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Abstract

The Air Quality Directive, AQD, (2008/50/EC), set up the rules concerning the reference methods (RM) for the measurements of e.g. mass concentration of particulate matter in air. A member state (MS) can use any other method, which it can demonstrate to display a consistent relationship with the reference method. Demonstration of equivalence (DoE) for automated continuous monitoring systems (AMS) for determination of the PM_{2.5} and PM₁₀ mass concentration of suspended particulate matter was conducted in Finland at the city of Kuopio during 2014-15 (Walden et al., 2017). The tested AMS were used in Finland at the local air quality networks for controlling the limit values for PM_{2.5} and PM₁₀ mass concentration measurements. The purpose of the verification exercise was to demonstrate whether the AMS tested and approved during the DoE study in Kuopio are applicable elsewhere in Finland.

The comparison of the AMS of the local network (site) with the RM was performed in various parts of Finland (south and north, east and west) to see if the AMS, which was approved as equivalence method still fulfills the suitability criteria elsewhere in Finland. Verification campaigns took place at eight measurement sites of different local air quality networks in Finland either for PM_{2.5} or PM₁₀ measurements. AMS whose DoE was approved were: FH62-IR, Grimm model 180, MP101 CPM, Osiris, SHARP model 5030 and TEOM 1405. Additionally TEOM 1405D and APM-2 were tested for verification, though they did not participate in the DoE tests in Kuopio, but are used at some of the networks.

The test strategy was modified from the relevant EN-standard for using the AMS for measurements of PM_{2.5} and PM₁₀ concentrations in ambient air. This strategy enabled to include more sites and tested instruments into the study but with lack of less seasonality than would have been needed by following the guide accurately. As a result of the verification study the calibration factors achieved at DoE in Kuopio are applicable for the same model of AMS tested in Kuopio in different locations in Finland with few limitations. The FH62-IR made better performance by using the calibration factor obtained in this study in Helsinki than based on the DoE in Kuopio. Osiris passed the test for PM₁₀ but not for PM_{2.5} measurements just like in Kuopio. APM-2 has been tested by Rheinland Energie und Umwelt GmbH, TÜV that is accredited testing laboratory and found to be equivalent with the reference method both for PM_{2.5} and for PM₁₀ measurements. Based on the test results by TÜV and the verification results achieved in this study, the APM-2 can be used for PM_{2.5} and for PM₁₀ measurements in Finland, but applying the calibration factors obtained in this study. TEOM 1405D has not been tested for DoE and cannot be claimed equivalent to reference method. Therefore calibration factors obtained in this study cannot be used for TEOM 1405D.

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Jatkuvatoimisten hiukkasmittalaitteiden soveltuvuus PM_{2.5}- ja PM₁₀-mittauksiin Suomessa.

Tiivistelmä

Euroopan Yhteisön CAFÉ-direktiivi (2008/50/EY) määrittää vertailumenetelmät esimerkiksi hiukkasten massapitoisuuden mittamiseksi ilmassa. EU:n jäsenmaa voi käyttää mitä tahansa muuta menetelmää, jonka tulokset ovat yhtenevä vertailumenetelmän antamien tulosten kanssa. Jatkuvatoimisten hiukkasmittalaitteiden (AMS) vastavuutta vertailumenetelmää vastaan on testattu Kuopiassa PM₁₀ ja PM_{2.5} vertailumittauksissa vuosina 2014-15 (Walden ym. 2017). Testauksessa mukana olleet laitteet ovat yleisesti käytössä raja-arvoja valvovissa ilmanlaadun mittausverkoiissa eri puolella Suomea. Tämän tutkimuksen tavoitteena oli osoittaa, miten hyvin Kuopion vertailumittauksissa hyväksytty mittalaitteet toimivat eri puolella Suomea.

Tässä tutkimuksessa testattiin jatkuvatoimisten hiukkasmittalaitteiden vastavuutta vertailumenetelmää vastaan, jotta voitaisiin todentaa, että Kuopion testeissä hyväksytty laitetta voidaan käyttää eri osissa Suomea (etelässä ja pohjoisessa, idässä ja lännessä). Vertailumittaukset toteutettiin kahdeksalla mittausasemalla joko PM₁₀- tai PM_{2.5}-mittauksissa. Vertailu tehtiin seuraaville hiukkasmittalaitteille FH62-IR, Grimm 180, MP101 CPM, Osiris, SHARP 5030 and TEOM 1405, jotka läpäisivät Kuopion testit. Näiden laitteiden lisäksi tässä vertailussa olivat myös TEOM 1405D ja APM-2 laitteet, jotka eivät olleet Kuopion testeissä, mutta olivat mittausasemalla käytössä.

Testiohjelmaa oli muunnettu standardin mukaisesta vertailusta jotta voiti sisällyttää useampi mittausasema ja hiukkasmittalaite, mutta tämän takia jouduttiin tinkimään vuodenaikeisvaihtelun aiheuttamasta vaikutuksesta, mikä vaaditaan ohjeen mukaisessa vertailussa. Loppulokseen voiti osoittaa, että Kuopion vertailumittauksissa saadut korjauskertoimet eri laitteille soveltuivat käytettäväksi eri puolella Suomea muutaman poikkeuksin. FH62-IR osoittautui toimivan Helsingissä paremmin tämän tutkimuksen perusteella saadulla kalibointikertoimella kuin Kuopion mittauksissa saadulla kertoimella. Osiris soveltuu PM₁₀-mittauksiin, mutta ei PM_{2.5}-mittauksiin kuten Kuopionkin vertailumittauksessa ilmeni. APM-2 -laitte on todettu ekvivalentiksi referenssimenetelmää vastaan sekä PM₁₀- että PM_{2.5}-mittauksissa Rheinland Energie und Umwelt GmbH, TÜV toimesta, mikä on akkreditoitu testauslaboratorio. TÜV:n tutkimusraportin sekä tämän vertailun tulosten perusteella APM-2 -laitetta voidaan käyttää PM_{2.5}-mittauksissa sekä PM₁₀-mittauksissa Suomessa, mutta ainoastaan tässä tutkimuksessa saaduilla kalibointikertoimilla. TEOM 1405D ei ole testattu ekvivalentisuuden osalta ja näin ollen TEOM 1405D:lle määritettyjä kalibointikertoimia ei voida käyttää.

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1 Introduction

According to European air quality directive, AQD (2008/50/EC) the methods for assessment of air quality within the EU regions are air quality measurements, use of model results and by objective estimation. The measurements are divided into two categories, fixed measurements and indicative measurements. For fixed measurements the data quality objectives (DQO) i.e. measurement uncertainty, minimum data capture and minimum data coverage for the measurements, are the most stringent compared to other assessment methods. The directive also defines the reference methods to be used for fixed measurements. For this purpose, the European Committee for Standardization (CEN) prepared the EN-standards for the reference methods. The directive allows, however, to use any other method e.g. for the measurements of mass concentration of particulate matter if the Member State (MS) can demonstrate that it

‘displays a consistent relationship to the reference method. In that event the results achieved by that method must be corrected to produce results equivalent to those that would have been achieved by using the reference method’.

In case of non-reference method, the demonstration of equivalence (DoE) should be conducted following the guidance document ‘Guide to the Demonstration of Equivalence of Ambient Air Monitoring Methods, GDE’ (<http://ec.europa.eu/environment/air/quality/legislation/pdf/equivalence.pdf>). The document was prepared by an EC Working group. Tests for demonstration of equivalence for continuous particle analyzers (candidate method, CM) were conducted in Helsinki in 2007-08 (Waldén et al. 2010) and in Kuopio in 2014-15, referred in the text as DoE in Kuopio (Waldén et al. 2017). PM-analyzers that were tested in both of the comparison studies were in use at the local air quality networks in Finland. Equivalence is claimed for the CMs to be in line with the reference method (RM) either directly or by a calibration factor which corrects the result of the CM to be equivalent to RM. To ensure that the calibration factor can be used at the field sites, other than those where the equivalence has been claimed, periodic side-by-side comparisons of equivalence analyzers and the reference method are required by the GDE. Requirements that are more detailed, frequency and number of sites for these comparisons are defined in the EN-standard for automated measuring systems for the measurement of the concentration of particulate matter (EN 16450:2017). Member states have conducted trials for Demonstration of Equivalence of Candidate Methods (Beijk et al. 2008, Harrison 2010, D’Hondt, 2011, Areskoug, 2014). In addition, testing laboratory of Rheinland Energie und Umwelt GmbH, TÜV has completed equivalence tests for a number of AMS and provides the full test reports with the certificates (www.qal1.de).

The purpose of the study was to test whether the calibration factors obtained from the equivalent study in Kuopio are applicable in different locations in Finland for the tested equivalent methods. The EN 14650:2017, requires side by side comparison of the PM-reference method (EN 12341:2014) with the automated continuous measurement system (AMS). The number of sites for a tested AMS depends on the uncertainty of the results obtained at the equivalence tests, being in the range of 2 to 5 sites for a period of full year.

The conducted test procedure did not, however, follow the ongoing verification of suitability requirements by the EN 16450 (see in Ch 8.6). Instead, the tests were mostly conducted by intensive campaign of daily sampling during a period of eight weeks with the exception of one campaign lasting 169 days and one lasting six months where sampling took place every third day. Normally one model of site analyzer was tested against the single reference sampler for size class while at some sites there were more than one model of AMS under tests. The eight-week campaigns are similar to the campaigns that the European Reference Laboratory for Air Pollution at the Joint Research Centre in Ispra (JRC/ERLAP) conducts for PM₁₀ and PM_{2.5} for the national reference laboratories (Lagler et al., 2016).

2. Experimental

2.1 Measurement sites

The verification tests were conducted with reference samplers as defined by the EN-standard (EN 12341:2014) against the site AMS at selected sites across Finland (Figure 2.1). Also where applicable at the site additional AMS from the FMI were installed in the cabin in order to have more information of the performance of the same AMS at different location. The verification tests period was normally eight weeks, except in Tornio, and in Helsinki. At Tornio the filter sampling was every third day during a half year period. At Helsinki two sites were selected for this study, Mäkelänkatu and Kallio. At Mäkelänkatu the PM₁₀ verification test lasted 169 days, while at Kallio it took eight weeks. The schedule for the verification test with the site and the AMS is presented in Table 2.1. Air quality network is run by the municipality or by associated areal operator e.g. Helsinki Region Environmental Services Authority, HSY including the area of Helsinki, Espoo, Kauniainen and Vantaa. The other areal operator in this study was Etelä-Karjala, which include the area of Lappeenranta and Imatra. Tornio is not a permanent network but used for special survey for detecting the influence of dispersion of pollutants from the nearby industrial area. The Finnish Meteorological Institute (FMI) is responsible for the background air quality network of which Virolahti/Ääpälä takes part in the European Monitoring and Evaluation Programme, EMEP.

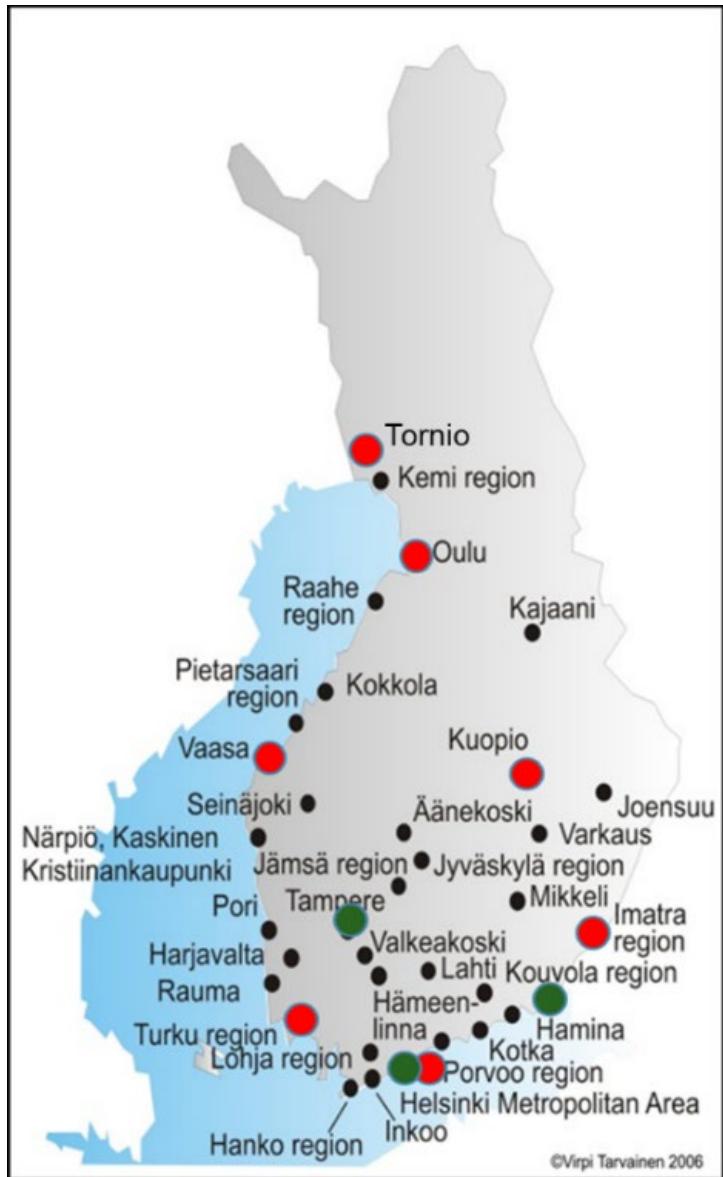


Figure 2.1. The verification tests for the reference method and the AMS were conducted at the local air quality network for PM₁₀ measurements (red dots) and for PM_{2.5} measurements (green dots). The DoE campaigns were conducted at the city of Kuopio.

Table 2.1. List of sites, dates, RM-instruments and AMS during the verification tests .

Network	Site	Dates	Reference sampler: PM10/PM2.5	AMS
Etelä-Karjala	Mansikkala	23.3. - 15.5.2017	Leckel 47/50 SEQ PM10	TEOM 1405: PM10
				Grimm 164: PM10
Turku	Naantali	21.3. - 23.5.2017	Leckel 47/50 SEQ PM10	MP 101: PM10
				Grimm 180(FMI): TSP
				SHARP 5030 (FMI): PM10
HSY-Helsinki	Mäkelänkatu	21.3. - 4.9.2017	Derenda sampler: PM10	TEOM 1405: PM10
				TEOM 1405D: PM10 + PM2.5/coarse
				FH-62 IR: PM10
				Grimm 180:TSP
				Osiris: TSP
				APM-2: TSP
Oulu	Keskusta	20.4 - 19.6.2017	Leckel 47/50 SEQ PM10	TEOM 1405: PM10
Tampere	Epila	7.6 - 8.8.2017	Leckel 47/50 SEQ: PM2.5	Grimm 180: TSP
				Grimm 180(FMI): TSP
				SHARP 5030 (FMI): PM2.5
Virolahti	Ääpälä	2.7 - 30.8.2017	Derenda sampler: PM2.5	TEOM 1405: PM2.5
				SHARP 5030: PM2.5
HSY-Helsinki	Kallio	8.9. - 10.11.2017	Leckel 47/50 SEQ: PM2.5	TEOM 1400: PM2.5
				TEOM 1405: PM2.5
HSY-Helsinki	Mäkelänkatu	8.9- 31.10.2017	Leckel 47/50 SEQ: PM2.5	TEOM 1405: PM2.5
				TEOM 1405D: PM10 + PM2.5/coarse
				Thermo FH62-IR: 2.5
				Grimm 180: TSP
				Osiris: TSP
				APM-2: TSP
Tornio	Puuluoto	30.6 - 31.12.2017	Leckel 47/50 SEQ PM10	SHARP 5030: PM10
Vaasa	Keskusta	6.11 - 28.12.2018	Leckel 47/50 SEQ PM10	MP 101: PM10

Etelä-Karjala/Mansikkala site is located in a residential area next to a kindergarten, nearby to several shopping centers and apartment houses. The site is affected by traffic emissions from a nearby highway and long-range air pollution as well as by emissions from a nearby power plant.

Turku/Naantali site is located on the corner of the Naantali market square in the centre of Naantali. There are detached buildings and some trees surrounding the market square and the site.

HSY Helsinki Mäkelänskatu is a traffic site next to a busy road located in a street canyon. Mäkelänskatu is one of the main entrance streets in Helsinki.

HSY Helsinki Kallio is an urban background site. It is located at the edge of a football field in the Kallio residential area [near to the center of Helsinki].

Oulu Keskusta is a traffic site, located in the city center of Oulu, near a busy street, one of the main streets of Oulu. There are detached buildings on both sides of the street.

Tampere/Epilä, is a traffic site, and is located in a suburban one-family house area. There is a small road crossing, compact buildings and some large trees next to the site and in the surroundings.

Vaasa Keskusta is a traffic site, and is located in the city center of Vaasa.

Virolahti Koivuniemi Ääpälä site is a rural background air quality measurement site.

Tornio Puuluoto is an urban background site located in a small residence type area with one-family houses, in the vicinity of a steel factory. There are small roads, compact buildings and some forest in the surroundings of the site. At Puuluoto there was one-year air quality measuring campaign, this is not a permanent site.

2.2 Reference samplers

The reference sampler used in this study for both PM₁₀ and PM_{2.5} was a sequential type sampler SEQ47/50 by Sven Leckel, Ingenieurbüro GmbH, Germany. One reference sampler was used for both PM₁₀ and PM_{2.5} tests. The layout of the reference sampler is shown in Figure 2.2. Additionally also another sequential type reference sampler PNS 16T by Comre Derenda was used at two campaigns, at Virolahti and at HSY/Mäkelänkatu. The size classification inlet for both of the reference samplers followed the designing criteria of EN 12341. By switching the jets inside, the inlet can be used for PM₁₀ or PM_{2.5} measurements. Both type of samplers are equipped with a heater and cooling capabilities to keep the temperature above the dew point to prevent sample filters from freezing in winter conditions. In addition, cooled sample tube by sheath flow and enclosed sample filters within the filter cartridge prevent the volatilization of semi-volatile compounds such as sulphate, ammonia and nitrate. Sampling data was collected to each sampler's flash memory card, which was then read regularly using StatusView 2.44 program.

The filter types used in the tests were polytetrafluoroethylene (PTFE) filters, Millipore Fluoropore FSLW047 # 3 µm, by Millipore.



Figure 2.2: The layout of the reference samplers Leckel SEQ 47/50 (left), and Derenda PNS (right) used for the PM₁₀ and the PM_{2.5} verifcaion tests.

2.3 Site PM-analyzers

The AMS were selected for tests based on the results at the DoE in Kuopio. The most common types of AMS in the local air quality networks are TEOM 1400/1405, FH 62-IR, MP 101, Grimm 180 and SHARP 5030. Besides these tested AMS also some additional AMS that were not tested according to DoE, but were installed in selected measurement sites, were tested in the verification study, see Table 2.2. The location of the test sites were then selected to reach regional coverage across the Finland, see Table 2.1.

Table 2.2. The AMS, the manufacturer, and the acronym of the instrument (in parenthesis) tested in the verification study.

1. FH 62 I-R by Thermo Fisher Scientific, USA (FH 62 I-R);
2. Grimm Environmental Dust Monitor, model 180, by GRIMM Aerosol Technik GmbH & Co. Member of Durag Group, Germany (Grimm 180);
3. MP101 CPM, by Environnement SA, France (MP101_CPM)
4. Osiris, by Turnkey Instruments Ltd, England (Osiris);
5. Synchronized Hybrid Ambient Real-time Particulate Monitor, model 5030 by Thermo Fisher Scientific, USA (SHARP);
6. Tapered element oscillating microbalance, TEOM 1405 by Thermo Fisher Scientific, USA (TEOM 1405);
7. Tapered element oscillating microbalance, TEOM 1405D by Thermo Fisher Scientific, USA (TEOM 1405D)
8. APM-2 nephelometer by Comre Derenda, Germany.

More details of the operation of the AMS shown in Table 2.2 can be found elsewhere (Waldén et al. 2017). The APM-2 was not tested at DoE in Kuopio, but it has been tested by TÜV Rheinland Energie und Umwelt GmbH (TÜV 2014) for PM₁₀ and PM_{2.5} for DoE. Test results demonstrate that the instrument passed the tests for DoE both for PM_{2.5} and PM₁₀ measurements. The instrument is based on optical method following the same principle as Grimm 180 and Osiris. The TEOM 1405D was also not tested at DoE in Kuopio. It is a modified version of TEOM 1405 with the capability of simultaneous measurements of PM₁₀, the difference between PM₁₀ and PM_{2.5} (=coarse particles), and PM_{2.5}.

2.3 Quality control procedures (QA/QC)

During the verification tests of AMS the quality control procedures (QA/QC) were conducted according to clause 8.6 in EN 16450. In case of the reference samplers QA/QC included:

- Flow measurement: once during the individual campaign (2 month period)
- Cleaning and greasing the sampling head: every month where size selective inlet is used according to instruction by EN 12341: 1998 and 2014 or EN 14907:2005.

In case of the AMS, the QA/QC procedures were conducted according to the standard operating procedures by the network, including:

- Flow measurement
- Cleaning and greasing of the sampling head
- Check of sensor operation (temperature, pressure)

The flow rates of the reference samplers were measured with a mass flow meter by TSI Inc, model 4043. The mass flow meter was calibrated at the calibration laboratory of Finnish Meteorological Institute, which maintains the traceability of the calibration facility through regular calibration against the primary flow calibration method at the national metrology institute, VTT-MIKES (www.mikes.fi). The uncertainty of the flow calibration facility at the sampling flow rate of the size selective inlets is 0.7 % (<https://www.finias.fi/sites/en/operators/Pages/default.aspx>, calibration laboratory K043). The uncertainty of the mass flow meter of TSI model 4043 was estimated based on the calibration certificate as 1.5 % as expanded uncertainty.

The cleaning of the size selective inlets was conducted according to the recommendation by the manufacturer of the inlet and according to EN-standard (EN 12341). The time interval for cleaning of the inlets was once a month. The impactor plates were wiped with silicon vacuum grease after the cleaning of inlets in order to prevent the larger particles than the cut-off size to bounce off the impactor plate. The use of grease is instructed for the size selective inlets manufactured according to the EN-standard. In case of US-EPA type of inlet no grease is used, based on the instructions by the manufacturer.

2.4 Filter weighing

The EN 12341 standard describes the environmental conditions for filter conditioning during the filter weighing process: temperature 20 ± 1 °C, relative humidity 45 to 50 %. The weighing facility of the filters was made in house, consisting of the weighing chamber and the conditioning and control system.

The weighing process of the filters is accredited according to ISO EN 17025:2005 quality standard. A detailed description of the weighing system and procedure is given elsewhere (Waldén et al. 2017).

2.5 Data collection and analysis

The data from the verification study included the meteorological data (ambient temperature, pressure, humidity, wind speed and direction), sampling data from the reference samplers (flow rate, sampling volume, sampling temperature and pressure) and hourly average values for AMS at every site. FMI collected the data from the reference samplers and the data from AMS were delivered to FMI by the networks. The sampling filters were conditioned and weighed according to EN 12341. Two filter cartridges with weighed filters were loaded and delivered to the measurement sites at the beginning and at the middle of the campaign. FMI personnel provided training to the staff of the local network to operate the reference sampler and to install and remove the filter cartridges in the sampler unit. After the first filter sampling was completed (after 14 days) the staff personnel of the local network removed the sampled filter cartridge and replaced the new unsampled filter cartridge in place in the sampling side of the sampler. The sampled filter cartridge was stored in a cool place until the next change of filter cartridge took place. At this time, FMI personnel brought two sets of weighed filters to be loaded in the filter cartridge for the next two sampling periods (2 x 14 days). The two sets of sampled filters were delivered directly to FMI for weighing. The complete data analysis of the filters and the results of the AMS was conducted following the GDE procedures (Walden et al. 2017).

2.6 Analysis of the results

Analysis of the verification data was conducted according to the GDE similarly to the DoE in Kuopio (Waldén et al. 2017). The data during the verification test was requested directly from the network in order to be clear with the correct identification of the used AMS with the operation and sampling details (sample inlet and sampling tube condition) and data correction i.e. data calibration function, as presented in Table 2.3.

Table 2.3. Details of the used sampling system and calibration functions for each of the AMS.

Network/Site	HSY/MÄKELÄNKATU HSY/MÄKELÄNKATU		HSY/MÄKELÄNKATU HSY/MÄKELÄNKATU		HSY/MÄKELÄNKATU HSY/MÄKELÄNKATU		
AMS	Teom	1405	Teom	1405D	Teom	1405D	
Model					Thermo	Thermo	
Serial no:					FH 62 I-R	FH62 I-R	
Factory setting for signal	1.03 + 3.0	1.03 + 3.0	1.03 + 0	1.0 + 0	1	1	
Calibration factor	0.368y - 2.068	0.09y - 1.681	No correction	No correction	1.300y - 0.904	0.850y + 1.709	
Temperature of sample tube	50	50	50	50	40	40	
Type of inlet	PM10	PM10+PM2.5	PM10+PM2.5/PMcoarse	PM10+PM2.5/PM-coarse	PM10	PM2.5	
Inlet manufacturer	Teom (US-EPA)	Teom (US-EPA)	Teom (US-EPA)	Teom (US-EPA)	Digital	Digital	
Network/Site	HSY/MÄKELÄNKATU HSY/MÄKELÄNKATU		HSY/MÄKELÄNKATU HSY/MÄKELÄNKATU		HSY/MÄKELÄNKATU HSY/MÄKELÄNKATU		
AMS	Grimm PM10	Grimm PM2.5	Osiris PM10	Osiris PM2.5	Derenda PM10	Derenda PM2.5	
Model	Model 180	Model 180			APM-2	APM-2	
Serial no:					20050	20050	
Factory setting for signal	1	1	1	1			
Calibration factor	0.855y + 2.139	0.747y + 0.532	No correction	No correction	No correction	No correction	
Temperature of sample tube							
Type of inlet	TSP	TSP	TSP	TSP	TSP	TSP	
Inlet manufacturer					Derenda	Derenda	
Network/Site	HSY/KALIJO HSY/KALIJO		HSY/KALIJO HSY/KALIJO		HSY/KALIJO HSY/KALIJO		
AMS	Teom	1400	Teom	1400	Teom	1405	
Model							
Serial no:							
Factory setting for signal	1.03 + 3.0	1.0 + 0	1.03 + 3.0	1.03 + 3.0			
Calibration factor	No correction	1.25y + 1.56	1.009y - 1.681	1.009y - 1.681			
Temperature of sample tube	50	50	50	50			
Type of inlet	PM10	PM10+PM2.5	PM10+PM2.5	PM10+PM2.5			
Inlet manufacturer	Teom (US-EPA)	Teom	Teom	Teom			
Network	Turku Imatra Oulu Vaasa Tornio Tampere Tampere Ref lab		Turku Naantali Mäntsälä Keskusta Puijulahti SHARP Grimm Ongoing		Turku Naantali Mäntsälä Keskusta Puijulahti SHARP Grimm Ongoing		
Site	Naantali	Mäntsälä	Keskusta	Puijulahti	SHARP	Grimm	SHARP
AMS	Environnement	TEOM	TEOM	Environment	MP101	180	5030
Model	MP101	1405	1405	MP101			
Serial no:			1405A22889-1407.				
Factory setting for signal	1	1.03 + 3.0	1.03 + 3.0	1	1	1	1
Calibration factor	0.91	1	1	0.938	1.319	1	0.78
Temperature of sample tube	T ambient + 5 C	No heating	50 C	T ambient + 5 C	30 C	No heating	0.998 (C-dust)
Type of inlet	PM10	PM10	PM10	PM10	TSP/PM2.5	TSP/PM2.5	0.977 (osta)
Inlet manufacturer	Environnement S.A.	Teom (US-EPA)	Teom (US-EPA)	Environnement S.A.	Digital	Grimm	Digital

2.7 Calibration equations for the AMS

The calibration equations from the DoE study in Kuopio are presented for the tested PM₁₀ analyzers in Table 2.4 and for tested PM_{2.5} analyzers in Table 2.5. The results in black color in Table 2.4 and Table 2.5 signify acceptable results, whereas results in red color are unacceptable results.

*Table 2.4. The calibration range and the equations ($X_{REF} = b*x + a$; b =slope, a =intercept and y = is the AMS) against the reference method X_{REF} for PM₁₀ together with the relative combined standard uncertainty from DoE in Kuopio (Waldén et al., 2017).*

PM10 Candidate method	Measurement range < 325 µg/m ³		Measurement range < 325 µg/m ³	
	Calibration equation PM ₁₀	Relative expanded uncertainty U(%)	Calibration equation through origin PM10	Relative expanded uncertainty U(%)
BAM 1020	0,942y + 0,437	12,6%	0,947y	12,6%
GRIMM 180	0,855y + 2,139	17,0 %	0,908y	18,0 %
SHARP 5030 C-dust	1,404y -2,750	17,2%	1,362y	17,3%
SHARP 5030 (beta)	1,415y -2,233	12,8%	1,380y	13,0%
FH 62 IR	1,300y -0,904	16,5%	1,288y	16,4%
TEOM 1405	0,868y -2,068	14,4%	0,848y	14,4%
MP101M	0,811y + 2,311	11,0%	0,830y	12,1%
OSIRIS	1,401y -0,153	15,7%	1,398y	15,7%
Dusttrak	7,478y -76,819	402,3%	-	-
PM10 Candidate method	Measurement range < 100 µg/m ³		Measurement range < 100 µg/m ³	
	Calibration equation PM10	Relative expanded uncertainty U(%)	Calibration equation through origin PM10	Relative expanded uncertainty U(%)
BAM 1020	0,858y + 1,919	10,3%	0,913y	11,7%
GRIMM 180	0,871y + 1,927	17,0 %	0,922y	17,9 %
SHARP 5030 C-dust	1,486y -3,904	16,5%	1,319y	16,3%
SHARP 5030 (beta)	1,489y -3,301	12,5%	1,351y	12,5%
FH 62 IR	1,372y -1,850	17,1%	1,297y	12,6%
TEOM 1405	0,804y -0,623	13,6%	0,788y	13,0%
MP101M	0,887y + 0,826	9,4%	0,910y	9,6%
OSIRIS	1,338y + 0,57	15,3%	1,363y	15,7%
Dusttrak	5,761y -55,073	1132,0%	2,07y	94,0%
PM10 Candidate method	Measurement range < 50 µg/m ³		Measurement range < 50 µg/m ³	
	Calibration equation PM10	Relative expanded uncertainty U(%)	Calibration equation through origin PM10	Relative expanded uncertainty U(%)
BAM 1020	0,844y + 2,072	9,5%	0,921y	13,3%
GRIMM 180	0,92y + 1,251	11,2 %	0,975y	13,0 %
SHARP 5030 C-dust	1,375y -2,564	14,2%	1,242y	15,2%
SHARP 5030 (beta)	1,421y -2,530	9,3%	1,278y	11,8%
FH 62 IR	1,311y -1,193	16,2%	1,247y	15,2%
TEOM 1405	0,771y -0,149	10,6%	0,766y	9,9%
MP101M	0,938y + 0,001	8,8%	0,938y	8,4%
OSIRIS	1,290y + 0,886	13,6%	1,343y	15,4%
Dusttrak				

Table 2.5. The calibration range and the equations ($X_{REF} = b*y + a$; b =slope, a =intercept and y = is the AMS) against the reference method X_{REF} for $PM_{2.5}$ together with the relative combined standard uncertainty from DoE in Kuopio (Waldén et al., 2017).

PM2.5 Candidate method	Measurement range < 25 µg/m³		Measurement range < 25 µg/m³	
	Calibration equation $PM_{2.5}$	Relative expanded uncertainty U(%)	Calibration equation through origin $PM_{2.5}$	Relative expanded uncertainty U(%)
BAM 1020	$1,100y + 0,733$	7,4%	$1,215y$	19,9%
GRIMM 180 (*)	$0,747y + 0,532$	12,6 %	$0,780y$	12,3 %
SHARP 5030 C-dust	$0,854y + 1,187$	7,3%	$0,998y$	24,9%
SHARP 5030 (beta)	$0,971y - 0,003$	0,2%	$0,971y$	0,2%
FH 62 IR	$0,850y + 1,709$	17,3%	$1,097y$	51,8%
TEOM 1405	$1,009y - 1,681$	8,8%	$0,821y$	31,4%
MP101M	$0,812y - 0,306$	8,9%	$0,780y$	31,4%
OSIRIS (*)	$3,324y - 1,073$	124,2%	$2,020y$	76,1%
Dusttrak (*)	$0,602y - 1,002$	37,9%	$0,550y$	143,9%
(*Measurement range < 75 µg/m³)				

BAM 1020 and Dusttrak were the two AMS that were not tested during the verification study. According to the list of instruments that are used in Finland those two AMS are not in the list. Instead, TEOM 1405D and APM-2 which were not tested in the DoE in Kuopio, are in use at the air quality networks in Finland. As mentioned earlier, APM-2 has been tested by TÜV while TEOM 1405D has not been tested for DoE. The calibration equations for APM-2 are as follows (TÜV Certificate 40336):

$$X_{REF} = 1.001y - 0.02, \text{ for } PM_{10} \text{ all results (four campaign)}$$

$$X_{REF} = 1.001y + 0.3 \text{ for } PM_{2.5} \text{ all results (four campaign)}$$

The slope in single campaigns for PM_{10} varied between 0.87 to 1.1 and for $PM_{2.5}$ variation of slope was 0.93 to 1.17.

3. Results

3.1. Time series of individual PM₁₀ verification test

The duration of the verification test was eight weeks for all sites except at HSY/Mäkelänkatu for PM₁₀ campaign where it lasted 169 days and in Tornio where sampling was every third day lasting six months. In Helsinki the longer period for verification was used because the site is equipped with several AMS for PM₁₀ and PM_{2.5}, providing a good opportunity to have four campaigns of at least 40 days for verification. In Tornio the verification test was conducted within another survey where heavy metals were collected every third day from PM10 samples of which the mass concentration was used in this study. The time series of PM₁₀-verifications are presented as daily averages in Figures 3.1 – 3.6.

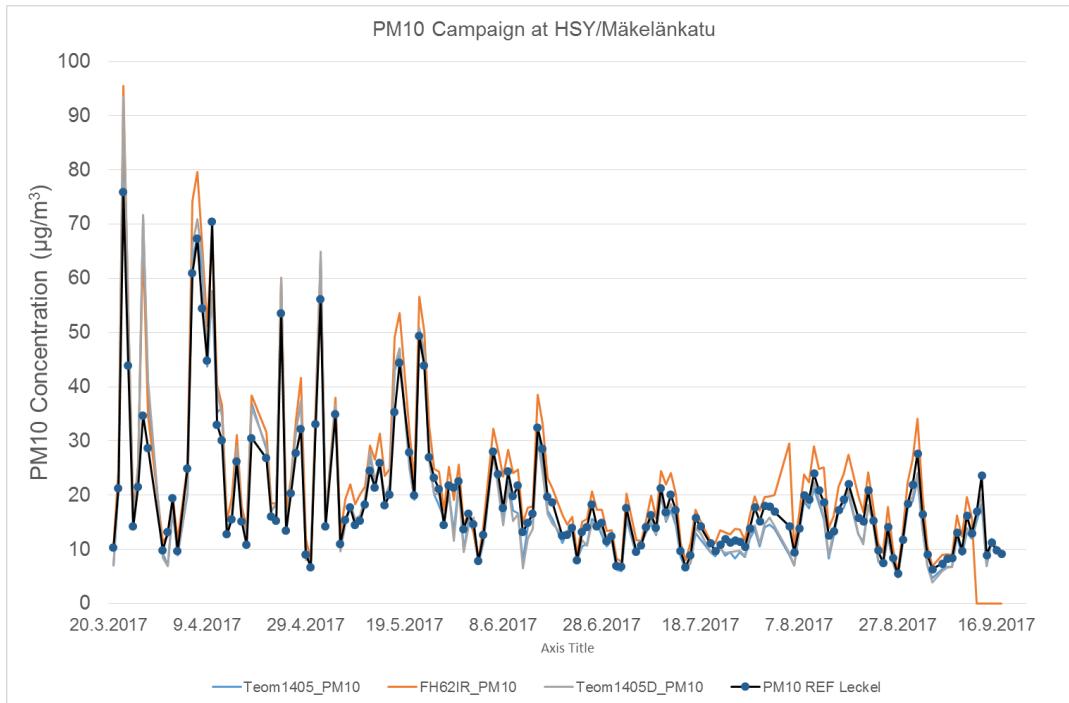


Figure 3.1a. Time series of daily average PM₁₀ mass concentration at HSY/Mäkelänkatu.

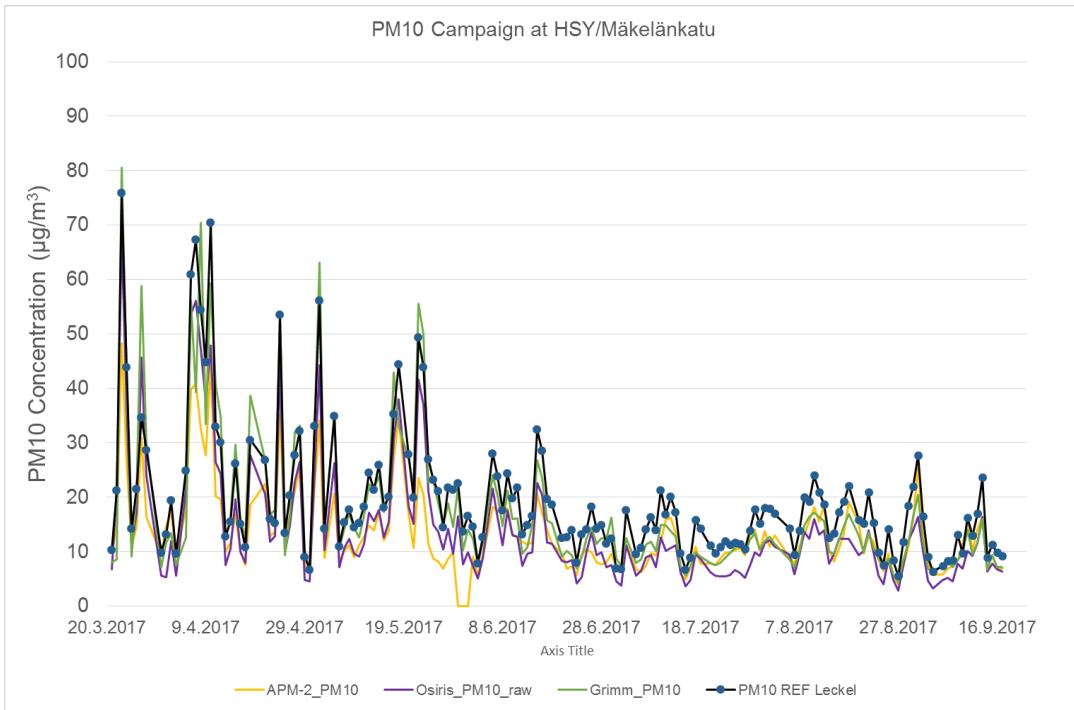


Figure 3.1b. Time series of daily average PM10 mass concentration at HSY/Mäkelänskatu.

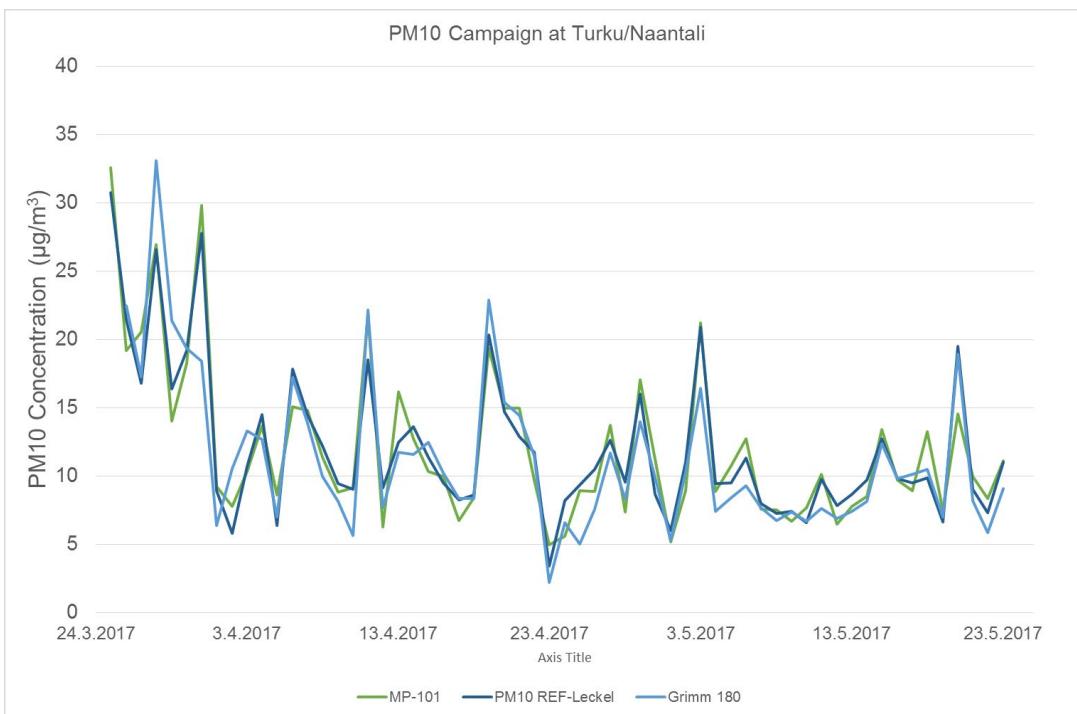


Figure 3.2. Time series of daily average PM10 mass concentration at Naantali.

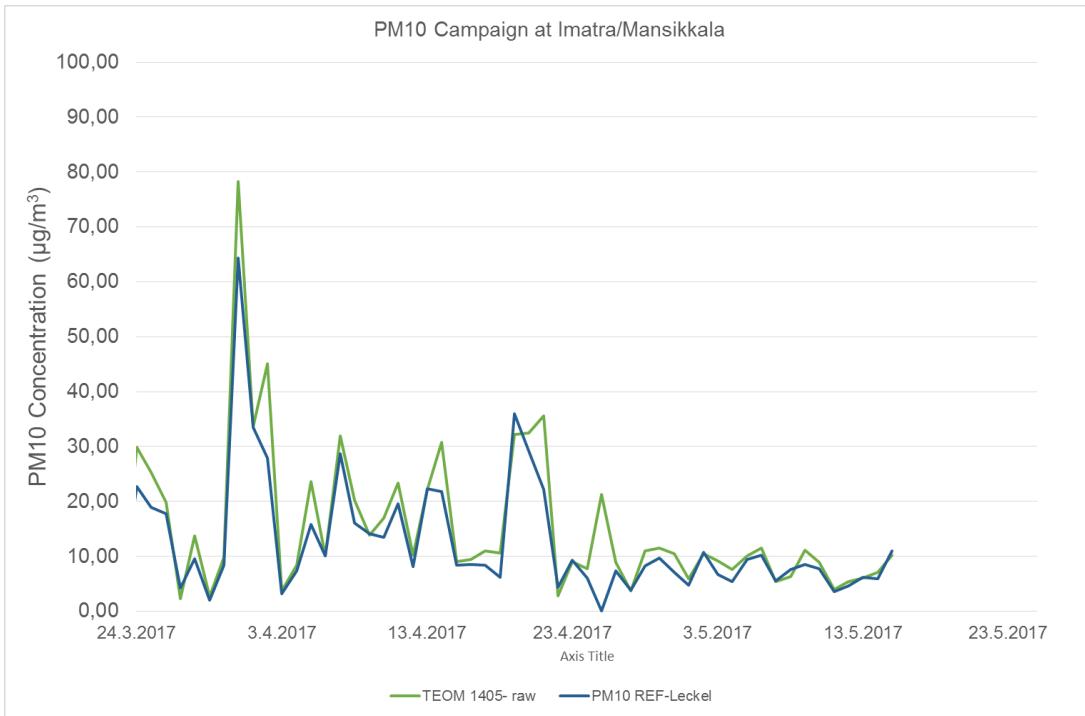


Figure 3.3. Time series of daily average PM10 mass concentration at Etelä-Karjala/Mansikkala.

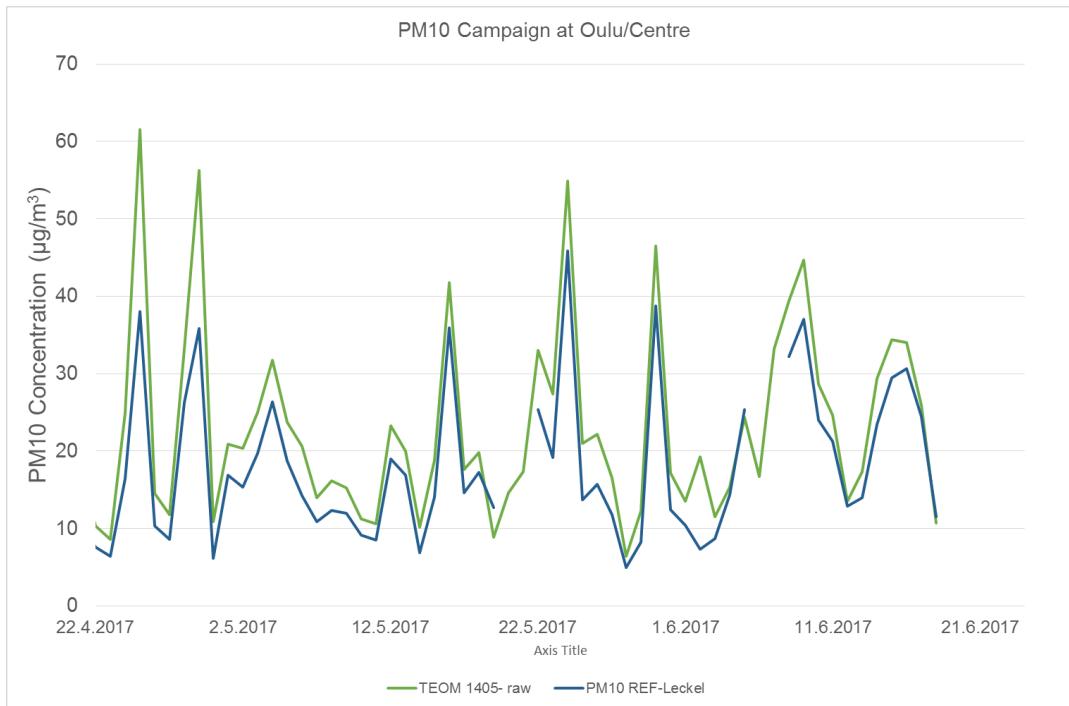


Figure 3.4. Time series of daily average PM10 mass concentration at Oulu/Centre.

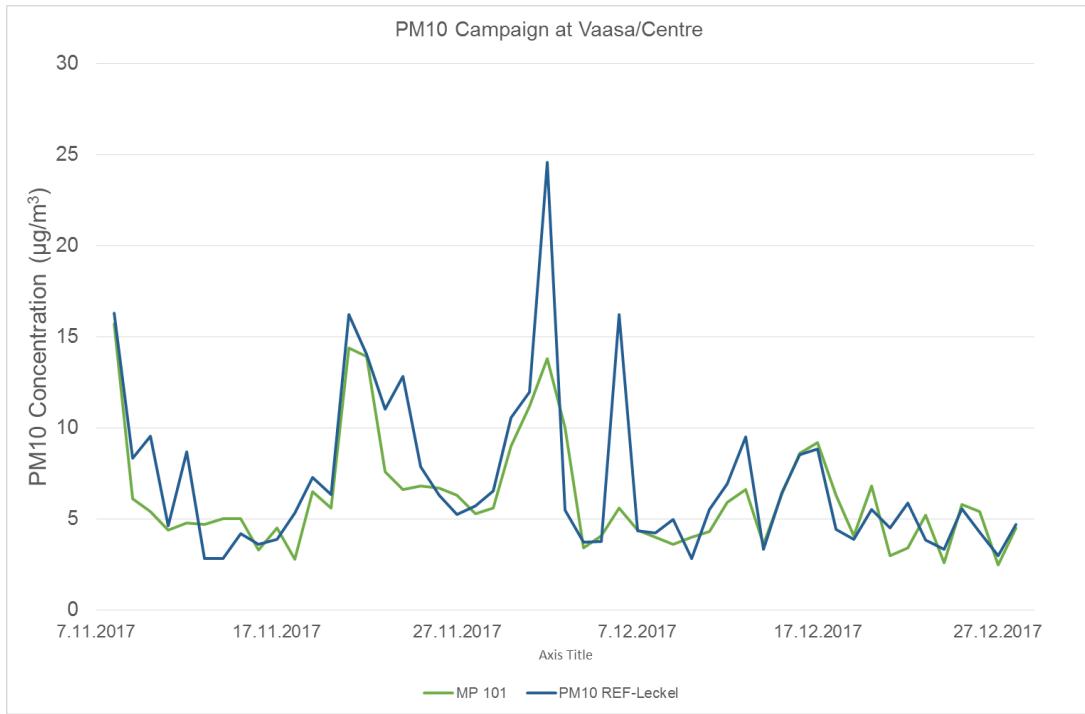


Figure 3.5. Time series of daily average PM10 mass concentration at Vaasa/Keskusta.

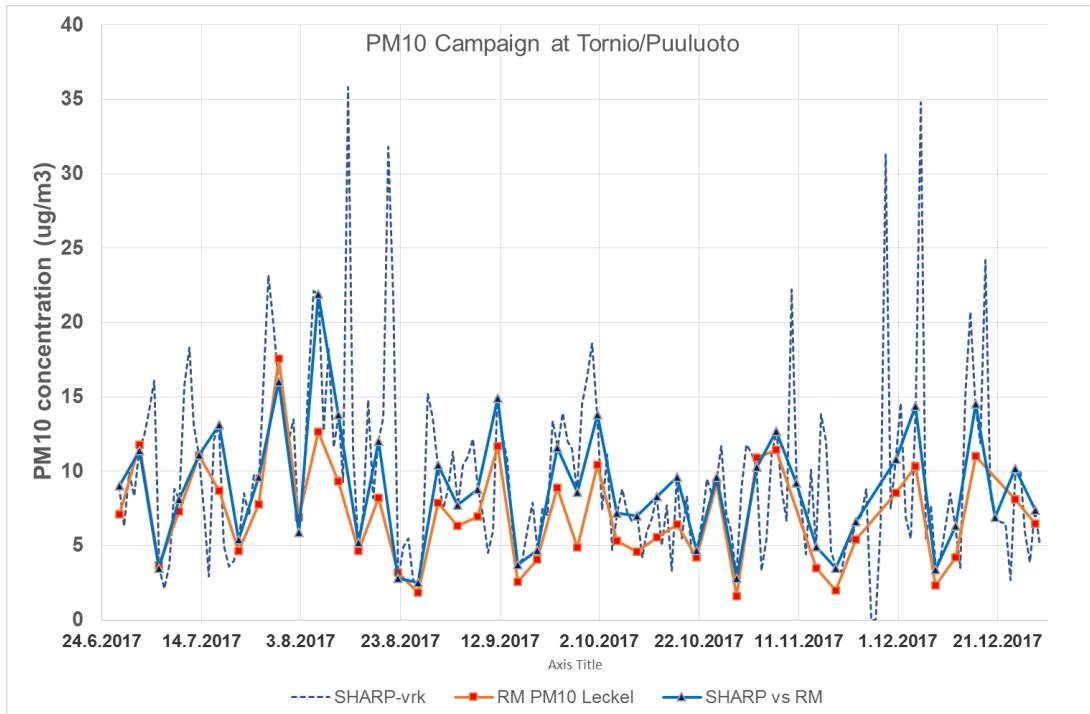


Figure 3.6. Time series of daily average PM10 mass concentration at Tornio/Puuluoto. The dotted line is for SHARP as daily values while lines with markers are daily values when verification took place (every 3rd day).

3.2. Verification results for PM₁₀

In the following, data for each paired comparison of AMS against the RM is analyzed with help of the equivalence software (Beijk et al. 2018). The local air quality networks had different practices in applying the calibration factors based on the DoE results in Kuopio: at some of the sites, the measurement results were not corrected whereas at some sites the calibration equation was employed (see Table 2.3). Therefore, the original results from the sites were first analyzed as they were (Raw data), and then reanalyzed to make the verification complete (Calibrated data) with two options for the calibration equation: full correction (slope and intercept) and slope through origin. Results from all the calculations are shown in Tables 3.1 – 3.4 for the AMS (Network/site , AMS with indication of how the results were treated (raw/calib). When the site AMS has been corrected, the calibration equation is shown in the last line in the bottom for each AMS. More detailed results and regression figures are presented in Annex 1. The red font indicates that the slope and/or intercept differ significantly from 1 and/or zero, respectively, or the uncertainty exceeds the critical value of 25 % as required by DQO. In the latter case, the instrument fails (Fail) to meet the requirement. When the instrument pass (Pass) the requirements either with full calibration equation or with slope correction the lower of the uncertainty associated with calibration correction, should be selected.

Table 3.1. The test results for TEOM 1405 by Thermo Scientific. At Etelä-Karjala/Mansikkala and at Oulu/keskusta the raw signal is used. At HSY/Mäkelänkatu the TEOM 1405 is corrected with the calibration function obtained in Kuopio. In case of TEOM 1405D no correction of signal is made.

Verification test PM ₁₀	Criteria	Etelä-Karjala/Mansikkala TEOM 1405 raw	Oulu/keskusta TEOM 1405 raw	HSY/Mäkelänkatu TEOM 1405 calib	HSY/Mäkelänkatu TEOM 1405D
Concentration range	µg/m ³	0 - 75	0 - 55	0 - 90	0 - 90
Raw data					
Slope	significant (Yes/No)	1,2270	1,148	1,1465	1,1931
Intercept	significant (Yes/No)	-0,5	2,0	-3,43	1,05
Expanded relative uncertainty	≤ 25%	44,6 %	38,6 %	18,10 %	25,00 %
Fail/Pass	≤ 25%	Fail	Fail	Pass	Fail
Calibrated data					
Calibration: equation		0,815y + 0,375	0,874y + -1,707	0,872y + 2,992	0,838y + 3,291
Expanded relative uncertainty	≤ 25%	10,8%	7,8 %	8,75 %	9,10 %
Fail/Pass	≤ 25%	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass
Calibration: slope through origin		0,83y	0,808	0,982	0,955
Expanded relative uncertainty	≤ 25%	9,3%	10,3 %	15 %	16 %
Fail/Pass	≤ 25%	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass
Calibration equation				0,868y - 2,068	

Table 3.2. The test results for MP101 by Environnement S.A at Naantali and at Vaasa. The raw signal of MP101 is corrected by calibration function (slope through origin) from DoE in Kuopio (at Naantali the slope correction was 0.91 instead of 0.938).

Verification test PM ₁₀	Criteria	Turku/Naantali MP-101 calib	Vaasa/keskusta MP-101 calib	Kuopio site/Tasavallankatu MP-101 calib
Concentration range	µg/m ³	0 - 35	0 - 20	0 - 75
Raw data				
Slope	significant (Yes/No)	1,0531	0,8926	0,97982
Intercept	significant (Yes/No)	-0,6447	0,2866	-0,70160
Expanded relative uncertainty	≤ 25%	10,4 %	20,7 %	13,0 %
Fail/Pass	≤ 25%	Pass	Pass	Pass
Calibrated data				
Calibration: equation			1,12y + -0,321	
Expanded relative uncertainty	≤ 25%		11,7 %	
Fail/Pass	≤ 25%		Pass	
Calibration: slope through origin			1,077y	
Expanded relative uncertainty	≤ 25%		8,6 %	
Fail/Pass	≤ 25%		Pass	
Calibration equation		0,91y	0,938y	0,938y

Table 3.3. The test results for Grimm 180. At Turku/Naantali and at HSY/Mäkelänkatu the Grimm 180 is corrected with the calibration function (slope and intercept) and SHARP 5030 at Tornio/Puuluoto is corrected with slope correction according to the DoE in Kuopio.

Verification test PM ₁₀	Criteria	Turku/Naantali Grimm 180 (FMI) calib	HSY/Mäkelänkatu Grimm calib	Tornio/Puuluoto SHARP 5030 calib
Concentration range	µg/m ³	0 - 50	0 - 100	0 - 15
Raw data				
Slope	significant (Yes/No)	1,037	1,126	1,2350
Intercept	significant (Yes/No)	-0,3	-4,5	0,1248
Expanded relative uncertainty	≤ 25%	9,1 %	16,0 %	47,80 %
Fail/Pass	≤ 25%	Pass	Pass	Fail
Calibrated data				
Calibration: equation		0,964y + 0,248	0,888y + 3,998	0,81y + -0,101
Expanded relative uncertainty	≤ 25%	13,7 %	13,7 %	15,10 %
Fail/Pass	≤ 25%	Pass	Pass	Pass
Calibration: slope through origin		0,982y	1,051y	0,799y
Expanded relative uncertainty	≤ 25%	7,6 %	23,7 %	8,5 %
Fail/Pass	≤ 25%	Pass	Pass	Pass
Calibration equation		0,855y + 2,139	0,855y + 2,139	1,319

Table 3.4. The test results for FH62-IR, Osiris and APM-2 from HSY/Mäkelänkatu. Results of FH62-IR are given both raw, and corrected with the calibration correction used by the network. Osiris and APM-2 results are given without any correction.

Verification test PM ₁₀	Criteria	HSY/Mäkelänkatu FH62-IR calib	HSY/Mäkelänkatu FH62-IR raw	HSY/Mäkelänkatu Osiris raw	HSY/Mäkelänkatu APM-2 raw
Concentration range	µg/m ³	0 - 100	0 - 100	0 - 100	0 - 100
Raw data					
Slope	significant (Yes/No)	1,2108	0,9299	0,9051	0,5990
Intercept	significant (Yes/No)	-0,6644	0,2121	-3,8164	1,9244
Expanded relative uncertainty	≤ 25%	39,9 %	13,8 %	34,7 %	73,1 %
Fail/Pass	≤ 25%	Fail	Pass	Fail	Fail
Calibrated data					
Calibration: equation		0,826y + 0,549	1,075y + -0,228	1,105y + 4,216	1,669y + -3,213
Expanded relative uncertainty	≤ 25%	4,6 %	4,9 %	6,8 %	15,5 %
Fail/Pass	≤ 25%	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass
Calibration: slope through origin		0,843y	1,066y	1,31y	1,486y
Expanded relative uncertainty	≤ 25%	5,0 %	4,6 %	6,8 %	15,8 %
Fail/Pass	≤ 25%	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass
Calibration equation		1,300y - 0,904			

All results for PM₁₀ verification from sites in this study and the DoE study in Kuopio are shown in Figures 3.7 to 3.13. In the figures the results are presented without any additional corrections of measured signal except factors installed by the manufacturer. Figure 3.7 shows the raw results of TEOM 1405 with the installed correction by the manufacturer ($y = 1.03 * \text{original signal} + 3 \mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$) at sites from Kuopio, Oulu, Etelä-Karjala and from two sites in Helsinki, Mäkelänkatu and Kumpula. In Kumpula the DoE study was conducted in 2007-08. In addition of TEOM 1405, also results of TEOM 1405D are presented in the figure. Those TEOMs which were corrected with the calibration function based on the DoE study, see in Table 2.3, were recalculated as raw results in this figure. The inlet as well as the heating temperature of the sampling tube was the same for all TEOMs. Figure 3.8 shows the raw results of MP-101 at three sites, Turku/Naantali, Vaasa/Centre and Kuopio/Tasavallankatu. The Kuopio/Tasavallankatu site took part in the DoE study in Kuopio as a site analyzer (i.e. candidate method) while the first two sites are included in the verification study. In Figure 3.9 the results of Grimm 180 are presented from DoE in Kuopio, Turku/Naantali and Tampere/Epilä. In this case the Grimm 180 is the same AMS i.e. owned by FMI. In Figure 3.10 the results of FH62-IR are presented from DoE in Kuopio and for HSY/Mäkelänkatu. In Figure 3.11 the results of SHARP 5030 are presented from DoE in Kuopio and for Tornio. In Figure 3.12 the results of Osiris are presented from DoE in Kuopio and in HSY/Mäkelänkatu while in Figure 3.13 the results of APM-2 are presented for HSY/Mäkelänkatu.

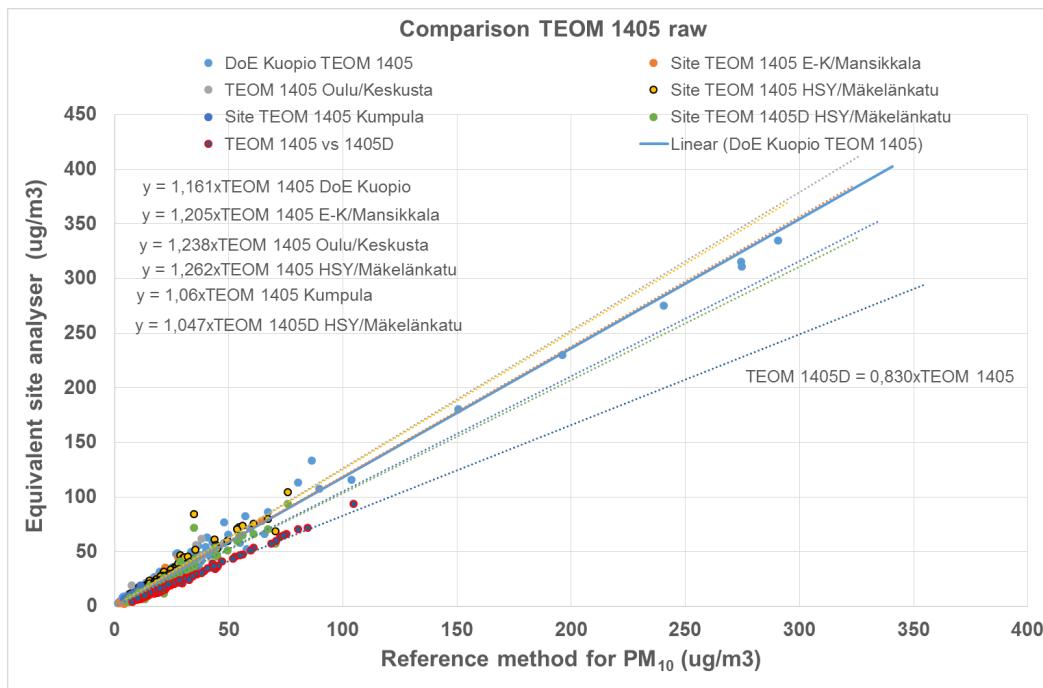


Figure 3.7. Raw results of TEOM 1405 at different sites in verification of PM₁₀ against the reference method.

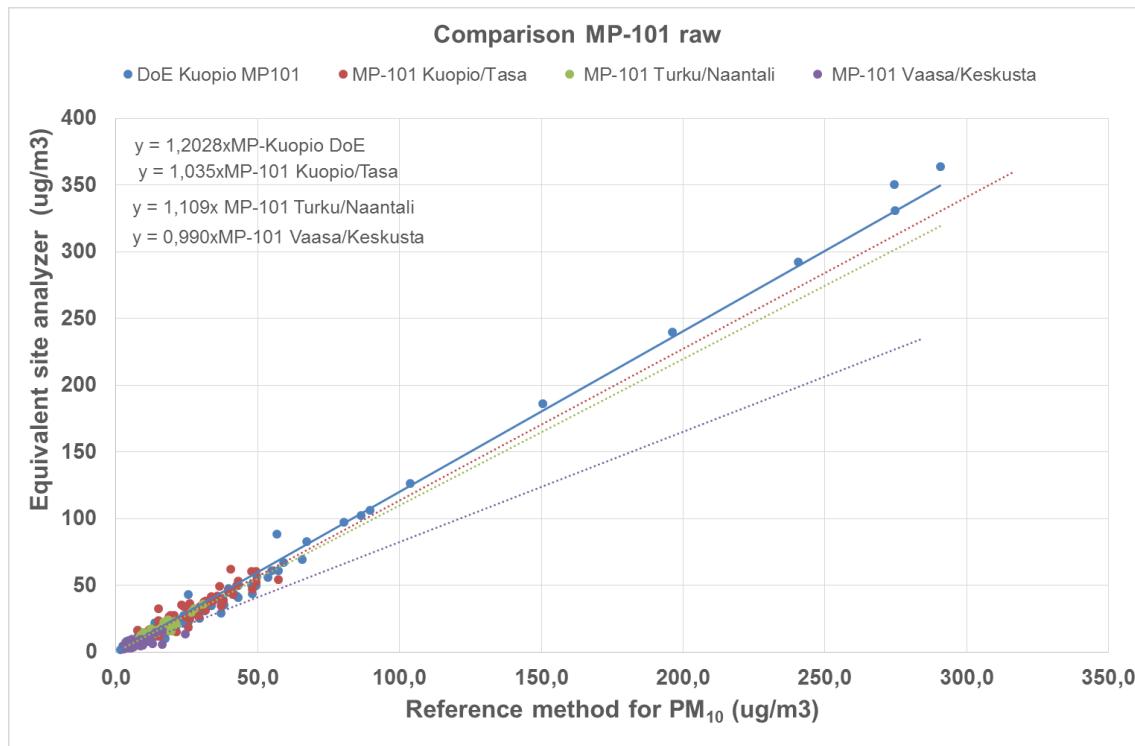


Figure 3.8. Raw results of MP-101 at three sites in verification of PM₁₀ against the reference method.

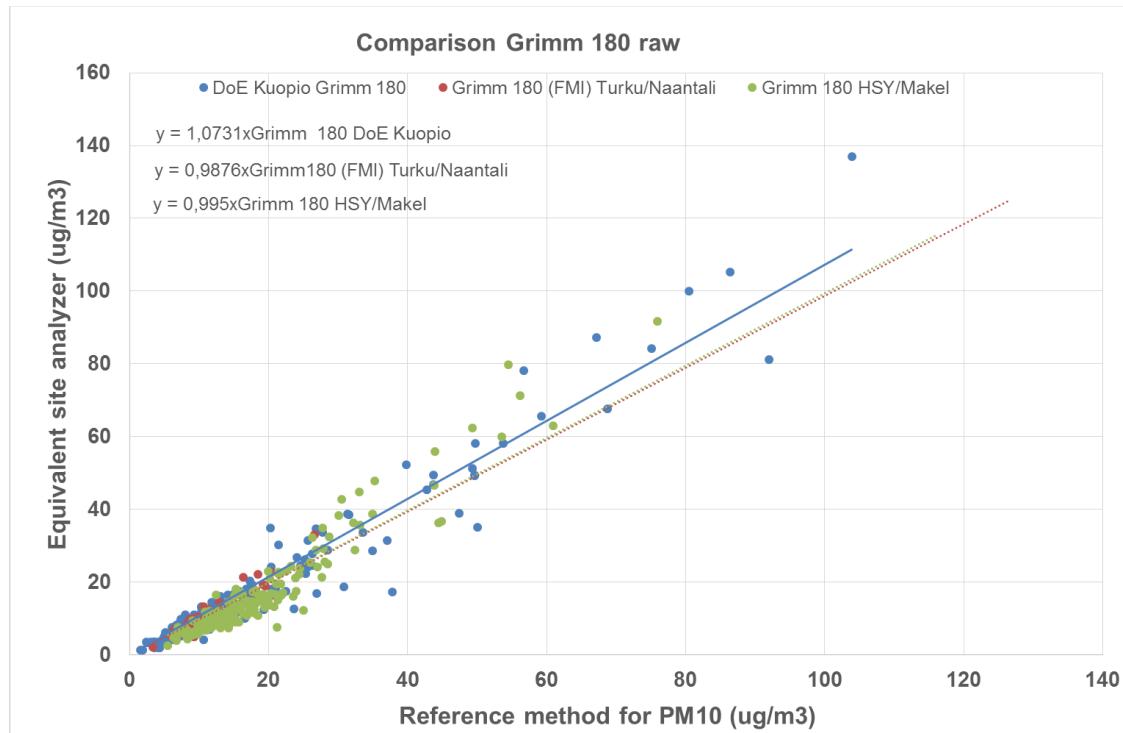


Figure 3.9. Raw results of Grimm 180 at three sites in verification of PM₁₀ against the reference method.

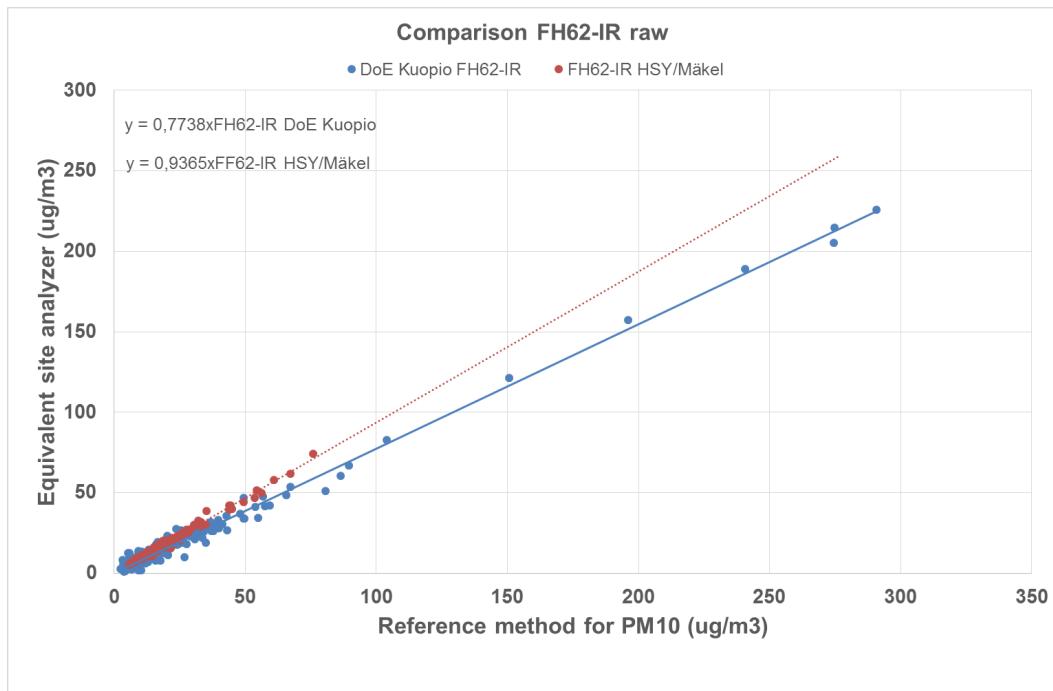


Figure 3.10. Raw results of FH62-IR at DoE in Kuopio and at HSY/Mäkelänkatu verification against the reference method.

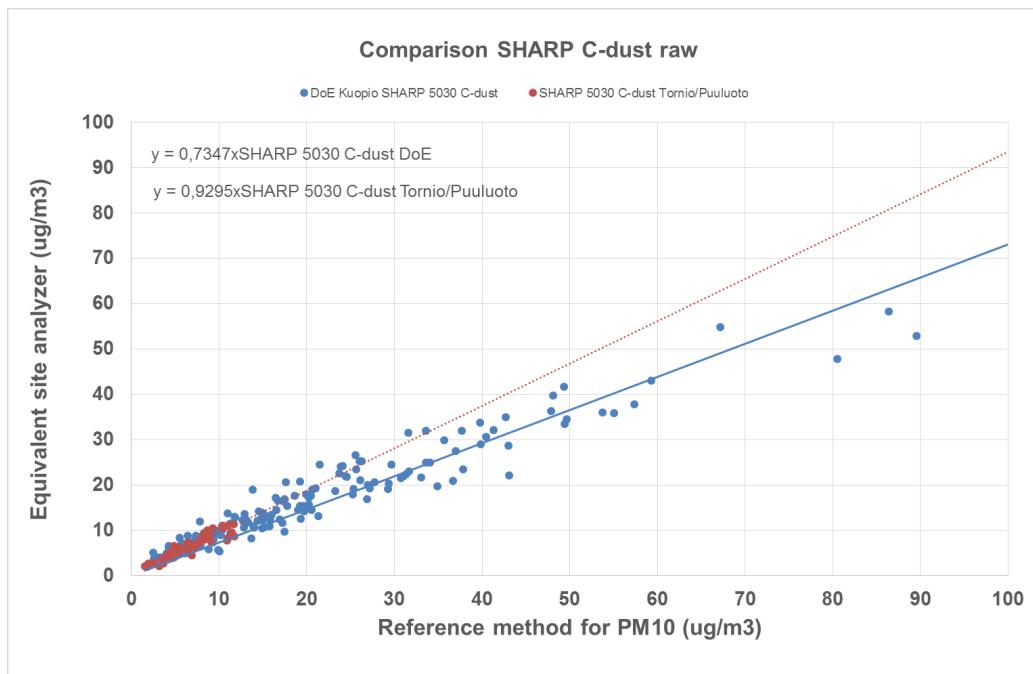


Figure 3.11. Raw results of SHARP C-dust at DoE in Kuopio and at Tornio/Puuluoto verification of PM₁₀ against the reference method.

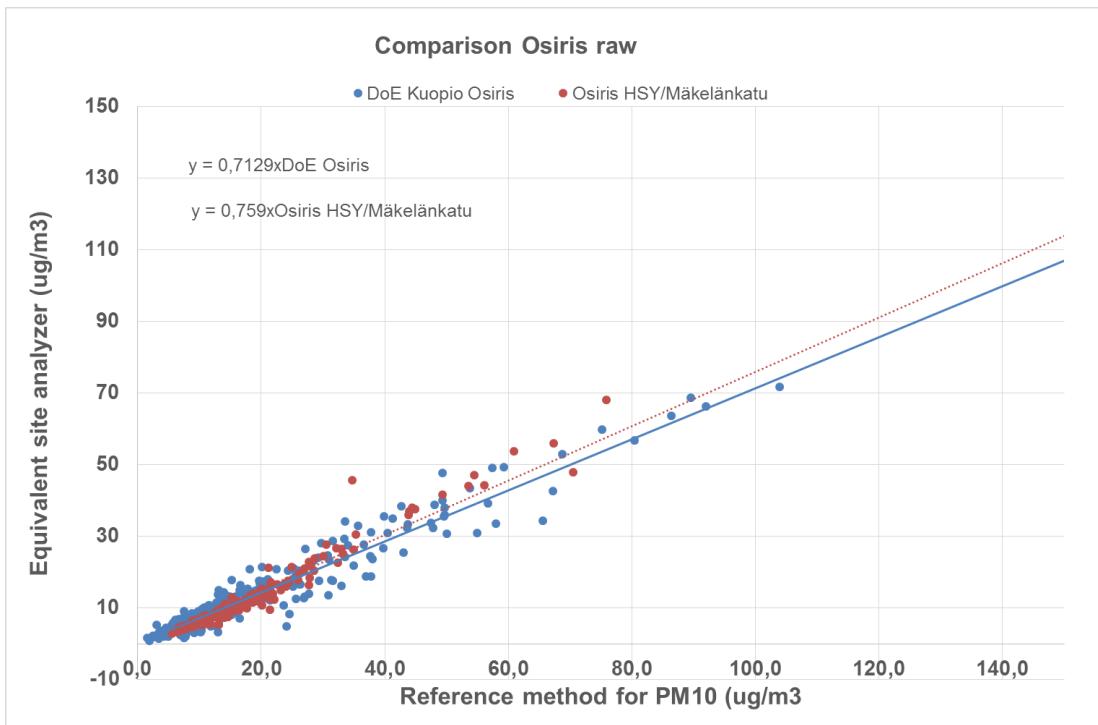


Figure 3.12. Raw results of Osiris at DoE in Kuopio and at HSY/Mäkelänkatu verification of PM₁₀ against the reference method.

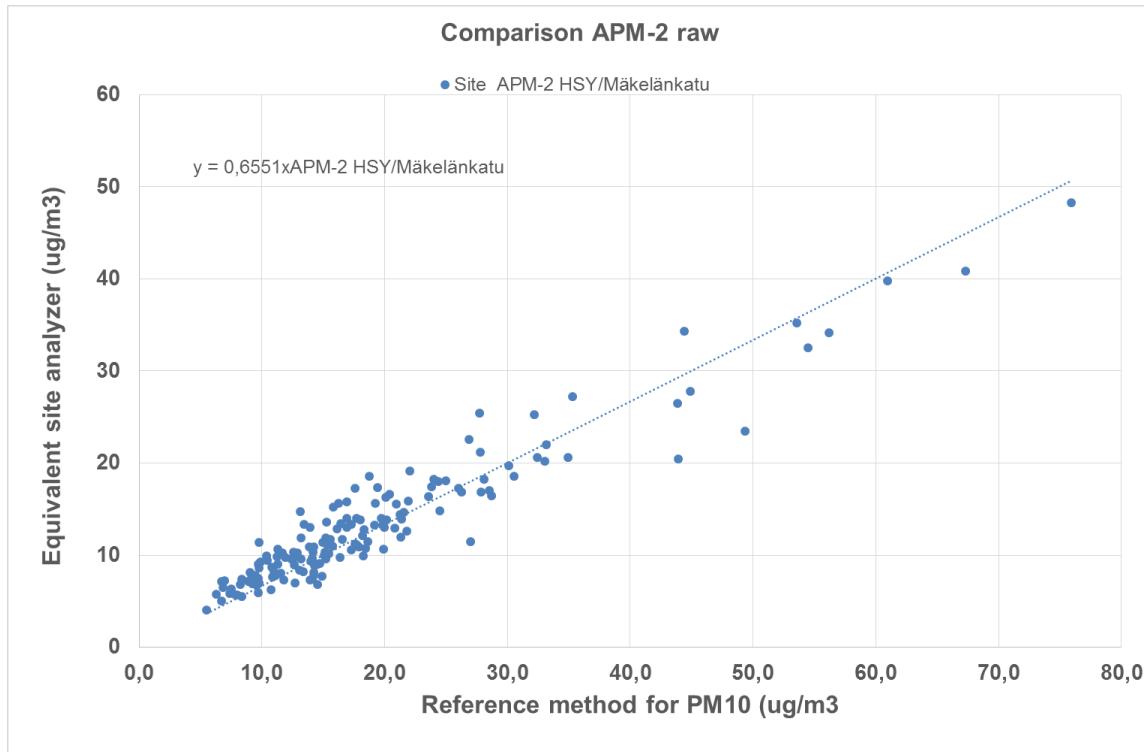


Figure 3.13. Raw results of APM-2 at HSY/Mäkelänkatu verification of PM₁₀ against the reference method.

3.3. Time series of individual PM_{2.5} verification test

The duration of the verification test for PM_{2.5} measurements were 8 weeks for all sites i.e. at Tampere/Epilä, at HSY/Mäkelänkatu and at HSY/Kallio, which is the only site according to which the Average Exposure Index (AEI) is determined for the whole Finland. The verification at Virolahti failed because of a sampling error. Due to the error the data covered only 27 days which is less than what is needed for the calculation of the results for one campaign as stated in GDE. Therefore, the results from Virolahti were discarded. The time series of PM_{2.5}-verifications are presented as daily averages in Figures 3.14 – 3.16.

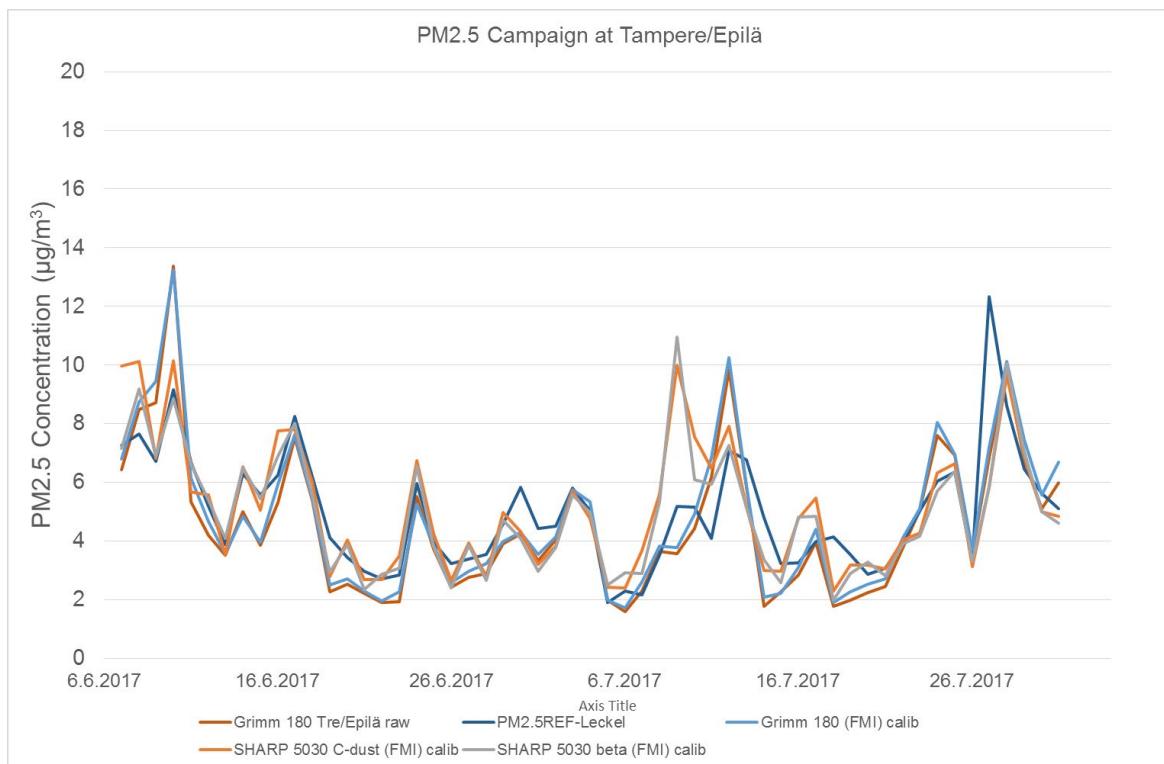


Figure 3.14. Time series of daily average PM_{2.5} mass concentration at Tampere/Epilä.

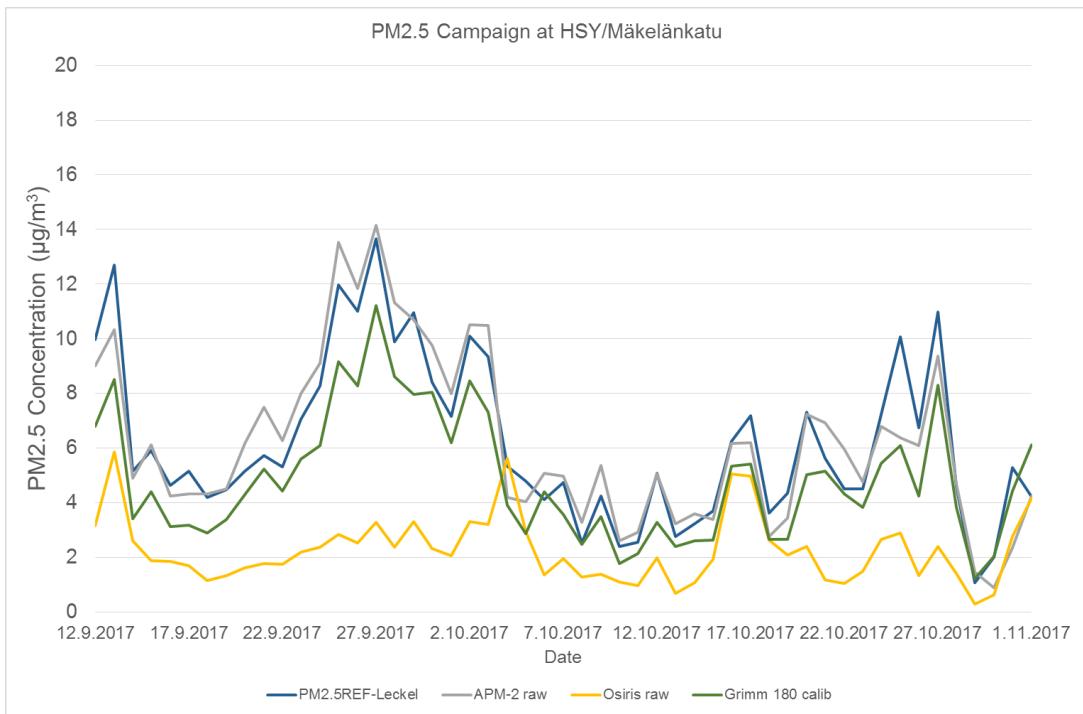


Figure 3.15a. Time series of daily average PM_{2.5} mass concentration at HSY/Mäkelänkatu.

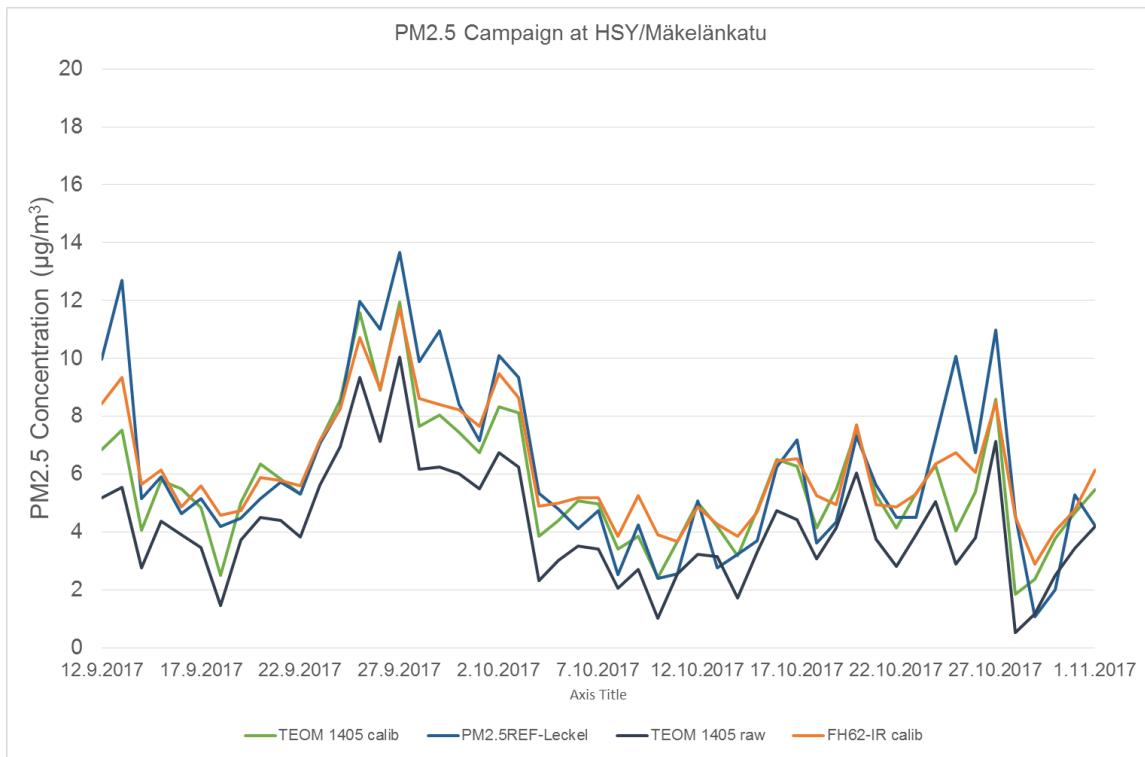


Figure 3.15b. Time series of daily average PM_{2.5} mass concentration at HSY/Mäkelänkatu.

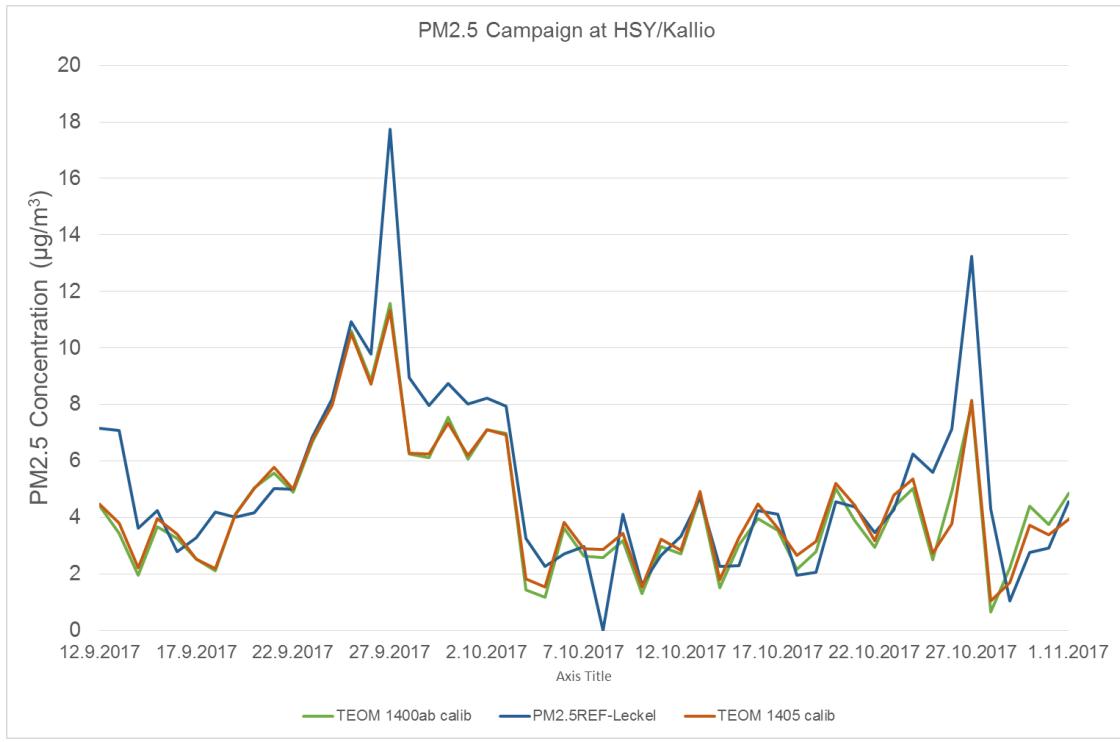


Figure 3.16. Time series of daily average $\text{PM}_{2.5}$ mass concentration at HSY/Kallio.

3.4. Verification results for $\text{PM}_{2.5}$

The verification data for each paired comparison of AMS against the RM is analyzed with help of the equivalence software as in chapter 3.2. Also in case of $\text{PM}_{2.5}$ measurements, the local air quality networks had different practices in applying the calibration factors based on the DoE results in Kuopio as was the case with PM_{10} measurements: at some of the sites, the measurement results were not corrected whereas at some sites the calibration equation was employed (see Table 2.3). Results from all the calculations are shown in Tables 3.5 – 3.8. The reader is referred to chapter 3.2 for clarification in order to be able to analyze the results in the tables. More detailed results and regression figures are presented in Annex 2.

Table 3.5. The test results of TEOM 1405 and TEOM 1405D for PM_{2.5} at HSY/Mäkelänkatu. The raw signal of TEOM 1405 is corrected by calibration function from DoE in Kuopio while signal from TEOM 1405D is not corrected.

Verification test PM _{2.5}	Criteria	HSY/Mäkelänkatu TEOM 1405 calib	HSY/Mäkelänkatu TEOM 1405D
Concentration range	µg/m ³	0 - 20	0 - 20
Raw data			
Slope	significant (Yes/No)	0,7265	0,6842
Intercept	significant (Yes/No)	1,35	0,074
Expanded relative uncertainty	≤ 25%	45,80 %	62,80 %
Fail/Pass	≤ 25%	Fail	Fail
Calibrated data			
Calibration: equation	≤ 25%	1,376y + -1,86	1,462y + 0,11
Expanded relative uncertainty	≤ 25%	10,80 %	8,30 %
Fail/Pass	≤ 25%	Pass	Pass
Calibration: slope through origin	≤ 25%	1,094y	1,44y
Expanded relative uncertainty	≤ 25%	31,0 %	8,4 %
Fail/Pass	≤ 25%	Fail	Pass
Calibration equation		1.009y - 1.681	

Table 3.6. The test results of TEOM 1400ab and TEOM 1405 for PM_{2.5} at HSY/Kallio. The raw signal of TEOM 1400ab is corrected by calibration function from DoE in Helsinki while TEOM 1405 is corrected from DoE in Kuopio.

Verification test PM _{2.5}	Criteria	HSY/Kallio TEOM 1400ab calib	HSY/Kallio TEOM 1405 calib
Concentration range	µg/m ³	0 - 20	0 - 20
Raw data			
Slope	significant (Yes/No)	0,7698	0,6887
Intercept	significant (Yes/No)	0,4753	0,9064
Expanded relative uncertainty	≤ 25%	43,4 %	56,50 %
Fail/Pass	≤ 25%	Fail	Fail
Calibrated data			
Calibration: equation	≤ 25%	1,299y + -0,618	1,452y + -1,316
Expanded relative uncertainty	≤ 25%	13,9%	13,60 %
Fail/Pass	≤ 25%	Pass	Pass
Calibration: slope through origin	≤ 25%	1,202y	1,209y
Expanded relative uncertainty	≤ 25%	13,2%	21 %
Fail/Pass	≤ 25%	Pass	Pass
Calibration equation		1.25y + 1.56	1.009y - 1.681

Table 3.7. The test results of two Grimm 180 (site and IL/REF) and SHARP 5030 in Tampere/Epilä site. The raw signal of Grimm 180 from the site in Tampere/Epilä is not corrected by calibration function from DoE in Kuopio while signals from the other Grimm 180 (IL/REF) and SHARP 5030 are corrected..

Verification test PM _{2,5}	Criteria	Tampere/Epilä Grimm 180 raw	Tampere/Epilä Grimm 180 (FMI)calib	Tampere/Epilä SHARP C-dust (FMI)calib	Tampere/Epilä SHARP beta (FMI)calib
Concentration range	µg/m ³	0 - 20	0 - 20	0 - 20	0 - 20
Raw data					
Slope	significant (Yes/No)	1,0599	1,1079	1,0631	0,9554
Intercept	significant (Yes/No)	-0,8701	-0,8674	-0,2702	0,0524
Expanded relative uncertainty	≤ 25%	7,6 %	16,6 %	12,40 %	9,20 %
Fail/Pass	≤ 25%	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass
Calibrated data					
Calibration: equation	≤ 25%	0,943y + 0,821	0,903y + 0,783	0,941y + 0,254	1,047y + -0,055
Expanded relative uncertainty	≤ 25%	14,1%	14,9 %	16,20 %	12,20 %
Fail/Pass	≤ 25%	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass
Calibration: slope through origin	≤ 25%	1,104y	1,048y	0,984y	1,037y
Expanded relative uncertainty	≤ 25%	30,1%	28,3 %	10,7 %	6 %
Fail/Pass	≤ 25%	Fail	Fail	Pass	Pass
Calibration equation			0,78y	0,854y+1,187	0,971y

Table 3.8. The test results for optical methods in HSY/Mäkelänkatu and for beta attenuation method. At Mäkelänkatu Grimm 180 and FH 62-IR are corrected according to DoE from Kuopio while APM-2 and Osiris are not corrected. Additionally the FH62-IR have also analyzed with no correction at the right column.

Verificationtest PM _{2,5}	Criteria	HSY/Mäkelänkatu Grimm 180 calib	HSY/Mäkelänkatu APM-2 raw	HSY/Mäkelänkatu Osiris raw	HSY/Mäkelänkatu FH 62-IR calib	HSY/Mäkelänkatu FH 62-IR raw
Concentration range	µg/m ³	0 - 20	0 - 20	0 - 20	0 - 20	0 - 20
Raw data						
Slope	significant (Yes/No)	0,7555	1,0945	0,2616	0,6562	0,7760
Intercept	significant (Yes/No)	0,1129	-0,4149	0,6477	2,1370	0,4770
Expanded relative uncertainty	≤ 25%	48,0 %	16,80 %	143,00 %	54,5 %	41,5 %
Fail/Pass	≤ 25%	Fail	Pass	Fail	Fail	Fail
Calibrated data						
Calibration: equation	≤ 25%	1,324y + -0,149	0,914y + 0,379	3,822y + -2,476	1,524y + -3,256	1,288y - 0,614
Expanded relative uncertainty	≤ 25%	7,4%	10,50 %	177,70 %	6,7%	7,2%
Fail/Pass	≤ 25%	Pass	Pass	Fail	Pass	Pass
Calibration: slope through origin	≤ 25%	1,298y	0,964y	2,867y	1,053y	1,19y
Expanded relative uncertainty	≤ 25%	4,4%	11 %	58 %	46,8%	11,1%
Fail/Pass	≤ 25%	Pass	Pass	Fail	Fail	Pass
Calibration equation		0,747y + 0,532			0,850y + 1,709	

All results for PM_{2.5} verification from sites in this study and the DoE study in Kuopio are shown in Figures 3.17 to 3.21. In the figures the results are presented without any additional corrections of measured signal except factors installed by the manufacturer as was shown in figures 3.7 – 3.13 for PM₁₀ verification.

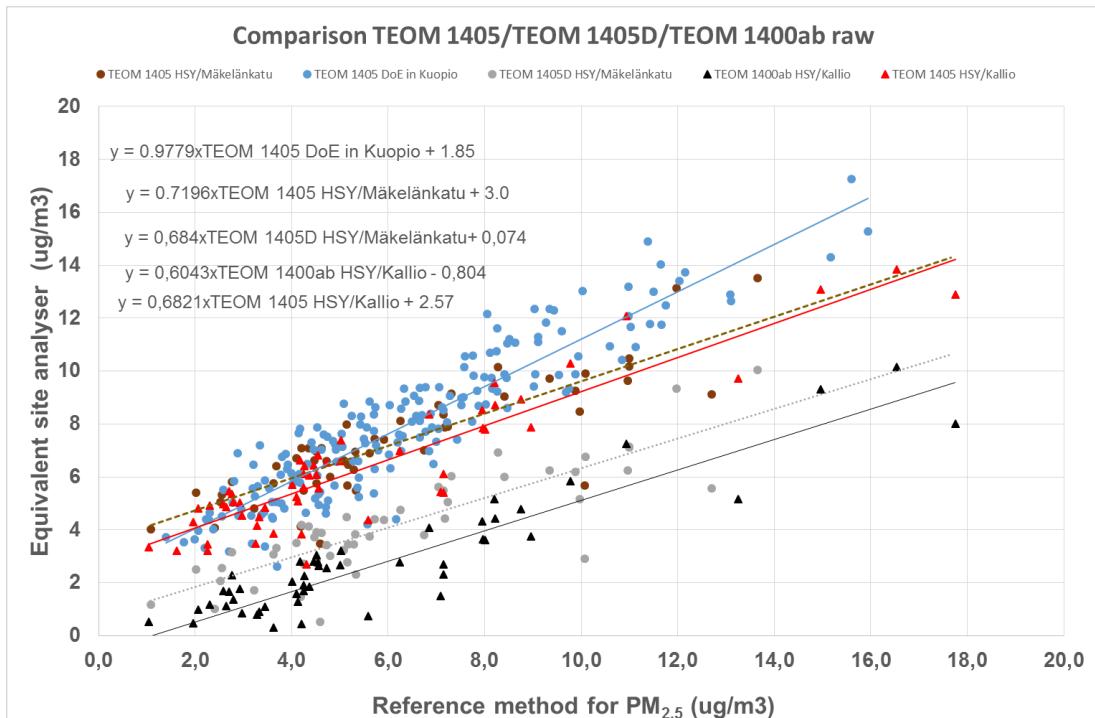


Figure 3.17. Raw results of TEOM 1405, TEOM 1405D and TEOM 1400ab at sites of HSY/Mäkelänkatu and HSY/Kallio in verification of PM_{2.5} against the reference method.

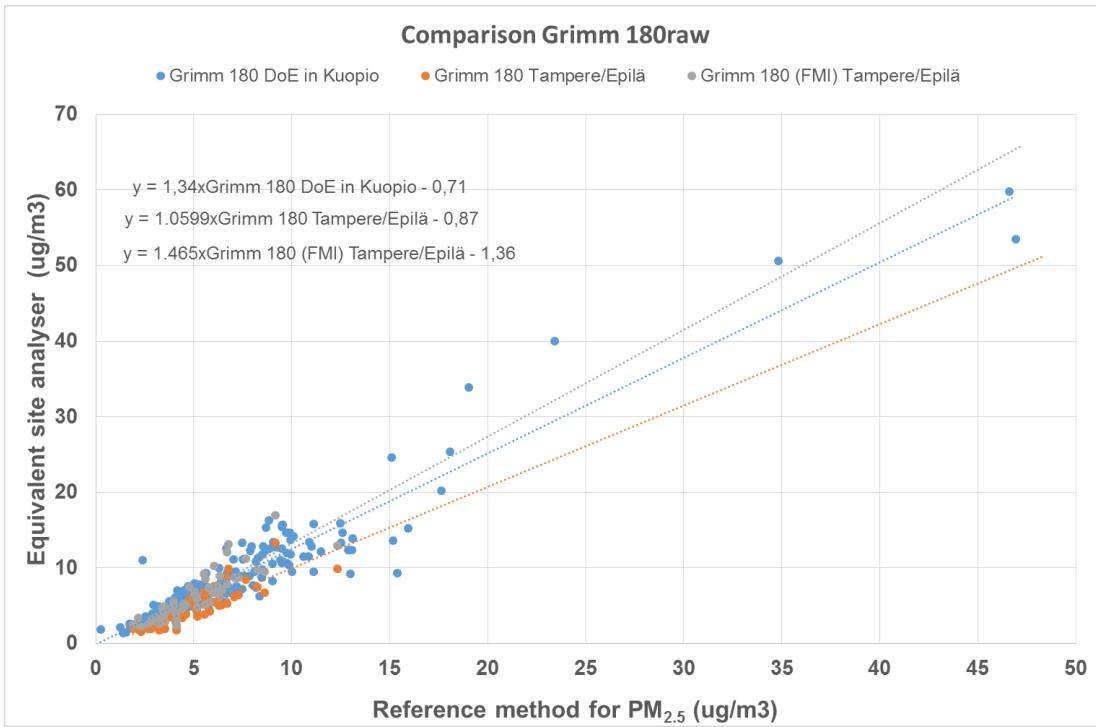


Figure 3.18. Raw results of Grimm 180 at sites of DoE in Kuopio and at Tampere/Epilä in verification of $\text{PM}_{2.5}$ against the reference method.

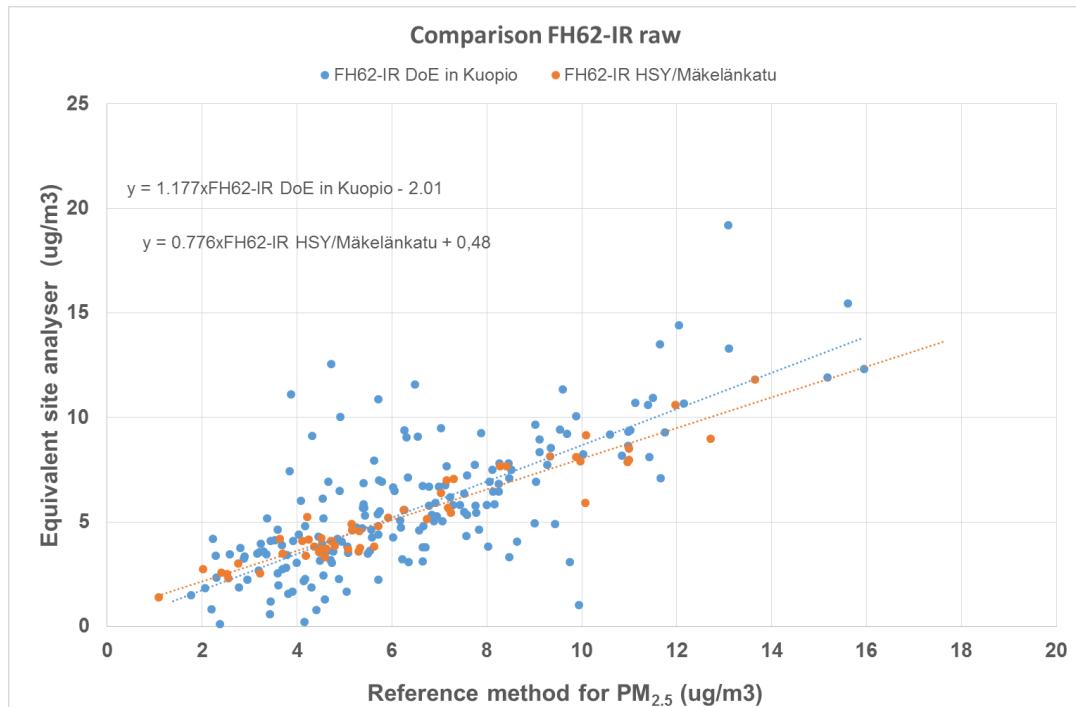


Figure 3.19. Raw results of FH62-IR at sites of DoE in Kuopio and at HSY/Mäkelänkatu in verification of $\text{PM}_{2.5}$ against the reference method.

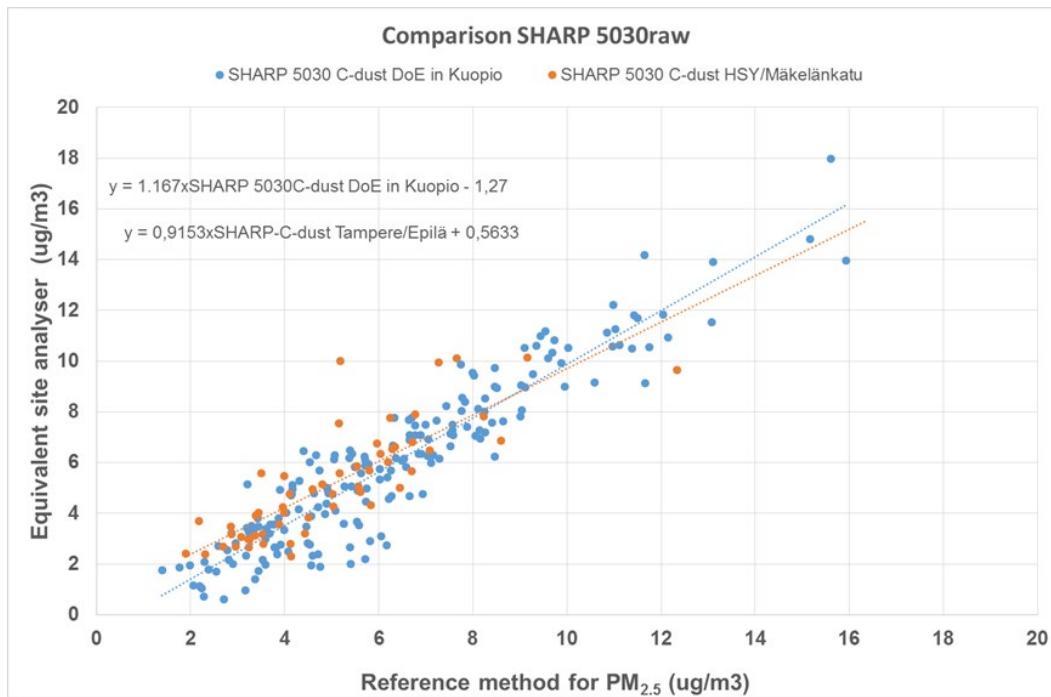


Figure 3.20. Raw results of SHARP 5030 at sites of DoE in Kuopio and at HSY/Mäkelänkatu in verification of $\text{PM}_{2.5}$ against the reference method.

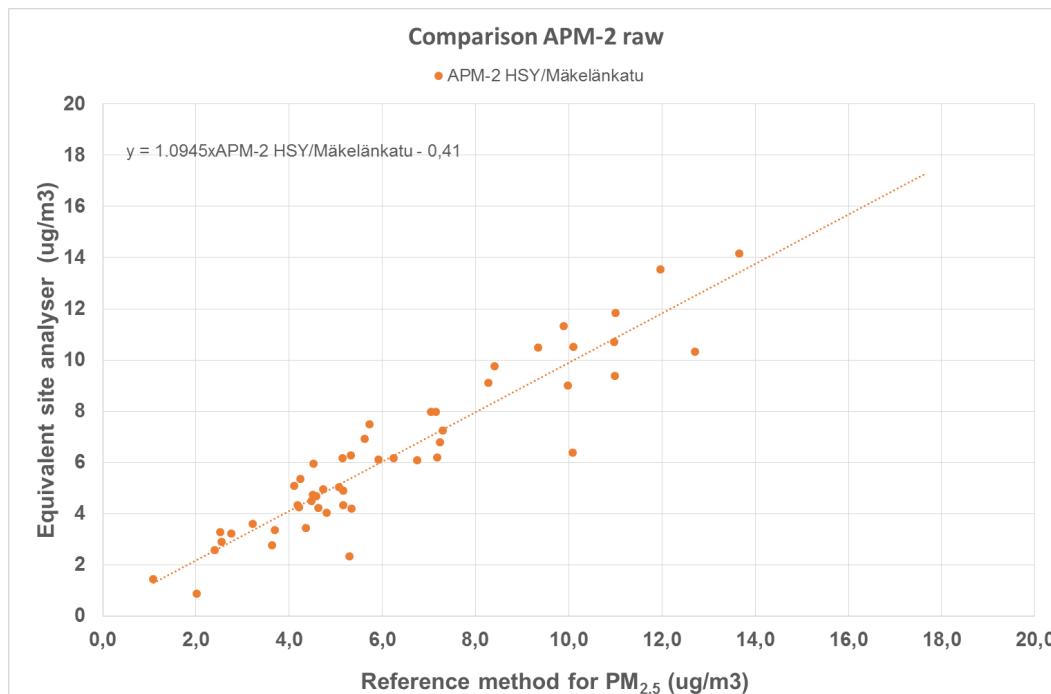


Figure 3.21. Raw results of APM-2 at HSY/Mäkelänkatu in verification of $\text{PM}_{2.5}$ against the reference method.

3.5. Recommendation for the common calibration factors for continuous PM-analyzers.

The calibration equations for the continuous PM-analyzers obtained in the DoE in Kuopio are presented in Table 2.4 for PM₁₀ measurements and in Table 2.5 for PM_{2.5} measurements. The operators of the air quality networks are free to select any of the calibration equations from those tables to fit best for the purpose: taken into account of seasonal effect, concentration range and location of the measurement station. In addition of the possibility for free of choice it has been proposed by operators of the local air quality to prepare a table for common calibration equations for the automated PM-analyzers. For such purpose table 3.9 present calibration equations taken from Tables 2.4 and 2.5 for PM₁₀ and PM_{2.5} measurements.

Table 3.9. Calibration equations for PM₁₀ and PM_{2.5} measurements for the automated PM-analyzers.

Equivalent PM-analyzer	PM10	U(%)	PM2.5	U(%)
BAM 1020	0,947	12,6%	1,100y + 0,733	7,4%
GRIMM 180	0,975	13,0%	0,780	12,3%
SHARP 5030 C-dust	1,242	15,2%	0,998	24,9%
SHARP 5030 (beta)	1,278	11,8%	0,971	0,2%
FH 62 IR	1,247	15,2%	0,850y + 1,709	17,3%
TEOM 1405	0,848	14,4%	1,009y - 1,681	8,8 %
MP101M	0,938	8,4%	0,812y - 0,306	8,9%
OSIRIS	1,343	15,4%		

4. Summary and conclusion

Suitability tests that demonstrate whether the concentration ranges and the type of dust particles reveal the situation where the equivalence tests of AMS has been demonstrated are defined in the EN 16450 as QA/QC procedures. Though the verification tests that were conducted in this study do not follow accurately the procedure for the sampling period, described in the EN-standard, the results give an overall view where the tested AMS perform similarly or differently in various parts of Finland. The Grimm 180, based on optical method, showed different respond against the reference method at different location. The MP-101, based on beta attenuation method, and TEOM 1405, based on oscillation micro balance method, performed similarly across Finland. In case where comparison was made only at one site, e.g. FH62-IR, SHARP 5030 and Osiris, the results were only compared with the results from DoE in Kuopio. Of these AMS, the largest discrepancy between the site AMS and the DoE in Kuopio was observed with FH62-IR and SHARP 5030. The durations of the campaigns in this suitability study were mostly 8 weeks with two exceptions; one at HSY/Mäkelänkatu where PM₁₀ comparison took 169 days and one in Tornio where the comparison took place every third day lasting six months (44 successful samples).

TEOM 1400/1405

This AMS is the most common instrument for continuous PM measurements at local air quality networks in Finland. Results in case of PM10 verifications at Etelä-Karjala/Mansikkala, Oulu/Keskusta and Helsinki/Mäkelänkatu with TEOM 1405 raw values (in Mäkelänkatu the corrected results have been recalculated as original setting by the factory) show very good agreement between each other (Table 3.1 and Figure 3.7). When combining verification results for TEOM 1405 raw results (without correction) from this study, the latest DoE study in Kuopio (2014-2015) and the previous DoE study in Helsinki (2007-2008), all the results can be corrected with the calibration equation (Figure A7a). This agrees reasonably well with the calibration equation for TEOM 1405 at DoE comparison in Kuopio (Table 2.3). When comparing the TEOM 1405 and TEOM 1405D (Table 3.1, Figure 3.7 and Figure A4g) there is a clear difference between the different models of TEOM. The scatter of results is small, which indicates

clear bias between these two different models of TEOM rather than random deviation. The reason for the systematic difference was not able to solve in this study.

The verification tests of PM_{2.5} (Table 3.5) were conducted in Helsinki at two different type of site: HSY/Mäkelänkatu and HSY/Kallio. The former is a clear traffic site whereas the latter is an urban background site. HSY/Kallio is also the site where the average exposure index (AEI) for PM_{2.5} in Finland is calculated. The network chose to use the calibration equation to correct the results for TEOM 1405 from the DoE in Kuopio whereas the results from TEOM 1400ab were corrected based on the DoE in Helsinki (Walden et al. 2010). As can be seen, the PM_{2.5} results for TEOM 1400ab are about 10 % higher than for TEOM 1405 (Figure A10c). There is also a clear difference between the results at HSY/Kallio and at HSY/Mäkelänkatu for TEOM 1405 (Table 3.5) which may be because of different PM sources affecting the measurements.

MP101

This AMS worked very well at DoE in Kuopio and also at the site in Kuopio/Tasavallankatu. In this study, the PM₁₀ concentrations at Turku/Naantali and at Vaasa/Centre were very low throughout the verification test, showing slightly more scattering of results between the sites in Turku/Naantali and Vaasa/Keskusta than in Kuopio. The overall agreement between the sites in this verification fits well with the PM₁₀ results for MP101 achieved in DoE comparison at Kuopio (Figure 3.8 and Figure A7b). There was no verification test with MP101 for PM_{2.5} measurements.

Grimm 180

The AMS was tested for verification for PM₁₀ and PM_{2.5} measurements. For PM₁₀ tests were conducted at one site in HSY/Mäkelänkatu and at Turku/Naantali where the instrument was not a site instrument but was provided by FMI. In case of PM_{2.5} measurements tests were conducted at Tampere/Epilä and at HSY/Mäkelänkatu. Grimm 180 is based on the optical method, i.e. reflection of laser light from the surface of the particle. The reflection angles depend on the size of the particles and the mass of particle

is calculated based on the volume and the density of particle, which is fixed through the calibration process. The mass concentration of particles detected by Grimm 180 is therefore influenced by the particle density that is linked to the source of the particles (long range transboundary, combustion process, resuspension e.g. from the road), but it also depends on the reflection properties of the laser light from the particle surface (reflection index), which depends on the environmental conditions i.e. moisture. The sampling tube of the instrument is equipped with Perma Pure Drier that turns on automatically when the relative humidity exceeds 50% but it causes some particle loss. Comparing the results in Figure 3.9, the verification results from Turku/Naantali and HSY/Mäkelänkatu coincide very well, but the scatter of results especially at HSY/Mäkelänkatu is rather large. At high concentration the results of Grimm 180 seem to be systematically overestimated, which may be because of different source of particles than at low concentration. The overall agreement with the results at the verification results and DoE in Kuopio is reasonably good (Table 2.3 and Figure A7c).

Verification test of Grimm 180 for PM_{2.5} measurements was conducted at Tampere/Epilä and at HSY/Mäkelänkatu. At Tampere/Epilä, two different Grimm 180 took part, and the results of the site Grimm 180 were not corrected but the results of the Grimm 180 of the FMI were corrected. However, the slopes between the two Grimm 180 instruments against the reference method (Table 3.6) differ only 4% even though the correction factor for the results of FMI was 0.78. The reason for this can be the lowered measurement capability of the site instrument due to lack of calibration of the aerosol channel. Respond of the Grimm 180 for particle concentration at HSY/Mäkelänkatu show considerable underestimation against the results obtained with the reference method in Helsinki. The similar behavior is not met from both of the Grimm instruments in Tampere/Epilä. The respond of the Grimm for particle concentration is source dependent and is essential that Grimm 180 is calibrated with known size and density of particles at regular time intervals.

FH62-IR

FH62-IR was used at HSY/Mäkelänkatu for PM₁₀ and PM_{2.5} measurements. Difference between the results in DoE in Kuopio and at verification at HSY/Mäkelänkatu is considerable as shown in Figure 3.10 and in Table 3.4 and 3.7. Both instruments have been checked by regular intervals with the calibration foils provided by the manufacturer accordingly. There may be other technical reasons, e.g. sample flow rate, and aging of the beta source in FH62-IR. At DoE in Kuopio the age of the beta-source

was 7 years whereas at HSY/Mäkelänkatu the beta-source of FH62-IR was considerably younger. The beta source in FH62-IR is Kr-85 with the half-life of 10.8 years. This means that the activity of the beta-source was decreased about one third from the original intensity with the older FH62-IR. However, the regular use of calibration foils should compensate the effect of decreasing beta-source but may cause increased deviation of the results. Applying the calibration factors from DoE in Kuopio at the verification study at HSY/Mäkelänkatu the respond is underestimated by almost 20% for PM₁₀ (Table 3.4) whereas overestimated by 35% for PM_{2.5} (Table 3.7). It is evident that for FH62-IR at HSY/Mäkelänkatu good agreement with the concentration values obtained with the reference method is achieved by correcting the raw data for PM₁₀ measurements with the slope correction of 1.075 (Table 3.4) and PM_{2.5} measurements with the slope correction of 1.19 (Table 3.7).

SHARP 5030

This instrument was used for PM₁₀ measurements at Tornio/Puuluoto, which is not a fixed air quality site but was used for a campaign study. The sampling strategy differed from other campaigns; in this case the reference sampler operated every third day during a period of six months yielding 43 daily samples in total. The concentration range was very low compared to the range that was at the DoE in Kuopio (Figure 3.11). In this study only C-dust signal is used for the analysis of the results. The difference between the slopes in Tornio and at DoE in Kuopio is 20% for C-dust signal i.e. the signal from nephelometer is corrected with the beta-signal. From table 3.3 the discrepancy between the results obtained at DoE in Kuopio and at verification study at Tornio is considerably large. The instrument failed with the corrected results, but passed the test with small uncertainty with a new correction only for the slope. In case of PM_{2.5} verification at Tampere/Epilä (Table 3.6) SHARP 5030 achieved acceptable results as shown in table 3.6 both for C-dust and beta-signal.

Osiris

The instrument passed the DoE study in Kuopio for PM₁₀ and achieved consistent results at HSY/Mäkelänkatu during the verification study with the DoE results (Figure 3.12 and Table 3.4). In case for PM_{2.5} Osiris fail to meet the criteria in DoE in Kuopio and likewise it failed during this verification study.

APM-2

This instrument was not at the DoE in Kuopio and therefore calibration equation for DoE has not been used by the network (HSY). The verification results both for PM₁₀ and PM_{2.5} suggest a correction for the slope with an uncertainty that fulfills the uncertainty requirement (table 3.4 and 3.7). The verification study does not fulfill the requirements which are needed for complete DoE study. Therefore, the comparison with the test results obtained by TÜV was used as a supporting document (TÜV, 2014a). The calibration factor achieved for PM₁₀ verification test is almost 50 % higher than the one reported by TÜV, see in chapter 2.7. For PM_{2.5} the verification results obtained in Helsinki/Mäkelänkatu is inside the variation of the results achieved from individual campaigns conducted by TÜV.

The results from the verification study conducted in various parts of Finland as intensive campaigns showed clearly that the calibration equations obtained from the DoE study in Kuopio can be used in other parts of Finland. The calibration equation can be a form like $X_{REF} = by + a$ or $X_{REF} = by$, where y is the signal from AMS in question and a and b are the intercept and slope. This applies when the AMS model is the same as in DoE study in Kuopio. This is clearly true in the case of tapered element oscillating microbalance method (TEOM 1400 a/b and 1405) and beta attenuation method (MP 101). The optical method is sensitive for the characteristics of the particle i.e. size, shape and density of particle. Also the environmental conditions e.g. moisture can change the refraction index of the particle and affects the detection of particle. Acceptable agreement was achieved between the verification results and the DoE results in Kuopio for Grimm 180. Osiris agreed well with the measurements of PM₁₀ but not of PM_{2.5}. APM-2 agreed well with PM_{2.5} measurements with the results obtained from the DoE results reported by TÜV. In case of PM₁₀ the verification results obtained for APM-2 showed almost 50% discrepancy between the results of individual campaigns with the DoE study obtained by TÜV. As a conclusion, the results reported by TÜV for PM_{2.5} measurements are applicable in Finland but for PM₁₀ measurements, the calibration factor obtained in this study shall be used. The SHARP 5030 was included at one site for

PM₁₀ and at one site for PM_{2.5}. For PM_{2.5}, the calibration equations obtained at DoE in Kuopio are applicable, but in case of PM₁₀ the results obtained in this study are more questionable because of the low concentration range. The conclusion in case of SHARP 5030 is, however, that the calibration equations achieved at DoE in Kuopio shall be used. The FH62-IR took part only in HSY/Mäkelänskatu where the results showed that the better agreement with the reference method is achieved by using the calibration factors obtained in this verification study for PM₁₀ and for PM_{2.5} than applying the calibration factors from the DoE in Kuopio. Even though the campaign was rather long (157 days) there is no general proof that the situation will hold at any other location in Finland. Therefore, the calibration factors obtained for FH62-IR in DoE in Kuopio are valid elsewhere in Finland. In case of TEOM 1405 and TEOM 1405D, there is a consistent difference between the results of both instruments obtained in the verification study. The observed difference does not allow the use of the calibration factors obtained for TEOM 1405 at the DoE in Kuopio to TEOM 1405D. Since the instrument has not been tested elsewhere e.g. by TÜV, there is no proof of equivalency for the instrument. The calibration equations obtained in DoE in Kuopio and presented in Tables 2.4 and 2.5 are applicable in different parts in Finland. The operators of the air quality networks are free to select any of the calibration factors to fit best for the purpose. However, to increase to homogeneity for the use of common calibration factors, results in Table 3.9 should be used.

Even though the requirements for the on-going verification tests according to EN 16450 and GDE are not mandatory according to EU directives, correct functioning of the AMS with respect to the reference method should be demonstrated at regular time basis. The verification study showed that in general the agreement between the site AMS and the DoE results in Kuopio agree reasonable well, and e.g. the seasonality had a large effect on some of the AMS at DoE in Kuopio which was not considered here. Test program for verifying the calibration factors of the AMS at their location including the seasonal behavior, should be planned and organized in the near future.

Yhteenveto ja johtopäätökset

Automaattisen hiukkasmittalaitteen vastaavuus eli ekvivalenttisuus vertailumenetelmään on osoitettava GDE-ohjeen mukaisilla vertailumittauksilla eli ekvivalenttiuustesteillä. Standardi EN 16450 edellyttää lisäksi vertailumittauksia eli soveltuvuustestejä, joilla voidaan osoittaa, että ekvivalenttiuustesteissä hyväksytty laite soveltuu käytettäväksi myös suunnitellussa mittausympäristössä. Vaikka tässä tutkimuksessa tehty mittausohjelma ei täysin täytä standardin vaatimuksia, voidaan tulosten perusteella osoittaa, että tietyt laitteet toimivat samankaltaisesti ja toiset poikkeavasti eri puolella Suomea. Esimerkiksi optiseen menetelmään perustuvan laitteen, Grimm 180, tulokset vaihtelivat vertailumenetelmän tuloksia vastaan eri mittausympäristöissä, kun taas beta-säteilyn vaimenemiseen perustuvan MP-101:n tai väärätelevään mikrovaakaan perustuvan TEOM 1405:n tuloksissa ei paikkariippuvuutta havaittu. Niille laitteille, joita testattiin vain yhdellä asemalla, kuten FH62-IR, SHARP 5030 ja Osiris, saatujen soveltuvuustestien tulosten vertailu suoritettiin Kuopion tuloksiin. Soveltuvuustestien mittausten kesto oli yleensä kahdeksan viikkoa. Poikkeuksena tästä oli HSY/Mäkelänskadun PM₁₀-mittaus, joka kesti 169 vuorokautta, ja Tornion mittaus, joka kesti kuusi kuukautta, mutta näytteenkeräys suoritettiin vain joka kolmas päivä (yhteensä 44 näytettä).

TEOM 1400/1405

Tämä laite on yleisimmin Suomen ilmanlaadun mittausverkoissa käytetty jatkuvatoimininen hiukkasmittalaite. Etelä-Karjala/Mansikkalan, Oulu/Keskustan ja Helsinki/Mäkelänskadun asemilla PM₁₀-vertailuissa TEOM 1405:n korjaamattomat tulokset ovat hyvin yhteneviä vertailumenetelmää vastaan (taulukko 3.1 ja kuva 3.7). Kun verrataan TEOM 1405:n korjaamattomia tuloksia tämän tutkimuksen sekä aikaisempien vastaavuuden osoittamiseen tehtyjen tutkimusten kesken (Kuopio 2014-2015 ja Helsinki 2007-2008), voidaan kaikki alkuperäiset tulokset korjata samalla kertoimella vertailumenetelmää vastaaviksi (kuva A7a). Tämä kerroin vastaa hyvin Kuopion vertailumittauksissa saatuja kalibointikertoimia (taulukko 2.3). Verrattaessa TEOM 1405:n ja TEOM 1405D:n tuloksia keskenään (taulukko 3.1, kuva 3.7 ja kuva A4g) havaitaan systemaattinen ero tulosten välillä. Lisäksi

molemmilla laitteilla tulosten sisäinen hajonta oli pienä. Näin ollen on ilmeistä, että laitemallien välillä on jokin systemaattinen ero, mitä tässä tutkimuksessa ei voitu selvittää.

TEOM-laitteiden soveltuuvestit PM_{2.5}-mittauksissa (taulukko 3.5) toteutettiin kahdella eri asemalla Helsingissä, HSY/Mäkelänkadun ja HSY/Kallion asemilla. Ensinnäkin mainittu on puhtaasti liikenneasema, kun taas jälkimmäinen on kaupunkitausta-asema, jonka tulosten perusteella lasketaan myös keskimääräinen altistumisindikaattori. HSY korjaaa PM_{2.5}-mittauksissa TEOM 1405:n tulokset käyttäen Kuopion korjauskertoimia, kun taas PM_{2.5}-mittausten rinnakkaislaitteen, TEOM 1400ab:n tulokset korjataan aiempien Helsingin vertailumittausten (Walden et al., 2010) perusteella. Lopputuloksena on, että korjauksen jälkeen TEOM 1400ab:n tulokset ovat 10 % korkeammat kuin TEOM 1405:n (kuva A10c). TEOM 1405:n tuloksissa on HSY/Kallion ja HSY/Mäkelänkadun asemilla poikkeavuutta vertailumenetelmää vastaan, mikä voi johtua hiukkasten erilaisista lähteistä.

MP101

MP-101 pärjäsi hyvin Kuopion vertailumittaauksissa, kuten myös Kuopion oma MP-101 hiukkasanalyysiattori Tasavallankadulla. Turku/Naantalin ja Vaasa/Keskustan asemien soveltuuvesteissä PM₁₀-pitoisuustasot olivat hyvin alhaiset koko mittausjakson ajan, minkä seurauksena myös tulosten hajonta vertailumenetelmää vastaan oli suurempi näillä asemilla kuin Kuopion vertailutuloksissa. MP-101:n tulokset eri asemilla sopivat hyvin Kuopion vertailumittaauksissa saatuihin tuloksiin (kuva 3.8 ja kuva A7b) PM₁₀-mittauksissa. MP-101 ei ollut mukana tässä PM_{2.5}-soveltuuvestessä.

Grimm 180

Grimm 180 oli mukana sekä PM₁₀- että PM_{2.5}-soveltuuvesteissä. PM₁₀-soveltuuvestit toteutettiin kahdella eri asemalla, HSY/Mäkelänkadun ja Turku/Naantalin asemilla. Jälkimmäisessä tapauksessa oli käytössä Ilmatieteen laitoksen laite. PM_{2.5}-soveltuuvestit toteutettiin Tampere/Epilän ja HSY/Mäkelänkadun asemilla. Grimm 180:n mittausmenetelmä perustuu optiseen menetelmään, ts.

laservalon tattumiseen hiukkasen pinnasta. Valon tattumiskulma riippuu hiukkasen koosta, ja hiukkasen massa voidaan laskea hiukkasen koon ja tiheyden avulla. Grimm 180:n määrittämä hiukkasten massapitoisuus riippuu hiukkasten tiheydestä, mikä riippuu edelleen hiukkasten lähteistä (poltoprosessi, resuspensio esimerkiksi tiestä, kaukokulkeuma). Valon taitekertoimen muuttuminen hiukkasten pinnalla esimerkiksi ilman kosteuden vaikutuksesta, muuttaa valon sirontaominaisuksia. Tämän kompensoimiseksi laitteen keräysputki on varustettu Perma Pure -kuivaimella, joka käynnistyy automaattisesti, kun ilman suhteellinen kosteus ylittää 50 %. Toisaalta näytelinjan kuivaus aiheuttaa jossain määrin hiukkashävikkiä. Verrattaessa Turku/Naantalin ja HSY/Mäkelänsen tuloksia on yhteensovivuus hyvä (kuva 3.9), mutta tulosten hajonta vertailumenetelmää vastaan on erityisesti HSY/Hämeenkadun mittauksissa melko suuri. Suurilla hiukkaspiisoissa Grimm 180 näyttäisi yliarvioivan pitoisuutta verrattuna vertailumenetelmään, mikä voisi johtua mikä voisi johtua siitä, että hiukkaslähteet ovat erilaiset korkeissa ja alhaisissa pitoisuksissa. Lopputuloksen voidaan kuitenkin todeta, että soveltuuviustestien tulokset sopivat hyvin yhteen Kuopion vertailumittaustulosten kanssa (taulukko 2.3 ja kuva A7c).

Grimm 180:n soveltuuviustesteissä Tampere/Epilän asemalla oli testattavana kaksi Grimm 180 -laitetta. Näistä toinen oli mittausaseman laite, jonka tuloksia ei oltu korjattu. Toinen laitteista oli Ilmatieteen laitoksen laite, jonka tulokset korjattiin Kuopion vertailumittausten tulosten perusteella. Vaikka Ilmatieteen laitoksen Grimm 180 tulokset korjattiin Kuopion mittausten perusteella (kulmakerroinkorjaus 0.78), erosivat molemmat laitteet vertailumenetelmästä vain 4 % (taulukko 3.6). Yksi mahdollinen selitys tässä havaittuun yllättävän pieneen eroon voisi olla mittausaseman laitteen heikentynyt toiminta, sillä sen optisen penkin kalibrointia ei ollut tehty valmistajalla. Ilmatieteen laitoksen laitteen optinen penkki oli kalibroitu laitevalmistajalla viimeksi Kuopion vertailumittausten yhteydessä. HSY/Mäkelänsellä Grimm 180:n tulokset poikkeavat selvästi molempien Tampereen Grimm 180 -laitteiden tuloksista suhteessa vertailumenetelmään. On erityisen tärkeää, että jatkuvatoimisen hiukkasmittalaitteen tekninen toiminta on kunnossa, mikä voidaan varmistaa esimerkiksi kalibroimalla optinen penkki tunnetulla hiukkaskoolla ja hiukkastiheydellä säännöllisin aikavälein.

FH62-IR

FH62-IR oli mukana HSY/Mäkelänkadulla sekä PM₁₀- että PM_{2.5}-soveltuuustesteissä. Verrattaessa FH62-IR:n HSY/Mäkelänkadun PM₁₀- ja PM_{2.5}-soveltuuustestien tuloksia Kuopion vertailumittauksen tuloksiin, poikkeavat ne merkittävästi toisistaan (Kuva 3.10 ja taulukot 3.4 ja 3.7). Selvää syytä tähän poikkeamaan ei löydetty. molemmissa mittauksissa laitteen toiminta tarkistettiin asianmukaisesti ja säännöllisin välein käytäen laitevalmistajan toimittamia kalibrointiliuskoja. Mahdollisia teknisiä syitä poikkeamiin ovat esimerkiksi näyttevirtaus ja radioaktiivisen läheen ikä. Kuopion mittauksissa läheen ikä oli 7 vuotta, mutta HSY/Mäkelänkadulla selvästi nuorempi. molemmissa laitteissa oli samanlainen radioaktiivinen lähde, Kr-85, jonka puoliintumisaika on 10.8 vuotta. Kalibrointiliuskojen käyttö korjaa vaimentuneen läheen vaikutuksen, mutta voi toisaalta aiheuttaa suurempaa hajontaa tuloksissa. Korjattaessa HSY/Mäkelänkadun mittausten FH62-IR:n tulokset Kuopion vertailutulosten kalibrointikertoimilla aliarvioi tehty korjaus pitoisuustasoja 20 %:lla PM₁₀-mittauksissa (taulukko 3.4) ja yliarvioi PM_{2.5}-mittaustuloksia 35 %:lla (taulukko 3.7). Näiden tulosten perusteella HSY/Mäkelänkadulla saavutetaan parempi yhteensopivuus vertailumenetelmää vastaan korjaamalla raakatulokset PM₁₀-mittauksissa kulmakertoimella 1.075 (taulukko 3.4) ja PM_{2.5}-mittauksissa kulmakertoimella 1.19 (taulukko 3.7).

SHARP 5030

Tämä laite oli tässä soveltuuustestissä mukana PM₁₀-mittauksissa vain Tornio/Puuluodon asemalla, sekä PM_{2.5}-mittauksissa HSY/Mäkelänkadun asemalla. Tornio/Puuluoto ei ole kiinteä ilmanlaadun mittausasema. Näytteenkeruu tapahtui joka kolmas päivä kuuden kuukauden aikana, jolloin näytteitä kertyi yhteensä 43 vuorokausinäytettä. Pitoisuustasot Torniossa olivat hyvin alhaiset verrattuna Kuopion vertailumittauksen pitoisuustasoihin (kuva 3.11). SHARP 5030:n tuottamasta datasta analysoitiin tässä tutkimuksessa C-dust -signaali, joka sisältää optisen signaalin (nefelometri) korjattuna beta-menetelmän signaalilla. Taulukon 3.3 tuloksista havaitaan, että poikkeama vertailumenetelmän tuloksiin on 20 %, kun SHARP 5030:n tulokset on korjattu Kuopion vertailun tuloksilla (taulukko 3.3). Torniossa käytetty SHARP 5030 ei läpäissyt vertailua Kuopiossa määritetyillä kalibrointikertoimilla, mutta pelkästään kulmakerrointa käytämällä saatiin hyväksyttävä korjauskerroin pienellä epävarmuudella. SHARP 5030 oli mukana vertailussa myös Tampereella PM_{2.5}-mittauksissa, joissa tulokset olivat hyväksyttävät Kuopion kertoimilla sekä C-dust:n signaalilla että beta-signaalilla (taulukko 3.6).

Osiris

Tämä laite läpäisi Kuopion vertailumittaukset PM₁₀-mittauksissa ja saavutti samankaltaisen yhteensopivuuden tässä soveltuuvestestissä HSY/Mäkelänkadun asemalla, joskin pienemmällä korjauskertoimella (kuva 3.12 ja taulukko 3.4). PM_{2.5}-vertailussa HSY/Mäkelänkadulla Osiris ei läpäissyt testiä (taulukko 3.7), kuten ei myöskään Kuopiolla.

APM-2

Tämä laite ei ollut mukana Kuopion vertailumittauksessa ja sen vuoksi laitteelle ei ole kalibointiyhtälöä laadittu. Soveltuvuustestit tehtiin PM₁₀-ja PM_{2.5}-mittauksille HSY/Mäkelänkadun asemalla. Tulosten analyysin perusteella saadut korjauskertoimet PM₁₀- ja PM_{2.5}-mittauksille läpäisevät epävarmuuskriteerin (taulukot 3.4 ja 3.7). Koska soveltuuvestesti ei täytä niitä vaatimuksia, joita yhdenvertaisuustestit edellyttävät, on tässä tapauksessa käytetty analysoinnin tukena TÜV:n tekemää testiraporttia (TÜV, 2014a). PM₁₀-mittauksille saatu korjauskerroin on lähes 50 % suurempi kuin TÜV:n testeissä saatu tulos, ks. kappale 2.7. PM_{2.5}-mittauksissa saatu tulos on puolestaan TÜV:n testeissä saatujen korjauskertoimien vaihteluvälien sisällä.

Jatkuvatoimisten hiukkasmittalaitteiden (AMS) soveltuuustutkimus, joka suoritettiin intensiivimittauskampanjoin eri puolilla Suomea, osoitti selvästi, että kalibointiyhtälöt, jotka on saatu Kuopion vertailumittausten tuloksista, ovat päteviä eri puolilla Suomea tehtävissä hiukkasmittauksissa. Kalibointiyhtälö voi olla muotoa $X_{REF} = by + a$ tai $X_{REF} = by$, missä y on AMS:n mittaussignaali ja a ja b ovat leikkauspiste ja kulmakerroin. Kalibointiyhtälöitä voidaan soveltaa laitteisiin, joiden malli on sama kuin Kuopiolla testatut laitemallit. Vastaavuus on hyvä erityisesti mikrovaa'an väärähtelyyn perustuvissa laitteissa (TEOM 1400 ab ja TEOM 1405) sekä beta-säteilyn vaimenemiseen perustuvassa laitteessa (MP-101). Optinen menetelmän mittautulos riippuu hiukkasten ominaisuuksista, kuten hiukkasten koosta, muodosta ja tiheydestä. Myös ympäristöolosuhteet, kuten kosteus, voivat muuttaa hiukkasten optista taitekerointia ja vaikuttaa siten hiukkasten havainnointiin. Riittävä yhteensopivuus saavutettiin kuitenkin tämän soveltuuustutkimuksen ja Kuopion vertailumittauksen välillä Grimm 180-laitteelle. Osiris käyttää PM₁₀-mittauksissa samalla tavalla kuin Kuopiolla ja se oli hyväksyttyvä. Sen sijaan Osiris ei täytänyt vaatimuksia PM_{2.5}-mittauksissa kuten ei myöskään Kuopion

vertailumittauksissa. APM-2 oli PM_{2.5}-mittauksissa yhtensopiva vertailumenetelmän kanssa käytettäessä TÜV:n raportoimia DoE-tulosten kalibrointikertoimia. Sen sijaan PM₁₀-mittauksissa ero kalibrointikertoimessa TÜV:n raportoimiin tuloksiin oli 50 %. Tämän soveltuvuustestin mukaan TÜV:n raportoimia tuloksia voidaan siis käyttää APM-2 laitteessa PM_{2.5}-mittauksissa, mutta PM₁₀-mittauksissa on käytettävä tämän tutkimuksen tuloksia. SHARP 5030 oli vertailussa mukana yhdellä asemalla PM₁₀-mittauksissa ja yhdellä asemalla PM_{2.5}-mittauksissa. PM_{2.5}:n tapauksessa Kuopion vertailumittausten kalibrointikertoimet soveltuivat hyvin tämän tutkimuksen tuloksiin, mutta PM₁₀-vertailutulokset olivat ongelmallisia alhaisten pitoisuustasojen vuoksi. Johtopäätös tästä vertailusta on, että SHARP 5030:n tulokset korjataan Kuopion kalibrointituloksilla sekä PM₁₀- ja PM_{2.5}-mittauksissa. FH62-IR -laitteella saavutetaan parempi yhteensopivus vertailumittausmenetelmän tuloksiin käyttäen tässä tutkimuksessa saatuja kalibrointikertoimia kuin Kuopion vertailussa saatuja kalibrointikertoimia. Tämä päätee ainakin HSY/Mäkelänkadun mittauksissa, sillä tuloksen yleispätevyyttä rajoittaa se, ettei vertailua pystytty toistamaan muilla asemilla. Johtopäätöksenä on, että Kuopion vertailumittausten tulokset ovat päteviä FH62-IR -laitteelle muualla Suomessa. Verrattaessa TEOM 1405:n ja TEOM 1405D:n tuloksia keskenään oli niiden välillä systemaattinen poikkeama, jota ei voitu selittää. Tästä syystä TEOM 1405:n kalibrointikertoimia ei voi käyttää TEOM 1405D:n tulosten korjaamiseen. Koska TEOM 1405D:tä ei myöskään ole testattu muualla esimerkiksi TÜV:n toimesta, laite ei täytä vertailumenetelmän vaatimusta hiukkasmittauksille. Kuopion vertailumittausten perusteella määritetyt kalibrointikertoimet eri pitoisuusalueille ovat käyttökelpoisia eri puolella Suomea tehtävissä mittauksissa ja ne ovat esitetty taulukoissa 2.4 ja 2.5. Mittausverkkojen vastuuhenkilöt voivat valita näistä tuloksista parhaiten käyttökohteeseen soveltuvan kalibrointiyhtälön. Taulukkoon 3.9 on kerätty kalibrointiyhtälöt taulukoista 2.4 ja 2.5, joita tulisi käyttää yhtenäisinä kalibrointiyhtälöinä mittaustulosten korjaamiseksi Suomessa.

Tässä tutkimuksessa tehdyt vertailumittaukset hyväksyttyjen hiukkasmittauslaitteiden toiminnasta eri puolella Suomea ovat pakollisia EN 16450 standardin mukaan, mutta vaatimus ei ole direktiivissä kansallisessa lainsäädännössä (Ympäristönsuojelulaki 527/2014, Valtioneuvoston asetus ilmanlaadusta 79/2017), eikä niin muodoin ole velvoittava. Tämän tutkimuksen tulokset hyväksyttyjen hiukkasmittalaitteiden toiminnasta vertailumenetelmää vastaan eri puolella Suomea olivat pääosin hyviä. Kuitenkin todettiin myös poikkeavuuksia, joita ei pystytty selvittämään eikä tässä tutkimuksessa myöskään voitu huomioida vuodenaijoiden vaihtelun osuutta, minkä taas Kuopion vertailumittauksissa todettiin vaihtelevan suurestikin erällä laitetyypeillä. Nyt pitäisikin luoda hiukkasmittalaitteiden jatkuvien vertailujen toteuttamiseksi testausohjelma, jossa huomioitaisiin myös vuodenaijoiden vaihtelu.

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Annex 1. Verification results of PM10 measurements

In the following figures the site data has been analyzed as it has been at the site i.e. corrected according to calibration equation or not corrected.

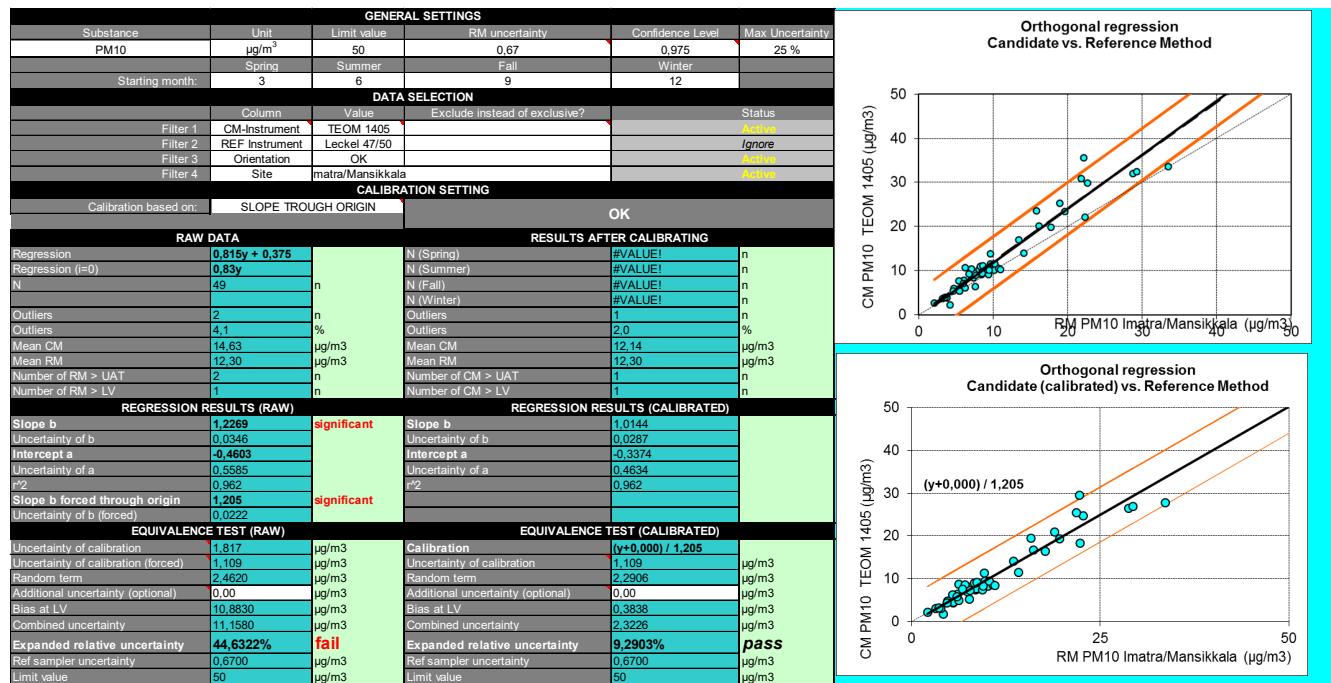


Figure A1. Verification results in Etelä-Karjala/Mansikkala for TEOM 1405 PM₁₀ measurements. Data has not been corrected according to DoE from Kuopio.

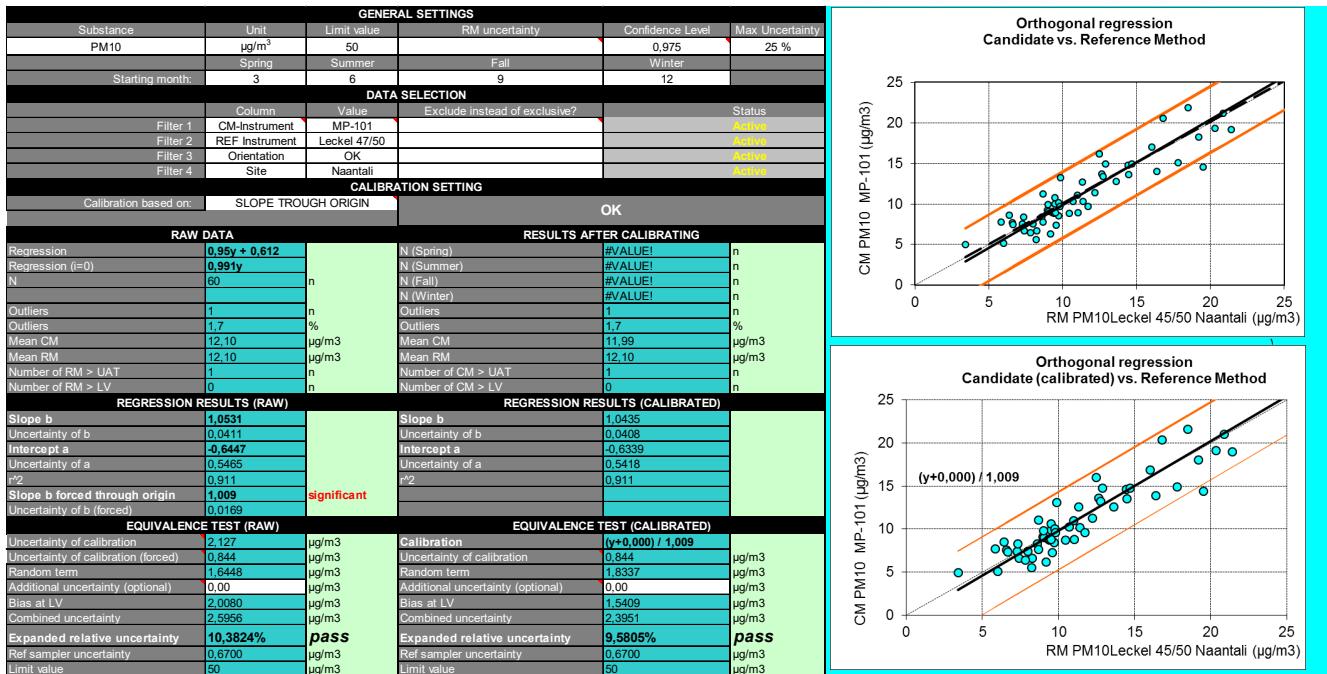


Figure A2. Verification results in Naantali for MP-101 PM₁₀ measurements. Data has been corrected according to modified correction term from DoE from Kuopio i.e. the correction for the slope has been 0.91 instead of 0.938.

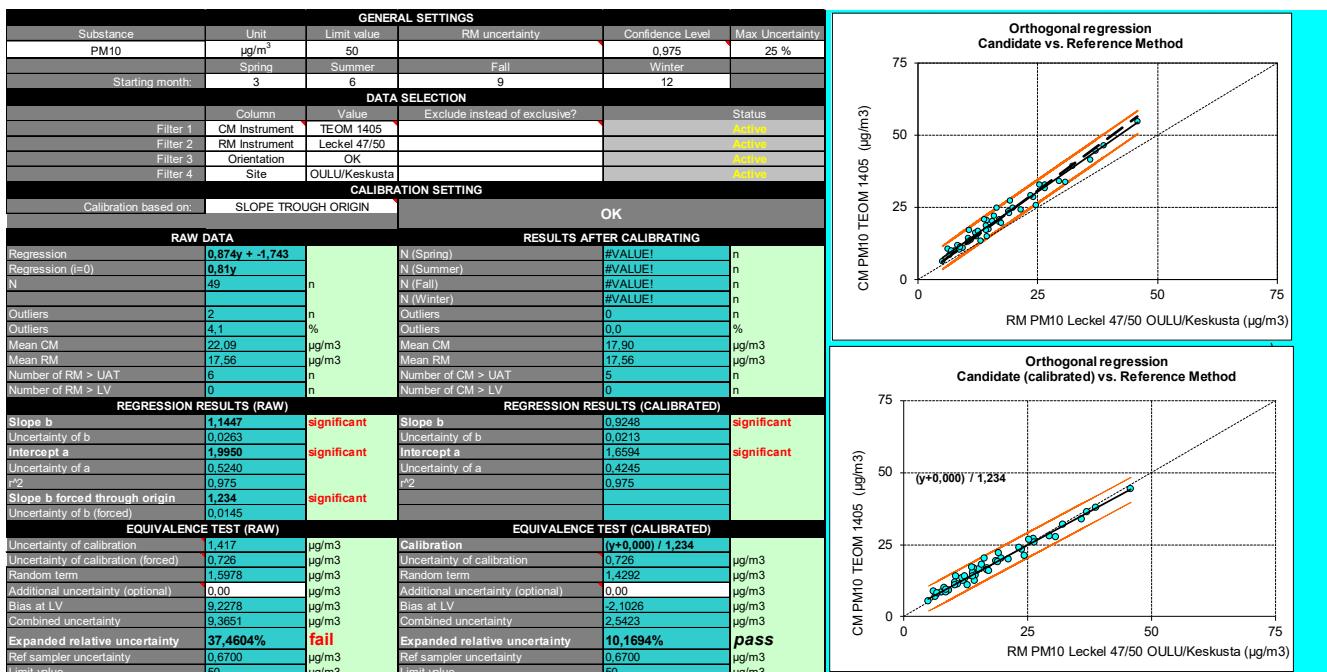


Figure A3. Verification results in Oulu/Keskusta for TEOM 1405 PM₁₀ measurements. Data has not been corrected according to DoE from Kuopio.

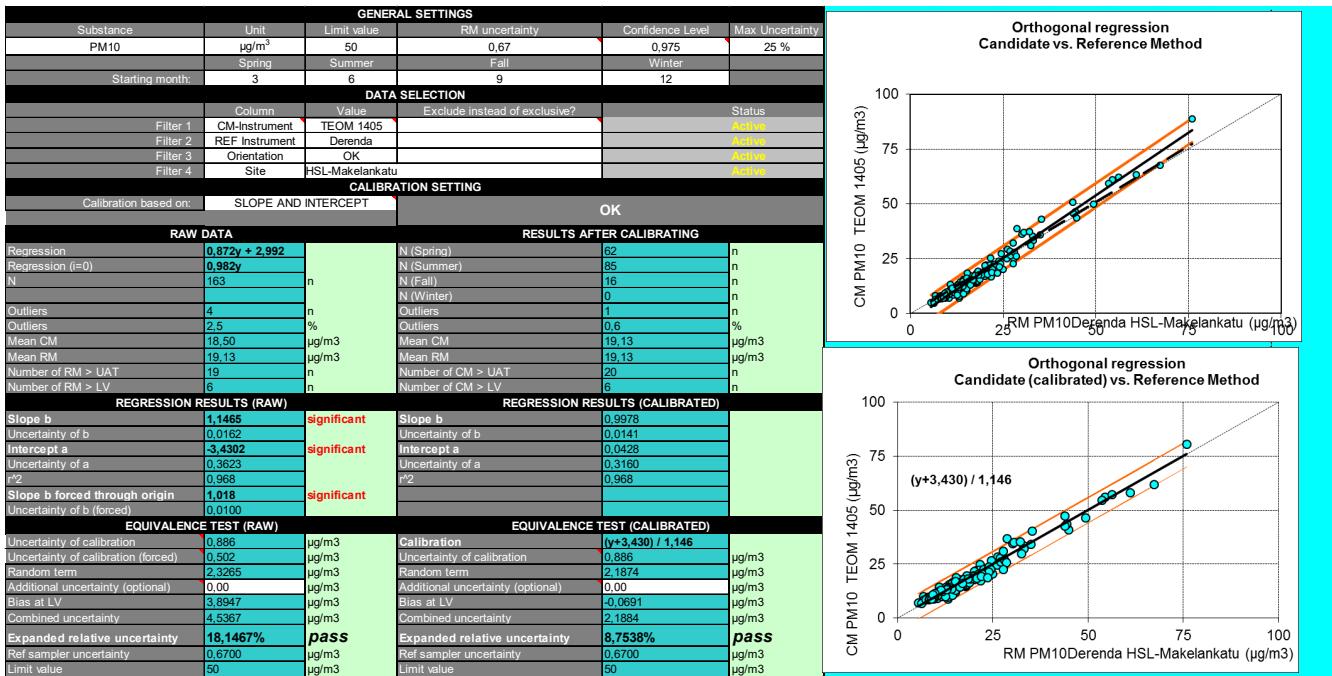


Figure A4a. Verification results in HSY/Mäkelänkatu for TEOM 1405 PM₁₀ measurements. Data has been corrected according to DoE from Kuopio.



Figure A4b. Verification results in HSY/Mäkelänkatu for TEOM 1405D (dual model) PM₁₀ measurements. The instrument was not at the DoE in Kuopio and therefore data is not corrected.

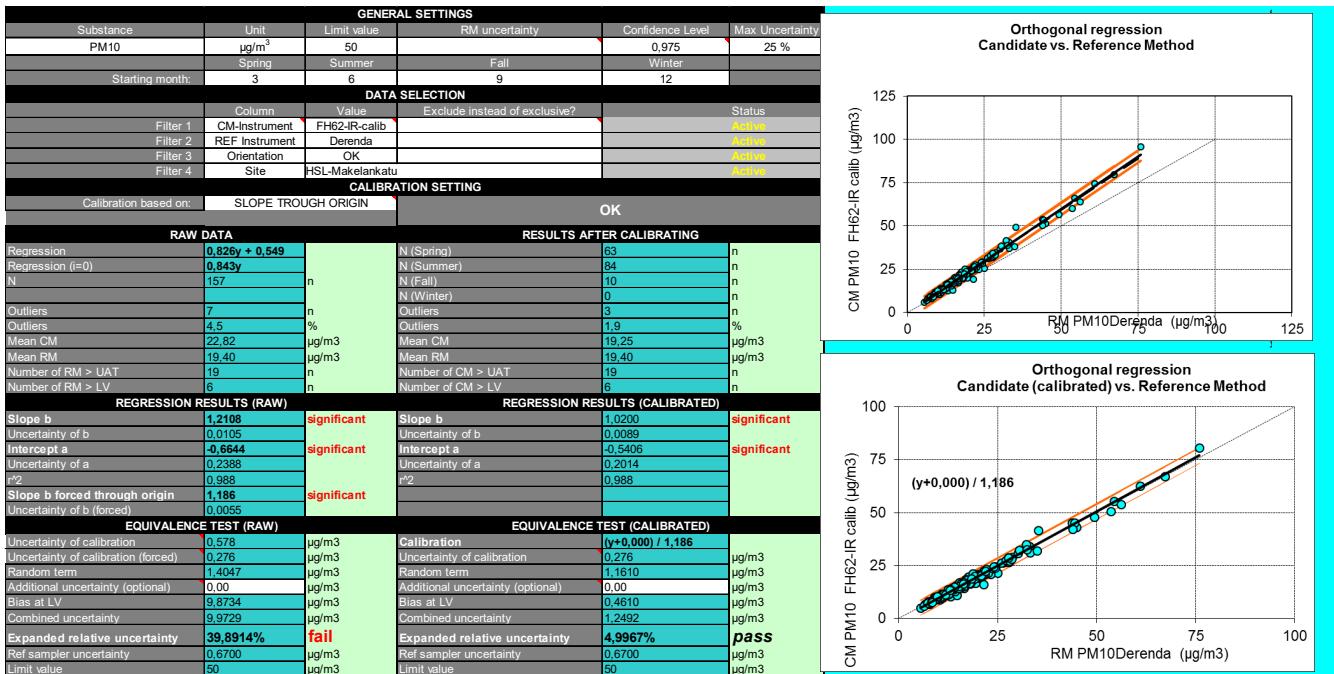


Figure A4c. Verification results in HSY/Mäkelänkatu for FH62-IR PM₁₀ measurements. Data has been corrected according to DoE from Kuopio.

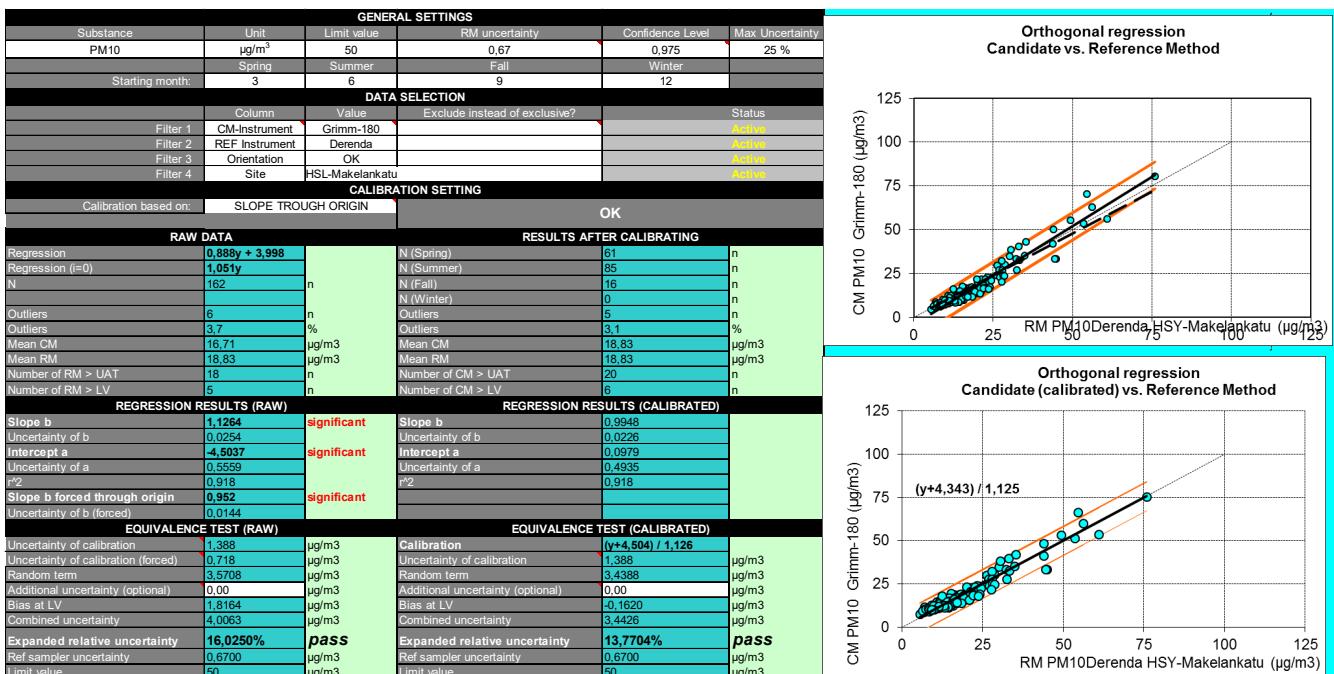


Figure A4d. Verification results in HSY/Mäkelänkatu for Grimm 180 PM₁₀ measurements. Data has been corrected according to DoE from Kuopio.

GENERAL SETTINGS							
Substance	Unit	Limit value	RM uncertainty	Confidence Level	Max Uncertainty		
PM10	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	50	0.67	0.975	25 %		
Spring	Summer		Fall		Winter		
Starting month:	3	6	9	12			
DATA SELECTION							
Filter 1	CM-Instrument	Osiris	Exclude instead of exclusive?				
Filter 2	REF Instrument	Derenda		Active			
Filter 3	Orientation	OK		Active			
Filter 4	Site	HSL-Mäkelänkatu		Active			
CALIBRATION SETTING							
Calibration based on:	SLOPE THRU ORIGIN	OK					
RAW DATA			RESULTS AFTER CALIBRATING				
Regression	$1.105y + 4.216$		N (Spring)	62	n		
Regression ($i=0$)	1.31y		N (Summer)	85	n		
N	163	n	N (Fall)	16	n		
Outliers	5	n	N (Winter)	0	n		
Outliers	3,1	%	Outliers	5	n		
Mean CM	13.50	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Mean CM	19,13	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$		
Mean RM	19,13	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Mean RM	19,13	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$		
Number of RM > UAT	19	n	Number of CM > UAT	19	n		
Number of RM > LV	6	n	Number of CM > LV	7	n		
REGRESSION RESULTS (RAW)							
Slope b	0.9051	significant	Slope b	1.001			
Uncertainty of b	0.0104		Uncertainty of b	0.0115			
Intercept a	-3.8164	significant	Intercept a	-0.0207			
Uncertainty of a	0.2341		Uncertainty of a	0.2587			
r^2	0.979		r^2	0.979			
Slope b forced through origin	0.763	significant					
Uncertainty of b (forced)	0.0086						
EQUIVALENCE TEST (RAW)							
Uncertainty of calibration	0.573	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Calibration	$(y+3.816) / 0.905$			
Uncertainty of calibration (forced)	0.429	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Uncertainty of calibration	0.573	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$		
Random term	1.4086	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Random term	1.6887	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$		
Additional uncertainty (optional)	0.00	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Additional uncertainty (optional)	0.00	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$		
Bias at LV	-8.5604	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Bias at LV	0.0334	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$		
Combined uncertainty	8.6755	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Combined uncertainty	1.6891	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$		
Expanded relative uncertainty	34,7020%	fail	Expanded relative uncertainty	6,7563%	pass		
Ref sampler uncertainty	0.6700	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Ref sampler uncertainty	0.6700	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$		
Limit value	50	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Limit value	50	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$		
REGRESSION RESULTS (CALIBRATED)							
Slope b	1.001		Slope b	1.0280			
Uncertainty of b	0.0115		Uncertainty of b	0.0267			
Intercept a	-0.0207		Intercept a	-0.5371			
Uncertainty of a	0.2587		Uncertainty of a	0.6005			
r^2	0.979		r^2	0.893			
Slope b forced through origin	0.669	significant					
Uncertainty of b (forced)	0.0092						
EQUIVALENCE TEST (CALIBRATED)							
Uncertainty of calibration	0.577	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Calibration	$(y+1.803) / 0.599$			
Uncertainty of calibration (forced)	0.462	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Uncertainty of calibration	0.577	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$		
Random term	2.2941	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Random term	4.0730	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$		
Additional uncertainty (optional)	0.00	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Additional uncertainty (optional)	0.00	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$		
Bias at LV	-18.2518	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Bias at LV	0.8645	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$		
Combined uncertainty	18.3954	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Combined uncertainty	4.1637	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$		
Expanded relative uncertainty	73,5815%	fail	Expanded relative uncertainty	16,6549%	pass		
Ref sampler uncertainty	0.6700	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Ref sampler uncertainty	0.6700	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$		
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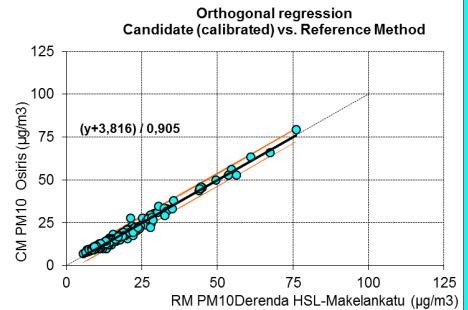
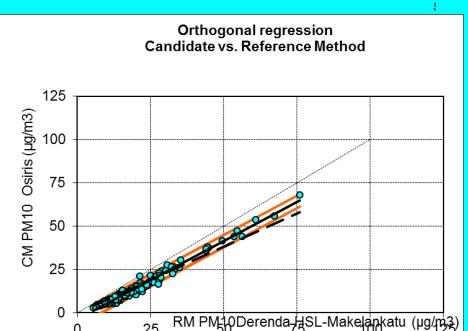


Figure A4e. Verification results in HSY/Mäkelänkatu for Osiris PM₁₀ measurements. Data has not been corrected according to DoE from Kuopio.

GENERAL SETTINGS							
Substance	Unit	Limit value	RM uncertainty	Confidence Level	Max Uncertainty		
PM10	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	50		0.975	25 %		
Spring	Summer		Fall		Winter		
Starting month:	3	6	9	12			
DATA SELECTION							
Filter 1	CM-Instrument	APM-2	Exclude instead of exclusive?	Active			
Filter 2	REF Instrument	Derenda		Active			
Filter 3	Orientation	OK		Active			
Filter 4	Site	HSL-Mäkelänkatu		Active			
CALIBRATION SETTING							
Calibration based on:	SLOPE AND INTERCEPT	OK					
RAW DATA			RESULTS AFTER CALIBRATING				
Regression	$1.67y + -3.01$		N (Spring)	60	n		
Regression ($i=0$)	1.496y		N (Summer)	84	n		
N	160	n	N (Fall)	16	n		
Outliers	9	n	N (Winter)	0	n		
Outliers	5,6	%	Outliers	22	n		
Mean CM	13,28	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Mean CM	19,16	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$		
Mean RM	19,16	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Mean RM	19,16	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$		
Number of RM > UAT	19	n	Number of CM > UAT	20	n		
Number of RM > LV	6	n	Number of CM > LV	7	n		
REGRESSION RESULTS (RAW)							
Slope b	0,5989	significant	Slope b	1,0280			
Uncertainty of b	0,0160		Uncertainty of b	0,0267			
Intercept a	1,8026	significant	Intercept a	-0,5371			
Uncertainty of a	0,3597		Uncertainty of a	0,6005			
r^2	0,893		r^2	0,893			
Slope b forced through origin	0,669	significant					
Uncertainty of b (forced)	0,0092						
EQUIVALENCE TEST (RAW)							
Uncertainty of calibration	0,577	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Calibration	$(y+1,803) / 0,599$			
Uncertainty of calibration (forced)	0,462	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Uncertainty of calibration	0,577	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$		
Random term	2,2941	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Random term	4,0730	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$		
Additional uncertainty (optional)	0,00	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Additional uncertainty (optional)	0,00	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$		
Bias at LV	-18,2518	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Bias at LV	0,8645	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$		
Combined uncertainty	18,3954	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Combined uncertainty	4,1637	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$		
Expanded relative uncertainty	73,5815%	fail	Expanded relative uncertainty	16,6549%	pass		
Ref sampler uncertainty	0,6700	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Ref sampler uncertainty	0,6700	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$		
Limit value	50	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Limit value	50	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$		
REGRESSION RESULTS (CALIBRATED)							
Slope b	1,0280		Slope b	1,0280			
Uncertainty of b	0,0267		Uncertainty of b	0,0267			
Intercept a	-0,5371		Intercept a	-0,6005			
Uncertainty of a	0,6005		Uncertainty of a	0,6005			
r^2	0,893		r^2	0,893			
Slope b forced through origin	0,669	significant					
Uncertainty of b (forced)	0,0092						
EQUIVALENCE TEST (CALIBRATED)							
Uncertainty of calibration	0,577	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Calibration	$(y+1,803) / 0,599$			
Uncertainty of calibration (forced)	0,462	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Uncertainty of calibration	0,577	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$		
Random term	2,2941	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Random term	4,0730	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$		
Additional uncertainty (optional)	0,00	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Additional uncertainty (optional)	0,00	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$		
Bias at LV	-18,2518	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Bias at LV	0,8645	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$		
Combined uncertainty	18,3954	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Combined uncertainty	4,1637	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$		
Expanded relative uncertainty	73,5815%	fail	Expanded relative uncertainty	16,6549%	pass		
Ref sampler uncertainty	0,6700	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Ref sampler uncertainty	0,6700	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$		
Limit value	50	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Limit value	50	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$		

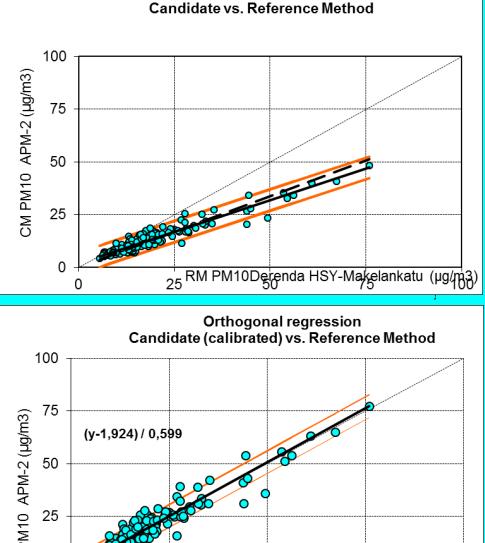


Figure A4f. Verification results in HSY/Mäkelänkatu for APM-2 PM₁₀ measurements. The instrument was not at the DoE in Kuopio and therefore data is not corrected.

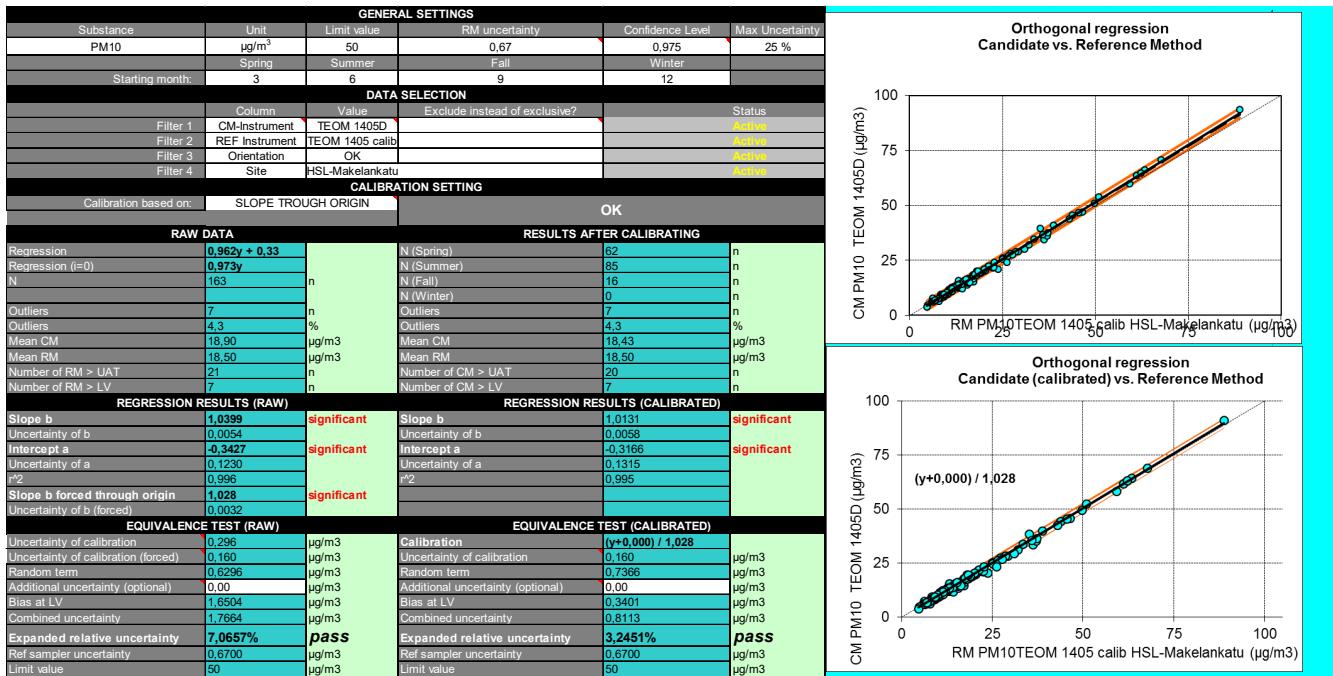


Figure A4g. Verification results in HSY/Mäkelänkatu for TEOM 1405 as DoE instrument and TEOM 1405D as candidate instrument in PM₁₀ measurements.

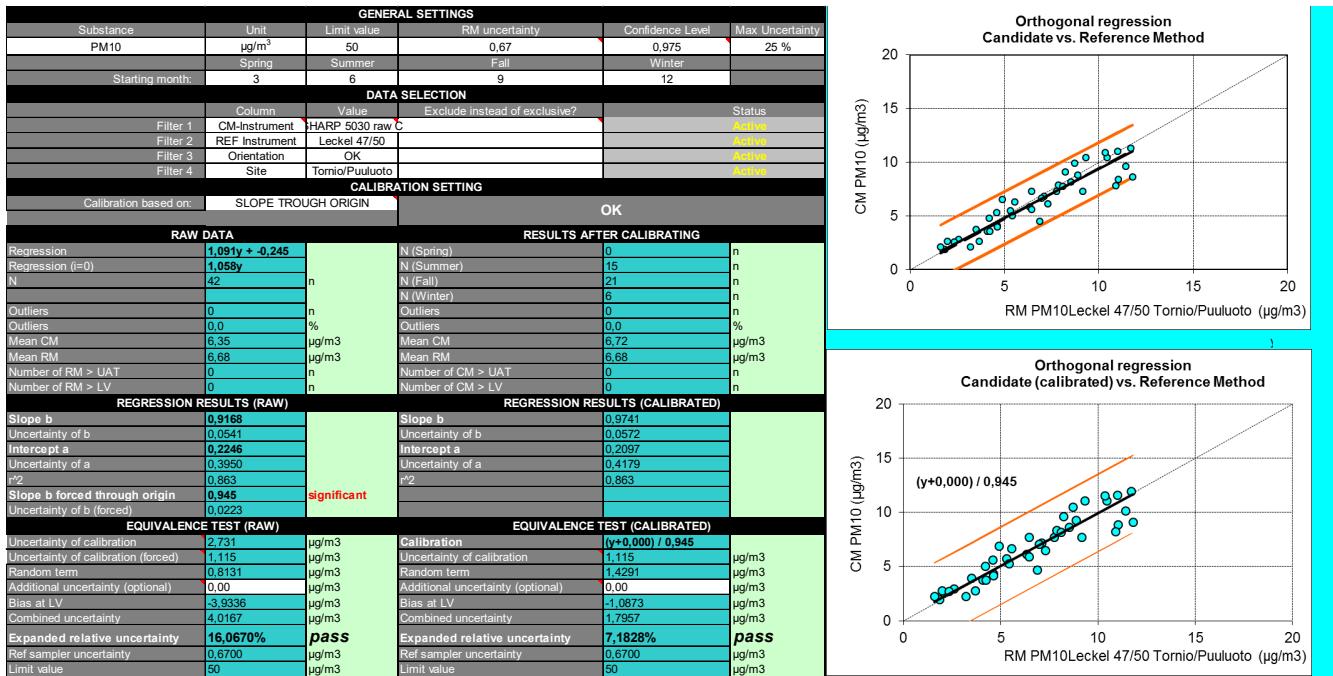


Figure A5. Verification results in Tornio/Puuluoto for SHARP PM₁₀ measurements. Data was corrected according to DoE from Kuopio.



Figure A6. Verification results in Vaasa/Keskusta for MP-101 PM₁₀ measurements. Data has been corrected according to the from DoE from Kuopio.

GENERAL SETTINGS					
Substance	Unit	Limit value	RM uncertainty	Confidence Level	Max Uncertainty
PM10	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	50	0.67	0.975	25 %
Spring	Summer		Fall		Winter
Starting month:	3	6	9	12	
DATA SELECTION					
Filter 1	CM-Instrument	TEOM 1405	Value	Exclude instead of exclusive?	Status
Filter 2	REF Instrument				Active
Filter 3	Orientation	OK			Ignore
Filter 4	Site				Ignore
CALIBRATION SETTING					
Calibration based on:	SLOPE THRU ORIGIN		OK		
RAW DATA			RESULTS AFTER CALIBRATING		
Regression	$0.849y + 0.86$		N (Spring)	#VALUE!	n
Regression ($r=0$)	0.836y		N (Summer)	#VALUE!	n
N	547	n	N (Fall)	#VALUE!	n
Outliers	19	n	N (Winter)	#VALUE!	n
Outliers	3,5	%	Outliers	13	n
Mean CM	24.08	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Outliers	2,4	%
Mean RM	19.58	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Mean CM	20.13	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$
Number of RM > UAT	74	n	Mean RM	19.58	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$
Number of RM > LV	24	n	Number of CM > UAT	72	n
			Number of CM > LV	26	n
REGRESSION RESULTS (RAW)					
Slope b	1.1780	significant	Slope b	0.9835	significant
Uncertainty of b	0.0060		Uncertainty of b	0.0050	
Intercept a	1.0136	significant	Intercept a	0.8707	significant
Uncertainty of a	0.2000		Uncertainty of a	0.1672	
r^2	0.986		r^2	0.986	
Slope b forced through origin	1.196	significant			
Uncertainty of b (forced)	0.0050				
EQUIVALENCE TEST (RAW)					
Uncertainty of calibration	0.360	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Calibration	(y+0,000) / 1,196	
Uncertainty of calibration (forced)	0.250	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Uncertainty of calibration	0.250	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$
Random term	3.7394	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Random term	3.1125	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$
Additional uncertainty (optional)	0.00	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Additional uncertainty (optional)	0.00	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$
Bias at LV	9.9115	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Bias at LV	0.0480	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$
Combined uncertainty	10.5935	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Combined uncertainty	3.1129	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$
Expanded relative uncertainty	42,3740%	fail	Expanded relative uncertainty	12,4516%	pass
Ref sampler uncertainty	0.6700	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Ref sampler uncertainty	0.6700	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$
Limit value	50	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Limit value	50	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$
REGRESSION RESULTS (CALIBRATED)					
Slope b	1.0935	significant	Slope b	1.0041	
Uncertainty of b	0.0167		Uncertainty of b	0.0167	
Intercept a	-0.1270		Intercept a	-0.1137	
Uncertainty of a	0.3236		Uncertainty of a	0.3098	
r^2	0.944		r^2	0.944	
Slope b forced through origin	1.045	significant			
Uncertainty of b (forced)	0.0102				
EQUIVALENCE TEST (CALIBRATED)					
Uncertainty of calibration	0.932	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Calibration	(y+0,000) / 1,045	
Uncertainty of calibration (forced)	0.508	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Uncertainty of calibration	0.508	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$
Random term	2.6131	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Random term	2.5435	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$
Additional uncertainty (optional)	0.00	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Additional uncertainty (optional)	0.00	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$
Bias at LV	2.3838	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Bias at LV	0.0924	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$
Combined uncertainty	3.5371	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Combined uncertainty	2.5452	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$
Expanded relative uncertainty	14,1483%	pass	Expanded relative uncertainty	10,1808%	pass
Ref sampler uncertainty	0.6700	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Ref sampler uncertainty	0.6700	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$
Limit value	50	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Limit value	50	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$

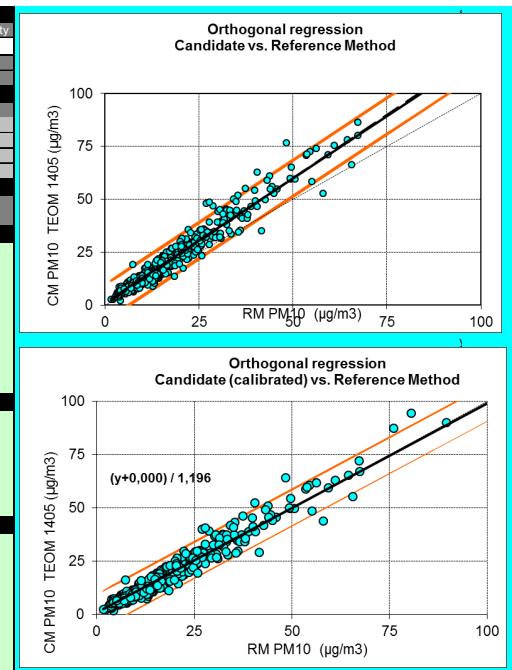


Figure A7a. Verification results of TEOM 1405 for PM_{10} measurements at all sites in this study, DoE in Kuopio (2014-15) and DoE in Helsinki, Kumpula (2007-08). Data is recalculated as factory settings i.e. $Y = 1.03 \times \text{TEOM}(\text{original signal}) + 3 \mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$.

GENERAL SETTINGS					
Substance	Unit	Limit value	RM uncertainty	Confidence Level	Max Uncertainty
PM10	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	50	0.67	0.975	25 %
Spring	Summer		Fall		Winter
Starting month:	3	6	9	12	
DATA SELECTION					
Filter 1	CM-Instrument	MP-101 raw	Value	Exclude instead of exclusive?	Status
Filter 2	REF Instrument				Active
Filter 3	Orientation	OK			Ignore
Filter 4	Site				Ignore
CALIBRATION SETTING					
Calibration based on:	SLOPE THRU ORIGIN		OK		
RAW DATA			RESULTS AFTER CALIBRATING		
Regression	$0.952y + 0.121$		N (Spring)	#VALUE!	n
Regression ($r=0$)	0.957y		N (Summer)	#VALUE!	n
N	203	n	N (Fall)	#VALUE!	n
Outliers	5	n	N (Winter)	#VALUE!	n
Outliers	2,5	%	Outliers	5	n
Mean CM	15.70	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Mean CM	15.02	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$
Mean RM	15.07	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Mean RM	15.07	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$
Number of RM > UAT	24	n	Number of CM > UAT	26	n
Number of RM > LV	2	n	Number of CM > LV	2	n
REGRESSION RESULTS (RAW)					
Slope b	1.0502	significant	Slope b	1.0041	
Uncertainty of b	0.0175		Uncertainty of b	0.0167	
Intercept a	-0.1270		Intercept a	-0.1137	
Uncertainty of a	0.3236		Uncertainty of a	0.3098	
r^2	0.944		r^2	0.944	
Slope b forced through origin	1.045	significant			
Uncertainty of b (forced)	0.0102				
EQUIVALENCE TEST (RAW)					
Uncertainty of calibration	0.932	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Calibration	(y+0,000) / 1,045	
Uncertainty of calibration (forced)	0.508	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Uncertainty of calibration	0.508	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$
Random term	2.6131	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Random term	2.5435	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$
Additional uncertainty (optional)	0.00	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Additional uncertainty (optional)	0.00	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$
Bias at LV	2.3838	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Bias at LV	0.0924	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$
Combined uncertainty	3.5371	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Combined uncertainty	2.5452	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$
Expanded relative uncertainty	14,1483%	pass	Expanded relative uncertainty	10,1808%	pass
Ref sampler uncertainty	0.6700	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Ref sampler uncertainty	0.6700	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$
Limit value	50	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Limit value	50	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$
REGRESSION RESULTS (CALIBRATED)					
Slope b	1.0935	significant	Slope b	1.0041	
Uncertainty of b	0.0167		Uncertainty of b	0.0167	
Intercept a	-0.1270		Intercept a	-0.1137	
Uncertainty of a	0.3236		Uncertainty of a	0.3098	
r^2	0.944		r^2	0.944	
Slope b forced through origin	1.045	significant			
Uncertainty of b (forced)	0.0102				
EQUIVALENCE TEST (CALIBRATED)					
Uncertainty of calibration	0.932	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Calibration	(y+0,000) / 1,045	
Uncertainty of calibration (forced)	0.508	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Uncertainty of calibration	0.508	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$
Random term	2.6131	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Random term	2.5435	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$
Additional uncertainty (optional)	0.00	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Additional uncertainty (optional)	0.00	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$
Bias at LV	2.3838	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Bias at LV	0.0924	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$
Combined uncertainty	3.5371	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Combined uncertainty	2.5452	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$
Expanded relative uncertainty	14,1483%	pass	Expanded relative uncertainty	10,1808%	pass
Ref sampler uncertainty	0.6700	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Ref sampler uncertainty	0.6700	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$
Limit value	50	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Limit value	50	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$

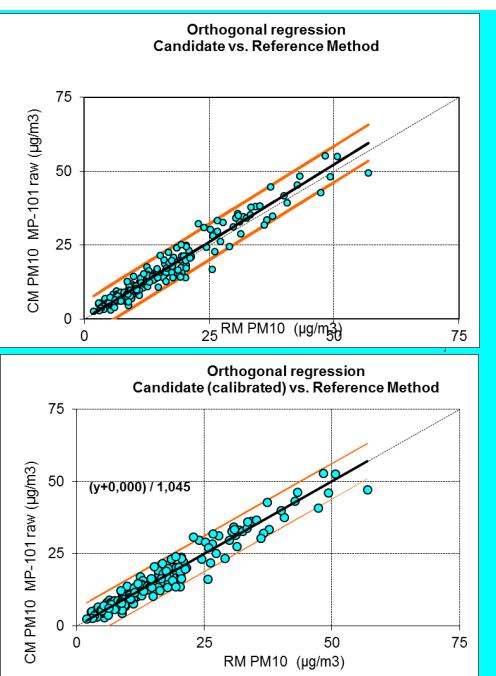


Figure A7b. Verification results of MP101 for PM_{10} measurements at sites in this study (Turku/Naantali, Vaasa/Keskusta) and from Kuopio (site MP-101 at Tasavallankatu).

GENERAL SETTINGS							
Substance	Unit	Limit value	RM uncertainty	Confidence Level	Max Uncertainty		
PM10	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	50		0.975	25 %		
	Spring	Summer	Fall	Winter			
Starting month:	3	6	9	12			
DATA SELECTION							
Column	Value	Exclude instead of exclusive?		Status			
Filter 1	CM Instrument	Grimm-180 raw		Active			
Filter 2	RM Instrument			Ignore			
Filter 3	Orientation	OK		Active			
Filter 4	Site	DoE-Kuopio		Exclude			
CALIBRATION SETTING							
Calibration based on:	SLOPE AND INTERCEPT	OK					
RAW DATA			RESULTS AFTER CALIBRATING				
Regression	$0.803y + 4.571$		N (Spring)	116	n		
Regression ($i=0$)	$0.997y$		N (Summer)	85	n		
N	217	n	N (Fall)	16	n		
Outliers	7	n	N (Winter)	0	n		
Outliers	3,2	%	Outliers	4	n		
Mean CM	15,21	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Mean CM	16,78	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$		
Mean RM	16,78	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Mean RM	16,78	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$		
Number of RM > UAT	17	n	Number of CM > UAT	20	n		
Number of RM > LV	4	n	Number of CM > LV	5	n		
REGRESSION RESULTS (RAW)							
Slope b	1,2458	significant	Slope b	0,9895			
Uncertainty of b	0,0253		Uncertainty of b	0,0203			
Intercept a	-5,6949	significant	Intercept a	0,1754			
Uncertainty of a	0,4944		Uncertainty of a	0,3969			
r^2	0,910		r^2	0,910			
Slope b forced through origin	1,003	significant					
Uncertainty of b (forced)	0,0153						
EQUIVALENCE TEST (RAW)							
Uncertainty of calibration	1,358	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Calibration	$(y+5,695) / 1,246$			
Uncertainty of calibration (forced)	0,763	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Uncertainty of calibration	1,358	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$		
Random term	3,7410	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Random term	3,2549	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$		
Additional uncertainty (optional)	0,00	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Additional uncertainty (optional)	0,00	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$		
Bias at LV	6,5939	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Bias at LV	-0,3472	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$		
Combined uncertainty	7,5811	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Combined uncertainty	3,2733	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$		
Expanded relative uncertainty	30,3246%	fail	Expanded relative uncertainty	13,0934%	pass		
Ref sampler uncertainty	0,6700	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Ref sampler uncertainty	0,6700	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$		
Limit value	50	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Limit value	50	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$		
EQUIVALENCE TEST (CALIBRATED)							

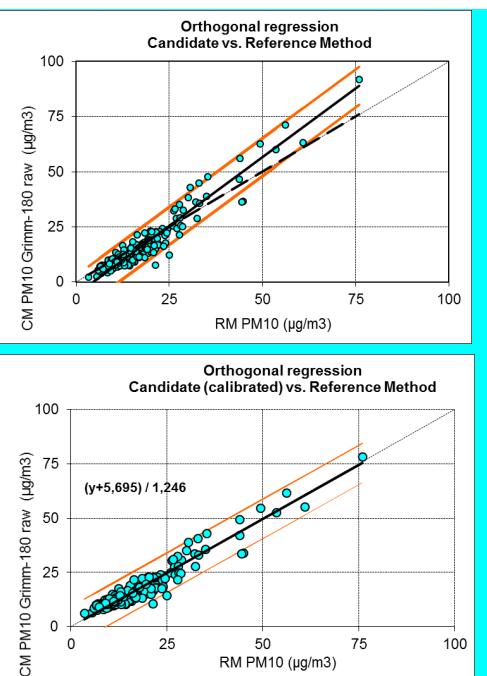


Figure A7c. Verification results of Grimm-180 for PM_{10} measurements at sites in this study (Turku/Naantali, HSY/Mäkelänkatu).

Annex 2. Verification results of PM_{2.5} measurements

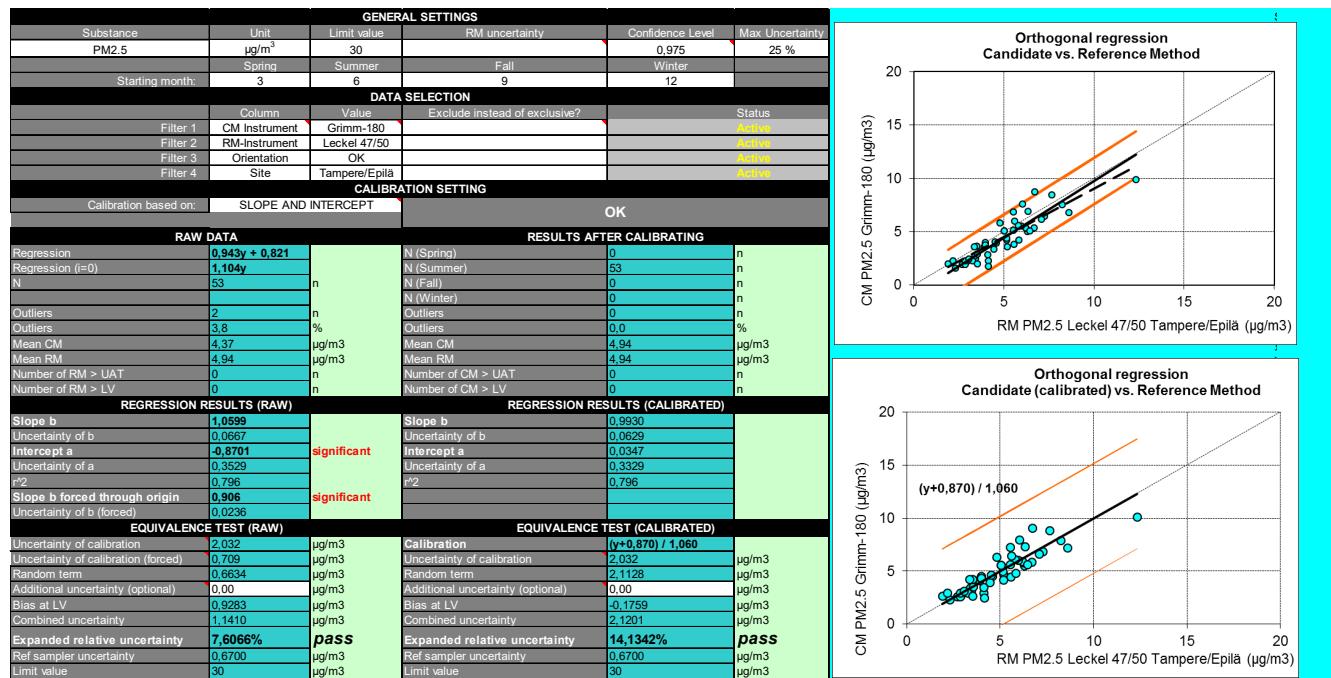


Figure A8a. Verification results in Tampere/Epilä for Grimm-180 (Tampere) in PM_{2.5} measurements. Data has not been corrected according to DoE from Kuopio.

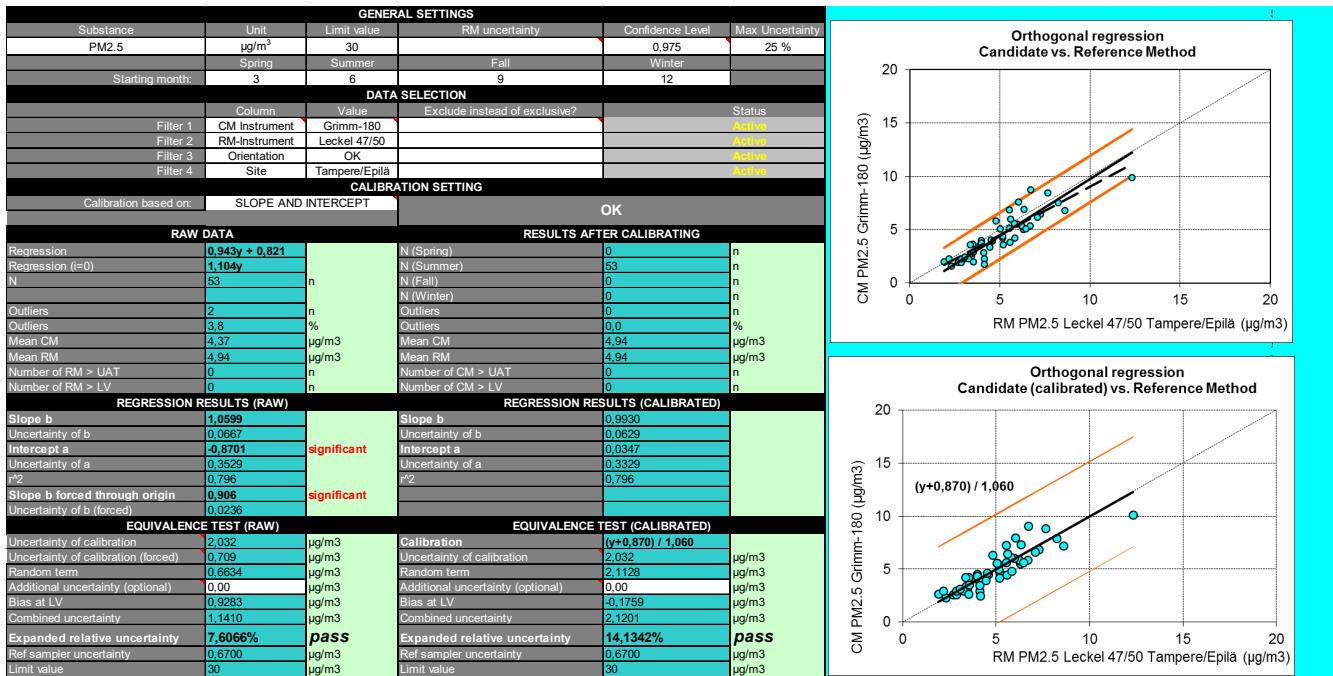


Figure A8b. Verification results in Tampere/Epilä for Grimm-180 (FMI) in PM_{2.5} measurements. Data has not been corrected according to DoE from Kuopio.

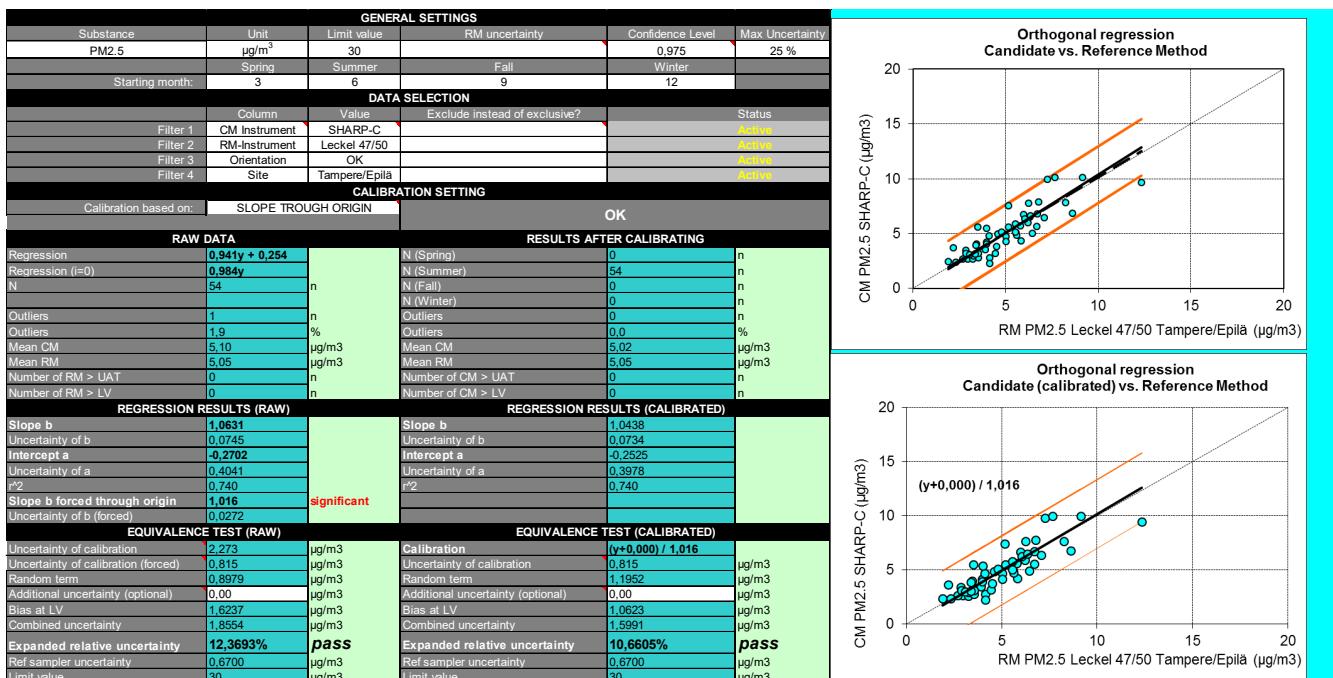


Figure A8c. Verification results in Tampere/Epilä for SHARP 5030 C-dust signal, in PM_{2.5} measurements. Data has been corrected according to DoE from Kuopio.

GENERAL SETTINGS					
Substance	Unit	Limit value	RM uncertainty	Confidence Level	Max Uncertainty
PM2.5	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	30		0.975	25 %
Spring	Summer		Fall		Winter
Starting month:	3	6	9	12	
DATA SELECTION					
Filter 1	CM-Instrument	TEOM 1405	Value	Exclude instead of exclusive?	Status
Filter 2	REF Instrument	Leckel 47/50			Active
Filter 3	Orientation	OK			Active
Filter 4	Site	HSY/Mäkelänkatu			Active
CALIBRATION SETTING					
Calibration based on:	SLOPE AND INTERCEPT		OK		
RAW DATA			RESULTS AFTER CALIBRATING		
Regression	$1.376y + -1.86$		N (Spring)	0	n
Regression ($i=0$)	1.094		N (Summer)	0	n
N	47	n	N (Fall)	47	n
Outliers	1	n	N (Winter)	0	n
Outliers	2,1	%	Outliers	0,0	%
Mean CM	5,77	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Mean CM	6,07	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$
Mean RM	6,07	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Mean RM	6,07	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$
Number of RM > UAT	0	n	Number of CM > UAT	0	n
Number of RM > LV	0	n	Number of CM > LV	0	n
REGRESSION RESULTS (RAW)					
Slope b	0,7265	significant	Slope b	1,0234	
Uncertainty of b	0,0406		Uncertainty of b	0,0558	
Intercept a	1,3517	significant	Intercept a	-0,1424	
Uncertainty of a	0,2721		Uncertainty of a	0,3745	
r^2	0,866		r^2	0,866	
Slope b forced through origin	0,914	significant			
Uncertainty of b (forced)	0,0225				
EQUIVALENCE TEST (RAW)					
Uncertainty of calibration	1,247	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Calibration	$(y-1,352) / 0,727$	
Uncertainty of calibration (forced)	0,674	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Uncertainty of calibration	1,247	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$
Random term	0,4345	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Random term	1,5289	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$
Additional uncertainty (optional)	0,00	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Additional uncertainty (optional)	0,00	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$
Bias at LV	-6,8521	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Bias at LV	0,5610	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$
Combined uncertainty	6,8658	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Combined uncertainty	1,6285	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$
Expanded relative uncertainty	45,7722%	fail	Expanded relative uncertainty	10,8570%	pass
Ref sampler uncertainty	0,6700	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Ref sampler uncertainty	0,6700	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$
Limit value	30	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Limit value	30	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$

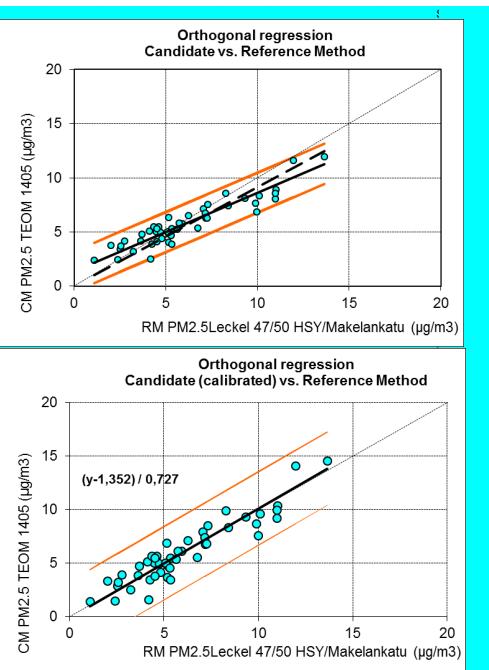


Figure A9a. Verification results HSY/Mäkelänkatu for TEOM 1405 in PM_{2.5} measurements. Data has been corrected according to DoE from Kuopio.

GENERAL SETTINGS					
Substance	Unit	Limit value	RM uncertainty	Confidence Level	Max Uncertainty
PM2.5	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	30		0.975	25 %
Spring	Summer		Fall		Winter
Starting month:	3	6	9	12	
DATA SELECTION					
Filter 1	CM-Instrument	TEOM 1405D	Value	Exclude instead of exclusive?	Status
Filter 2	REF Instrument	Leckel 47/50			Active
Filter 3	Orientation	OK			Active
Filter 4	Site	HSY/Mäkelänkatu			Active
CALIBRATION SETTING					
Calibration based on:	SLOPE THRU ORIGIN		OK		
RAW DATA			RESULTS AFTER CALIBRATING		
Regression	$1.462y + -0.109$		N (Spring)	0	n
Regression ($i=0$)	1.44y		N (Summer)	0	n
N	48	n	N (Fall)	48	n
Outliers	1	n	N (Winter)	0	n
Outliers	2,1	%	Outliers	4,2	%
Mean CM	4,21	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Mean CM	6,15	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$
Mean RM	6,04	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Mean RM	6,04	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$
Number of RM > UAT	0	n	Number of CM > UAT	0	n
Number of RM > LV	0	n	Number of CM > LV	0	n
REGRESSION RESULTS (RAW)					
Slope b	0,6842	significant	Slope b	1,0124	
Uncertainty of b	0,0430		Uncertainty of b	0,0622	
Intercept a	0,0744		Intercept a	0,0351	
Uncertainty of a	0,2867		Uncertainty of a	0,4150	
r^2	0,830		r^2	0,826	
Slope b forced through origin	0,694	significant			
Uncertainty of b (forced)	0,0182				
EQUIVALENCE TEST (RAW)					
Uncertainty of calibration	1,320	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Calibration	$(y+0,000) / 0,694$	
Uncertainty of calibration (forced)	0,547	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Uncertainty of calibration	0,547	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$
Random term	0,5218	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Random term	1,1859	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$
Additional uncertainty (optional)	0,00	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Additional uncertainty (optional)	0,00	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$
Bias at LV	-9,4011	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Bias at LV	0,4056	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$
Combined uncertainty	9,4156	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Combined uncertainty	1,2533	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$
Expanded relative uncertainty	62,7705%	fail	Expanded relative uncertainty	8,3554%	pass
Ref sampler uncertainty	0,6700	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Ref sampler uncertainty	0,6700	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$
Limit value	30	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$	Limit value	30	$\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$

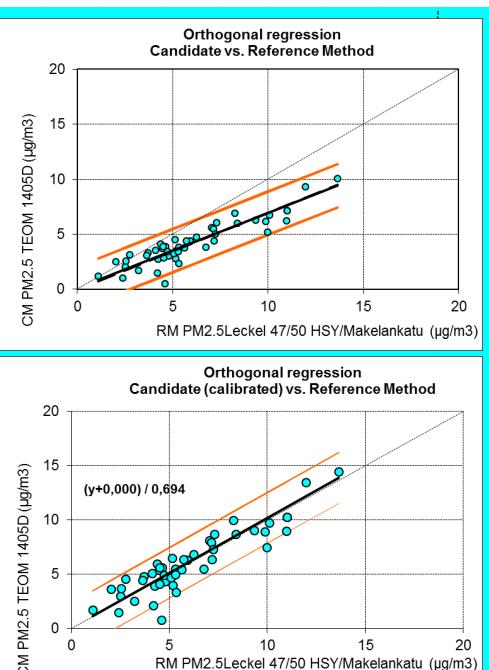


Figure A9b. Verification results in HSY/Mäkelänkatu for TEOM 1405D in PM_{2.5} measurements. The instrument was not at the DoE in Kuopio and therefore data is not corrected.

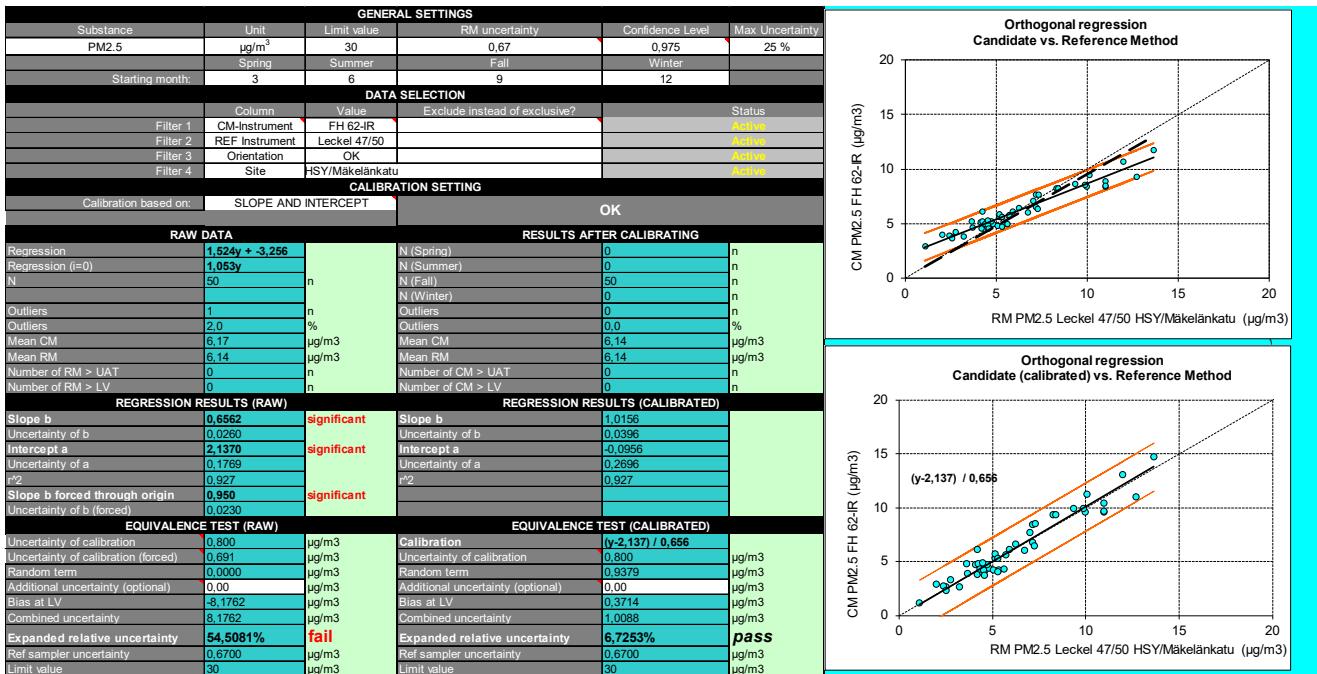


Figure A9c. Verification results in HSY/Mäkelänkatu for FH62-IR in PM_{2.5} measurements. Data has been corrected according to DoE from Kuopio.



Figure A9d. Verification results in HSY/Mäkelänkatu for Grimm-180 in PM_{2.5} measurements. Data has been corrected according to DoE from Kuopio.

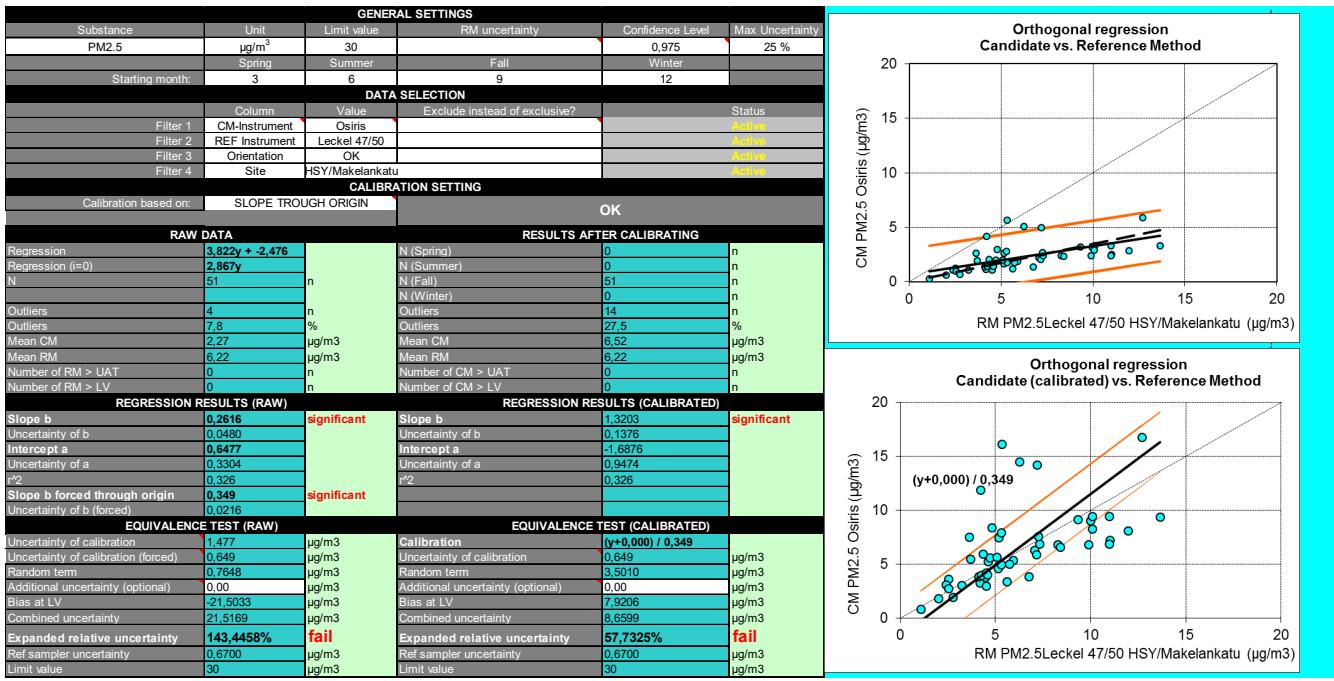


Figure A9e. Verification results in HSY/Mäkelänkatu for Osiris in PM_{2.5} measurements. Data has not been corrected according to DoE from Kuopio.

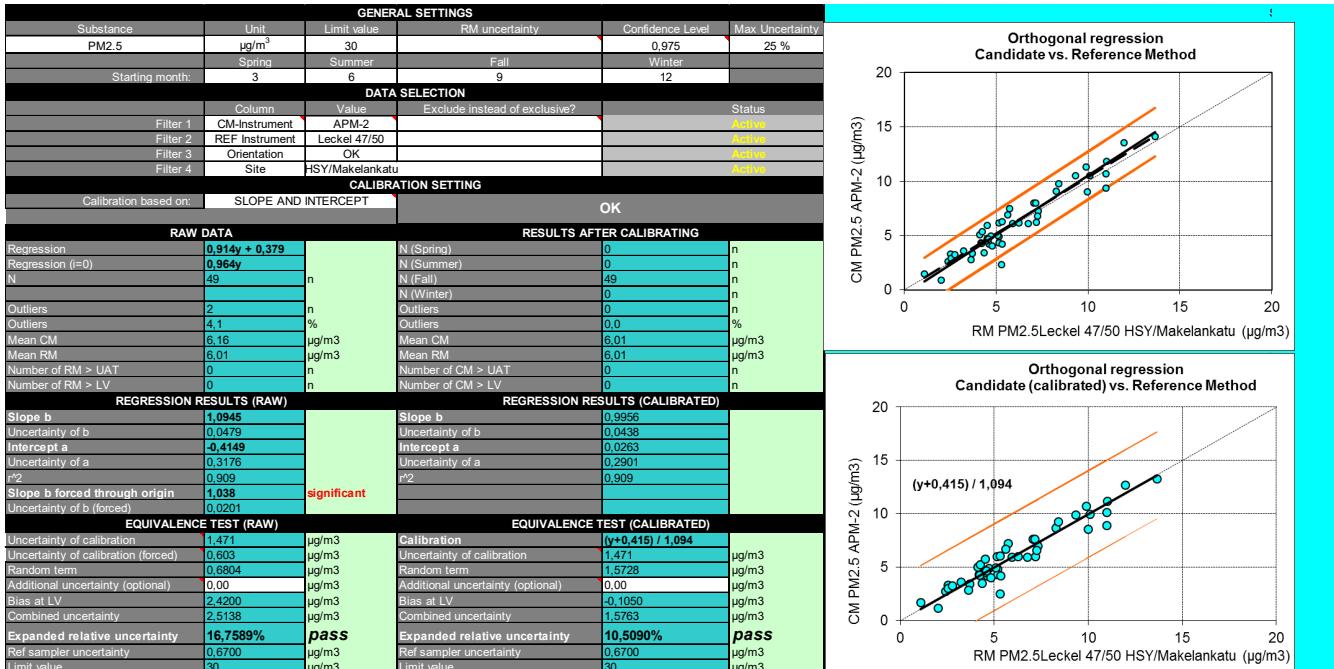


Figure A9f. Verification results from comparison in HSY/Mäkelänkatu for APM-2 in PM_{2.5} measurements. The instrument was not at the DoE in Kuopio and therefore data is not corrected.

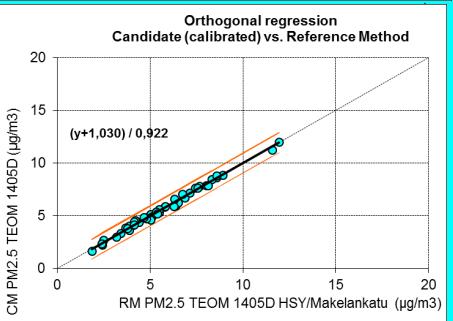
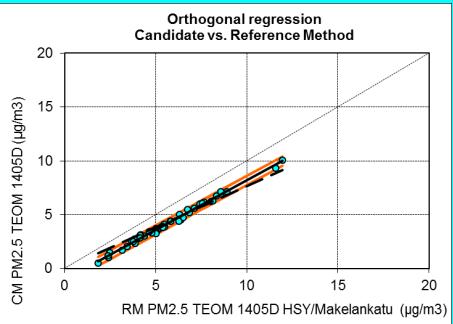


Figure A9g. Verification results from comparison in HSY/Mäkelänkatu for TEOM 1405 as DoE instrument and TEOM 1405D as candidate instrument in PM_{2.5} measurements.

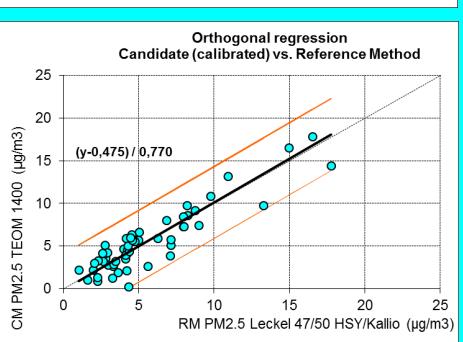
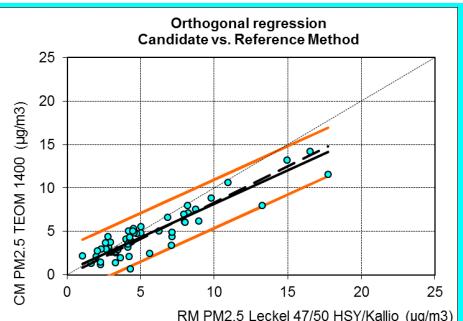
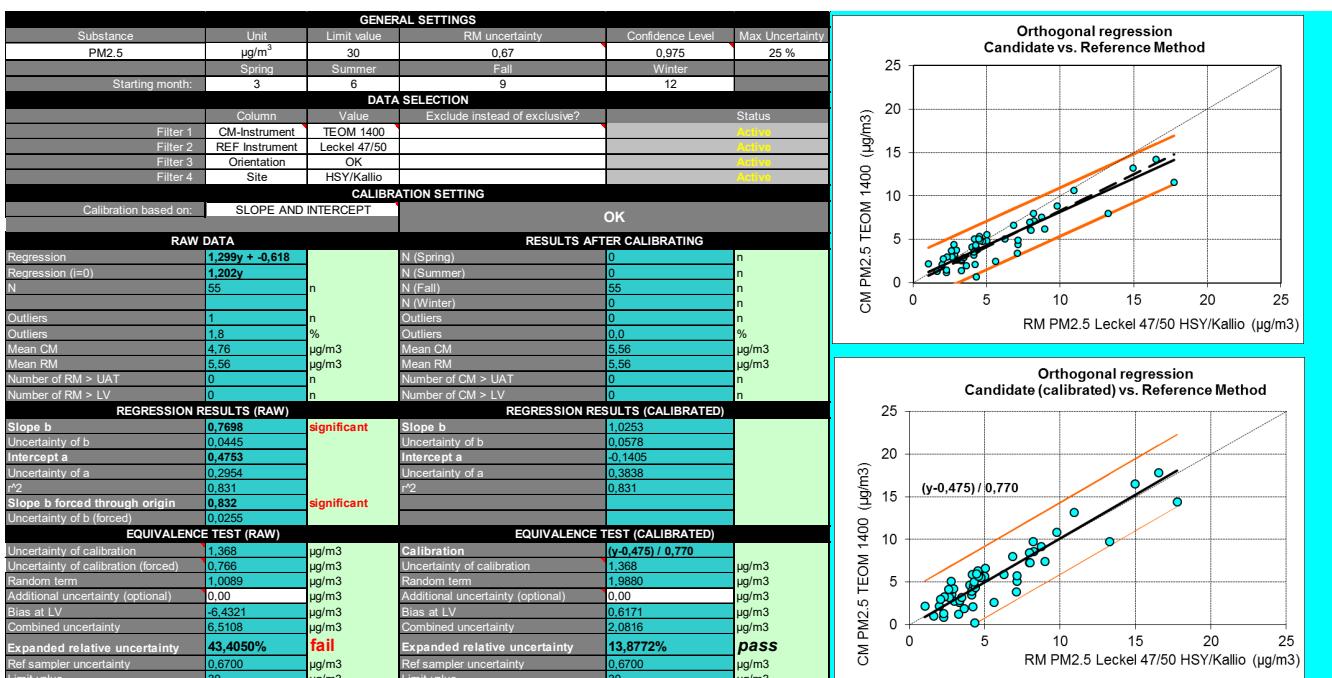


Figure A10a. Verification results in HSY/Kallio for TEOM 1400ab PM_{2.5} measurements. Data has been corrected according to DoE from Helsinki.



Figure A10b. Verification results in HSY/Kallio for TEOM 1405 PM_{2.5} measurements. Data has been corrected according to DoE in Kuopio.

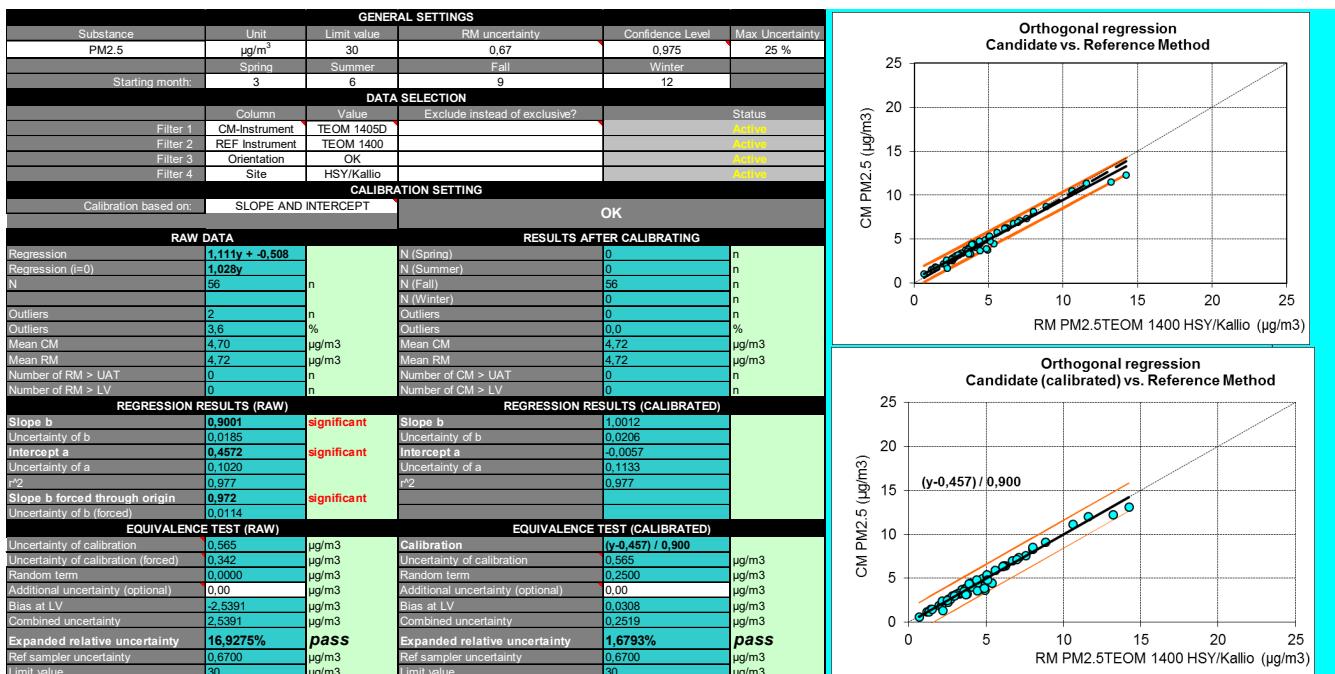


Figure Table 3.5c. Verification results in HSY/Kallio for TEOM 1400 as DoE instrument and TEOM 1405 as candidate instrument in PM_{2.5} measurements.



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