

Supplementary Materials:

Evaluation of MERRA-2 Black Carbon Characteristics and Potential Sources over China

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Table S1. Information of the ground-based sites over China.

ID	Station	Longitude (degree)	Latitude (degree)	Type	Province	Region
1	Qilianshan ^[1]	96.30	39.30	Countryside	Qinhai	Northwest
2	Lanzhou ^[2]	103.51	36.00	Urban	Gansu	
3	Wulumuqi ^[3]	87.35	43.53	Urban	Xinjiang	
4	Xian ^[4]	108.55	34.17	Urban	Shaanxi	
5	Waliguan ^[5]	100.54	36.17	Background	Qinhai	
6	Taklimakan Desert ^[6]	83.39	38.58	Countryside	Xinjiang	
7	Chengdu ^[7]	103.59	30.35	Urban	Sichuan	Southwest
8	Chongqing ^[8]	106.30	29.36	Urban	Chongqing	
9	Guiyang ^[9]	106.07	26.11	Urban	Guizhou	
10	Lasa ^[10]	91.10	29.60	Urban	Xizang	
11	Linan ^[11]	119.42	30.13	Background	Zhejiang	East China
12	Nanjing ^[12]	118.70	32.20	Urban	Jiangsu	
13	Suzhou ^[13]	120.65	31.38	Urban	Jiangsu	
14	Shanghai ^[14]	121.25	31.10	Urban	Shanghai	
15	Huimin ^[15]	117.53	37.49	Countryside	Shandong	
16	Hefei ^[16]	117.19	31.90	Urban	Anhui	
17	Shouxian ^[17]	116.47	32.26	Countryside	Anhui	
18	Guilin ^[11]	110.18	25.19	Urban	Guangxi	Central South
19	Zhengzhou ^[11]	113.65	34.72	Urban	Henan	
20	Panyu ^[18]	113.21	23.00	Countryside	Guangdong	
21	Wuhan ^[19]	114.31	30.59	Urban	Hubei	
22	Dongguan ^[20]	113.75	23.02	Urban	Guangdong	
23	Shenzhenxichong ^[21]	114.33	22.29	Background	Guangdong	
24	Shenzhenzhuzilin ^[21]	114.03	22.32	Urban	Guangdong	
25	Beijing ^[22]	116.47	39.80	Urban	Beijing	North China
26	Tianjin ^[23]	117.12	39.04	Urban	Tianjin	
27	Shijiazhuang ^[24]	114.53	37.98	Urban	Hebei	
28	Handan ^[25]	114.50	36.57	Urban	Hebei	
29	Changchun ^[26]	125.13	43.54	Urban	Jilin	Northeast
30	Shenyang ^[26]	123.31	41.44	Urban	Shenyang	
31	Fuxun ^[26]	124.05	41.55	Urban	Liaoning	
32	Benxi ^[26]	123.47	41.19	Urban	Liaoning	
33	Anshan ^[26]	123.00	41.05	Urban	Liaoning	
34	Dalian ^[26]	121.38	38.54	Urban	Liaoning	
35	Longfengshan ^[26]	127.36	44.44	Background	Heilongjiang	

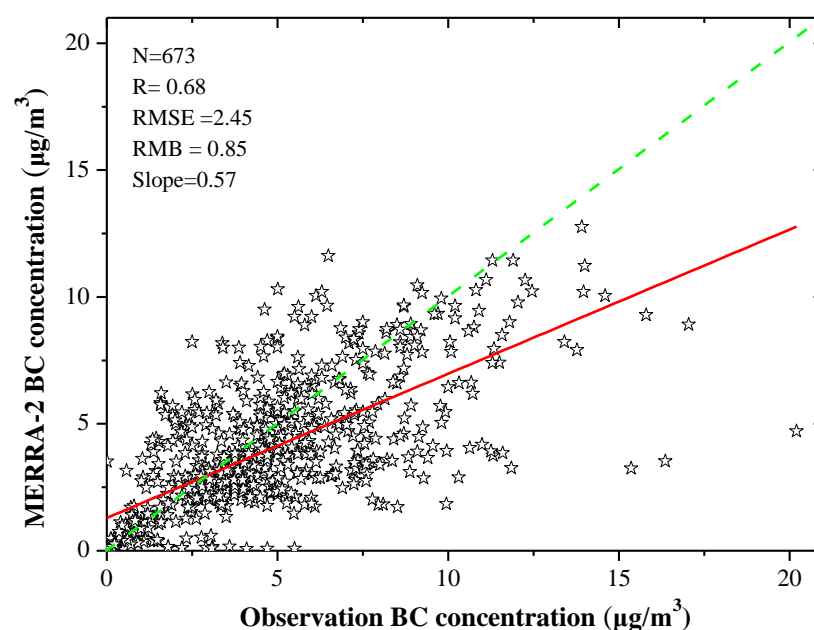


Figure S1. Comparison of the monthly average MERRA-2 BC concentration and ground observations over China. The green and red line mean 1:1 path and fitted line, respectively.

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