

## **Supporting Information**

### **Impact of anthropogenic emissions on biogenic secondary organic aerosol: Observation in the Pearl River Delta, South China**

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### **Text S1 SOA-tracer method for source apportionment**

The SOA-tracer method is developed by Kleindienst and co-workers. Based on chamber experiments, they determine the mass fractions of tracers in SOA ( $f_{SOA}$ ) and SOC ( $f_{SOC}$ ) for individual precursor:

$$f_{SOA} = \frac{\sum_i [tr_i]}{[SOA]}, \quad f_{SOC} = \frac{\sum_i [tr_i]}{[SOC]}$$

where  $\sum_i [tr_i]$  is the sum of tracer concentrations for a precursor, and [SOA] and [SOC] are the measured SOA and SOC concentrations in chamber-generated SOA samples. The available  $f_{SOA}$  and  $f_{SOC}$  values were listed in Table S2. With these mass fractions in literatures and measured SOA tracers in the ambient air, SOA and SOC from different precursors have been estimated in different places of the world (Hu et al., 2008; Lewandowski et al., 2013; Stone et al., 2012; von Schneidemesser et al., 2009; Ding et al., 2014), with the assumption that the  $f_{SOA}$  and  $f_{SOC}$  values in the chamber samples are the same in the ambient air. In this study, the same set of SOA tracers reported by Kleindienst and co-workers were used for the SOC and SOA estimations (Table S2).

The uncertainty in the SOA-tracer method is induced from the analysis of organic tracers and the determination of conversion factors. The uncertainties in the tracers' analyses were estimated in the range of 15-157% (Table S2). The uncertainties in  $f_{SOA}$  were reported to be 25% for isoprene, 48% for monoterpenes, and 22% for  $\beta$ -caryophyllene (Kleindienst et al., 2007; Lewandowski et al., 2013). Considering these factors, the uncertainty of the estimating procedure was calculated through error propagation. The relative standard deviations (RSD) were 37% for SOA<sub>I</sub>, 67% for SOA<sub>M</sub>, and 158% for SOA<sub>C</sub>. On average, the RSD of total BSOA (sum of the three BVOCs) was 59%.

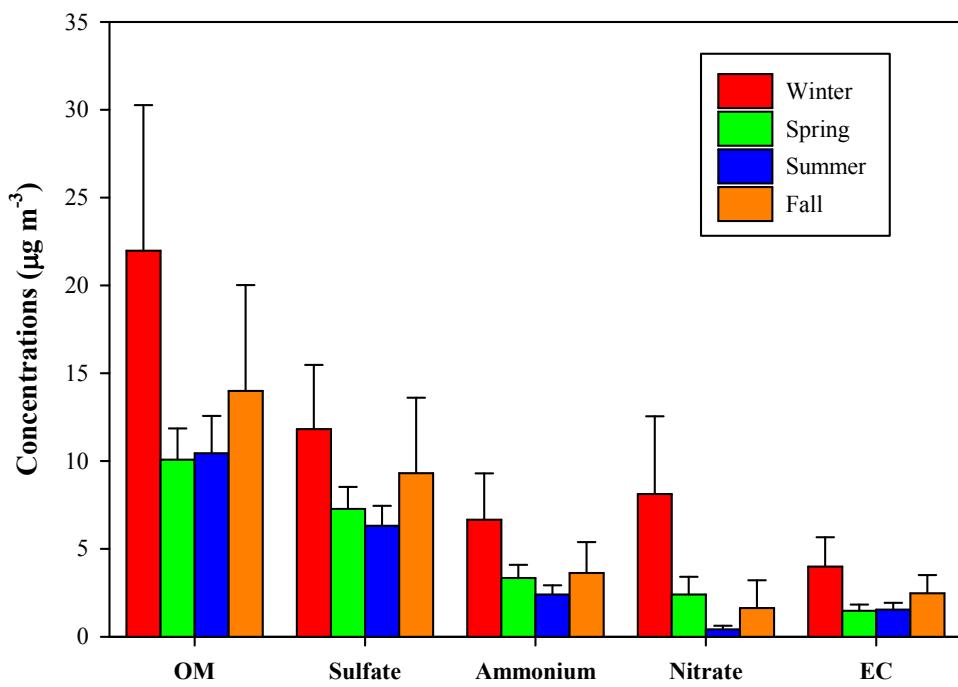


Figure S1 Seasonal variation of major components in PM<sub>2.5</sub>. All the major components increased in winter and fall.

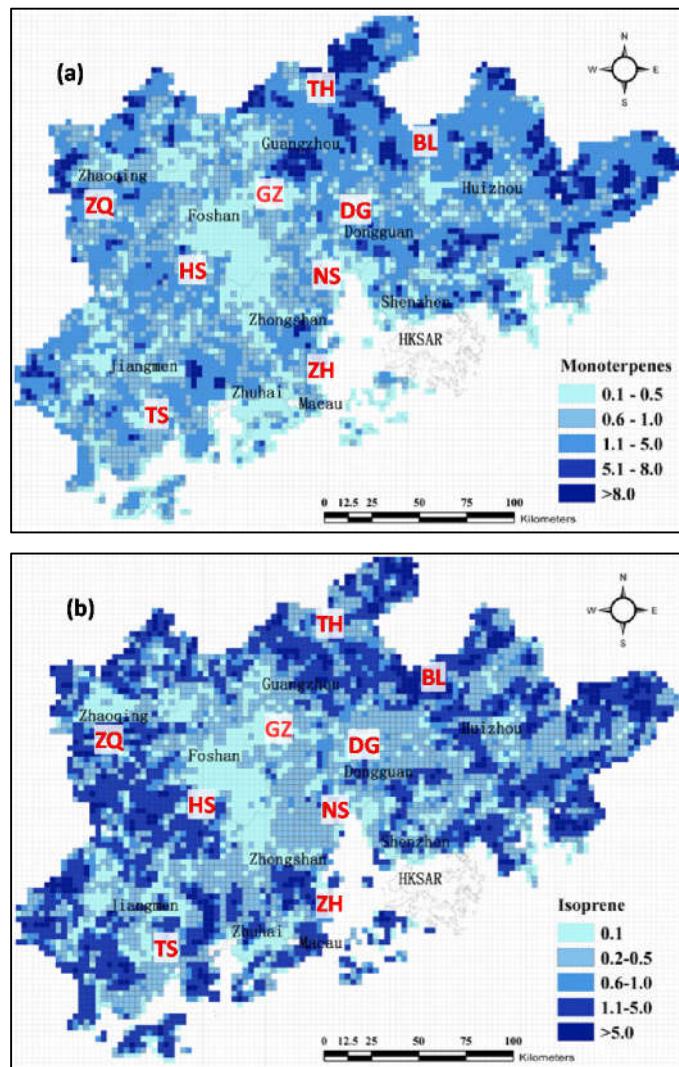


Figure S2 Spatial distribution of monoterpenes (a), and isoprene (b) emissions in the PRD (Zheng et al., 2010). The sampling sites are labeled.

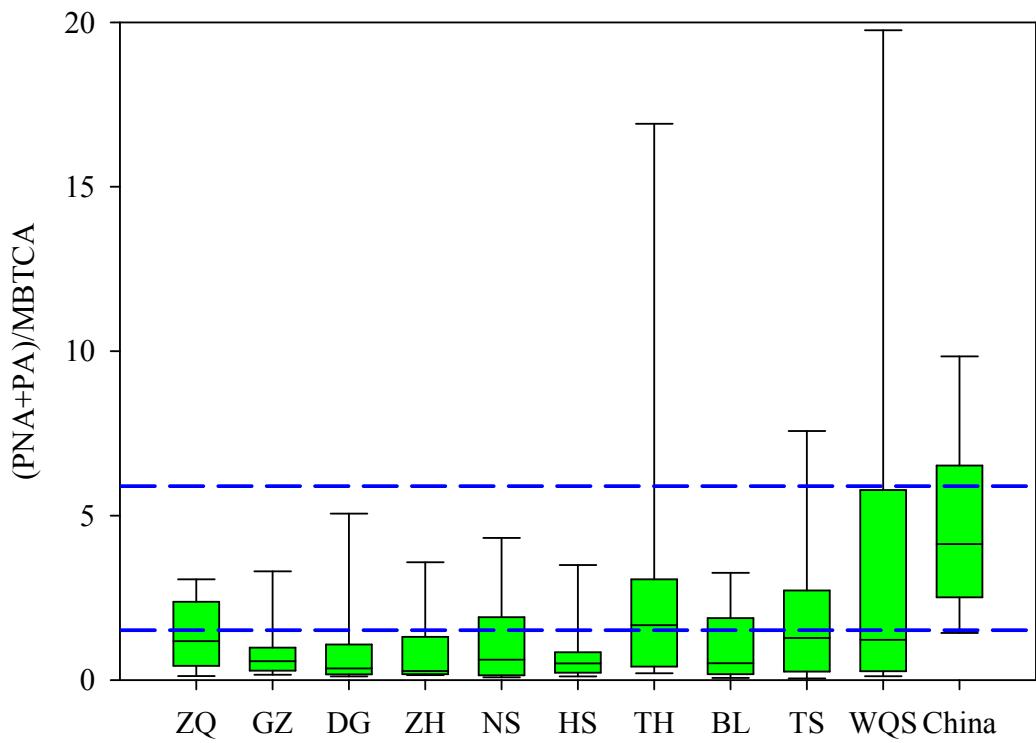


Figure S3 Spatial distribution of  $(\text{PNA}+\text{PA})/\text{MBTCA}$  ratios at 9 sites in the PRD. The  $(\text{PNA}+\text{PA})/\text{MBTCA}$  ratios between two blue dash lines (1.51–5.91) indicate fresh SOAM from chamber studies (Eddingsaas et al., 2012; Offenberg et al., 2007). Box with error bars represent 10<sup>th</sup>, 25<sup>th</sup>, 75<sup>th</sup>, 90<sup>th</sup> percentiles at each site. The line in the box is the median at each site. The data at WQS site during 2008 in the PRD (Ding et al., 2012) and at 12 sites during 2012-2013 in China (Ding et al., 2016) were reported in our previous studies.

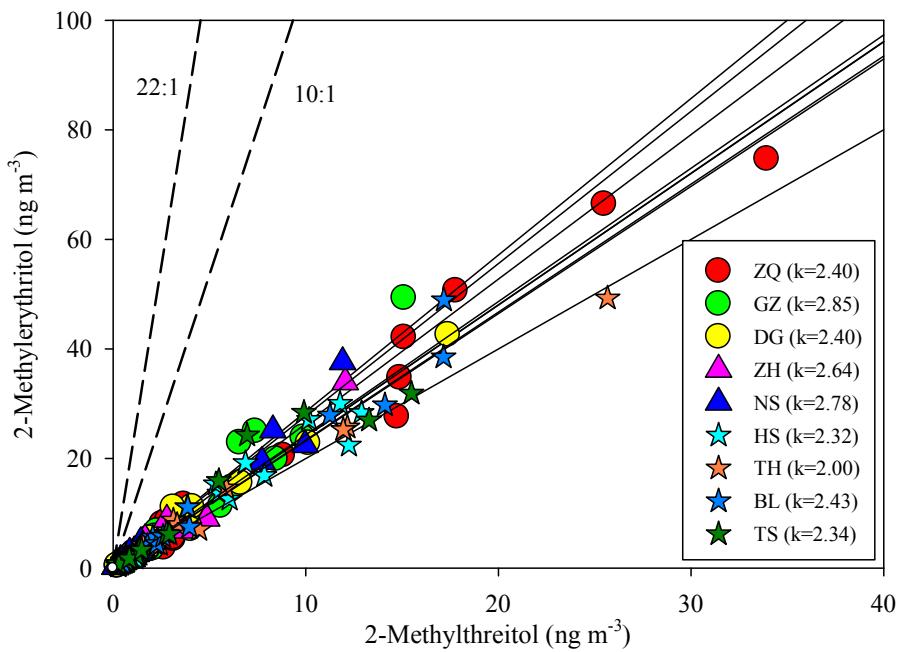


Figure S4 Significant correlations between 2-methyltetrol isomers at 9 sites in the PRD. K indicates the slope of each linear regression. The dash lines indicate the ratio range of 2-methyltetrol isomers in the SOA from isoprene ozonolysis (Riva et al., 2016).

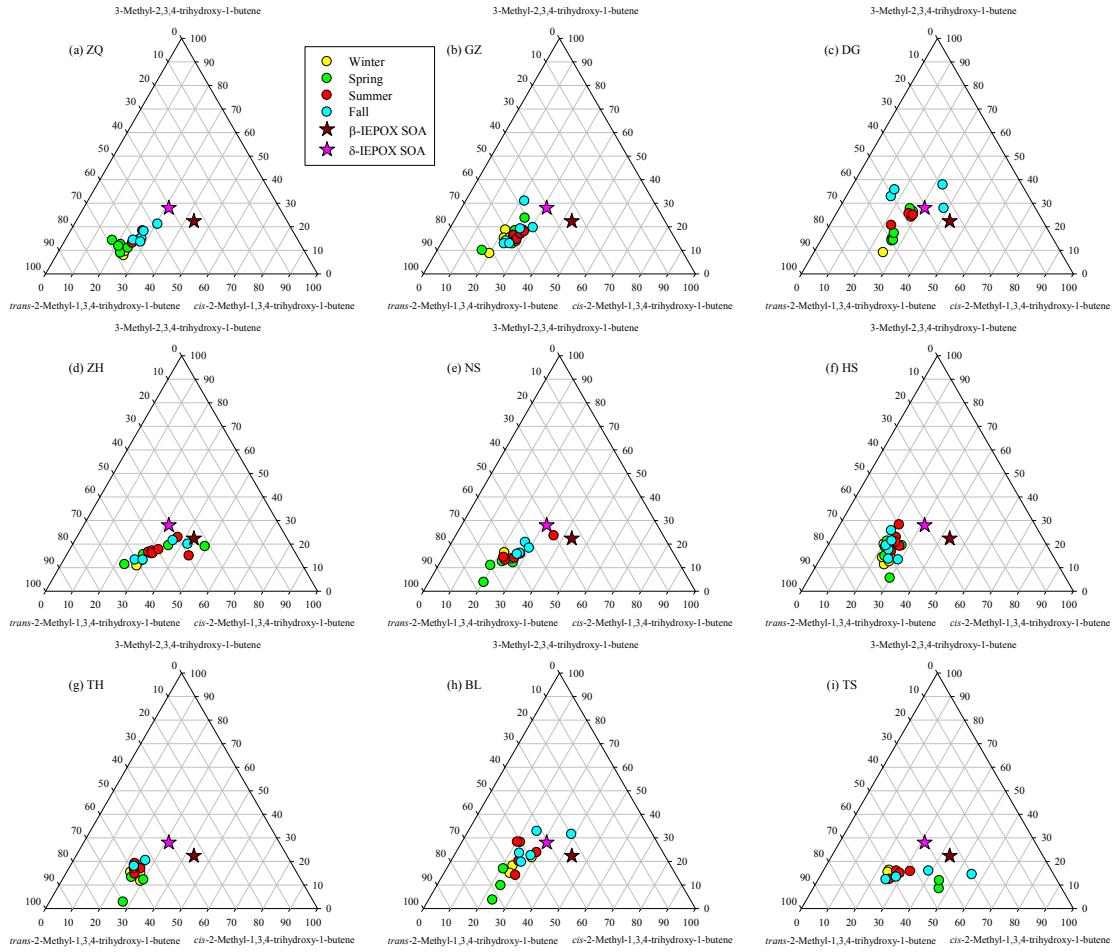


Figure S5 Intercomparison of C<sub>5</sub>-alkene triols compositions at 9 sites and in  $\beta$ -IEPOX and  $\delta$ -IEPOX derived SOA (Lin et al., 2012).

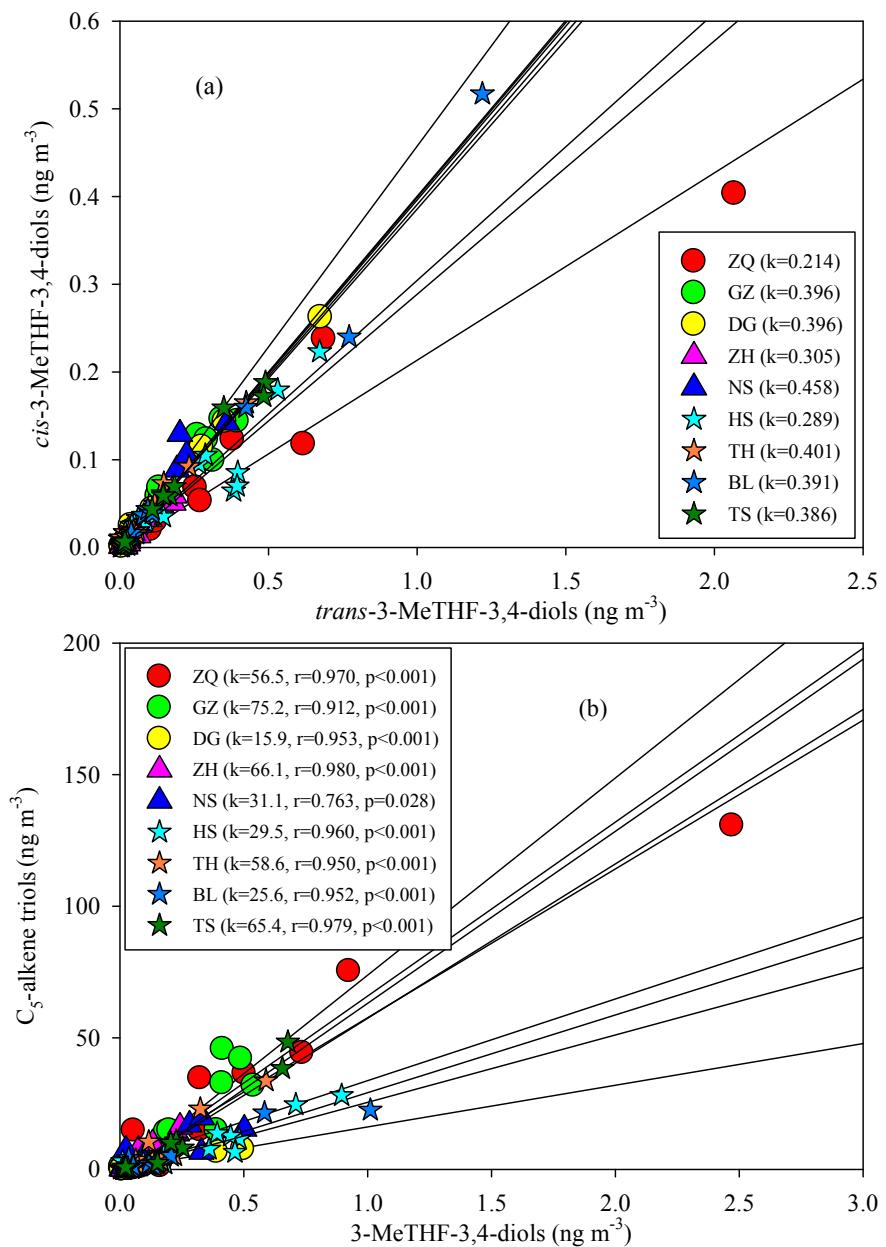


Figure S6 Significant correlations among the SOA<sub>1</sub> tracers. K indicates the slope of each linear regression.

Table S1 Data summary of gaseous and particulate species in the air of PRD

| Zhaoqing (ZQ, urban site)                           |        |        |        |      |                 | Guangzhou (GZ, urban site) |        |        |        |                 |        | Dongguan (DG, urban site) |        |        |                 |      |        | Nansha (NS, sub-urban site) |                 |                 |        |      |        | Zhuhai (ZH, sub-urban site) |                 |        |        |      |        |
|---|--------|--------|--------|------|-----------------|----------------------------|--------|--------|--------|-----------------|--------|---------------------------|--------|--------|-----------------|------|--------|-----------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|--------|------|--------|-----------------------------|-----------------|--------|--------|------|--------|
|   | Winter | Spring | Summer | Fall | Annual          |                            | Winter | Spring | Summer | Fall            | Annual |                           | Winter | Spring | Summer          | Fall | Annual |                             | Winter          | Spring          | Summer | Fall | Annual |                             | Winter          | Spring | Summer | Fall | Annual |
| Temperature (°C)                                    | 15.1   | 22.8   | 29.1   | 24.2 | 22.7(12.8-31.3) | 15.7                       | 23.0   | 29.9   | 26.6   | 24.0(11.2-31.8) | 18.1   | 23.0                      | 30.3   | 25.3   | 24.9(15.9-32.0) | 19.6 | 22.2   | 29.5                        | 25.5            | 25.6(16.0-30.9) | 16.6   | 22.5 | 29.5   | 24.4                        | 24.2(14.7-31.1) |        |        |      |        |
| RH (%)  | 54     | 61     | 63     | 59   | 59(34-71)       | 52                         | 59     | 64     | 55     | 58(26-83)       | 57     | 61                        | 64     | 60     | 61(30-78)       | 72   | 67     | 68                          | 63              | 67(33-82)       | 76     | 72   | 75     | 74                          | 74(42-85)       |        |        |      |        |
| SO <sub>2</sub> (μg m <sup>-3</sup> )               | 22.0   | 31.1   | 19.7   | 29.5 | 25.5(4.09-21.9) | 23.4                       | 15.7   | 7.38   | 15.4   | 15.1(3.43-41.3) | 27.8   | 14.5                      | 13.4   | 15.6   | 16.2(5.04-33.2) | 22.9 | 12.8   | 9.30                        | 20.5            | 14.4(4.04-36.5) | 8.55   | 6.05 | 5.77   | 10.4                        | 7.33(2.14-14.6) |        |        |      |        |
| NO <sub>2</sub> (μg m <sup>-3</sup> )               | 40.4   | 24.1   | 15.4   | 36.7 | 29.1(2.45-82.7) | 84.8                       | 49.3   | 36.3   | 61.2   | 57.2(29.7-155)  | 73.7   | 34.0                      | 24.2   | 35.4   | 36.9(10.5-102)  | 61.4 | 27.6   | 19.0                        | 44.4            | 31.4(8.08-91.7) | 50.7   | 21.7 | 14.3   | 34.2                        | 26.8(7.08-65.0) |        |        |      |        |
| NO (μg m <sup>-3</sup> )                            | 14.7   | 4.65   | 4.06   | 5.88 | 7.31(2.00-35.4) | 31.8                       | 6.73   | 5.24   | 6.65   | 12.7(1.13-126)  | 25.1   | 3.64                      | 6.77   | 6.14   | 7.88(1.5-42.4)  | 13.5 | 2.48   | 2.00                        | 6.16            | 4.04(0.56-13.5) | 6.75   | na   | na     | na                          | 6.75(5.63-7.53) |        |        |      |        |
| NO <sub>x</sub> (μg m <sup>-3</sup> )               | 62.9   | 31.3   | 21.5   | 45.7 | 40.3(6.70-121)  | 134                        | 59.5   | 44.3   | 71.4   | 76.8(35.2-349)  | 112    | 39.6                      | 34.6   | 44.8   | 49.0(13.6-167)  | 83.0 | 32.1   | 22.7                        | 54.4            | 38.3(10.3-111)  | 57.5   | na   | na     | na                          | 57.4(47.6-72.1) |        |        |      |        |
| O <sub>3</sub> (μg m <sup>-3</sup> )                | 55.2   | 64.3   | 81.9   | 59.6 | 65.2(11.8-145)  | 52.9                       | 54.1   | 51.2   | 62.2   | 54.7(18.8-115)  | 42.3   | 65.6                      | 80.0   | 66.9   | 66.6(31.5-123)  | 64.8 | 80.2   | 80.8                        | 78.6            | 79.0(21.3-149)  | 49.7   | 48.7 | 66.3   | 106                         | 67.5(18.3-155)  |        |        |      |        |
| O <sub>x</sub> (μg m <sup>-3</sup> )                | 95.7   | 88.5   | 97.2   | 96.3 | 94.4(49.9-173)  | 138                        | 103    | 87.5   | 123    | 112(55.3-208)   | 116    | 99.7                      | 104    | 102    | 103(46.0-160)   | 126  | 108    | 99.8                        | 123             | 110(47.7-198)   | 100    | 70.4 | 80.6   | 140                         | 94.3(35.7-190)  |        |        |      |        |
| CO (mg m <sup>-3</sup> )                            | 1.18   | 0.69   | 0.66   | 0.73 | 0.81(0.21-1.66) | 1.21                       | 1.04   | 0.73   | 0.78   | 0.94(0.52-1.81) | 1.15   | 0.72                      | 0.71   | 0.61   | 0.73(0.32-1.52) | 0.85 | 0.74   | 0.66                        | 0.69            | 0.70(0.37-1.21) | 1.11   | 0.66 | 0.62   | 0.59                        | 0.70(0.48-1.14) |        |        |      |        |
| OC (μgC m <sup>-3</sup> )                           | 21.5   | 8.26   | 8.73   | 9.60 | 12.0(4.66-32.1) | 15.9                       | 6.55   | 5.90   | 10.2   | 9.59(3.12-33.5) | 20.2   | 6.51                      | 6.28   | 7.09   | 8.34(3.46-27.7) | 17.1 | 5.37   | 5.43                        | 9.18            | 7.20(1.94-19.6) | 9.82   | 4.41 | 4.50   | 8.55                        | 6.05(1.94-17.5) |        |        |      |        |
| EC (μgC m <sup>-3</sup> )                           | 5.70   | 1.50   | 1.80   | 2.34 | 2.83(0.79-8.41) | 4.35                       | 1.58   | 1.60   | 2.51   | 2.51(0.79-11.7) | 6.76   | 1.80                      | 2.12   | 3.39   | 2.99(0.84-8.39) | 5.32 | 1.22   | 1.48                        | 2.71            | 1.99(0.44-6.61) | 2.82   | 1.07 | 0.96   | 2.55                        | 1.59(0.44-5.16) |        |        |      |        |
| SO <sub>4</sub> <sup>2-</sup> (μg m <sup>-3</sup> ) | 12.8   | 8.27   | 8.86   | 10.1 | 10.0(2.92-20.9) | 12.0                       | 6.72   | 5.78   | 9.55   | 8.44(2.61-19.5) | 17.7   | 6.87                      | 6.52   | 8.09   | 8.52(2.45-21.2) | 14.1 | 7.48   | 6.18                        | 10.6            | 8.32(2.18-16.9) | 14.0   | 6.80 | 5.48   | 12.3                        | 8.47(2.33-21.9) |        |        |      |        |
| NO <sub>3</sub> <sup>-</sup> (μg m <sup>-3</sup> )  | 10.8   | 4.05   | 0.54   | 1.31 | 4.18(0.14-21.5) | 9.11                       | 1.82   | 0.57   | 1.29   | 3.22(0.15-23.3) | 12.3   | 2.92                      | 0.75   | 0.79   | 2.88(0.23-16.2) | 14.4 | 1.59   | 0.50                        | 1.06            | 1.81(0.23-14.4) | 4.97   | 1.28 | 0.16   | 1.53                        | 1.38(0.04-5.91) |        |        |      |        |
| NH <sub>4</sub> <sup>+</sup> (μg m <sup>-3</sup> )  | 7.92   | 4.44   | 3.70   | 3.86 | 4.98(1.10-14.3) | 7.10                       | 2.98   | 2.26   | 3.87   | 4.03(0.95-12.8) | 8.58   | 3.03                      | 2.09   | 2.79   | 3.41(0.62-9.75) | 11.5 | 3.54   | 2.33                        | 3.91            | 3.69(0.93-11.5) | 6.35   | 2.51 | 2.23   | 4.54                        | 3.34(0.60-8.10) |        |        |      |        |
| Cl <sup>-</sup> (μg m <sup>-3</sup> )               | 1.42   | 0.50   | 0.08   | 0.19 | 0.55(0.03-2.89) | 0.86                       | 0.37   | 0.13   | 0.14   | 0.37(0.06-1.78) | 1.84   | 0.24                      | 0.14   | 0.06   | 0.36(0.03-2.21) | 1.33 | 0.44   | 0.09                        | 0.20            | 0.30(0.04-1.44) | 0.27   | 0.25 | 0.05   | 0.06                        | 0.14(0.01-0.52) |        |        |      |        |
| Na <sup>+</sup> (μg m <sup>-3</sup> )               | 0.83   | 0.34   | 0.29   | 0.36 | 0.45(0.08-2.66) | 0.66                       | 0.23   | 0.26   | 0.40   | 0.39(0.08-1.13) | 0.73   | 0.38                      | 0.51   | 0.38   | 0.46(0.11-0.96) | 0.60 | 1.46   | 0.27                        | 0.43            | 0.68(0.15-2.30) | 0.48   | 0.46 | 0.28   | 0.34                        | 0.37(0.09-0.71) |        |        |      |        |
| K <sup>+</sup> (μg m <sup>-3</sup> )                | 0.83   | 0.38   | 0.23   | 0.33 | 0.44(0.11-1.32) | 0.70                       | 0.21   | 0.25   | 0.36   | 0.38(0.01-2.16) | 1.45   | 0.36                      | 0.20   | 0.35   | 0.45(0.14-1.95) | 0.81 | 0.30   | 0.11                        | 0.30            | 0.26(0.04-0.81) | 0.46   | 0.22 | 0.09   | 0.24                        | 0.21(0.02-0.58) |        |        |      |        |
| Mg <sup>2+</sup> (μg m <sup>-3</sup> )              | 0.10   | 0.05   | 0.04   | 0.04 | 0.06(0.02-0.35) | 0.08                       | 0.04   | 0.03   | 0.04   | 0.05(0.01-0.18) | 0.08   | 0.06                      | 0.07   | 0.04   | 0.06(0.02-0.12) | 0.07 | 0.15   | 0.11                        | 0.08            | 0.11(0.03-0.21) | 0.06   | 0.09 | 0.04   | 0.04                        | 0.06(0.01-0.13) |        |        |      |        |
| Ca <sup>2+</sup> (μg m <sup>-3</sup> )              | 0.59   | 0.31   | 0.37   | 0.44 | 0.44(0.07-1.14) | 0.49                       | 0.34   | 0.24   | 0.30   | 0.34(0.17-0.88) | 0.42   | 0.32                      | 0.32   | 0.30   | 0.33(0.11-0.79) | 0.32 | 0.46   | 0.41                        | 0.44            | 0.43(0.17-1.03) | 0.22   | 0.29 | 0.07   | 0.17                        | 0.18(0.01-0.85) |        |        |      |        |
| PM <sub>2.5</sub> (μg m <sup>-3</sup> )             | 60.7   | 25.4   | 27.3   | 36.9 | 37.5(11.7-85.6) | 64.5                       | 31.4   | 20.7   | 35.1   | 37.6(10.1-131)  | 102    | 39.5                      | 26.0   | 32.9   | 41.9(14.7-125)  | 78.1 | 24.2   | 24.6                        | 36.8            | 31.2(7.74-78.9) | 51.8   | 27.1 | 17.4   | 43.9                        | 30.5(9.46-83.3) |        |        |      |        |
| 3-Hydroxyglutaric acid                              | 21.5   | 18.0   | 35.9   | 20.1 | 23.8(3.32-89.5) | 18.5                       | 13.4   | 19.9   | 32.7   | 20.9(2.77-54.0) | 36.5   | 17.6                      | 27.6   | 20.2   | 23.2(3.73-73.6) | 28.0 | 7.80   | 11.0                        | 9.26            | 10.5(0.62-27.9) | 16.4   | 6.13 | 15.0   | 33.7                        | 16.9(0.70-61.7) |        |        |      |        |
| 3-Hydroxy-4,4-dimethylglutaric acid                 | 10.6   | 12.3   | 24.2   | 15.5 | 15.6(1.51-57.4) | 8.09                       | 8.39   | 14.8   | 24.4   | 13.7(nd-35.8)   | 19.3   | 12.8                      | 23.9   | 18.1   | 18.0(1.17-60.5) | 12.6 | 6.39   | 10.4                        | 5.60            | 7.93(0.27-28.5) | 14.8   | 6.22 | 12.7   | 30.5                        | 15.1(0.56-53.4) |        |        |      |        |
| cis-Pinonic acid                                    | 5.04   | 3.76   | 2.77   | 4.37 | 3.98(0.30-10.5) | 6.11                       | 5.67   | 2.19   | 6.77   | 4.99(0.36-20.3) | 1.65   | 3.26                      | 0.39   | 1.66   | 1.84(nd-11.8)   | 0.57 | 3.48   | 0.97                        | 1.54            | 1.85(0.06-12.8) | 0.37   | 3.01 | 0.83   | 2.02                        | 1.62(0.14-10.3) |        |        |      |        |
| Pinic acid  | 1.40   | 1.03   | 1.40   | 2.33 | 1.54(0.10-5.10) | 0.99                       | 0.76   | 0.57   | 1.48   | 0.92(0.11-3.47) | 0.87   | 0.94                      | 0.46   | 0.76   | 0.75(0.12-2.73) | 0.51 | 0.77   | 0.52                        | 0.71            | 0.65(0.05-2.69) | 0.37   | 0.31 | 0.52   | 0.63                        | 0.45(nd-1.82)   |        |        |      |        |
| 3-Methyl-1,2,3-butanetricarboxylic acid             | 6.65   | 4.43   | 17.8   | 8.47 | 9.32(0.90-55.5) | 7.70                       | 5.69   | 10.0   | 14.5   | 9.44(0.55-25.3) | 6.67   | 3.05                      | 7.96   | 10.3   | 6.99(0.17-23.5) | 6.76 | 2.34   | 6.90                        | 5.52(0.07-21.0) | 2.87            | 1.42   | 5.44 | 15.4   | 6.11(0.17-35.5)             |                 |        |        |      |        |
| Sum of SO <sub>AM</sub> tracers                     | 45.1   | 39.4   | 82.0   | 50.8 | 54.3(10.0-205)  | 41.4                       | 33.9   | 47.4   | 79.9   | 50.0(9.79-118)  | 65.0   | 37.7                      | 60.3   | 51.0   | 50.9(8.57-156)  | 48.5 | 20.8   | 29.8                        | 23.9            | 26.5(3.24-67.3) | 34.7   | 17.1 | 34.5   | 82.3                        | 40.3(1.89-153)  |        |        |      |        |
| cis-3-Methyltetrahydrofuran-3,4-diol                | 0.02   | 0.03   | 0.13   | 0.09 | 0.06(nd-0.40)   | 0.02                       | 0.04   | 0.06   | 0.10   | 0.06(nd-0.14)   | 0.02   | 0.02                      | 0.04   | 0.09   | 0.04(nd-0.26)   | nd   | nd     | 0.07                        | 0.11            | 0.09(0.02-0.14) | nd     | 0.01 | 0.02   | 0.03                        | 0.01(nd-0.05)   |        |        |      |        |
| trans-3-Methyltetrahydrofuran-3,4-diol              | 0.04   | 0.08   | 0.64   | 0.25 | 0.25(nd-2.06)   | 0.04                       | 0.05   | 0.16   | 0.21   | 0.12(nd-0.39)   | 0.05   | 0.04                      | 0.10   | 0.22   | 0.11(nd-0.67)   | nd   | nd     | 0.13                        | 0.31            | 0.21(0.01-0.67) | 0.01   | 0.02 | 0.06   | 0.08                        | 0.04(nd-0.18)   |        |        |      |        |
| cis-2-Methyl-1,3,4-trihydroxy-1-butene              | 0.59   | 1.63   | 11.3   | 6.26 | 4.93(0.11-33.2) | 0.39                       | 0.85   | 3.32   | 4.50   | 2.27(0.02-10.6) | 0.49   | 0.28                      | 0.76   | 0.37   | 0.45(0.02-1.54) | 0.43 | 0.23   | 1.72                        | 2.50            | 1.37(0.05-5.25) | 0.12   | 0.26 | 1.36   | 1.85                        | 0.95(0.04-4.24) |        |        |      |        |
| 3-Methyl-2,3,4-trihydroxy-1-butene                  | 0.21   | 0.82   | 5.82   | 3.19 | 2.50(0.07-17.0) | 0.24                       | 0.46   | 1.85   | 2.49   | 1.26(0.01-5.85) | 0.20   | 0.21                      | 0.68   | 0.70   | 0.46(0.01-2.52) | 0.33 | 0.12   | 1.01                        | 1.65            | 0.85(nd-3.19)   | 0.05   | 0.13 | 0.75   | 0.89                        | 0.49(0.01-2.31) |        |        |      |        |
| trans-2-Methyl-1,3,4-trihydroxy-1-butene            | 1.62   | 4.71   | 25.9   | 13.5 | 11.4(0.17-80.4) | 0.95                       | 1.86   | 7.49   | 11.5   | 5.43(0.11-29.2) | 1.21   | 0.58                      | 1.59   | 1.06   | 1.06(0.01-3.90) | 1.24 | 0.64   | 3.46                        | 5.11            | 2.85(0.09-11.3) | 0.24   | 0.53 | 2.27   | 3.91                        | 1.81(0.02-9.74) |        |        |      |        |
| 2-Methylglyceric acid                               | 2.02   | 3.31   | 3.00   | 3.84 | 3.04(0.24-9.02) | 1.32                       | 1.04   | 0.79   | 4.02   | 1.70(0.09-10.3) | 1.56   | 1.41                      | 0.94   | 3.09   | 1.83(0.07-7.75) | 1.25 | 0.73   | 1.33                        | 2.30            | 1.43(0.09-7.43) | 0.47   | 0.37 | 0.78   | 1.26                        | 0.71(0.09-3.11) |        |        |      |        |
| 2-Methylthreitol                                    | 1.36   | 7.08   | 16.7   | 6.56 | 7.93(0.68-33.9) | 0.91                       | 1.65   | 4.92   | 5.23   | 3.22(0.20-15.0) | 1.45   | 2.08                      | 3.16   | 6.34   | 3.60(0.22-17.3) | 0.97 | 0.54   | 4.08                        | 4.17            | 2.88(0.11-11.9) | 0.20   | 0.82 | 3.38   | 2.48                        | 1.93(0.09-12.0) |        |        |      |        |
| 2-Methylerythritol                                  | 3.31   | 15.5   | 42.4   | 15.5 | 19.1(1.59-74.7) | 1.94                       | 3.87   | 15.7   | 11.6   | 8.58(0.41-49.3) | 2.97   | 4.56                      | 8.67   | 14.7   | 8.56(0.48-42.6) | 1.77 | 1.23   | 12.5                        | 9.83            | 7.77(0.27-37.6) | 0.44   | 1.86 | 9.49   | 4.69                        | 4.79(0.25-33.9) |        |        |      |        |
| Sum of SO <sub>AC</sub> tracers                     | 9.18   | 33.1   | 106    | 49.2 | 49.3(4.86-250)  | 5.80                       | 9.77   | 34.2   | 39.6   | 22.6(0.89-97.9) | 7.95   | 9.18                      | 15.9   | 26.2   | 16.0(0.95-68.6) | 6.00 |        |                             |                 |                 |        |      |        |                             |                 |        |        |      |        |

Table S1 Data summary of gaseous and particulate species in the air of PRD (continued)

|   | Tianhu (TH, rural site) |        |        |      |                 | Boluo (BL, rural site) |        |        |      |                 | Heshan (HS, rural site) |        |        |      |                 | Taishan (TS, rural site) |        |        |                 |                 | 9 sites average |        |        |               |                 |
|---|-------------------------|--------|--------|------|-----------------|------------------------|--------|--------|------|-----------------|-------------------------|--------|--------|------|-----------------|--------------------------|--------|--------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|--------|--------|---------------|-----------------|
|   | Winter                  | Spring | Summer | Fall | Annual          | Winter                 | Spring | Summer | Fall | Annual          | Winter                  | Spring | Summer | Fall | Annual          | Winter                   | Spring | Summer | Fall            | Annual          | Winter          | Spring | Summer | Fall          | Annual          |
| Temperature (°C)                                    | 13.2                    | 19.9   | 27.0   | 24.4 | 20.5(11.0-29.4) | 16.4                   | 20.5   | 28.6   | 23.4 | 22.7(13.9-31.4) | 13.1                    | 21.8   | 29.0   | 23.1 | 21.4(10.5-31.0) | 16.4                     | 23.0   | 29.1   | 23.4            | 22.9(14.0-31.1) | 16.0            | 22.1   | 29.1   | 24.5          | 23.2(10.5-32.0) |
| RH (%)  | na                      | na     | na     | na   | na              | 75                     | 75     | 70     | 71   | 72(60-85)       | 58                      | 64     | 70     | 63   | 63(39-86)       | 75                       | 76     | 71     | 75              | 74(54-84)       | 58              | 60     | 61     | 58            | 59(26-86)       |
| SO <sub>2</sub> (μg m <sup>-3</sup> )               | 11.9                    | 9.75   | 8.70   | 13.5 | 10.5(5.34-16.9) | 15.1                   | 10.1   | 10.6   | 15.6 | 13.0(5.13-20.3) | 31.3                    | 23.2   | 11.7   | 29.5 | 24.4(5.60-46.8) | 11.6                     | 4.35   | 5.46   | 7.15            | 7.14(0.95-17.0) | 19.4            | 14.2   | 10.2   | 17.5          | 14.9(7.14-25.5) |
| NO <sub>2</sub> (μg m <sup>-3</sup> )               | 10.6                    | 8.54   | 10.8   | 3.37 | 8.98(2.95-16.2) | 14.1                   | 17.6   | 11.4   | 10.7 | 12.9(3.78-21.4) | 45.7                    | 26.7   | 5.85   | 43.4 | 31.4(3.68-60.2) | 38.7                     | 14.3   | 13.9   | 18.5            | 21.3(6.47-49.4) | 46.7            | 24.9   | 16.8   | 32.0          | 28.5(8.98-57.2) |
| NO (μg m <sup>-3</sup> )                            | 0.25                    | 0.32   | 1.72   | 0.70 | 0.87(0.13-2.47) | 1.47                   | 1.30   | 0.75   | 0.83 | 1.03(0.27-2.82) | 3.49                    | 3.77   | 1.40   | 3.67 | 3.15(0.68-12.4) | 3.58                     | 0.47   | 0.63   | 1.13            | 1.45(0.08-5.78) | 11.2            | 2.60   | 2.51   | 3.46          | 5.03(0.87-12.7) |
| NO <sub>x</sub> (μg m <sup>-3</sup> )               | 11.8                    | 9.82   | 14.2   | 5.08 | 10.8(4.68-19.8) | 17.2                   | 20.4   | 14.7   | 12.8 | 15.7(8.65-26.6) | 51.6                    | 33.0   | 17.37  | 48.7 | 38.5(9.72-72.4) | 44.0                     | 16.1   | 15.8   | 19.8            | 23.9(8.08-57.0) | 63.8            | 30.0   | 22.4   | 38.5          | 39.0(10.8-76.8) |
| O <sub>3</sub> (μg m <sup>-3</sup> )                | 99.2                    | 84.6   | 90.2   | 139  | 97.2(52.8-150)  | 29.6                   | 38.0   | 69.8   | 55.8 | 50.6(18.2-97.3) | 48.7                    | 75.4   | 61.0   | 60.4 | 61.3(12.8-135)  | 32.9                     | 65.6   | 77.4   | 87.9            | 65.9(10.9-147)  | 52.8            | 64.1   | 73.2   | 79.6          | 67.7(50.6-97.2) |
| O <sub>x</sub> (μg m <sup>-3</sup> )                | 110                     | 93.2   | 101    | 143  | 106(69.0-154)   | 43.7                   | 55.6   | 81.2   | 66.5 | 63.5(27.8-112)  | 94.4                    | 102    | 66.9   | 104  | 92.8(33.3-184)  | 71.6                     | 80.0   | 91.2   | 106             | 87.2(25.8-173)  | 99.5            | 88.9   | 90.0   | 112           | 96.1(63.5-112)  |
| CO (mg m <sup>-3</sup> )                            | 0.62                    | 0.57   | 0.56   | 0.32 | 0.54(0.26-0.87) | 0.85                   | 0.67   | 0.51   | 0.54 | 0.62(0.30-1.06) | 1.10                    | 0.88   | 0.87   | 0.82 | 0.91(0.50-1.22) | 0.88                     | 0.56   | 0.54   | 0.78            | 0.68(0.30-1.04) | 1.00            | 0.73   | 0.65   | 0.65          | 0.74(0.54-0.94) |
| OC (ugC m <sup>-3</sup> )                           | 8.05                    | 5.38   | 6.30   | 8.05 | 6.49(3.64-10.4) | 7.40                   | 6.63   | 7.03   | 8.67 | 7.52(2.64-16.7) | 12.9                    | 6.82   | 6.31   | 12.6 | 9.65(2.74-22.4) | 10.8                     | 6.79   | 8.28   | 12.8            | 9.67(4.24-23.1) | 13.7            | 6.30   | 6.53   | 8.74          | 8.50(1.93-33.4) |
| EC (ugC m <sup>-3</sup> )                           | 1.44                    | 0.96   | 1.04   | na   | 1.13(0.40-2.04) | 2.98                   | 1.99   | 1.92   | 2.08 | 2.22(0.54-8.22) | 3.38                    | 1.86   | 1.36   | 3.51 | 2.52(0.52-6.19) | 3.22                     | 1.28   | 1.66   | 3.14            | 2.32(0.64-6.86) | 4.00            | 1.47   | 1.55   | 2.47          | 2.23(0.40-11.6) |
| SO <sub>4</sub> <sup>2-</sup> (μg m <sup>-3</sup> ) | 9.83                    | 6.32   | 5.11   | na   | 7.18(2.99-15.1) | 4.38                   | 10.11  | 6.40   | 5.97 | 6.45(2.10-18.5) | 10.4                    | 6.96   | 5.43   | 13.9 | 9.17(2.24-28.2) | 11.3                     | 5.98   | 7.09   | 13.3            | 9.41(2.12-18.9) | 11.8            | 7.28   | 6.32   | 9.31          | 8.44(2.10-28.2) |
| NO <sub>3</sub> <sup>-</sup> (μg m <sup>-3</sup> )  | 1.00                    | 1.27   | 0.09   | na   | 0.88(0.01-2.93) | 2.69                   | 3.50   | 0.48   | 0.60 | 1.56(0.11-8.66) | 8.33                    | 3.01   | 0.30   | 5.32 | 4.23(0.15-16.3) | 9.49                     | 2.23   | 0.40   | 2.81            | 3.73(0.12-23.7) | 8.12            | 2.41   | 0.42   | 1.64          | 2.65(0.01-23.7) |
| NH <sub>4</sub> <sup>+</sup> (μg m <sup>-3</sup> )  | 3.80                    | 2.52   | 1.94   | na   | 2.80(1.11-5.88) | 2.43                   | 4.58   | 2.42   | 2.38 | 2.79(0.77-8.96) | 5.92                    | 3.50   | 2.14   | 6.06 | 4.40(0.85-13.8) | 6.32                     | 3.01   | 2.57   | 5.22            | 4.28(0.44-11.3) | 6.66            | 3.34   | 2.41   | 3.63          | 3.74(0.44-14.2) |
| Cl <sup>-</sup> (μg m <sup>-3</sup> )               | 0.05                    | 0.07   | 0.02   | na   | 0.04(nd-0.15)   | 0.54                   | 0.40   | 0.05   | 0.08 | 0.23(0.01-1.77) | 1.20                    | 0.46   | 0.05   | 0.32 | 0.50(0.01-1.85) | 1.54                     | 0.26   | 0.06   | 0.24            | 0.52(0.01-20.0) | 1.00            | 0.33   | 0.07   | 0.14          | 0.33(nd-4.20)   |
| Na <sup>+</sup> (μg m <sup>-3</sup> )               | 0.57                    | 0.48   | 0.14   | na   | 0.42(0.04-0.75) | 0.10                   | 0.26   | 0.43   | 0.25 | 0.27(0.03-1.00) | 0.71                    | 0.31   | 0.24   | 0.59 | 0.46(0.18-1.29) | 0.49                     | 0.28   | 0.35   | 0.70            | 0.45(0.18-0.96) | 0.57            | 0.47   | 0.31   | 0.38          | 0.44(0.03-2.66) |
| K <sup>+</sup> (μg m <sup>-3</sup> )                | 0.43                    | 0.24   | 0.12   | na   | 0.27(0.06-0.57) | 0.27                   | 0.24   | 0.19   | 0.20 | 0.22(0.07-0.71) | 1.02                    | 0.35   | 0.32   | 0.81 | 0.62(0.11-1.50) | 0.49                     | 0.16   | 0.42   | 0.52            | 0.39(0.09-1.02) | 0.72            | 0.27   | 0.21   | 0.34          | 0.36(0.01-2.16) |
| Mg <sup>2+</sup> (μg m <sup>-3</sup> )              | 0.08                    | 0.07   | 0.02   | na   | 0.05(nd-0.10)   | 0.02                   | 0.03   | 0.03   | 0.04 | 0.03(0.01-0.07) | 0.04                    | 0.03   | 0.02   | 0.04 | 0.03(nd-0.09)   | 0.02                     | 0.03   | 0.03   | 0.04            | 0.02(nd-0.06)   | 0.06            | 0.06   | 0.04   | 0.04          | 0.05(nd-0.34)   |
| Ca <sup>2+</sup> (μg m <sup>-3</sup> )              | 0.46                    | 0.42   | 0.10   | na   | 0.35(0.04-0.85) | 0.18                   | 0.16   | 0.25   | 0.34 | 0.24(0.10-0.62) | 0.34                    | 0.13   | 0.13   | 0.36 | 0.24(0.02-0.66) | 0.20                     | 0.19   | 0.31   | 0.22(0.12-0.40) | 0.36            | 0.29            | 0.23   | 0.29   | 0.30(nd-1.14) |                 |
| PM <sub>2.5</sub> (μg m <sup>-3</sup> )             | 33.9                    | 21.6   | 18.9   | na   | 25.0(9.98-43.0) | 31.4                   | 30.5   | 24.5   | 28.7 | 28.4(11.0-72.5) | 63.1                    | 29.8   | 21.4   | 54.9 | 42.2(6.78-112)  | 55.3                     | 21.1   | 24.5   | 52.6            | 38.3(7.68-114)  | 60.1            | 27.8   | 22.8   | 35.7          | 34.7(6.78-131)  |
| 3-Hydroxyglutaric acid                              | 21.0                    | 18.1   | 22.0   | 35.6 | 22.2(4.44-52.4) | 14.1                   | 16.4   | 24.3   | 16.5 | 18.1(3.64-74.8) | 16.3                    | 14.7   | 24.0   | 35.7 | 22.6(2.72-89.4) | 19.0                     | 5.25   | 23.4   | 42.0            | 22.4(1.44-79.2) | 21.2            | 13.1   | 22.6   | 27.3          | 20.1(10.5-23.8) |
| 3-Hydroxy-4,4-dimethylglutaric acid                 | 10.7                    | 15.2   | 15.0   | 35.5 | 16.6(1.65-36.8) | 6.20                   | 13.9   | 18.4   | 19.1 | 14.9(0.77-53.6) | 7.87                    | 12.5   | 19.6   | 26.7 | 16.6(2.11-61.0) | 7.49                     | 4.36   | 15.5   | 25.7            | 13.2(nd-47.9)   | 10.8            | 10.2   | 17.2   | 22.3          | 14.7(7.93-18.0) |
| cis-Pinonic acid                                    | 11.8                    | 6.26   | 4.03   | 29.3 | 10.2(0.66-34.3) | 1.80                   | 1.16   | 1.57   | 2.22 | 1.74(0.28-5.34) | 6.81                    | 3.32   | 2.01   | 2.41 | 3.63(0.56-18.5) | 7.55                     | 3.91   | 2.01   | 1.82            | 3.82(0.08-26.1) | 4.64            | 3.76   | 1.86   | 5.79          | 3.75(1.62-10.2) |
| Pinic acid  | 1.70                    | 0.92   | 1.33   | 6.58 | 1.99(0.19-7.69) | 0.73                   | 0.49   | 0.66   | 0.94 | 0.72(0.12-1.80) | 1.17                    | 0.65   | 0.77   | 1.45 | 1.01(0.14-3.17) | 0.63                     | 0.95   | 1.02   | 1.44            | 1.00(0.13-2.43) | 0.93            | 0.76   | 0.81   | 1.81          | 1.01(0.45-1.99) |
| 3-Methyl-1,2,3-butane tricarboxylic acid            | 4.48                    | 3.76   | 5.37   | 18.3 | 6.31(0.75-18.8) | 6.89                   | 3.68   | 12.1   | 10.4 | 8.91(0.35-34.5) | 3.18                    | 7.44   | 14.1   | 9.73 | 8.62(0.92-18.1) | 6.98                     | 2.08   | 6.68   | 13.8            | 7.39(0.40-25.8) | 5.80            | 3.76   | 9.60   | 12.0          | 7.63(5.52-9.44) |
| Sum of SO <sub>A</sub> M tracers                    | 49.7                    | 44.3   | 47.7   | 125  | 57.4(15.5-134)  | 29.7                   | 35.6   | 57.0   | 49.2 | 44.5(7.51-164)  | 35.3                    | 38.6   | 60.5   | 76.0 | 52.5(12.3-167)  | 41.7                     | 16.5   | 48.6   | 84.9            | 47.9(4.82-157)  | 43.5            | 31.6   | 52.0   | 69.2          | 47.1(26.5-57.4) |
| cis-3-Methyltetrahydrofuran-3,4-diol                | 0.01                    | 0.02   | 0.04   | 0.13 | 0.03(nd-0.16)   | 0.02                   | 0.02   | 0.07   | 0.14 | 0.07(nd-0.51)   | 0.02                    | 0.01   | 0.05   | 0.10 | 0.04(nd-0.22)   | 0.02                     | 0.06   | 0.05   | 0.12            | 0.06(nd-0.18)   | 0.02            | 0.03   | 0.06   | 0.10          | 0.05(nd-0.09)   |
| trans-3-Methyltetrahydrofuran-3,4-diol              | 0.02                    | 0.04   | 0.08   | 0.33 | 0.08(nd-0.42)   | 0.03                   | 0.04   | 0.22   | 0.35 | 0.18(nd-1.21)   | 0.03                    | 0.03   | 0.24   | 0.30 | 0.15(nd-0.67)   | 0.04                     | 0.13   | 0.13   | 0.25            | 0.13(0.01-0.48) | 0.03            | 0.05   | 0.20   | 0.26          | 0.14(0.04-0.25) |
| cis-2-Methyl-1,3,4-trihydroxy-1-butene              | 0.28                    | 0.31   | 1.32   | 7.20 | 1.48(0.05-8.95) | 0.19                   | 0.10   | 1.77   | 1.55 | 1.00(0.01-5.64) | 0.31                    | 0.27   | 1.66   | 2.91 | 1.28(0.04-7.09) | 0.24                     | 0.12   | 2.01   | 5.88            | 2.19(0.03-12.0) | 0.34            | 0.45   | 2.80   | 3.67          | 1.77(0.45-4.93) |
| 3-Methyl-2,3,4-trihydroxy-1-butene                  | 0.17                    | 0.19   | 0.89   | 5.49 | 1.07(nd-6.86)   | 0.13                   | 0.08   | 1.41   | 1.18 | 0.78(nd-4.53)   | 0.16                    | 0.22   | 1.53   | 2.38 | 1.07(nd-5.23)   | 0.14                     | 0.04   | 1.06   | 2.82            | 1.15(nd-5.94)   | 0.18            | 0.25   | 1.67   | 2.31          | 1.07(0.46-2.50) |
| trans-2-Methyl-1,3,4-trihydroxy-1-butene            | 0.67                    | 0.71   | 2.98   | 15.6 | 3.29(0.13-17.8) | 0.44                   | 0.30   | 3.70   | 3.17 | 2.11(0.04-12.3) | 0.77                    | 0.71   | 3.70   | 7.29 | 3.11(0.10-17.1) | 0.56                     | 0.16   | 4.28   | 13.3            | 5.21(0.05-30.3) | 0.86            | 1.13   | 6.15   | 8.28          | 4.03(0.16-11.4) |
| 2-Methylglyceric acid                               | 1.43                    | 1.03   | 1.23   | 4.80 | 1.68(0.31-5.54) | 0.77                   | 0.69   | 1.89   | 4.78 | 2.26(0.23-13.5) | 1.50                    | 1.23   | 2.27   | 5.87 | 2.71(0.10-10.8) | 1.15                     | 1.48   | 2.44   | 5.10            | 2.54(0.15-13.7) | 1.28            | 1.25   | 1.63   | 3.90          | 1.99(0.71-3.04) |
| 2-Methylthreitol                                    | 0.98                    | 1.76   | 6.12   | 18.8 | 4.98(0.26-25.6) | 1.12                   | 1.60   | 7.80   | 6.91 | 4.87(0.34-17.1) | 0.87                    | 1.22   | 7.25   | 6.91 | 4.06(0.25-12.9) | 1.10                     | 1.33   | 5.93   | 7.78            | 4.03(0.26-15.4) | 1.00            | 2.01   | 6.60   | 7.24          | 4.17(1.93-7.93) |
| 2-Methylerythritol                                  | 1.85                    | 3.46   | 14.2   | 37.2 | 10.4(0.36-49.2) | 2.44                   | 3.05   | 19.9   | 15.8 | 11.6(0.75-48.9) | 2.07                    | 2.62   | 19.4   | 14.1 | 9.54(0.70-30.0) | 2.44                     | 2.81   | 18.0   | 16.0            | 9.79(0.59-31.8) | 2.14            | 4.32   | 17.8   | 15.5          | 10.0(4.79-19.1) |
| Sum of SO <sub>A</sub> I tracers                    | 5.41                    | 7.50   | 26.9   | 89.6 | 23.0(1.45-113)  | 5.13                   | 5.87   | 36.7   | 32.7 | 22.6(1.54-93.8) | 5.74                    | 6.30   | 36.1   | 39.8 | 21.9(1.38-77.3) | 5.68                     | 5.95   | 33.9   | 51.2            | 24.1(1.19-103.) | 5.82            | 9.46   | 36.9   | 40.8          | 23.0(10.8-49.3) |
| β-Cary  |                         |        |        |      |                 |                        |        |        |      |                 |                         |        |        |      |                 |                          |        |        |                 |                 |                 |        |        |               |                 |

Table S2 SOA tracers and  $f_{SOA}$  and  $f_{SOC}$  values for SOA estimation

|   | Monoterpenes <sup>a</sup>   | Isoprene <sup>b</sup>   | $\beta$ -Caryophyllene <sup>b</sup> |
|---|---|---|-------------------------------------|
| SOA Tracers <sup>c</sup>                      | PNA (15%) <sup>d</sup><br>PA (34%) <sup>d</sup><br>MBTCA (62%) <sup>d</sup><br>HGA (96%) <sup>d</sup><br>HDMGA (67%) <sup>d</sup> | 2-MTLs (41%) <sup>d</sup><br>2-MGA (43%) <sup>d</sup><br>3-MeTHF-3,4-diols (52%)<br>$C_5$ -alken triols (93%) | CA (157%) <sup>d</sup>              |
| $f_{SOA}$ ( $\mu\text{g }\mu\text{g}^{-1}$ )  | 0.044 (48%) <sup>e</sup>  | 0.063 (25%) <sup>e</sup>  | 0.0109 (22%) <sup>e</sup>           |
| $f_{SOC}$ ( $\mu\text{g }\mu\text{gC}^{-1}$ ) | 0.059   | 0.155   | 0.023                               |

<sup>a</sup> The  $f_{SOA}$  and  $f_{SOC}$  values for monoterpenes are calculated based on the data reported by Offenberg et al. (2007). <sup>b</sup> The  $f_{SOA}$  and  $f_{SOC}$  values for isoprene, and  $\beta$ -caryophyllene are reported by Kleindienst et al. (2007). <sup>c</sup> The numbers in brackets are uncertainties in tracer measurement. <sup>d</sup> These tracers are used to calculate  $f_{SOA}$  and estimate ambient SOA. <sup>e</sup> The numbers in brackets are the uncertainties of  $f_{SOA}$  values reported by Kleindienst et al. (2007).

Table S3 Correlation analysis of HO<sub>2</sub>-channel SOA<sub>I</sub> tracers with O<sub>3</sub>

|  | Coefficient (r) | p-value |
|--|-----------------|---------|
| 3-MeTHF-3,4-diols                                | 0.343           | <0.001  |
| $C_5$ -alkene triols                             | 0.388           | <0.001  |
| 2-Methyltetrosols                                | 0.386           | <0.001  |
| HO <sub>2</sub> -chanle SOA <sub>I</sub> tracers | 0.409           | <0.001  |

Table S4 Correlations among HO<sub>2</sub>-channel SOA<sub>I</sub> tracers

|                      | 3-MeTHF-3,4-diols | $C_5$ -alkene triols | 2-Methyltetrosols |
|----------------------|-------------------|----------------------|-------------------|
| 3-MeTHF-3,4-diols    | 1                 | 0.789                | 0.792             |
| $C_5$ -alkene triols |                   | 1                    | 0.787             |
| 2-Methyltetrosols    |                   |                      | 1                 |

All the correlations are significant ( $p < 0.001$ )

Table S5 Rate constants and lifetimes of SOA precursors

|   | $\alpha$ -Pinene       | $\beta$ -Pinene        | Isoprene               | $\beta$ -Caryophyllene |
|---|------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|
| Rate constants at 298 K (cm <sup>3</sup> molecules <sup>-1</sup> s <sup>-1</sup> ) <sup>a</sup> |                        |                        |                        |                        |
| OH  | $5.25 \times 10^{-11}$ | $7.88 \times 10^{-11}$ | $9.99 \times 10^{-11}$ | $1.97 \times 10^{-10}$ |
| O <sub>3</sub>  | $9.01 \times 10^{-17}$ | $1.50 \times 10^{-17}$ | $1.28 \times 10^{-17}$ | $1.16 \times 10^{-14}$ |
| Lifetimes (hrs) <sup>b</sup>  |                        |                        |                        |                        |
| OH  | 0.53                   | 0.35                   | 0.28                   | 0.14                   |
| O <sub>3</sub>  | 3.64                   | 21.9                   | 25.7                   | 0.03                   |

<sup>a</sup> Rate constants are provided by MCMv3.2 (<http://mcm.leeds.ac.uk/MCMv3.2>).

<sup>b</sup> Lifetimes are estimated using summer average concentration of OH radical ( $\sim 1 \times 10^7$  molecules cm<sup>-3</sup>) in the PRD (Hofzumahaus et al., 2009), and annual average O<sub>3</sub> concentration (67.7  $\mu\text{g m}^{-3}$ ) in Table S1.

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