







NORS Capacity Building

NORS

Demonstration Network Of ground-based Remote Sensing Observations in support of the Copernicus Atmospheric Service

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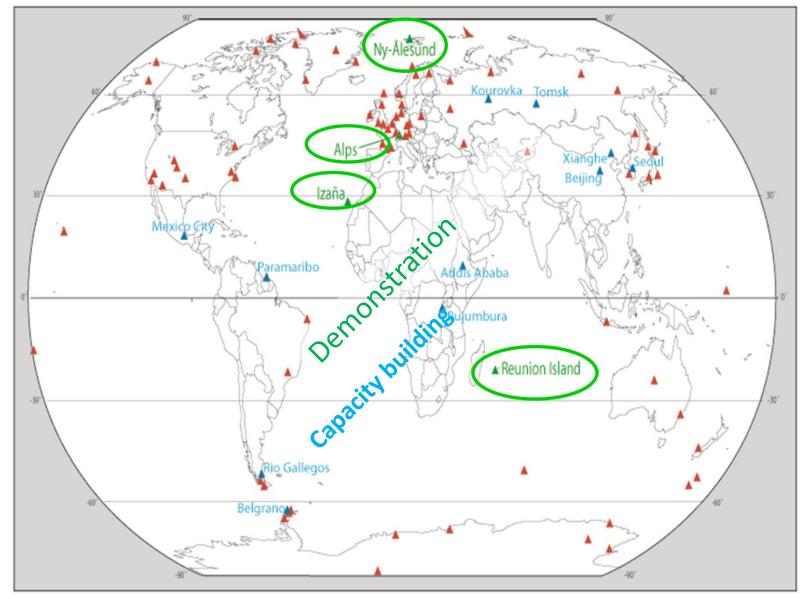


Export NORS expertise to candidate NDACC stations outside western Europe.





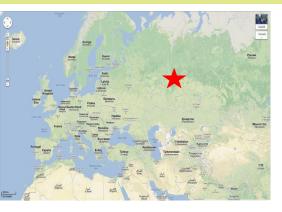




- Operational NDACC stations
- NDACC stations selected as pilot stations in NORS
- Stations to be developed in NORS to potentially become NDACC stations



Kourovka / Univ. Yekaterinburg



Alignment of the 125M was verified with HCl cell-measurement → alignment stable! Solar-tracker and 4Q- Diode aligned now stable diode-tracking over the whole day.

- Regularly remoted measurements from Yekaterinburg since july 2012
- Liquid nitrogen is limiting NDACC measurements





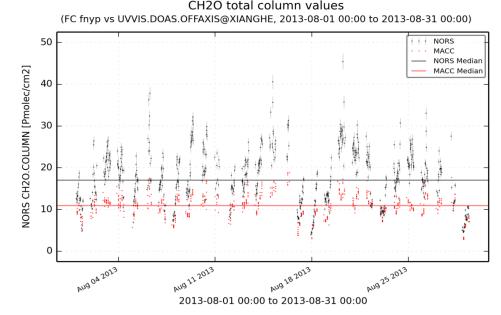
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BIRA-IASB

MAXDOAS instrument
 NO₂, CH₂O, and AOD data routinely used by the NORS validation server:



- Good collaboration between BIRA-IASB and IAP/CAS (Prof. P. Wang)
- MAX-DOAS data at Xianghe included in several papers:
 - NO₂, HONO, and aerosols (Hendrick et al., ACP, 2014)
 - SO₂ and aerosols (Wang et al., ACP, 2014)
 - Aerosols/cloud screening (Gielen et al., AMT, 2014)
 - NO₂, CH₂O, and aerosols (Vlemmix et al., AMTD, 2014)



Seoul





SWARA: Seoul Water Vapor Radiometer

passive microwave radiometer H₂O line at 22.235 GHz water vapor profiles (z≈30-75 km)

operated since 2006 by Prof. J.J. Oh, Dr. S. Ka Sookmyung Women's University, Seoul, South Korea

SORAS: Stratospheric Ozone Radiometer in Seoul

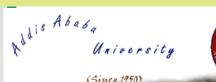
passive microwave radiometer O_3 line at 110.8 GHz ozone profiles (z~20-65 km)

operated since 2008 (with FFTS) by Prof. J.J. Oh, Dr. S. Ka



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Addis Abeba





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T. Blumenstock, F. Hase, KIT Karlsruhe, GER



Measurements since 2009

Bruker 120/5M, InSb only

Dr. Gizaw Mengistu Tsidu visited KIT for 1 year (funded by Georg Forsterstipendium; Humboldt foundation)

Proposal for NDACC affiliation is envisaged.

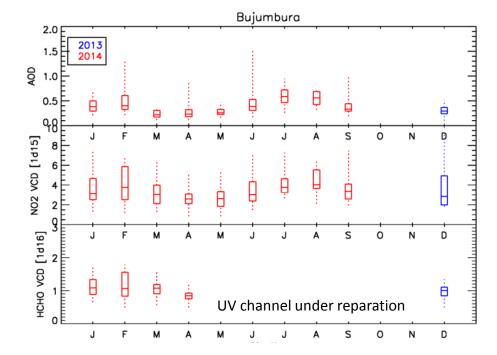
G. Mengistu Tsidu, T. Blumenstock, and F. Hase, Observations of precipitable water vapour over complex topography of Ethiopia from ground-based GPS, FTIR, radiosonde and ERAinterim re-analyis, AMTD, 20147, 9869-9915, 2014



Bujumbura



- MAX-DOAS and CIMEL sunphotometer installed at University of Bujumbura in November 2013
- Optimisation of retrieval settings currently under progress



Good collaboration between BIRA-IASB and the University of Burundi (Prof. P. Nzohabonayo)

Paramaribo

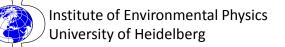
MAX-DOAS Measurements at Paramaribo, Suriname

- Long-term MAX-DOAS measurements at Paramaribo, Suriname, operated in collaboration with the Meteorological Service of Suriname (MDS) since 2001.
- Visit of the MDS in November 2011:
 - Maintenance and update of the instrument
 - Additional training of local staff for operation and maintenance of the instrument
- Implementation of current NDACC recommendations in the analysis algorithm for the Paramaribo measurements is in progress.



The MAX-DOAS telescope unit in Paramaribo, Suriname







Paramaribo

FTIR Measurements at Paramaribo, Suriname

- Container with upgraded 120/5M was installed in March 2013.
- Side-by-side measurements have been performed in November 2013.
- Two campaigns in 2014 with the upgraded instrument.
- Personnel has been trained to perform measurements all over the year.
- The availability of liquid nitrogen is a limiting factor for NDACC measurements (has to be imported from the USA).





Altzomoni, Mexico



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NDACC proposal submitted certification in progress

- Altzomoni, Mexico, 19.1N, 98.7W, 4000m a.s.l
- > 60 km out of Mexico City
- Close to Popocatepetl
- Bruker 120/5 HR
- Camtracker
- Remotely controlled
- Setup in spring 2012
- > Operational in Oct. 2012
- Operated by UNAM, Mexico City (*)



Forschungszentrum Karlsruhe

Rio Gallegos NDACC station

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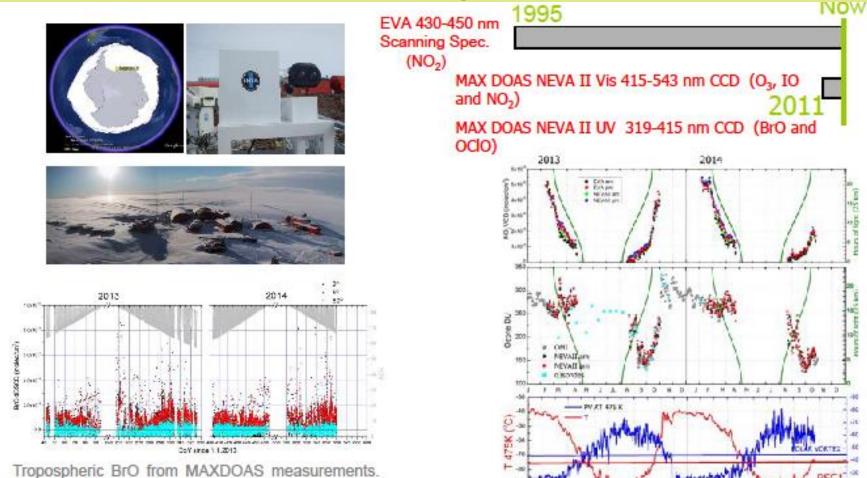


Radiometers UV - Visible

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Belgrano



Tropospheric BrO from MAXDOAS measurements. To eliminate stratospheric contribution from DSCD at different instrument elevation as much as possible, dDSCD were calculated by subtracting to each elevation the corresponding DSCD taken at elevation 90°.



Mean vertical columns (VCD) of NO2 (upper panel) and ozone (middle panel) derived from the morning and afternoon measurements (between 88° and 91° sza) of the zenith sky viewing direction obtained for Vis-MAX DOAS instrument (NEVAII) and the scanning one (EVA) installed in 1995. Both instruments have been operating simultaneously during 2013 and 2014 and settings used follow NDACC recommendations

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In addition

Transportable, compact microwave radiometers for intercomparison and research at NORS stations



Developed and operated by IAP-Bern Prof. Niklaus Kämpfer

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Campaign at **Maïdo, La Réunion, 2014**:

1. MIAWARA-C: 22 GHz microwave radiometer -water vapor profile (h=30-80km)

2. GROMOS-C: 108 GHz microwave radiometer -ozone profile (h=25-75km)

3. WIRA: 142 GHz
Wind radiometer
(Doppler shift of ozone line, u and v profile, h=30-70km)

Kiruna site (67.84N, 20.41E)

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(A) Location map of the Zenith Sky DOAS set up. Red dot indicates measurement site (Kiruna, Sweden: 68.84°N, 20.41°E).

 Kiruna is a good place to study the polar stratospheric chemistry. It is loccated in the arctic circle and is often situated under the polar vortex. This site is also located on the east side of the Scandinavian mountains which is an area where mountain wave induced Polar Stratospheric Clouds (PSCs) develop.

(B) Installation of Zenith Sky DOAS

- The instrument was intalled on the roof of the IRF building in December of 1996 and since then performed automatic measurements up to now. The wavelength range reaches from 300nm to 400nm, thus suitable the monitor of stratospheric trace gases, such as O₃, NO₂, OCIO, and BrO.
- This instrument records spectra of scattered sunlight in zenith direction. The observation of stratospheric trace gases is
 possible during each twilight period, in which the sensitivity of the Zenith sky DOAS is enhanced as a result of a long light
 path in stratosphere.











Promote the achievements of NORS in NDACC and CEOS WGCV



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- NORS activities are presented at NDACC Working Group meetings and NDACC annual Steering Committee meetings
- NORS rapid delivery was announced on NDACC Webpages 'Hot News' between January 2012 and May 2012;
- The NDACC Web pages 'NDACC data' announces the Rapid Delivery directory and explains its role.
- The 2013 NDACC Newsletter includes an article about NORS; The 2014 NDACC newsletter will include an article about the final achievements of NORS and a report about the Final Workshop
- NORS documentation is available on the NDACC Webpages.





S Impact of NORS on NDACC

- Increase of data submission in HDF format
 Since October 1, 2013: 10126 Ames and 64059 HDF files have been cataloged.
 Last year's numbers are: 4305 Ames and 14324 HDF
 Remember: data in HDF (of last year) are ingested automatically in NORS Validation Server and used for validation of MACC products
- ⇒ See deliverable D10.2
 - Almost all FTIR instruments are submitting in HDF-
 - ✓ UVVIS will follow (soon ?)
 - LIDAR and MICROWAVE should follow
 - Dobson/Brewer and O3 sondes not yet prepared cf. plead by Bavo during workshop (they were not part of NORS)









NORS Impact of NORS on NDACC

- Almost all (from 90% of investigators) NDACC data are public
- Enhanced quality assurance of the NDACC database
- Room for rapid delivery of not yet fully certified NDACC data
- More rapid delivery data
- The validation reports provide immediate feedback to the data providers







Database status

- 16 stations have archived data in GEOMS HDF for the past year
- Among which 10 stations / 14 investigators have submitted data in RD mode

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Bern	MWR	03	RD
Bremen	FTIR	O3, CH4, CO	RD
Gallegos	UVVIS	O3, NO2	RD
Izana	FTIR	O3, NO2, CH4, CO	RD
	UVVIS	O3, NO2	RD
Jungfraujoch	FTIR	O3, NO2, CH4, CO	RD
	UVVIS	O3, NO2	RD
NyAlesund	MWR	03	RD
	(FTIR)		
	(UVVIS)		
ОНР	LIDAR	03	RD
	UVVIS	03, NO2	RD
Reunion_Maido	FTIR	O3, NO2, CH4, CO + more	RD
	LIDAR	03	RD
Reunion_StDenis	UVVIS	03, NO2	RD
Xianghe	UVVIS	NO2, aerosol	RD
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- CEOS has been kept informed about the NORS activities and results, in particular at CEOS WGCV-37 (Feb. 2014).
- NORS was also presented he ESA Cal/Val Infrastructure meeting in Dec. 2013
- ⇒ esp. ESA shows interest in providing support for developing generic calibration/validation systems for satellite data, based on the NORS achievements – to be pursued.

The Final Workshop was organised in conjunction with the NDACC Steering Committee meeting and many NDACC members attended the workshop; CEOS was represented at the Workshop by J.C. Lambert; ESA was represented by C. Zehner and T. Fehr; NASA was represented by K. Jucks (and M. Kurylo); Copernicus was represented by M. Rohn













Task 10.3

Meetings with EEA to ensure integration of NORS in the EEA structure of the insitu component of CAMS, and to ensure compliance of NORS with CAMS data policies and metadata standards



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- Initially, contacts with EEA via
 - the Steering Committee of NORS
 - Participation to GISC Workshop 'Monitoring Matters' in Copenhagen, April 10-11, 2013 (NORS demonstration)

Later on, directly via the subproject OBS in MACC-II (-III) which coordinates in-situ data streams.

NORS/NDACC is well positioned to be included in the in-situ component of CAMS







- aeronomie
- Compliance with CAMS data policies and metadata

NORS data are public

- GEOMS HDF is a metadata standard, among many others that are accepted in the air quality and atmospheric composition communities.
- It appears to be compliant with INSPIRE
- The mapping to netCDF-CF (another metadata standard used in the climate and atmospheric modelling and satellite communities) seems rather straightforward

Further work is required in CAMS













Backup slides



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