

The PM **PROBLEM**

What are the sources of PM10 and PM2.5 pollution in streets?

How to model the different contributions?

•exhaust emissions

•non-exhaust emissions



Calculation of emission factors of PM10 and PM2.5 using WinOSPM and measurements from the permanent monitoring stations in Copenhagen

Emission factors are calculated using the so-called "inverse method". The Operational Street Pollution Model (OSPM) is used to calculate the dilution function C_st. The street contribution (street level concentration – urban background) can so be expressed by

 $C = Q * C_st$

From this equation the emission from the street traffic can thus be calculated as

 $Q = C/C_{st}$

This provides the total emissions from the traffic in the street. Consequently the average emission factors (g/km) can be calculated for each hour as:

EmiFact = Q/Traffic

Emission factors for PM10 and PM2.5 calculated by this method can be compared with the theoretical emission factors estimated taking into account the exhaust and non-exhaust contributions from the traffic.



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