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Interactive comment on "Nucleation and growth of new particles in Po Valley, Italy" by A. Hamed et al.

Anonymous Referee #1

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General:

The manuscript presents an analysis of aerosol formation events observed in a polluted European environment. The analysis is based on continuous field measurements conducted over approximately a three-year period in Po Valley, Italy. While relatively similar analyses have been made before for many other sites, the extensiveness of the studied data set makes this paper valuable enough to be published. The scientific quality of the paper is high and it is very easy to read. I am not able to find any major errors in it that would require corrections. Therefore, I have only a couple of mainly technical-type comments.

Comments:

Table 2 is totally unnecessary and could be removed from the paper.

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There seems to be something wrong with the y-axis of Figure 3.

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