

# Treatment of emissions in UKCA

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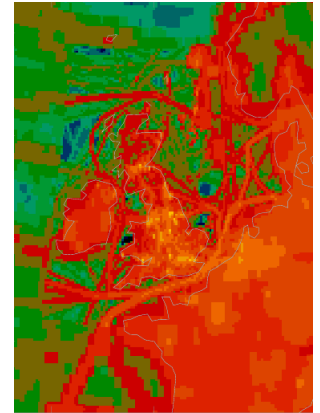
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# 1. Introduction

# Emission inputs to UKCA

- **Offline:** Pre-computed fluxes
  - Read in from ancillary or NetCDF files
  - 12-monthly varying 2-D or 3-D fields
- **Online:** Computed in real-time using fields from the UM. Examples:
  - Lightning  $\text{NO}_x$
  - Sea-salt (in GLOMAP-mode)
  - Wetland  $\text{CH}_4$  (from JULES)
  - Interactive BVOC (from JULES; for isoprene, terpenes, methanol, acetone; since UM vn9.2).



# Gas phase emissions

Emission Species	Units	Std Trop	Trop-Isop	RAQ Chem	Strat Chem	Strat+ Trop
NOx Surface Emissions	kg(NO <sub>2</sub> )/m <sup>2</sup> /s	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
CH <sub>4</sub> Surface Emissions	kg(CH <sub>4</sub> )/m <sup>2</sup> /s	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
CO Surface Emissions	kg/m <sup>2</sup> /s	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
HCHO Surface Emissions	kg/m <sup>2</sup> /s	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
C <sub>2</sub> H <sub>6</sub> Surface Emissions	kg/m <sup>2</sup> /s	Y	Y	Y		Y
C <sub>3</sub> H <sub>8</sub> Surface Emissions	kg/m <sup>2</sup> /s	Y	Y	Y		Y
CH <sub>3</sub> COCH <sub>3</sub> Surface Emissions	kg/m <sup>2</sup> /s	Y	Y	Y		Y
CH <sub>3</sub> CHO Surface Emissions	kg/m <sup>2</sup> /s	Y	Y	Y		Y
C <sub>5</sub> H <sub>8</sub> (Isop) Surface Emiss	kg(C)/m <sup>2</sup> /s		Y	Y		Y
H <sub>2</sub> Surface Emissions	kg/m <sup>2</sup> /s			Y		
C <sub>4</sub> H <sub>10</sub> Surface Emissions	kg/m <sup>2</sup> /s			Y		
C <sub>2</sub> H <sub>4</sub> Surface Emissions	kg/m <sup>2</sup> /s			Y		
C <sub>3</sub> H <sub>6</sub> Surface Emissions	kg/m <sup>2</sup> /s			Y		
Toluene Surface Emissions	kg/m <sup>2</sup> /s			Y		
o-xylene Surface Emissions	kg/m <sup>2</sup> /s			Y		
CH <sub>3</sub> OH Surface Emissions	kg(C)/m <sup>2</sup> /s			Y		
NOx Aircraft Emissions (3D)	kg(NO <sub>2</sub> )/m <sup>2</sup> /s	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y

# Aerosol & online emissions

Emission Species	Units	Std Trop	Trop-Isop	RAQ Chem	Strat Chem	Strat+ Trop
<i>If using Aerosol Chem</i>						
Monoterpene Surface Emiss	kg(C)/m <sup>2</sup> /s	Y	Y			Y
NVOC Surface Emiss	kg(C)/m <sup>2</sup> /s		Y			Y
SO2 Surface Emissions	kg(S)/m <sup>2</sup> /s	Y	Y		Y	Y
DMS Surf Emiss (Land,ocean)	kg(S)/m <sup>2</sup> /s	Y	Y		Y	Y
NH3 Surface Emissions	kg/m <sup>2</sup> /s	Y	Y			Y
SO2 High (Ind,forest,ship)	kg(S)/m <sup>2</sup> /s	Y	Y		Y	Y
SO2 Volcanic Emissions (3D)	kg(S)/m <sup>2</sup> /s	Y	Y		Y	Y
<i>for GLOMAP-mode (if using 5-mode setup)</i>						
BC Fossil Fuel Emiss	kg(C)/m <sup>2</sup> /s	Y	Y			Y
OC Fossil Fuel Emiss	kg(C)/m <sup>2</sup> /s	Y	Y			Y
BC Biofuel Emissions	kg(C)/m <sup>2</sup> /s	Y	Y			Y
OC Biofuel Emissions	kg(C)/m <sup>2</sup> /s	Y	Y			Y
BC Biomass burn Emiss (3D)	kg(C)/m <sup>2</sup> /s	Y	Y			Y
OC Biomass burn Emiss (3D)	kg(C)/m <sup>2</sup> /s	Y	Y			Y
<i>Online Emissions</i>						
CH4 Wetland Emiss (in LSH - Optional)	kg(C)/m <sup>2</sup> /s	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Lightning NOx (in UKCA)	kg(NO2)/kg(air)/cell/s	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Sea-Salt Emiss (in GLOMAP-mode)	number/m <sup>2</sup> /s	Y	Y		Y	Y



## 2. Ancillary emission system

# Emission files & STASH

UKCA Makes use of **user ancillary files**:

- **single-level**: items 301-320 (STASH section 0)
- **multi-level**: items 321-340 (STASH section 0)

STASH code	Emission Species	Units	Std Trop	Trop- Isop	RAQ Chem	Strat Chem	Strat+ Trop
301	NOx Surface Emissions	kg(NO <sub>2</sub> )/m <sup>2</sup> /s	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
302	CH <sub>4</sub> Surface Emissions	kg(CH <sub>4</sub> )/m <sup>2</sup> /s	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
303	CO Surface Emissions	kg/m <sup>2</sup> /s	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
304	HCHO Surface Emissions	kg/m <sup>2</sup> /s	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
305	C <sub>2</sub> H <sub>6</sub> Surface Emissions	kg/m <sup>2</sup> /s	Y	Y	Y		Y
306	C <sub>3</sub> H <sub>8</sub> Surface Emissions	kg/m <sup>2</sup> /s	Y	Y	Y		Y
307	CH <sub>3</sub> COCH <sub>3</sub> Surface Emissions	kg/m <sup>2</sup> /s	Y	Y	Y		Y
308	CH <sub>3</sub> CHO Surface Emissions	kg/m <sup>2</sup> /s	Y	Y	Y		Y
309	C <sub>5</sub> H <sub>8</sub> (Isop) Surface Emiss	kg(C)/m <sup>2</sup> /s		Y	Y		Y
...							
340	NOx Aircraft Emissions (3D)	kg(NO <sub>2</sub> )/m <sup>2</sup> /s	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y

Rest of items in section 0 reserved for UM prognostics





# Array “em\_chem\_spec” (1)

- Array with list of emitted species/fields**

Scheme specific. Declared in **ukca\_d1\_defs.F90**:

```
CHARACTER(LEN=10), DIMENSION(:), ALLOCATABLE, SAVE :: em_chem_spec
```

- Allocated & filled in ukca\_setd1defs.F90**

(IF block for different chemistry schemes)

```
...
ELSE IF (L_UKCA_RAQ) THEN      ! Regional air quality chemistry (RAQ)
  n_chem_emissions = 16
  n_3d_emissions   = 1         ! aircraft NOx
  ALLOCATE(em_chem_spec(n_chem_emissions+n_3d_emissions))
  em_chem_spec =
    (/ 'NO'      , 'CH4'      , 'CO'      , 'HCHO'      ,
      'C2H6'     , 'C3H8'     , 'Me2CO'  , 'MeCHO'     ,
      'C5H8'     , 'C4H10'    , 'C2H4'   , 'C3H6'     ,
      'TOLUENE'  , 'oXYLENE'  , 'CH3OH'  , 'H2'       ,
      'NO_aircraft' /)
    &
    &
    &
    &
```

NO<sub>x</sub> emissions: Expressed as kg(NO<sub>2</sub>) m<sup>-2</sup> s<sup>-1</sup> but assigned to the NO tracer!

# Array “em\_chem\_spec” (2)

...

```
ELSE IF (L_ukca_strattrop .AND. L_ukca_achem) THEN
  n_chem_emissions = 21
  n_3d_emissions   = 2           ! volc SO2 & aircraft NOX
  ALLOCATE(em_chem_spec(n_chem_emissions+n_3d_emissions))
  em_chem_spec =
    (/ 'NO'           , 'CH4'           , 'CO'           , 'HCHO'           , &
      'C2H6'          , 'C3H8'          , 'Me2CO'        , 'MeCHO'          , &
      'C5H8'          , 'BC_fossil' , 'BC_biofuel', 'OC_fossil' , &
      'OC_biofuel', 'Monoterp' , 'NVOC'           , 'SO2_low'        , &
      'SO2_high'      , 'NH3'           , 'DMS'          , 'SO2_nat'        , &
      'BC_biomass', 'OC_biomass', 'NO_aircraft' /)
```

NO<sub>x</sub> emissions: Expressed as kg(NO<sub>2</sub>) m<sup>-2</sup> s<sup>-1</sup> but assigned to the NO tracer!

## If adding new emission field:

- Look for your chemistry scheme in the IF block of UKCA\_SETD1DEFS. Update em\_chem\_spec.
- Need new STASH code?
- Need to update long block towards the end of UKCA\_SETD1DEFS?

(See tutorial in the afternoon)

# Code in UKCA\_MAIN (ukca\_main1-ukca\_main1.F90)

```
IF ( L_ukca_new_emiss ) THEN  
    CALL ukca_new_emiss_ctl ( ... )  
ELSE  
    CALL UKCA_EMISSION_CTL ( ... )  
END IF
```

← NetCDF (since UM vn8.6)

← ancillaries

Both cases accept online emissions

# ukca\_emission\_ctl.F90 (1)

**Beginning of the routine** → Some initialisations & IF blocks affecting different UKCA configurations/options. Examples:

```
! Call routine for primary emissions for UKCA-MODE
IF (L_ukca_mode) THEN                                ! Number & mass emission fluxes
    CALL ukca_mode_ems_um                            ! are assembled for each tracer
END IF                                                ! in array em_field_mode

! Regrid interactive BVOC emissions from landpoints (1D) to 2D-grid
IF (L_bvoc_emis) THEN
    We get isoprene_2D, terpene_2D, methanol_2D, acetone_2D
END IF
```

Then very **long loop through all gas phase tracers** to (i) **add surface emissions**, including unit conversions if needed, and (ii) do **boundary layer mixing of tracers**. See next slide ...



# ukca\_emission\_ctl.F90 (2)

! Check if tracer has **surface emissions** and set emission. Otherwise emission field is zero from initialisation.

```
DO k = 1, jpctr      ! loop over tracers
  DO l = 1, n_chem_emissions
```

```
!    Rest of emissions
    ELSE IF (adv_t(k) == em_chem_spec(l) ) THEN
      em_field(:, :, k) = all_emissions(:, :, l)
    ENDIF      ! end adv_t(k)
  END DO      ! l=1,n_use_emissions
```

```
END DO      ! end of loop over tracers
```



# ukca\_emission\_ctl.F90 (2)

! Check if tracer has **surface emissions** and set emission. Otherwise emission field is zero from initialisation.

**DO** k = 1, jpctr **! loop over tracers**

**DO** l = 1, n\_chem\_emissions

**IF** (adv\_t(k) == em\_chem\_spec(l) .AND. em\_chem\_spec(l) == 'NO ') **THEN**

! Convert from kg NO<sub>2</sub>/m<sup>2</sup>/s to kg NO/m<sup>2</sup>/s

em\_field(:, :, k) = all\_emissions(:, :, l) \* m\_no / m\_no2

! **Rest of emissions**

**ELSE IF** (adv\_t(k) == em\_chem\_spec(l) ) **THEN**

em\_field(:, :, k) = all\_emissions(:, :, l)

**ENDIF** **! end adv\_t(k)**

**END DO** **! l=1, n\_use\_emissions**

**END DO** **! end of loop over tracers**

# ukca\_emission\_ctl.F90 (2)

! Check if tracer has **surface emissions** and set emission. Otherwise emission field is zero from initialisation.

DO k = 1, jpctr ! loop over tracers

DO l = 1, n\_chem\_emissions

IF (adv\_t(k) == em\_chem\_spec(l) .AND. em\_chem\_spec(l) == 'NO ') THEN

! Convert from kg NO<sub>2</sub>/m<sup>2</sup>/s to kg NO/m<sup>2</sup>/s

em\_field(:, :, k) = all\_emissions(:, :, l) \* m\_no / m\_no2

ELSE IF ... ! Many other checks (for SO<sub>2</sub>\_low, DMS, Monoterp, C<sub>5</sub>H<sub>8</sub>, MeOH, Me<sub>2</sub>CO, ...).

! Note that BVOC emissions might be interactive

!

! If you update the code check if there are specific unit conversions for your

! species and make sure that is consistent with your emission fields.

....

! Rest of emissions

ELSE IF (adv\_t(k) == em\_chem\_spec(l) ) THEN

em\_field(:, :, k) = all\_emissions(:, :, l)

ENDIF ! end adv\_t(k)

END DO ! l=1,n\_use\_emissions

END DO ! end of loop over tracers



# ukca\_emission\_ctl.F90 (2)

! Check if tracer has **surface emissions** and set emission. Otherwise emission field is zero from initialisation.

**DO k = 1, jpctr** ! loop over tracers

**DO l = 1, n\_chem\_emissions**

**IF (adv\_t(k) == em\_chem\_spec(l) .AND. em\_chem\_spec(l) == 'NO ' ) THEN**

! Convert from kg NO<sub>2</sub>/m<sup>2</sup>/s to kg NO/m<sup>2</sup>/s

em\_field(:, :, k) = all\_emissions(:, :, l) \* m\_no / m\_no2

**ELSE IF ...** ! Many other checks (for SO<sub>2</sub>\_low, DMS, Monoterp, C<sub>5</sub>H<sub>8</sub>, MeOH, Me<sub>2</sub>CO, ...).

! Note that BVOC emissions might be interactive

!

! If you update the code check if there are specific unit conversions for your  
! species and make sure that is consistent with your emission fields.

....

! Rest of emissions

**ELSE IF (adv\_t(k) == em\_chem\_spec(l) ) THEN**

em\_field(:, :, k) = all\_emissions(:, :, l)

**ENDIF** ! end adv\_t(k)

**END DO** ! l=1,n\_use\_emissions

**IF (adv\_t(k) == 'CH4 ' ... ) THEN**

! Add wetland CH<sub>4</sub> emissions or prescribe the surface mixing ratio

**IF (L\_ukca\_strat .OR. L\_ukca\_stratcfc .OR. L\_ukca\_strattrop) THEN**

! Treatment of long-lived species with lower boundary condition

**END DO** ! end of loop over tracers

# ukca\_emission\_ctl.F90 (2)

! Check if tracer has **surface emissions** and set emission. Otherwise emission field is zero from initialisation.

**DO k = 1, jpctr** ! loop over tracers

**DO l = 1, n\_chem\_emissions**

**IF (adv\_t(k) == em\_chem\_spec(l) .AND. em\_chem\_spec(l) == 'NO ' ) THEN**

! Convert from kg NO<sub>2</sub>/m<sup>2</sup>/s to kg NO/m<sup>2</sup>/s

em\_field(:, :, k) = all\_emissions(:, :, l) \* m\_no / m\_no2

**ELSE IF ...** ! Many other checks (for SO<sub>2</sub>\_low, DMS, Monoterp, C<sub>5</sub>H<sub>8</sub>, MeOH, Me<sub>2</sub>CO, ...).

! Note that BVOC emissions might be interactive

!

! If you update the code check if there are specific unit conversions for your  
! species and make sure that is consistent with your emission fields.

....

! Rest of emissions

**ELSE IF (adv\_t(k) == em\_chem\_spec(l) ) THEN**

em\_field(:, :, k) = all\_emissions(:, :, l)

**ENDIF** ! end adv\_t(k)

**END DO** ! l=1,n\_use\_emissions

**IF (adv\_t(k) == 'CH4 ' ... ) THEN**

! Add wetland CH<sub>4</sub> emissions or prescribe the surface mixing ratio

**IF (L\_ukca\_strat .OR. L\_ukca\_stratcfc .OR. L\_ukca\_strattrop) THEN**

! Treatment of long-lived species with lower boundary condition

! Call boundary layer mixing and add surface emissions.

**CALL TR\_MIX ( ..., em\_field(:, :, k), ..., tracers(:, :, 1:bl\_levels, k), ....)**

**END DO** ! end of loop over tracers

# ukca\_emission\_ctl.F90 (3a)

## Similar stuff for GLOMAP-mode

**! Beginning of ukca\_emission\_ctl. Call routine for primary emissions for UKCA-MODE**

```
IF (L_ukca_mode) THEN
  CALL ukca_mode_ems_um    → em_field_mode is filled with nr & mass
                           emission fluxes for each tracer
END IF
```

1. Initial emission arrays for aerosols are created from the **input data** (depending on the model set-up)
2. **CALL ukca\_mode\_ems**: returns **mass** & **number emission arrays** for sulphate, sea-salt, OC, BC and dust (as required)
3. The number and mass fluxes are then assembled for each tracer in the **array em\_field\_mode**
4. **Diagnostics** for emitted component mass are stored in STASH

```
| 38 | 201 | PRIMARY SO4 TO AITKEN (SOL)
| 38 | 202 | PRIMARY SO4 TO ACCUMULATION (SOL)
| 38 | 203 | PRIMARY SO4 TO COARSE (SOL)
| 38 | 204 | PRIMARY SEA-SALT TO ACCUMULTN (SOL)
| 38 | 205 | PRIMARY SEA-SALT TO COARSE (SOL)
| 38 | 206 | PRIMARY BLACK CARBON TO AITKEN (SOL)
| 38 | 207 | PRIMARY BLACK CARBON TO AITKEN (INS)
| 38 | 208 | PRIMARY ORG. CARBON TO AITKEN (SOL)
| 38 | 209 | PRIMARY ORG. CARBON TO AITKEN (INS)
| 38 | 210 | PRIMARY DUST TO ACCUMULATION (SOL)
| 38 | 211 | PRIMARY DUST TO ACCUMULATION (INS)
| 38 | 212 | PRIMARY DUST TO COARSE (SOLUBLE)
```

# ukca\_emission\_ctl.F90 (3b)

## Similar stuff for GLOMAP-mode

**! Beginning of ukca\_emission\_ctl. Call routine for primary emissions for UKCA-MODE**

```
IF (L_ukca_mode) THEN
  CALL ukca_mode_ems_um    → em_field_mode is filled with nr & mass
                           emission fluxes for each tracer
END IF
```

**! After doing injection & mixing of gas tracers. Do same for MODE aerosols**

```
IF (L_ukca_mode) THEN
```

```
  ! Call boundary layer mixing and add surface emissions
  ! for GLOMAP-mode aerosol tracers
```

```
  DO kaer = 1,n_mode_tracers           ! loop over tracers
```

```
    CALL TR_MIX (... , em_field_mode (:, :, 1, kaer), ...,
                     mode_tracers  (:, :, 1:bl_levels, kaer), ...)
```

```
  END DO                               ! end of loop over tracers (kaer)
```

```
END IF ! if L_UKCA_MODE
```

# ukca\_emission\_ctl.F90 (3b)

## Similar stuff for GLOMAP-mode

**! Beginning of ukca\_emission\_ctl. Call routine for primary emissions for UKCA-MODE**

```
IF (L_ukca_mode) THEN
  CALL ukca_mode_ems_um    → em_field_mode is filled with nr & mass
                           emission fluxes for each tracer
END IF
```

**! After doing injection & mixing of gas tracers. Do same for MODE aerosols**

```
IF (L_ukca_mode) THEN
```

```
  ! Call boundary layer mixing and add surface emissions
  ! for GLOMAP-mode aerosol tracers
```

```
  DO kaer = 1,n_mode_tracers           ! loop over tracers
```

```
    CALL TR_MIX (... , em_field_mode (:, :, 1, kaer), ...,
                    mode_tracers (:, :, 1:bl_levels, kaer), ...)
```

```
    ! Add in emission fluxes not at surface level
```

```
    DO k = 2,model_levels
```

```
      CALL TRSRCE (... , mode_tracers (:, :, k, kaer), ...,
                  em_field_mode(:, :, k, kaer), ...)
```

```
    END DO ! loop over model levels 2 to top (k)
```

```
  END DO
```

```
  ! end of loop over tracers (kaer)
```

```
END IF ! if L_UKCA_MODE
```

# ukca\_emission\_ctl.F90 (4)

**! Diagnose NO2 lightning emissions**

```
lightningem_n_gridbox = 0.0
```

```
lightningem_no2_to_air = 0.0
```

```
CALL UKCA_LIGHT_CTL( ... &  
    lightningem_n_gridbox (1:row_length,1:rows,1:model_levels), &  
    lightningem_no2_to_air (1:row_length,1:rows,1:model_levels))
```

**! Convert aircraft emissions from kg NO2/gridbox/s to kg NO/m2/s**

Within some loops:

```
conv_aircraftems(j,k,l) = aircraftems(j,k,l) &  
    * m_no/(surf_area(j,k)*m_no2)
```

**! Add aircraft emissions to NO or NOx tracer**

```
DO k = 1,model_levels
```

```
    CALL TRSRCE ( &  
        ..., tracers(:,:,k,inox), conv_aircraftems(:,:,k), k, ...)
```

```
END DO
```

**! Update tracer fields with NO/NOx lightning emissions**

```
tracers(1:row_length,1:rows,:,inox) = &  
    tracers(1:row_length,1:rows,:,inox) + &  
    timestep*lightningem_no2_to_air*m_no/m_no2
```

# ukca\_emission\_ctl.F90 (5)

Finally, **treatment of SO<sub>2</sub> emissions** (if aerosol chemistry):

- Add (3-D volcanic + high-level anthropogenic) emissions to SO<sub>2</sub> tracer.  
NOTE: The code removes direct sulphate fraction of emissions and converts from kg(S) to kg (SO<sub>2</sub>)
- Add 3-D emissions from explosive volcanic eruptions (e.g. Pinatubo 1991 and 5 others):

```
CALL UKCA_VOLCANIC_SO2
```

**Last note (only for ASAD framework).** Some calls to output emission diagnostics:

```
CALL asad_emissions_diagnostics
```

```
CALL asad_3D_emissions_diagnostics
```

# Advantages and limitations of the ancillary emission system

## Advantages

Well tested for all UKCA configurations:

- Works with all chemistry schemes & with GLOMAP-mode
- UKCA\_EMISSION\_CTL accepts all online emissions available in UKCA

## Limitations

- Cannot easily treat emissions from independent source sectors separately.  
Example:

```
em_chem_spec =                                     &
    (/ 'NO' , , , , ,                               &
      'SO2_low' , 'SO2_high' , 'SO2_nat' ,           &
      ... , 'NO_aircraft' /)
```

- Units in emission fields need to be as indicated in UKCA\_EMISSION\_CTL. However the UKCA code cannot check whether that is the case in your ancillary emission file!



# 3. NetCDF emission system



# Introduction

Available since UM vn8.6

## Advantages

- Allow the use of different emission fields to account for independent source sectors for any given tracer
- Emissions can be injected at different altitudes and with different temporal variability
- Avoid inconsistencies in the units of the emission fields (to comply with CF conventions units should be “kg m<sup>-2</sup> s<sup>-1</sup>”)

## Limitations

- Currently tested only for RAQ & Strat-Trop chemistry
- Needs to be extended for:
  - aerosol emissions (I\_ukca\_mode .OR. I\_ukca\_aerchem .OR. I\_ukca\_nr\_aqchem)
  - iBVOC emissions (L\_ukca\_ibvoc .AND. L\_bvoc\_emis)

# UKCA code for NetCDF emissions

- As before “**em\_chem\_spec**” is allocated & filled within **ukca\_setd1defs.F90**  
Each element of the array could correspond to 1 or more emission fields
- From **ukca\_main1-ukca\_main1.F90**:

```
IF ( L_ukca_new_emiss ) THEN  
    CALL ukca_new_emiss_ctl ( ... )  
ELSE  
    CALL UKCA_EMISSION_CTL ( ... )  
END IF
```

← NetCDF (since UM vn8.6)

← ancillaries

- **ukca\_new\_emiss\_ctl.F90** includes calls to many routines in order to:
  - Go through NetCDF emission files to automatically identify emission fields present in them
  - Initialise an “emissions” structure which will hold all emission fields
  - Update the “emissions” structure when needed
  - Output emission diagnostics



# NAMELIST input through UMUI (only available at UM vn8.6)

Section 34: UKCA Chemistry and Aerosols : Job dlna.f: "cp ansyq (AQUM std job from UMSys)"

Choose the relevant section release

- ☐ <0A> UKCA not included.
- ☒ <1A> UKCA included.

Select Chemical Scheme

- ☐ Age of air only
- ☐ Standard Tropospheric(BE)
- ☒ RAQ(BE)
- ☐ Tropospheric+Isoprene
- ☐ Standard Stratospheric
- ☐ Stratospheric + Tropospheric Chemistry

☒ Set Backward Euler Solver Settings to non-default values?

Backward Euler Timestep:

Number of iterations for BE solver:

☐ Include aerosol chemistry

☐ UKCA\_MODE Aerosol Scheme

☐ Interactive wetland CH4 emissions

Specify Tropospheric Options to be included

☐ Use 2D top boundary data?

Directory pathname for the 2D top boundary data:

☐ Switch on Tropospheric Heterogenous Chemistry

Select Stratospheric options to be included:

☐ Switch on water feedback from chemistry

☐ Switch on Heterogenous / PSC chemistry

☐ Use climatological Aerosol for Surface Area

Directory containing climatological aerosol file:

File containing climatological aerosol data:

☐ Use a cyclic, monthly-varying 'background' aerosol field instead of timeseries

Push PHOTO button for photolysis parameters

Push LOWBC button to specify Trace gases and Lower Boundary Conditions

Push COUPL button for Coupling between UKCA and Atmosphere

Push UKCA\_TRA to initialise tracers available

Push MODE to setup aerosol model parameters

Push NEW\_EMISS to set up the new NetCDF emission system

Buttons: Help, Abandon changes, Close, PHOTO, LOWBC, COUPL, UKCA\_TRA, MODE, NEW\_EMISS

Window Name : atmos\_Science\_Section\_UKCA. Job dlna.f.

UKCA NetCDF Emission System : Job dlna.f: "cp ansyq (AQU ..."

☒ Use new UKCA emissions

Directory pathname for NetCDF emission files:

NetCDF emission files		
Number	File name	Include Y/N
31		
32		
33		
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40		
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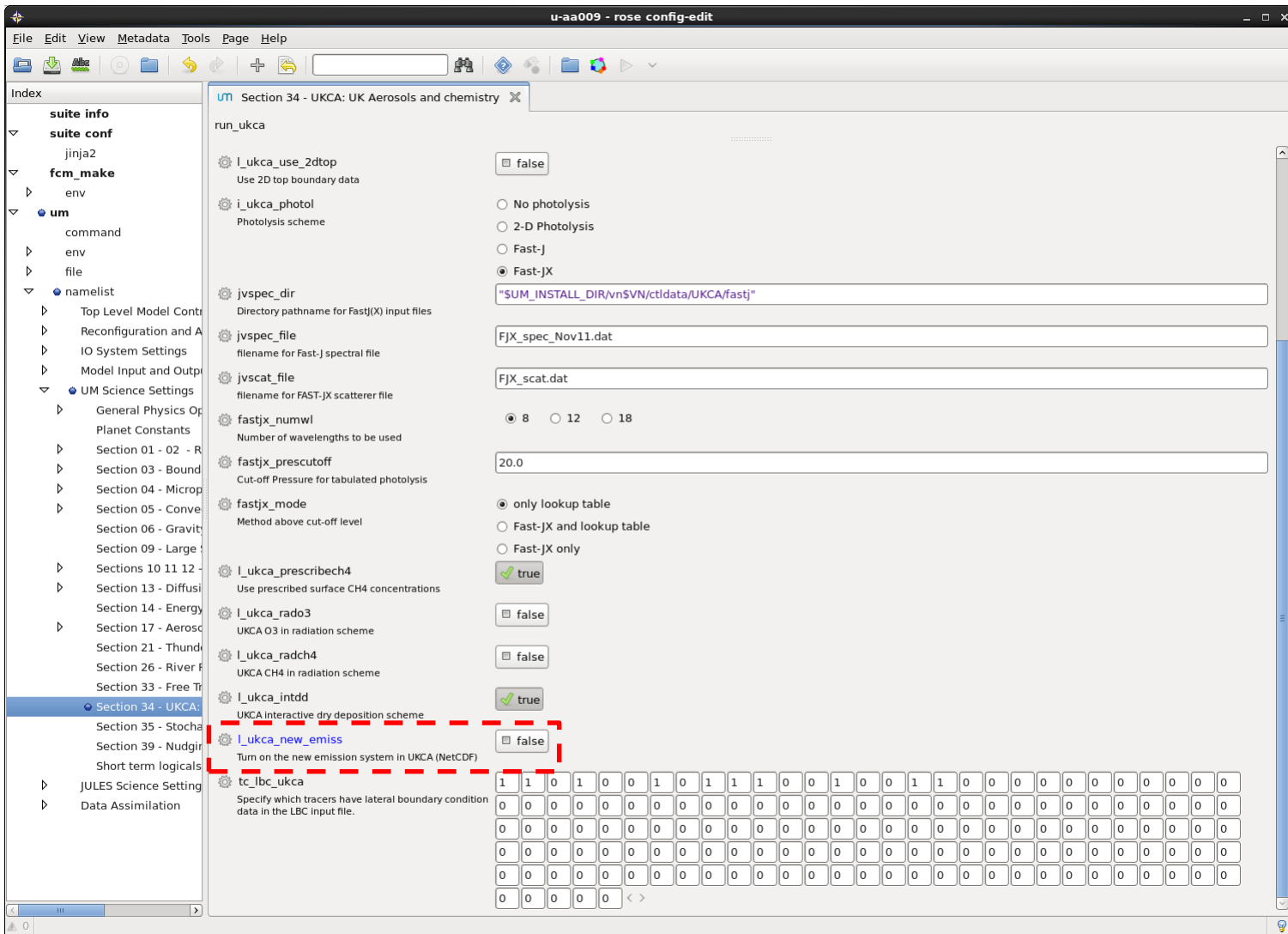
Remove Blank Lines

Push UKCA to go to the parent window

Buttons: Help, Abandon changes, Close, UKCA

Window Name : atmos\_Science\_Section\_UKCA\_Emiss. Job dlna.f.

# NAMELIST input through Rose (I)



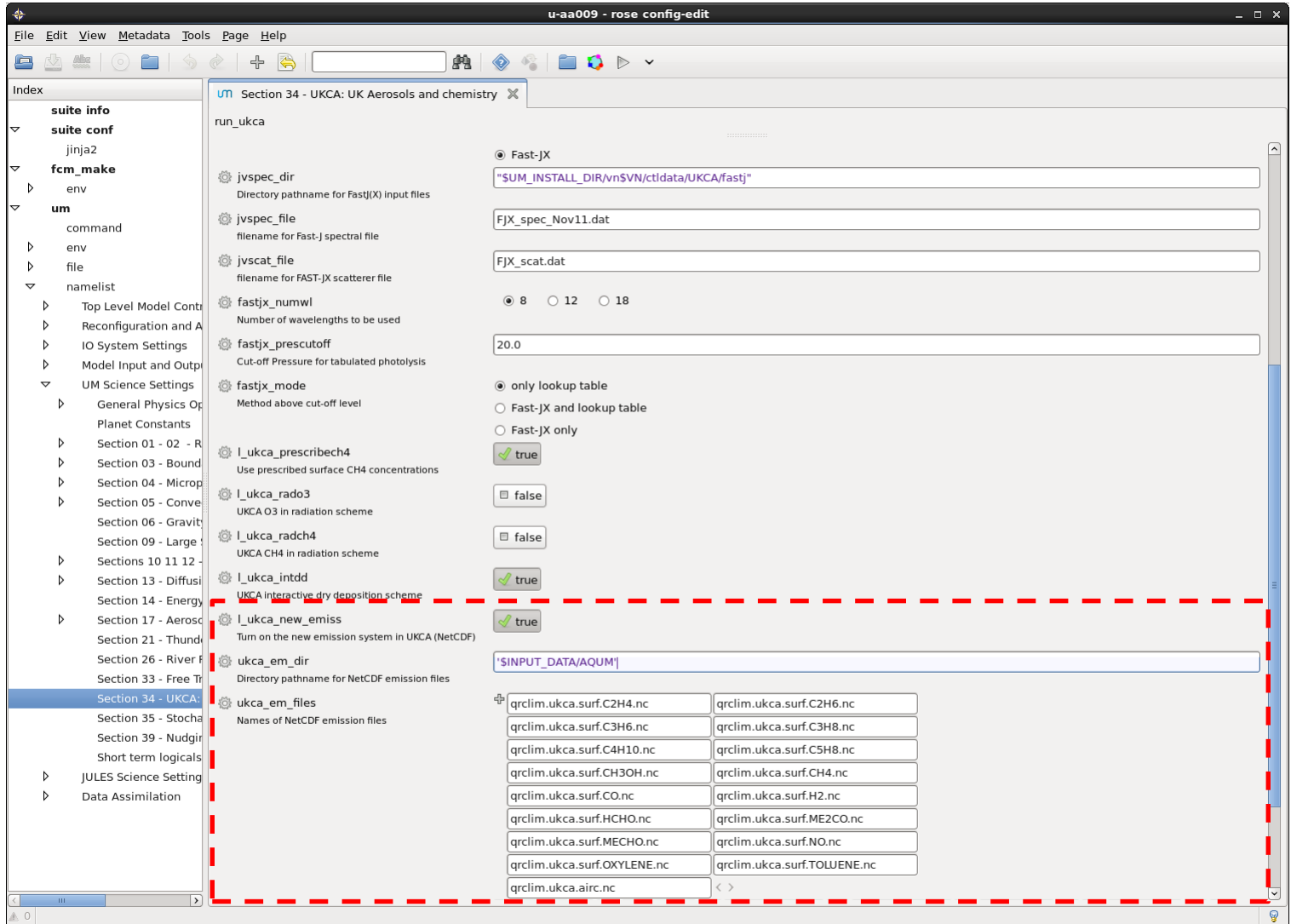
The screenshot shows the Rose configuration editor for the 'u-aa009 - rose config-edit' project. The left sidebar displays the project structure, with 'Section 34 - UKCA: UK Aerosols and chemistry' selected. The main panel shows the configuration for 'run\_ukca' under 'Section 34 - UKCA: UK Aerosols and chemistry'.

Key configuration options visible include:

- l\_ukca\_use\_2dtop**: Use 2D top boundary data (checkbox, false)
- i\_ukca\_photol**: Photolysis scheme (radio buttons: No photolysis, 2-D Photolysis, Fast-J, Fast-JX (selected))
- jvspec\_dir**: Directory pathname for Fast(JX) input files (text field: "/SUM\_INSTALL\_DIR/vnSVN/ctldata/UKCA/fastj")
- jvspec\_file**: filename for Fast-J spectral file (text field: "FJX\_spec\_Nov11.dat")
- jvscat\_file**: filename for FAST-JX scatterer file (text field: "FJX\_scatter.dat")
- fastjx\_numwl**: Number of wavelengths to be used (radio buttons: 8 (selected), 12, 18)
- fastjx\_prescutoff**: Cut-off Pressure for tabulated photolysis (text field: "20.0")
- fastjx\_mode**: Method above cut-off level (radio buttons: only lookup table (selected), Fast-JX and lookup table, Fast-JX only)
- l\_ukca\_prescribech4**: Use prescribed surface CH4 concentrations (checkbox, true)
- l\_ukca\_rado3**: UKCA O3 in radiation scheme (checkbox, false)
- l\_ukca\_radch4**: UKCA CH4 in radiation scheme (checkbox, false)
- l\_ukca\_intdd**: UKCA interactive dry deposition scheme (checkbox, true)
- l\_ukca\_new\_emiss**: Turn on the new emission system in UKCA (NetCDF) (checkbox, false)
- tc\_lbc\_ukca**: Specify which tracers have lateral boundary condition data in the LBC input file. (checkbox, false)

A red dashed box highlights the 'l\_ukca\_new\_emiss' option and the 'tc\_lbc\_ukca' option, which is associated with a large grid of checkboxes for specifying lateral boundary conditions for various tracers.

# NAMELIST input through Rose (II)



The screenshot shows the Rose configuration editor for the 'u-aa009 - rose config-edit' project. The left sidebar displays the configuration tree, with 'Section 34 - UKCA: UK Aerosols and chemistry' selected. The main panel shows the configuration for 'run\_ukca' under 'Section 34 - UKCA: UK Aerosols and chemistry'.

The configuration is divided into two main sections: 'Fast-JX' and 'UKCA emission system'.

**Fast-JX configuration:**

- jspec\_dir:** Directory pathname for Fast(JX) input files. Value: `"SUM_INSTALL_DIR/vnSVN/ctl/data/UKCA/fastj"`
- jspec\_file:** filename for Fast-J spectral file. Value: `FJX_spec_Nov11.dat`
- jscat\_file:** filename for FAST-JX scatterer file. Value: `FJX_scatter.dat`
- fastjx\_numwl:** Number of wavelengths to be used. Value: `8` (selected), `12`, `18`
- fastjx\_prescutoff:** Cut-off Pressure for tabulated photolysis. Value: `20.0`
- fastjx\_mode:** Method above cut-off level. Value: `only lookup table` (selected), `Fast-JX and lookup table`, `Fast-JX only`
- l\_ukca\_prescribech4:** Use prescribed surface CH4 concentrations. Value: `true`
- l\_ukca\_rado3:** UKCA O3 in radiation scheme. Value: `false`
- l\_ukca\_radch4:** UKCA CH4 in radiation scheme. Value: `false`
- l\_ukca\_intdd:** UKCA interactive dry deposition scheme. Value: `true`
- l\_ukca\_new\_emiss:** Turn on the new emission system in UKCA (NetCDF). Value: `true`

**UKCA emission system configuration:**

- ukca\_em\_dir:** Directory pathname for NetCDF emission files. Value: `"$INPUT_DATA/AQUAM"`
- ukca\_em\_files:** Names of NetCDF emission files. Value: A table of files.

qrclim.ukca.surf.C2H4.nc	qrclim.ukca.surf.C2H6.nc
qrclim.ukca.surf.C3H6.nc	qrclim.ukca.surf.C3H8.nc
qrclim.ukca.surf.C4H10.nc	qrclim.ukca.surf.C5H8.nc
qrclim.ukca.surf.CH3OH.nc	qrclim.ukca.surf.CH4.nc
qrclim.ukca.surf.CO.nc	qrclim.ukca.surf.H2.nc
qrclim.ukca.surf.HCHO.nc	qrclim.ukca.surf.ME2CO.nc
qrclim.ukca.surf.MECHO.nc	qrclim.ukca.surf.NO.nc
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# Requirements of NetCDF files (1)

- **Maximum nr of emission files: 40**

ukca\_option\_mod.F90:

```
INTEGER, PARAMETER :: nr_cdf_files = 40
CHARACTER (LEN=120) :: ukca_em_dir
CHARACTER (LEN=50)  :: ukca_em_files(nr_cdf_files)
```

Each NetCDF file may include one or several emission fields

- **Should comply with:**
  - **CF** conventions (<http://cfconventions.org/>)
  - **Met Office NetCDF** conventions

However UM code could still work if files don't comply.

- Next slides: **Metadata attributes** needed in the files so that the UM code works!

# Requirements of NetCDF files (2)

## Global attributes needed in each emission file:

- **update\_freq\_in\_hours:** frequency in hours at which all emission fields present in that file should be read.

If you want 5 days (as done for ancillaries in many UMUI jobs):

**update\_freq\_in\_hours = 120**

- **emission type** (follows same conventions as for ancillary files):
  - 0: Single time (not allowed yet)
  - 1: Time series
  - 2: Periodic time series



# Requirements of NetCDF files (3)

Some **metadata attributes** required for **each emission field**:

- **name**: Name of the emission field (80 characters, only for debugging)
- **tracer\_name**: This has to be equal to one of the names in the list of emissions for the given chemical scheme, i.e. **em\_chem\_spec**
- **standard\_name** : Compulsory if available. Example for NO:  
`"tendency_of_atmosphere_mass_content_of_nitrogen_monoxide_due_to_emission"`  
See <http://cfconventions.org/Data/cf-standard-names/26/build/cf-standard-name-table.html>
- **long\_name**: Compulsory if there is no 'standard\_name' available. Example:  
`"tendency of atmosphere mass content of nitrogen monoxide due to emission"`
- **units** = `"kg m-2 s-1"`
- **hourly\_scaling, daily\_scaling & vertical\_scaling**: Characters read by the UM to apply corresponding numeric scaling factors



# What UKCA code does with NetCDF attributes

```
! Emission Data structure
TYPE ukca_em_struct
  CHARACTER (LEN=256) :: file_name
  CHARACTER (LEN=80)  :: var_name
  CHARACTER (LEN=10)  :: tracer_name
  CHARACTER (LEN=256) :: std_name
  CHARACTER (LEN=256) :: lng_name
  CHARACTER (LEN=30)  :: units
  INTEGER             :: update_freq
  INTEGER             :: update_type
  LOGICAL             :: l_update
  LOGICAL             :: three_dim
  REAL                :: base_fact
  REAL, POINTER       :: vert_scaling_3d (:,:,)
  CHARACTER (LEN=20)  :: hourly_fact
  CHARACTER (LEN=20)  :: daily_fact
  CHARACTER (LEN=30)  :: vert_fact
  INTEGER             :: lowest_lev
  INTEGER             :: highest_lev
  REAL, POINTER       :: values (:,:,)
  REAL, POINTER       :: diags (:,:,)
END TYPE ukca_em_struct

! Super array of emissions
TYPE (ukca_em_struct), ALLOCATABLE :: emissions (:)

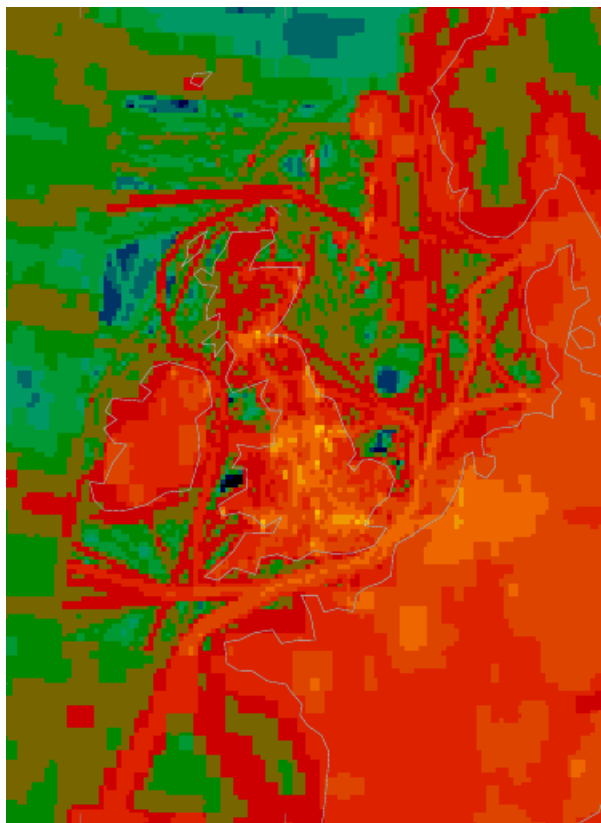
ALLOCATE (emissions(num_em_flds))
```

1. The UKCA code creates an “emissions” structure (derived type variable) which contains objects representing emissions. Each object can be distinguished by some components: emission name, values, units, vertical/temporal profiles, ...
2. Then some of the NetCDF attributes are assigned to those components

Attribute in NetCDF files	Corresponding name in emissions structure within the UKCA code
name	emissions(:)%var_name
standard_name	emissions(:)%std_name
long_name	emissions(:)%lng_name
tracer_name	emissions(:)%tracer_name
units	emissions(:)%units
hourly_scaling	emissions(:)%hourly_fact
daily_scaling	emissions(:)%daily_fact
vertical_scaling	emissions(:)%vert_fact
lowest_level	emissions(:)%lowest_lev
highest_level	emissions(:)%highest_lev
update_freq.in.hours (global)	emissions(:)%update_freq
emission_type (global)	emissions(:)%update_type

## Example of time / vertical profiles for RAQ (1)

Typical 12-monthly emission field for NO<sub>x</sub> (all source sectors combined)

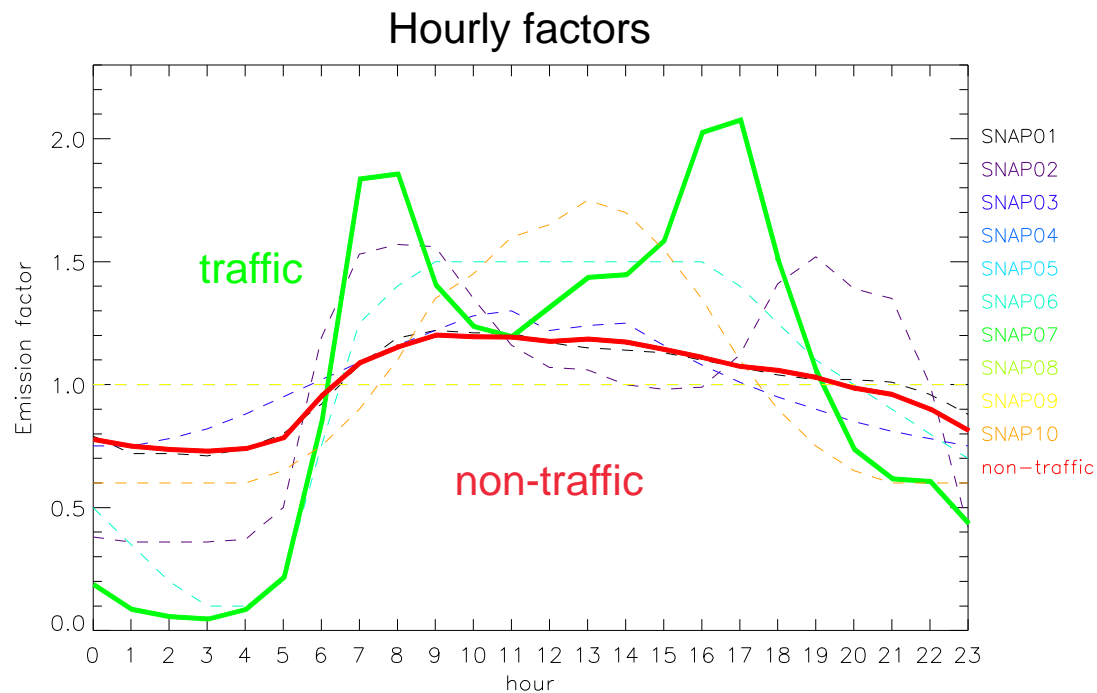


Better approach: Use separate SNAP source sectors

- 1 Combustion in energy and transformation industries
- 2 Non-industrial combustion plants
- 3 Combustion in manufacturing industry
- 4 Production processes
- 5 Extraction and distribution of fossil fuels
- 6 Solvents
- 7 Road transport ( "traffic" )
- 8 Other mobile sources (e.g. shipping)
- 9 Waste treatment and disposal
- 10 Agriculture
- 11 Natural and biogenic sources

# Example of time / vertical profiles for RAQ (1a)

- **Hourly & daily factors** to account for daily and weekly variability in emissions
- Based on data provided by TNO for the MACC project



# Example of time / vertical profiles for RAQ (1b)

## Module UKCA\_EMISS\_FACTORS - Subroutine HOURLY\_EMISS\_FACTORS

**SELECT CASE** (TRIM (hourly\_fact))      ← NetCDF attribute hourly\_scaling

! No hourly factors applied unless specified

CASE ('none', '')

```

    hourly_scaling =
      (/1.00, 1.00, 1.00, 1.00, 1.00, 1.00, 1.00, 1.00,
        1.00, 1.00, 1.00, 1.00, 1.00, 1.00, 1.00, 1.00,
        1.00, 1.00, 1.00, 1.00, 1.00, 1.00, 1.00, 1.00/)

```

! -----  
! Hourly factors of emissions for Europe. Calculated by TNO  
! for the MACC project.

...

CASE ('TNO\_MACC\_EU\_SNAP07')

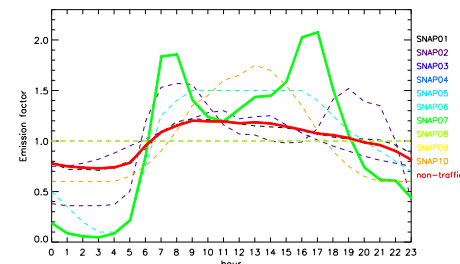
```

    hourly_scaling =
      (/0.19, 0.09, 0.06, 0.05, 0.09, 0.22, 0.86, 1.84,
        1.86, 1.41, 1.24, 1.20, 1.32, 1.44, 1.45, 1.59,
        2.03, 2.08, 1.51, 1.06, 0.74, 0.62, 0.61, 0.44/)

```

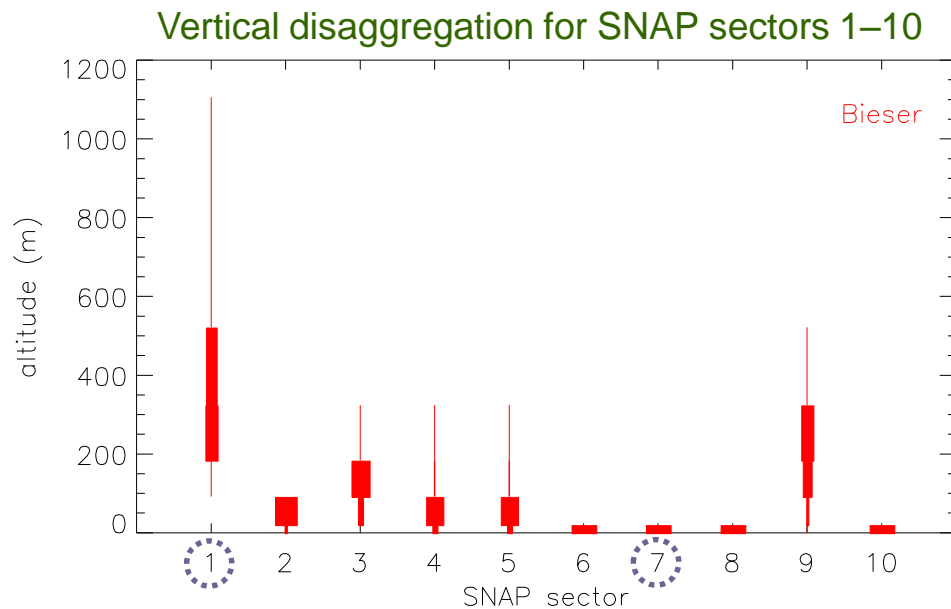
...

**END SELECT**



## Example of time / vertical profiles for RAQ (2a)

**Vertical profiles** tested for anthropogenic emissions in RAQ chemistry scheme



# Example of time / vertical profiles for RAQ (2b)

## Module UKCA\_EMISS\_FACTORS - Subroutine VERTICAL\_EMISS\_FACTORS

```
! Altitude of the interfaces in metres
interf_ref = (/0.0, 20.0, 92.0, 184.0, 324.0, 522.0, 781.0, 1106.0/)

! Get a 3D vertical scaling factor for the given profile
SELECT CASE (TRIM (vert_fact)) ← NetCDF attribute vertical_scaling

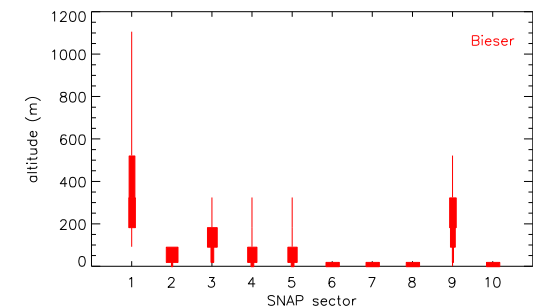
! Average vertical profiles for various SNAP source sectors.
CASE ('Bieser_modified_SNAP01')
  vert_scaling_ref (:) = (/ 0.0, 0.0, 0.25, 51.0, 45.3, 3.25, 0.2 /)
  ...

CASE ('Bieser_modified_SNAP07')
  vert_scaling_ref (:) = (/ 100.0, 0.0, 0.0, 0.0, 0.0, 0.0, 0.0 /)
  ...

! Surface emiss in lowest model lev unless something different specified
CASE ('surface', '')
  vert_scaling_3d (:, :, 1) = 1.0
  vert_scaling_3d (:, :, 2:) = 0.0

! 3D emissions over all model levels
CASE ('all_levels', '3D')
  vert_scaling_3d (:, :, :) = 1.0
  ...

END SELECT
```





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# How to deal with special units

- **Attribute units in all NetCDF emission fields:**

units = "kg m<sup>-2</sup> s<sup>-1</sup>" or units = "kg/m<sup>2</sup>/s"

- **If you want to express in kg(N), kg(C) or kg(S):**

```
standard_name = "tendency_of_atmosphere_mass_content_of_nox_  
expressed_as_nitrogen_due_to_emission"
```

Check <http://cfconventions.org/Data/cf-standard-names/27/build/cf-standard-name-table.html>

```
long_name = "tendency of atmosphere mass content of isoprene  
expressed as carbon due to emission"
```

- See code in 2 routines within the module **ukca\_emiss\_factors**:
  - Strings automatically detected by **base\_emiss\_factors**
  - Conversions done in **get\_base\_scaling**

You might need to adapt them



# New emission diagnostics (1)

Emission field (in <code>em_chem_spec</code> )	Item number (in Sect. 50)
'NO '	156
'CH4 '	157
'CO '	158
'HCHO '	159
'C2H6 '	160
'C3H8 '	161
'Me2CO '	162
'MeCHO '	163
'C5H8 '	164
'C4H10 '	165
'C2H4 '	166
'C3H6 '	167
'TOLUENE '	168
'oXYLENE '	169
'CH3OH '	170
'H2 '	171
'NO <sub>aircraft</sub> '	172

## **ukca\_add\_emiss\_mod.F90**

emissions(l)%diags (:, :, 1) filled

Column integrated & with time profiles applied

## **ukca\_emdiags\_struct\_mod.F90:**

Declares a structure for emission diagnostics:

```

TYPE emdiags_struct
    ! Flags indicating if diagnostics selected
    LOGICAL :: l_em_no
    LOGICAL :: l_em_ch4
    ...

    ! Pointers to hold emission diagnostics
    REAL, POINTER :: em_no      (:, :)
    REAL, POINTER :: em_ch4    (:, :)
    ...

    REAL, POINTER :: em_no_air (:, :, :)
END TYPE emdiags_struct

```

## **ukca\_update\_emdiagstruct\_mod.F90**

Update emission diagnostic values and flags in the "emdiags\_struct"

## **ukca\_emiss\_diags\_mod.F90**

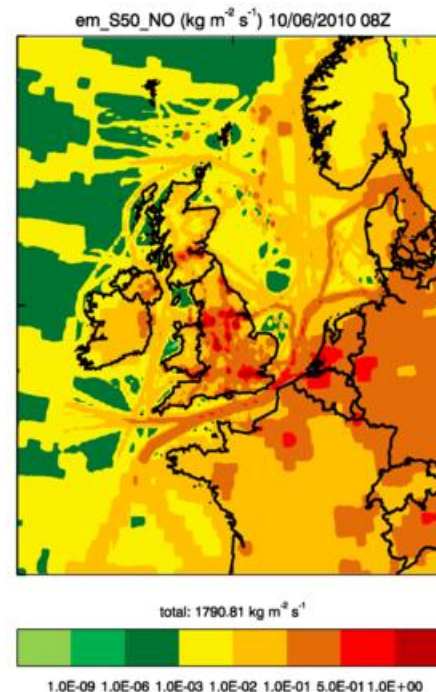
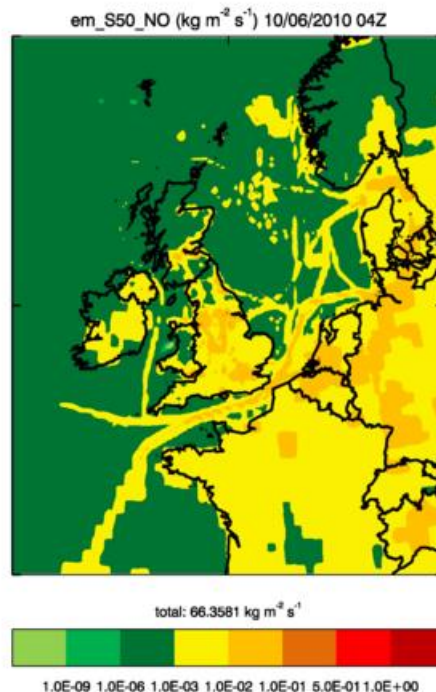
Output emission diagnostics

- Available for RAQ & other schemes
- New items can be added in S50

# New emission diagnostics (2)

## Emission diagnostics for NO:

1. With temporal factors applied
2. Column integrated (always for 2-D emissions)
3. In  $\text{kg (NO) m}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$





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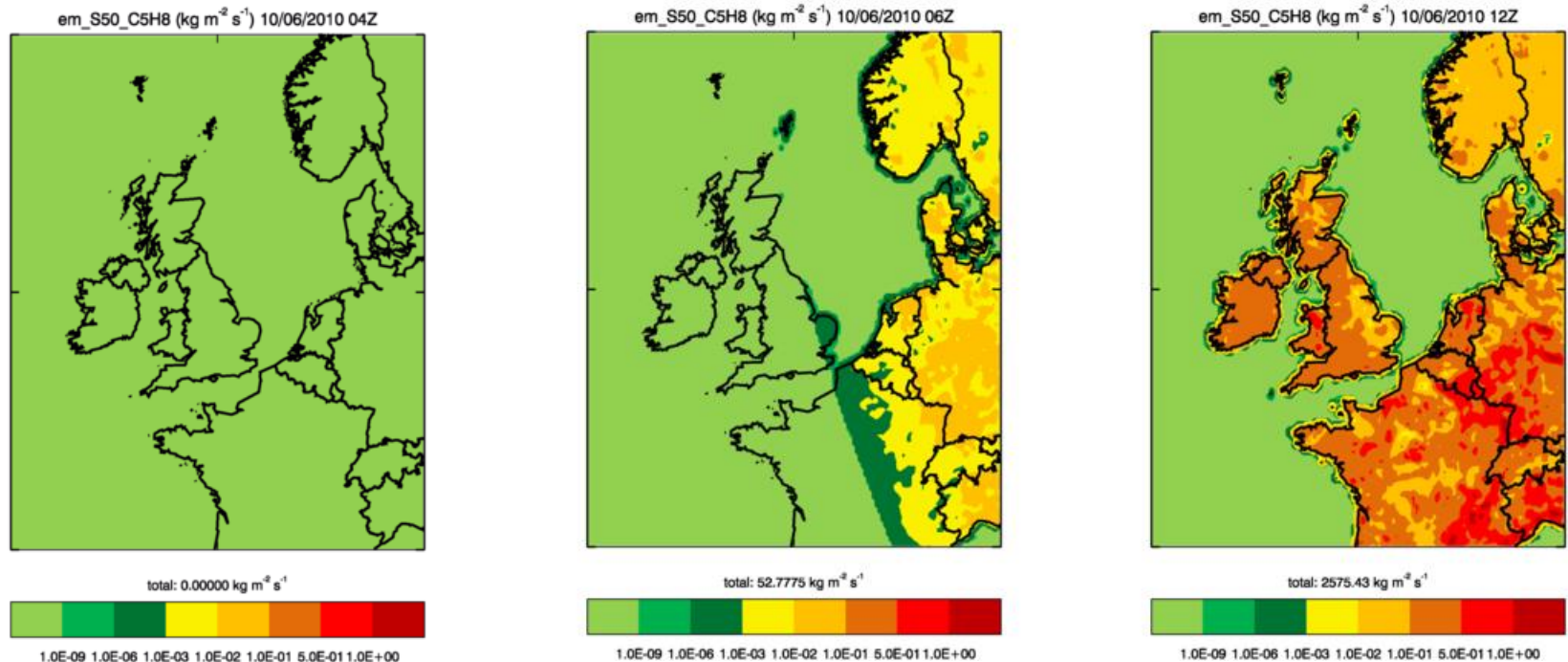
# New emission diagnostics (3)

Emission diagnostics for (non-interactive) isoprene emissions, with netCDF attributes:

tracer\_name = 'C5H8'

hourly\_scaling = 'diurnal\_isopems'

→ diurnal cycle applied via call to **ukca\_diurnal\_isop\_ems.F90**



NetCDF emission system will be extended for iBVOC emissions of  $\text{C}_5\text{H}_8$  and other species

# ukca\_new\_emiss\_ctl.F90 (1)

**IF ( I\_first ) THEN**

! Read emission NetCDF files and look for the the emission fields  
! in them to allocate all variables in the emissions structure.

**CALL ukca\_emiss\_init (...)**

! Get scaling factors indicating how to to spread emissions  
! over different vertical levels. Done it only once here and  
! stored in the emissions structure, then valid for all time steps.

**DO I = 1, num\_em\_flds**

**CALL vertical\_emiss\_factors** (... , vert\_fact\_3d)

**emissions(I)%vert\_scaling\_3d** (:,:,) = vert\_fact\_3d (:,:,)

**END DO**

**END IF**

! -----  
! Check if it is time to update the emiss fields that  
! we read from NetCDF files (depending on time step  
! and update frequency). If needed then update the files.

**CALL ukca\_emiss\_update (...)**

! -----  
! **Deal with online emissions.** Always updated at each time step  
! For the moment only NO<sub>x</sub> from lightning and CH<sub>4</sub> from wetlands

# ukca\_new\_emiss\_ctl.F90 (2)

```
! -----  
! Update all fields in the emissions super array:  
! * Do conversions so that emissions are given as 'kg(tracer) m-2 s-1'  
! * Update isoprene emissions if they are diurnally varying
```

```
DO I = 1, num_em_flds
```

```
  IF (emissions(I)%l_update) THEN
```

```
    CALL base_emiss_factors
```

```
    update "emissions(I)%values"
```

```
  END IF
```

```
  For isoprene: CALL ukca_diurnal_isop_ems  
                to apply diurnal cycle
```

```
END DO
```

```
! -----  
! Inject emissions and do tracer mixing  
CALL ukca_add_emiss ( ...)
```

```
! -----  
! Call the emission diagnostics code if any of the diagnostics present  
! in the routine GET_EMDIAG_STASH has been selected via stash.
```

```
CALL ukca_emiss_diags (...)
```



## 4. Final notes



# Final notes

- This talk is based on UM vn9.2. Some functionalities not available for older UM versions.
- I have not covered some topics in detail (aerosol emissions, BVOC emissions, ...).

## Useful reading material

- **Online UKCA tutorial**

[http://www.ukca.ac.uk/wiki/index.php/UKCA\\_Chemistry\\_and\\_Aerosol\\_Tutorial\\_5](http://www.ukca.ac.uk/wiki/index.php/UKCA_Chemistry_and_Aerosol_Tutorial_5)

- **UKCA - UMDP 84**

- Chapter 10: Emissions (ancillary system)
- Chapter 11: New NetCDF emission system

<https://code.metoffice.gov.uk/doc/um/vn9.2/umdp.html>  
<https://code.metoffice.gov.uk/doc/um/vn10.0/umdp.html>





# Code in ukca\_setd1defs.F90

Complicated block of code further down in this routine

```

J = n_use_tracers
IF (n_chem_emissions+n_3d_emissions+n_mode_emissions > 0) THEN
  DO i=1,n_chem_emissions + n_3d_emissions
    UkcaD1Codes(J+i)%section = 0
    UkcaD1Codes(J+i)%item = n_chem_first+i-1
    UkcaD1Codes(J+i)%len_dim1 = row_length
    UkcaD1Codes(J+i)%len_dim2 = rows
    IF (.NOT. (L_ukca_new_emiss)) THEN
      UkcaD1Codes(J+i)%required = .TRUE.
    END IF
    UkcaD1Codes(J+i)%prognostic = .TRUE.
    Special cases, emissions already available in UM
    IF (em_chem_spec(i)(1:7) == 'SO2_low') THEN
      UkcaD1Codes(J+i)%item = 58
    ELSEIF (em_chem_spec(i)(1:7) == 'SO2_nat') THEN
      UkcaD1Codes(J+i)%item = 121
      UkcaD1Codes(J+i)%len_dim3 = tr_levels
    ELSEIF (em_chem_spec(i)(1:8) == 'SO2_high') THEN
      UkcaD1Codes(J+i)%item = 126
    ELSEIF (em_chem_spec(i)(1:3) == 'NH3') THEN
      UkcaD1Codes(J+i)%item = 127
    ELSEIF (em_chem_spec(i) == 'BC_fossil ') THEN
      UkcaD1Codes(J+i)%item = 310
    ELSEIF (em_chem_spec(i) == 'BC_biofuel') THEN
      UkcaD1Codes(J+i)%item = 311
    ELSEIF (em_chem_spec(i) == 'OC_fossil ') THEN
      UkcaD1Codes(J+i)%item = 312
    ELSEIF (em_chem_spec(i) == 'OC_biofuel') THEN
      UkcaD1Codes(J+i)%item = 313
    ELSEIF (em_chem_spec(i) == 'Monoterp ') THEN
      UkcaD1Codes(J+i)%item = 314
    ELSEIF (em_chem_spec(i) == 'NVOC ') THEN
      UkcaD1Codes(J+i)%item = 315
    ELSEIF (em_chem_spec(i) == 'BC_biomass') THEN
      UkcaD1Codes(J+i)%item = 322
      UkcaD1Codes(J+i)%len_dim3 = tr_levels
    ELSEIF (em_chem_spec(i) == 'OC_biomass') THEN
      UkcaD1Codes(J+i)%item = 323
      UkcaD1Codes(J+i)%len_dim3 = tr_levels
    ELSEIF (em_chem_spec(i) == 'SO2_biomass') THEN
      UkcaD1Codes(J+i)%item = 324
      UkcaD1Codes(J+i)%len_dim3 = tr_levels
    ELSEIF (em_chem_spec(i)(1:3) == 'DMS') THEN
      UkcaD1Codes(J+i)%section = 17
      UkcaD1Codes(J+i)%item = 205
      UkcaD1Codes(J+i)%prognostic = .FALSE.
      IF (.NOT. L_sulpc_dms) UkcaD1Codes(J+i)%required = .FALSE.
      ! DMS internally calculated if CLASSIC is OFF
    ELSEIF (em_chem_spec(i)(1:7) == 'NO_airc') THEN
      UkcaD1Codes(J+i)%item = 340
      UkcaD1Codes(J+i)%len_dim3 = tr_levels
    ENDIF
  ENDDO
ENDIF

```

## Meaning

- STASH 301–309 in same order as **em\_chem\_spec**
- STASH items defined for some emissions (e.g. items 322, 323, 324 reserved for 3D emissions)

Main thing to remember:

- single-level: items 301-320
- multi-level: items 321-340