

1 **Supplementary Material**

2 Table S1: Summary of gas-phase, aerosol, meteorological and hydrological measurements at the  
 3 Manitou Experimental Forest Observatory.

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<b>Chemistry tower</b>				
<b>Measurement</b>	<b>Technique</b>	<b>Instrumentation</b>	<b>Institution</b>	<b>Time coverage</b>
Wind speed and direction, temperature, humidity and pressure	2D sonic anemometer	Vaisala, Model WXT520 deployed at 4 heights (1.8, 7.0, 14.1, and 27.8 m)	NCAR	Aug 2009 - present
Wind speed and direction, turbulence	3D sonic anemometer	Campbell Scientific model CSAT-3 at 25.1 m	NCAR	September 2008 – present
CO <sub>2</sub> , water, latent heat, sensible heat fluxes	Eddy Covariance and by using canopy gradients	Campbell Sonic Anemometer, Li-COR 7000 and 6262 CO <sub>2</sub> /H <sub>2</sub> O EC inlet at 25.1 m. Gradient at 6 measurement heights (1.6, 5.0, 8.5, 12.0, 17.7 and 25.1 m)*.	NCAR	Sensible Heat Flux: September 2008-June 2012; Others: November 2009 - present
Photosynthetically-active radiation (PAR)	Quantum sensor	Licor model LI190SA at 2 m and 28 m; Apogee LQS Sensors (2, 4, 8 m)	NCAR	August 2009 – present
Direct and diffuse beam PAR	Quantum sensor	Delta T Instruments, model BF3 (28 m)	NCAR	November 2009 – present
NO, NO <sub>2</sub> , NO <sub>x</sub>	NO by O <sub>3</sub> -induced chemiluminescence, NO <sub>2</sub> converted to NO using heated Molybdenum catalyst at 380 °C	Ecophysics, Model 88Y at 6 sampling heights (*see heights above)	NCAR	June 2009 – June 2012
CO	Non-dispersive infrared absorption	Thermo Environmental model 48 at 3 m	NCAR	Summer of 2010, July 2011-June 2012
SO <sub>2</sub>	UV-fluorescence	Thermo-Environmental, Model 43C-TLE (*see heights	NCAR	June 2009-June 2012

		above)		
Ozone	UV absorption	2B technologies model 205 (*see heights above)	NCAR	June 2009- June2012
Volatile organic compounds (Methyl butanol, isoprene, monoterpenes, other Alkenes, aromatics, alcohols, ketones, aldehydes)	Proton transfer reaction mass spectrometry (PTR-MS, PTR-TOF-MS)	Ionicon Quadropole, Univ. Innsbruck Time of Flight (TOF). Above canopy concentrations, eddy covariance fluxes and gradient measurements	NCAR, University of Innsbruck,	2008 (DOY 240-284), 2009 (DOY 121-246), 2010 (DOY 220-312), 2011 (DOY 201-238)
Size-Resolved Particle Number Fluxes (10-200 nm)	Fast size distributions coupled with eddy covariance	TSI Fast Mobility Particle sizer (FMPS, model 3091)	Indiana University	July - August 2011
Size Distributions of PBAP 0.6-20 $\mu\text{m}$ , 1-100 $\mu\text{m}$ . Total aerosol size distribution and in-canopy aerosol fluxes, 0.055-1.0 $\mu\text{m}$	Ultraviolet (for primary biological particles) and optical (bulk) particle sizers profiling canopy using tower winch	WIBS-4 & UHSAS	University of Manchester, UK	July - August 2011

#### **Micrometeorology Tower**

<b>Measurement</b>	<b>Technique</b>	<b>Instrumentation</b>	<b>Institution</b>	<b>Time coverage</b>
Wind speed, direction, sonic temperature	3D sonic anemometer	Campbell Scientific, model CSAT-3. 5 levels: 2, 8, 16, 29 and 43 m sampled at 20 Hz	NCAR	July 2009 – July 2012
CO <sub>2</sub> , H <sub>2</sub> O	Infrared gas analysis	LI-COR 7500. 4 levels: 2, 8, 16, 43 m sampled at 10 Hz	NCAR	Nov 2009 – July 2012
Atmospheric pressure	Barometer	Vaisala PTB220 sampling at 1 Hz	NCAR	Nov 2009 – July 2012
Temperature, Relative humidity	Radiation shielded and aspirated humitter and resistive temperature	NCAR–Vaisala 50Y Humitter. 5 levels: 2, 8, 16, 29 and 43 m sampled at 1 Hz	NCAR	July 2009 – July 2012
Radiation	4-component net radiometer	Kipp and Zonen, model CNR-1. Above-canopy measurement at 22m. Upwelling and downwelling shortwave and longwave radiation measured at 1 Hz	NCAR	Nov 2009 – July 2012

<b>Peripheral measurements-1 (gas-phase)</b>				
<b>Measurement</b>	<b>Technique</b>	<b>Instrumentation</b>	<b>Institution</b>	<b>Time coverage</b>
Volatile Organic Compounds (concentrations)	Total Organic Gas Analyzer (TOGA); Fast GCMS method	Custom cryo-trapping and desorption GC system with quadrupole MS detection (60 seconds per GC run); Apel et al. 2010	NCAR	August 2010
NO <sub>3</sub> , N <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub>	Cavity Ringdown Spectroscopy	NOAA custom-built system (Dube et al. 2006; Wagner et al. 2011)	Reed college and NOAA	July - August 2011
HO <sub>x</sub> (OH, HO <sub>2</sub> , and RO <sub>2</sub> )	Chemical ionization mass spectrometry	Extrel quadrupole system with a Custom made ionization system (Eisele and Tanner, 1991)	NCAR	August 2010, August 2011
H <sub>2</sub> SO <sub>4</sub>	Chemical ionization mass spectrometry	Extrel quadrupole system with a Custom made ionization system (Eisele and Tanner, 1993)	NCAR	August 2010, August 2011
OH reactivity	Laser pump-probe Laser induced fluorescence (LIF)	Tokyo Metropolitan University LIF (Sadanaga et al. 2004)	Tokyo Metropolitan University	Summer 2010
Formaldehyde (HCHO) concentration and flux	Fiber Laser-induced fluorescence (FILIF)	Madison FILIF instrument (Hottle et al. 2012)	University of Wisconsin Madison	August 2010 (DOY 224-237; 241-243 flux, 217-237; 241-243 conc.)
Glyoxal (CHOCHO)	Laser-Induced Phosphorescence (LIP)	Madison LIP instrument (Huisman et al. 2008)	University of Wisconsin Madison	August 2010 (DOY 227-243)
Intermediate and semivolatile gas-phase organic compounds	Cryotrapping followed by temperature programmed desorption into electron impact mass spectrometry (EI-MS)	Instrument described in Cross et al. 2013	Massachusetts Institute of Technology	July - August 2011
<b>Peripheral measurements-1 (gas-phase)</b>				
Chemical composition of nano-particles	Thermal Desorption Chemical Ionization Mass Spectrometry (TDCIMS)	TDCIMS with quadrupole (2008) and HRTOF (2011) mass spectrometers (Smith et al. 2004)	NCAR	July 2008, August 2011
Particle size distributions	1. nano-Scanning Mobility Particle Sizer	1-TSI model 3085 nano-DMA with	NCAR	February 2010 – Jan 2012

	(SMPS, 3-50 nm); 2. regular SMPS (40-350 nm); 3. optical particle counter (200 nm – 2 um)	model 3025 CPC; 2-TSI model 3081 Long-DMA with model 3760 CPC; 3-Particle Measurement Systems Lasair (model 1002)		
Particle size distributions (5 nm - 32 µm)	Wide Range Aerosol Spectrometer (WRAS)	Grimm Model EDM 665	Max Planck Institute for Chemistry	July - August 2011
Particle size distributions	Scanning mobility particle sizer	TSI model 3080 classifier using TSI model 3081 long column DMA and TSI model 3010 CPC.	University of Colorado, Boulder	July 2011 – June 2012
Particle size distributions of total particles and fluorescent biological particles (0.5 – 20 um)	Ultraviolet aerodynamic particle sizer (UV-APS)	TSI model 3014	Max Planck Institute for Chemistry	July 2011 – June 2012
Ice nuclei (IN) and bioaerosol characterization	Multiple Orifice Uniform Deposition Impactor (MOUDI) analyzed via droplet freezing technique (UBC) and fluorescence microscopy (MPIC)	MSP Model 110-R	Max Planck Institute for Chemistry and University of British Columbia	July - August 2011
Particle elemental composition, characterization, and imaging	Low-volume filters (gold-coated Nuclepore) analyzed via scanning electron microscopy (SEM)	Scanning electron microscopy	Max Planck Institute for Chemistry	July - August 2011
Particle elemental composition and characterization	Low-volume impactors (silicon nitride windows) analyzed via scanning transmission x-ray microscopy with near-edge x-ray absorption fine structure analysis (STXM-NEXAFS)	X-ray microscopy and near-edge x-ray absorption	Max Planck Institute for Chemistry	July - August 2011
Particle imaging	Low volume impactors (TEM grids) analyzed via transmission electron microscopy (TEM)	Transmission electron microscopy	Max Planck Institute for Chemistry	July - August 2011
Biological organism	High-volume filters	Digitel DHA-80	Max Planck	July - August

DNA speciation	(glass fiber) analyzed via polymerase chain reaction (PCR) technique		Institute for Chemistry	2011
Culturable biological particle identification and ice activity	Direct-to-agar impactor samplers (time-resolved/slit and size-resolved/6-stage) analyzed via PCR and drop freezing	Andersen	Max Planck Institute for Chemistry	July - August 2011
Cloud condensation nuclei (CCN)	Continuous-flow streamwise thermal-gradient CCN chamber sampling bulk (2008) and size selected particles	Droplet Measurement Technologies model CCN-100 with TSI DMA and particle counter	Colorado State University (2010-2011); Washington State University (2008);	July 2008, May 2010-December 2011
Ice Nuclei (IN)	Continuous Flow Diffusion Chamber (CFDC)	Made in house, following Rogers et al. 2001	Colorado State University	July 2008, July – August 2011
Primary biological aerosol particle (PBAP) speciation	Sampling with offline analysis	Biosampler with PCR/sequencing	Colorado State University	July - August 2011
Black carbon mass, size distribution and mixing state	Single Particle soot spectrometer	Droplet Measurement Technologies, model SP2	Los Alamos National Laboratory	July - August 2011
3-wavelength aerosol absorption and scattering	3-Wavelength Photoacoustic Sensors, 2-Vis/IR, 1-UV	Droplet Measurement Technologies, model PASS-3	Los Alamos National Laboratory	July - August 2011
Aerosol volatility-resolved 3-wavelength aerosol absorption and scattering	Thermal denuder with 3-Wavelength Photoacoustic Sensors, 2-Vis/IR, 1-UV	Droplet Measurement Technologies, model PASS-3	Los Alamos National Laboratory	July - August 2011
Sub-micron non-refractory bulk and size-resolved aerosol composition	Aerosol mass spectrometry	HR-TOF-AMS (DeCarlo et al. 2006)	University of Colorado, Boulder;	July - August 2011
Aerosol volatility-resolved aerosol composition	Thermal denuder (Huffman et al. 2009) with aerosol mass spectrometry	Aerodyne thermal denuder with HR-TOF-AMS (deCarlo et al. 2006)	University of Colorado, Boulder	July - August 2011
Aerosol volatility-resolved 3-wavelength aerosol absorption and scattering	Thermal denuder with 3-Wavelength Photoacoustic Sensors, 2-Vis/IR, 1-UV	Droplet Measurement Technologies, model PASS-3	Los Alamos National Laboratory	July - August 2011
Sub-micron non-refractory bulk and	Aerosol mass spectrometry	HR-TOF-AMS (DeCarlo et al.	University of Colorado,	July - August 2011

size-resolved aerosol composition		2006)	Boulder;	
Aerosol volatility-resolved aerosol composition	Thermal denuder (Huffman et al. 2009) with aerosol mass spectrometry	Aerodyne thermal denuder with HR-TOF-AMS (deCarlo et al. 2006)	University of Colorado, Boulder	July - August 2011
MBO-derived epoxides	High volume filter samples	Filter sampler and offline GC/MS and LC/MS analysis	University of North Carolina	July - August 2011
Organic speciation, biomarkers including precursor-specific SOA tracers, EC/OC and <sup>14</sup> C of EC/OC for PM <sub>2.5</sub>	High volume filter samples	Filter sampler and offline analysis	United States EPA	July - August 2011
Lipids, carbohydrates, proteins constituents of aerosol	High volume filter samples	Quartz filters with offline analysis	University of Colorado, Boulder	Summers of 2008, 2009, 2011
Particulate elemental carbon and organic carbon	Thermal-optical method	Sunset EC/OC	University of Colorado, Boulder	July - August 2011
<b>Peripheral measurements-3 (mixed gas+aerosol-phase)</b>				
Aerosol- and gas-phase chemistry of ambient air in a highly oxidizing environment	Ambient sampling via oxidant flow reactor with addition of OH, NO <sub>3</sub> , O <sub>3</sub>	2 x Potential Aerosol Mass (PAM) oxidant flow reactors (Kang et al. 2007, Ortega et al. 2013); Oxidants: OH, O <sub>3</sub> , NO <sub>3</sub> ; analysis by Aerodyn AMS, PTR-TOF-MS and SMPS	University of Colorado, Boulder; University of Innsbruck	July - August 2011
NO <sub>2</sub> , PANs, HNO <sub>3</sub> , Alkyl nitrates (gas & aerosol using denuder)	Thermal Desorption - Laser induced fluorescence	Custom-built system (Day et al. 2002, Rollins et al. 2010)	Reed College and University of California, Berkeley	July - August 2011
Gas- and particle-phase organic acids composition and partitioning-1	Micro-Orifice Volatilization Impactor High-Resolution Time-of-Flight Chemical Ionization Mass Spectrometer (MOVI-HRToF-CIMS) using acetate reagent ion	Aerodyne Research Inc. MOVI-HRToF-CIMS (Yatavelli et al. 2012, Yatavelli et al. 2013)	University of Colorado, Boulder	July - August 2011
Gas- and particle-phase organic acids composition and partitioning-2	Atmospheric Pressure Chemical Ionization Ion Trap Mass Spectrometry using	Custom-built instrument (as described by Hoffman et al. 2002	University of Mainz	July - August 2011

	O <sub>2</sub> - reagent ion (APCI-IT-MS)	and Vogel et al. 2013)		
Simultaneous bulk and speciated organics in gas and particle phases	Thermal Desorption Gas Chromatography Mass Spectrometry and Aerosol Mass Spectrometry	Semi-Volatile Thermal desorption Aerosol Gas chromatograph / Aerosol Mass Spectrometry (SV-TAG-AMS; Zhao et al. 2013)	University of California Berkeley	July - August 2011
Ambient neutral molecular clusters	Chemical ionization mass spectrometry	Cluster-Chemical Ionization Mass Spectrometer (Zhao et al. 2010)	NCAR	July 2008
<b>Peripheral measurements-4 (hydrological)</b>				
Precipitation (rain)	Tipping buckets	Texas Electronics model USW525. 11 tipping buckets distributed around Chemistry flux tower	NCAR	July 2009-present
Precipitation (total)	Weighing total precipitation gauge	Environmental Technologies Inc., Noah-II (5 minute averaging)	NCAR	February 2010-present
Snow depth	Laser snow depth sensor	Jenoptik, Inc. SHM30	NCAR	2010-present.
Soil moisture	Frequency domain reflectometry	Decagon EC-5 probes (3 sites around flux tower extending 1 m into soil)	NCAR	June 2010-present
Soil temperature	Thermistor	Campbell Scientific T107 (co-located with soil moisture above).	NCAR	June 2010-present
<b>Peripheral measurements-5 (biological)</b>				
Sap flow	Compensation Heat Pulse Method	Made in house, following Burgess et al. 2001	NCAR	May 2010-December 2011
Soil VOC emissions	Static (University of Colorado) and dynamic (NCAR) chamber approaches, measuring VOC abundances by PTR-MS	Custom-built chambers with automated lid control. Measurements by Ionicon PTR-MS and NCAR PTR-MS	NCAR, University of Colorado Boulder	July 2008
Leaf-level photosynthesis and	2-channel infrared gas analyzer (CO <sub>2</sub> +	Licor Model 6262	NCAR	Campaign-style

respiration	H2O)			measurements each growing season (2008-2012)
Leaf-level BVOC emission measurements	VOC trapping onto solid adsorbents followed by GC-FID/MS analysis	Flow through cuvettes with light and temperature control	NCAR	Campaign-style measurements each growing season (2008-2012)
Tree branch gas exchange	Infrared gas analysis	LiCor Model 6400	University of Colorado, Boulder	July - August 2011
Tree branch VOC emissions	Proton transfer reaction mass spectrometry (PTR-MS)	Ionicon PTR-MS	University of Colorado, Boulder	July - August 2011
<b>Peripheral measurements-6 (miscellaneous)</b>				
Understory radiation and flux of latent heat, sensible heat water and CO2	Eddy covariance, radiometer	Campbell C-SAT sonic anemometer; open-path infrared gas analyzer and krytpon hygrometer	NCAR	2011-2012
NO2 photolysis	Actinic flux filter radiometry	Metcon jNO2 filter radiometers	NCAR	Outside and within canopy (August 2010, July-Aug 2011)
Actinic flux (product of photolysis frequencies)	Spectrally-resolved diode array	Metcon Spectrograph with Diode Array Detector	NCAR	Top of chemistry tower (July-August 2011).
Actinic flux and jNO2	Diode array actinic flux spectroradiometer (DAAFS)	Metcon with jNO2 filter	University of Houston	August 2011
Water isotopes	Cavity ring-down spectrometry	Picarro L2120-i	Univ. of Arizona (2010), Univ. Colorado, Boulder (2011)	August 2010, May-October 2011
Boundary layer height and atmospheric structure	Ceilometer	Vaisala CL-31 (Haman et al. 2012)	University of Houston	August 2010, July-August 2011

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6 Abbreviations:

7 NOAA – National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

8 NCAR – National Center for Atmospheric Research

- 9 EPA –Environmental Protection Agency
- 10 CPC – Condensational Particle Counter
- 11 DMA – Differential Mobility Analyzer
- 12 UHSAS – Ultra-high Sensitivity Aerosol Spectrometer
- 13 EC/OC – Elemental Carbon/Organic Carbon
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16 Table S2: Selected studies of BEACHON (Bio-hydro-atmosphere interactions of Energy,  
 17 Aerosols, Carbon, H<sub>2</sub>O, Organics & Nitrogen) field campaigns at the Manitou Experimental  
 18 Forest Observatory.  
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<b>BEACHON SRM08 (Southern Rocky Mountain 2008)</b>	
<b>Emphasis</b>	<b>Citation</b>
PTR-MS measurements of BVOC; interpretation of mass spectra	Kim et al. 2010
Mass spectrometer measurements of neutral sulfuric acid clusters	Zhao et al. 2010
Characterizing neutral clusters containing sulfuric acid and amines	Zhao et al. 2011
<b>BEACHON ROCS (Rocky Mountain Organic Study).</b>	
<b>Emphasis</b>	<b>Citation</b>
Formaldehyde flux measurements using laser-induced fluorescence (LIF)	DiGangi et al. 2011
Fast glyoxal and formaldehyde measurements and comparison to other Ponderosa Pine forest	DiGangi et al. 2012
Leaf and needle BVOC contribution to whole ecosystem fluxes	Greenberg et al. 2013
Comparison of BVOC measurement techniques	Kaser et al. 2013a
Measurements and modeling results above-canopy ponderosa pine emissions	Kaser et al. 2013b
Evaluation of HO <sub>x</sub> sources in an ecosystem dominated by MBO and MT emissions	Kim et al. 2013
Nocturnal evapotranspiration in an open-canopy forest through isotopic analysis of H <sub>2</sub> O	Berkelhammer, et al. 2013
<b>BEACHON RoMBAS (Rocky Mountain Biogenic Aerosol Study).</b>	
<b>Emphasis</b>	<b>Citation</b>
Exposed monoterpene resin effects on ecosystem MT emissions	Eller et al. 2013
Measurements of particle and gaseous organic nitrate species.	Fry et al. 2013
Rain effects on the concentration of biological particles and ice condensation nuclei	Huffman et al. 2013
Isoprene and 232-MBO measurements using NO <sup>+</sup> ionization mass spectrometry	Karl et al. 2012
Year-long characterization of aerosol hygroscopicity	Levin et al. 2012
Aerosol hygroscopicity and aerosol chemical	Levin et al. 2013

composition in summer

Rain effects on populations of ice nuclei	Prenni et al. 2013
Size- and time-dependent vertical aerosol flux measurements	Pryor et al. 2013
Cluster analysis to characterize constituents of bio-aerosol samples	Robinson et al. 2013
Seasonal cycles of fluorescent biological aerosol particles	Schumacher et al. 2013
Correlations between ice nuclei and fluorescent biological aerosol particles	Tobo et al. 2013
Gas- and particle-phase partitioning of organic acids	Yatavelli et al. 2013
Organosulfates as tracers for MBO-derived SOA formation	Zhang et al. 2013

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