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## **Alkyl nitrates in the boreal forest: formation via the NO<sub>3</sub>-, OH- and O<sub>3</sub>-induced oxidation of biogenic volatile organic compounds and ambient lifetimes**

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**Table S1:** Rate coefficients and branching ratios used for the calculations of  $P_{\Sigma AN}$ 

VOC	$k(\text{NO}_3)$ at 298 K (molecules $\text{cm}^{-3} \text{s}^{-1}$ )	$\alpha^{\text{NO}_3}$	$k(\text{OH})$ at 298 K (molecules $\text{cm}^{-3} \text{s}^{-1}$ )	$\alpha^{\text{RO}_2}$	$k(\text{O}_3)$ at 298 K (molecules $\text{cm}^{-3} \text{s}^{-1}$ )	$\alpha^{\text{O}_3}$
$\alpha$ -pinene	$6.2 \times 10^{-12}$ <sup>1</sup>	0.15 <sup>2,5</sup>	$5.3 \times 10^{-11}$ <sup>1</sup>	0.18 <sup>6</sup>	$9.6 \times 10^{-17}$ <sup>1</sup>	0.80 <sup>1</sup>
$\beta$ -pinene	$2.5 \times 10^{-12}$ <sup>1</sup>	0.40 <sup>2,3</sup>	$7.6 \times 10^{-11}$ <sup>1</sup>	0.24 <sup>2</sup>	$1.9 \times 10^{-17}$ <sup>1</sup>	0.30 <sup>1</sup>
$\Delta$ -carene	$9.1 \times 10^{-12}$ <sup>1</sup>	0.77 <sup>3</sup>	$8.8 \times 10^{-11}$ <sup>2</sup>	0.23 <sup>2</sup>	$4.9 \times 10^{-17}$ <sup>1</sup>	0.86 <sup>1</sup>
<i>d</i> -limonene	$1.2 \times 10^{-11}$ <sup>1</sup>	0.67 <sup>2,5</sup>	$1.7 \times 10^{-10}$ <sup>1</sup>	0.23 <sup>2</sup>	$2.2 \times 10^{-16}$ <sup>1</sup>	0.75 <sup>1</sup>
isoprene	$6.5 \times 10^{-13}$ <sup>1</sup>	0.70 <sup>1</sup>	$1.0 \times 10^{-10}$ <sup>1</sup>	0.07 <sup>4</sup>	$1.28 \times 10^{-17}$ <sup>1</sup>	1.00 <sup>1</sup>
unattributed	-	0.70	-	-	-	-

$\alpha^{\text{NO}_3}$ : yield of AN in the reaction of the BVOC with  $\text{NO}_3$  in air.

$\alpha^{\text{RO}_2}$ : yield of AN in the reaction of the peroxy radical (formed in  $\text{OH} + \text{BVOC} + \text{O}_2$ ) with  $\text{NO}$ .

$\alpha^{\text{O}_3}$  is the yield of peroxy radicals formed in the reaction of each BVOC with  $\text{O}_3$  in air

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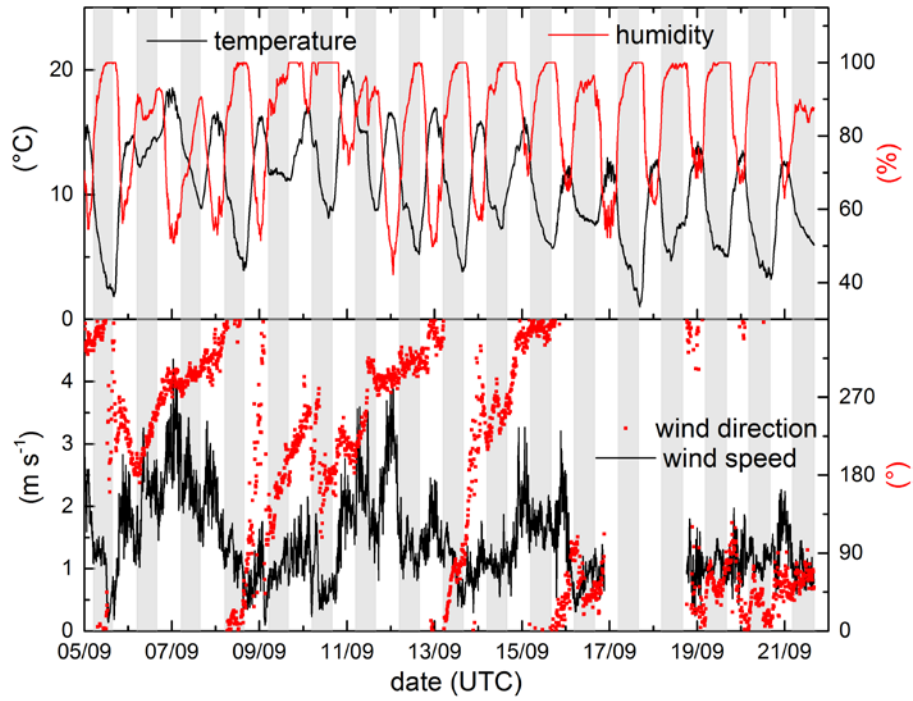
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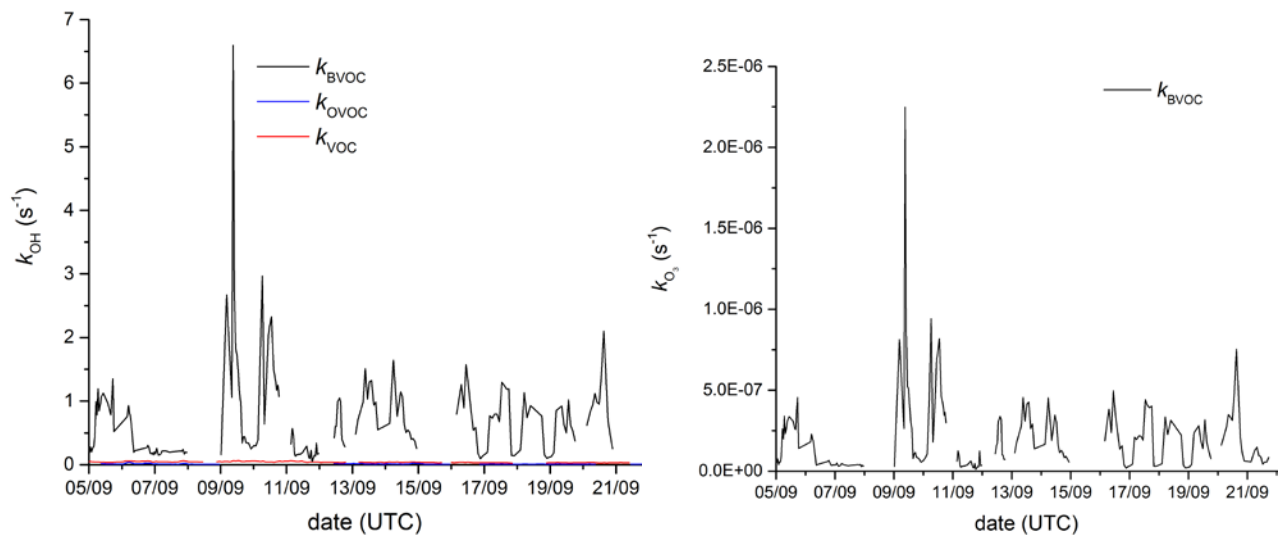
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**Figure S1:** Overview of meteorological measurements during IBAIRN. The grey shaded regions represent nighttime.

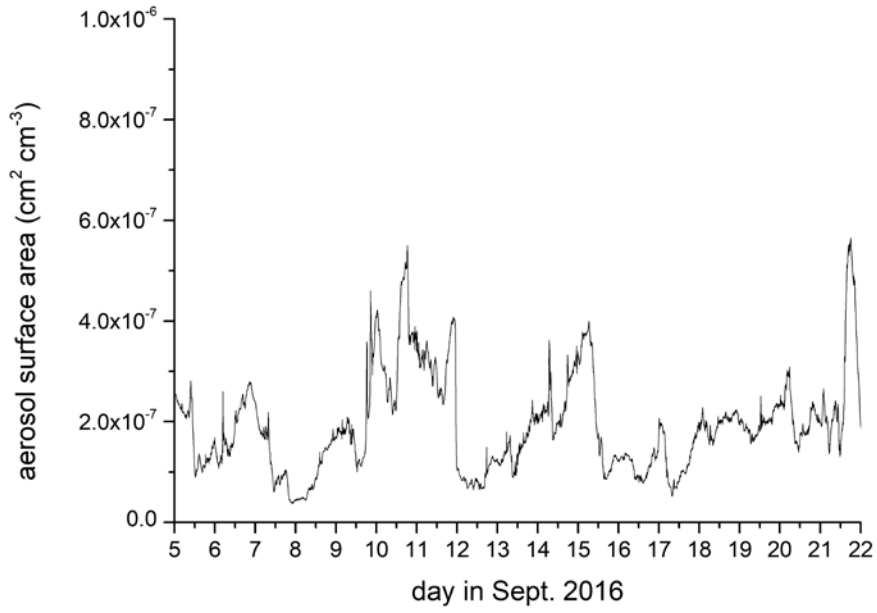


**Figure S2:** Calculated OH reactivity ( $k_{\text{OH}}$ ) and  $\text{O}_3$  reactivity ( $k_{\text{O}_3}$ ) from VOC measurements.

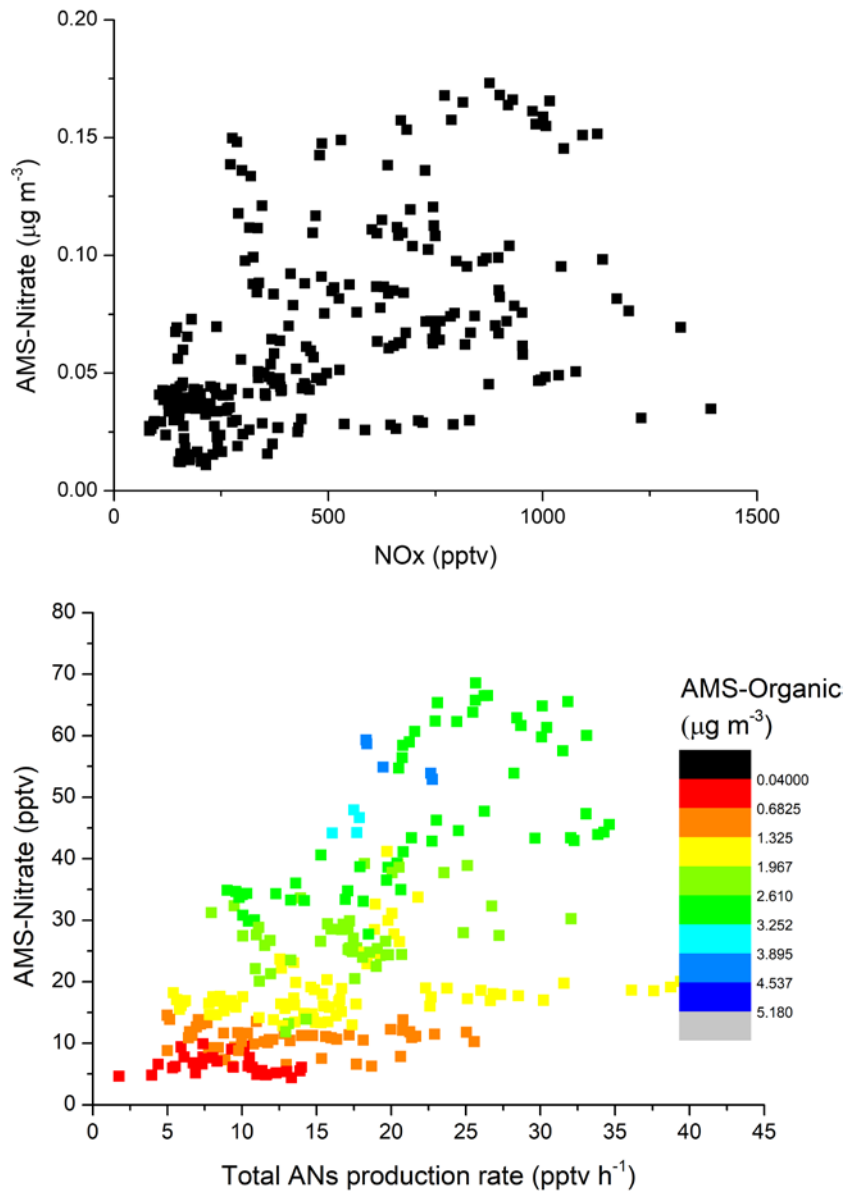
$k_{\text{BVOC}}$  (biogenic VOCs) consists of  $\alpha$ -pinene,  $\beta$ -pinene,  $\Delta$ -carene, *d*-Limonene, isoprene, and camphene.

$k_{\text{OVOC}}$  (oxidised VOCs) consists of propanoic acid, butanoic acid, isopentanoic acid, pentanoic acid, hexanoic acid, 1-pentanol, 1-penten-3-ol, cis-3-hexen-1-ol, 1-hexanol.

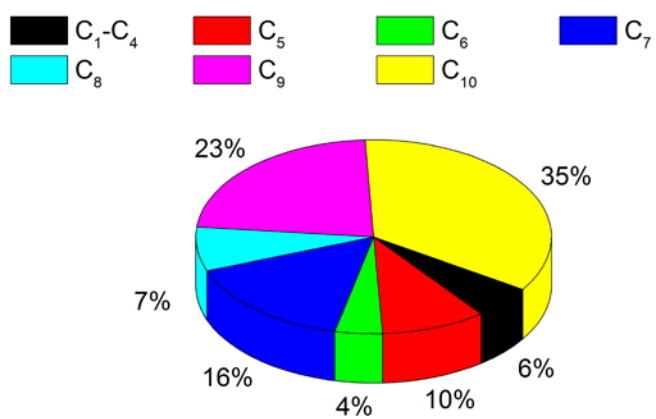
$k_{\text{VOC}}$  (remaining VOCs) consists of benzene, toluene, p/m-xylene, styrene, o-xylene, 1,2,4-trimethylbenzene, 1,2,3-trimethylbenzene, hexane, pentanal, hexanal, methacrolein, 4-acetyl-1-methylcyclohexene, nopinone, heptanal, octanal, nonanal, decanal, ethane and propane.



**Figure S3:** Aerosol surface area during IBAIRN.



**Figure S4:** Upper: AMS-nitrate versus  $\text{NO}_x$  (5<sup>th</sup>-22<sup>nd</sup> Sept 2016).  
 Lower: AMS-nitrate versus the total ANs production rate colour-coded with AMS-organic mass.



**Figure S5:** Campaign averaged relative contribution of the measured organic nitrates as measured by the I-CIMS (assuming equal sensitivity across the mass-range).