

Aerosol and component life cycle diversity: organics


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The AeroCom evaluation and intercomparison of organic aerosol in global models

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OA literature worth looking into



Reviews of Geophysics

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Key Points:

- We review some important developments in secondary organic aerosol (SOA) that could impact aerosol radiative forcing and response of climate to greenhouse gases
- We highlight some of the important processes that involve interactions between natural biogenic emissions and anthropogenic emissions
- We discuss fundamental SOA properties volatility and viscosity and their relation to evolution of aerosol mass and number concentrations in the atmosphere

Recent advances in understanding secondary organic aerosol: Implications for global climate forcing

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Processes

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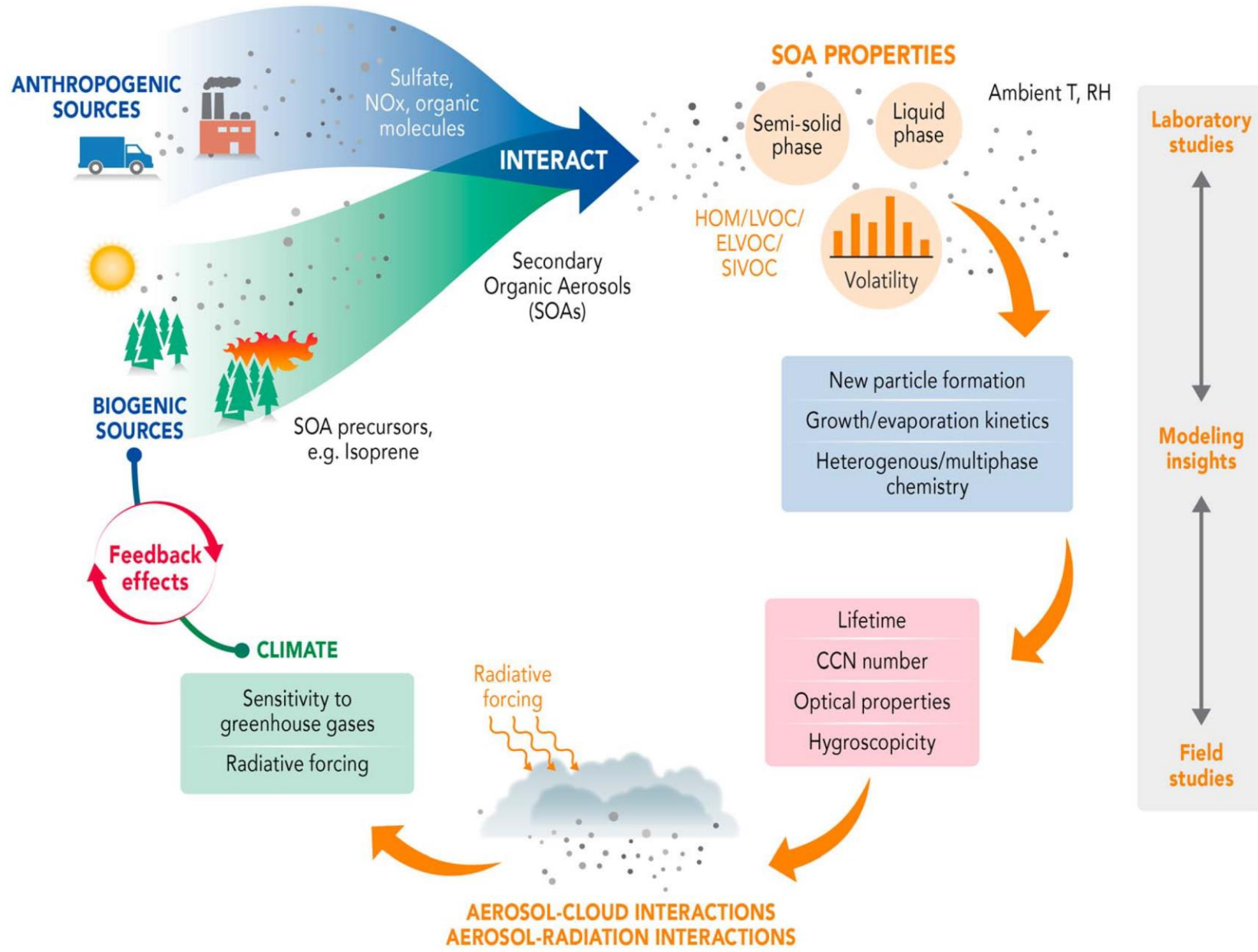


Climate impacts

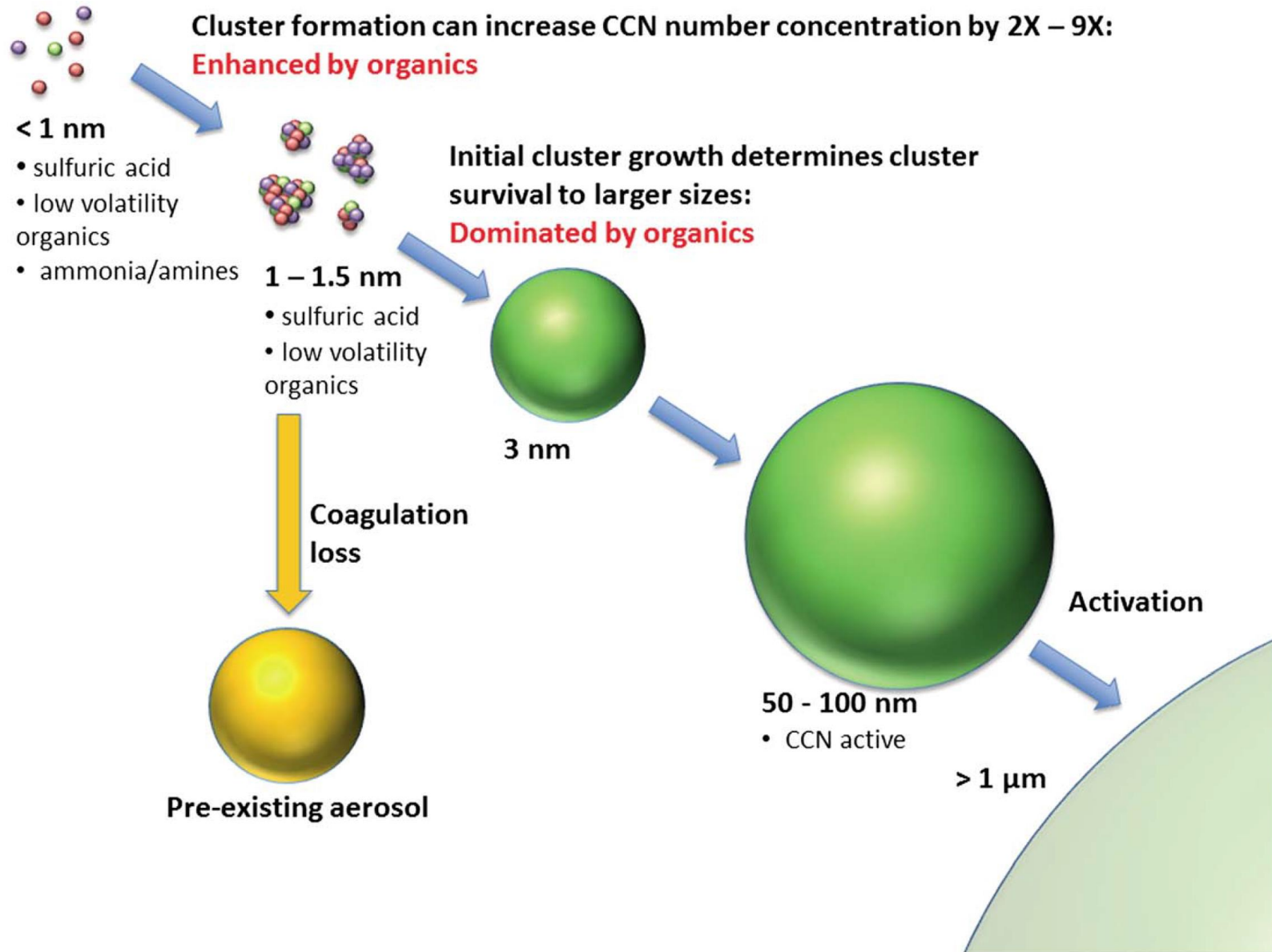
The Present and Future of Secondary Organic Aerosol Direct Forcing on Climate

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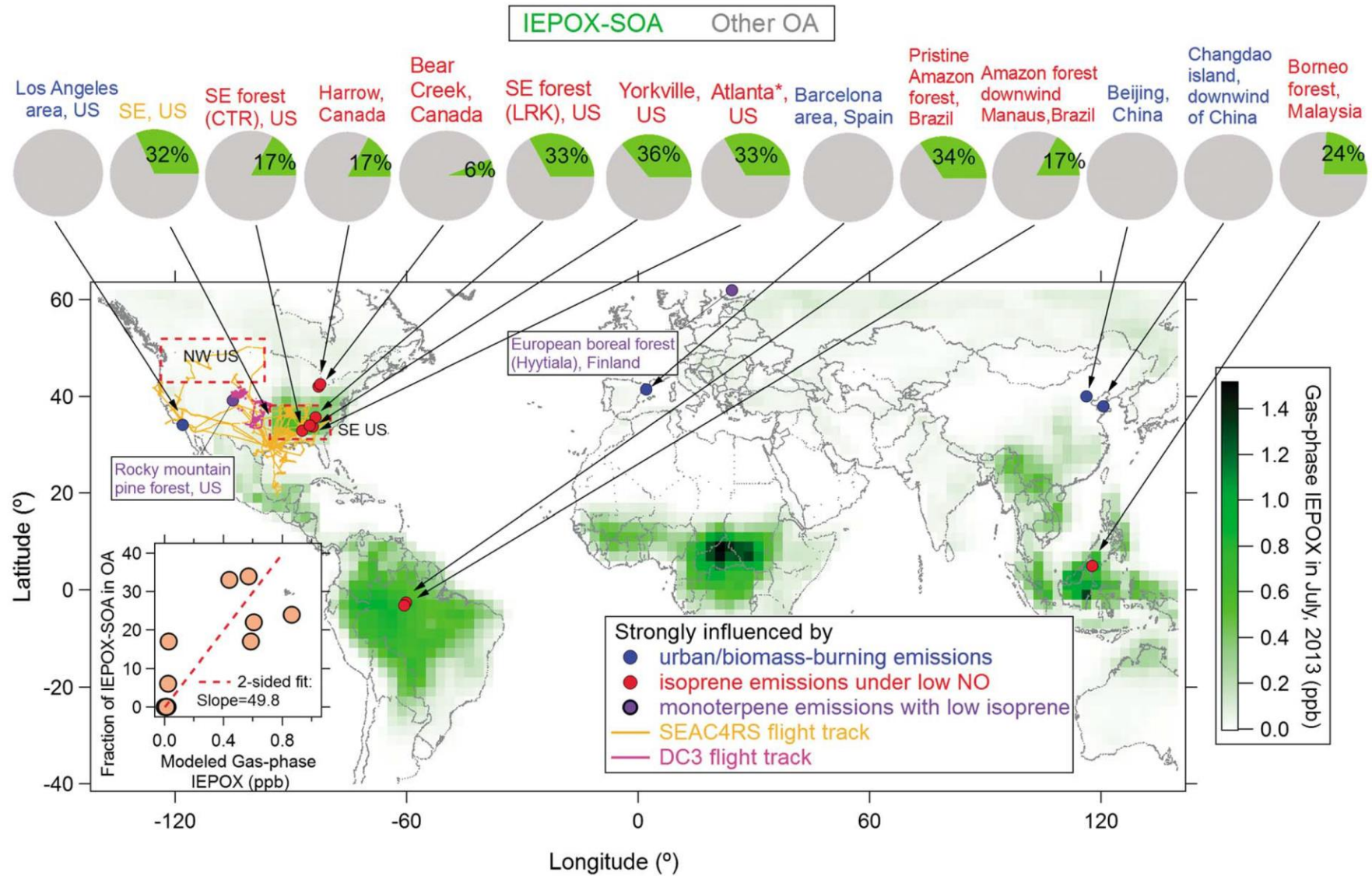
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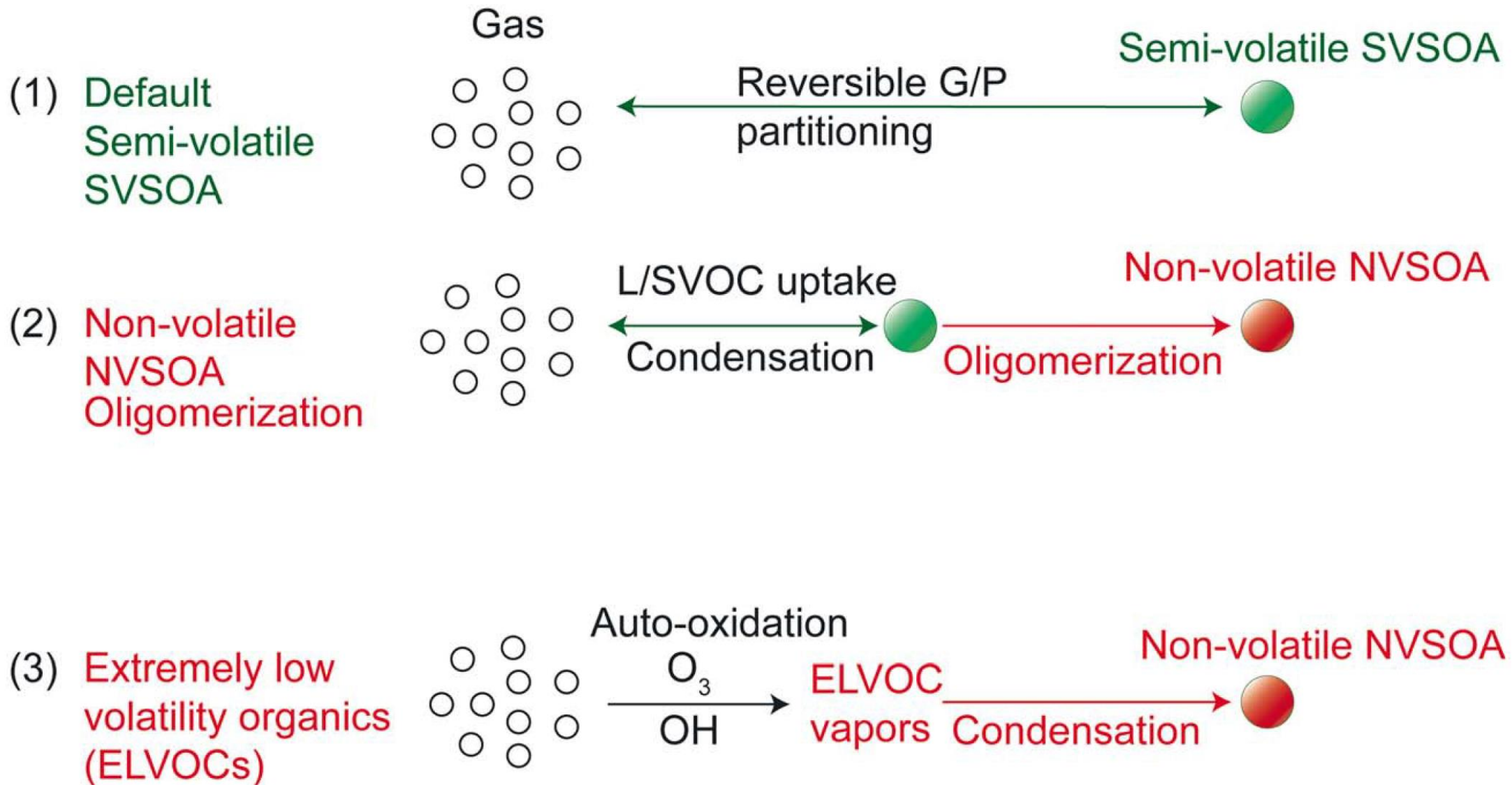
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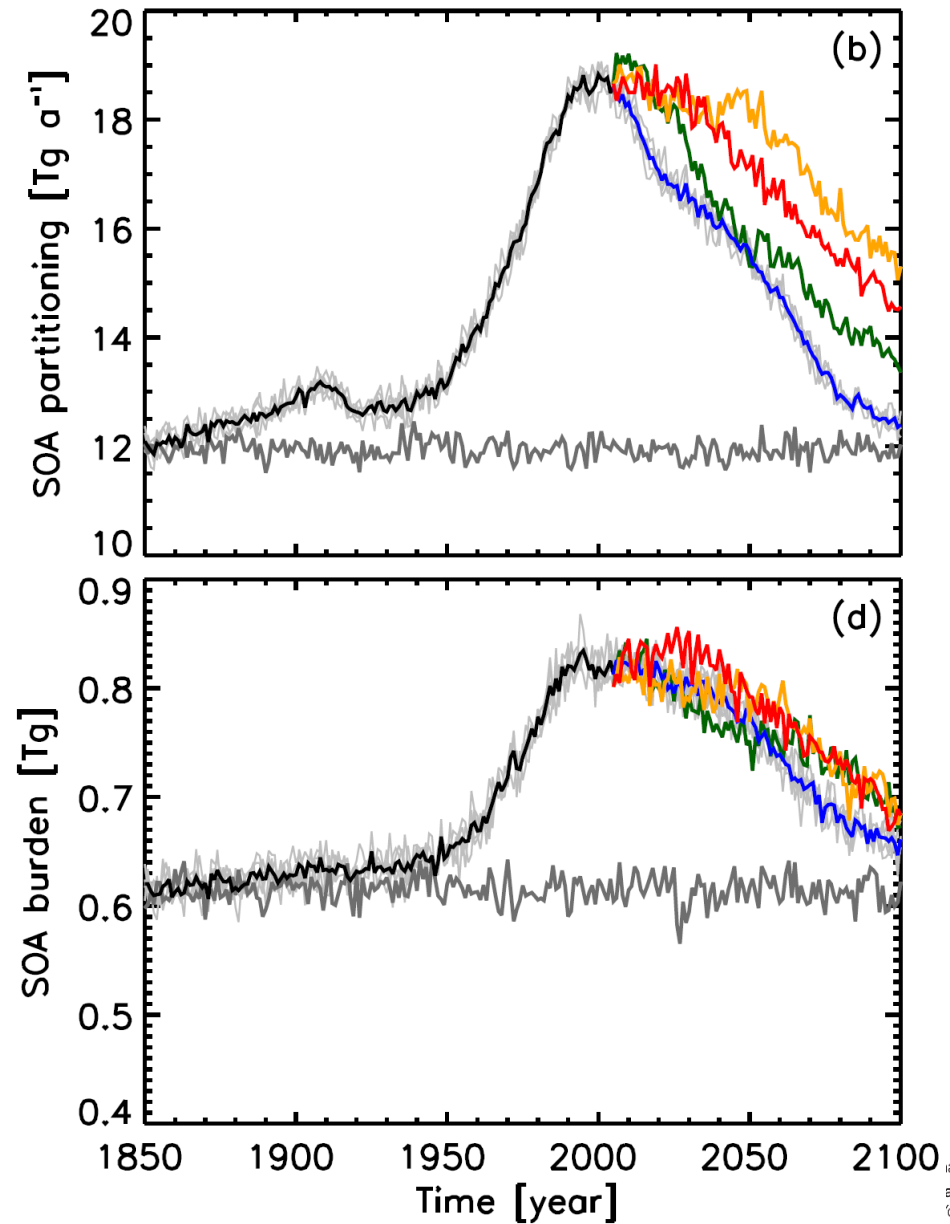
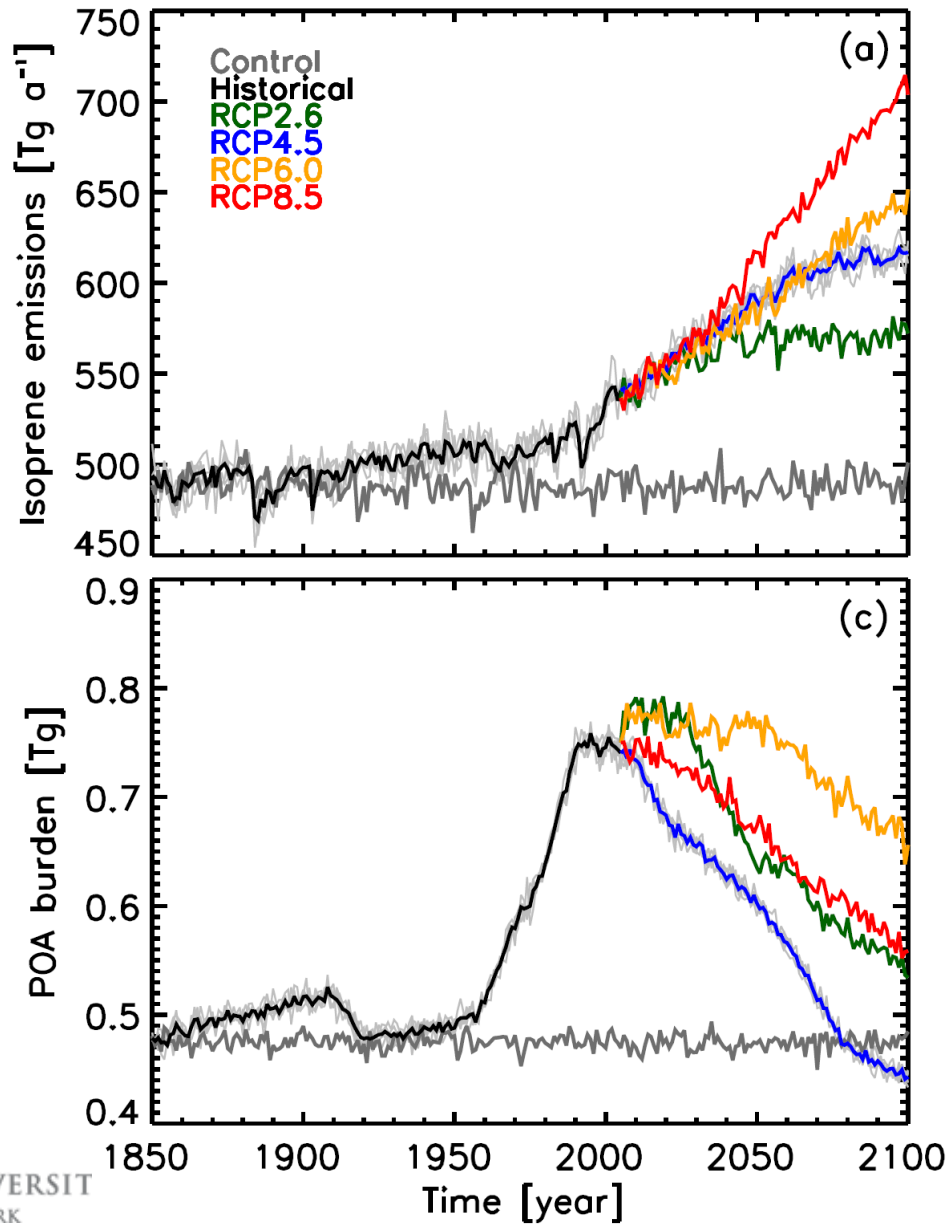
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Food for thought

- Now many of us modelers have improved their models by using VBS, but ignoring:
 - Nucleation
 - IEPOX
 - Aerosol phase (liquid or solid)
 - SOA photolysis
 - Oligomerization
 - xxxVOC species
 - Brown carbon
 - Accurate temperature dependence
 - Chemical regime dependence
- How much do/should we care?
 - Is the answer different for CTMs and GCMs?
 - The answer IS different for global vs. regional vs. local vs. campaign studies.