

Supporting Information

**Isomerization of second generation isoprene peroxy radicals:
epoxide formation and implications for secondary organic aerosol
yields**

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Chamber conditions

The input isoprene concentration, 20 ppbv, is the concentration achieved in the chamber at steady state in the absence of any radical chemistry (i.e. UV-VIS lights off) while all else such as chamber residence time remained the same. A calibrated cylinder of isoprene (Matheson, 20 ppm isoprene in nitrogen) and a mass flow controller maintained steady delivery over the course of the experiments. H₂O₂ (Sigma-Aldrich, 50% in water) was introduced into the chamber via an automated syringe operated at various flow rates to achieve approximately 0.5, 2, 5, and 10 ppm input H₂O₂ concentrations (lights off). The delivery is less precise at lower flow rates. Therefore we used the H₂O₂ signal measured by the HRTof-CIMS to correct the H₂O₂ concentration at low injection rates assuming the values for 2, 5, and 10 ppm were correct. The ratio of HRTof-CIMS signal to the input concentration was the same to within 17% for the three highest H₂O₂ concentrations, but diverged significantly for the lowest desired H₂O₂ input, which, after correcting by the measured HRTof-CIMS signal was found to be 0.15 ppm.

0-D Chemical Kinetics Model

The Framework for 0-D Atmospheric Modeling (F0AM)¹ is a zero dimensional, i.e. single box, chemical kinetics model developed from the CAFE model²⁻⁴ that incorporates the Master Chemical Mechanism (v3.3.1) from the University of Leeds.⁵ This model, predominantly as its CAFE version, has been used extensively to analyze ground-based,^{1, 3, 4, 6-10} aircraft-based,^{1, 11-16} and ship-based¹⁷ atmospheric data, as well as chamber data.^{18, 19} We utilized the isoprene scheme in the MCM, although we added our own customized mechanism as mentioned in the main text to include the formation of C₅H₁₂O₆ and related compounds from this pathway. The hydroxy dihydroperoxy aldehyde, hydroxy dihydroperoxy ketone, and dihydroxy hydroperoxy epoxide were added as products of the isomerization of C₅H₁₁O₆• (Scheme 2) at relative yields of 0.5, 0.5, and 99%, and assigned *c** of 20, 0.2, and 40 µg m⁻³, respectively. A loss reaction for the dihydroxy hydroperoxy epoxide with OH was added in the gas-phase with an estimated rate constant of 5 × 10⁻¹¹ s⁻¹, consistent with similar OH reactions in the MCM. New compounds as part of this mechanism and not in the current MCM version are shown in Table S1 with their molecular formula, SMILE string, structure, and a unique abbreviation. We have also made more minor adjustments. For example, the MCM includes OH oxidation of ISOPOH (C₅H₁₀O₂) to an alkoxy radical (C₅H₉O₂•) or fragments (methyl vinyl ketone + formic acid) depending on the isomer, rather than OH addition to the remaining double bond. We replace this reaction of OH + ISOPOH with two reactions: one that produces the alkoxy radical or fragments at 10% yield, as well as the same reaction that yields peroxy radicals at 90% yield, all at the original rate specified by the MCM. We also replace the IEPOX formation reactions in order to manipulate the yields between ISOPOOH + OH to IEPOX versus C₅H₁₁O₆• peroxy radical.

The added reactions and rate constants are shown in SI Table 2 utilizing the abbreviations for compounds. Abbreviations that are not specified in SI Table 2 are already in the MCM mechanism available online. Reaction rate constants are taken from similar reactions or literature values, and where possible we use MCM defaults. Defaults

are as follows: J41 (organic peroxide photolysis) = $5.787 \times 10^{-6} \text{ s}^{-1}$, KRO2NO ($\text{RO}_2 + \text{NO}$) = $2.7 \times 10^{-12} \times \exp(360/T) \text{ s}^{-1}$, KRO2HO2 ($\text{RO}_2 + \text{HO}_2$) = $2.91 \times 10^{-13} \times \exp(1300/T) \text{ s}^{-1}$, KRO2NO3 ($\text{RO}_2 + \text{NO}_3$) = $2.3 \times 10^{-12} \text{ s}^{-1}$, KDEC (decomposition of an alkoxy radical) = $1 \times 10^6 \text{ s}^{-1}$ where T is temperature in kelvin. Some reactions have been incorporated into the code but are currently given a rate coefficient of zero.

The set of 2,090 gas-phase reactions involving 645 species, including dynamic condensation and evaporation of 101 of those species to an organic phase leads to a fairly stiff set of differential equations. Matlab's ODE15s differential equation solver was used with a dynamic time-step approach, which we called repeatedly to solve 100 s integration segments. Concentrations predicted at the end of a 100 s integration segment are utilized as the inputs to the next 100 s segment.

The model was initialized with input concentrations of isoprene and H_2O_2 (see Table S3) and run for a total integration time of 2 days for each experimental condition which allowed for the model to reach chemical steady state, i.e. production and loss of species were equal and thus concentrations were unchanging. A chamber dilution rate of $5.6 \times 10^{-5} \text{ s}^{-1}$ was applied to all species based on the chamber flow conditions (35 L min^{-1}). Photolysis frequencies (J_x) were adjusted to account for the chamber lamp spectra. The NO_2 J-value was fixed to 0.006 s^{-1} as measured in the chamber. $\text{J}_{\text{H}_2\text{O}_2}$ was found to be $2.5 \times 10^{-6} \text{ s}^{-1}$ by modeling the isoprene decay rate from the time of lights on (Fig. SI 1). Seed particles are initialized at the beginning of each run (10^4 cm^{-3} with a radius of $25 \times 10^{-7} \text{ cm}$), along with a small amount ($0.002 \mu\text{g m}^{-3}$) of existing organic aerosol phase to allow the partitioning of low volatility products to begin without explicitly modeling the nucleation of an organic phase. The volume and surface area of the modeled SOA are dynamically calculated at each 100 s integration segment by calculating the total mass concentration of particle-phase species at each step. A single particle wall loss rate constant is in the model as the steady-state size distribution is fairly monodisperse, and is set to $6 \times 10^{-5} \text{ s}^{-1}$.²⁰ The experimental conditions that were modeled are shown in SI Table 3. The observational data presented here have not been wall-loss corrected because we include particle and vapor wall losses in the model.

The updated F0AM model with gas/particle partitioning and updated isoprene chemistry used in this study can be found at: <http://www.atmos.washington.edu/~thornton/washington-aerosol-module>.

Quantum Chemical Calculations

To facilitate calculation of the intramolecular RO_2 H-abstraction reactions and subsequent product formation reactions, conformer searches were followed by B3LYP/6-31+G(d) optimizations in Gaussian. For the transition states, constrained optimizations with the same constraints as for the conformer search were conducted before the transition state optimizations. For the subsequent transition state optimizations, the additional optimization keywords "calcfc" and "noeigentest" were used.

Duplicate conformers were removed by a script comparing electronic energies and dipole moments and conformers were marked as identical when their energies were within 10^{-5} H (1 Hartree $\approx 627.5 \text{ kcal mol}^{-1}$) and their dipole moments were within $5 \times 10^{-3} \text{ D}$ (1 Debye $\approx 3.33564 \times 10^{-30} \text{ Cm}$). All unique conformers within 2 kcal

mol⁻¹ of the lowest energy conformer in electronic energy at the B3LYP/6-31+G(d) level of theory^{21, 22} were subsequently optimized using ω B97X-D/aug-cc-pVTZ with the ultrafine integration grid to improve geometries and energies.²³⁻²⁵ Frequency calculations were carried out to confirm the character of the stationary points identified; no imaginary frequencies for reactant and products and one for transition states corresponding to the motion of the reaction. These frequencies were also used in the zero point vibrational energy correction and in the vibrational partition functions.

For the lowest energy structures of reactant, transition state and product, Molpro 2012.1 was used for single-point calculations on top of the ω B97X-D/aVTZ optimized structures at the ROHF-ROCCSD(T)-F12a/cc-pVDZ-F12 level (abbreviated F12) for more accurate barrier heights.²⁶⁻³¹ In accordance with recommendations, the calculations were carried out using gem beta=0.9, which sets the geminal Slater exponent to 0.9 in the F12 correlation factor.²⁸

Reaction rate constants, k , were calculated using multi-conformer transition state theory (MC-TST) including Eckart quantum mechanical tunneling.³²⁻³⁵

$$k = \kappa \frac{k_B T}{h} \frac{\sum_i^{All\ TS\ conf.} \exp\left(\frac{-\Delta E_i}{k_B T}\right) Q_{TS,i}}{\sum_j^{All\ R\ conf.} \exp\left(\frac{-\Delta E_j}{k_B T}\right) Q_{R,j}} \exp\left(-\frac{E_{TS,0} - E_{R,0}}{k_B T}\right) \quad (S1)$$

where κ is the Eckart tunneling coefficient, k_B is the Boltzmann constant, T is the absolute temperature, h is Planck's constant. ΔE_i and ΔE_j are the zero-point corrected energies of conformer i and j of reactant and transition, respectively, relative to the lowest-energy conformer of each, and $Q_{TS,i}$ and $Q_{R,j}$ are the corresponding partition functions. The summations are carried out over all conformers of transition state and reactant, respectively. $E_{TS,0}$ and $E_{R,0}$ are the zero-point corrected energies of the lowest-energy conformer of transition state and reactant, respectively.

In the MC-TST calculation, the F12 energies with ω B97X-D/aug-cc-pVTZ zero-point vibrational corrections were used for the barrier height, while ω B97X-D/aug-cc-pVTZ was used to calculate the relative energy between conformers and partition functions. From the B3LYP/6-31+G(d) geometry of the lowest energy transition state at the ω B97X-D/aug-c-pVTZ level, an IRC was run using B3LYP/6-31+G(d) with the calcall keyword.³⁶ The end-points were optimized using ω B97X-D/aug-cc-pVTZ and Eckart tunneling was calculated from the ω B97X-D/aug-cc-pVTZ zero-point corrected energies and the imaginary frequency of the transition state at the same level.

Energies and partition functions were corrected using the McClurg approach to hindered rotation as implemented in Gaussian 09 using the "freq= hinderedrotor" keyword.³⁷⁻³⁹ The hindered rotor correction to the partition function was divided by the "Multiplicity", which describes the effect from access to different potential energy wells, an effect that is already being accounted for in the MC-TST equation.

Dependence of ISOP(OOH)₂ and SOA mass yields on H₂O₂

To understand why the ISOP(OOH)₂ and SOA mass yields increase with [H₂O₂] in the chamber and why that is best explained with a competing reaction for the ISOP(OOH)

derived peroxy radical, we can examine the steady-state relationships for the pertinent molecules, with a focus on ISOP(OOH)₂. The production and loss of ISOP(OOH)₂, as well as other compounds, can be determined by using the reactions in Table S2. If we assume all components are in steady state, i.e. the production and loss rates are equivalent for each compound, then the steady state concentration of ISOP(OOH)₂ can be expressed as shown in equation S2:

$$[\text{ISOP(OOH)}_2]_{\text{ss}} = \frac{k_{\text{RO}_2\text{HO}_2} [\text{C}_5\text{H}_{11}\text{O}_6\bullet][\text{HO}_2]}{k_1[\text{OH}] + k_{\text{hv}} + k_{\text{dil}} + k_{\text{wall}}} \quad (\text{S2})$$

where k_1 is the rate constant for the ISOP(OOH)₂ and OH reaction and $k_{\text{RO}_2\text{HO}_2}$ is the MCM default rate constant for RO₂ + HO₂ reactions as discussed previously. The variables k_{hv} , k_{dil} , and k_{wall} refer to the organic peroxide photolysis rate constant, the first-order chamber dilution rate constant (i.e., the inverse chamber residence time), and the vapor wall-loss rate constant, respectively. We neglect gas-particle partitioning in these calculations as we are focusing on the total concentration. We combine $k_{\text{hv}} + k_{\text{dil}} + k_{\text{wall}}$ into one k value, hereon denoted as “ k_{other} ”. If we perform the same exercise for the C₅H₁₁O₆• peroxy radical, listed as C₅H₁₁O₆• in the model, we arrive at:

$$[\text{C}_5\text{H}_{11}\text{O}_6\bullet]_{\text{ss}} = \frac{(1-\phi)k_2[\text{ISOPOOH}][\text{OH}] + k_1[\text{ISOP(OOH)}_2][\text{OH}]}{k_{\text{isom}} + k_{\text{RO}_2\text{HO}_2}[\text{HO}_2]} \quad (\text{S3})$$

where $1-\phi$ is the yield to the peroxy radical from ISOPOOH + OH as described in Scheme 1 in the main text and k_2 is the rate constant for ISOPOOH + OH. The term $k_1[\text{ISOP(OOH)}_2][\text{OH}]$ refers to H-abstraction via an OH of the closed-shell ISOP(OOH)₂ compound which is a minor source of C₅H₁₁O₆• and thus can be set to zero for our purposes here. We ignore k_{dil} , k_{wall} , and k_{cond} for C₅H₁₁O₆• as reactions with HO₂ and intra-molecular H-abstraction (“RO₂ isomerization”) will dominate. Substituting equation S3 for C₅H₁₁O₆• into that for ISOP(OOH)₂, equation S2, gives:

$$[\text{ISOP(OOH)}_2]_{\text{ss}} = \frac{k_{\text{RO}_2\text{HO}_2}[\text{HO}_2] \left[\frac{(1-\phi)k_2[\text{ISOPOOH}][\text{OH}]}{k_{\text{isom}} + k_{\text{RO}_2\text{HO}_2}[\text{HO}_2]} \right]}{k_1[\text{OH}] + k_{\text{other}}} \quad (\text{S4})$$

Figure 2 depicts the mass yield of ISOP(OOH)₂, i.e. the mass concentration produced relative to the mass concentration of isoprene reacted. The steady state expression for isoprene is:

$$[\text{C}_5\text{H}_8]_{\text{ss}} = \frac{E_{\text{C}_5\text{H}_8}}{k_3[\text{OH}] + k_{\text{dil}}} \quad (\text{S5})$$

where $E_{\text{C}_5\text{H}_8}$ is the emission rate of isoprene into the chamber, held constant, and k_3 is the rate constant for C₅H₈ + OH. The equation for the initial concentration ($[\text{C}_5\text{H}_8]_{\text{i}}$), i.e. the input concentration is:

$$[C_5H_8]_i = \frac{E_{C_5H_8}}{k_{dil}} \quad (S6)$$

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216 Thus the steady state expression for the amount of isoprene reacted is:

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$$\Delta[C_5H_8]_{ss} = \frac{E_{C_5H_8} k_3 [OH]}{k_{dil}^2 + k_{dil} k_3 [OH]} \quad (S7)$$

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220 We can substitute the OH concentration at steady state by defining $[OH]_{ss}$ with respect
221 to its two predominant sinks as:

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$$[OH]_{ss} = \frac{2k_{hv}[H_2O_2]}{k_3[C_5H_8] + k_4[H_2O_2]} \quad (S8)$$

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225 where k_4 is the rate constant for $H_2O_2 + OH$ and we redefine k_{hv} as the photolysis rate
226 constant of H_2O_2 . S8 can then be simplified to:

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$$[OH]_{ss} = \frac{2k_{hv}}{k_4} \quad (S9)$$

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230 when $k_4[H_2O_2] \gg k_3[C_5H_8]$. Using the F0AM model we confirm that the biggest sink of
231 OH is in fact H_2O_2 for a majority of our conditions (Table S3). Thus, $[OH]_{ss}$ is
232 essentially a constant across changing $[H_2O_2]$ in the chamber. Substituting this into
233 equation S7 gives:

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$$\Delta[C_5H_8]_{ss} = \frac{E_{C_5H_8} k_3 \frac{2k_{hv}}{k_4}}{k_{dil}^2 + k_{dil} k_3 \frac{2k_{hv}}{k_4}} \quad (S10)$$

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237 Based on equation S10, the steady-state amount of isoprene reacted is also essentially
238 constant across changing $[H_2O_2]$ until $[OH]$ is of the same order of k_{dil} (Fig. 1, top). We
239 denote S10 from here on as $C_{\Delta I}$. The steady-state mole yield of ISOP(OOH)₂ is then the
240 division of equation S4 by S10:

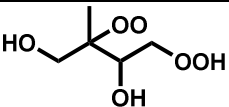
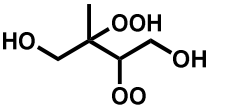
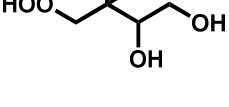
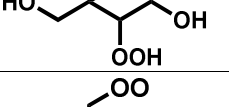
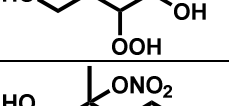
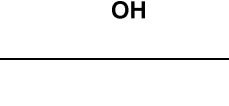
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$$\text{Mass yield ISOP(OOH)}_2 = \frac{k_{RO_2HO_2} [HO_2] \left[\frac{(1-\phi)k_2[ISOPOOH][OH]}{k_{isom} + k_{RO_2HO_2} [HO_2]} \right]}{(k_1[OH] + k_{other}) C_{\Delta I}} \quad (S11)$$

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244 Given that OH and ϕ are effectively constants, we see from equation S11 that to explain
245 a nearly linear increase in the ISOP(OOH)₂ mass yield observed with increasing $[H_2O_2]$
246 (Fig. 2), changing OH or ϕ are not options (see Fig S4). Even if $[OH]$ changes, it appears
247 in both the numerator and denominator and so the dependence of the ISOP(OOH)₂ mass
248 yield on $[OH]$ will be weak. In fact, often $k_1[OH] > k_{other}$, in which case $[OH]$ cancels.
249 Therefore, the explanation must be related to $[HO_2]$ which does increase nearly linearly
250 with H_2O_2 (Fig. S2). It is most instructive to consider the null hypothesis, that k_{isom} is
251 zero, i.e. that intra-molecular H-abstraction of the ISOPOOH derived peroxy radical

252 does not occur, or occurs much more slowly than reaction with HO₂ ($k_{\text{isom}} \ll k_{\text{RO}_2\text{HO}_2}$
 253 [HO₂]). If that were true, then from equation S11 the dependence of the ISOP(OOH)₂
 254 mass yield on [HO₂] would vanish as it is also in the numerator and denominator and
 255 there would be no dependence upon [H₂O₂], contrary to what is observed (Fig. 2). Thus,
 256 there must be a reaction of the ISOPOOH derived peroxy radical that competes with
 257 reaction with HO₂, i.e. a competing reaction that is on the same order as $k_{\text{RO}_2\text{HO}_2}$ [HO₂].
 258 Based on quantum chemical calculations and this analysis, we conclude the competing
 259 reaction is intra-molecular H-abstraction (“RO₂ isomerization”) followed by O₂ addition.
 260 If k_{isom} is on the same order with $k_3[\text{HO}_2]$ or larger, then from equation S10 we see that
 261 increases in [HO₂] will lead to increases in the ISOP(OOH)₂ mass yield in an
 262 approximately linear manner, as observed in the measurements. We have shown
 263 previously that ISOP(OOH)₂ is a major component of the SOA formed under these
 264 conditions (suppressed IEPOX multiphase chemistry and high [H₂O₂]),^{40, 41} and thus is a
 265 controlling component of the SOA, including its mass yield. In this way, [H₂O₂]
 266 indirectly controls the mass yield of SOA by controlling that of ISOP(OOH)₂.
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Molecular Formula	Structure	SMILE	Abbreviation
C ₅ H ₁₁ O ₆		<chem>CC(C(O)COO)(O[O])CO</chem>	DHHPAO2
C ₅ H ₁₁ O ₆		<chem>CC(C(O[O])CO)(OO)CO</chem>	DHHPBO2
C ₅ H ₁₁ O ₆		<chem>CC(C(O)CO)(O[O])COO</chem>	DHHPCO2
C ₅ H ₁₁ O ₆		<chem>CC(C(OO)CO)(O[O])CO</chem>	DHHPDO2
C ₅ H ₁₁ O ₇		<chem>OC(C(OO)CO)(CO[O])CO</chem>	THHPO2
C ₅ H ₁₁ NO ₇		<chem>CC(C(O)COO)(O[N+])([O-])=O)CO</chem>	DHHPANO3

C ₅ H ₁₁ NO ₇		CC(C(O[N+])([O-])=O)CO(OO)CO	DHHPBNO3
C ₅ H ₁₁ NO ₇		CC(C(O)CO)(O[N+])([O-])=O)COO	DHHPCNO3
C ₅ H ₁₁ NO ₇		CC(C(OO)CO)(O[N+])([O-])=O)CO	DHHPDNO3
C ₅ H ₁₂ O ₆		CC(C(OO)CO)(OO)CO	DHDHP
C ₅ H ₁₂ O ₅		CC(C(O)CO)(OO)CO	THHP
C ₅ H ₁₁ O ₅		CC(C(O)COO)([O])CO	DHHPAO
C ₅ H ₁₁ O ₅		CC(C([O])CO)(OO)CO	DHHPBO
C ₅ H ₁₁ O ₅		CC(C(O)CO)([O])COO	DHHPCO
C ₅ H ₁₁ O ₅		CC(C(OO)CO)([O])CO	DHHPDO
C ₅ H ₁₁ O ₆		OCC(C(CO)OO)(O)C[O]	THHPO
C ₅ H ₁₁ O ₆		CC(C(C(O)[O])OO)(O)CO	THHPBO
C ₅ H ₁₁ O ₄		CC([O])(CO)C(O)CO	THBC5O

C ₅ H ₁₁ O ₄		CC(O)(CO)C([O])CO	THACDC5O
C ₅ H ₁₂ O ₇		OCC(C(CO)OO)(O)COO	THDHP
C ₅ H ₁₁ NO ₈		OCC(C(CO)OO)(O)CO[N+](O-)=O	THHPNO3
C ₅ H ₁₂ O ₆		OCC(C(CO)OO)(O)CO	TETROLHP
C ₃ H ₆ O ₄		O=C(CO)COO	HYPERACETOL
C ₅ H ₁₀ O ₆		OCC(C(CO)OO)(O)C=O	C5H10O6
C ₅ H ₁₀ O ₇		O=CC(C(CO)OO)(O)COO	C5H10O7
C ₅ H ₁₀ O ₇		CC(C(CO)=O)(OO)C(OO)O	DHDHPket
C ₅ H ₁₀ O ₆		CC(C(CO)OO)(OO)C=O	HDHPald
C ₅ H ₁₀ O ₅		CC(C(O1)C1O)(OO)CO	DHHEPOX
C ₅ H ₁₁ O ₅		CC(C(CO)O)(O[O])CO	THHO2
C ₅ H ₁₂ O ₄		CC(C(CO)O)(O)CO	TETROL
C ₅ H ₁₁ NO ₆		CC(C(CO)O[N+](O-)=O)(O)CO	THHNO3

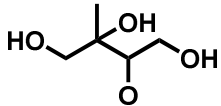
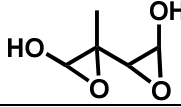
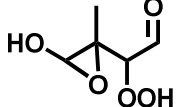
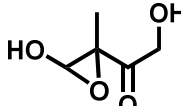
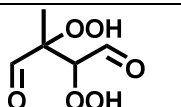
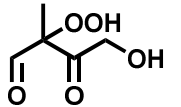
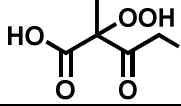
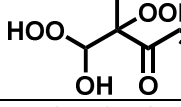
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C ₅ H ₈ O ₄		CC(C(O1)C1O)(O2)C2O	C5H8O4epox
C ₅ H ₈ O ₅		CC(C(OO)C=O)(O1)C1O	C5H8O5
C ₅ H ₈ O ₄		CC(C(CO)=O)(O1)C1O	C5H8O4ald
C ₅ H ₈ O ₆		CC(C(C=O)OO)(OO)C=O	DHPDA
C ₅ H ₈ O ₅		CC(C(CO)=O)(OO)C=O	HHPDc
C ₅ H ₈ O ₆		CC(C(CO)=O)(OO)C(O)=O	HHPcarb
C ₅ H ₈ O ₇		CC(C(C=O)=O)(OO)C(OO)O	HDHPDc

Table S1. The molecular formulas, structures, SMILE, and compound name for each of the compounds added to the base MCM mechanism.

Reaction	Rate constants (cm ³ molec ⁻¹ s ⁻¹)	Product Yield
OH + ISOPAHO = HC4ACHO + HO2	9.3×10 ⁻¹¹	0.05
OH + ISOPAHO = HC4CCHO + HO2	9.3×10 ⁻¹¹	0.05
OH + ISOPAHO = THHO2	9.3×10 ⁻¹¹	0.9
OH + ISOPBOH = MVK + HCHO + HO2	3.85×10 ⁻¹¹	0.1
OH + ISOPBOH = THHO2	3.85×10 ⁻¹¹	0.9
OH + ISOPDOH = HCOC5 + HO2	7.38×10 ⁻¹¹	0.1
OH + ISOPDOH = THHO2	7.38×10 ⁻¹¹	0.9
NO3 + ISOPAOOH = IEPOXA + OH	3.15×10 ⁻¹² *exp(-450/T)	1
NO3 + ISOPBOOH = IEPOXB + OH	3.15×10 ⁻¹² *exp(-450/T)	1
NO3 + ISOPCOOH = IEPOXC + OH	3.15×10 ⁻¹² *exp(-450/T)	1
NO3 + ISOPDOOH = IEPOXB + OH	3.15×10 ⁻¹² *exp(-450/T)	1

OH + ISOPAOOH = IEPOXA + OH	1.54×10^{-10}	0.58
OH + ISOPBOOH = IEPOXB + OH	5×10^{-11}	0.7
OH + ISOPCOOH = IEPOXC + OH	1.54×10^{-10}	0.59
OH + ISOPDOOH = IEPOXB + OH	1.15×10^{-10}	0.72
OH + ISOPAOOH = DHHPAO2	1.54×10^{-10}	0.38
OH + ISOPBOOH = DHHPBO2	5×10^{-11}	0.2
OH + ISOPCOOH = DHHPCO2	1.54×10^{-10}	0.39
OH + ISOPDOOH = DHHPDO2	1.15×10^{-10}	0.2
OH + ISOPAOOH = ISOPAO2	1.54×10^{-10}	0.02
OH + ISOPBOOH = ISOPBO2	5×10^{-11}	0.08
OH + ISOPCOOH = ISOPCO2	1.54×10^{-10}	0.02
OH + ISOPDOOH = ISOPDO2	1.15×10^{-10}	0.03
OH + ISOPAOOH = HC4ACHO + OH	1.54×10^{-10}	0.02
OH + ISOPCOOH = HC4CCHO + OH	1.54×10^{-10}	0.02
OH + ISOPDOOH = HCOC5 + OH	1.15×10^{-10}	0.05
THHO2 + Isomerization = C57OOH	0.002	1
THHO2 + NO = THHO + NO2	KRO2NO	0.892
THHO2 + NO = THHNO3	KRO2NO	0.108
THHO2 + NO3 = THHO + NO2	KRO2NO3	1
THHO2 + HO2 = THHP	KRO2HO2	1
THHO2 + RO2 = THHO	2.40×10^{-11}	0.1
THHO2 + RO2 = C58OH	2.40×10^{-11}	0.1
THHO2 + RO2 = TETROL	2.40×10^{-11}	0.8
THHO = THHO2	KDEC	0.25
THHO = TETROL + HO2	KDEC	0.4
THHO = MACROH + HCHO + HO2	KDEC	0.1
THHO = ACETOL + HOCH2CHO + OH	KDEC	0.25
DHHPBO2 + Isomerization = HDHPald	0-0.8	0.0099
DHHPBO2 + Isomerization = DHDHPket	0-0.8	0.0001
DHHPBO2 + Isomerization = DHHEPOX	0-0.8	0.99
DHHPBO2 + NO = DHHPBO + NO2	KRO2NO	0.892
DHHPBO2 + NO = DHHPBNO3	KRO2NO	0.108
DHHPBO2 + NO3 = DHHPBO + NO2	KRO2NO3	1
DHHPBO2 + HO2 = DHDHP	KRO2HO2	1
DHHPBO2 + RO2 = DHHPBO	2.40×10^{-11}	0.1
DHHPBO2 + RO2 = C59OOH	2.40×10^{-11}	0.1
DHHPBO2 + RO2 = THHP	2.40×10^{-11}	0.8
DHHPBO = THHP O2	KDEC	0.25
DHHPBO = C57OOH + HO2	KDEC	0.4
DHHPBO = MACROOH + HCHO + HO2	KDEC	0.1
DHHPBO = ACETOL + HOCH2CHO + OH	KDEC	0.25
DHHPAO2 + Isomerization = HDHPald	0-0.8	0.0099
DHHPAO2 + Isomerization = DHDHPket	0-0.8	0.0001
DHHPAO2 + Isomerization = DHHEPOX	0-0.8	0.99
DHHPAO2 + NO = DHHPAO + NO2	KRO2NO	0.892
DHHPAO2 + NO = DHHPANO3	KRO2NO	0.108

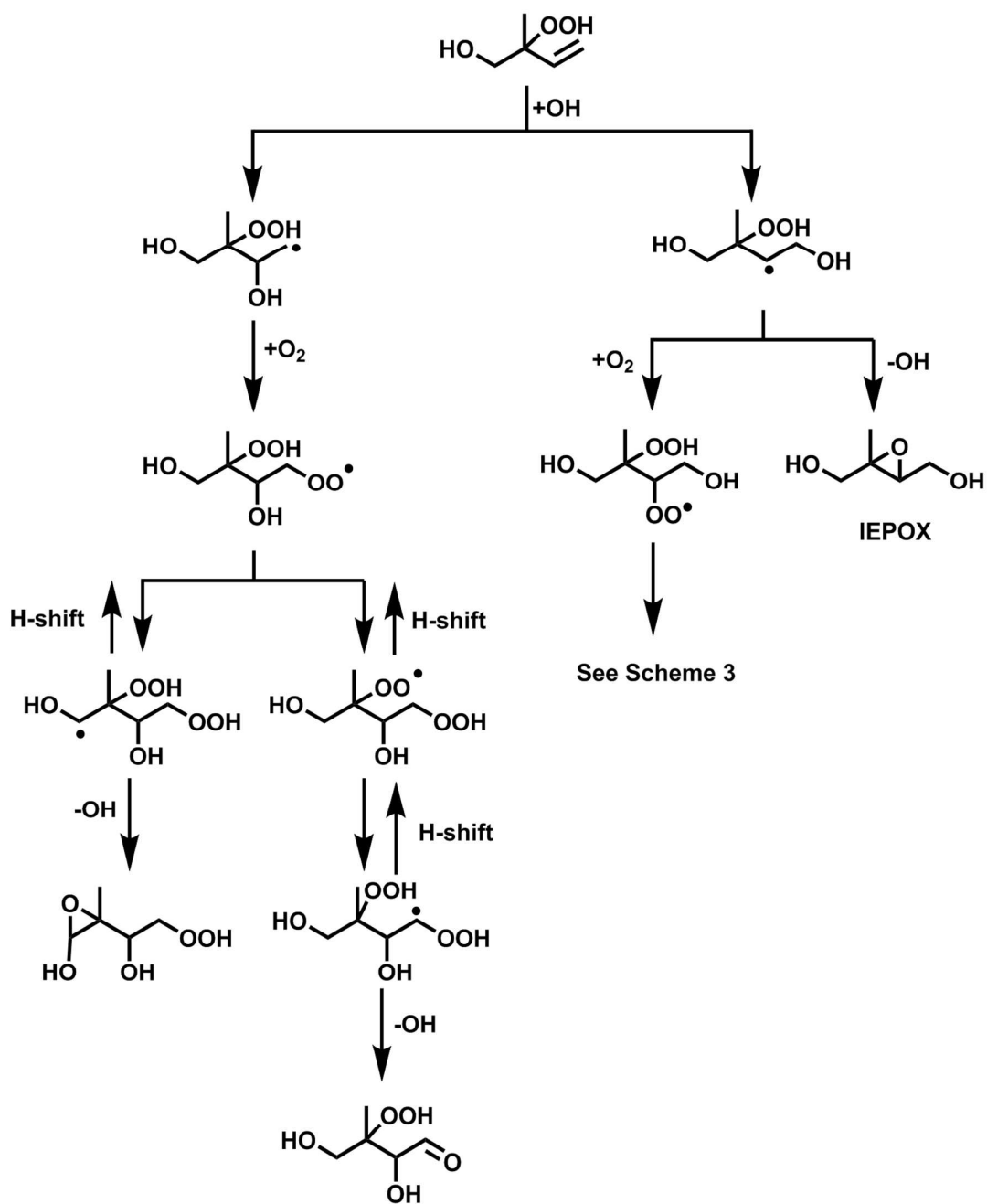
DHHPAO2 + NO3 = DHHPAO + NO2	KRO2NO3	1
DHHPAO2 + HO2 = DHDHP	KRO2HO2	1
DHHPAO2 + RO2 = DHHPAO	2.40×10^{-11}	0.2
DHHPAO2 + RO2 = THHP	2.40×10^{-11}	0.8
DHHPAO = C57OH + OH	KDEC	0.2
DHHPAO = HMKAOOH + HCHO + HO2	KDEC	0.3
DHHPAO = ACETOL + HCOCH2OOH + HO2	KDEC	0.5
DHHPCO2 + Isomerization = HDHPald	0-0.8	0.0099
DHHPCO2 + Isomerization = DHDHPket	0-0.8	0.0001
DHHPCO2 + Isomerization = DHHEPOX	0-0.8	0.99
DHHPCO2 + NO = DHHPCO + NO2	KRO2NO	0.892
DHHPCO2 + NO = DHHPNO3	KRO2NO	0.108
DHHPCO2 + NO3 = DHHPCO + NO2	KRO2NO3	1
DHHPCO2 + HO2 = DHDHP	KRO2HO2	1
DHHPCO2 + RO2 = DHHPCO	2.40×10^{-11}	0.2
DHHPCO2 + RO2 = THHP	2.40×10^{-11}	0.8
DHHPCO = C58OOH + HO2	KDEC	0.2
DHHPCO = HO12CO3C4 + HCHO + OH	KDEC	0.3
DHHPCO = HYPERACET + HOCH2CHO + HO2	KDEC	0.5
DHHPCO2 + Isomerization = HDHPald	0-0.8	0.0099
DHHPCO2 + Isomerization = DHDHPket	0-0.8	0.0001
DHHPDO2 + Isomerization = DHHEPOX	0-0.8	0.99
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DHHPDO2 + NO = DHHPNO3	KRO2NO	0.108
DHHPDO2 + NO3 = DHHPDO + NO2	KRO2NO3	1
DHHPDO2 + HO2 = DHDHP	KRO2HO2	1
DHHPDO2 + RO2 = DHHPDO	2.40×10^{-11}	0.2
DHHPDO2 + RO2 = THHP	2.40×10^{-11}	0.8
DHHPDO = C57OOH + HO2	KDEC	0.5
DHHPDO = HMKBOOH + HCHO + OH	KDEC	0.25
DHHPDO = ACETOL + HOCH2CHO + HO2	KDEC	0.25
THHPO2 = C5H10O7 + HO2	0	0
THHPO2 + NO = THHPO + NO2	KRO2NO	0.892
THHPO2 + NO = THHPNO3	KRO2NO	0.108
THHPO2 + NO3 = THHPO + NO2	KRO2NO3	0.25
THHPO2 + HO2 = THDHP	KRO2HO2	1
THHPO2 = THHPO	2.40×10^{-12}	0.8
THHPO2 + RO2 = C5H10O6	2.40×10^{-12}	0.1
THHPO2 + RO2 = TETROLHP	2.40×10^{-12}	0.1
THHPO = C5H10O6 + HO2	KDEC	0.1
THHPO = MVKOHAAH + HCHO + OH	KDEC	0.1
THHPO = HO12CO3C4 + HCHO + OH	KDEC	0.25
DHDHP + OH = C58OOH + OH	5×10^{-11}	0.64
DHDHP + OH = DHHPBO2	5×10^{-11}	0.2
DHDHP + OH = DHHPDO2	5×10^{-11}	0.08
DHDHP + OH = DHHPAO2	5×10^{-11}	0.04

DHDHP + OH = DHHPCO2	5×10^{-11}	0.04
THDHP + OH = C5H10O7 + HO2	0	0
THDHP + OH = C5H10O7 + OH	0	0
THDHP + OH = THHPO2	0	0
DHDHP + hv = DHHPBO + OH	J41	0.5
DHDHP + hv = DHHPDO + OH	J41	0.25
DHDHP + hv = DHHPAO + OH	J41	0.125
DHDHP + hv = DHHPCO + OH	J41	0.125
THHP + OH = C57OOH + HO2	5×10^{-11}	0.55
THHP + OH = C58OOH + HO2	5×10^{-11}	0.133
THHP + OH = C57OH + OH	5×10^{-11}	0.067
THHP + OH = THHPO2	5×10^{-11}	0.25
THHP + hv = THBC5O + OH	J41	0.5
THHP + hv = THACDC5O + OH	J41	0.5
THBC5O = C57OH + HO2	KDEC	0.25
THBC5O = HO12CO3C4 + HCHO + HO2	KDEC	0.25
THBC5O = ACETOL + HOCH2CHO + HO2	KDEC	0.5
THACDC5O = MACROH + HCHO + HO2	KDEC	1
THDHP + hv = THHPO + OH	J41	0.5
THDHP + hv = THHPBO + OH	J41	0.5
THHPBO = MVKOH + OH	KDEC	0.25
THHPBO = HOCH2CHO + HYPERACETOL + HO2	KDEC	0.25
THHPBO = C5H10O6 + HO2	KDEC	0.25
THHPBO = HMKBOOH + HCHO + HO2	KDEC	0.25
HYPERACETOL + hv = 2HCHO + HO2 + OH	J41	0.5
HYPERACETOL + hv = HOCH2COCHO + HO2 + OH	J41	0.5
HYPERACETOL + OH = HOCH2COCHO + HO2	5×10^{-11}	0.5
HYPERACETOL + OH = ALCOCH2OOH + OH	5×10^{-11}	0.5
DHHEPOX + OH = C5H8O4epox + OH	5×10^{-11}	0.1
DHHEPOX + OH = C5H8O5	5×10^{-11}	0.1
DHHEPOX + OH = C5H8O4ald + OH	5×10^{-11}	0.8
HDHPald + OH = DHPDA + HO2	5×10^{-11}	0.25
HDHPald + OH = HHPDc	5×10^{-11}	0.25
HDHPald + OH = CO + OH + HMKBOOH	5×10^{-11}	0.5
DHDHPket + OH = HHPcarb + OH	5×10^{-11}	0.5
DHDHPket + OH = HDHPDc + HO2	5×10^{-11}	0.5

Table S2. Complete list of all reactions, rate constants, and yields added to the MCM isoprene mechanism to reflect the C₅H₁₂O₆ mechanism, as well as alterations to the MCM as discussed in the text.

Run	Input C ₅ H ₈ (ppbv)	Input H ₂ O ₂ (ppm)	OA ₋₃ (μg m ⁻³)
1	20	10	2.6
2	20	2	1.1
3	20	5	1.8
4	20	0.15	0.2

Table S3. Experimental conditions that were used as input values for the modeling.



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Scheme S1. Additional reaction pathway for ISOPOOH + OH to form an additional C₅H₁₀O₅ compound.

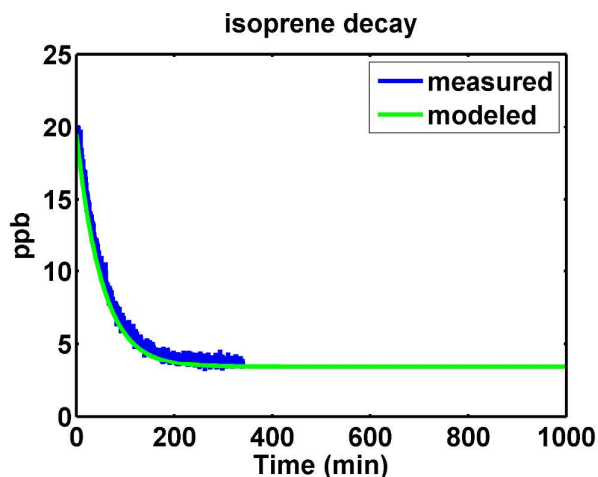


Figure S1. 20 ppb isoprene was introduced into the chamber with lights off, followed by lights on to observe the decay of isoprene. This was used to tune our H_2O_2 photolysis rate.

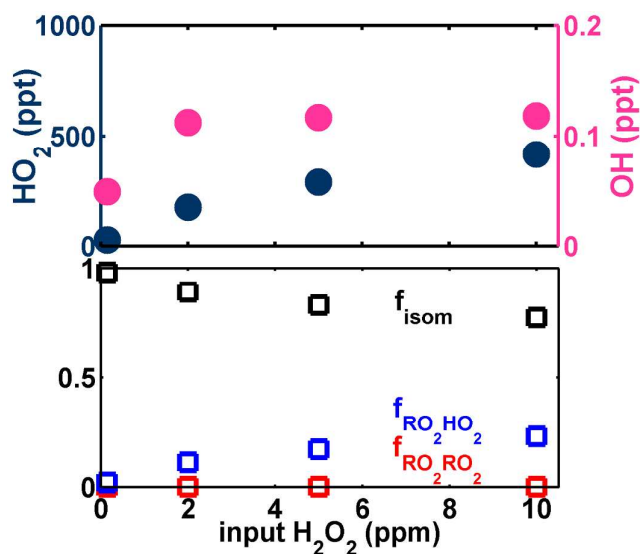


Figure S2. Top: the modeled concentration of HO_2 (ppt, left axis) and OH (ppt, right axis) as a function of input H_2O_2 . Bottom: the fraction of $\text{C}_5\text{H}_{11}\text{O}_6^\bullet$ peroxy radical undergoing isomerization (black) versus reaction with HO_2 (blue) and RO_2 (red).

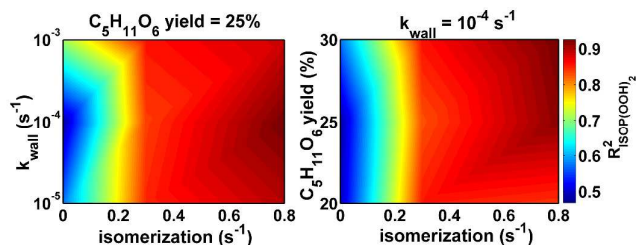


Figure S3. Left: vapor wall loss as a function of isomerization rate at a fixed C₅H₁₁O₆• yield of 25%. Right: C₅H₁₁O₆• yield versus isomerization rate at a fixed vapor wall loss of 10⁻⁴ s⁻¹. Both plots are shaded by the R² between the measured and modeled C₅H₁₂O₆ at the set of conditions.

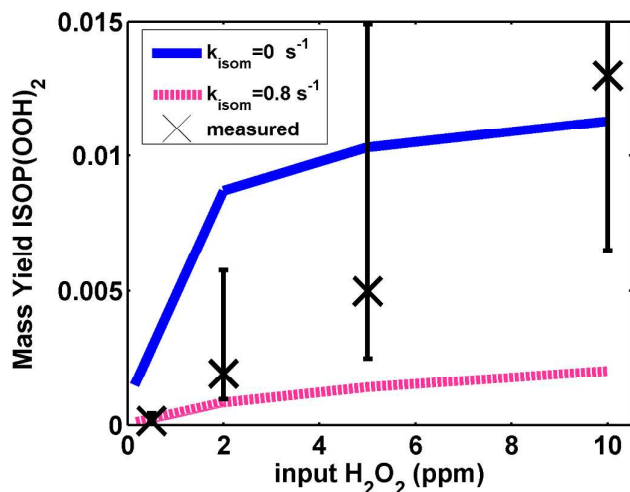


Figure S4. A version of Figure 2 in the main text, redone with model runs with an IEPOX yield of 90% and C₅H₁₁O₆• yield of 2%.

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