1 Table S1. Research grade instrumentation used for this study.

Analyte		Manchester		York
NO ₂	*Teledyne T500U (CAPS)	**Teledyne T200U (Chemiluminescence)	**Teledyne T200U (Chemiluminescence)	
O 3	*Thermo 49i (UV photometry)	**Thermo 49i (UV photometry)	**2B (UV photometry)	
PM _{2.5}				*Met One BAM 1020 (Beta attenuation)

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*Instruments permanently deployed at the site.

3 **Instruments temporarily deployed as part of the QUANT study.





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6 Figure S1. Time series (left panels), regression plots (middle-left panels), Bland-Altman plots (middle-right panels) and

REU (right panels, DQO for NO₂ = 25%) for baseline drift (a-panels), temperature interference drift (b-panels), and
instrument sensitivity drift (c-panels) simulated errors.



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Figure S2. Two bias corrected LCS systems (LCS3 & LCS4, same brand) measuring PM2.5 (Time res 1 h). While LCS3 is shown for the same location (Manchester) but unfolded in two different seasons (a-panels: Apr to May 2020; b-panels: Oct to Nov 2020), LCS4 is at a different location (c-panels: York, Apr to May 2020). Time series (left panels), regression plots (middle-left panels), Bland-Altman plots (middle-right panels) and REU (right panels; DQO_{PM2.5} = 50%) are used to characterise the device's error structure. All but the time-series plots have been coloured by data density.

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Figure S3. Time series (left panels), regression plots (middle-left panels), Bland-Altman plots (middle-right panels) and
REU (right panels, DQO for O₃ = 30%) for two ozone research grade instruments (1hr time res): a Thermo 49i (a-

21 panels, July & August 2021) and a 2B (b-panels, June and July 2021). All but the time-series plots have been coloured

22 by data density.