



# On-board measurement of ultrafine non-exhaust particulate emissions from a battery-electric vehicle

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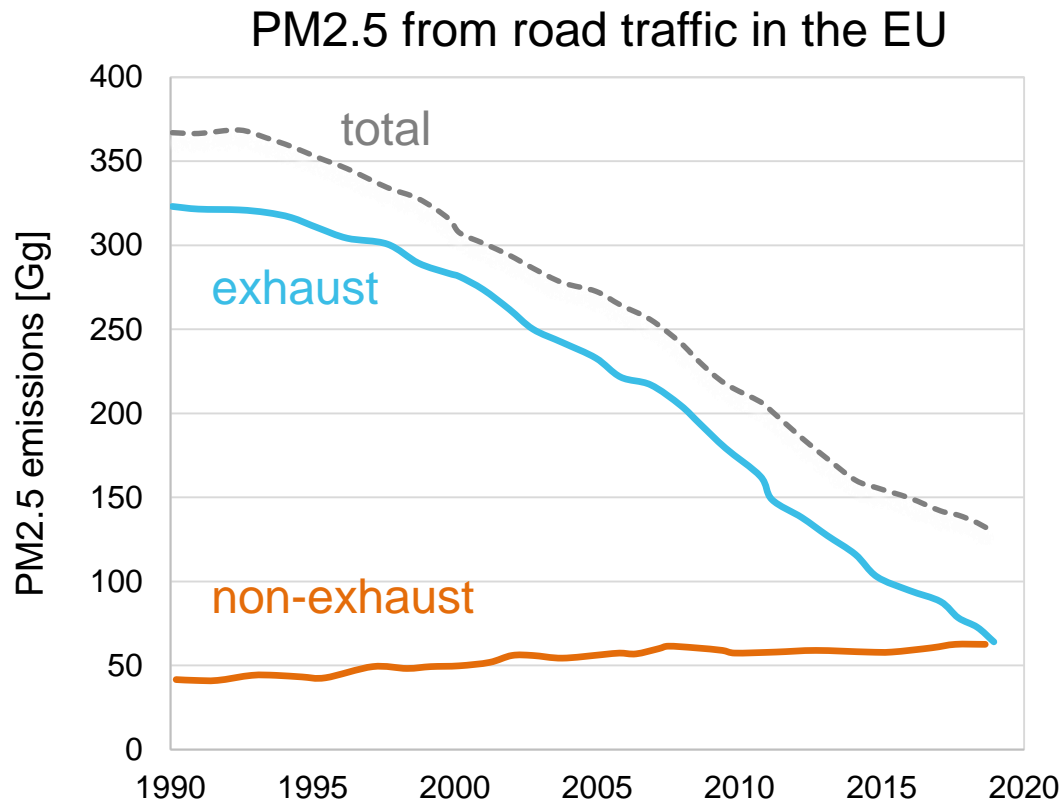
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# Non-exhaust particulate emissions: Relevance & Measurement

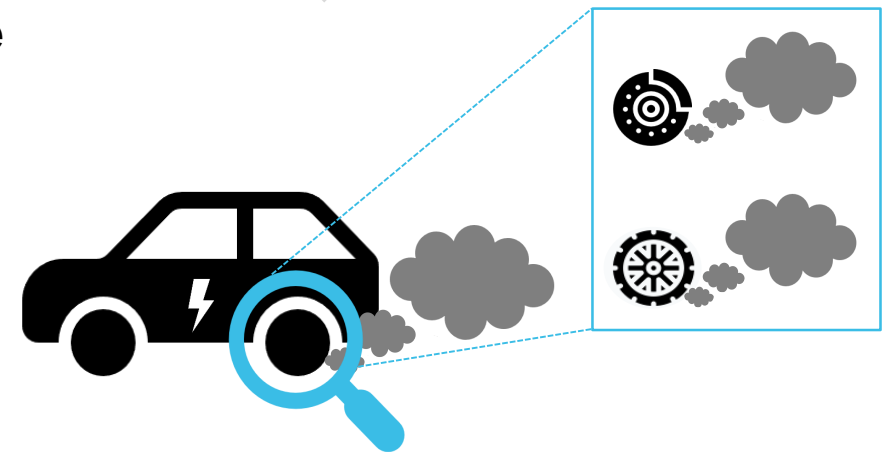


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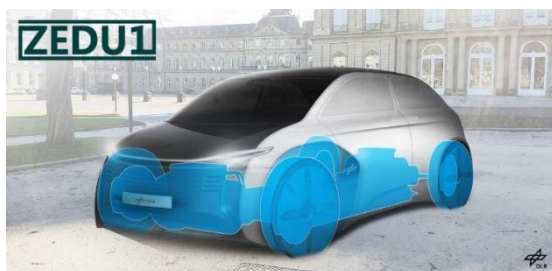
**component tests**



**vehicle tests**



# Zero Emission Drive Unit Generation 1



**Goal:** Reduction of brake and tyre emissions

**Duration:** 03/2020 – 12/2022

**Projekt partners:** DLR-FK, DLR-VT, HWA AG, ARS GmbH

**Sponsor:** Baden-Württemberg Ministry of Economics, Labour and Housing

## Test vehicle (BMW i3)

- Determining the particulate emissions of current electric vehicles
- Development of measurement methods

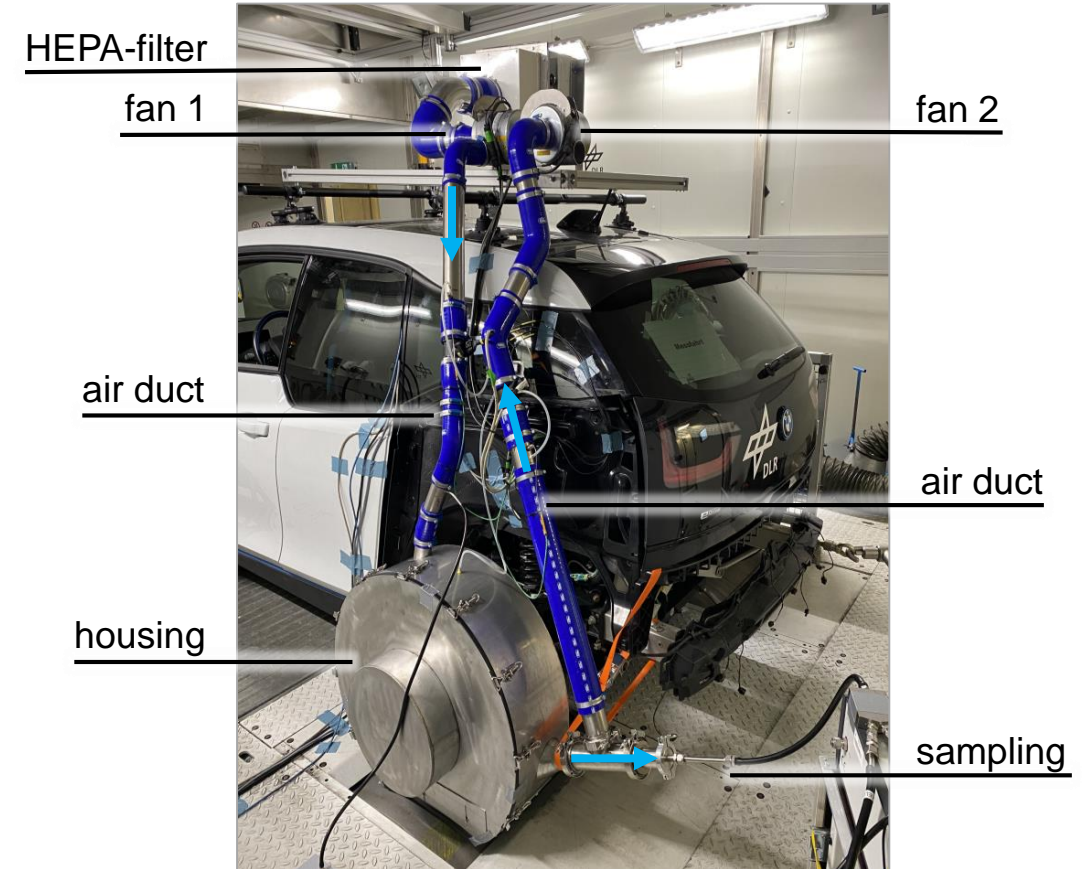
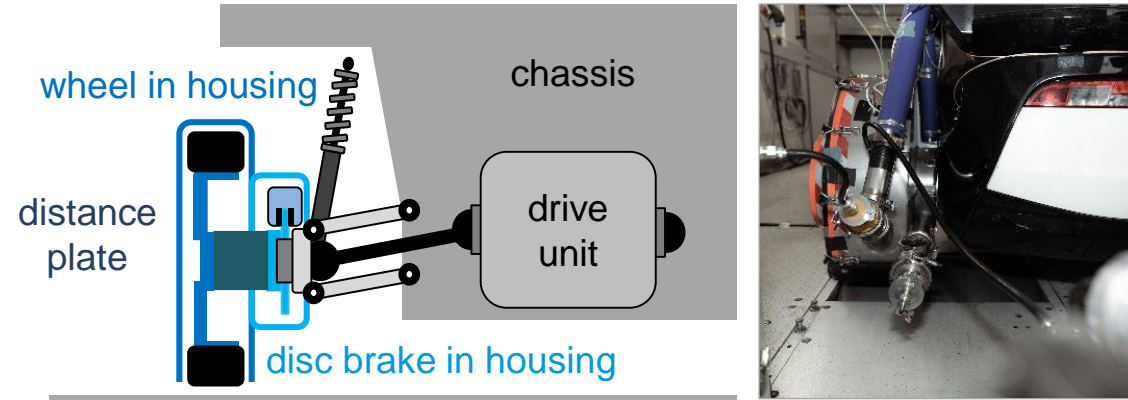


## ZEDU1 – Demonstrator

- Demonstration and evaluation of novel technologies for zero-emission driving
- Completion in 2022



# Setup on the test vehicle



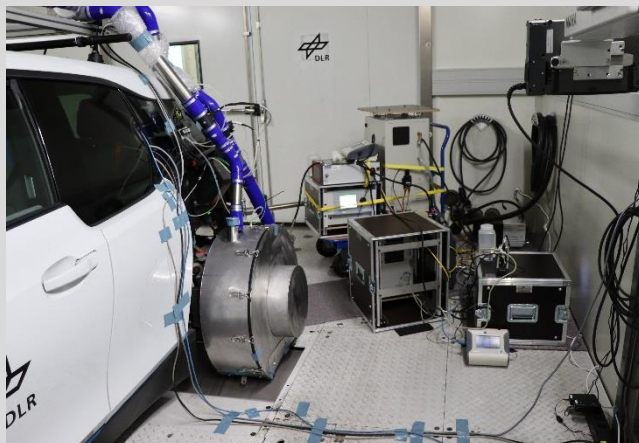
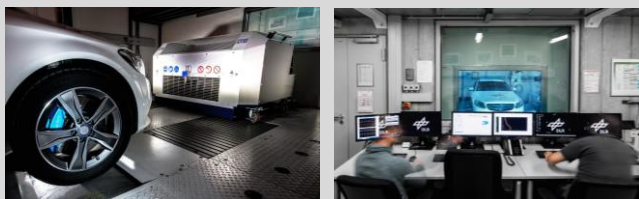
## Sampling system:

- separate enclosures for brake and tyre
- ventilation with adjustable, filtered air flow
- isokinetic particle sampling



# Measurement scenarios

## Chassis dynamometer



## Road drive



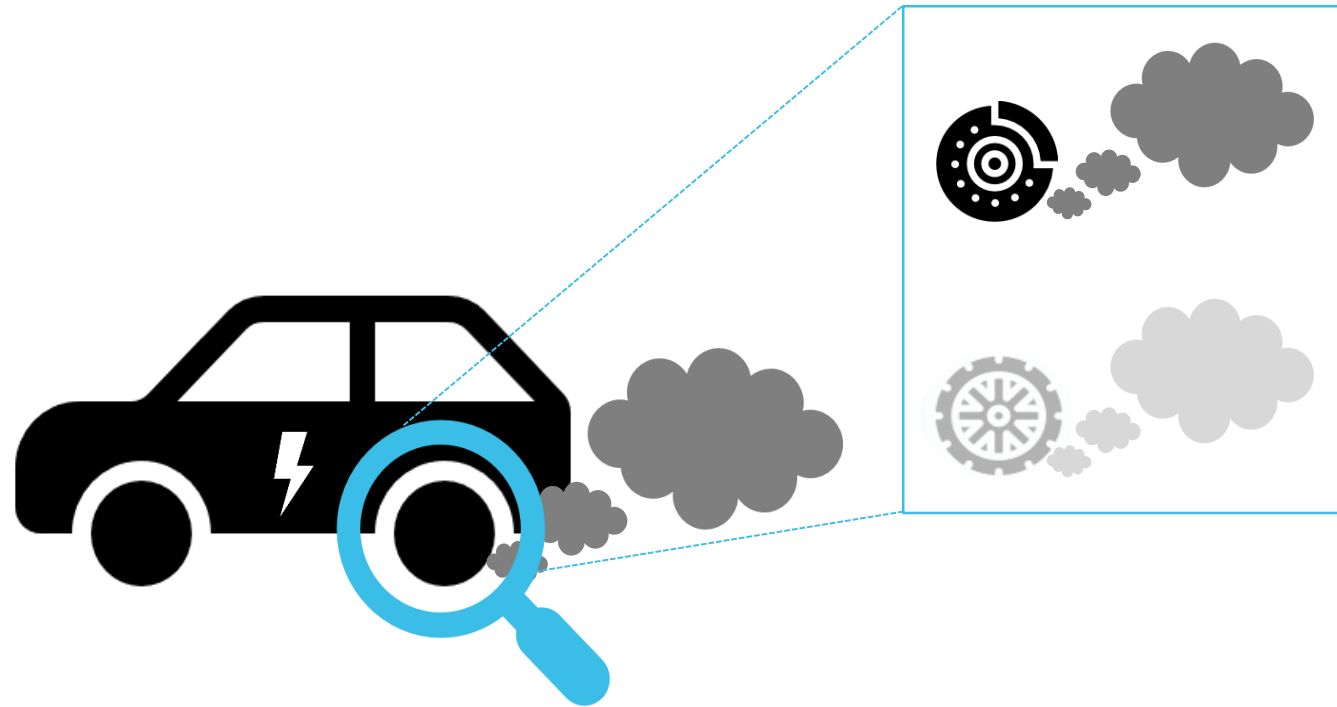
Total	46.2 km
Urban	22.5 km
Rural	14.5 km
Motorway	9.2 km



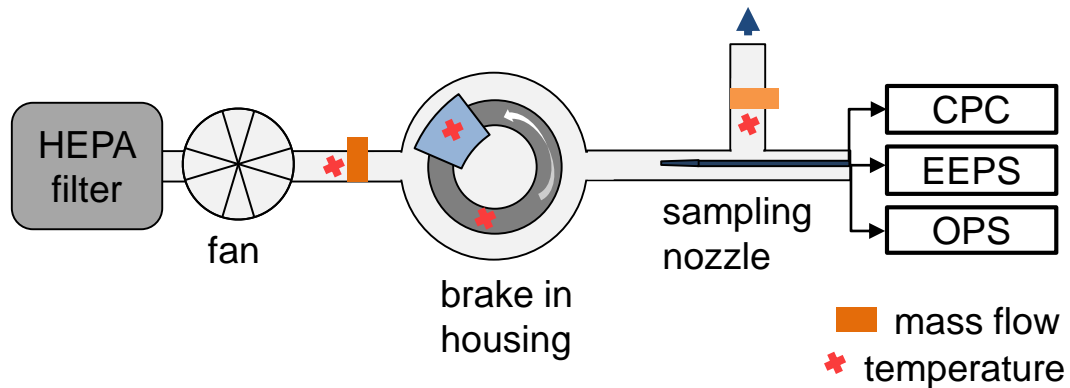
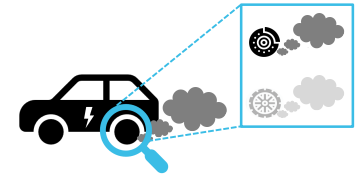
## Proving ground



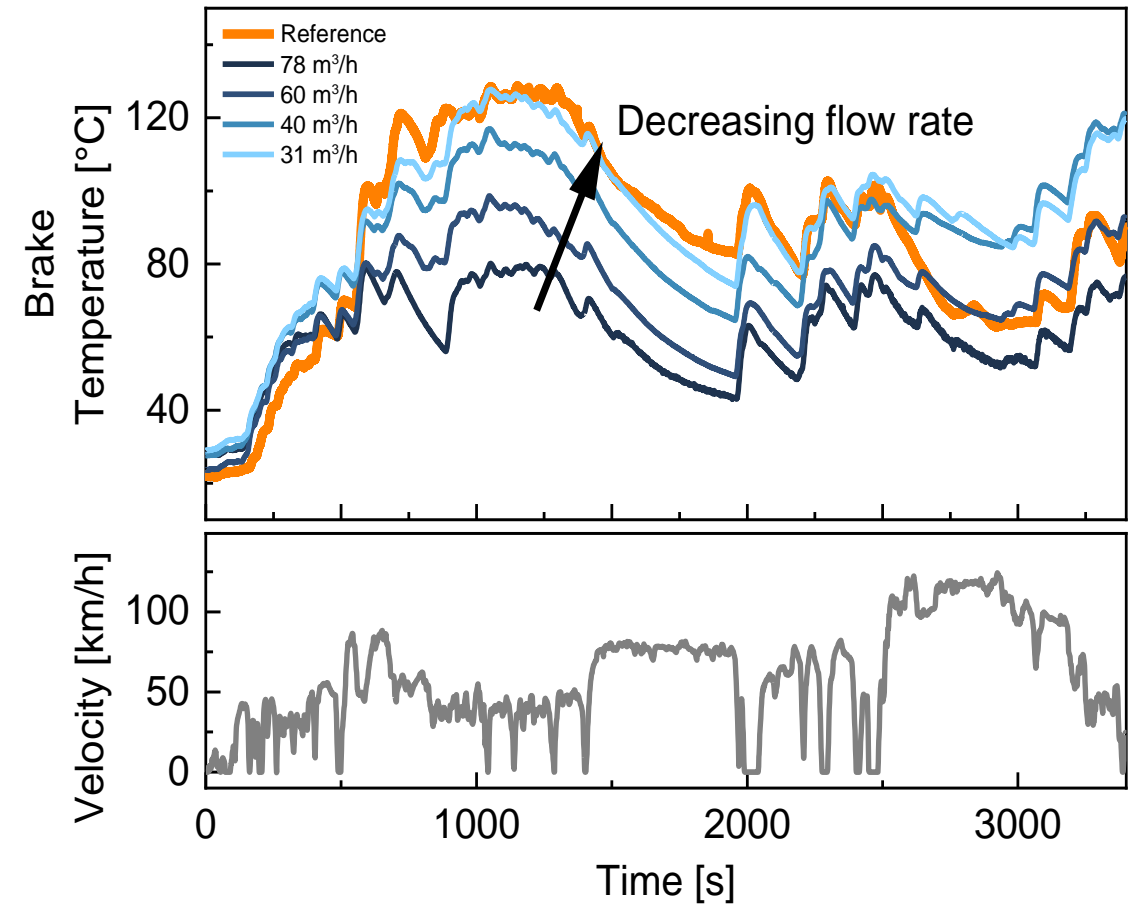
# Measurement of brake emissions

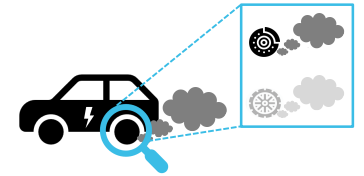


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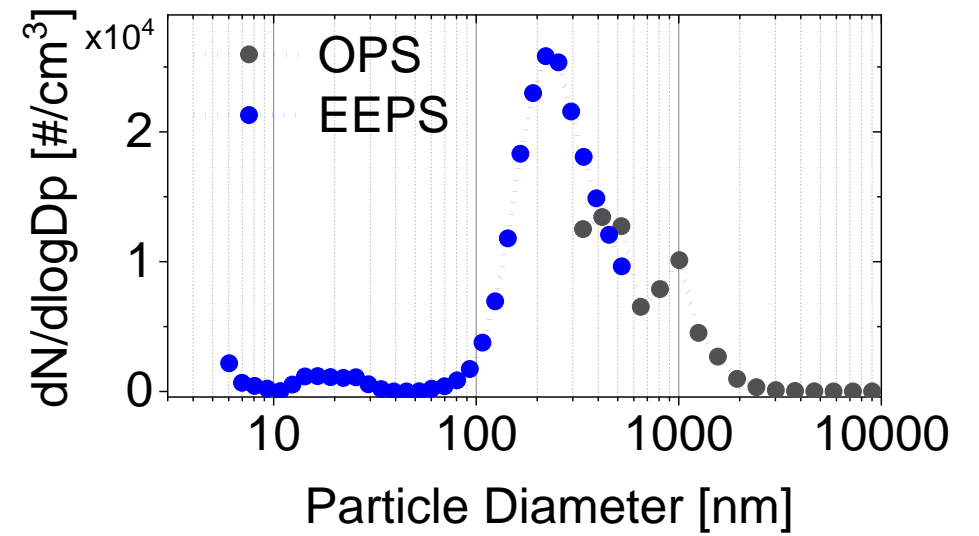
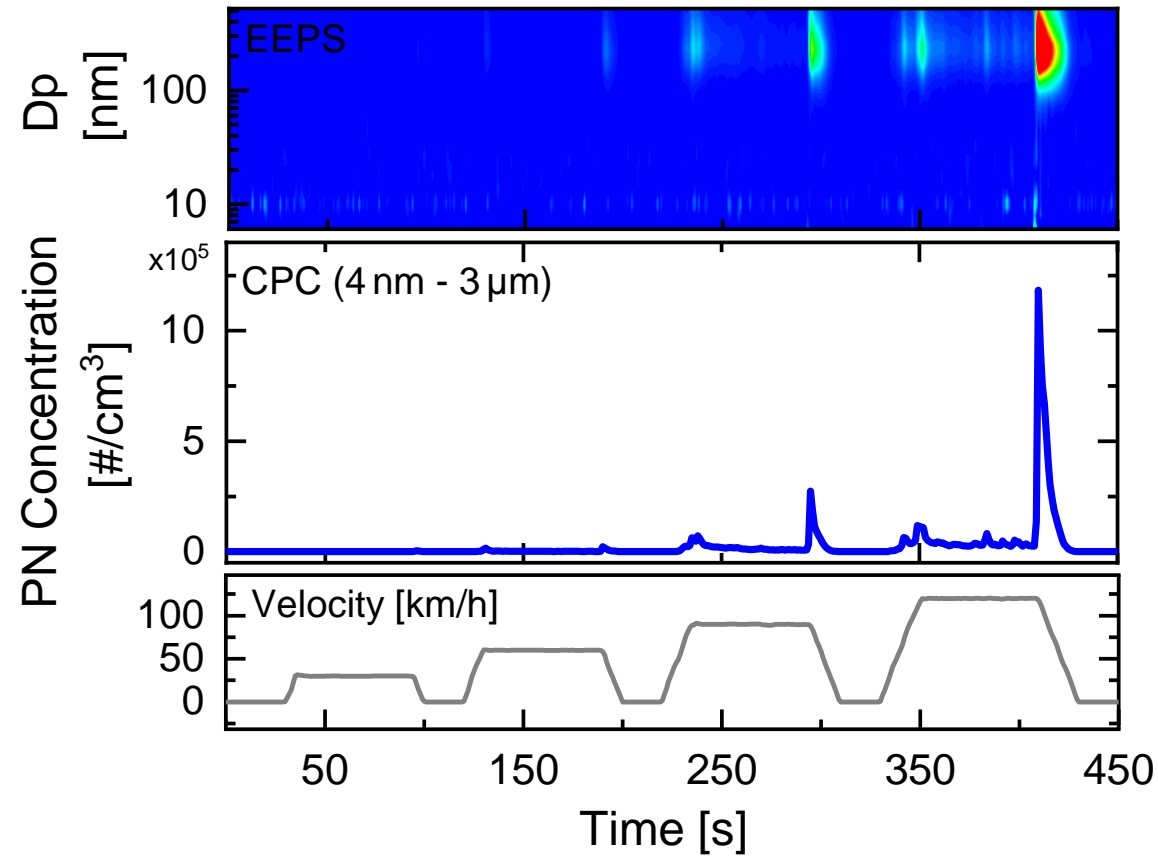


- original cast iron brake disc
- closed ventilation system with HEPA-background
- adjustment of the (constant) cooling air flow with real driving reference (without brake housing)





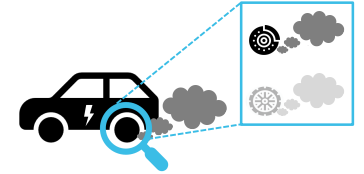
# Characterisation of brake emissions



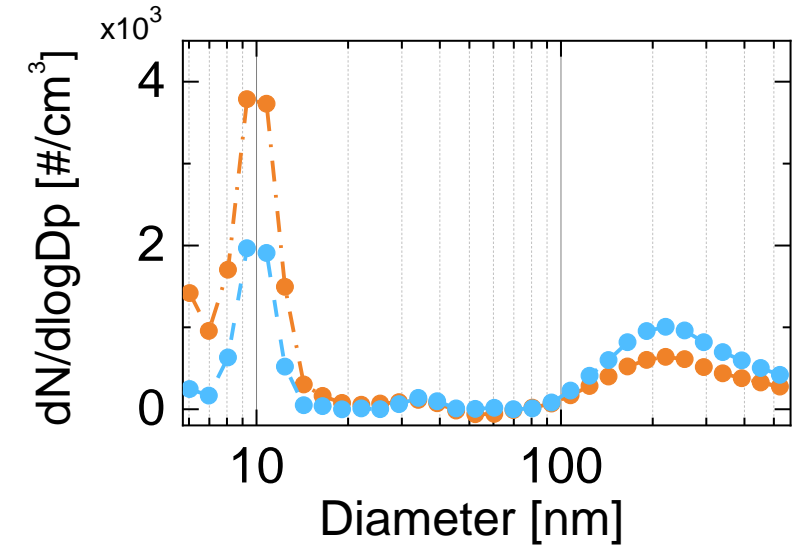
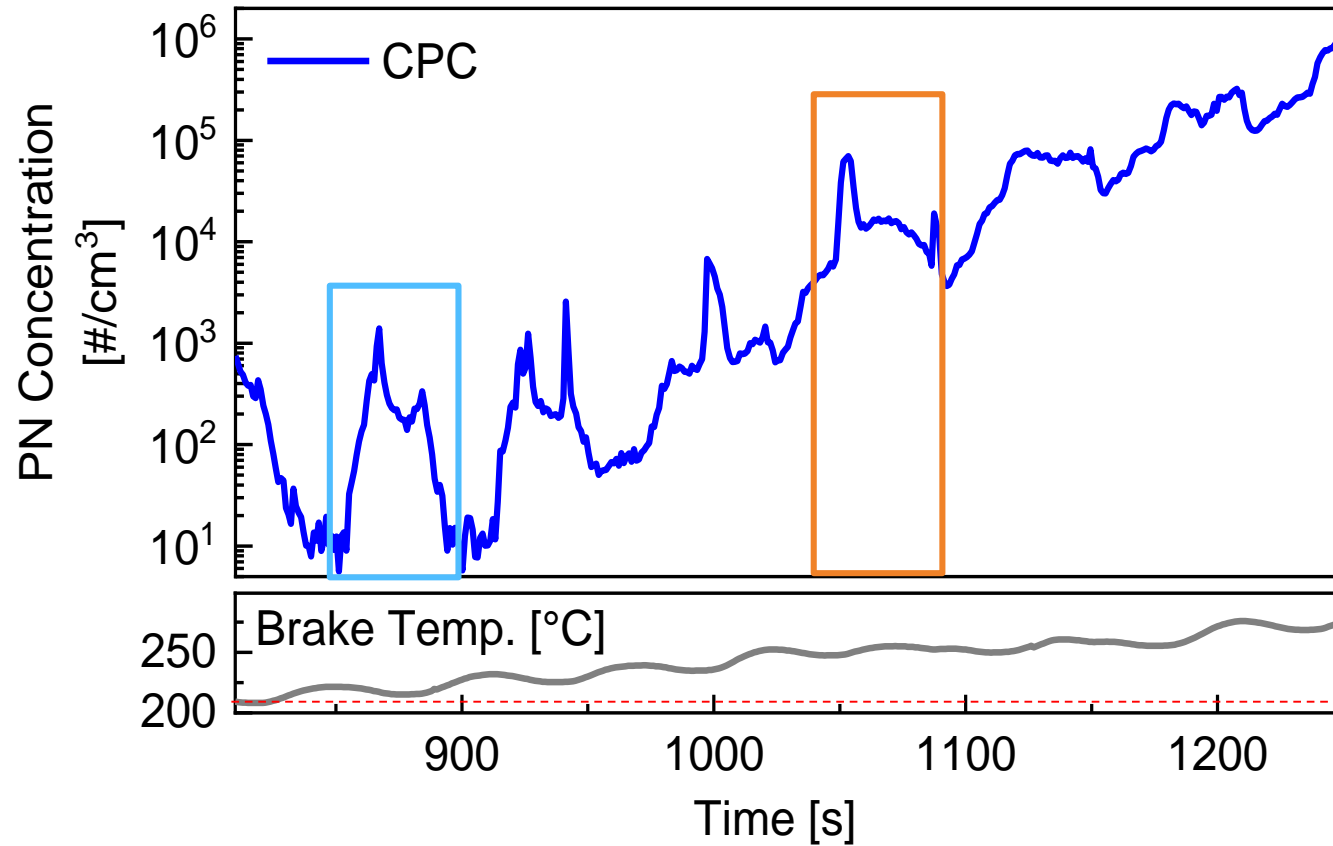
- particles diameter of about 220 nm
- ultra-fine particles at heavy braking and at high temperatures







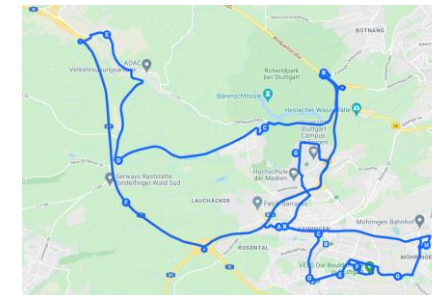
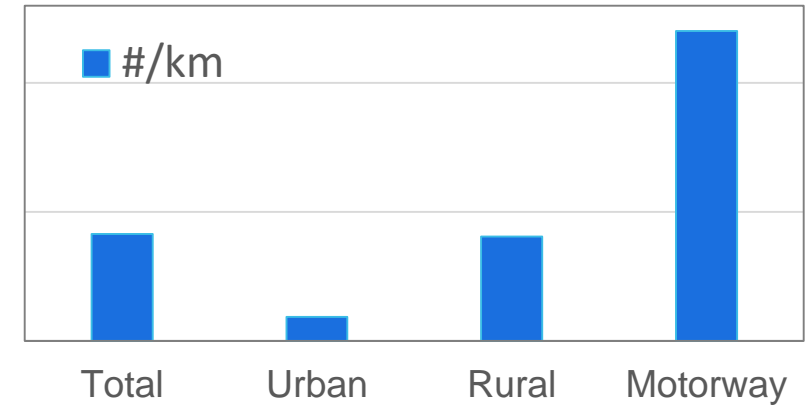
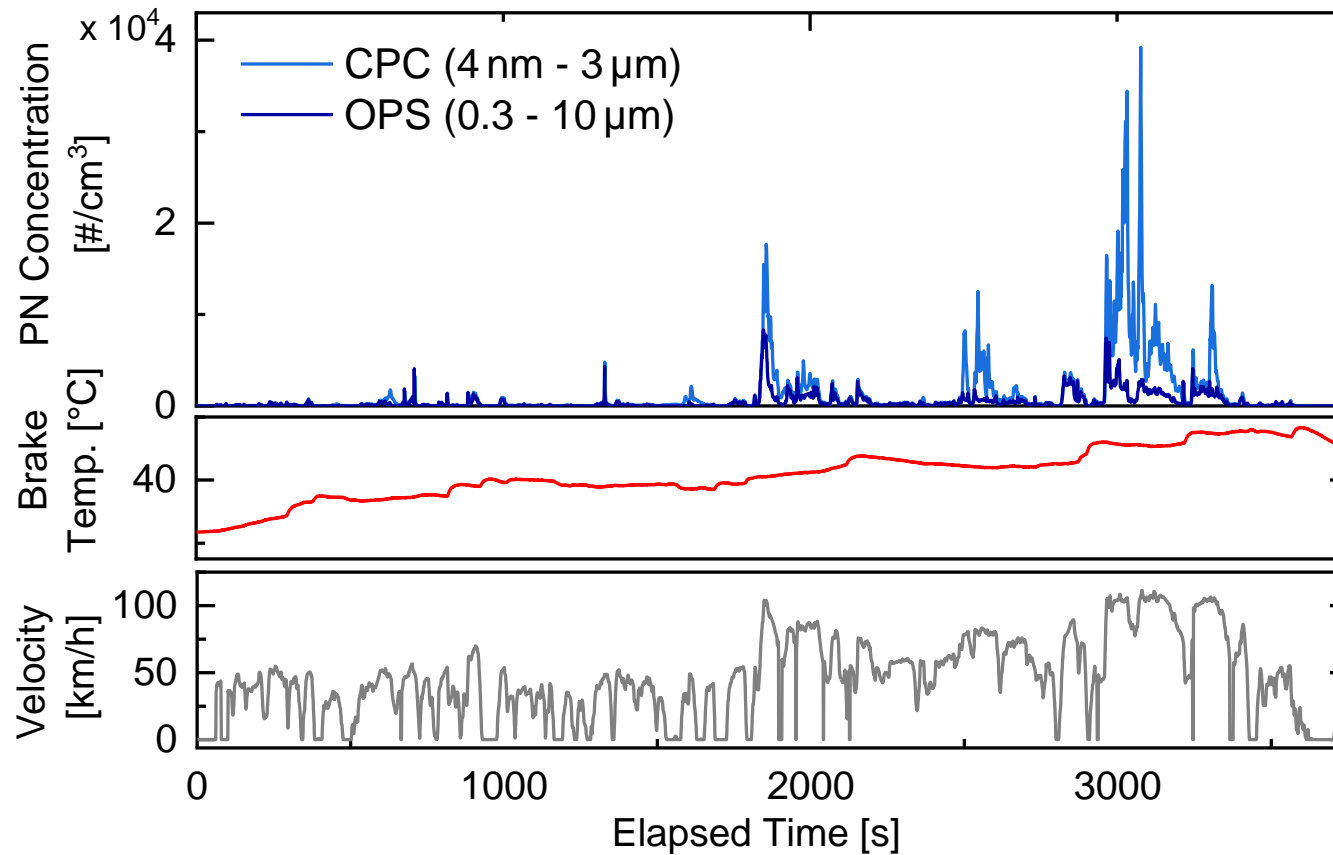
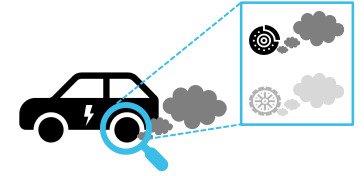
# Temperature dependence of brake emissions



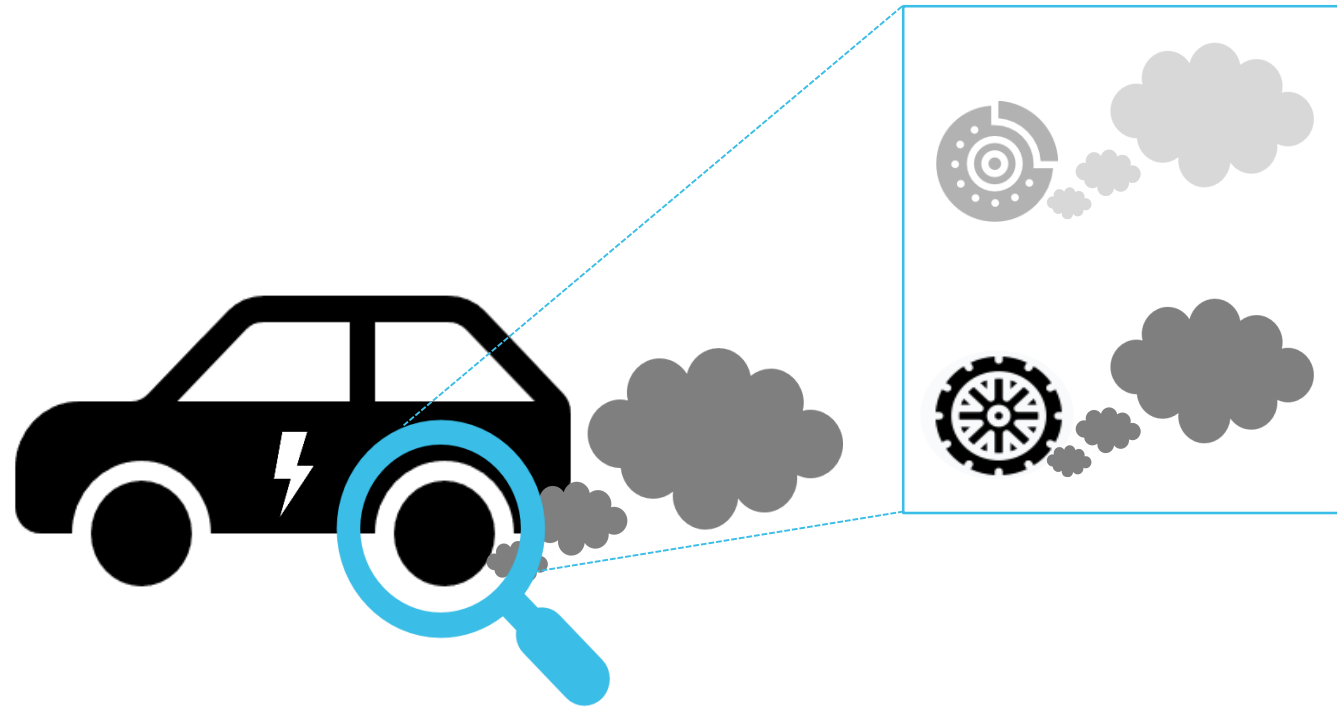
- exponential increase of particle number concentration above the critical temperature
- mainly ultrafine particles (10 nm)

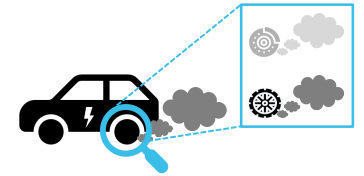


# Road drive: Brake emissions under realistic conditions

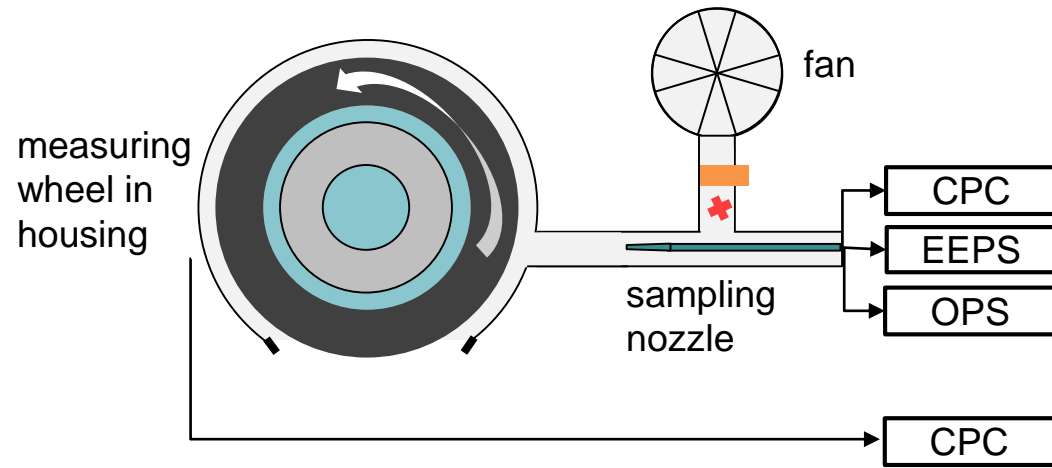


# Measurement of tyre emissions

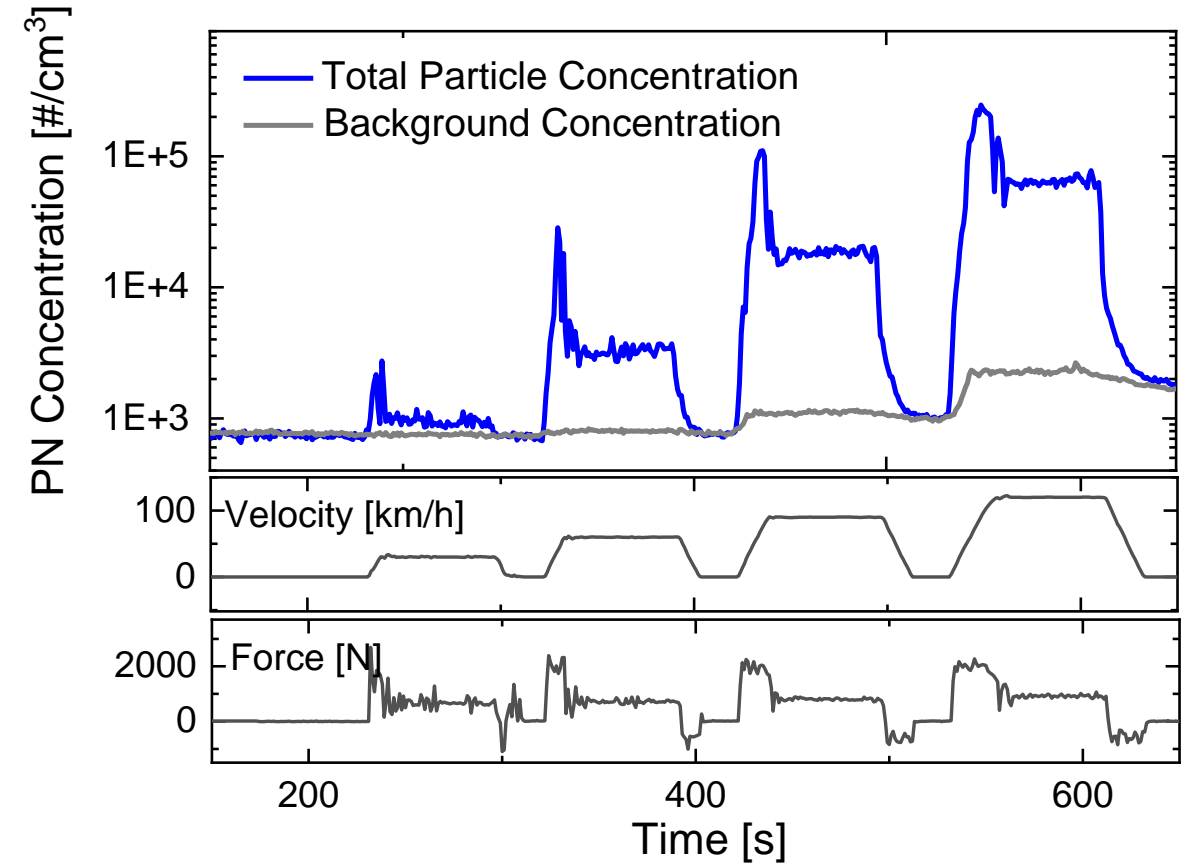




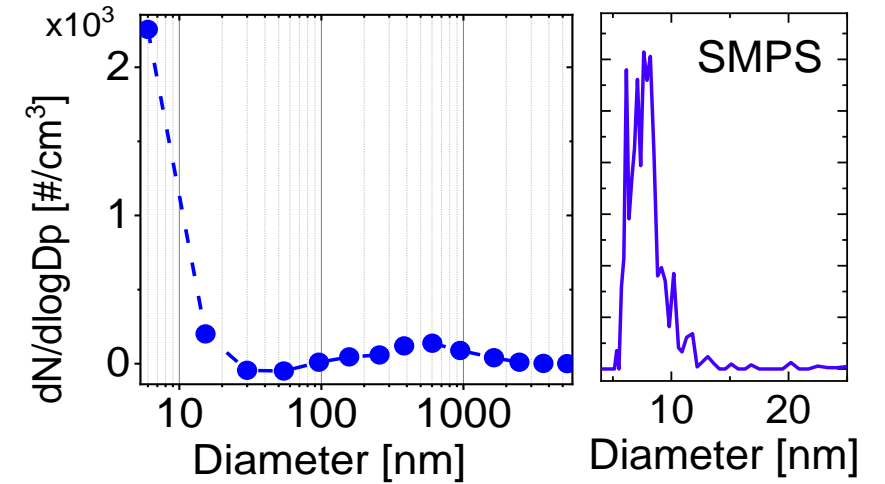
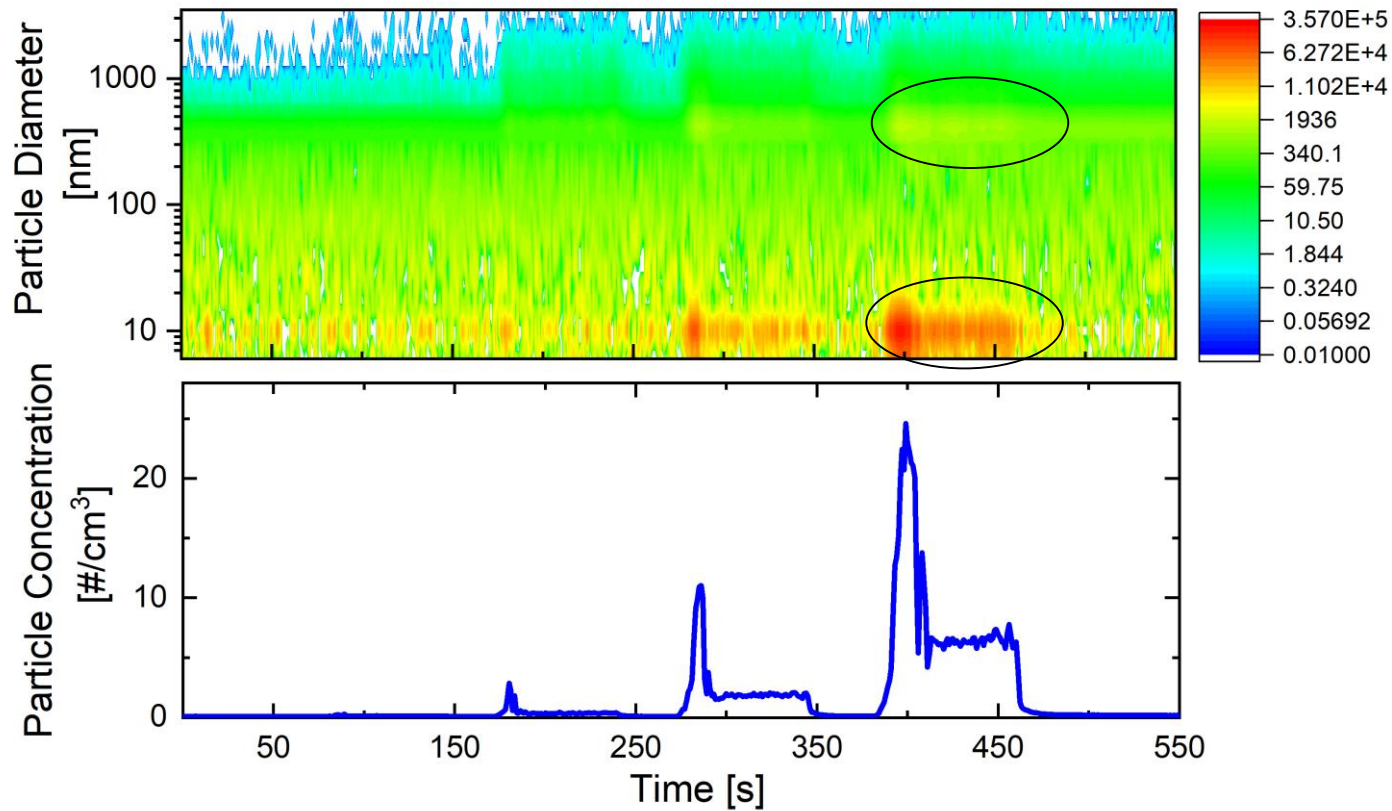
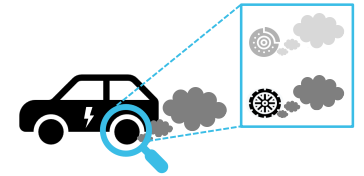
# Measurement of tyre emissions



- open sampling system due to the contact area between tyre and road
- monitoring of the background concentration with additional CPC

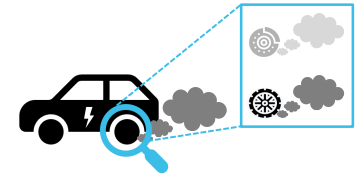


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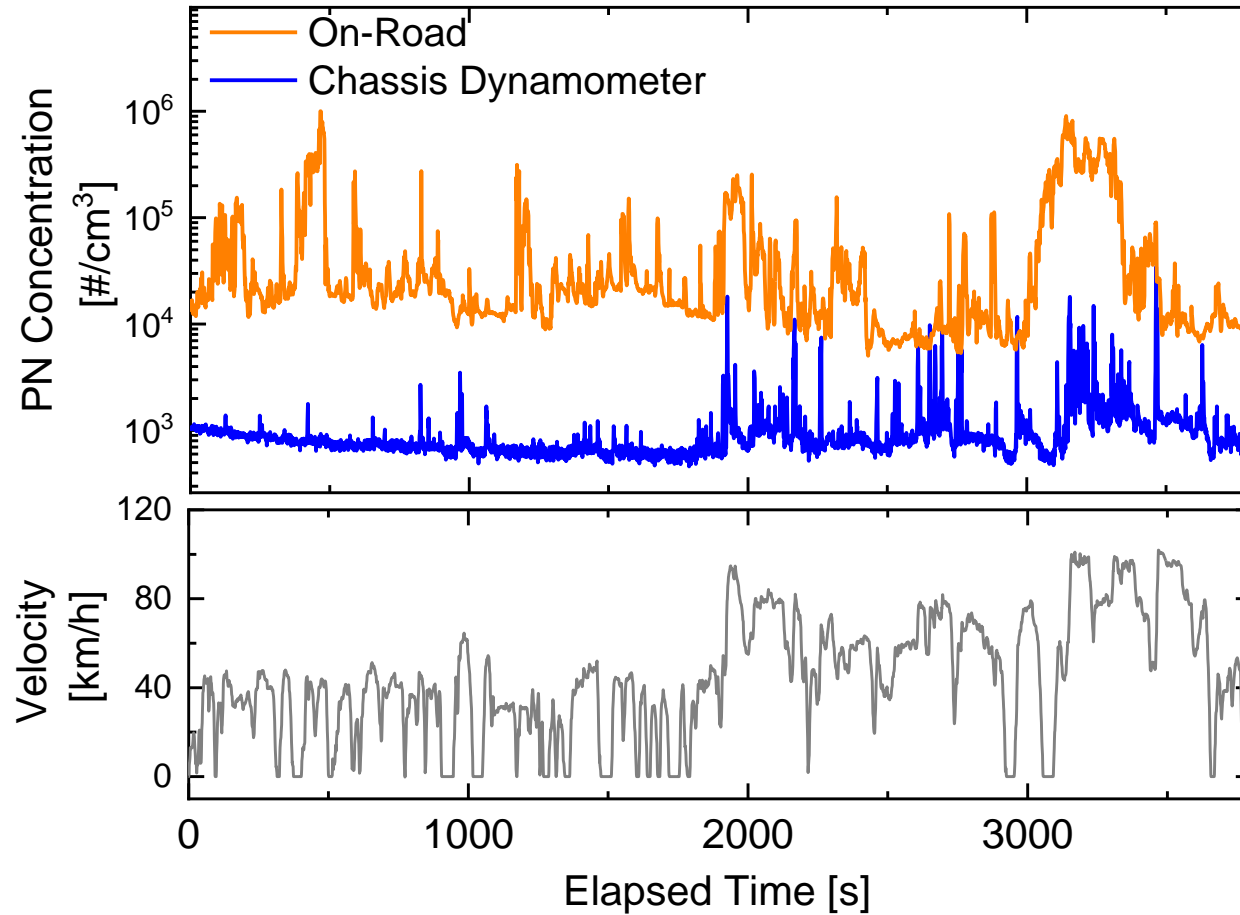


- abrasion particles
- ultra-fine particles (5 – 10 nm), determined by EEPS & SMPS

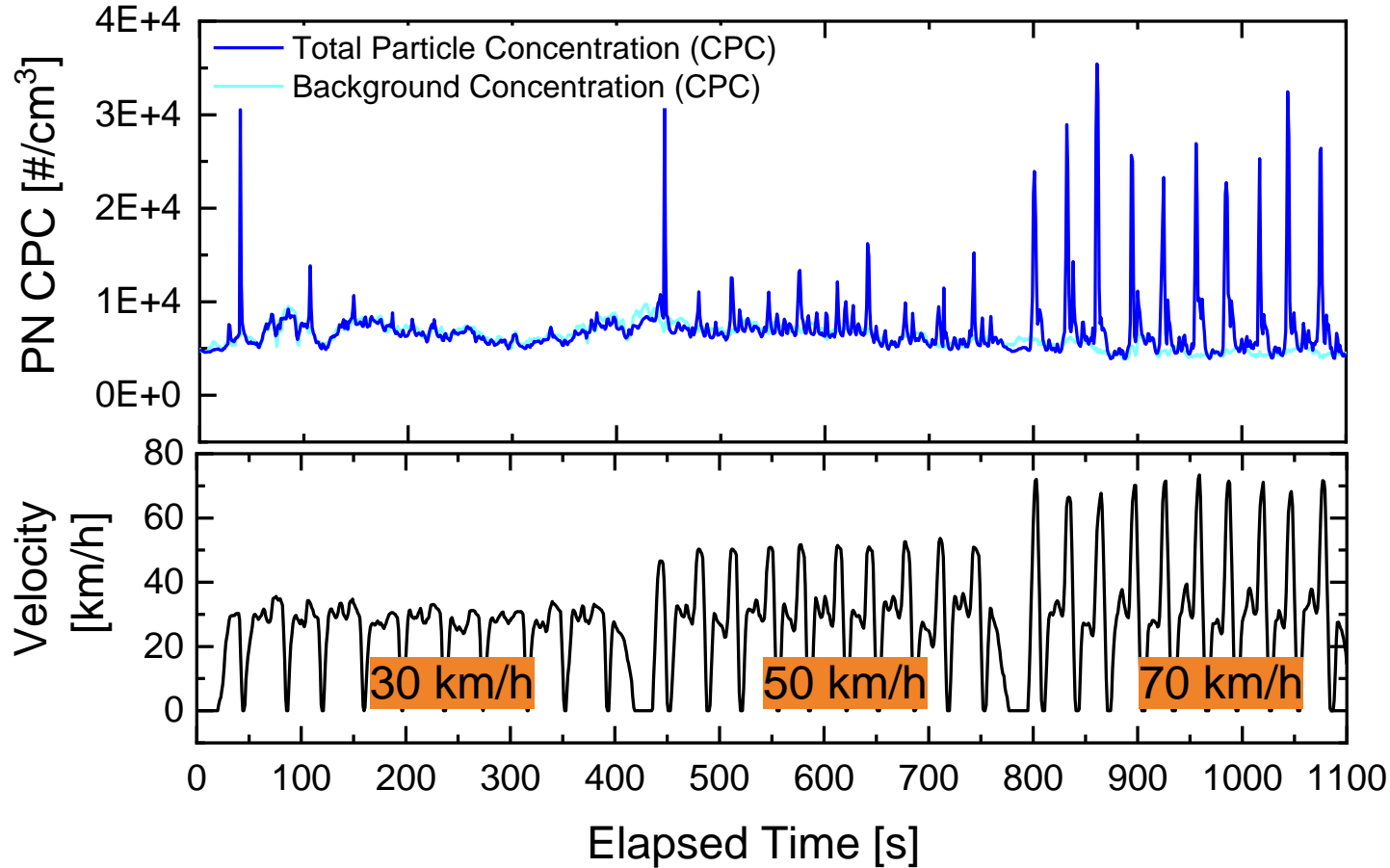
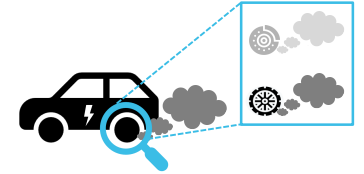




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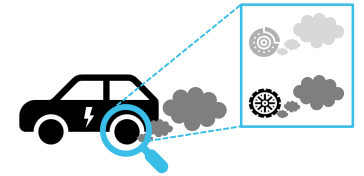


# Proving ground: Tyre emissions

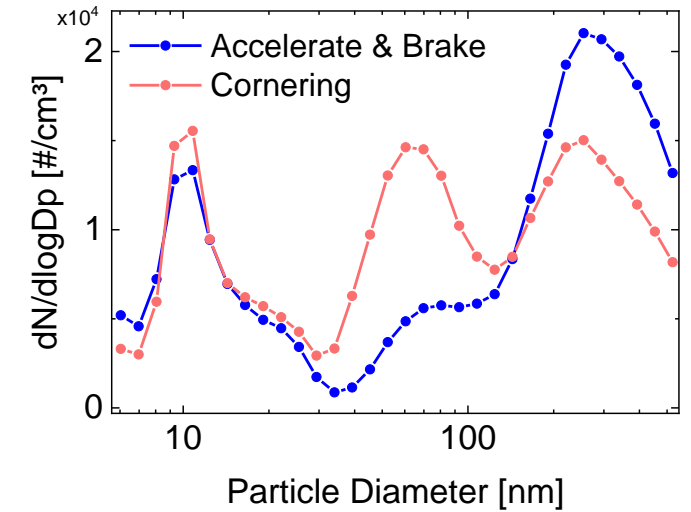
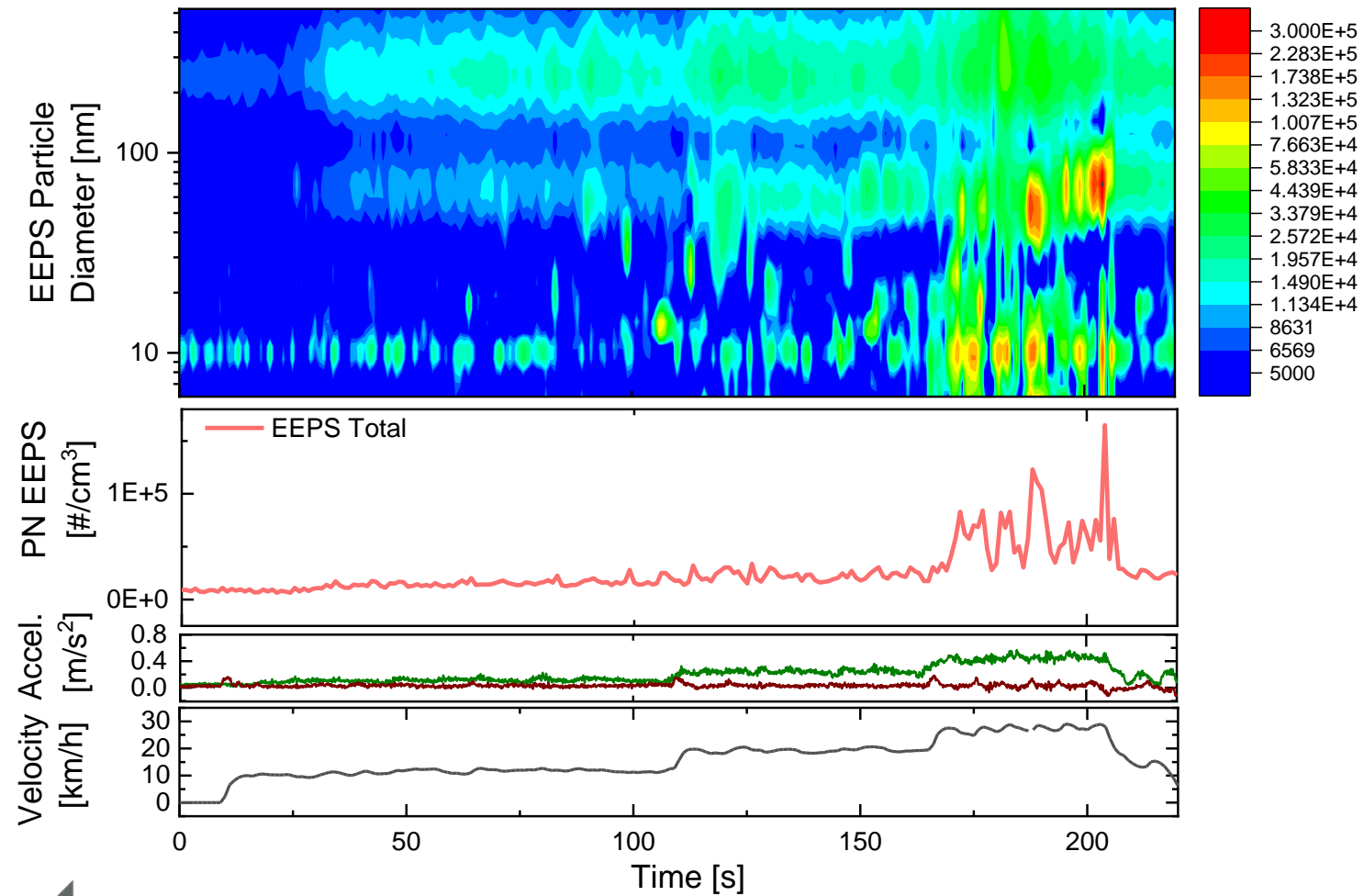


- lower and more stable background concentration
- identification of the emitted particles





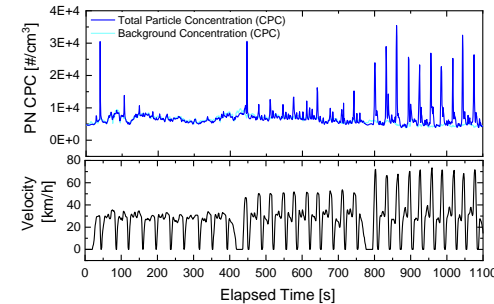
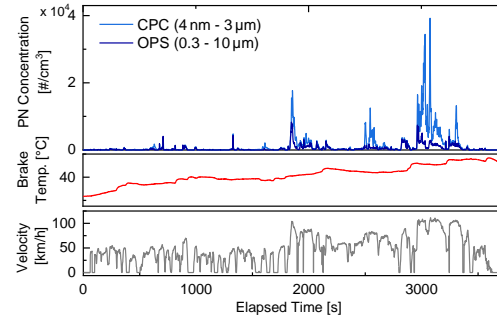
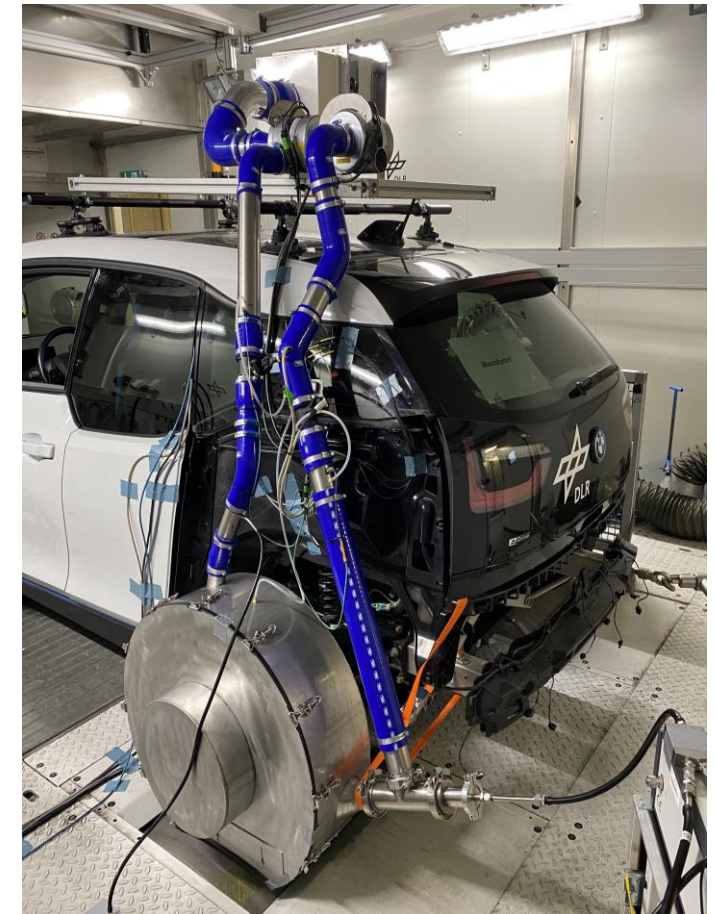
# Proving ground: Cornering and lateral acceleration





# Summary

- new setup for non-exhaust real driving emissions
- characterisation of airborne tyre and brake wear particles on the chassis dynamometer
- measurement of brake emissions on the road
- measurement of tyre emissions on the proving ground

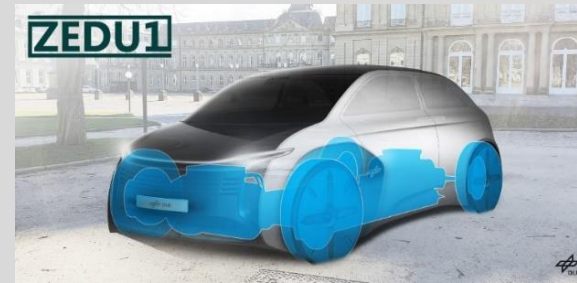


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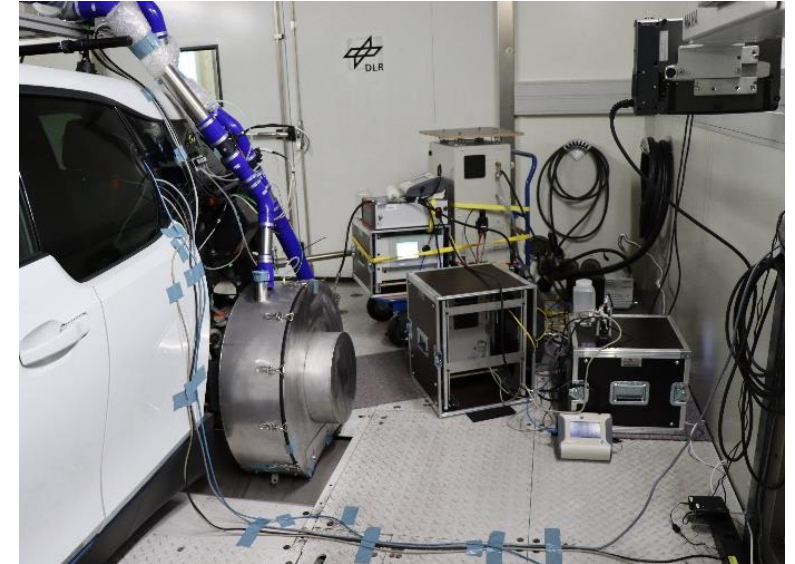
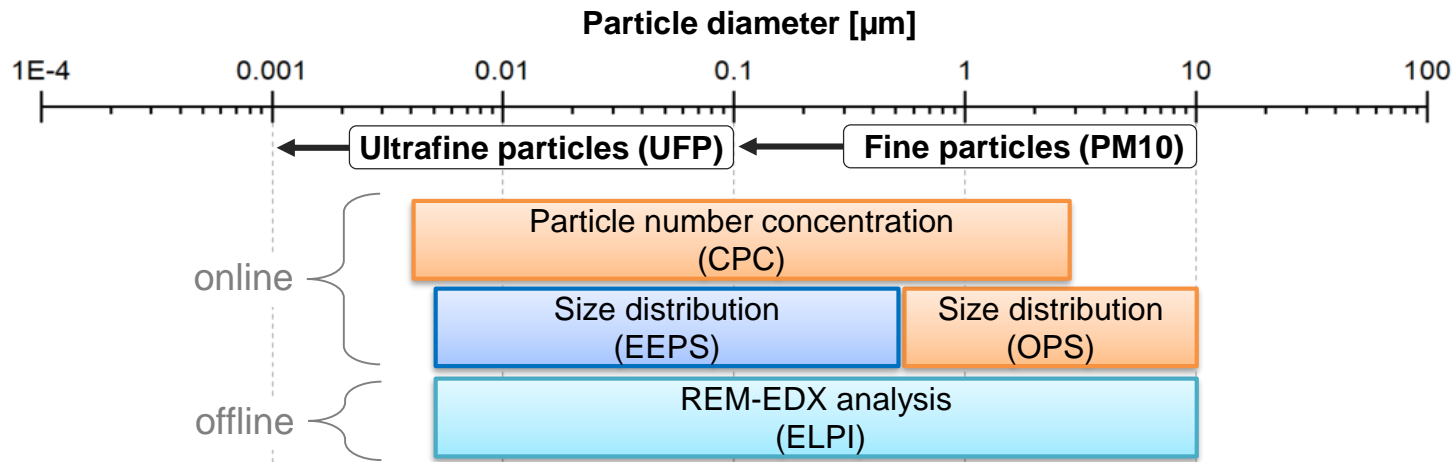
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# Particle measurement technology



**Light Scattering**

CPC    OPS

**Electromobility**

EEPS

**Impactor & Microscopy**

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- Particle characterisation:**
- Particle number concentration
  - Particle size distribution
  - Morphology
  - Elemental composition



# Proving Ground: The influence of cornering and lateral acceleration

