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For use with Wavemetrics Igor Pro version 5.0 or above.

The algorithms used in this software were developed through joint effort from Jose-Luis Jimenez (2) and me. This software is 'open source'

but if you use its results for presentations or publications etc, I'd ask you acknowledge both of us and cite our EST and/or ACP papers.

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For detailed information on the method and mathematics, I suggest you read my EST paper referenced below. For the application of the method and detailed discussions on HOA and OOA in an urban area, I suggest you read my ACPD paper. Papers by Jayne, Jimenez, Allan, and Alfarra listed below are also strongly recommended for a better understanding of the princinples, instrumentation, and data analysis approach pertain to AMS

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