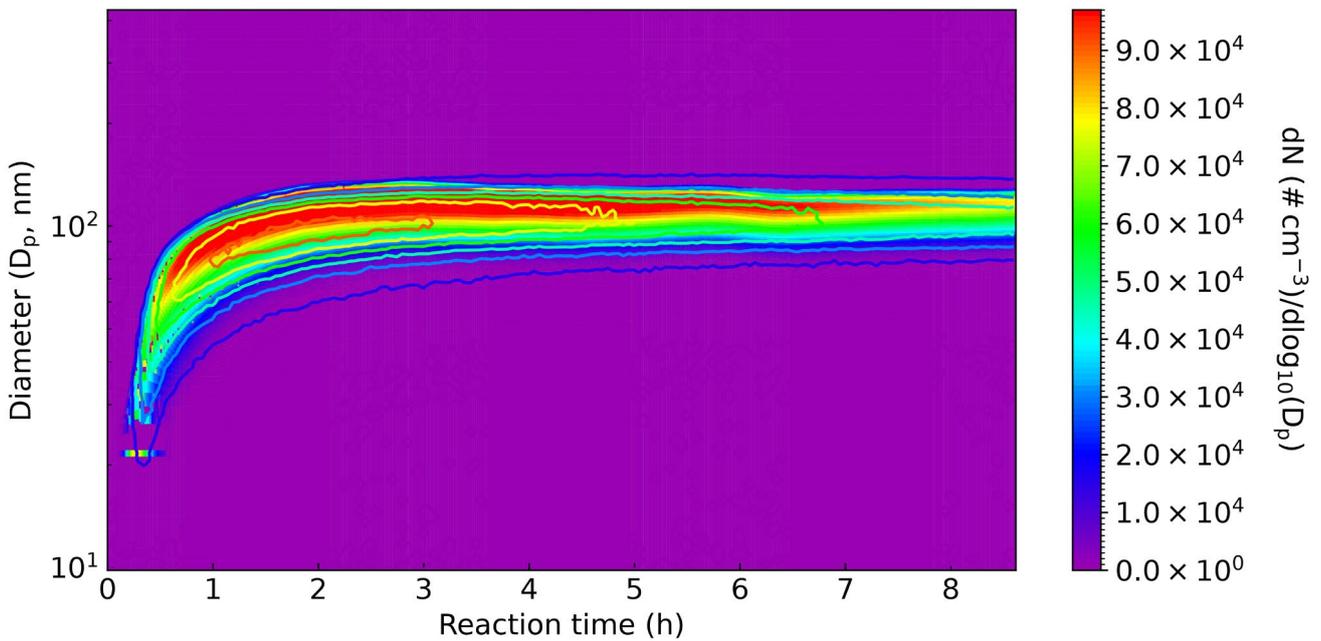
Figure S1: Time evolution of measured temperature (K) and relative humidity (RH; %) during the dark α -pinene ozonolysis experiment.



5 Figure S2: Sensitivity of SOA mass concentration to the parameter C_w , which represents the effective absorbing wall mass concentration (g m^{-3}). This study adopts $C_w = 1 \times 10^{-6} \text{ g m}^{-3}$.



10 **Figure S3: (a) Simulated (line) and measured (circles) SOA number concentrations ($\# \text{ cm}^{-3}$) using the nucleation parameters. (b) Scatterplot of measured versus simulated SOA number concentrations, with a linear fit (red line). The coefficients a and b represent the intercept and slope, respectively, and R^2 denotes the correlation coefficient. Colors indicate the reaction time during the experiment. Note that the linear regression is constrained through the origin. NMB refers to normalized mean bias. Data points from the initial 0.57 h are excluded because the number concentration during this period was fitted to CPC measurements and therefore assumed to match measurements exactly. Coagulation is excluded from the simulation.**



15 **Figure S4: Time evolution of the number size distributions ($dN/d\log_{10}D_p$) for measured (contour lines) and simulated (shaded areas) SOA using the nucleation parameters. Coagulation is excluded from the simulation.**

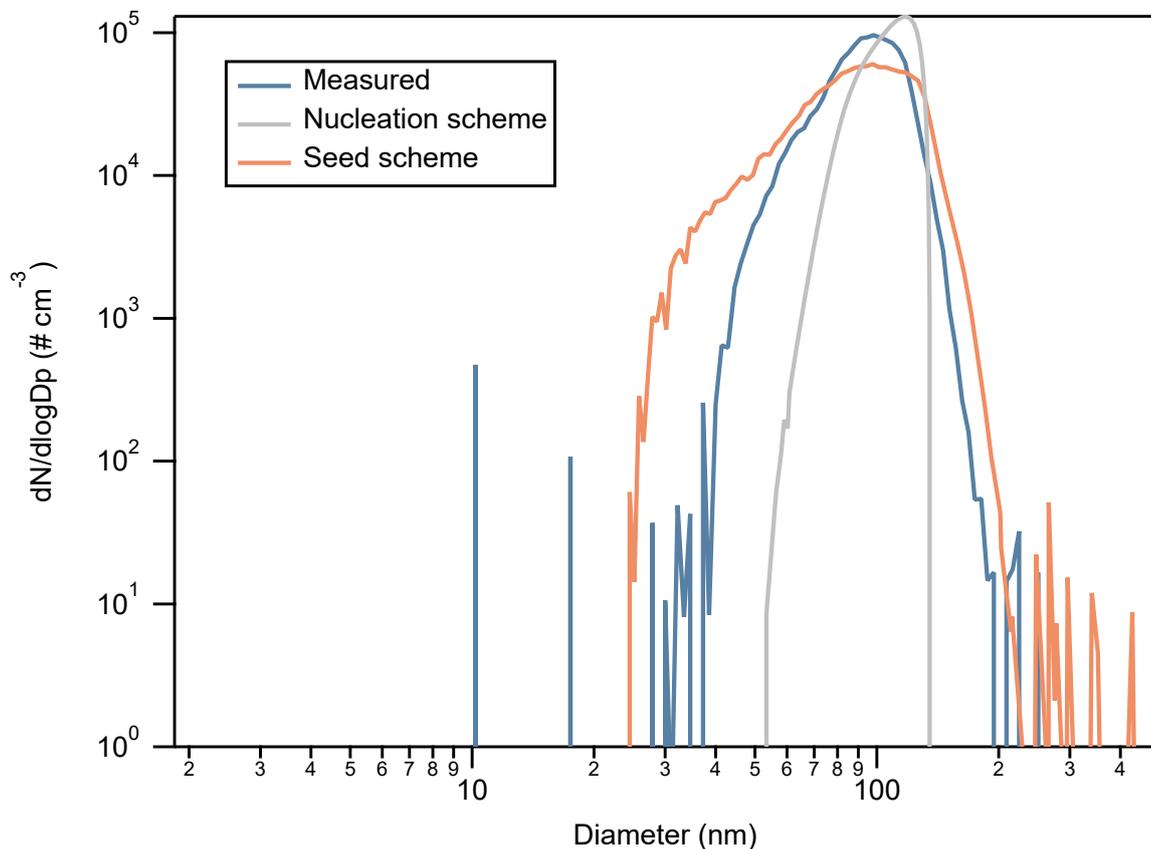
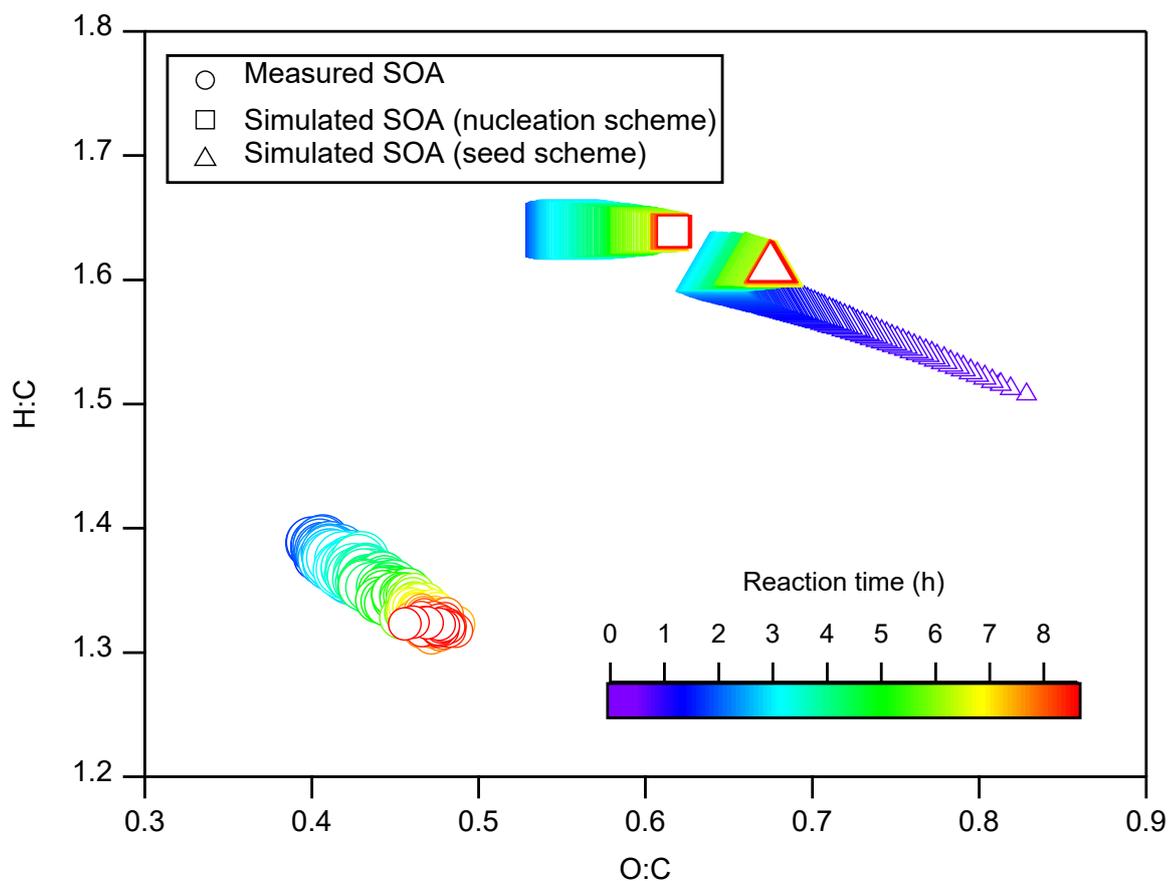
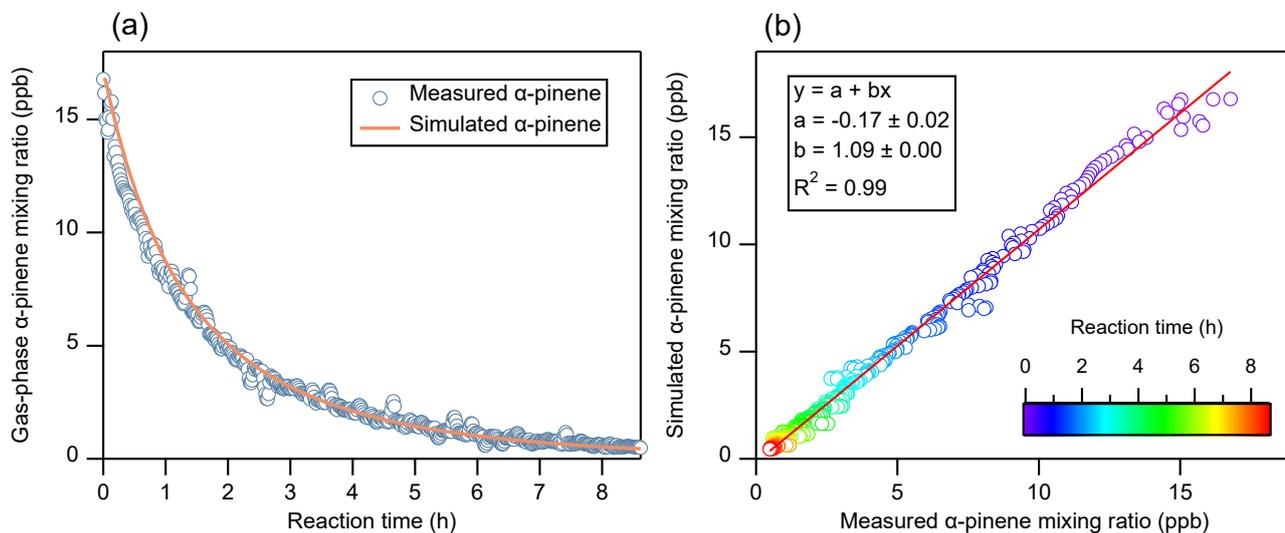


Fig. S5: Measured and simulated (by nucleation or seed schemes) particle size distribution ($dN/d\log D_p$) at the reaction time of 2 h.



20 Figure S6: O:C and H:C ratios for measured (circles) and simulated SOA using the nucleation scheme (squares) or seed scheme (triangles).



25 **Figure S7: (a)** Time evolution of the measured (circles) and simulated (line) gas-phase α -pinene mixing ratio (ppb). **(b)** Scatterplot of measured versus simulated α -pinene concentrations, with a linear fit (red line). The coefficients a and b represent the intercept and slope, respectively, and R^2 denotes the correlation coefficient. Colors indicate the reaction time during the experiment.

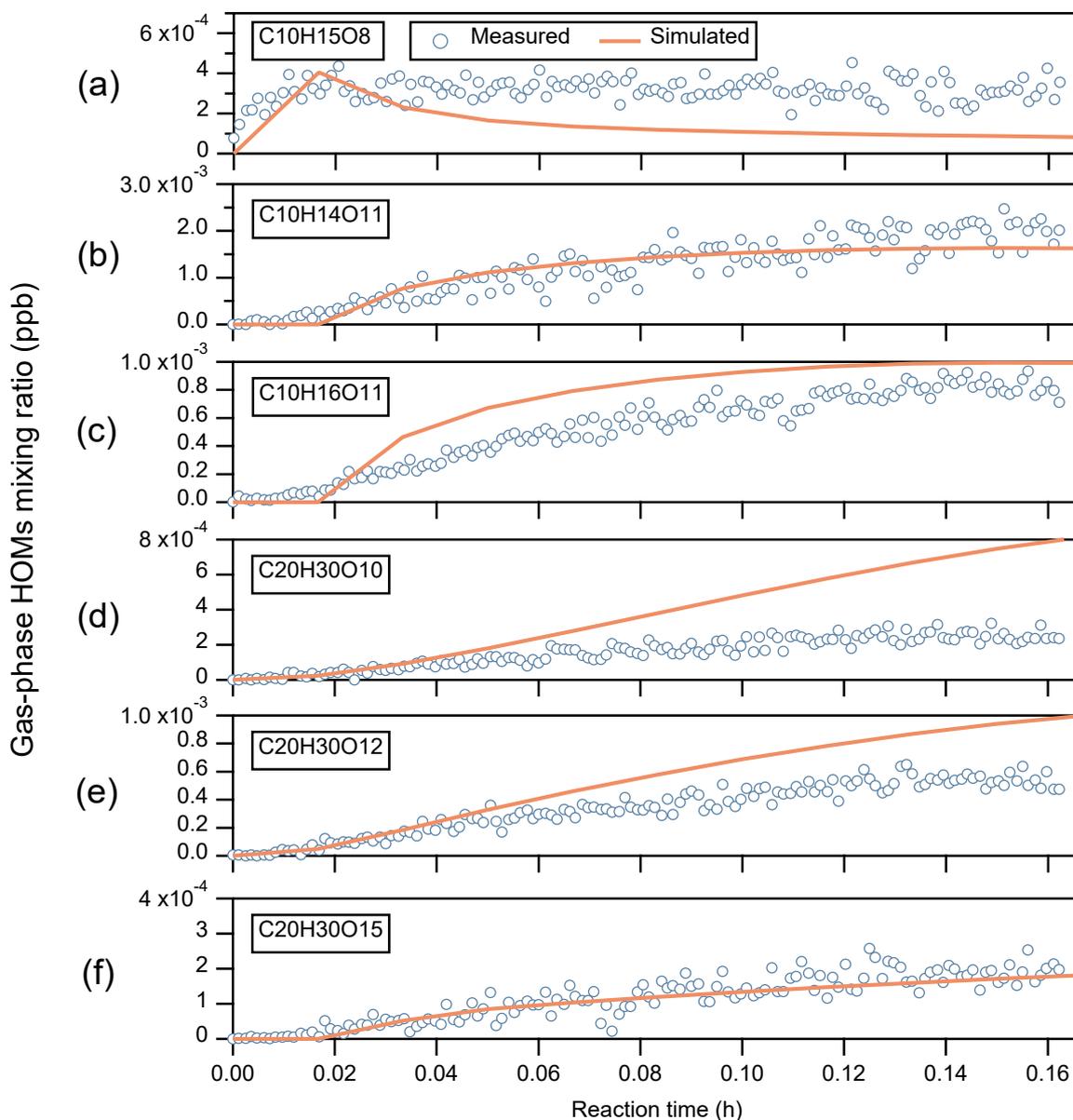
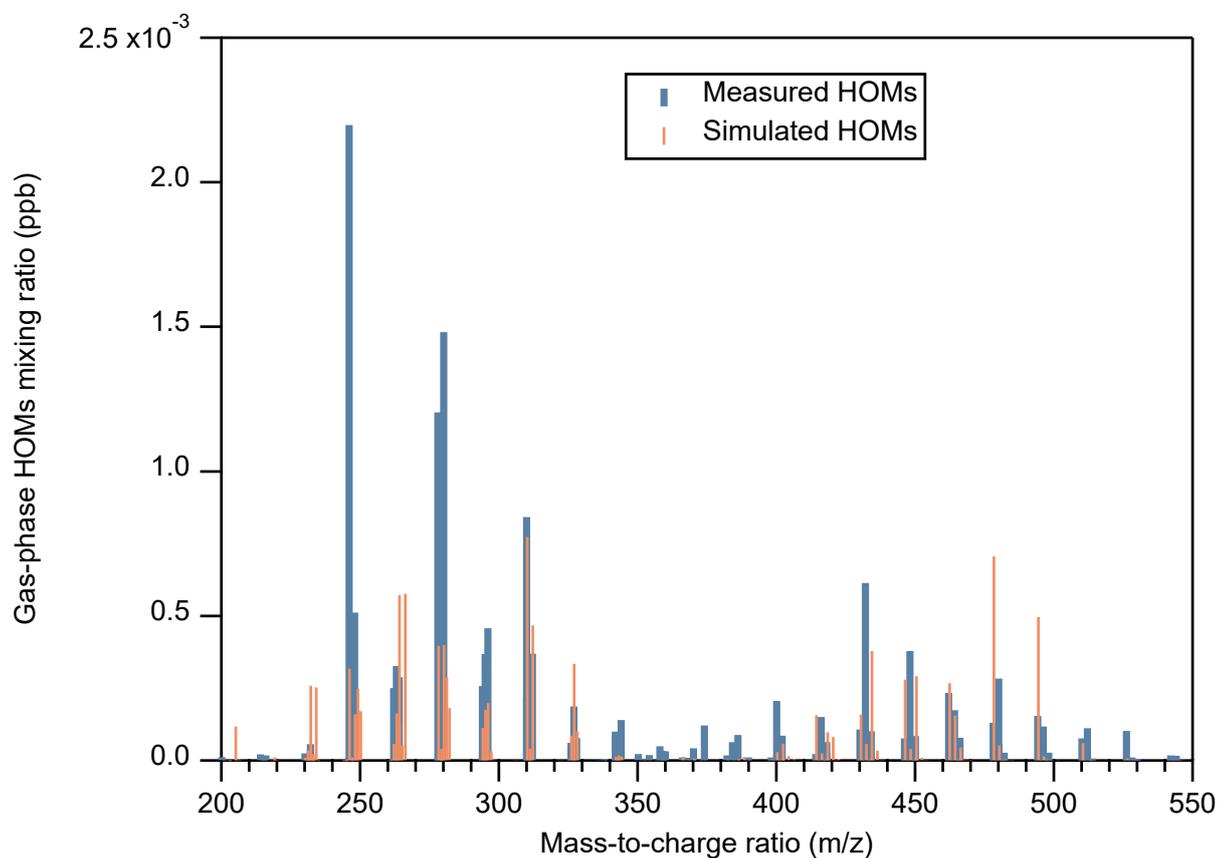


Figure S8: (a-f) Time evolution of the measured (circles) and simulated (lines) gas-phase HOMs mixing ratio (ppb) during the initial 10 min of reaction.



30 Figure S9: Measured and simulated gas-phase HOMs mass spectra averaged over the first 5 min of experiment, during which gas-phase HOMs accumulated rapidly and particle-phase concentrations remained low.

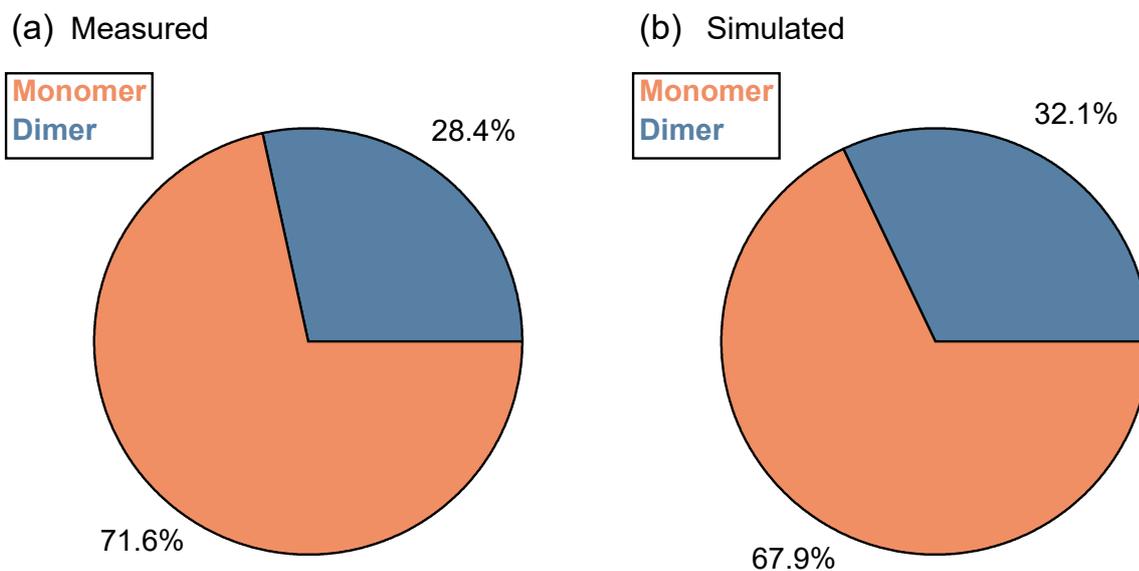
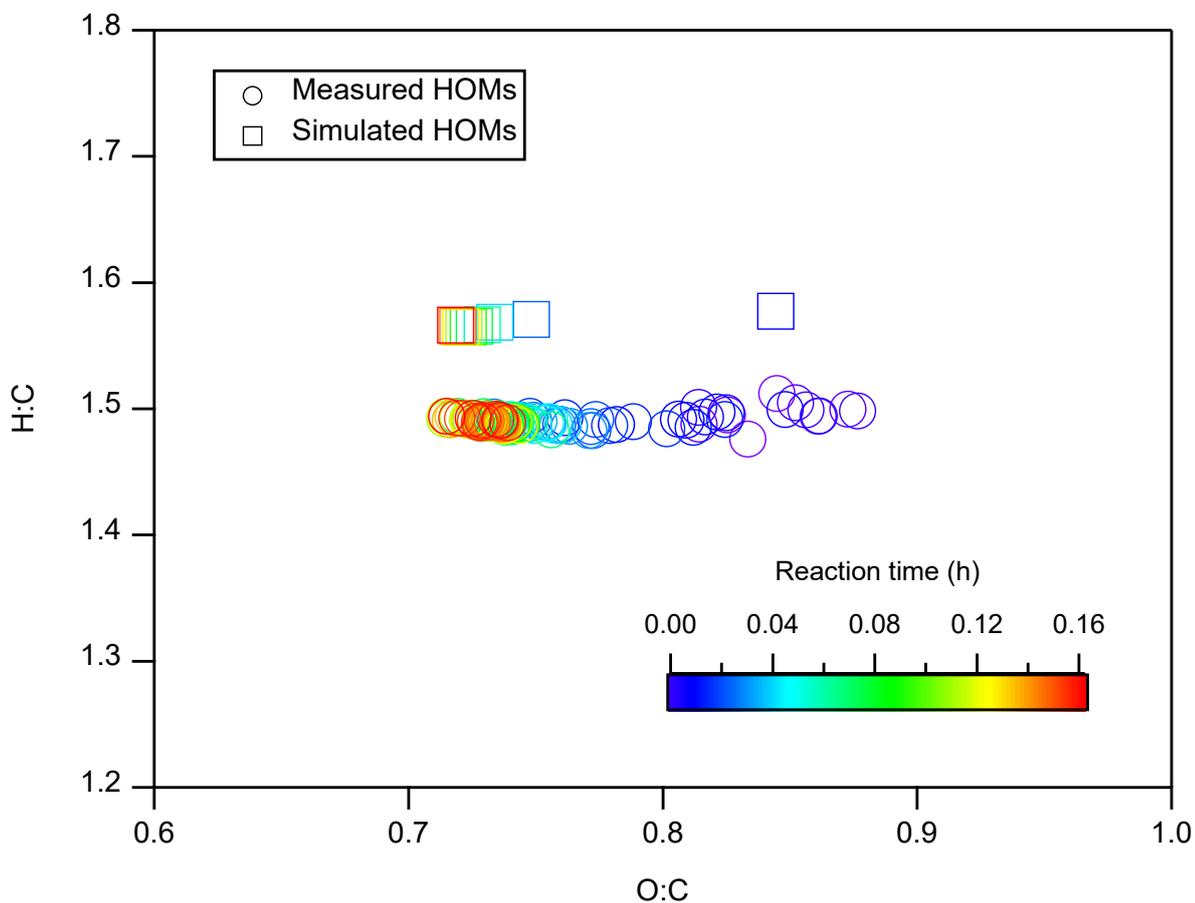


Figure S10: (a) Measured and (b) simulated fractions of HOMs monomers and dimers averaged over the first 5 min of experiment.



35 Figure S11: O:C and H:C ratios for measured (circles) and simulated (squares) gas-phase HOMs within the first 10 min of the experiment.

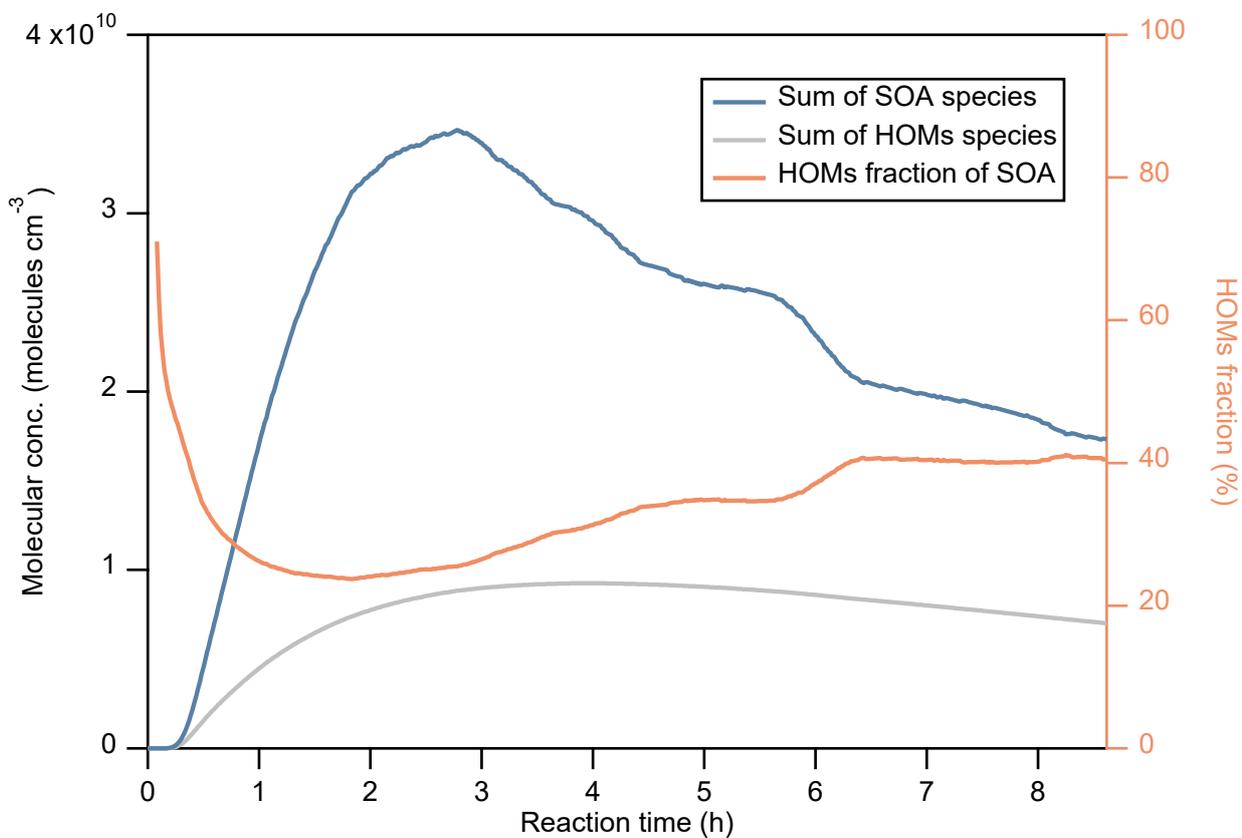
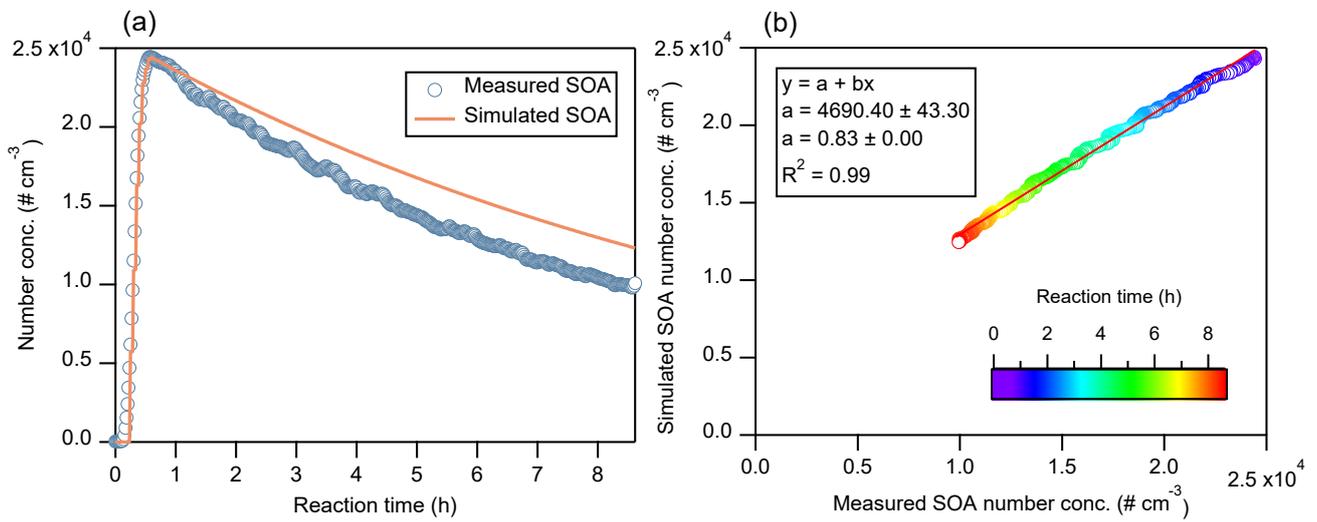
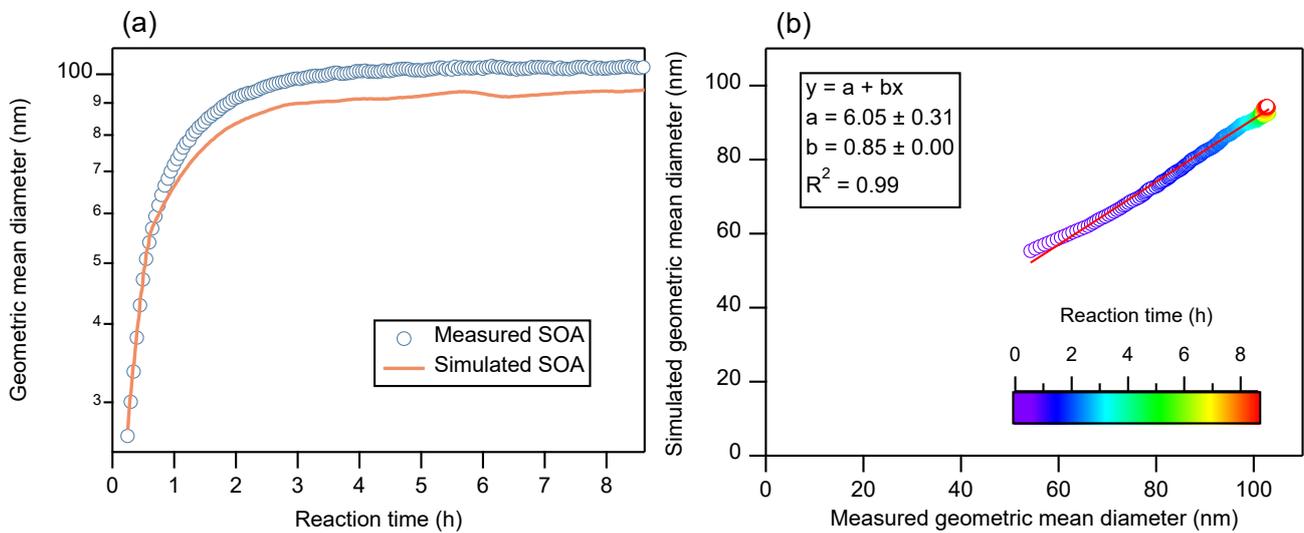


Figure S12: Time evolution of total molecular concentrations (molecules cm⁻³) of simulated SOA and HOMs species, along with the HOMs fraction (%) of total SOA.



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Figure S13: (a) Simulated (line) and measured (circles) SOA number concentrations ($\# \text{ cm}^{-3}$) using the SMPS-constrained seed scheme and excluding coagulation. (b) Scatterplot of measured versus simulated SOA number concentrations, with a linear fit (red line). Data points from the initial 0.6 h are excluded because the number concentration during this period was fitted to the SMPS measurements.



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Figure S14: (a-b) Same as Fig. S13, but for the geometric mean diameter (nm) of SOA. Coagulation is excluded. Data points from the initial 0.6 h are excluded because PSD during this period was fitted to the SMPS measurements.

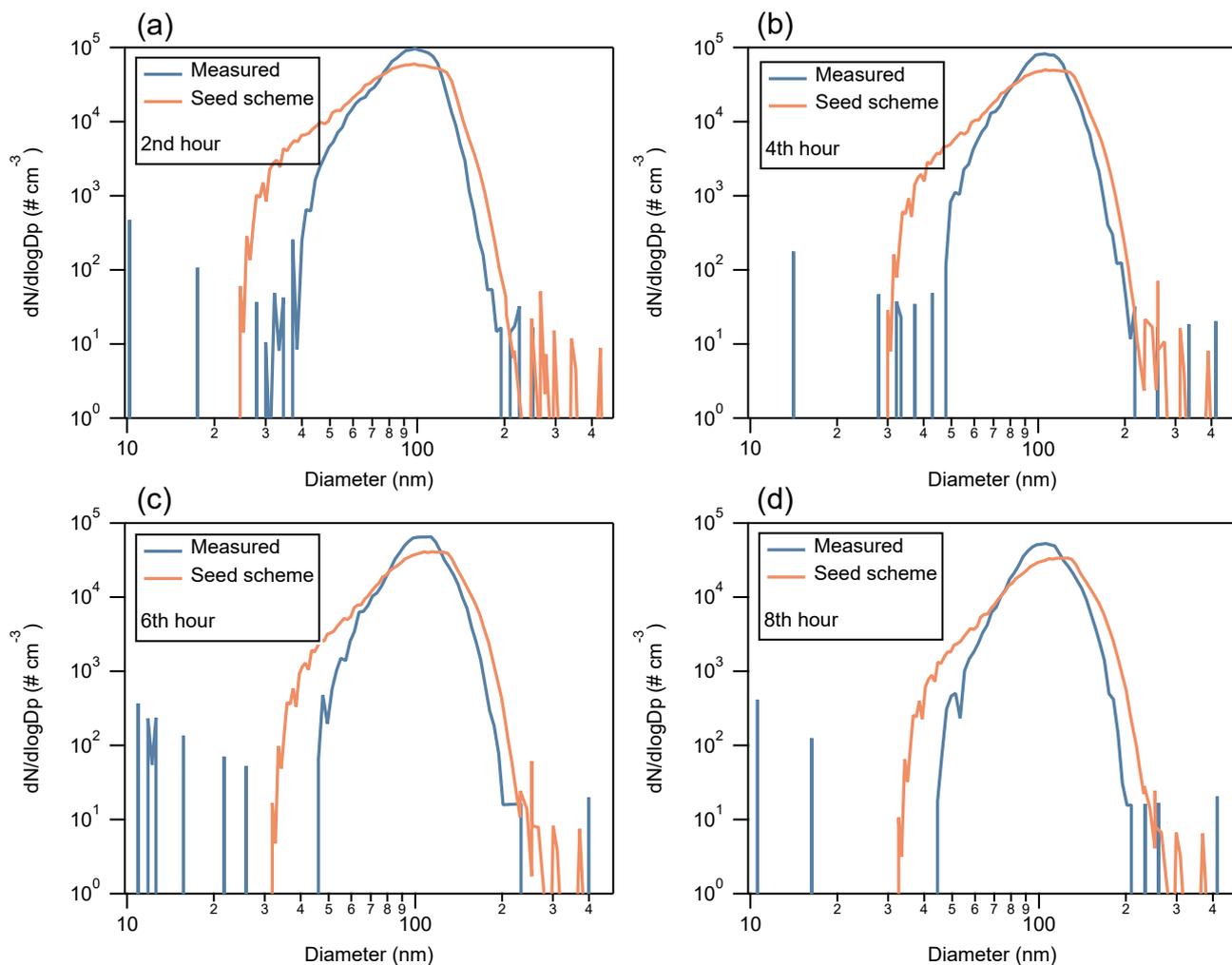


Figure S15: (a-d) Number particle size distribution ($dN/d\log_{10}D_p$) at reaction hours 2, 4, 6, and 8.

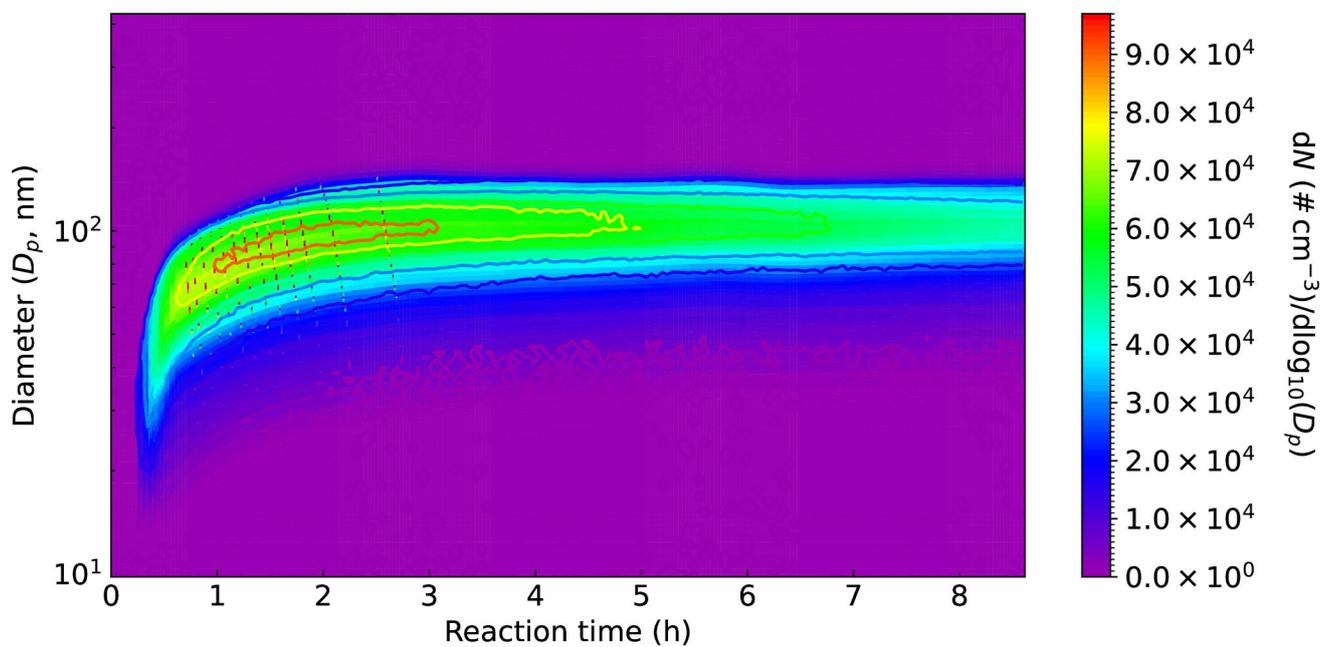


Figure S16: Time evolution of the number size distributions ($dN/d\log_{10}D_p$) for measured (contour lines) and simulated (shaded areas) SOA. Coagulation is excluded in the simulation.

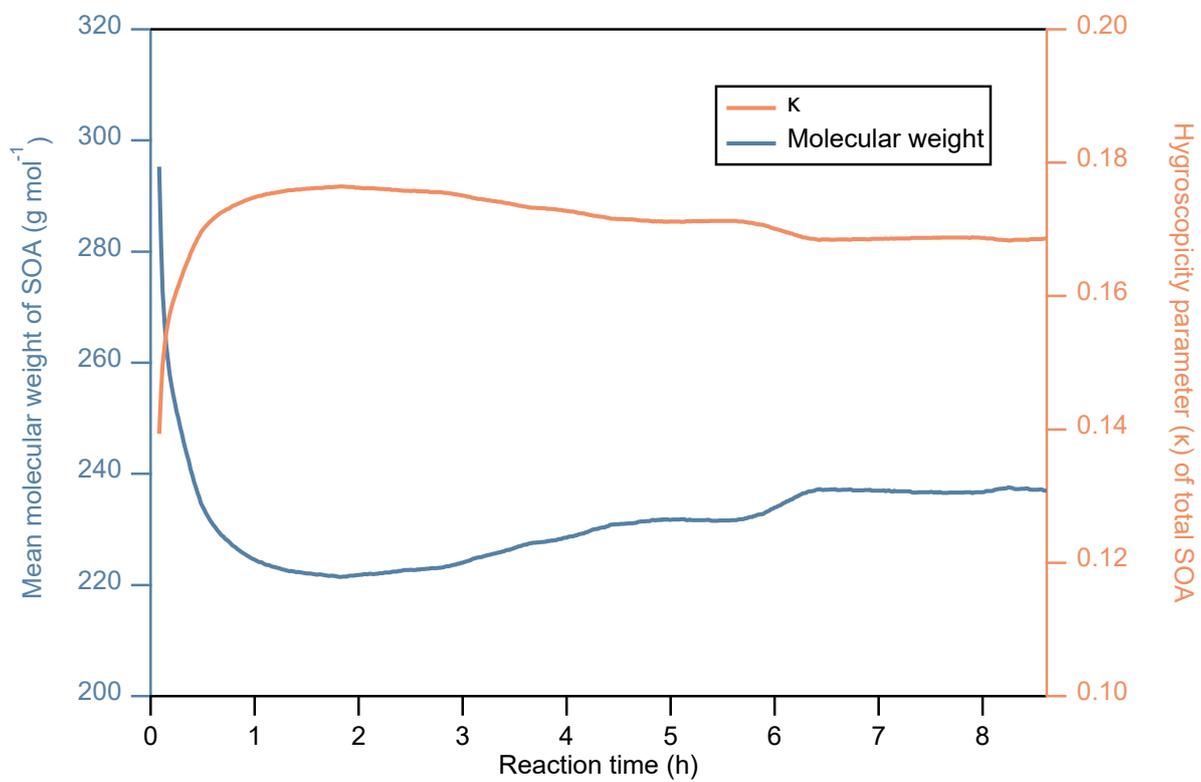
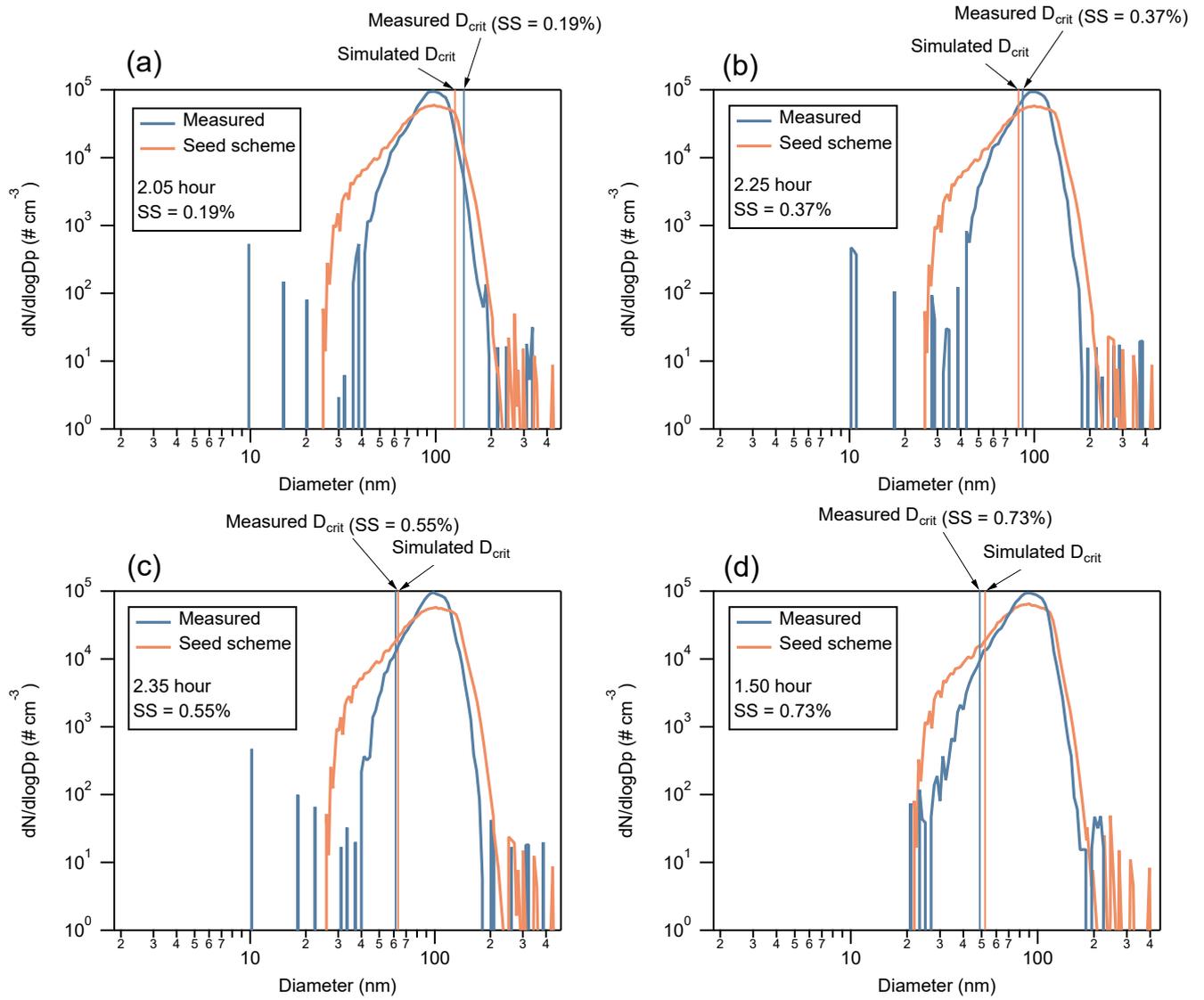
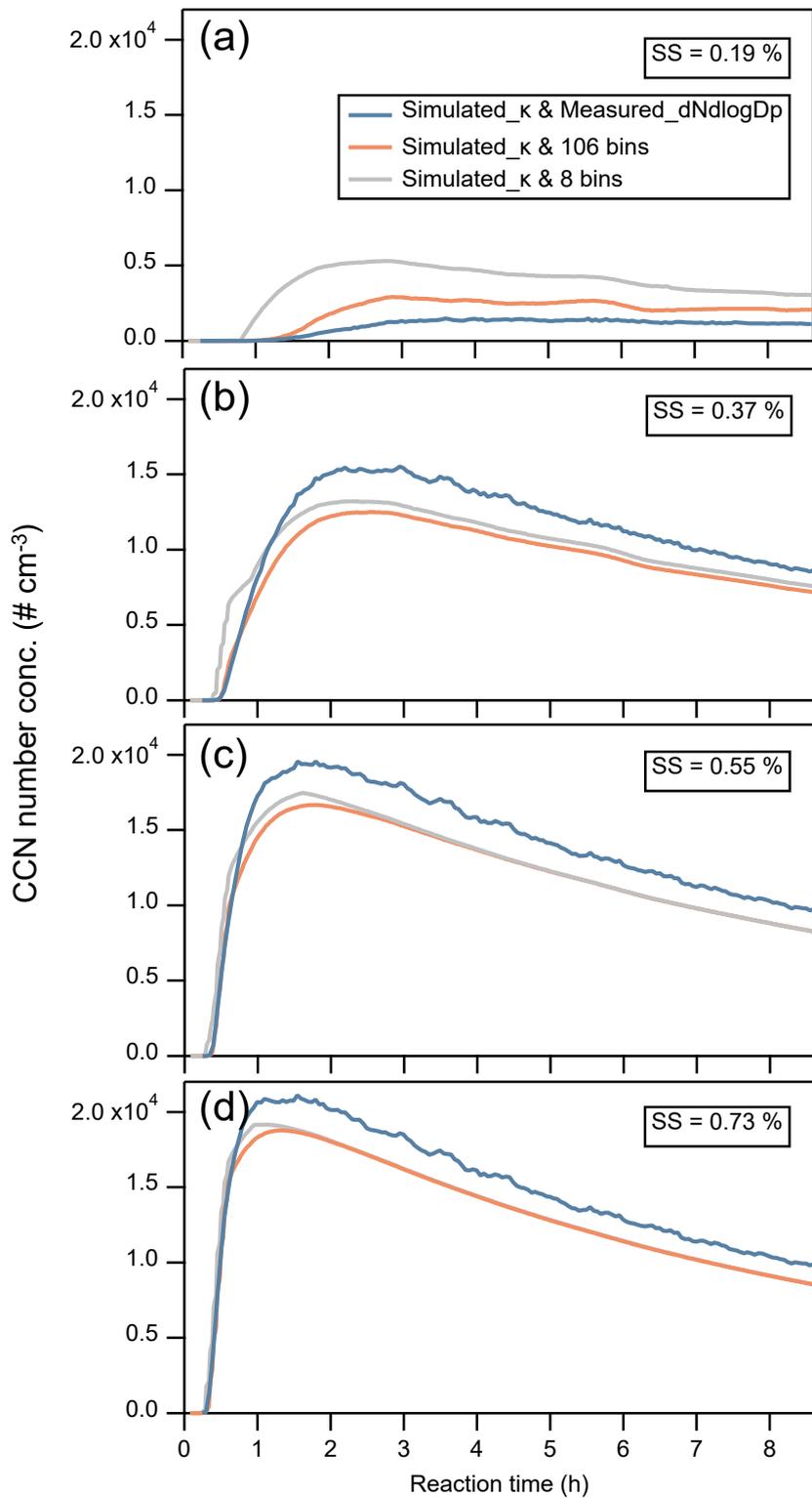


Figure S17: Time evolution of the mean molecular weight and hygroscopicity parameter (κ) of simulated SOA.



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Figure S18: (a-d) Measured PSD and D_{crit} , together with those simulated using the seed scheme, at four SS corresponding to time points before and after 2 h.



60 **Figure S19: (a-d) CCN number concentrations ($\# \text{ cm}^{-3}$) at different SS, calculated using κ simulated by UManSysProp and three types of number PSDs: the measured PSD, and simulated PSD using the 106-bin and 8-bin size-resolution settings.**

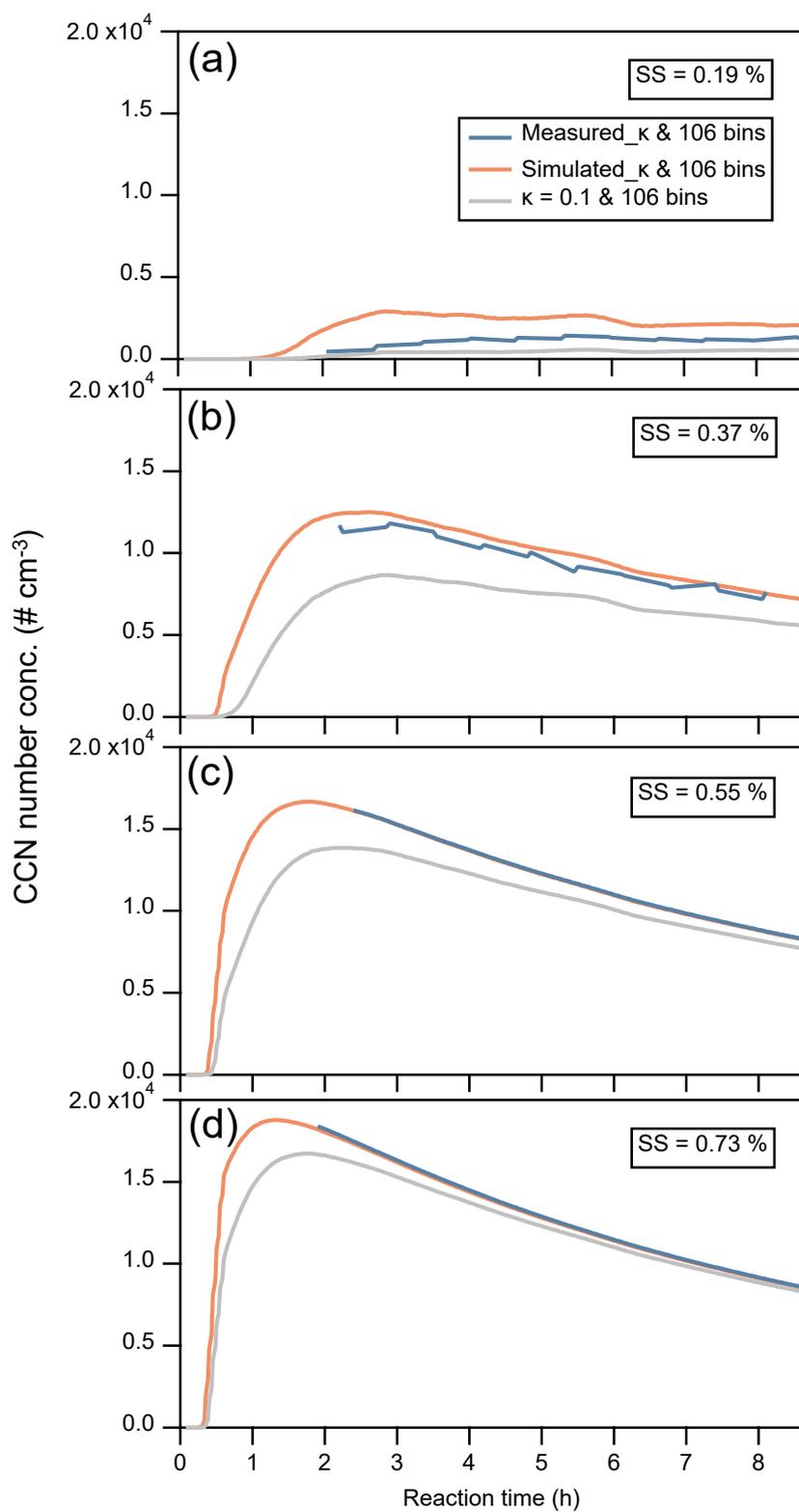
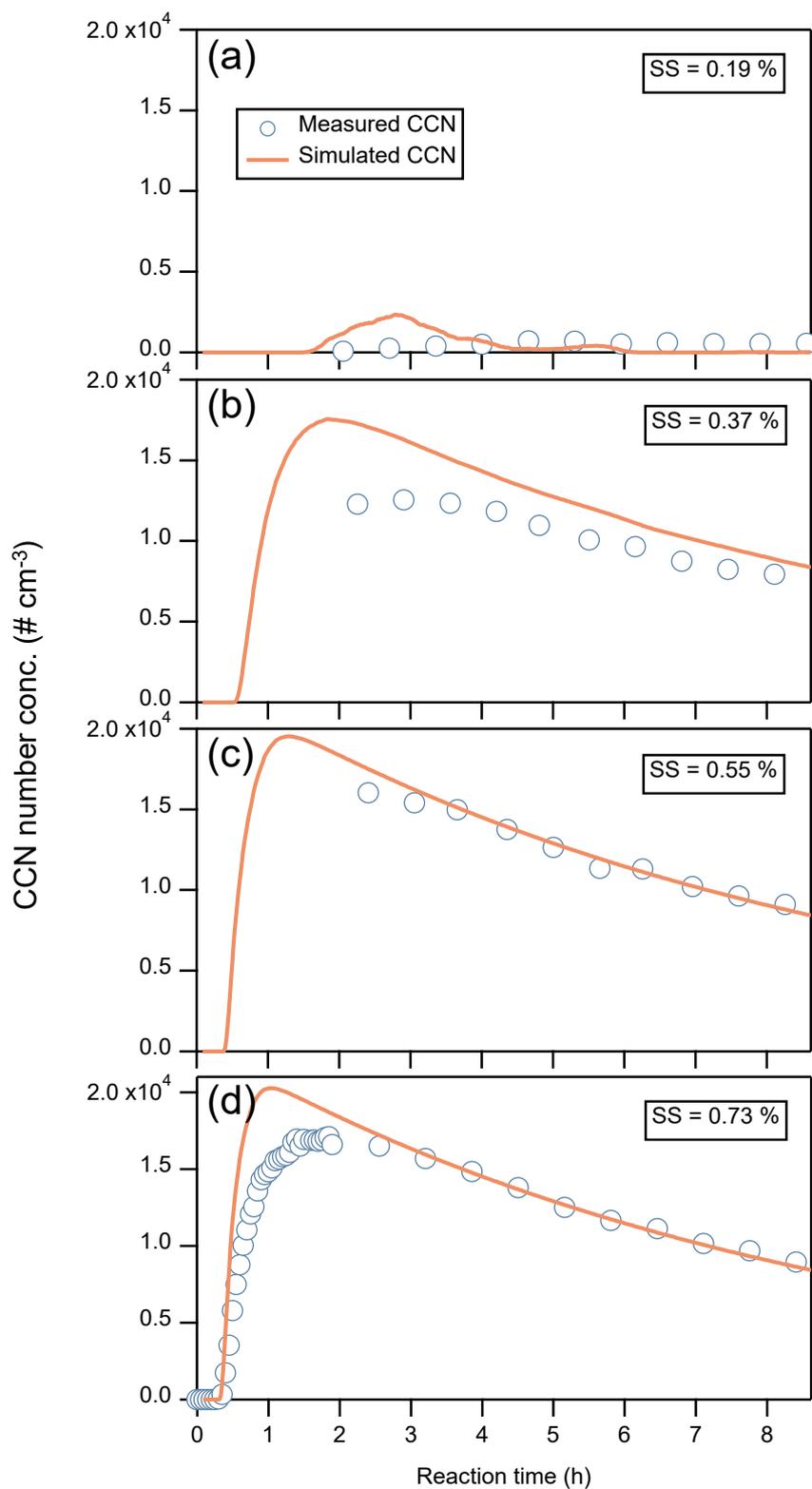


Figure S20: (a-d) CCN number concentrations ($\# \text{ cm}^{-3}$) at different SS, calculated using the simulated PSD with 106 size bins and three κ representations: measured κ , κ calculated using UManSysProp, and a fixed κ value of 0.1.



65 Fig. S21: (a-d) Measured CCN number concentrations (circles; $\# \text{ cm}^{-3}$) and simulated CCN (lines) using κ and PSD from nucleation scheme.

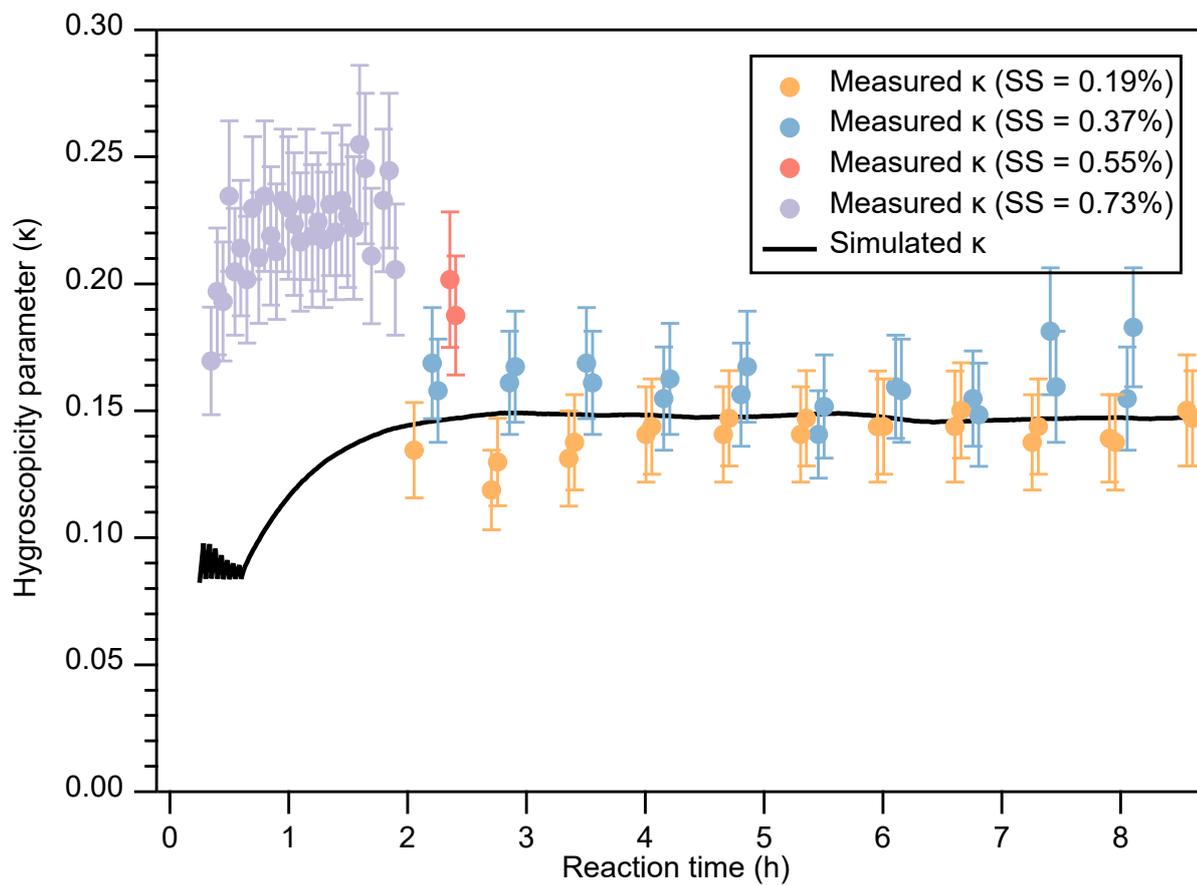
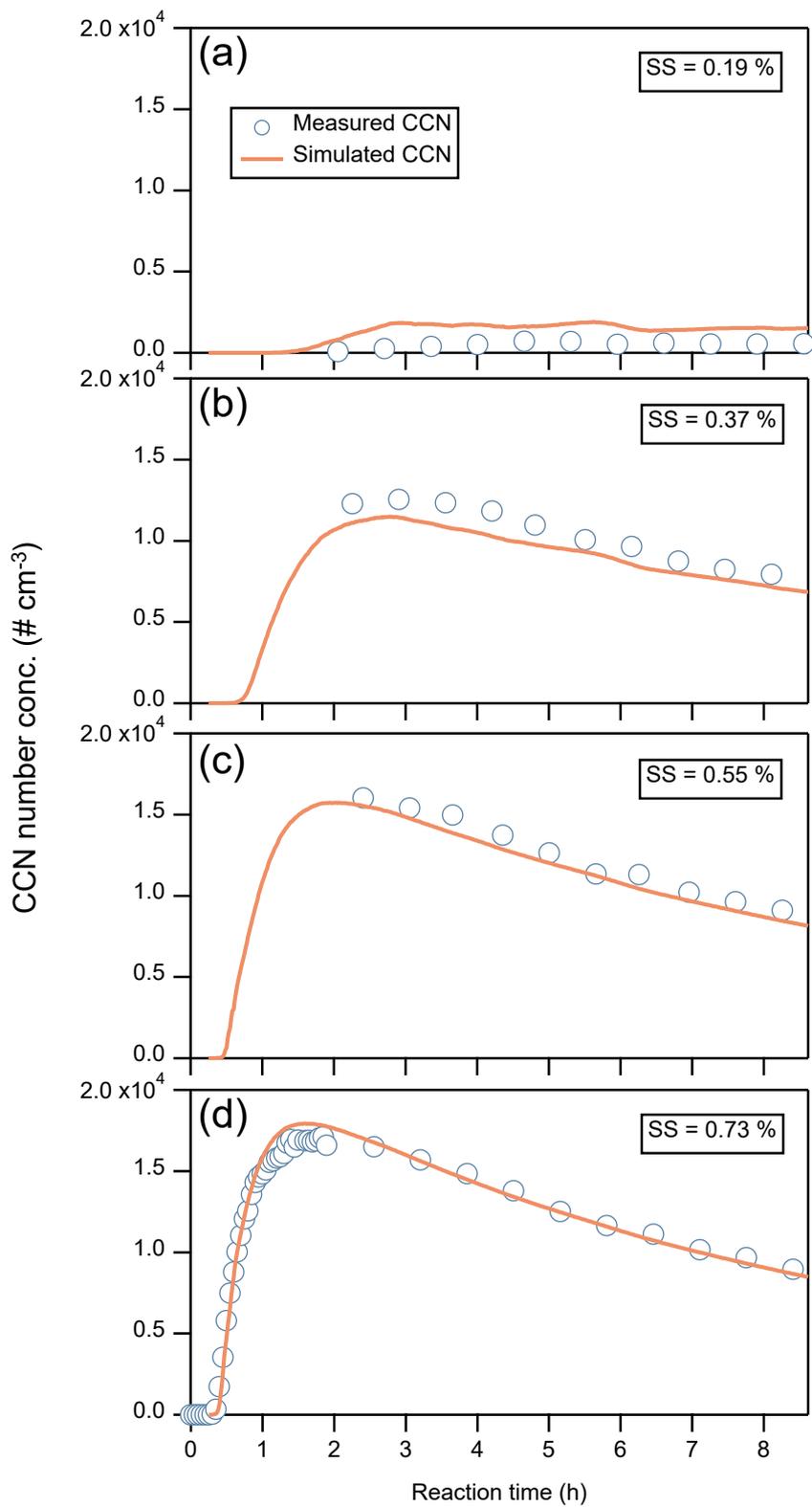


Fig. S22: Hygroscopicity parameter (κ) of simulated SOA using the seed scheme (line) and measured SOA (solid circles with standard-deviation error bars) at different supersaturation (SS).



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Fig. S23: (a-d) Same as Fig. S21, but for CCN simulated by κ and PSD from the seed scheme.

Table S1: The chemical formulas of all organic species, including HOMs, formed during dark α -pinene ozonolysis.

Chemical species in MCM and PRAM			
CH3O2	C9PAN2	C721PAN	C18H26O4
CH3O	C85CO3H	C721CO3H	C88O2
CH3NO3	C85OOH	NORPINIC	C718CO3
HCHO	C86OOH	C721OOH	C87O2
CH3O2NO2	C511OOH	C722OOH	NC826O2
CH3OOH	C7PAN3	C44OOH	C18H27O6NO3
CH3OH	C235C6CO3H	C811NO3	C20H30O8
CO23C4CHO	CO235C6OOH	C516O	C20H31O6NO3
BIACETO2	APINBO	C516OOH	C19H28O9
CH3CO3	APINBNO3	C10H15O2O2	C19H29O6NO3
HCOCH2CO3	APINBOOH	LIMOOA	C18H26O9
CO23C4CO3	APINBCO	LIMALAO2	C18H27O7NO3
C5PAN9	NAPINAO2	LIMALBO2	C20H30O9
CO23C4CO3H	NAPINBO2	C10H17O3O2	C20H31O7NO3
CO23C3CHO	NAPINAO	BPINENE	C19H28O10
HCOCH2CHO	NAPINAOOH	LIMONENE	C19H29O7NO3
HCOCH2O2	NAPINBO	CARENE	C18H26O10
C3PAN2	NC101CO	C10H15O4O2	C18H27O8NO3
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GLYOX	NC101O	C10H15O6O2	C19H28O11
BIACETO	NC102O2	C10H15O7O2	C19H29O8NO3
BIACETOOH	NC102O	C10H15O8O2	C18H26O11
BIACETOH	NC71O2	C10H15O9O2	C18H27O9NO3
HOCH2CO3	NC71O	C10H15O10O2	C20H30O11
HOCH2CHO	NC71CO	C10H15O11O2	C20H31O9NO3
PHAN	NC101OOH	C10H15O12O2	C19H28O12
HOCH2CO3H	NC102OOH	C10H15O2O	C19H29O9NO3
HOCH2CO2H	NC71OOH	C10H15O3O	C18H26O12
ACETOL	NC72O2	C10H15O4O	C18H27O10NO3
MGLYOX	NC72O	C10H15O5O	C20H30O12
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CH3COCH2O	NC72OOH	C10H15O7O	C19H28O13
HCOCO	NC6PAN1	C10H15O8O	C19H29O10NO3
HCOCO3	NC61CO3H	C10H15O9O	C18H26O13
HCOCO3H	APINCO	C10H15O10O	C18H27O11NO3
HCOCO2H	APINCNO3	C10H15O11O	C20H30O13
HMVKAO2	C720O2	C10H15O12O	C20H31O11NO3
HMVKAO	APINCOOH	C10H14O3	C19H28O14

HMVKAN03	APINCOH	C10H14O4	C19H29O11NO3
HMVKAOOH	HCC7CO	C10H14O5	C18H26O14
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CO2H3CHO	C720NO3	C10H14O7	C20H30O14
CO2H3CO3	C720OOH	C10H14O8	C20H31O12NO3
C4PAN6	C720OH	C10H14O9	C19H28O15
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PAN	C719O	C10H14O11	C18H26O15
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Table S2: Simulated hygroscopicity parameter (κ) of SOA calculated from different chemical compositions and the corresponding particle sizes (nm).

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Particle size (nm)	κ
50.6	0.179
63.0	0.178
84.8	0.177