



First detection of April 1982 El Chichon SO cloud with the Total Ozone Mapping **Spectrometer (TOMS)**



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Aura / Ozone Monitoring Instrument (OMI) continues 30+ year O₃ and SO₂ records 2004-



- Joint Dutch-Finnish instrument with Dutch/Finnish.US Science team
 - PI: Pieternel Levelt (KNMI)
- Hyperspectral wide FOV CCD spectrometer
 - 270-500nm
 - 13x24 km nadir footprint (highest resolution)
 - Swath width 2600km (contiguous coverage)
- Launched on NASA EOS Aura platform in 2004
 - <u>http://aura.gsfc.nasa.gov</u>
- Measures total ozone (O₃), O₃ profile, SO₂, NO₂, HCHO, CHO-CHO, aerosols, BrO
- The first sensor to provide daily measurements of anthropogenic pollution from space at high resolution
- ~12+ years of SO₂ and NO₂ measurements of volcanoes and pollution sources: collection 3 and improved data









MSVOLSO2L4: UV multi-satellite volcanic SO₂

https://SO2.gsfc.nasa.gov/MEaSUREs/

[Bluth et al., 1993; Carn et al., 2003, 2015]





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Annual SO₂ emissions and plots (2005-2017) for > 500 point sources are posted: MSAQSO2L4

https://disc.gsfc.nasa.gov/datasets/



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Annual SO₂ emissions: ktons/year





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OMI detects "missing" SO₂ sources from traditional "bottom-up" inventories





- An independent "top-down" global SO₂ emission inventory
- <u>Annual</u> emissions quantified for <u>~500 large sources</u>, <u>~40 missing</u> or unreported in "bottom-up" inventories, or ~6-12% of the total anthropogenic sources;
- Emissions quantified for <u>90 volcanoes</u> large differences between OMI measurements and the Aerocom database.
 [McLinden et al., NG 2016];



A decade of NASA Aura/OMI volcanic SO₂ measurements (2005-2015) has been used to create the first *global* volcanic emissions inventory, providing new insights into the variability and trends in volcanic degassing. [Carn et al., Sci. Rep. 2017]



Continuing research Aura/OMI with operational Suomi NPP OMPS with NOAA-20/OMPS: 2018 Fuego eruption







- Maps show SO₂ column amounts in Dobson Units (1 DU = 2.69 × 10¹⁶ molecules/cm²) detected by JPSS-1/NOAA-20 (N20)/OMPS, Aura/OMI, and SNPP/OMPS, after the eruption of Feugo volcano on Feb. 1, 2018.
- Footprints of the instruments are overlaid on the maps, showing much higher resolution offered by N20/OMPS.
- Such high-resolution measurements reveal greater details and cover a larger portion of the volcanic plume, and yield a higher and likely more accurate (albeit preliminary) estimate of SO₂ injection from the eruption, a key input for climate models.



High resolution SO₂ Retrievals from JPSS-1/NOAA-20 OMPS Reveal Greater Details of Sinabung Volcanic Plume



Sinabung volcanic SO₂ cloud measured on February 19 2018





Sentinel 5 Precursor (S5P) / TROPOMI





PI: Pepijn Veefkind (KNMI) Mission manager: Claus Zehner (ESA/ESRIN) Data processing : Diego Loyola (DLR) Sentinel 5 Precursor TROPOspheric Monitor (TROPOMI) Launched on October 13 2017 Public release in 2018

High ground resolution: 3.5km by 7 (5) km

- High Signal- to Noise (S/N)
- O₃(column and profile),SO₂, NO₂, HCHO, plus CO and CH₄, UV ash index

TROPOMI measurements will be assimilated into Copernicus Atmospheric Measurement System (CAMS) for operational air quality forecasts



Deep Space Climate Observatory (DSCOVR) at L₁ since 2015-



- Earth Polychromatic Imaging Camera (EPIC)
 - ~68-100 min temporal resolution
 - Spatial resolution similar to OMI at sub-satellite point (~20 km)
 - Unique vantage point for volcanic SO₂ and ash observations







NASA ASP Disasters Project: Real-time Volcanic SO₂ data for Aviation alerts



- Aura/OMI (since 2010) and SNPP/OMPS (since 2014)
 Direct Readout (DR) volcanic
 SO₂ and ash Index (AI) data
 have been used by Finnish
 Meteorological Institute (FMI)
 Very Fast Delivery Volcanic
 service
- In addition, NASA-NOAA NPP/OMPS DR data are now received and processed by UAF-GINA in Alaska. DR data used by SACS, USGS/AVO
- In 2018 FMI started posting OMPS DR data from GINA/UAF and provide these to the EUMETCast distribution service