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**5.2.3.1 Sources** 

# 5.2 Halogen radicals and hydrochloric acid5.2.1 Cl atom

 $Cl^{-} \rightarrow Cl^{-} ??$ 

For at least most organics it applies:  $k_{Cl} > k_{OH}$ .

 $\rightarrow$  What is the contribution of Cl atoms to tropospheric chemistry ?

### **5.2.1.1 Sources**

**5.2.1.1.1 Cl sources in the gas-phase** 

(1) HCl + OH·  $\rightarrow$  Cl· + H<sub>2</sub>O k  $\approx$  0.08x10<sup>-12</sup> cm<sup>3</sup>molec<sup>-1</sup>s<sup>-1</sup>

 $\tau_{\text{HCl/OH}} \approx 3$  days (sunny day),  $\tau_{\text{HCl}}$  is limited by other sinks (deposition)

	——— Table III. Mode	el input parameters
Considering (1) as the only Cl source, a 1D model for the marine boundary layer (60 Cl reactions; <i>Singh &amp; Kasting</i> , 1988)	Species	Surface concentration (0.5 km) (ppb)
suggests $c_{Cl} \approx 10^3 \text{ cm}^{-3}$	$C_{2}H_{6}$ $C_{3}H_{8}$ $n-C_{4}H_{10}$ $CO$ $CH_{4}$ $CH_{3}Cl$ $CCl_{2}F_{2}$ $CCl_{3}F$ $CH_{3}CCl_{3}$ $CCl_{4}$ $HCl$ $NOCl$	1.5 0.25 0.25 100. 1700. 0.60 0.40 0.25 0.16 0.14 1.0 (0-2.0) 0.0 (0.0-0.05)



Calculated and observed mixing ratios in the troposphere and the lower stratosphere (*Singh & Kasting, 1988*)

Relevant for RH and other trace substances chemistry ?

Cl oxidation becomes an important sink for

- $C_2H_6, C_3H_8, H_2S, (CH_3)S \text{ at/above}$  $c_{Cl} \approx 10^4 \text{ cm}^{-3}$
- $CH_4$ ,  $CH_3Cl$  at/above  $c_{Cl} \approx 10^5$  cm<sup>-3</sup>
- *However*: Threshold mixing ratios would be lower, if additional Cl sources were included (= updated mechanism).
- → Despite  $c_{Cl} \approx 10^4 \text{ cm}^{-3} \text{ Cl}$  may account for as much as 3.3% of  $CH_4$  degradation in the southern hemisphere (*Platt et al., 2004*) as a consequence of

# **BrCl formed from seasalt** $\rightarrow 5.2.2$

#### **5.2.1.1.2 Heterogeneous Cl sources**

#### **Revisited** ( $\rightarrow$ 3.1.4.2.2): Chemistry of ground-level ozone in polar regions

(1) HOBr + Br<sup>-</sup> + H<sup>+</sup>  $\leftrightarrow$  Br<sub>2</sub> + H<sub>2</sub>O  $k_1 \ge 5.6 \times 10^9 \,\text{M}^{-2} \text{s}^{-1}, k_{-1} \le 1 \times 10^{-5} \,\text{s}^{-1}$ hypobromous acid ( $pK_a = 8.6$ ) (2)  $Br_2 + hv \rightarrow 2 Br$ (3) Br  $+ O_3 \rightarrow BrO + O_2$ (4) BrO· + HO<sub>2</sub>·  $\rightarrow$  HOBr + O<sub>2</sub> Sum: light catalysed (1-4) H<sup>+</sup> + Br<sup>-</sup> + HO<sub>2</sub>· + O<sub>3</sub>  $\rightarrow$  Br· + H<sub>2</sub>O + 2 O<sub>2</sub> oxidation of (sea salt) Cl<sup>-</sup> to gas-phase Cl atoms: (5) HOBr + Cl<sup>-</sup> + H<sup>+</sup>  $\leftrightarrow$  H<sub>2</sub>O + BrCl k<sub>5</sub> = 1.6x10<sup>10</sup> M<sup>-2</sup>s<sup>-1</sup>, k<sub>-1</sub> = 110 s<sup>-1</sup> (6)  $BrCl + h\nu \rightarrow Cl + Br$ Sum: light, Br catalysed (3-6) H<sup>+</sup> + Cl<sup>-</sup> + HO<sub>2</sub>· + O<sub>3</sub>  $\rightarrow$  Cl· + H<sub>2</sub>O + 2 O<sub>2</sub> Also on seasalt –

if only pH < 7 which could be due to sulfuric acid formation from DMS (Vogt et al., 1996; Platt et al., 2004) Initiation of catalytic cycles by 1. (dissolved) ozone:

In the aqueous phase

 $Cl^{-} + H^{+} + O_{3} \rightarrow HOCl + O_{2} \quad k < 0.001 M^{-1} s^{-1} \quad (slow)$ Br^- + H^+ + O\_{3} \rightarrow HOBr + O\_{2} \quad k = 258 M^{-1} s^{-1}

> Where? Zonal and vertical distribution of the hydrolysis of BrONO<sub>2</sub> (*Sousa Santos, 2008*)

High liquid water content in the troposphere.



#### **Cl distribution**



Scenarios of surface HCl sources (above) and RH reduction to 1% of true value (dotted below; *Singh & Kasting, 1988*)

	0	0	
CH4 & NMHCs	$k_{\rm Cl}^{\rm a}$	$k_{\rm OH}^{\rm a}$	$k_{\rm Cl}/k_{\rm OH}$
	$cm^3 mole$	$ec^{-1} s^{-1}$	
methane	1.00E-13	6.40E-15	16
ethane	5.90E-11	2.50E-13	238
propane	1.40E-10	1.00E-12	139
n-butane	2.10E-10	2.40E-12	87
acetylene	2.00E-10	2.50E-12	80
i-butane	1.40E-10	1.90E-12	74
n-pentane	2.50E-10	3.80E-12	66
n-hexane	3.00E-10	5.20E-12	58
i-pentane	2.00E-10	3.90E-12	51
cyclo-hexane	3.10E-10	7.00E-12	44
ethene	1.00E-10	8.50E-12	12
benzene	1.50E-11	1.20E-12	12
toluene	5.90E-11	5.60E-12	11
(m+p)-xylene	1.50E-10	1.40E-11	11
propene	2.40E-10	2.60E-11	9

Global scale estimate: Based on known  $c_{RH}$ ,  $k_{OH}$  and  $k_{Cl}$  ( $k_{Cl} / k_{OH} \approx 10^1 - 10^3$ ) estimation of upper limit for the northern hemisphere,  $c_{Cl} \le 10^3$  cm<sup>-3</sup> (Rudolph et al., 1996) Southern Ocean marine boundary layer and free troposphere (ACE1 flights from Hobart, Australia) by average (610±3)x10<sup>3</sup> OH vs. (0.72±0.1)x10<sup>3</sup> Cl based on measured data interpreted using a 3-box model (*Wingenter et al., 1999*):

**Table 2.** HO and Cl Rate Constants, Ratios of Rate Constants, and Calculated Percent

 Contribution of HO and Cl to Chemical Loss

				Calcuted Percent Loss By <sup>a</sup>		
	kHO	kCl	kHO/kCl	HO	Cl	
Tetrachloroetheneb	1.2E-13 <sup>c</sup>	4.0E-11	323	72	28	
Ethane	1.8E-13	5.6E-11	304	74	26	
Propane	9.2E-13	1.4E-10	150	85	15	
Ethyne <sup>b,d</sup>	6.7E-13	5.9E-11	88	91	9	
Methane	4.0E-15	7.0E-14	17	98	2	
Methyl chloroform	6 7E-15	4.4E-15	0.7	100	0	
DMS <sup>e</sup>	4.7E-12	3.3E-10	70	92	8	
Methyl bromide	2.0E-14	3.3E-13	16	98	2	

All rate constants (*DeMore et al.* [1997] or *Stickel et al.* [1992]) are expressed as second-order reactions having units of cm<sup>3</sup> molecules<sup>-1</sup>s<sup>-1</sup>. The average MBL temperature used was 277 K.

<sup>a</sup>Percent loss is  $kX \cdot [X]/(kHO \cdot [HO] + kCl \cdot [Cl])$ ; where X is either HO or Cl.

#### **Heterogeneous Cl sources – aqueous phase**

Cl can be formed secondarily from OH<sub>aqu</sub> or NO<sub>3 aqu</sub>, which, however, are scavenged by many inorganic and organic reactants. Hence, Cl is formed in very low concentrations (*Herrmann, 2003*).

aqueous phase

Daytime:  $2 \text{ Cl}^- + 2 \text{ OH} \rightarrow \text{Cl}_2 + 2 \text{ OH}^$ in fact acid catalyzed:  $\text{Cl}^- + \text{OH} \rightarrow \text{Cl}_2 + 2 \text{ OH}^ \text{Cl}^- + \text{OH} \rightarrow \text{Cl}_2 + 2 \text{ OH}^ \text{(ClOH}^-] + \text{OH}^- \rightarrow \text{Cl}_2 + 2 \text{ OH}^ \text{(ClOH}^-] + \text{OH}^- \rightarrow \text{Cl}_2 + 2 \text{ OH}^ \text{(ClOH}^-] + \text{OH}^- \rightarrow \text{(ClOH}^-]$  $\text{(ClOH}^-] + \text{OH}^+ \rightarrow \text{(HClOH}^-)$ 

 $[\text{HClOH} \cdot] \qquad \leftrightarrow \text{Cl} \cdot + \text{H}_2\text{O}$ 

→ Cloudwater chemistry. Not relevant for the aqueous phase associated with marine aerosol particles (pH ≈ 7-8)!

Nighttime:

$$Cl^- + NO_3 \cdot = Cl \cdot + NO_3^-$$

#### Heterogeneous Cl sources - marine aerosol particles

*However*: Release of Cl<sub>2</sub> directly from sea-salt particles

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On the particle surface:

2 \text{ Cl}^- + 2 \text{ OH}^- \rightarrow 2 [\text{Cl}...\text{OH}^-]_{\text{surf}} \rightarrow \text{Cl}_2 + 2 \text{ OH}^-

\text{Cl}_2 + h\nu \rightarrow 2 \text{ Cl}^-
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Daytime only
Main sink of Cl is reaction with O_3:
Cl \cdot + O_3 \rightarrow ClO \cdot + O_2
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... continued:

 $\text{ClO} + \text{NO}_2 \rightarrow \text{ClONO}_2$ 

adduct can react with seasalt particles (i.e.  $O_3$  depleting, Cl preserving cycle):  $ClONO_2 + NaCl \rightarrow Cl_2 + NaNO_3$ 

#### **Release from sea-salt - overview**

On the particle surface *(above)*: 2 Cl<sup>-</sup> + 2 OH·  $\rightarrow$  Cl<sub>2</sub> + 2 OH<sup>-</sup>

 $NO_{V}(N(V))$  reactions with sea-salt particles forming Cl precursors:

(1) $N_2O_5$	+ NaCl $\rightarrow$ ClNO <sub>2</sub>	$+ NaNO_3$
	nitryl chloride	
(2) NO <sub>3</sub> ·	$+ \operatorname{NaCl} \rightarrow \operatorname{Cl}$	$+ NaNO_3$
(3) HNO <sub>3</sub>	$+ \text{NaCl} \rightarrow \text{HCl}$	$+ NaNO_3$

(1)  $N_2O_5 + NaCl \rightarrow ClNO_2 + NaNO_3$ 

#### 1<sup>st</sup> field measurement of nitryl chloride (by CI-MS) $-N_2O_5$ and ClNO<sub>2</sub>tightly coupled



Figure 1 Maps of the study area. a,b, Maps of the study area showing a detailed view of the focused study area in the vicinity of Houston, Texas (shown in yellow) (a) and the ship track along the United States southeast coastline and across the Gulf of Mexico (b). Measured CINO<sub>2</sub> (5 min average) is plotted along the track scaled by size. The colour coding differentiates night time (red) from daytime (blue). Black dots along the Texas-Louisiana coast are oil and natural gas platforms. The locations of measurements shown in Figs 2 and 3 (18 August, 2 September and 8 September) are indicated.



High levels ( $\leq 1$  ppbv) under high NO<sub>x</sub> in the subtropical marine boundary layer (Osthoff et al., 2008)



**Fig. 1.** Efficient reaction of  $ClNO_2$  with  $Cl^-$  to form  $Cl_2$  (60 to 100% conversion within measurement precision) on deliquesced oxalic acid and NaCl. Mixing ratios were in parts per billion by volume, ppbv. Mass scans 1 and 2 are shown in fig. S1.

(*Roberts et al., 2008*)

## 5.2.1.2 Chemistry of Cl5.2.1.2.1 Significance for hydrocarbon chemistry

(1)  $\operatorname{Cl} + \operatorname{RH} \rightarrow \operatorname{HCl} + \operatorname{R} \quad k \approx 100. \times 10^{-12} \operatorname{cm^{3}molec^{-1}s^{-1}}$ (2)  $\operatorname{Cl} + \operatorname{O}_{3} \rightarrow \operatorname{ClO} + \operatorname{O}_{2} \quad k = 12. \times 10^{-12} \operatorname{cm^{3}molec^{-1}s^{-1}}$ 

Overall assessment of the significance of Cl for the oxidation capacity of the global atmosphere: Unclear Tentative conclusion: **Can be of importance on the regional scale** 

**5.2.1.2.2 Indirect methods to determine Cl atoms** 

*No direct method exists* to measure 10<sup>5</sup> cm<sup>-3</sup> Cl.

#### Indirect method: infer Cl reactivity from known rate constants:

 $\begin{aligned} & \text{Relative rates of loss of hydrocarbons, i and j:} \\ & -dc_i/dt = 0 = k_{\text{OH i}} \ c_{\text{OH}} + k_{\text{Cl i}} \ c_{\text{Cl}} \\ & -dc_j/dt = 0 = k_{\text{OH j}} \ c_{\text{OH}} + k_{\text{Cl j}} \ c_{\text{Cl}} \end{aligned}$ 



Result Arctic boundary layer: In ozone depleting chemistry, unlike normal ozone chemistry, Cl may take over in hydrocarbon degradation. (*Jobson et al., 1994*)

Indirect method: infer  $c_{Cl}/c_{OH}$  from known rate constants: (*Rudolph, 1997*): ln( $c_i/c_k$ ) = a x ln( $c_i/c_k$ ) + b with: hydrocarbons i, j, k

Slope 
$$a = [k_{OH k} c_{OH} + (c_{Cl}/c_{OH}) k_{Cl k} c_{Cl} - k_{OH i} c_{OH} - (c_{Cl}/c_{OH}) k_{Cl i} c_{Cl}]/$$
  
 $[k_{OH k} c_{OH} + (c_{Cl}/c_{OH}) k_{Cl k} c_{Cl} - k_{OH j} c_{OH} - (c_{Cl}/c_{OH}) k_{Cl j} c_{Cl}]$   
provides:

 $(c_{Cl}/c_{OH}) = [a (k_{OH k} - k_{OH j}) + k_{OH i} - k_{OH k}] / [a (k_{Cl j} - k_{Cl k}) + k_{Cl k} - k_{Cl i}]$ 

5

3

2

0.0

[i-butane]/[n-butane]

(b)

low insolation

2.0

1.0

[i-butane]/[propane]

CH₄ & NMHCs	$k_{\rm Cl}^{\rm a}$	$k_{ m OH}^{ m a}$	$k_{\rm Cl}/k_{\rm OH}$	%Cl <sup>b</sup>	lifetime	e toward <sup>c</sup>
	cm <sup>3</sup> mole	$ec^{-1} s^{-1}$	er on		C1	OH
methane	1.00E-13	6.40E-15	16	8.2	14 y	1.5 y
ethane	5.90E-11	2.50E-13	238	57.6	8.5 d	11.5 d
propane	1.40E-10	1.00E-12	139	44.6	3.5 d	2.9 d
n-butane	2.10E-10	2.40E-12	87	33.5	2.4 d	1.2 d
acetylene	2.00E-10	2.50E-12	80	31.5	2.5 d	1.2 d
i-butane	1.40E-10	1.90E-12	74	29.8	3.5 d	1.5 d
n-pentane	2.50E-10	3.80E-12	66	27.4	2.0 d	18 h
n-hexane	3.00E-10	5.20E-12	58	24.9	1.5 d	13 h
i-pentane	2.00E-10	3.90E-12	51	22.8	2.5 d	$18 \mathrm{h}$
cyclo-hexane	3.10E-10	7.00E-12	44	20.3	1.6 d	$10\mathrm{h}$
ethene	1.00E-10	8.50E-12	12	6.3	5.3 d	9 h
benzene	1.50E-11	1.20E-12	12	6.7	33 d	2.4 d
toluene	5.90E-11	5.60E-12	11	5.7	80 d	12h
(m+p)-xylene	1.50E-10	1.40E-11	11	5.8	3.3 d	5 h
propene	2.40E-10	2.60E-11	9	5.0	2.1 d	2.5 h



#### Cl chemistry – Impact on atmospheric chemistry ?

In polluted coastal areas <u>ozone formation may be significantly enhanced</u> by Cl atom (radical) sources.

Considering additional reactions\*, morning ozone and peak ozone in the afternoon increased (by 12 and 4 ppbv, respectively, in Los Angeles, August 1987; SCAQS episode; *Knipping & Dabdub, 2003*):

\* 2 Cl<sup>-</sup> + 2 OH·  $\rightarrow$  Cl<sub>2</sub> + 2 OH<sup>-</sup> ClO· + NO<sub>2</sub>  $\rightarrow$  ClONO<sub>2</sub> ClONO<sub>2</sub> + NaCl  $\rightarrow$  Cl<sub>2</sub> + NaNO<sub>3</sub>



FIGURE 4. Ground-level ozone mixing ratio difference contours for September 9, 1993 (all values in parts per billion). Shown are diagrams illustrating the value obtained by subtracting the ozone mixing ratios predicted by the Case CI Chem simulation from the ozone mixing ratios predicted by the base-case simulation at (a) 1000, (b) 1200, (c) 1500, and (d) 1800 PST.

#### Cl chemistry – Impact on atmospheric chemistry ? (2)



Fig. 1. Ozone, CMBO, and CMBA mixing ratios for 30, 31, August and 5 September 2000 at the La Porte, TX site. Data from 1–4 September are not included to improve clarity. As shown, the unique products of Cl  $\cdot$  with isoprene (CMBO and CMBA) were detected in the morning hours after sunrise, coincident with increases in the ozone mixing ratio.

**Cl adducts:** Measurement of reaction products, or marker species, unique to the reaction of Cl with VOCs: 1-chloro-3-methyl-3-butene-2-one  $(CH_2=C(CH_3)C(O)CH_2Cl; CMBO)$  and chloromethylbutenal (ClCH<sub>2</sub>C(CH<sub>3</sub>)=CHCHO;

• Impact on ozone chemistry



Absolute difference in ozone prediction with Cl chemistry (regional photochemical model; Carbon Bond IV mechanism)

(*Tanaka et al., 2003*)

#### **5.2.1.2.3 Cl chemistry in the aqueous phase**

**Inorganics:**  $k_{Cl} = (0.1-5)x10^9 M^{-1}s^{-1}$  for the major anions,

(5)  $Cl^- + Cl \leftrightarrow Cl_2^{-}$ 

The reactivity is a few orders of magnitude lower for the  $Cl_2^{-}(5)$ .

 $k_{Cl} = 2x10^9 \text{ M}^{-1}\text{s}^{-1} \text{ for } H_2O_2$ 

(*Herrmann*, 2003)

Organics:

 $k_{Cl} = (1-4)x10^9 \text{ M}^{-1}\text{s}^{-1}$  for aliphatic ROH, RCOOH, benzene,  $k_{Cl} = 0.2x10^9 \text{ M}^{-1}\text{s}^{-1}$  for CH<sub>3</sub>Cl

i.e., not faster than OH reactions.

#### Cl and Br species in the marine boundary layer



Simulation: Box model run 2 d (steady state after 14 d), input: 40 ppbv O<sub>3</sub>, 0 HCl, 0.005  $NO_x$ , 0.5 C<sub>2</sub>H<sub>6</sub> (*Vogt et al., 1996*), Cl gas-phase species initiated by SO<sub>2</sub> oxidation:



Cl and Br species in the marine boundary layer: S(IV) oxidation



Box model run 48 h, 40 ppbv O<sub>3</sub>, 0.005 NO<sub>x</sub>, 0.5 C<sub>2</sub>H<sub>6</sub> (Vogt et al., 1996)

HOCl may be responsible for 40% of the <u>S(IV) oxidation in the particulate phase</u>: HOCl<sub>aqu</sub> + HSO<sub>3</sub><sup>-</sup><sub>aqu</sub>  $\rightarrow$  SO<sub>4</sub><sup>2-</sup><sub>aqu</sub> + Cl<sup>-</sup><sub>aqu</sub> + 2 H<sup>+</sup><sub>aqu</sub>

### 5.2.2 Br atom 5.2.2.1 Sources

### Autocatalytic mechanism for Br release from sea-salt particles

(1) HOBr + Br<sup>-</sup> + H<sup>+</sup>  $\leftrightarrow$  Br<sub>2</sub> + H<sub>2</sub>O  $k_1 \ge 5.6 \times 10^9 M^{-2} s^{-1}, k_{-1} \le 1 \times 10^{-5} s^{-1}$ (5) HOBr + Cl<sup>-</sup> + H<sup>+</sup>  $\leftrightarrow$  H<sub>2</sub>O + BrCl  $k_5 = 1.6 \times 10^{10} M^{-2} s^{-1}, k_{-5} = 110 s^{-1}$ 

products Br<sub>2</sub> and BrCl are slightly soluble

 $k_1$  not fast enough:  $c_{Cl}/c_{Br} = 700 \rightarrow (5)$  is more important than (1) Autocatalytic Br activation:

(6)  $\operatorname{BrCl} + \operatorname{Br} \leftrightarrow \operatorname{Br}_2\operatorname{Cl}^ \operatorname{K}_7 = 1.8 \times 10^4 \, \mathrm{M}^{-1}$ (7)  $\operatorname{Br}_2\operatorname{Cl}^- \leftrightarrow \operatorname{Br}_2 + \operatorname{Cl}^-$ (8)  $\operatorname{BrCl} + \operatorname{Cl}^- \leftrightarrow \operatorname{BrCl}_2^ \operatorname{K}_9 = 3.8 \, \mathrm{M}^{-1}$   $\operatorname{c}_{\operatorname{Cl}}/\operatorname{c}_{\operatorname{Br}^-} = 700 \rightarrow (6)$  is more important than (8) (2)  $\operatorname{Br}_2 + \operatorname{hv} \rightarrow 2 \, \operatorname{Br}^-$ 

Together with:

 $2x(3) Br + O_3 \rightarrow BrO + O_2$  $2x(4) BrO + HO_2 \rightarrow HOBr + O_2$ 

*Sum:* light and Cl<sup>-</sup> catalysed:

 $(2-5+6-7) 0.5 \operatorname{Br}_2 + 2 \operatorname{HO}_2 + 2 \operatorname{O}_3 + \operatorname{H}^+ \rightarrow \operatorname{HOBr} + 4 \operatorname{O}_2 + \operatorname{H}_2\operatorname{O}$ 

(1) HOBr + Br<sup>-</sup> + H<sup>+</sup>  $\leftrightarrow$  Br<sub>2</sub> + H<sub>2</sub>O  $k_1 \ge 5.6 \times 10^9 M^{-2} s^{-1}, k_{-1} \le 1 \times 10^{-5} s^{-1}$ (5) HOBr + Cl<sup>-</sup> + H<sup>+</sup>  $\leftrightarrow$  H<sub>2</sub>O + BrCl k<sub>5</sub> = 1.6x10<sup>10</sup>M<sup>-2</sup>s<sup>-1</sup>, k<sub>-5</sub> = 110s<sup>-1</sup> products Br<sub>2</sub> and BrCl are slightly soluble  $c_{CL}/c_{Br} = 700 \rightarrow (5)$  is more important than (1a)

Zonal and vertical distribution of the uptake of HOBr on spherical particles:  $\Gamma$  HOBr + HCl, lon average



 $\Gamma$  HOBr + HBr, lon average

(Sousa Santos, 2008)

Oxidation of (sea salt) Cl<sup>-</sup> to gas-phase Cl atoms: (5) HOBr + Cl<sup>-</sup> + H<sup>+</sup>  $\leftrightarrow$  H<sub>2</sub>O + BrCl k<sub>5</sub> = 1.6x10<sup>10</sup> M<sup>-2</sup>s<sup>-1</sup>, k<sub>-1</sub> = 110 s<sup>-1</sup> HOBr formed in

Revisited ( $\rightarrow$  3.1.4.2.2, 5.2.1.1.2):

Alternative to BrCl photolysis: (6)  $BrCl + Br^{-} \leftrightarrow Br_{2}Cl^{-}$ (7)  $Br_{2}Cl^{-} \leftrightarrow Br_{2} + Cl^{-}$ (8)  $Br_{2}Cl^{-} \leftrightarrow BrCl + Br^{-}$  (3)  $\operatorname{Br} + \operatorname{O}_3 \to \operatorname{Br} \operatorname{O} + \operatorname{O}_2$ (4)  $\operatorname{Br} \operatorname{O} + \operatorname{HO}_2 \to \operatorname{HOBr} + \operatorname{O}_2$ 

 $K_6 = 1.8 \times 10^4 \text{ M}^{-1}$ 

Similar to (7)

**Efficiency of Br cycling ?** 

> 1 Br·/HOBr returned ?

Cl would rapidly react with hydrocarbons, while Br would not. Which halogens are finally released, Br<sub>2</sub> or BrCl ? **Efficiency of Br cycling ?** 

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(5)  $HOBr + Cl^- + H^+ \leftrightarrow H_2O + BrCl$ (6b)  $BrCl + Br^- \leftrightarrow Br_2Cl^- \qquad \leftrightarrow Br_2 + Cl^- \qquad \leftrightarrow BrCl + Br^-$ 



(Fickert et al., 1999)

#### 5.2.2.2 Chemistry of Br

• Heterogeneous Cl source  $\rightarrow$  5.2.1.1.2):

• Impact on ozone chemistry

• Br species in the marine boundary layer (box model run 48 h, 40 ppbv O<sub>3</sub>, 5 pptv NO<sub>x</sub>, 0.5 ppbv C<sub>2</sub>H<sub>6</sub>; *Vogt et al., 1996*)



HOBr may be responsible for 20% of the <u>S(IV) oxidation in the particulate phase</u>: HOBr<sub>aqu</sub> + HSO<sub>3</sub><sup>-</sup><sub>aqu</sub>  $\rightarrow$  SO<sub>4</sub><sup>2-</sup><sub>aqu</sub> + Br<sup>-</sup><sub>aqu</sub> + 2 H<sup>+</sup><sub>aqu</sub> Bromine production from Sea Salt Jun 2000



Bromine production from Sea Salt Dec 2000



Br production rate [molec cm<sup>-3</sup> s<sup>-1</sup>] (3D model MOZART4; *Sousa Santos, 2008*)

### **Chemistry of Br (2)**

#### Impact on ozone

(SS3ice - Base Run)  $\times$  100/ Base Run [%]



Concentrations of the bromine species [molec cm<sup>-3</sup>, ppt in square brackets]

and highest chemical fluxes [molecules cm<sup>-3</sup> s<sup>-1</sup>] calculated for the region of high Br production rates from sea salt in the Southern Pacific at the surface at local noon



% difference in ozone with/without Br sea-salt and  $C_1$ -halocarbon chemistry BrO VTCD [molecules/cm<sup>2</sup>]SS3ice



BrO column density (3D model MOZART4; *Sousa Santos, 2008*)

### 5.2.3 HCl 5.2.3.1 Sources Acid displacement: (1) HNO<sub>3</sub> + NaCl $\rightarrow$ H (2) HSO<sub>4</sub><sup>-</sup> + NaCl $\rightarrow$ H

 $\rightarrow \text{HCl} + \text{NaNO}_3 \\ \rightarrow \text{HCl} + \text{SO}_4^{2-}$ 

#### This HCl, when found in rainwater, is still balanced by seasalt Na<sup>+</sup>.

Table 3. Non-sea-salt  $Cl^-$  and  $SO_4^{2-}$ ,  $NO_3^-$  and  $NH_4^+$  concentrations ( $\mu eq/l$ ) in remote rain; also,  $nssCl^-/(H^+ + NH_4^+)$  ratios and annual depositions of  $nssCl^-$  are given

Site	nssCl-	$NO_3^-$	$nssSO_4^{2-}$	$\mathrm{NH}_4^+$	$\frac{nssCl^{-/}}{(H^{+}+NH_{4}^{+})}$	nssCl <sup>-</sup> dep. (µeq/m²/yr)
Tropics						
Lake Calado (Brazil)	1.8	3.5	4.2	3.0	0.09	4957
	1.8	4.2	1.7	6.6	0.09	
Katherine (Australia)	2.71	4.0	3.4	2.9	0.14	2829
Jabiru (Australia)	3.1	3.2	4.7	1.7	0.21	3658
Turrialba (Costa Rica)	1.5	1.3	3.7	3.6	0.21	3080
El Verde (Pto. Rico)	4.8	4.3	8.5	2.9	[0.44]	[16353]
Venezuelan savannah <sup>a)</sup>	1.9 - 3.2	2.7 - 4.6	2.1 - 4.4	1.9 - 13.4	0.07 - 0.30	2200-5100
Auyantepuy (Venezuela)	2.38	2.4	≤0.44	0.31	0.44	5950
Canaima (Venezuela)	1.44	0.55	0.65	≤0.37	0.10	3686
Temperate						
Torres del Paine (Chile)	1.6	0.5	1.2	0.6	0.14	1200
Amsterdam Island	4.3	1.6	4.8	2.4	0.4	[5400]
Barrington (Australia)	1.9	7.3	6.5	7.1	0.22	
Dorrigo (Australia)	2.0	9.7	8.5	3.3	0.31	
Wagga Wagga (Australia)	5.5	9.8	12.3	13.0	0.35	3135
Polar						
Poker Flat Alaska	1.2	1.9	7.0	1.3	0.11	410
Greenland (snow)	0.23	2.0	2.4	0.5		48
South Pole (snow)	0.52	1.4	1.4	0.16	0.15	
	0.4	1.6	1.4	0.07		29

(Sanhueza, 2001)

Non-sea salt chlorine in rain indicates <u>additional</u> sources:

(3)  $RH + Cl \rightarrow HCl + R \rightarrow$ (4)  $RCl + OH \rightarrow \rightarrow HCl$ 

#### $RC1 + OH \cdot$

 $(1,2) \operatorname{CH}_3\operatorname{Cl} + \operatorname{OH} \longrightarrow \operatorname{CH}_2\operatorname{Cl} \longrightarrow \operatorname{CH}_2\operatorname{ClOO}$ most abundant RCl (4-5 Tg) (3a)  $CH_2CIOO + NO \rightarrow CH_2CIO + NO_2$  $+ O_2 \rightarrow CHClO + HO_2$ (3b) $+ HO_2 \rightarrow CH_2ClOOH + O_2$ (3ca)  $\rightarrow$  CHClO + H<sub>2</sub>O + O<sub>2</sub> (3cb)formylhalide (4ca)  $CH_2CIOOH + OH \rightarrow CH_2CIOO + H_2O$  $+ h\nu \rightarrow CH_2ClO + OH$ (4cb)(5)  $CH_2CIO + OH \rightarrow H_2O + CHCIO$ (6) CHClO  $\rightarrow$  HCl + CO

Balance: 1 HCl formed per CH<sub>3</sub>Cl

$$(1,2) \operatorname{CHCl}_{3} + \operatorname{OH} \longrightarrow \operatorname{CCl}_{3} + \operatorname{H}_{2}\operatorname{O}$$

$$(2) \operatorname{CCl}_{3} + \operatorname{O}_{2} \longrightarrow \operatorname{CCl}_{3}\operatorname{OO}$$

$$(3a) \operatorname{CCl}_{3}\operatorname{OO} + \operatorname{NO} \longrightarrow \operatorname{CCl}_{3}\operatorname{O} + \operatorname{NO}_{2}$$

$$(3b) \qquad + \operatorname{HO}_{2} \longrightarrow \operatorname{CCl}_{3}\operatorname{OOH} + \operatorname{O}_{2}$$

$$(4a) \operatorname{CCl}_{3}\operatorname{O} \qquad \rightarrow \operatorname{CCl}_{2}\operatorname{O} + \operatorname{Cl}$$

$$(5) \operatorname{Cl} + \operatorname{RH} \longrightarrow \operatorname{HCl}$$
Balance:  $\approx 1$  HCl formed per CHCl<sub>3</sub>

Chlorocarbon	Total source <sup>a)</sup> (Tg/yr)	Global OH sink (Tg/yr)	HCl production gas phase (Tg/yr)	
CH <sub>3</sub> Cl	3.7	3.4	2.4	
$CH_2Cl_2$	$(30-50\%)^{b}$ 0.76-0.86	0.56	0.5	Additional HCl in clouds/on
CHCl <sub>3</sub>	$(\sim 80\%)$ 0.35–0.6 (-12%)	0.49	0.14	aerosol particles:
CH <sub>3</sub> CCl <sub>3</sub>	$(\sim 12\%)$ 0.74	0.38	0.1	(5) $CCl_2O \leftrightarrow CCl_2O_{aqu}$
CH <sub>2</sub> ClCH <sub>2</sub> Cl	(100%)	0.27	0.05-0.1	(6) $\text{CCl}_2\text{O}_{\text{acu}} + \text{H}_2\text{O} \leftrightarrow 2$
CHCICCI <sub>2</sub>	0.25-0.36 (70-90%)	0.43	0.15	$HCl + CO_2$
$CCl_2CCl_2$	0.36-0.48	0.51	?	2
CHClF <sub>2</sub>	$(\sim 93\%)$ 0.15 (100%)	0.057	0.03	(Sanhueza, 2001)

Table 4. Global tropospheric production of HCl from chlorocarbon oxidation

### Global HCl sources

	TgCl/yr	Ref.
dechlorination of sea salt aerosols	$50 \pm 20$	Graedel and Keene (1995)
via acid displacement	7.6	Erickson et al. (1999)
coal combustion	$4.6 \pm 4.3$	McCulloch et al. (1999)
waste burning	$2 \pm 1.9$	McCulloch et al. (1999)
volcanoes	0.4 - 11	Symonds et al. (1988)
biomass burning	< 6	Lobert et al. (1999)
transport from the stratosphere	0.3	Keene et al. (1999)
chlorocarbons oxidation	$\sim$ 4.2	Present paper

 $\tau_{\text{HCl}} = 1-2 \text{ d}$  (deposition limited)

(Sanhueza, 2001)

Revisited (NH<sub>3</sub> measurement  $\rightarrow$  9.1.1.2):

Denuder

- Artefact free: particle phase passes without losses
- Rapid automated on-line and (semi-)continuous measurement method
- Addresses gas-phase



(Wyers et al., 1993)