Peter Tunved **Department of Applied Environmental Science**, **Atmospheric Science Unit** Storakih Qeseahaiv meitests *Regional transport of boundary layer aerosols *Focus on aerosol properties as observed over the Fenno-**Scandinavian boreal forest;** formation, aging and deposition *Extensive network of stations; Nordic long-term measurment sites: DMPS 10(3)-500nm Main research question: how much

The boreal region

DMPS size distributions at 7 stations in northern Europe





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The forest likely a significant source of aerosol number in an environment otherwise devoid of primary sources contributing to the fine particles

The Scandinavian aerosol: The role of biogenic emissions



- The marine-to-continental transition includes a significant change in source profiles
- The condensation growth is shown to be supported by natural emissions of mono-terpenes (or similar substances)
- The boreal forest is capable to establish a typical number concentration of more than 1000 cm⁻³ in a climatic relevant size range (50-100nm)