Supporting Information for

Technical note: Quantified organic aerosol subsaturated hygroscopicity by a simple optical scatter monitor system through field measurements

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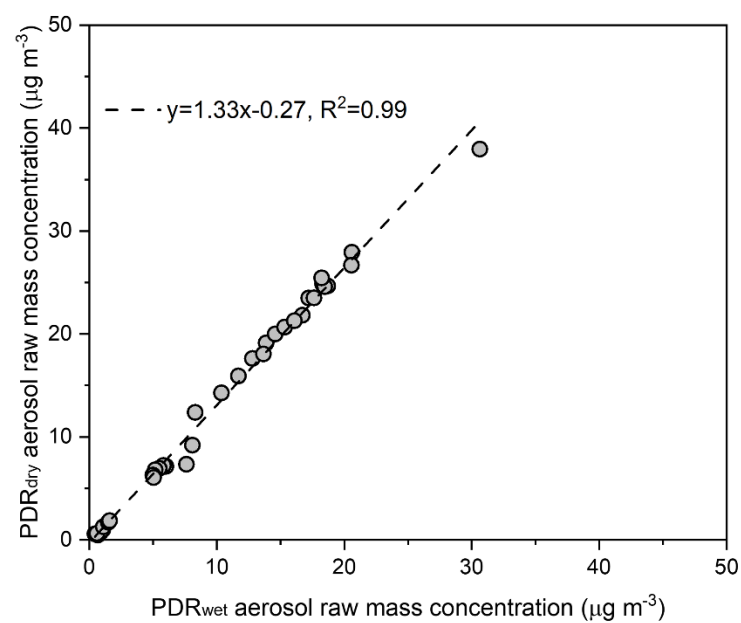
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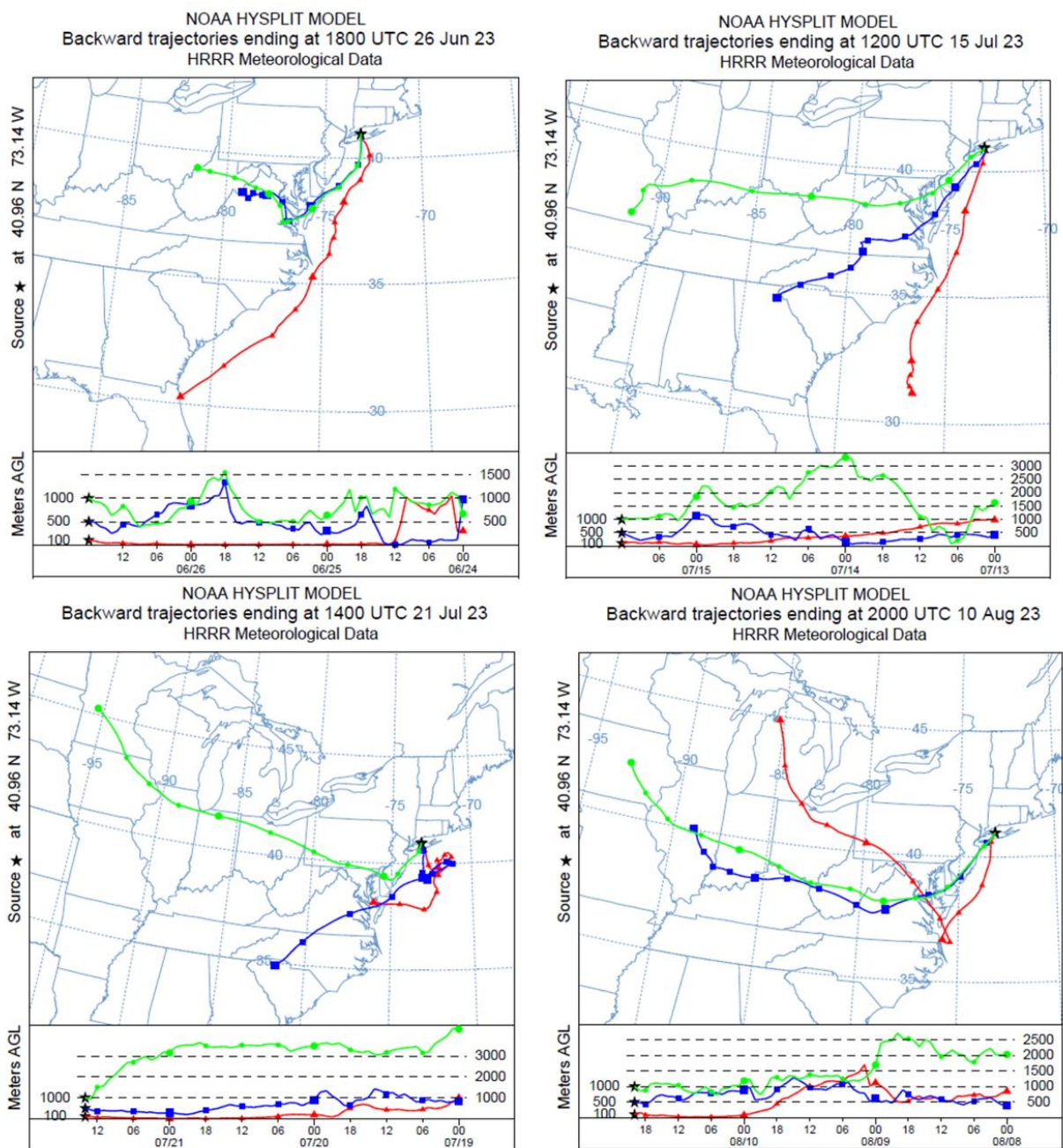
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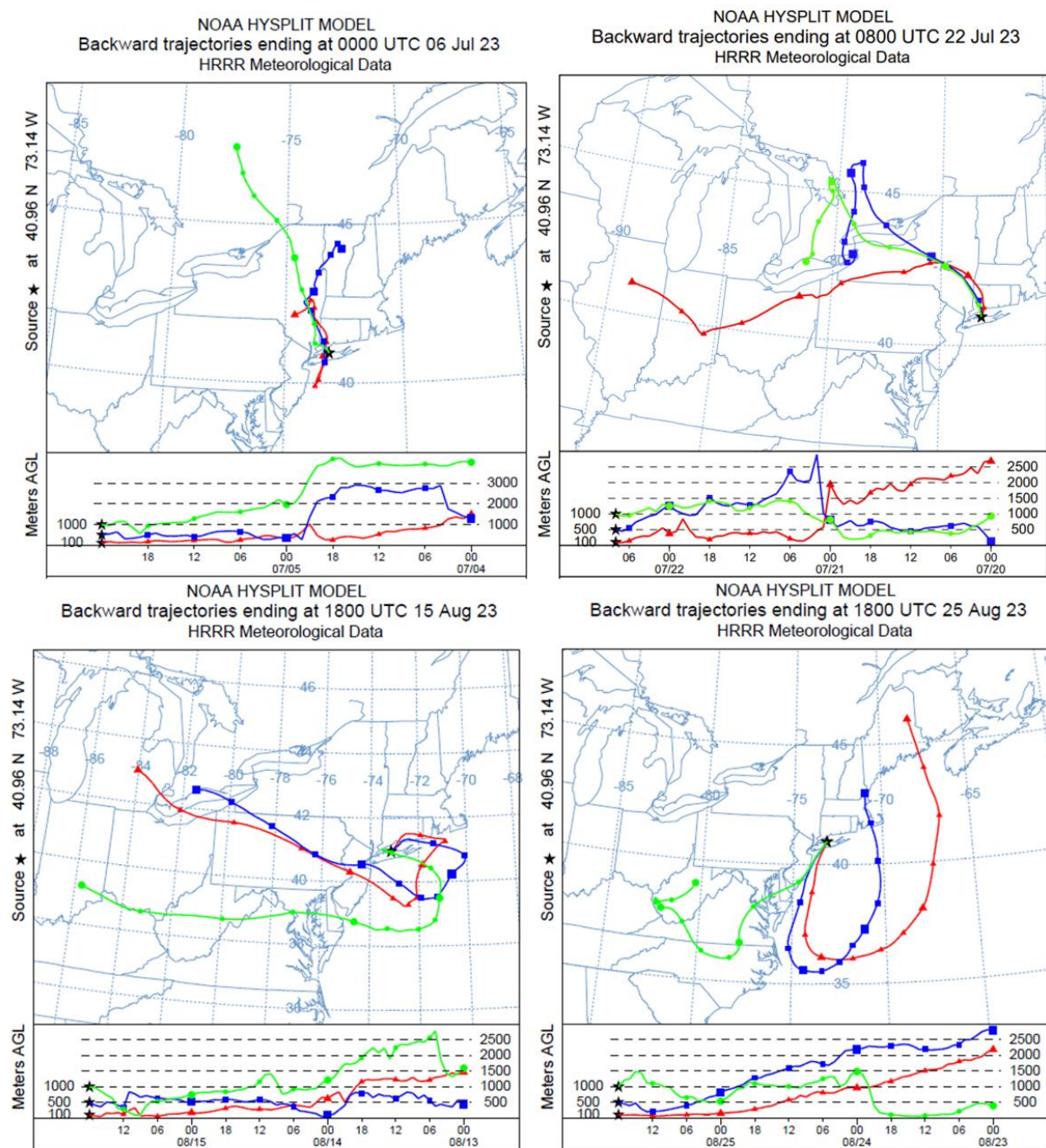
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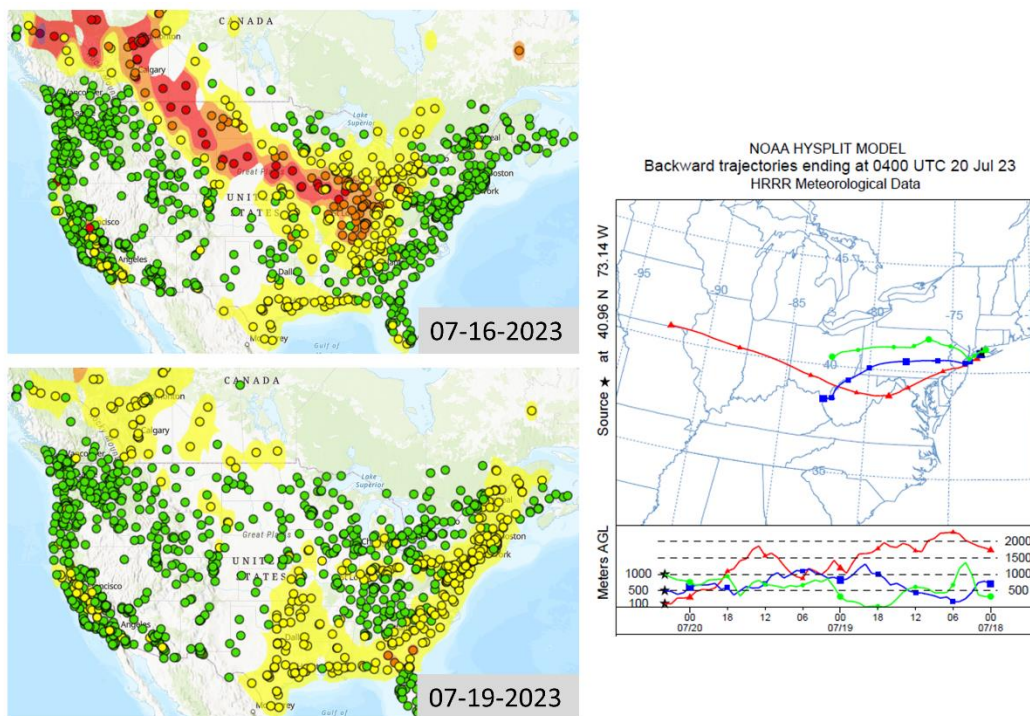
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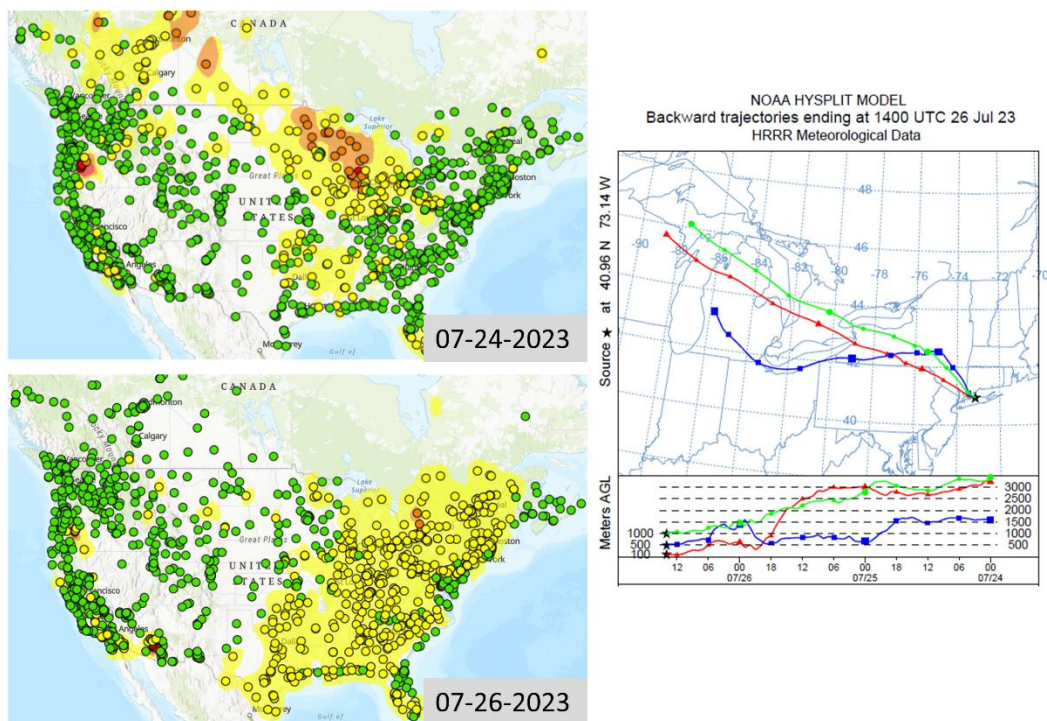
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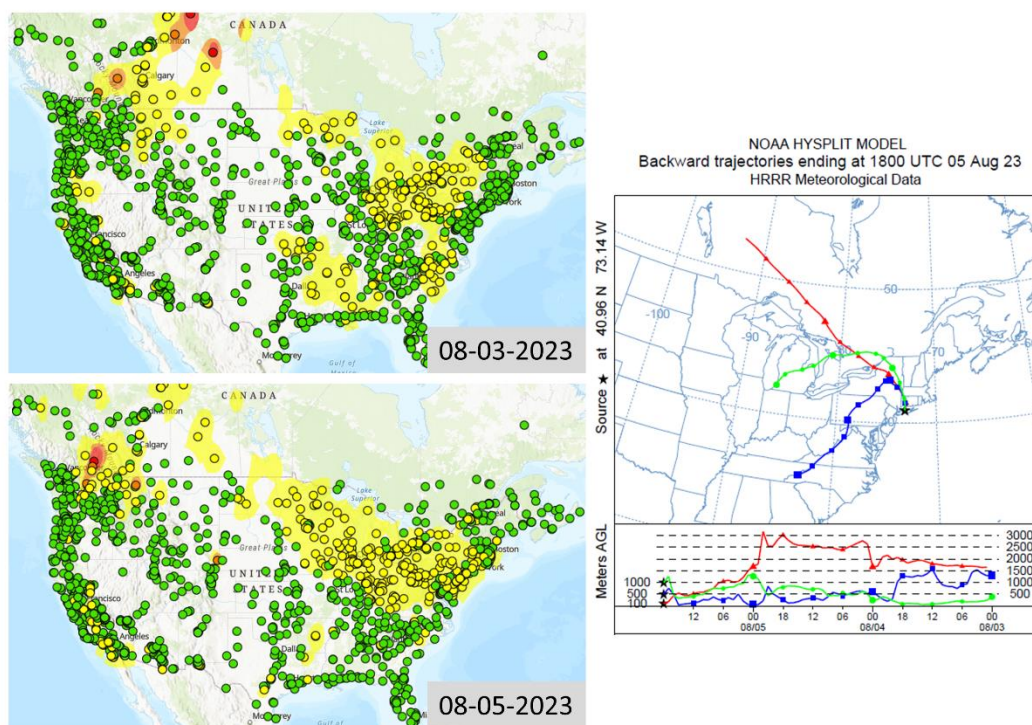
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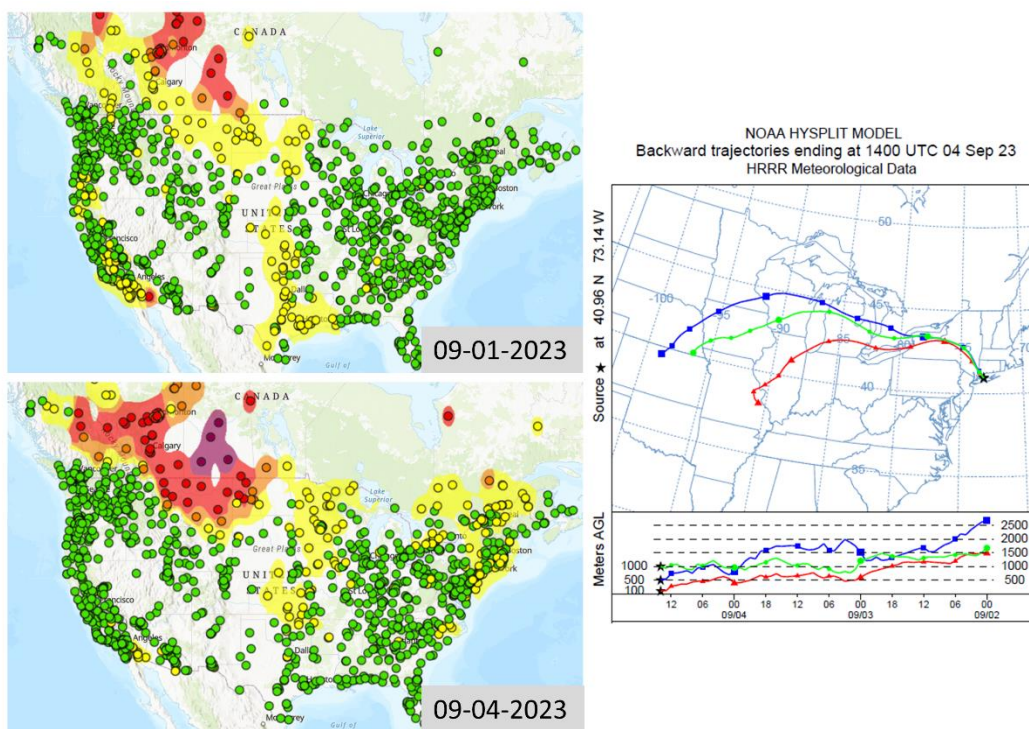
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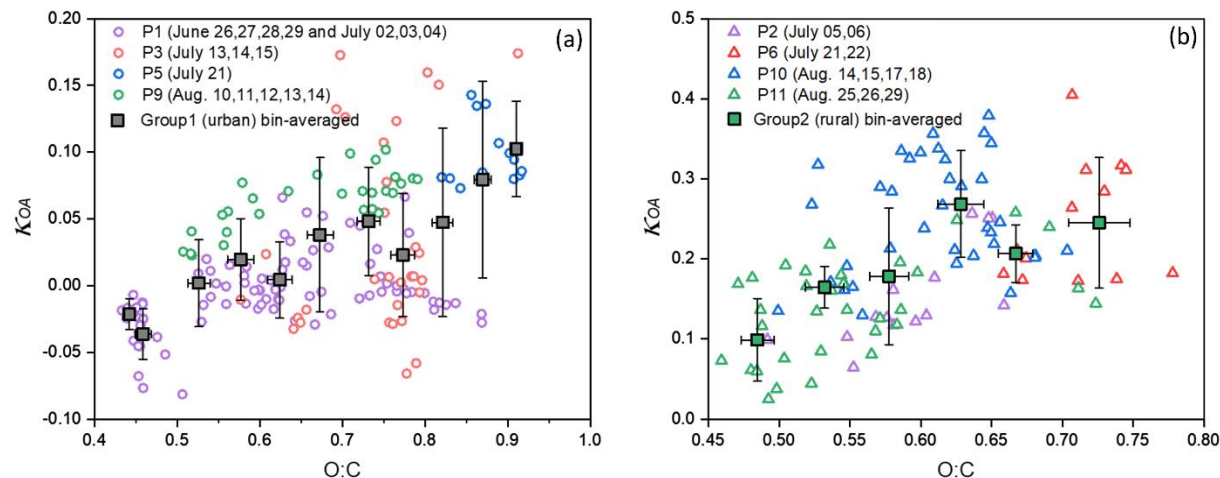
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