

Research Opportunities HALO/Falcon Data Base

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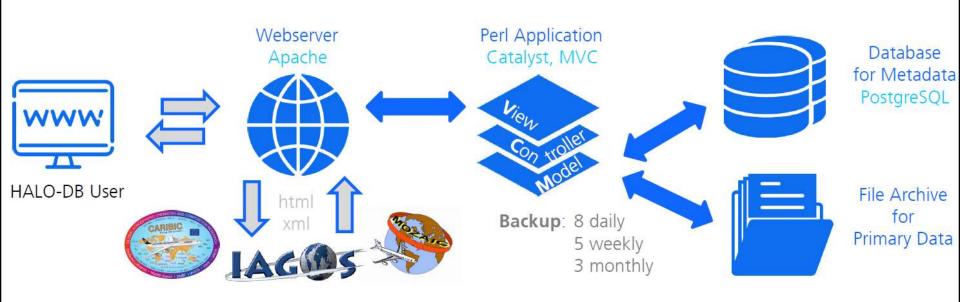




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Structure of HALO/Falcon Data base





https://halo-db.pa.op.dlr.de





Data archived and data access



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WHAT IS THIS?

This is HALO-DB, the web platform of a data retrieval and long-term archiving system.

It was established to hold and manage a wide range of data based on, or related to observations of the HALO research aircraft.

The HALO-DB may also be used for sharing data of scientific missions involving other DLR aircraft or in-situ instruments.

Please see the introduction to learn more.

WHAT KIND OF DATA WILL BE ARCHIVED?

HALO-DB is open to datasets with the following characteristics:

- → Target fields related to geosciences, see introduction
- → Observed and modeled data
- → Data above processing level 1B (see glossary)
- → Currently supported data formats: GTE, NASA Ames, NetCDF

ACCESS TO HALO-DB

The **metadata** (see glossary) of uploaded datasets are publicly available.

The **primary data** (see glossary) of uploaded datasets are available to all registered members of the particular mission. They may become publicly available after a waiting period (see glossary).

Please see the introduction to get more information about upload and download access.







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List of missions





MISSION: OMO





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DESCRIPTION

Full mission name: Oxidation Mechanism Observations

Description:

Oxidation Mechanism Observations in the extrattropical free TS.

MAP OF THE MEASURING AREA



FLIGHTS

*	Flights		≎ Start	≎ Stop
150	716a	HALO	2015-07-16 09:59:50	12:38:43
150	721a	HALO	2015-07-21 09:01:58	12:28:44
150	7255	HALO	2015-07-25 05-54-08	11:00:06





MISSION INFO

- → Start: 2015-07-21
- → Stop: 2015-08-26
- → Region:
 - → Asia

DATA ORIGIN

Genesis of the data (see glossary).

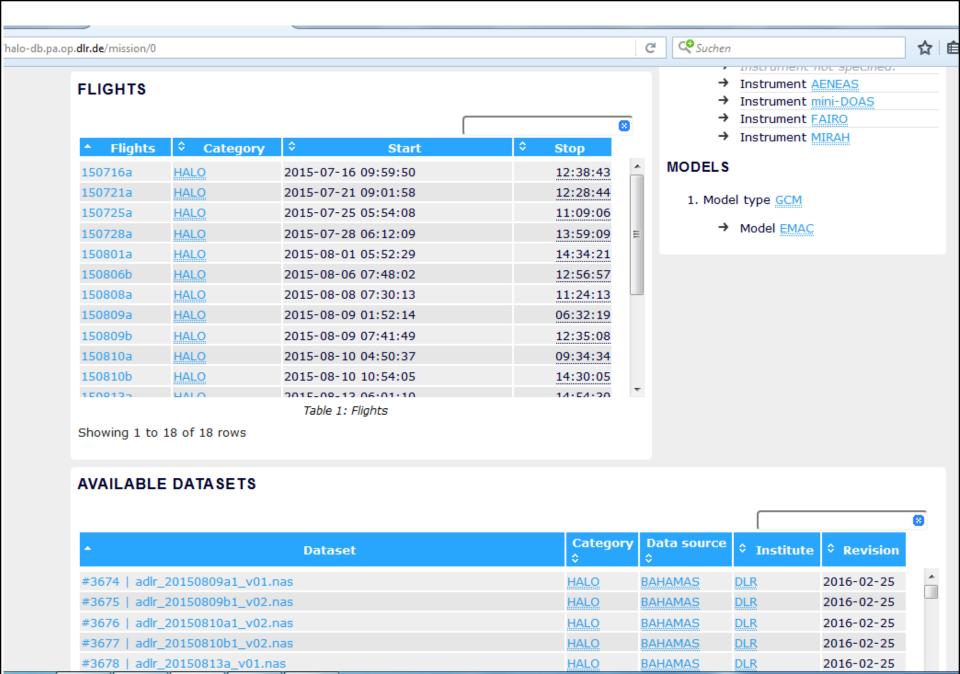
INSTRUMENTS

- 1. Platform HALO
 - → Instrument Perceas
 - → Instrument CPC
 - → Instrument TRIHOP
 - → Instrument HKMS
 - → Instrument CI-ITMS
 - → Instrument BAHAMAS
 - → Instrument HALO-SR-A
 - → Instrument SOFIA
 - → Instrument AirLIF
 - → Instrument FAIRO-CI
 - → Instrument not specified.
 - → Instrument AENEAS

 - → Instrument mini-DOAS
 - → Instrument FAIRO
 - → Instrument MIRAH

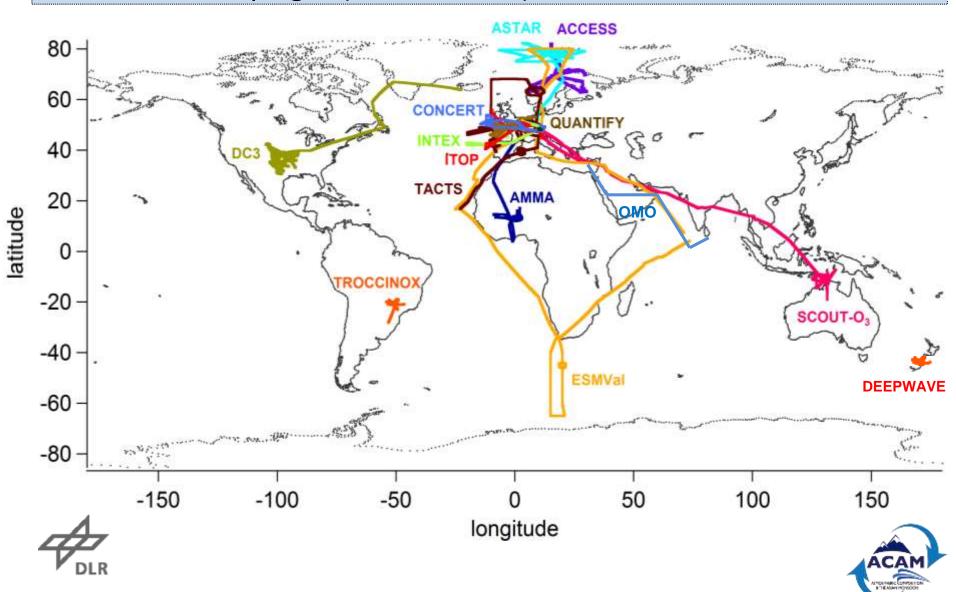
MODELS

1. Model type GCM

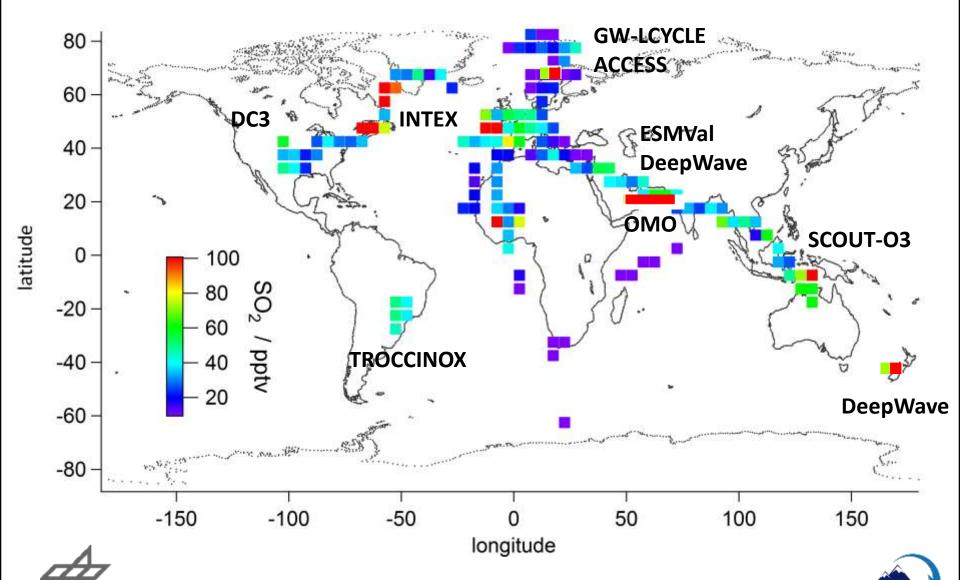


Data base: SO₂ aircraft measurements (2004 – 2015)

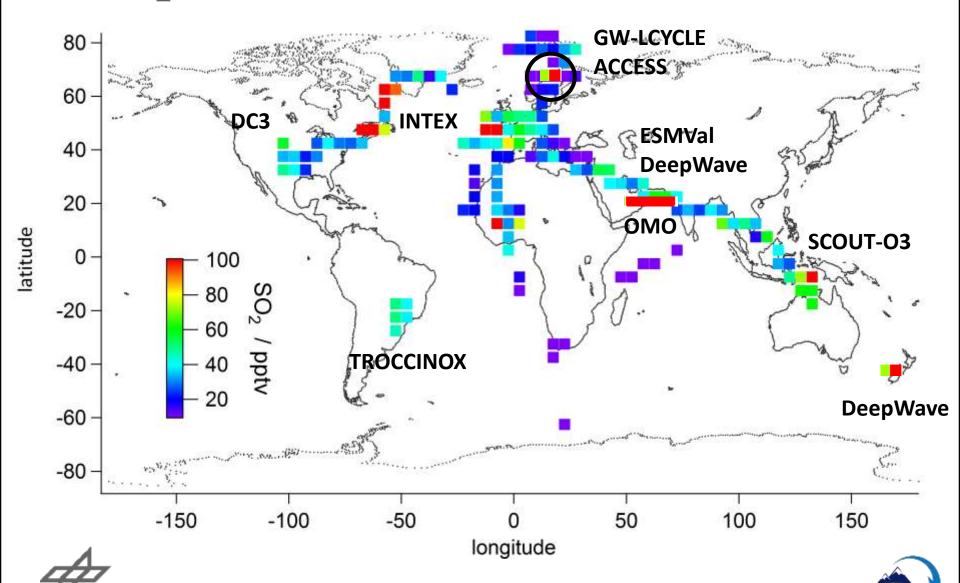
15 field campaigns (Falcon, HALO), ~800 measurement hours



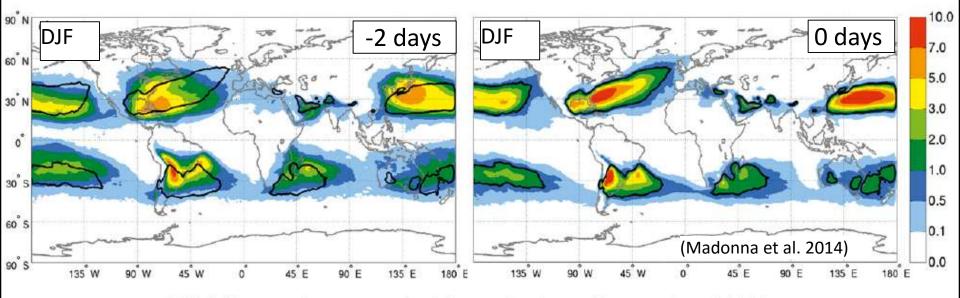
SO₂ Composites (8 – 15 km, 5°X 5°Bins)



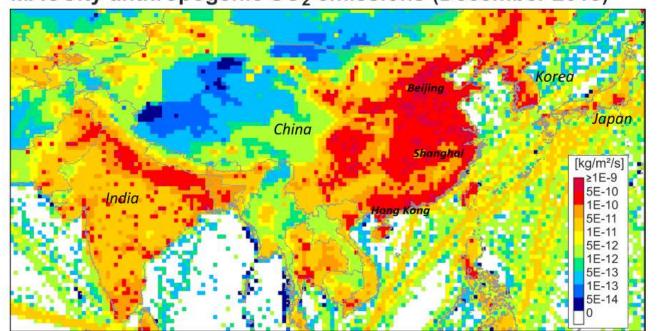
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Relative frequencies (%) of WCB trajectories



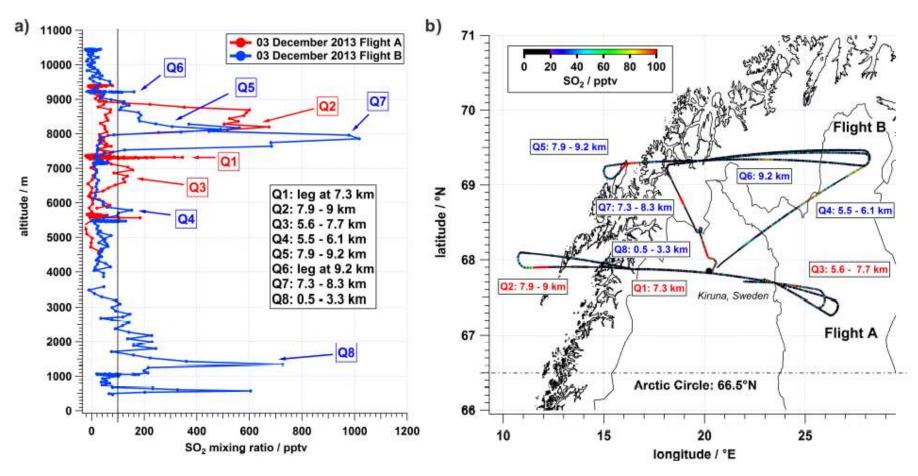
MACCity anthropogenic SO₂ emissions (December 2013)







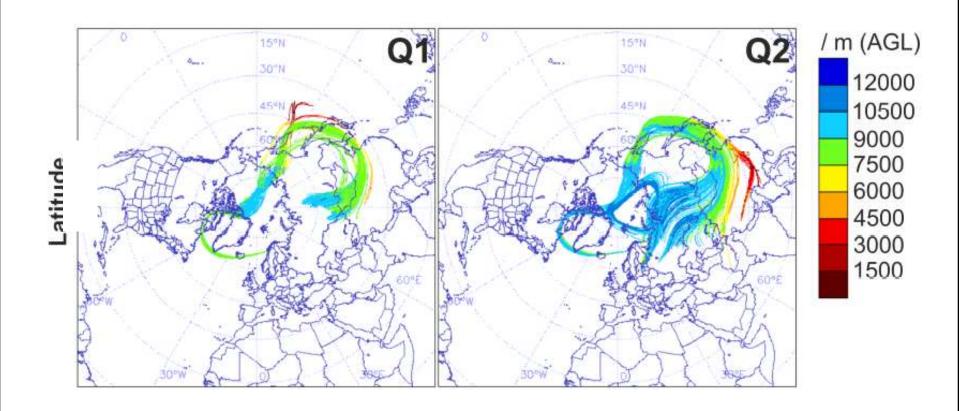
Sampling of East-Asien pollution in the Arctic UTLS on 03 Dec 2013







Backward trajectories from air masses with enhanced SO₂ in the Arctic UTLS

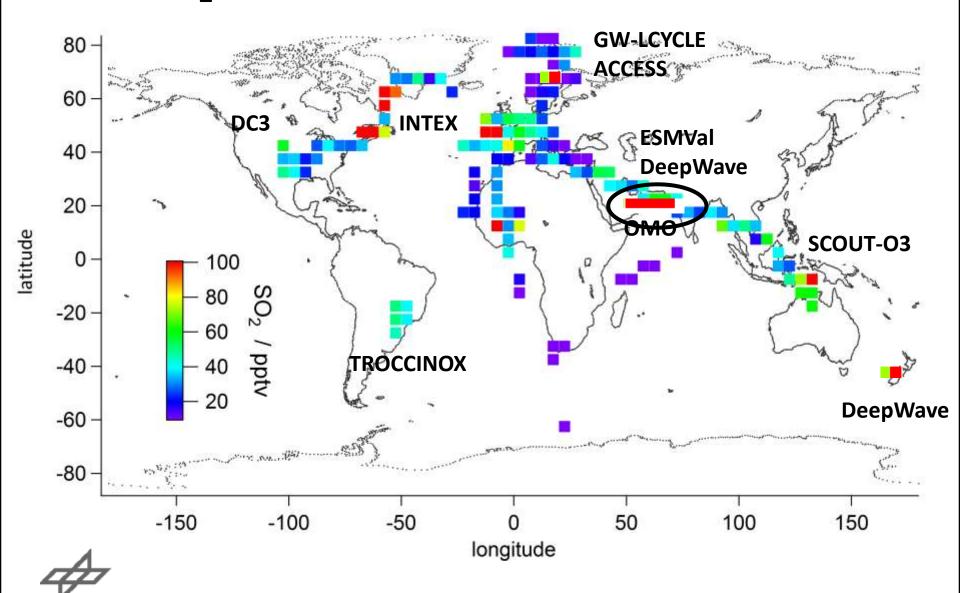


Source regions: Japan and China



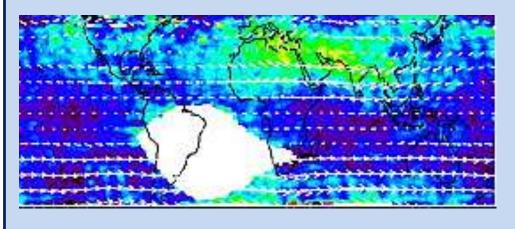


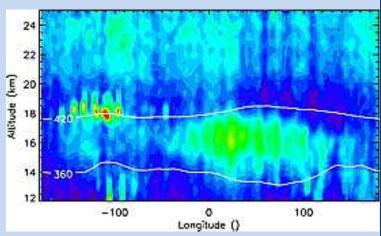
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Asian Tropopause Aerosol Layer (ATAL)

Vertical transport of aerosol or aerosol precursors (likely of anthropogenic origin) in the AM anticyclone regularly lead to formation of an "Asian Tropopause Aerosol Layer" detected by CALIPSO and SAGE-II. ATAL may constitute a primary source of non-volcanic aerosol for global UT and LS.



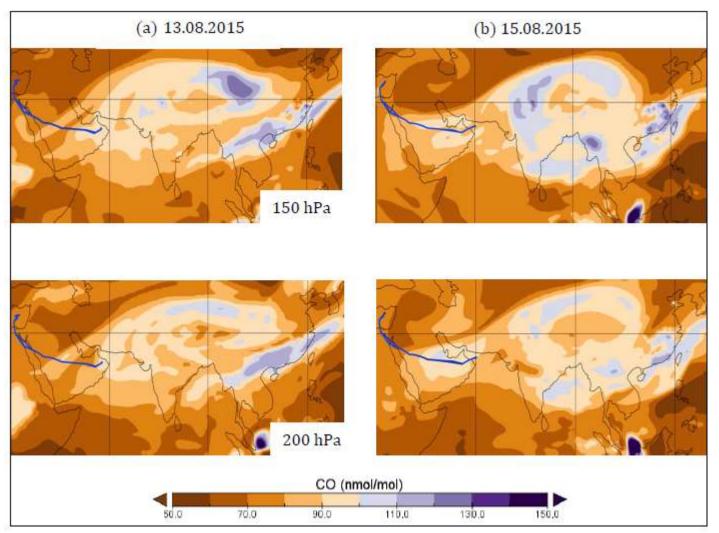


Vernier et al., GRL, 2011





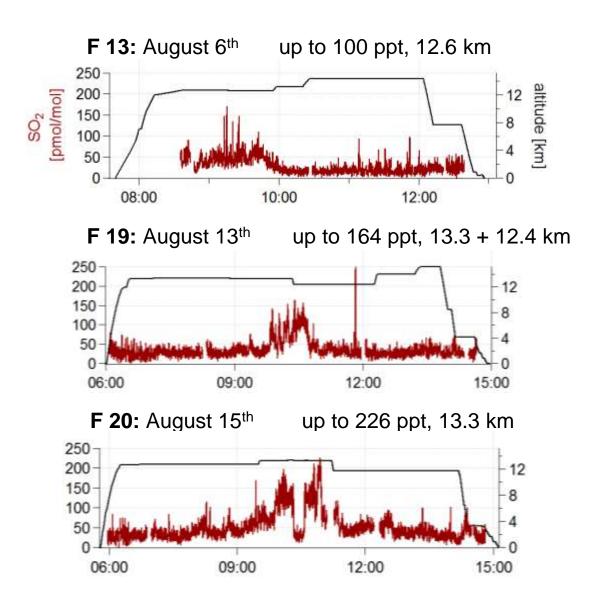
OMO flight routes







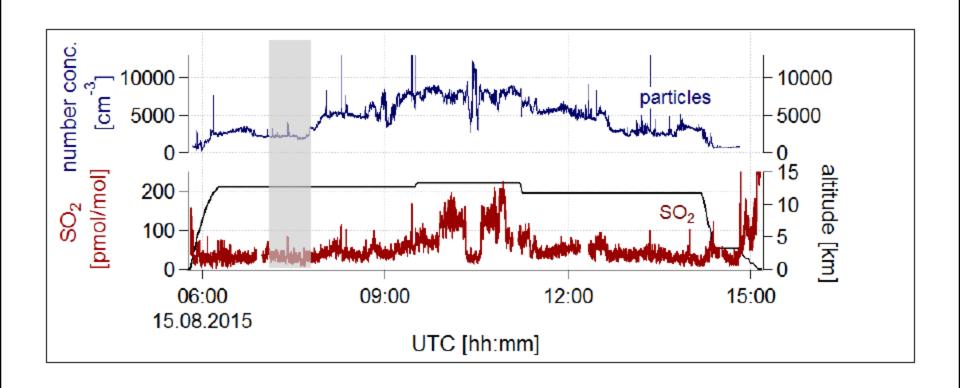
Measurements in the ASM Anticyclone during OMO in Aug. 2015







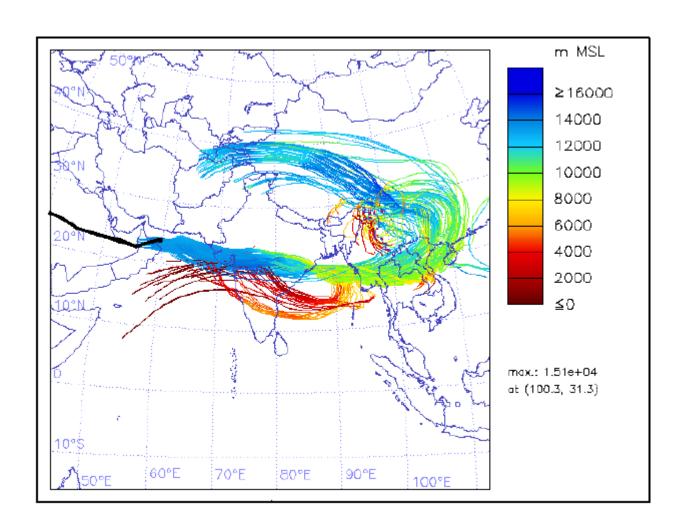
HALO measurements of SO₂, and Aitken particles in ASM anticyclone







Backward trajectories from air masses with enhanced SO₂ and CN







Conclusions

- The HALO/Falcon data bank includes unique measurements related to ACAM
- SO₂ pollution transport into the UTLS by WCBs and AS monsoon from main SA & EA SO₂ source regions observed
- sulfate aerosol is formed in WCB plume and ASM anticyclone represents surface for heterogeneous reactios (e.g. N_2O_5 hydrolysis: NO_x -> HNO₃) and may affect UT cirrus

