Supplementary information for The effect of partial dissolution on sea-ice chemical transport: a combined model–observational study using poly- and perfluoroalkylated substances (PFAS)

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1 Introduction

Here, we present two figures to support the main analysis. The main results of the paper are replicated with the critical Rayleigh number, Ra_c , and desalination strength, ϵ , as $Ra_c = 4.89$ and $\epsilon = 5.84 \times 10^{-4} \text{ kg}(\text{m}^3\text{s})^{-1}$, following Griewank and Notz (2015).

5 2 Results

Figure 1 shows the derived tuning parameters for each chemical of interest for Methods B, C, and D when the model was run with tuning parameters from Griewank and Notz (2015). Figure 2 shows the model performance for Methods A through D. These figures are discussed in the main text, in Section 4.



Figure 1. Absolute bias, |b|, between measurements and model with a range of tuning parameters, α , for Methods B, C, and D. Tuning parameters for desalination were taken from Griewank and Notz (2015).



Figure 2. Comparison of modelled and measured concentration for: Method A, perfectly dissolved chemicals (a, b, c); Method B, simple partitioning (d, e, f); Method C, surface area adsorption (g, h, i); and Method D, salting out (j, k, l). Depth profiles are shown for freeze 1 (a, d, g, j) and freeze 2 (b, e, h, k). Modelled against measured concentrations are shown in panels c, f, i, and l, alongside the best fit weighted least squares regression (black line, gradient *k* with one standard error and coefficient of determination r^2 shown in legend) and the theoretical 1 to 1 line for perfect model behavior (dotted black). Concentration for the profiles is given on a log scale to highlight separation between the profiles. Tuning parameters for desalination were taken from Griewank and Notz (2015).

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