

**Work Package 4**  
Laboratory testing under controlled conditions

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4.2 Anne Mette Madsen	Transport mechanisms of microbiological contaminants
4.3.1.1 Torben Sigsgaard	Human exposure to chitin
4.3.1.2 Ingunn Riddervold	Human exposure to [ozone + dust]
4.3.2 Peder Wolkoff	Animal bioassay testing

**Work Package 4.1**  
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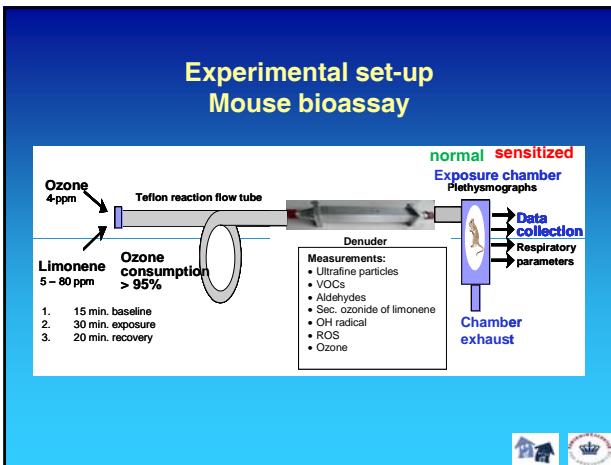
Per A. Clausen	Dust particle chemistry/dynamics
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2010-2011:

- Paper about temperature dependent DEHP emission  
2nd review process
- DEHP dust emission study needs some additional experiments before writing up

2011-2012:

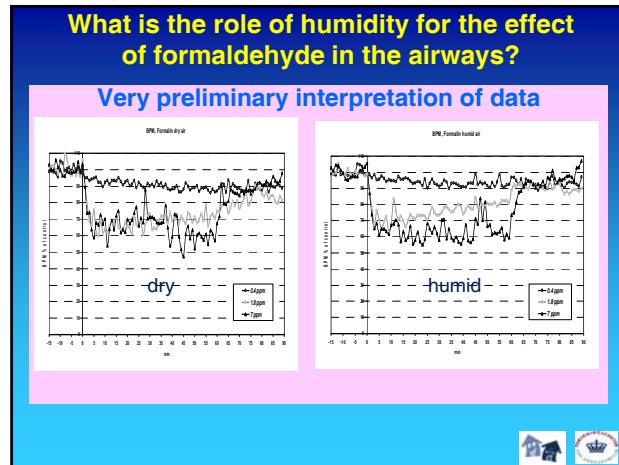
- Long-term emission from dust particles exposed to ozone (WP4.3.1 support)

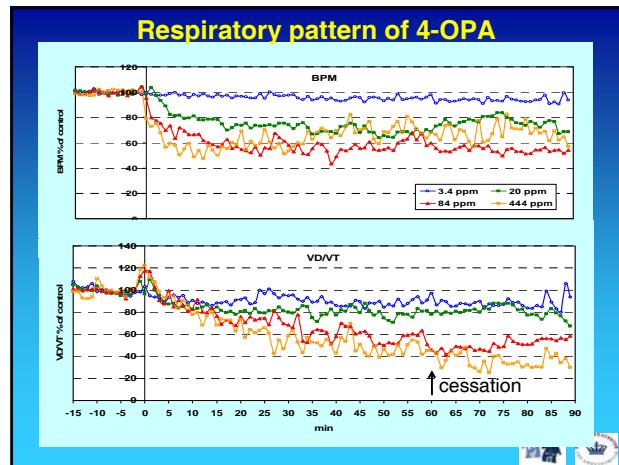
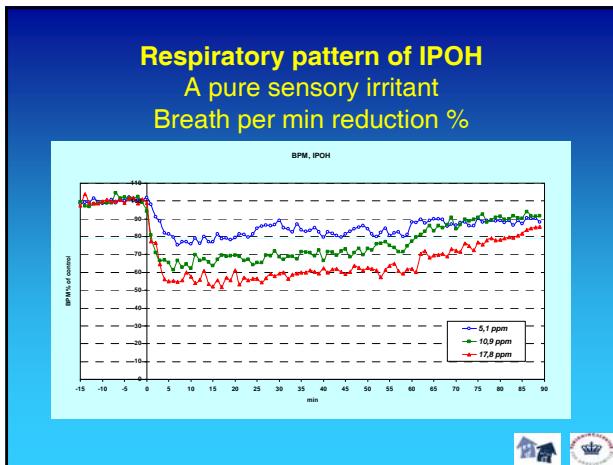
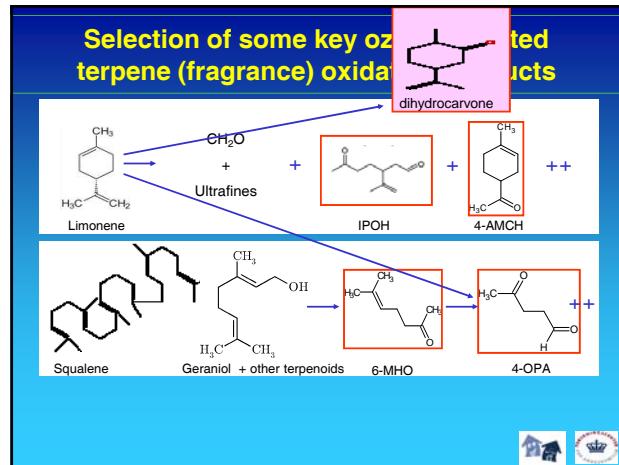
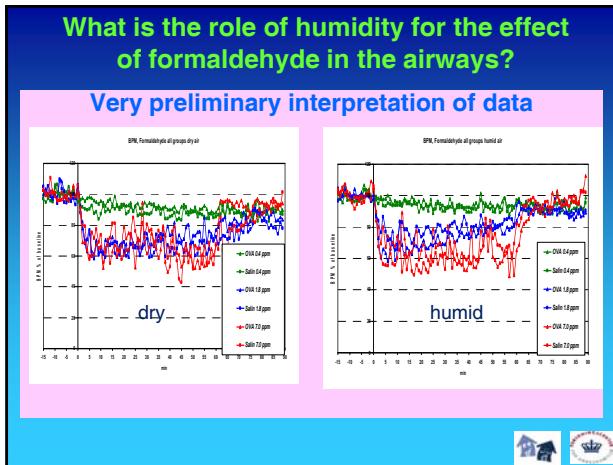


- Formaldehyde hypotheses**  
"humidity and sensitization"
- Dry conditions exacerbate sensory irritation?
  - Dry conditions cause effects in lower airways?
  - Sensitization cause exacerbation?
  - Sensitization and dry conditions amplify the effects?

**Formaldehyde 2010-2011**  
**Nitrogen dioxide 2012-2013**  
Test protocol BALB/ca male mice

Days						
0	14	21	28	29	30	31
+	Boost	Boost	Aerosol Ovalbumin	Aerosol Ovalbumin		Formaldehyde exposure
				Rel. hum.	Rel. hum.	Rel. hum.
-				Rel. hum.	Rel. hum.	Rel. hum. Bronchoalveolar lavage
+ = Immunization - = Immunization Relative humidity (Low, medium, high) 3 different concentrations around RD <sub>50</sub>						





**RD<sub>50</sub>, LOAEL, REL values (mg/m<sup>3</sup>)**

Compound	RD <sub>50</sub>	LOAEL*	REL*	Effects	
				Sensory irritation	Lung effects
(+)-Limonene	6000	392	54	-	-
4-AMCH	3390	240	24	(+)	+
6-MHO	6190	403	56	-	+ moderate
IPOH	~130	~15	~0.25	+ strong	-
4-OHA	nd			1-10 min strong	10-30 severe
Dihydrocarvone	?	?	?	?	?
CH <sub>2</sub> O	5	0.75	0.003	strong	-

\* Kuwabara et al. EHP 115 (2007) 1609-1616 - for the general population.

**Comparison of sensitization index, in vitro and in vivo data**

Compound	In vitro effects		In vivo effects	
	Sensitization potential index	Lung cells inflammatory mediators	Sensory irritation	Lung effects
(+)-Limonene	0.18	-	-	-
4-AMCH	0.25	-	(+)	+
Dihydrocarvone	-	-	-	-
IPOH	0.81	-	+ strong	-
6-MHO	0.23	-	-	+ moderate
4-OHA	0.52	IL-6, TNF- $\alpha$ GM-CSF	31% 6-HHO + * 0.6% 4-OHA no sign. effect	1-10 min strong 10-30 severe
	"Predicted" Forester and Wells, 2009	Andersson et al. 2010 * $\alpha$ -terpineol + O <sub>3</sub>	This work	