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1. 연구목적

Indoor air quality tends to be the dominant contributors to personal exposure, due to the large percentage of time most people spend typically inside their homes. Several Studies have shown that individuals in industrialized countries spend approximately 90% of their days indoors, with approximately two-thirds of the day spent inside the home. Nitrogen dioxide (NO₂) is a ubiquitous pollutant in urban environments. It is a by product of high-temperature fossil fuel combustion that can come from a variety of indoor and outdoor sources. Indoor NO₂ concentrations are influenced both outdoor levels and by indoor sources such as gas ranges, kerosene heaters, and cigarette smoke. In addition, indoor NO₂ concentrations are affected by such household variables as surface adsorption properties, ventilation of combustion appliances, and ventilation of the indoor environment. NO₂ is rather reactive and can be removed indoors through a process other than ventilation. The rate of NO₂ had been determined in several foreign countries.

The purpose of this study is to determine the decay rate and deposition velocity on interior surface properties as well as air exchange separately in a typical Korean living room. These results will be helpful to approach a prediction method of indoor NO₂ level by a simple calculation and to identify the processes and materials responsible for NO₂ removal in indoor air and to characterize the rates and factors that affect those processes.

2. 연구방법

To obtain the NO₂ decay rate in residence, we measured the concentrations of NO₂ and carbon dioxide (CO₂) in 25 houses. Simultaneously, temperature and relative humidity of the houses were recorded. Checklist in relation to house characteristics, and volume and area of living room was investigated. Passive filter badge were utilized for all NO₂ measurements. The badges are small (5x4x1cm3) and light weight (15g), and they do not involve pumps or other technologies that could cause difficulties for 48 hours. The passive filter badges could easily be clipped onto the for the duration of the sampling periods. The filter badges absorbs NO₂ on a triethanolamine solution in a cellulose fiber filter. CO₂ levels to measure infiltration rate were measured by continuous monitor instrument (TSI 8731 Co.).

3. 연구결과

Infiltration rate by residence type was anticipated, infiltration rates between single and apartment houses was not significantly different. Main factors of infiltration rate in residence are wind direction and wind velocity of outdoor and temperature difference. We did not measure the wind direction and velocity of outdoor. Difference between indoor and outdoor temperatures significantly affects the infiltration rates. That is to say, difference between indoor and outdoor temperature can cause the pressure variation, and this variation affects infiltration rate. Higher difference between indoor and outdoor temperature, higher infiltration rate.

The average and standard deviation of NO₂ decay rates were 1.06hr ¹ and 0.86, respectively. Typical reactive removal rate of NO₂ are on the order of 0.8hr ¹ in western countries. Sink rate of NO₂ in Japan was 0.99±0.19hr-1. With the exception of two outliers in this study, the apparent rate constants lies in a band centered about at 0.8 hr ¹. These data suggest a mean half-life of 52 min for reactive removal of NO₂ from these residences. When volume and surface were measured, interior property of living room was investigated at the same time. Though carpet appeared to remove more NO₂ than other surfaces, it was not apparent in this field study. Mean deposition velocity was 0.79 cm/min with two outliers.

4. 고찰결과

Since the overall decay process of NO_2 follows first-order reaction in a typical living room, we calculated the NO_2 decay rate using NO_2 passive sampler. The use of gas range is prevalent in Korea, generation of NO_2 and CO_2 was from gas-range turn on for 30 minutes. The NO_2 decay rate could be obtained from NO_2 cumulative concentration using passive sampler and infiltration rate using CO_2 decay. With the exception of two outliers, mean NO_2 decay rate in Korea residence was $0.84(\pm 0.38)hr-1$, mean deposition velocity was 0.79 cm/min.