Aerossóis, aula 3

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- Sea salt
- Dust
- Biomass burning

- Biogenic
- Volcanic
- Urban



Processos envolvendo aerossóis





Basic processes acting on single aerosol particles

- Gravitational settling
- Drag force
- Brownian motion

Single particle dynamics and Knudsen number

Continuum regime

transition regime Free molecular regime



 $K_n = \frac{2\lambda}{D_p}$

Knudsen number Where λ is mean free path of air D_p is diameter of particle

Single particle dynamics and Knudsen number



T = 288K $P_a = 1013hPa$

D _P (μm)	Kn
0.01	12.9
0.1	1.29
1	0.129
10	0.0129

V_a	_	η_a
		$ ho_{a}$

$$\eta_a = \frac{5}{16Ad_a^2} \sqrt{\frac{m_a R^* T}{\pi}}$$

 $\overline{\upsilon}_a = \sqrt{\frac{2N_a k_B T}{\pi m_a}} \quad \begin{array}{c} \text{T is temperature} \\ \text{m_a is molar mass} \end{array}$

d_a is diameter of air molecule

Gravitational settling



Terminal velocity



Brownian diffusion

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Brownian diffusion





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Diffusion coefficient



Estimating displacement as function of size; Brownian diffusion vs gravitational settling



Coagulação

- Resultado, principalmente, de movimento Browniano, mas outras forças também tem um papel (elétrica, gravitacional, etc)
- Duas partículas colidem, agregam e formam uma nova partícula
- Coagulação não afeta a massa, mas reduz o número
- É mais eficiente para partículas pequenas

Coagulation

Free molecular regime Coagulation rate coefficient = $E_{coal} \cdot K_{i,i}$

When two aerosol particles collide, they may or may not stick together, depending on the efficiency of coalescence. The efficiency of coalescence depends on particle shape, composition, ambient relative humidity, and other factors.

$$K_{i,j}^{B} = 4\pi (r_{i} + r_{j})^{2} \sqrt{v_{i}^{2} + v_{j}^{2}}$$



Coagulation





Condensation

S $p^{s_a}(T)$

S < 1, Subsaturation S > 1, Supersaturation S = 1, Saturation

S=saturation ratio p_{a=}partial pressure of a p_a^s=saturation vapor pressure of a at temperature T

$$\ln\left(\frac{p^{s}_{a,1}}{p^{s}_{a,2}}\right) = \frac{\Delta H_{vap}}{R} \left(\frac{1}{T_2} - \frac{1}{T_1}\right)$$

Clausius-Clapeyron relation

Condensation





Nucleation x Condensation



Figure 2: Example of nucleation event observed on 11th May 2001, Hyytiälä (61.51°N, 24.17°E).

Number or Mass?

- Amount of pre-existing aerosol surface crucial
 - Generation of supersaturated conditions + low surface area of pre-existing particles favours formation of particle number via nucleation
 - Generation of supersaturated conditions + High concentration of pre-existing particles favours formation of particle mass via condensation

Condensation





Dry deposition

- **Dry deposition** occurs when a gas or particle is removed at an air-surface interface, such as on the surface of a tree, a building, a window, grass, soil, snow, or water.
- Dry-deposition speeds are generally parameterized as the inverse sum of a series of resistances

$$V_{d,part} = \frac{1}{r_t} + v_t$$

$$F = -V_{d}C$$

F=flux to surface $m^{-2}s^{-1}$ v_d=deposition velocity (m/s) C=concentration of particles

Dry deposition

Only removal path in the dry atmosphere

Depends on:

- Atmospheric turbulence
- Phase of species (gas or particle)
- Physio-chemical properties of depositing species
 - Particles: size, density
 - Gases: water solubility, reactivity
- Surface properties: Reactive? Sticky? Irregular? (eg vegetation)

Resistance analogy cont'd



Dry deposition-strongly dependent on size





Ageing due to dry deposition

Wet depositon



Scavenging of aerosols: Impaction, diffusion and interception







Scavenging

Within a cloud

• Rainout scavenges all large and most midsize particles, which have large mass, before washout has a chance to remove particles within a cloud.

Below a cloud (no rainout)

 Washout generally removes more particles by number than does rainout.



Cloud processing



Explaining the residence time



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Model treatment of aerosol

