

**Supplementary material for:**

**Six-year source apportionment of submicron organic aerosols from near-continuous measurements at SIRTA (Paris area, France)**

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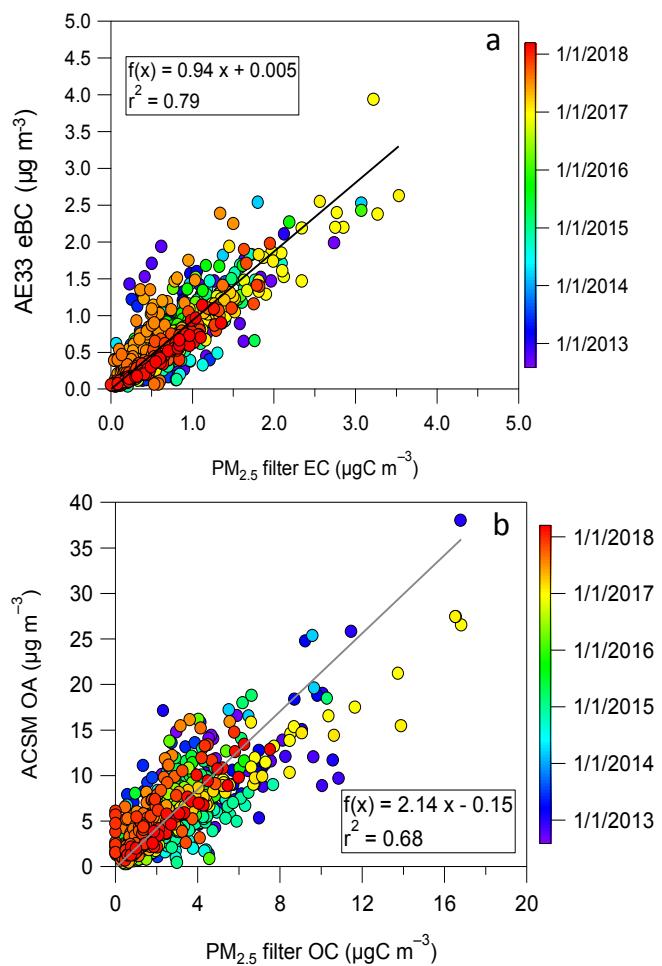
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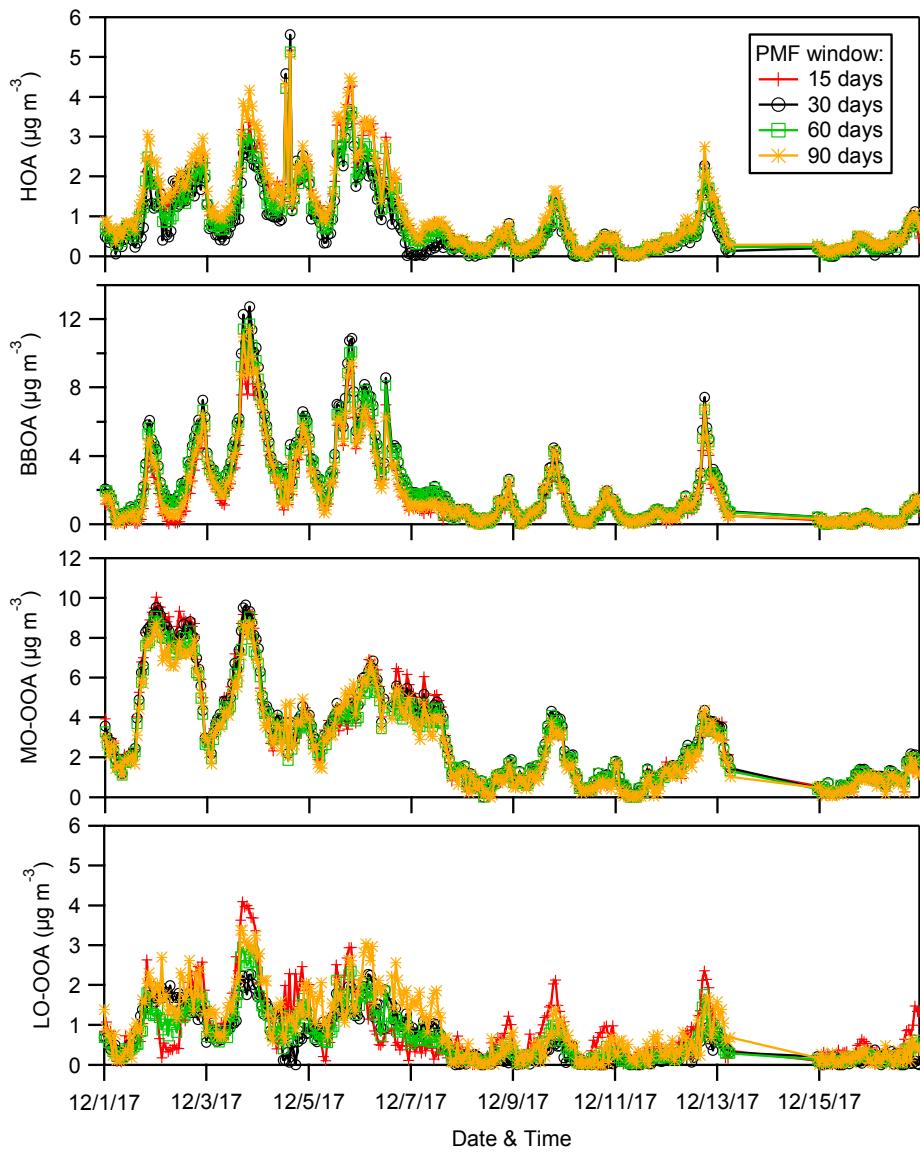
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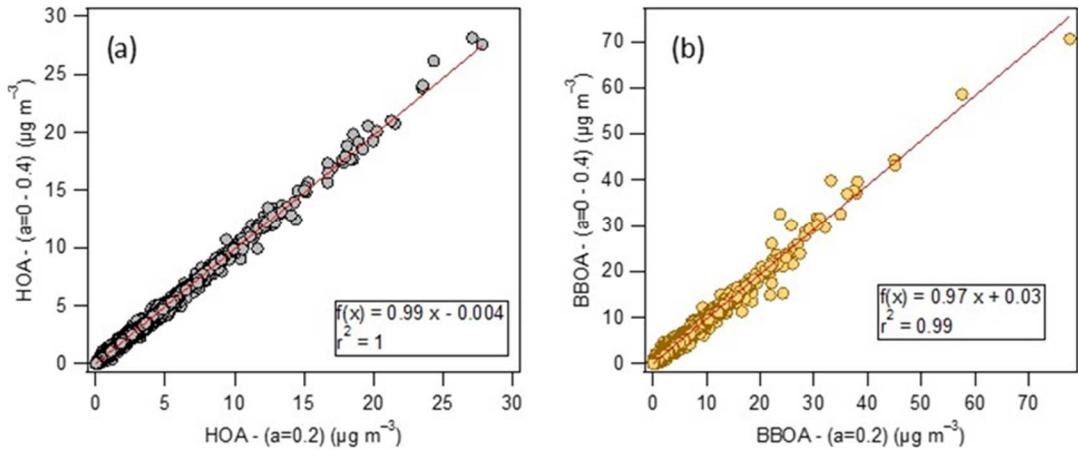
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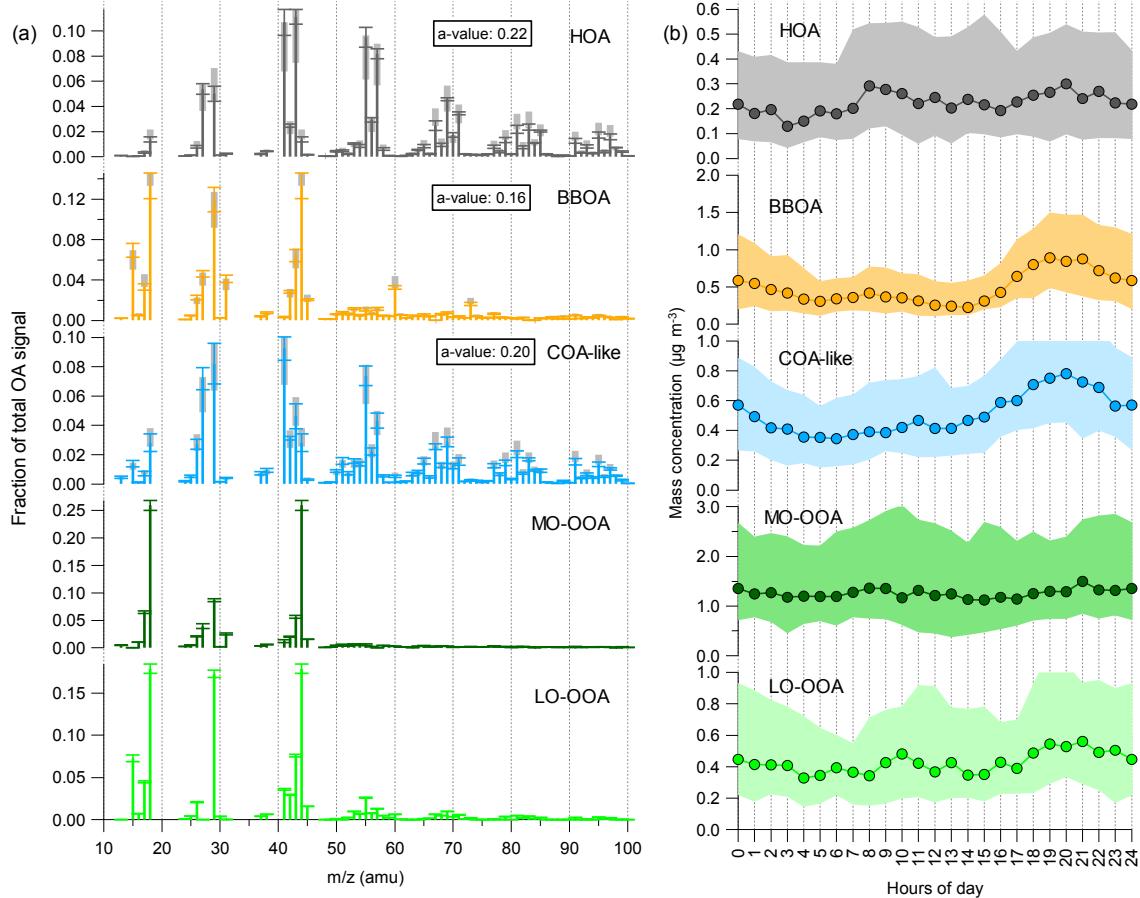
**Figure S1** Comparison between online (AE33 and ACSM) and offline (PM<sub>2.5</sub> daily filters) carbonaceous aerosol measurements: (a) eBC (AE33) vs. EC, and (b) OA (ACSM) vs. OC.



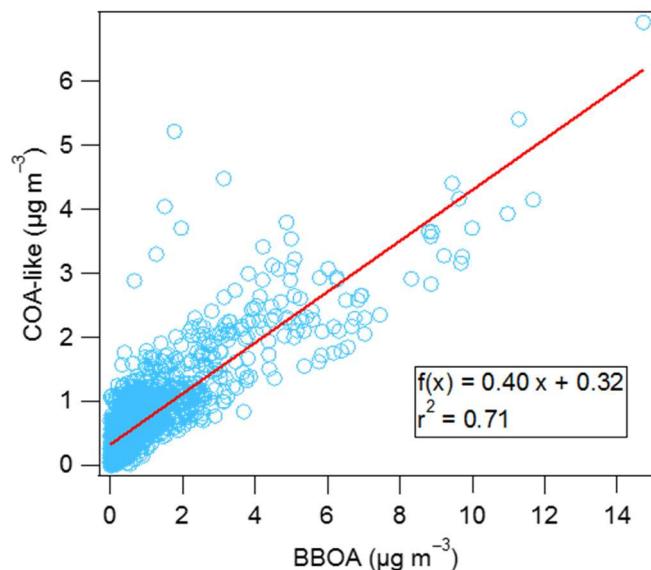
**Figure S2.** Comparisons of mass concentrations of four OA factors resolved from different PMF windows runs with setting of 15, 30, 60 and 90 days, respectively.



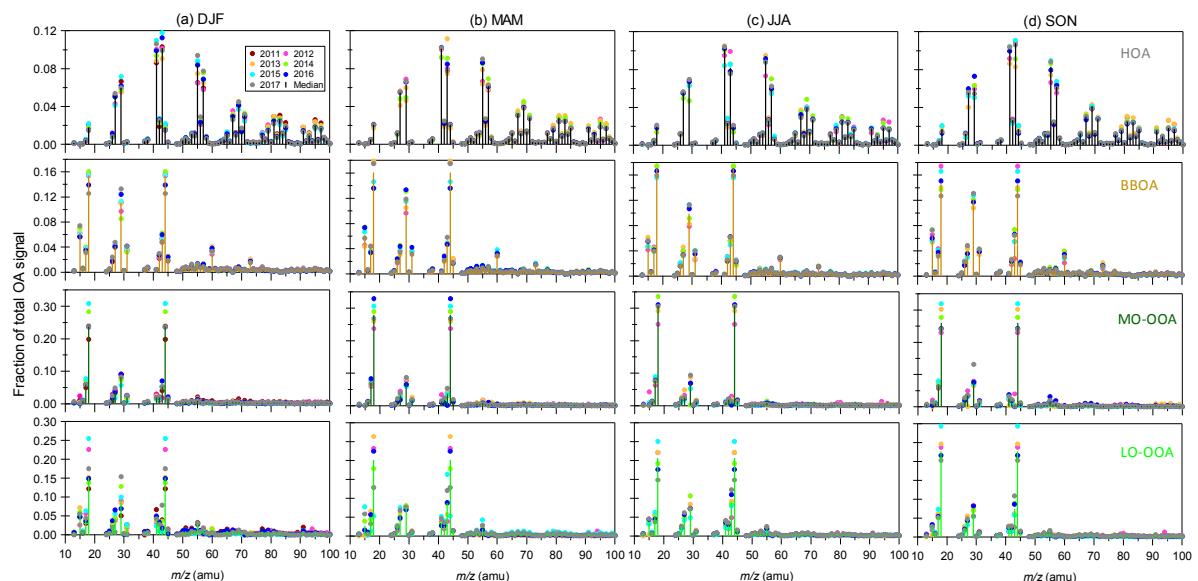
**Figure S3.** Comparisons of ME-2 runs between two different  $a$ -value settings, including a varying range ( $a=0 - 0.4$ ) and a specific  $a$ -value ( $a=0.2$ ).



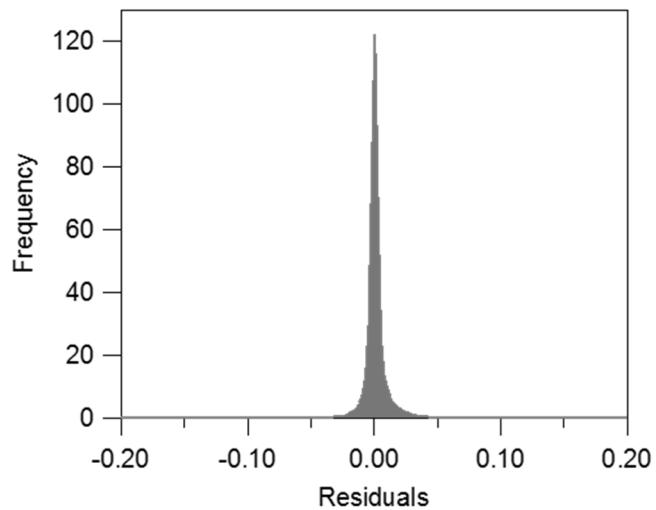
**Figure S4.** Mass spectra (a) and diel variations (b) of OA factors obtained from the 5-factor solution ME-2 runs for the winter 2017-2018 period. In (a), gray bars describe the range of  $a$ -value changes for constrained factors (i.e., HOA BBOA and COA-like) during ME-2 runs with the random mode. Errors in each plot present 1 standard deviation. Stick lines indicate average values over all selected ME-2 runs. Averages  $a$ -value for constrained factors during the ME-2 runs is also shown. In (b), shadow areas present the 25<sup>th</sup> and 75<sup>th</sup> percentiles respectively. Solid circle lines are median values.



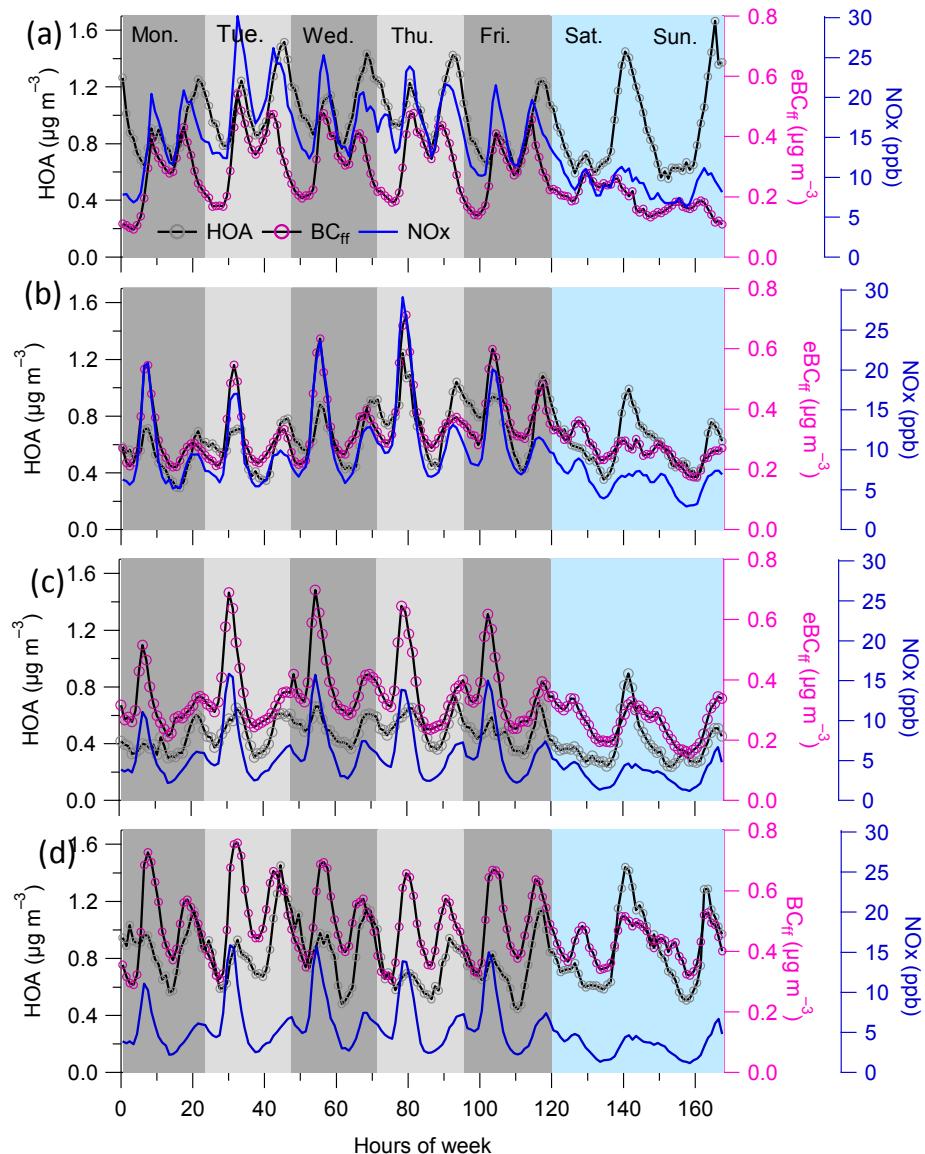
**Figure S5.** Relationships of constrained COA-like versus BBOA from the 5-factor solution



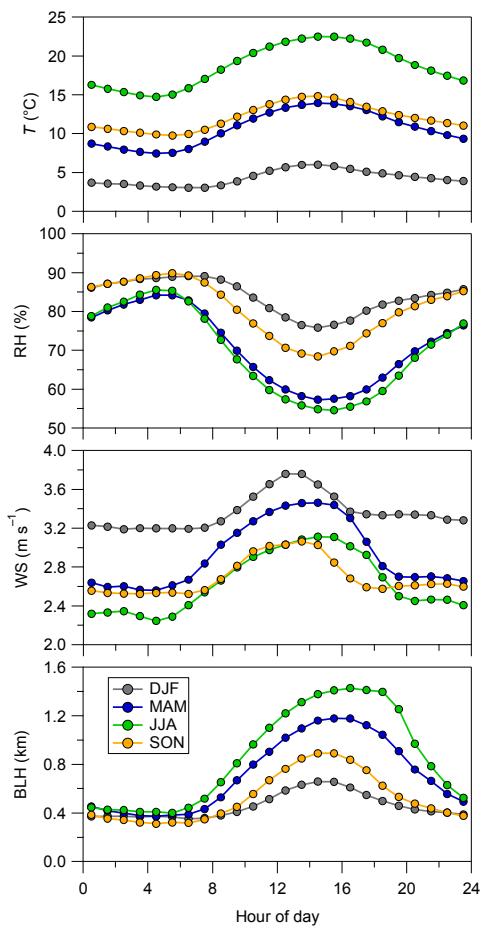
**Figure S6.** Seasonal mass spectral profiles of the four PMF OA factors determined from winter 2011-2012 to winter 2017-2018.



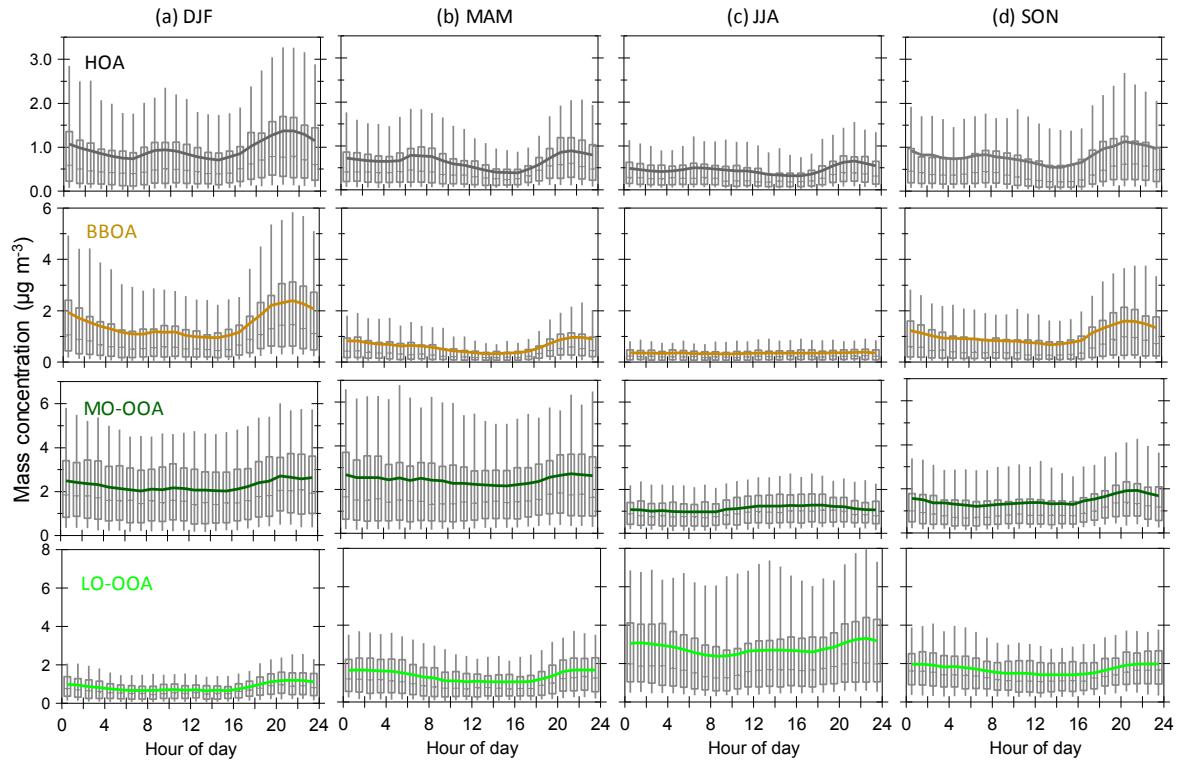
**Figure S7.** Residual distributions of PMF OA analysis using ME-2 approach (random mode with  $\alpha$ -value 0 – 0.4) for the entire investigated period.



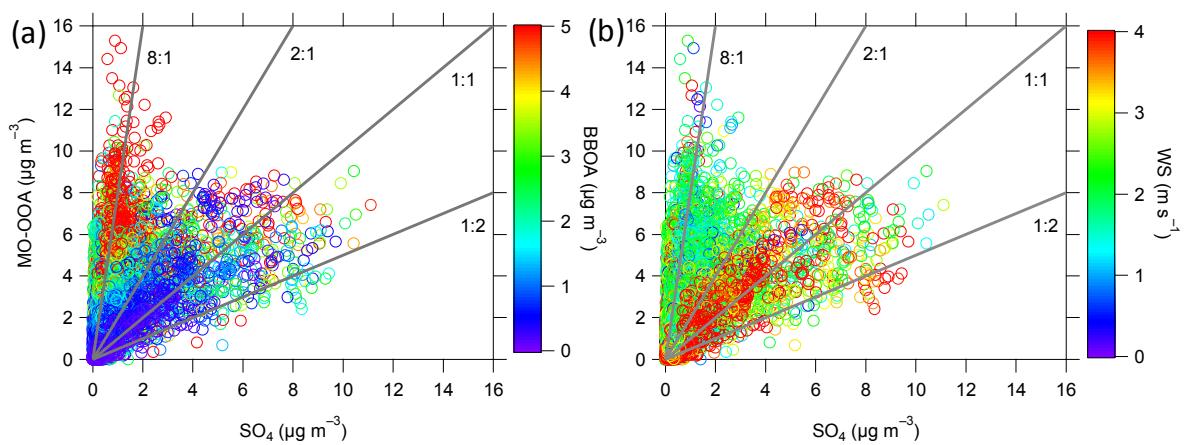
**Figure S8.** Seasonal weekly diel cycles obtained for HOA along with external tracers (eBC<sub>ff</sub> and NO<sub>x</sub>) in (a) winter, (b) spring, (c) summer, and (d) fall.



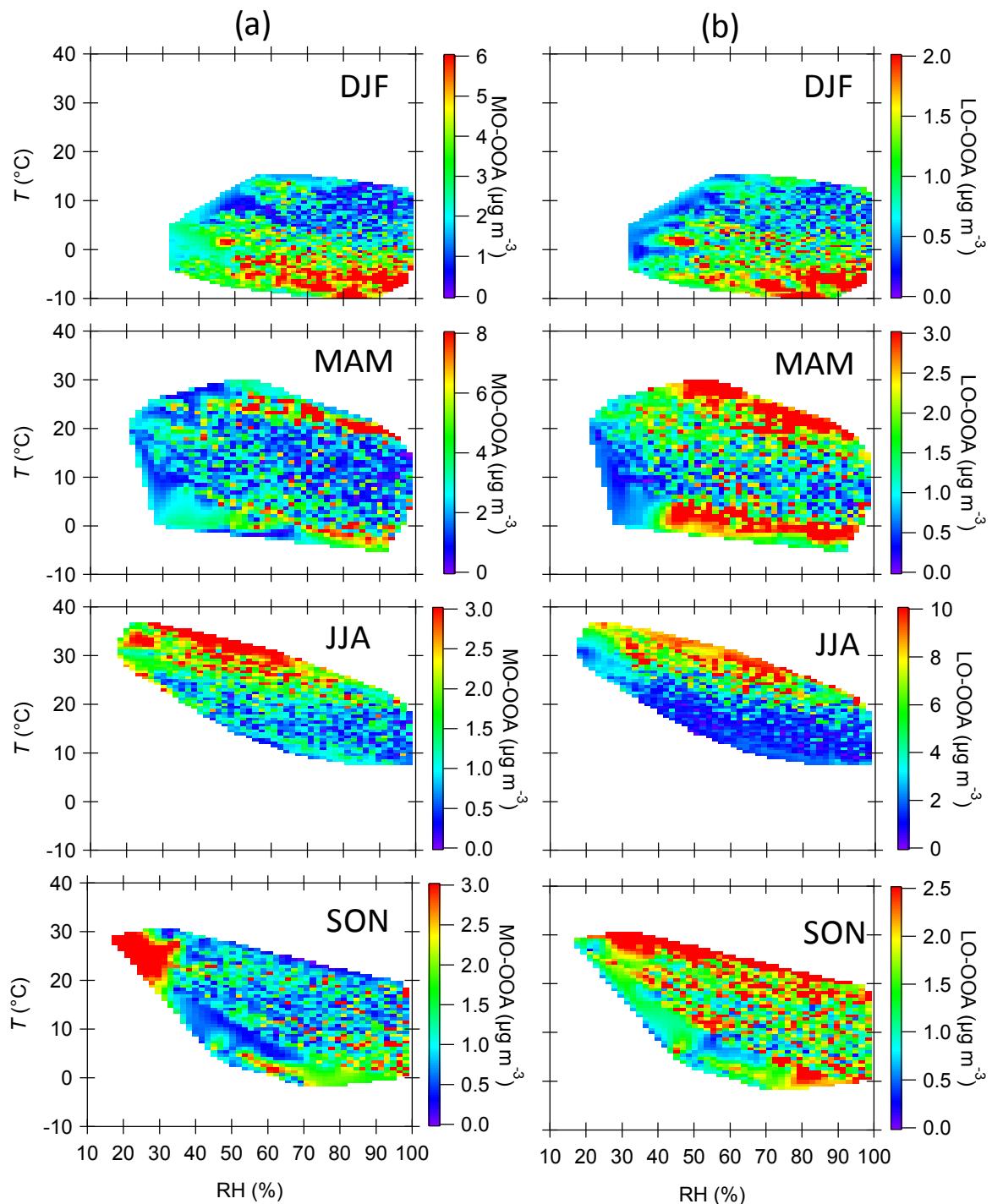
**Figure S9.** Diel cycles of meteorological parameters (including T, RH, WS, and BLH) in each season, i.e., winter (DJF), spring (MAM), summer (JJA), and fall (SON).



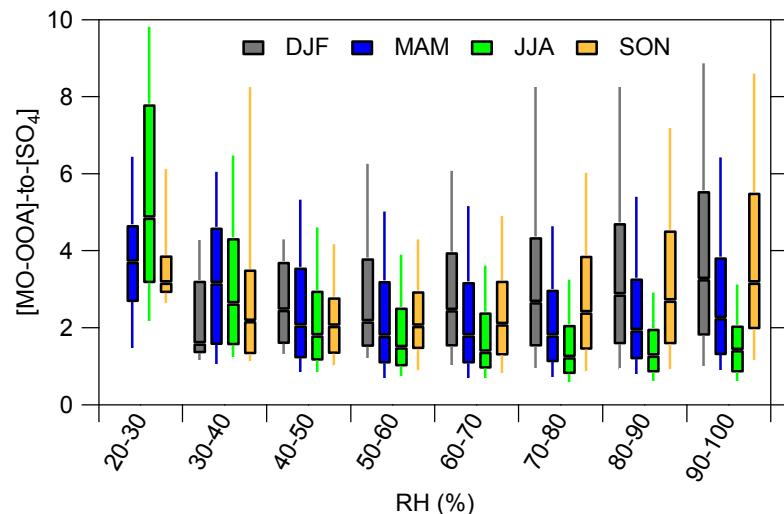
**Figure S10.** Average diel variations of the four PMF OA factors in each season.



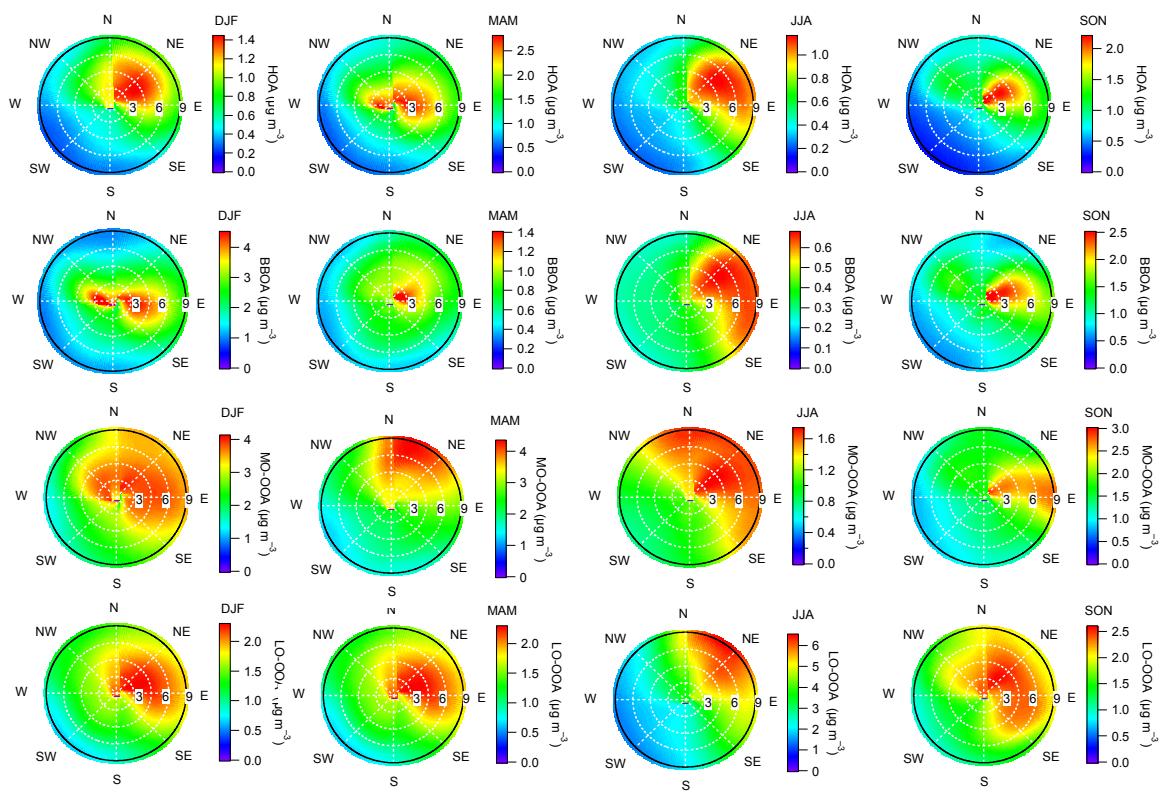
**Figure S11.** Relationship between MO-OOA and sulfate ( $\text{SO}_4$ ) during wintertime, where the data points are colored by (a) mass concentration of BBOA; and (b) wind speed (WS).



**Figure S12.** Temperature ( $T$ ) and relative humidity (RH) dependence variations of the mass loadings of two OOA fractions.



**Figure S13.** [MO-OOA]-to-[SO<sub>4</sub>] ratio as a function of RH during each season.



**Figure S14.** Wind-dependent analysis of OA factors during each season, i.e., winter (DJF), spring (MAM), summer (JJA), and fall (SON).