## Supplementary

## Primary and secondary aerosols in Beijing in winter: sources, variations and processes

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AMS	Q-AMS	HR-AMS	HR-AMS	ACSM	ACSM	HR-AMS	HR-AMS	HR-AMS	HR-AMS	HR-AMS	HR-AMS
Season	Summer	Summer/Autumn	Winter	Summer	Winter	Summer	Fall	Winter	Winter	Winter	Fall
	9 - 21 Jul,	24 Jul - 20 Sep,	22 Nov - 22	26 Jun - 28	21 Nov - 20	1 - 31 Aug,	1- 31 Oct,	1 - 31 Jan,	16 Dec,	1 Jan - 3	14 Oct -
Date	2006	2008	Dec, 2010	Aug, 2011	Jan, 2012	2012	2012	2013	2013- 17	Feb, 2014	12 Nov,
									Jan, 2014		2014
Index	S, 2006	S-F, 2008	W, 2010	S, 2011	W, 2011-	S, 2012	F, 2012	W, 2013	W, 2013-	W, 2014	F, 2014
					2012				2014		
Organics	28.1	23.9	34.5	20.0	34.4			49.1	38.1	27.3	29.4
Sulfate	20.3	16.8	8.7	9.0	9.3			19.6	9.4	8.6	9.1
Nitrate	17.3	10.0	6.8	12.4	10.9			12.5	7.2	8.1	17.8
Ammonium	13.1	10.0	7.7	8.0	8.6			8.9	5.4	4.5	7.8
Chloride	1.1	0.6	5.8	0.5	3.5			3.6	4.0	2.0	2.9
$NR-PM_1$	80	61	64	50	67			94	64	51	67
HOA	11.5	4.3	4.7	7.1	5.8	2.9	3.0	5.4	3.9	4.4	3.4
COA		5.8	6.7		6.6	3.0	7.8	9.8	6.7	3.8	7.5
CCOA			8.2		11.3			9.3	7.6	4.6	
BBOA			4.1						3.3		4.1
00A				12.7	10.7	7.2					
SV-OOA	4.3	5.7	4.3				6.3	12.8	12.1	9.8	7.0
LV-OOA	12.3	8.1	6.2				10.2	13.8	4.4	4.1	7.9
OA	28	24	35	20	34	13	27	51	38	27	30

Table S1. A summary of non-refractory submicron aerosol composition and OA factors from AMS measurements in Beijing China.

Sampling sites: Chinese Academy of Meteorological Sciences (CAMS); Peking University (PEK); Institute of Atmospheric Physics (IAP).

References: <sup>1</sup>(Sun et al., 2010); <sup>2</sup>(Huang et al., 2010); <sup>3</sup>(Hu et al., 2016); <sup>4</sup>(Sun et al., 2012); <sup>5</sup>(Sun et al., 2013); <sup>6</sup>(Zhang et al., 2015a); <sup>7</sup>(Zhang et al., 2014); <sup>8</sup>This study; <sup>9</sup>(Zhang et al., 2015b); <sup>10</sup>(Xu et al., 2015).



Figure S1. Comparison of the elemental ratios calculated from the A-A method (Aiken et al., 2008) with those from the recently updated I-A method (Canagaratna et al., 2015).



Figure S2. A summary of PMF diagnostic plot: (a)  $Q/Q_{exp}$  as a function of number of factors, (b) mass fractions of OA factors as a function of fpeak, (c) scaled residual for each fragment ion, (d) a comparison of measured and PMF reconstructed mass, (e) time series of residual, and (f) time series of  $Q/Q_{exp}$ .



Figure S3. Correlations of six OA factors with other tracers.



Figure S4. Comparisons of time series of six OA factors from PMF analysis of V-mode and W-mode.



Figure 5. Mass spectra comparisons between UMR-PMF and HMR-PMF.



Figure S6. Correlations of organics at different sizes with six OA factors, sulfate and nitrate.



Figure S7. Variations of (a) mass concentrations and (b) mass fractions of OA factors as a function of RH.



Figure S8. Correlations of six OA factors with each unit m/z.



Figure S9. Contributions of six OA factors to each m/z.



Figure S10. Average diurnal cycles of OA/CO for six OA factors.



Figure S11. Variations of SO<sub>2</sub><sup>+</sup>/SO<sub>3</sub><sup>+</sup> and SO<sup>+</sup>/SO<sub>2</sub><sup>+</sup> ratios as a function of RH.

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