



NCAR / ACCORD In situ NO, NO₂, (NO_y), and O₃

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MIRAGE Configuration





Current Configuration





Inlet on C130 for MIRAGE





Measurement & Calibration

- NO via chemiluminescence (rxn w/ reagent O₃).
- NO₂ via photolytic conversion to NO.
- NO_v via Au-catalyzed conversion to NO.
- All three calibrated several times per flight with NO and NO₂ addition to sample flow.
- O₃ via chemiluminescence (rxn w/ reagent NO).
 Calibrated on ground several times before, during, after project.
- Continuous, 1-Hz data.





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