

MARTISLAB.be: a New ACTRIS Mobile National Facility for Reactive Trace Gas Studies

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1. ACTRIS-ERIC

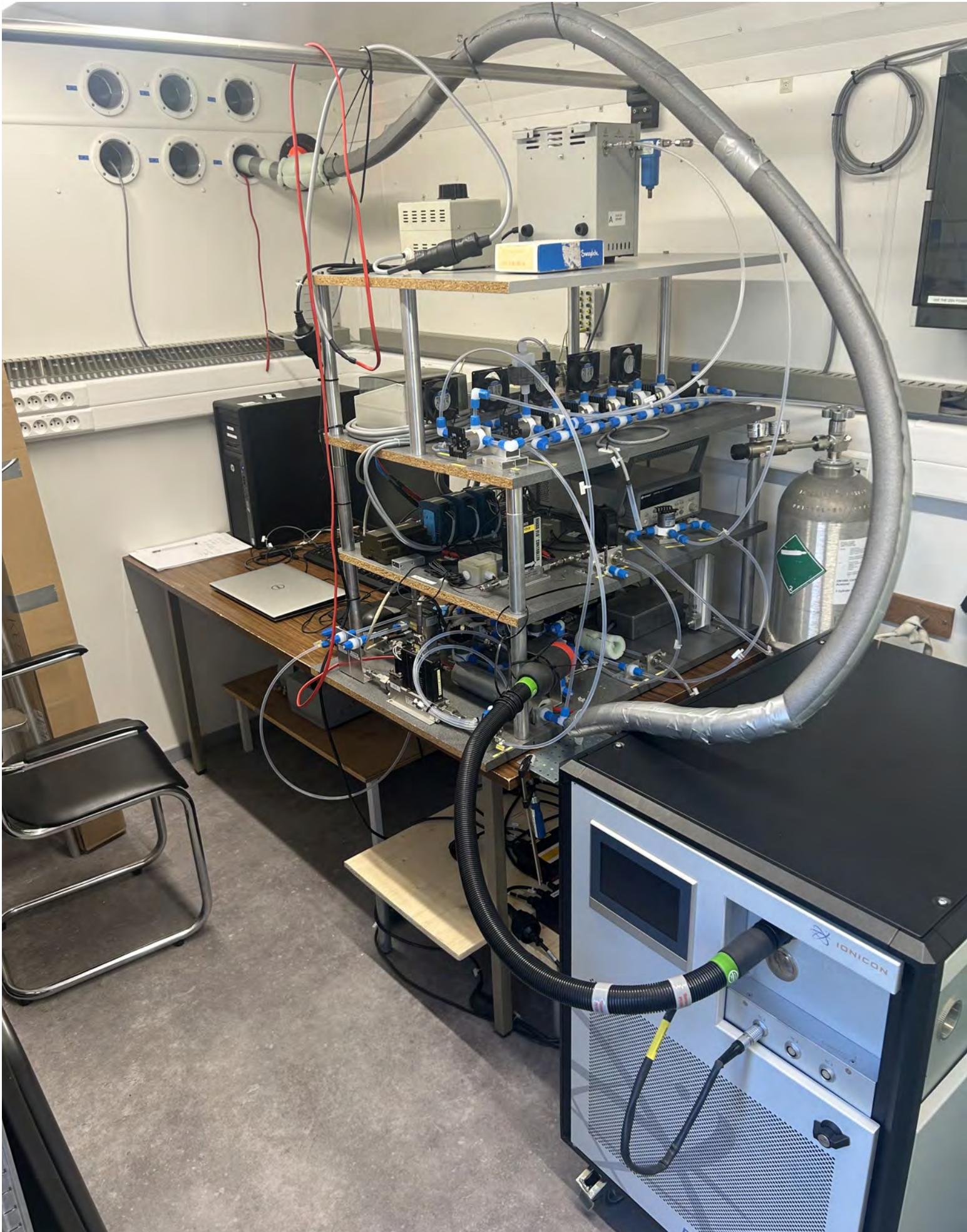
Pan-European Research Infrastructure	Short-lived Atmospheric Constituents
Quality-assured and Harmonised Observational Datasets	User-based Service Oriented Access to Research Facilities

ACTRIS		
Aerosol	Cloud	Trace Gas
Remote Sensing	In Situ	
Observational	Exploratory	

2. MARTISLAB.be

Campaign-based deployment	Sources&Sinks of reactive trace gases
Chemical processes in the atmosphere	Biosphere-Atmosphere interactions

3. Mobile laboratory infrastructure



A. Equipment*

Variable	Measurement technique	Instrument type (manufacturer)	Detection limit
(O)VOC concentrations	Proton-Transfer-Reaction Mass-Spectrometry	PTR-TOF-4000 (Ionicon Analytik G.m.b.H)	lower pptv range (1 min integration time)
NO _x (NO, NO ₂) concentrations	Chemiluminescence NO ₂ →NO via BLC	T200UP (Teledyne)	<50 pptv
O ₃ concentrations	UV absorption spectroscopy	T400 (Teledyne)	<0.4 ppbv
Wind speed and direction, Temp., Pressure, RH		MetConnect One weather station	
Solar radiation	pyranometer	SPN1 (Delta-T Devices)	

*expected to be fully integrated by Fall 2026

B. Features

Nearly Fully Remotely Controllable	Instrumentation for Calibrations On Site	Adaptable for Campaign-specific Interests
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4. Previous deployment of the facility and its components



Dorinne, BE
ICOS ecosystem station
Managed grassland
2013



Lonzée, BE
ICOS ecosystem station
Agricultural crop site
2014-2016

5. Why MARTISLAB.be at ICOS sites?

Extend carbon exchange beyond long-lived greenhouse gases	Impact of air pollution on ecosystem functioning and BVOC oxidation mechanisms
Eddy-covariance fluxes of BVOCs possible by combining ICOS ecosystem infrastructure with fast VOC measurements	Get insight in mechanistic processes governing BVOC exchanges by driver analysis using ICOS ecosystem station ancillary measurements
Probe BVOC exchanges in different environments to evaluate their representation in emission inventories	Evaluate effect of management practices on air quality at agricultural ICOS ecosystem sites
Respond to the tendency to combine multiple European Research Infrastructures to address societal challenges and perform impactful scientific research	



Space Pole, Uccle, BE
TFM-EMEP/ACTRIS/RI-URBANS EUROVOC campaign
Semi-urban site
2024

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