

Chapter 4

Tropospheric Chemistry and Air Pollution



Basic Concepts of Chemistry

- Source, sink, production, loss, destruction
- Mass, loading, burden, content, concentration, mixing ratio
- Residence time (burden/loss rate)
- Lifetime (e-folding time ?)
- $1 \text{ Tg} = 10^{12} \text{ grams}$; $1 \text{ Pg} = 10^{15} \text{ grams} = 1 \text{ Gt}$
- $1 \text{ mole} = 6.022 \times 10^{23} \text{ molecules/atoms}$

Key Chemical Species in the Troposphere

- Main pollutants: O_3 , PM, CO, NO_2 , SO_2 , NMVOC...
- Oxygen family: $O_x = O_3 + O (+ NO_2)$
- Nitrogen family: $NO_x = NO + NO_2$
- Nitrogen family: $NO_y = NO_x + NO_z = NO_x + NO_3 + 2N_2O_5 + HONO + HNO_3 + PANs + \dots$
- Ammonia species: $NH_x = NH_3 + NH_4$
- Carbon species: CO, CH_4 , NMVOC
- Sulfur species: SO_2 , SO_4 , SO_3 , ...
- Radicals: $HO_x = OH + HO_2; RO, RO_2, NO_3, \text{Halogen}$
- GHGs: $H_2O, CO_2, O_3, CH_4, N_2O, CFCs, HCFCs, HFCs, SF_6$
- PM species: $SO_4 + NO_3 + NH_4, POA + SOA, BC, \text{sea salts, dusts}$

Lifetime (Residence Time)

$$\tau = \frac{m}{F_{out} + L + D}$$

F_{out} , L and D:

- Is often proportional to m, thus τ is an e-folding time
- Can depend on m in high orders (e.g., for CH_4 , CO ...)
- Can vary complexly in time, so does τ (e.g., for CO_2)

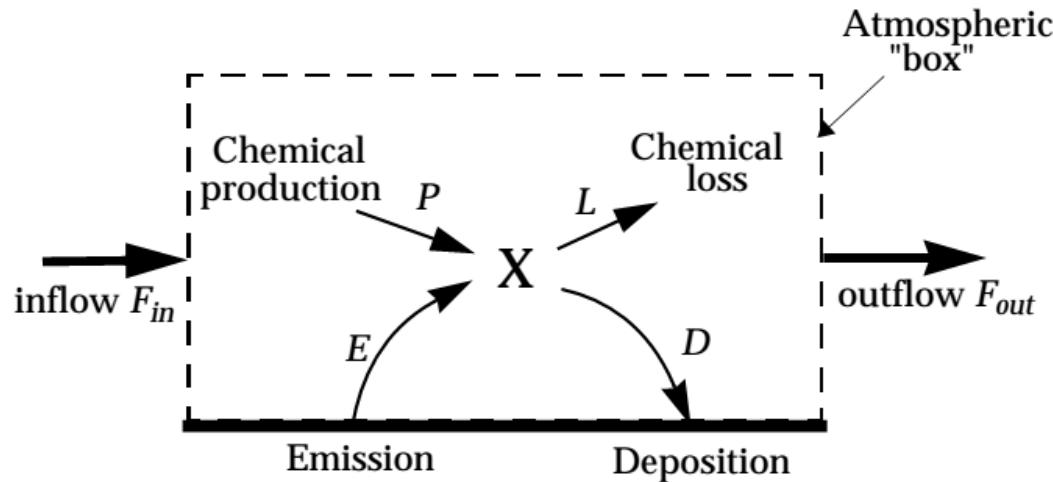
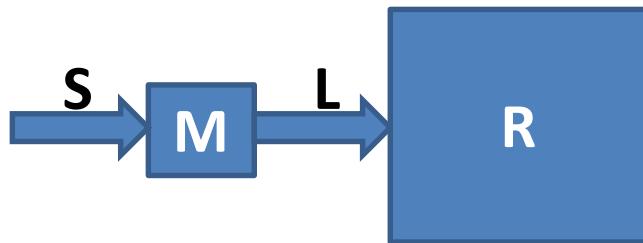


Figure 3-1 One-box model for an atmospheric species X

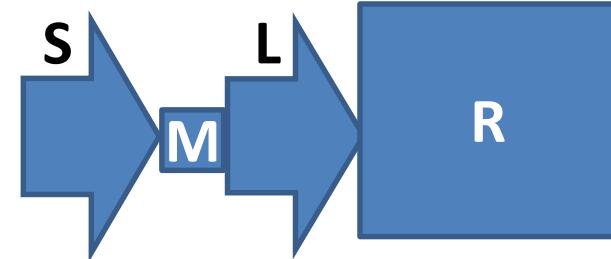
Jacob, 1999

Mass, Reservoir, and Lifetime

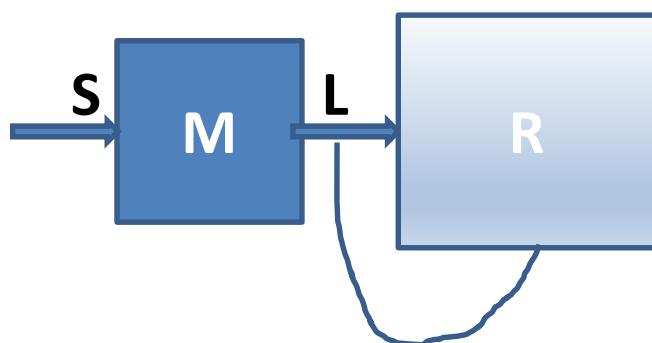
Normal M, τ , R, S & L



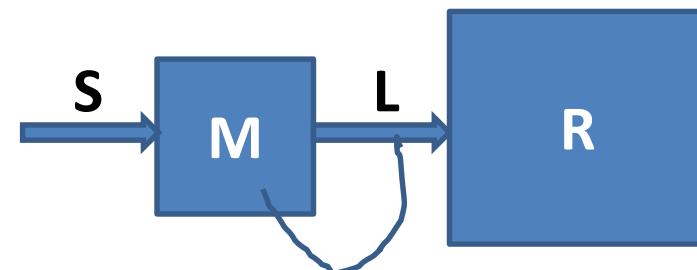
Small M, small τ , large S & L
(e.g., radicals)



Large M, variable τ , R & L,
R-dependent L
(e.g., CO₂)



Large M, M-dependent τ
(e.g., CH₄)



Basic Concepts of Chemistry

- Photolysis: $A + h\nu \rightarrow B + C$

$$d[A]/dt = -j * [A]$$

$= -\text{actinic flux} * \text{cross_section} * \text{yield} * [A]$

- Reaction: $A + B \rightarrow C + D$

$$d[A]/dt = -k * [A] * [B]$$

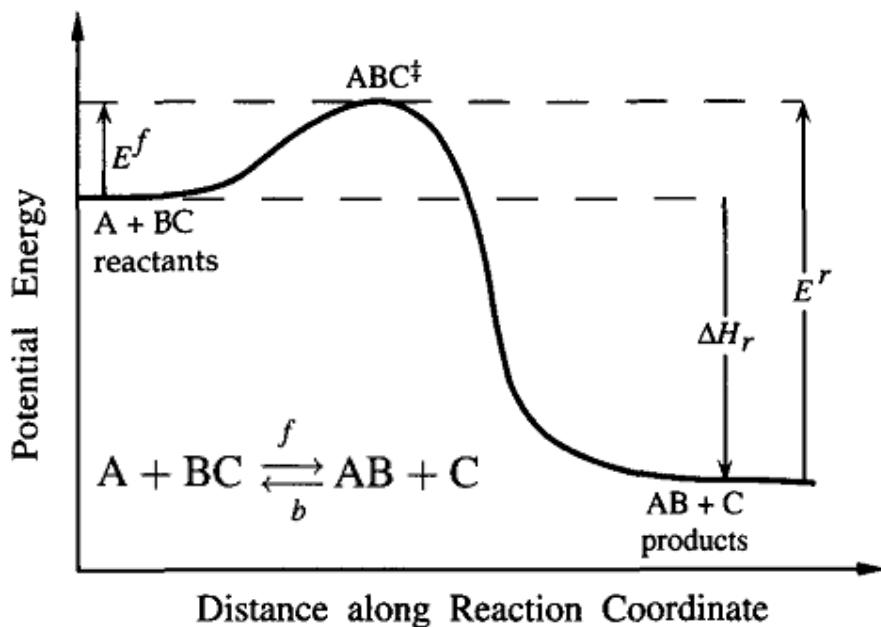
lifetime of A: $1 / (k * [B])$

- Equilibrium: $A + B \leftrightarrow C + D$

$$d[A]/dt = -k_f * [A] * [B] + k_b * [C] * [D] = 0$$

Bimolecular Reactions: Increase with T

- Collision theory
 - Transition state theory
 - Potential energy surface
- Collision-like
 - Electronic rearrangement
 - Time to re-distribute energy



Arrhenius Form:

$$k = A \cdot e^{-\frac{E^f}{R/T}}$$

Collision theory:

$$A = \pi d^2 \left(\frac{8k_B T}{\pi \mu} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

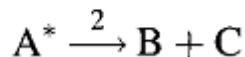
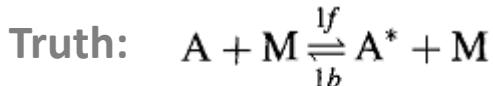
$$\mu = \frac{m_A m_B}{m_A + m_B}$$

$$d = r_A + r_B$$

Most bimolecular reactions are fastened by increasing T, but some exhibit the opposite.

Pseudo-Steady-State Approximation (PSSA)

Form: $A \rightarrow B + C$



$$\frac{d[A]}{dt} = -k_{1f}[A][M] + k_{1b}[A^*][M]$$

$$\frac{d[A^*]}{dt} = k_{1f}[A][M] - k_{1b}[A^*][M] - k_2[A^*]$$

A^* is in PSS:

$$\frac{d[A^*]}{dt} = k_{1f}[A][M] - k_{1b}[A^*][M] - k_2[A^*] = 0$$

$$[A^*] = \frac{k_{1f}[A][M]}{k_{1b}[M] + k_2}$$

Therefore:

$$\frac{d[A]}{dt} = -\frac{k_{1f}k_2[M][A]}{k_{1b}[M] + k_2}$$

And:

$$\frac{d[A^*]}{dt} = \frac{d}{dt} \frac{k_{1f}[A][M]}{k_{1b}[M] + k_2}$$

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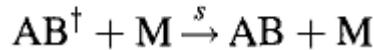
If $[M]$ is constant:

$$\frac{d[A^*]}{dt} = -\frac{k_{1f}^2 k_2 [M]^2 [A]}{(k_{1b}[M] + k_2)^2}$$

Termolecular Reactions: Decrease with T

Lindemann–Hinshelwood theory

Form: $A + B + M \rightarrow AB + M$



$$\frac{d[AB]}{dt} = \frac{k_a k_s [A][B][M]}{k_s[M] + k_r}$$

Where: AB^\dagger is in Pseudo-Steady-State

if $k_r \gg k_s[M]$ $\frac{d[AB]}{dt} = \frac{k_a k_s}{k_r} [A][B][M]$

$k_r \ll k_s[M]$ $\frac{d[AB]}{dt} = k_a [A][B]$

Pseudo-Second-Order:

$$\frac{d[AB]}{dt} = k[A][B]$$

$$k = \frac{k_0[M]k_\infty}{k_0[M] + k_\infty} \quad k_\infty = k_a$$
$$k_0 = \frac{k_a k_s}{k_r}$$

Troe (1983):

$$k(T) = \left\{ \frac{k_0(T)[M]}{1 + \frac{k_0(T)[M]}{k_\infty(T)}} \right\}_F \left\{ \left(1 + \left[\log_{10} \left(\frac{k_0(T)[M]}{k_\infty(T)} \right) \right]^2 \right)^{-1} \right\}$$

$$k_0(T) = k_0^{300} (T/300)^{-n} \text{ cm}^6 \text{ molecule}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$$

$$k_\infty(T) = k_\infty^{300} (T/300)^{-m} \text{ cm}^3 \text{ molecule}^{-1} \text{ s}^{-1}$$

$$F = 0.6$$

Basic Chemistry

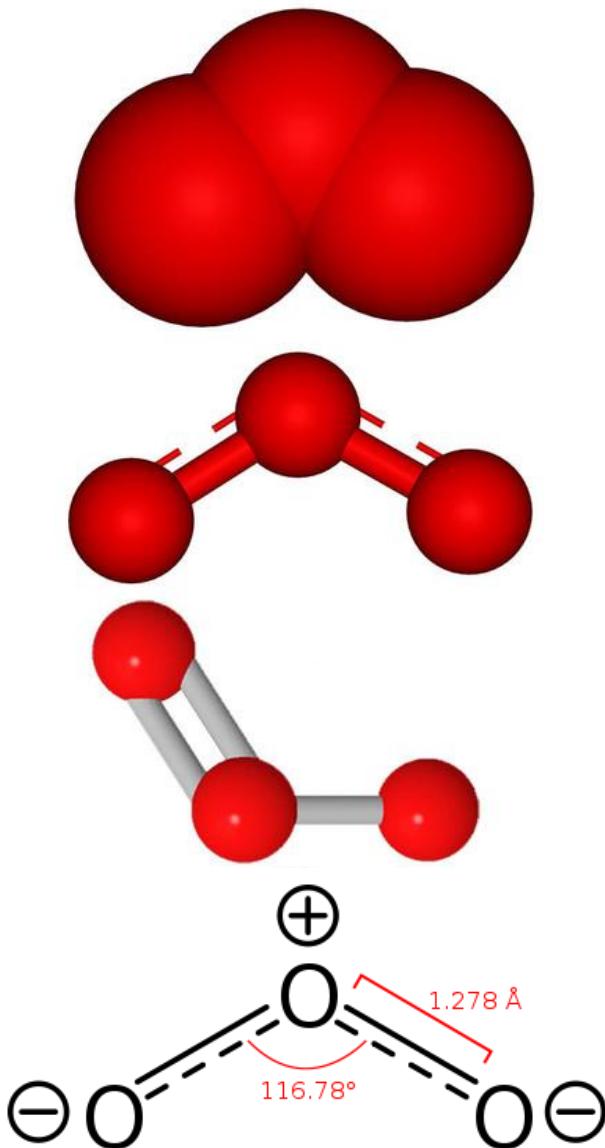
- $\text{NO} + \text{O}_3 \rightarrow \text{NO}_2$ (R1)
 - $\text{NO}_2 + h\nu \rightarrow \text{NO} + \text{O}$ (R2)
 - $\text{O} + \text{O}_2 + \text{M} \rightarrow \text{O}_3 + \text{M}$ (R3)
 - Thus, $[\text{NO}] / [\text{NO}_2] = j_{\text{NO}_2} / (k * [\text{O}_3])$
 - Here, O atom is in **pseudo steady state** 伪稳态
 - Without perturbation, this is a **null cycle**
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- This is one of the most important relations regulating concentrations of NO, NO₂ and O₃ in the troposphere
 - It leads to the chemical family of NOx = NO + NO₂

Basic Chemistry

- $\text{OH} + \text{CO} \rightarrow \text{HO}_2 + \text{CO}_2$ (R1)
- $\text{OH} + \text{VOC} \rightarrow \text{RO}_2 \rightarrow \dots \rightarrow \text{HO}_2$ (R2)
- $\text{HO}_2 + \text{NO} \rightarrow \text{NO}_2 + \text{OH}$ (R3)
- Thus, $[\text{OH}] / [\text{HO}_2] = k_3 * [\text{NO}] / (k_1 * [\text{CO}] + k_2 * [\text{VOC}])$

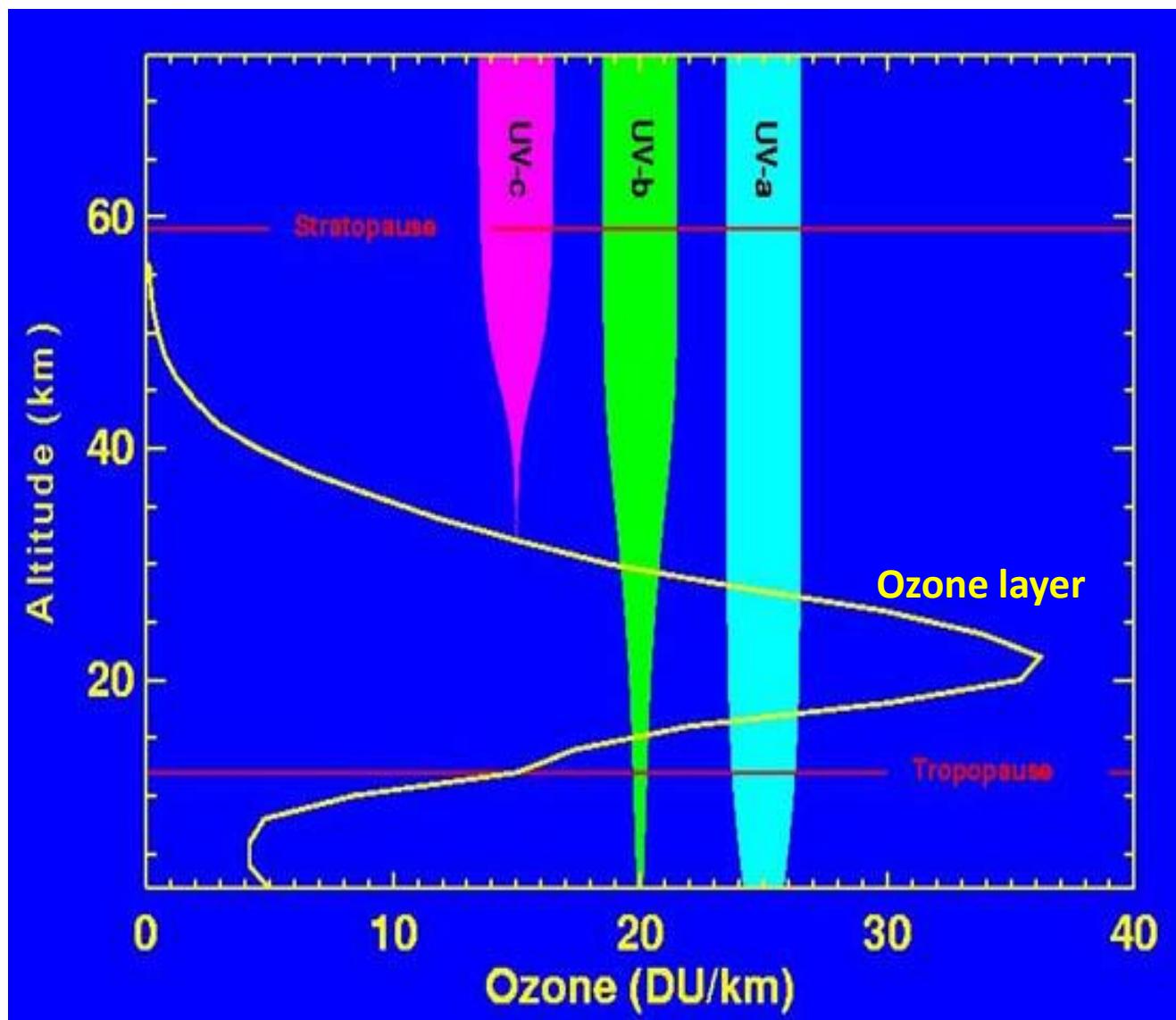
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臭氧 Ozone

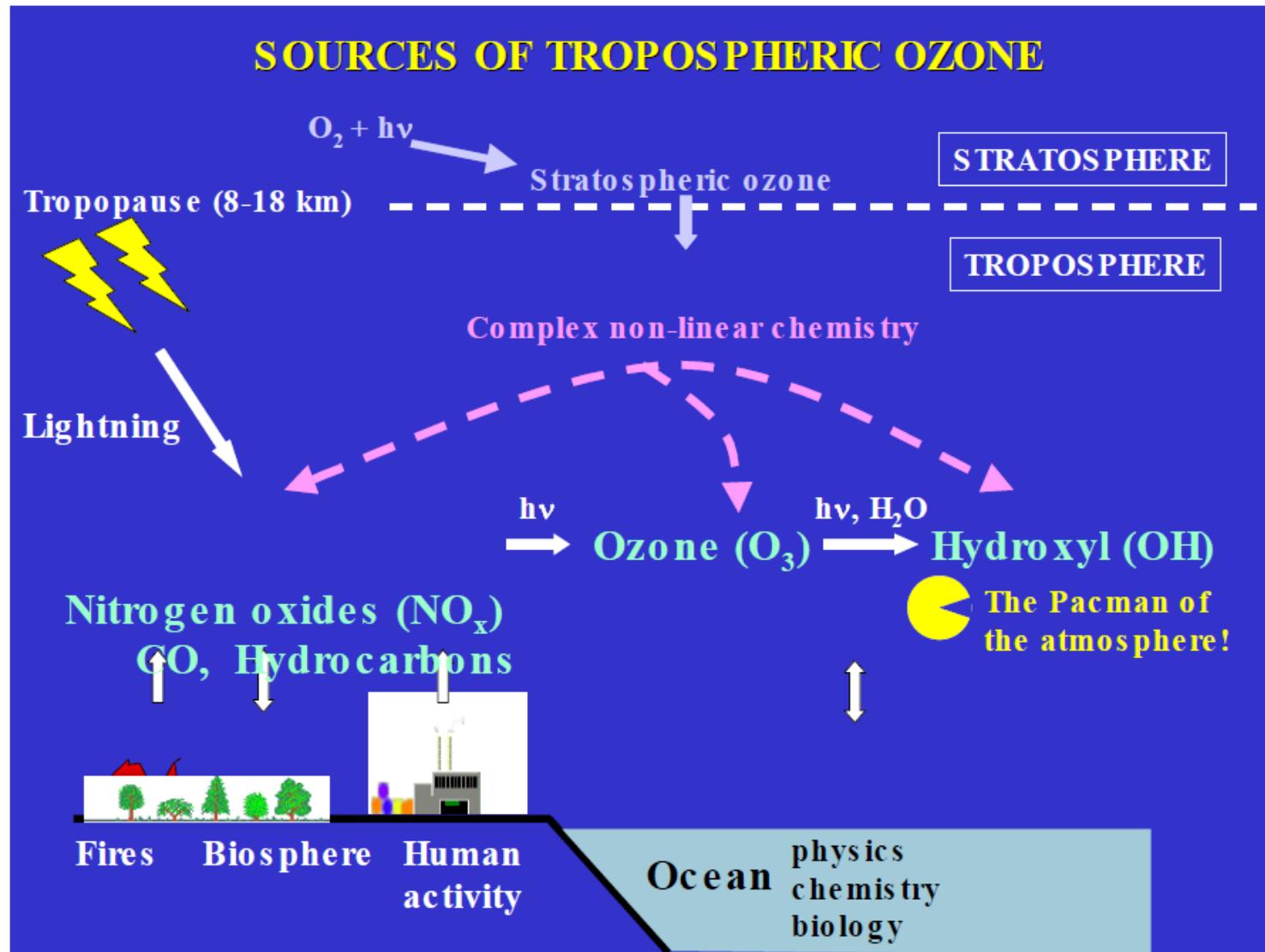


- 臭氧是氧气的同素异形体，淡蓝色气体，液态为深蓝色，固态为紫黑色。气味类似鱼腥味，浓度过高时类似于氯气的气味。
- 1840年，由Schonbein发现。由于它的令人讨厌的气味，Schonbein 将其命名为Ozein, the Greek word for ‘to smell’，英语是 Ozone。
- 1881年，Hartley第一个推测地面太阳光谱在300 nm处截断的原因是大气中臭氧吸收造成的原因。
- 1917年，Fowler和Strutt以及1921年Fabry和Buisson用光谱分析方法验证了这一点。
- 1925年，Cabannes和Dufay指出了臭氧层大约在地表以上几十公里的高度而不是在大气低层。
- 这些发现为上世纪30年代Sidney Chapman的理论工作和Dobson的观测工作奠定了基础。

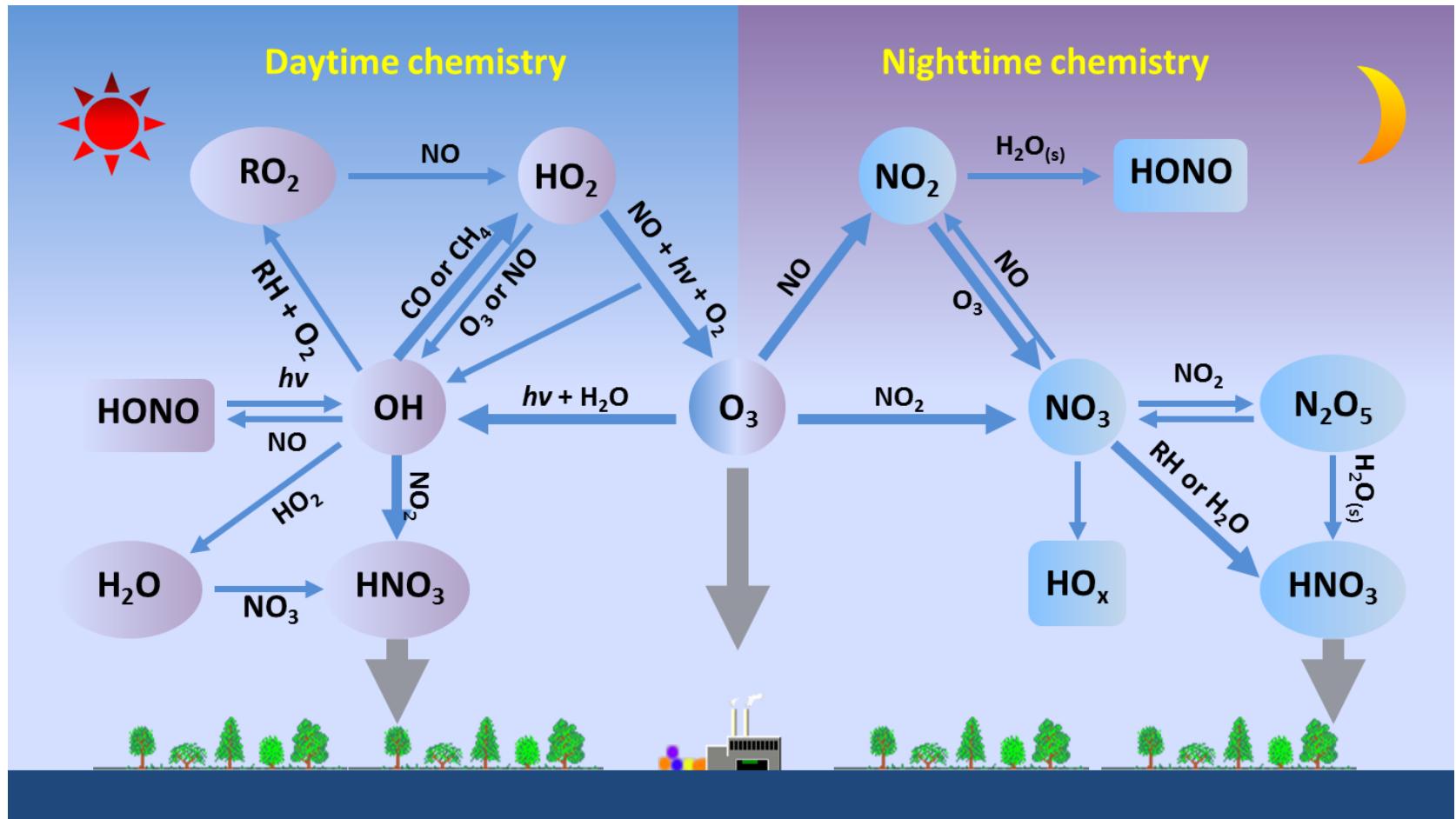
Stratospheric and Tropospheric Ozone



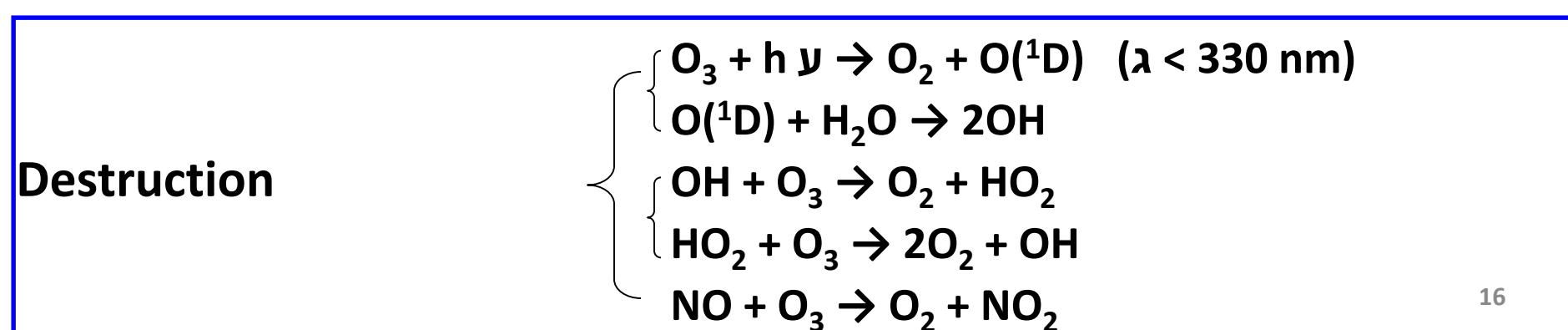
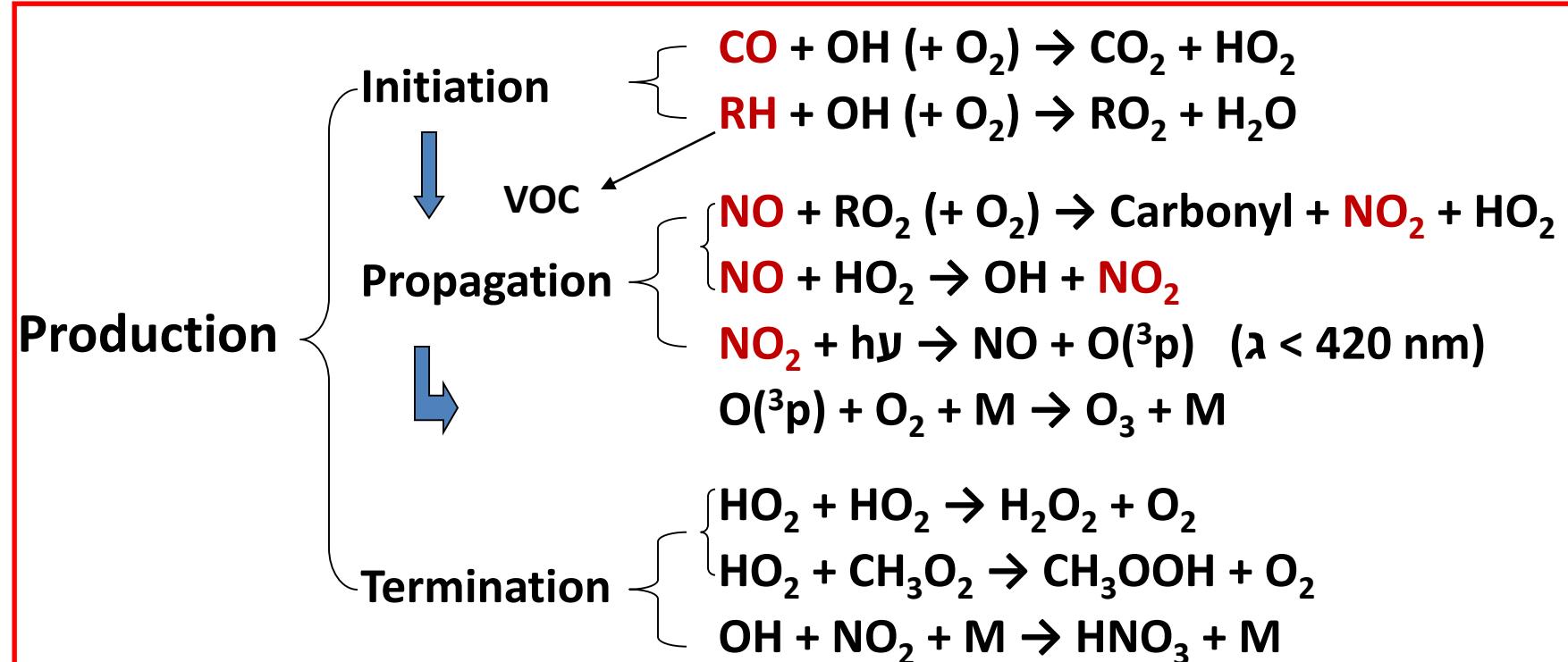
Sources of Tropospheric Ozone



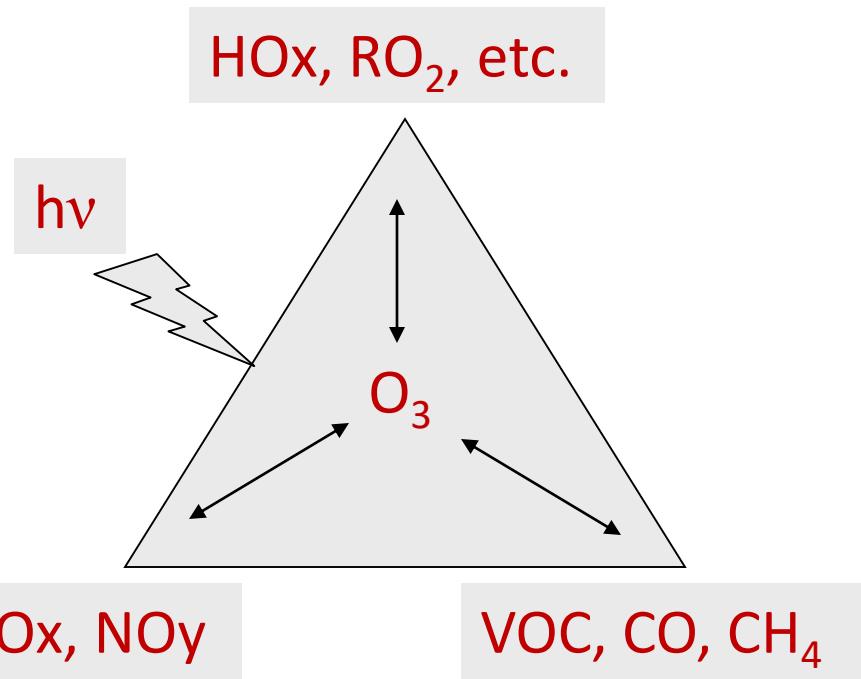
Daytime versus Nighttime Chemistry of Ozone



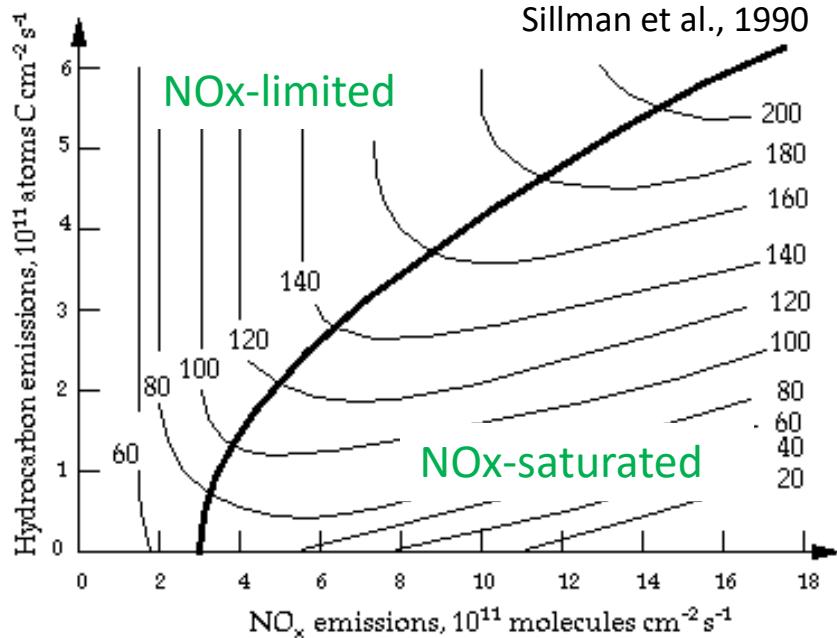
Photochemistry for Tropospheric Ozone



Ozone Formation: Sensitivity to NOx and VOC



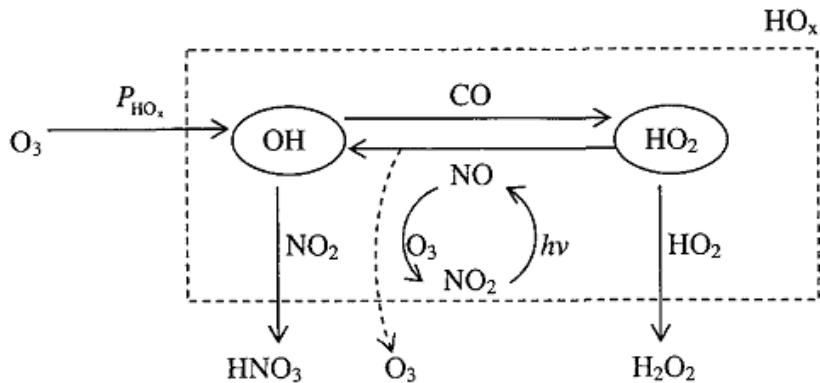
Ozone mixing ratio as a function of
NOx and NMVOC emissions



Ozone Production in a CO-NOx-HOx System

$$P_{O_3} = k_{HO_2+NO}[HO_2][NO]$$

$$P_{HO_x} = 2k_{HO_2+HO_2}[HO_2]^2 + k_{OH+NO_2}[OH][NO_2]$$



Low-NOx limit

$$P_{HO_x} \cong 2k_{HO_2+HO_2}[HO_2]^2$$

$$[HO_2] \cong \left(\frac{P_{HO_x}}{2k_{HO_2+HO_2}} \right)^{1/2}$$

$$P_{O_3} = k_{HO_2+NO} \left(\frac{P_{HO_x}}{2k_{HO_2+HO_2}} \right)^{1/2} [NO]$$

High-NOx limit

$$P_{HO_x} \cong k_{OH+NO_2}[OH][NO_2]$$

$$[OH] = \frac{P_{HO_x}}{k_{OH+NO_2}[NO_2]}$$

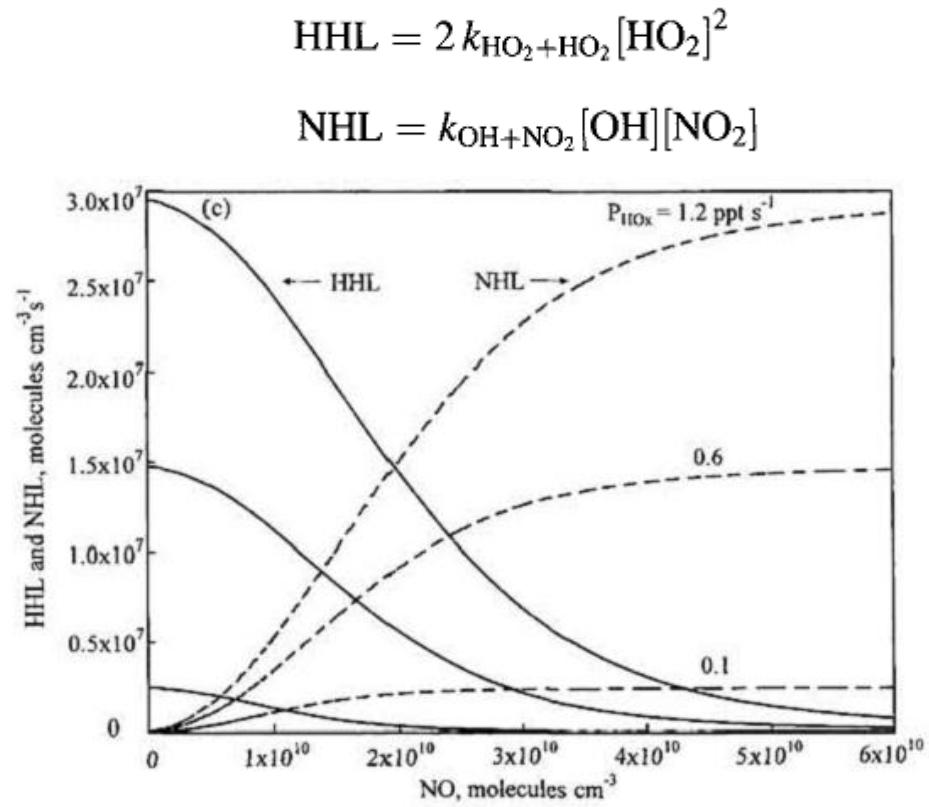
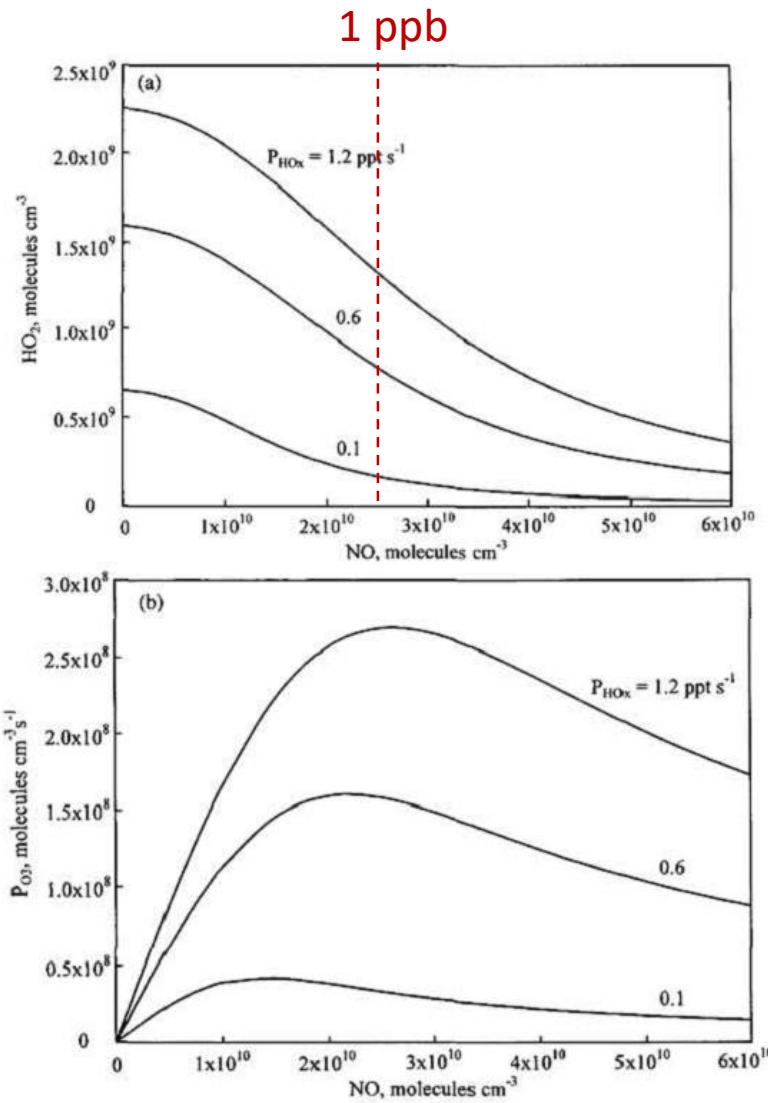
$$k_{CO+OH}[CO][OH] = k_{HO_2+NO}[HO_2][NO]$$

$$[HO_2] = \frac{k_{CO+OH}[CO][OH]}{k_{HO_2+NO}[NO]}$$

$$[HO_2] = \frac{k_{CO+OH}P_{HO_x}[CO]}{k_{HO_2+NO}k_{OH+NO_2}[NO][NO_2]}$$

$$P_{O_3} = \frac{k_{CO+OH}P_{HO_x}[CO]}{k_{OH+NO_2}[NO_2]}$$

CO-led Ozone Production As a Function of NOx

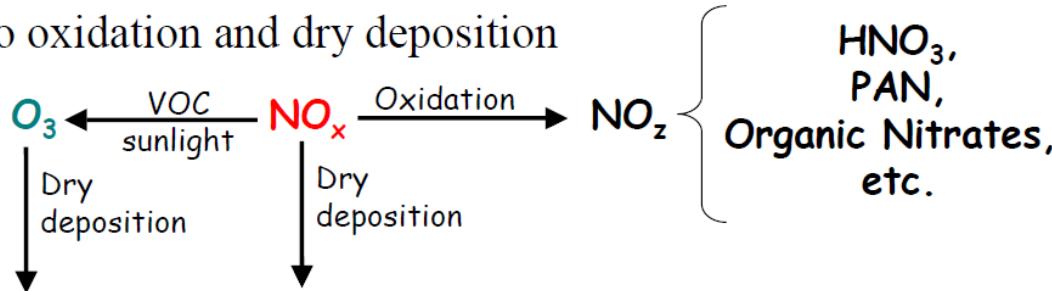


At Earth surface
 $T = 298 \text{ K}$
 $\text{CO} = 200 \text{ ppb ?}$
 $\text{NO}_2 / \text{NO} = 7$
 $\rho = 2.5 \times 10^{19} \text{ molecules/cm}^3$

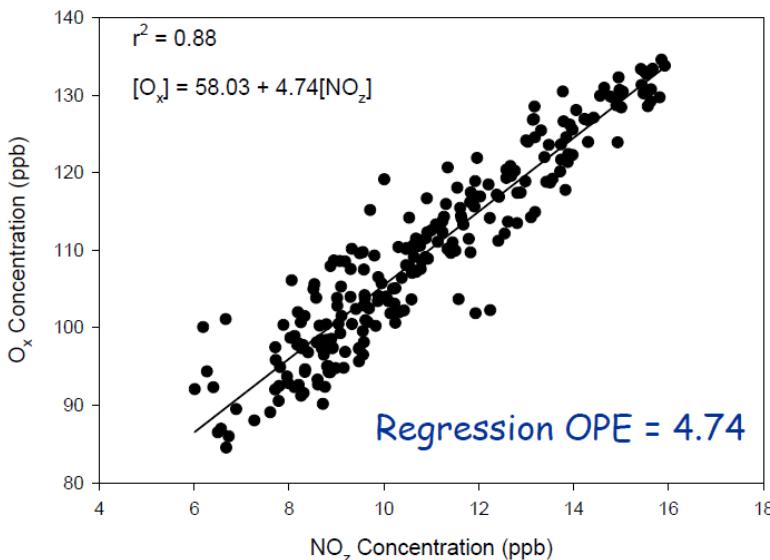
Ozone Production Efficiency (OPE)

General definition (Sillman, 2000, JGR)

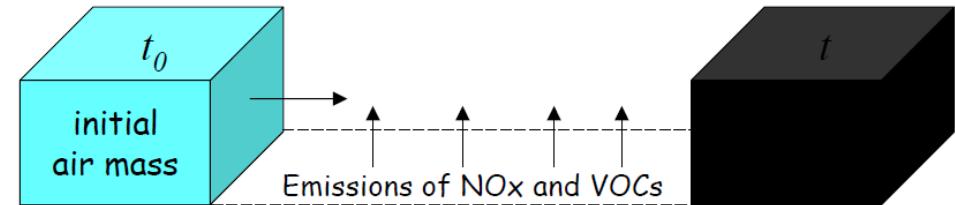
Number of O_3 molecules produced by a molecule of NO_x before it is lost from the $NO_x - O_3$ cycle due to oxidation and dry deposition



Regression OPE



Lagrangian OPE



Lagrangian OPE

$$\text{Lagrangian OPE}(t) = \frac{\Delta [O_3(t)]_{\text{prod}}}{\Delta [NO_x(t)]_{\text{dest}}}$$

More Chemistry

Gaseous chemistry (important in weak hν):

- $\text{NO} + \text{O}_3 \rightarrow \text{NO}_2 + \text{O}_2$
- $\text{NO}_2 + \text{O}_3 \rightarrow \text{NO}_3 + \text{O}_2$
- $\text{NO}_2 + \text{NO}_3 + \text{M} \leftrightarrow \text{N}_2\text{O}_5 + \text{M}$
- $\text{NO}_3 + \text{VOC} \rightarrow \text{HNO}_3 + \text{carbonyl}$
- $\text{NO}_3 + \text{VOC} \rightarrow \text{Organic nitrates}$
- $\text{O}_3 + \text{VOC} \rightarrow \dots$

Heterogeneous chemistry (important in high-aerosol cases):

- $\text{N}_2\text{O}_5 + \text{H}_2\text{O(s)} \rightarrow 2 \text{ HNO}_3$
- $\text{NO}_2 + \text{H}_2\text{O(s)} \rightarrow \text{HONO}$ (important source of HONO and OH)
- $\text{NO}_2 + \text{H}_2\text{O(s)} \rightarrow \text{NO}_3^-$ (important in China ?)
- $\text{NO}_2 + \text{SO}_2 + \text{H}_2\text{O(s)} \rightarrow \text{SO}_4^{2-}$ (important in China ?, in high pH env.?)
- $\text{HO}_2 + \text{H}_2\text{O(s)} \rightarrow 0.5 \text{ H}_2\text{O}_2$ (important in China ?)
- TMI catalyzed processes ??? (HO_2, SO_2 ; in low pH env.)

Budget of Tropospheric Ozone in 2009

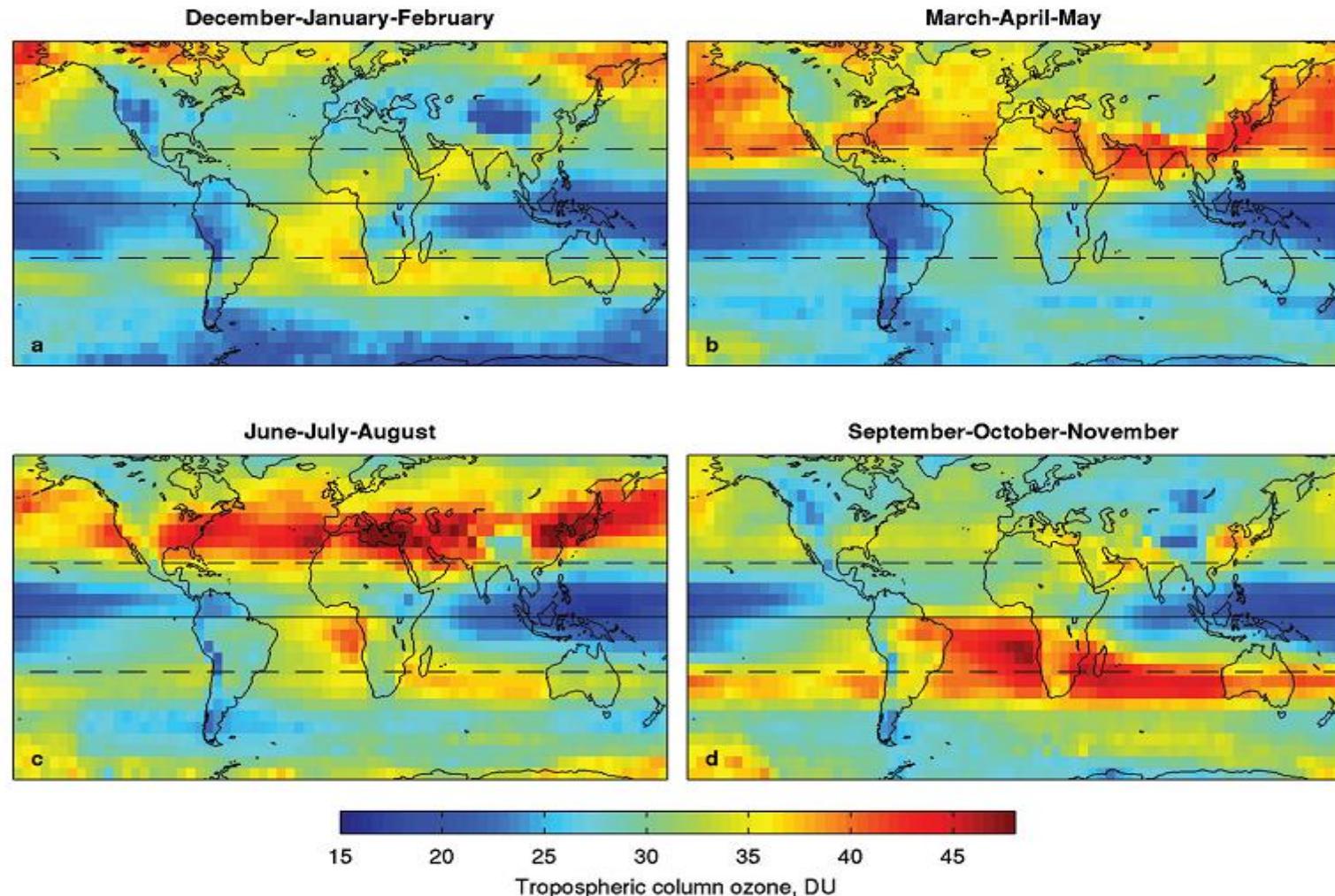
	Global model	Two-way model	Percentage difference
Tropospheric budget of ozone^a			
Chemical loss of O _x (Tg)	4491	4537	1.0 %
Chemical production of O _x (Tg)	4885	4928	0.9 %
Dry deposition of O _x (Tg)	909	894	-1.7 %
STE of O _x (Tg) ^b	515	503	-2.3 %
Dry deposition of O ₃ (Tg)	882	867	-1.7 %
STE of O ₃ (Tg) ^b	488	478	-2.0 %
O ₃ burden (Tg)	384	348	-9.5 %
Mean TCO (DU)	34.5	31.5	-8.7 %
O ₃ lifetime (days)	26.1	23.5	-9.9 %
Tropospheric burdens and lifetimes of other species			
NO _x burden (TgN)	0.169	0.176	4.1 %
NM VOCs burden (TgC) ^c	10.1	10.2	1.0 %
CO burden (Tg)	359	398	10.8 %
OH number concentration (10 ⁶ cm ⁻³)	1.18	1.12	-5.0 %
OH-related MCF lifetime (yr) ^d	5.58	5.87	5.2 %
OH-related methane lifetime (yr) ^d	9.63	10.12	5.1 %

	MAM			JJA			SON			DJF		
	GB	TW	Diff. (%)									
Chemical loss of O _x (Tg)	1087	1099	1.1 %	1252	1237	-1.2 %	1116	1141	2.2 %	1036	1060	2.3 %
Chemical production of O _x (Tg)	1197	1213	1.3 %	1446	1460	1.0 %	1199	1211	1.0 %	1042	1045	0.3 %
O ₃ burden (Tg)	374	340	-9.1 %	394	362	-8.0 %	370	339	-8.4 %	399	352	-11.7 %
Lifetime against chemical loss (O ₃ burden / O _x loss)	31.4	28.3	-9.8 %	28.7	26.7	-6.9 %	30.3	27.1	-10.5 %	35.1	30.3	-13.6 %

$$O_x = O_3 + O + NO_2 + 2NO_3 + 3N_2O_5 + PANs + HNO_3 + HNO_4 \quad (\text{Wu et al., 2007})$$

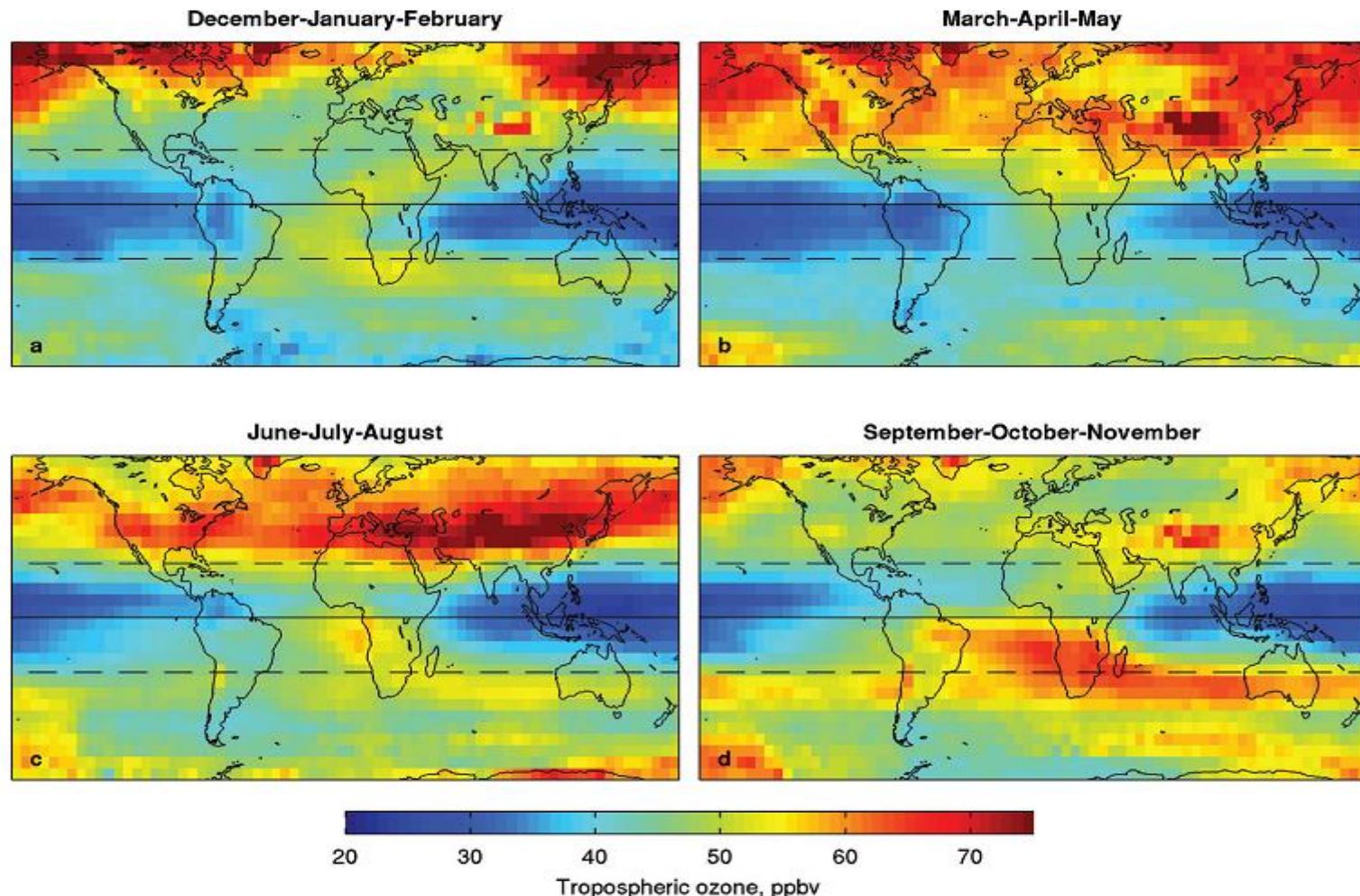
Tropospheric Ozone Column Detected From Space

2004/10–2010/12 mean; ~ 31 DU on average



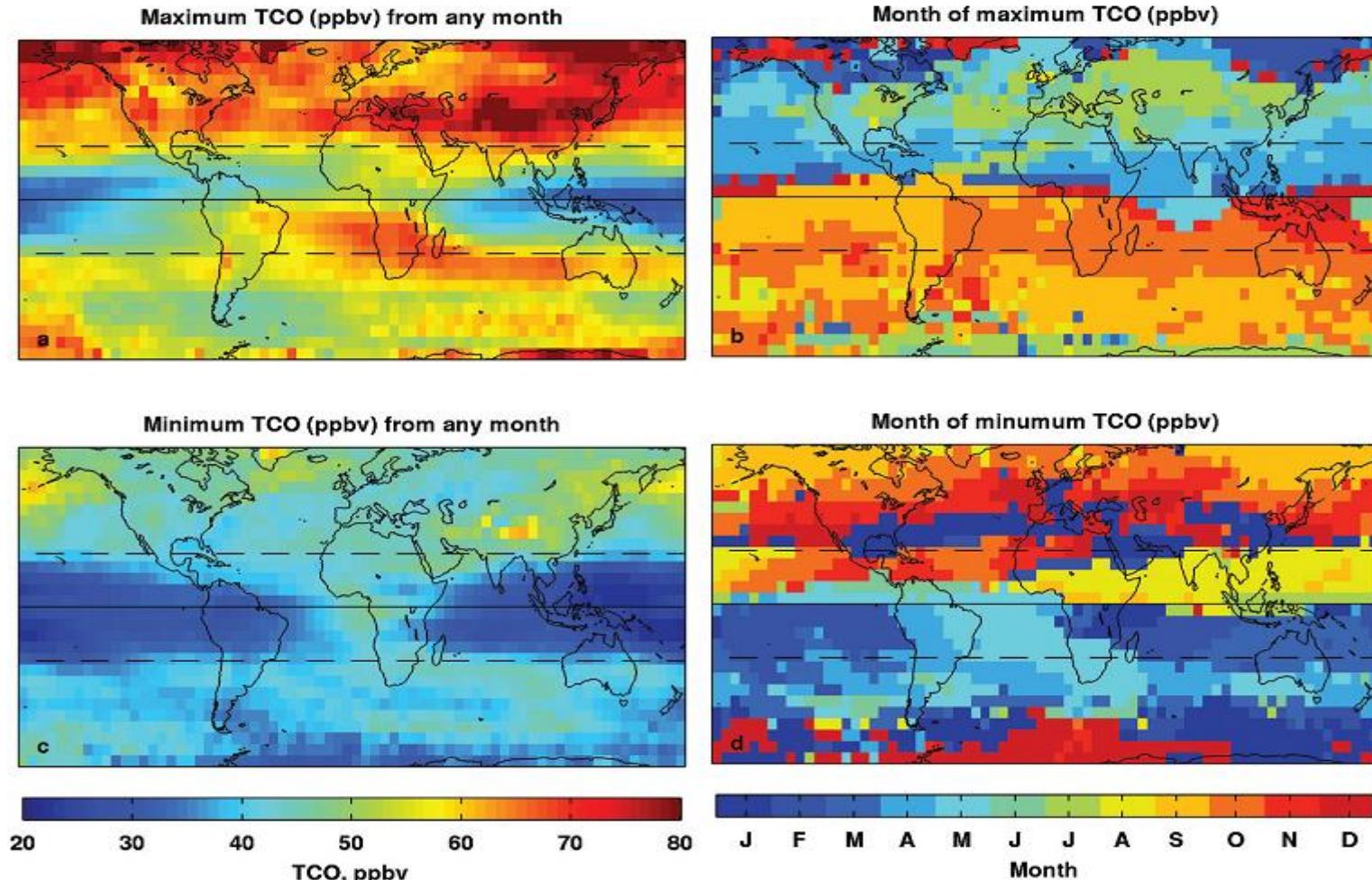
Tropospheric Ozone Mixing Ratio Detected From Space

2004/10–2010/12 mean; in ppbv



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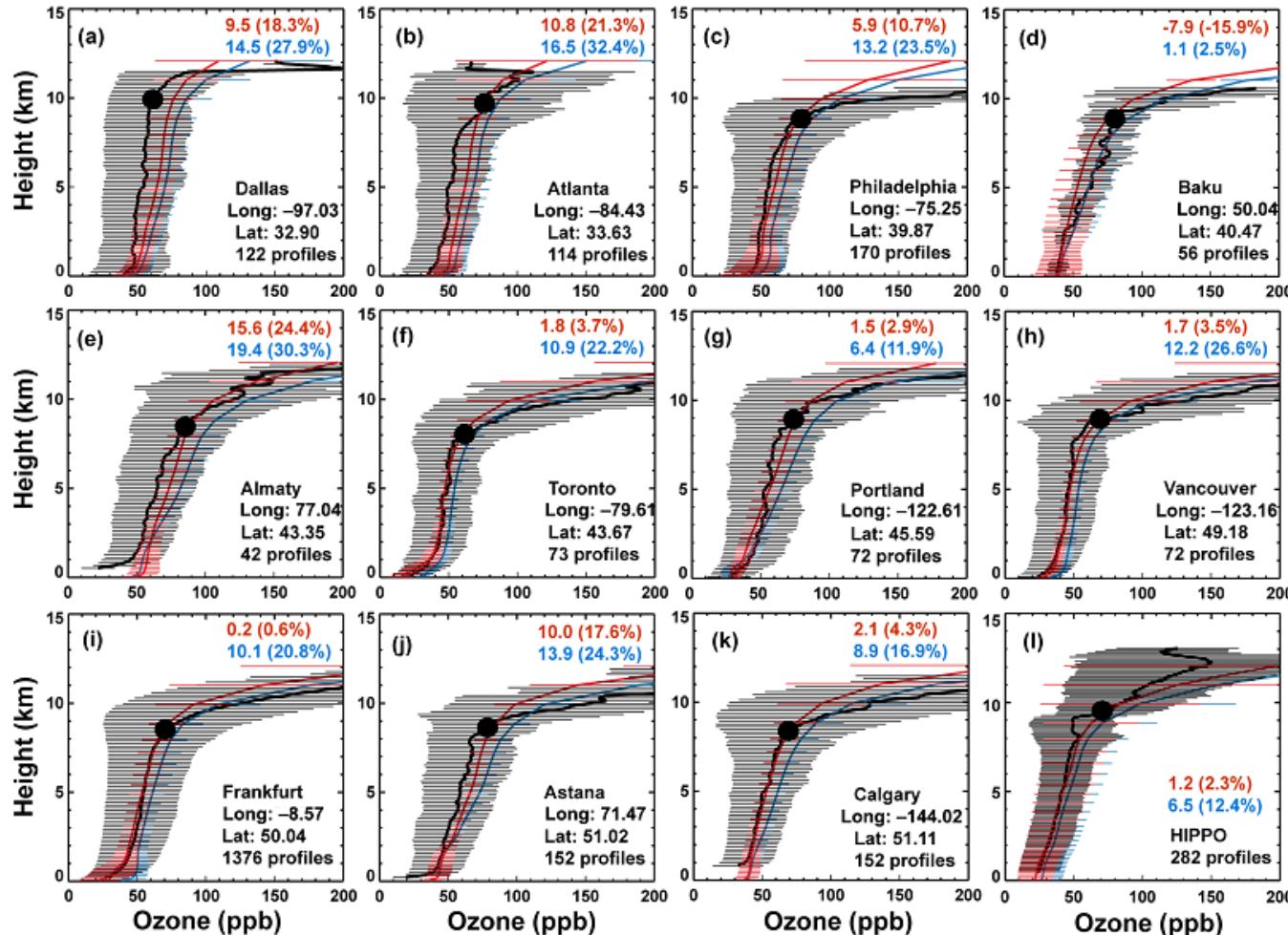
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Vertical Profile of O₃ in the Troposphere

Comparisons with MOZIAC and HIPPO profiles

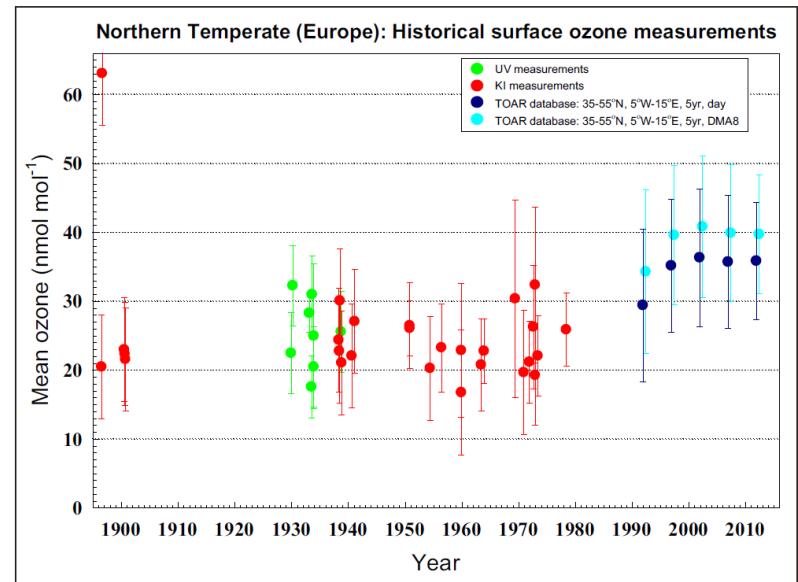
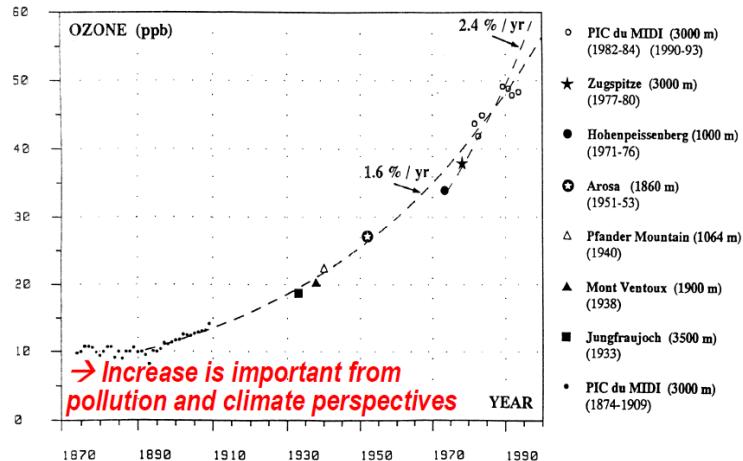
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Two-way
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Long-term Trends of Near-Surface Ozone

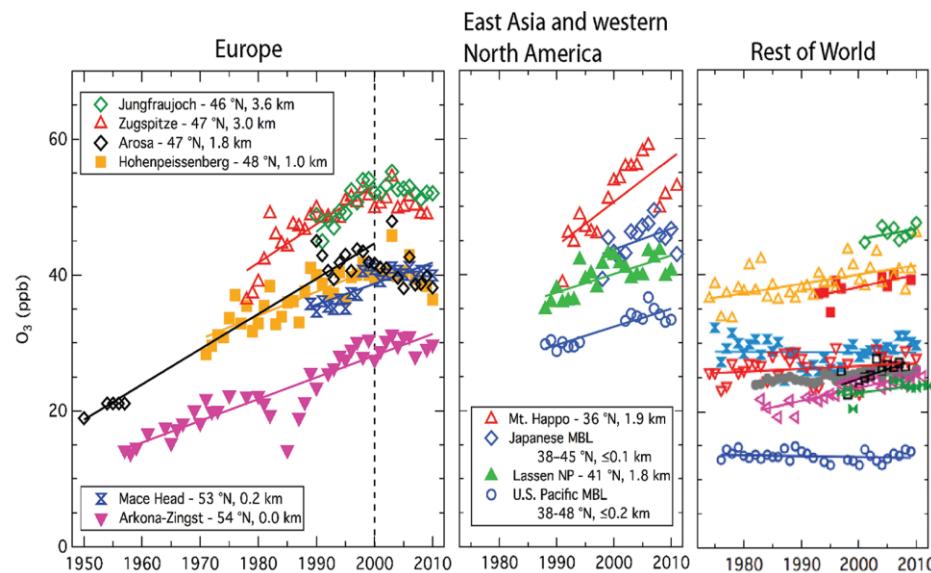
Historical records imply a large anthropogenic contribution to the present-day ozone background at northern midlatitudes

Ozone trend from European mountain observations, 1870-1990
[Marenco et al., 1994]



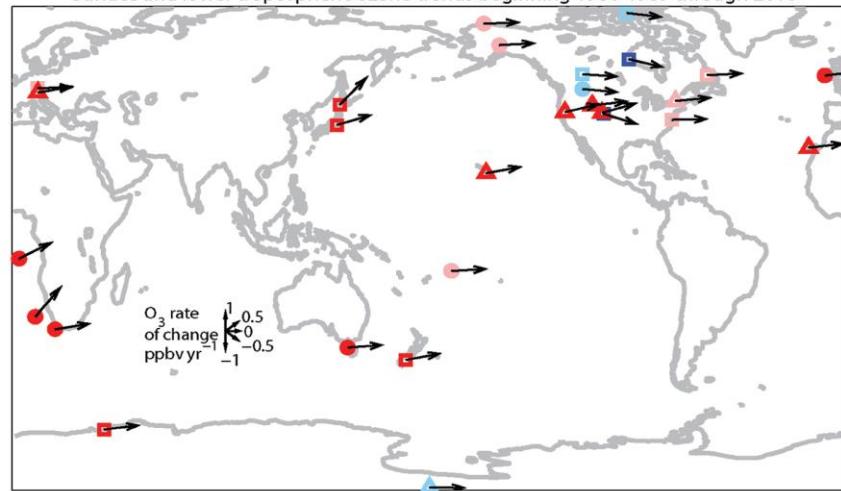
Tarasick et al., 2019 Elementa

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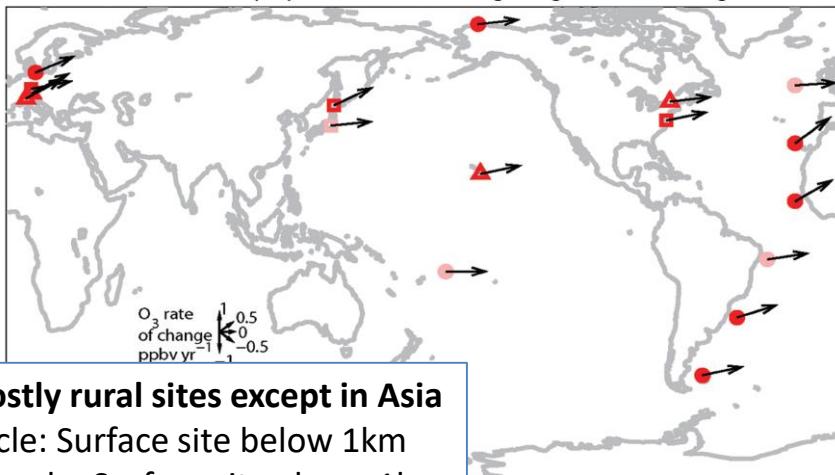


Trends in annual average ozone
(mostly rural sites except in Asia)

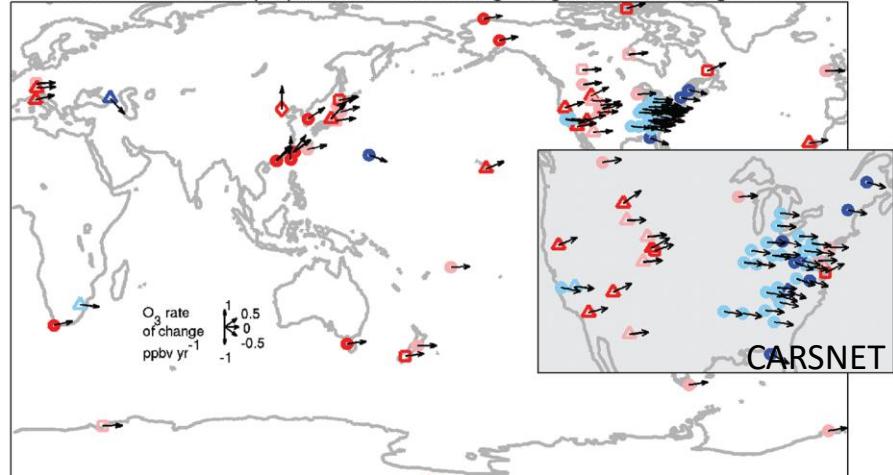
Surface and lower tropospheric ozone trends beginning 1980-1989 through 2010



Surface and lower tropospheric ozone trends beginning 1950-1979 through 2010



Surface and lower tropospheric ozone trends beginning 1990-1999 through 2010



Mostly rural sites except in Asia

Circle: Surface site below 1km

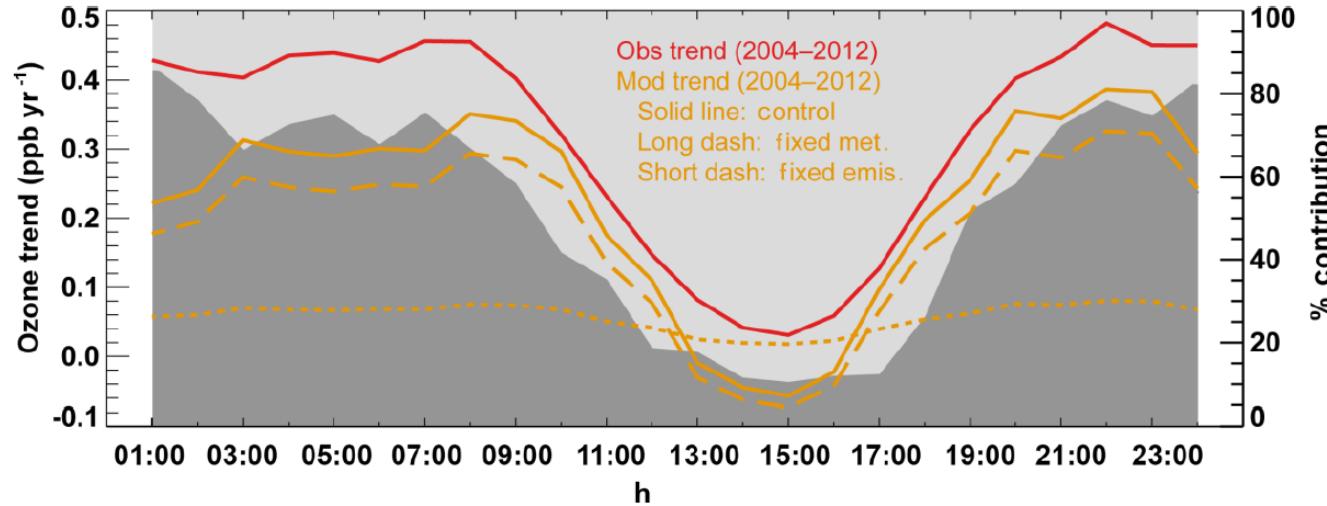
Triangle: Surface site above 1km

Square: Ozonesonde

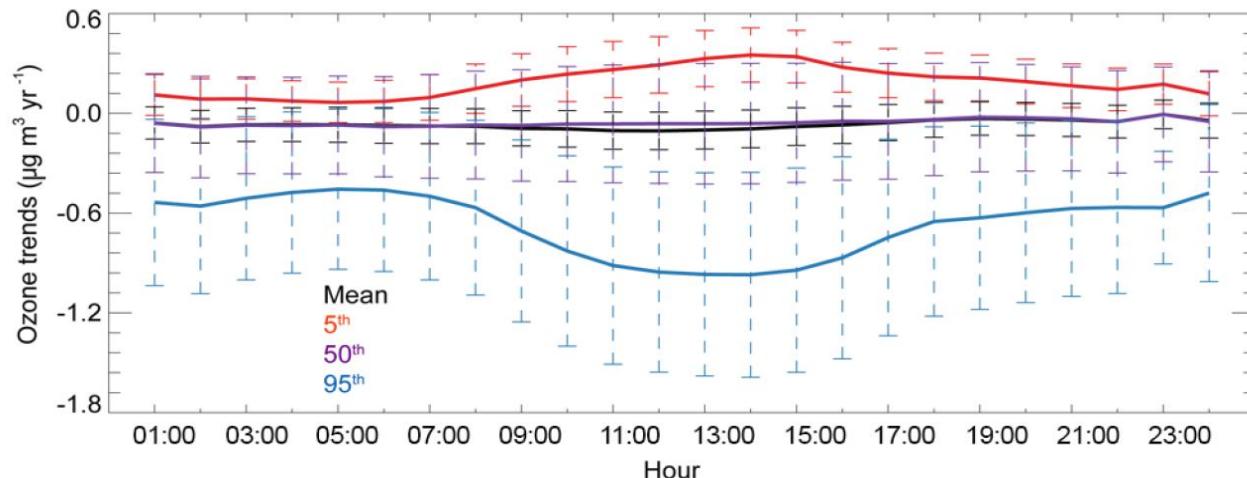
Diamond: Aircraft

Contrasting Trends of O₃ at Different Times of Day

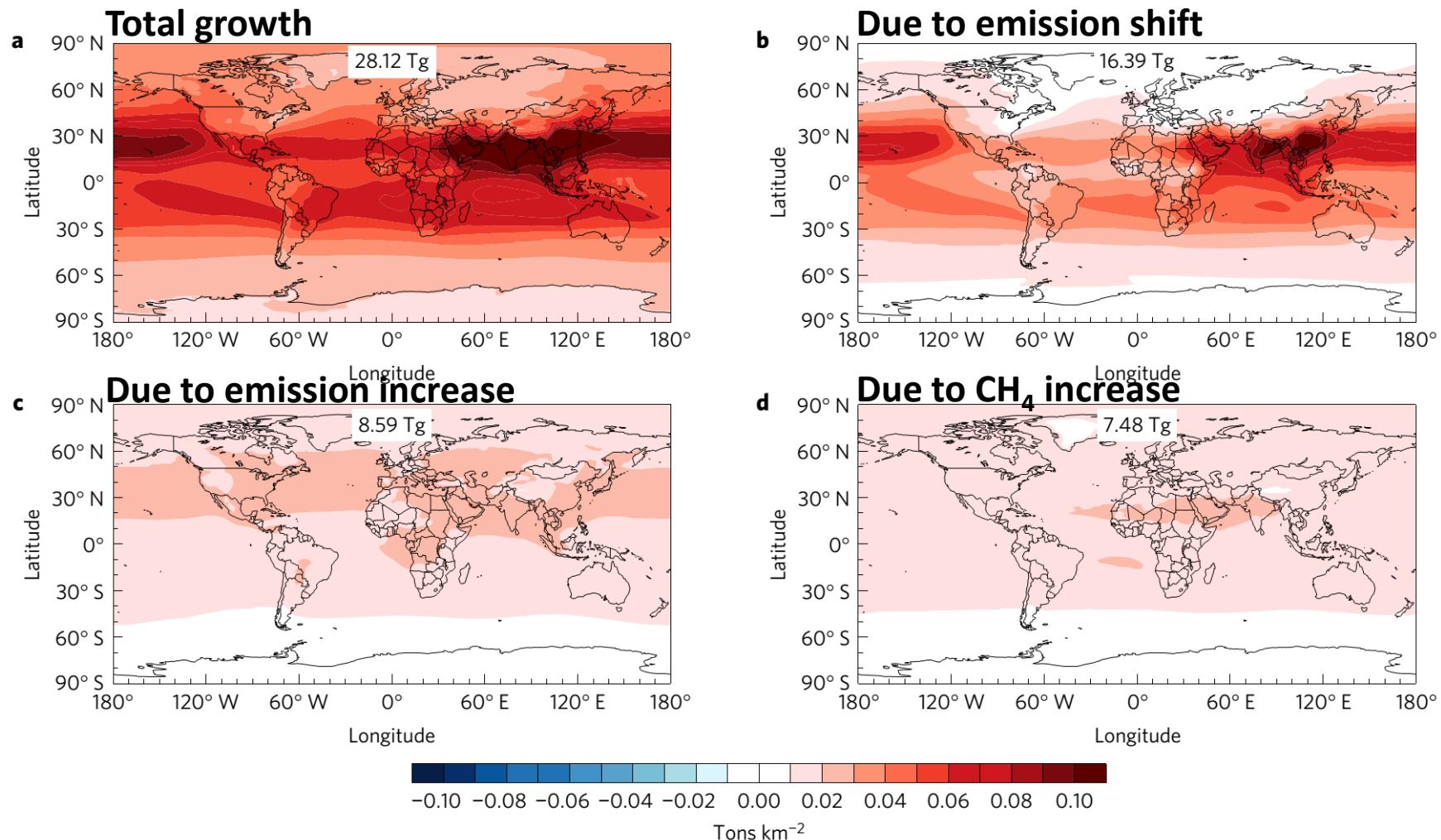
2004-2012 trends of O₃ at 1000 US EPA AQS sites (Yan et al., 2018a, ACP)



1995-2014 trends of O₃ at 93 EU EMEP sites (Yan et al., 2018b, ACP)



Factoring Affecting O₃ Growth between 1980 and 2010

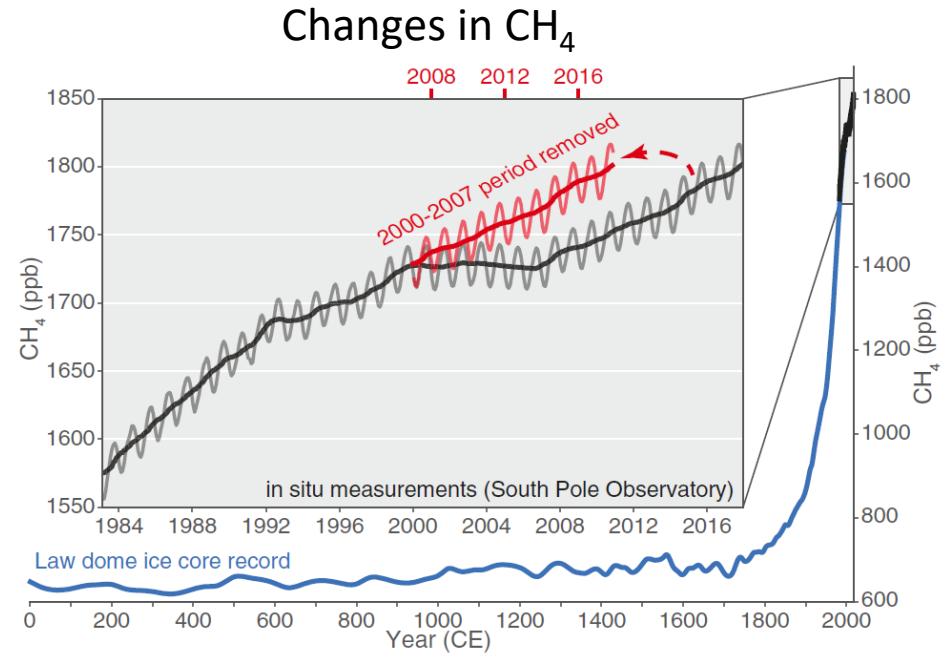
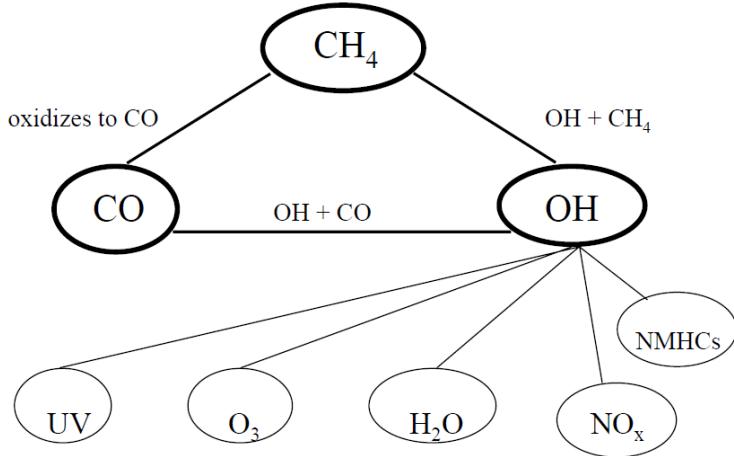


Zhang et al., 2016, Nature Geoscience

Atmospheric OH

- OH sources: O₃ photolysis, HONO photolysis, VOC ozonolysis, NO+HO₂, NO+RO₂...
- OH sinks: OH+CO, OH+CH₄, OH+NMVOC, OH+NO₂, etc.
- OH lifetime: ≤ 1s
- HO₂ lifetime: 1-2 mins

Simplified CH₄/OH/CO Chemistry



Turner et al., 2019, PNAS

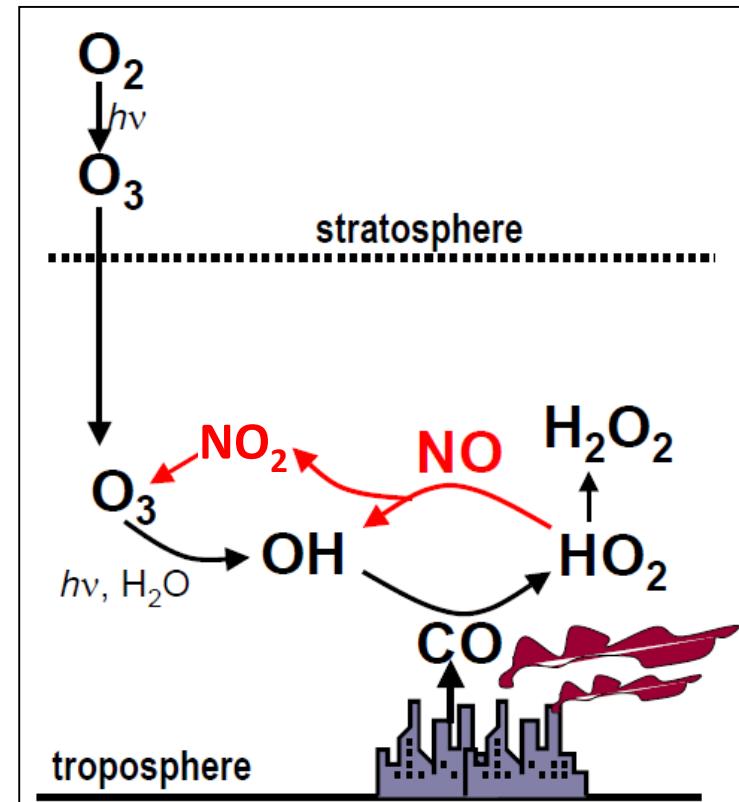
Tropospheric OH: The Cleanser (pacman)

Production:

- $O_3 + h\nu + H_2O \rightarrow O_2 + 2OH (\lambda < 330 \text{ nm})$
- $HONO + h\nu \rightarrow OH + NO$
- $O_3 + VOC \rightarrow \dots$
- Isoprene + OH $\rightarrow OH + \dots ???$
- $NO + HO_2 \rightarrow OH$
- $NO + RO_2 \rightarrow HO_2 + \dots \rightarrow OH$
- $HO_2 + O_3 \rightarrow 2O_2 + OH$

Loss:

- $OH + CO \rightarrow HO_2$
- $OH + VOC \rightarrow RO_2$
- $OH + O_3 \rightarrow O_2 + HO_2$
- $OH + NO_2 + M \rightarrow HNO_3 + M$
- ...



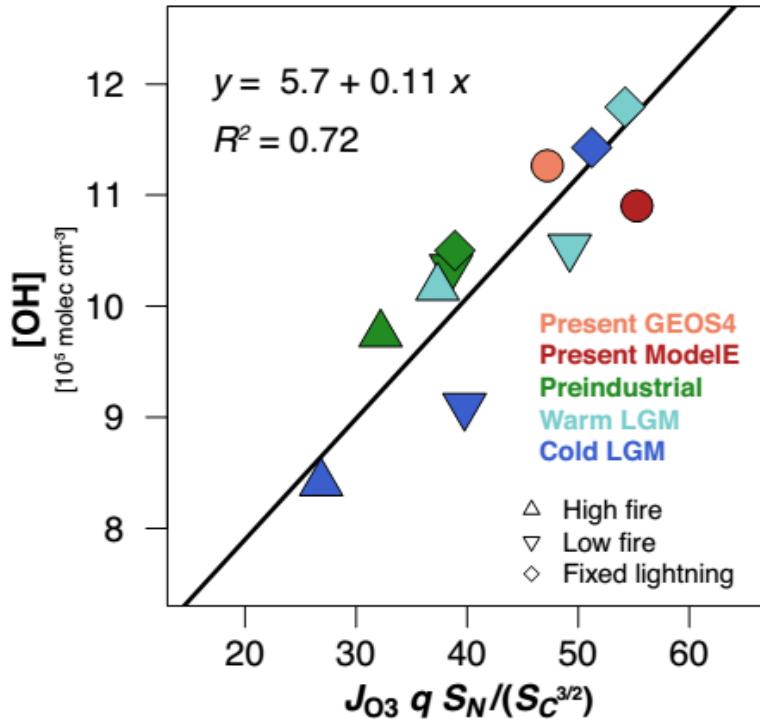
Budget of Tropospheric OH

	Global model ¹	Two-way coupled model ¹
Total loss (Tgyr^{-1})	3780	3756
OH + CO	1440 (38 %)	1452 (38 %)
OH + CH_4^2	540 (14 %)	516 (14 %)
OH + NMVOCs	840 (22 %)	852 (23 %)
OH + O_3	204 (5 %)	204 (5 %)
OH + HO_y	396 (10 %)	384 (10 %)
OH + NO_y	72 (2 %)	60 (2 %)
OH + H_2 , SO_2 , etc.	132 (9 %)	132 (8 %)
Total production (Tgyr^{-1})	3780	3756
Photolysis of O_3	1608 (43 %)	1584 (42 %)
Photolysis of other species	480 (12 %)	504 (14 %)
Reactions	1692 (45 %)	1668 (44 %)
Air mass weighted mean concentration (10^5 cm^{-3})	12.4	11.9
MCF loss rate weighted mean concentration (10^5 cm^{-3})	12.5	12.1
Methyl chloroform lifetime (yr) ³	5.3	5.5

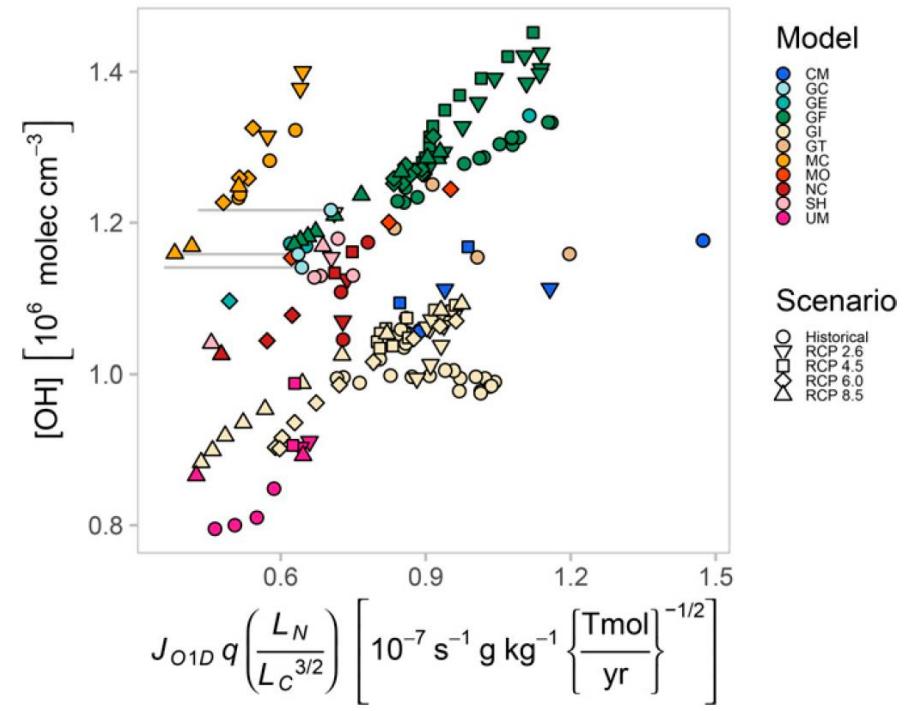
甲基氯仿 MCF: Methyl chloroform (CH_3CCl_3) is an excellent tracer to study changes in OH

$$[\text{OH}] \propto k_G = \frac{E}{G} - \frac{dG/dt}{G}$$

Factors Determining Tropospheric OH



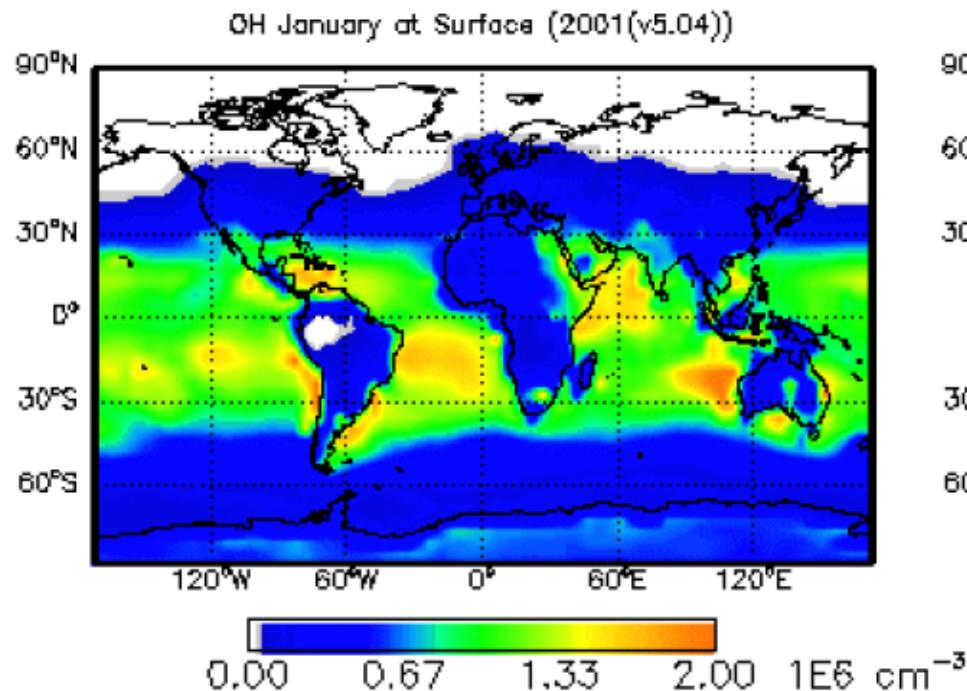
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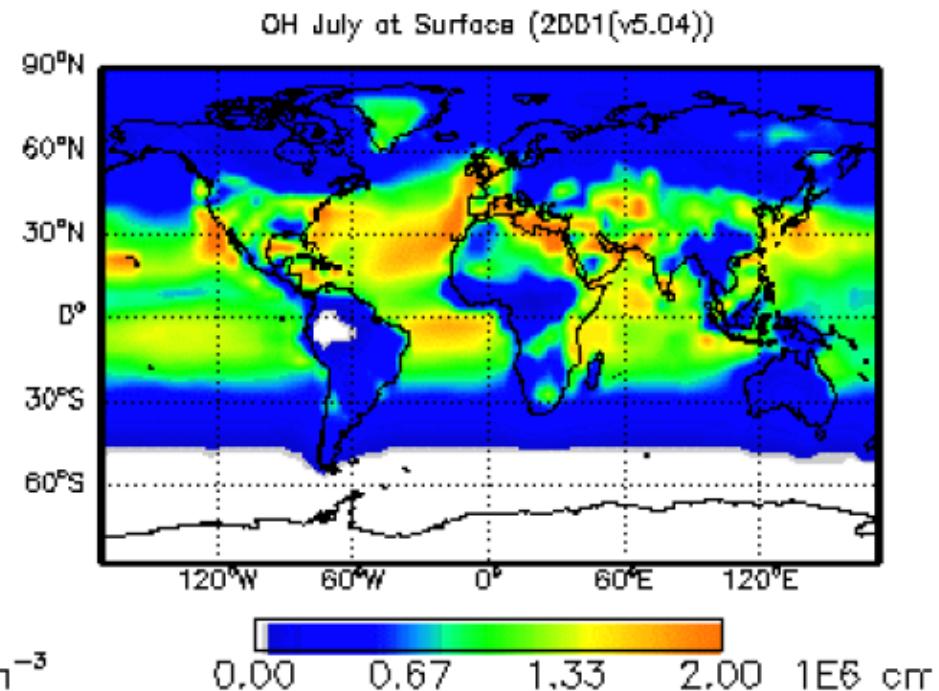
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Global OH Concentrations Near the Surface

January

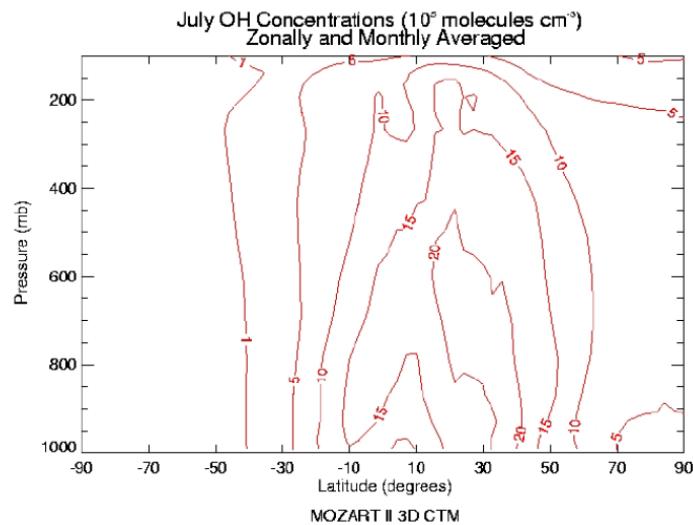


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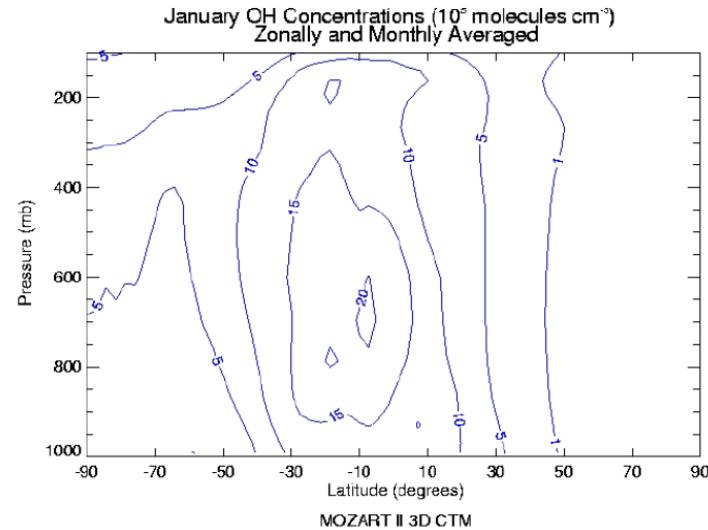


Tropospheric OH: Meridional-Vertical Cross Section

Tropospheric OH July -- MOZART2

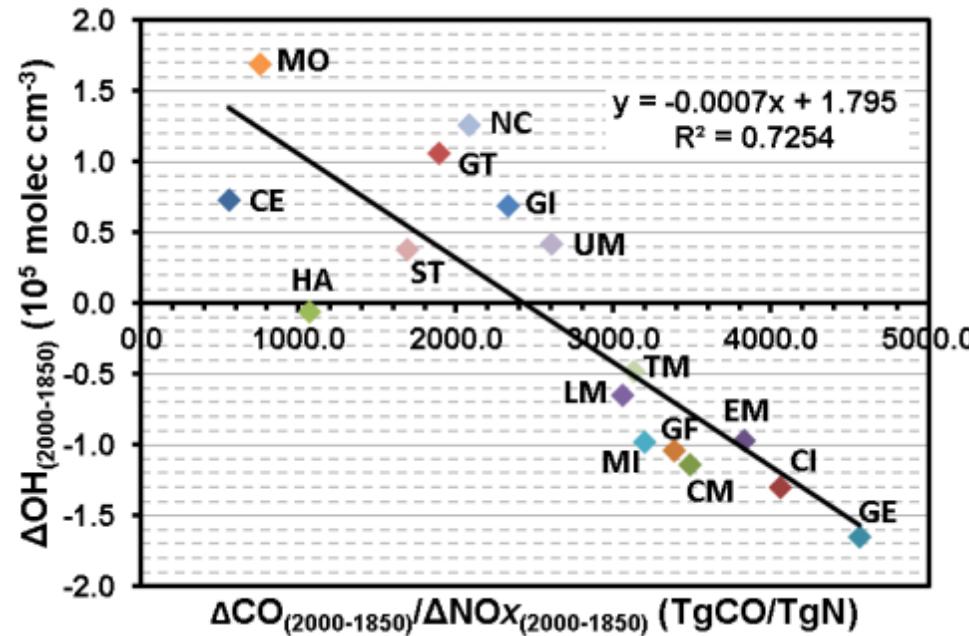


Tropospheric OH (January) – MOZART2



Modeled Change in Tropospheric OH: 1850-2000

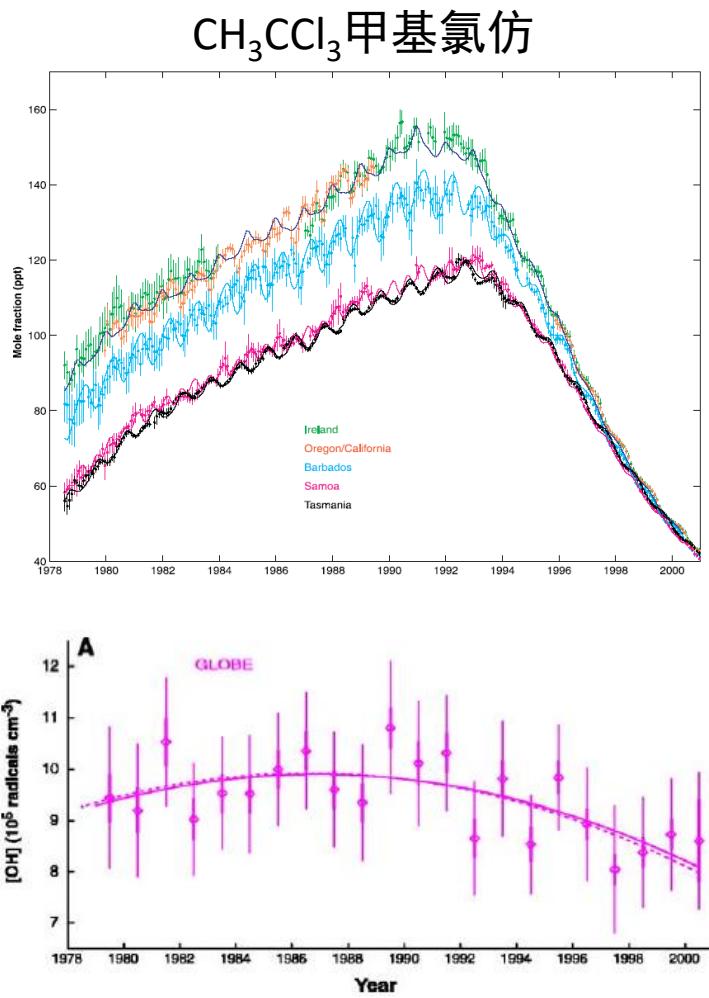
Naik et al., 2013, ACP



		2000-1850					
		(a)		(b)			
		SH	Glob	NH			
250hPa		-3.2±10.3	-8.4±10.3	-4.4±12.1	6.8±17.5		
500hPa		-7.3±6.8	-8.7±6.9	-1.6±8.6	9.1±13.8		
750hPa		-3.8±8.3	-7.4±8.1	11.0±14.0	31.4±17.2		
Surface							
90S	30S	0	30N	90N			

		2000-1980					
		(a)		(b)			
		SH	Glob	NH			
250hPa		5.1±7.1	2.6±3.8	4.1±2.9	7.0±3.0		
500hPa		3.1±4.6	1.7±2.7	3.3±2.0	5.3±3.0		
750hPa		1.7±3.0	1.1±2.3	4.3±1.8	6.2±2.2		
Surface							
90S	30S	0	30N	90N			

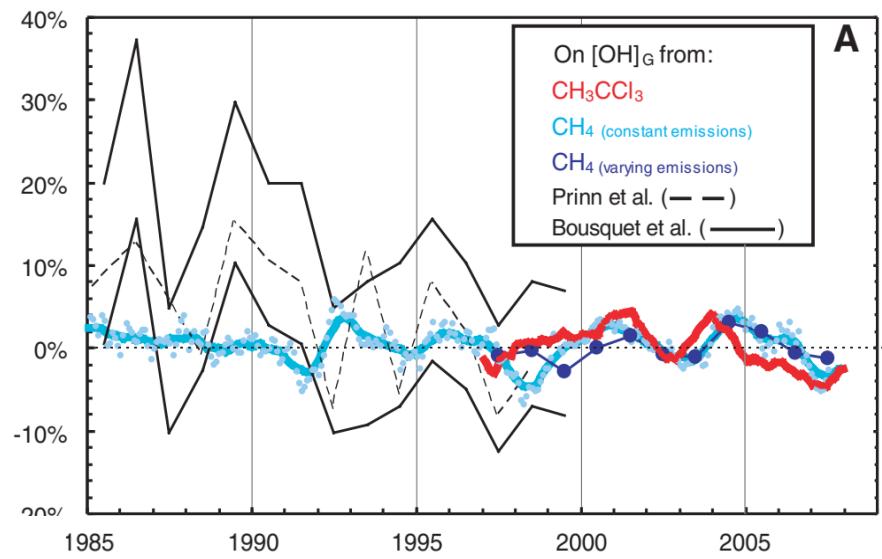
Obs-based Estimate of OH Temporal Variation



Prinn et al., 2001

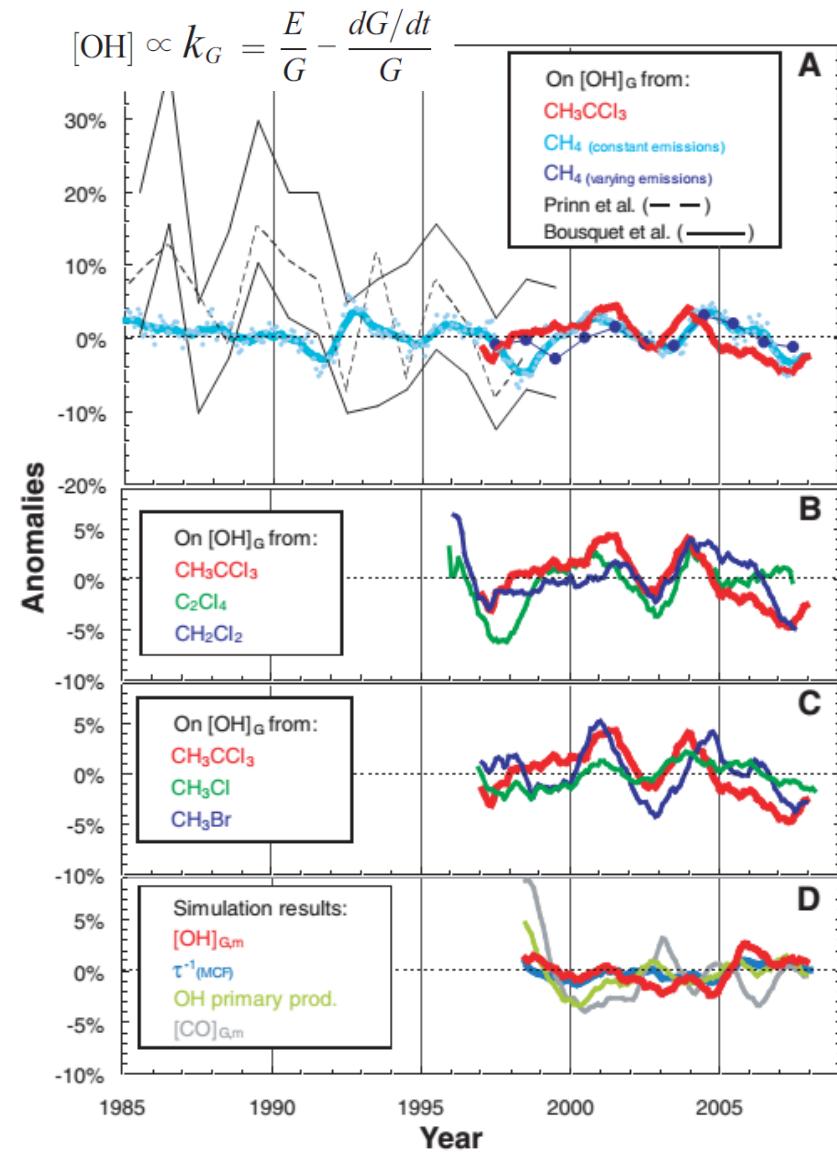
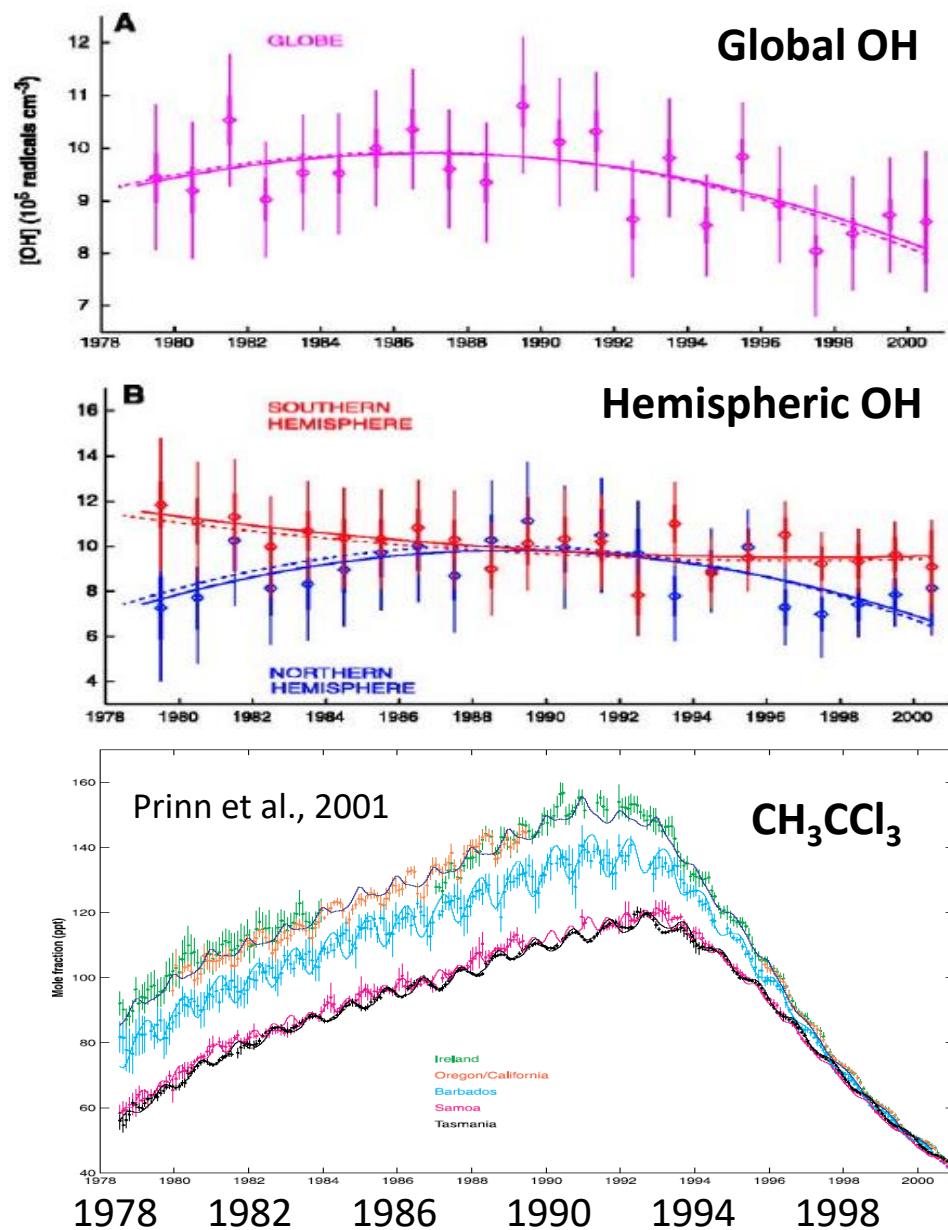
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Loss coef.	Emis	Obs. change
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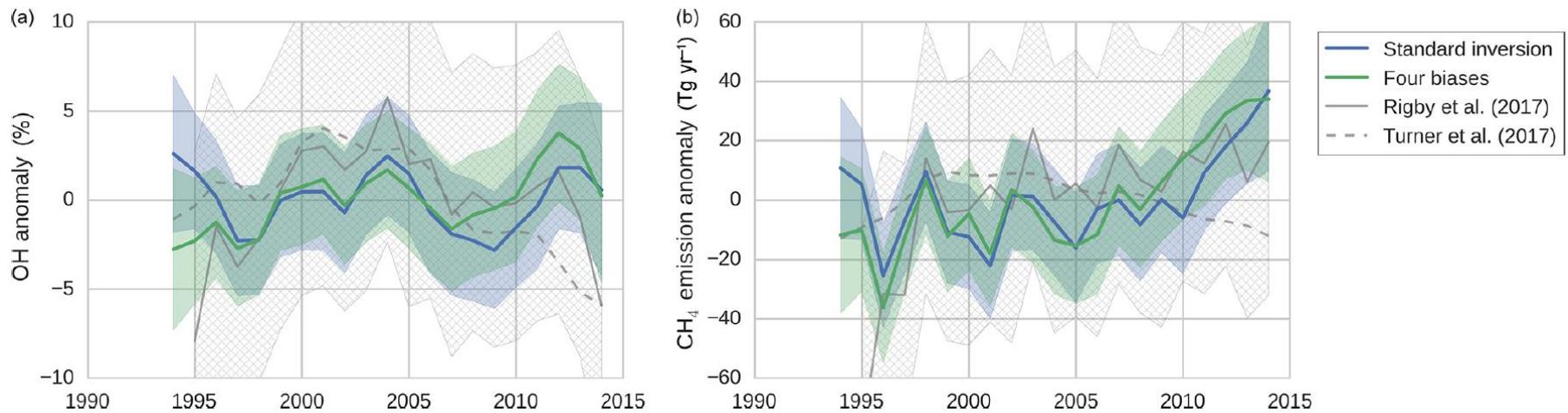


Montzka et al., Science, 2011

Obs-based Estimate of Trop. OH Interannual Variability



Unclear Recent Trend of OH Related to CH₄ Growth



Bias in box modeling affecting MCF-based OH estimate:

1. Inter-hemispheric transport
2. Sampling bias
3. N/S OH ratio
4. MCF loss to stratosphere

$$\frac{dX_{\text{NH}}}{dt} = E_{\text{NH}} - (k_{\text{OH}}[\text{OH}]_{\text{NH}} + l_{\text{strat}} + l_{\text{other}})X_{\text{NH}} - k_{\text{IH}}(X_{\text{NH}} - X_{\text{SH}}),$$

$$\frac{dX_{\text{SH}}}{dt} = E_{\text{SH}} - (k_{\text{OH}}[\text{OH}]_{\text{SH}} + l_{\text{strat}} + l_{\text{other}})X_{\text{SH}} + k_{\text{IH}}(X_{\text{NH}} - X_{\text{SH}}).$$

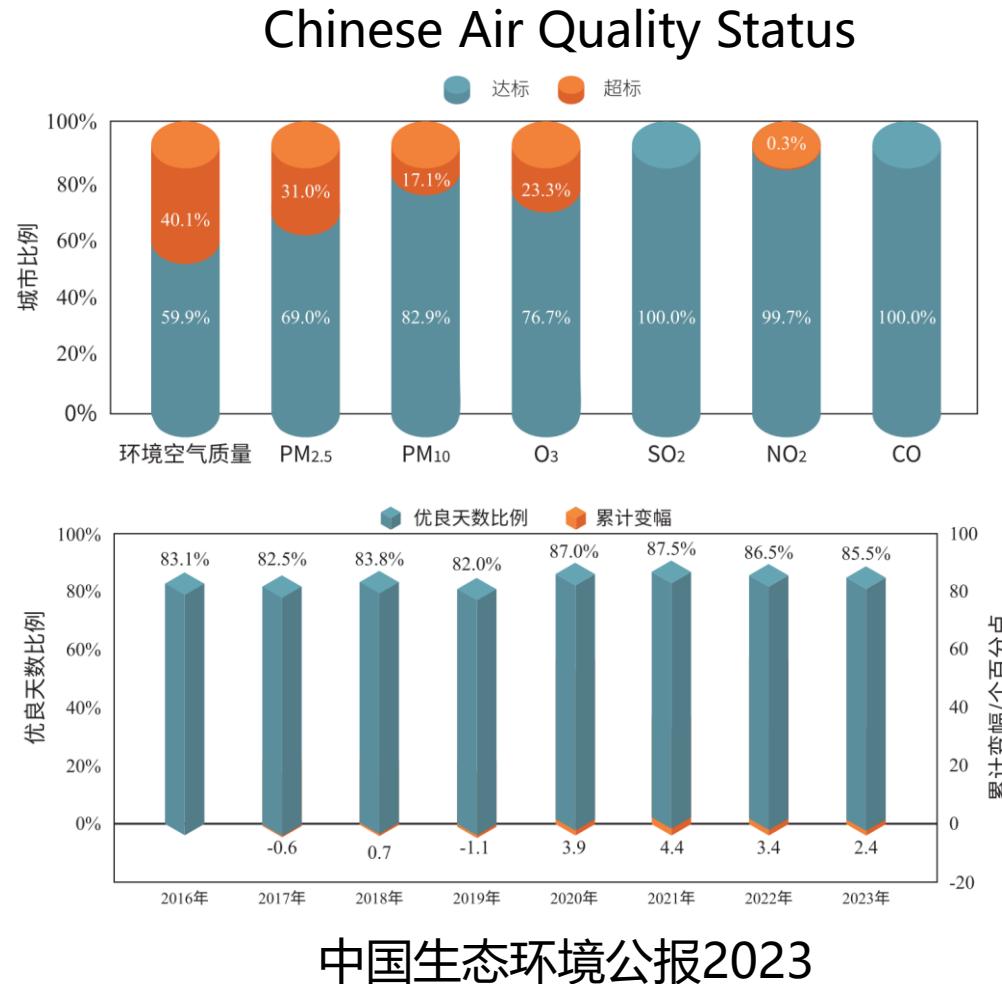
Near-Surface Air Pollution

- **Outdoor Air Pollution**

- ✓ Ozone
- ✓ PM_{2.5}
- ✓ Acid deposition

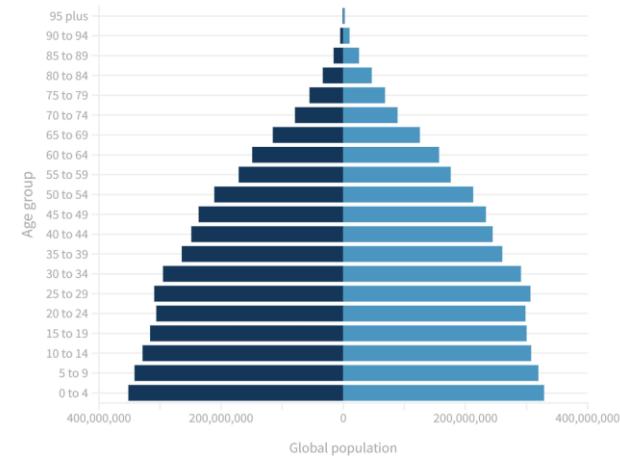
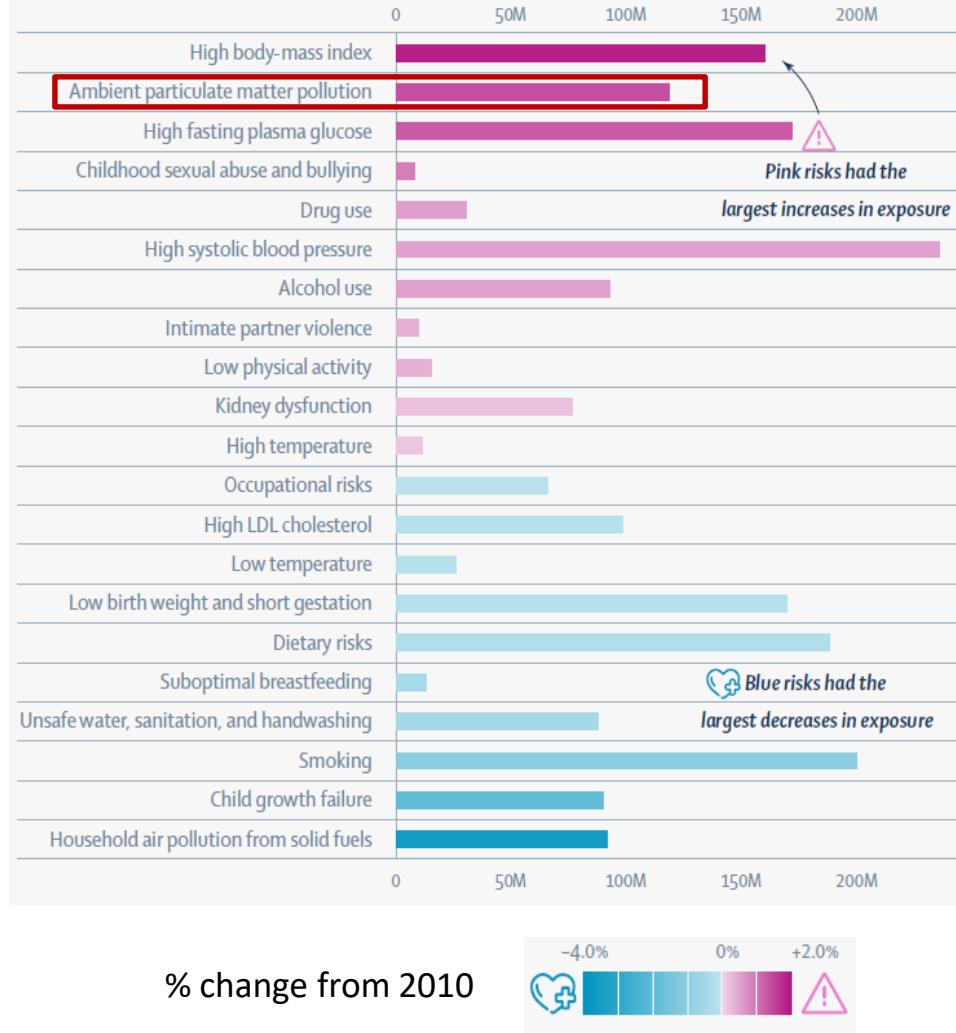
- **Consequences**

- ✓ Health impacts
- ✓ Agriculture
- ✓ Ecosystems

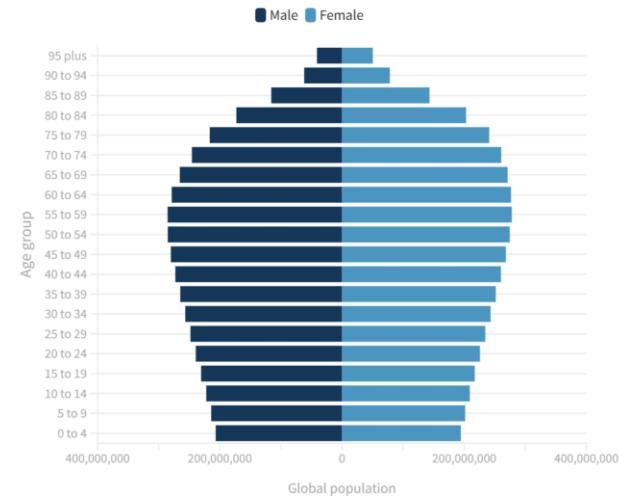


Health Impacts of Air Pollution

Years of healthy life lost (DALYs) in 2019



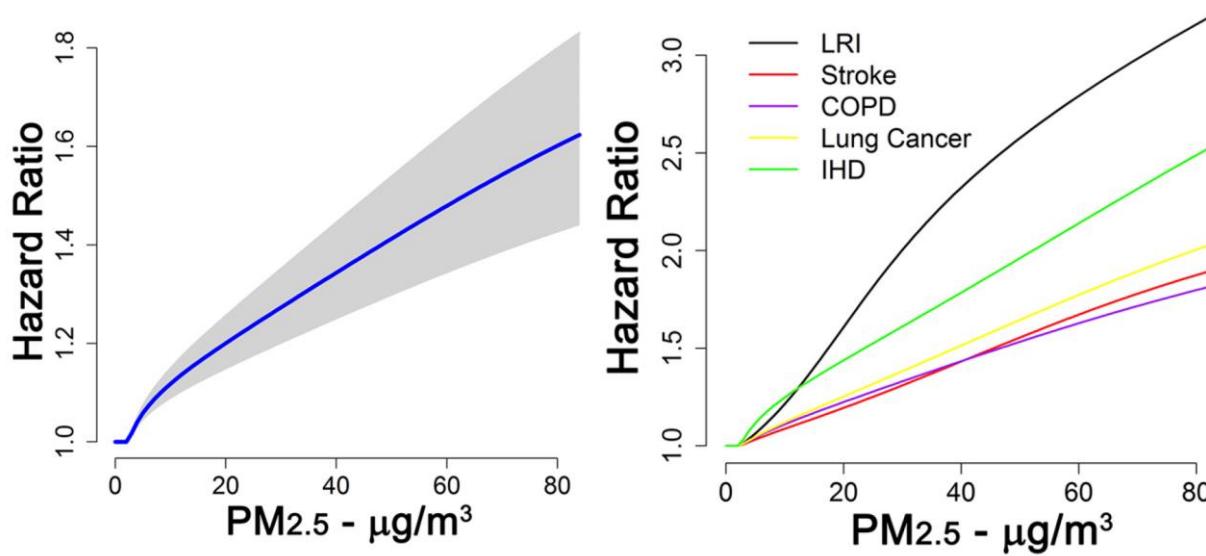
Population in 2017



Population in 2100

Health Impacts of Air Pollution

Burnett et al., 2018 PNAS



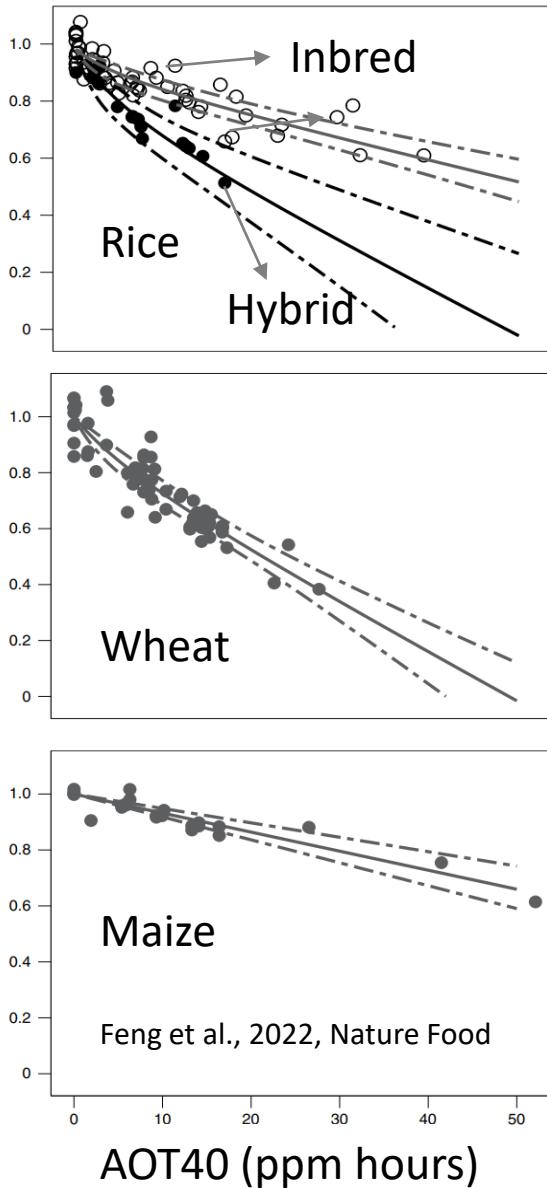
Di et al., 2017 NEJM

Table 2. Risk of Death Associated with an Increase of 10 μg per Cubic Meter in PM_{2.5} or an Increase of 10 ppb in Ozone Concentration.*

Model	PM _{2.5}	Ozone
	hazard ratio (95% CI)	
Two-pollutant analysis		
Main analysis	1.073 (1.071–1.075)	1.011 (1.010–1.012)
Low-exposure analysis	1.136 (1.131–1.141)	1.010 (1.009–1.011)
Analysis based on data from nearest monitoring site (nearest-monitor analysis)†	1.061 (1.059–1.063)	1.001 (1.000–1.002)
Single-pollutant analysis‡	1.084 (1.081–1.086)	1.023 (1.022–1.024)

Ozone Exposure Can Lead to Reduced Crop Yields

Relative yield



Crop	Country	Yield loss (%)	95% confidence	
			Upper boundary (%)	Lower boundary (%)
Wheat	China	32.8	36.9	28.2
	Japan	15.8	19.5	12.2
	South Korea	27.8	32.2	23.3
Rice	China	23.0	30.3	17.4
	All	12.2	15.9	9.2
	Inbred	29.8	38.6	23.0
	Japan	5.1	8.1	3.2
	South Korea	10.7	14.9	7.7
Maize	China	8.6	10.4	6.4
	South Korea	4.7	5.6	3.5

Dose-response Functions :

$$AOT40 = \sum_{i=1}^n ([O_3]_i - 0.04), \text{ for } o_3 \geq 0.04 \text{ ppm}$$

$$RY \text{ (relative yield)} = a \times AOT40 + b$$

WHO Air Quality Guidelines

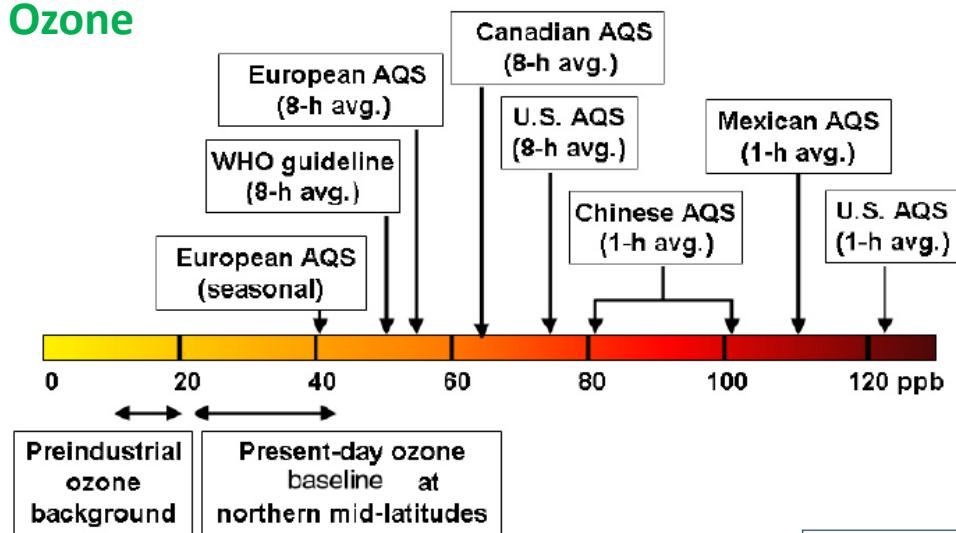
污染物	取值时间	2005 AQG	2021 AQG
PM _{2.5} , μg/m ³	Annual	10	5
	24-hour ^a	25	15
PM ₁₀ , μg/m ³	Annual	20	15
	24-hour ^a	50	45
O ₃ , μg/m ³	Peak season ^b	—	60
	8-hour ^a	100	100
NO ₂ , μg/m ³	Annual	40	10
	24-hour ^a	—	25
SO ₂ , μg/m ³	24-hour ^a	20	40
CO , mg/m ³	24-hour ^a	—	4

WHO, 2021

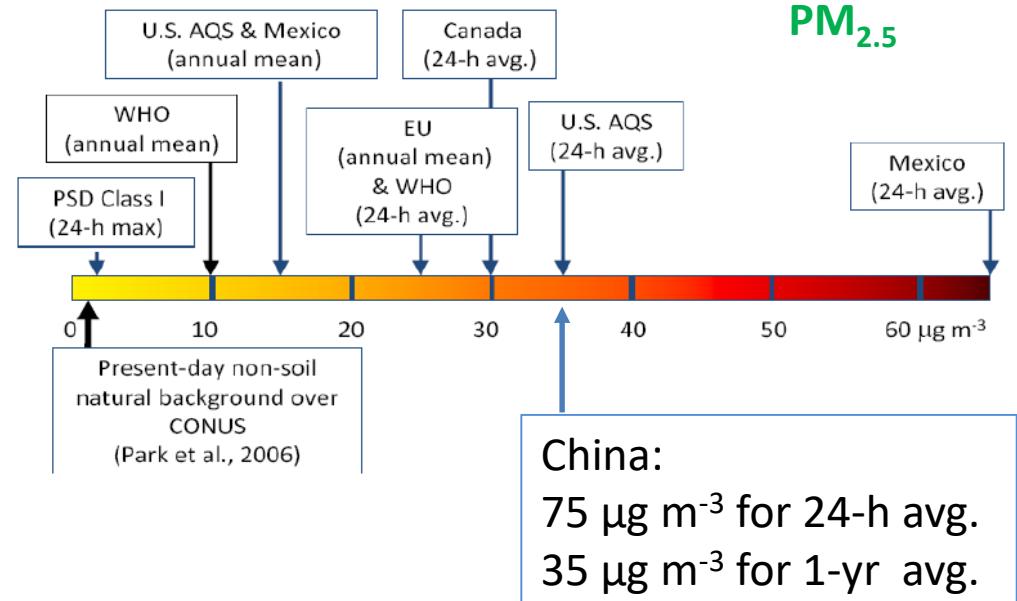
表格来自<https://cese.pku.edu.cn/kycg/131451.htm>

Ambient Air Quality Standards

Ozone



PM_{2.5}



Air Quality Index (China)

表 1 空气质量分指数及对应的污染物项目浓度限值

空气质量分指数 (IAQI)	污染物项目浓度限值									颗粒物 (粒径小 于等于 2.5μm) 24 小时 平均/ (μg/m ³)
	二氧化硫 (SO ₂) 24 小时 平均/ (μg/m ³) ⁽¹⁾	二氧化硫 (SO ₂) 1 小时 平均/ (μg/m ³) ⁽¹⁾	二氧化氮 (NO ₂) 24 小时 平均/ (μg/m ³) ⁽¹⁾	二氧化氮 (NO ₂) 1 小时 平均/ (μg/m ³) ⁽¹⁾	颗粒物 (粒径小 于等于 10μm) 24 小时 平均/ (μg/m ³)	一氧化碳 (CO) 24 小时 平均/ (mg/m ³)	一氧化碳 (CO) 1 小时 平均/ (mg/m ³) ⁽¹⁾	臭氧 (O ₃) 1 小时 平均/ (μg/m ³)		
优	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
良	50	50	150	40	100	50	2	5	160	100
轻度	100	150	500	80	200	150	4	10	200	160
中度	150	475	650	180	700	250	14	35	300	215
重度	200	800	800	280	1 200	350	24	60	400	265
严重	300	1 600	⁽²⁾	565	2 340	420	36	90	800	800
	400	2 100	⁽²⁾	750	3 090	500	48	120	1 000	⁽³⁾
	500	2 620	⁽²⁾	940	3 840	600	60	150	1 200	⁽³⁾
										500

2018年9月1日前：参比状态为1atm、273K（气体和颗粒物）

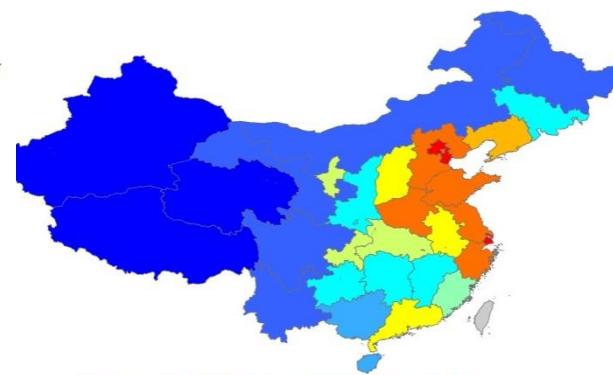
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Anthropogenic Emissions in China

SO_2



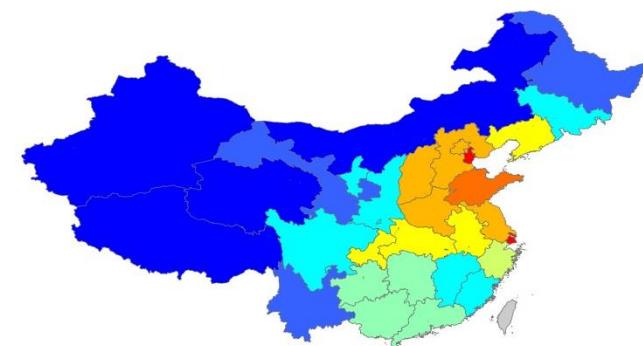
NO_x



VOC



$\text{PM}_{2.5}$



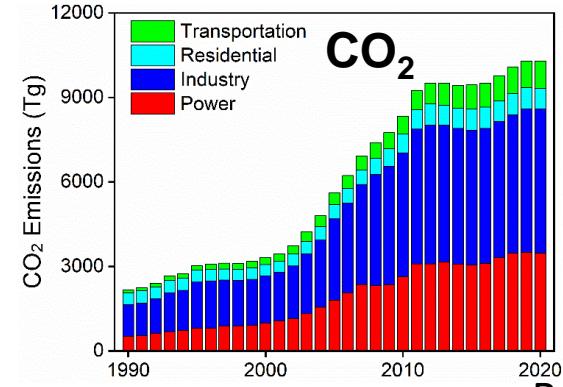
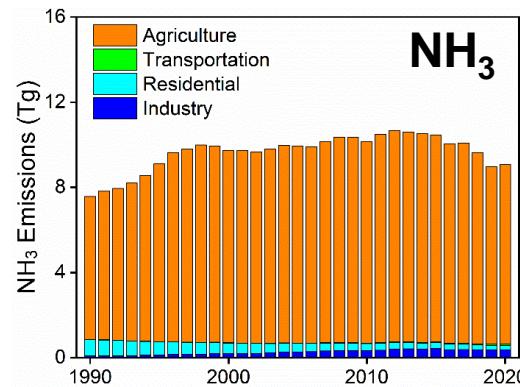
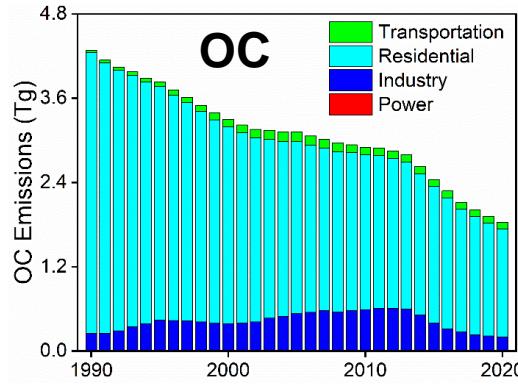
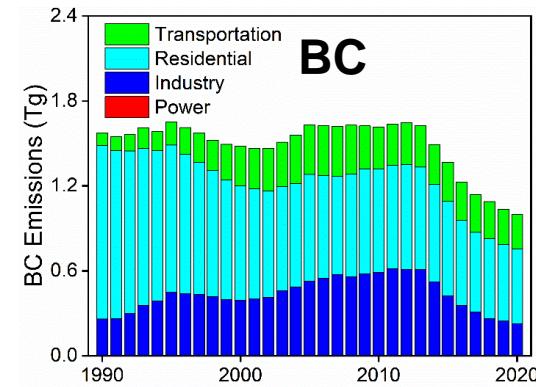
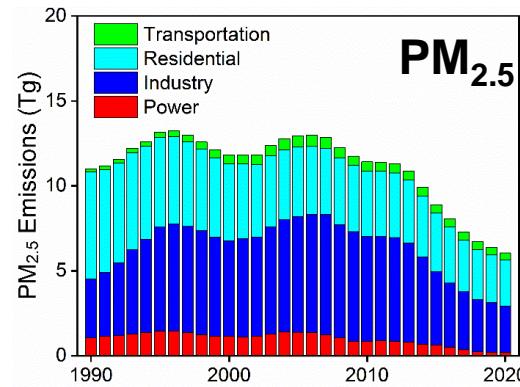
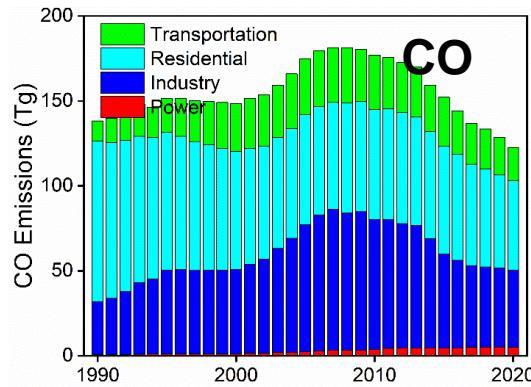
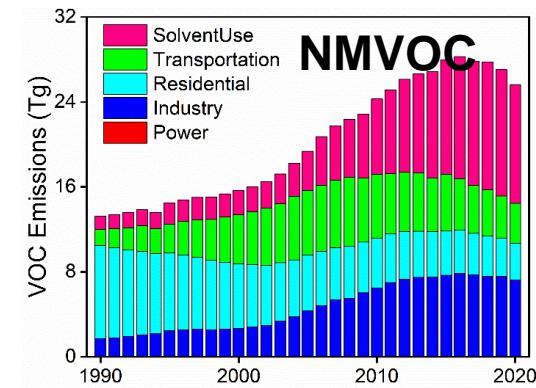
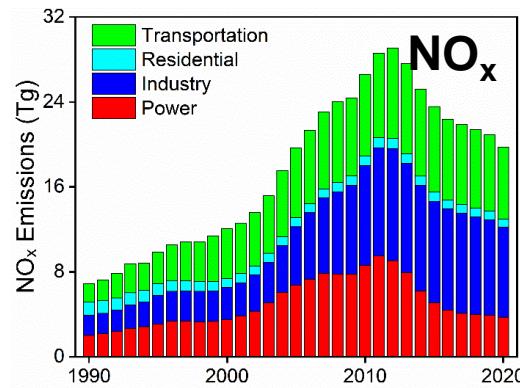
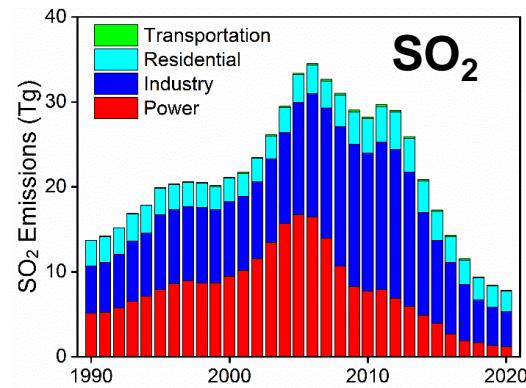
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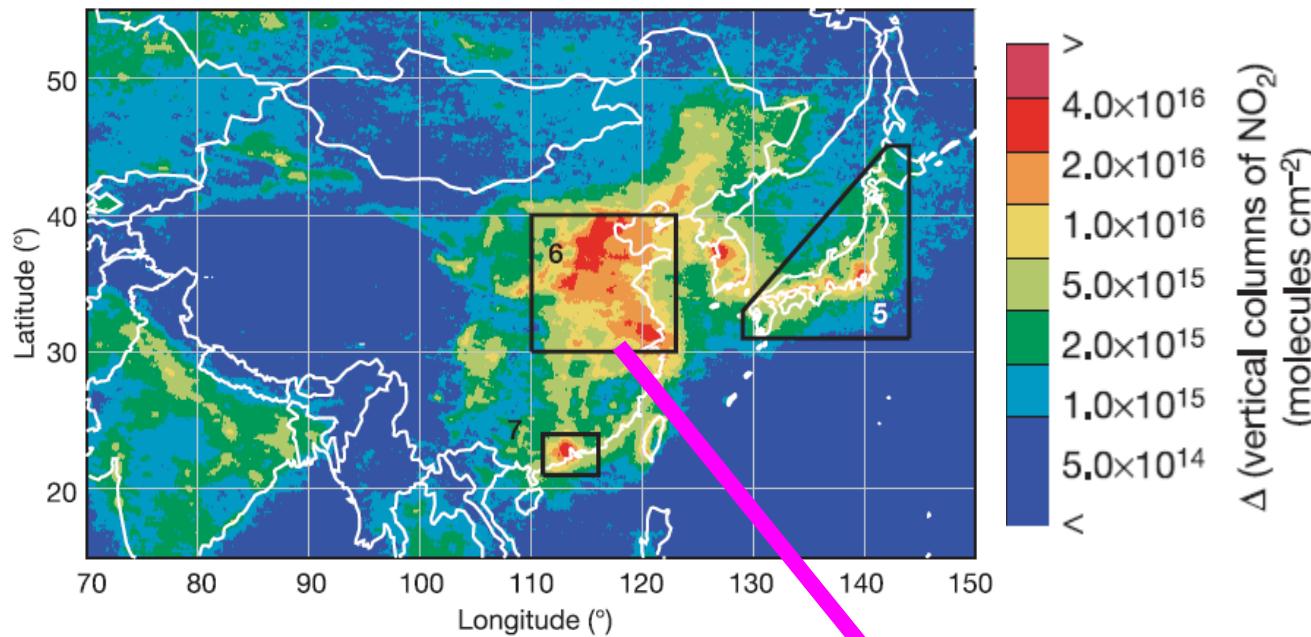
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Anthropogenic Emissions in China: 1990-2020

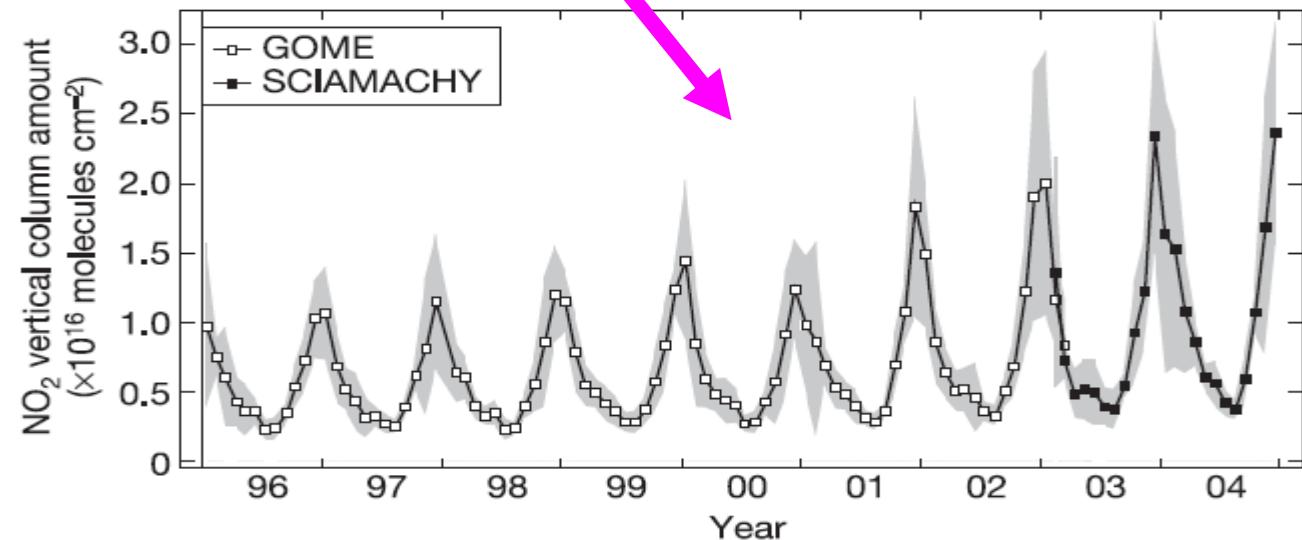


Increases of NO_2 VCD Observed from Space

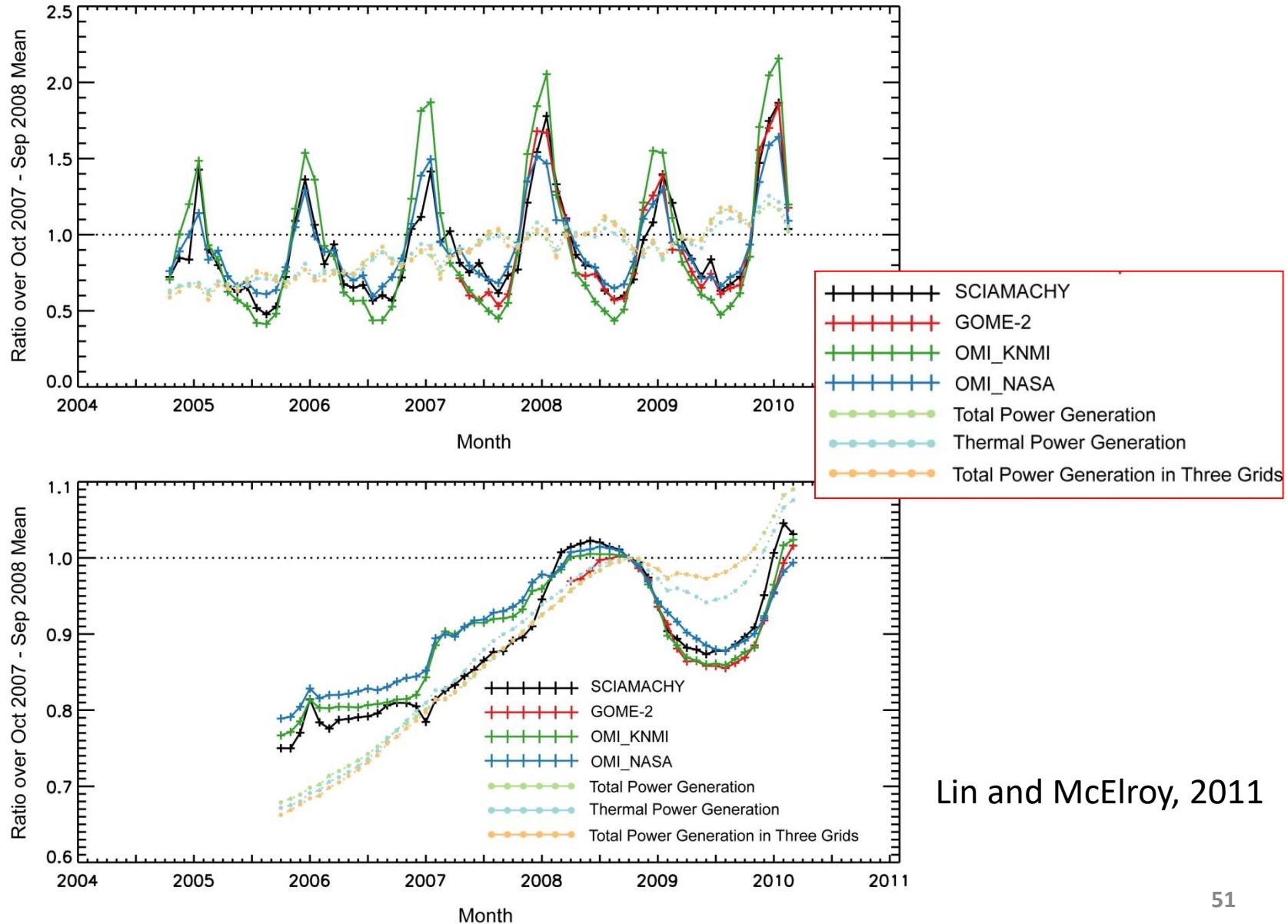


Tropospheric NO_2
vertical columns
(2003.12~2004.11)

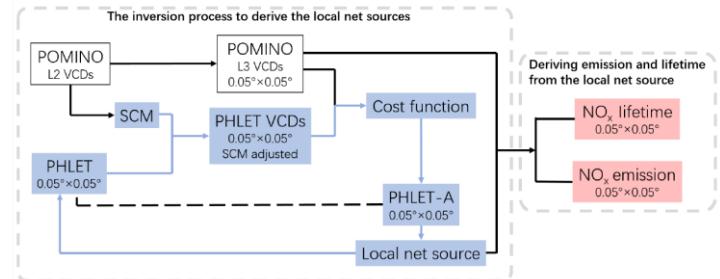
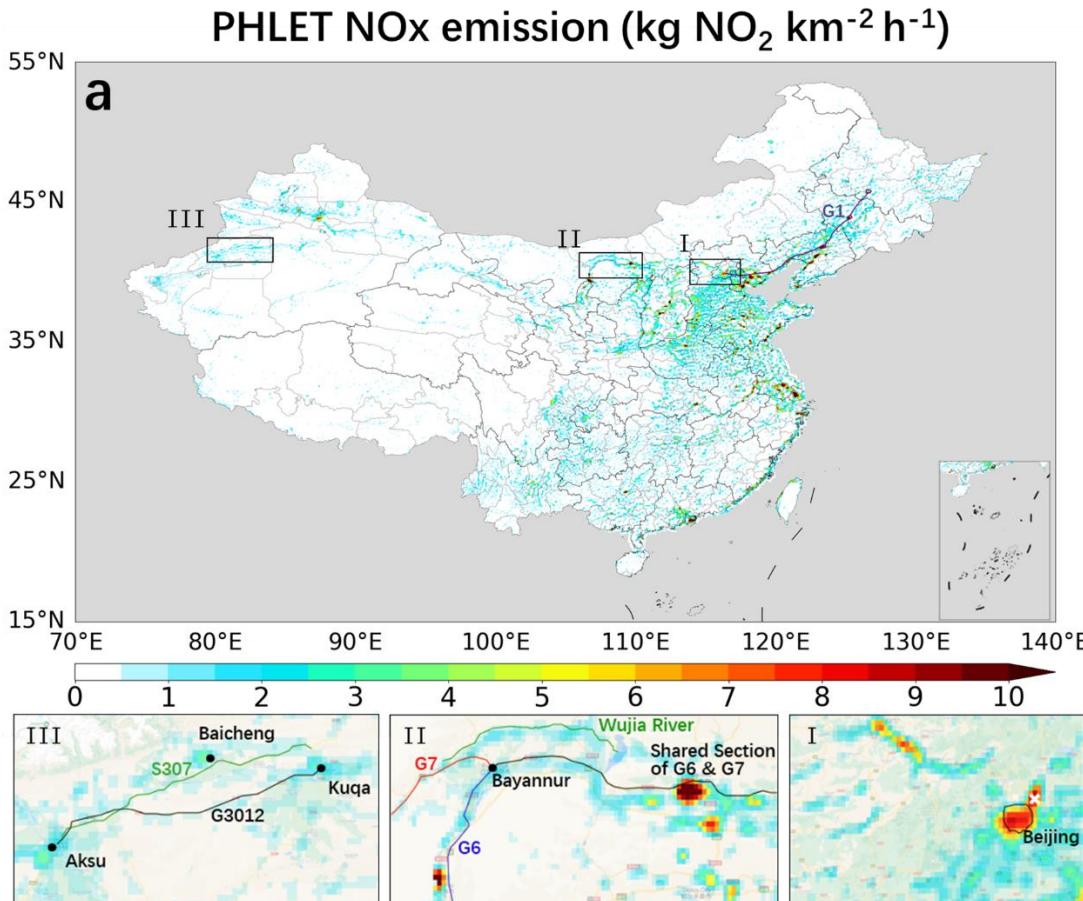
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Increases of NO₂ VCD Observed from Space



Satellite+Model Derived High-res (5 km) Emissions Reveal Biases in Bottom-up Inventories



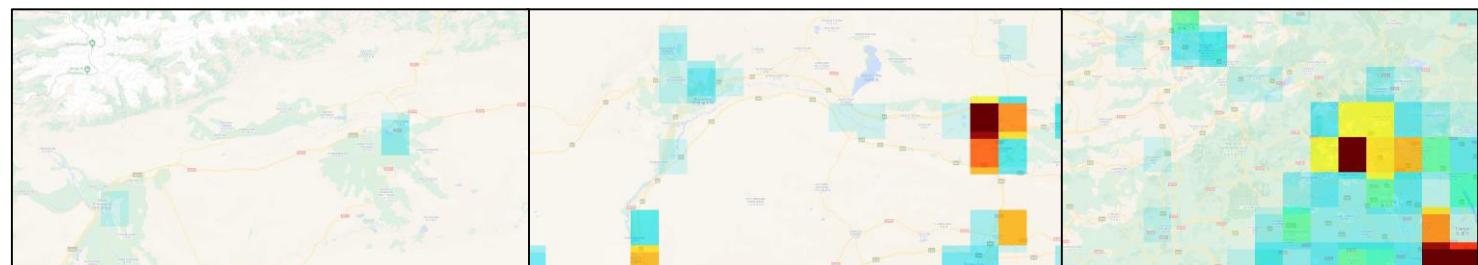
- Inversion model built from scratch
- Transport and nonlinear chemistry accounted for in emission estimate

High-Resolution NO_x Emission Data Reveal Anthropogenic Sources Missing in Inventories

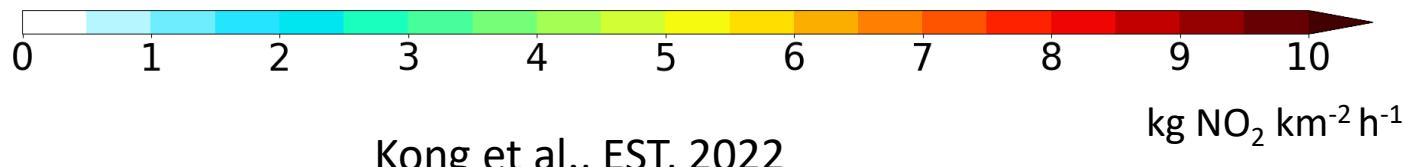
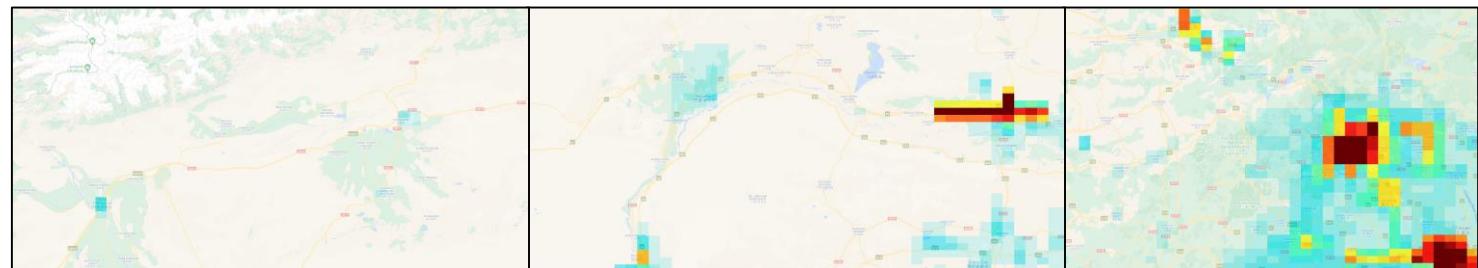
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25 km

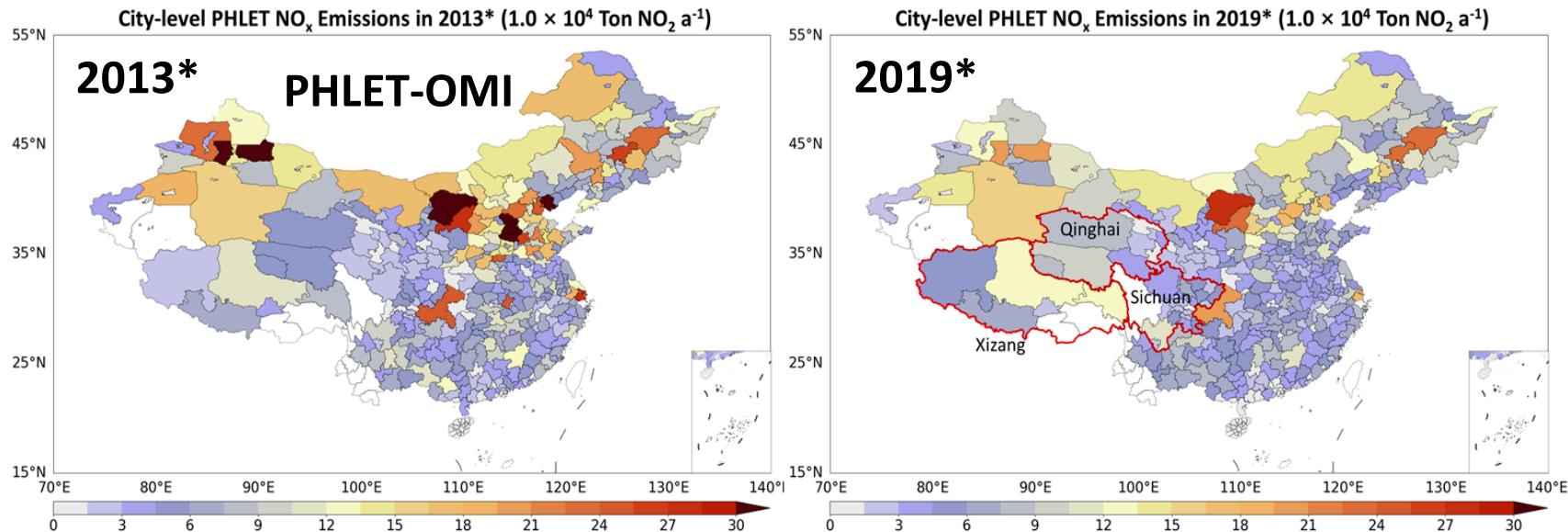


PKU-NOx
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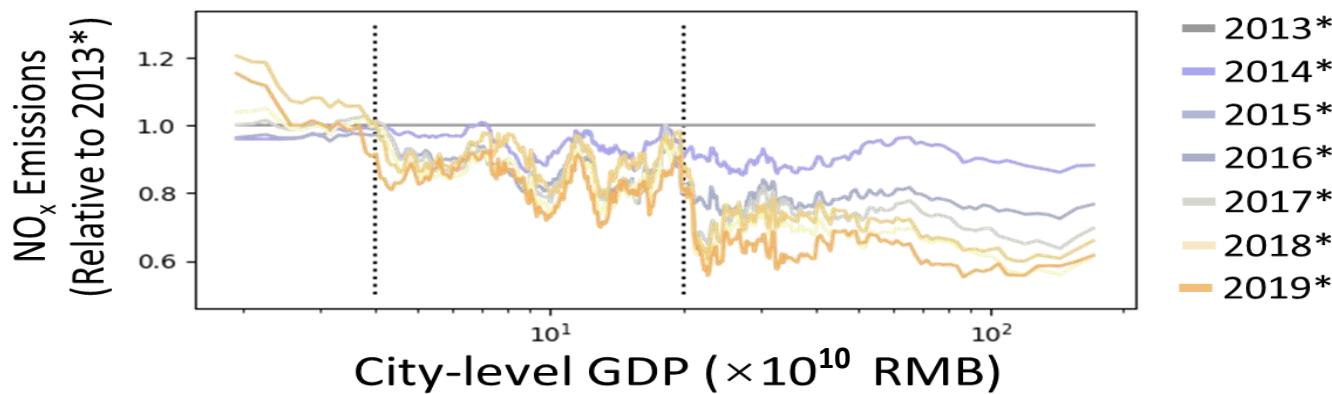


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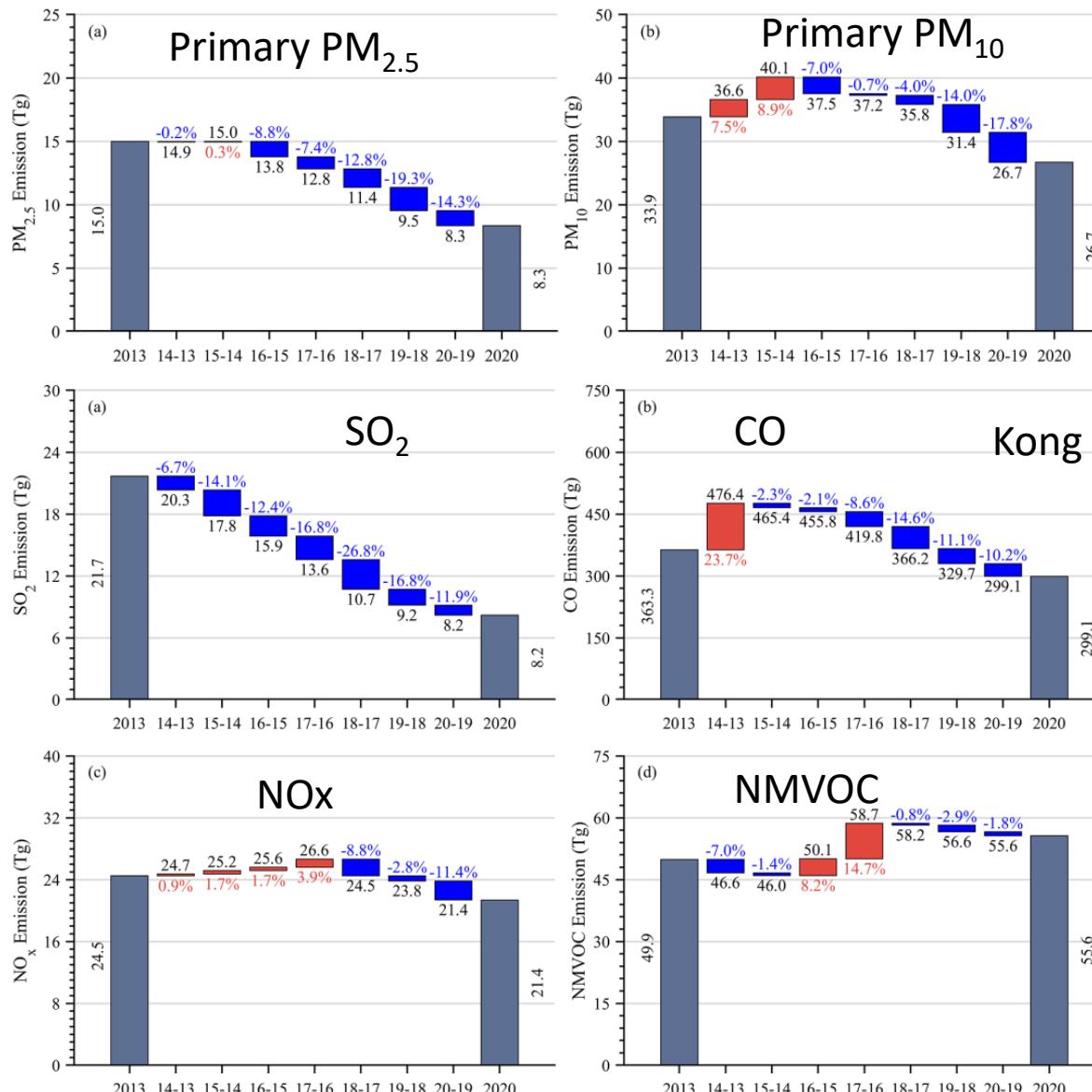
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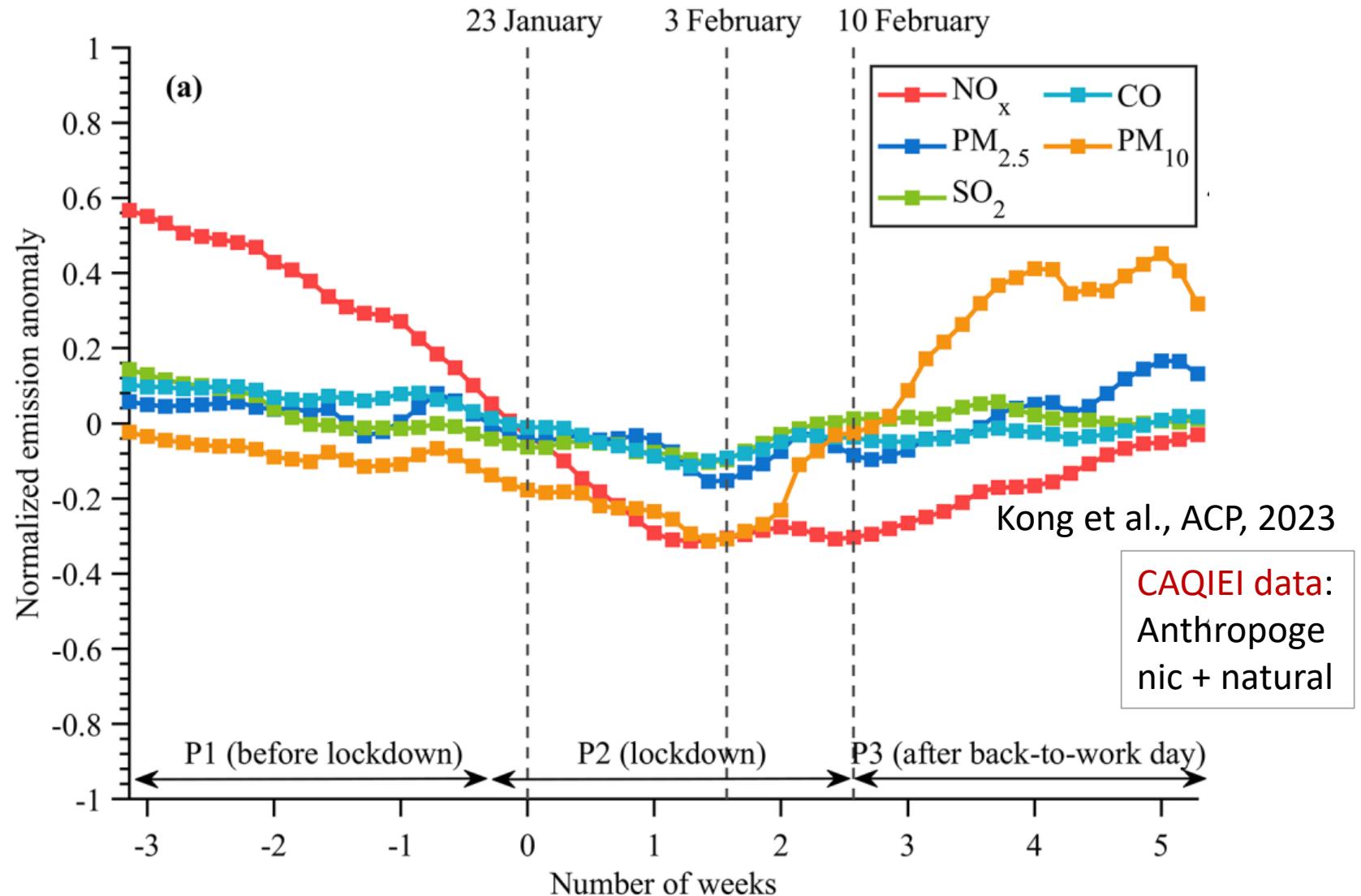
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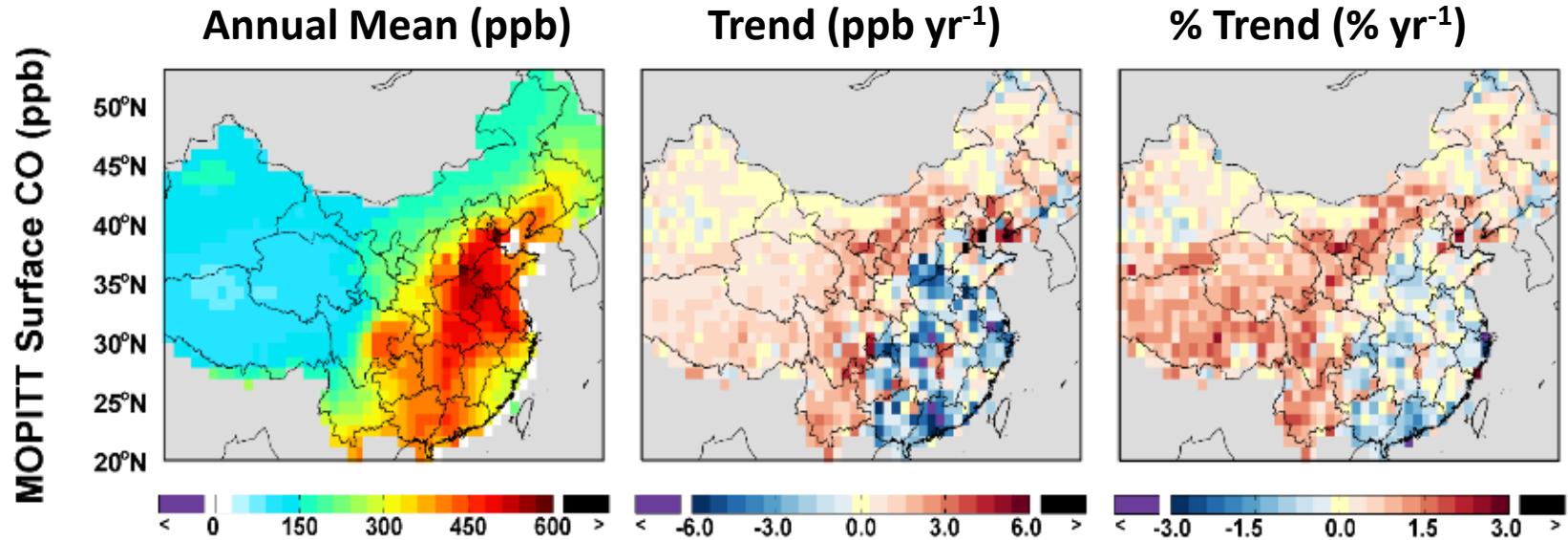
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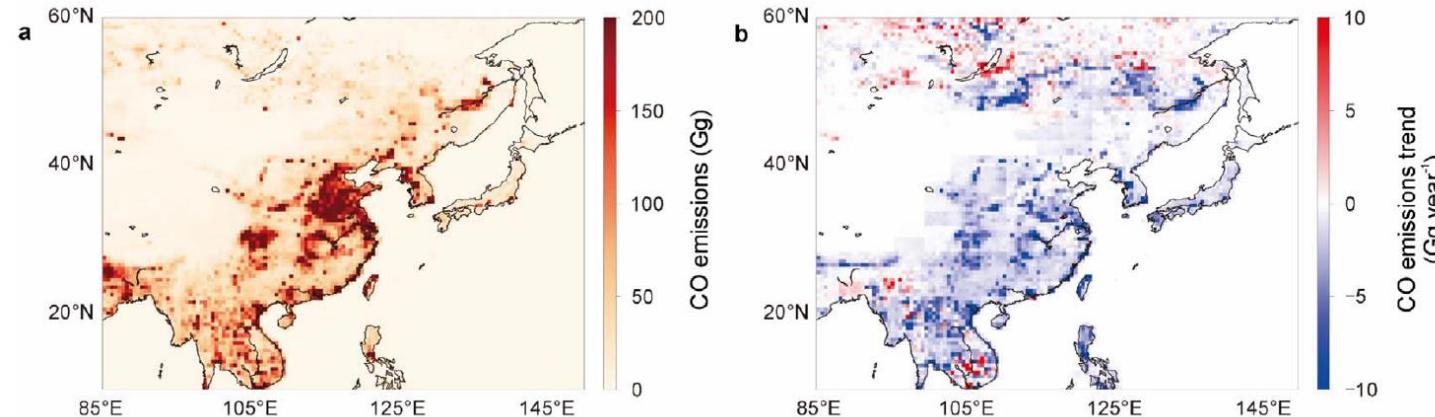


Changes in CO over East Asia

CO mixing ratio over 2004-2012 (Yan et al., in prep)

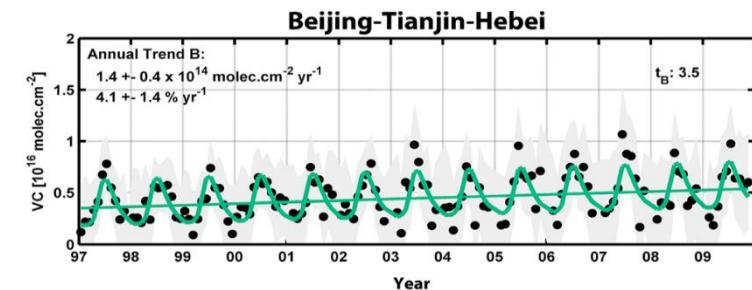
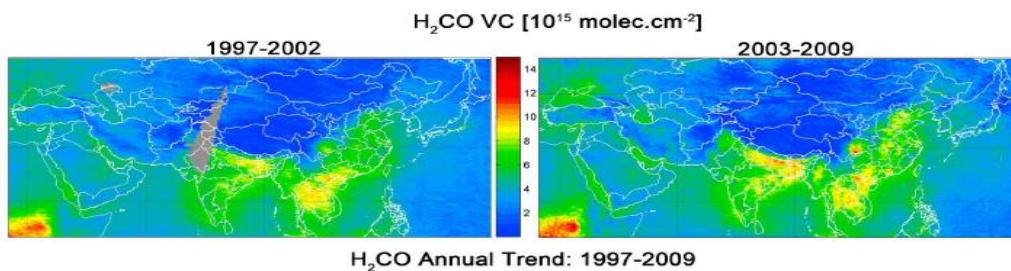


CO emissions over 2005-2016 based on MOPITT v7 (Zheng et al., ERL, 2018)

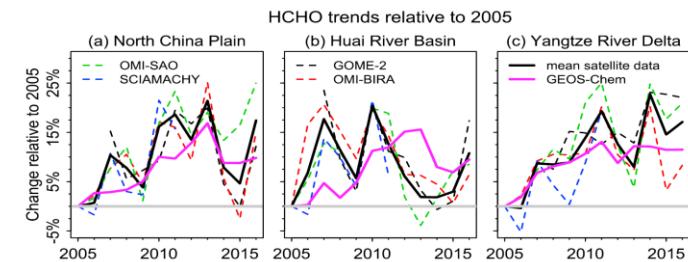
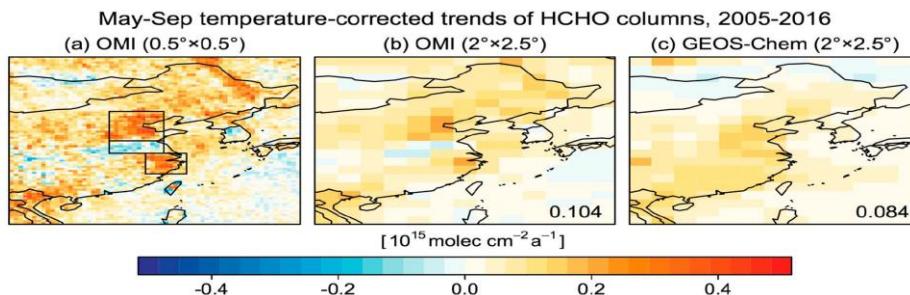


Trends of VCDs of HCHO in Asia: 1997 – 2009

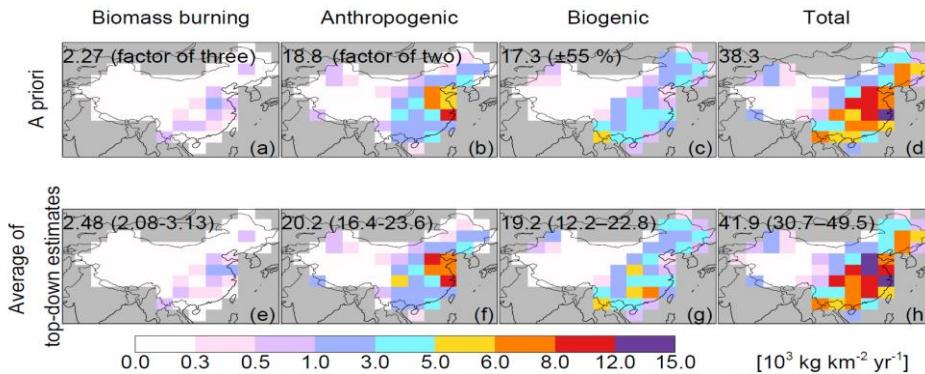
OMI VCD by BIRA (De Smedt et al., 2010 ACP)



Multiple VCD products (Shen et al., 2019 GRL)



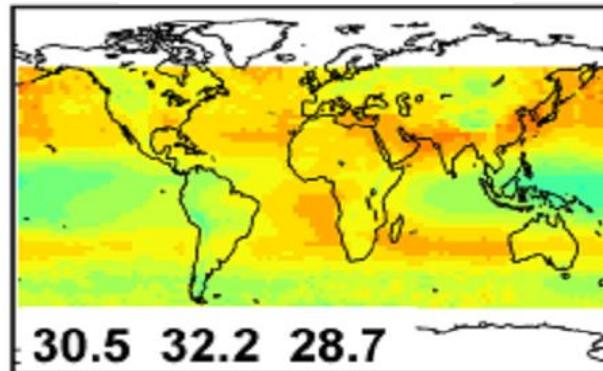
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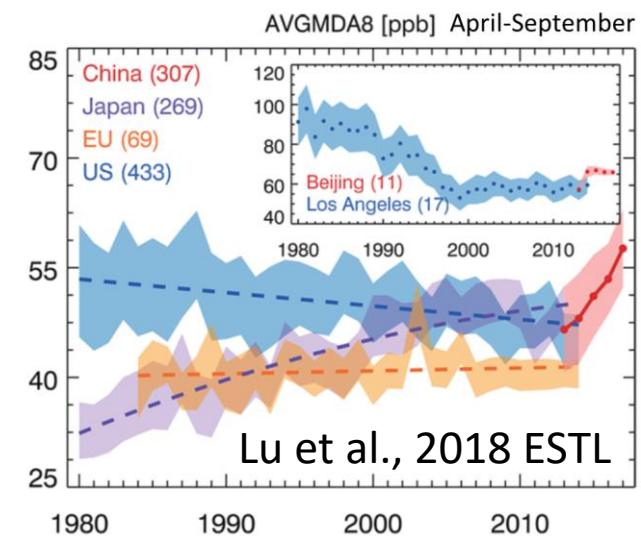
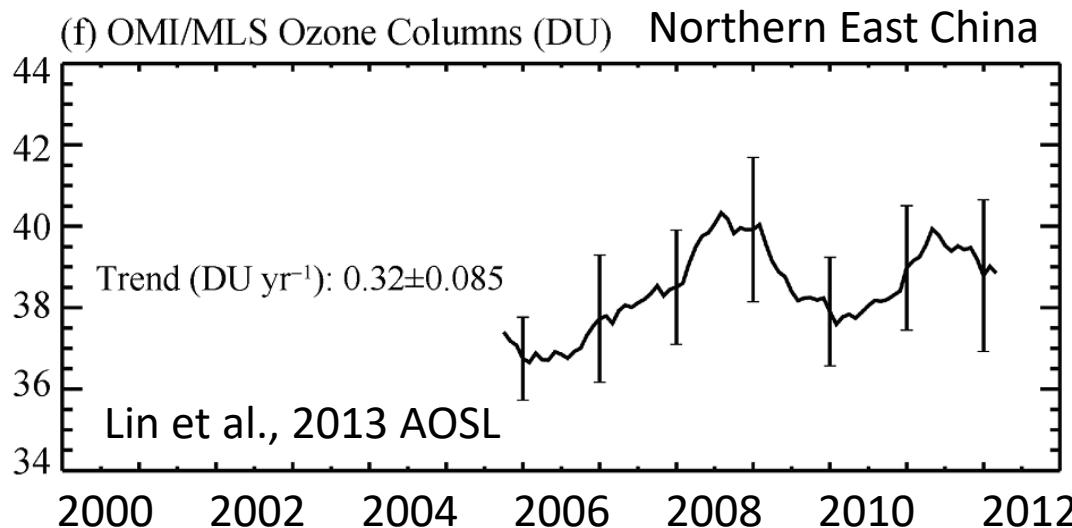
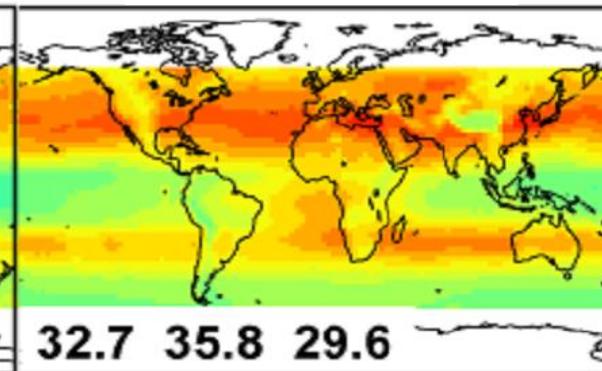
OMI-retrieved VCDs of Tropospheric Ozone

Annual mean in 2009 (DU) (Yan et al., 2016 ACP)

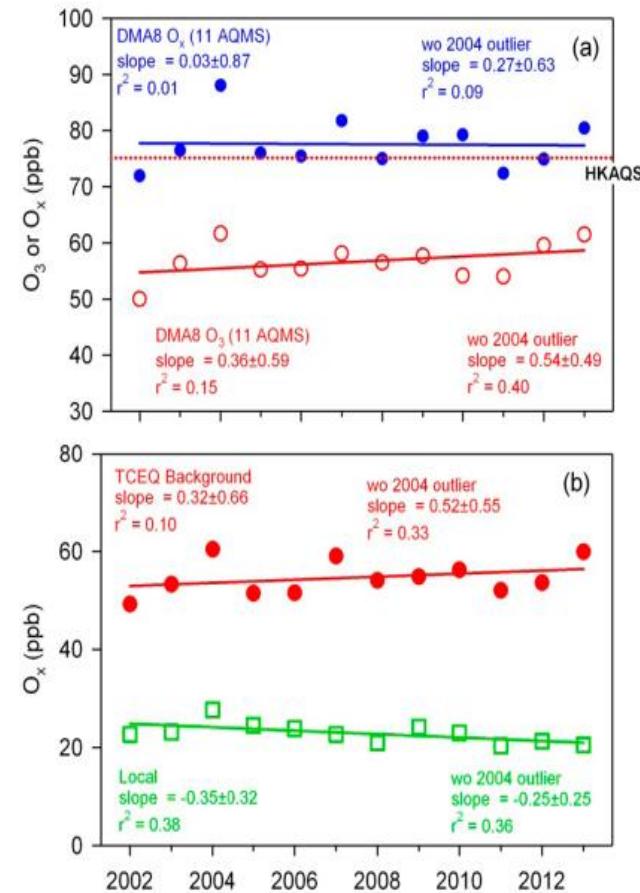
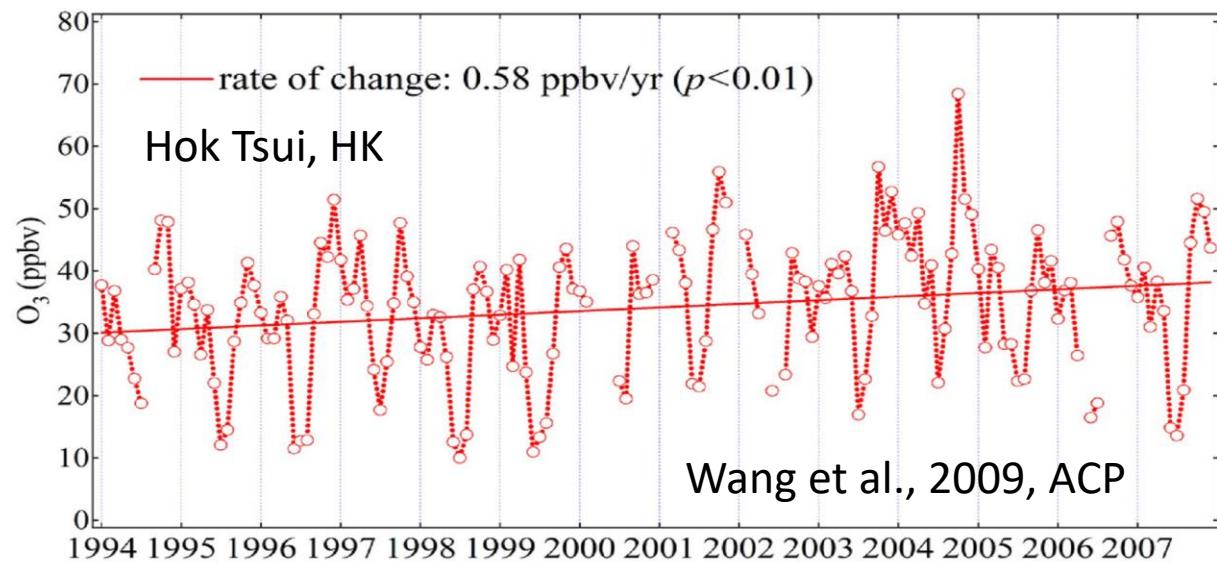
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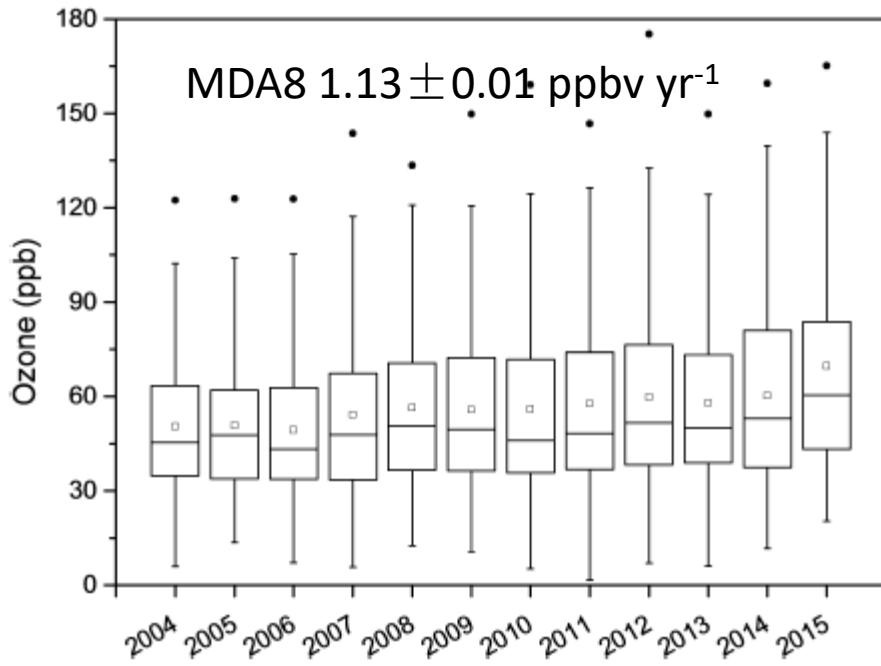
Background O₃ Concentrations are Increasing



Xue et al., 2014, EST

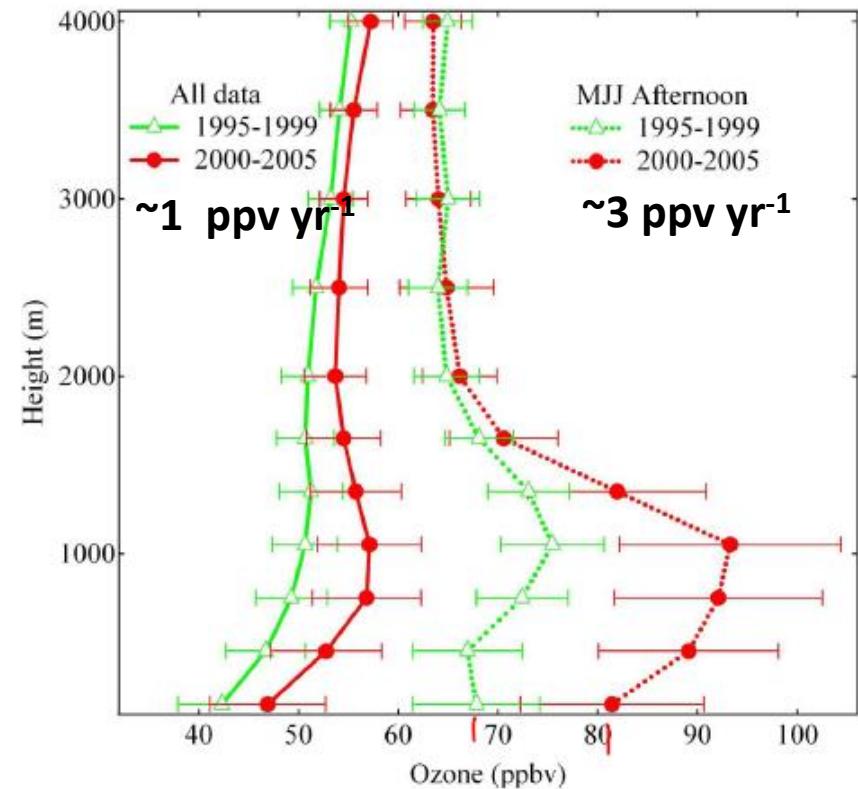
Growing O₃ Pollution over Beijing

Shangdianzi, regional background



Emission changes in VOCs dominated

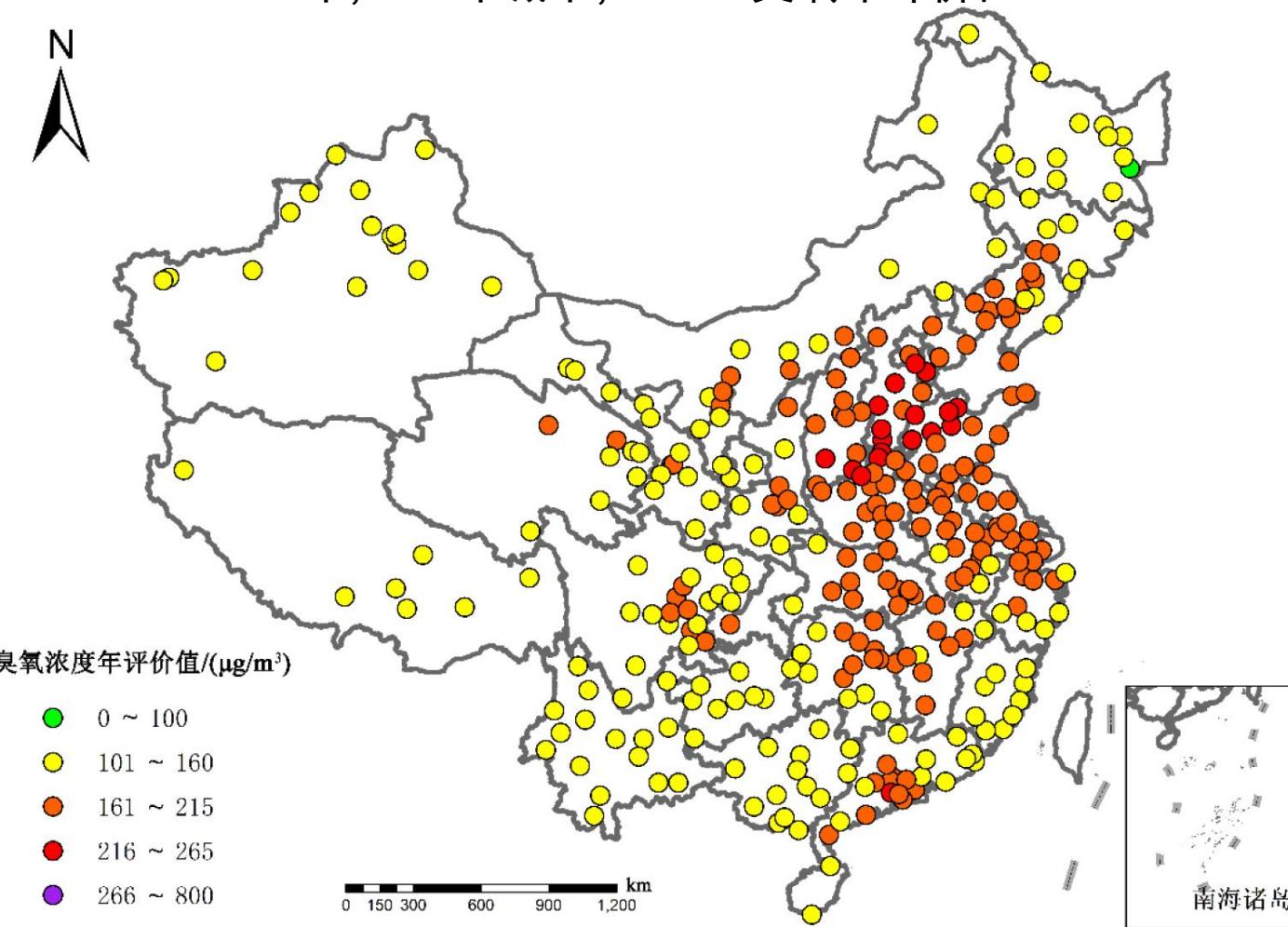
Beijing airport, MOZAIC



Ma et al., 2016; Ding et al., 2008, ACP

Severe Ozone Pollution over China

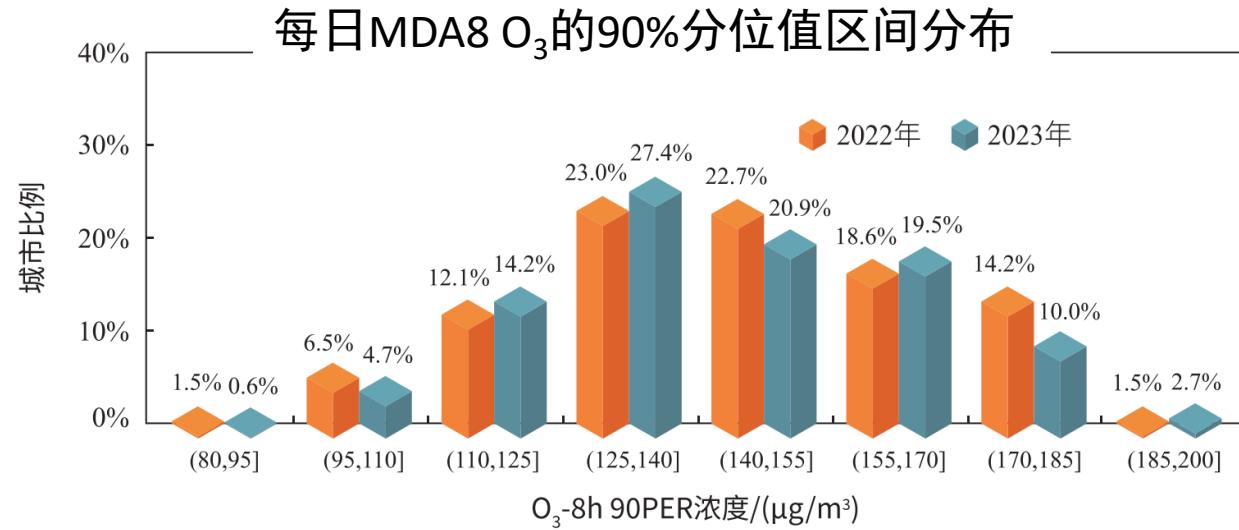
2019年，337个城市，MDA8臭氧年评价值



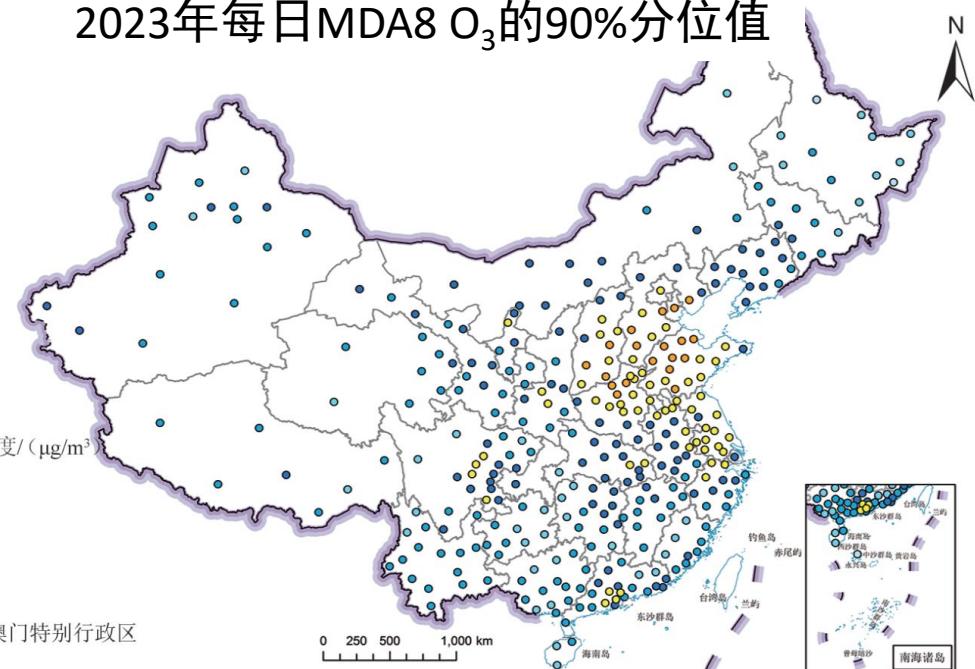
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中国生态环境公报2023

- 2023年每日MDA8 O_3 的90%分位值的平均值为 $144 \mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$, 比2022年降低0.7%
- 2022-2024年稳定在 $144\text{-}145 \mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$
- 华北、长三角、珠三角、成渝地区、关中平原的污染状况尤其突出
- 现有观测数据主要覆盖城镇区域



2023年每日MDA8 O_3 的90%分位值



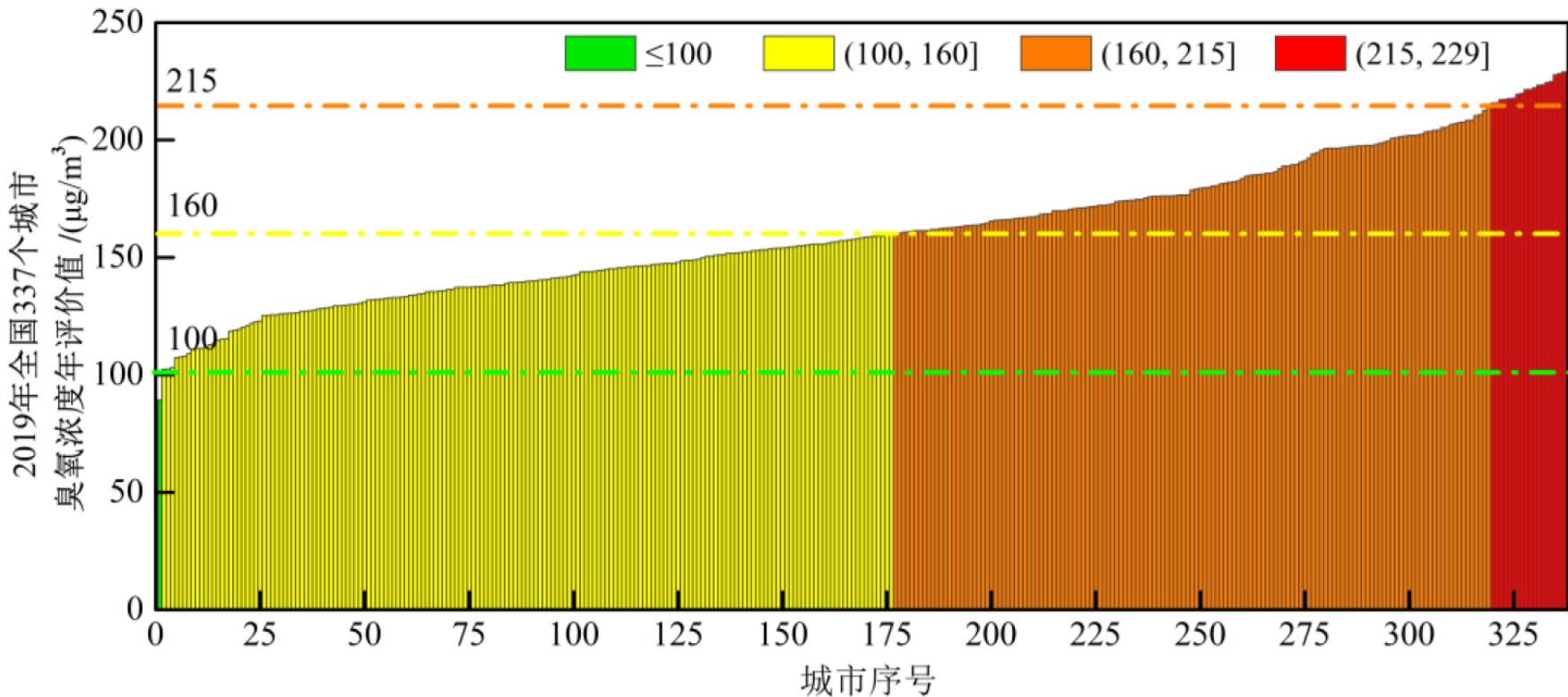
图例:

- $O_3\text{-8h 90PER浓度}/(\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3)$
- [89, 100]
- (100, 120]
- (120, 140]
- (140, 160]
- (160, 180]
- (180, 198]

未包括香港、澳门特别行政区
和台湾省数据

Severe Ozone Pollution over China

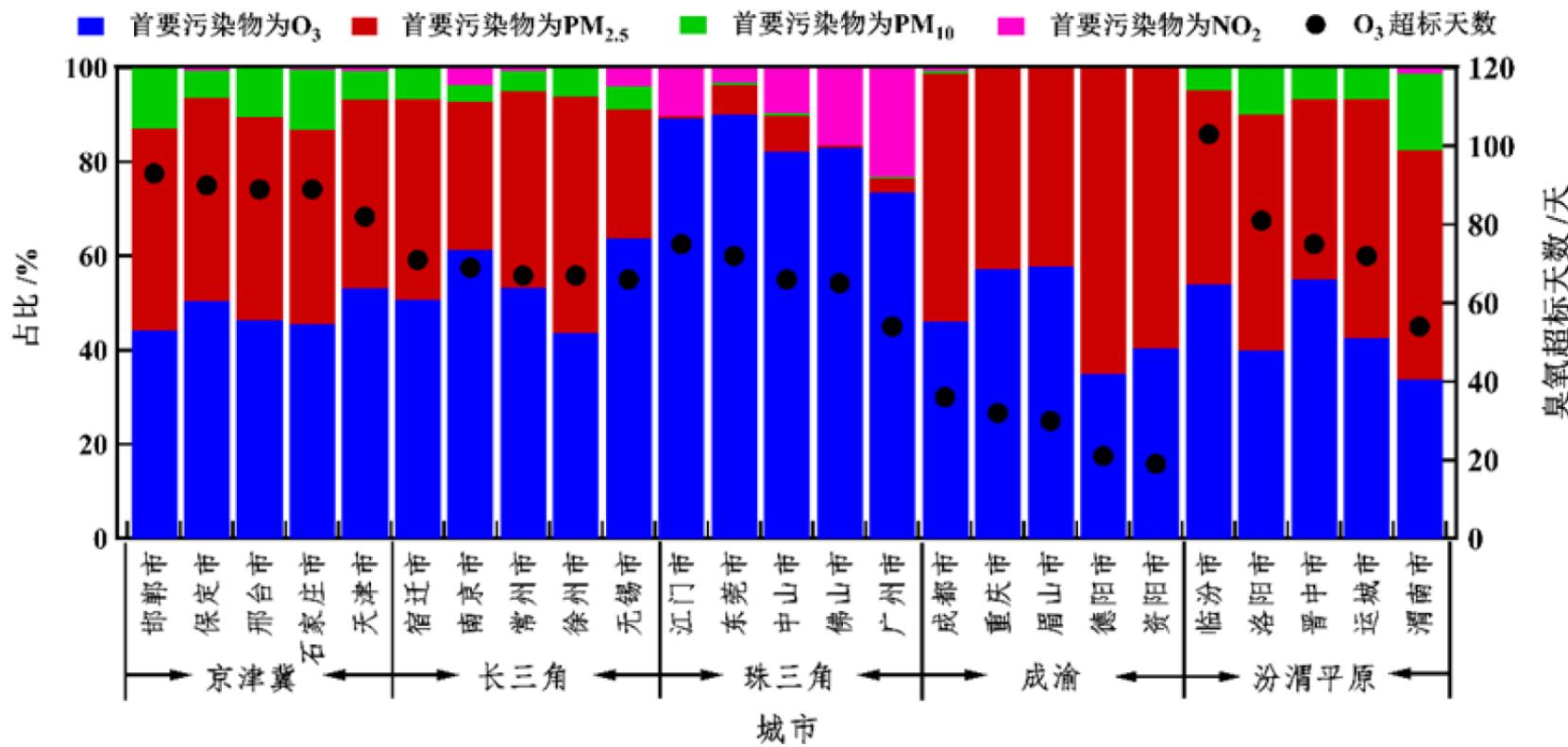
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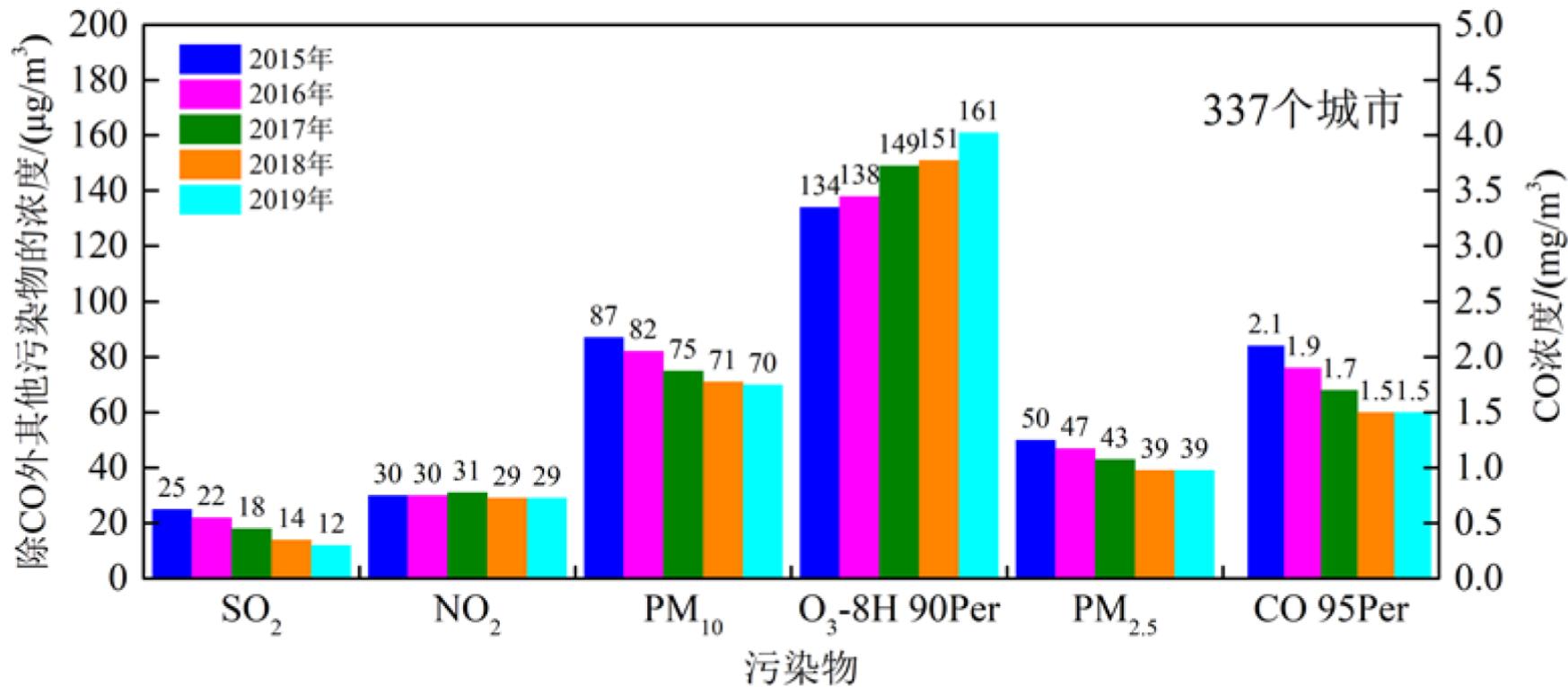
按照我国《环境空气质量评价技术规范（试行）》（HJ663—2013），采用臭氧日最大8小时滑动平均值的第90百分位数（MDA8-90）进行臭氧年评价。

Severe Ozone Pollution over China

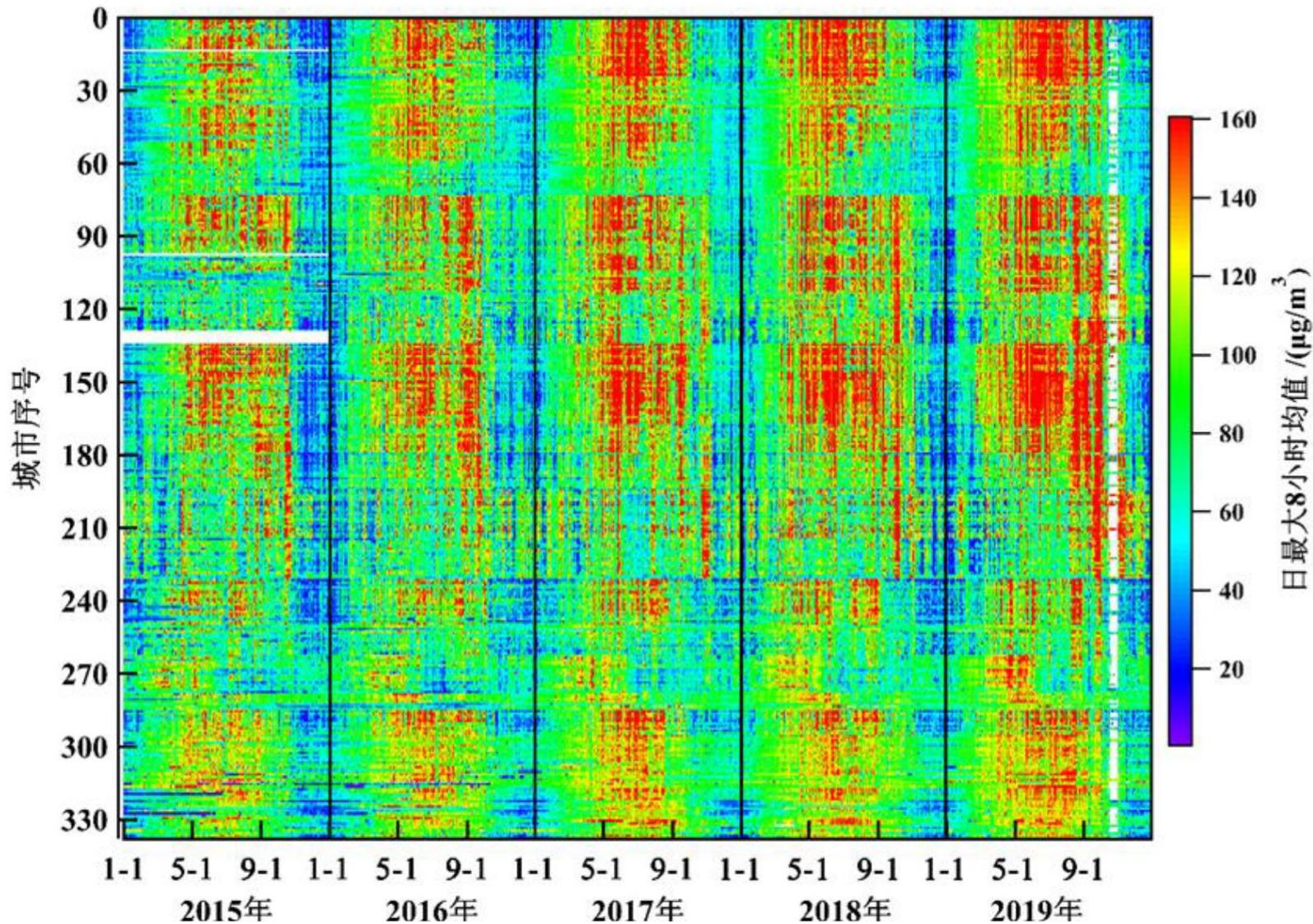
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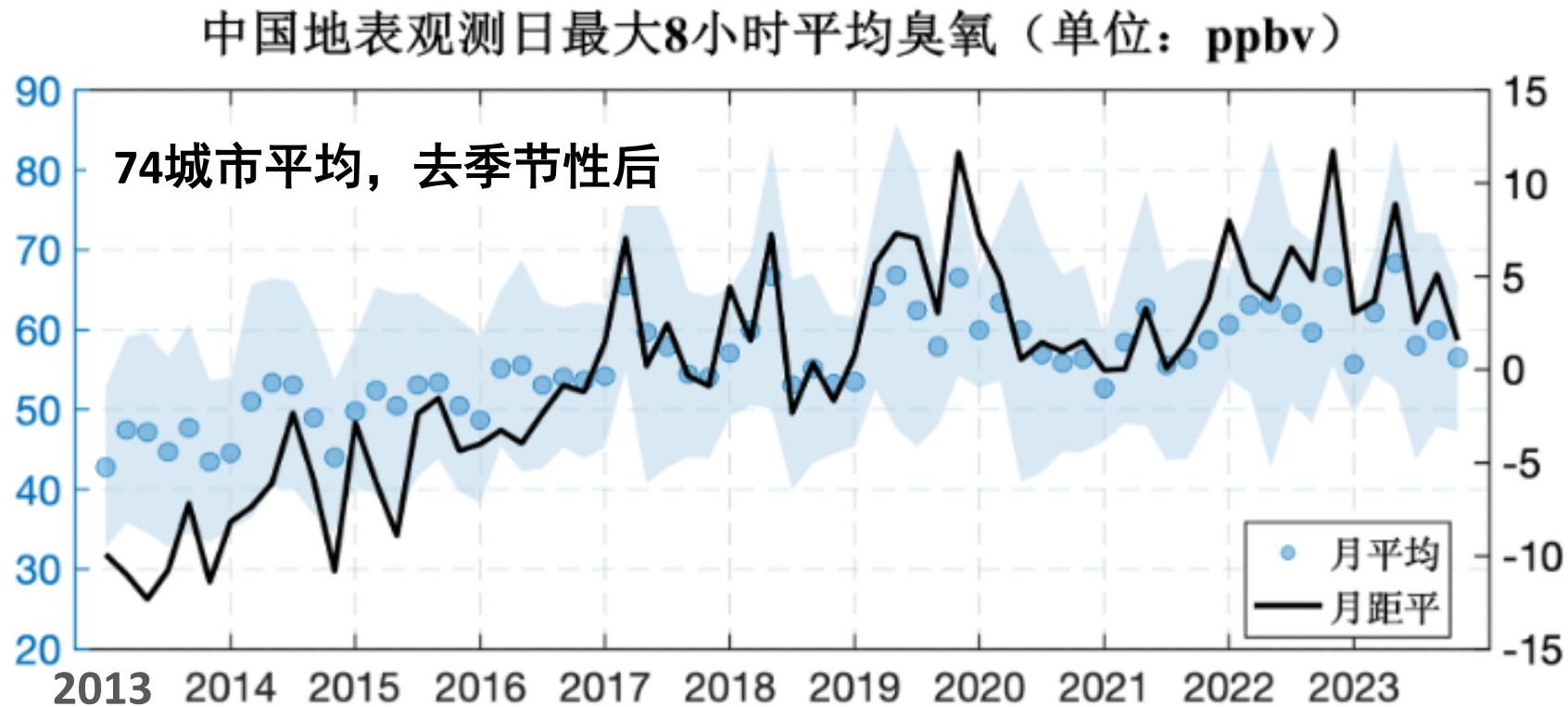
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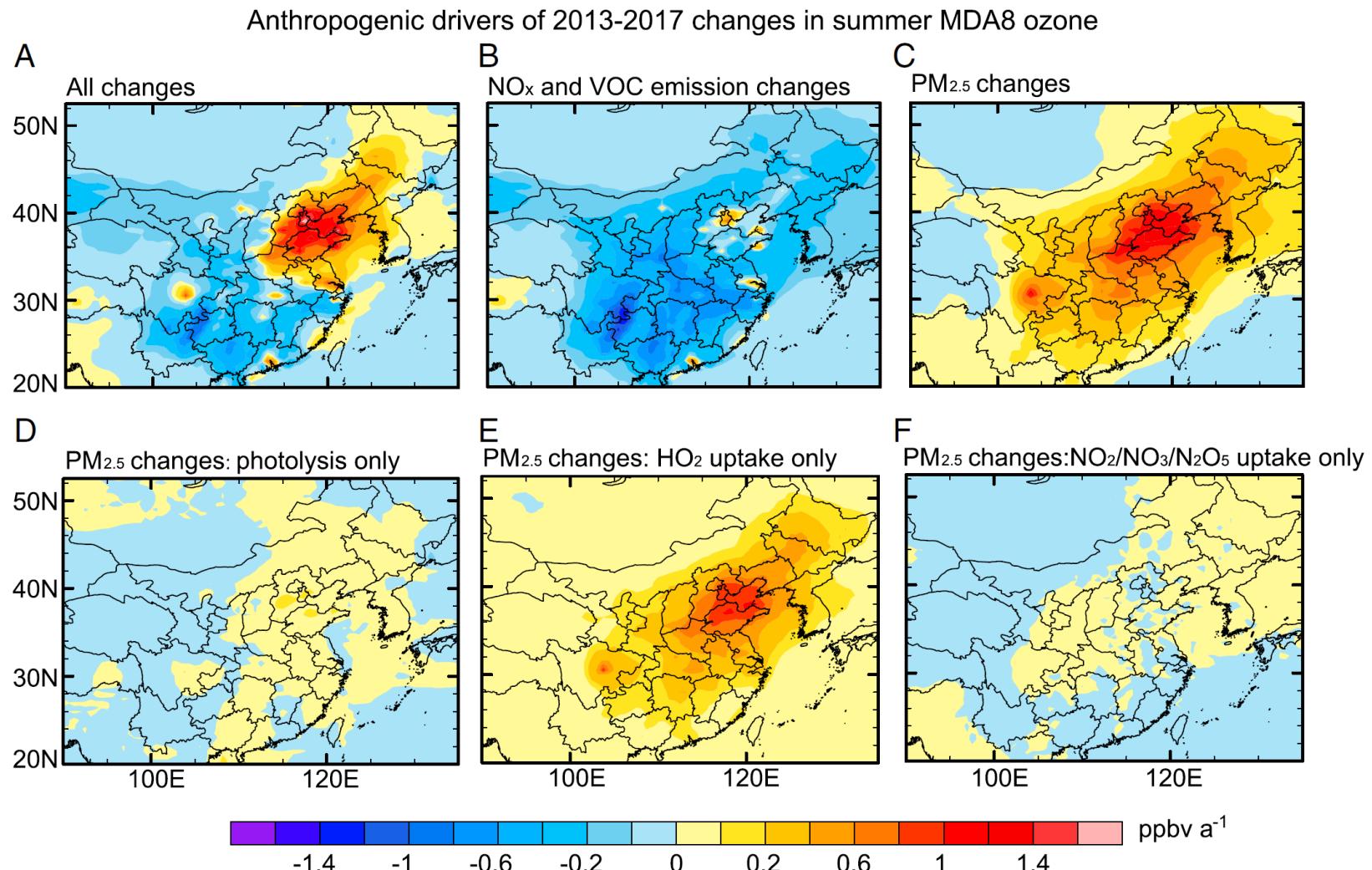


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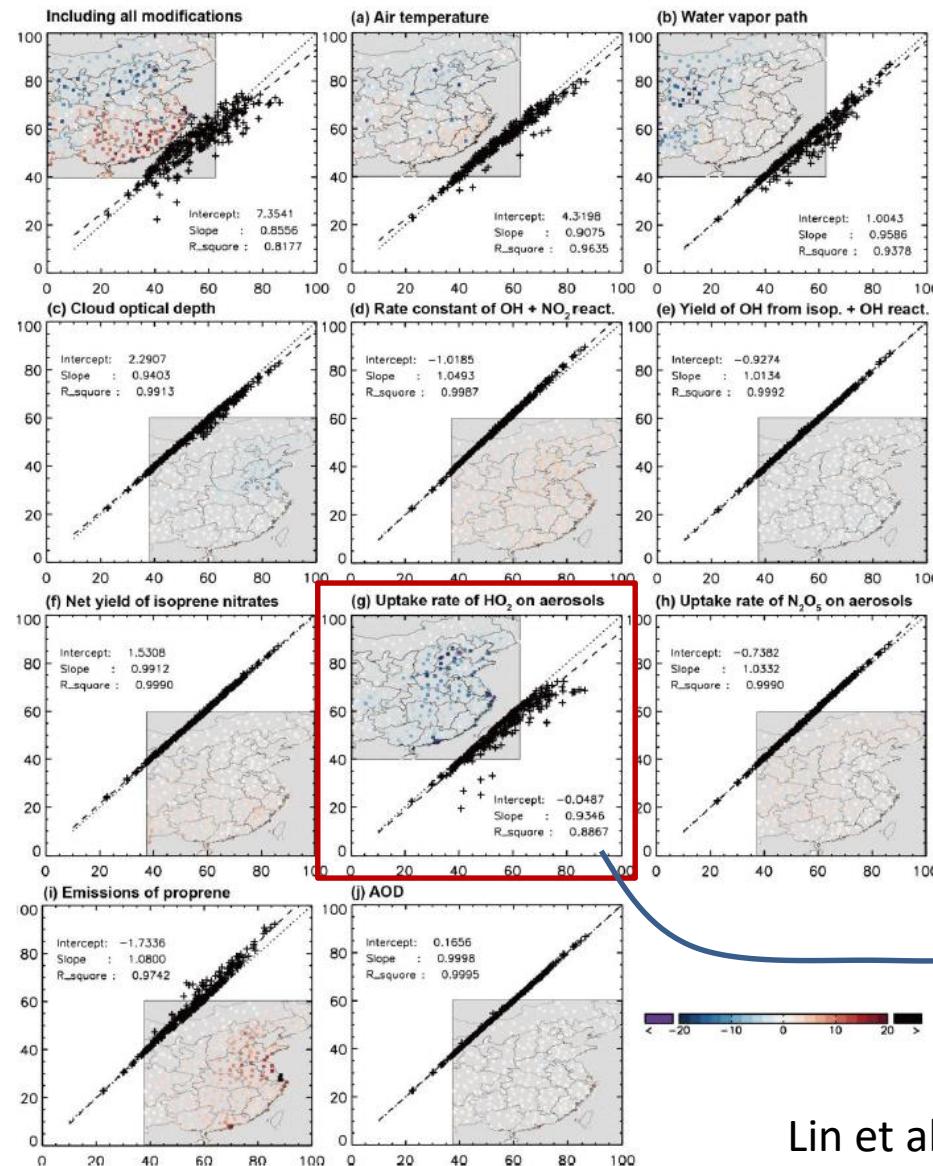


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Controversy in Drivers of Ozone Trend over China



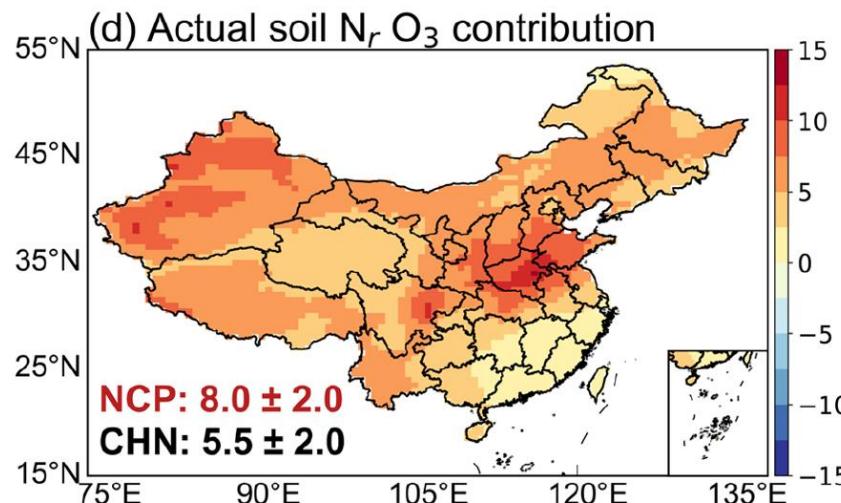
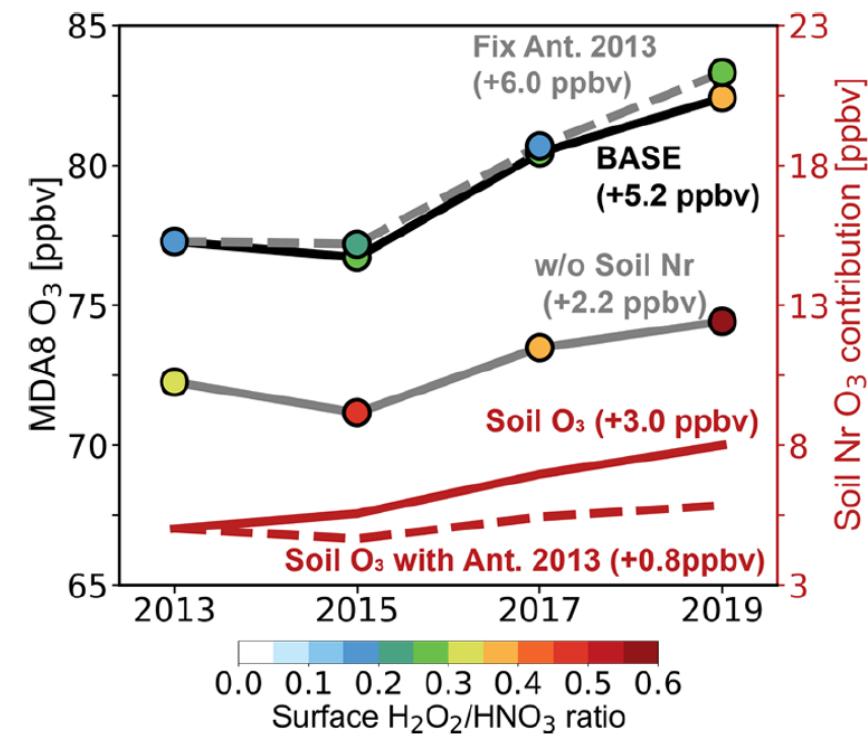
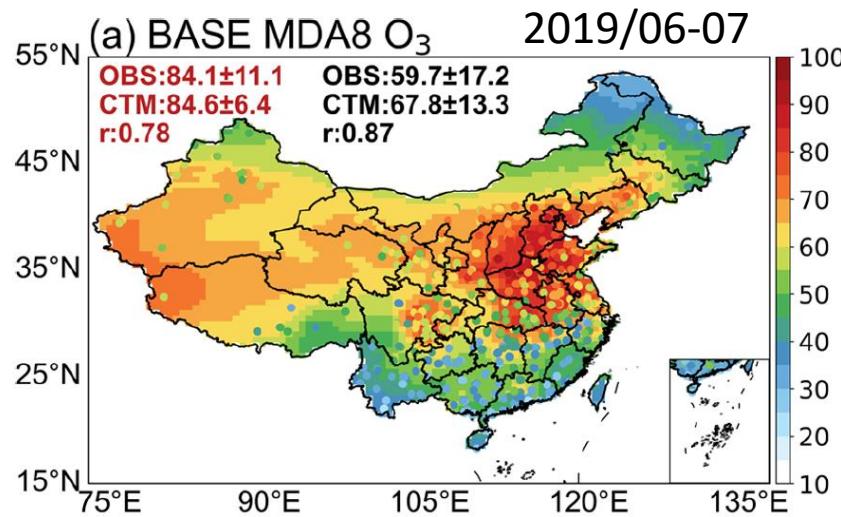
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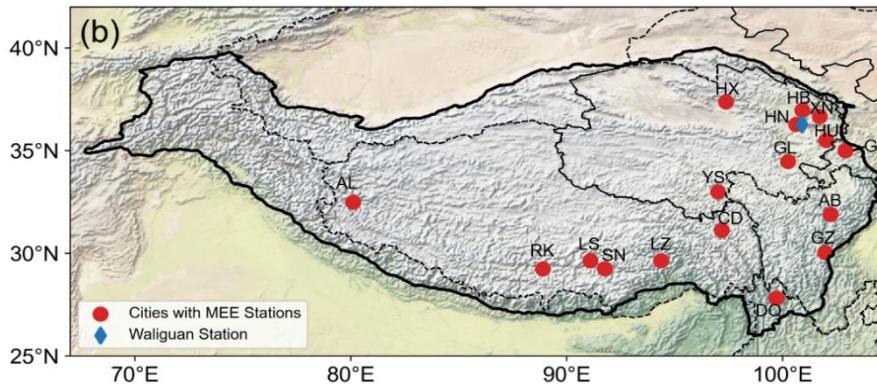
Uptake rate
from 0.07 to 0.2

Lin et al., 2012, ACPD

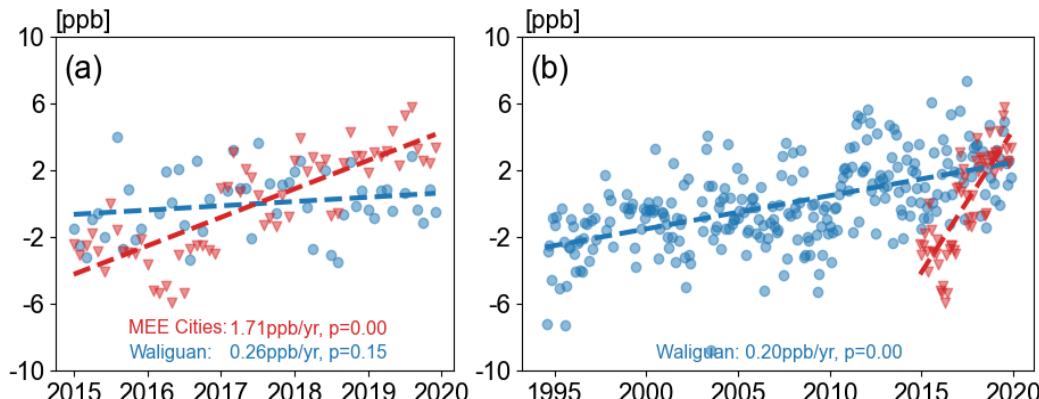
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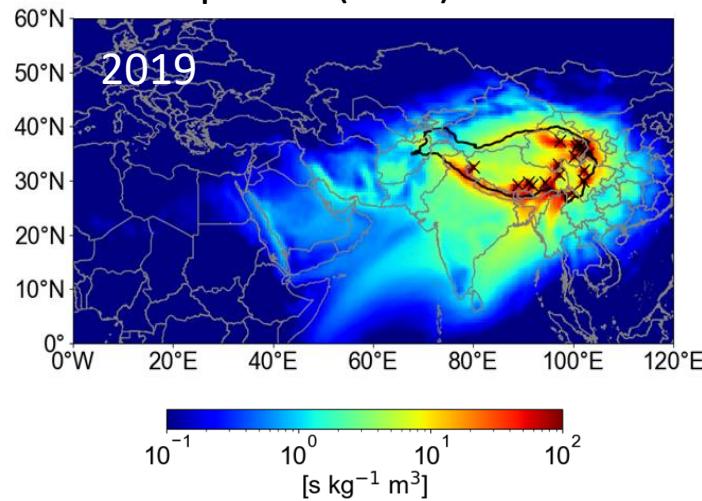
Rapid Ozone Growth over Tibet Plateau Caused by Local and Nonlocal Sources



Deseasonalized ozone growth

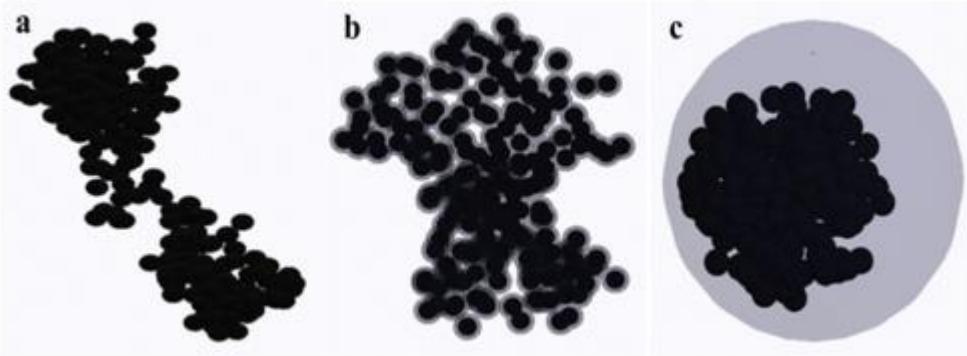
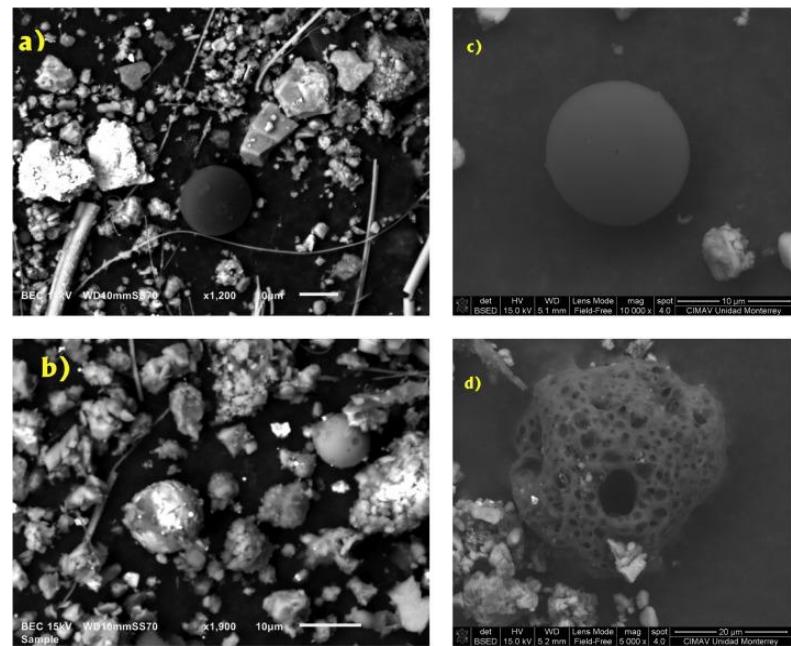
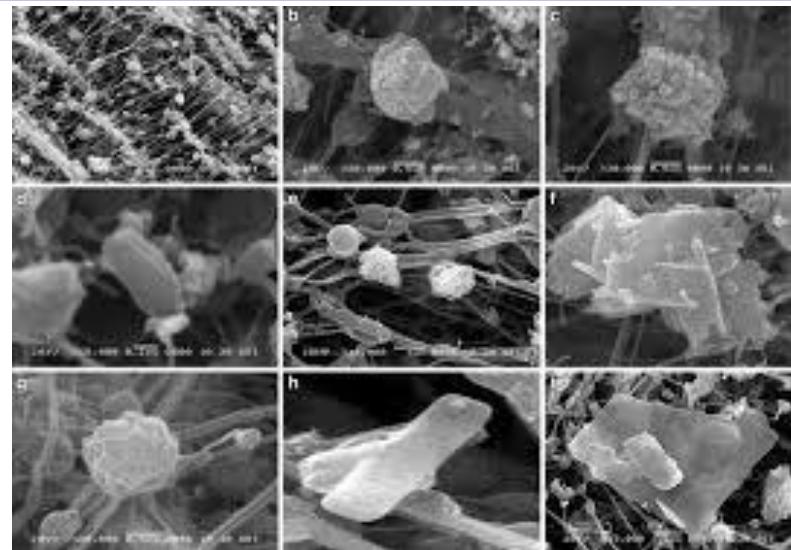
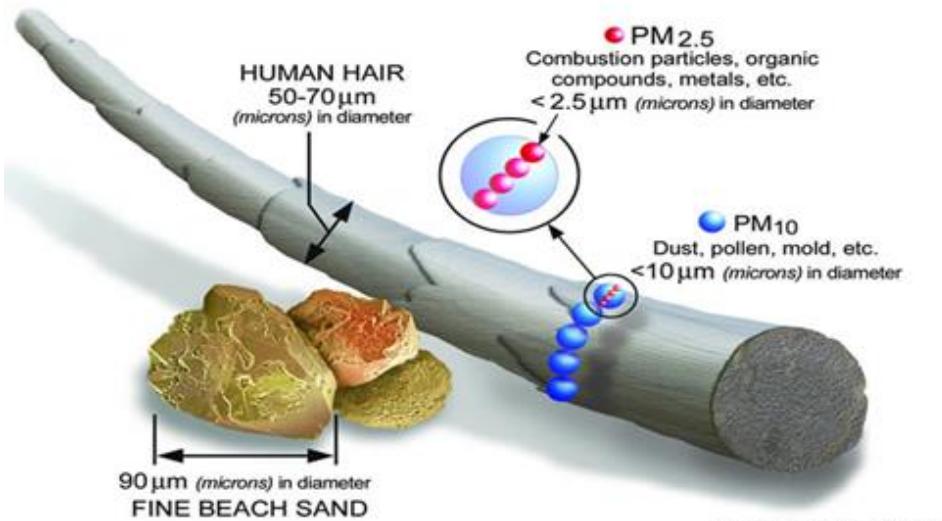


Quantity Emitted into
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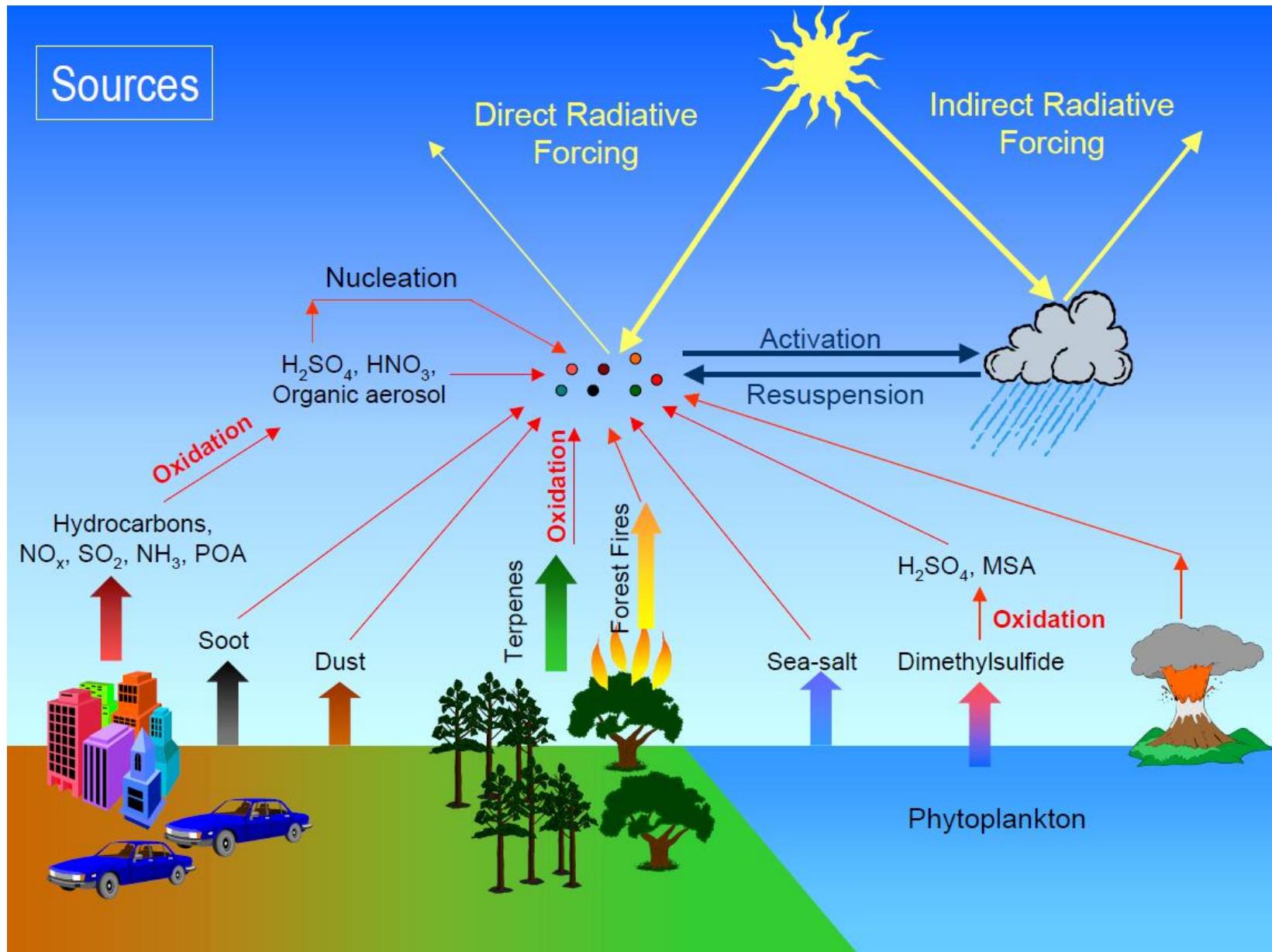


Xu et al., ACP, submitted

Morphology of Particulate Matter



PM Sources, Sinks, and Transformation



PM Air Pollution: Sources and Sizes

◆ Primary aerosols: anthropogenic and natural; small and large

- BC, POC – anthropogenic; typically small, i.e., $\leq 2.5 \mu\text{m}$
- Industrial dust – anthropogenic; small and large
- Fugitive dust – anthropogenic; small and large
- Desert dust – natural; small and large; not important except in spring
- Sea salt – natural; small and large; not important over non-coastal lands

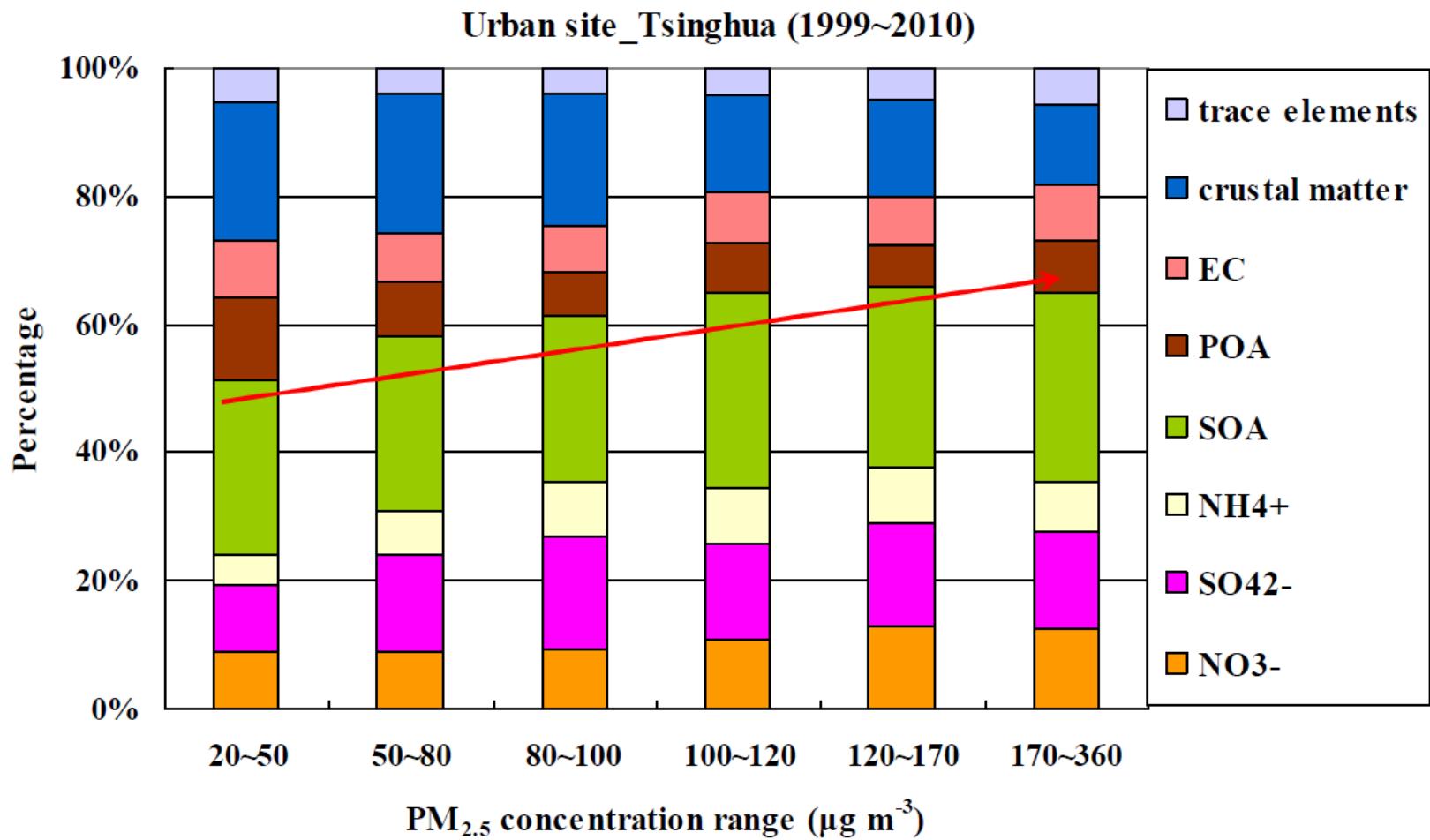
◆ Secondary aerosols: mostly anthropogenic; mostly small

- Sulfate – anthropogenic; small
- Nitrate – anthropogenic; typically small
- Ammonium – anthropogenic; small
- SOA – anthropogenic and natural; typically small; natural sources important mainly in summertime

Chemical Formation of Secondary Inorganic Aerosols

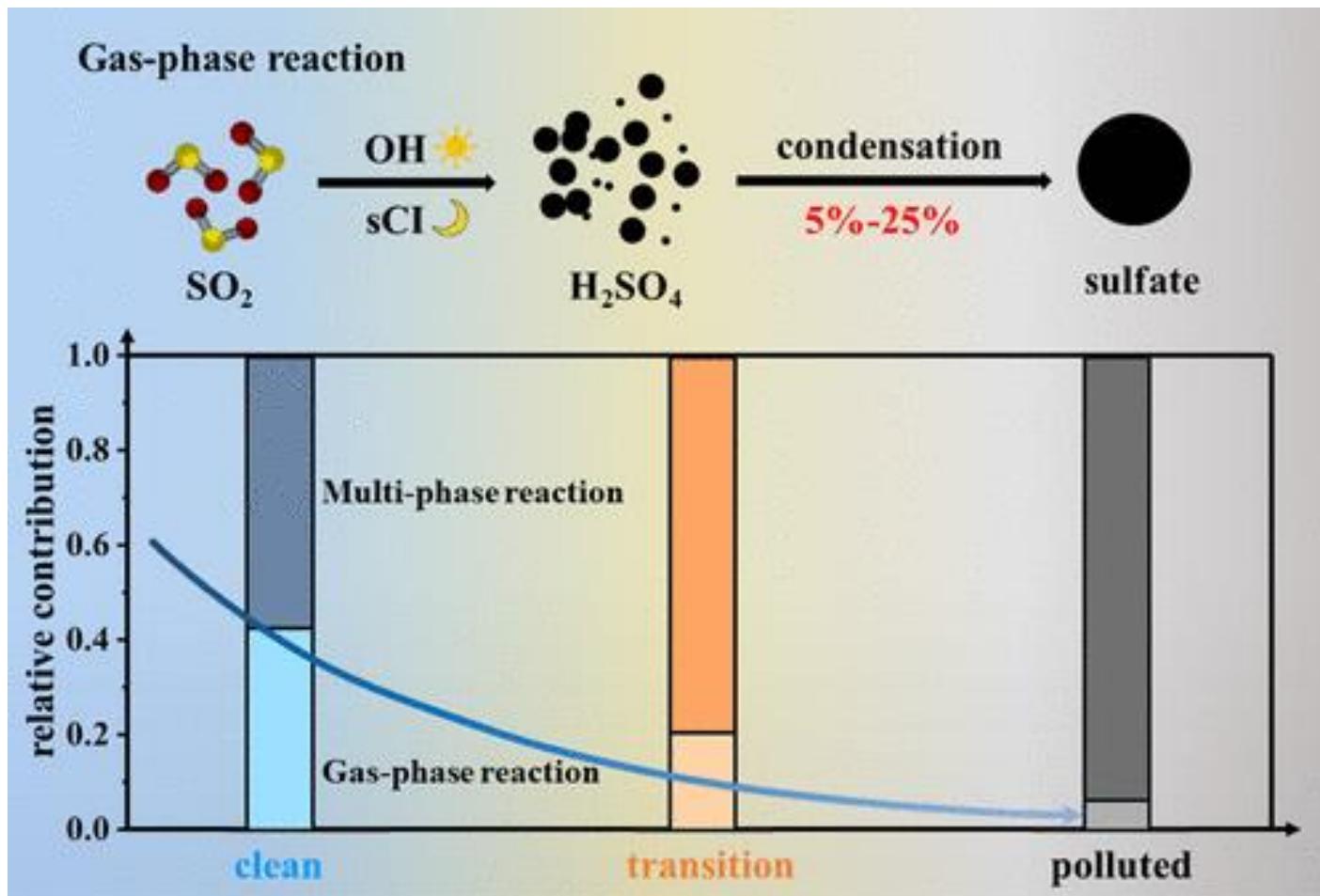
Type	Reaction #.	Reaction	Contributions to PM _{2.5}
<i>original CMAQ</i>			
Gas-phase chemistry (All species in gas phase)	R1	$\text{SO}_2 + \text{OH} + \text{H}_2\text{O} + \text{O}_2 \rightarrow \text{H}_2\text{SO}_4 + \text{HO}_2$	Sulfate
	R2	$\text{NO}_2 + \text{OH} \rightarrow \text{HNO}_3$	Nitrate
	R3	$\text{N}_2\text{O}_5 + \text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow 2\text{HNO}_3$	Nitrate
	R4	$\text{NO}_3 + \text{HO}_2 \rightarrow \text{HNO}_3 + \text{O}_2$	Nitrate
	R5	$\text{NTR}^a + \text{OH} \rightarrow \text{HNO}_3$	Nitrate
	R6	$\text{NO}_3 + \text{VOCs}^b \rightarrow \text{HNO}_3$	Nitrate
Aqueous-phase kinetic chemistry (All species in aqueous phase)	R7	$\text{HSO}_3^- + \text{H}_2\text{O}_2 \rightarrow \text{SO}_4^{2-} + \text{H}^+ + \text{H}_2\text{O}$	Sulfate
	R8	$\text{HSO}_3^- + \text{MHP}^c \rightarrow \text{SO}_4^{2-} + \text{H}^+$	Sulfate
	R9	$\text{HSO}_3^- + \text{PAA}^d \rightarrow \text{SO}_4^{2-} + \text{H}^+$	Sulfate
	R10	$\text{SO}_2 + \text{O}_3 + \text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow \text{SO}_4^{2-} + 2\text{H}^+ + \text{O}_2$	Sulfate
	R11	$\text{HSO}_3^- + \text{O}_3 \rightarrow \text{SO}_4^{2-} + \text{H}^+ + \text{O}_2$	Sulfate
	R12	$\text{SO}_3^{2-} + \text{O}_3 \rightarrow \text{SO}_4^{2-} + \text{O}_2$	Sulfate
	R13	$\text{SO}_2 + \text{H}_2\text{O} + 0.5\text{O}_2 + \text{Fe(III)}/\text{Mn(II)} \rightarrow \text{SO}_4^{2-} + 2\text{H}^+$	Sulfate
Heterogeneous chemistry ^e	R14	$\text{N}_2\text{O}_5 (\text{g}) + \text{H}_2\text{O} (\text{aq}) \rightarrow 2\text{HNO}_3 (\text{aq})$	Nitrate
	R15	$2\text{NO}_2 (\text{g}) + \text{H}_2\text{O} (\text{aq}) \rightarrow \text{HONO} (\text{aq}) + \text{HNO}_3 (\text{aq})$	Nitrate
<i>revised CMAQ</i>			
Newly added heterogeneous chemistry	R16	$\text{H}_2\text{O}_2 (\text{g}) + \text{Aerosol} \rightarrow \text{Products}$	Affect R7
	R17	$\text{HNO}_3 (\text{g}) + \text{Aerosol} \rightarrow 0.5\text{NO}_3^- + 0.5\text{NO}_x (\text{g})$	Renoxification
	R18	$\text{HO}_2 (\text{g}) + \text{Fe(II)} \rightarrow \text{Fe(III)} + \text{H}_2\text{O}_2$	Affect R4 and R7
	R19	$\text{N}_2\text{O}_5 (\text{g}) + \text{Aerosol} \rightarrow 2\text{NO}_3^-$	Nitrate
	R20	$\text{NO}_2 (\text{g}) + \text{Aerosol} \rightarrow \text{NO}_3^-$	Nitrate
	R21	$\text{NO}_3 (\text{g}) + \text{Aerosol} \rightarrow \text{NO}_3^-$	Nitrate
	R22	$\text{O}_3 (\text{g}) + \text{Aerosol} \rightarrow \text{Products}$	Affect R10–R12
	R23	$\text{OH} (\text{g}) + \text{Aerosol} \rightarrow \text{Products}$	Affect R1–R2, R5
	R24	$\text{SO}_2 (\text{g}) + \text{Aerosol} \rightarrow \text{SO}_4^{2-}$	Sulfate

Growing Fraction of Secondary PM_{2.5} with Haze Severity



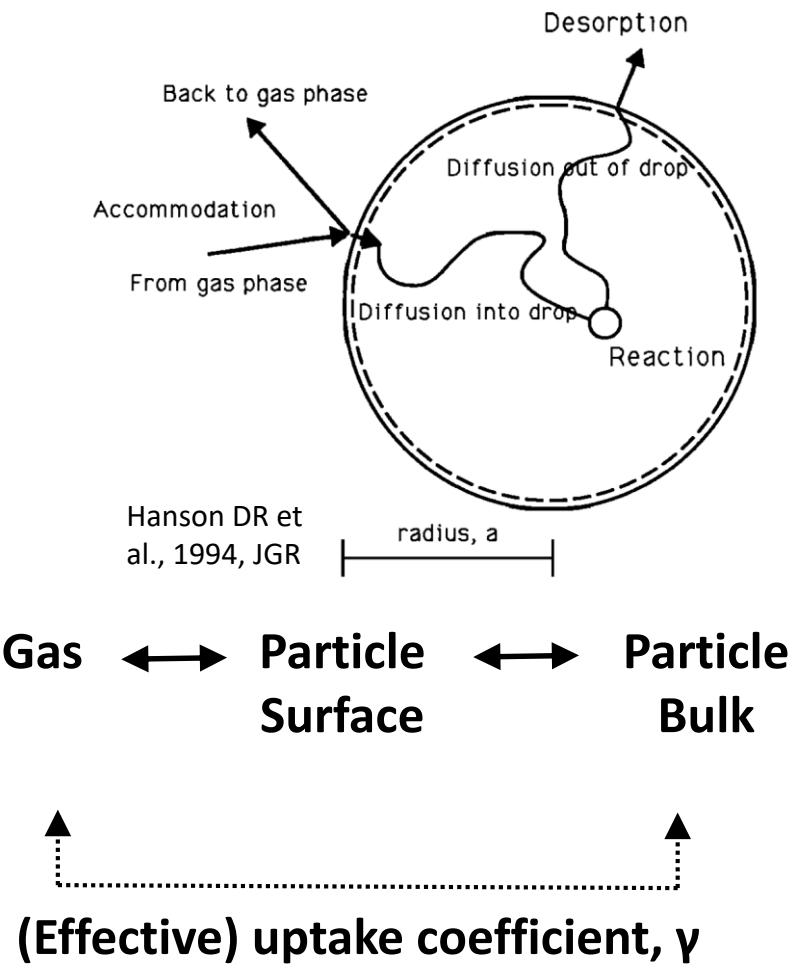
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Increasing Importance of Heterogeneous Processes in Sulfate Formation at High PM Situations



Wang et al., ESTL, 2025

Heterogeneous Process



➤ Key processes:

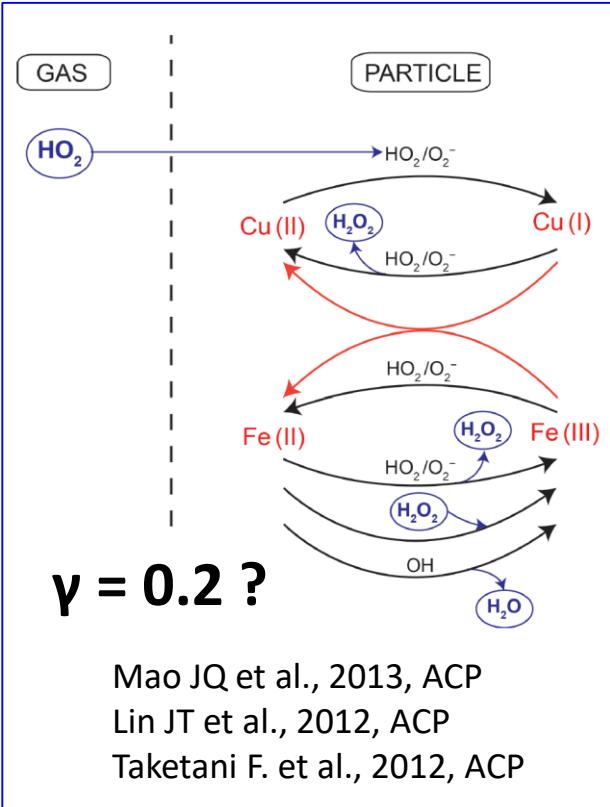
- HO₂ uptake
- Sulfate formation
- NO₂, N₂O₅, HNO₃, HONO
- Carbon ageing
- Halogen process

➤ Key questions:

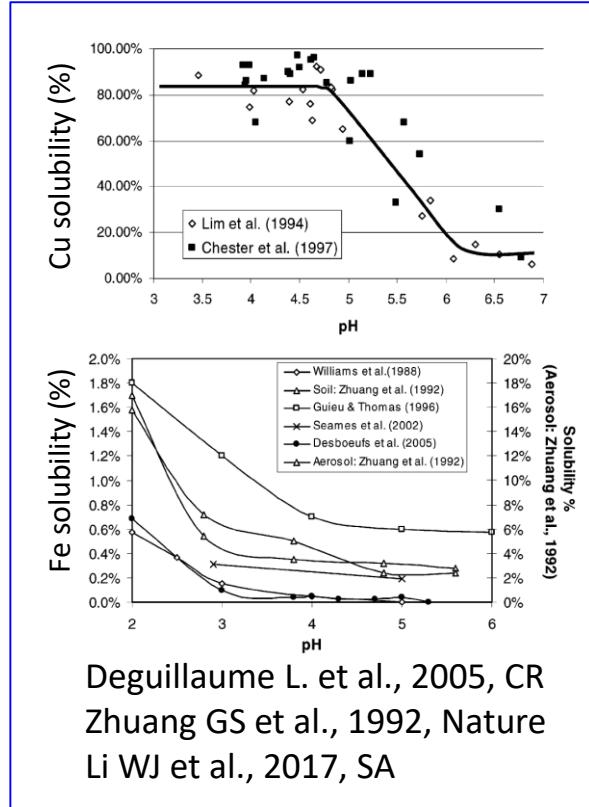
- pH in ambient aerosols
- Amount & chemistry of dissolved TMI
- Roles of organics
- Suitability of current theory & model in polluted cases

Heterogeneous Process: Roles of pH and TMI

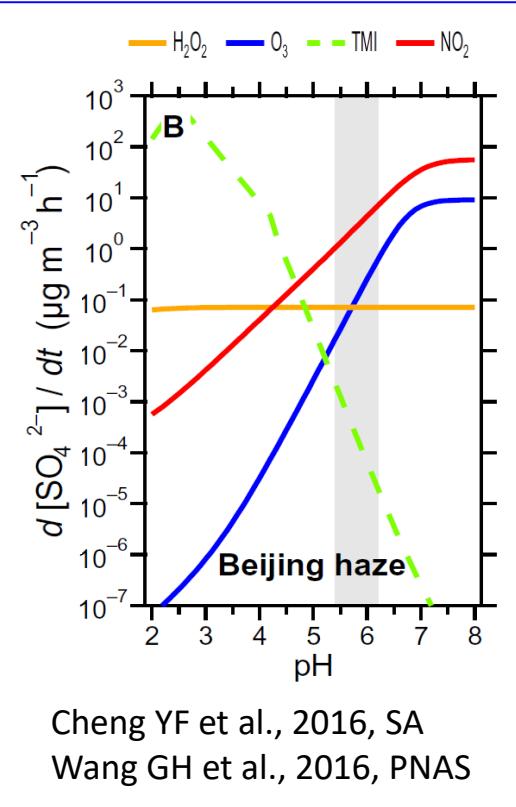
HO₂ Uptake



pH Dependence of TMI



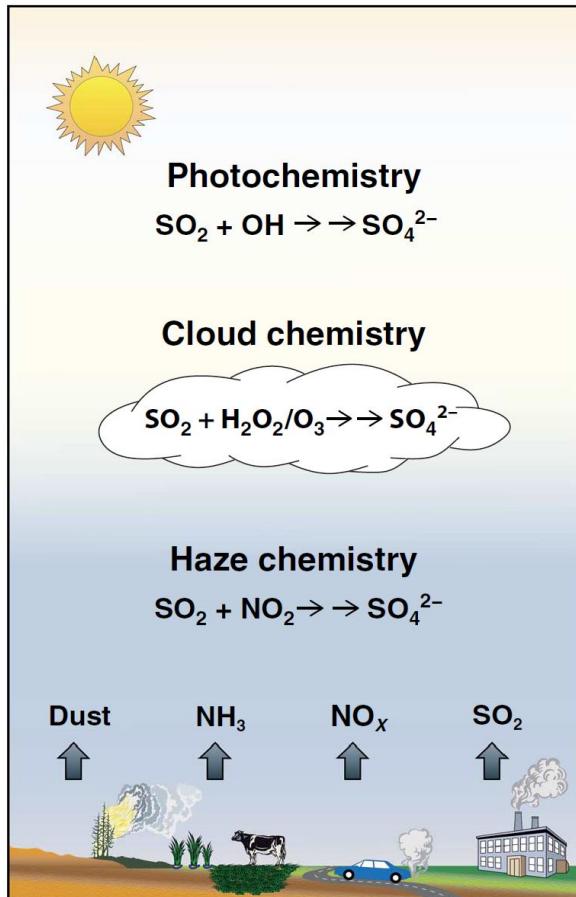
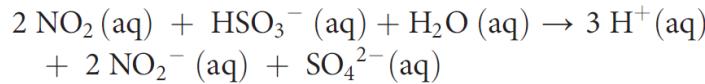
Sulfate Formation



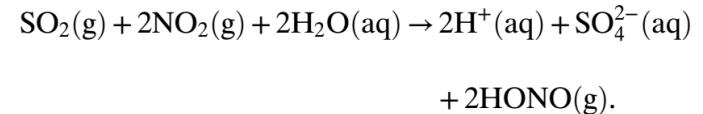
- Mass fraction of Cu in PM over E. China is 1.6-12 times that in the US, but the fraction of dissolved Cu depends on pH and is not clear.
- Roles of dissolved Fe (sole catalytic effect + coupled effect with Cu)?
- Roles of organics?

NO_2 -catalyzed Sulfate Formation at High pH

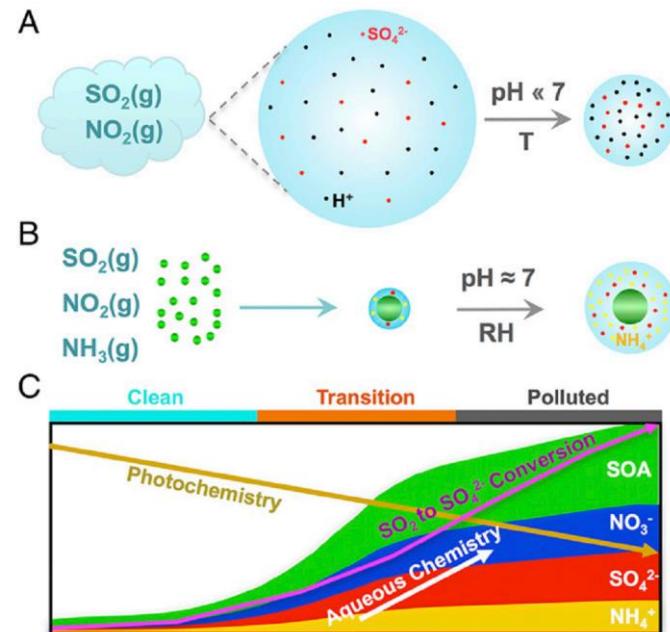
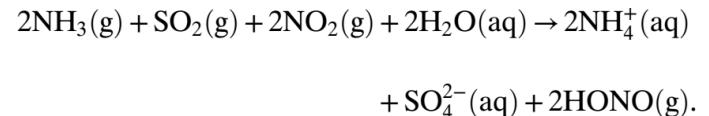
Aqueous phase:



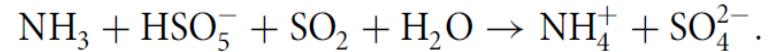
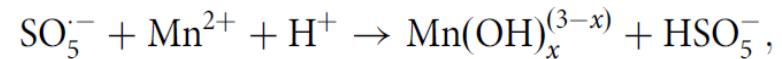
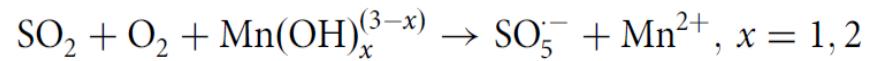
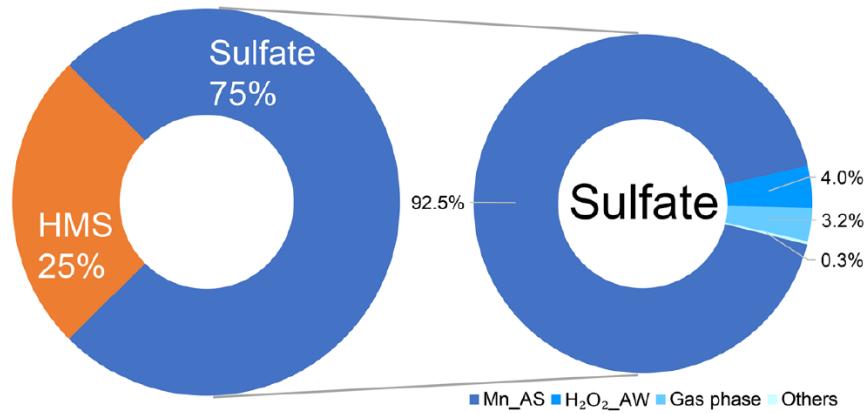
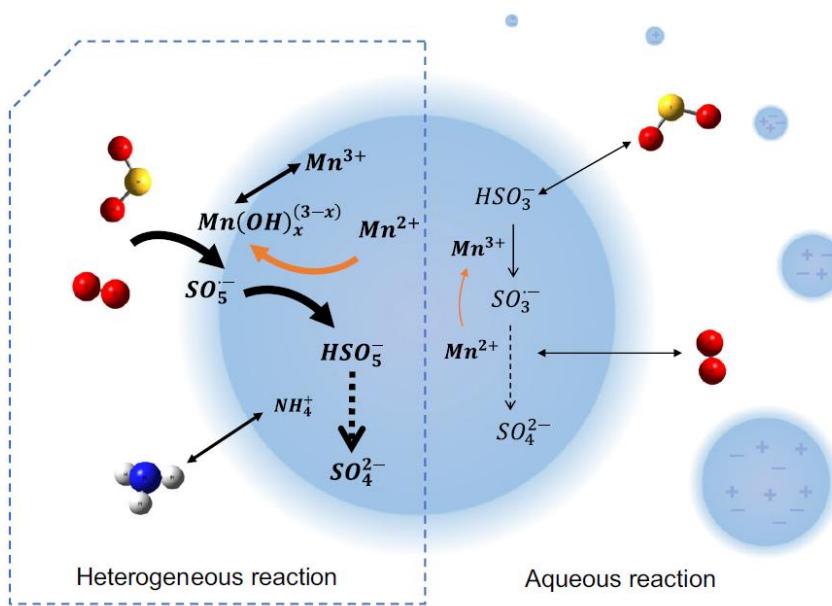
Cloud/fog (large):



Aerosol (small, easily acidified):



Mn-catalyzed Formation of Sulfate on Aerosol Surface



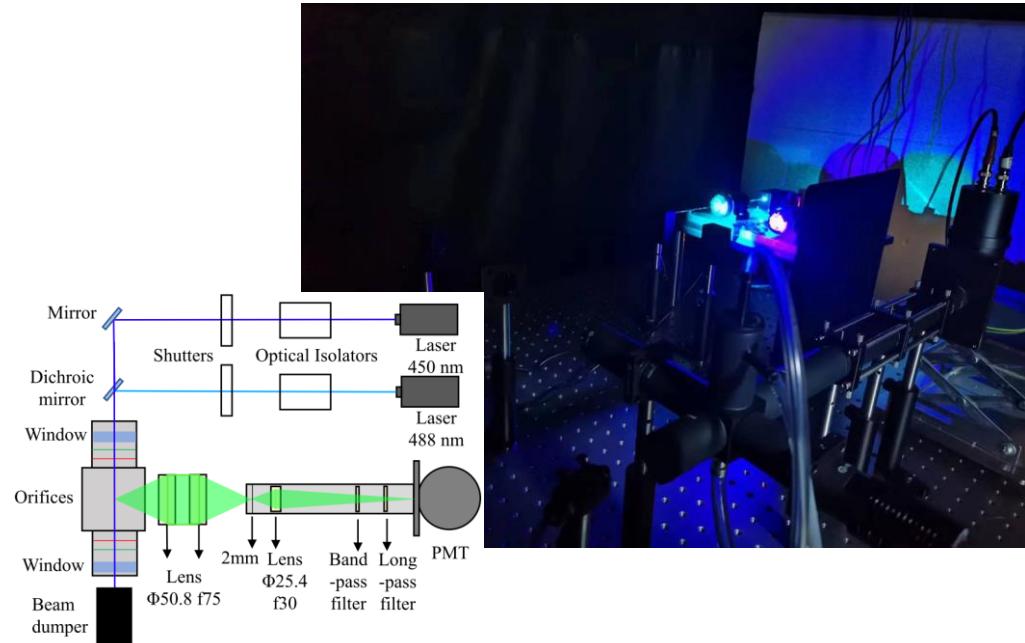
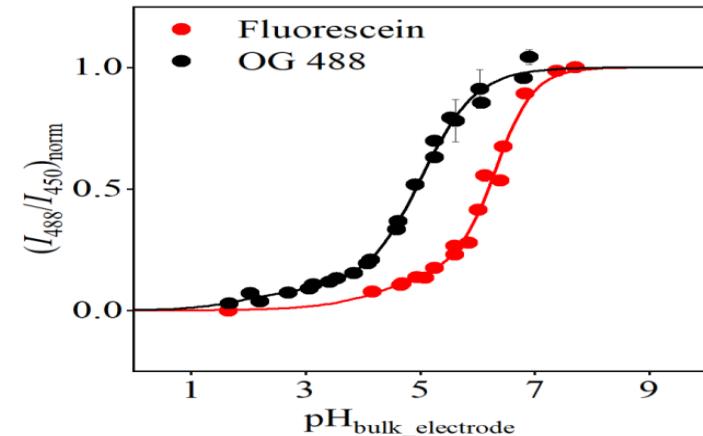
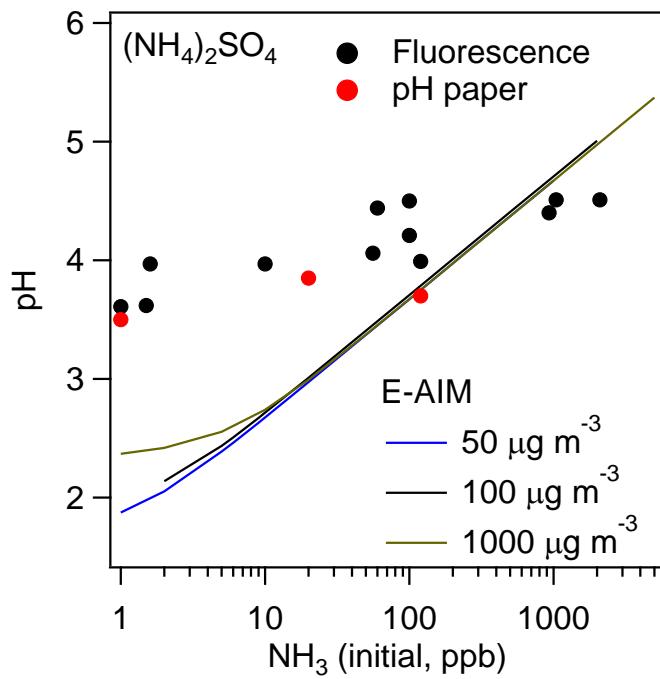
$$\frac{d[SO_4^{2-}]}{dt} = k \times f(H^+) \times f(T) \times f(I) \times [Mn^{2+}] \times [SO_2(g)] \times A$$

Wang et al., 2021, Nature Communications

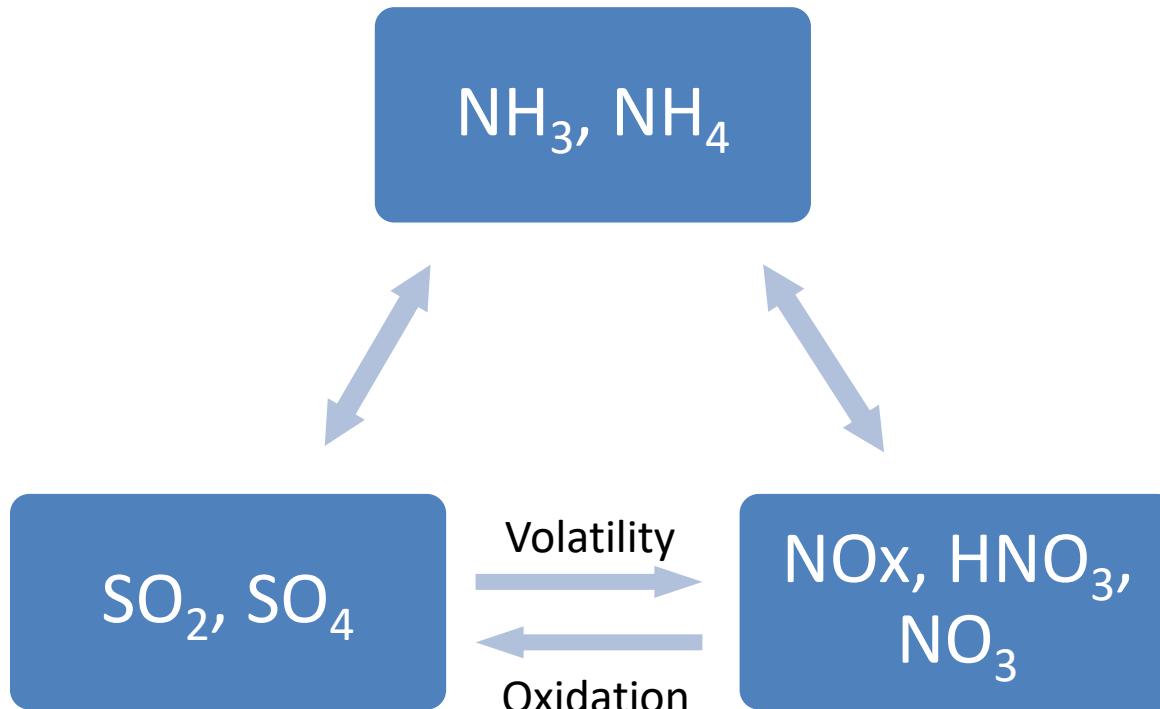
Conquering Challenge of Online Aerosol pH Measurement

Mikinori Kuwata @ PKU:

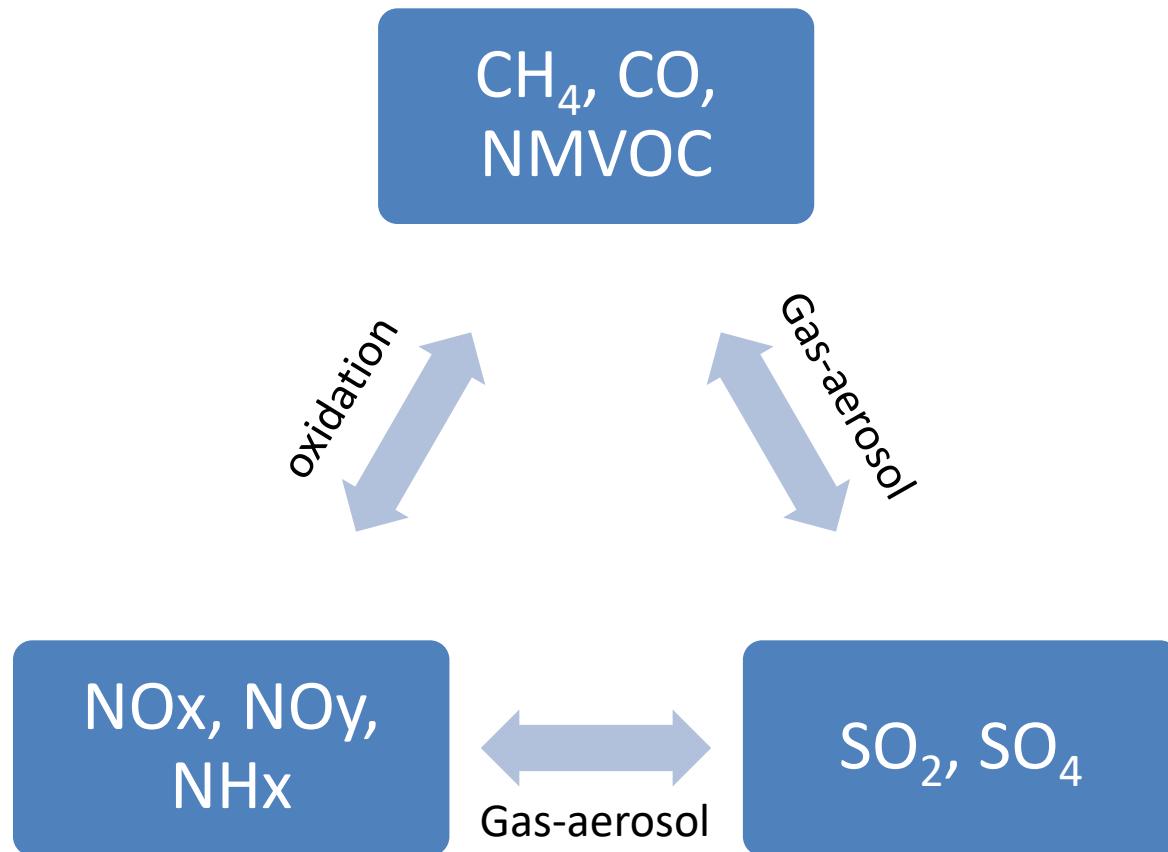
- The only one instrument that is capable to measure pH of suspending sub-micrometer aerosol particles (Li and Kuwata, 2023)
- First demonstration of the limitation of thermodynamic models for estimating pH



Sulfate-Nitrate-Ammonium Interactions

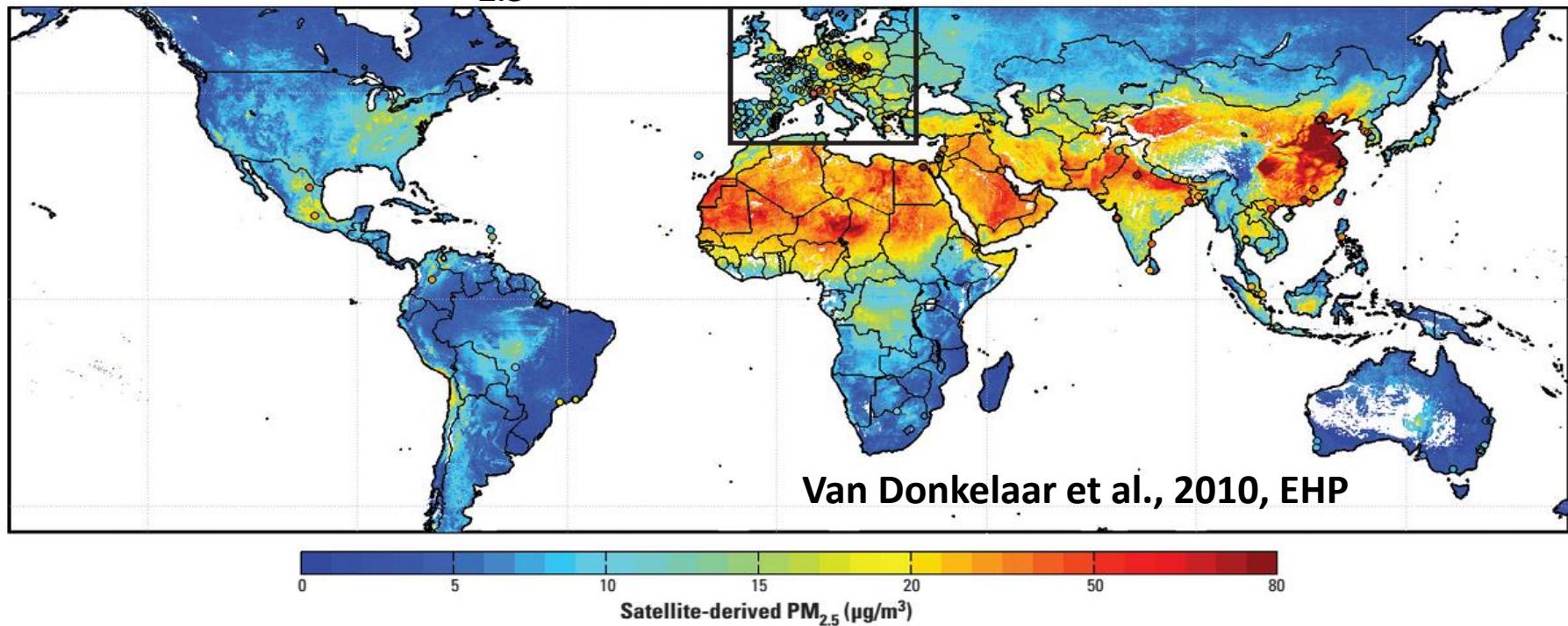


Carbon-Nitrogen-Sulfur Interactions



China Has World's Most Severe PM Pollution

Surface PM_{2.5} concentration derived from satellite



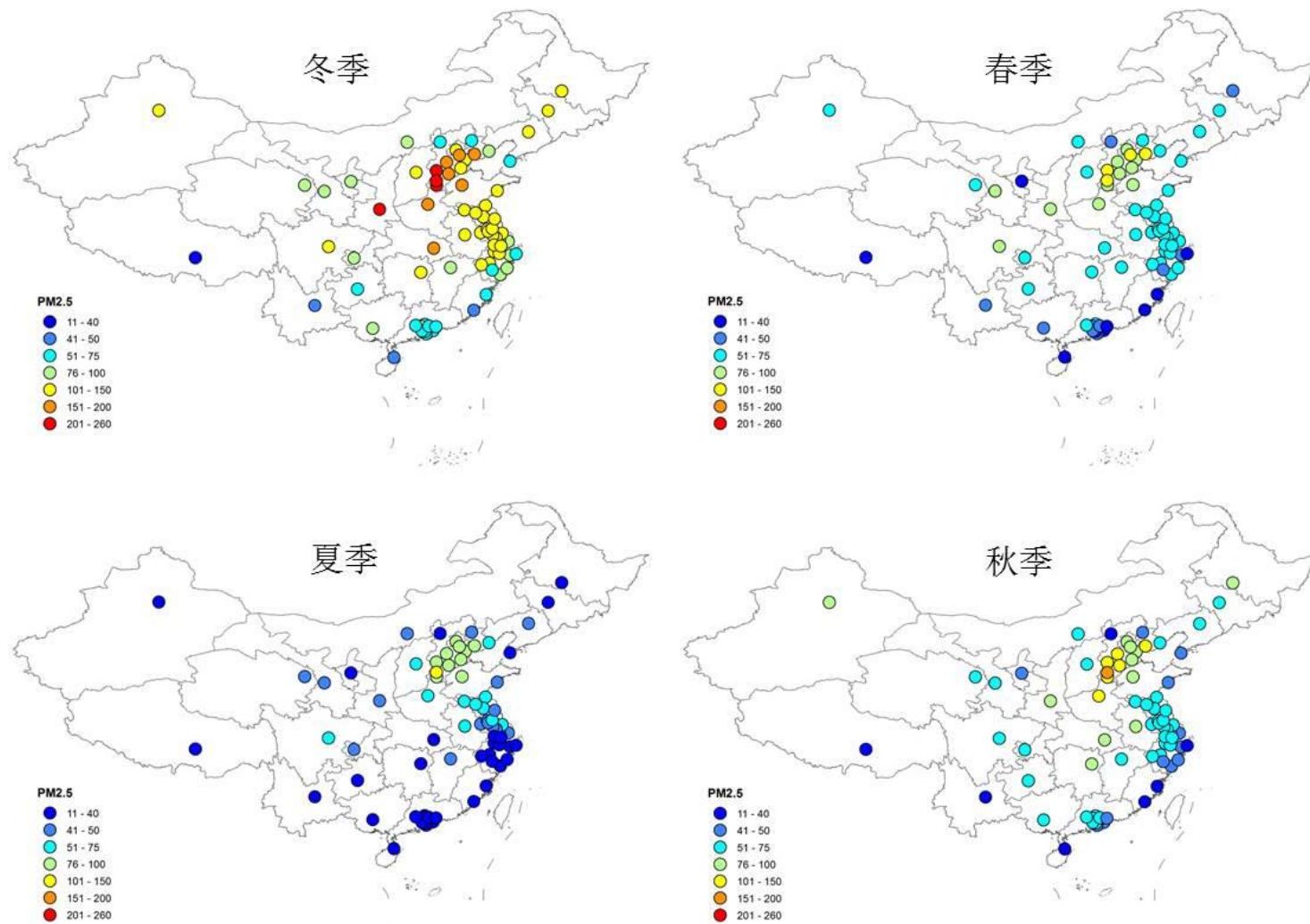
**23,000,000 Chinese
live in areas with $> 100 \mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$**

V.S.

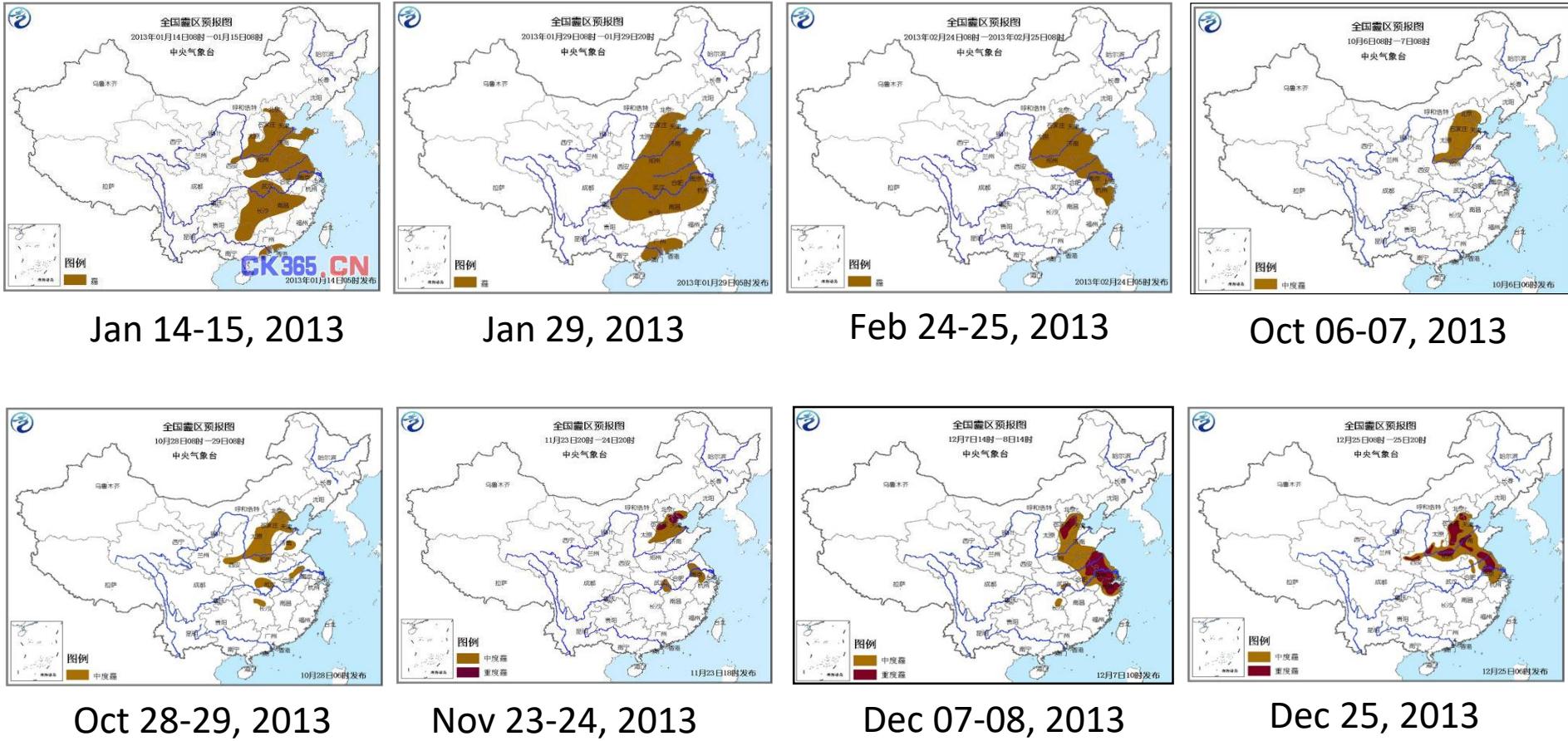
**Beijing in 2013:
90 $\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$**

V.S. WHO Guideline: 10 $\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$, WHO IT1: 35 $\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$

Seasonal Variation of PM_{2.5} in China



Severe Haze in 2013



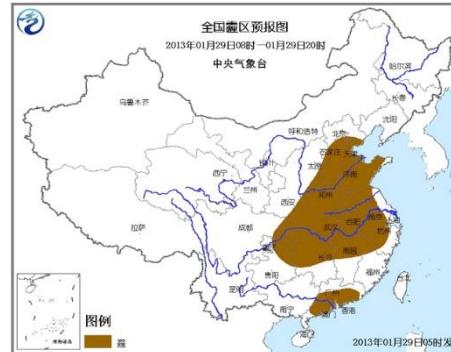
贺克斌, 2014

Severe Haze in January 2013

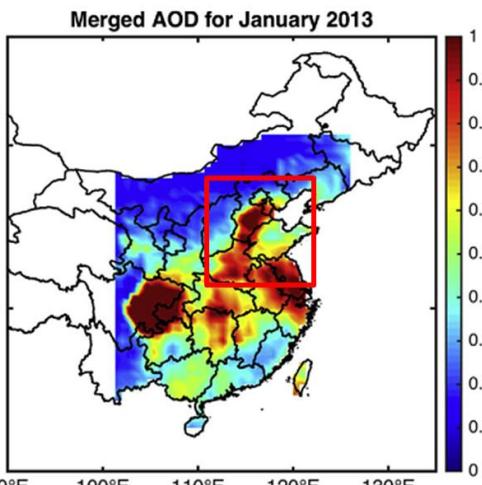
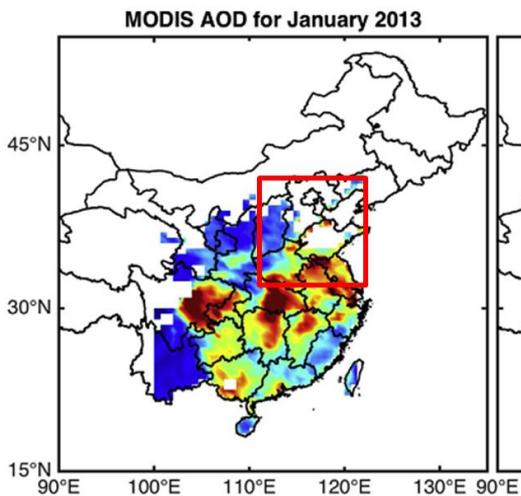
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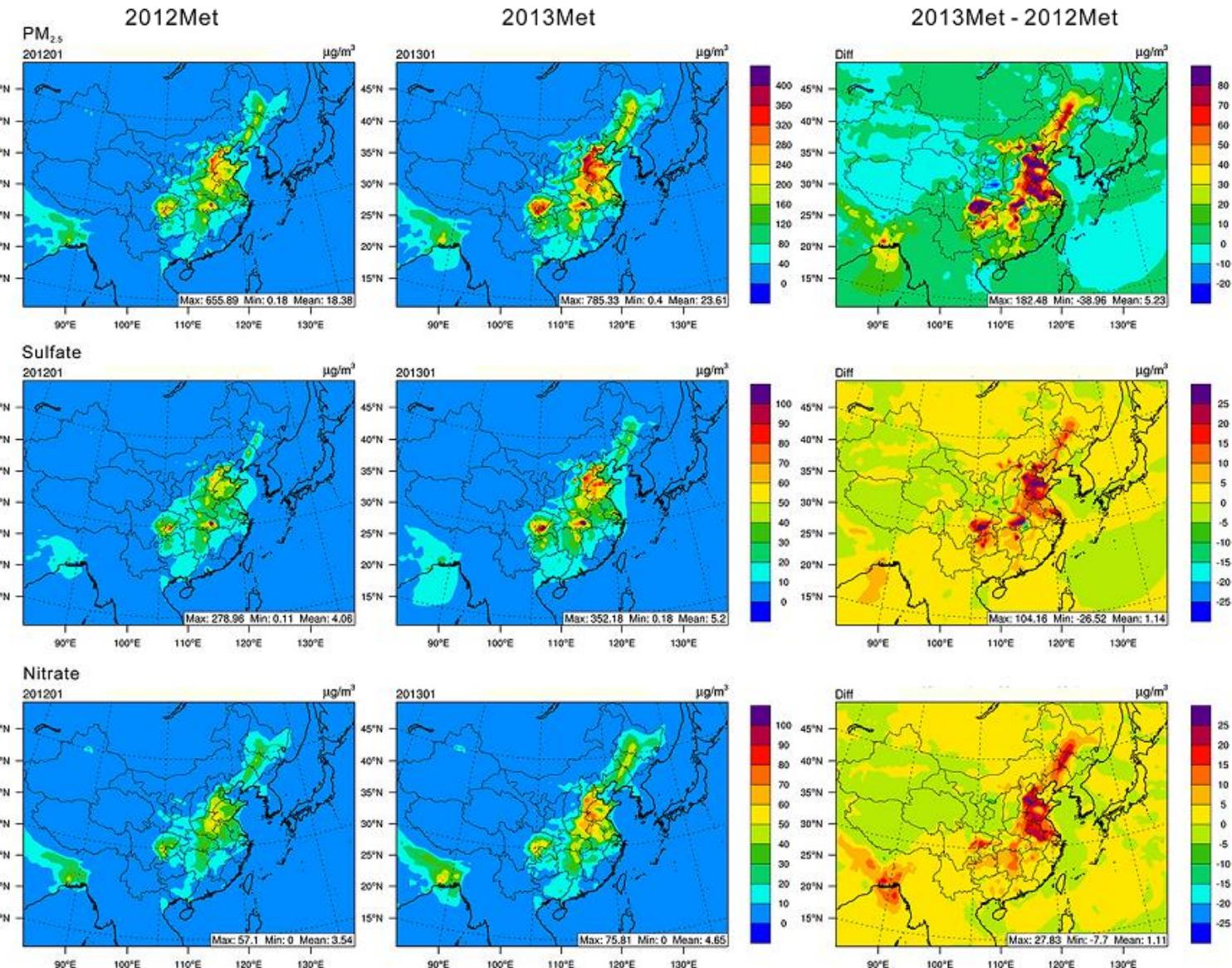


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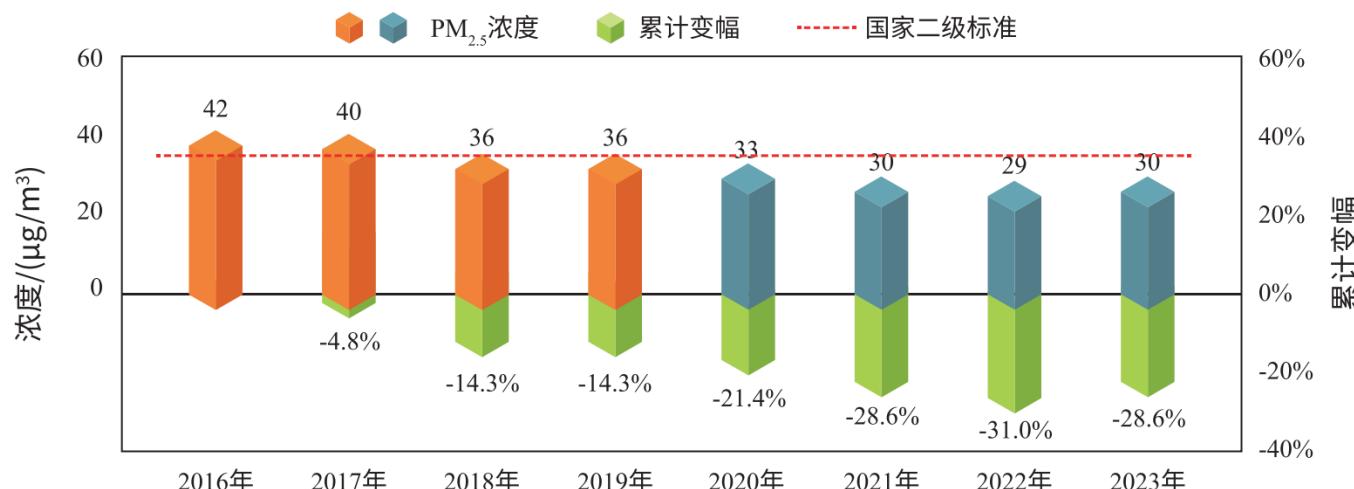
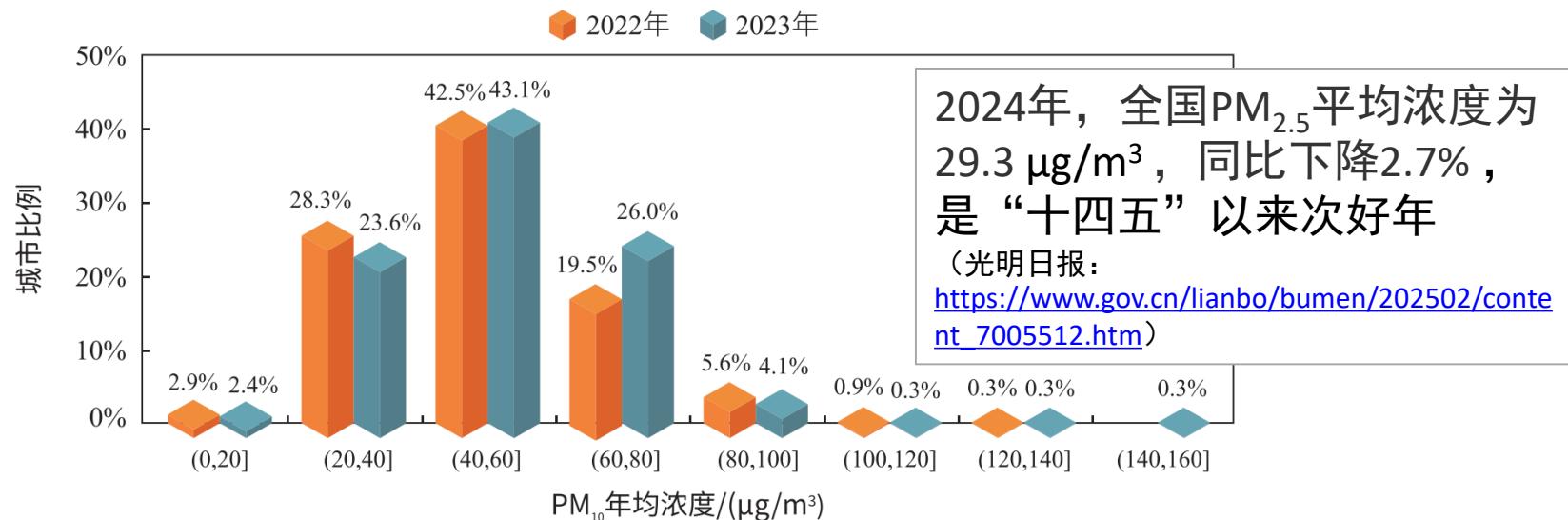


Lin and Li, AE, 2016

Contribution of Meteorology to Jan 2013 Haze

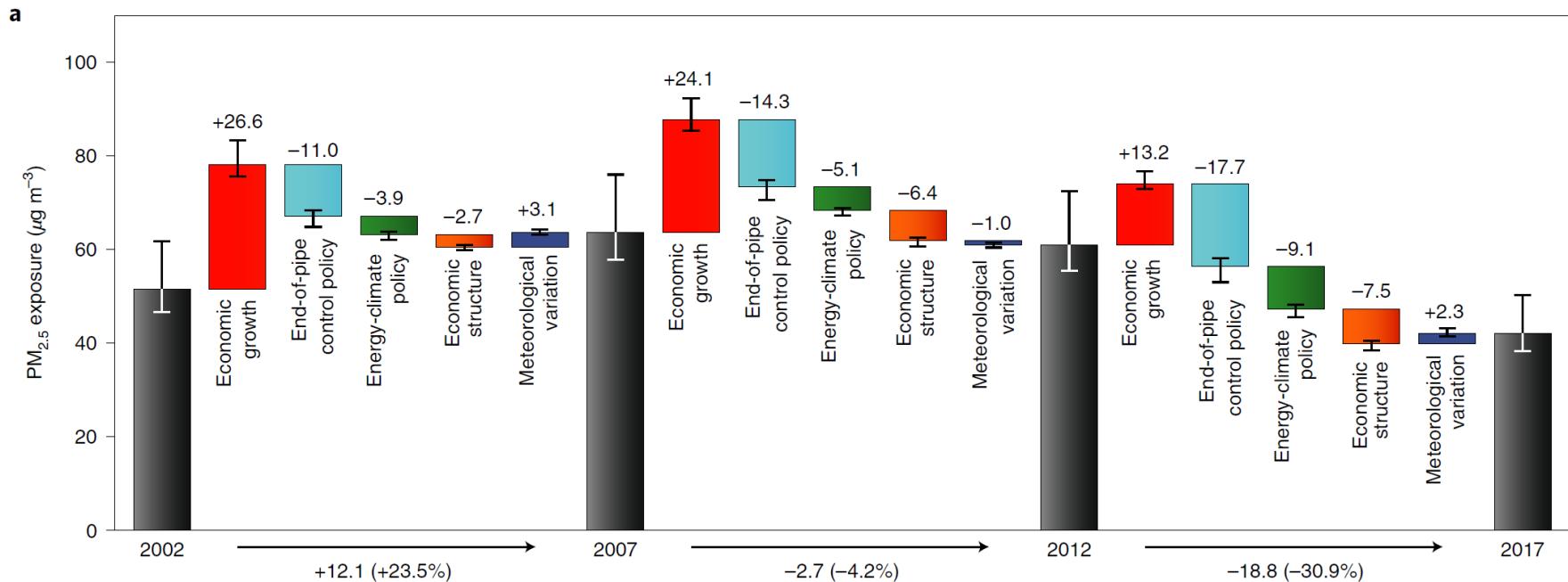


PM_{2.5} Pollution Changes in China



Drivers of PM_{2.5} Pollution Trends over China

Population-weighted PM_{2.5} pollution: 2002–2017



Geng et al., 2021, Nature Geoscience

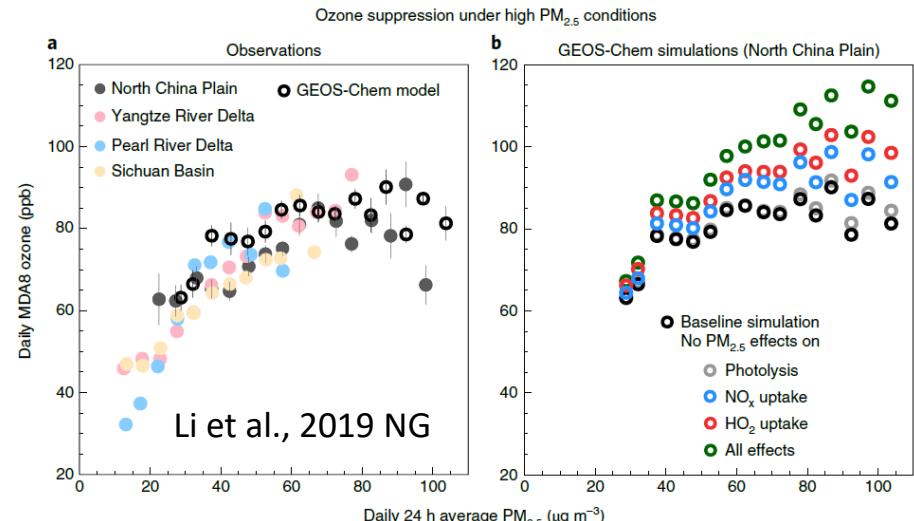
Interactions of Ozone and PM

Effects of ozone on PM:

- ✓ Oxidation (O_3 , OH, H_2O_2) to form secondary PM
- ✓ Meteorology (small effects)
- ✓ Biogenic emissions

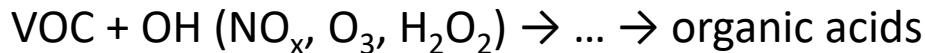
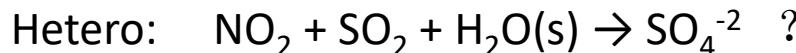
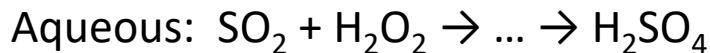
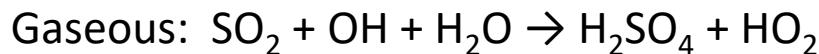
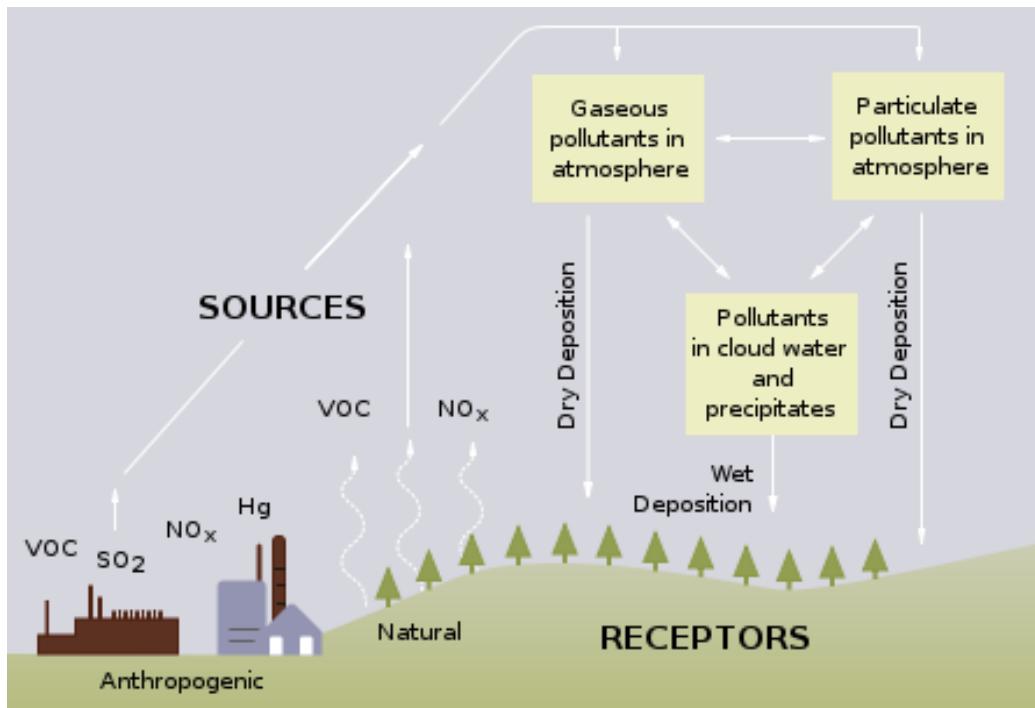
Effects of PM on ozone:

- ✓ Heterogeneous processes of oxidants (e.g., HO_2)
- ✓ Radiation (actinic flux)
- ✓ Meteorology
- ✓ Biogenic emissions



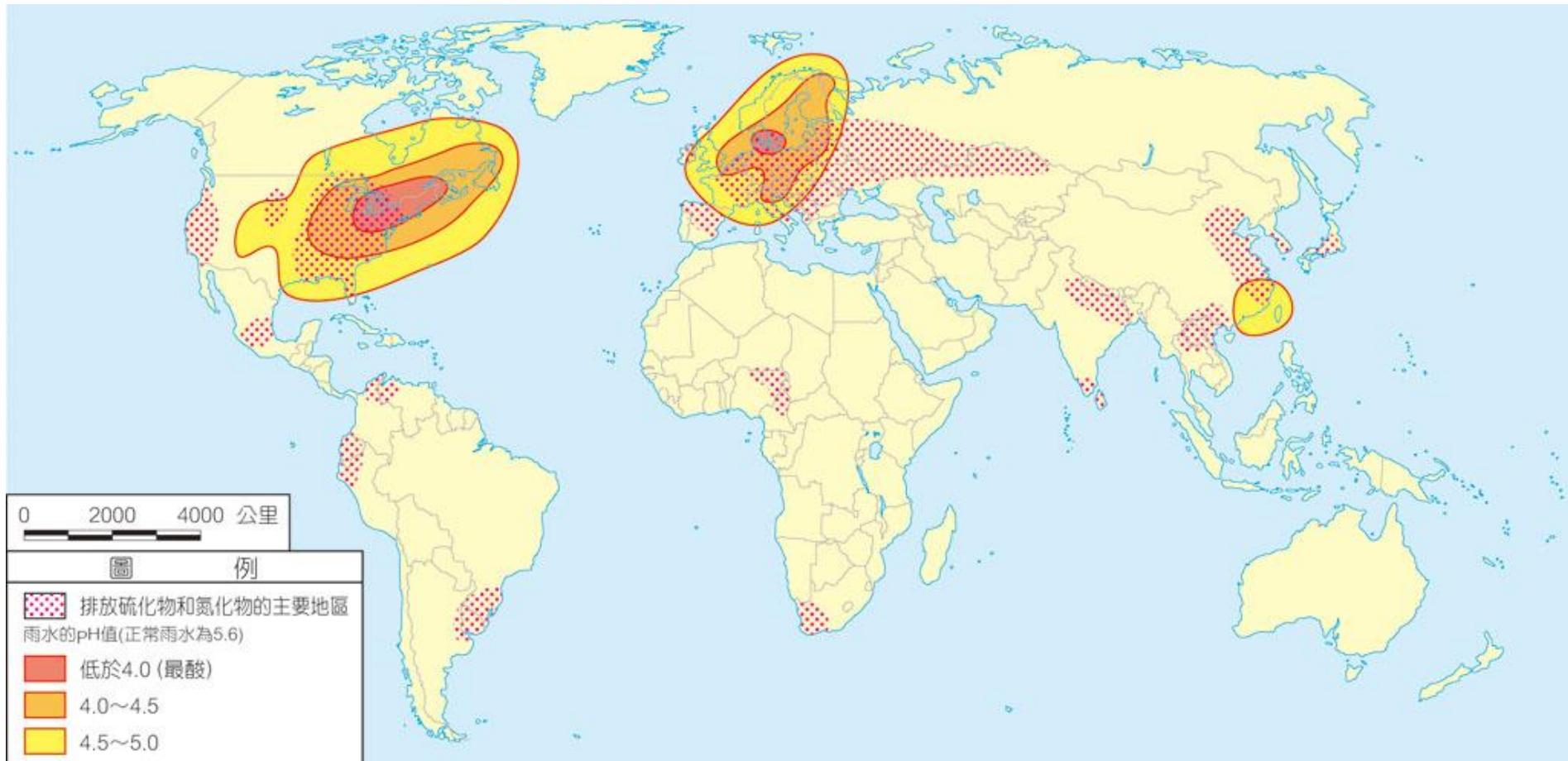
$$\gamma_{HO_2} = 0.2; \gamma_{NO_2} = 1e-5; \gamma_{NO_3} = 1e-3$$

Acid Deposition



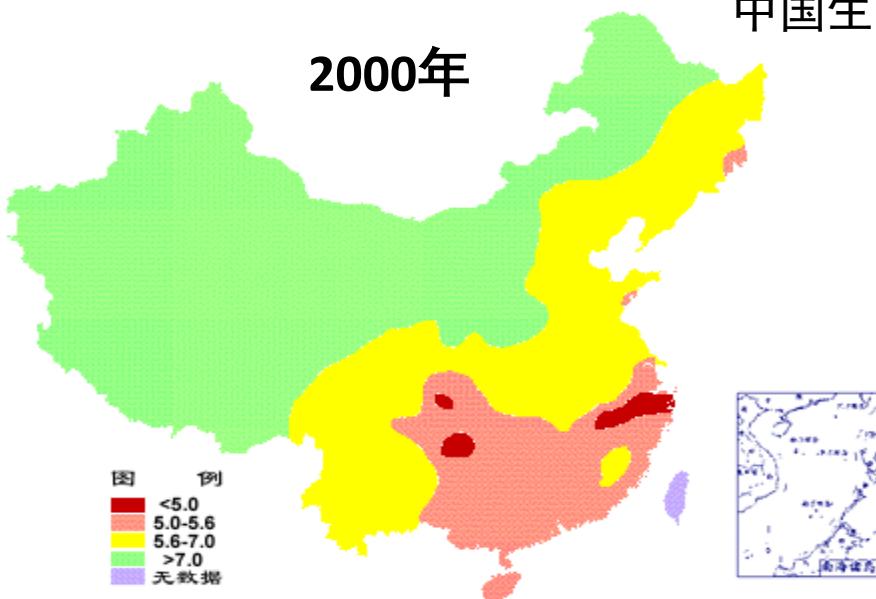
Acids are balanced by mineral or ammonium ions

Acid Deposition

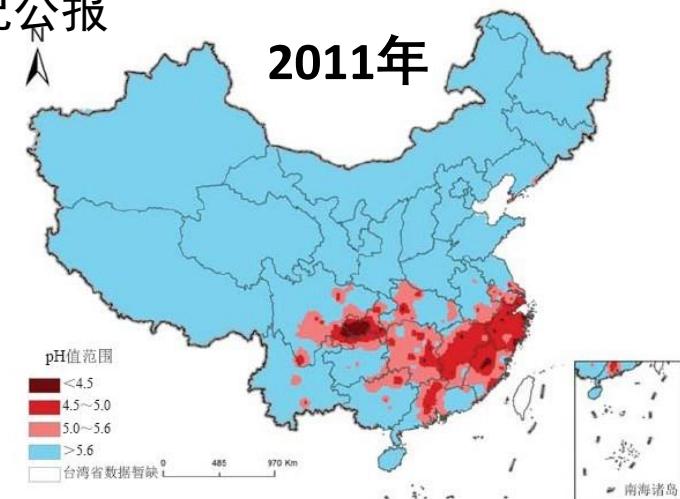


中国降水pH值分布

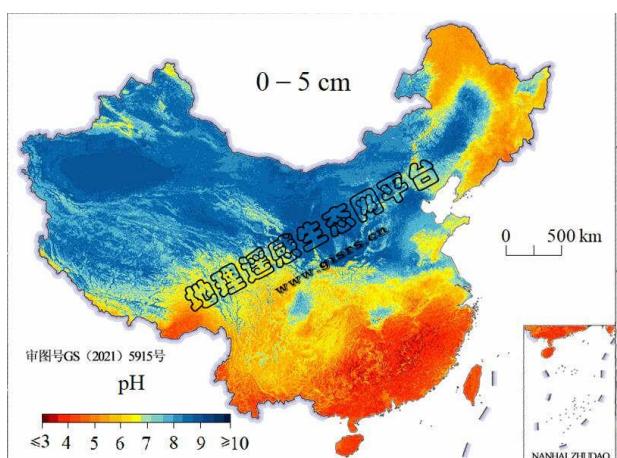
2000年



2011年



2023年



图例:

pH年均值
[4.81, 5.00)
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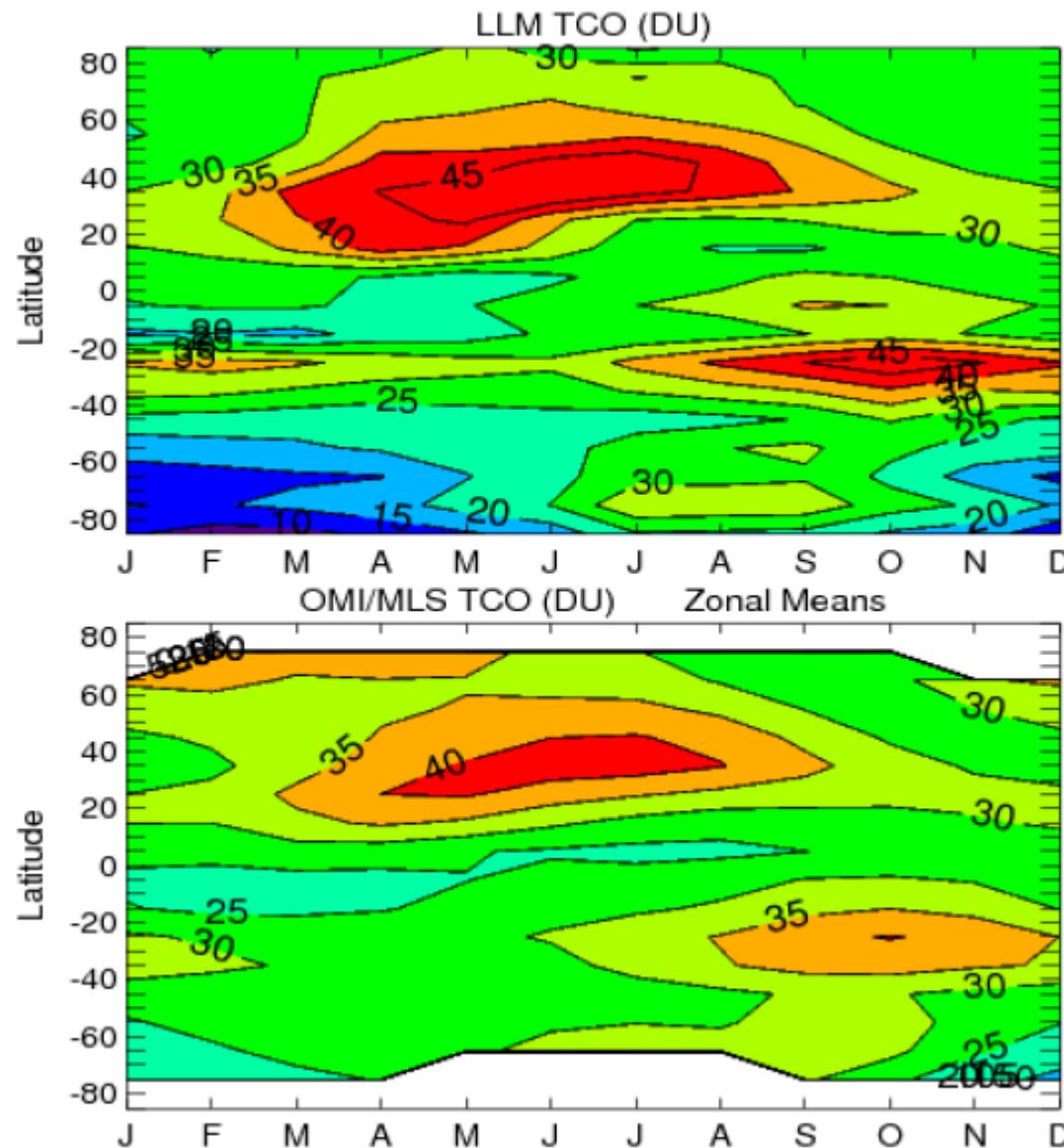
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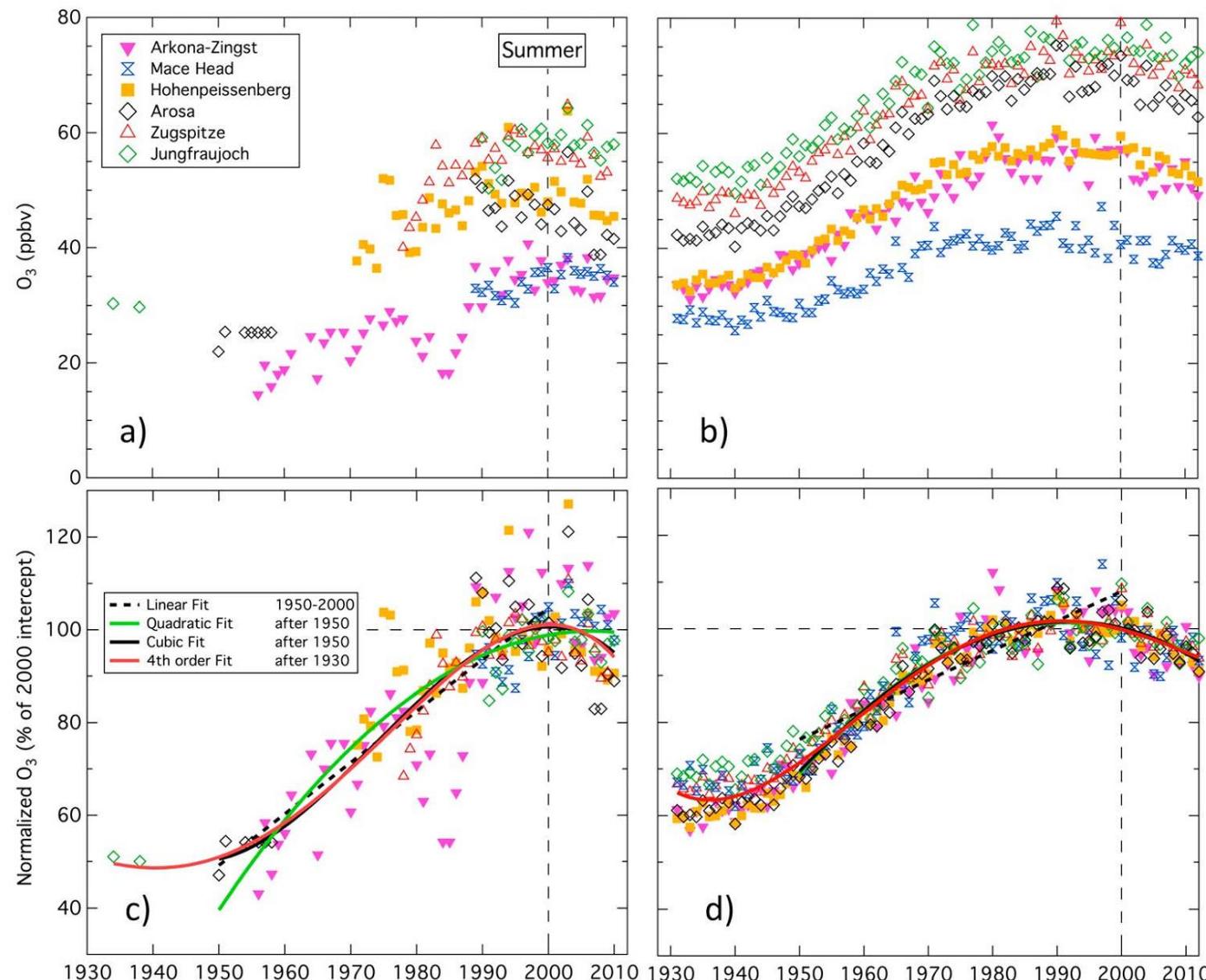
Quiz

1. Based on the collision theory, why does the reaction rate constant of bimolecular reactions tend to increase with T?
2. Can we consider NO_2 and ozone to be in the same chemical family (i.e., Ox)?
3. Potential human influences on recent tropospheric OH trends
4. How would NOx emissions affect the lifetime of OH?
5. Impacts of NOx on ozone at different cases: troposphere, boundary layer, urban, rural
6. Ozone production is normally VOC-limited in urban areas and NOx-limited in surrounding rural areas. To control urban ozone pollution, should we control NOx or VOC emissions?
7. How would changes in NOx affect the formation of nitrate and sulfate?
8. Why did China's $\text{PM}_{2.5}$, but not ozone, pollution decline with emission control over the past decade?
9. How can ozone and PM pollution affect each other?

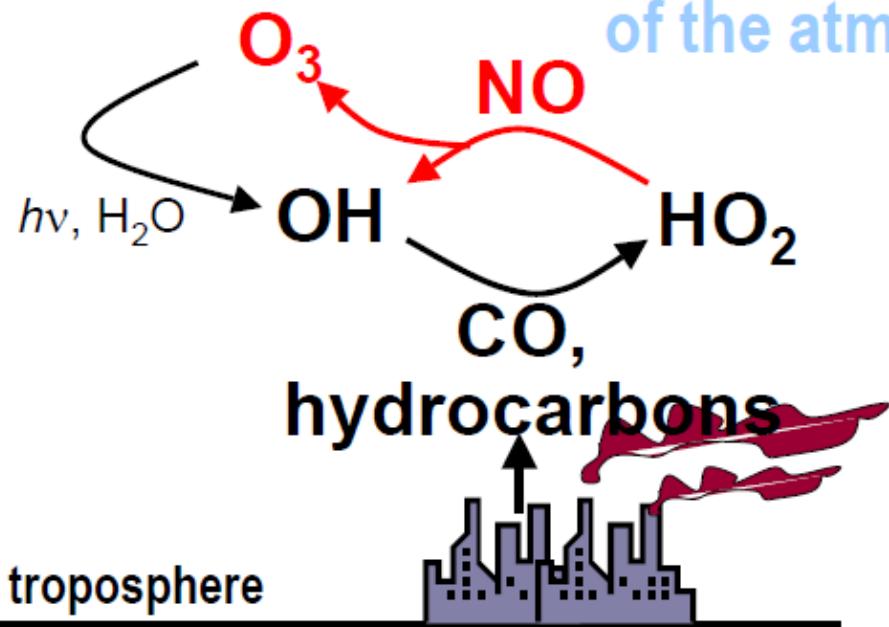
Meridional – Seasonal Cross Section



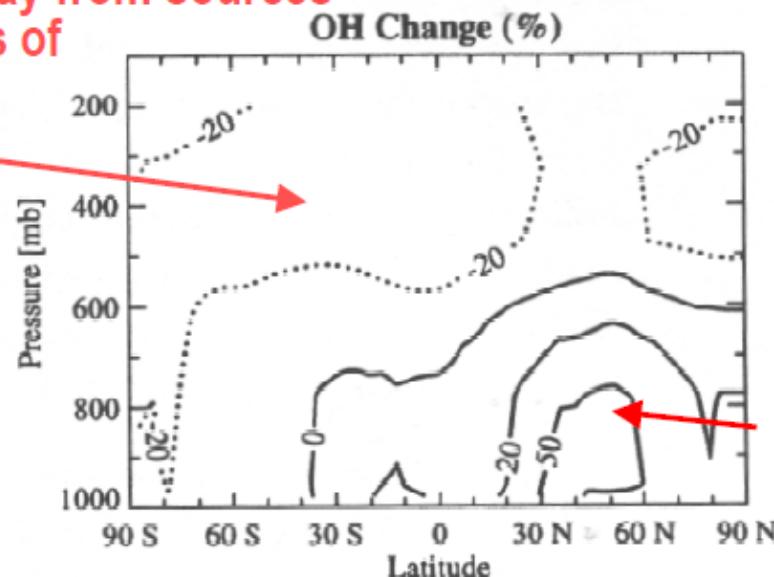
Long-term Ozone Trends at Background Sites



Have human activities changed the oxidizing capacity of the atmosphere?



Decrease in OH away from sources
driven by increases of
 CO (~months)



→ Since pre-industrial times CO has increased by factors of 3-4;
 NO has increased by factors of 2-8
.... What has happened to OH ?

$\text{NO} \uparrow \rightarrow$ increase in OH
 $\text{CO} \uparrow \rightarrow$ decrease in OH

→ Little change in OH
globally (buffering)

Increase in OH near sources
driven by increases of
 NO_x (~days)

Meridional Distribution of Tropospheric Ozone

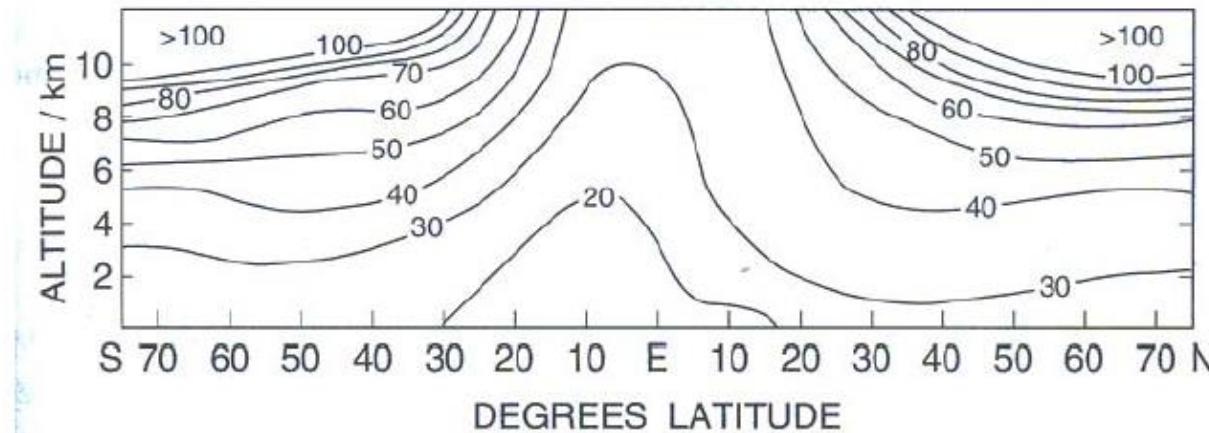
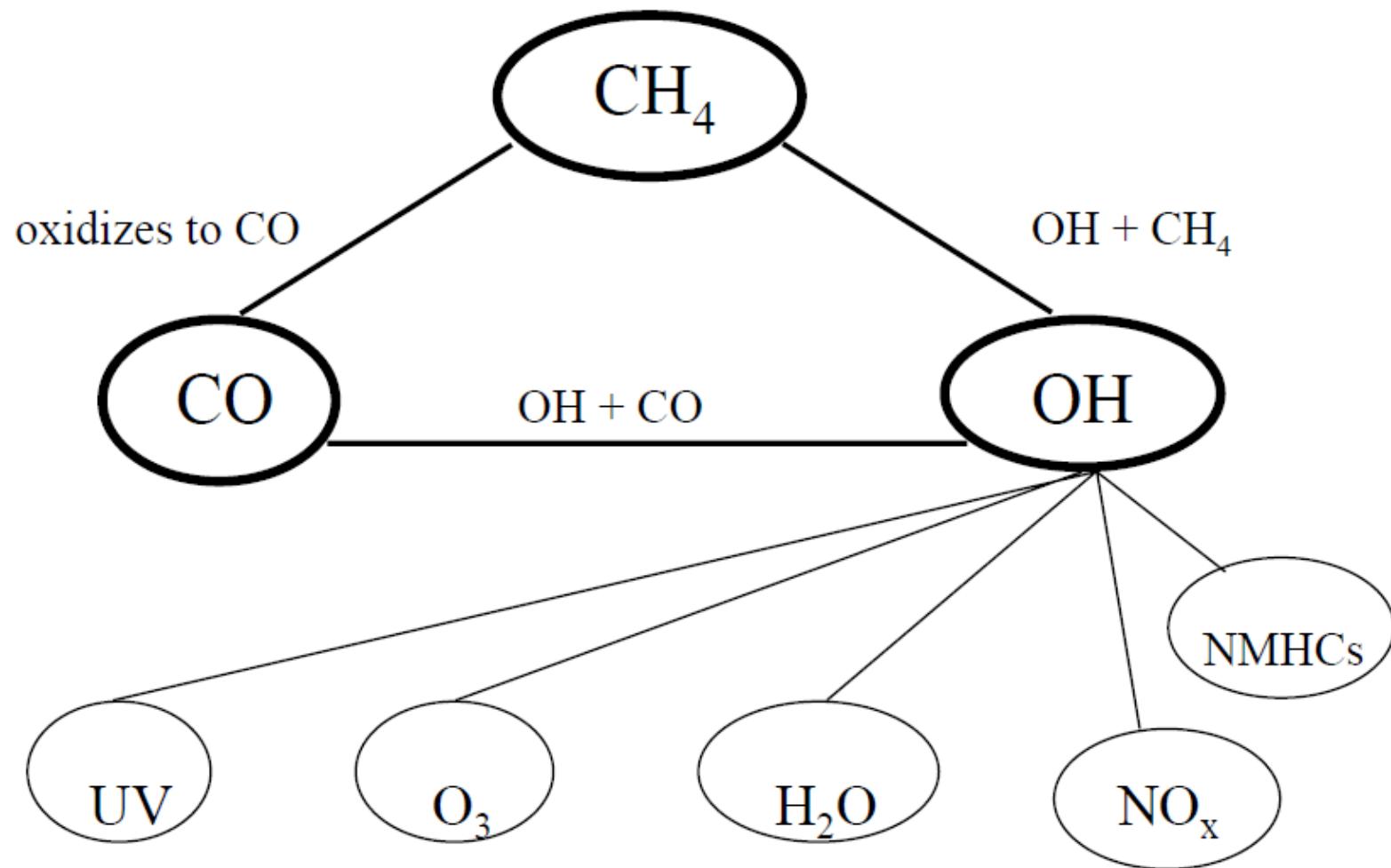


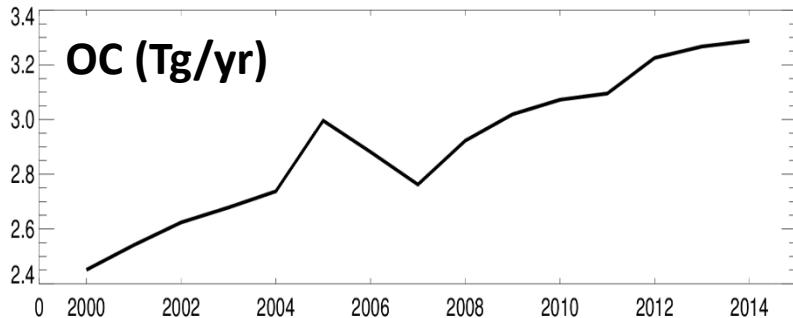
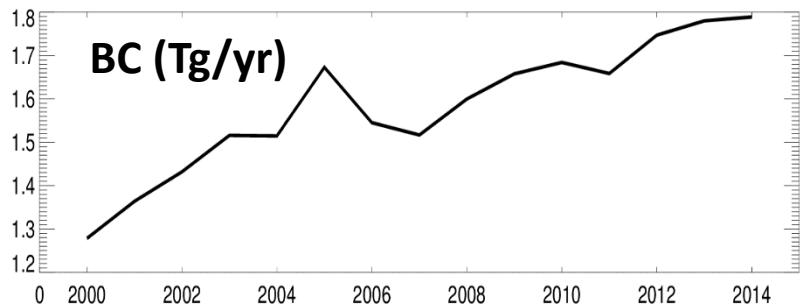
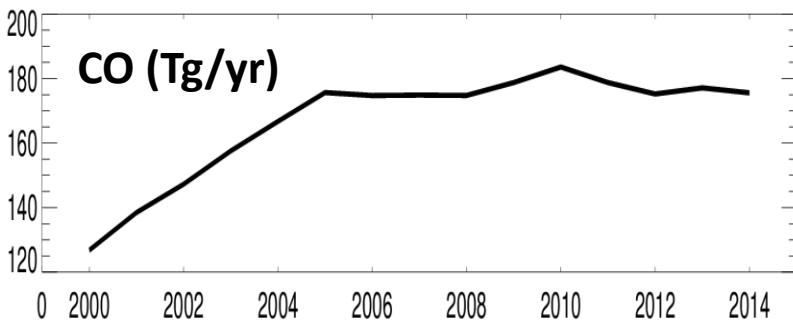
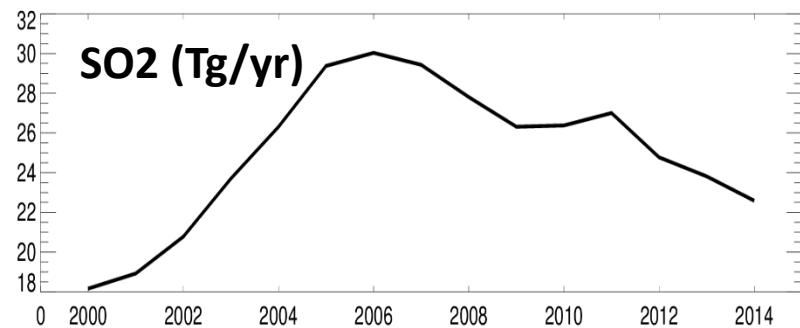
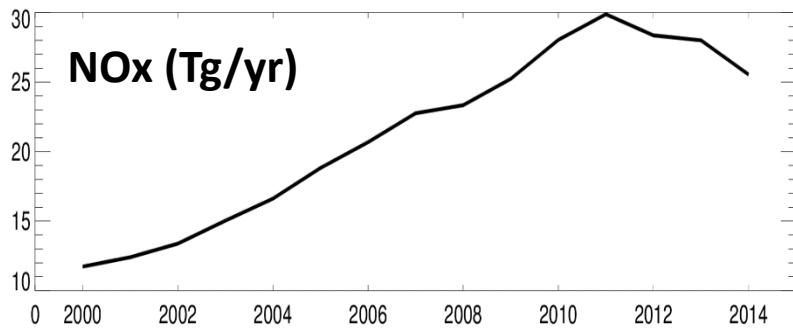
FIGURE 5.6 Seasonally averaged meridional distribution of ozone according to the analysis of Fishman and Crutzen (1978a, b). Contours indicate equal mixing ratios (unit: nmol mol^{-1}).

- An excess of ozone in the Northern Hemisphere at altitudes below about 5 km
- Northern Hemisphere contains 40% more ozone on average than the Southern Hemisphere
- The ozone concentrations in the Tropics are lower than at mid-latitudes

Simplified CO/CH₄/OH Chemistry



Anthropogenic Emissions in China: 2000-2014



Source: Yu Zhao

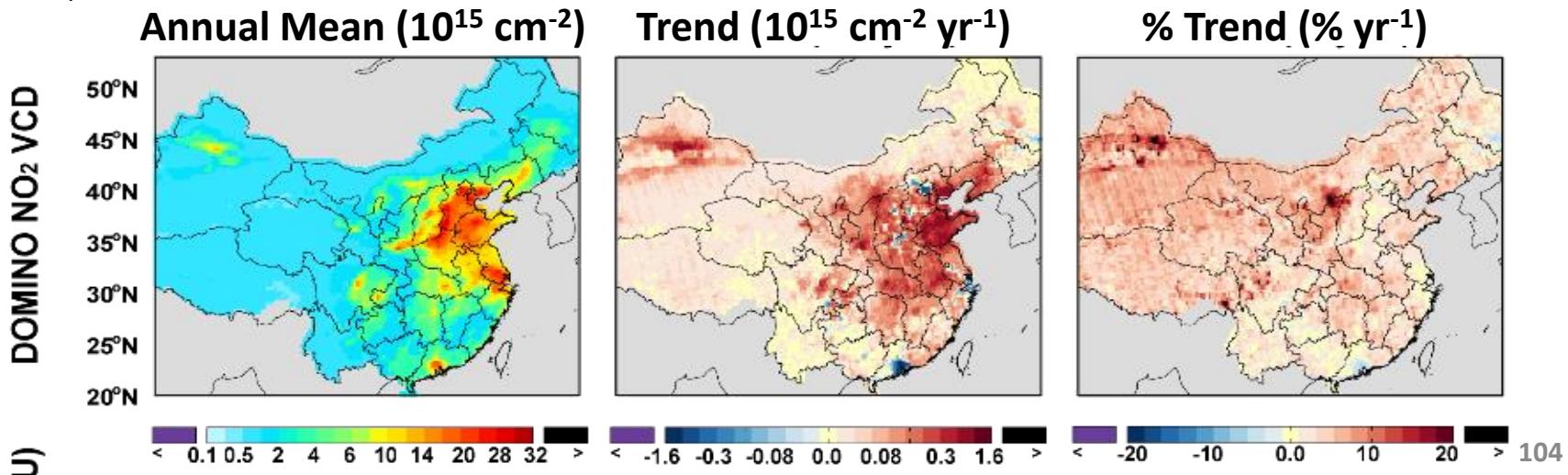
Increases of NO₂ VCD: West versus East China

OMI NO₂ Trends over 2005 – 2013

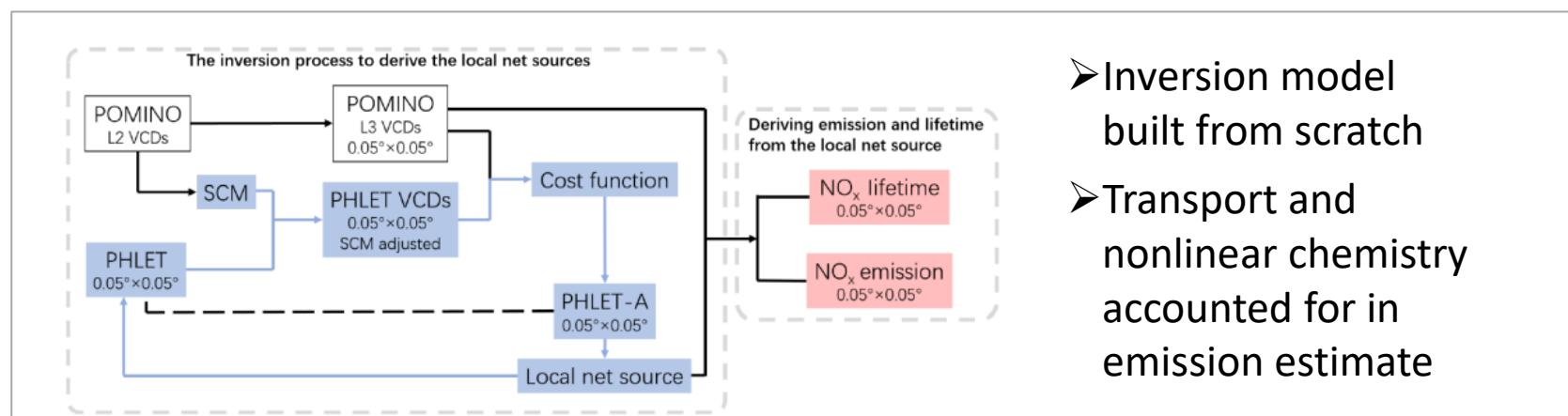
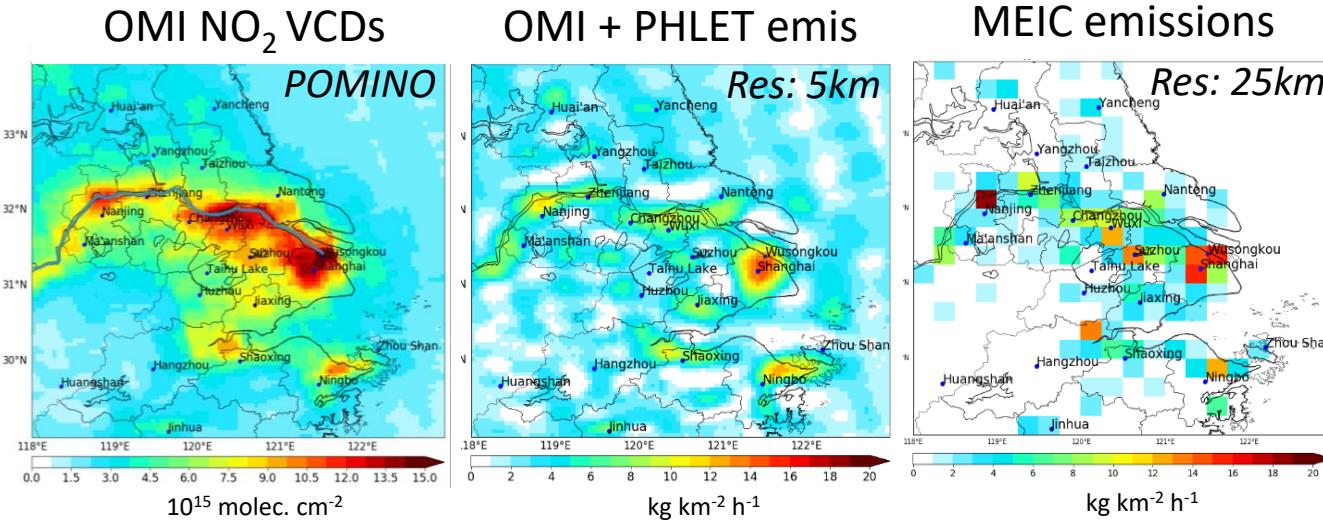
Cui et al., 2016, ACP

	Region	Average NO ₂ in 2005 ^a 10 ¹⁵ molecules cm ⁻²	NO ₂ trend ^b (% yr ⁻¹)	NO _x emission reduction plan of 2015 (%) ^c
Northwest	Gansu	0.9 (0.4, I)	7.5 ± 1.2	3.1
	Inner Mongolia	1.1 (0.4, I)	10.2 ± 1.3	5.8
	Ningxia	1.4 (0.4, I)	12.3 ± 1.7	4.9
	Qinghai	1.0 (0.5, II)	11.2 ± 1.2	-15.3
	Shaanxi	2.3 (0.5, II)	10.5 ± 1.0	9.9
	Xinjiang	1.0 (0.5, II)	15.1 ± 2.0	0
Southwest	Chongqing	2.2 (0.5, III)	7.8 ± 0.9	6.9
	Guangxi	1.2 (0.5, III)	4.0 ± 0.5	8.8
	Guizhou	1.3 (0.5, III)	6.9 ± 1.0	9.8
	Sichuan	1.7 (0.5, III)	6.1 ± 0.7	6.9
	Yunnan	0.7 (0.5, III)	4.2 ± 0.3	5.8
Region	West	1.3 (0.5, II)	8.6 ± 0.9	5.7
	Northwest	1.2 (0.5, II)	11.3 ± 1.0	4.5
	Southwest	1.4 (0.5, III)	5.9 ± 0.6	7.6
	BTH	9.2 (0.7, IV)	5.3 ± 0.8	13.9
	YRD	7.2 (1.2, V)	4.1 ± 0.6	17.7
	PRD	8.0 (1.2, VI)	-3.3 ± 0.3	16.9

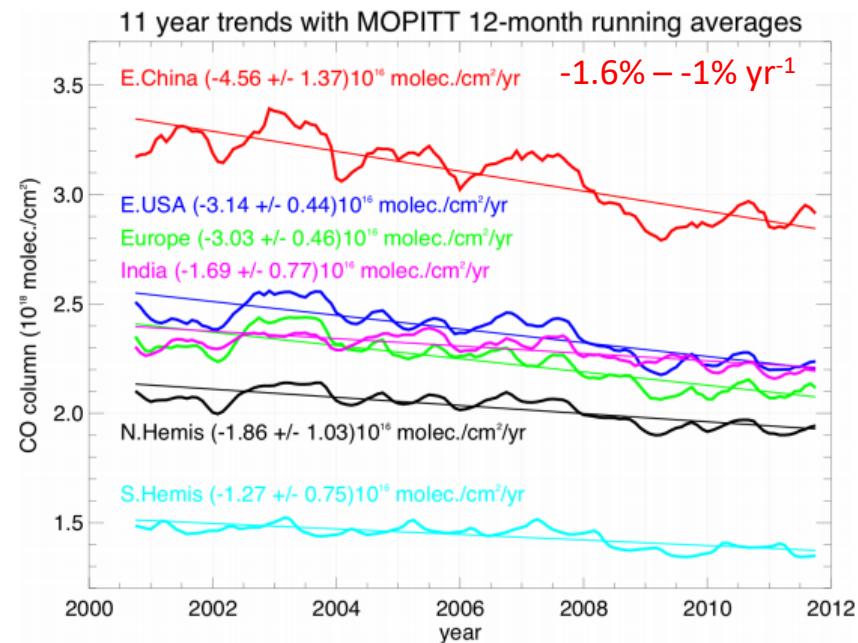
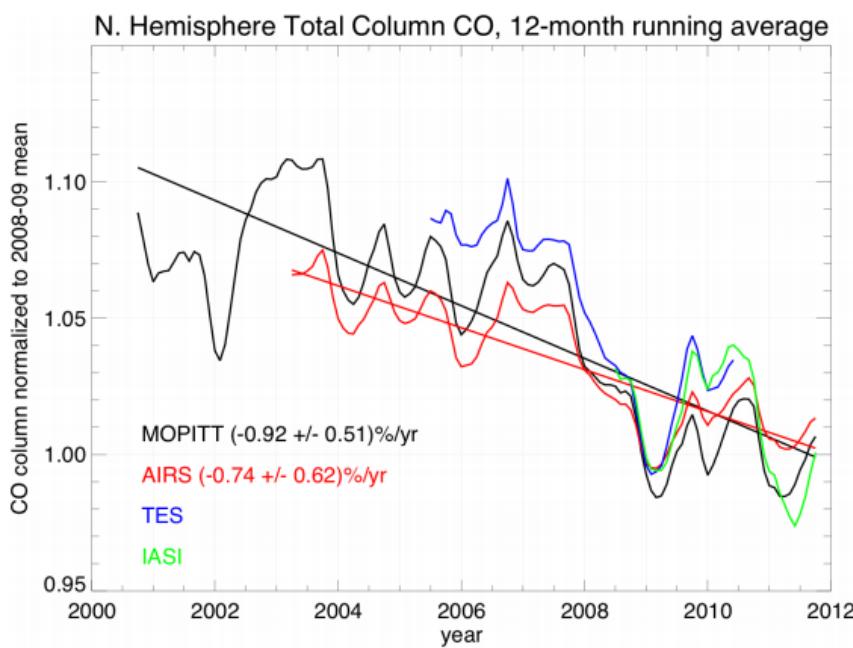
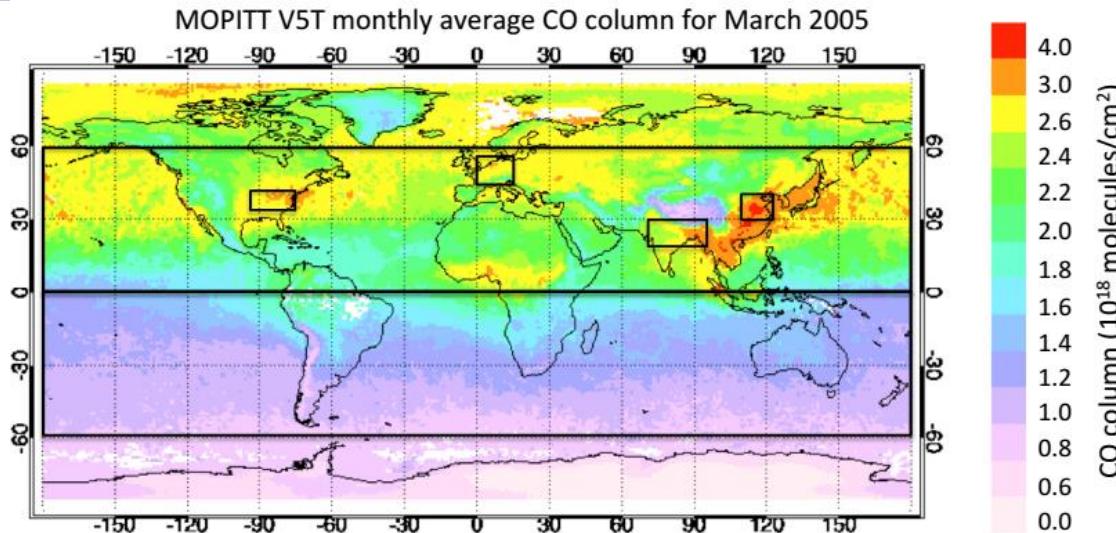
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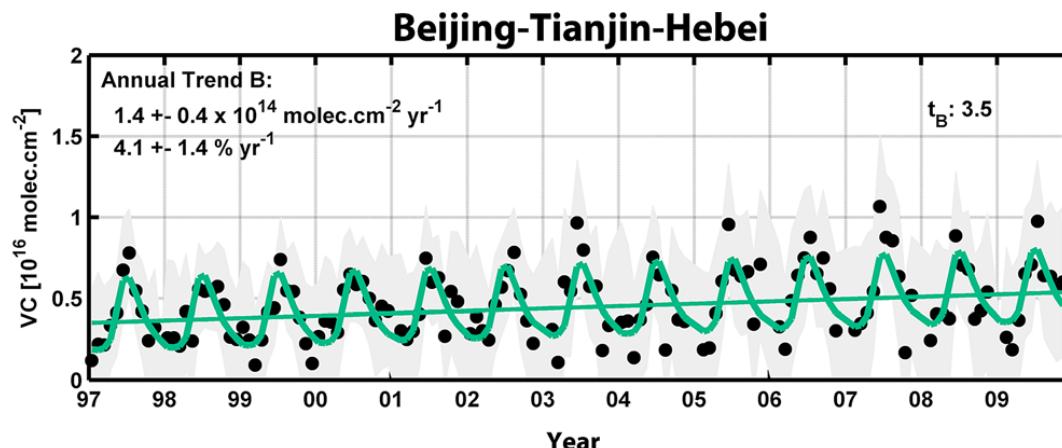
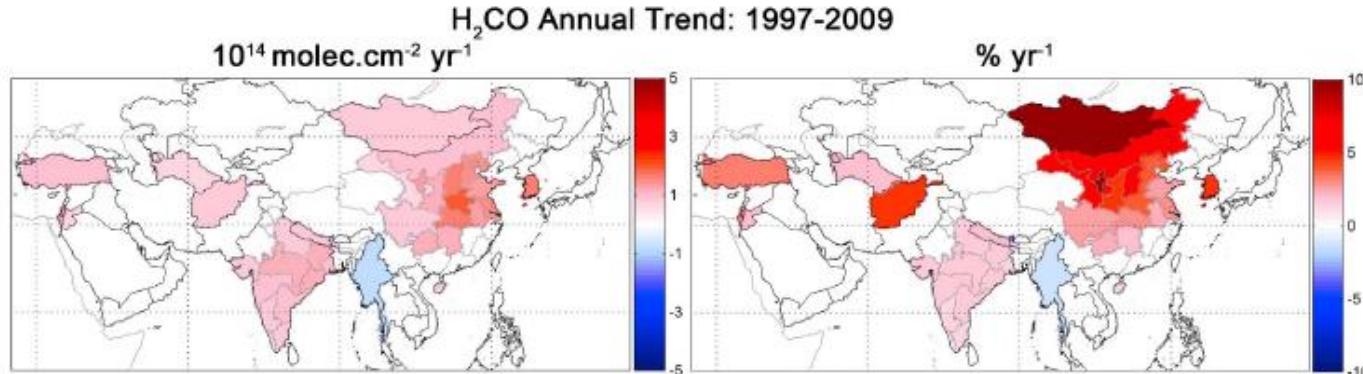
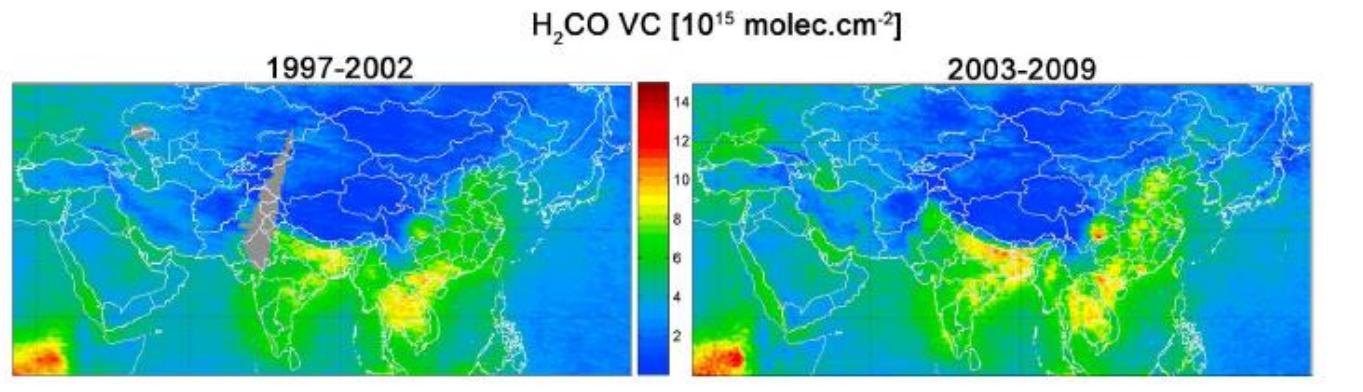
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Changes in Tropospheric CO: 2000-2012

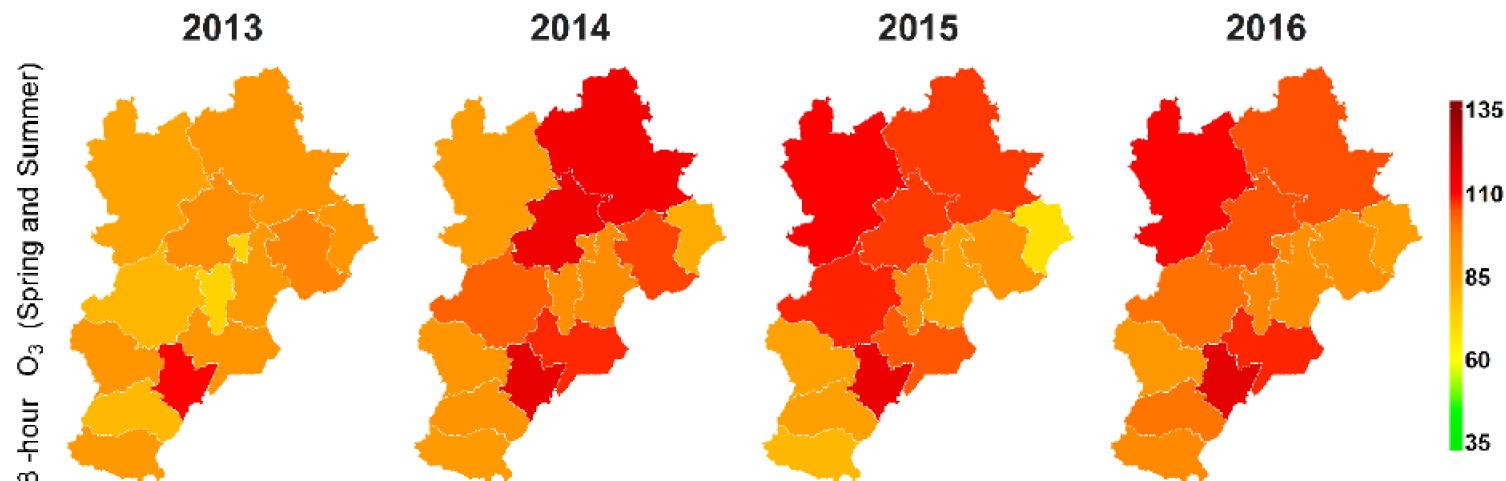
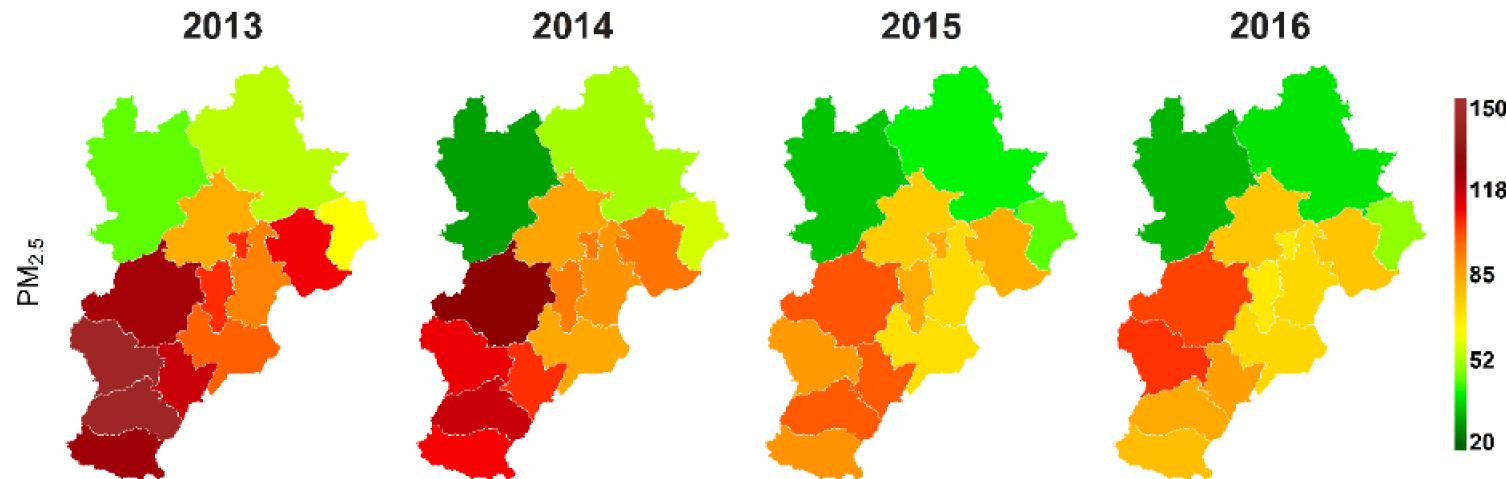


Trends of VCDs of HCHO in Asia: 1997 – 2009



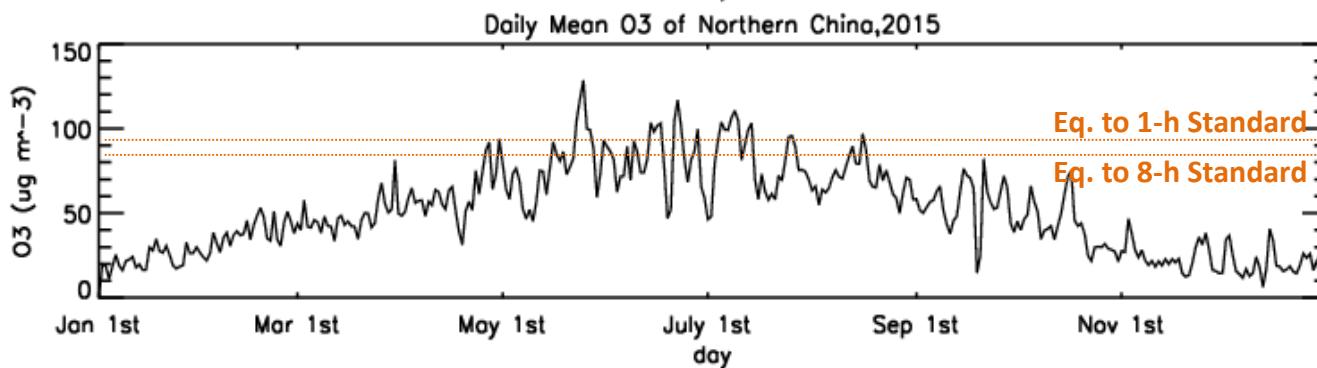
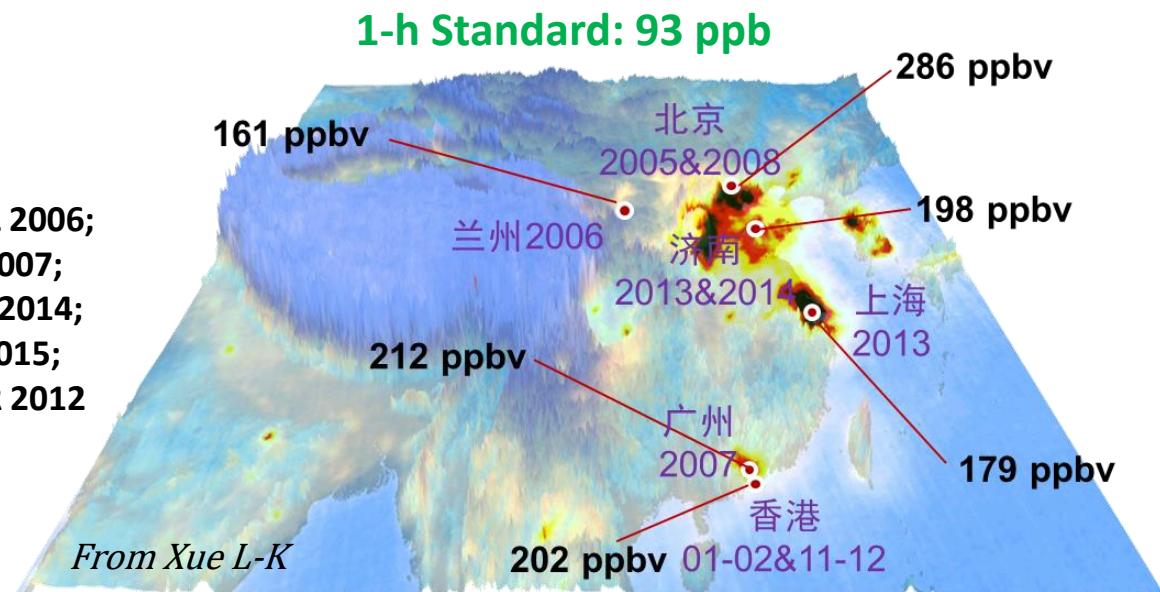
Changes in O₃ and PM_{2.5} Pollution over BTH

After statistical adjustment for meteorological changes

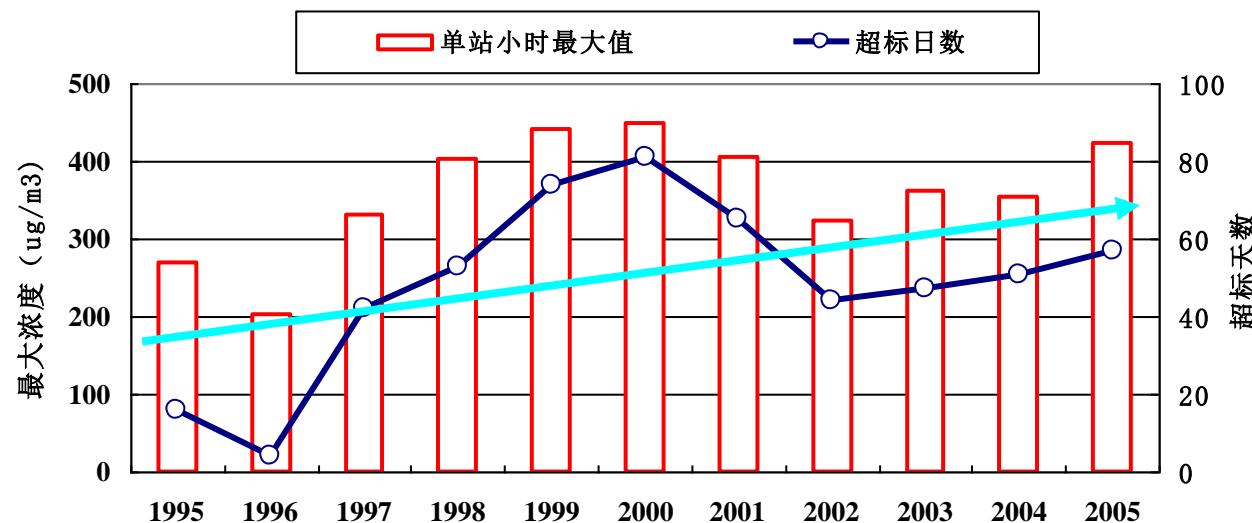


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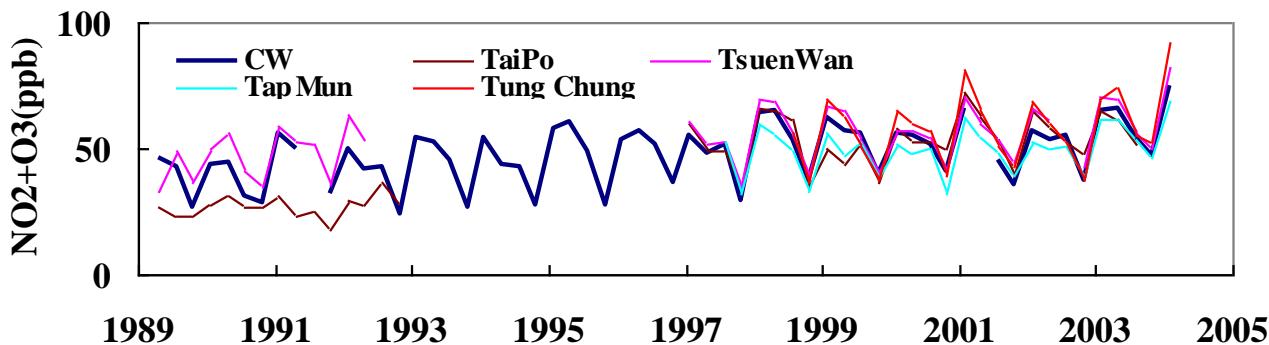
Wang et al., GRL 2006;
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Trends of O₃ in Beijing and PRD

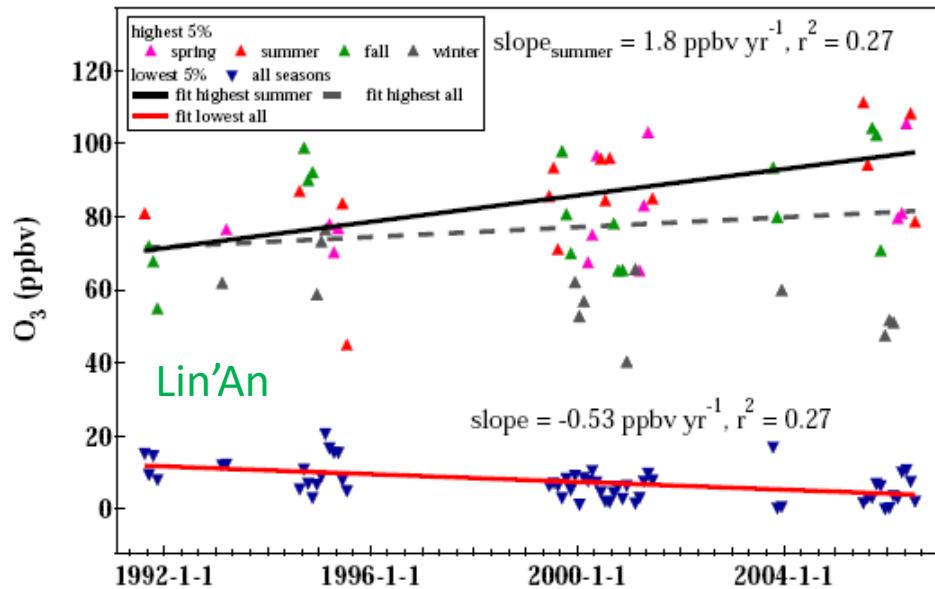


Beijing,
Max O₃ and
days over STD

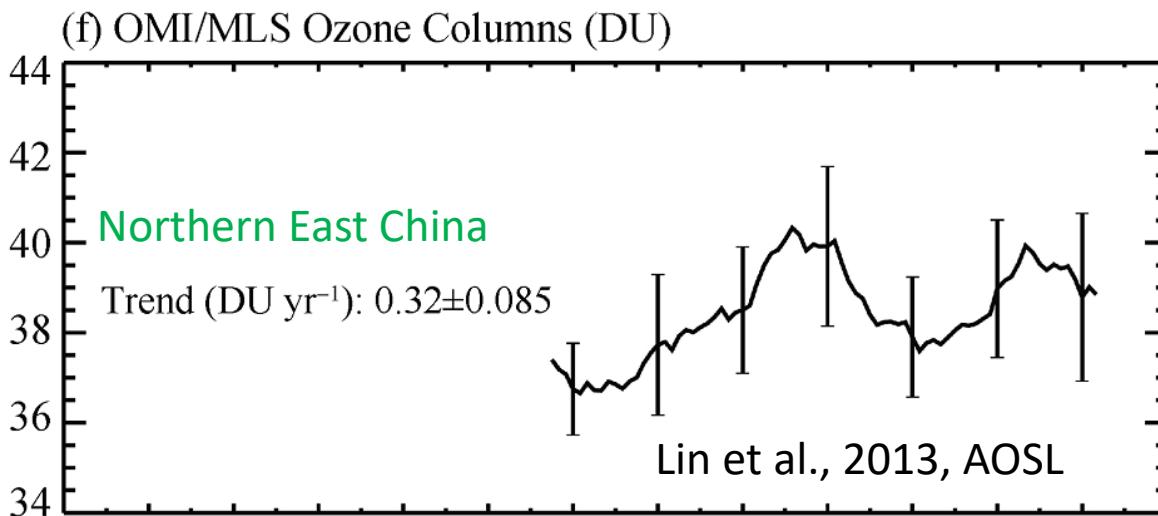


Hong Kong:
Daytime O₃
concentration
O₃: 1 ppb/yr

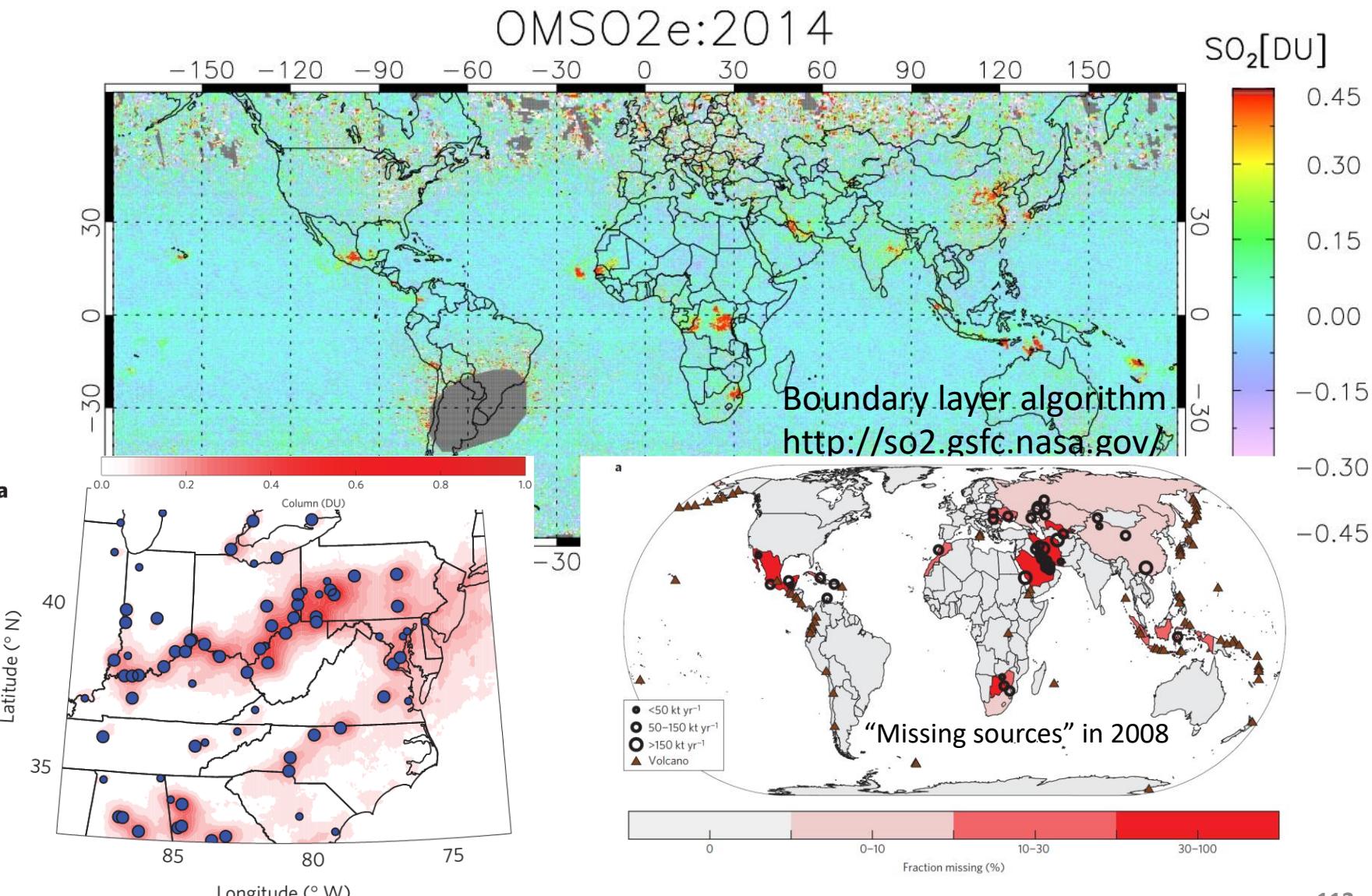
Background O₃ Concentrations are Increasing



Xu et al., 2008, ACP

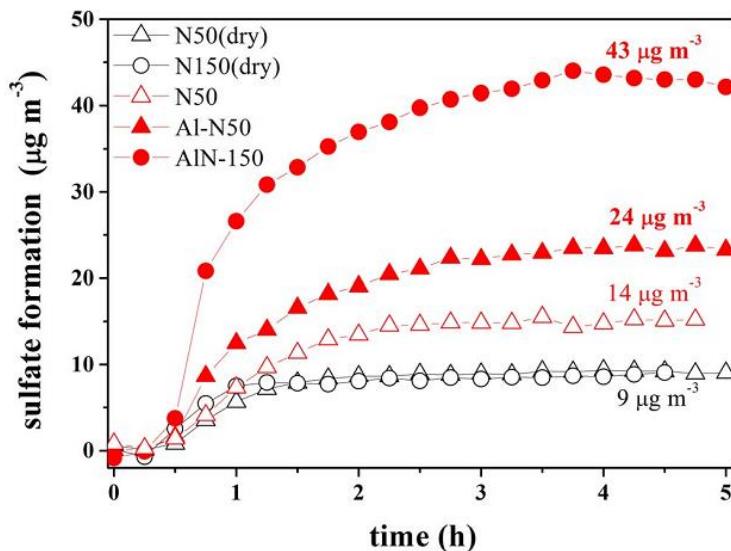
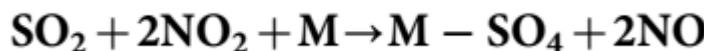


OMI-retrieved VCDs of Tropospheric SO₂

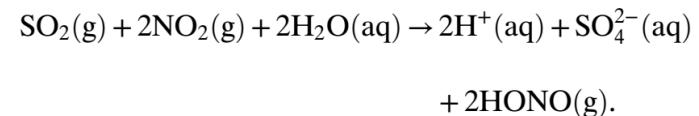


NO_x -catalyzed Sulfate Formation

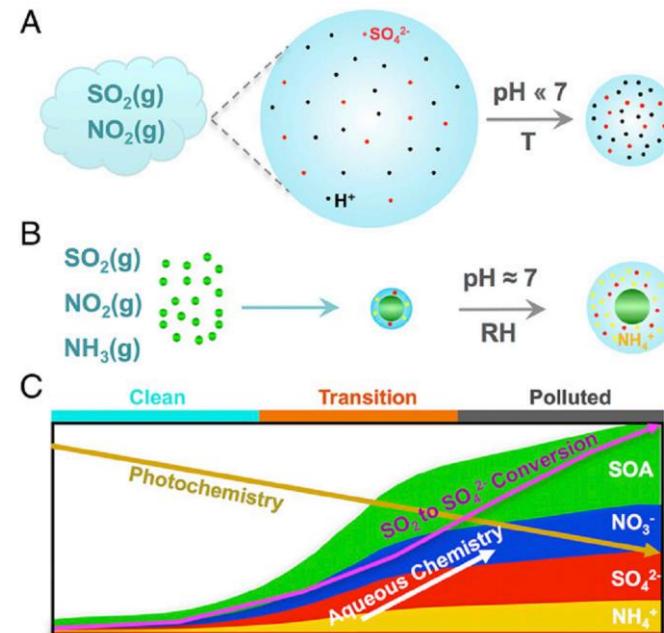
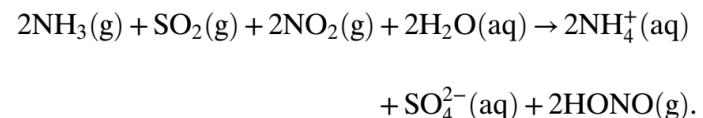
NO_x -catalyzed sulfate formation
on mineral dust surface:



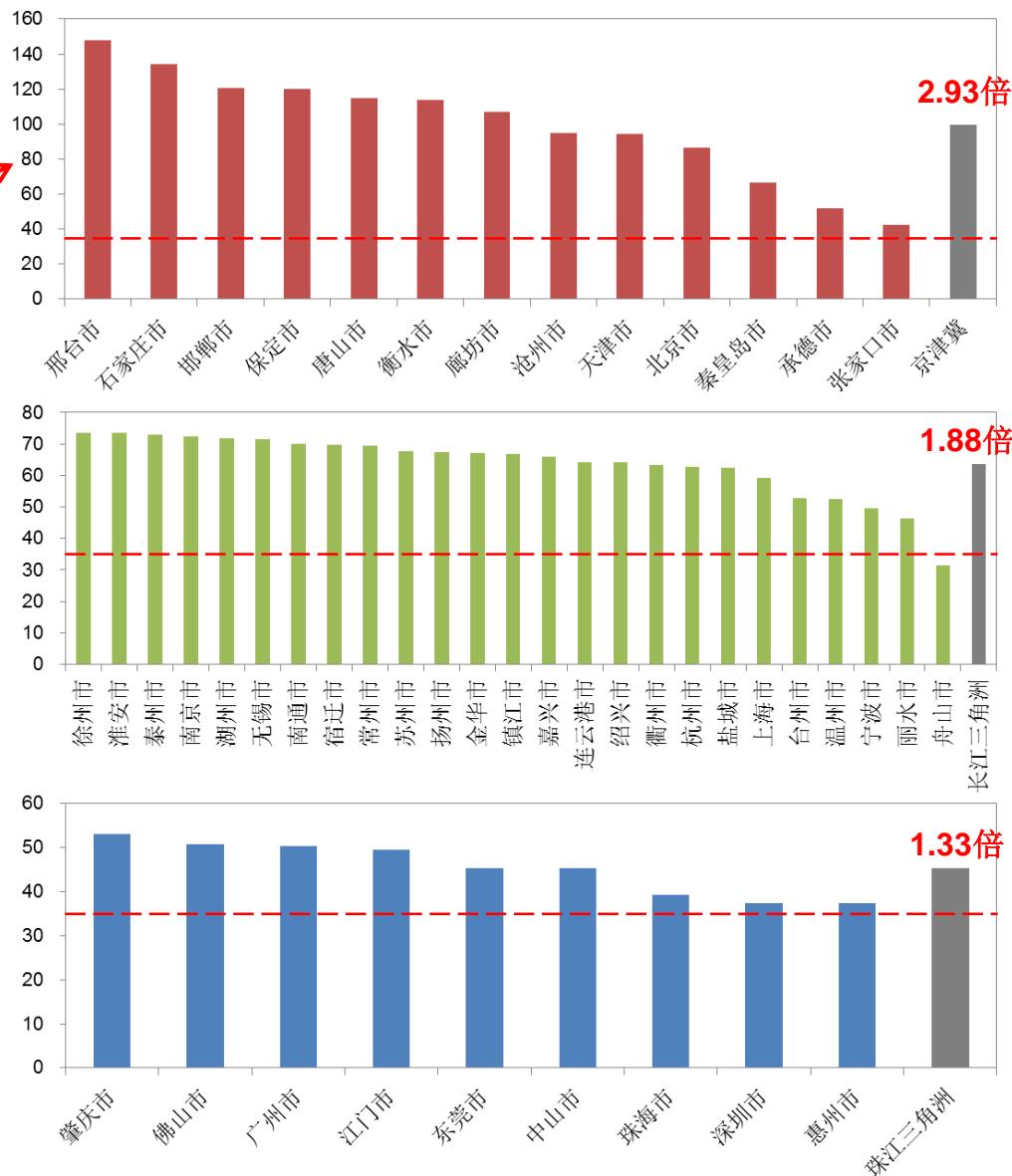
Cloud/fog (large):



PM (small, easily acidified):

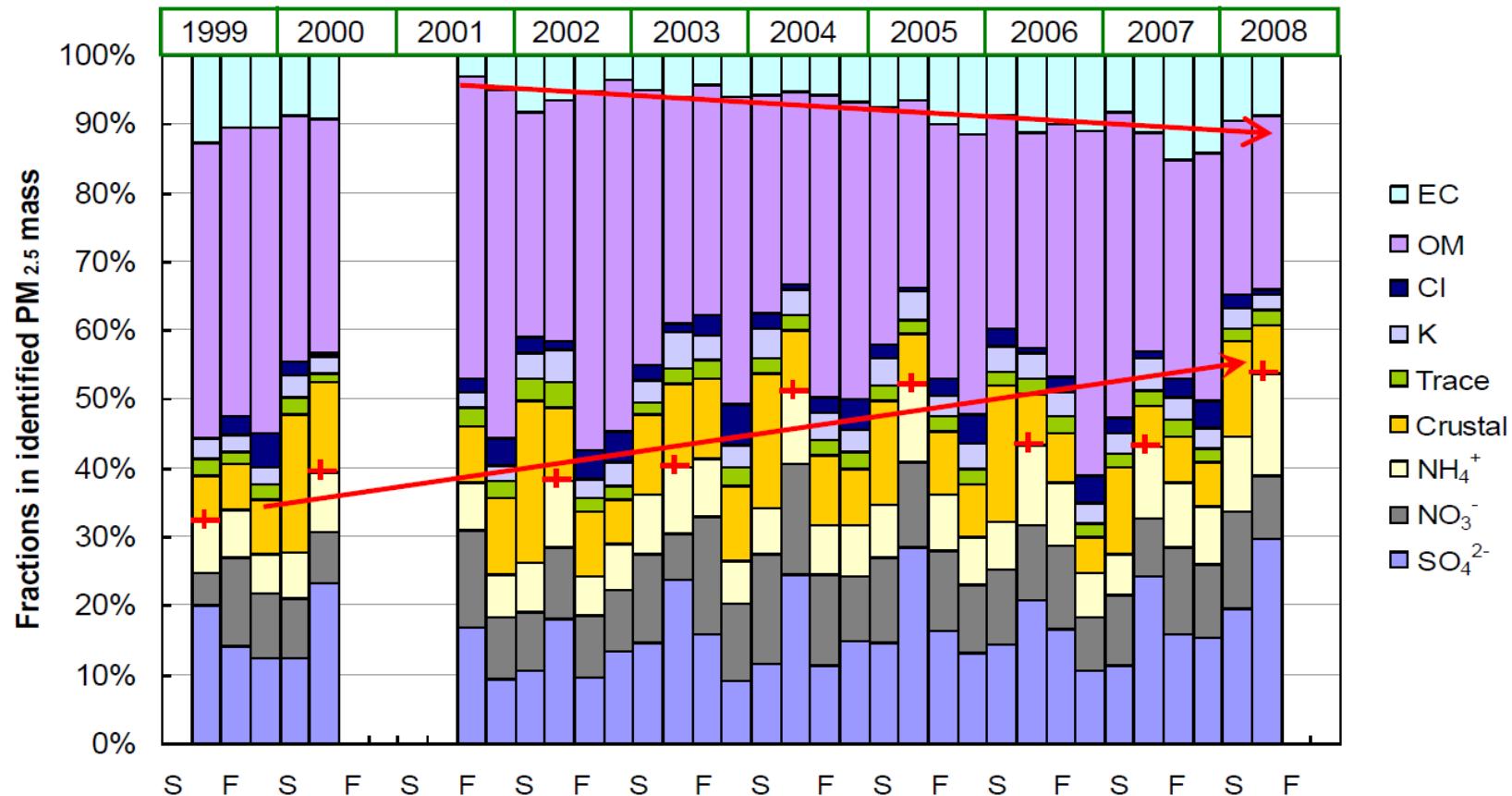


Annual Average PM_{2.5} in 74 cities, 2013



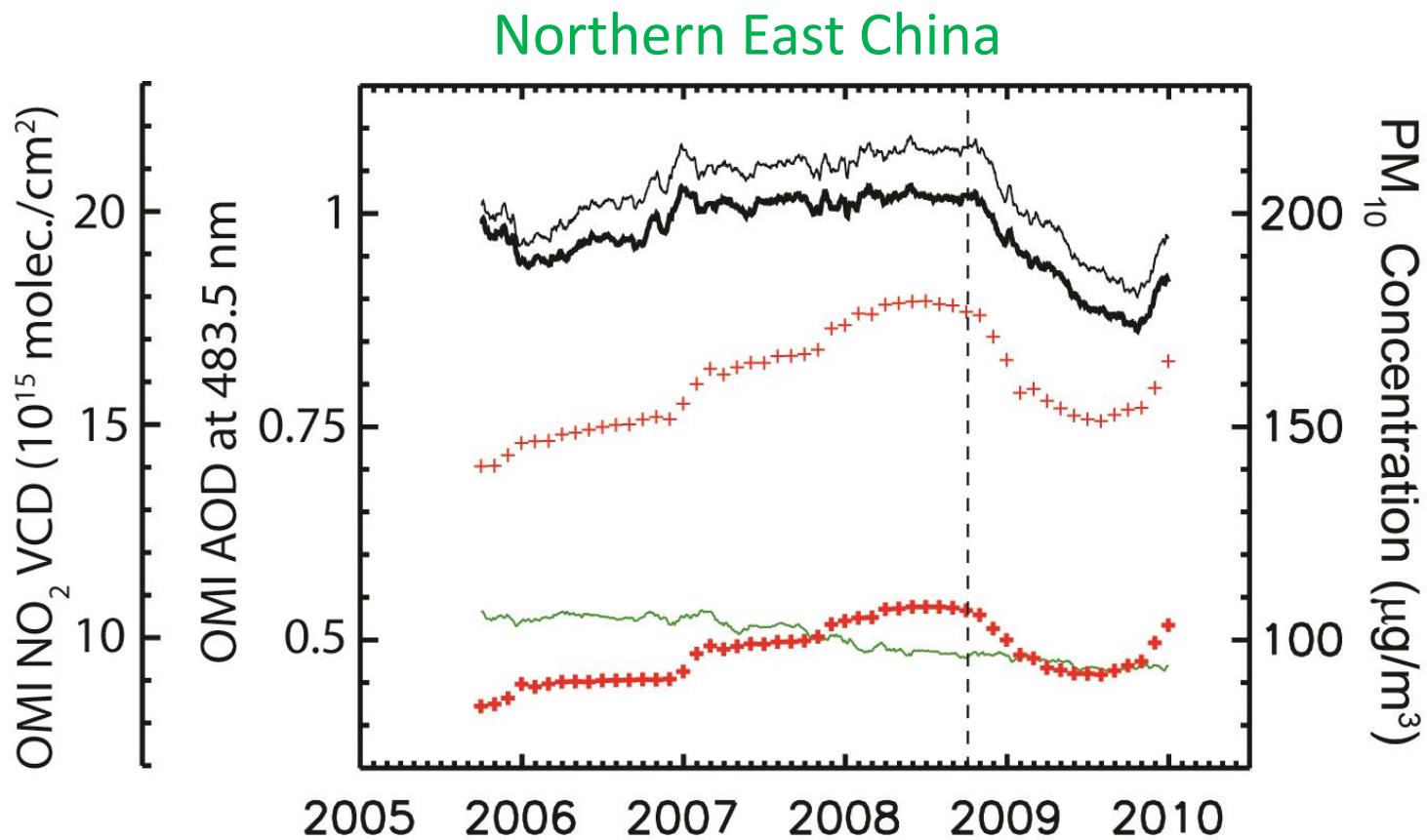
贺克斌, 2014

Growing Fraction of Secondary PM_{2.5} with Time at Beijing



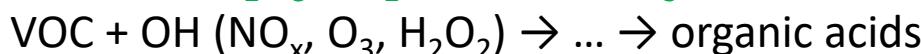
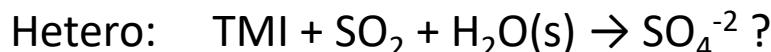
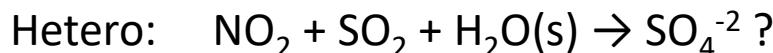
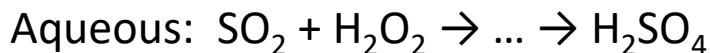
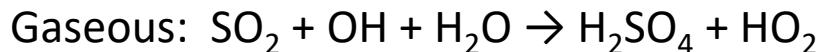
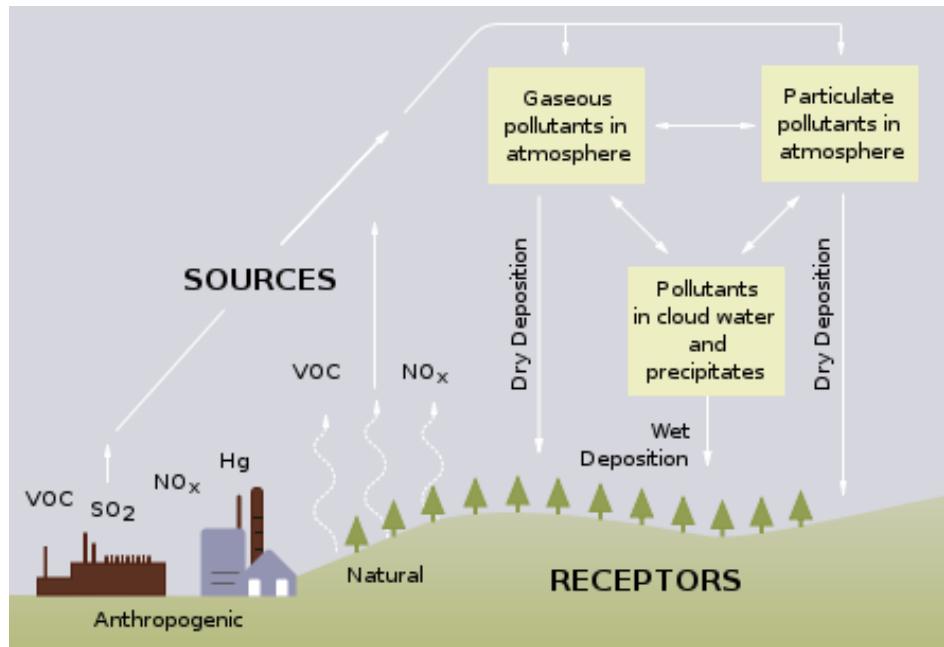
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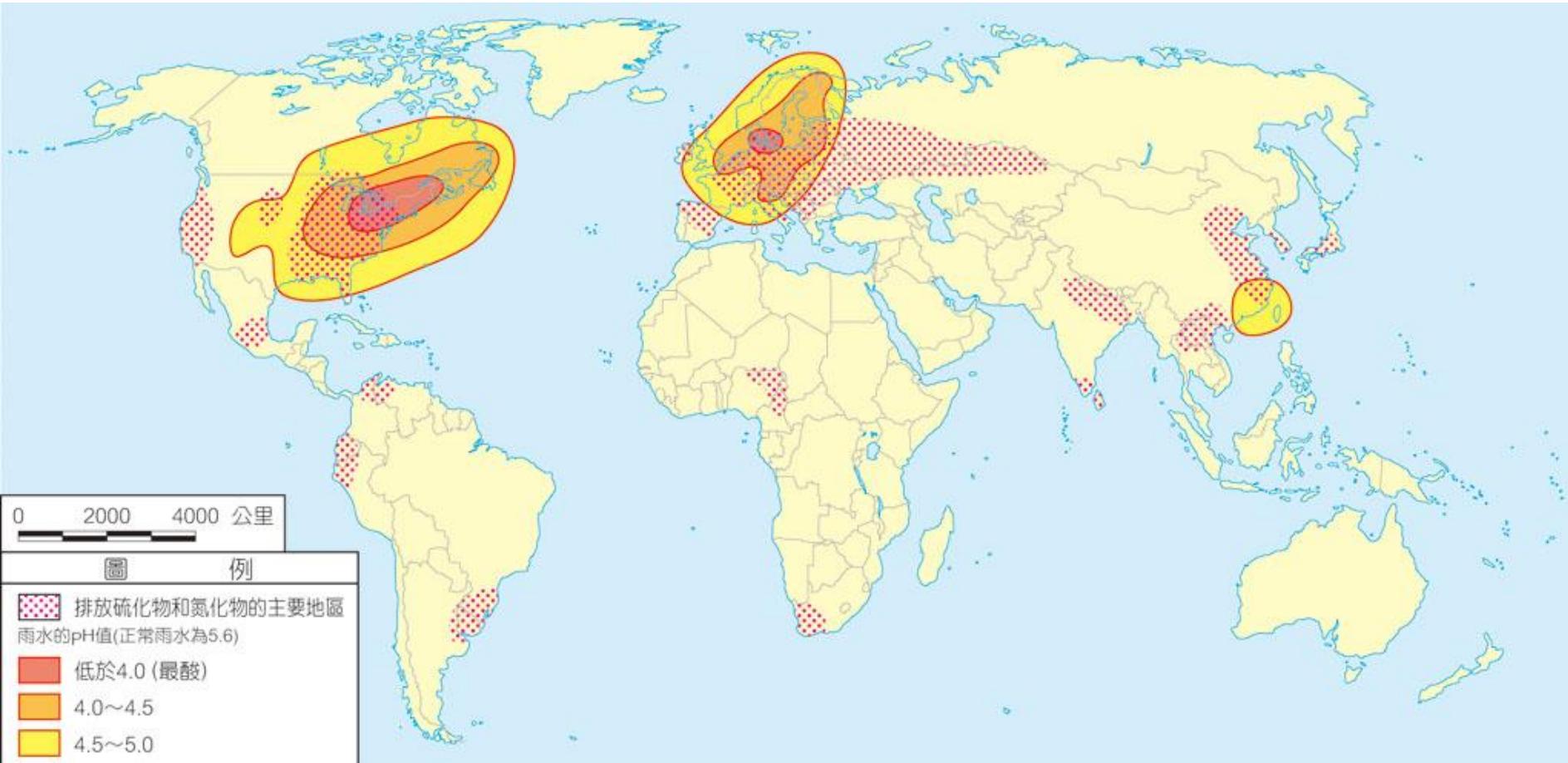
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Acid Deposition



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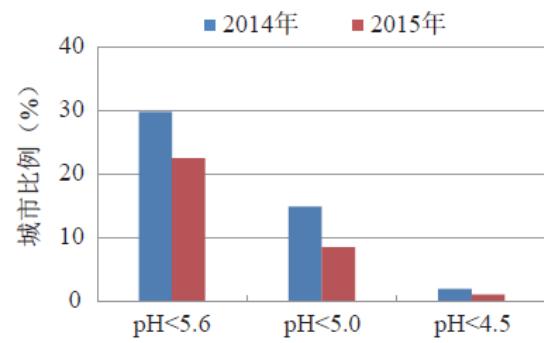
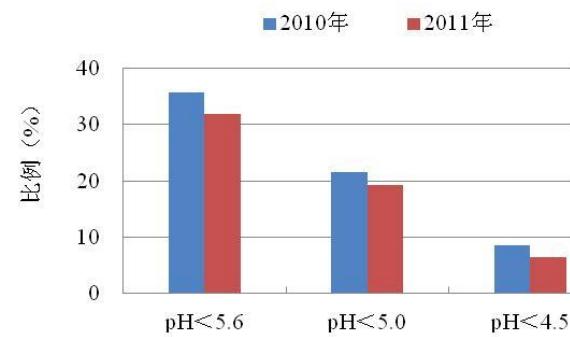
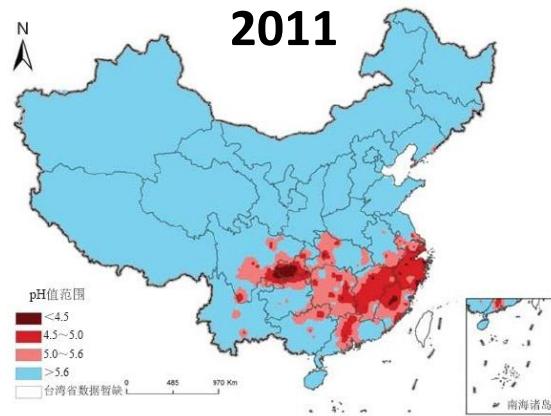
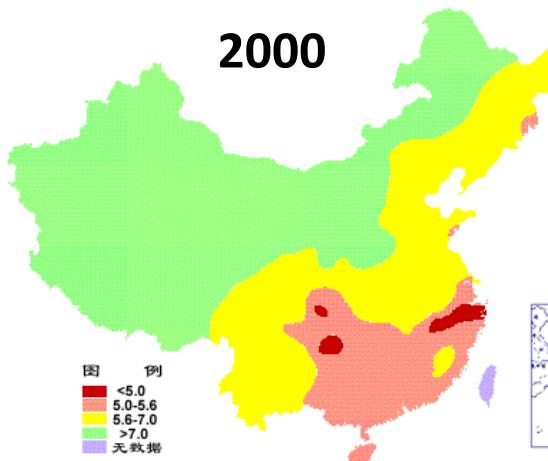
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Acid Rain in China

2011: 12.9% of China's land is affected by acid rain

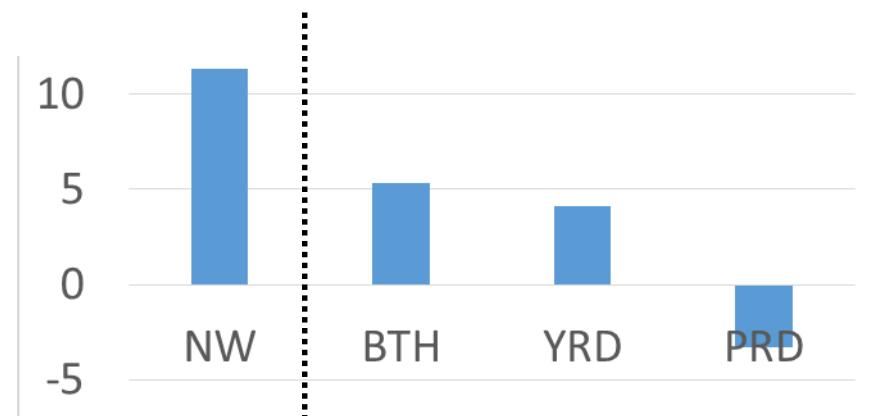
2015: 7.6% of China's land is affected by acid rain



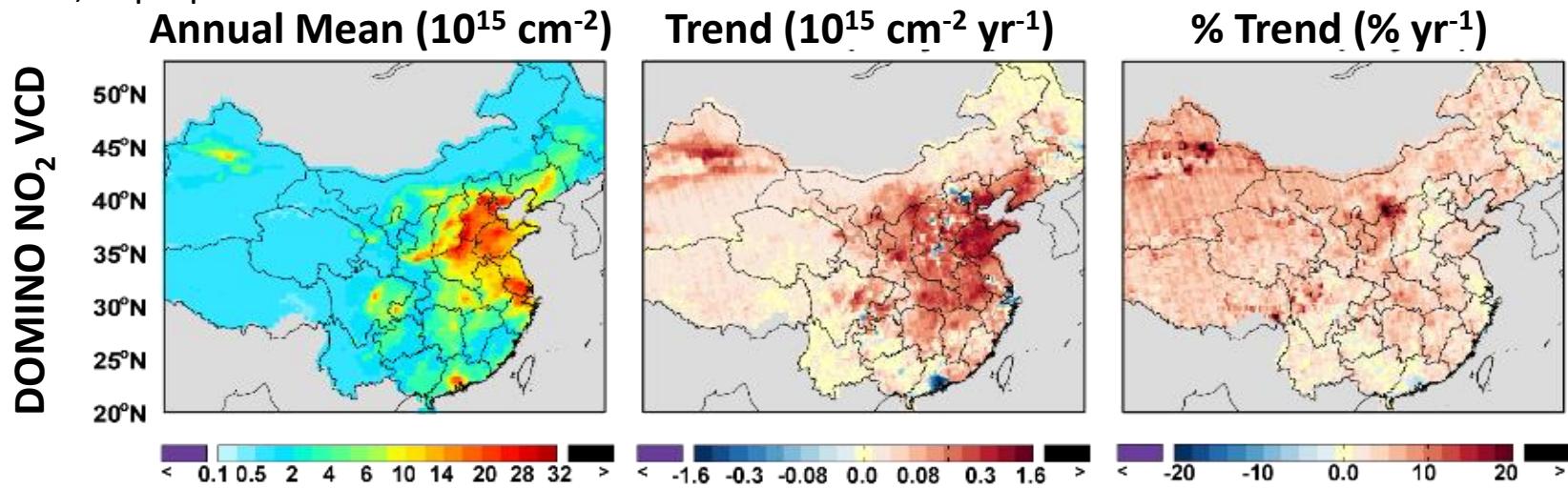
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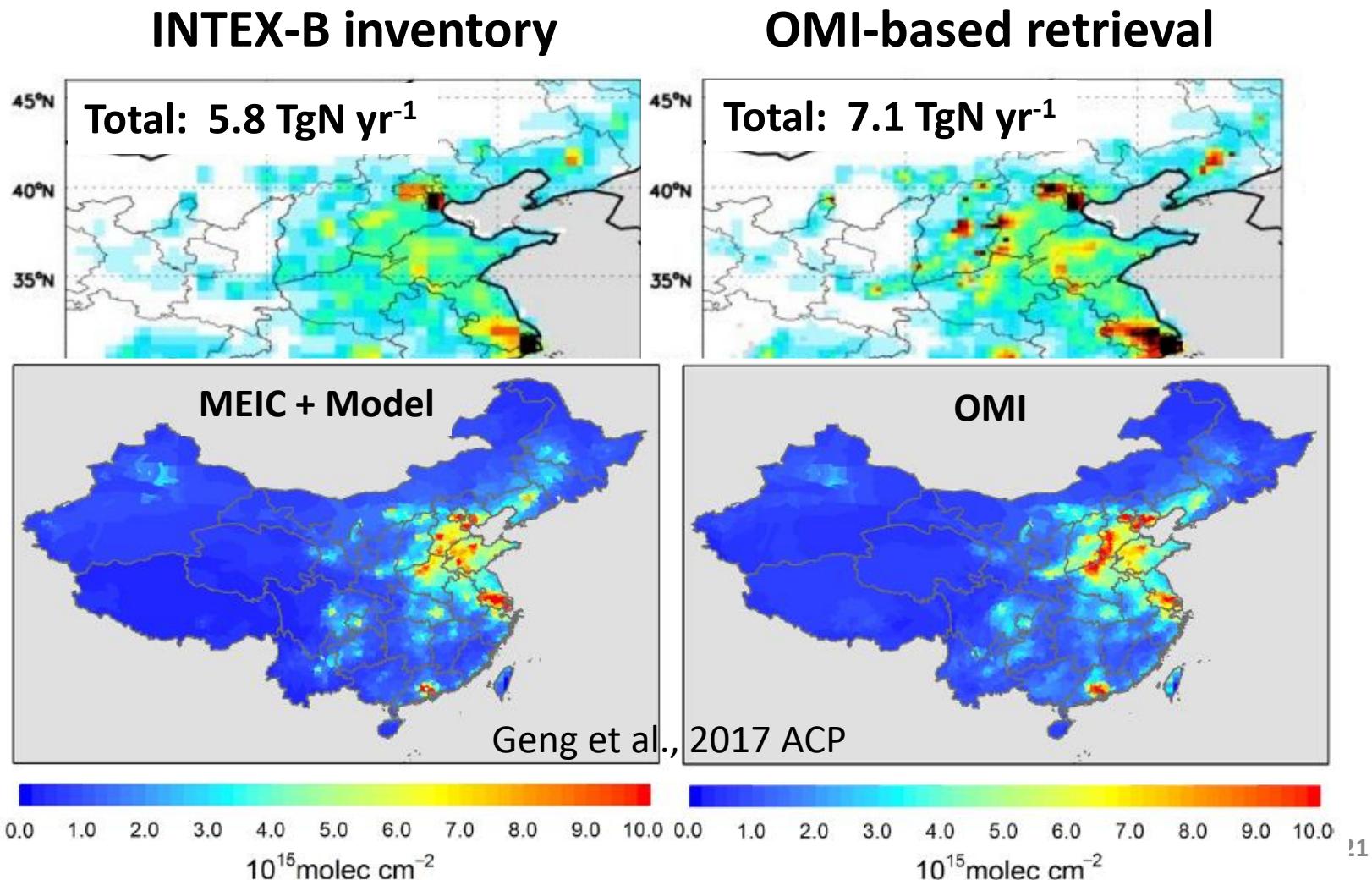
Growth Rate (%/yr) over 2005–2013



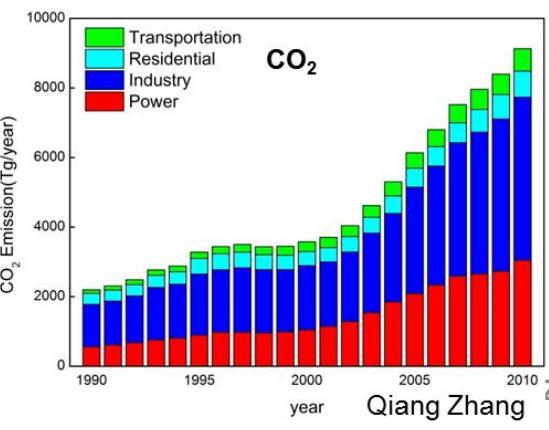
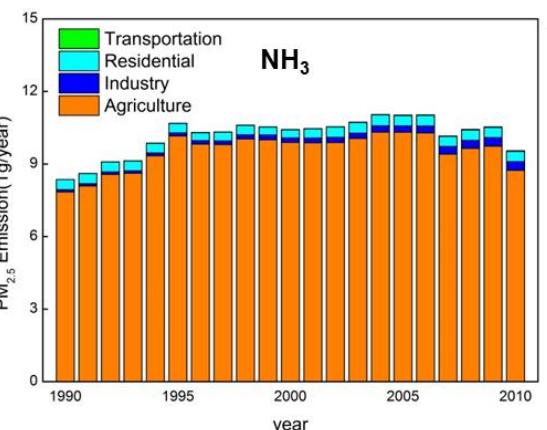
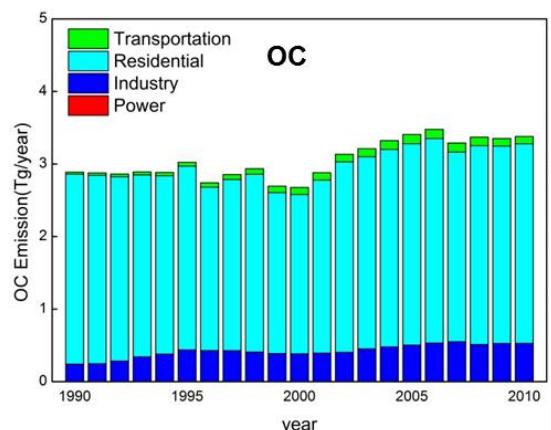
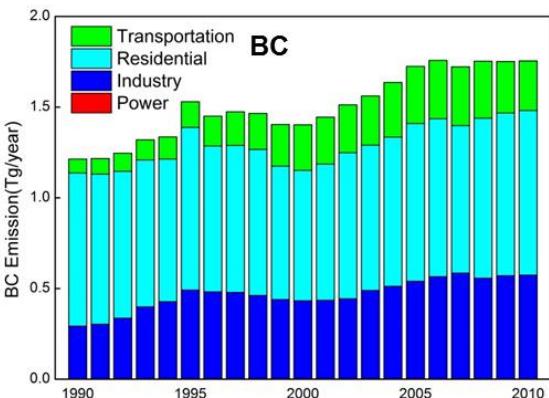
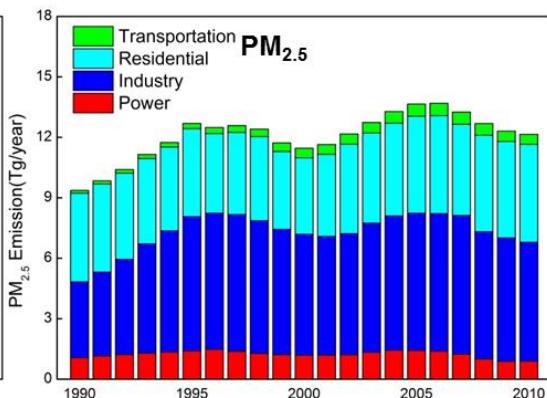
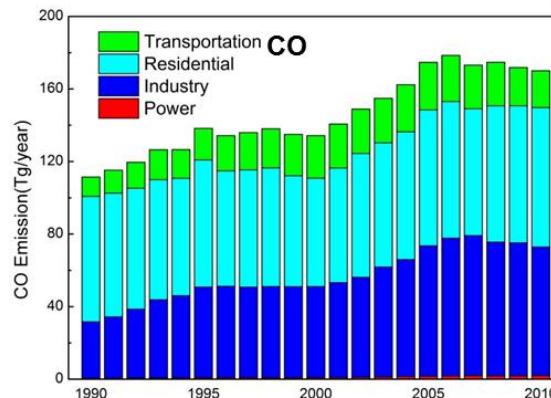
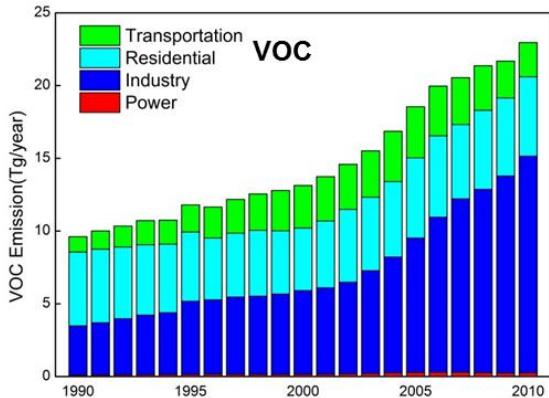
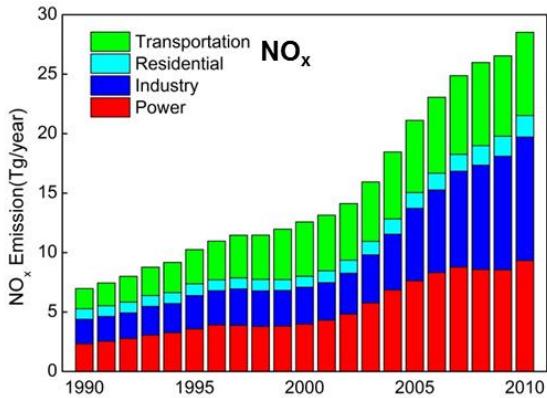
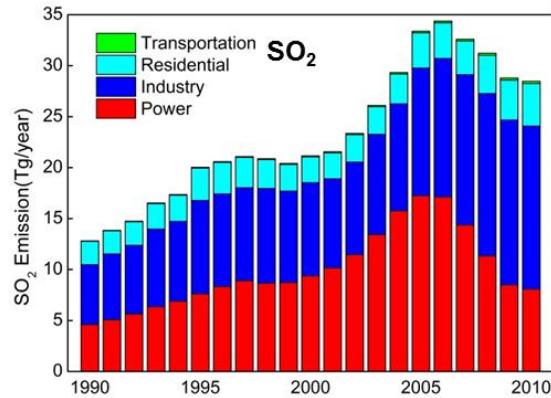
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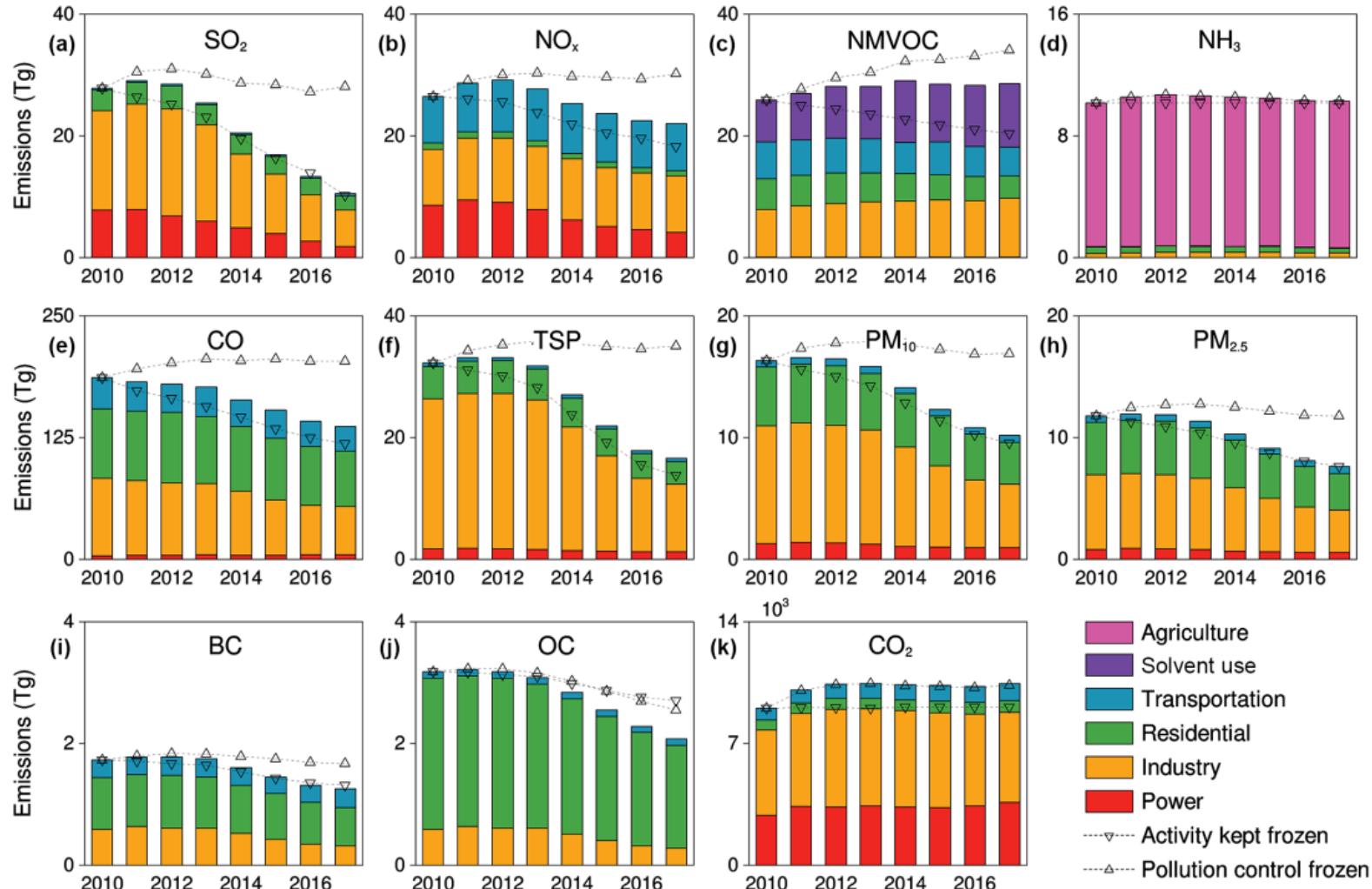
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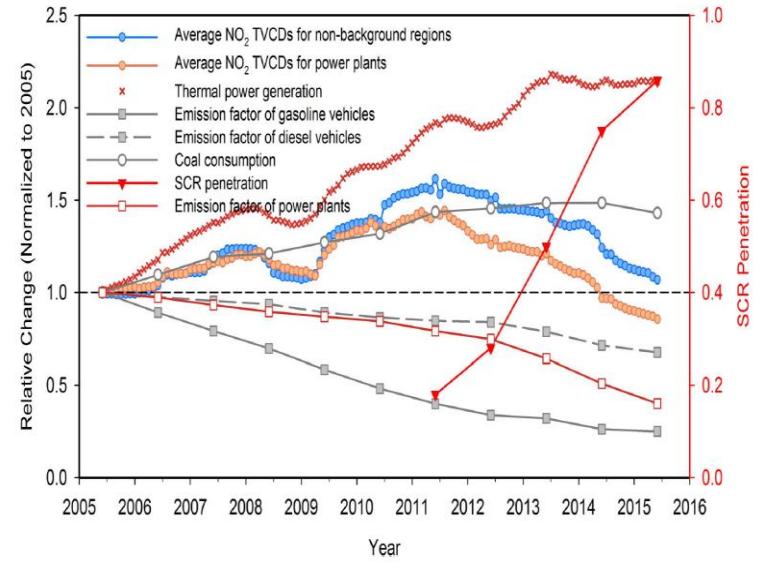
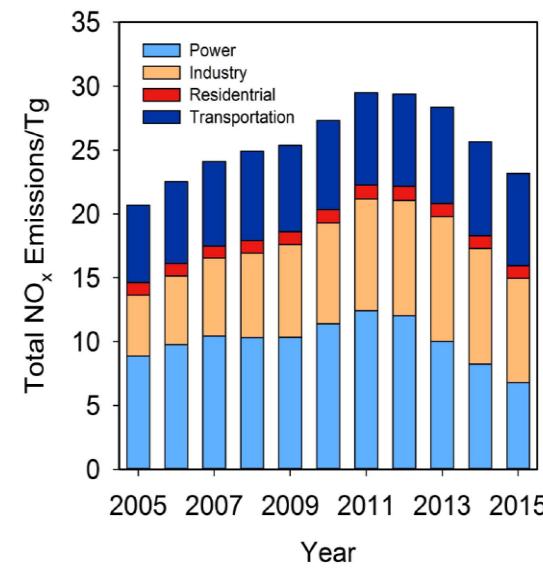
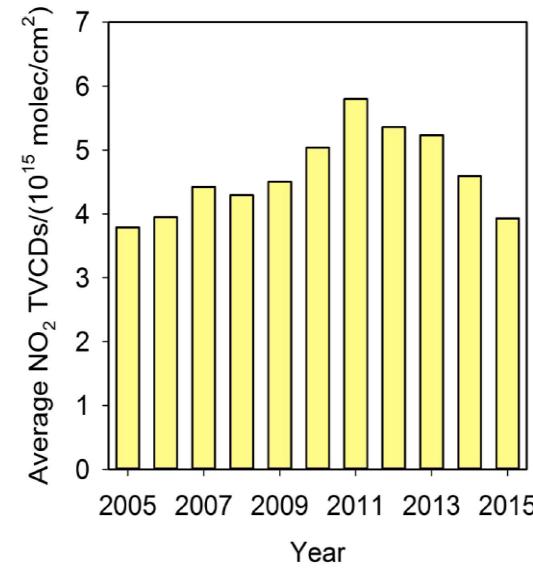
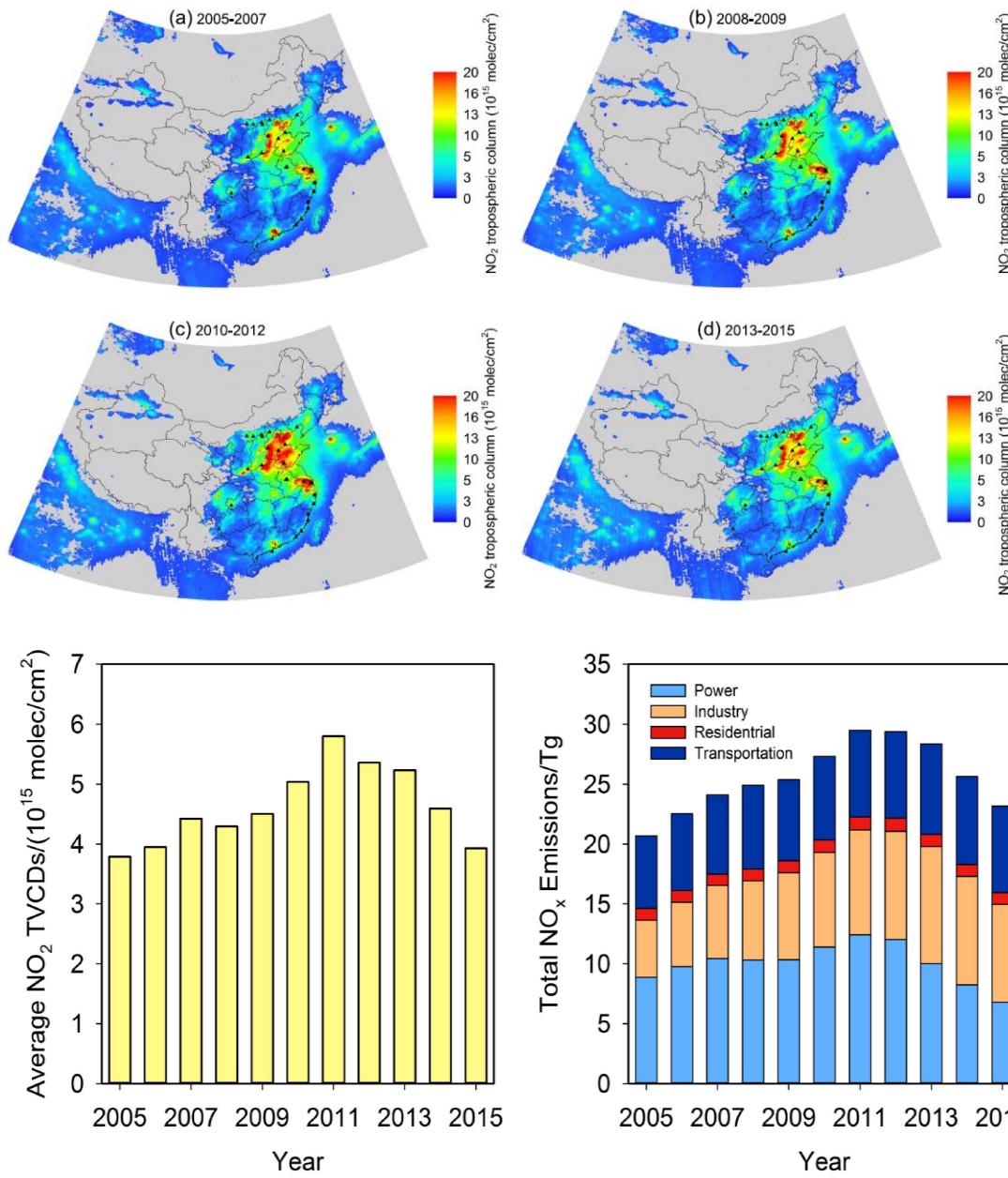
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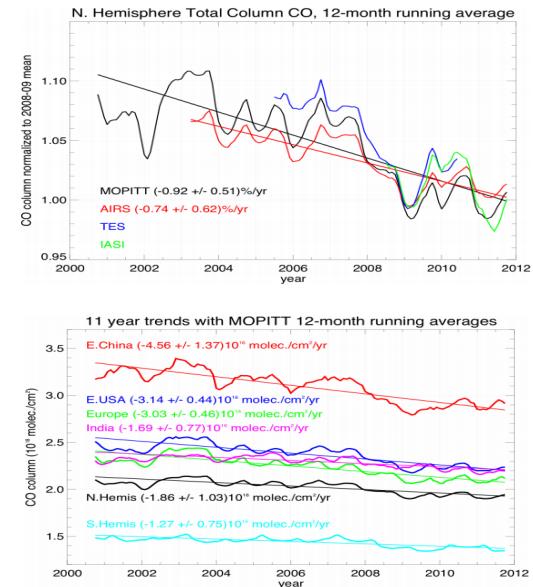
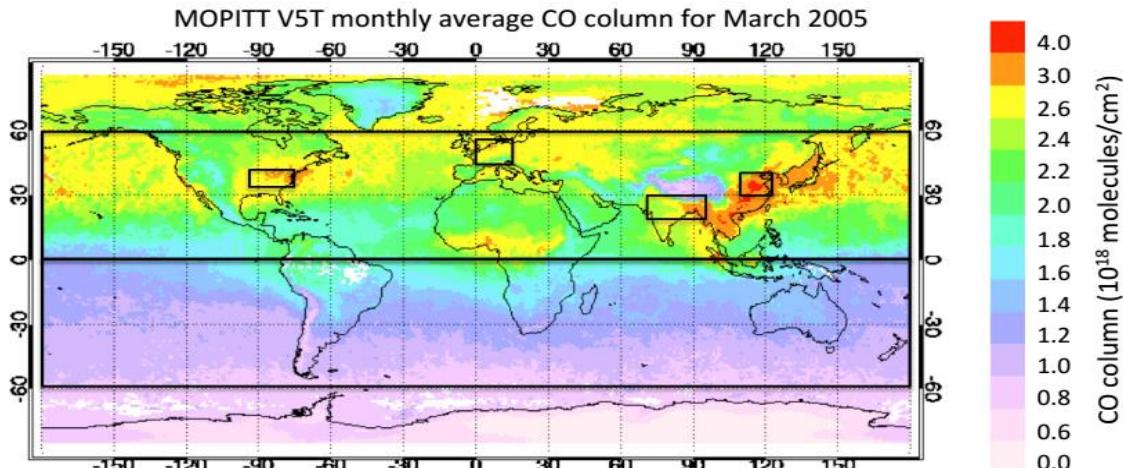
Recent Reductions in NO₂ VCD over China



Liu et al., 2016, ERL

Changes in Tropospheric CO: 2000-2016

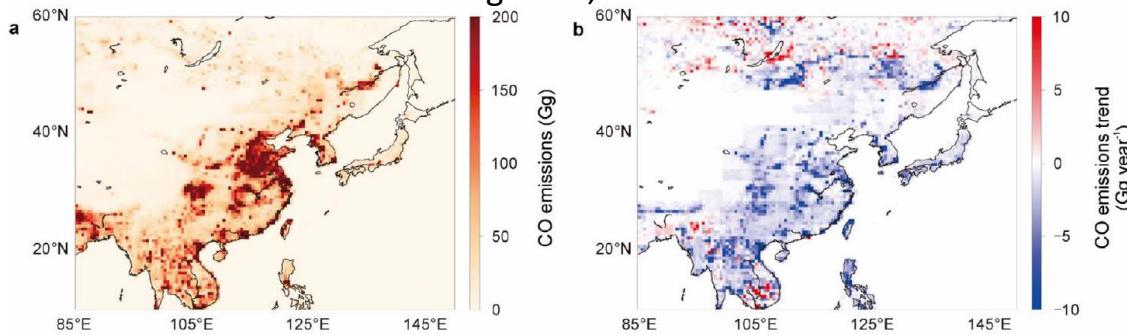
CO column based on multiple products (Worden et al., 2013 ACP)



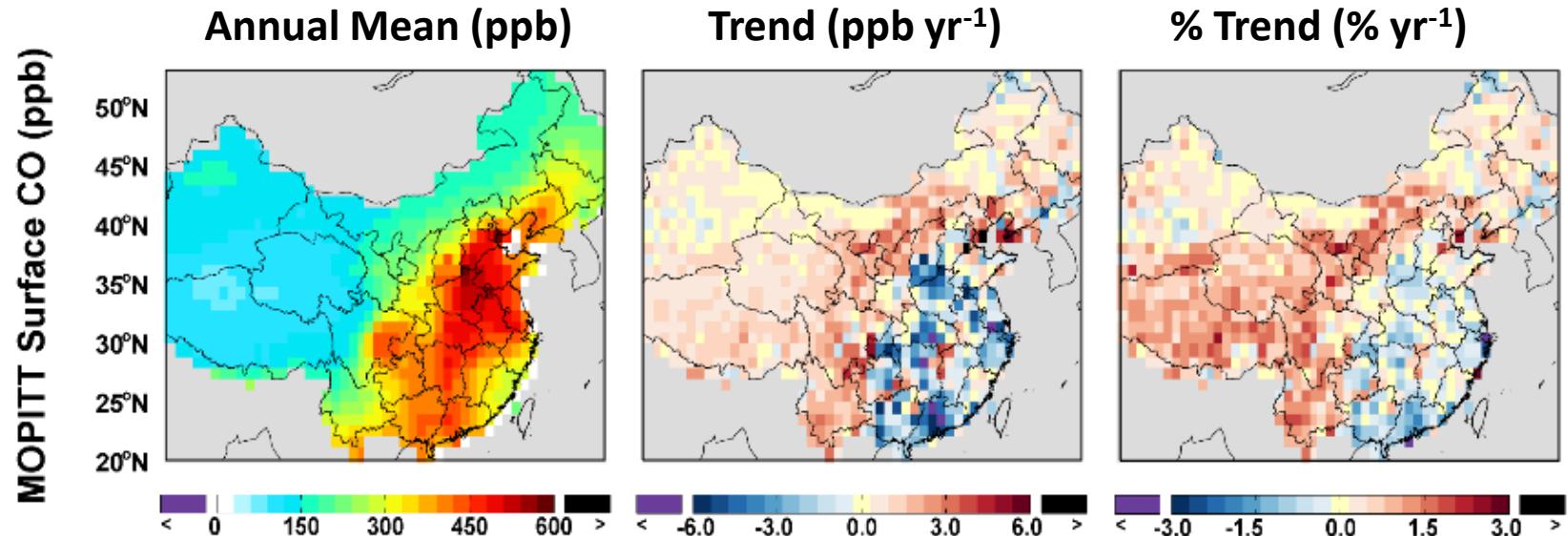
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CO emissions over 2005-2016 based on MOPITT v7

Zheng et al., 2018 ERL

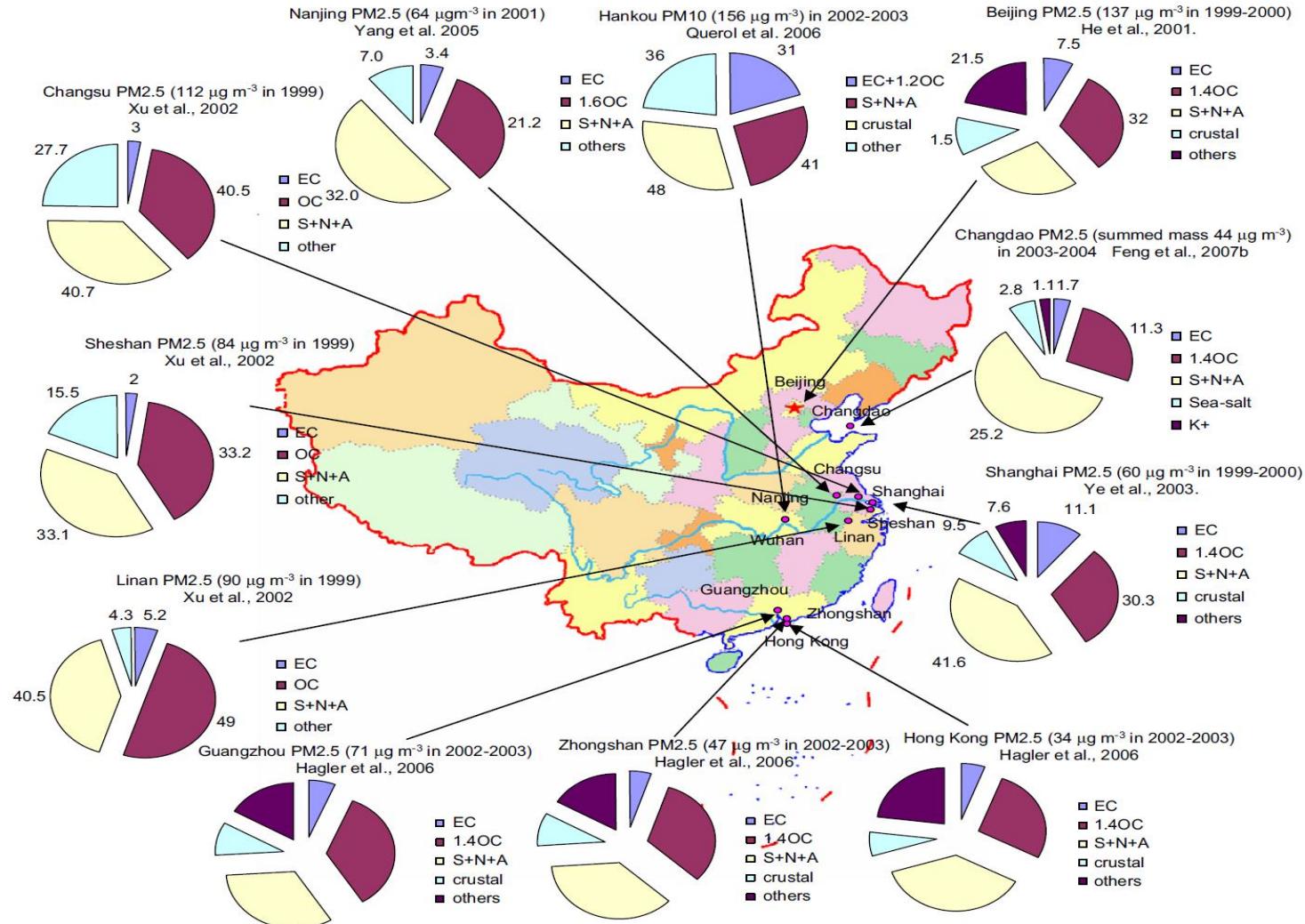


Changes in CO at 700 hPa: 2004-2012



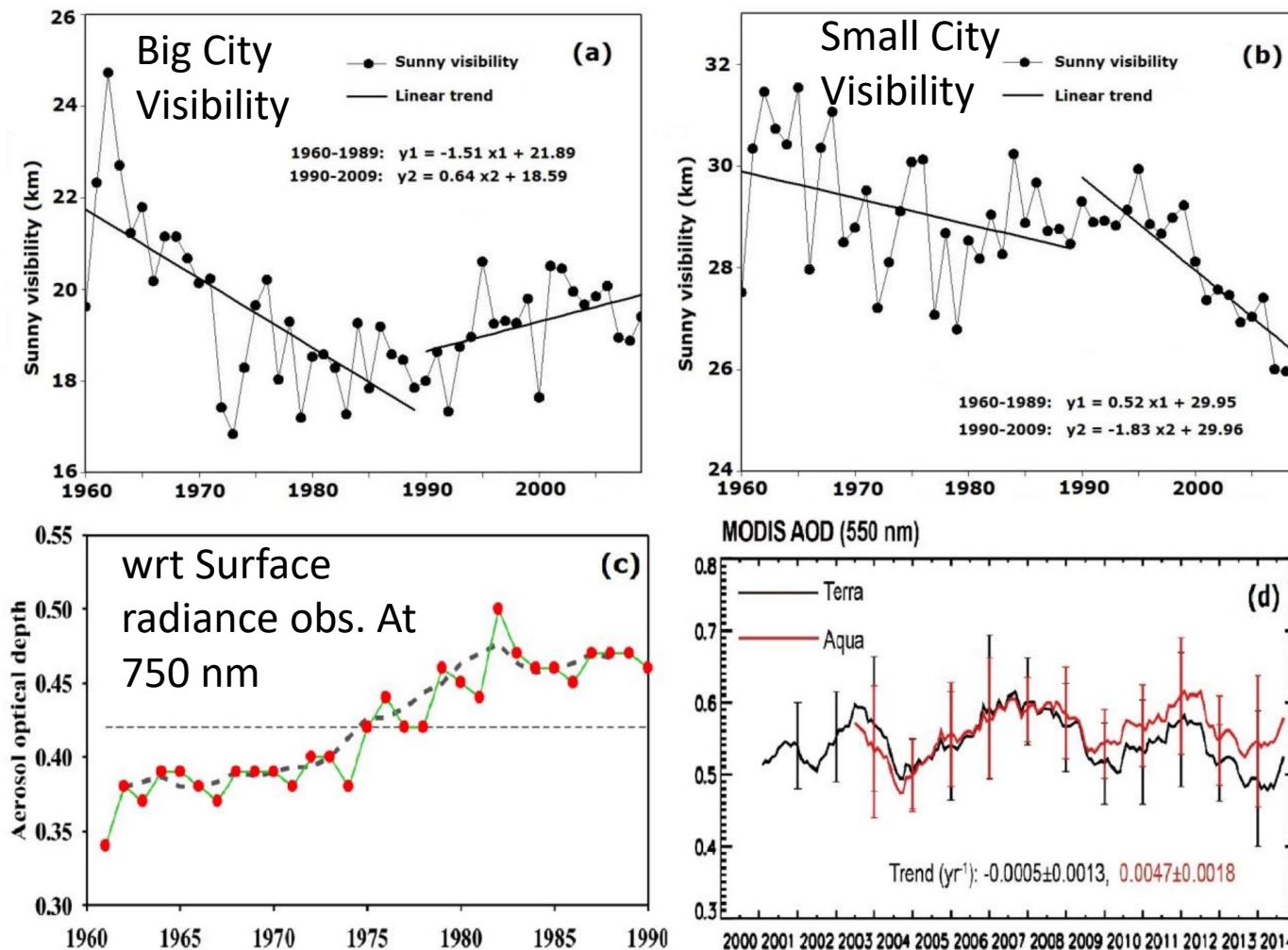
Yan et al., 2017

Speciated PM Measurements in China



Fang et al., 2009

Trends of Visibility and AOD over China: 1960 – 2014



Lin et al., 2013, AOSL; Li et al., 2016, RoG