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Summary

This report presents measurements of VOC carried out during 2007 at EMEP monitoring sites. VOC measurements are reported for a total of 15 sites, and 4 of these with carbonyls. Except for two sites with continuous monitoring of hydrocarbons (Rigi and Hohenpeissenberg) all the VOC measurements are made by grab samples of light hydrocarbons in canisters and by 8-hours samples of carbonyls by DNPH adsorption tubes.

Fairly uniform mean concentration levels of alkanes were seen in winter, indicating that these compounds become well mixed in the dark season without effective chemical loss mechanisms, although the data from the Slovak station Starina was an exception and showed elevated concentrations of many compounds. Larger regional differences were seen for the alkenes consistent with the fact these compounds undergo chemical oxidation also in winter through the reaction with ozone.

The winter median concentration of the hydrocarbons, used as a proxy for the European emission source strength, was fairly low in 2007 for many of the components measured. Some compounds, like toluene and butane, show a long-term development indicating a general reduction in the concentration level, whereas for other compounds there is no clear picture. Robust trend calculations of the VOCs are difficult due to the poor sampling frequency (normally 2 samples per week) and the strong influence of meteorology. Modelling studies are needed to separate the effect of changes in emissions from those of changing meteorology from year to year.

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1. Introduction

The Geneva Protocol concerning the Control of Emissions of Volatile Organic Compounds or their Transboundary Fluxes was adopted in November 1991. It entered into force on 29 September 1997. Three options for emission reduction targets are specified by the Protocol:

- (i) 30% reduction in emissions of VOC by 1999 using a year between 1984 and 1990 as a basis;
- (ii) The same reduction as for (i) within a Tropospheric Ozone Management Area (TOMA) and ensuring that by 1999 total national emissions do not exceed 1988 levels;
- (iii) Finally, where emissions in 1988 did not exceed certain specified levels, Parties may opt for a stabilization at that level of emission by 1999.

In 1999 the Gothenburg protocol to Abate Acidification, Eutrophication and Ground-level Ozone was adopted by the Executive Body of UN-ECE, and on the 17th May 2005 the Protocol entered into force. The Protocol sets emission ceilings for 2010 for four pollutants: sulphur, NO_x, VOCs and ammonia. These ceilings were negotiated on the basis of scientific assessments of pollution effects and abatement options. Parties whose emissions have a more severe environmental or health impact and whose emissions are relatively cheap to reduce will have to make the biggest cuts. According to the Protocol, Europe's sulphur emissions should be cut by at least 63%, its NO_x emissions by 41%, its VOC emissions by 40% and its ammonia emissions by 17% compared to 1990. The Protocol also sets tight limit values for specific emission sources (e.g. combustion plant, electricity production, dry cleaning, cars and lorries) and requires best available techniques to be used to keep emissions down. VOC emissions from such products as paints or aerosols will also have to be cut.

The EMEP VOC monitoring programme was initiated at the EMEP Workshop on Measurements of Hydrocarbons/VOC in Lindau, 1989 (EMEP/CCC, 1990). A three-fold objective of the measurement programme was defined at the workshop:

- Establishing the current ambient concentrations
- Compliance monitoring ("Do the emission control programme lead to a reduction of atmospheric concentrations?")
- Support to the transboundary oxidant modelling (prognostic and diagnostic)

The Workshop recommended that as a first step it would be sufficient with VOC monitoring at 10-15 rural sampling sites and taking two samples per week at each station centred at 12 noon GMT. Collection in stainless steel canisters and analyses by high resolution gas chromatography was recommended for the detection of light hydrocarbons, whereas impregnated adsorbent tubes sampling combined with high performance liquid chromatography (HPLC) was

recommended for the detection of carbonyls. A list of required and desirable compounds was defined and is shown in Table 1.

Certain additional remarks at the Workshop were underlined in the proceedings report (EMEP/CCC, 1990). The need for more information on VOC concentrations close to the emission sources for modelling purposes was raised. Harmonisation with national urban measurement programmes was recommended as well as the assembling of VOC emission inventories. Furthermore, the importance of concurrent measurements of oxides of nitrogen was strongly emphasised.

At the Lindau Workshop it was also recommended that during the starting period the analyses of the VOC samples should be made by the CCC and that other laboratories should be included later on.

Table 1: List of volatile organic compounds that are “required” or “desirable” to measure within the EMEP programme as defined at the EMEP Workshop in Lindau, 1989 (EMEP/CCC, 1990).

	required	desirable
Alkanes	ethane	hexane
	propane	branched hexanes
	i-butane	heptane
	n-butane	branched heptanes
	i-pentane	octane
	n-pentane	
Alkenes	ethene	butenes
	propene	pentenes
	isoprene	
Alkynes	acetylene	
Aromatics	benzene	styrene
	toluene	propylbenzenes
	o-xylene	ethyltoluenes
	m,p-xylene	
	ethylbenzene	
	trimethylbenzenes	
Aldehydes	formaldehyde	propionaldehyde
	acetaldehyde	
Ketones	acetone	methylethylketone
		methylvinylketone

The measurements of VOC within EMEP started with the collection of grab samples of light hydrocarbons in the middle of 1992, whereas measurements of carbonyls started in 1993. In the beginning five stations were included in the monitoring programme, Rucava (LV10), Košetice (CZ03), Waldhof (DE02), Tänäikon (CH32) and Donon (FR08). Since then the number and selection of VOC measurement sites have changed several times.

The first laboratory intercomparison of light hydrocarbons in EMEP was organised already in 1993 (Romero, 1995). The variation or relative deviation

among the laboratories was in a range $\pm 25\%$ from the median. The exercise showed that the majority of the participating laboratories had the required analytical technique to correctly analyse a wide range of NMHC within an accuracy of $\pm 10\text{--}15\%$. Furthermore, the results showed no substantial differences whether the air samples were analysed immediately after collection or after a period up to 2 months (for $C_2\text{--}C_5$ hydrocarbons).

In the EU FP5 project AMOHA (Accurate Measurements of Hydrocarbons in the Atmosphere) a large number of laboratories in Europe participated in parallel sampling and analyses of hydrocarbons in ambient air (Slemr et al., 2002). A major part of the project was to organize four annual intercomparisons starting in 1997 and ending in 2000. The results showed that except for a few laboratories the agreement was within $\pm 25\%$ of the median for the lighter alkanes. For some aromats and unsaturated hydrocarbons as well as the $C_6\text{--}C_7$ alkanes a large spread in the values were seen, indicating measurement difficulties with these compounds. The spread in the results were, however, much less for laboratories using a NPL standard for calibration (Aas et al., 2001). Thus, it may be concluded that a large part of the differences seen among the laboratories reflected the use of different calibration gases. When using the same NPL standard the results from this intercomparison were very satisfactory.

The EMEP VOC measurements are reported annually, and officially made public by the Steering Body of EMEP. Previous results from the EMEP VOC programme have been presented in annual reports (e.g. Solberg, 2007). An EMEP expert meeting on VOC measurements was organised in Berlin, 1994 (EMEP/CCC, 1995), and an evaluation of the measurement programme was made in 1995 (Solberg et al., 1995). Highlights and findings from the EMEP VOC programme have also been presented in a number of scientific papers (Lindskog et al., 1995; Solberg et al., 1996; Hov et al., 1997; Solberg et al., 2001; Borbon et al., 2004; Hakola et al., 2006).

An initiative has been taken to increase the cooperation and exchange of VOC data between GAW (Global Atmospheric Watch) and EMEP. At the EMEP TFMM workshop in Oslo in November 2004, on the implementation of the EMEP monitoring strategy, a closer harmonisation between the VOC monitoring in EMEP and GAW was discussed. Minutes and conclusions from the workshop is given elsewhere (EMEP/CCC, 2005). Harmonisation of data quality objectives (DQOs) and using a common audit questionnaire was recommended, and it is also a wish to arrange common GAW/EMEP training course and to further increase the exchange of VOC monitoring data between EMEP, GAW and WDCGG (World Data Centre of Greenhouse Gases).

A revision and extension of the species recommended to measure was also discussed at the Oslo TFMM workshop. One starting point for such a revision is the VOC speciated emissions provided by UK's National Atmospheric Emissions Inventory (NAEI) as reported by Dore et al. (2004). Table 2, adopted from Dore et al. (2004), shows the photochemical ozone creation potential (POCP) for the top 50 VOCs (with respect to POCP) for the UK. The POCP identifies, on a relative basis, the ozone creation potential for each NMVOC compound through modelling studies. The creation potentials are then normalised by defining ethene

as a creation potential of 1. Many of the components in Table 2 are not measured by the present EMEP VOC program due to limitations by the methods presently used, as e.g. alcohols, chlorinated compounds and long-chained alkanes. An extension to include these compounds in the monitoring program will require additional sampling devices as e.g. adsorption tubes.

In 2006 a WMO/GAW workshop on global measurements of VOCs (WMO, 2007) proposed a list of species to be measured based on current and future possibilities and needs of GAW. The proposed species are: Ethane, propane, acetylene, isoprene, formaldehyde, terpenes, acetonitrile, methanol, ethanol, acetone, DMS, benzene, toluene, iso- and n-butane, iso- and n-pentane. Most of these compounds are already part of the EMEP VOC programme with some exceptions. The alcohols (methanol and ethanol) are likely to become more important in the future due to increased use of biofuels in vehicles. Furthermore, terpenes are important as precursors for secondary organic aerosols. These compounds would be of interest to include in the EMEP monitoring as well, but require other sampling methods and instrumentations than presently used for the hydrocarbons and carbonyls.

Table 2: POCP Weighted NMVOC emissions (adopted from UK's NAEI emissions reported by Dore et al., 2004).

	POCP	code	Stationary Combustion	Production Processes	Extraction and Distrib_ Fossil Fuels	Solvent Use	Road Transport	Other Transport	Waste Treatment	TOTAL (Mass Emission)	TOTAL (POCP Weighted)	TOTAL (POCP Weighted %)
butane	35.2	a	4.37	4.52	70.21	19.61	13.30	0.47	0.02	112	40	7.2%
ethanol	39.9	a	1.39	53.56		40.27			0.27	95	38	6.9%
ethylene	100.0	a	3.29	5.65	0.03		14.22	3.55	1.07	28	28	5.0%
toluene	63.7	a	2.03	4.06	0.24	11.44	16.95	3.10	0.16	38	24	4.4%
m-xylene	110.8	a	0.75	2.14	0.09	10.90	5.04	0.70	0.07	20	22	3.9%
propylene	112.3	a	1.65	6.01	0.02	0.00	6.80	1.37	0.06	16	18	3.2%
pentane	39.5	a	2.66	2.00	28.93	0.41	8.64	0.29	0.02	43	17	3.1%
hexane	48.2	a	0.51	4.39	14.93	2.32	7.92	0.20	0.10	30	15	2.7%
1,2,4-trimethylbenzene	127.8	a	0.00	0.52	0.01	5.44	4.69	0.51		11	14	2.6%
2-methylbutane	40.5	a	3.48	1.08	11.11	0.04	17.74	0.77	0.01	34	14	2.5%
formaldehyde	51.9	a	9.05	0.38	0.21	0.03	6.26	1.50	3.40	21	11	2.0%
o-xylene	105.3	a	0.25	0.75	0.04	2.74	5.05	0.80	0.04	10	10	1.8%
heptane	49.4	a	0.77	0.30	15.07	1.26	1.61	0.09		19	9	1.7%
propane	17.6	a	3.22	2.26	36.90	3.81	1.18	0.38	5.11	53	9	1.7%
ethylbenzene	73.0	a	0.24	1.75	0.03	4.17	4.93	0.77	0.12	12	9	1.6%
p-xylene	101.0	a	0.19	0.92	0.02	2.92	3.90	0.54	0.06	9	9	1.6%
ethane	12.3	a	5.84	1.46	49.57	0.00	3.15	0.57	5.44	66	8	1.5%
octane	45.3	a	0.06	0.18	13.27	1.10	0.77	0.09		15	7	1.3%
2-methylpropane	30.7	a	1.01	0.24	13.24	0.89	5.96	0.22	0.01	22	7	1.2%
trichloroethene	32.5	a		0.87		18.97			0.06	20	6	1.2%
1,3,5-trimethylbenzene	138.1	a	0.00	0.19		1.82	1.85	0.24		4	6	1.0%
2-butene	113.9	a	0.60	0.14	0.81		2.67	0.21	0.02	4	5	0.9%
2-methylpropene	62.7	a	0.15	0.68	0.26		5.23	1.03	0.00	7	5	0.8%
2-butanone	37.3	a		0.68		11.38	0.24	0.02	0.01	12	5	0.8%
1,2,3-trimethylbenzene	126.7	a	0.00	0.18		1.84	1.07	0.15		3	4	0.7%
methanol	14.0	a		2.01	0.00	26.09			0.07	28	4	0.7%
2-pentene	111.9	a	0.34	0.01	1.41		1.57	0.04	0.00	3	4	0.7%
decane	38.4	a	0.03	0.84	0.03	7.38	0.92	0.47		10	4	0.7%
1,3-butadiene	85.1	a	0.00	0.29	0.01		2.74	0.61	0.01	4	3	0.6%
butyl acetate	26.9	a		0.19		11.19			0.02	11	3	0.6%
1-butanol	62.0	a		0.23		4.58			0.01	5	3	0.5%
methylethylbenzene	94.1	c		0.23		2.91				3	3	0.5%
benzene	21.8	a	3.88	1.41	0.84	0.00	5.06	1.44	0.89	14	3	0.5%
4-methyl-2-pentanone	49.0	a		0.65		5.07				6	3	0.5%
acetaldehyde	64.1	a	0.00	0.75			2.86	0.67		4	3	0.5%
ethylmethylbenzene	132.0	c		0.11		1.98				2	3	0.5%
1-butene	107.9	a	0.34	0.62	0.23	0.00	1.21	0.12	0.01	3	3	0.5%
naphthalene	97.7	b	0.48	0.02		1.43		0.01		2	2	0.3%
nonane	41.4	a	0.05	0.52	0.08	4.44	0.21	0.11		5	2	0.4%
2-butoxyethanol	48.3	a		0.10		4.48				5	2	0.4%
dipentene	74.5	b		0.01		2.84				3	2	0.4%
1-propanol	56.1	a		0.06		3.29			0.04	3	2	0.3%
acetone	9.4	a	0.19	1.93		17.04	0.81	0.08	0.00	20	2	0.3%
2-methylpentane	42.0	a	0.03	0.99	2.17	1.09		0.01	0.05	4	2	0.3%
2-propanol	18.8	a	0.01	0.73		8.92			0.02	10	2	0.3%
ethyl acetate	20.9	a		1.31		6.98			0.02	8	2	0.3%
undecane	38.4	a	0.00	0.44		3.85		0.19		4	2	0.3%
1-pentene	97.7	a	0.14	0.06	0.29		0.93	0.04	0.00	1	1	0.3%
3-methylpentane	47.9	a	0.02	0.67	1.21	0.86			0.03	3	1	0.2%
1,2,3,5-tetramethylbenzene	136.0	b		0.06		0.84				1	1	0.2%
Total Top 50 (POCP)			47	109	261	257	155	21	17	868	399	72.3%
unspeciated	51.3	c	1.86	32.11	1.20	7.06	1.22	0.36	0.01	44	22	4.1%
other grouped species			0.72	23.31	9.51	6.69	34.54	32.53	1.13	108	68	12.3%
other VOC			1.50	29.87	1.80	106.06	19.80	4.44	1.78	165	62	11.3%
Total VOC			51	194	274	376	211	59	20	1186	552	100%

2. Status of the measurement programme in 2007

2.1 The station network

The location of the monitoring sites for VOC presented in this report is shown in Figure 1 and an overview of the measurement programme and the responsible laboratories in 2007 is given in Table 3. Totally 15 measurement sites reported VOC data to CCC in 2007. Carbonyls were only sampled at 4 sites and only in France and Spain. Previously the lab at NILU/EMEP-CCC has analysed carbonyls sampled at Utö in Finland and Košetice in Czech Republic, but this service is now ended. Furthermore, the hydrocarbon data reported from Campisábalos in Spain need further inspection in order to be considered valid.

Table 4 gives the number of valid (daily) samples of hydrocarbons and carbonyls (after inspection and removal of outliers). According to EMEP's recommendations, the samples should be taken at least twice a week, implying that 104 samples per year correspond to 100% data cover.

A 90% data completeness, i.e. 94 samples pr year, of daily values is given as data quality objective according to the EMEP manual (EMEP/CCC, 1996). The data capture was lower than this for many sites in 2007. Carbonyls are only measured once per week in France giving a data capture of the order of 50%. Only Pallas, Košetice and La Tardière had a sufficient data capture of hydrocarbons, i.e. 94 samples or more, in addition to the sites with daily/continuous monitoring, Hohenpeissenberg and Rigi. Only Campisábalos in Spain had a data completeness fulfilling the criteria of 90% for carbonyls.

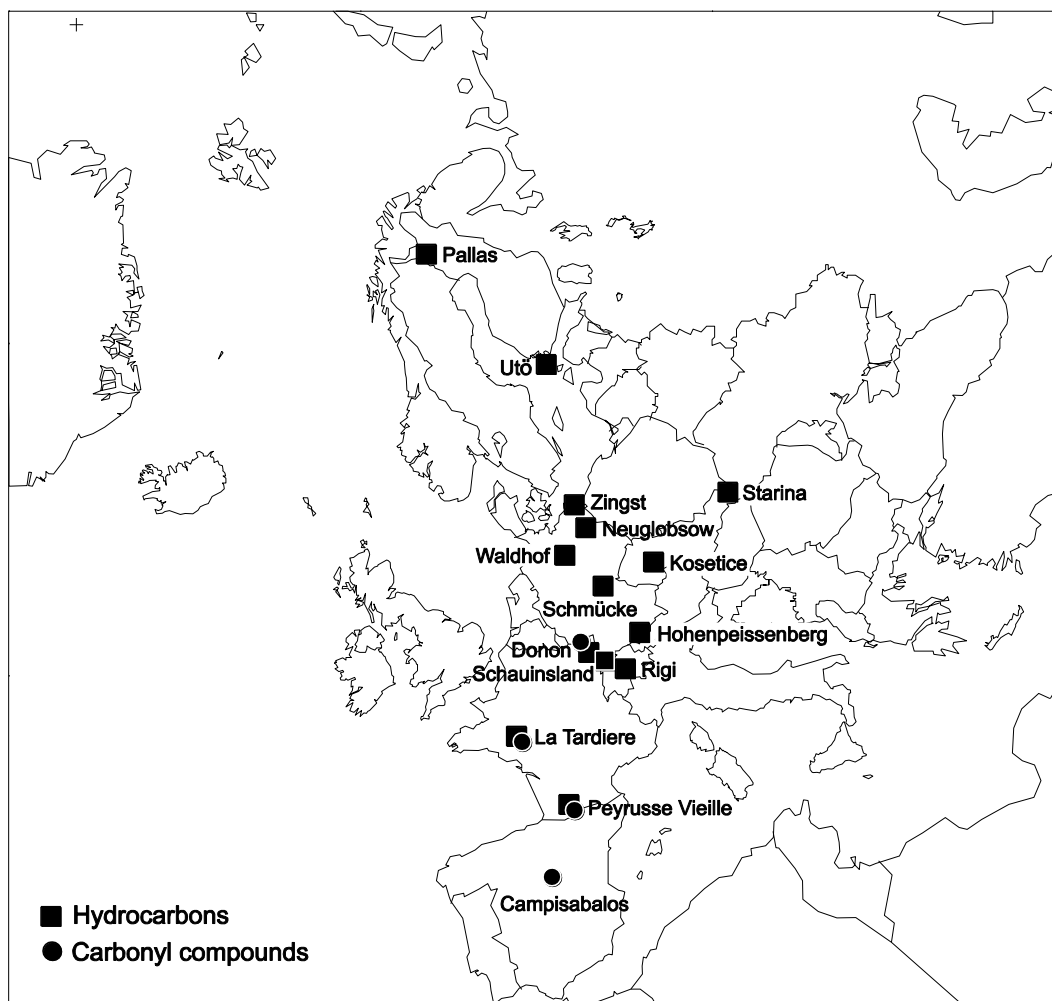


Figure 1: Monitoring sites for VOC in 2007.

Table 3: Status of the VOC monitoring programme in 2007. The columns give the station names, site code, and the sampling frequencies for hydrocarbons (HC) and carbonyl compounds (Carb). The laboratory responsible for the chemical analyses is also given.

Station	Code	HC ¹⁾	Lab. ²⁾	Carb ¹⁾	Lab. ²⁾	Comments
Pallas	FI96	Reg.	FMI	n.m.	-	Carbonyl sampling ended
Utö	FI09	Reg.	FMI	n.m.	-	
Waldhof	DE02	Reg.	UBA	n.m.	-	
Schauinsland	DE03	Reg.	UBA	n.m.	-	
Neuglobsow	DE07	Reg.	UBA	n.m.	-	
Schmücke	DE08	Reg.	UBA	n.m.	-	
Zingst	DE09	Reg.	UBA	n.m.	-	
Hohenpeissenberg	DE43	Daily	DWD	n.m.	-	GAW station
Košetice	CZ03	Reg.	CHMI	n.m.	-	Carbonyl sampling ended
Starina	SK06	Reg.	SHMI	n.m.	-	Hydrocarbons reported but considered preliminary
Rigi	CH05	Cont.	EMPA	n.m.	-	
Donon	FR08	Reg.	EMD	Reg.	EMD	
Peyrusse Vieille	FR13	Reg.	EMD	Reg.	EMD	
La Tardière	FR15	Reg.	EMD	Reg.	EMD	
Campisábalos	ES09	(Reg.)	MMA	Reg.	MMA	

1) Reg. = regularly, Scat. = scattered, n.m. = not measured., cont. = Continuous

2) CHMI = Czech Hydrometeorological Institute
DWD = Deutscher Wetterdienst
EMD = Ecole des Mines de Douai (France)
EMPA = Swiss Federal Lab. for Materials Testing and Research
FMI = Finnish Meteorological Institute
MMA = Ministerio de Medio Ambiente (Spain)
SHMI = Hydrometeorological Institute in Slovakia
UBA = Umweltbundesamt (Germany)

Table 4: The number of valid samples of hydrocarbons (HC) and carbonyls (Carb) in 2007.

Station	Number of samples	
	HC ²⁾	Carb ³⁾
Pallas	95	-
Utö	70	-
Waldhof	84	-
Schauinsland	74	-
Neuglobsow	85	-
Schmücke	90	-
Zingst	83	-
Hohenpeissenberg ¹⁾	346	-
Košetice	104	-
Starina	91	-
Rigi ¹⁾	272	-
Donon	92	49
Peyrusse Vieille	76	49
La Tardière	95	50
Campisábalos	0	103

¹⁾ Refers to days with monitoring data

²⁾ Refers to ethane (may differ for other HCs)

³⁾ Refers to formaldehyde (may differ for other carbonyls)

2.2 Analytical procedures and quality control

The procedures for sampling and chemical analyses were similar in 2007 as in previous years, and are not discussed in this report. A detailed description of the procedures used by NILU is given in the EMEP manual (EMEP/CCC, 1996). The technical procedures for the sampling and analysis of hydrocarbons by FMI at the two Finnish stations, as well as a site description and data interpretation, are given by Laurila and Hakola (1996). A presentation of the sampling and analyses performed by the laboratories at EMD (France), EMPA (Switzerland), CHMI (Czech Republic), MMA (Spain), SHMI (Slovakia) and UBA (Germany) has been given in previous annual reports and by Solberg et al. (1996) and is not repeated here. As noted in the last year's report, a new GC and new analytical methods were introduced by UBA for the German sites in 2006 leading to certain systematic changes. In general, the new method was more sensitive to C₇ and higher VOCs. The instrumentation and methods applied by DWD at Hohenpeissenberg have been successfully tested in two international inter-comparison experiments (NOMHICE, AMOHA) and have been documented by Plass-Dülmer et al. (2002).

For the EMEP VOC measurements in general, the quality control of the VOC measurements includes QA procedures at all stages from sampling to chemical analyses and integration. The QA procedures are described in the EMEP manual (EMEP/CCC, 1996) and are the laboratories' responsibility to follow up. In addition, data received from the individual laboratories are inspected before classified as valid or invalid by the EMEP/CCC.

A few notes about the measurements are given in the following. The concentrations of 3-buten-2-one, 2-methylpropenal, 2-butanone and butanal have for many years been difficult to interpret. No systematic and explainable pattern has been found and inter-laboratory comparisons between EMD, UBA and NILU have indicated analytical problems. Laboratory studies at CCC indicate that unsaturated carbonyl compounds are not chemical stable in the prepared sample solution. Furthermore, LC/MS studies indicate possibilities of chromatographic interference in the C₄ carbonyl compound range. Thus, a revision of the monitoring procedures for these carbonyls is needed.

3. VOC concentrations in 2007

3.1 General

Monthly mean and median concentrations of the individual hydrocarbons and carbonyls for 2007 are tabulated in Appendix A. The monthly statistics were not calculated for sample numbers less than 4. Time series of all compounds during 2007 are given in Appendix B. For the continuous monitor data from CH05 Rigi the average of two 2-hourly values around noon were used in the calculations whilst the sample taken around noon at Hohenpeissenberg were used (samples from noon and midnight were reported). Based on previous experience there is not much difference in the anthropogenic HC concentrations at noon and at midnight at Hohenpeissenberg (pers. comm., Christian Plass-Dülmer). For isoprene the difference is substantial as this is a reactive biogenic compound, emitted during daytime, with low concentrations during night.

A comparison of the seasonal mean and percentile concentrations of hydrocarbons in winter (Jan., Feb., Nov., Dec.) and carbonyls in summer (May, June, July, Aug.) measured at the different stations is given in Figure 2 and Figure 3. The stations are arranged from north to south. Considering that the sites span a wide area from southern Europe to the most northern part of the continent, the hydrocarbon winter mean levels are fairly uniform for the alkanes but some systematic differences are seen. Highest concentrations of ethane and propane are seen at Starina (SK06), indicating a higher influence from natural gas there. Particularly high peak values are seen for butane and isobutane at Donon (FR08). Low concentration levels are seen at the two Finnish sites, Pallas (FI96) and Utö (FI09), and at the two German mountain sites, Schauinsland (DE43, 1205 m asl) and Hohenpeissenberg (DE03, 985 m asl) as well as at Rigi (CH05, 1031 m asl).

For the alkenes, ethene and propene, the differences among the sites are larger reflecting an efficient chemical loss in the atmosphere also during winter through the reaction with O_3 . The ratio between the peak values (90 percentiles) and the mean are generally largest for propene of all the compounds. Particularly high concentrations of ethene, propene and acetylene (ethyne) are seen at Košetice (CZ03) indicating a stronger influence of road traffic emissions at that site.

The amount of carbonyl data for 2007 is too low to allow any statements about geographical or latitudinal patterns. Furthermore, at the French sites the sampling frequency is once per week, making the seasonal statistics more uncertain. We note, however, that the concentration levels differ substantially between the Spanish site Campisábalos on one side and the three French sites on the other. Formaldehyde levels were significantly lower at Campisábalos than the other sites and vice versa for acetaldehyde.

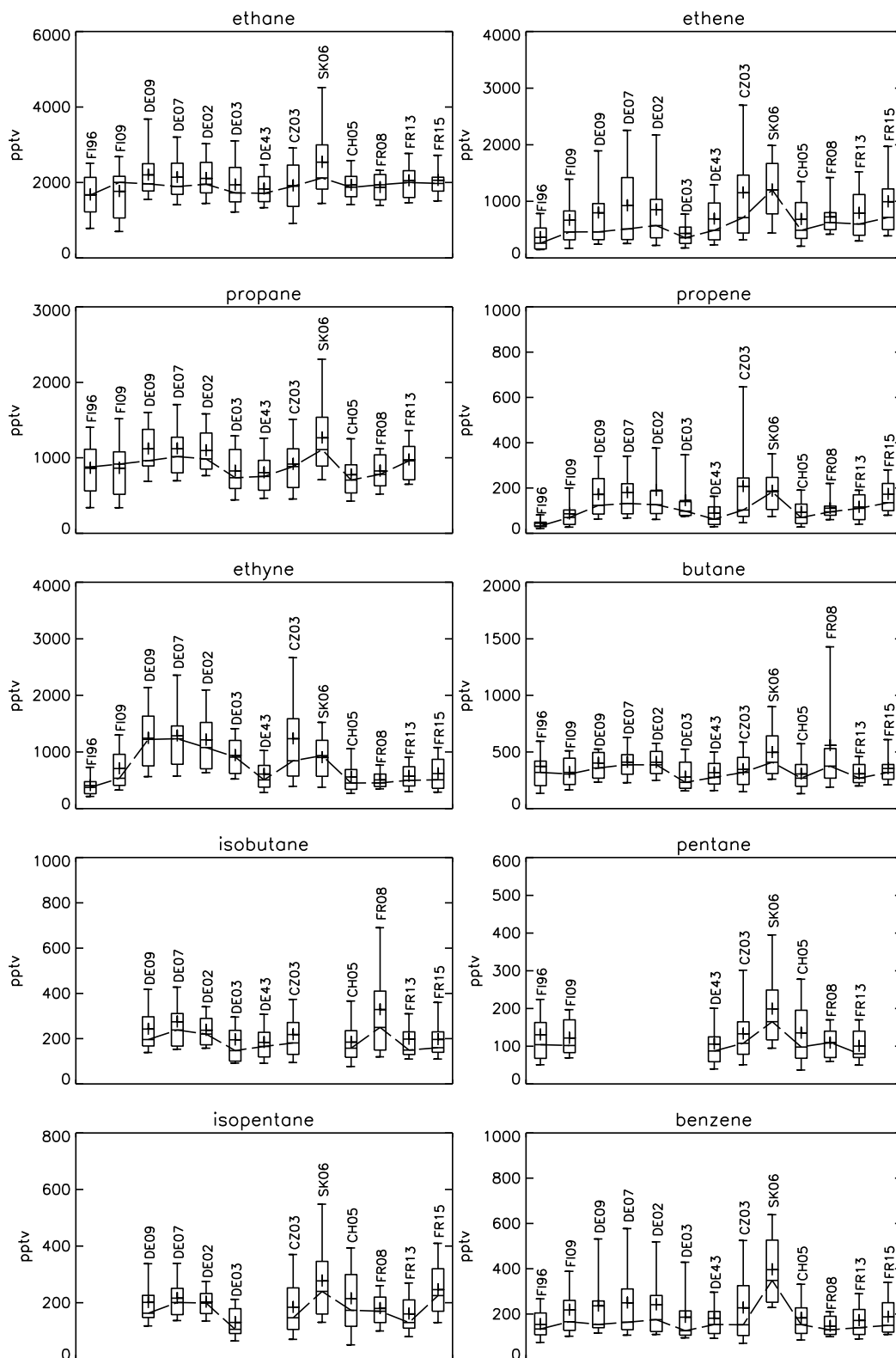


Figure 2: Box- and whisker-diagrams for hydrocarbons during winter 2007 (Jan., Feb., Nov., Dec.). The markers indicate the 10-, 25-, 50-, 75- and 90-percentiles. Mean values are indicated by a cross. The dashed line connects the median values for clarity.

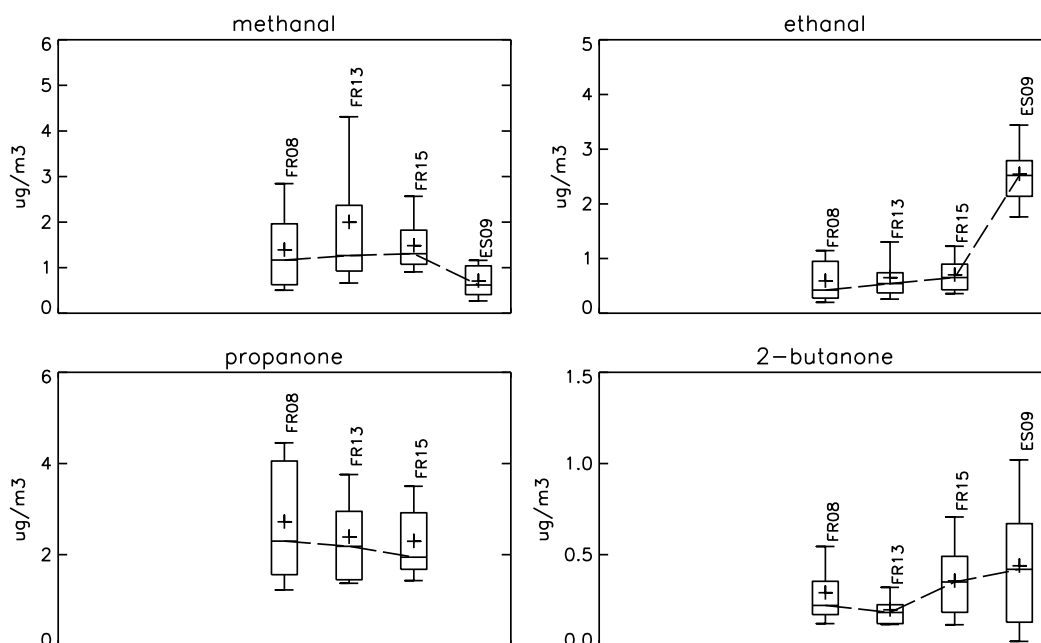


Figure 3: Box- and whisker-diagrams for carbonyls during summer 2007 (May, June, July, August). The markers indicate the 10-, 25-, 50-, 75- and 90-percentiles. Mean values are indicated by a cross.

3.2 Regional distribution of VOC

Figure 4–Figure 13 show maps with the stations' median concentrations of 10 light hydrocarbons for the winter months January, February, November and December in 2007 taken together. These medians are based on the average of the two 2-hourly values around noon at Rigi and on the day-time values at Hohenpeissenberg.

Although the number of sites obviously is too low to give a picture of the regional background distribution of hydrocarbons in Europe, some characteristics are indicated by these results. Similar figures for three carbonyls for the summer months May–August 2007 are given in Figure 14–Figure 16.

The measurements indicate that hydrocarbons become fairly well mixed in Europe in winter. Components with a long chemical lifetime in winter, such as ethane and propane, show less geographical variations.

Certain characteristics are seen in the 2007 though. A north to south gradient in median concentration level is seen for many components indicating the distance to the main emission areas. For several components an area with maximum winter median concentration levels are found in central Europe (central/Eastern Germany) in addition to Starina (East Slovakia).

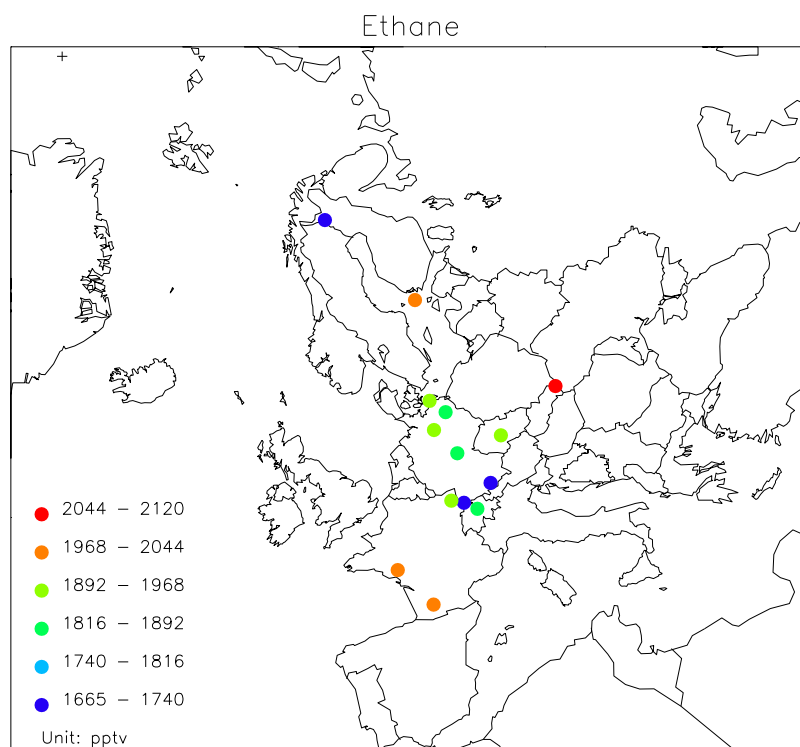


Figure 4: Median concentration of ethane at EMEP sites in the winter months November, December, January and February 2007 taken together.

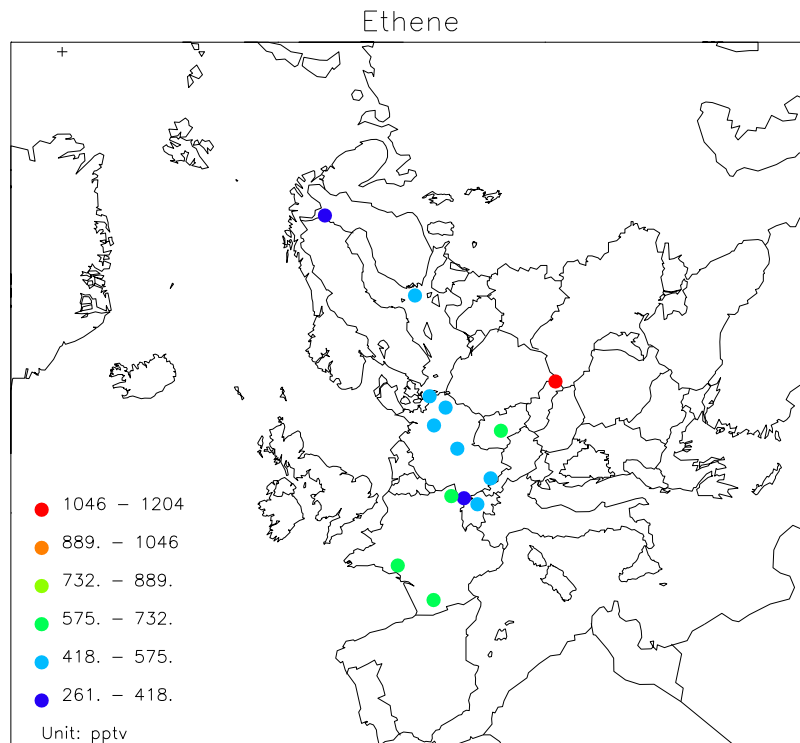


Figure 5: Median concentration of ethene at EMEP sites in the winter months November, December, January and February 2007 taken together.

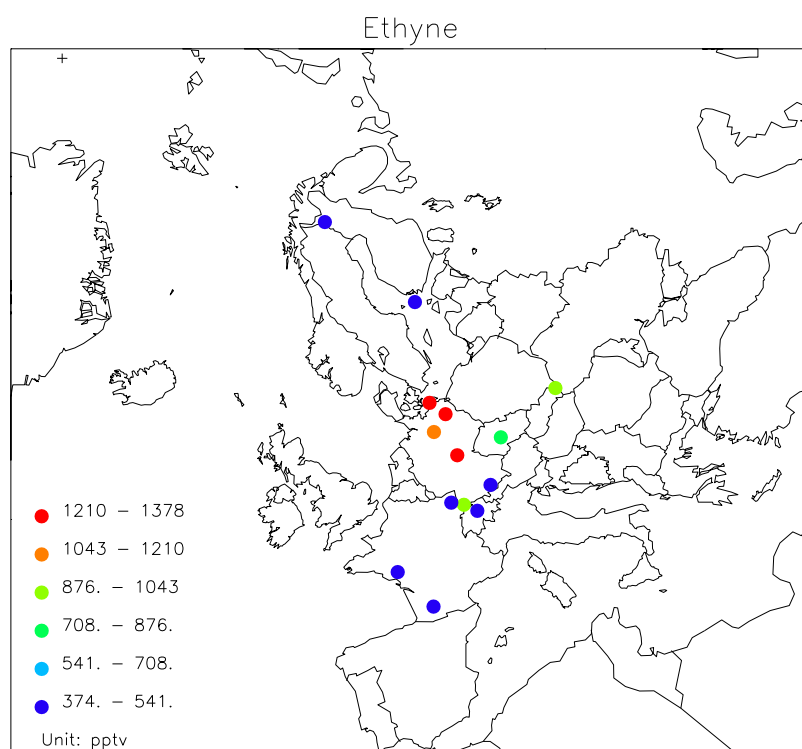


Figure 6: Median concentration of acetylene at EMEP sites in the winter months November, December, January and February 2007 taken together.

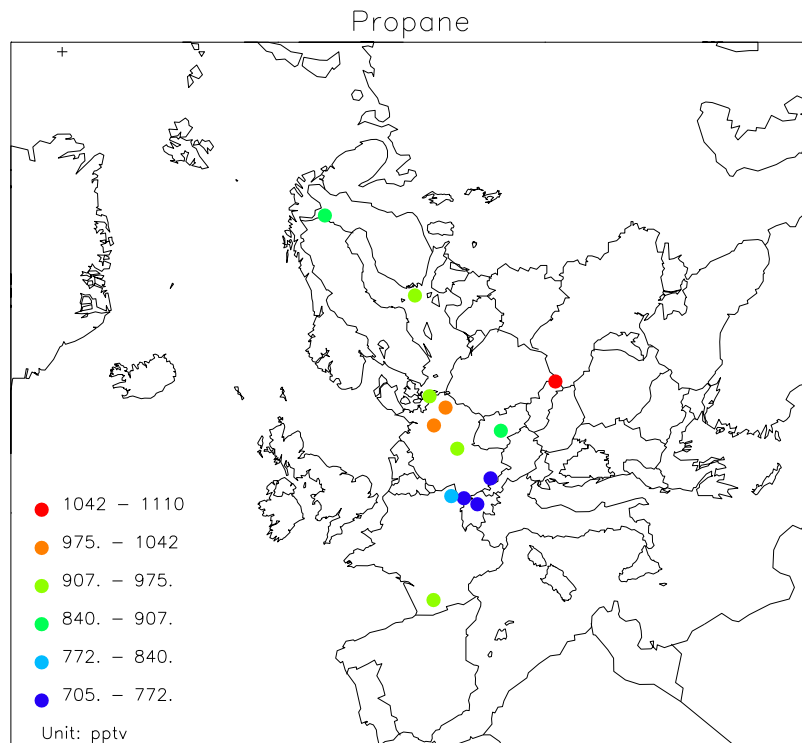


Figure 7: Median concentration of propane at EMEP sites in the winter months November, December, January and February 2007 taken together.

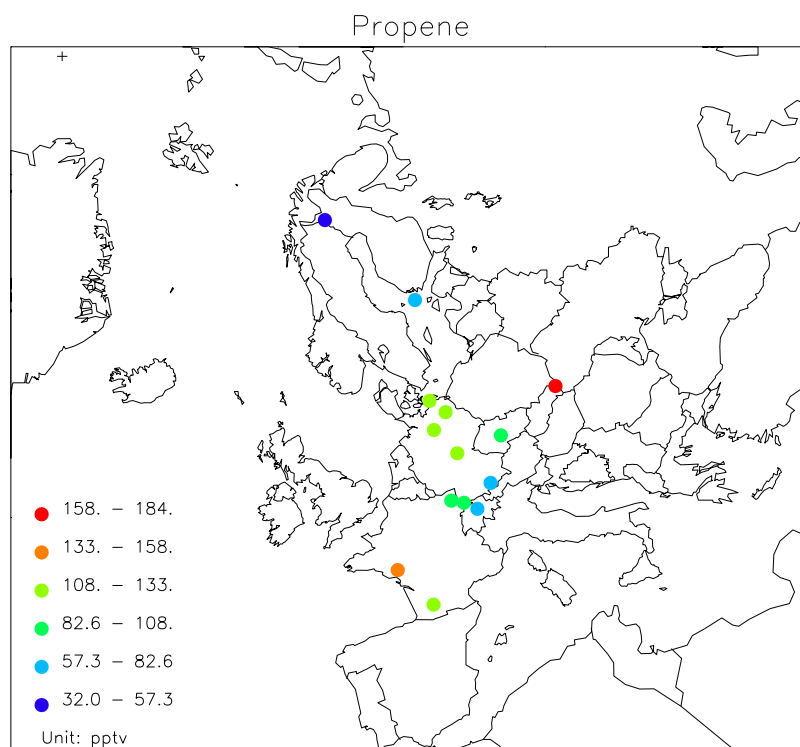


Figure 8: Median concentration of propene at EMEP sites in the winter months November, December, January and February 2007 taken together.

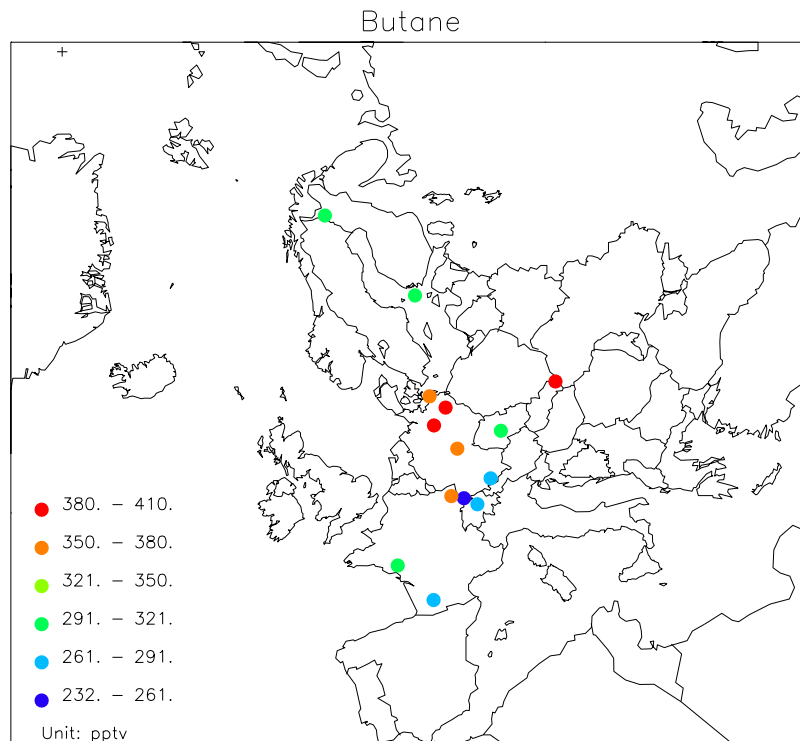


Figure 9: Median concentration of n-butane at EMEP sites in the winter months November, December, January and February 2007 taken together.

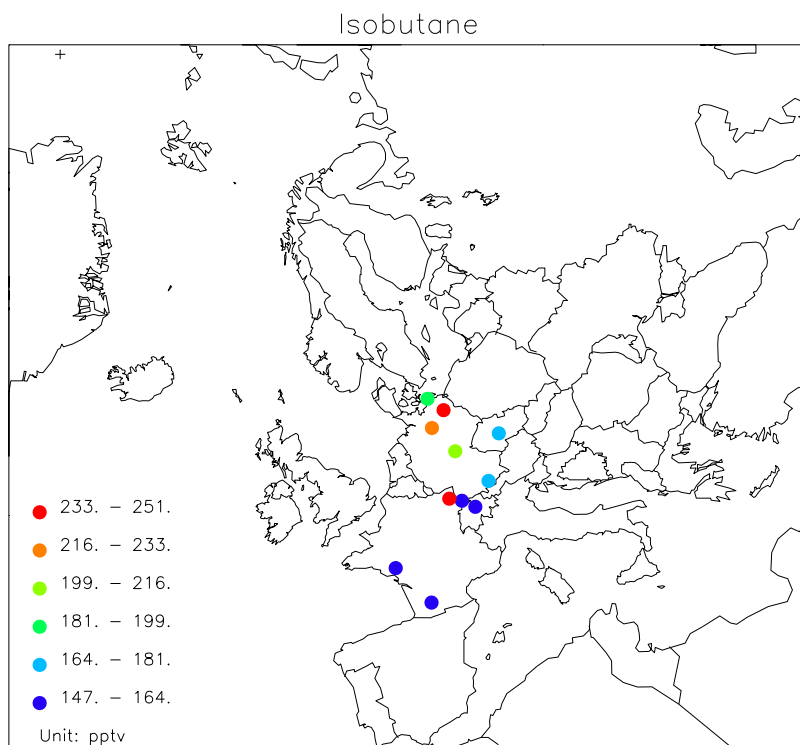


Figure 10: Median concentration of i-butane at EMEP sites in the winter months November, December, January and February 2007 taken together.

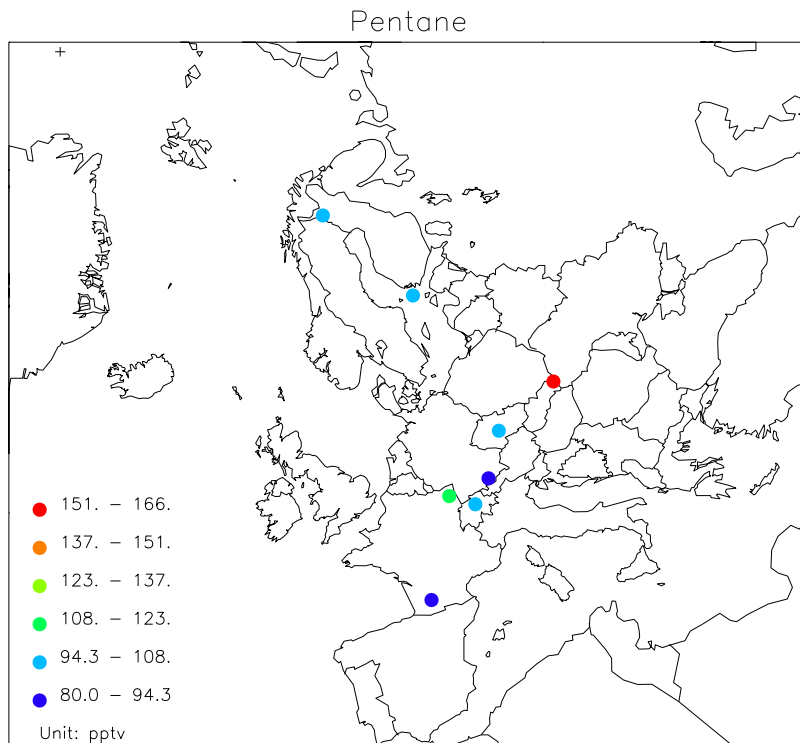


Figure 11: Median concentration of n-pentane at EMEP sites in the winter months November, December, January and February 2007 taken together.

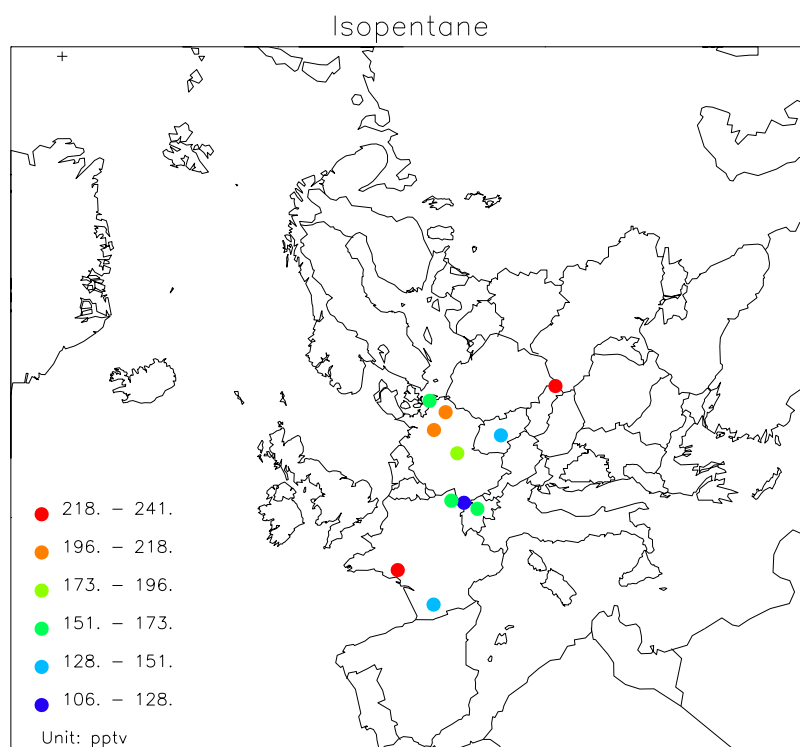


Figure 12: Median concentration of i-pentane at EMEP sites in the winter months November, December, January and February 2007 taken together.

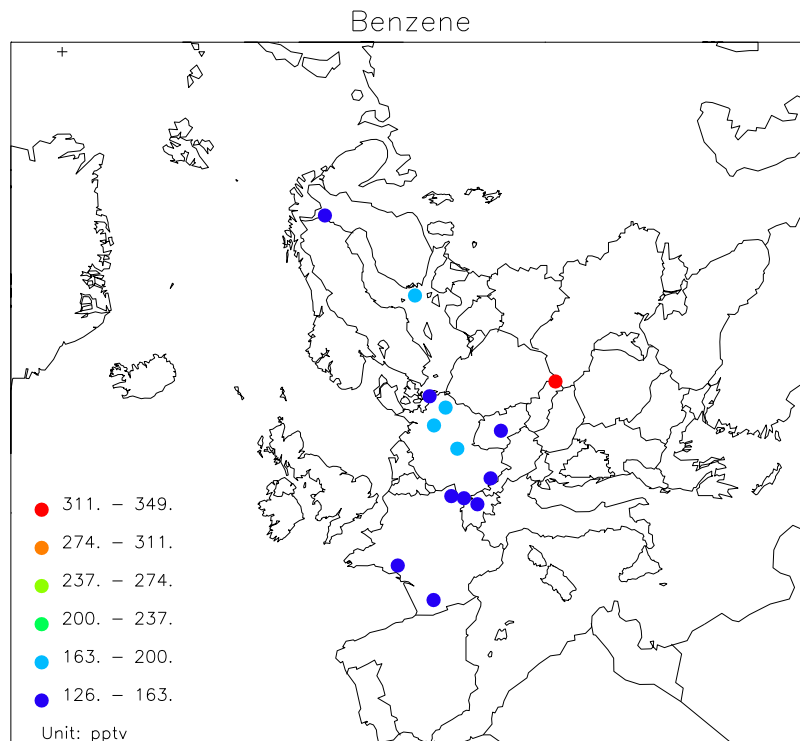


Figure 13: Median concentration of benzene at EMEP sites in the winter months November, December, January and February 2007 taken together.

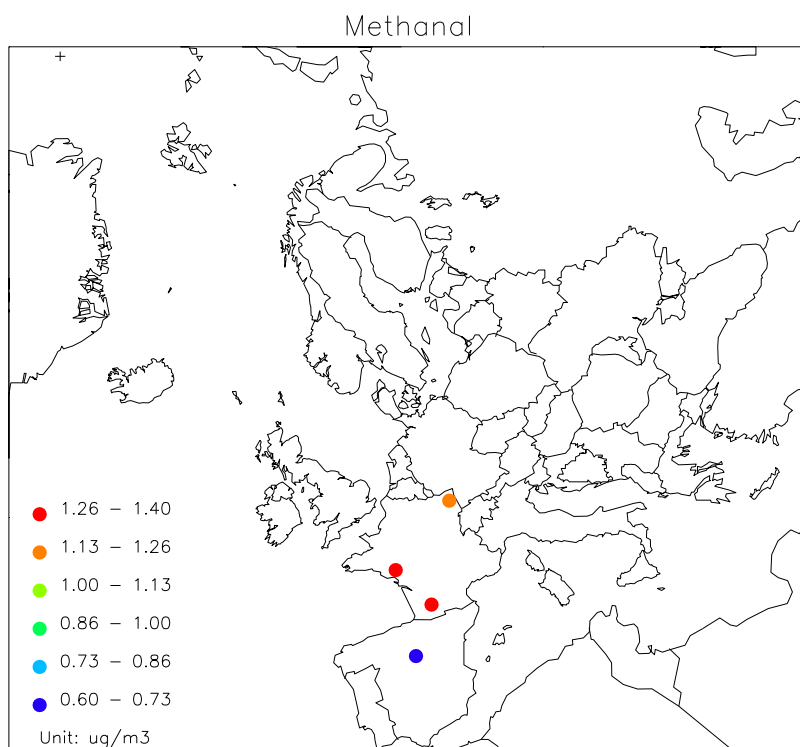


Figure 14: Median concentration of formaldehyde at EMEP sites in the summer months May, June, July and August 2007 taken together.

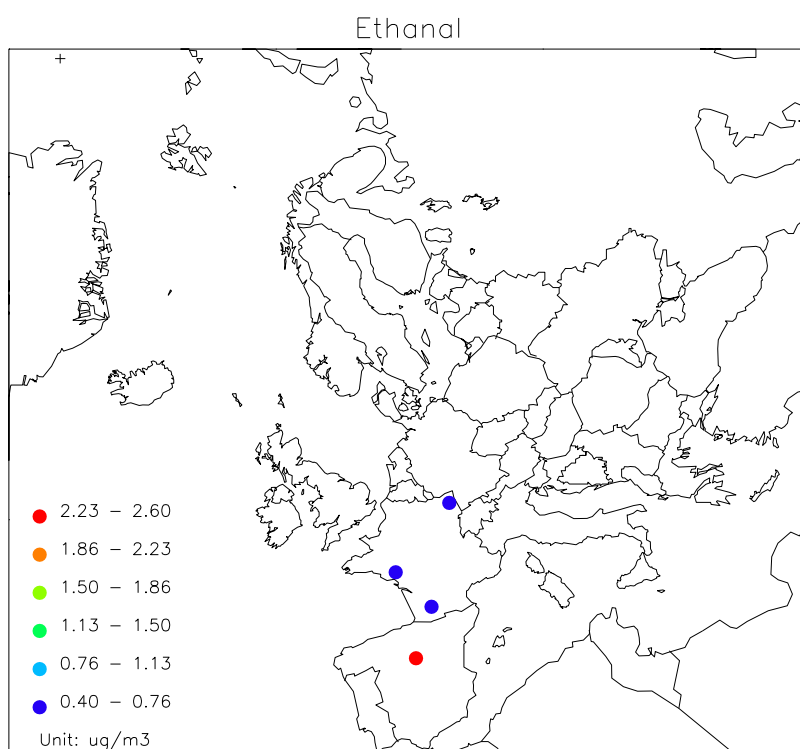


Figure 15: Median concentration of acetaldehyde at EMEP sites in the summer months May, June, July and August 2007 taken together.

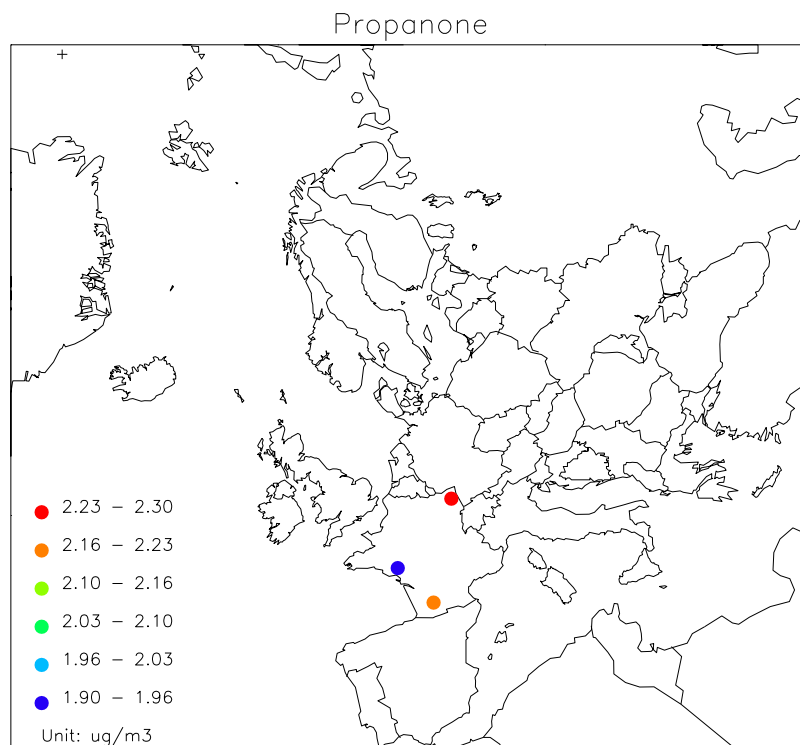


Figure 16: Median concentration of acetone at EMEP sites in the summer months May, June, July and August 2007 taken together.

4. Long-term trends in VOC

The 13 year's trend in the measured VOC from 1995 is indicated in Figure 17 showing the winter medians at Pallas (FI96), Utö (FI09), Waldhof (DE02), Schmücke (DE08), Košetice (CZ03) and Donon (FR08) of selected hydrocarbons.

In addition to the emission source strength, these long-term trends or variations will be largely controlled by inter-annual changes in weather conditions and atmospheric stability. Furthermore, the changes in chemical analysing laboratory may also have a significant impact on the median concentrations and this is marked in the Figures. Note that the parallel sampling and analyses has not necessarily been carried out during the whole season. Thus, large differences between two laboratories for the same year may give a false impression of the laboratory differences.

The 13 year's trend, or variations, in the winter medians varies for the various hydrocarbons as indicated by Figure 17 and no overall picture is seen. For some compounds, like toluene, the results do indicate a long-term reduction in the winter median concentration level, whereas for other compounds, there are signs of a concentration levelling off or even increasing during the last few years.

In general the median concentration levels shown in Figure 17 indicates fairly low values in 2007 compared to previous years. For ethene, butane and toluene the time series indicate that the reduction in median levels seen previously continued in 2007.

To separate the sole effect of changes in European VOC emissions on the observed concentrations trends in Figure 17 requires a number of detailed model calculations. Furthermore, due to the large scatter in data values from year to year, a linear trend is of little value to assign.

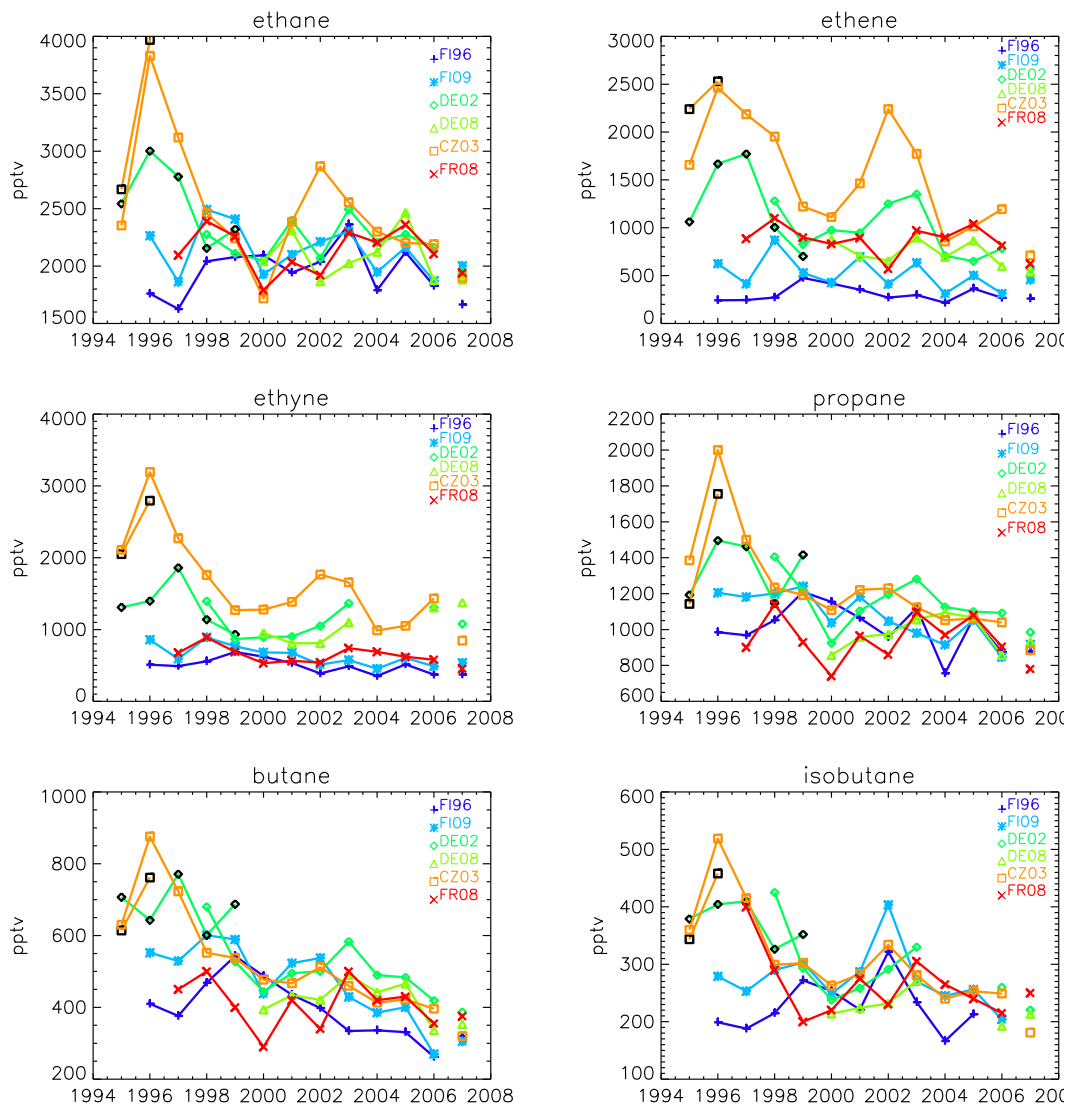


Figure 17: Annual winter (Jan., Feb., Nov., Dec.) median concentrations of hydrocarbons at Košetice (CZ03), Waldhof (DE02), Donon (FR08), Peyrusse Vieille (FR13), Utö (FI09) and Pallas (FI96). Black symbols mark analyses from NILU's lab., coloured symbols mark the national lab.

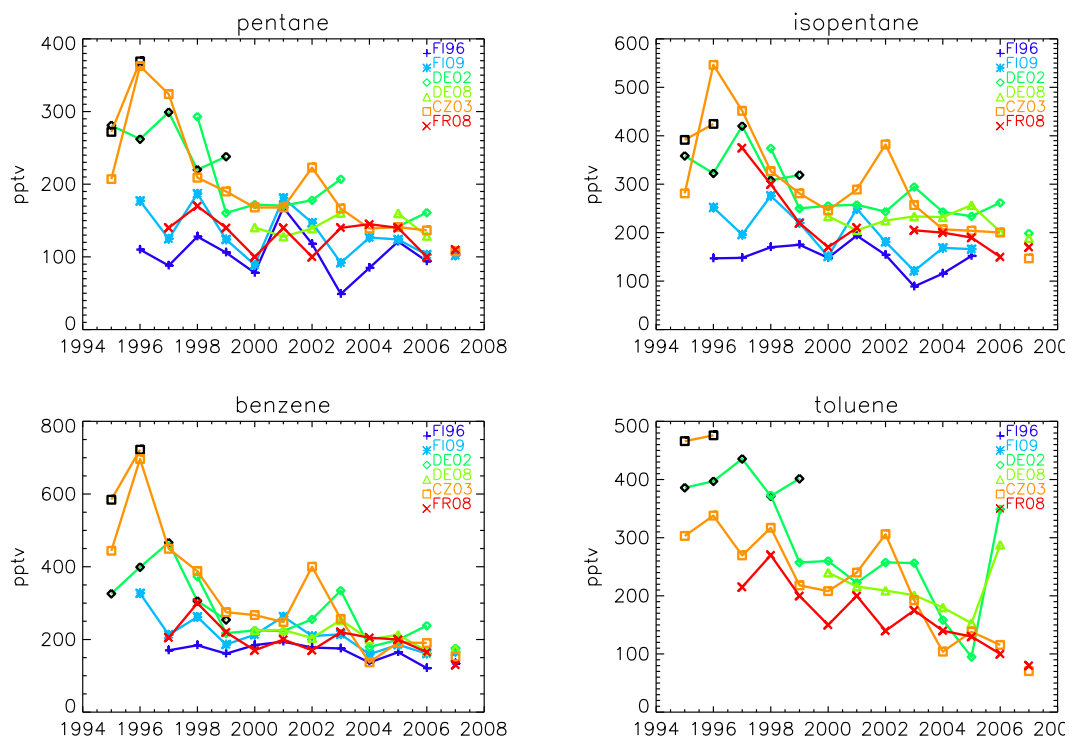


Figure 17, cont.

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Appendix A

Monthly mean and median concentrations of hydrocarbons and carbonyls in 2007

**Monthly mean and median concentrations
(first and second line, respectively)
of hydrocarbons (pptv)**

	ETHANE											
	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
Pallas	- -	2399 2432	2074 2011	1775 1760	1559 1658	1006 1034	669 659	536 537	620 596	1092 961	1352 1314	1395 1456
Utö	- -	2463 2142	2410 2398	- -	- -	943 939	673 626	659 588	709 694	1197 965	892 878	1384 1059
Zingst	1948 1943	2495 2214	2596 2404	1718 1643	- -	1030 1054	696 683	876 811	922 860	1818 1399	2117 1907	2302 1932
Neuglobsow	1843 1822	2841 2808	2328 2292	1746 1542	- -	1099 1049	741 724	713 706	1060 1048	1354 1213	1958 1724	1974 1789
Waldhof	1991 1958	2649 2754	2094 2188	1842 1730	- -	1221 1119	767 746	739 694	830 791	1741 1332	1813 1573	1982 1757
Schmücke	1812 1870	2446 2409	2198 2194	1761 1617	- -	1028 952	748 715	704 642	1065 1037	1635 1319	1682 1710	2024 1849
Schauinsland	1841 1661	1994 1887	2752 2805	1742 1745	- -	960 880	816 755	745 735	932 936	1702 1639	2235 1910	1595 1540
Hohenpeissenberg	1804 1696	2062 2102	2271 2287	1744 1663	1272 1243	1005 949	716 737	775 725	874 840	1364 1249	1628 1526	1790 1657
Starina	2583 2453	3162 2977	2165 2030	1755 1759	1495 1500	1080 1039	958 963	1043 1012	1185 1103	1773 1383	2091 1889	2413 2065
Košetice	1430 1169	2390 2159	2383 2235	1879 1840	1293 1366	1117 1137	740 733	844 803	1126 954	1941 1403	1995 1627	1892 1898
Rigi	1775 1676	2058 2043	2263 2240	1771 1704	1681 1681	1076 1034	873 875	938 892	1106 1110	1834 1754	1993 1966	1998 1883
La Tardière	1924 1790	2203 2125	2284 2065	1830 1880	1251 1280	918 815	603 630	759 730	831 770	1418 1375	1840 1840	2306 2315
Donon	2010 2065	2155 2170	2366 2435	1760 1805	1220 1210	979 965	701 695	790 720	973 925	1432 1230	1486 1405	1918 1880
Peyrusse Vieille	1983 1690	2136 2010	2261 2205	1879 1780	1235 1260	870 830	625 650	751 740	900 855	1254 1160	1759 1595	2306 2305
	ETHENE											
	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
Pallas	- -	317 248	169 153	55 57	39 36	51 40	63 58	59 52	61 53	159 127	306 165	506 292
Utö	- -	536 439	577 338	- -	- -	122 112	102 83	127 103	108 118	317 172	799 321	794 396
Zingst	499 420	857 608	457 493	262 256	- -	187 191	148 125	215 208	213 178	525 375	852 404	1054 378
Neuglobsow	407 437	1363 963	394 454	204 201	- -	219 214	167 143	211 206	320 276	591 354	1044 540	940 673
Waldhof	454 416	1091 953	400 343	251 257	- -	246 250	194 192	185 173	222 208	531 400	921 655	929 760
Schmücke	423 398	820 818	447 450	245 173	- -	175 177	155 149	135 124	336 293	681 606	753 666	976 635
Schauinsland	388 324	423 376	850 786	311 344	- -	178 168	170 152	196 235	289 274	517 465	465 455	457 257
Hohenpeissenberg	552 392	618 521	490 459	375 325	198 152	174 132	142 108	226 180	278 270	680 509	757 516	674 418
Starina	1339 1530	1220 1137	565 420	307 263	252 174	184 198	429 186	371 339	320 302	623 505	990 870	1240 1267
Košetice	523 433	1368 779	772 867	244 171	139 132	216 163	162 165	161 163	466 264	885 681	1131 699	1609 1403
Rigi	505 398	611 458	480 391	297 233	237 206	148 137	140 132	254 213	308 273	960 798	967 925	625 382
La Tardière	669 570	913 775	644 570	457 470	350 350	275 270	205 200	260 235	239 260	783 640	1073 910	1349 1475
Donon	760 705	792 755	641 710	465 435	359 320	296 275	224 180	285 245	470 300	706 520	605 570	785 600
Peyrusse Vieille	801 680	635 450	431 370	374 400	378 360	326 220	148 125	197 200	290 220	451 320	609 540	1123 1250

	PROPANE											
	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
Pallas	- -	1235 1234	809 794	479 474	320 332	116 103	90 94	87 83	141 135	403 360	696 562	734 689
Utö	- -	1180 1066	1004 867	- -	- -	125 104	125 119	184 169	232 220	477 388	451 343	708 592
Zingst	1019 956	1248 1006	1102 986	543 533	- -	286 294	177 137	373 363	388 330	770 679	1022 1042	1234 1018
Neuglobsow	925 884	1454 1323	974 1028	574 519	- -	426 484	257 269	378 369	544 504	661 565	1099 925	1037 951
Waldhof	998 958	1305 1329	905 941	562 465	- -	461 439	252 239	296 283	328 322	832 602	1066 898	1021 900
Schmücke	896 900	1227 1184	868 921	556 492	- -	372 317	282 263	331 300	515 593	850 705	869 896	1044 911
Schauinsland	824 614	860 773	1261 1296	556 552	- -	245 223	220 220	258 224	362 344	708 667	846 880	766 669
Hohenpeissenberg	777 694	852 897	849 812	539 512	281 260	237 219	177 144	282 249	315 289	611 584	730 648	813 675
Starina	1252 1140	1617 1573	953 900	604 626	517 515	354 335	325 339	462 467	471 470	817 580	922 791	1313 1152
Košetice	628 477	1055 971	875 838	487 425	275 286	289 242	175 168	244 226	395 324	570 540	948 654	1050 1039
Rigi	694 598	728 681	765 740	480 427	363 364	217 189	187 170	318 287	385 349	758 655	883 839	771 706
La Tardière	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -
Donon	903 890	913 900	893 820	538 520	262 220	218 195	199 170	283 240	378 315	631 540	630 605	935 885
Peyrusse Vieille	910 770	974 965	860 845	556 510	296 280	279 195	138 105	258 210	338 335	510 430	850 765	1154 1185
	PROPENE											
	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
Pallas	- -	33 30	34 31	15 15	15 16	22 19	23 22	21 17	18 17	36 36	45 37	56 42
Utö	- -	57 52	62 43	- -	- -	40 38	39 39	36 34	23 26	39 38	98 88	96 70
Zingst	141 115	136 125	133 133	74 64	- -	54 50	66 61	71 75	68 66	150 93	187 147	233 111
Neuglobsow	118 123	210 154	82 63	51 46	- -	59 57	70 63	87 83	97 81	147 83	212 124	183 142
Waldhof	120 118	172 174	85 79	59 61	- -	63 64	64 63	78 71	66 63	191 96	271 140	184 146
Schmücke	114 110	151 142	81 79	45 41	- -	51 45	59 55	56 53	93 98	109 111	145 130	194 138
Schauinsland	112 106	108 96	160 150	66 63	- -	57 46	71 70	72 63	87 75	110 107	214 116	126 82
Hohenpeissenberg	79 57	82 63	51 47	35 19	19 16	19 13	17 15	26 19	37 34	77 55	95 69	85 55
Starina	205 207	186 189	91 70	48 53	52 43	52 54	133 58	126 82	69 67	101 78	130 128	218 197
Košetice	77 63	238 102	96 89	32 23	25 22	37 42	31 28	25 26	67 46	166 145	160 124	356 354
Rigi	66 48	66 48	61 52	42 34	40 36	26 23	29 26	51 44	58 53	147 125	138 112	95 72
La Tardière	123 100	149 115	153 90	81 80	289 110	90 90	83 80	93 90	66 70	150 165	213 160	206 225
Donon	118 105	115 85	91 90	65 60	67 70	59 55	51 50	58 50	155 60	108 60	90 90	130 100
Peyrusse Vieille	131 120	75 55	59 50	68 70	81 65	68 60	69 60	58 60	74 45	87 80	88 75	170 175

	ETHYNE (ACETYLENE)											
	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
Pallas	- -	338 368	449 425	336 364	214 220	97 97	67 64	61 60	120 98	213 175	374 313	500 376
Utö	- -	850 726	907 779	- -	- -	130 132	96 110	134 89	130 124	369 283	655 364	663 414
Zingst	1408 1438	1538 1517	1382 1423	836 752	- -	451 443	410 403	508 490	496 462	762 767	1012 656	998 791
Neuglobsow	1260 1337	1802 1611	1190 1143	755 748	- -	445 410	411 405	448 436	537 486	732 662	1166 773	944 785
Waldhof	1299 1356	1761 1537	1235 1227	958 961	- -	476 487	442 453	486 486	494 468	704 588	917 761	923 704
Schmücke	1513 1576	1478 1502	1367 1393	942 905	- -	433 442	467 482	493 480	615 589	1001 915	1023 909	1035 905
Schauinsland	1284 1281	1151 1145	- -	1040 1011	- -	439 458	430 441	475 460	508 529	863 903	683 641	675 616
Hohenpeissenberg	536 445	662 629	662 653	462 407	237 218	184 156	128 112	188 188	218 210	580 483	571 432	574 444
Starina	837 855	1032 964	566 570	432 425	269 235	172 171	258 179	308 228	285 272	525 448	731 726	1026 1152
Košetice	620 507	1248 1064	1067 1085	603 524	303 319	286 281	189 204	261 234	464 326	681 686	1162 654	1913 1816
Rigi	442 373	710 629	632 557	421 379	297 296	190 188	153 139	220 198	258 235	701 595	681 616	514 379
La Tardière	450 390	688 575	583 480	397 360	183 170	126 95	88 70	119 110	133 130	418 335	584 450	783 815
Donon	524 490	590 575	563 510	421 390	277 190	146 145	110 90	134 140	211 190	519 470	424 390	523 400
Peyrusse Vieille	591 500	629 585	520 450	412 410	165 165	114 95	66 45	123 80	135 135	320 180	466 380	610 535
	BUTANE											
	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
Pallas	- -	586 420	295 257	97 97	61 46	65 63	25 23	24 17	175 34	132 120	288 203	317 284
Utö	- -	393 347	288 239	- -	- -	45 49	43 30	52 49	78 70	160 128	224 165	282 213
Zingst	381 358	410 410	389 348	159 146	- -	97 105	65 41	136 122	156 110	367 286	328 325	493 386
Neuglobsow	361 348	585 558	298 293	163 179	- -	143 147	85 92	156 120	237 185	264 200	318 305	387 376
Waldhof	373 335	491 497	304 303	167 159	- -	162 178	107 120	128 112	141 123	338 255	383 366	389 365
Schmücke	326 347	470 461	302 329	181 188	- -	98 92	112 92	107 90	192 195	324 287	305 330	429 366
Schauinsland	287 221	281 240	- -	238 249	- -	100 71	108 119	101 93	161 140	265 282	316 250	223 221
Hohenpeissenberg	300 257	323 317	288 281	170 161	92 79	85 76	67 61	113 87	137 129	259 231	296 258	299 255
Starina	493 441	627 648	327 310	216 189	186 181	149 121	151 152	239 205	179 173	343 241	362 272	524 431
Košetice	233 208	397 370	279 249	126 109	88 89	106 87	73 79	87 77	155 124	279 227	347 230	414 366
Rigi	277 236	303 271	307 269	231 210	150 145	93 91	96 90	156 142	177 167	319 275	366 346	272 239
La Tardière	334 310	368 320	339 310	207 170	152 120	98 80	60 55	115 105	130 100	309 265	314 300	408 390
Donon	354 330	445 375	305 245	209 210	99 80	129 70	83 60	115 100	159 140	262 220	403 295	1455 1445
Peyrusse Vieille	299 240	298 275	253 245	149 150	79 65	55 50	43 30	76 60	101 95	151 110	275 230	359 335

	ISOBUTANE											
	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
Pallas	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -
Utö	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -
Zingst	218 199	269 233	226 192	92 95	- -	67 57	43 32	82 81	96 68	178 135	201 200	286 193
Neuglobsow	214 191	335 349	201 197	139 95	- -	150 137	101 92	83 65	194 142	207 148	289 199	268 241
Waldhof	216 202	282 269	200 178	94 88	- -	107 119	73 69	74 66	85 83	212 155	219 203	233 190
Schmücke	205 202	291 300	172 190	101 97	- -	64 64	61 53	64 52	125 123	196 166	207 210	261 249
Schauinsland	168 158	168 148	334 295	169 171	- -	63 55	77 79	65 52	104 96	172 175	263 152	176 127
Hohenpeissenberg	169 141	191 185	177 163	116 111	64 56	67 56	46 41	77 63	83 78	177 142	179 155	170 138
Starina	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -
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Rigi	159 135	190 175	184 154	141 129	89 87	56 49	55 50	97 89	105 98	214 172	228 211	165 132
La Tardière	192 150	215 165	335 195	214 120	77 70	105 70	36 35	68 55	74 90	279 155	170 160	214 185
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Košetice	39 25	82 58	47 50	31 28	41 38	41 39	28 27	27 28	44 37	107 64	60 67	125 86
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La Tardière	32 30	38 30	31 30	26 20	34 30	36 35	33 30	30 25	26 30	35 40	40 40	46 50
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Zingst	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -
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Starina	199 192	284 294	140 140	95 84	81 66	72 58	79 85	94 94	83 73	150 115	135 110	190 149
Košetice	78 67	141 127	99 76	43 37	50 51	73 50	41 39	39 39	84 77	123 106	155 93	158 136
Rigi	109 83	129 104	140 97	173 139	109 80	63 49	73 58	113 95	134 111	190 152	189 165	110 84
La Tardière	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -
Donon	110 95	95 100	125 65	81 80	43 30	45 45	50 50	66 60	86 65	143 110	109 95	- -
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Zingst	186 160	200 172	213 190	80 72	- -	85 84	64 58	96 89	123 102	207 174	171 163	253 191
Neuglobsow	197 178	273 259	173 173	123 92	- -	154 118	92 77	129 98	213 177	180 128	179 150	217 201
Waldhof	185 178	217 217	152 152	89 90	- -	123 125	94 89	110 100	119 82	258 200	201 180	207 206
Schmücke	183 182	260 271	188 191	124 128	- -	134 114	106 104	113 97	172 159	229 214	199 180	235 192
Schauinsland	148 125	135 131	314 287	224 238	- -	104 67	127 109	120 128	147 131	220 175	140 115	89 102
Hohenpeissenberg	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -
Starina	298 309	347 327	211 230	240 131	152 119	174 112	230 247	385 183	135 134	245 207	212 171	262 237
Košetice	104 105	208 177	138 124	68 65	81 78	104 80	71 76	81 78	131 103	168 145	191 142	235 216
Rigi	172 143	224 185	211 167	268 240	171 153	139 118	171 158	244 225	257 234	313 263	306 291	175 139
La Tardière	221 220	228 210	219 160	194 170	189 130	146 160	155 125	173 130	189 210	401 305	259 240	280 275
Donon	165 140	167 170	149 105	128 125	82 70	74 60	93 70	105 100	134 110	189 170	148 120	295 260
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Zingst	84 75	79 71	82 65	32 28	- -	47 36	35 28	36 36	48 37	56 46	96 83	165 89
Neuglobsow	77 73	100 102	66 62	35 35	- -	41 41	36 38	41 39	62 59	59 40	70 55	75 59
Waldhof	80 78	82 85	61 59	35 35	- -	84 50	41 40	39 33	37 36	91 55	72 63	64 56
Schmücke	83 75	108 102	112 75	42 42	- -	63 55	75 62	40 36	105 105	77 66	173 168	148 108
Schauinsland	66 57	68 58	165 166	68 60	- -	27 27	42 44	38 35	52 43	52 51	56 61	78 51
Hohenpeissenberg	26 22	24 21	20 18	17 15	10 8	11 9	9 8	16 12	19 17	30 27	30 24	26 21
Starina	86 74	108 108	53 50	36 38	35 33	25 24	29 33	45 36	28 30	53 39	54 45	86 58
Košetice	23 17	39 35	70 32	147 161	378 148	226 213	50 48	20 20	36 14	31 22	40 43	39 28
Rigi	31 26	33 29	32 26	34 31	24 22	15 14	16 14	23 21	31 27	45 40	45 42	31 26
La Tardière	37 30	40 35	37 40	46 40	52 40	60 30	33 30	33 30	39 30	59 45	48 50	40 30
Donon	43 40	47 45	59 45	34 30	31 30	34 20	31 25	45 40	48 30	48 40	63 45	183 180
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Zingst	7 6	7 6	12 5	23 12	- -	213 108	302 256	269 296	64 69	45 25	13 12	22 22
Neuglobsow	5 5	10 8	7 5	16 18	- -	518 390	194 138	503 455	62 44	27 16	15 10	11 11
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Starina	17 14	17 19	20 20	194 11	168 57	268 231	714 538	303 248	82 60	34 33	17 16	16 16
Košetice	9 4	33 8	20 7	47 48	62 57	148 113	109 79	163 134	56 11	14 10	21 10	18 17
Rigi	12 11	15 12	12 10	82 52	42 27	91 46	103 44	102 53	38 18	19 13	16 14	8 7
La Tardière	7 5	7 5	26 5	48 20	127 100	231 215	211 180	223 220	134 130	49 35	9 5	8 8
Donon	36 15	48 25	37 35	253 130	401 410	956 915	981 740	718 595	299 260	248 130	43 35	16 15
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Schmücke	153 151	261 266	180 172	120 103	- -	71 58	48 53	76 70	121 112	214 178	223 196	260 188
Schauinsland	135 120	177 187	256 261	133 142	- -	86 68	88 69	73 74	99 105	205 195	280 184	131 106
Hohenpeissenberg	158 131	189 181	183 177	123 108	64 58	51 42	36 32	59 51	69 64	168 132	177 141	173 132
Starina	450 487	455 411	265 230	203 193	152 129	93 92	111 108	127 117	132 128	239 197	280 273	401 381
Košetice	103 90	228 180	193 197	82 65	51 50	62 72	37 37	57 58	107 78	209 160	225 164	354 282
Rigi	149 129	192 164	181 163	118 104	87 86	50 48	53 49	86 82	104 98	243 211	232 208	175 134
La Tardière	142 120	176 150	169 135	114 110	60 70	65 60	44 40	60 60	59 60	153 125	188 150	249 250
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Schauinsland	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -
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Starina	26 28	30 29	22 20	22 22	24 22	16 15	30 17	18 16	10 10	12 10	16 15	51 58
Košetice	47 37	112 98	55 56	26 25	22 21	31 27	37 32	31 29	75 56	118 102	110 107	190 162
Rigi	129 103	199 152	175 126	193 169	137 112	112 95	114 97	192 159	209 182	314 258	282 249	139 81
La Tardière	167 90	190 170	153 125	113 110	141 90	138 130	171 90	100 90	117 120	265 210	250 150	213 230
Donon	93 80	178 140	83 70	68 60	50 40	43 35	56 45	63 60	98 60	122 100	96 80	120 90
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La Tardière	38 30	120 60	58 55	41 40	40 40	60 50	60 30	48 50	39 40	64 50	52 60	51 55
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Zingst	39 35	39 41	35 30	22 19	- -	15 16	17 17	15 13	28 14	63 37	62 44	69 38
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La Tardière	128 90	391 175	185 115	117 120	134 140	250 195	260 115	161 160	123 130	189 160	161 170	145 160
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Schmücke	18 17	32 31	20 20	14 15	- -	15 14	15 12	11 10	17 17	26 26	27 23	35 22
Schauinsland	20 15	12 12	50 51	24 22	- -	11 12	13 13	9 8	16 12	20 20	41 26	21 16
Hohenpeissenberg	17 13	20 18	16 15	15 13	10 9	10 8	8 7	13 10	16 15	26 22	24 20	20 16
Starina	292 316	284 260	205 170	185 174	178 154	267 280	304 320	306 280	222 213	287 318	286 254	356 297
Košetice	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -
Rigi	21 17	23 17	24 21	25 20	21 18	25 22	15 13	21 18	28 22	48 38	46 38	26 17
La Tardière	28 10	106 40	61 45	29 30	29 20	88 40	85 20	39 35	29 30	49 35	53 40	43 50
Donon	13 10	- -	18 20	17 15	7 5	8 5	18 20	15 8	32 20	21 10	19 20	33 20
Peyrusse Vieille	19 20	503 15	17 10	62 20	34 8	13 8	24 10	16 10	13 10	15 10	24 20	24 30

**Monthly mean and median concentrations
(first and second line, respectively)
of carbonyls ($\mu\text{g m}^{-3}$)**

METHANAL (FORMALDEHYDE)												
	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
La Tardière	0.905	1.357	2.548	2.246	1.113	1.809	1.351	1.783	1.169	1.453	-	1.236
	0.956	1.364	1.613	2.237	1.151	1.771	1.231	1.764	1.126	1.570	-	0.944
Donon	0.595	0.749	1.363	3.478	1.325	1.937	1.136	1.238	0.570	1.178	-	-
	0.721	0.708	1.435	2.521	0.860	2.135	0.714	1.265	0.491	1.100	-	-
Peyrusse Vieille	0.890	-	1.241	1.112	2.529	1.755	1.599	2.069	1.499	1.221	1.414	0.817
	0.915	-	1.105	1.163	1.413	1.025	1.316	1.965	1.396	0.919	1.403	0.800
Campisábalos	0.297	0.263	0.177	0.490	0.573	0.875	0.755	0.648	0.675	0.530	0.270	0.236
	0.280	0.250	0.160	0.460	0.540	0.670	0.780	0.610	0.675	0.490	0.230	0.220
ETHANAL (ACETALDEHYDE)												
	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
La Tardière	0.625	0.902	1.069	1.572	0.521	0.981	0.575	0.808	0.551	1.120	-	1.128
	0.722	0.913	0.979	1.539	0.473	1.071	0.428	0.721	0.519	1.165	-	0.955
Donon	0.425	0.484	0.882	1.088	0.683	0.728	0.420	0.550	0.304	0.704	-	-
	0.534	0.431	0.820	1.087	0.324	0.808	0.270	0.487	0.229	0.736	-	-
Peyrusse Vieille	0.594	-	0.722	0.832	0.618	0.812	0.490	0.720	0.521	0.851	1.049	0.603
	0.534	-	0.704	0.797	0.498	0.834	0.506	0.513	0.435	0.780	0.874	0.573
Campisábalos	1.707	1.741	1.842	2.377	2.305	2.907	2.028	2.972	2.608	2.232	1.233	1.125
	1.860	1.750	1.780	2.270	2.300	2.670	2.330	2.740	2.610	2.230	1.140	1.130
PROPANONE (ACETONE)												
	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
La Tardière	1.129	1.898	2.482	4.384	2.021	2.578	2.182	2.492	2.027	2.803	-	1.855
	0.954	1.862	2.454	4.180	1.633	2.490	1.750	2.209	1.989	2.303	-	1.518
Donon	0.895	1.199	2.518	4.314	2.570	3.248	2.447	2.720	1.252	2.775	-	-
	1.093	0.875	2.381	4.368	1.561	3.564	1.749	2.669	1.158	2.445	-	-
Peyrusse Vieille	1.307	-	2.022	3.355	1.717	2.190	2.427	3.366	2.713	2.611	2.175	1.302
	1.259	-	2.096	3.373	1.563	2.131	2.220	2.981	2.519	2.520	1.983	1.206
Campisábalos	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
PROPANAL												
	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
La Tardière	0.090	0.138	0.191	0.220	0.064	0.117	0.099	0.135	0.106	0.164	-	0.173
	0.088	0.139	0.151	0.213	0.081	0.117	0.101	0.120	0.104	0.178	-	0.157
Donon	0.081	0.084	0.139	0.173	0.085	0.059	0.054	0.076	0.042	0.099	-	-
	0.093	0.094	0.129	0.151	0.051	0.061	0.041	0.059	0.041	0.107	-	-
Peyrusse Vieille	0.092	-	0.139	0.113	0.091	0.074	0.079	0.102	0.083	0.123	0.156	0.105
	0.094	-	0.137	0.101	0.070	0.071	0.080	0.089	0.070	0.101	0.126	0.095
Campisábalos	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2-PROPENAL (ACROLEIN)												
	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
La Tardière	0.015	0.015	0.020	0.016	0.016	0.015	0.015	0.015	0.015	0.015	-	0.017
	0.015	0.015	0.016	0.016	0.016	0.015	0.015	0.015	0.016	0.015	-	0.016
Donon	0.015	0.015	0.016	0.024	0.016	0.016	0.015	0.016	0.016	0.015	-	-
	0.015	0.016	0.016	0.016	0.016	0.016	0.016	0.015	0.016	0.016	-	-
Peyrusse Vieille	0.015	-	0.017	0.016	0.017	0.016	0.017	0.016	0.016	0.018	0.015	0.015
	0.015	-	0.017	0.016	0.017	0.016	0.017	0.016	0.016	0.018	0.015	0.015
Campisábalos	0.028	0.033	0.027	0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025	0.044	0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025
	0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025	0.050	0.025	0.025	0.025	0.025

2-BUTANONE (METHYLETHYLKETONE)												
	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
La Tardière	0.391	0.626	0.577	0.812	0.331	0.430	0.283	0.403	0.341	0.536	-	0.576
	0.271	0.454	0.573	0.821	0.420	0.382	0.184	0.350	0.344	0.478	-	0.514
Donon	0.295	0.328	0.501	0.826	0.368	0.324	0.197	-	0.116	0.450	-	-
	0.278	0.233	0.458	0.605	0.222	0.347	0.172	-	0.116	0.422	-	-
Peyrusse Vieille	0.298	-	0.499	0.520	0.212	-	-	-	0.303	0.373	0.410	0.303
	0.283	-	0.542	0.545	0.167	-	-	-	0.210	0.446	0.368	0.283
Campisábalos	0.766	0.519	0.966	0.713	0.424	0.571	0.699	0.075	0.753	1.423	0.943	0.978
	0.760	0.540	1.070	0.880	0.460	0.525	0.670	0.070	0.655	1.470	0.930	0.940
2-METHYLPROPENAL (METHACROLEIN)												
	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
La Tardière	0.011	0.015	0.020	0.037	0.021	0.184	0.062	0.095	0.027	0.027	-	0.023
	0.012	0.011	0.012	0.012	0.024	0.070	0.055	0.090	0.032	0.024	-	0.020
Donon	0.011	0.011	0.021	0.110	0.121	0.192	0.107	0.115	0.026	0.066	-	-
	0.011	0.012	0.012	0.093	0.012	0.218	0.045	0.105	0.027	0.060	-	-
Peyrusse Vieille	0.011	-	0.012	0.033	0.078	0.384	0.165	0.359	0.082	0.085	0.015	0.011
	0.011	-	0.012	0.012	0.044	0.216	0.220	0.214	0.083	0.037	0.012	0.011
Campisábalos	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
BENZENECARBALDEHYDE												
	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
La Tardière	0.037	0.068	0.133	0.298	0.077	0.126	0.086	0.080	0.075	0.114	-	0.122
	0.044	0.064	0.080	0.118	0.066	0.131	0.080	0.078	0.069	0.082	-	0.111
Donon	0.025	0.023	0.036	0.056	0.044	0.058	0.031	0.034	0.016	0.041	-	-
	0.015	0.016	0.016	0.050	0.016	0.068	0.016	0.030	0.016	0.034	-	-
Peyrusse Vieille	0.030	-	0.031	0.054	0.037	0.053	0.026	0.034	0.033	0.031	0.047	0.030
	0.030	-	0.032	0.057	0.038	0.060	0.018	0.025	0.033	0.038	0.045	0.028
Campisábalos	0.180	0.125	0.215	0.337	0.206	0.245	0.826	0.168	0.798	0.581	0.121	0.058
	0.140	0.120	0.220	0.180	0.180	0.135	0.910	0.140	0.855	0.400	0.025	0.025
PENTANAL												
	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
La Tardière	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Donon	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Peyrusse Vieille	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Campisábalos	0.200	0.089	0.196	0.298	0.157	0.193	0.227	0.137	0.207	0.105	0.102	0.088
	0.200	0.085	0.210	0.330	0.130	0.185	0.210	0.130	0.210	0.120	0.100	0.090
ETHANEDIAL (GLYOXAL)												
	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
La Tardière	0.025	0.022	-	0.029	0.012	0.011	0.022	0.030	0.015	0.028	-	0.016
	0.012	0.022	-	0.034	0.012	0.011	0.012	0.027	0.012	0.025	-	0.013
Donon	0.011	0.028	-	-	0.038	0.017	0.019	0.042	0.012	0.011	-	-
	0.011	0.012	-	-	0.012	0.012	0.012	0.027	0.012	0.012	-	-
Peyrusse Vieille	-	-	0.020	0.020	0.012	-	0.012	0.012	-	0.013	0.016	0.011
	-	-	0.013	0.012	0.012	-	0.013	0.012	-	0.013	0.012	0.011
Campisábalos	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

HEXANAL												
	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
La Tardière	0.015	0.032	0.072	0.117	0.038	0.054	0.051	0.058	0.040	0.117	-	0.037
	0.015	0.024	0.050	0.115	0.035	0.046	0.052	0.066	0.043	0.062	-	0.040
Donon	0.023	0.022	0.022	0.075	0.053	0.042	0.051	0.036	0.023	0.039	-	-
	0.015	0.016	0.016	0.069	0.016	0.041	0.038	0.038	0.016	0.032	-	-
Peyrusse Vieille	0.015	-	0.035	0.052	0.096	0.055	0.057	0.066	0.036	0.055	0.044	0.026
	0.015	-	0.040	0.051	0.041	0.054	0.054	0.060	0.036	0.051	0.031	0.023
Campisábalos	0.114	0.074	0.123	0.187	0.144	0.175	0.261	0.176	0.230	0.214	0.111	0.126
	0.110	0.080	0.120	0.210	0.190	0.160	0.280	0.160	0.225	0.200	0.100	0.130
2-OXOPROPANAL (METHYLGLYOXAL)												
	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
La Tardière	0.036	0.059	0.100	0.081	0.037	0.062	0.034	-	0.046	0.038	-	0.044
	0.016	0.055	0.067	0.089	0.038	0.052	0.028	-	0.050	0.042	-	0.047
Donon	0.028	0.033	-	0.253	0.081	0.069	0.030	0.073	0.016	0.034	-	-
	0.031	0.016	-	0.124	0.045	0.064	0.016	0.043	0.016	0.016	-	-
Peyrusse Vieille	0.020	-	0.044	0.048	0.098	0.144	0.044	0.092	0.048	0.029	0.028	0.021
	0.015	-	0.041	0.047	0.018	0.079	0.017	0.076	0.055	0.019	0.017	0.015
Campisábalos	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Appendix B

Time series of VOC measured in 2007

Explanations and synonyms to component names

ethyne:	acetylene
butane:	n-butane
isobutane:	i-butane
pentane:	n-pentane
isopentane:	i-pentane
hexane:	n-hexane
methanal:	formaldehyde
ethanal:	acetaldehyde
propanone:	acetone
N2propenal:	2-propenal (acrolein)
N2butanone:	2-butanone (methyl ethyl ketone)
N3buten2one:	3-buten-2-one (methyl vinyl ketone)
N2methylpropenal:	2-methyl propenal (methacrolein)
benzenecarbaldehyde:	benzaldehyde
ethanedial:	glyoxal
N2oxoproanal:	2-oxopropanal (methyl glyoxal)

