

This study isolated the fire-specific PM_{2.5} from monitoring concentrations through an observation-driven method, and provides insights into the evolving dynamics of fire-specific PM_{2.5} in Pacific Asia. The observed decline in overall PM_{2.5} levels juxtaposed with the rising proportion of fire-specific PM_{2.5} presents a concerning trend, particularly as it suggests the shift in the dominant sources of emissions from anthropogenic activities to more unpredictable fires. This shift not only complicates air quality management efforts but also disproportionately affects vulnerable populations, exacerbating public health risks. Based on the positive correlation between vapor pressure deficit and fire-specific PM_{2.5} highlight the potential exacerbating effects of climate change on future air quality. Overall, this assessment is valuable to call for more attention and researches in the complex interplay of fire-specific air pollution, public health and climate change in the region. However, some issues still need to be improved:

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