

# A new isoprene mechanism MIM2 for atmospheric modelling

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Table 1: MIM2 species. For the lumped species based on isomers in MCM only the condensed formulae are shown. For lumped species representing non-isomeric species the condensed formulae are not shown.

MIM2 name	Formula	Description	Transported
<b>C<sub>5</sub> Stable species</b>			
C5H8	CH <sub>2</sub> =C(CH <sub>3</sub> )CH=CH <sub>2</sub>	2-methyl-1,3-butadiene (isoprene)	yes
LISOPACOOH	C <sub>5</sub> H <sub>10</sub> O <sub>3</sub> lumped	see Tab. 2	yes
ISOPBOOH	HOCH <sub>2</sub> C(CH <sub>3</sub> )(OOH)CH=CH <sub>2</sub>	$\beta$ -hydroxyperoxide	yes
ISOPDOOH	CH <sub>2</sub> =C(CH <sub>3</sub> )CHOOCCH <sub>2</sub> OH	$\beta$ -hydroxyperoxide	yes
ISOPAOH	HOCH <sub>2</sub> C(CH <sub>3</sub> )=CHCH <sub>2</sub> OH	E-2-methyl-2-butene-1,4-diol	yes
ISOPBOH	HOCH <sub>2</sub> C(CH <sub>3</sub> )OHCH=CH <sub>2</sub>	2-methyl-3-butene-1,2-diol	yes
ISOPDOH	CH <sub>2</sub> =C(CH <sub>3</sub> )CHOCH <sub>2</sub> OH	3-methyl-3-butene-1,2-diol	yes
LISOPACNO3	C <sub>5</sub> H <sub>10</sub> NO <sub>4</sub> lumped	see Tab. 2	yes
ISOPBNO3	HOCH <sub>2</sub> C(CH <sub>3</sub> )ONO <sub>2</sub> CH=CH <sub>2</sub>	alkyl nitrate	yes
ISOPDNO3	CH <sub>2</sub> =C(CH <sub>3</sub> )CHONO <sub>2</sub> CH <sub>2</sub> OH	alkyl nitrate	yes
NISOPOOH	O <sub>2</sub> NOCH <sub>2</sub> C(CH <sub>3</sub> )=CHCH <sub>2</sub> OOH	nitro-hydro-peroxide	yes
NC4CHO	O <sub>2</sub> NOCH <sub>2</sub> C(CH <sub>3</sub> )=CHCHO	nitro-aldehyde	yes
LNISOOH	C <sub>5</sub> H <sub>7</sub> NO <sub>6.5</sub> lumped	see Tab. 2	yes
LHC4ACCHO	C <sub>5</sub> H <sub>8</sub> O <sub>2</sub> lumped	see Tab. 2	yes
LC578OOH	C <sub>5</sub> H <sub>10</sub> O <sub>5</sub> lumped	see Tab. 2	yes
LHC4ACCO2H	C <sub>5</sub> H <sub>8</sub> O <sub>3</sub> lumped	see Tab. 2	yes
LHC4ACCO3H	C <sub>5</sub> H <sub>8</sub> O <sub>4</sub> lumped	see Tab. 2	yes
LC5PAN1719	C <sub>5</sub> H <sub>7</sub> NO <sub>6</sub> lumped	see Tab. 2	yes
HCOC5	CH <sub>2</sub> =C(CH <sub>3</sub> )COCH <sub>2</sub> OH		yes
C59OOH	HOCH <sub>2</sub> C(CH <sub>3</sub> )(OOH)COCH <sub>2</sub> OH		yes
<b>C<sub>5</sub>-peroxy radicals</b>			
LISOPACO2	C <sub>5</sub> H <sub>9</sub> O <sub>3</sub> lumped	$\delta$ -hydroxyperoxy radical	see Tab. 2
ISOPBO2	HOCH <sub>2</sub> CO <sub>2</sub> (CH <sub>3</sub> )CH=CH <sub>2</sub>	$\beta$ -hydroxyperoxy radical	no
ISOPDO2	CH <sub>2</sub> =C(CH <sub>3</sub> )CO <sub>2</sub> CH <sub>2</sub> OH	$\beta$ -hydroxyperoxy radical	no
NISOPO2	O <sub>2</sub> NOCH <sub>2</sub> C(CH <sub>3</sub> )=CHCH <sub>2</sub> O <sub>2</sub>	nitro-peroxy radical	no
LNISO3	C <sub>5</sub> H <sub>7</sub> NO <sub>6.5</sub> lumped	nitro-peroxy radical	see Tab. 2
LHC4ACCO3	C <sub>5</sub> H <sub>7</sub> O <sub>4</sub> lumped	$\delta$ -hydroxyperoxyacetyl radical	see Tab. 2
LC578O2	C <sub>5</sub> H <sub>9</sub> O <sub>5</sub> lumped	see Tab. 2	no
C59O2	C <sub>5</sub> H <sub>9</sub> O <sub>5</sub>	alkyl peroxy radicals from the C <sub>5</sub> -hydroxy ketone (HCOC5)	no
<b>C<sub>4</sub> Stable species</b>			
MACR	CH <sub>2</sub> =C(CH <sub>3</sub> )CHO	methacrolein	yes
MACROOH	HOCH <sub>2</sub> C(CH <sub>3</sub> )(OOH)CHO	methacrolein peroxide	yes
MACROH	HOCH <sub>2</sub> C(CH <sub>3</sub> )(OH)CHO	1,2-dihydroxy-2-methylpropanaldehyde	yes
MACO2H	CH <sub>2</sub> =C(CH <sub>3</sub> )CO <sub>2</sub> H	methacroleic acid	yes
MACO3H	CH <sub>2</sub> =C(CH <sub>3</sub> )CO <sub>3</sub> H	methacroleic peroxyacid	yes
MPAN	CH <sub>2</sub> =C(CH <sub>3</sub> )C(O)OONO <sub>2</sub>	peroxy methacroleil nitrate	yes

Table 1: MIM2 species (continued)

MIM2 name	Formula	Description	Transported
<b>C<sub>4</sub> Stable species</b>			
MVK	CH <sub>2</sub> =CHC(O)CH <sub>3</sub>	butenone (methyl vinyl ketone)	yes
LHMVKABOOH	C <sub>4</sub> H <sub>8</sub> O <sub>4</sub> lumped	see Tab. 2	yes
MVKOH	CH <sub>2</sub> =CHC(O)CH <sub>2</sub> OH	$\beta$ -hydroxy methyl vinyl ketone	yes
LMVKOHABOOH	C <sub>4</sub> H <sub>8</sub> O <sub>5</sub> lumped	see Tab. 2	yes
CO2H3CHO	CH <sub>3</sub> COCH <sub>2</sub> (OH)CHO		yes
CO2H3CO3H	CH <sub>3</sub> COCH <sub>2</sub> (OH)CO <sub>3</sub> H		yes
BIACETOH	CH <sub>3</sub> C(O)C(O)CH <sub>2</sub> OH		yes
HO12CO3C4	CH <sub>3</sub> C(O)CH(OH)CH <sub>2</sub> OH		yes
<b>C<sub>4</sub> Peroxy radicals</b>			
MACRO2	HOCH <sub>2</sub> C(CH <sub>3</sub> )(O <sub>2</sub> )CHO		no
MACO3	CH <sub>2</sub> =C(CH <sub>3</sub> )CO <sub>3</sub>		no
LHMVKABO2	C <sub>4</sub> H <sub>7</sub> O <sub>4</sub> lumped	see Tab. 2	no
LMVKOHABO2	C <sub>4</sub> H <sub>7</sub> O <sub>5</sub> lumped	see Tab. 2	no
CO2H3CO3	CH <sub>3</sub> COCH <sub>2</sub> (OH)CO <sub>3</sub>		no
<b>C<sub>3</sub> Stable species</b>			
C3H6	C <sub>3</sub> H <sub>6</sub>	propene	yes
HYPROPO2H	CH <sub>3</sub> CH(OOH)CH <sub>2</sub> OH	$\beta$ -hydroxyhydroperoxides	yes
PR2O2HNO3	CH <sub>3</sub> CH(OOH)CH <sub>2</sub> ONO <sub>2</sub>		yes
ACETOL	CH <sub>3</sub> C(O)CH <sub>2</sub> OH	hydroxyacetone	yes
MGLYOX	CH <sub>3</sub> C(O)CHO	methylglyoxal	yes
NOA	CH <sub>3</sub> C(O)CH <sub>2</sub> ONO <sub>2</sub>	$\alpha$ -nitrooxy acetone	yes
HOCH2COCHO	HOCH <sub>2</sub> C(O)CHO		yes
HOCH2COCO2H	HOCH <sub>2</sub> C(O)CO <sub>2</sub> H		yes
<b>C<sub>3</sub> Peroxy radicals</b>			
HYPROPO2	CH <sub>3</sub> CH(O <sub>2</sub> )CH <sub>2</sub> OH	$\beta$ -hydroxy peroxy radical	no
PRONO3BO2	CH <sub>3</sub> CH(O <sub>2</sub> )CH <sub>2</sub> ONO <sub>2</sub>	nitro peroxy radical from C3H6	no
<b>C<sub>2</sub> compounds</b>			
CH3CHO	CH <sub>3</sub> CHO	acetaldehyde	yes
CH3CO2H	CH <sub>3</sub> CO <sub>2</sub> H	acetic acid	yes
CH3CO3H	CH <sub>3</sub> CO <sub>3</sub> H	peroxy acetic acid	yes
PAN	CH <sub>3</sub> C(O)OONO <sub>2</sub>	peroxy acetyl nitrate	yes
HOCH2CHO	HOCH <sub>2</sub> CHO	glycolaldehyde	yes
HOCH2CO2H	HOCH <sub>2</sub> CO <sub>2</sub> H	carboxilic acid from HOCH2CHO	yes
HOCH2CO3H	HOCH <sub>2</sub> CO <sub>3</sub> H	peroxy carboxilic acid from HOCH2CHO	yes
PHAN	HOCH <sub>2</sub> C(O)OONO <sub>2</sub>	homologues of PAN for HOCH2CHO	yes
GLYOX	CHOCHO	glyoxal	yes
HCOCO2H	HCOCO <sub>2</sub> H	carboxilic acid from GLYOX	yes
HCOCO3H	HCOCO <sub>3</sub> H	peroxy carboxilic acid from GLYOX	yes
<b>C<sub>2</sub> Peroxy radicals</b>			
CH3CO3	CH <sub>3</sub> CO <sub>3</sub>	peroxy acetyl radical	no
HOCH2CO3	HOCH <sub>2</sub> CO <sub>3</sub>	peroxy acyl radical from HOCH2CHO	no
HCOCO3	HCOCO <sub>3</sub>	peroxy acyl radical from GLYOX	no

Table 2: Composition of lumped species in MIM2 is given in terms of MCM species.

Lumped species	Compositions	Kind
LISOPACO2	0.5 ISOPAO2 + 0.5 ISOPCO2	$\delta$ -hydroxyperoxy radical (internal double bond)
LISOPACOOH	0.5 ISOPAOOH + 0.5 ISOPCOOH	$\delta$ -hydroperoxides (internal double bond)
LISOPACNO3	0.5 ISOPANO3 + 0.5 ISOPCNO3	alky nitrates (internal double bond)
LNISO3	0.5 C510O2 + 0.5 NC4CO3	nitro-peroxy radicals from NC4CHO
LNISOOH	0.5 C510OOH + 0.5 NC4CO3H	nitro-peroxides from LNISO3
LHC4ACCO3	0.5 HC4ACO3 + 0.5 HC4CCO3	acyl peroxy radicals from C <sub>5</sub> -hydroxy aldehydes
LHC4ACCHO	0.5 HC4ACHO + 0.5 HC4CCHO	carbonyls (internal double bond)
LHC4ACCO2H	0.5 HC4ACO2H + 0.5 HC4CCO2H	carboxylic acids (internal double bond)
LHC4ACCO3H	0.5 HC4ACO3H + 0.5 HC4CCO3H	percarboxylic acids (internal double bond)
LC5PAN1719	0.5 C5PAN17 + 0.5 C5PAN19	homologues of PAN from LHC4ACCO3
LC578O2	0.5 C57O2 + 0.5 C58O2	peroxy radicals from C <sub>5</sub> -hydroxy aldehydes
LC578OOH	0.5 C57OOH + 0.5 C58OOH	hydroperoxides from LC578O2
LHMVKABO2	0.3 HMVKAO2 + 0.7 HMVKBO2	peroxy radicals from MVK
LHMVKABOOH	0.3 HMVKAOOH + 0.7 HMVKBOOH	hydroperoxides from LHMVKABO2
LMVKOHABO2	0.3 MVKOHAO2 + 0.7 MVKOHBO2	peroxy radicals from MVKOH
LMVKOHABOOH	0.3 MVKOHAOOH + 0.7 MVKOHBOOH	hydroperoxides from LMVKOHABO2

Table 3: List of MIM2 reactions. The expressions for the simple MCM rate coefficients ( $K_{RO2NO}$ ,  $K_{RO2HO2}$ ,  $K_{APHO2}$ ,  $K_{APNO}$ ,  $K_{RO2NO3}$ ,  $K_{NO3AL}$ ) are shown in Tab. 4. The expressions for the complex MCM rate coefficients ( $K_{FPAN}$ ,  $K_{BPAN}$  and  $K_{MT16}$ ) are shown in Tab. 5. M is the concentration of air in molec cm<sup>-3</sup> and T is the temperature in K.

Chemical reaction		Rate coefficient
<b>C<sub>5</sub> compounds</b>		
C <sub>5</sub> H <sub>8</sub> + OH	→ 0.25 LISOPACO <sub>2</sub> + 0.491 ISOPBO <sub>2</sub> + 0.259 ISOPDO <sub>2</sub>	2.54E-11×exp(410/T)
C <sub>5</sub> H <sub>8</sub> + O <sub>3</sub>	→ 0.051 CH <sub>3</sub> O <sub>2</sub> + 0.1575 CH <sub>3</sub> CO <sub>3</sub> + 0.054 LHMVK-ABO <sub>2</sub> + 0.522 CO + 0.06875 HCOOH + 0.11 H <sub>2</sub> O <sub>2</sub> + 0.32475 MACR + 0.1275 C <sub>3</sub> H <sub>6</sub> + 0.2625 HO <sub>2</sub> + 0.255 CO <sub>2</sub> + 0.74975 HCHO + 0.04125 MACO <sub>2</sub> H + 0.27 OH + 0.244 MVK	7.86E-15×exp(-1913/T)
C <sub>5</sub> H <sub>8</sub> + NO <sub>3</sub>	→ NISOPO <sub>2</sub>	3.03E-12×exp(-446/T)
LISOPACO <sub>2</sub> + HO <sub>2</sub>	→ LISOPACOOH	0.706×K <sub>RO2HO2</sub>
LISOPACO <sub>2</sub> + NO	→ 0.892 LHC4ACCHO + 0.892 HO <sub>2</sub> + 0.892 NO <sub>2</sub> + 0.108 LISOPACNO <sub>3</sub>	K <sub>RO2NO</sub>
LISOPACO <sub>2</sub> + NO <sub>3</sub>	→ LHC4ACCHO + HO <sub>2</sub> + NO <sub>2</sub>	K <sub>RO2NO3</sub>
LISOPACO <sub>2</sub>	→ 0.9 LHC4ACCHO + 0.8 HO <sub>2</sub> + 0.1 ISOPAOH	2.4E-12×RO <sub>2</sub>
LISOPACOOH + OH	→ LHC4ACCHO + OH	1.07E-10
LISOPACOOH + hν	→ LHC4ACCHO + HO <sub>2</sub> + OH	J(41)
ISOPAOH + OH	→ LHC4ACCHO + HO <sub>2</sub>	9.30E-11
LISOPACNO <sub>3</sub> + OH	→ LHC4ACCHO + NO <sub>2</sub>	8.91E-11
LISOPACNO <sub>3</sub> + hν	→ LHC4ACCHO + HO <sub>2</sub> + NO <sub>2</sub>	J(53)
ISOPBO <sub>2</sub> + HO <sub>2</sub>	→ ISOPBOOH	0.706×K <sub>RO2HO2</sub>
ISOPBO <sub>2</sub> + NO	→ 0.696 MVK + 0.232 MVKOH + 0.696 HCHO + 0.696 HO <sub>2</sub> + 0.232 CH <sub>3</sub> O <sub>2</sub> + 0.928 NO <sub>2</sub> + 0.072 ISOPBNO <sub>3</sub>	K <sub>RO2NO</sub>
ISOPBO <sub>2</sub> + NO <sub>3</sub>	→ 0.75 MVK + 0.25 MVKOH + 0.75 HCHO + 0.75 HO <sub>2</sub> + 0.25 CH <sub>3</sub> O <sub>2</sub> + NO <sub>2</sub>	K <sub>RO2NO3</sub>
ISOPBO <sub>2</sub>	→ 0.6 MVK + 0.2 MVKOH + 0.6 HCHO + 0.6 HO <sub>2</sub> + 0.2 CH <sub>3</sub> O <sub>2</sub> + 0.2 ISOPBOH	8.E-13×RO <sub>2</sub>
ISOPBOOH + OH	→ ISOPBO <sub>2</sub>	4.2E-11
ISOPBOOH + hν	→ 0.75 MVK + 0.25 MVKOH + 0.75 HCHO + 0.75 HO <sub>2</sub> + 0.25 CH <sub>3</sub> O <sub>2</sub> + OH	J(41)
ISOPBOH + OH	→ 0.75 MVK + 0.25 MVKOH + 0.75 HCHO + 0.75 HO <sub>2</sub> + 0.25 CH <sub>3</sub> O <sub>2</sub>	3.85E-11
ISOPBNO <sub>3</sub> + OH	→ MVK + HCHO + NO <sub>2</sub>	3.55E-11
ISOPBNO <sub>3</sub> + hν	→ 0.75 MVK + 0.25 MVKOH + 0.75 HCHO + 0.75 HO <sub>2</sub> + 0.25 CH <sub>3</sub> O <sub>2</sub> + NO <sub>2</sub>	J(55)
ISOPDO <sub>2</sub> + HO <sub>2</sub>	→ ISOPDOOH	0.706×K <sub>RO2HO2</sub>
ISOPDO <sub>2</sub> + NO	→ 0.855 MACR + 0.855 HCHO + 0.855 HO <sub>2</sub> + 0.855 NO <sub>2</sub> + 0.145 ISOPDNO <sub>3</sub>	K <sub>RO2NO</sub>
ISOPDO <sub>2</sub> + NO <sub>3</sub>	→ MACR + HCHO + HO <sub>2</sub> + NO <sub>2</sub>	K <sub>RO2NO3</sub>
ISOPDO <sub>2</sub>	→ 0.8 MACR + 0.8 HCHO + 0.8 HO <sub>2</sub> + 0.1 HCOC <sub>5</sub> + 0.1 ISOPDOH	2.9E-12×RO <sub>2</sub>
ISOPDOOH + OH	→ HCOC <sub>5</sub> + OH	1.07E-10
ISOPDOOH + hν	→ MACR + HCHO + HO <sub>2</sub> + OH	J(41)
ISOPDOH + OH	→ HCOC <sub>5</sub> + HO <sub>2</sub>	7.38E-11
ISOPDNO <sub>3</sub> + OH	→ HCOC <sub>5</sub> + NO <sub>2</sub>	6.1E-11
ISOPDNO <sub>3</sub> + hν	→ MACR + HCHO + HO <sub>2</sub> + NO <sub>2</sub>	J(54)

Table 3: MIM2 reactions (continued)

Chemical reaction		Rate coefficient
<b>C<sub>5</sub> compounds</b>		
NISOPO2	→ 0.8 NC4CHO + 0.6 HO2 + 0.2 LISOPACNO3	1.3E-12×RO2
NISOPO2 + NO	→ NC4CHO + HO2 + NO2	KRO2NO
NISOPO2 + NO3	→ NC4CHO + HO2 + NO2	KRO2NO3
NISOPO2 + HO2	→ NISOOH	.706×KRO2HO2
NISOOH + OH	→ NC4CHO + OH	1.03E-10
NISOOH + hν	→ NC4CHO + HO2 + OH	J(41)
NC4CHO + OH	→ LNISO3	4.16E-11
NC4CHO + O3	→ 0.445 NO2 + 0.89 CO + 0.075625 H2O2 + 0.034375 HCOCO2H + 0.555 NOA + 0.445 HO2 + 0.520625 GLYOX + 0.89 OH + 0.445 MGLYOX	2.40E-17
NC4CHO + NO3	→ LNISO3 + HNO3	KNO3AL×4.25
NC4CHO + hν	→ NOA + 2 CO + 2 HO2	J(18)
LNISO3 + NO	→ NOA + 0.5 GLYOX + 0.5 CO + HO2 + NO2 + 0.5 CO2	(KAPNO + KRO2NO)/2
LNISO3 + NO3	→ NOA + 0.5 GLYOX + 0.5 CO + HO2 + NO2 + 0.5 CO2	1.3×KRO2NO
LNISO3 + HO2	→ LNISOH	(0.706×KRO2HO2 + KAPHO2)/2
LNISOH + OH	→ LNISO3	2.65E-11
LNISOH + hν	→ NOA + OH + 0.5 GLYOX + 0.5 CO + HO2 + 0.5 CO2	J(41)
LHC4ACCHO + OH	→ 0.52 LC578O2 + 0.48 LHC4ACCO3	4.52E-11
LHC4ACCHO + O3	→ 0.2225 CH3CO3 + 0.89 CO + 0.0171875 HOCH2CO2H + 0.075625 H2O2 + 0.0171875 HCOCO2H + 0.2775 ACETOL + 0.6675 HO2 + 0.2603125 GLYOX + 0.2225 HCHO + 0.89 OH + 0.2603125 HOCH2CHO + 0.5 MGLYOX	2.40E-17
LHC4ACCHO + NO3	→ LHC4ACCO3 + HNO3	KNO3AL×4.25
LHC4ACCHO + hν	→ 0.5 LHC4ACCO3 + 0.25 ACETOL + 0.25 HOCH2CHO + 0.25 CH3CO3 + 0.75 CO + 1.25 HO2	2×J(19)
LC578O2	→ 0.5 ACETOL + 0.5 MGLYOX + 0.5 GLYOX + 0.5 HOCH2CHO + HO2	9.20E-14×RO2
LC578O2 + HO2	→ LC578OOH	KRO2HO2×0.706
LC578O2 + NO	→ 0.5 ACETOL + 0.5 MGLYOX + 0.5 GLYOX + 0.5 HOCH2CHO + HO2 + NO2	KRO2NO
LC578O2 + NO3	→ 0.5 ACETOL + 0.5 MGLYOX + 0.5 GLYOX + 0.5 HOCH2CHO + HO2 + NO2	KRO2NO3
LC578OOH + OH	→ LC578O2	3.16E-11
LC578OOH + hν	→ 0.5 ACETOL + 0.5 MGLYOX + 0.5 GLYOX + 0.5 HOCH2CHO + HO2 + OH	J(41)

Table 3: MIM2 reactions (continued)

Chemical reaction		Rate coefficient
<b>C<sub>5</sub> compounds</b>		
LHC4ACCO3	→ 0.3 LHC4ACCO2H + 0.35 ACETOL + 0.35 HOCH2CHO + 0.35 CH3CO3 + 0.35 CO + 0.35 HO2 + 0.7 CO2	1.00E-11× RO2
LHC4ACCO3 + HO2	→ 0.71 LHC4ACCO3H + 0.29 LHC4ACCO2H + 0.29 O3	KAPHO2
LHC4ACCO3 + NO	→ 0.5 ACETOL + 0.5 HOCH2CHO + 0.5 CH3CO3 + 0.5 CO + 0.5 HO2 + NO2 + CO2	KAPNO
LHC4ACCO3 + NO3	→ 0.5 ACETOL + 0.5 HOCH2CHO + 0.5 CH3CO3 + 0.5 CO + 0.5 HO2 + NO2 + CO2	1.6×KRO2NO3
LHC4ACCO3 + NO2	→ LC5PAN1719	KFPAN(T,M)
LHC4ACCO2H + OH	→ 0.5 ACETOL + 0.5 HOCH2CHO + 0.5 CH3CO3 + 0.5 CO + 0.5 HO2 + CO2	2.52E-11
LHC4ACCO3H + OH	→ LHC4ACCO3	2.88E-11
LHC4ACCO3H + hν	→ 0.5 ACETOL + 0.5 HOCH2CHO + 0.5 CH3CO3 + 0.5 CO + 0.5 HO2 + OH + CO2	J(41)
LC5PAN1719	→ LHC4ACCO3 + NO2	KBPAN(T,M)
LC5PAN1719 + OH	→ 0.5 MACROH + 0.5 HO12CO3C4 + CO + NO2	2.52E-11
HCOC5 + OH	→ C59O2	3.81E-11
HCOC5 + hν	→ CH3CO3 + HCHO + HOCH2CO3	J(24)
C59O2	→ ACETOL + HOCH2CO3	9.20E-14×RO2
C59O2 + NO	→ ACETOL + HOCH2CO3 + NO2	KRO2NO
C59O2 + NO3	→ ACETOL + HOCH2CO3 + NO2	KRO2NO3
C59O2 + HO2	→ C59OOH	KRO2HO2×0.706
C59OOH + OH	→ C59O2	9.7E-12
C59OOH + hν	→ ACETOL + HOCH2CO3 + OH	J(22)+J(41)
<b>C<sub>4</sub> compounds</b>		
MACR + OH	→ 0.57 MACO3 + 0.43 MACRO2	1.86E-11× exp(175/T)
MACR + O3	→ 0.59 MGLYOX + 0.41 CH3CO3 + 0.03375 HCOOH + 0.55625 HCHO + 0.82 CO + 0.12375 H2O2 + 0.41 HO2 + 0.82 OH	1.36E-15× exp(-2112/T)
MACR + NO3	→ MACO3 + HNO3	KNO3AL×2.0
MACR + hν	→ 0.5 MACO3 + 0.5 CH3CO3 + 0.5 HCHO + 0.5 CO + HO2	J(18)+J(19)
MACO3	→ 0.7 CH3CO3 + 0.7 HCHO + 0.7 CO2 + 0.3 MACO2H	1.00E-11×RO2
MACO3 + HO2	→ 0.71 MACO3H + 0.29 MACO2H + 0.29 O3	KAPHO2
MACO3 + NO	→ CH3CO3 + HCHO + NO2 + CO2	8.70E-12× exp(290/T)
MACO3 + NO3	→ CH3CO3 + HCHO + NO2 + CO2	1.6×KRO2NO3
MACO3 + NO2	→ MPAN	KFPAN(T,M)
MACRO2	→ 0.7 ACETOL + 0.7 HCHO + 0.7 HO2 + 0.3 MACROH	9.20E-14×RO2
MACRO2 + NO	→ ACETOL + HCHO + HO2 + NO2	KRO2NO
MACRO2 + NO3	→ ACETOL + HCHO + HO2 + NO2	KRO2NO3
MACRO2 + HO2	→ MACROOH	KRO2HO2×0.625

Table 3: MIM2 reactions (continued)

Chemical reaction		Rate coefficient
<b>C<sub>4</sub> compounds</b>		
MACROOH + OH	→ MACRO2	2.82E-11
MACROOH + hν	→ ACETOL + HCHO + HO <sub>2</sub> + OH	J(41)
MACROOH + hν	→ ACETOL + CO + HO <sub>2</sub> + OH	J(17)
MACROH + OH	→ ACETOL + HCHO + HO <sub>2</sub>	2.46E-11
MACROH + hν	→ ACETOL + CO + HO <sub>2</sub> + HO <sub>2</sub>	J(17)
MPAN	→ MACO <sub>3</sub> + NO <sub>2</sub>	KBPAN(T,M)
MPAN + OH	→ ACETOL + CO + NO <sub>2</sub>	3.60E-12
MACO <sub>2</sub> H + OH	→ CH <sub>3</sub> CO <sub>3</sub> + HCHO + CO <sub>2</sub>	1.51E-11
MACO <sub>3</sub> H + OH	→ MACO <sub>3</sub>	1.87E-11
MACO <sub>3</sub> H + hν	→ CH <sub>3</sub> CO <sub>3</sub> + HCHO + OH + CO <sub>2</sub>	J(41)
MVK + OH	→ LHMVKABO <sub>2</sub>	4.13E-12 × exp(452/T)
MVK + O <sub>3</sub>	→ 0.28 CH <sub>3</sub> CO <sub>3</sub> + 0.56 CO + 0.225 LCARBON + 0.075 HCOOH + 0.09 H <sub>2</sub> O <sub>2</sub> + 0.28 HO <sub>2</sub> + 0.1 CO <sub>2</sub> + 0.1 CH <sub>3</sub> CHO + 0.645 HCHO + 0.36 OH + 0.545 MGLYOX	7.51E-16 × exp(-1521/T)
MVK + hν	→ 0.5 C <sub>3</sub> H <sub>6</sub> + 0.5 CH <sub>3</sub> CO <sub>3</sub> + 0.5 HCHO + CO + 0.5 HO <sub>2</sub>	2 × J(23)
LHMVKABO <sub>2</sub>	→ 0.06 CO <sub>2</sub> H <sub>3</sub> CHO + 0.18 HO <sub>2</sub> + 0.18 HCHO + 0.18 MGLYOX + 0.42 CH <sub>3</sub> CO <sub>3</sub> + 0.42 HOCH <sub>2</sub> CHO + 0.2 HO <sub>12</sub> CO <sub>3</sub> C <sub>4</sub> + 0.14 BIACETOH	(0.3 × 2.00E-12 + 0.7 × 8.80E-13) × RO <sub>2</sub>
LHMVKABO <sub>2</sub> + HO <sub>2</sub>	→ LHMVKABOOH	KRO <sub>2</sub> HO <sub>2</sub> × 0.625
LHMVKABO <sub>2</sub> + NO	→ 0.3 MGLYOX + 0.7 HOCH <sub>2</sub> CHO + 0.7 CH <sub>3</sub> CO <sub>3</sub> + 0.3 HCHO + 0.3 HO <sub>2</sub> + NO <sub>2</sub>	KRO <sub>2</sub> NO
LHMVKABO <sub>2</sub> + NO <sub>3</sub>	→ 0.3 MGLYOX + 0.7 HOCH <sub>2</sub> CHO + 0.7 CH <sub>3</sub> CO <sub>3</sub> + 0.3 HCHO + 0.3 HO <sub>2</sub> + NO <sub>2</sub>	KRO <sub>2</sub> NO <sub>3</sub>
LHMVKABOOH + OH	→ 0.3 CO <sub>2</sub> H <sub>3</sub> CHO + 0.7 BIACETOH + OH	0.3 × 5.77E-11 + 0.7 × 3.95E-11
LHMVKABOOH + hν	→ 0.3 MGLYOX + 0.7 CH <sub>3</sub> CO <sub>3</sub> + 0.7 HOCH <sub>2</sub> CHO + 0.3 HCHO + 0.3 HO <sub>2</sub> + OH	J(41)
MVKOH + OH	→ LMVKOHABO <sub>2</sub>	4.60E-12 × exp(452/T)
MVKOH + O <sub>3</sub>	→ 0.56 CO + 0.545 HOCH <sub>2</sub> COCHO + 0.075 HOCH <sub>2</sub> COCO <sub>2</sub> H + 0.075 HCOOH + 0.09 H <sub>2</sub> O <sub>2</sub> + 0.28 HOCH <sub>2</sub> CO <sub>3</sub> + 0.28 HO <sub>2</sub> + 0.2 CO <sub>2</sub> + 0.545 HCHO + 0.36 OH + 0.1 HOCH <sub>2</sub> CHO	7.51E-16 × exp(-1521/T)
MVKOH + hν	→ 0.5 HCHO + 0.5 HO <sub>2</sub> + 0.5 HOCH <sub>2</sub> CO <sub>3</sub> + CO + 1.5 LCARBON	2 × J(23)
LMVKOHABO <sub>2</sub>	→ 0.7 HOCH <sub>2</sub> CHO + 0.7 HOCH <sub>2</sub> CO <sub>3</sub> + 0.3 HOCH <sub>2</sub> COCHO + 0.3 HCHO + 0.3 HO <sub>2</sub>	(0.3 × 2.00E-12 + 0.7 × 8.80E-13) × RO <sub>2</sub>
LMVKOHABO <sub>2</sub> + NO	→ 0.3 HOCH <sub>2</sub> COCHO + 0.3 HCHO + 0.3 HO <sub>2</sub> + 0.7 HOCH <sub>2</sub> CHO + 0.7 HOCH <sub>2</sub> CO <sub>3</sub> + NO <sub>2</sub>	KRO <sub>2</sub> NO
LMVKOHABO <sub>2</sub> + NO <sub>3</sub>	→ 0.3 HOCH <sub>2</sub> COCHO + 0.3 HCHO + 0.3 HO <sub>2</sub> + 0.7 HOCH <sub>2</sub> CHO + 0.7 HOCH <sub>2</sub> CO <sub>3</sub> + NO <sub>2</sub>	KRO <sub>2</sub> NO <sub>3</sub>
LMVKOHABO <sub>2</sub> + HO <sub>2</sub>	→ LMVKOHABOOH	KRO <sub>2</sub> HO <sub>2</sub> × 0.625
LMVKOHABOOH + OH	→ 0.7 HO <sub>12</sub> CO <sub>3</sub> C <sub>4</sub> + 0.3 CO <sub>2</sub> H <sub>3</sub> CHO + OH	5.98E-11
LMVKOHABOOH + hν	→ 0.3 HOCH <sub>2</sub> COCHO + 0.3 HCHO + 0.3 HO <sub>2</sub> + 0.7 HOCH <sub>2</sub> CHO + 0.7 HOCH <sub>2</sub> CO <sub>3</sub> + OH	J(22) + J(41)

Table 3: MIM2 reactions (continued)

Chemical reaction		Rate coefficient
<b>C<sub>4</sub> compounds</b>		
CO2H3CHO + OH	→ CO2H3CO3	2.45E-11
CO2H3CHO + NO3	→ CO2H3CO3 + HNO3	KNO3AL×4.0
CO2H3CHO + hν	→ MGLYOX + CO + HO2 + HO2	J(15)
CO2H3CO3	→ MGLYOX + HO2 + CO2	1.00E-11×RO2
CO2H3CO3 + HO2	→ CO2H3CO3H	KAPHO2
CO2H3CO3 + NO	→ MGLYOX + HO2 + NO2 + CO2	KAPNO
CO2H3CO3 + NO3	→ MGLYOX + HO2 + NO2 + CO2	1.6×KRO2NO3
CO2H3CO3H + OH	→ CO2H3CO3	7.34E-12
CO2H3CO3H + hν	→ MGLYOX + HO2 + OH + CO2	J(41)
CO2H3CO3H + hν	→ CH3CO3 + HO2 + HCOCO3H	J(22)
HO12CO3C4 + OH	→ BIACETOH + HO2	1.88E-11
HO12CO3C4 + hν	→ CH3CO3 + HOCH2CHO + HO2	J(22)
BIACETOH + hν	→ CH3CO3 + HOCH2CO3	J(35)
<b>C<sub>3</sub> compounds</b>		
C3H6 + OH	→ HYPROPO2	KMT16(T,M)
C3H6 + O3	→ 0.28 CH3O2 + 0.1 CH4 + 0.075 CH3CO2H + 0.56 CO + 0.075 HCOOH + 0.09 H2O2 + 0.28 HO2 + 0.2 CO2 + 0.545 CH3CHO + 0.545 HCHO + 0.36 OH	5.51E-15×exp(-1878/T)
C3H6 + NO3	→ PRONO3BO2	9.4E-15
HYPROPO2 + HO2	→ HYPROPO2H	KRO2HO2×0.520
HYPROPO2 + NO	→ CH3CHO + HCHO + HO2 + NO2	KRO2NO
HYPROPO2 + NO3	→ CH3CHO + HCHO + HO2 + NO2	KRO2NO3
HYPROPO2	→ CH3CHO + HCHO + HO2	8.80E-13×RO2
HYPROPO2H + OH	→ HYPROPO2	1.90E-12×exp(190/T)
HYPROPO2H + OH	→ ACETOL + OH	2.44E-11
HYPROPO2H + hν	→ CH3CHO + HCHO + HO2 + OH	J(41)
PRONO3BO2 + NO	→ NOA + HO2 + NO2	KRO2NO
PRONO3BO2 + NO3	→ NOA + HO2 + NO2	KRO2NO3
PRONO3BO2 + HO2	→ PR2O2HNO3	KRO2HO2×0.520
PR2O2HNO3 + OH	→ PRONO3BO2	1.90E-12×exp(190/T)
PR2O2HNO3 + OH	→ NOA + OH	3.47E-12
PR2O2HNO3 + hν	→ NOA + HO2 + OH	J(41)
ACETOL + OH	→ MGLYOX + HO2	3.00E-12
ACETOL + hν	→ CH3CO3 + HCHO + HO2	J(22)
MGLYOX + OH	→ CH3CO3 + CO	1.72E-11
MGLYOX + NO3	→ CH3CO3 + CO + HNO3	KNO3AL×2.4
MGLYOX + hν	→ CH3CO3 + CO + HO2	J(34)
NOA + OH	→ MGLYOX + NO2	1.30E-13
NOA + hν	→ CH3CO3 + HCHO + NO2	J(56)+J(57)
HOCH2COCCHO + OH	→ HOCH2CO3 + CO	1.44E-11
HOCH2COCCHO + NO3	→ HOCH2CO3 + CO + HNO3	KNO3AL×2.4
HOCH2COCCHO + hν	→ HOCH2CO3 + CO + HO2	J(34)
HOCH2COCO2H + OH	→ HOCH2CO3 + CO2	2.89E-12
HOCH2COCO2H + hν	→ HOCH2CO3 + HO2 + CO2	J(34)

Table 3: MIM2 reactions (continued)

Chemical reaction		Rate coefficient
<b>C<sub>2</sub> compounds</b>		
CH3CO3	→ 0.7 CH3O2 + 0.3 CH3CO2H	1.00E-11×RO2
CH3CO3 + HO2	→ 0.71 CH3CO3H + 0.29 CH3CO2H + 0.29 O3	KAPHO2
CH3CO3 + NO2	→ PAN	KFPAN(T,M)
CH3CO3 + NO	→ NO2 + CH3O2 + CO2	KAPNO
CH3CO3 + NO3	→ NO2 + CH3O2 + CO2	KRO2NO3×1.60
CH3CO2H + OH	→ CH3O2 + CO2	8.00E-13
CH3CO3H + OH	→ CH3CO3	3.70E-12
CH3CO3H + hν	→ CH3O2 + OH + CO2	J(41)
CH3CHO + OH	→ CH3CO3	5.55E-12×exp(311/T)
CH3CHO + NO3	→ CH3CO3 + HNO3	KNO3AL
CH3CHO + hν	→ CH3O2 + HO2 + CO	J(13)
PAN	→ CH3CO3 + NO2	KBPAN(T,M)
PAN + OH	→ HCHO + CO + NO2	9.50E-13×exp(-650/T)
HOCH2CHO + OH	→ 0.8 HOCH2CO3 + 0.2 GLYOX + 0.2 HO2	1.00E-11
HOCH2CHO + NO3	→ HOCH2CO3 + HNO3	KNO3AL
HOCH2CHO + hν	→ HO2 + HCHO + HO2 + CO	J(15)
HOCH2CO3 + NO2	→ PHAN	KFPAN(T,M)
HOCH2CO3 + HO2	→ 0.71 HOCH2CO3H + 0.29 HOCH2CO2H + 0.29 O3	KAPHO2
HOCH2CO3	→ 0.7 HCHO + 0.7 CO2 + 0.7 HO2 + 0.3 HOCH2CO2H	1.00E-11×RO2
HOCH2CO3 + NO	→ NO2 + HO2 + HCHO + CO2	KAPNO
HOCH2CO3 + NO3	→ NO2 + HO2 + HCHO + CO2	1.6×KRO2NO3
HOCH2CO2H + OH	→ HCHO + HO2 + CO2	2.73E-12
HOCH2CO3H + OH	→ HOCH2CO3	6.19E-12
HOCH2CO3H + hν	→ HCHO + HO2 + OH + CO2	J(41)
PHAN	→ HOCH2CO3 + NO2	KBPAN(T,M)
PHAN + OH	→ HCHO + CO + NO2	1.12E-12
GLYOX + OH	→ 1.2 CO + 0.6 HO2 + 0.4 HCOCO3	1.14E-11
GLYOX + NO3	→ 1.2 CO + 0.6 HO2 + 0.4 HCOCO3 + HNO3	KNO3AL
GLYOX + hν	→ 2 CO + H2	J(31)
GLYOX + hν	→ HCHO + CO	J(32)
GLYOX + hν	→ 2 CO + 2 HO2	J(33)
HCOCO3	→ 0.7 CO + 0.7 HO2 + 0.7 CO2 + 0.3 HCOCO2H	1.00E-11×RO2
HCOCO3 + HO2	→ 0.71 HCOCO3H + 0.29 HCOCO2H + 0.29 O3	KAPHO2
HCOCO3 + NO	→ HO2 + CO + NO2 + CO2	KAPNO
HCOCO3 + NO3	→ HO2 + CO + NO2 + CO2	1.6×KRO2NO3
HCOCO2H + OH	→ CO + HO2 + CO2	1.23E-11
HCOCO2H + hν	→ 2 HO2 + CO + CO2	J(34)
HCOCO3H + OH	→ HCOCO3	1.58E-11
HCOCO3H + hν	→ HO2 + CO + OH + CO2	J(41)+J(15)

The total peroxy radicals are defined as: RO2 = LISOPACO2 + ISOPB02 + ISOPDO2 + NISOP02 + LHC4ACCO3 + LC578O2 + C59O2 + LNISO3 + LHMVKABO2 + LMVKOHABO2 + MACO3 + MACRO2 + CO2H3CO3 + HYPROPO2 + PRONO3BO2 + CH3CO3 + HOCH2CO3 + HCOCO3 + CH3O2.

Table 4: MCM simple rate constants. T is the temperature in K.

name	expression
KRO2NO	2.54E-12 $\times \exp(360/T)$
KRO2HO2	2.91E-13 $\times \exp(1300/T)$
KAPHO2	4.30E-13 $\times \exp(1040/T)$
KAPNO	8.10E-12 $\times \exp(270/T)$
KRO2NO3	2.50E-12
KNO3AL	1.44E-12 $\times \exp(-1862/T)$

Table 5: Parameters for the MCM complex rate constants used in MIM2. M is the concentration of air in molec cm<sup>-3</sup> and T is the temperature in K.

rate constant	parameters
<b>KMT16</b>	
K0	$8.00 \times 10^{-27} \times (T/300)^{-3.5} \times M$
KI	$3.00 \times 10^{-11}$
FC	0.5
<b>KFPAN</b>	
K0	$2.70 \times 10^{-28} \times (T/300)^{-7.1} \times M$
KI	$1.20 \times 10^{-11} \times (T/300)^{-0.9}$
FC	0.3
<b>KBPAN</b>	
K0	$4.90 \times 10^{-03} \times \exp(-12100/T) \times M$
KI	$5.40 \times 10^{+16} \times \exp(-13830/T)$
FC	0.3

The rate constants are then calculated according to the following expressions:  $k_{comp} = K0 \cdot KI \cdot F / (K0 + KI)$ , where  $F = 10^{\log FC / (1 + (\log krd / nu)^2)}$  and  $nu = 0.75 - 1.27 \cdot \log FC$ .

Table 6: Photolysis Parameters ( $l$ ,  $m$  and  $n$ ) from MCM and used in the box model evaluation (Saunders et al., 2003). They  $J$ -values (in  $s^{-1}$ ) are computed with the expression  $J = l \times (\cos(\theta))^m \times \exp(-n \sec(\theta))$ , where  $\theta$  is the solar zenith angle.

$J$	$l$	$m$	$n$
$J(1)$	6.073E-05	1.743	0.474
$J(2)$	4.775E-04	0.298	0.080
$J(3)$	1.041E-05	0.723	0.279
$J(4)$	1.165E-02	0.244	0.267
$J(5)$	2.485E-02	0.168	0.108
$J(6)$	1.747E-01	0.155	0.125
$J(7)$	2.644E-03	0.261	0.288
$J(8)$	9.312E-07	1.230	0.307
$J(11)$	4.642E-05	0.762	0.353
$J(12)$	6.853E-05	0.477	0.323
$J(13)$	7.344E-06	1.202	0.417
$J(14)$	2.879E-05	1.067	0.358
$J(15)$	2.792E-05	0.805	0.338
$J(16)$	1.675E-05	0.805	0.338
$J(17)$	7.914E-05	0.764	0.364
$J(18)$	1.140E-05	0.396	0.298
$J(19)$	1.140E-05	0.396	0.298
$J(21)$	7.992E-07	1.578	0.271
$J(22)$	5.804E-06	1.092	0.377
$J(23)$	1.836E-05	0.395	0.296
$J(24)$	1.836E-05	0.395	0.296
$J(31)$	6.845E-05	0.130	0.201
$J(32)$	1.032E-05	0.130	0.201
$J(33)$	3.802E-05	0.644	0.312
$J(34)$	1.537E-04	0.170	0.208
$J(35)$	3.326E-04	0.148	0.215
$J(41)$	7.649E-06	0.682	0.279
$J(51)$	1.588E-06	1.154	0.318
$J(52)$	1.907E-06	1.244	0.335
$J(53)$	2.485E-06	1.196	0.328
$J(54)$	4.095E-06	1.111	0.316
$J(55)$	1.135E-05	0.974	0.309
$J(56)$	7.549E-06	1.015	0.324
$J(57)$	3.363E-06	1.296	0.322
$J(61)$	7.537E-04	0.499	0.266

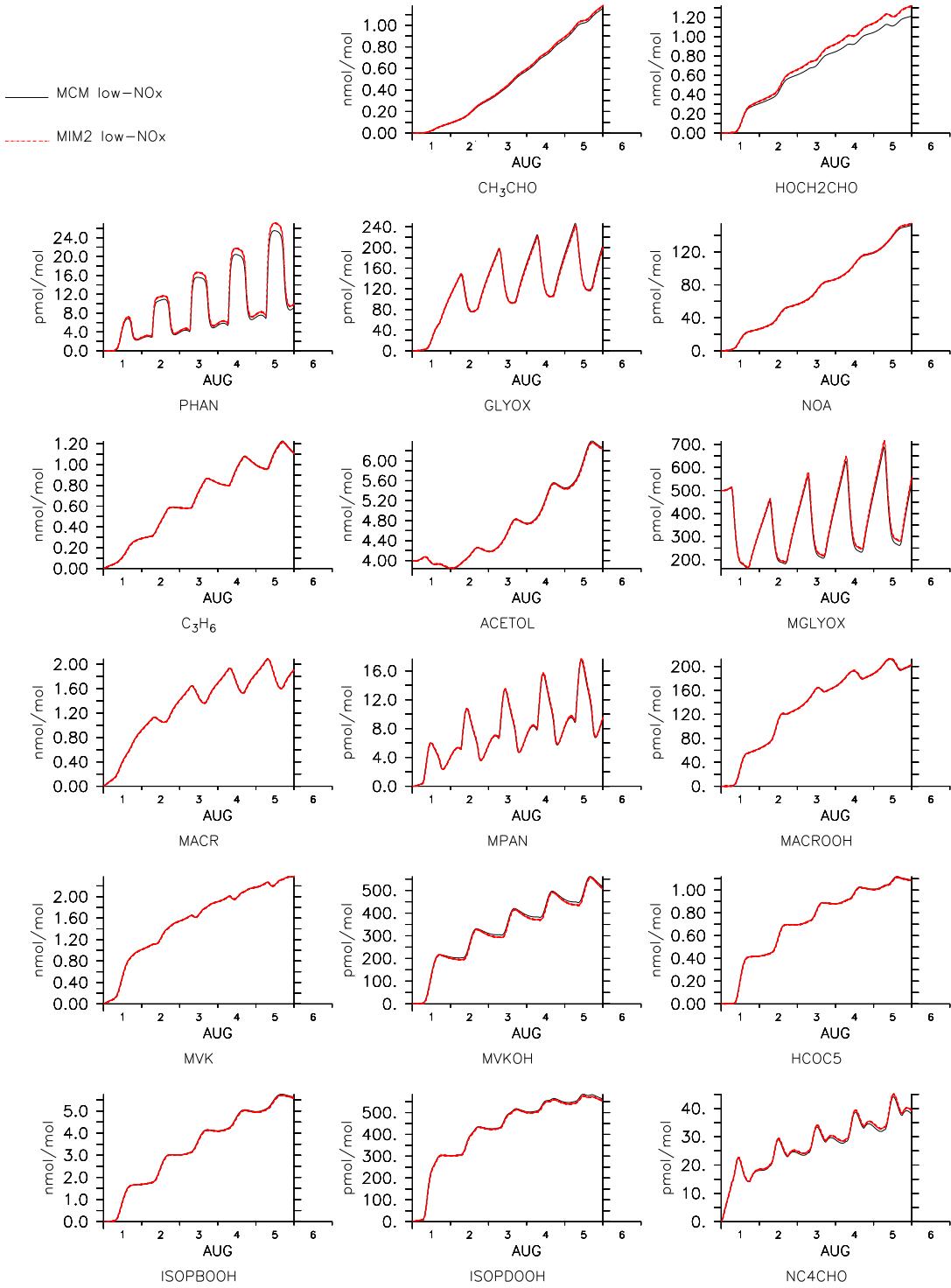


Figure 1: A selection of the most prominent among the news species present now in MIM2. A comparison between MIM2 and MCM in the low- $\text{NO}_x$  scenario is shown.

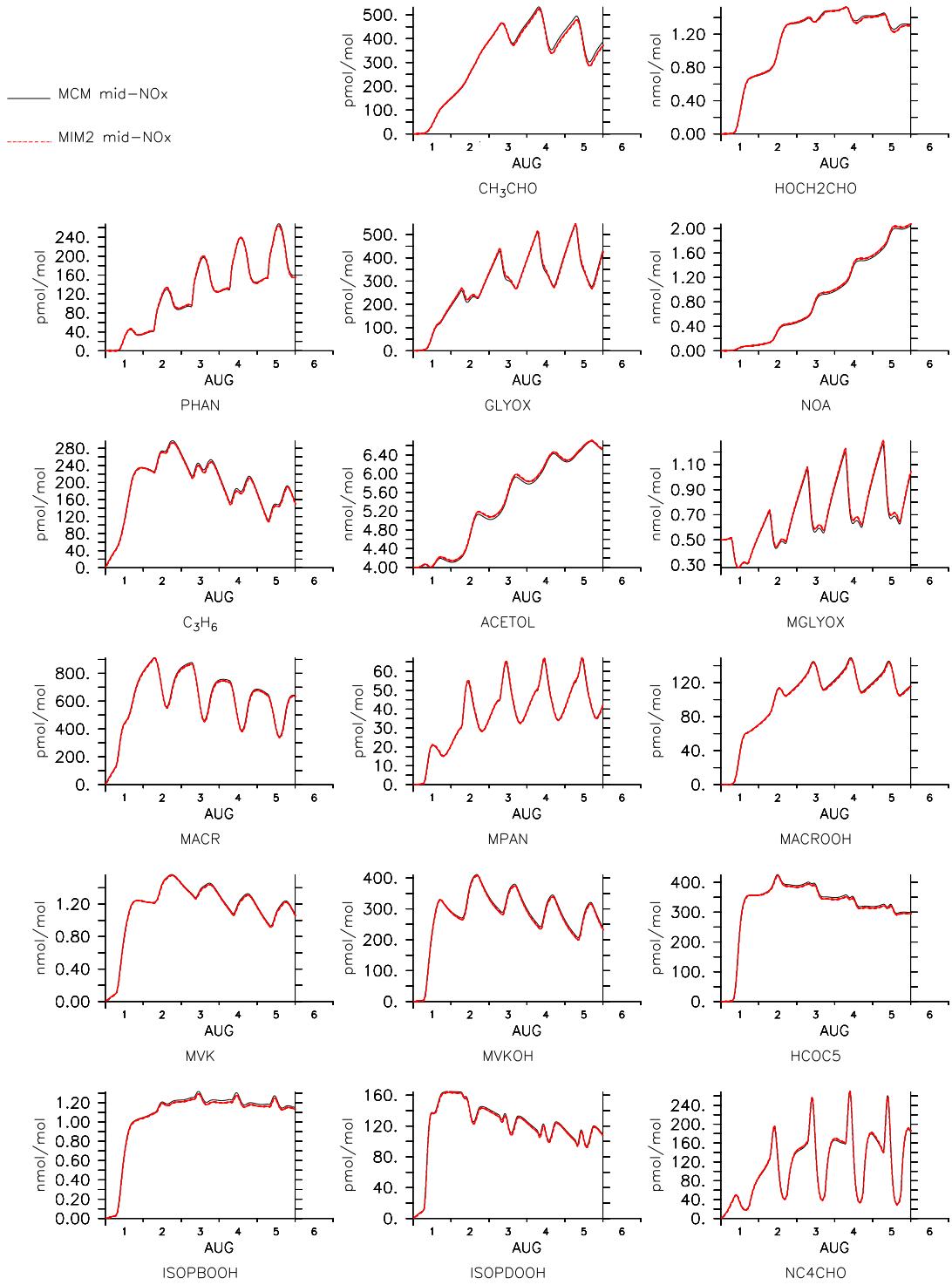


Figure 2: A selection of the most prominent among the news species present now in MIM2. A comparison between MIM2 and MCM in the mid-NO<sub>x</sub> scenario is shown.

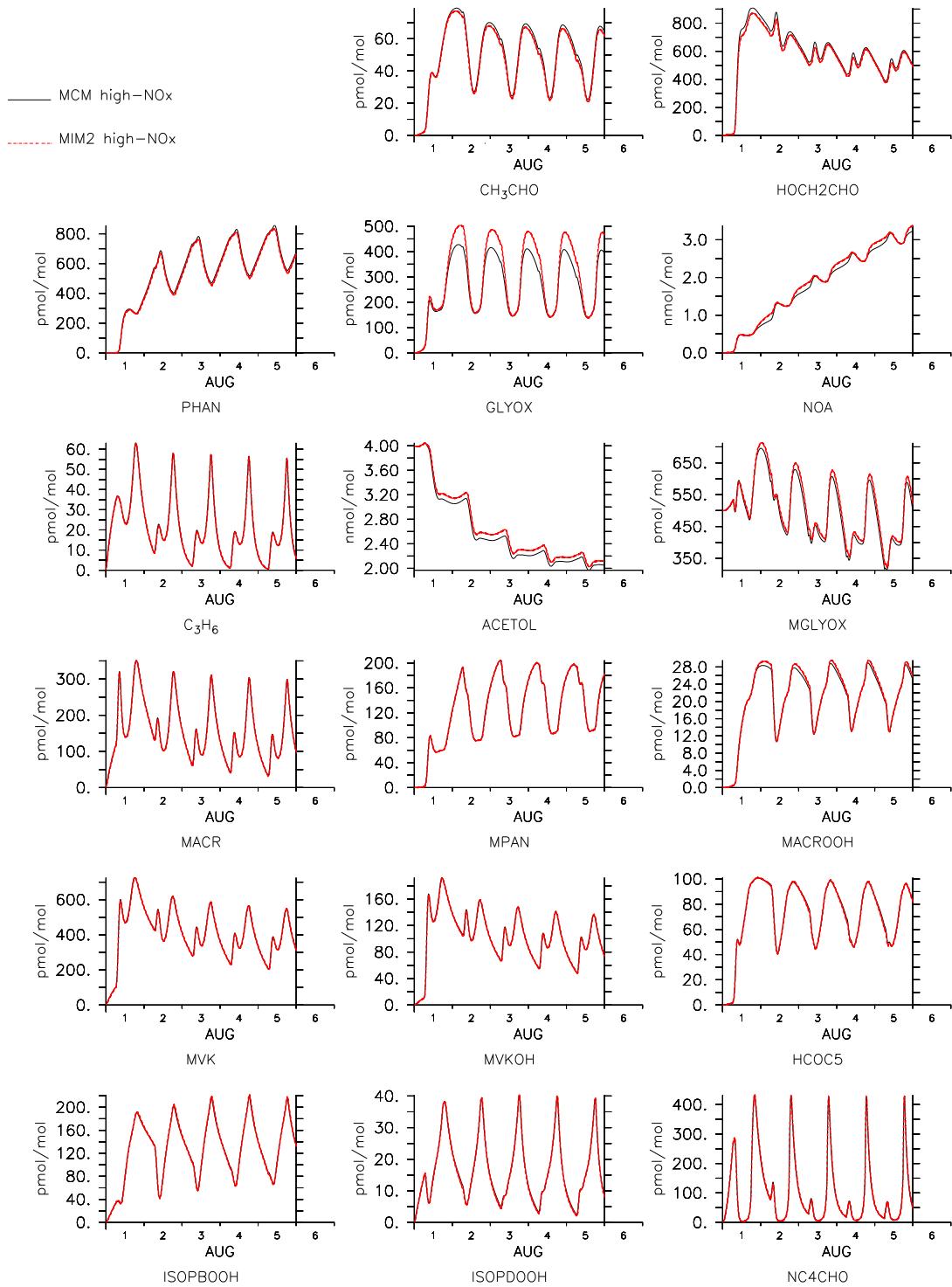


Figure 3: A selection of the most prominent among the news species present now in MIM2. A comparison between MIM2 and MCM in the high- $\text{NO}_x$  scenario is shown.

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