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(1) Harmonization, for a single profile retrieval

Matching operation	\mathbf{x}'	\mathbf{S}'	\mathbf{A}'
Vert. quantity matching	$\mathbf{M}\mathbf{x}$	$\mathbf{M}\mathbf{S}\mathbf{M}^T$	$\mathbf{M}\mathbf{A}\mathbf{M}^{-1}$
Vert. sampling matching	$\mathbf{W}\mathbf{x}$	$\mathbf{W}\mathbf{S}\mathbf{W}^T$	$\mathbf{W}\mathbf{A}\mathbf{W}^*$
Vert. smoothing matching	$\mathbf{V}\mathbf{x}$	$\mathbf{V}\mathbf{S}\mathbf{V}^T$	$\mathbf{V}\mathbf{A}$
Meas. weight matching	$\mathbf{W}^M\mathbf{x}$	\mathbf{S}	$\mathbf{W}^M\mathbf{A}$
Prior matching (PM)	$\mathbf{S}'(\mathbf{S}^{-1}\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{R}_a\mathbf{x}_a + \mathbf{R}'_a\mathbf{x}'_a)$	$(\mathbf{S}^{-1} - \mathbf{R}_a + \mathbf{R}'_a)^{-1}$	$\mathbf{A} + \mathbf{S}\mathbf{S}_a^{-1} - \mathbf{S}'\mathbf{S}'_a^{-1}$
Re-optimized PM CDF	$\mathbf{P}[\mathbf{x} - (\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{A})\mathbf{x}_a] + \mathbf{P}\mathbf{S}(\mathbf{A}^T)^{-1}\mathbf{R}'_a\mathbf{x}'_a$	$\mathbf{P}\mathbf{S}\mathbf{P}^T$	$\mathbf{P}\mathbf{A}$
AK smoothing (for s on r)	$\mathbf{A}_s\mathbf{x}_r + (\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{A}_s)\mathbf{x}_{a,s}$	$\mathbf{A}_s^1\mathbf{S}_r(\mathbf{A}_s^1)^T$	\mathbf{A}_s
Maximum likelihood repr.	$\mathbf{S}'(\mathbf{S}^{-1}\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{R}_a\mathbf{x}_a)$	$(\mathbf{S}^{-1} - \mathbf{R}_a)^{-1}$	\mathbf{I}
Information-centered repr.	$\mathbf{W}(\mathbf{S}^{-1} - \mathbf{R}_a)^{-1}(\mathbf{S}^{-1}\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{R}_a\mathbf{x}_a)$	$\mathbf{W}(\mathbf{S}^{-1} - \mathbf{R}_a)^{-1}\mathbf{W}^T$	\mathbf{I}'
Co-location matching	$\mathbf{x} - \Delta\mathbf{m}$	$\mathbf{S} + \mathbf{S}_{\Delta m}$	$\mathbf{A} - \mathbf{S}_{\Delta m}\mathbf{S}_a^{-1}$

(von Clarmann and Grabowski, 2007; Keppens et al., 2022)

(2) Deconvolution, for a single profile retrieval

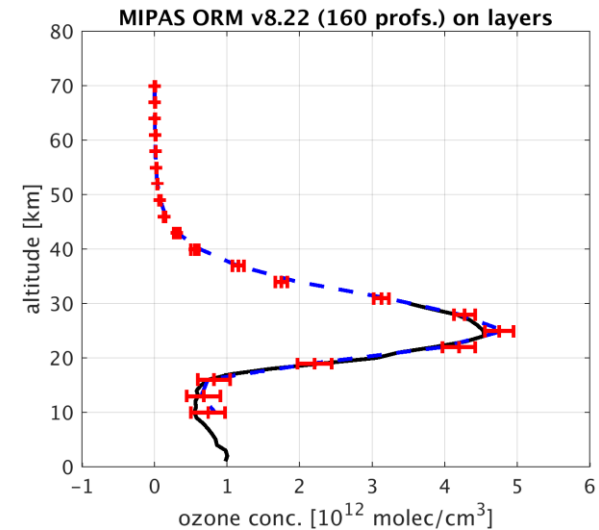
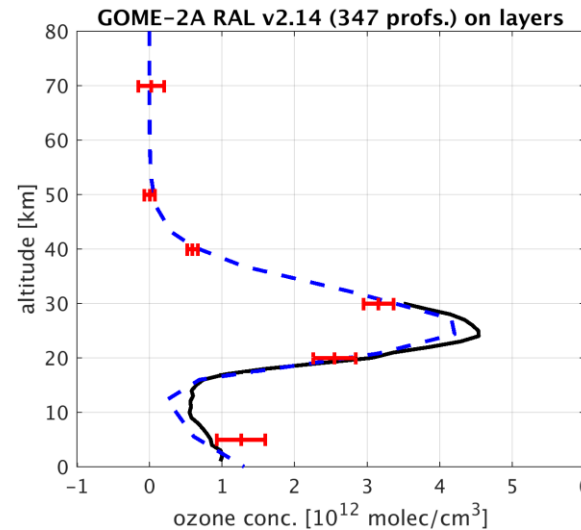
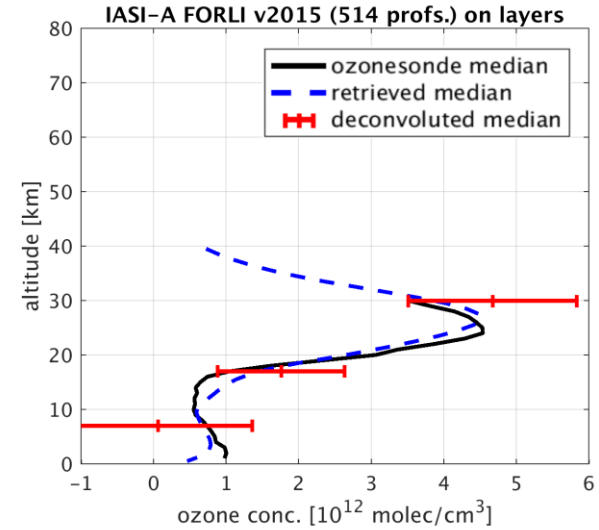
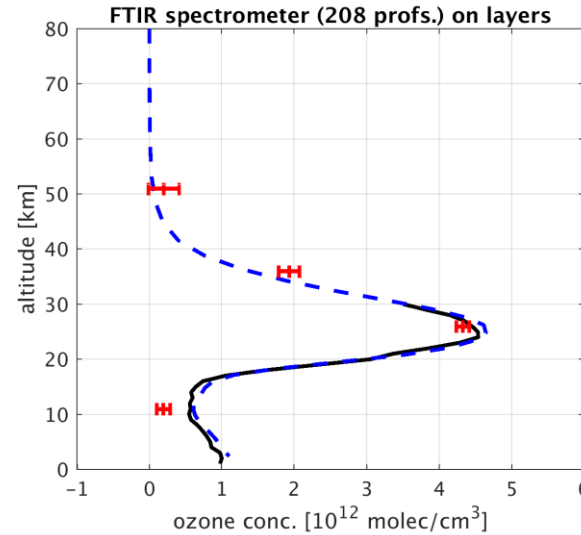
Optimal regridding matrix iteratively:

$$W_{i+1} = (W_i^{*T} A^T S^{-1} A W_i^*)^{-1} W_i^{*T} A^T S^{-1} A$$

with W_0 an equidistant regridding of choice from x to $\text{DOF}(x)$, then

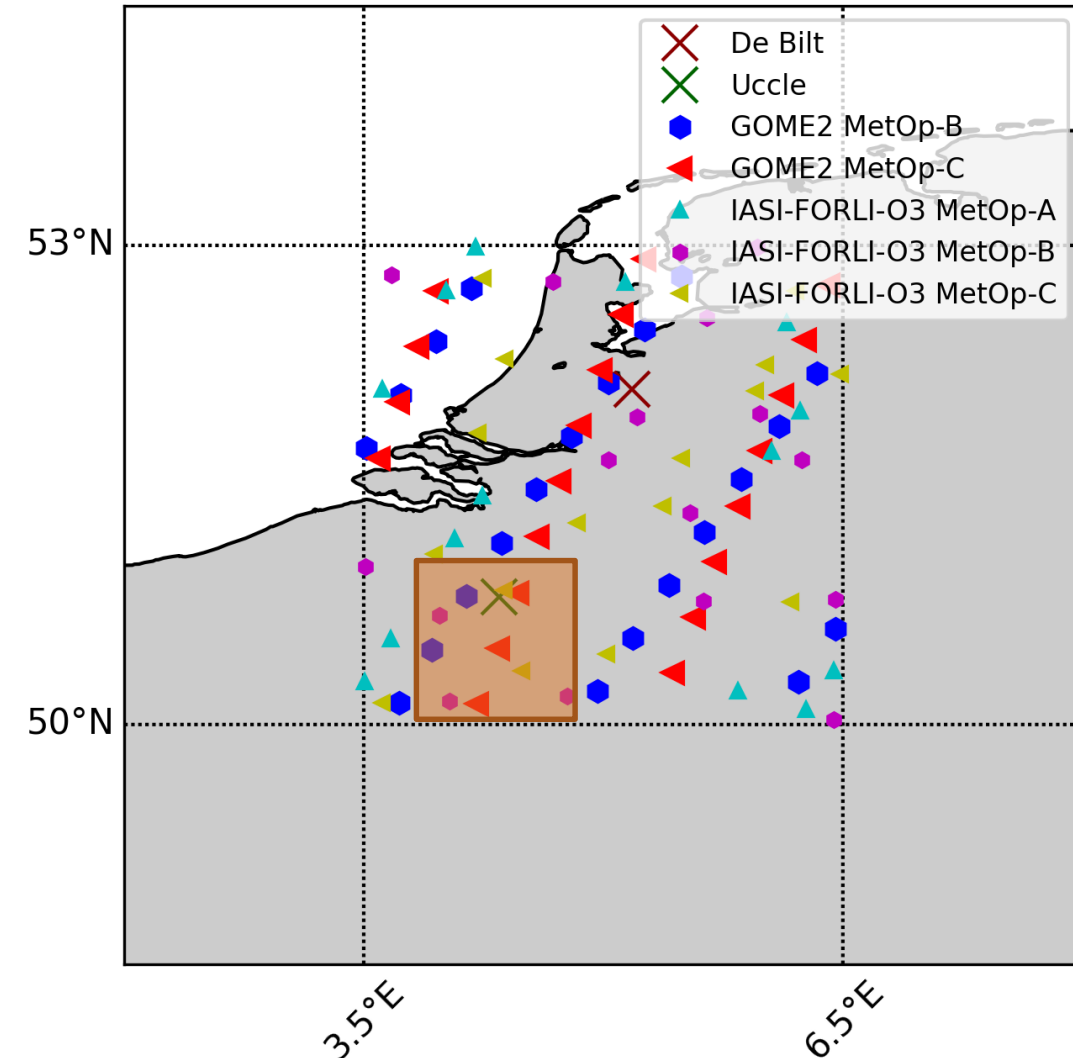
$$x_{ICR} = P[x - (I - A)x_a]$$

$$\text{with } P = (W_c^{*T} A^T S^{-1} A W_c^*)^{-1} W_c^{*T} A^T S^{-1}$$



Build on this for harmonization of TOAR-II data sets

- CEOS Activity VC-20-01, aiming at harmonizing and validating satellite datasets in support of TOAR-II
- Towards monthly-gridded ($1^\circ \times 1^\circ$) & harmonized (prior info) satellite L3 data
- Remove prior? But ICR not suitable for tropospheric ozone
- Look into single-sensor vs multi-sensor data fusion
- Example: MetOp overpasses for Brussels on March 24, 2021 – image courtesy of N. Zoppetti (IFAC)



Based on Complete Data Fusion (CDF) framework

CDF (Ceccherini et al., 2022):

$$x'_N = \left(\sum_{i=1}^N S_i^{-1} A_i + S_a'^{-1} \right)^{-1} \left(\sum_{i=1}^N S_i^{-1} [x_i - (I - A_i)x_{a,i}] + S_a'^{-1} x'_a \right)$$

where the sum is taken over N profiles within a predefined spatiotemporal domain

The corresponding averaging kernel matrix and covariance matrix are given by

$$A'_N = \left(\sum_{i=1}^N S_i^{-1} A_i + S_a'^{-1} \right)^{-1} \left(\sum_{i=1}^N S_i^{-1} A_i \right)$$

and

$$S'_N = \left(\sum_{i=1}^N S_i^{-1} A_i + S_a'^{-1} \right)^{-1}$$

which is mathematically equivalent to a joint retrieval (Ceccherini et al., 2015)

Choice of new prior info determines CDF output

Abbr.	x'_a	S'^{-1}_a	x'_N	
CDF	x_m	αS_m^{-1}	$(\sum S_i^{-1} A_i + \alpha S_m^{-1})^{-1} (\sum S_i^{-1} [x_i - (I - A_i)x_{a,i}] + \alpha S_m^{-1} x_m)$	
APR	x_m	$\sum S_{a,i}^{-1}$	$(\sum S_i^{-1})^{-1} (\sum S_i^{-1} [x_i - (I - A_i)(x_{a,i} - x_m)])$	
WAV	$x_{a,i}$	$\sum S_{a,i}^{-1}$	$(\sum S_i^{-1})^{-1} (\sum S_i^{-1} x_i)$	
MLR	$x_{a,i}$	0	$(\sum S_i^{-1} A_i)^{-1} (\sum S_i^{-1} [x_i - (I - A_i)x_{a,i}])$	~ deconv. on original grid
ICR*	0	0	$(\sum W_i^{*T} S_i^{-1} A_i W_i^*)^{-1} (\sum W_i^{*T} S_i^{-1} [x_i - (I - A_i)x_{a,i}])$	~ deconv. on DFS grid

Abbr.	x'_a	S'^{-1}_a	A'_N	S'_N
CDF	x_m	αS_m^{-1}	$(\sum S_i^{-1} A_i + \alpha S_m^{-1})^{-1} (\sum S_i^{-1} A_i)$	$(\sum S_i^{-1} A_i + \alpha S_m^{-1})^{-1}$
APR	x_m	$\sum S_{a,i}^{-1}$	$(\sum S_i^{-1})^{-1} (\sum S_i^{-1} A_i)$	$(\sum S_i^{-1})^{-1}$
WAV	$x_{a,i}$	$\sum S_{a,i}^{-1}$	$(\sum S_i^{-1})^{-1} (\sum S_i^{-1} A_i)$	$(\sum S_i^{-1})^{-1}$
MLR	$x_{a,i}$	0	I	$(\sum S_i^{-1} A_i)^{-1}$
ICR*	0	0	$I' = W_i W_i^* (\forall i)$	$(\sum W_i^{*T} S_i^{-1} A_i W_i^*)^{-1}$

CAMS Reanalysis used as a transfer standard

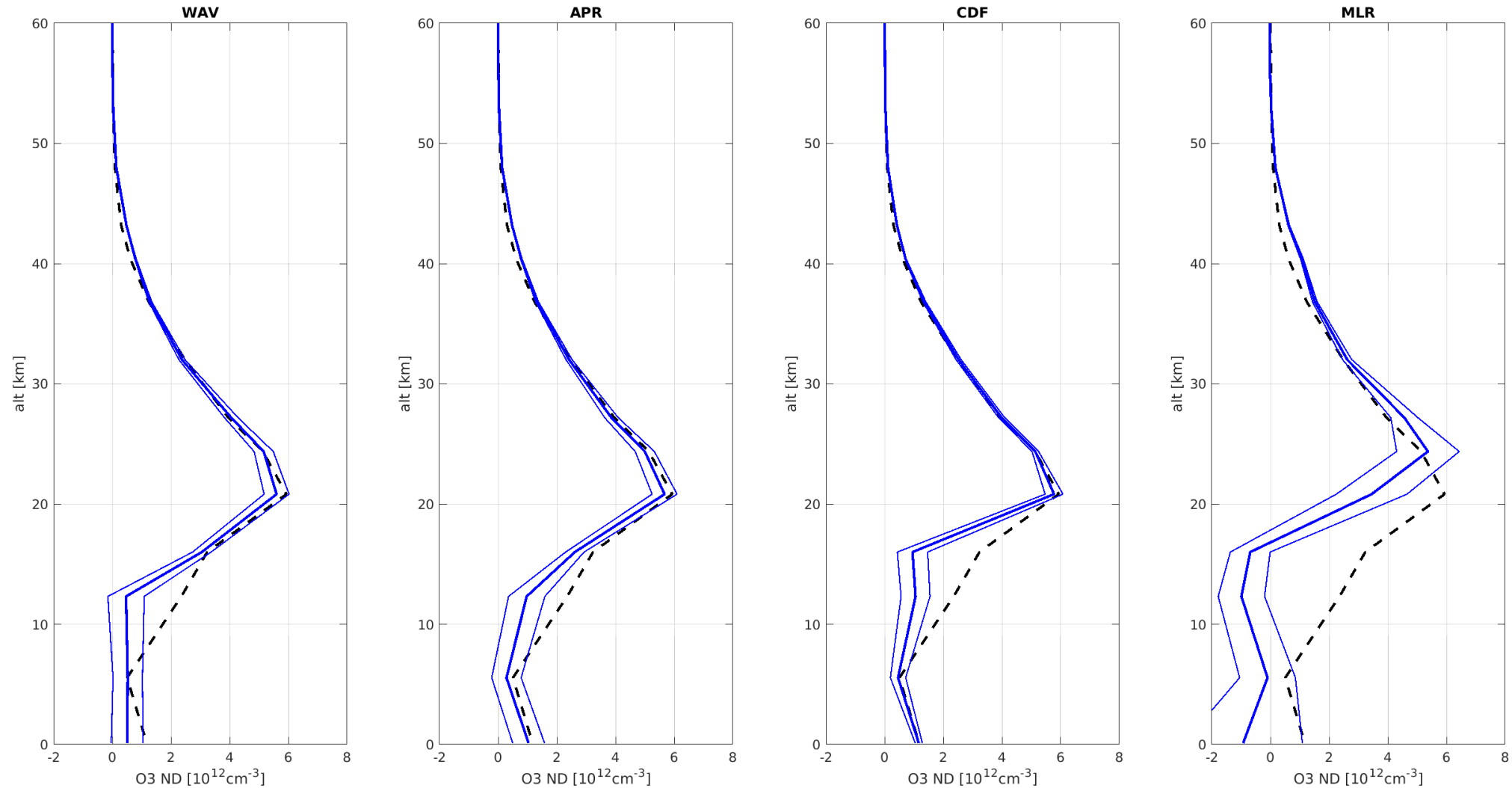
- assimilated ozone: TC (SCIA, OMI, GOME-2A/B), PROF (MIPAS, Aura-MLS, SBUV/2)
- 60 levels (1012-0.1 hPa), 37 levels in troposphere (1012-80 hPa)
- $0.7^\circ \times 0.7^\circ$ (global)
- 6 hourly UTC, but converted to LST noon (2003-2020)

Used for

- vertical correction of tropospheric column (level-3)
- new prior information (including vertical smoothing)
- auxiliary data source for quantity matching
- (assessment of horizontal and temporal sampling differences)

Demonstration: GOME-2B RAL v3

January-March 2020, $1^\circ \times 1^\circ$ grid box around Brussels



Prospects

- Understand some of the discrepancies between tropospheric ozone data records from satellites (CEOS VC-20-01 Activity)
- Contribution to TOAR-II Satellite WG and to TOAR-II Special Issue :
“Harmonization of tropospheric ozone data records from multiple satellites”
- Examine data fusion versus joint retrieval, e.g., for IASI and GOME-2B