

# Mission Overview: Geostationary Environment Monitoring Spectrometer (GEMS)

Ji Hyung Hong<sup>1</sup>, Jhoon Kim<sup>2</sup>, M.H. Ahn<sup>3</sup>, J.H. Lim<sup>1</sup>  
GEMS Science Team<sup>4</sup>, GEMS Program Office<sup>5</sup>

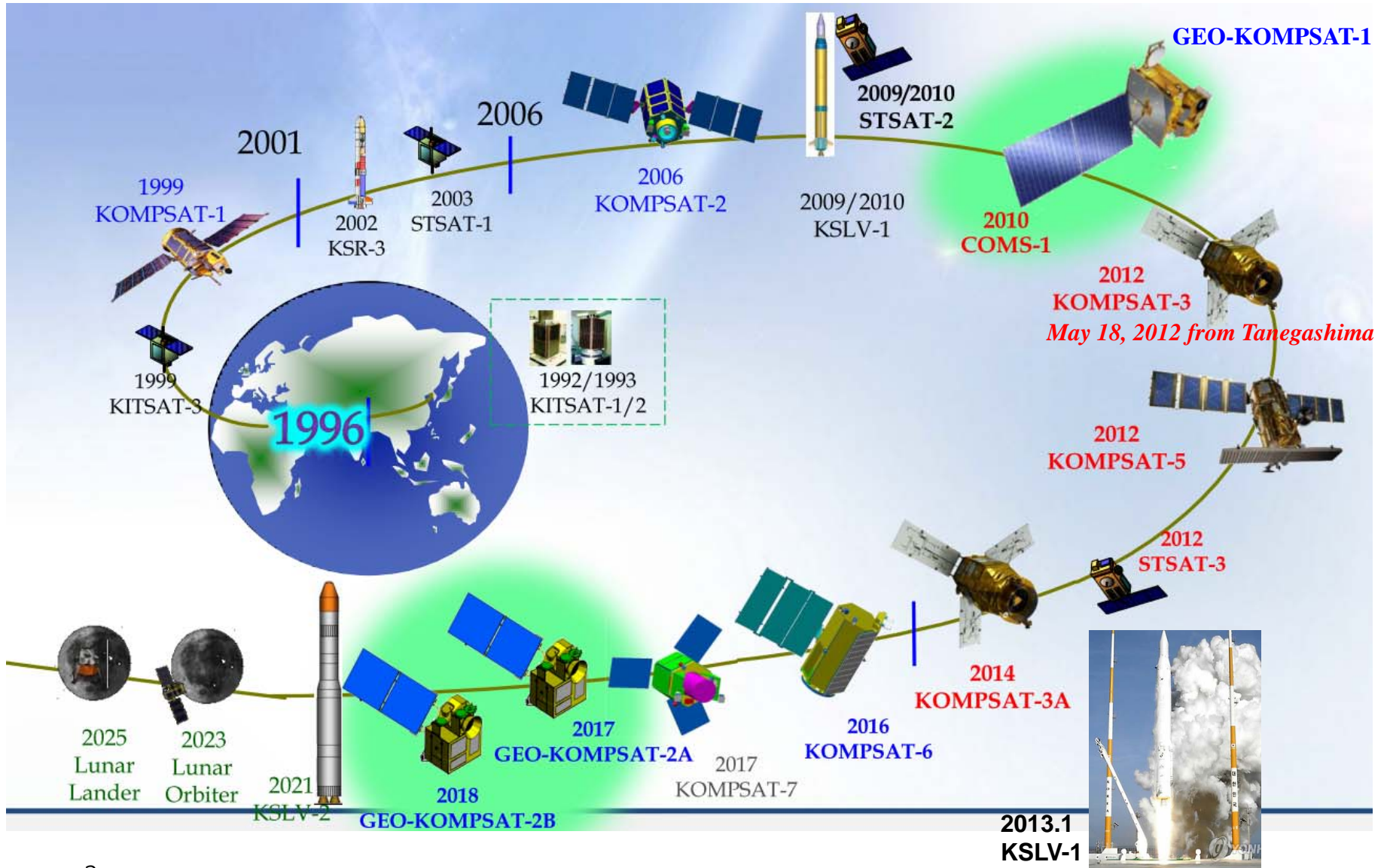
<sup>1</sup> Director General, Climate & Air Quality Div., NIER

<sup>2</sup> P.I. GEMS, Department of Atmospheric Sciences, Yonsei University  
<sup>3</sup> Ewha Womans University

<sup>4</sup> EWU, GIST, GWNU, PNU, PkNU, SNU, YSU, <sup>5</sup> NIER, Korea



# National Space Program of Korea



# Geostationary Constellation of UV-Vis spectrometer & Meteorological Payload



## Constellation of GEO Mission for Synergistic Products

TEMPO  
+ GOES-R  
(America)



UV-Vis  
290-690 nm



GMES S4 UVN  
+ FCI + IRS  
MTG (Europe)

UV-Vis-NIR  
305-500, 750-775 nm



GEMS + AMI + GOCI2  
GEO KOMPSAT  
(Asia)

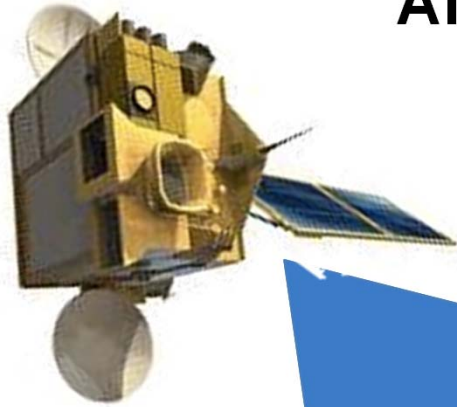
UV-Vis 300-500 nm



### Constellation synergy

- Improving spatial and temporal coverage to monitor globalized pollutants & SLCF
- Sharing basic requirements on data products and instrument to maintain data quality
- Consolidating socio-economic benefit analysis
- Supporting QA and CALVAL

# Air Korea Network and Forecast



**GEMS**

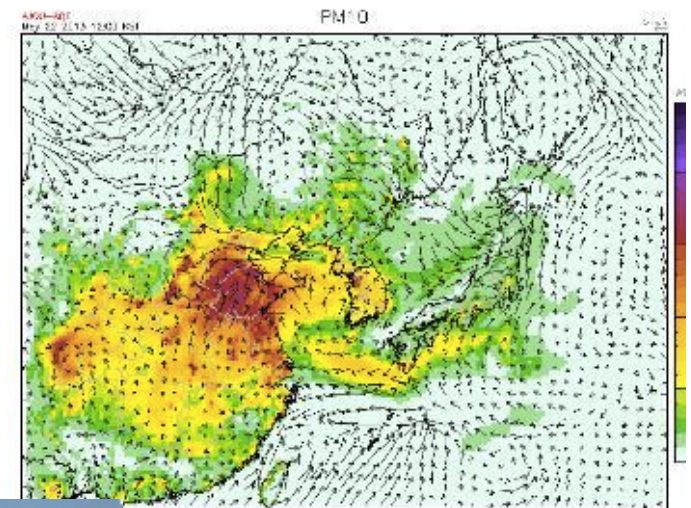


**Airborne**



**Air quality forecast**

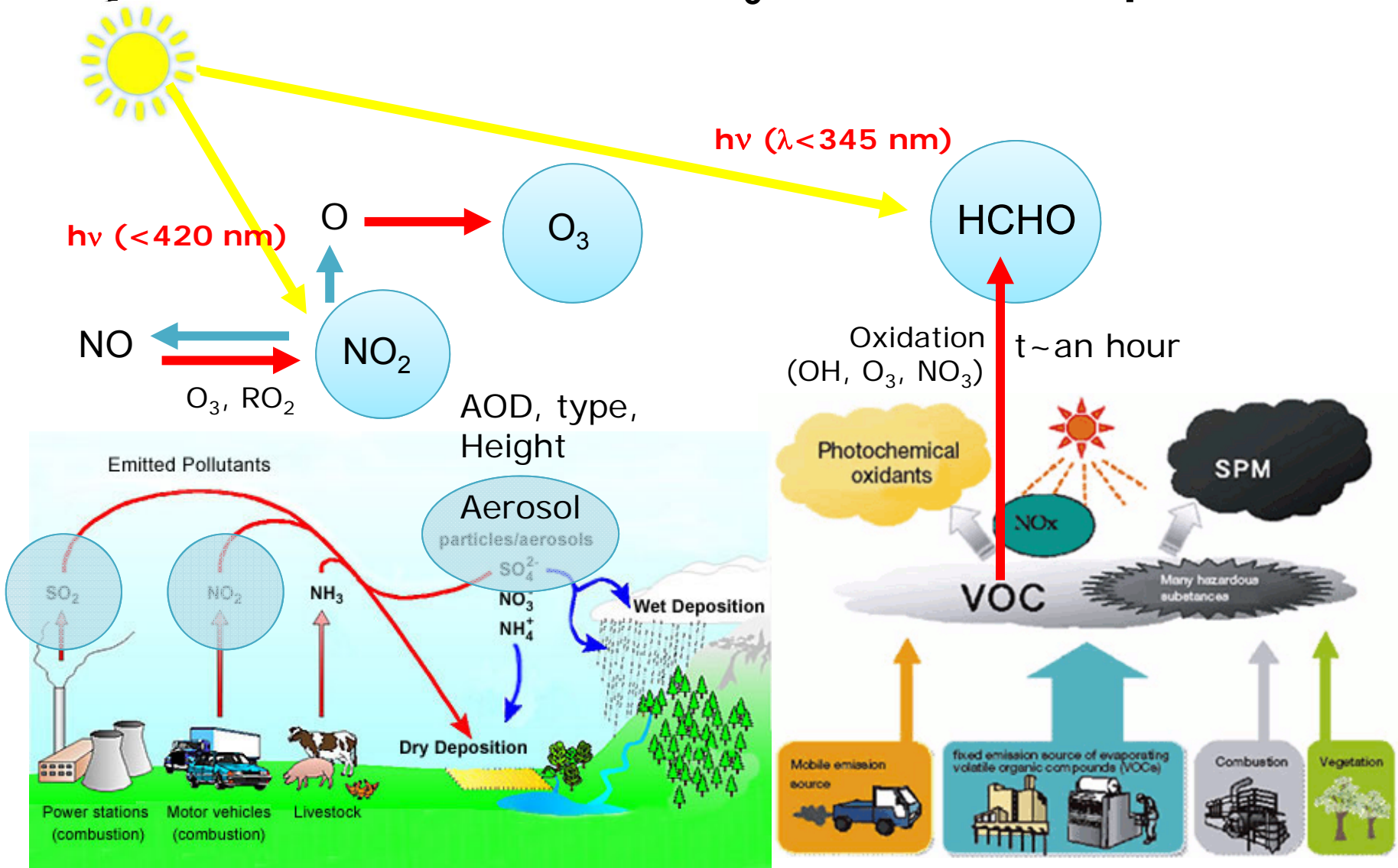
- Campaigns:  
DRAGON-NE Asia  
KORUS AQ



- Air Korea  
PM10, O<sub>3</sub>, NO<sub>2</sub>, SO<sub>2</sub>, CO  
<http://www.kaq.or.kr>



# Objective: Measurements of O<sub>3</sub> & aerosol with precursors



# GEO-KOMPSAT 2

2A Sat. : AMI

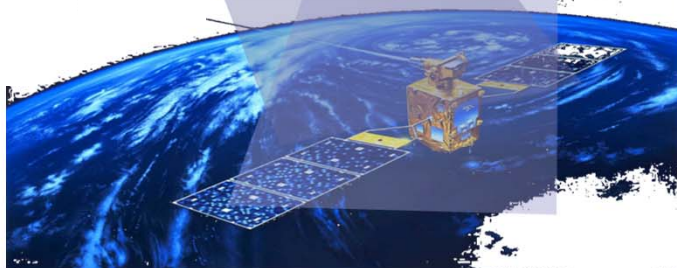
2B Sat. : GEMS,  
GOCI-2

(Twin Satellite)

- Launch: May 2018(2A), Mar. 2019 (2B)

## Specification

	2A	2B	
Payload	AMI	GOCI-2	GEMS
Lifetime		10 years	
Channels	16	13	1000
Wavelength range	0.4 - 13 $\mu\text{m}$	375 - 860 nm	300-500 nm
Spatial resolution	0.5 / 1 km (Vis) 2 km (IR)	250 m@ eq 1 km (FD)	7 x 8 km <sup>2</sup> @ Seoul
Temporal resolution	10 min (FD)	1 hour	1 hour

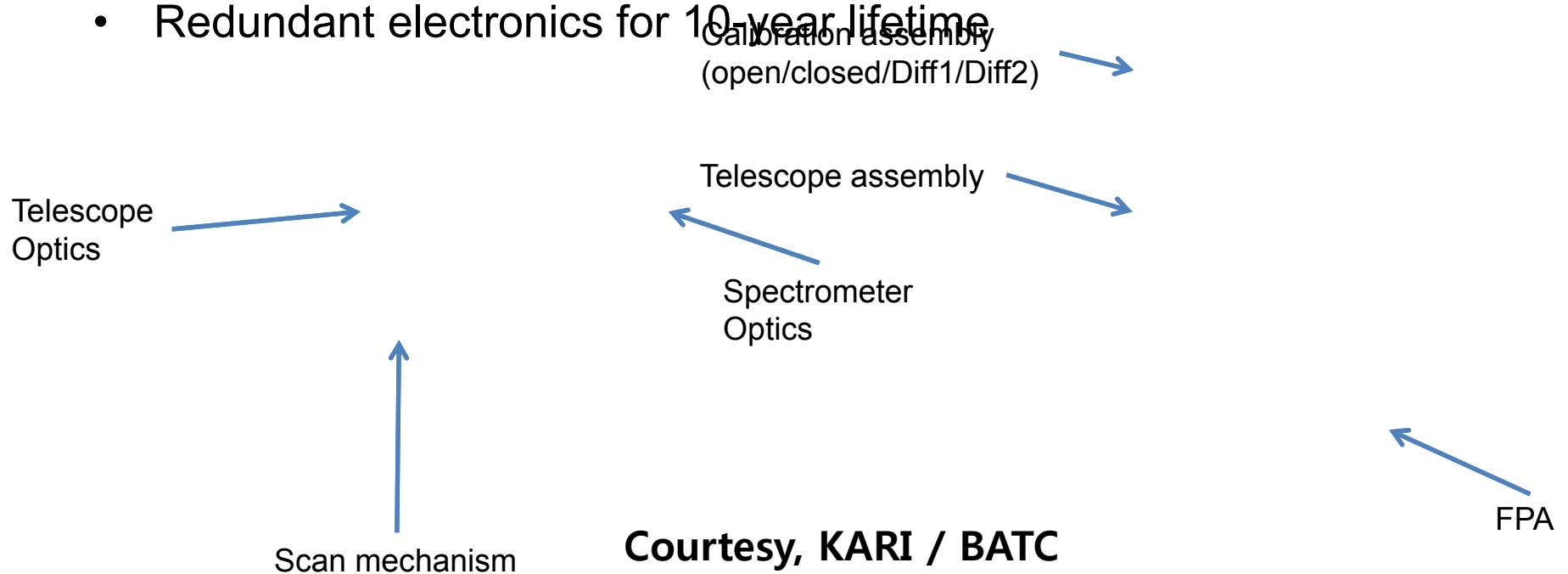


# Status of GEMS

- **GEO-KOMPSAT-2 Program**
  - SRR in Apr., 2012; SDR in Feb. 2014, [PDR in Jul., 2014](#)
- **Budget**
  - GEMS Program passed Mid-term review on Dec. 4, 2013, and now is [in Main Phase till launch. \(\\* Launch : Mar., 2019\)](#)
- **Prime Contractor**
  - Ball Aerospace & Technologies Corp.( selected on May 13<sup>th</sup>, 2013)
    - \* AMI contract with ITT; GOCI-2 contract with Astrium
- **GEMS Development**
  - SDR in Oct., 2013, PDR in Mar., 2014, [CDR in Feb., 2015](#)
  - GEMS Telescope shall be assembled, aligned, and tested at KARI in 2015 (JDAK)
  - GEMS System integration and test shall be performed in 2016
  - GEMS shall be delivered to KARI from BATC spring of 2017
- **Changes in Environment**
  - [Air quality forecast in operation since 2013 by NIER/ME](#)
    - [GEMS to be an operational sat. \(e.g. data assimilation of model with sat. data\)](#)
  - ‘KORUS-AQ’ airborne campaign planned in 2016 (with GEOTASO)

# GEMS Design

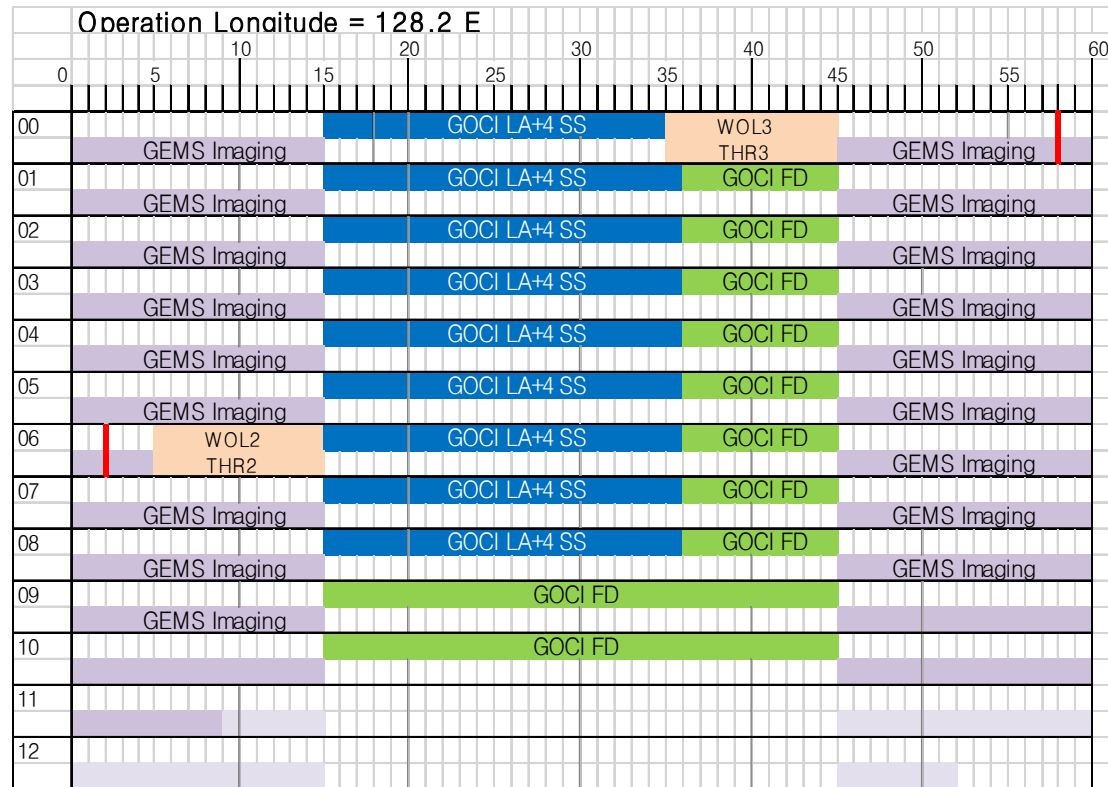
- Step-and-stare UV-Visible imaging spectrometer scanning at least 8 x per day in 30 minutes
- Daily solar and dark calibration
- images coadded at each position + mirror move back < 30 minutes
- Scanning Schmidt telescope and Offner spectrometer
- Diffusers for on-orbit solar calibration and onboard LED light source
- 2-axis scan mechanism with gyro feed capability
- Redundant electronics for 10 year lifetime





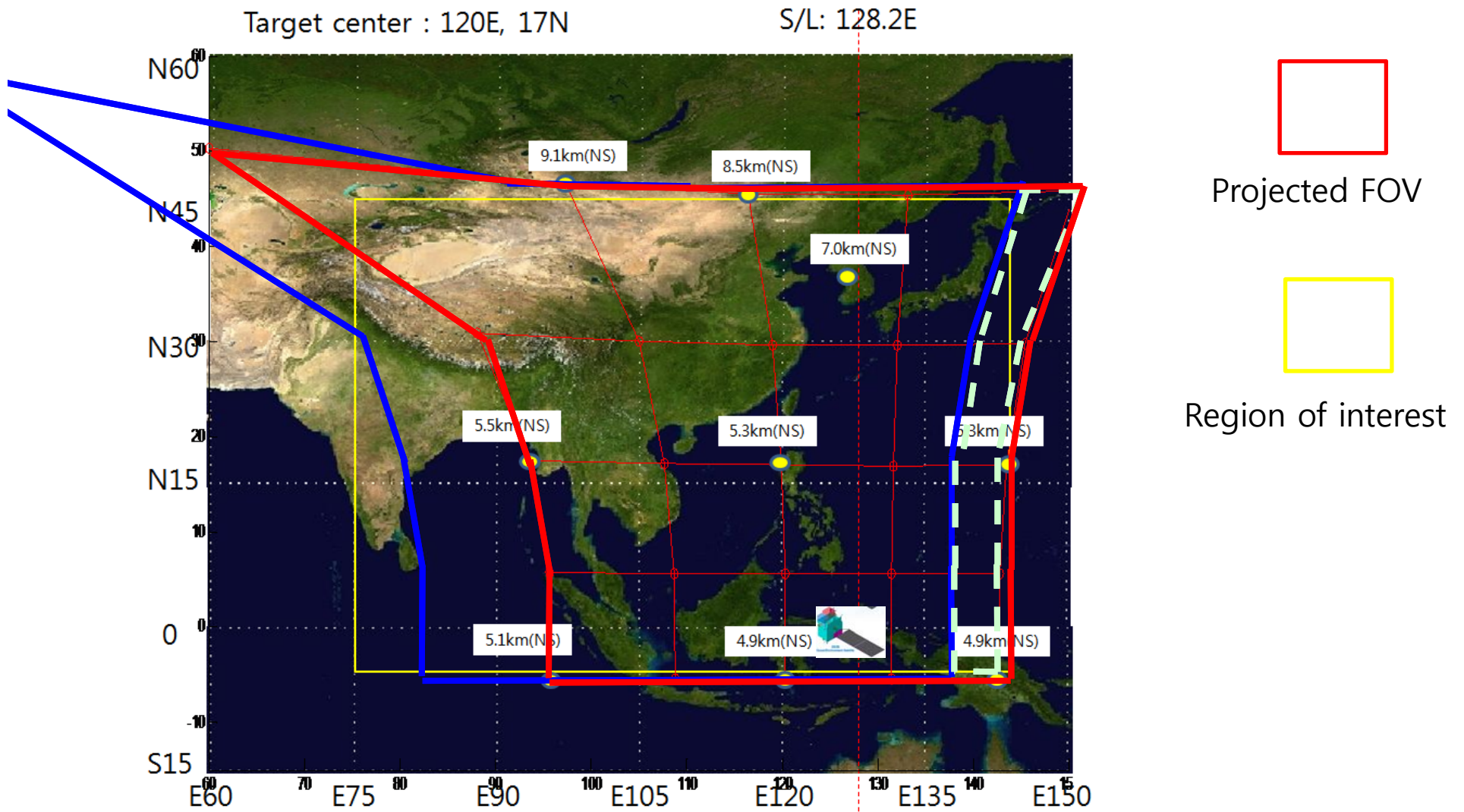
# GEMS Concept of Operations

- GEMS Observation Timeline(TBD)



- GEMS/GOCI-II have the same priority.
  - 30minutes for GEMS mission and another 30 minutes for GOCI-II mission
- Wheel offloading will be performed in one of GEMS & GOCI-II imaging slots
  - 4 consecutive months in GEMS slots and another 4 consecutive months in GOCI-II slots

# Projected FOV & GSD - NS GSD @ Seoul : 7.0km



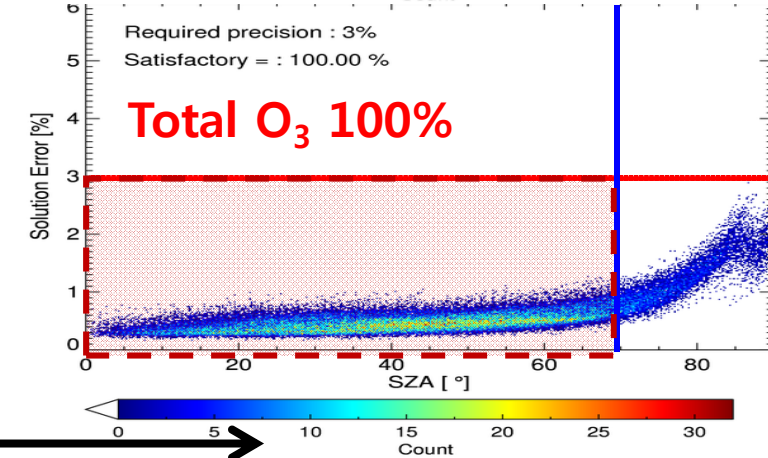
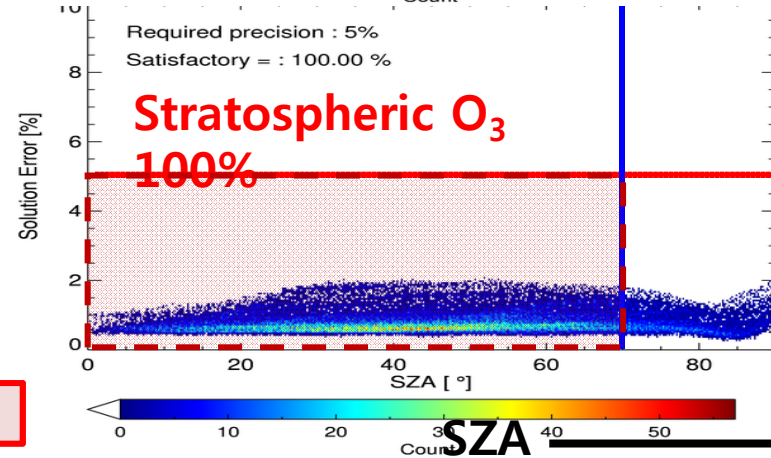
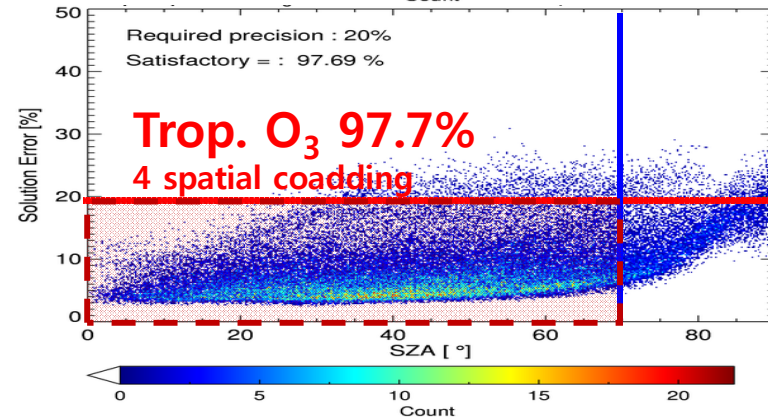
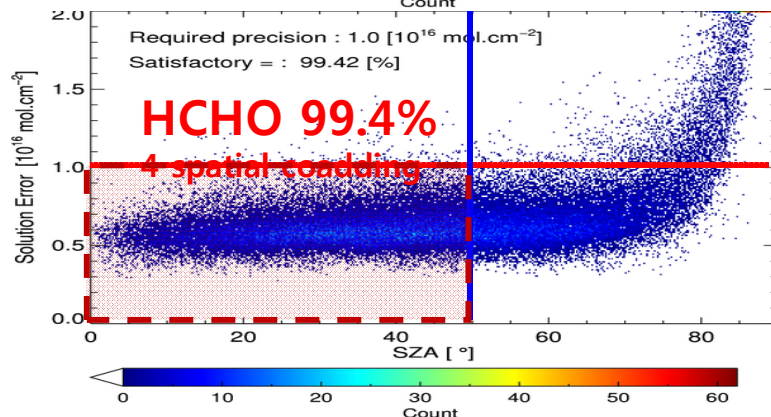
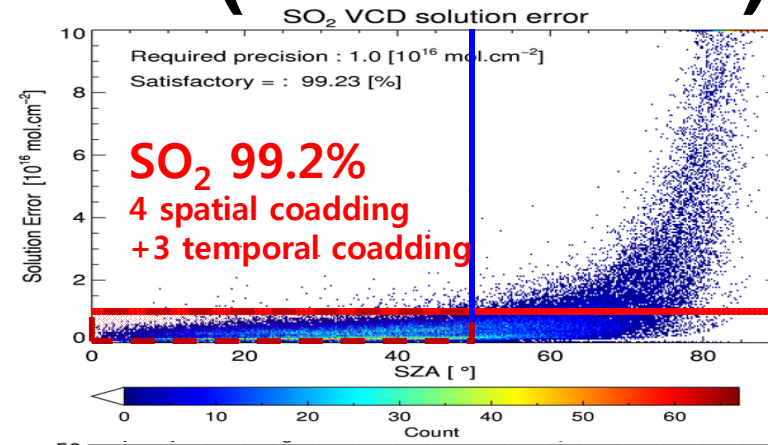
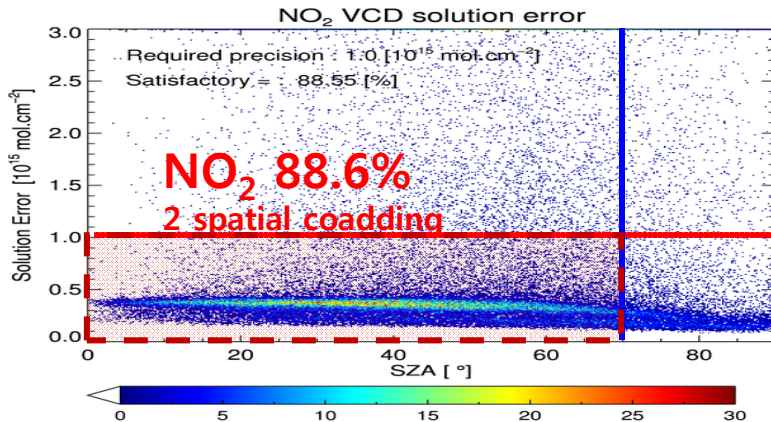
**Normal operation** **For clear sector method**

# Baseline products

Product	Importance	Min (cm <sup>-2</sup> )	Max (cm <sup>-2</sup> )	Nominal (cm <sup>-2</sup> )	Accuracy	Spectral window (nm)	Spatial Resolution Km <sup>2</sup> @ Seoul	SZA (deg)	Retrieval
<b>NO<sub>2</sub></b>	Ozone precursor	3x10 <sup>13</sup>	1x10 <sup>17</sup>	1x10 <sup>14</sup>	1x10 <sup>15</sup>	425-450	7 x 8 x 2 pixels	< 70	DOAS
<b>SO<sub>2</sub></b>	Aerosol precursor	6x10 <sup>8</sup>	1x10 <sup>17</sup>	6x10 <sup>14</sup>	1x10 <sup>16</sup>	310-330	7 x 8 x 4 pixels x 3 hours	< 50 (60*)	
<b>HCHO</b>	Proxy for VOCs	1x10 <sup>15</sup>	3x10 <sup>16</sup>	3x10 <sup>15</sup>	1x10 <sup>16</sup>	327-357	7 x 8 x 4 pixels	< 50 (60*)	
<b>O<sub>3</sub></b>	Oxidant, pollutant	4x10 <sup>17</sup>	2x10 <sup>18</sup>	1x10 <sup>18</sup>	3%(TOz) 5%(Strat) 20%(Trop)	300-340	7 x 8	< 70	TOMS, OE
<b>AOD (AI, SSA, AEH)</b>	Air quality, Climate	0 (AOD)	5 (AOD)	0.2 (AOD)	20% or 0.1@ 400nm	300-500	3.5 x 8	< 70	OE O <sub>2</sub> -O <sub>2</sub>
<b>Clouds</b>	Data quality, climate	0 (COD)	50 (COD)	17 (COD)		300-500	7 x 8		Raman, O <sub>2</sub> -O <sub>2</sub>
<b>Surface Property</b>	Environment	0	1	-		300-500	7 x 8		Multi-spectral I

# Predicted Performance (with aerosol)

Solution error

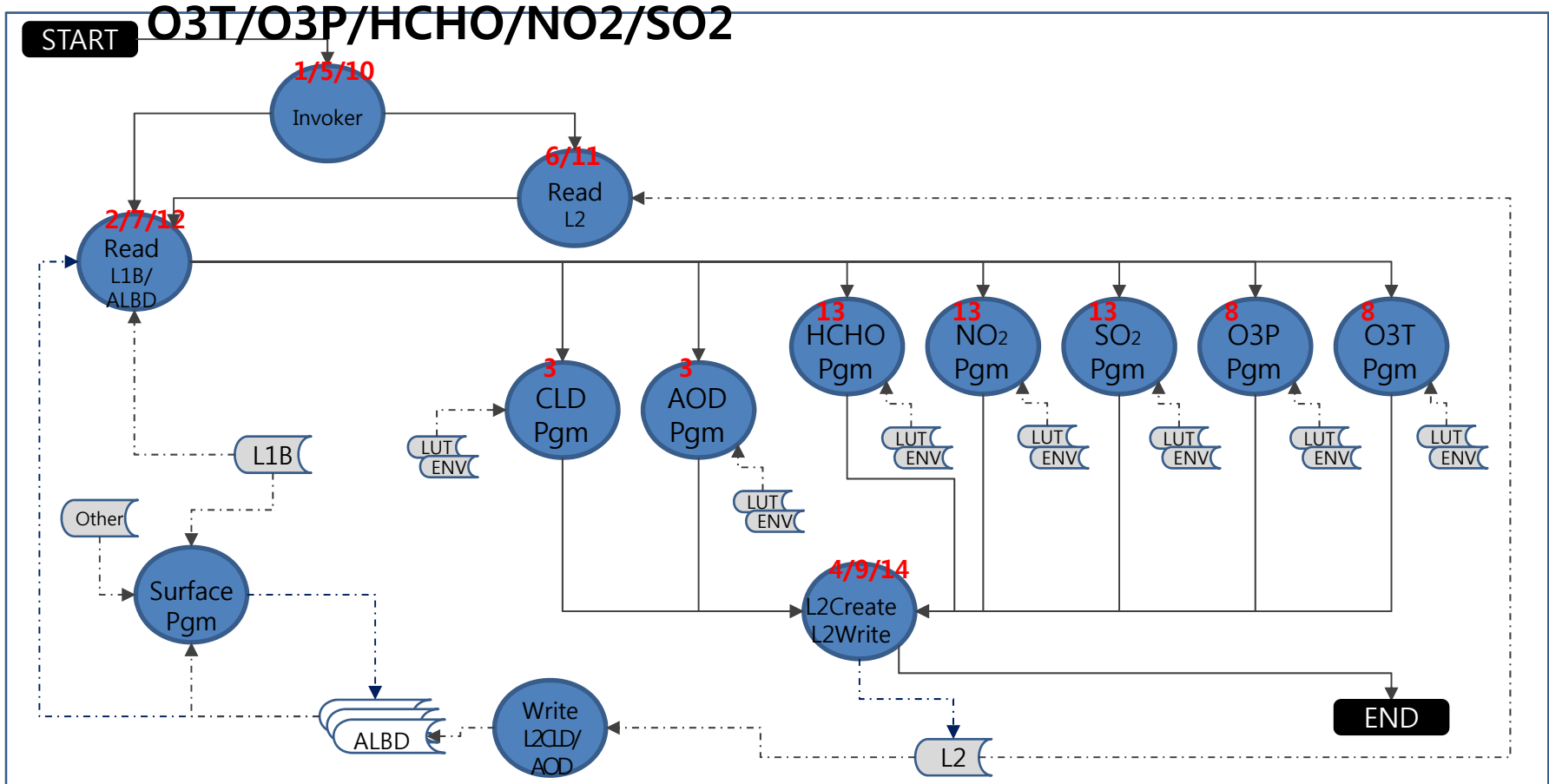


Req

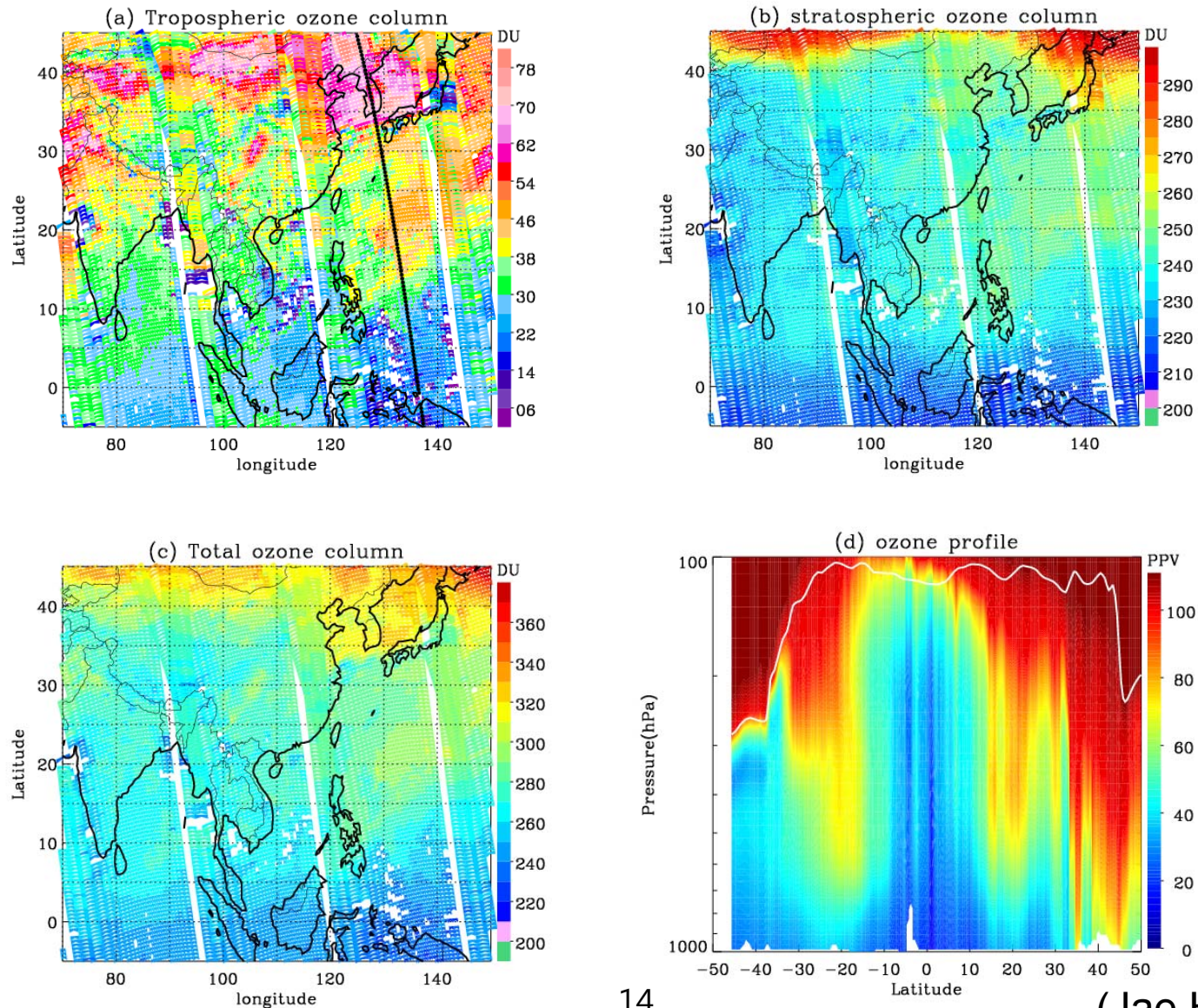
SZA

# Unified Data Retrieval Algorithm

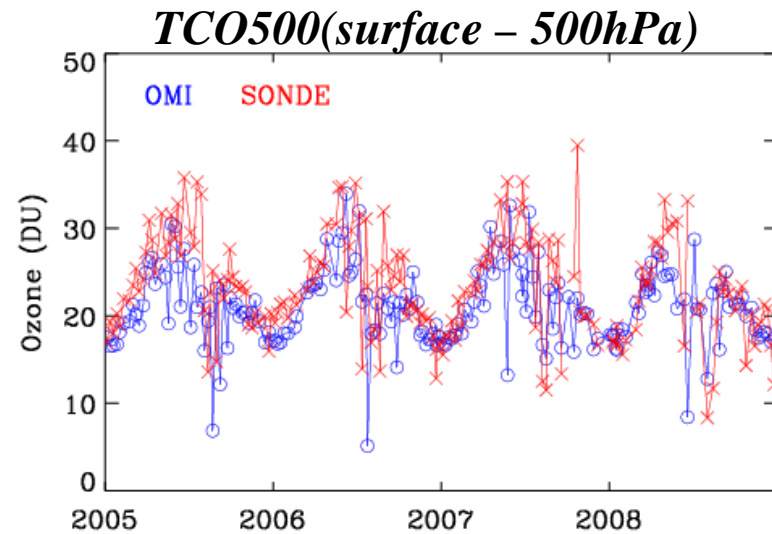
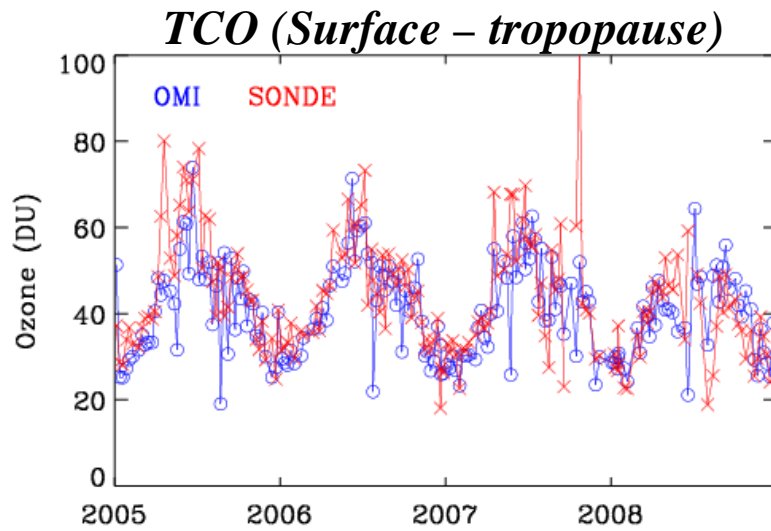
- Basic design for the unified algorithm to be operated at system level
- In the order of CLD/SFC/AOD, then O3T/O3P/HCHO/NO2/SO2



# Example of retrieved ozone using OMI (July 1<sup>st</sup>, 2007)



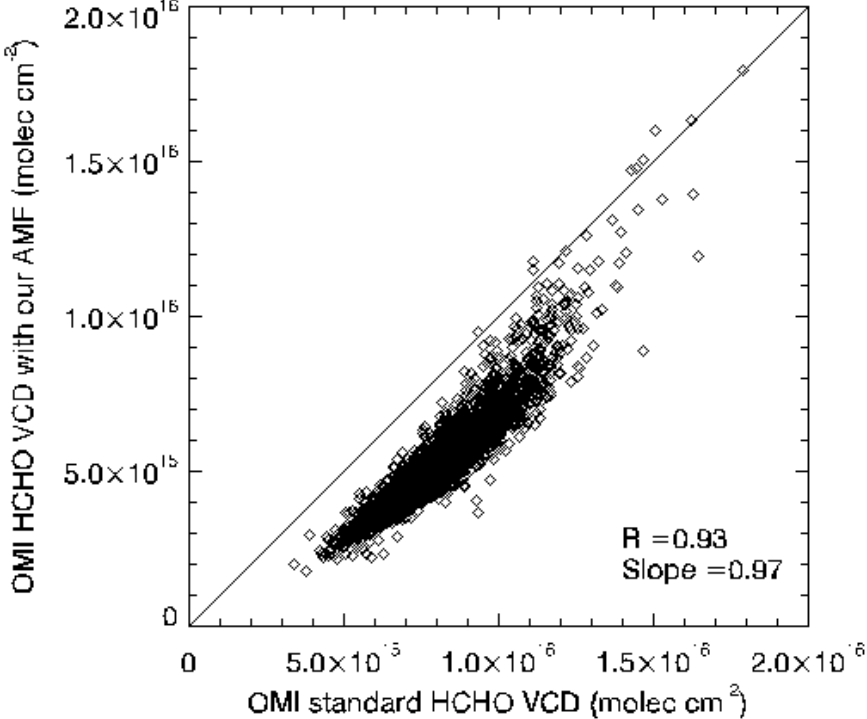
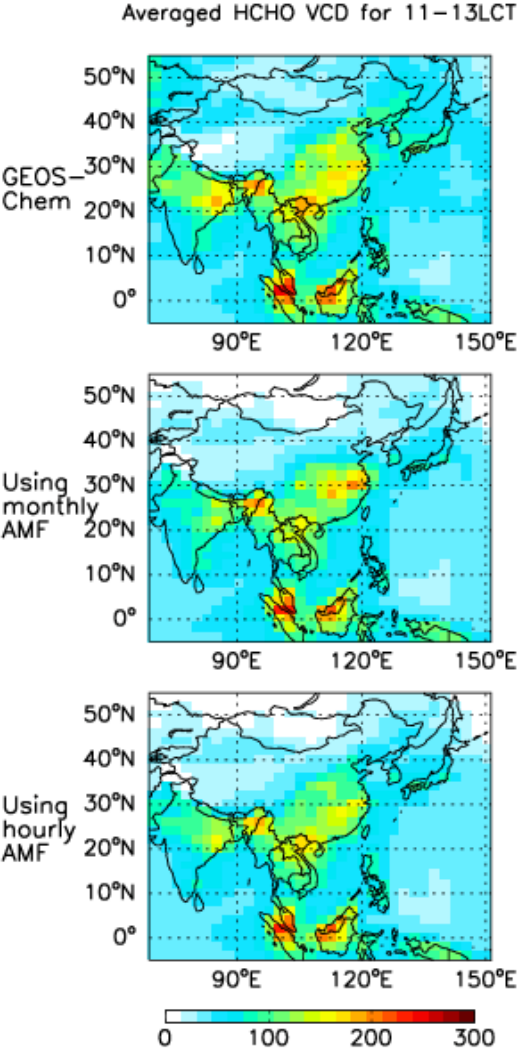
# Intercomparison of Tropospheric ozone (OMI vs. sonde)



	<b>TCO</b>	<b>TCO500</b>
<b><i>R</i></b>	<b><i>0.64</i></b>	<b><i>0.51</i></b>
<b><i>Regression</i></b>	<b><i>y=0.84x+10.7</i></b>	<b><i>Y=0.67x+9.3</i></b>
<b><i>OMI-SON(DU)</i></b>	<b><i>-3.6±7.6</i></b>	<b><i>-2.0±4.3</i></b>
<b><i>OMI-SON(%)</i></b>	<b><i>-7.1±18.8</i></b>	<b><i>-7.0±20.9</i></b>

(Jae H. Kim)

# Retrieved HCHO using OMI



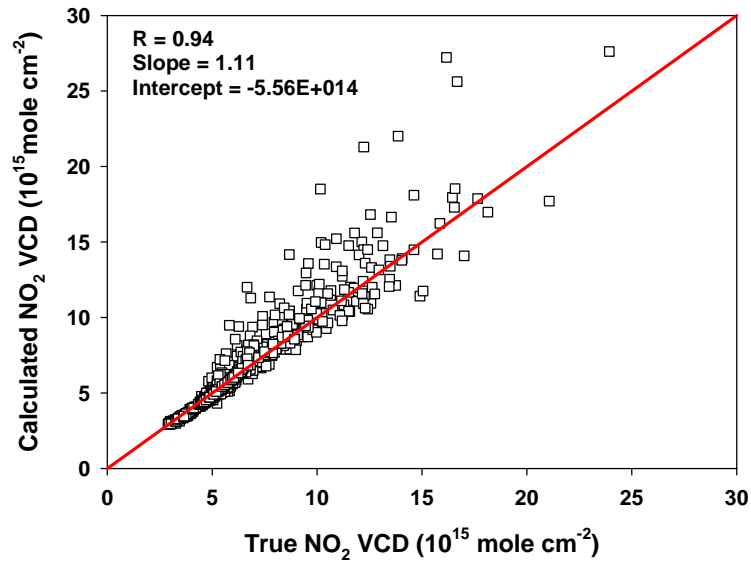
<b>HCHO</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>0.93</b>
	<b>Regression line slope</b>	<b>0.97</b>

(Rokjin Park)

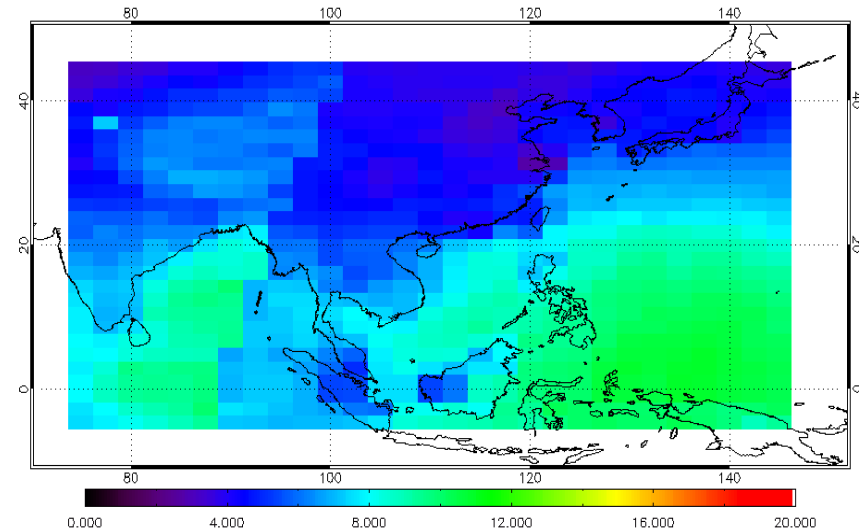


# Retrieved NO<sub>2</sub>

## ◆ Calculated NO<sub>2</sub> VCD vs. true NO<sub>2</sub> VCD



NO<sub>2</sub> SCD error (%)



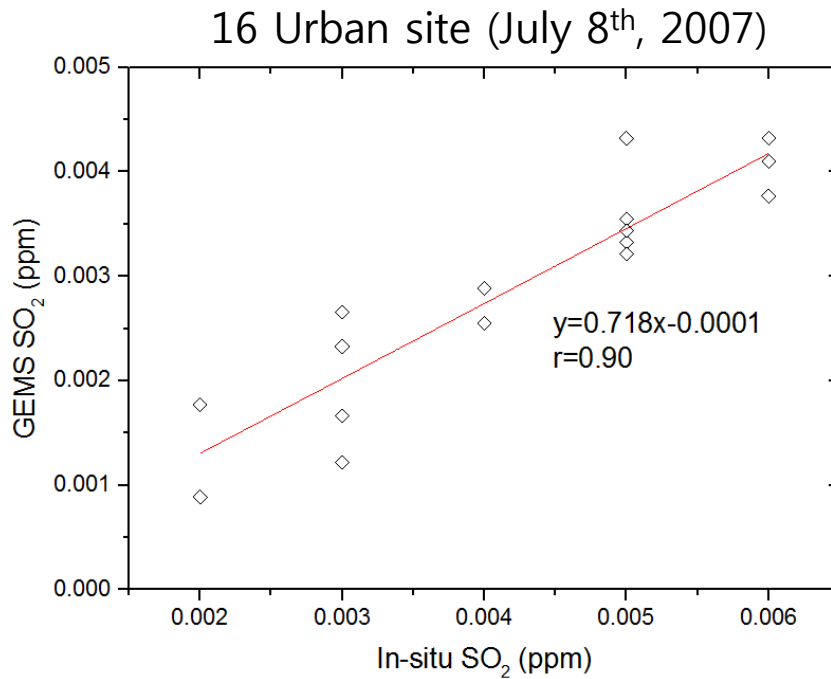
CDR (Q4, 2014)	Correlation coefficient (R)	a, Slope	b, Intercept	RMSE	Error (%)
NO <sub>2</sub> (achieved)	0.94	1.1	0.056 [10 <sup>16</sup> cm <sup>-2</sup> ]	N/A	7%

(Hanlim Lee)

# Retrieved SO<sub>2</sub>

## ◆ SO<sub>2</sub> intercomparison

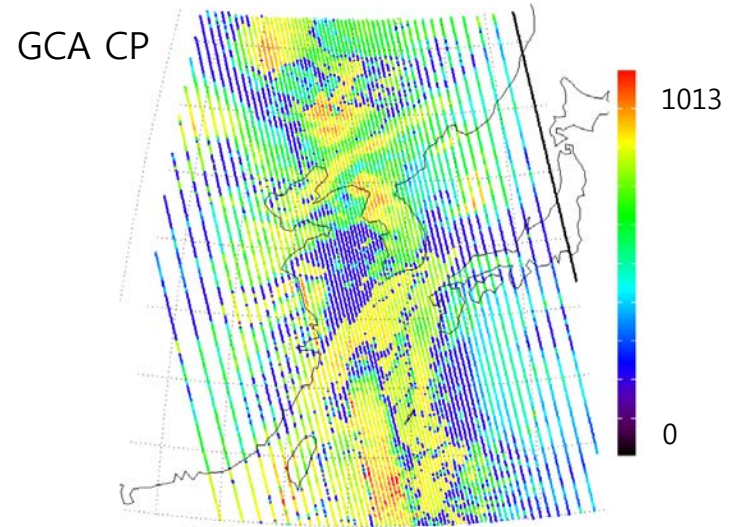
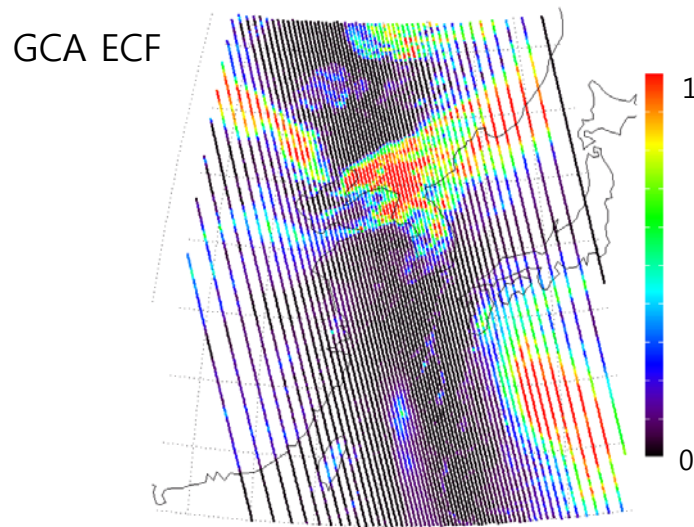
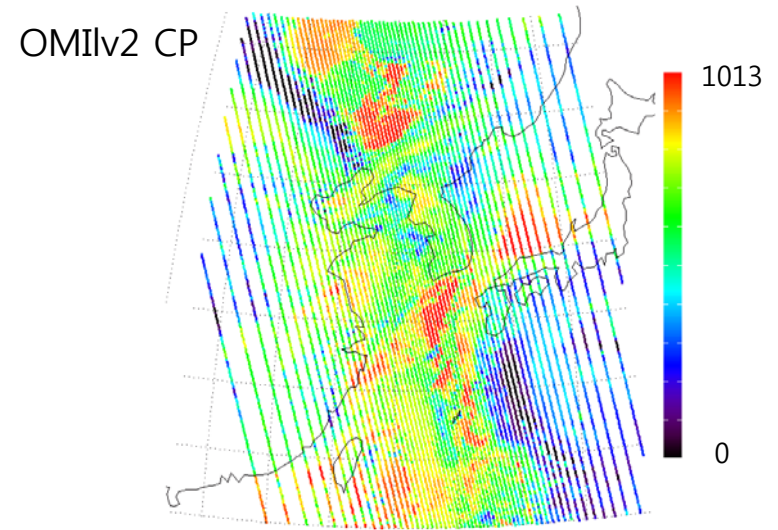
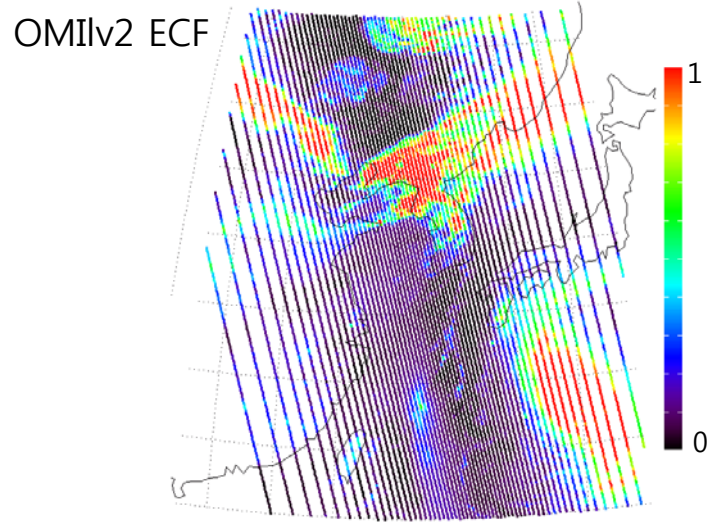
- SO<sub>2</sub> in urban area



$$SO_2 (DU) \times 0.029 \times \left( \frac{10^6 \mu g}{1000 m^3} \right) \times \left( \frac{8.314 \times 298}{1.013 \times 10^5 \times 64} \right)$$

Site	Sfc. Obs	GEMS		
	SO <sub>2</sub> (ppm)	SO <sub>2</sub> (DU)		SO <sub>2</sub> (ppm)
Seoul	<b>0.005</b>	0.30	→	<b>0.0033</b>
Busan	<b>0.005</b>	0.39	→	<b>0.0043</b>
Daegu	<b>0.005</b>	0.32	→	<b>0.0035</b>
Inchon	<b>0.006</b>	0.39	→	<b>0.0043</b>
Gwangju	<b>0.002</b>	0.16	→	<b>0.0017</b>
Daejon	<b>0.003</b>	0.11	→	<b>0.0012</b>
Ulsan	<b>0.006</b>	0.34	→	<b>0.0037</b>
Gyeonggi	<b>0.004</b>	0.23	→	<b>0.0025</b>
Gangwon	<b>0.003</b>	0.21	→	<b>0.0023</b>
Chungbuk	<b>0.004</b>	0.26	→	<b>0.0028</b>
Chungnam	<b>0.003</b>	0.15	→	<b>0.0016</b>
Jeonbook	<b>0.003</b>	0.24	→	<b>0.0026</b>
Jeonnam	<b>0.006</b>	0.37	→	<b>0.0041</b>
Gyeongbook	<b>0.005</b>	0.29	→	<b>0.0032</b>
Gyeongnam	<b>0.005</b>	0.31	→	<b>0.0034</b>
Jeju	<b>0.002</b>	0.08	→	<b>0.0008</b>

# Retrieved cloud products



Slope	R	RMSE
0.99	0.98	0.08

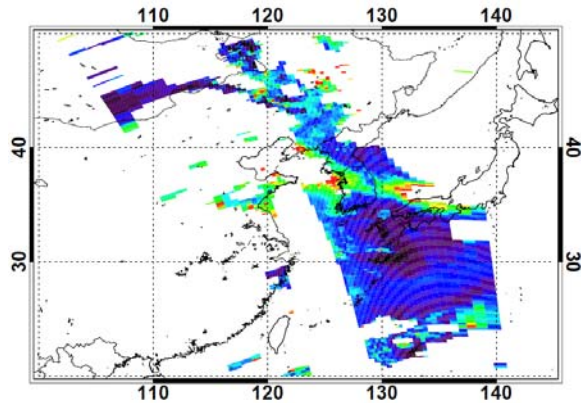
Slope	R	RMSE
0.84	0.66	230

(Yong Sang Choi)

# Retrieved Aerosol Properties(AOD, SSA, Height)

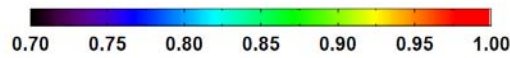
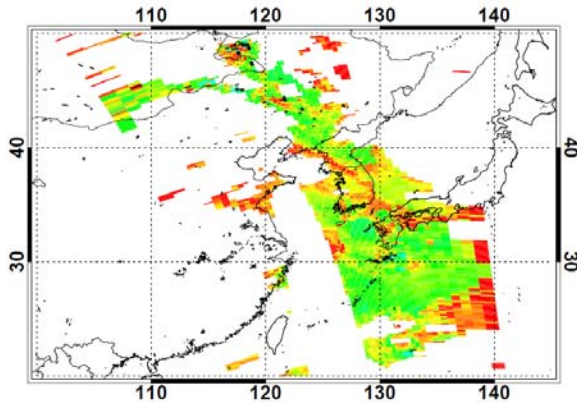
## Retrieved AOD [443 nm]

AOD [443 nm] from OMI2006m0408t0400



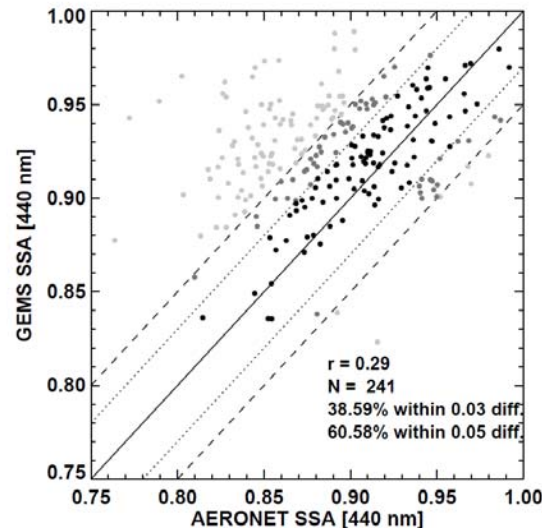
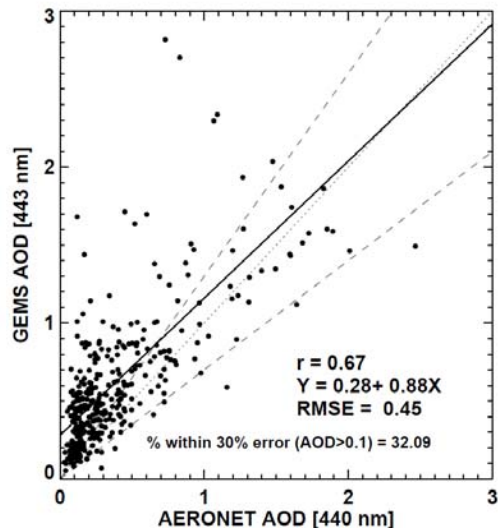
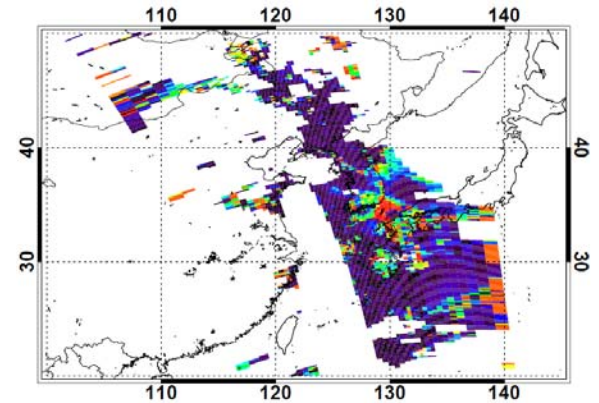
## Retrieved SSA [443 nm]

SSA [443 nm] from OMI2006m0408t0400

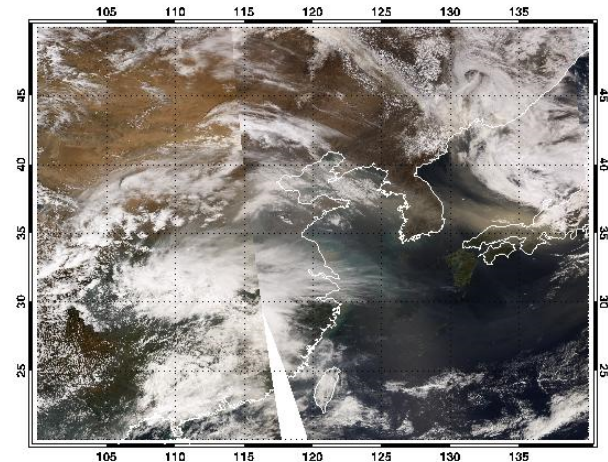


## Retrieved HGT [km]

HGT from OMI [km]2006m0408t0400



## MODIS RGB :2006/04/08



# Summary

- CDR of GEMS has been completed successfully and GEMS is now in manufacturing phase to be delivered to KARI by spring, 2017. The launch date for GEMS is now March, 2019.
- GEMS onboard the Geo-KOMPSAT-2B is expected to provide information on aerosol and O<sub>3</sub> together with their precursors in high spatial and temporal resolution
  - O<sub>3</sub> NO<sub>2</sub> HCHO SO<sub>2</sub> AOD/AI/AEH, (possibly CHOCHO, BrO)
  - Clouds, surface reflectance, UV radiation.
- The predicted performance of trace gases from the initial design of GEMS satisfies the product accuracy requirements of NO<sub>2</sub>, HCHO, O<sub>3</sub>. Meanwhile, the performance is expected to be poor in winter near Korea in particular.
- Collaboration with Team of TROPOMI, Sentinel-4 & TEMPO is valuable in calibration, algorithm development and application.

# **Acknowledgement**

**GEMS Science Team**

**Ministry of Environment (MoE)**

**NIER, MoE**

**KEITI, MoE**

**Korea Meteorological Administration (KMA)**

**Korea Ocean R&D Institute (KORDI)**

**Ministry of Science, ICT & future Planning (MSIP)**

**KARI**

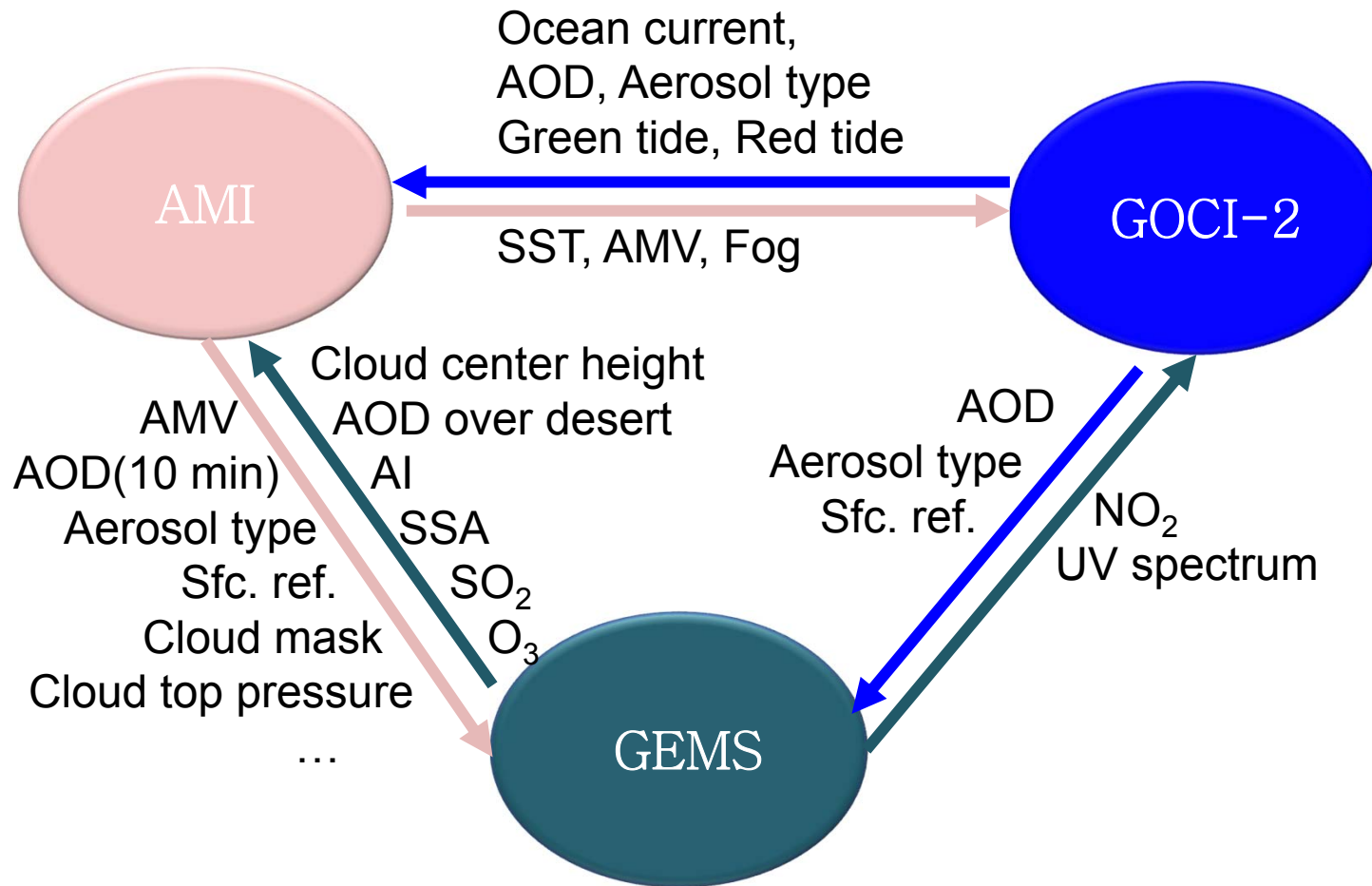
# GEMS Science Team



Changwoo Ahn	Xiong Liu		Myung Hwan Ahn	Ji-hyung Hong
Jay Al-Saadi	Randall Martin		Yong Sang Choi	Sang-kyoon Kim
P.K. Bhartia	Steve Massie	Heinrich Bovensmann	Myeongjae Jeong	Chang Keun Song
Kevin Bowman	Jack McConnel*	John Burrows	Jae Hwan Kim	Jae-Hyun Lim
Greg Carmichael	Tom McElroy	Joerg Langen	Young Joon Kim	K.J. Moon
Kelly Chance	Jessica Neu	Pieter Levelt	Hanlim Lee	
Mian Chin	Mike Newchurch	Ulrich Platt	Kwang Mog Lee	M.H. Lee
Yunsoo Choi	Stan Sander	Piet Stamnes	Rokjin Park	H.W. Seo
Ron Cohen	Jochen Stutz	Pepijn Veefkind	Seon Ki Park	Sukjo Lee
Russ Dickerson	Omar Torres	Ben Veihelmann	Chul Han Song	Jin Seok Han
David Edwards	Dong Wu	Thomas Wagner	Jung Hun Woo	Youdeog Hong
Anmarie Eldering	Liang Xu		Jung-Moon Yoo	J.S. Kim
Ernest Hilsenrath	Ping Yang			
Daneil Jacob	Dusanka Zupanski		Seung Hoon Lee	Hajime Akimoto
Scott Janz	Milija Zupanski		Sang Soon Yong	Sachiko
Siwan Kim			D.G. Lee	Hayashida
Thomas Kurosu			J.P. Gong	Hitoshi Irie
Qinbin Li			Dai Ho Ko	Yasko Kasai
			S.H. Kim	Kawakami Shuji
			J.H. Yeon	
			Y.C. Youk	Charles Wong

Sangseo Park, Mijin Kim, Ukkyo Jeong, M.J. Choi, J.H. Kim, S.J. Ko; Ju Seon Bak, Kanghyun Baek; Hyeong-Ahn Kwon, H.J. Cho; K.M. Han, Jihyo Chong, Kwanchul Kim; J.H. Park, Y.J. Lee ..., Bo-Ram Kim, M.A. Kang, J.H. Yang, Sujeong Lim, S.W. Jeong ;

# Synergistic products



- ✓ 24 hr Asian dust monitoring over dark and bright surface
- ✓ Cloud morphology (thickness, fraction, type ...)



# Geostationary Constellation of UV-Vis spectrometer & Meteorological Payload



## Constellation of GEO Mission for Synergistic Products

TEMPO  
+ GOES-R  
(America)



KARI mev  
GEMS + AMI + GOCI2  
GEO KOMPSAT  
(Asia)  
UV-Vis 300-500 nm



UV-Vis-NIR  
305-500, 750-775 nm

GMES S4 UVN  
+ FCI + IRS  
MTG (Europe)



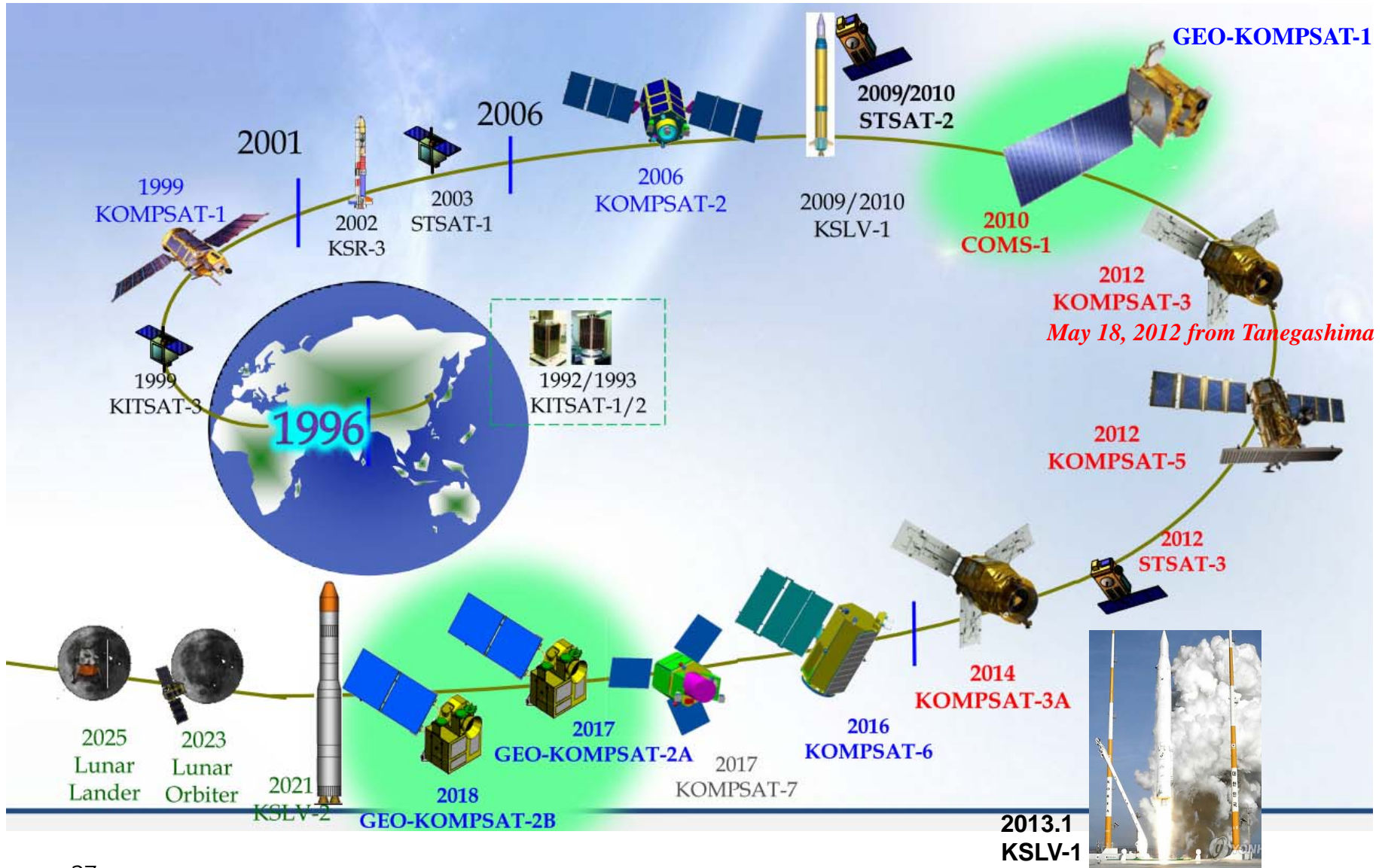
### Constellation synergy

- Improving spatial and temporal coverage to monitor globalized pollutants & SLCF
- Sharing basic requirements on data products and instrument to maintain data quality
- Consolidating socio-economic benefit analysis
- Supporting QA and CALVAL

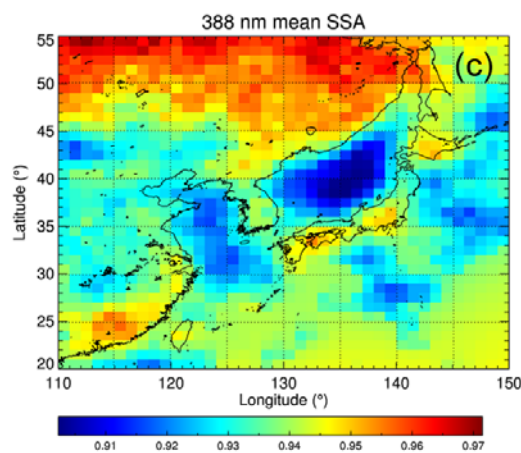
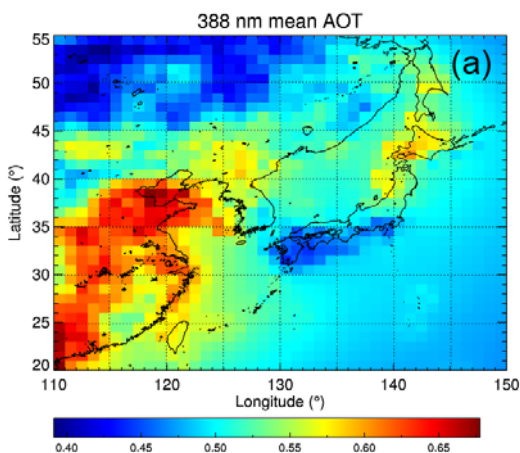
# Accuracy of OMI products

Species	Correlation coefficient (R)	a, Slope	b, Intercept	RMSE	Error (%)
O <sub>3</sub> (Total)	0.82 – 0.97	0.83-0.97	35.5DU	7%	
O <sub>3</sub> (Trop)	0.5-0.8	0.5-0.9	0-15 DU	5-10 DU (10-20%)	3-6 DU (10-20%) [depending on SZA]
HCHO	0.81 (0.57-0.77)	0.80 (0.75-0.88)	0.01 x 10 <sup>16</sup> (-2.3-1.8. x 10 <sup>15</sup> )		
NO <sub>2</sub>	0.8	0.5	3.0 [10 <sup>15</sup> cm <sup>-2</sup> ]	N/A	20%
SO <sub>2</sub>	0.7	1.0	0.5 DU	N/A	50-100%
CF	0.90	0.9~1.1	N/A	N/A	2% ~ 5%
CP	0.80	0.9~1.1	N/A	N/A	5% ~ 20%
Surface Reflectance	0.70~0.91	N/A	N/A	0.03	5~40%
AOD	0.7	N/A	N/A	T/V	60% at AOD > 0.1

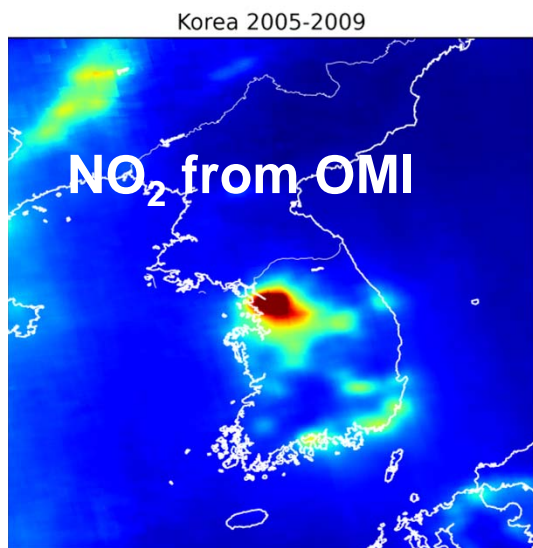
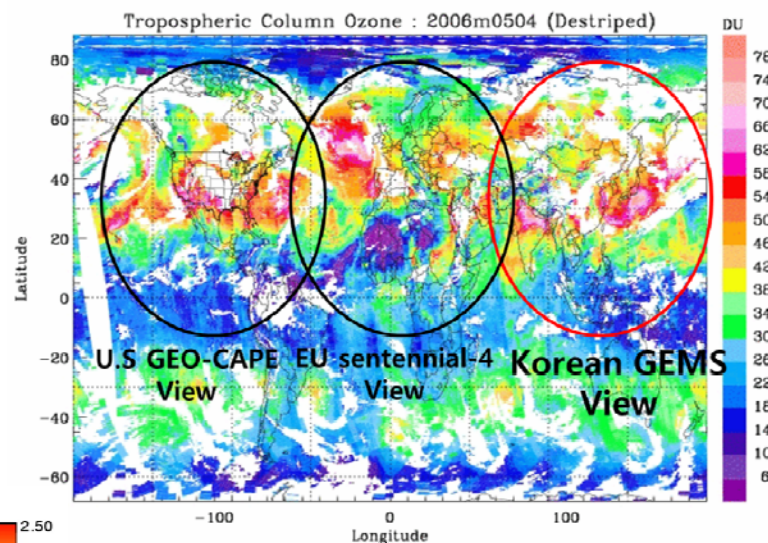
# National Space Program of Korea



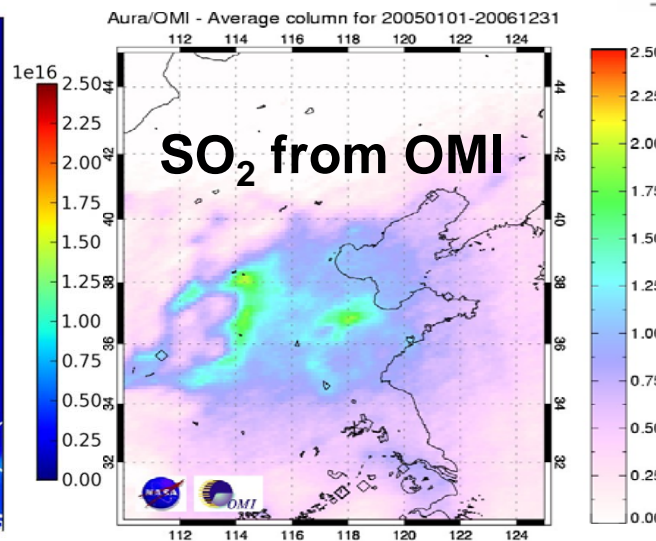
# Aerosol, O<sub>3</sub>, NO<sub>2</sub>, SO<sub>2</sub>, HCHO



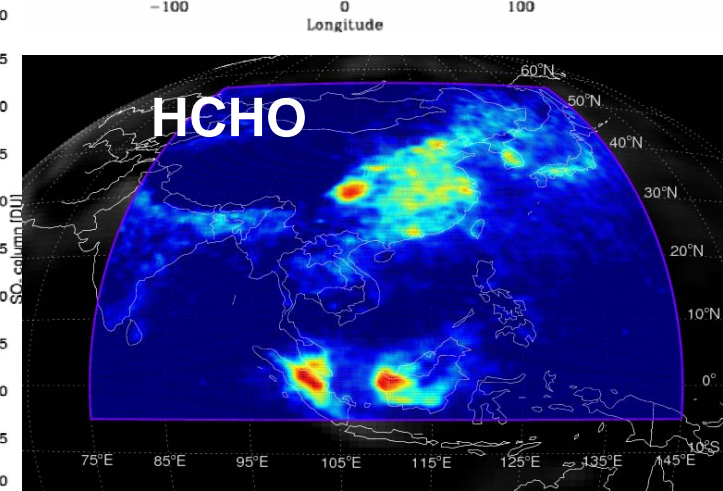
Expected daily tropospheric column ozone map



Veefkind (2010)



Krotkov et al.(JGR, 2008)



Kurosu (2010)

# Satellite Remote Sensing of Atmospheric Composition

Satellite	ERS-2	Terra	Envisat		Aura			METOP		GOSAT	S-4, TEMPO G-CAPE GEMS	
Sensors	TOMS	GOME	MOPITT	SCIAMACHY	MIPAS	HRDLS	OMI	TES	IASI	GOME2	TANSO	
Orbit	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	PS	LEO	GEO
Launch	1979	1995	1999	2002	2002	2003	2003	2003	2007	2007	2009	(2018)
O <sub>3</sub>	O	O		O	●	O	O	O	O, ●	O		O
H <sub>2</sub> O	O	O		O		O		O				
CO			O	O	●				O			
NO				O	●	O						
NO <sub>2</sub>		O		O	●	O	O		O	O		O
HNO <sub>3</sub>					●	O		O	●			
CH <sub>4</sub>			O	O	●	O		O	O		O	
HCHO		O		O								O
SO <sub>2</sub>		O		O			O			O		O
BrO		O		O						O		
CO <sub>2</sub>				O					O		O	
Aerosol	O			O		O	O	O		O		O

O : Column                      ● : Profile  
 PS : Polar sun-synchronous    GEO : Geostationary

(Courtesy, C.H. Song)

