

The World Data Center
for Remote Sensing of the Atmosphere
WDC-RSAT



The ICSU/WMO World Data Center for Remote Sensing of the Atmosphere: - Service for Science

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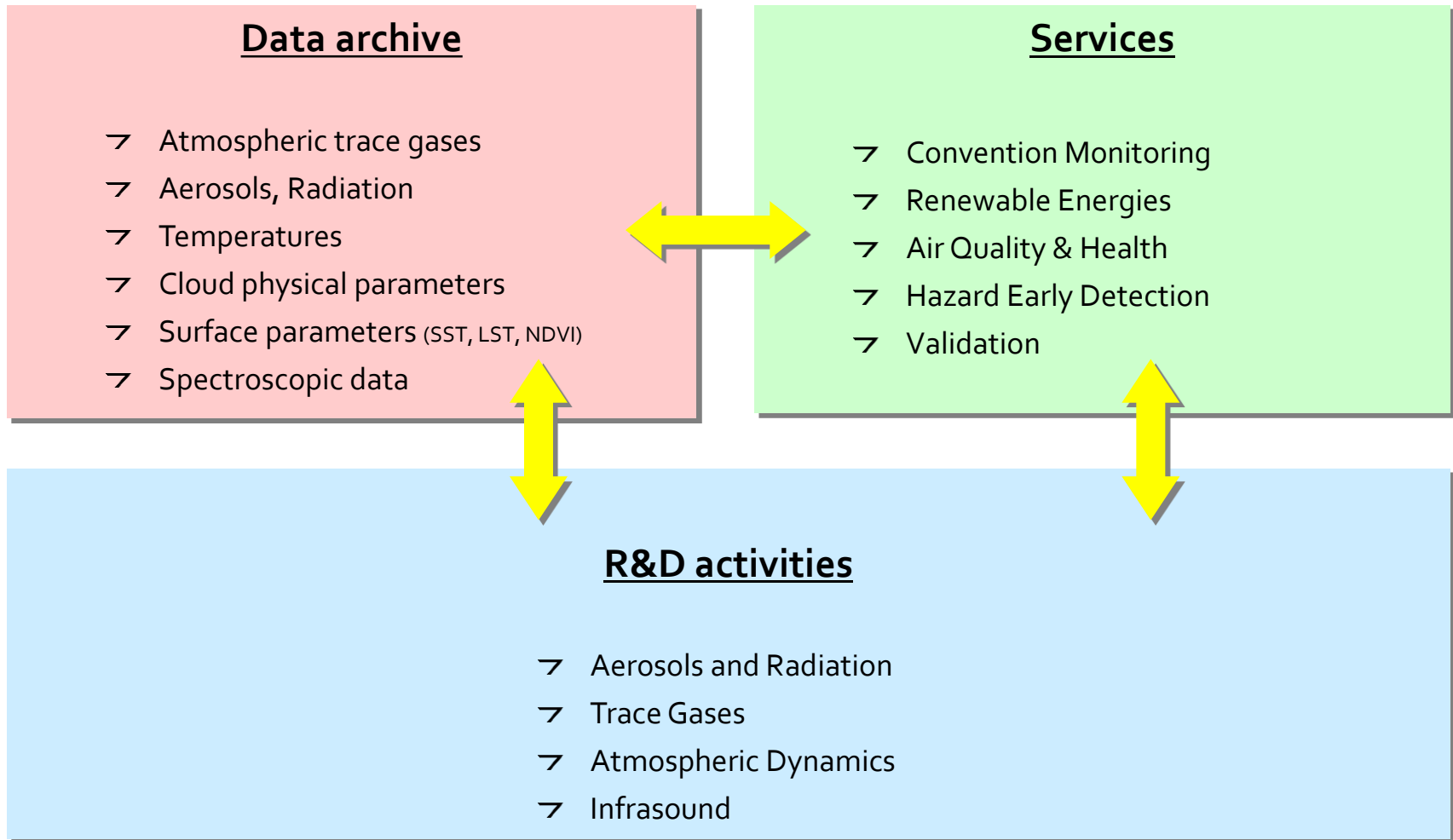


Mission Statement

Provide free, simplified, standardized and sustainable access to atmosphere related satellite based data, information, value added products and services for science, administrative bodies, and industries

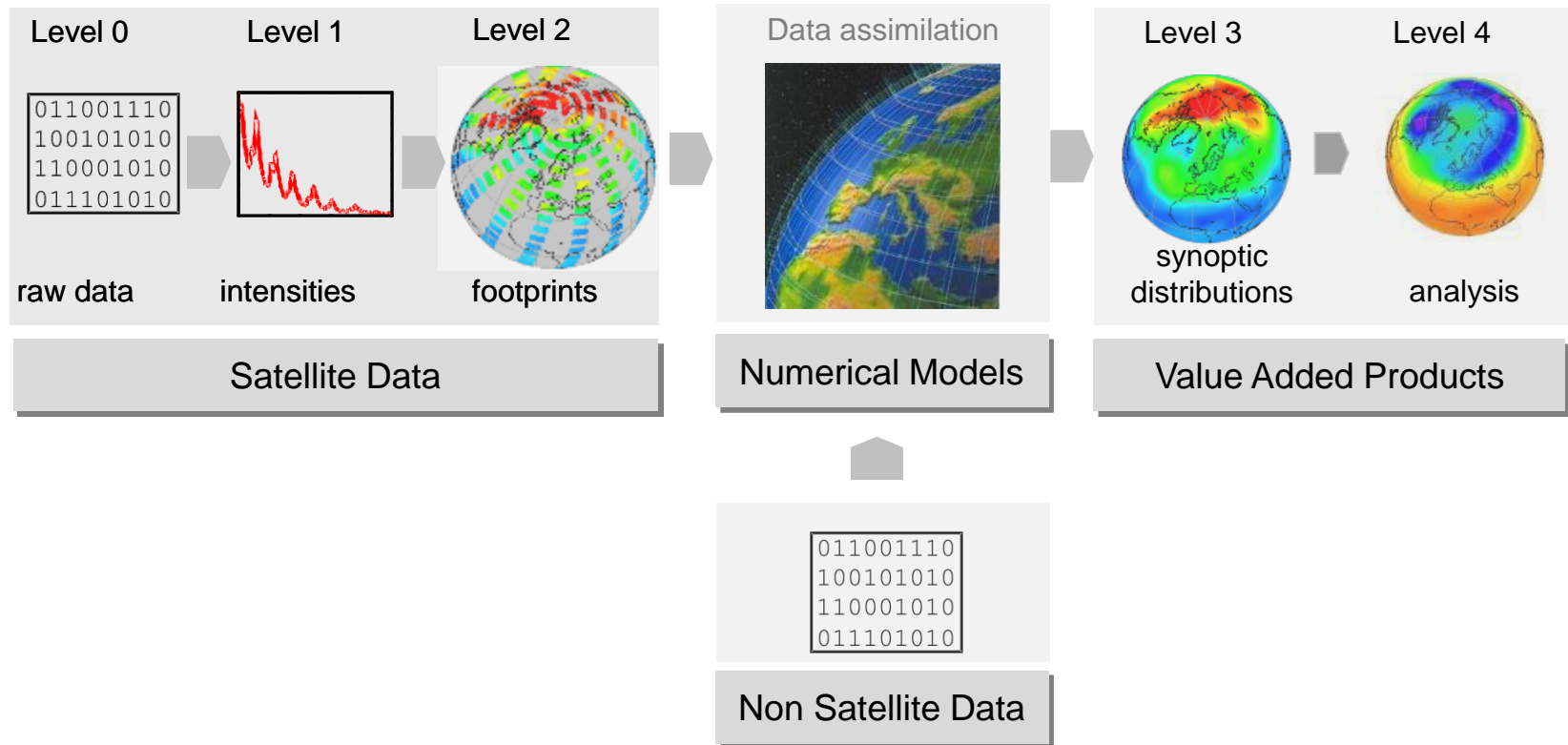


Portfolio



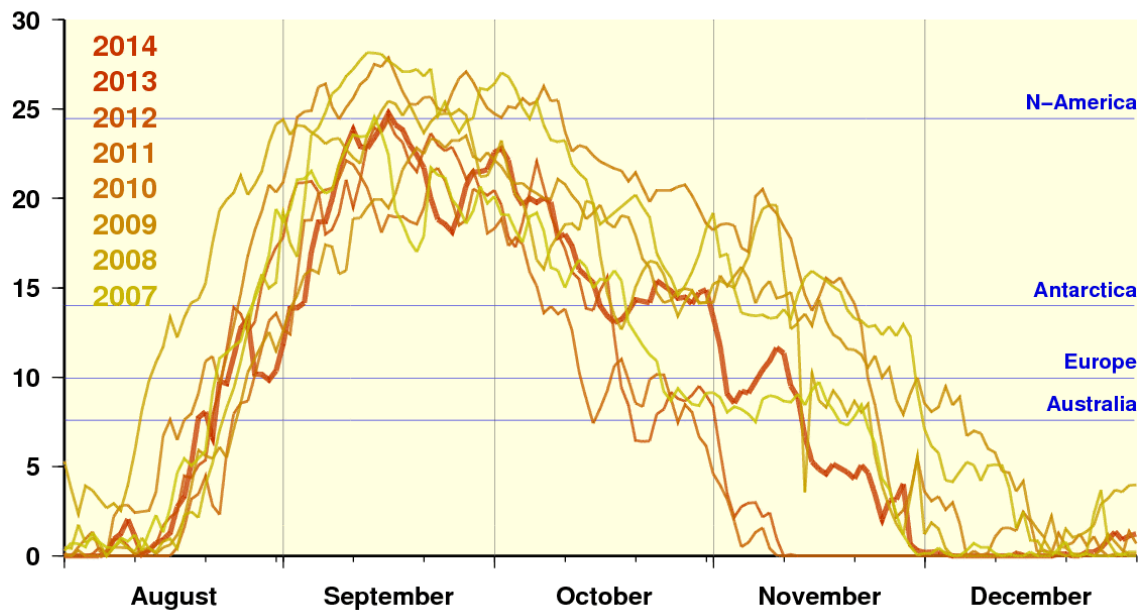
Activities of WDC-RSAT along the "Value Adding Chain"

From data towards information



Service: Monitoring the Ozone Hole (Montreal Protocol)

Ozone Hole: Area [10^6 km^2]

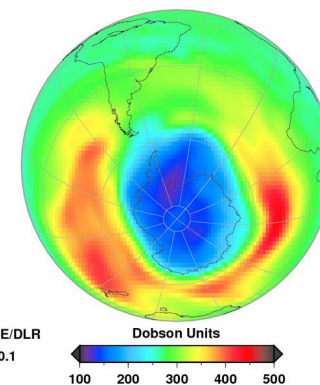


GOME2 METOP-A

Ozone Vertical Column Density

Sep 21, 2014

Southern Hemisphere



Assimilation: ROSE/DLR
L2: GDP-4.2 / L4: 0.1
<http://wdc.dlr.de>

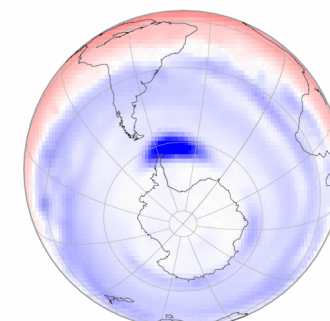


GOME2 METOP-A

Ozone Change per Day at 56 hPa

Jun 30, 2015

Southern Hemisphere

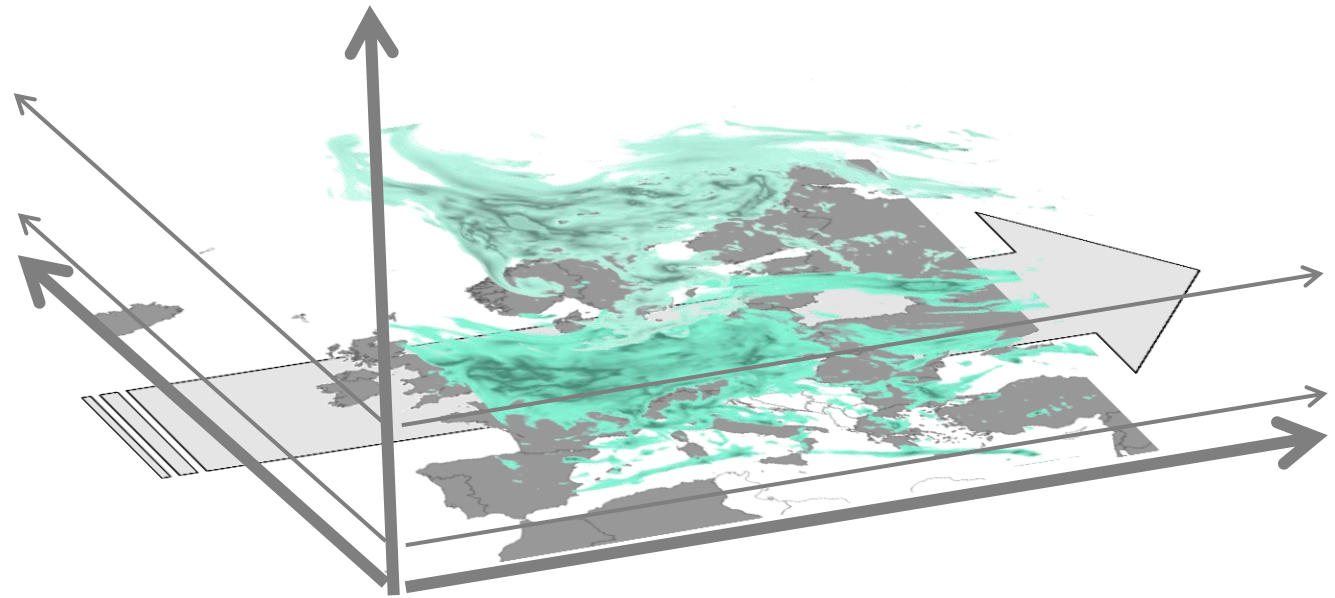


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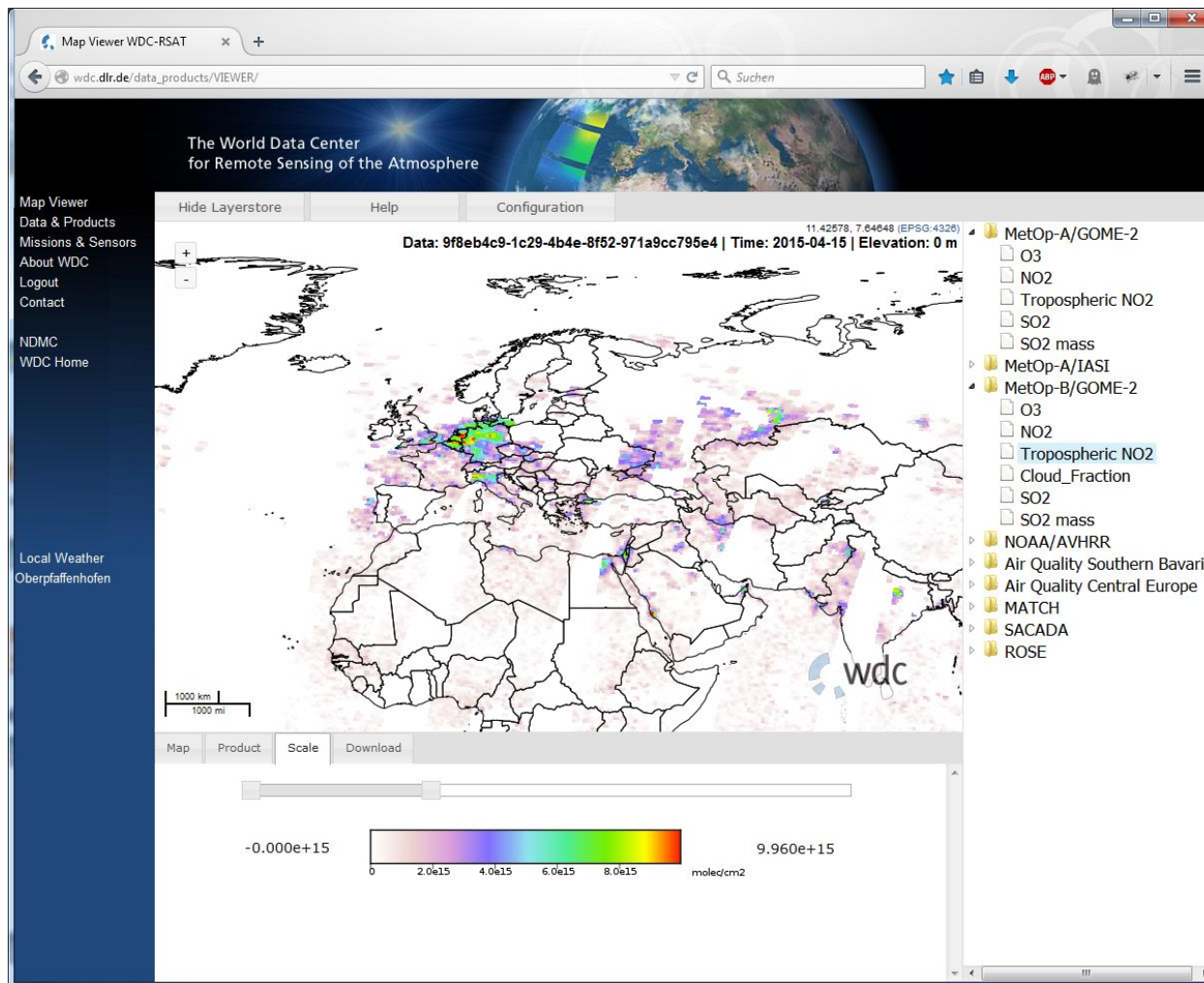
Parts per Billion per Day [ppb / day]
-3 -2 -1 0 1 2 3



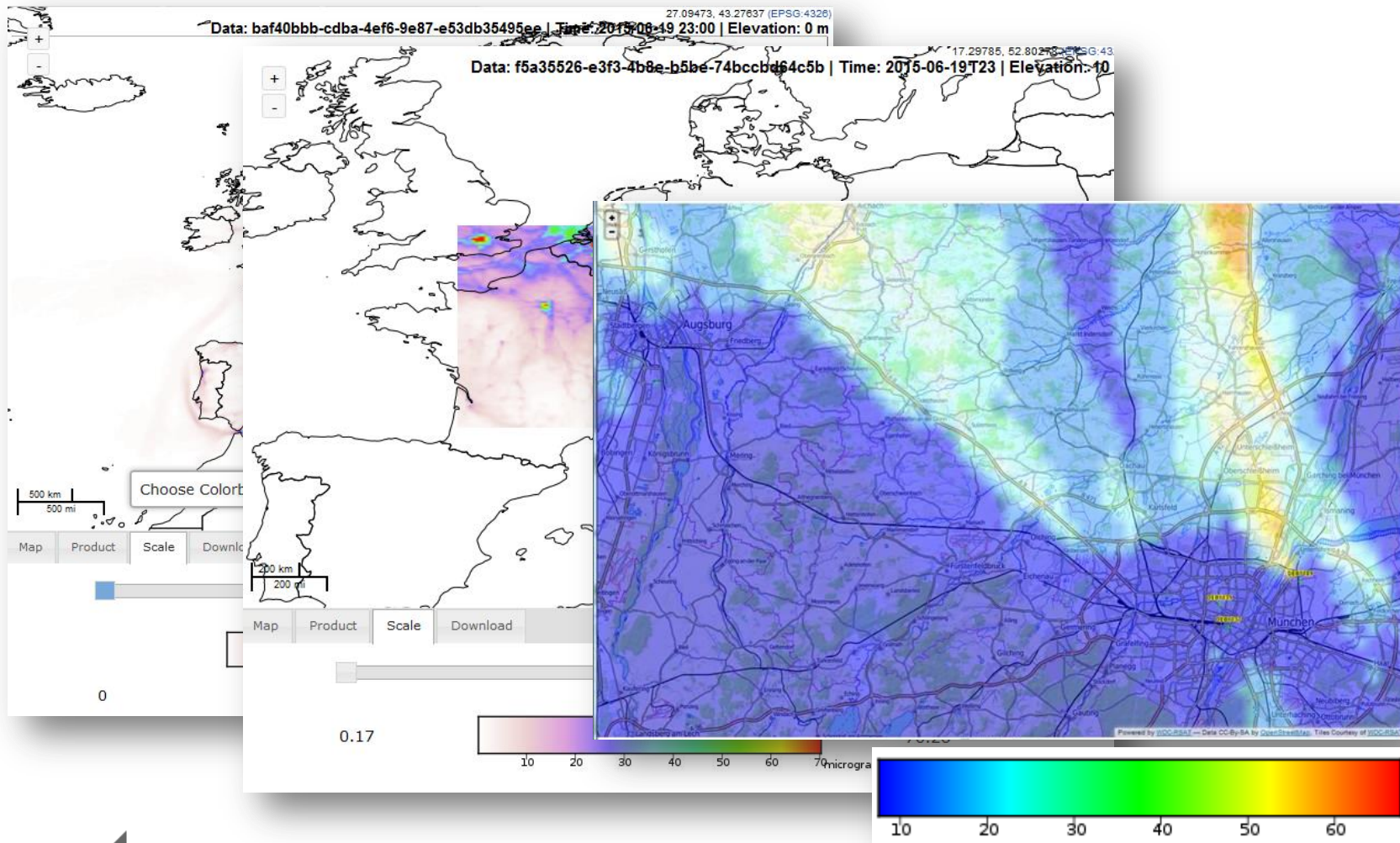
Interactive Product Exploration: Navigation in Time and Space



Service: Interactive Product Exploration



Service: Interactive Product Exploration (assimilated products → NO₂ [μg/m³], forecast)



R&D:

Dissemination of information via App on the mobile phone



Presentation of service at CeBit, Hannover, 03/2012

<http://www.lab.dtrd.de/Obsairve>



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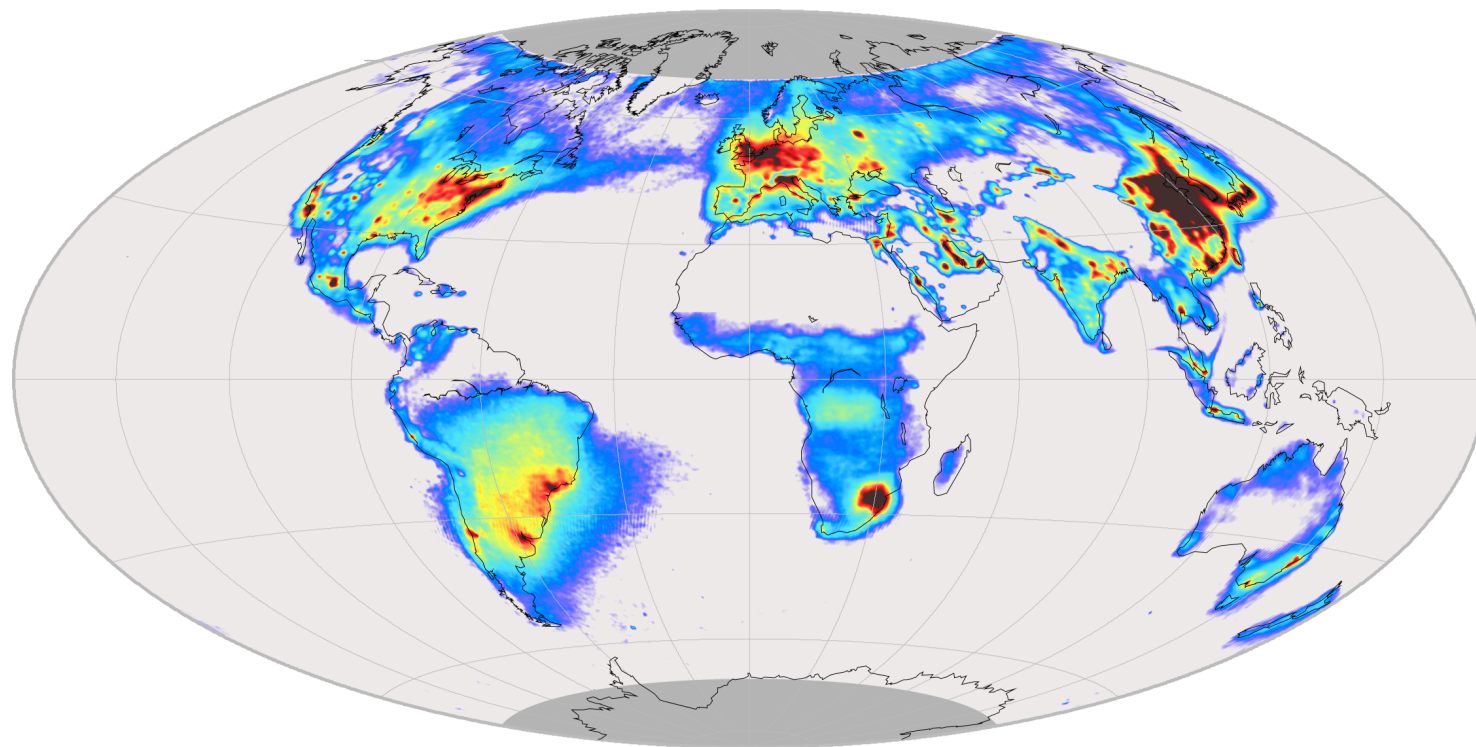


Project members:

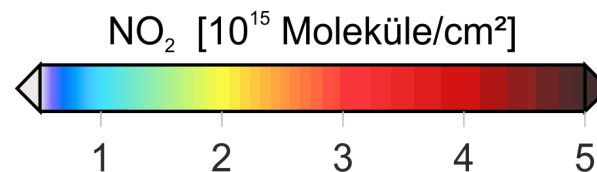


R&D: Trend analysis of air pollutants

(Mean total NO₂ concentration over a 7-years period – 2007-2013)

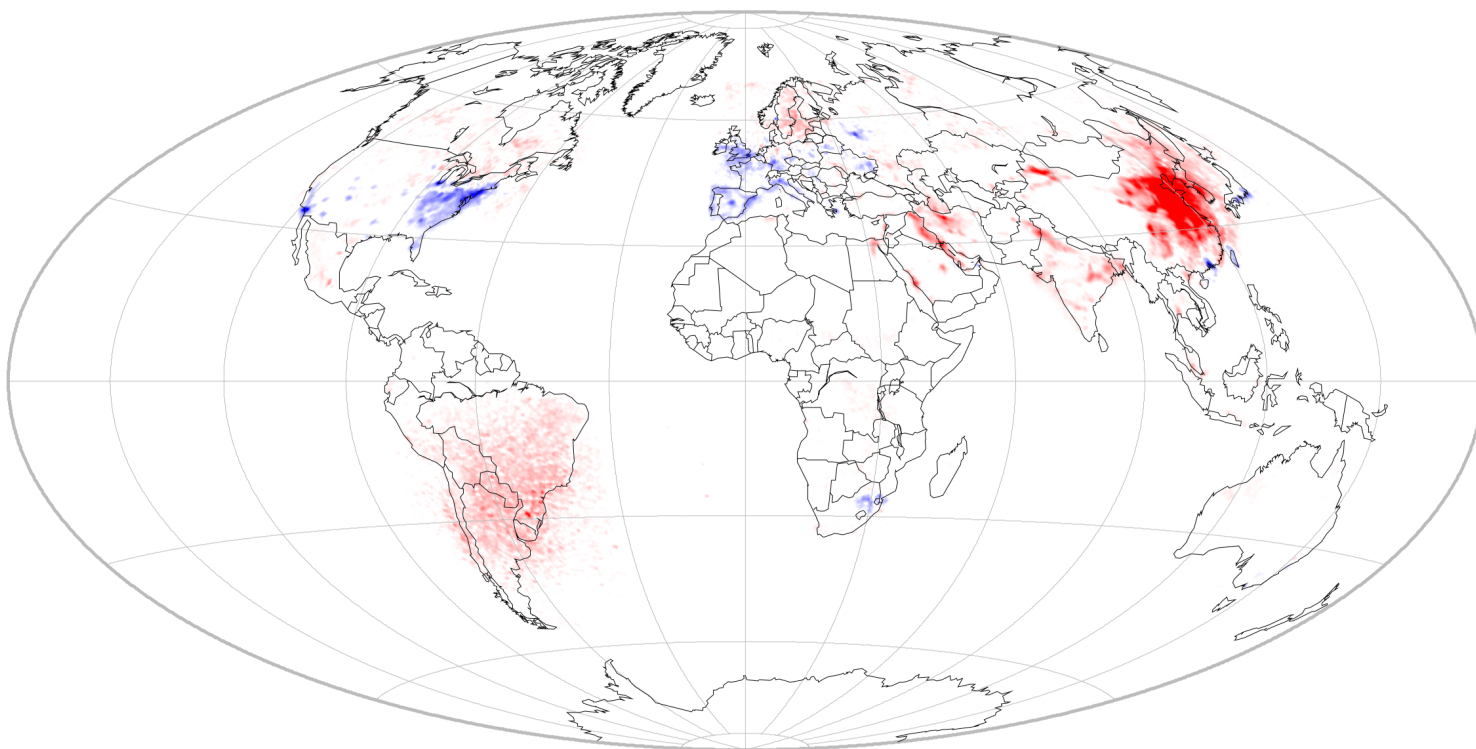


MetOp/GOME-2: 2007-2013



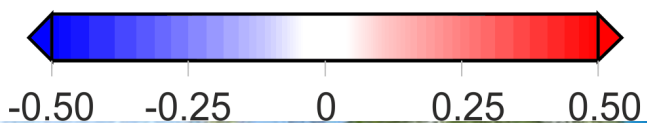
R&D: Trend analysis of air pollutants

(Linear trend in total NO₂ concentration over a 7-years period – 2007-2013)



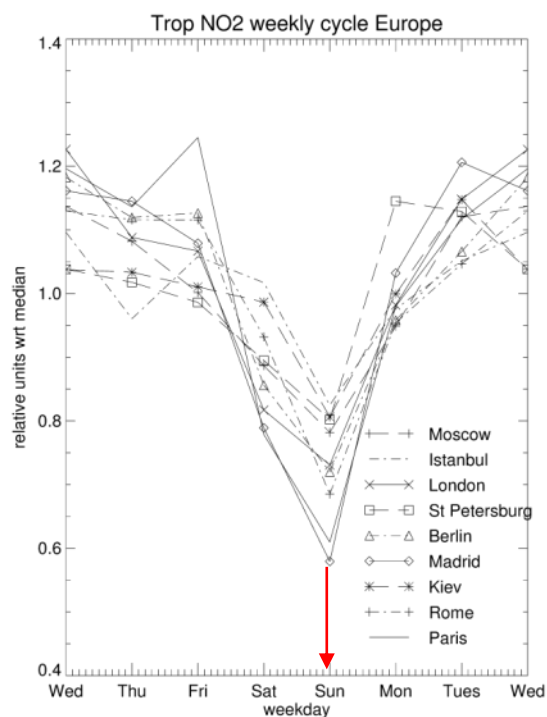
MetOp/GOME-2: 2007-2013

Absoluter NO₂ Trend [10^{15} Moleküle/cm² Jahr]

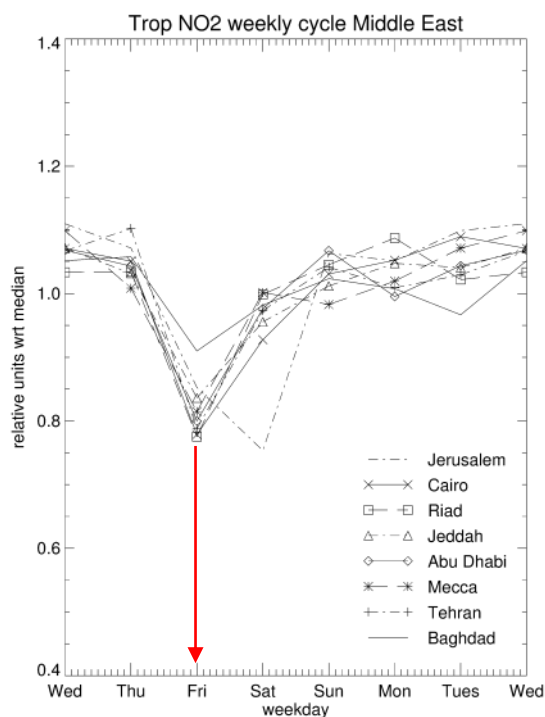


R&D: Weekly cycle of air pollutants for larger cities

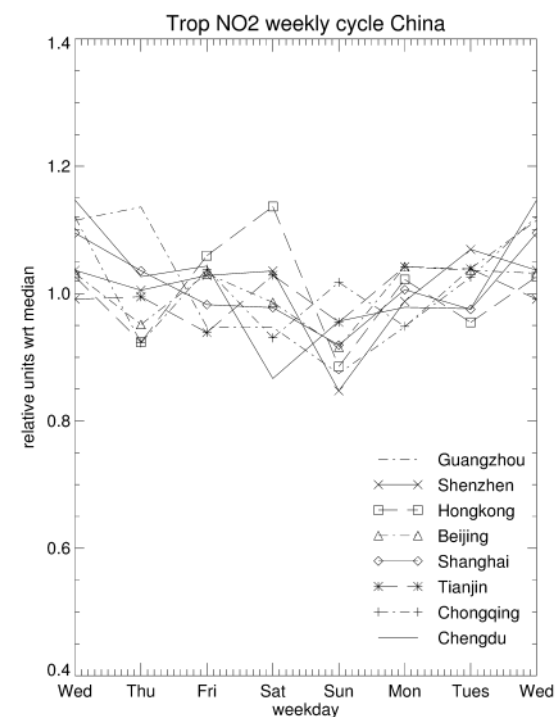
(Linear trend of total NO₂ concentration over a 7-years period – 2007-2013)



Sunday

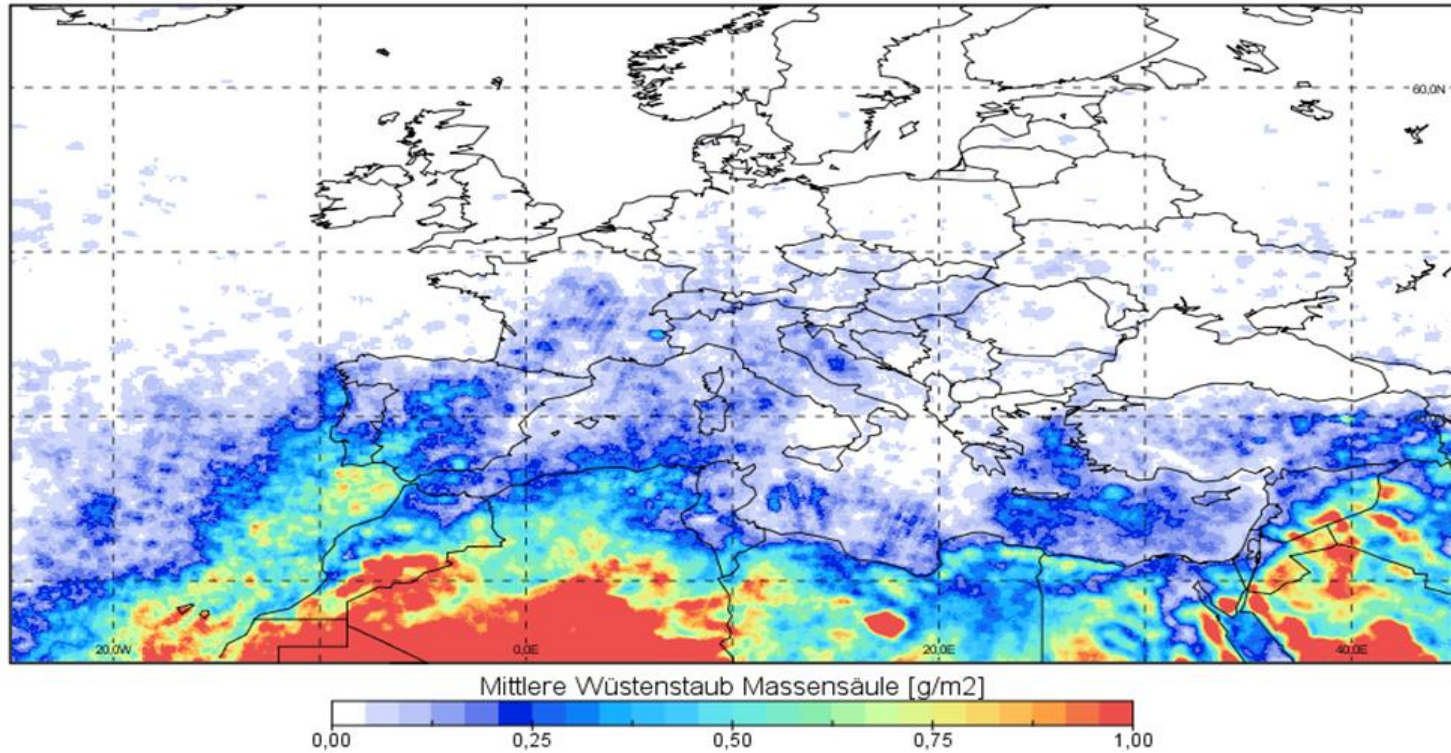


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Service: Monitoring desert dust loads in the atmosphere

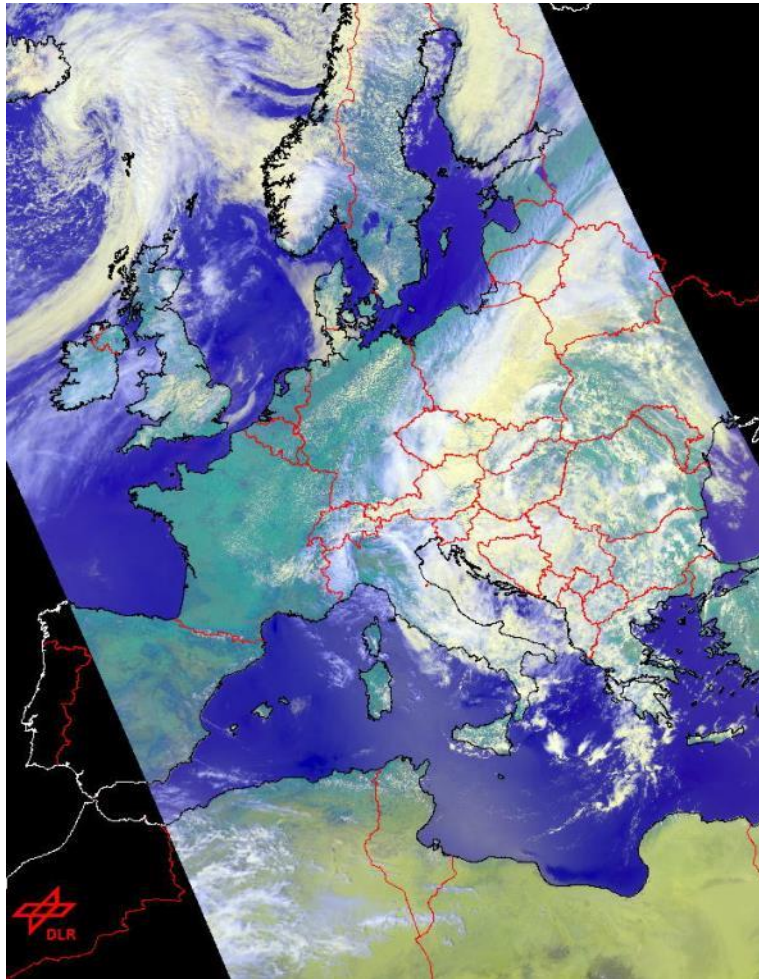
August 2013 IASI/METOP-A



August, 2013 - derived from IASI on MetOp



Service: Monitoring cloud cover & cloud physical parameters over Europe



16 May, 2014 -
derived from AVHRR on NOAA-19

30 Years of AVHRR
@ DLR

Cloud phys. Param.

Snow Cover

LST (Day)

LST (Night)

NDVI

SST



Service: Monitoring snow cover over Europe

Cloud phys. Param.

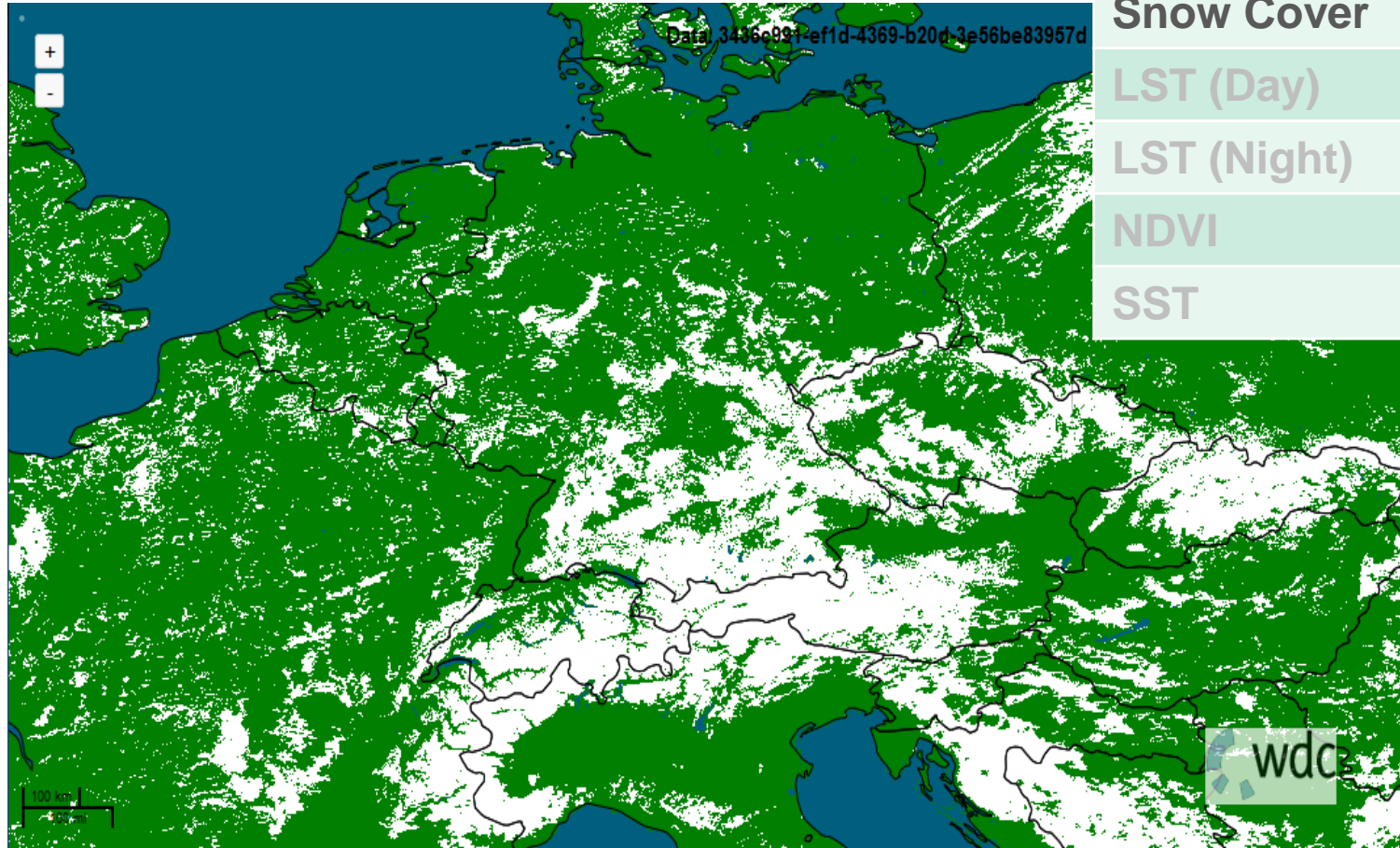
Snow Cover

LST (Day)

LST (Night)

NDVI

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19 February, 2015 - derived from AVHRR on NOAA-19



Data: avhrr_sst | Time: 2014-07-09 | Elevation: 0 m

Years of AVHRR DLR

Cloud phys. Param.

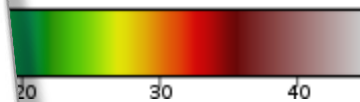
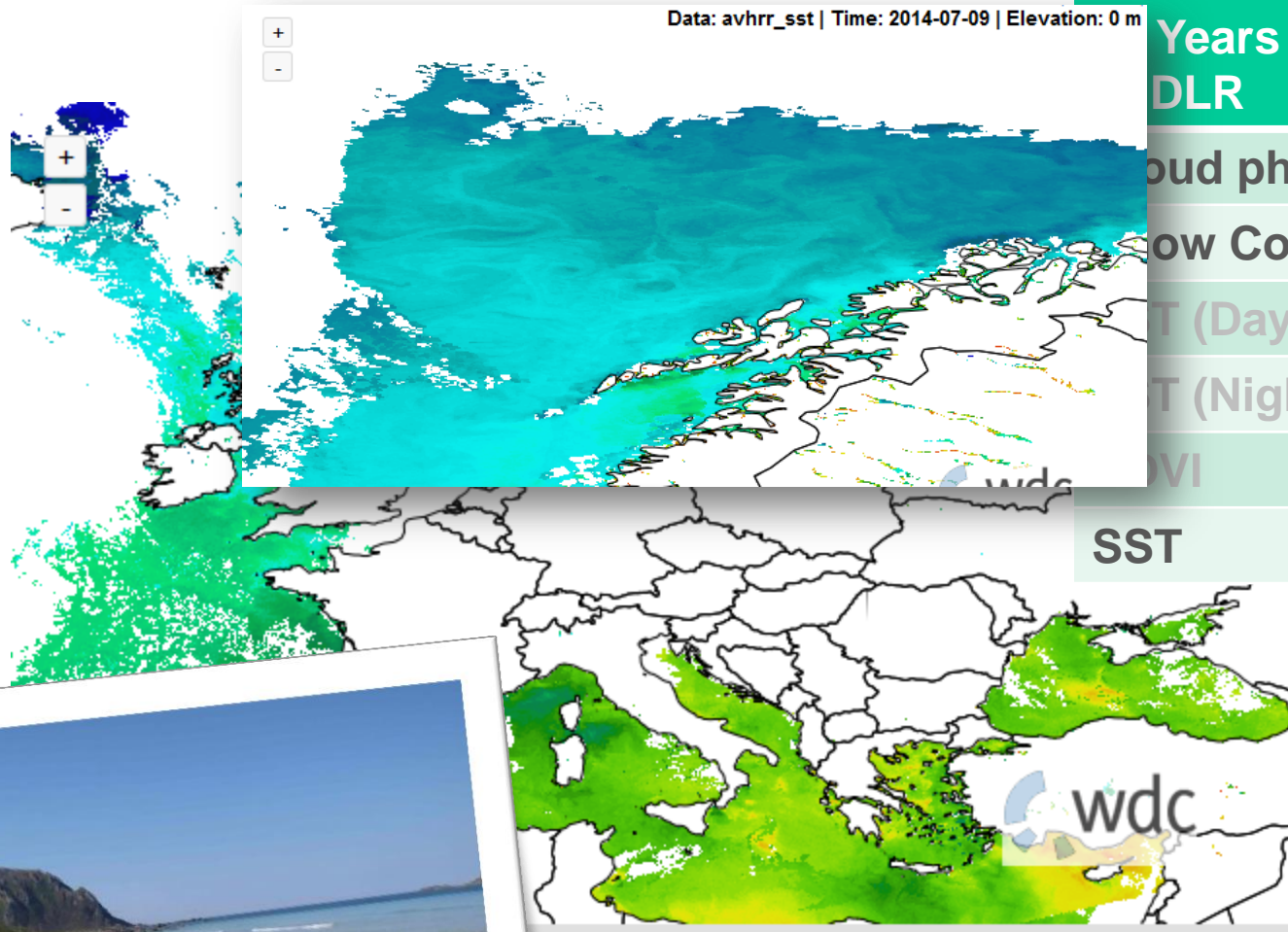
Low Cover

T (Day)

T (Night)

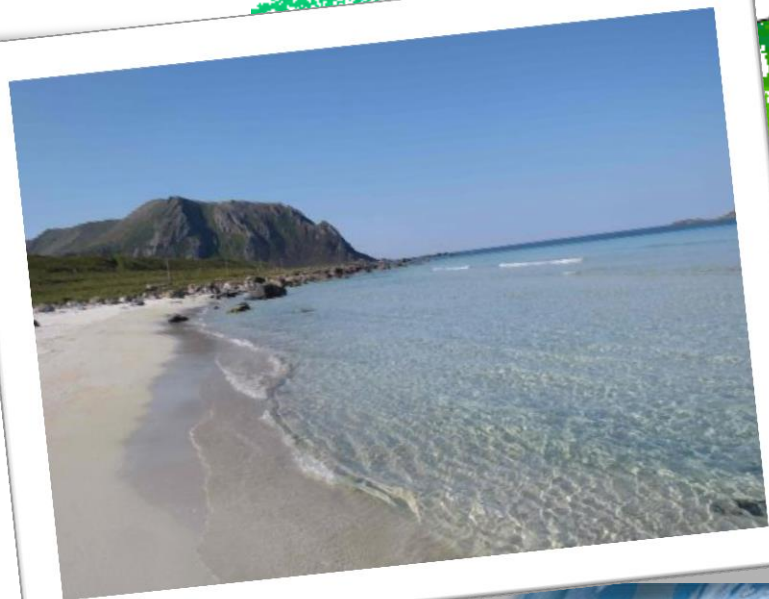
VI

SST



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DLR



R&D: Analysing special events

Heat wave in Europe 28 July (left) – 10 August (right), 2003

Cloud phys. Param.

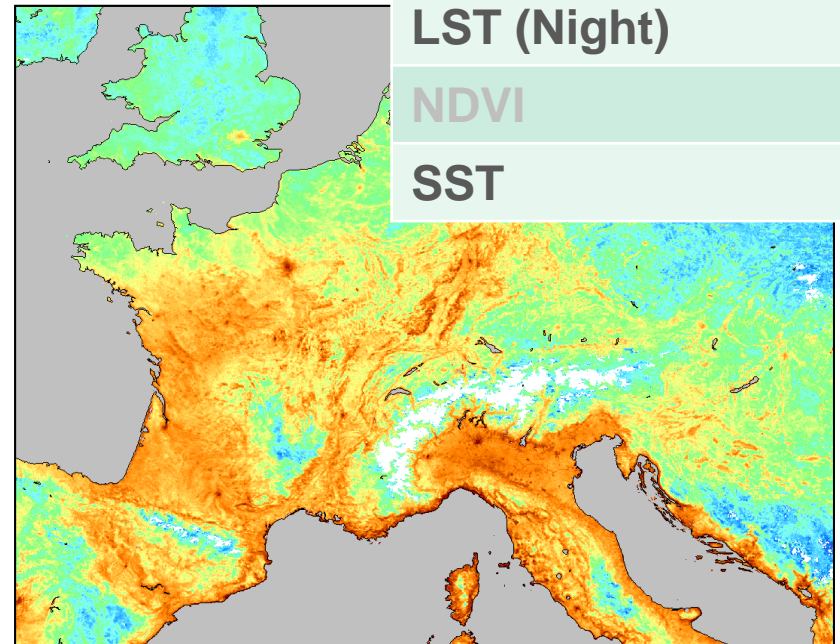
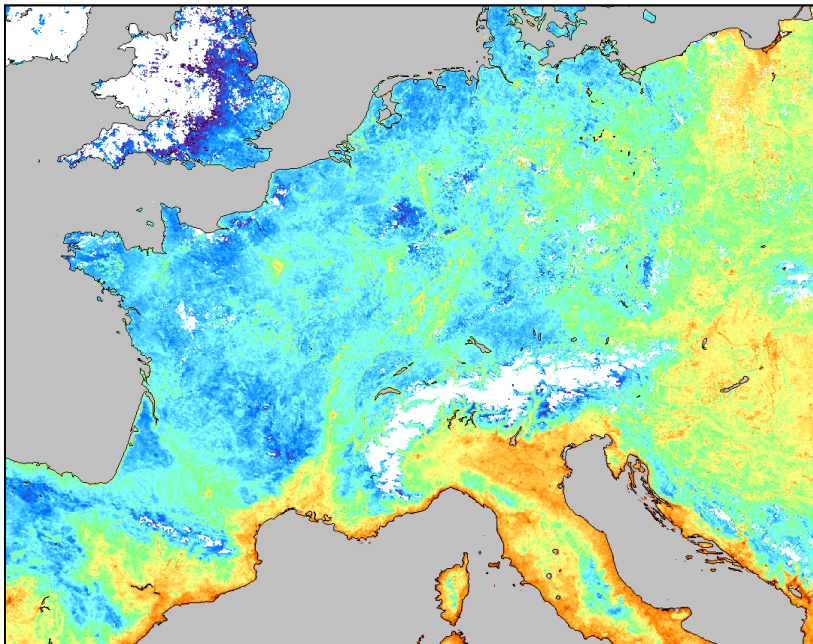
Snow Cover

LST (Day)

LST (Night)

NDVI

SST



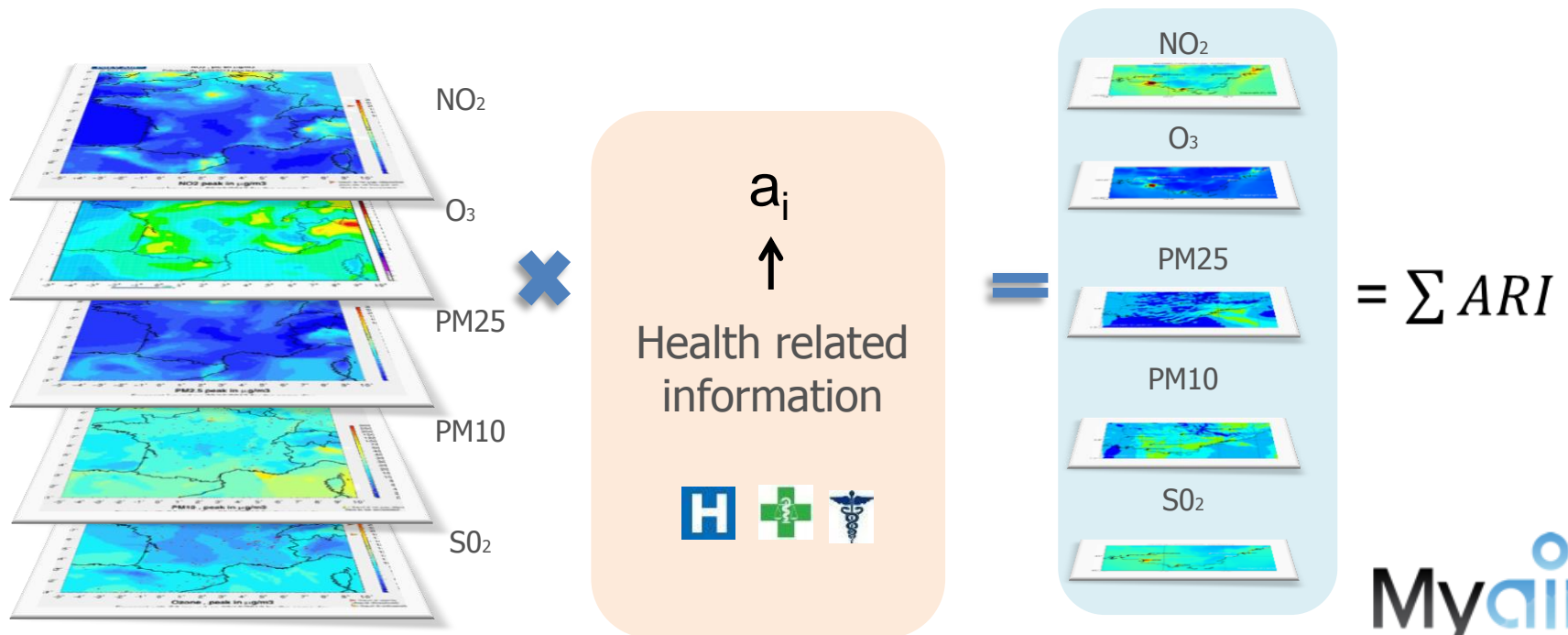
R&D: Developing measures for health impact of pollutants

Air pollution:

Most significant individual environmental health risk (WHO)

→ 3,2 Million premature deaths per year (2010)

$$ARI = a_{O_3} * C_{O_3} + a_{NO_2} * C_{NO_2} + a_{SO_2} * C_{SO_2} + a_{PM_{2.5}} * C_{PM_{2.5}} + a_{PM_{10}} * C_{PM_{10}}$$

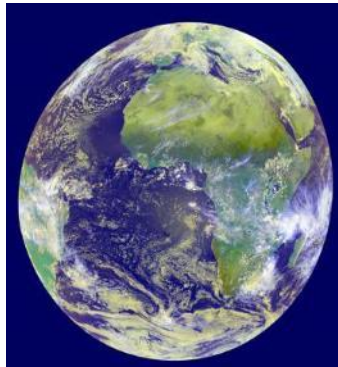


Sicard et al., 2011, 2012

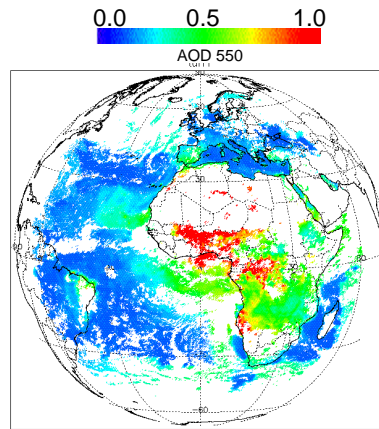
Myair
Pasodoble

Renewable Energy - Solar

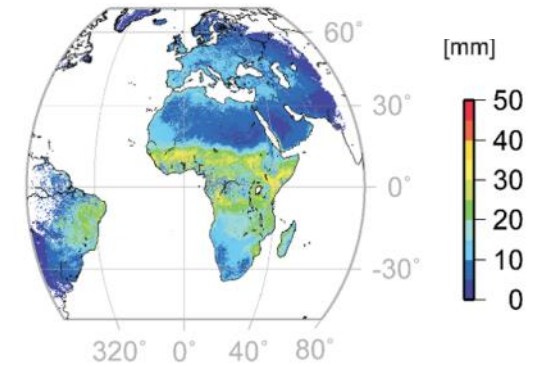
Providing information about the state of the atmosphere in order to serve forecasts on potential energy yield, monitoring power plant efficiency and planning of new power plants



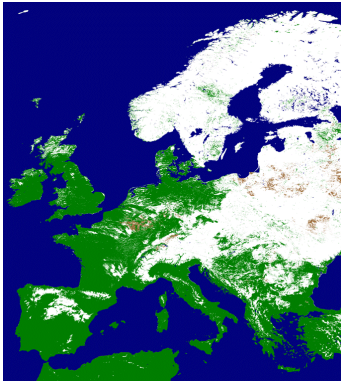
Cloud parameters



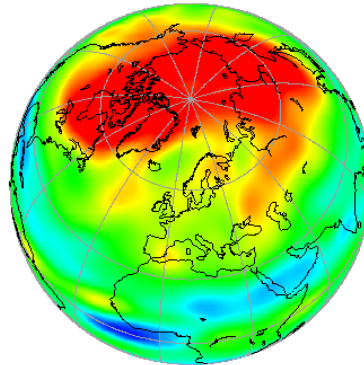
Aerosols



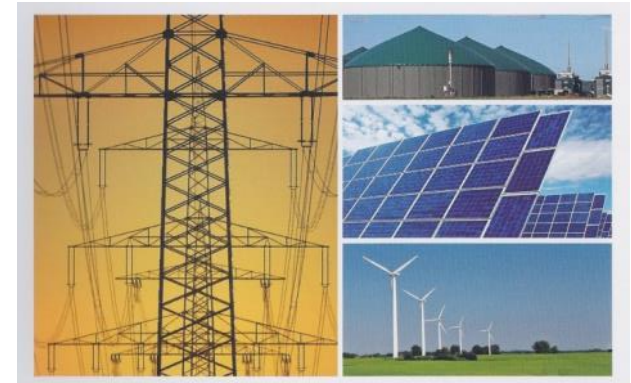
Water vapor



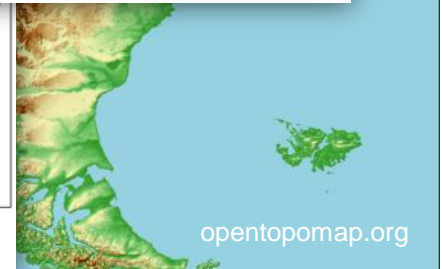
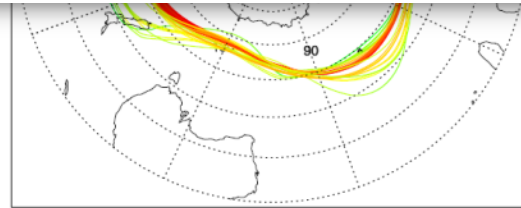
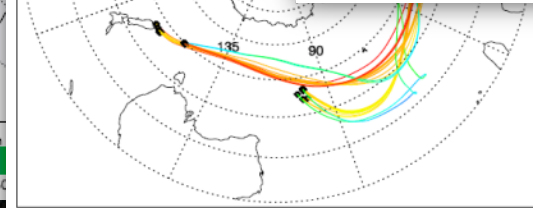
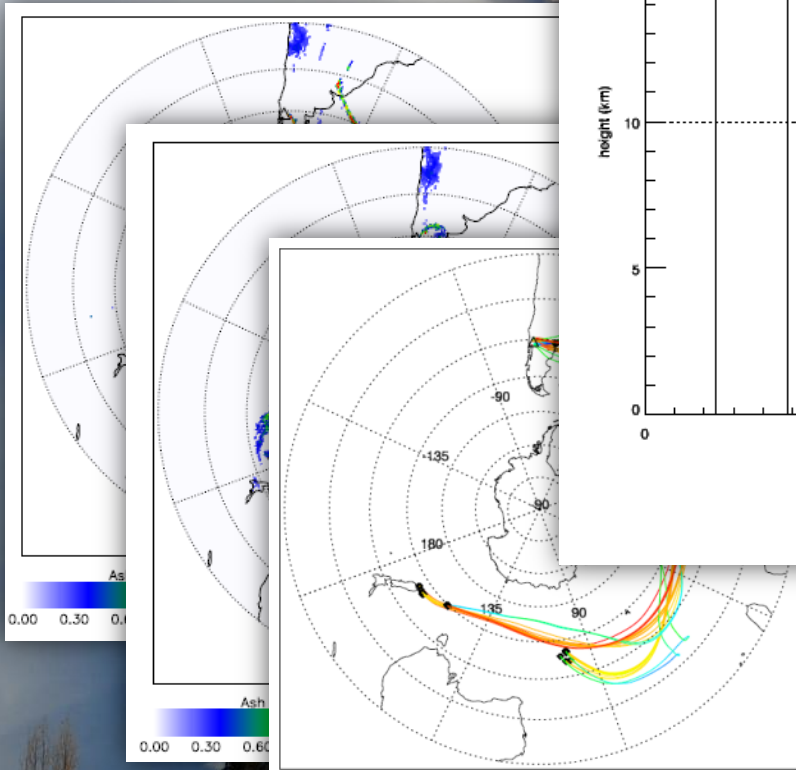
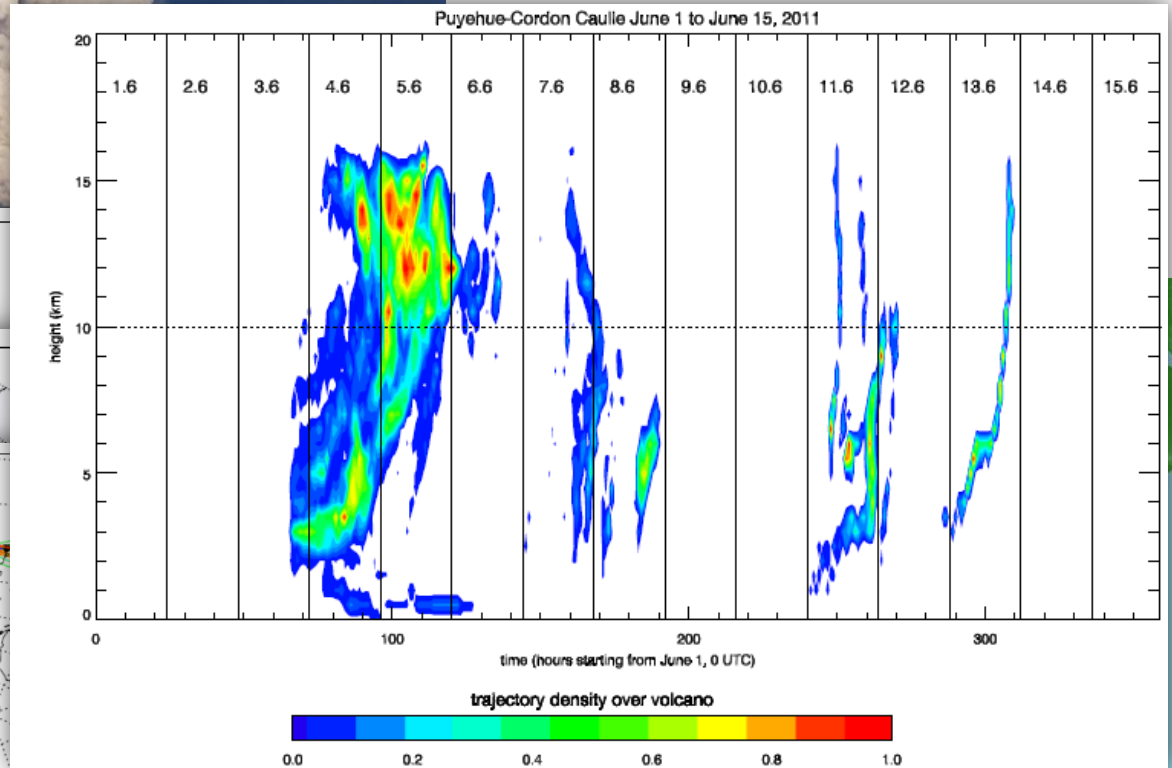
Snow cover



Ozone



R&D: Monitoring plumes of volcanic emission (ash, SO₂)



Service:

Monitoring the atmospheric airglow layer (~90km altitude)

OI - 630 nm

OI - 577.7 nm

O₂ ~ 865 nm

Na - 589 nm

OH (87 km):

~ 500 - 4500 nm



Service: Hosting the data of the international Network for the Detection of Mesospheric Change, NDMC



<http://wdc.dlr.de/ndmc>



ARISE

ARISE

- ARISE Data Center
- Thematic approach
- Geographic approach
- Value-added products
- arise-project.eu
- Final Meeting - Grainau

Geographic approach

The FP7 project ARISE (<http://www.arise-project.eu>) proposes different station networks in order to provide a new "3D" image of the mesosphere with unprecedented spatio-temporal resolution.

Three existing networks are involved providing information on

The Geographic Approach offers the opportunity for selecting through the data products (observations as well as value-added

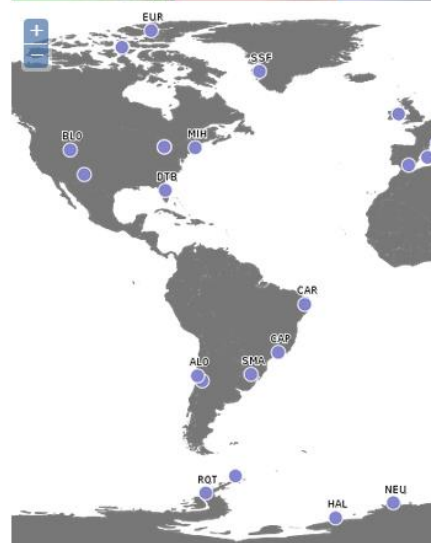
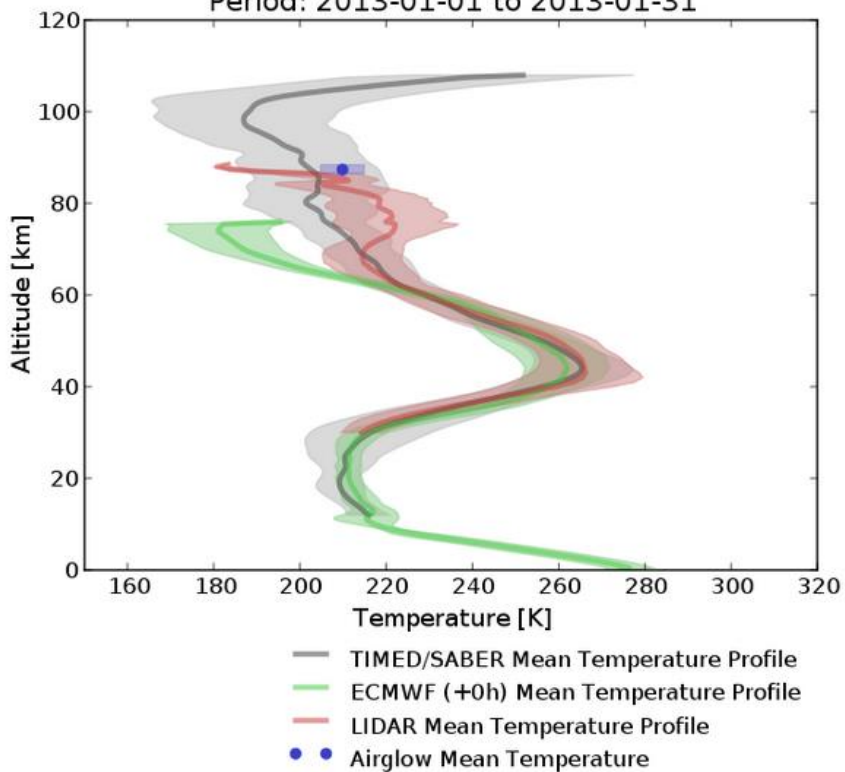


Figure: Observation network of the ARISE partners including

Information

from: to:

Temperature Profiles at OHP Period: 2013-01-01 to 2013-01-31



International Users:

Users from 120 Countries (01/2015)

