# **TEMPO**

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The TEMPO concept for geostationary monitoring of Greater North American atmospheric pollution

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### Footprint, GSD and FOR

# GNA imaged in 1 hour with large SNR margins

### 2 km x 4.5 km pixel at 36.5° N, 100° W

### **Field of Regard**

### Slit projected onto scene Scans East to West in 1250, 110 µrad steps 2000, 40.6 µrad North-South IFOVs

#### A12108\_001 Each 2 km × 4.5 km pixel is a 2K element spectrum from 290-690 nm!

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# **UV/Vis satellite background**

A full, minimally-redundant, set of polluting gases, plus aerosols and clouds is currently measured to very high precision from satellites. This includes  $O_3$  (with profiles and tropospheric  $O_3$ ), NO<sub>2</sub> (for NO<sub>x</sub>), H<sub>2</sub>CO and C<sub>2</sub>H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub> (for VOCs), SO<sub>2</sub>, H<sub>2</sub>O, O<sub>2</sub>-O<sub>2</sub>, N<sub>2</sub> and O<sub>2</sub> Raman scattering, and halogen oxides (BrO, CIO, IO, OCIO). Spectrometers planned since 1985 began making these measurements in 1995.

- Measurements of the critical set of gases are fitted to 2-5×10<sup>-4</sup> of the full-scale measured radiances.
- Scaling from LEO implies successful geostationary pollution monitoring.



# SCIAMACHY original sensitivity study – K. Chance, W. Schneider, J. Burrows, 1986-1987

### Appendix on Sensitivity Studies for Constituent Measurements

#### Summary

SCIAMACHY sensitivity studies include the three measurement geometries: nadir observing, viewing the earth's limb in scattered light, and solar and lunar occultations. In nadir observation alone, profile information is determinable in some cases by differential penetration of backscattered light at different wavelengths (as in TOMS/SBUV), and by the variable temperature structure of some molecular absorptions. Height resolution from nadir measurements is limited to 8-10 km from differential penetration and 3 km in favorable cases using temperature structure. Height resolution in limb viewing is 3 km, limited by the weighting functions for limb scattering and by the spacecraft stability. Height resolution is also 3 km for occultations, limited primarily by the telemetry data rate - 1 km resolution would otherwise be possible. The quantities retrieved from SCIAMACHY measurements include:

- eXceL O<sub>3</sub>!
- Nadir observations: Total column amounts of O<sub>3</sub>, O<sub>4</sub>, O<sub>2</sub>, CO, H<sub>2</sub>O, CH<sub>4</sub>, CO<sub>2</sub>, NO<sub>2</sub>, N<sub>2</sub>O, HCHO, SO<sub>2</sub>, ClO, OClO, and BrO; stratospheric profiles of O<sub>3</sub>, CO, H<sub>2</sub>O, CH<sub>4</sub>, CO<sub>2</sub>, N<sub>2</sub>O; the column of NO above the ozone layer; tropospheric profiles or columns of O<sub>3</sub>, CO, H<sub>2</sub>O, CH<sub>4</sub>, CO<sub>2</sub>, N<sub>2</sub>O. Stratospheric profile information, discrimination between stratospheric and tropospheric columns, and, in some cases, tropospheric profile information is derived from the temperature dependences of the absorption features.
- Limb viewing observations: Stratospheric profiles of O<sub>3</sub> (20-50 km), O<sub>2</sub>(<sup>1</sup>Δ) (50 km-90 km), O<sub>2</sub> (20-50 + km), CO (20-35 km), H<sub>2</sub>O (20-53 km), CH<sub>4</sub> (20-40 km),

# **SPIE 1991**



Retrieval and Molecule Sensitivity Studies for the Global Ozone Monitoring Experiment and the SCanning Imaging Absorption spectroMeter for Atmospheric CHartographY

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#### ABSTRACT

The Global Ozone Monitoring Experiment (GOME) and the SCanning Imaging Absorption spectroMeter for Atmospheric CHartographY (SCIAMACHY) are diode array-based spectrometers that will make atmospheric constituent and aerosol measurements from European satellite platforms beginning in the mid 1990's. GOME measures the atmosphere in the UV and visible in nadir scanning, while SCIAMACHY performs a combination of nadir, limb, and occultation measurements in the UV, visible and infrared. We present a summary of the sensitivity studies that have been performed for SCIAMACHY measurements. As the GOME measurement capability is a subset of the SCIAMACHY measurement capability, the nadir, UV and visible portion of the studies shown here apply to GOME as well.

### Sun-synchronous heritage GOME/SCIAMACHY/OMI/GOME-2/OMPS nadir

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| Instrument               | Detectors        | Spectral<br>Coverage [nm] | Spectral<br>Resolution [nm] | Ground Pixel<br>Size [km <sup>2</sup> ]                    | Global<br>Coverage |
|--------------------------|------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------------|--|--------------------|
| GOME (1995-<br>2011)     | Linear<br>Arrays | 240-790                   | 0.2-0.4                     | 40 × 320 (40 × 80<br>zoom)                                 | 3 days             |
| SCIAMACHY<br>(2002-2012) | Linear<br>Arrays | 240-2380                  | 0.2-1.5                     | 30 × 30/60/90<br>30 × 120/240<br>(depending on<br>product) | 6 days             |
| OMI (2004)               | 2-D CCD          | 270-500                   | 0.42-0.63                   | 15 × 30 -<br>42 × 162<br>(depending on<br>swath position)  | daily              |
| GOME-2<br>(2006, 2012)   | Linear<br>Arrays | 240-790                   | 0.24-0.53                   | 40 × 40<br>(40 × 80 wide<br>swath; 40 × 10<br>zoom)        | near-daily         |
| OMPS-1<br>(2011)         | 2-D<br>CCDs      | 250-380                   | 0.42-1.0                    | 50 × 50<br>250 × 250<br>(depending on<br>product)          | daily              |

Previous experience (since 1985 at SAO) Scientific and operational measurements of pollutants O<sub>3</sub>, NO<sub>2</sub>, SO<sub>2</sub>, H<sub>2</sub>CO, and C<sub>2</sub>H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub> (and BrO, OCIO, CIO, IO, H<sub>2</sub>O, O<sub>2</sub>-O<sub>2</sub>, Raman, ....) 

### GOME Earth albedo spectra, clear and cloudy



# SAO-developed the algorithm physics for UV/vis atmospheric measurements:

- Precise dynamic wavelength and slit function calibration
- Quantum-mechanically correct Raman scattering (Ring effect) correction
- Spectral undersampling correction for insufficient Nyquist sampling
- Spectral common-mode correction
- Configuration-controlled choices of reference spectra (HITRAN! http://www.cfa.harvard.edu/hitran)

# **Vertical Column Retrievals**

Trace gas column fitting results (NO<sub>2</sub>, SO<sub>2</sub>, H<sub>2</sub>CO, C<sub>2</sub>H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub>, H<sub>2</sub>O, BrO, OCIO, IO) come from directly fitting radiances

- Simple Ring effect formulation (no induced Fraunhofer structure or induced wavelength mismatch
- No distortion of measured data due to high-pass filtering: Full dynamic range of measurements used
- THEN: Division by air-mass factor (AMF) using LIDORT/ VLIDORT radiative transfer model and GEOS-CHEM 3-D tropospheric chemistry and transport model
- **NOW: Pre-division** of reference spectra by λ-dependent AMF Current tabulation G. Gonzalez Abad *et al.*



### **OMI O<sub>3</sub> Profile Algorithm Description (eXceL)**

- Spectral fitting with full radiative transfer model simulation (VLIDORT) (Spurr *et al.*, 2001; 2002, 2004, 2006, 2008).
- Fitting windows: 290-307, 325-340 nm (GOME), 270-330 nm (OMI)
- Retrieve O<sub>3</sub> partial columns at 24 layers from surface to above 60 km
- III-posed problem: non-linear optimal estimation (Rodgers, 2000) with ozone profile climatology (McPeters *et al.*, 2007) to constrain retrievals

$$C^{2} = \left\| \mathbf{S}_{y}^{-\frac{1}{2}} \{ \mathbf{K}_{i} (\mathbf{X}_{i+1} - \mathbf{X}_{i}) - [\mathbf{Y} - \mathbf{R}(\mathbf{X}_{i})] \} \right\|_{2}^{2} + \left\| \mathbf{S}_{a}^{-\frac{1}{2}} (\mathbf{X}_{i+1} - \mathbf{X}_{a}) \right\|_{2}^{2}$$
$$\mathbf{X}_{i+1} = \mathbf{X}_{i} + (\mathbf{K}_{i}^{\mathsf{T}} \mathbf{S}_{y}^{-1} \mathbf{K}_{i} + \mathbf{S}_{a}^{-1})^{-1} \{ \mathbf{K}_{i}^{\mathsf{T}} \mathbf{S}_{y}^{-1} [\mathbf{Y} - \mathbf{R}(\mathbf{X}_{i})] - \mathbf{S}_{a}^{-1} (\mathbf{X}_{i} - \mathbf{X}_{a}) \right\|_{2}^{2}$$

- Y: Measurement vector (e.g., radiances)
- X, X<sub>i</sub>, X<sub>i+1</sub>: State vector (*e.g.* ozone profile)
- X<sub>a</sub>: *a priori* state vector
- **K** : Weighting function matrix, sensitivity of radiances to ozone
- S<sub>a</sub>: A priori covariance matrix
- S<sub>y</sub>: Measurement error covariance matrix

Liu et al., 2005, JGR, Liu et al., 2010



# Smithsonian Astrophysical Observatory OMI eXceL O<sub>3</sub> profile product

O<sub>3</sub> Profile APP: PROFOZ (V1.0) at OMI SIPS (Liu et al., 2010a,b)

- $O_3$  at 24 layers up to ~60 km from 270-330 nm OMI radiances
- Soft radiometric correction (independent of time & space)
- Optimal estimation with LLM climatology (McPeters <u>et al.</u>, 2007)
- NCEP tropopause, derive TOZ, SCO, TCO to within a few DU
- Data availability: Oct. 2004-May 2009
- Improvements will include tropopause-based O<sub>3</sub> climatology (Pusan U. & SAO, publication in progress)





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#### 11-28-2011 DRAFT GEO-CAPE aerosol-atmospheres Science Traceability Matrix BASELINE and THRESHOLD

| cience Questions  | Measurement Objectives<br>(color flag maps to Science Questions)   | Measurement Requirements<br>(mapped to Measurement Objectives)                                      |   | Measurement Rationale |                             |  |  |  |  |
|---|--|---|---|-----------------------|-----------------------------|--|--|--|--|
| What are the  | Baseline measurements <sup>1</sup> :<br>O3, NO2, CO, SO2, HCHO, CH4, NH3, CHOCHO,<br>different temporal sampling frequencies, 4 km x 4<br>km product horizontal spatial resolution at the center<br>of the domain; and AOD, AAOD, AI, aerosol optical<br>centroid height (AOCH), hourly for SZA-70 and 8 km<br>x 8 km product horizontal spatial resolution at the   |   | Geostationary Observing Location: 100 W +/-10   |                       |                             |  | Provides optimal view of North America.                            |  |  |
| temporal and<br>spatial variations  |  |   | Column measurements: [A to K]<br>All the baseline and threshold species                                       |                       |                             |  |  | Continue the current state of practice in<br>vertical; add temporal resolution.  |  |
| of emissions of<br>gases and  |  |   | Cloud Camera 1 km x 1km horizontal spatial<br>resolution, two spectral bands, baseline only                   |                       |                             |  | tial<br>nly  | Improve retrieval accuracy, provide<br>diagnostics for gases and aerosol   |  |
| aerosols important  | center of the domain.  | Vertical i  | nformation  | : įA to               | Kj                          |  |  |  |  |
| tor air quality and climate?<br>How do physical, chemical, and  | <u>Threshold measurements</u> :<br>CO hourly day and night; 03, NO2 hourly when<br>SZA<70; AOD hourly (SZA<50); at 8 km × 8 km<br>product horizontal spatial resolution at the center of<br>the domain.  |   | Two pieces of information in the<br>troposphere in daylight with<br>sensitivity to the lowest 2 km Threshold) |                       | O<br>line and<br>hold)      | Separate the lower-most troposphere from the free troposphere for O3, CO.  |  |  |  |
|   |  |   | Altitude (+/- 1km) AOCH (baseline   |                       | l<br>ine only)              | Detect aerosol plume height; improve retrieval accuracy.                   |  |  |  |
| dynamical   | A. Measure the threshold or baseline species or  | Product horizontal spatial resolution at the center of the domain, (nominally 100W, 35 N): [A to H] |   |                       |                             |  |  |  |  |
| processes<br>determine<br>tropospheric  | properties with the temporal and spatial<br>resolution specified (see next column) to quantify<br>the underlying emissions, understand emission  |   | 4 km x 4 km (baseline),<br>8 km x 8 km (threshold) Gases  |                       | s                           | Capture spatial/temporal variability; obtain<br>better yields of products. |  |  |  |
| composition and   | processes, and track transport and chemical evolution of air pollutants <b>2 3 4 5 6</b> 1   | 8 km x 8 km (baseline, threshold)   |   | shold)                | prope                       | rties  |  |  |  |
| air quality over  |  | 16 km × 1   | 6 km (base  | line on               | ly)                         | Over o<br>ocean  | open   | Inherently larger spatial scales, sufficient<br>to link to LEO observations  |  |
| scales ranging  | aerosol and nitrogen deposition to land and  |   | Spectral region : A to H  |                       |                             |  |  | Typical use  |  |
| continental.  |  | UV-Vis or   | UV-TIR  | 03                    |                             |  |  | Provide multispectral retrieval information  |  |
| diurnally to  | Measure AOD, AAOD, and AOCH to relate<br>surface PM concentration. UV-B level and  | SWIR, MI  | NIR   | co                    |                             |  |  | in daylight  |  |
| seasonally?   | visibility to aerosol column loading 🚺 2, 3, 4, 5,   | SWIR  |   | SO2,                  | нсно                        |  |  | Retrieve gas species from their  |  |
|   |  | TIR   |   | NH3                   |                             |  |  | atmospheric spectral signatures (typical)  |  |
| How does air<br>pollution drive   | Determine the instantaneous radiative forcings<br>associated with ozone and aerosols on the<br>continental scale and relate them quantitatively  |   |   | AOD,                  | NO2, Cł                     | носн   | 0  | Obtain spectral-dependence of AOD for<br>particle size and type information  |  |
| and how does  | to natural and anthropogenic emissions [3, 5, 6]   | UV-deep   | blue  | AAOD                  |                             |  | Obtain spectral-dependence of AAOD for<br>aerosol type information |  |  |
| climate change  | Observe pulses of CH4 emission from biogenic<br>and anthropogenic releases: CO anthropogenic   | UV-deep   | p blue Al   |                       |                             | Provide absorbing aerosol information                                      |  |  |  |
| affect air quality  | and wildfire emissions; AOD, AAOD, and AI from   | Vis-NIR AOCH  |   |                       | Retrieve aerosol height 3   |  |  |  |  |
| scale?  | and AOD from volcanic eruptions [1, 4, 6]  | Atmospheric measurements over Land/Coastal areas, baseline and threshold: A to K                    |   |                       |                             |  |  |  |  |
| How can<br>observations from<br>space improve air<br>quality forecasts<br>and assessments<br>for societal<br>benefit? | <ul> <li>Quantify the inflows and outflows of O3, CO, SO2, and aerosols across continental boundaries to determine their impacts on surface air quality and on climate (2, 3, 5)</li> <li>Characterize aerosol particle size and type from spectral dependence measurements of AOD and AAOD (1, 2, 3, 5, 5)</li> <li>Acquire measurements to improve representation of processes in air quality models and improve data assimilation in forecast and assessment models (a)</li> <li>Synthesize the GEO-CAPE measurements with information from in-situ and ground-based</li> </ul> | Species   | Time<br>resolution  | n <sub>Va</sub>       | vpical<br>alue <sup>2</sup> | Preci  | ision <sup>2</sup>   | Description  |  |
|   |  | 03  | Hourly,<br>SZA<70   | 9 x                   | 10 <sup>18</sup>            | 0-2 kn<br>2km-t<br>15 p  | n: 10 ppbv<br>tropopause:<br>opbv                                  | Observe O3 with two pieces of<br>information in the troposphere with<br>sensitivity to the lowest 2 km for surface                                 |  |
|   |  |   | Hourly,   |                       | 4018                        | O-2 kn   | sphere: 5%<br>n: 20ppbv  | AQ; also transport, climate forcing<br>Track anthropogenic and biomass<br>burning plumes; observe CO with two                                      |  |
|   |  |   | night   | 2 ×                   | 10.2                        | 01° 2km–tropopause<br>20 ppbv  |  | pieces of information in the vertical with<br>sensitivity to the lowest 2 km in daylight   |  |
| How does  |  | AOD   | Hourly,<br>SZA<70   | 0.1                   | I – 1 0.05                  |  |  | Observe total aerosol; aerosol sources<br>and transport; climate forcing   |  |
| intercontinental<br>transport affect air<br>quality?  |  | NO2   | Hourly,<br>SZA<70   | 6 x                   | 10 <sup>16</sup>            | 1×10 <sup>1</sup>  | 6  | Distinguish background from enhanced/<br>polluted scenes; atmospheric chemistry  |  |
|   | remote sensing networks to construct an  |   | Additional atmospheric measurements over Land/Coastal areas, baseline only: At                                |                       |                             |  |  | Coastal areas, baseline only: A to K   |  |
| How do episodic   | ennanced observing system <b>(E)</b> 2, 3, 4, 5, 9   |   | Time<br>resoluti  | ion                   | Typic<br>value              | <b>al</b>  | Precision <sup>2</sup>   | Description  |  |
| events, such as   | geostationary satellites over Europe and Asia  | нсно*   | 3/day, S  | ZA<50                 | ) 1.0x1                     | 0 <sup>16</sup>  | 1×10 <sup>16</sup>   | expected to peak at midday; chemistry  |  |
| outbreaks, and  | together with LEO satellites and suborbital<br>platforms for assessing the hemispheric transport   | SO2*  | 3/day, S  | ZA<50                 | ) 1×10                      | 16 .   | 1×10 <sup>18</sup>   | Identify major pollution and volcanic<br>emissions; atmospheric chemistry  |  |
| affect atmospheric  | Integrate observations from GEO-CAPE and   | CH4   | 2/day   | /day 4                |                             | 19   | 20 ppbv  | emissions sources  |  |
| composition and air quality?  | other platforms into models to improve<br>representation of processes in the models and to<br>link the observed composition, deposition, and<br>radiative forcing to the emissions from  | NH3   | 2/day   |                       | 2x10 <sup>1</sup>           | 6  | 0-2 km:<br>2ppbv   | Observe agricultural emissions   |  |
|   |  | CHOCHO* 2/day   |   |                       | 2x10 <sup>14</sup>          |  | 4×10 <sup>14</sup>   | formation, atmospheric chemistry   |  |
|   | anthropogenic and natural sources [1], 2, 3, 4, 5,<br>6]   | AAOD Hourly, SZ   |   | SZA<7                 | A<70 0 - 0.05               |  | 0.02   | Distinguish smoke and dust from non-<br>UV absorbing aerosols; climate forcing   |  |
|   | -  | AI  | Hourly,   | SZA<7                 | 0 -1 - +                    | -5   | 0.1  | Detect aerosols near/above clouds and over snow/ice; aerosol events  |  |
|   |  | AOCH  | Hourly,   | SZA<7                 | 0 Varia                     | ble  | 1 km   | Determine plume height; large scale  |  |
|   |  | Open oc   | ean measu   | remen                 | ts: FH                      | , I, J, K  | baseline   | only, 16 km x 16 km  |  |
|   |  |   | 03 1/day  |                       | Over                        |  |  |  |  |
|   |  |   | со  |                       | 1/day D                     |  | pollution, du  | r open oceans, capture long-range transport of<br>ution, dust, and smoke into/out of North America;<br>blish boundary conditions for North America |  |
|   |  |   | AOD, AAOD, AI   |                       | 1/day establish b           |  | establish bo   |  |  |

**TEMPO** works from the GEO-CAPE Science **Traceability Matrix** to define measurement requirements and then instrument requirements

AOD=Aerosol optical depth, AAOD=Aerosol absorption optical depth, AI=Aerosol index. See next page for footnotes





### Required Concentration Precisions for GEO-CAPE/TEMPO Air Quality Gas Measurements\*

| Molecule          | Vertical Column<br>[mol cm <sup>-2</sup> ] | Sensitivity Driver   |  |  |
|-------------------|--|--|--|--|
| O <sub>3</sub>    | $2.4 \times 10^{16}$                       | Hourly for SZA $\leq 70^{\circ}$ ~10 ppbv in PBL; reality (profiling) is more complicated  |  |  |
| NO <sub>2</sub>   | $1.0 \times 10^{15}$                       | Hourly for SZA $\leq 70^{\circ}$<br>Distinguish background from enhanced/polluted scenes   |  |  |
| SO <sub>2</sub>   | $1.0 	imes 10^{16}$                        | 3/day for SZA $\leq$ 50° Identify major pollution and volcanic emissions                   |  |  |
| H <sub>2</sub> CO | $1.0 	imes 10^{16}$                        | 3/day for SZA $\leq 50^{\rm o}$ Observe biogenic VOC emissions, expected to peak at midday |  |  |
| $C_2H_2O_2$       | $4.0 	imes 10^{14}$                        | 2/day for SZA $\leq 50^{\rm o}$ Track urban and fire emissions                             |  |  |

\*Sensitivities for lowest 1 km. Clouds and aerosol products not discussed here.

### BrO, and H<sub>2</sub>O will also be measured well!





# **TEMPO O<sub>3</sub> and trace gas retrieval and sensitivity study tools**

- Radiative transfer tool to calculate scattering weights, Jacobians, AMFs, and radiances from synthetic atmospheres using the VLIDORT RTM
  - 18 **GSFC** atmospheres studied for O<sub>3</sub> and trace gases (HCHO, NO<sub>2</sub>, SO<sub>2</sub>, CHOCHO).
- For trace gases:
  - Albedos 0-1, SZA 0-90°, wavelengths 280-900 nm.
  - Finalize measurement requirements from STM species, sensitivities, footprint, and temporal, geographic, and SZA coverage.
- Fitting studies address tradeoffs between S/N and spectral resolution.
  - improved noise model, S/N proportional to [radiance]<sup>1/2</sup>; window averages of S/N given in plots and requirements
  - cross sections normalized to AMF for direct vertical column retrieval







#### Radiances from GSFC NY-12 model and SAO2010 irradiance







# **Measurement Requirements**

| Molecule               | SO <sub>2</sub> | NO <sub>2</sub> | H <sub>2</sub> CO | $C_2H_2O_2$ |
|------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|-------------------|-------------|
| Fitting Window<br>(nm) | 305-330         | 423-451         | 327-356           | 433-465     |

Measurement requirements come from full multiple scattering calculations with VLIDORT, including gas loading & aerosols (GSFC NY12 atmosphere), an 0.03 albedo, and are for fitting to concentrations in the lowest 2 km.

Full-up fitting studies comparing spectral resolution and signal-to-noise ratio then give:



### GEO-CAPE NO, fitting, 70.00° SZA









GEMS SO,, Seoul @ 50° SZA



GEMS H<sub>2</sub>CO, Seoul @ 50° SZA







Three examples of nearly clear-sky retrieval averaging kernels (sensitivities of retrievals to the true state), for pixels (1)-(3) indicated on previous figures. (d)-(e) are the same as (a)-(c) but under ideal conditions (i.e., without interferences from other parameters). These AKs have been normalized by the actual ozone variability (i.e., a priori error). The symbols indicate the altitude of the averaging kernels. The dotted black horizontal lines indicate the tropopause. The caption on top of each of panel shows solar zenith angle, cloud fraction, and surface albedo





## **TEMPO Instrument Concept**

- Spatial resolution: 2 km N/S × 4.5 km E/W native resolution (9 km<sup>2</sup>)
  - Co-add/cloud clear for some products
- Band pass and spectral resolution: 290-690 nm @ 0.6 nm FWHM, 0.2 nm sampling
- Field of regard: Mexico City to the Canadian tar ("oil") sands, Atlantic to Pacific
- Data products and sampling rates: NO<sub>2</sub> sampled hourly; O<sub>3</sub>, H<sub>2</sub>CO and C<sub>2</sub>H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub> 3 times/day (hourly samples averaged to get required S/N), except that eXceLO<sub>3</sub> for selected target areas may be sampled hourly; SO<sub>2</sub> 2 times/day. Aerosol and cloud products are sampled hourly.
- Signal-to-noise ratio (S/N) values from standard radiances that have been delivered from SAO to BATC and GSFC.
  - $70^{\circ}$  SZA for NO<sub>2</sub>, 50° for other standard products.
  - Address beginning of life versus end of life S/N values



# **TEMPO Mission Concept**

- Geostationary orbit, 90-110° W preferred, 80-120° W acceptable BATC is currently surveying COMSAT companies for specifications on the satellite environment and launch manifests to see what platforms will become available.
- Full measurement and telemetry duty cycle for ≤70° SZA
- Standard products: NASA TOMS-type O<sub>3</sub>; SO<sub>2</sub>, NO<sub>2</sub>, H<sub>2</sub>CO from AMFnormalized cross sections; AAI; RRS cloud. SAO eXceLO<sub>3</sub> included for selected geographic targets.
  - Non-O<sub>3</sub> gas algorithm model is SAO operational OMI code currently running @ GSFC DISC; TOMS-type O<sub>3</sub>, AAI and RRS cloud are also from OMI operational model.
- Secondary products: eXceL O<sub>3</sub> for broader regions; BrO and C<sub>2</sub>H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub> from AMF-normalized cross sections; H<sub>2</sub>O, height-resolved SO<sub>2</sub>; additional aerosols (TBC; this is currently the largest unknown); alternate cloud products.
- Higher-level products: pollution/AQ indices from standard products, possibly including city light maps, distributed broadly in near-real-time.
- All proposed TEMPO measurements have been made from existing LEO satellite instruments to the required precisions
- All TEMPO launch algorithms are implementations of currently operational satellite algorithms





### **Default Launch Data Products**

| Product                        | Algorithm                         | Hourly Coverage @ $\leq 4.5 \times 8 \text{ km}^2$ |
|--------------------------------|-----------------------------------|--|
| <b>O</b> <sub>3</sub>          | TOMS-Vn                           | 15 - 50.25°N, 60 - 130°W                           |
| <b>O</b> <sub>3</sub>          | XL optimal estimation             | Selected urban areas and burning regions           |
| NO <sub>2</sub>                | Direct fitting, AMF ( $\lambda$ ) | 15 - 50.25°N, 60 - 130°W                           |
| SO <sub>2</sub>                | Direct fitting, AMF ( $\lambda$ ) | 15 - 50.25°N, 60 - 130°W                           |
| H <sub>2</sub> CO              | Direct fitting, AMF ( $\lambda$ ) | 15 - 50.25°N, 60 - 130°W                           |
| $C_2H_2O_2$                    | Direct fitting, AMF ( $\lambda$ ) | 15 - 50.25°N, 60 - 130°W                           |
| Aerosol OD and SSA             | AERUV                             | 15 - 50.25°N, 60 - 130°W                           |
| Cloud pressure<br>and fraction | CLDRR                             | 15 - 50.25°N, 60 - 130°W                           |
| UBV and Eryth.<br>dose         | UVB (?)                           | 15 - 50.25°N, 60 - 130°W                           |
| AQ indices                     | L3-L4 based                       | 15 - 50.25°N, 60 - 130°W                           |





### **Secondary and Improved Data Products**

| Product               | Algorithm                         | Hourly Coverage @ ≤ 4.5 × 8 km²                 |
|-----------------------|-----------------------------------|---|
| <b>O</b> <sub>3</sub> | XL optimal estimation             | 15 - 50.25°N, 60 - 130°W (or, extended regions) |
| BrO                   | Direct fitting, AMF ( $\lambda$ ) | 15 - 50.25°N, 60 - 130°W                        |
| H <sub>2</sub> O      | Direct fitting, AMF ( $\lambda$ ) | 15 - 50.25°N, 60 - 130°W                        |
| $C_2H_2O_2$           | Direct fitting, AMF ( $\lambda$ ) | 15 - 50.25°N, 60 - 130°W                        |
| Aerosols              | AERUV                             | 15 - 50.25°N, 60 - 130°W                        |
| Clouds                | CLDRR                             | 15 - 50.25°N, 60 - 130°W                        |
| SO <sub>2</sub>       | Height-resolved                   | 15 - 50.25°N, 60 - 130°W                        |
| NO <sub>2</sub>       | Improved                          | 15 - 50.25°N, 60 - 130°W                        |

