

Comparisons with Observations

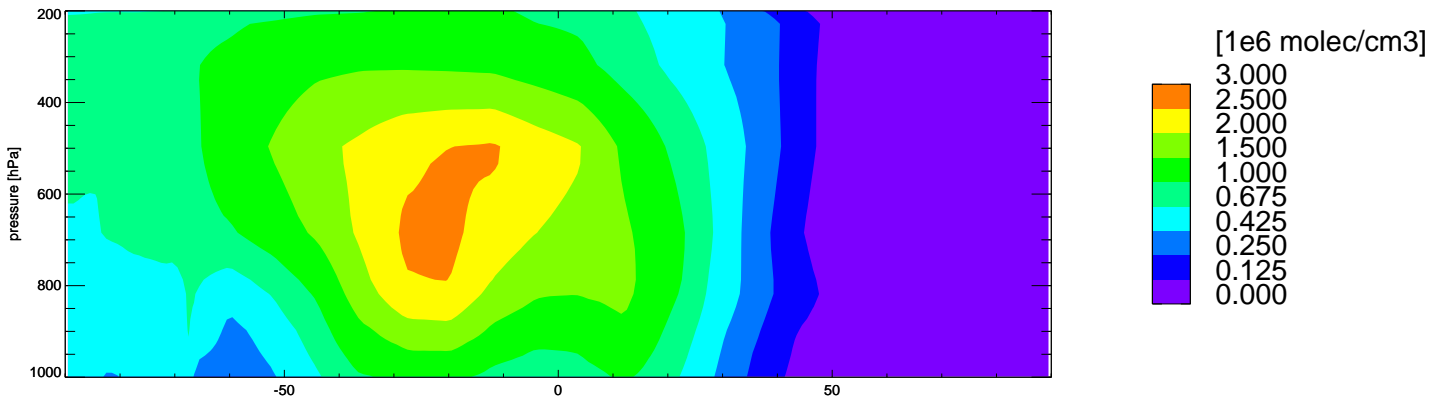
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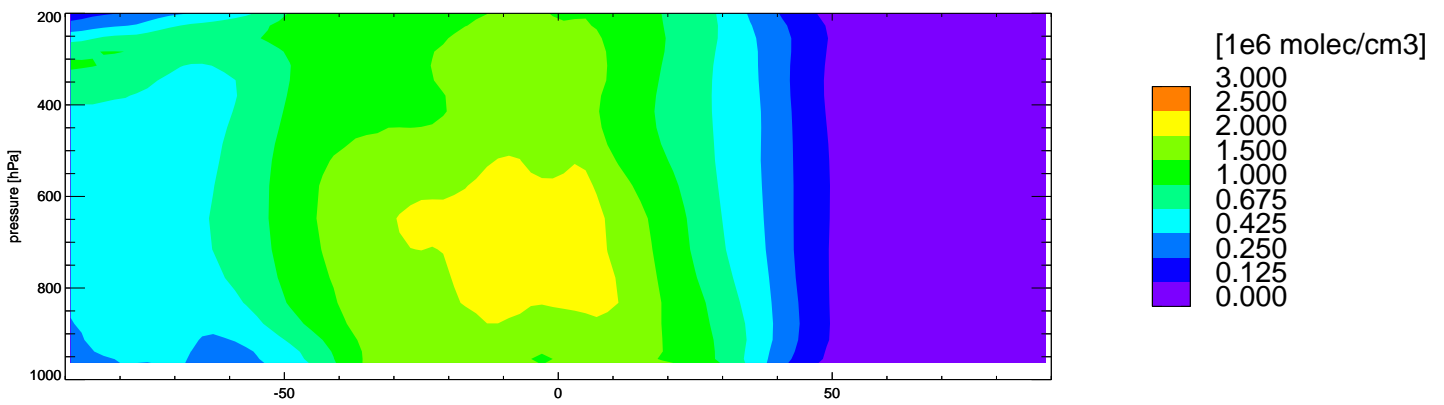
- OH comparisons (Spivakovsky, Hohenpeissenberg)
- O₃ comparisons (MOZAIC, CMDL, Sondes)
- CH₂O comparisons (SCIAMACHY)
- CO comparisons (MOPITT, CMDL, MOZAIC)
- NO₂ comparisons (OMI)

OH comparisons (Spivakovsky, J(O1D)@Hohenpeissenberg)

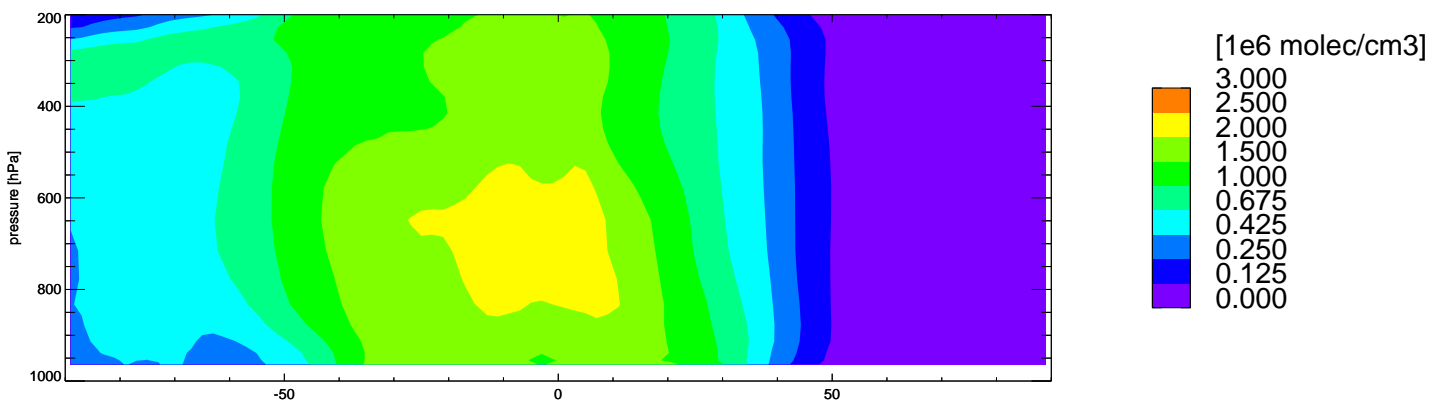
Spivakovsky OH - Jan 2006



TM5 cb5e OH - Jan 2006

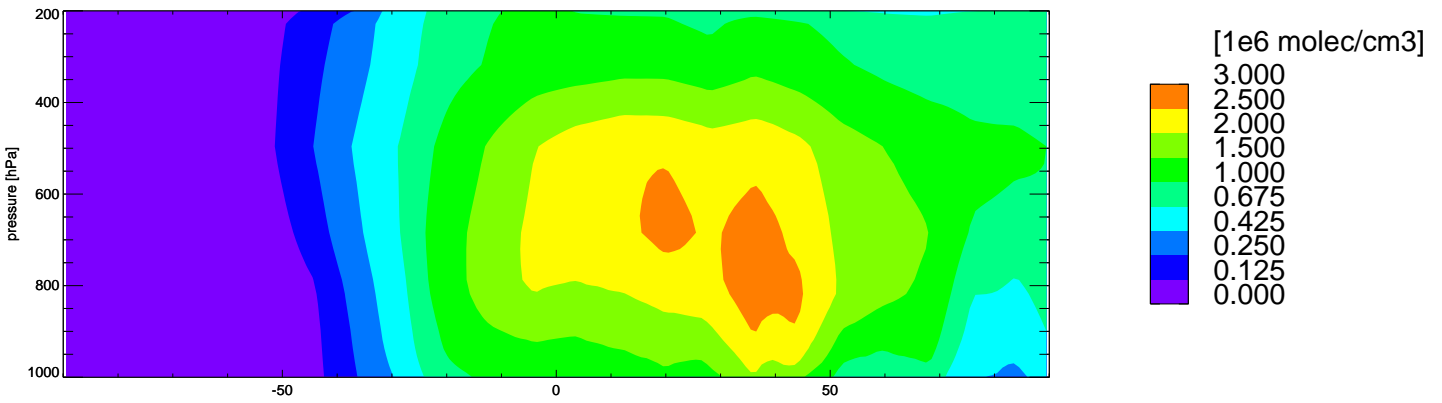


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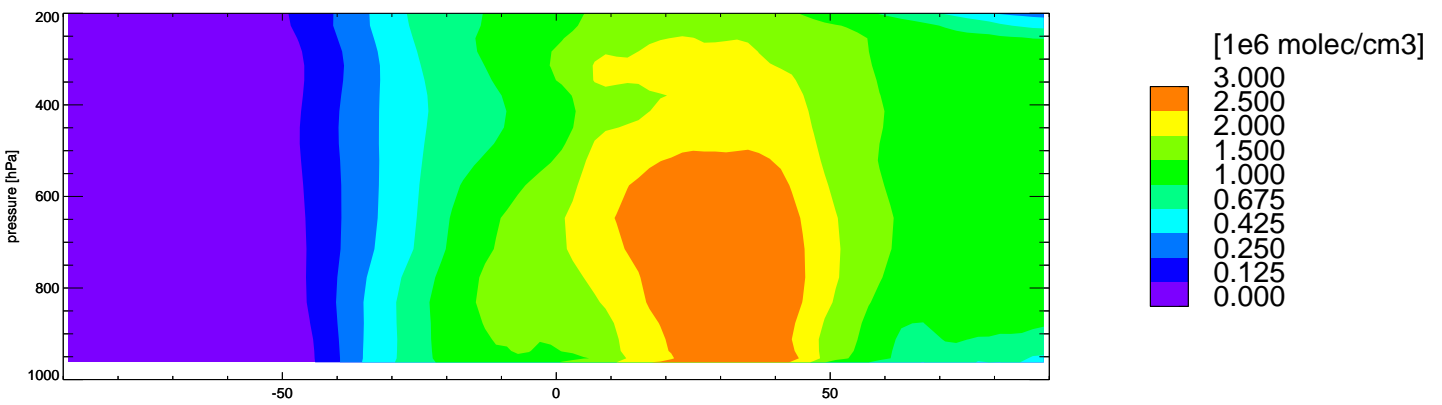


Zonal monthly mean OH concentrations for JANUARY 2006, from climatological average of Spivakovsky (top), and as simulated by the TM5 models.
Note: Spivakovsky is 8% too high on average.

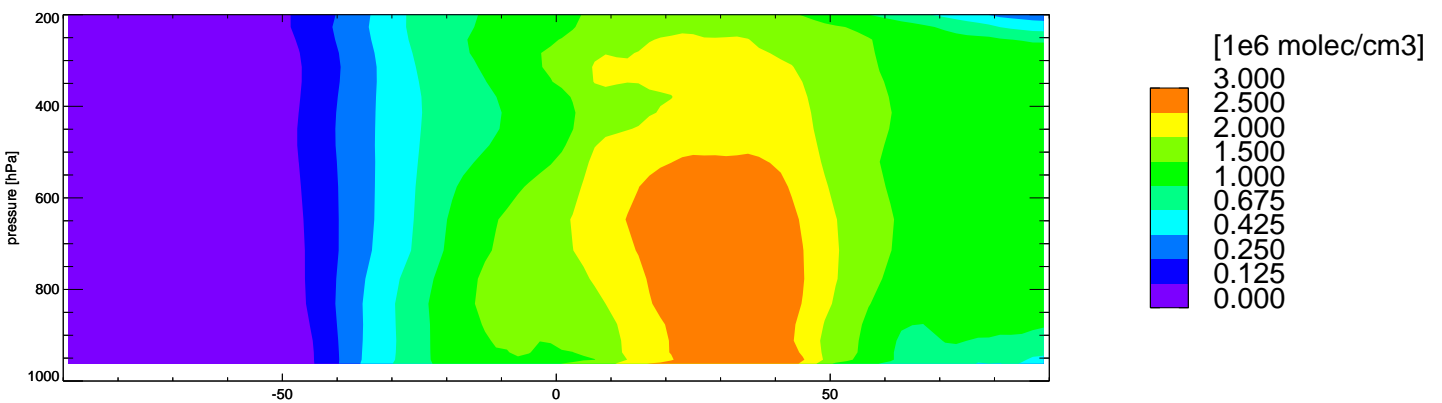
Spivakovsky OH - July 2006



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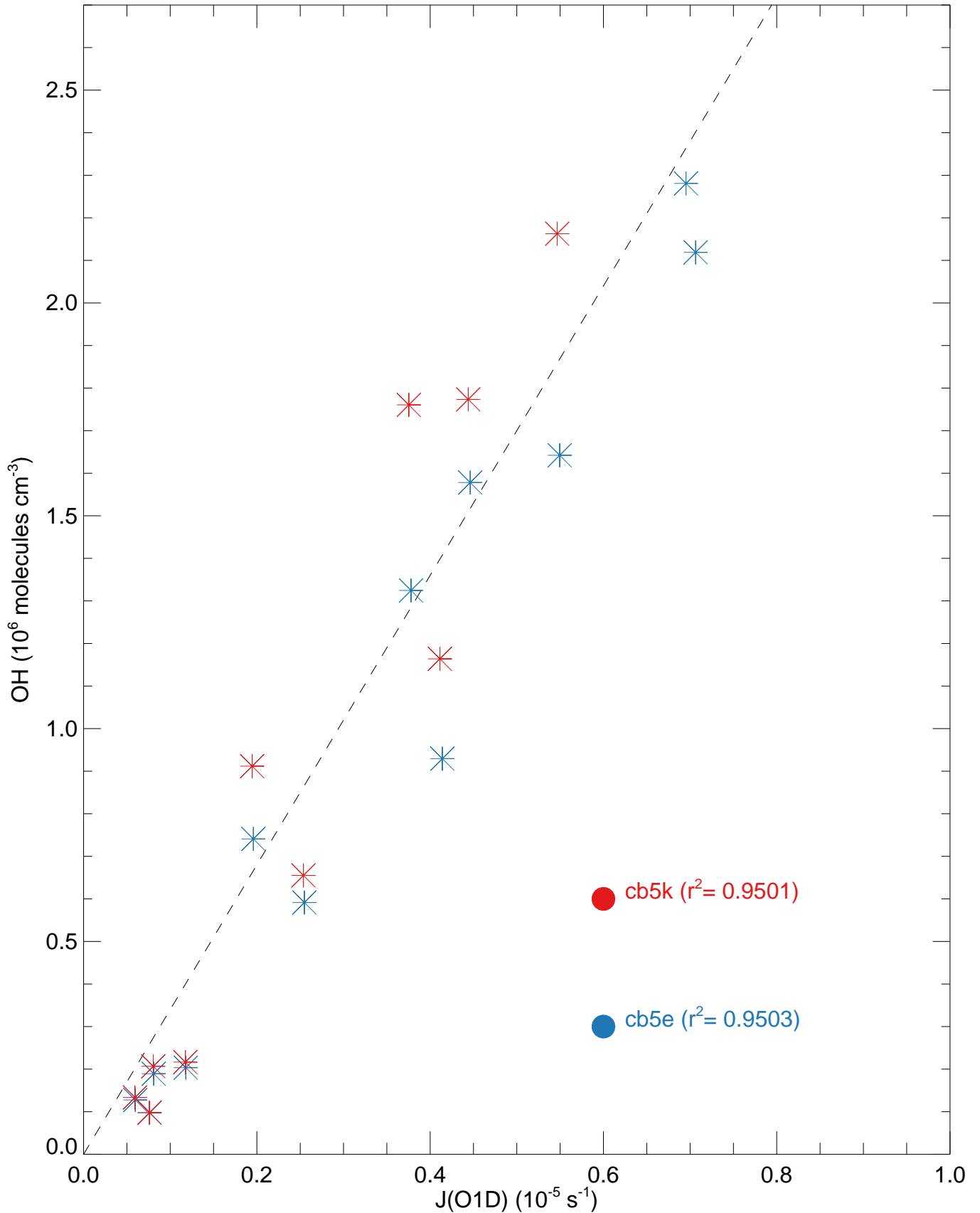


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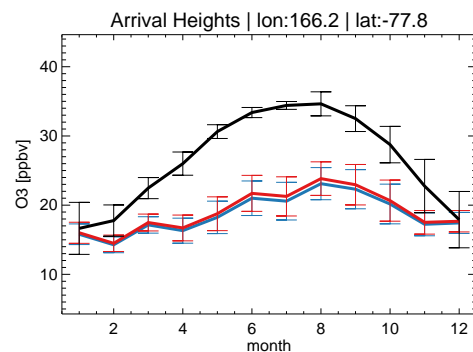
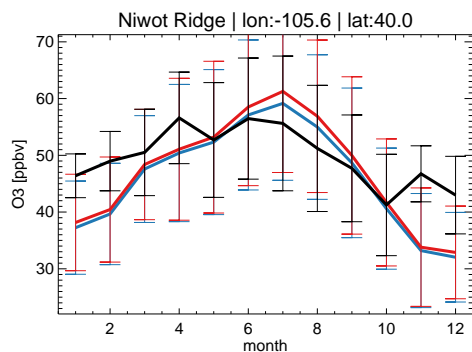
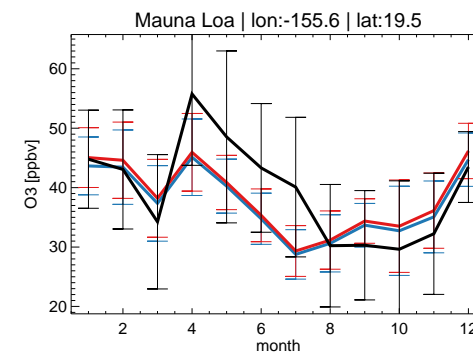
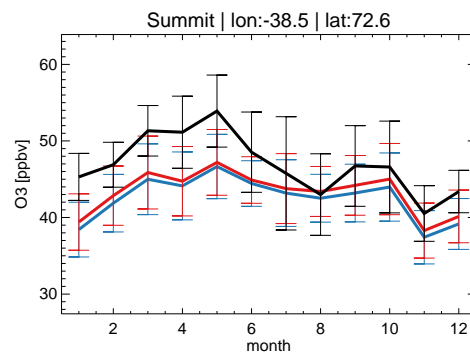
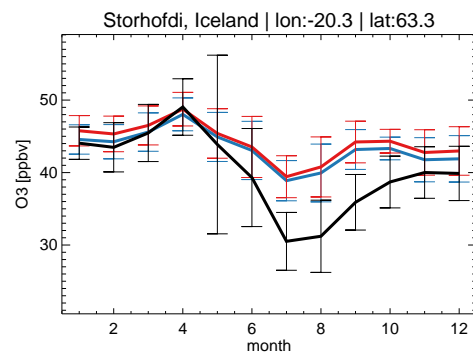
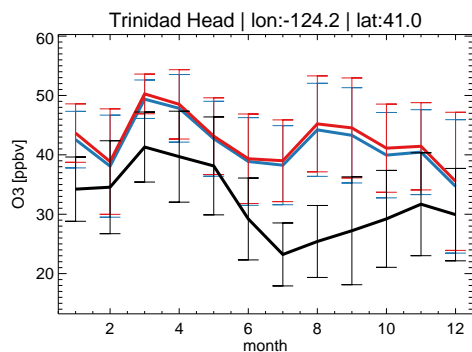
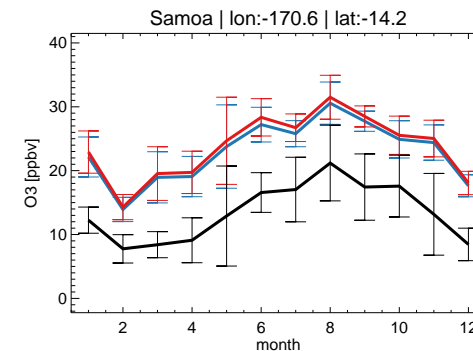
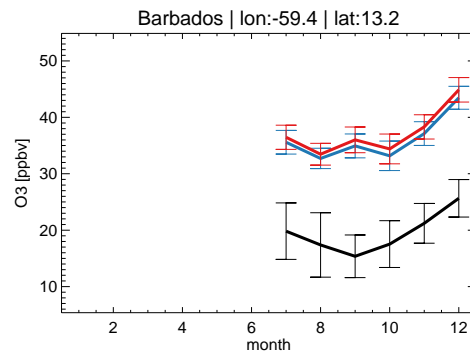
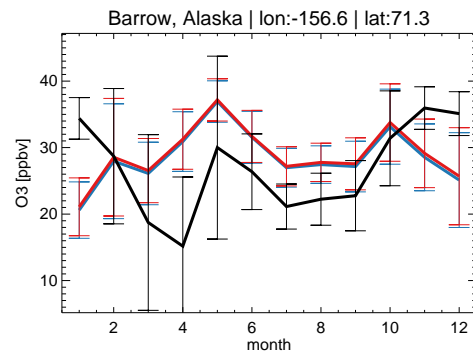
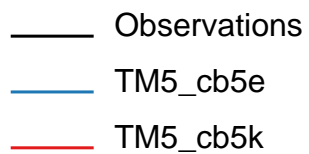
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Monthly averaged J(O1D) vs OH at Hohenpeissenberg

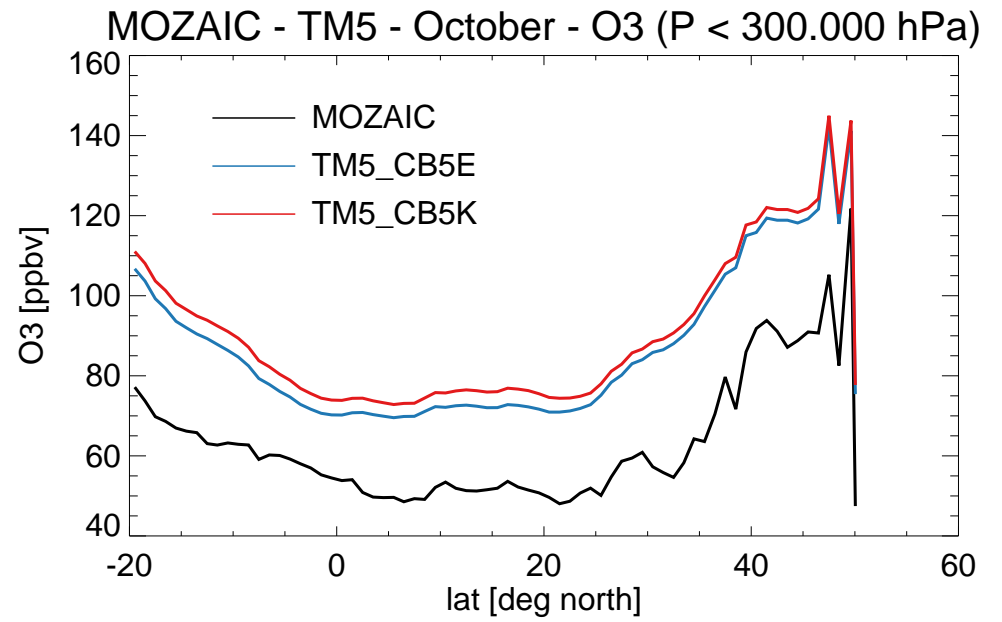
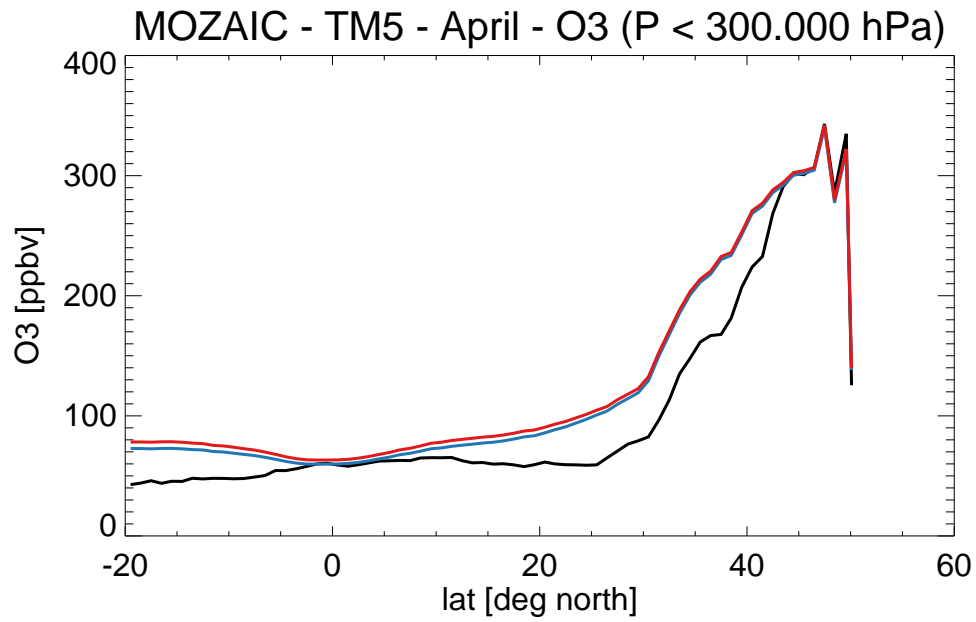


Monthly mean comparison of OH vs J(O1D) at Hohenpeissenberg. The dash line represents the approximate fit to measurement (Rohrer and Berresheim, doi:10.1038/nature04924, 2006). Correlation coefficients between OH and J(O1D) for JO1D values < 7 10⁻⁶ are shown.

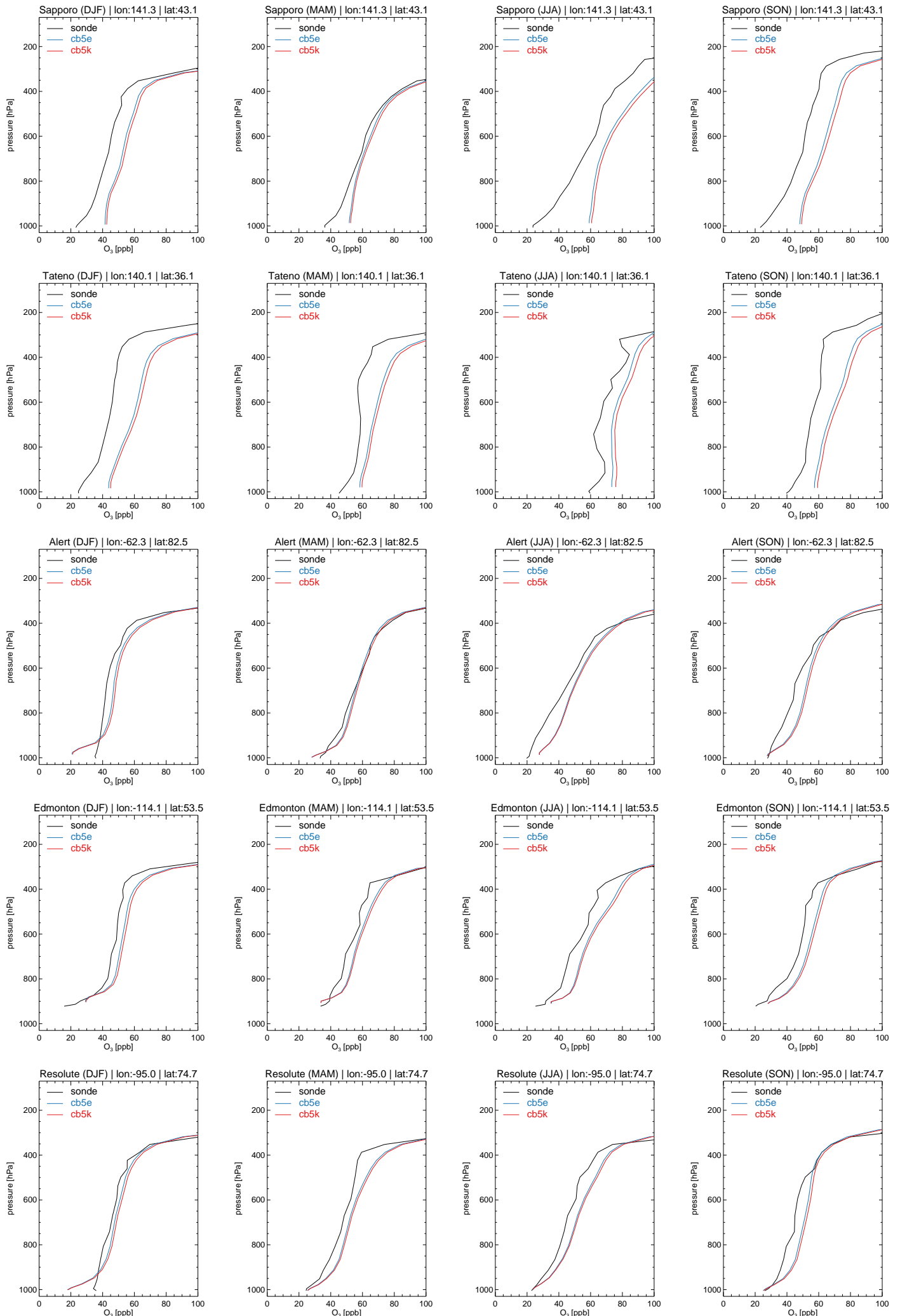
O3 comparisons (MOZAIC, CMDL, Sondes)

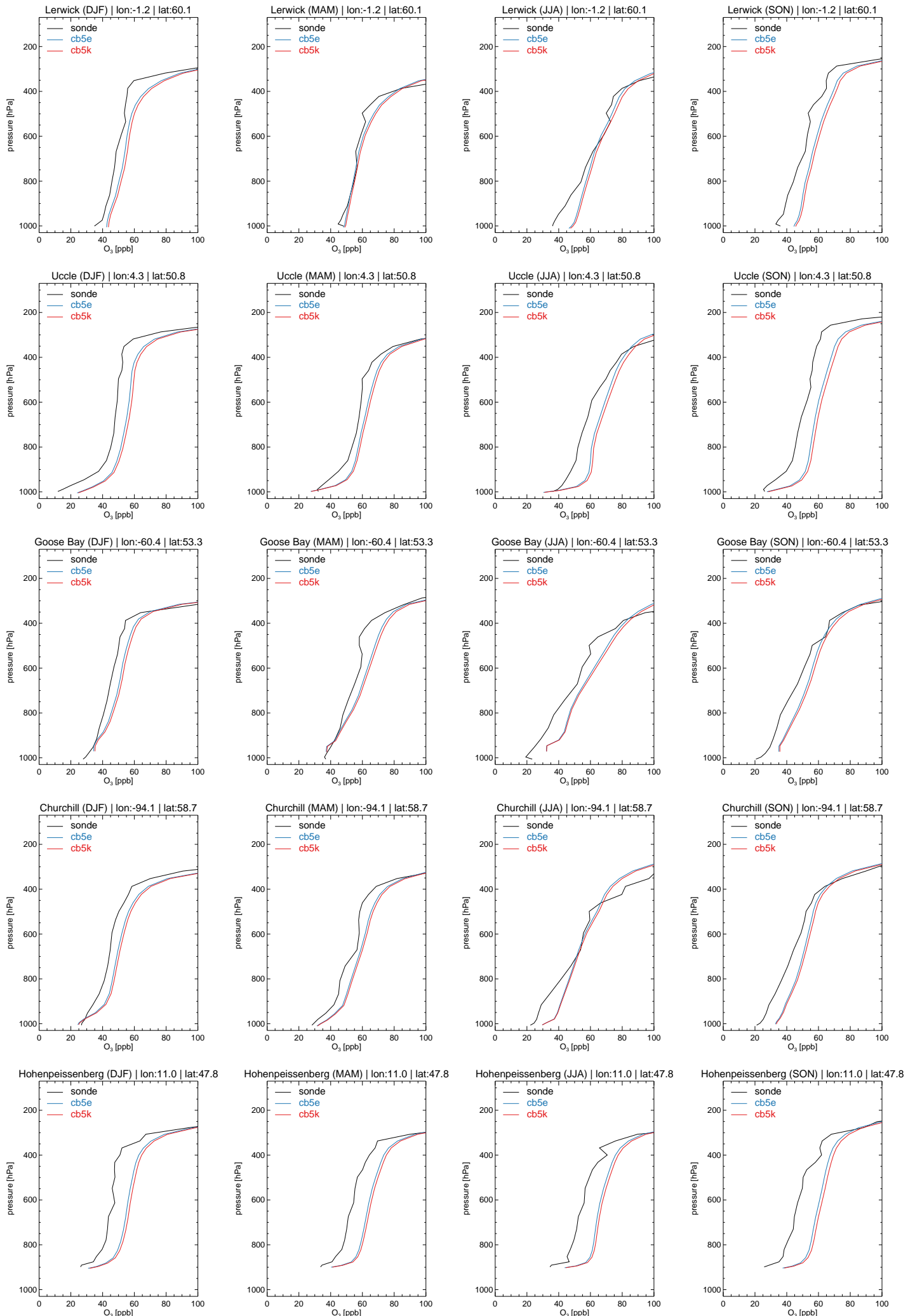


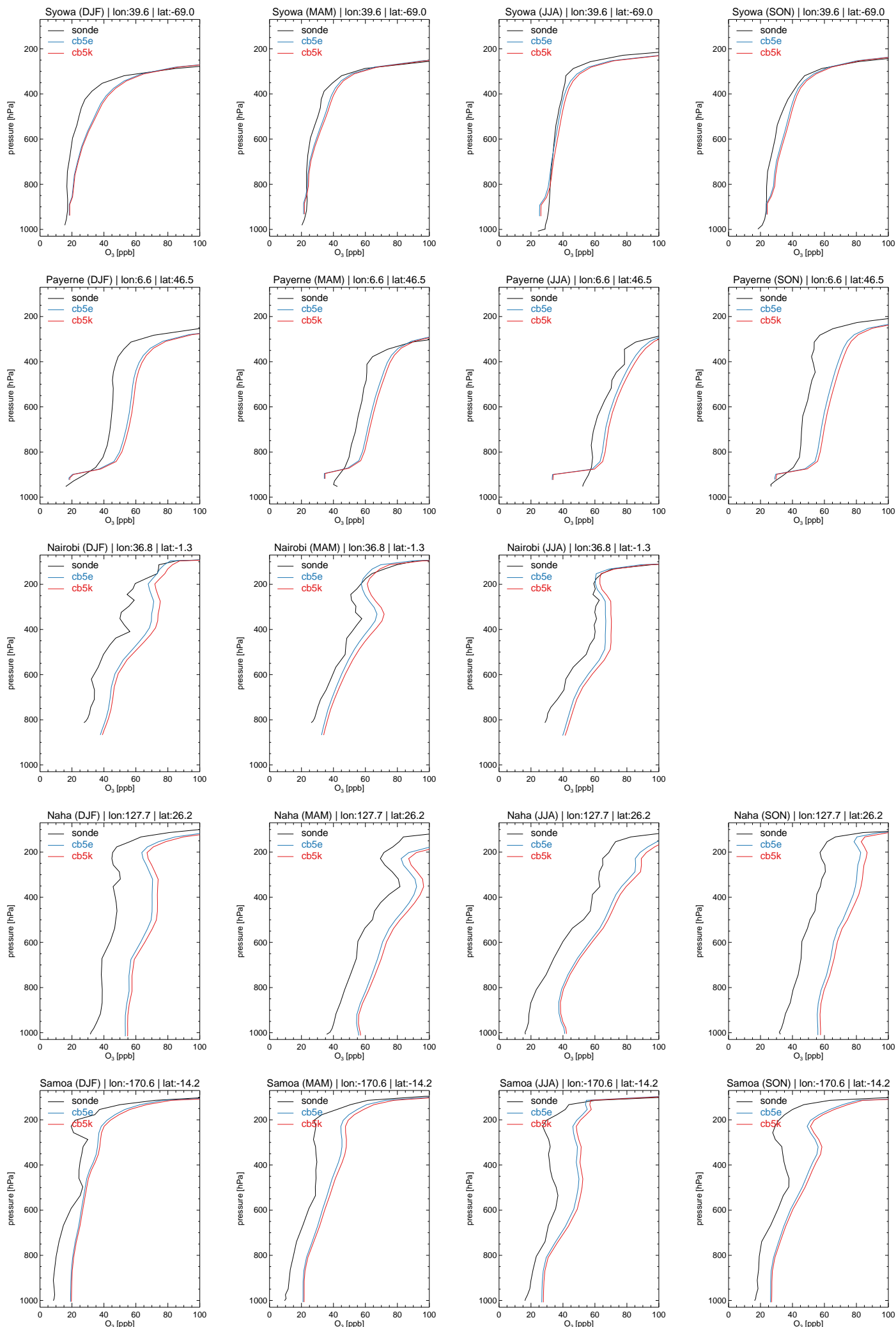
Monthly mean comparison of TM5 surface O₃ against GMD(CMDL) surface observations using co-located model output for 2006, sampled at the measurement times. Error bars indicate the standard deviation in the monthly means.

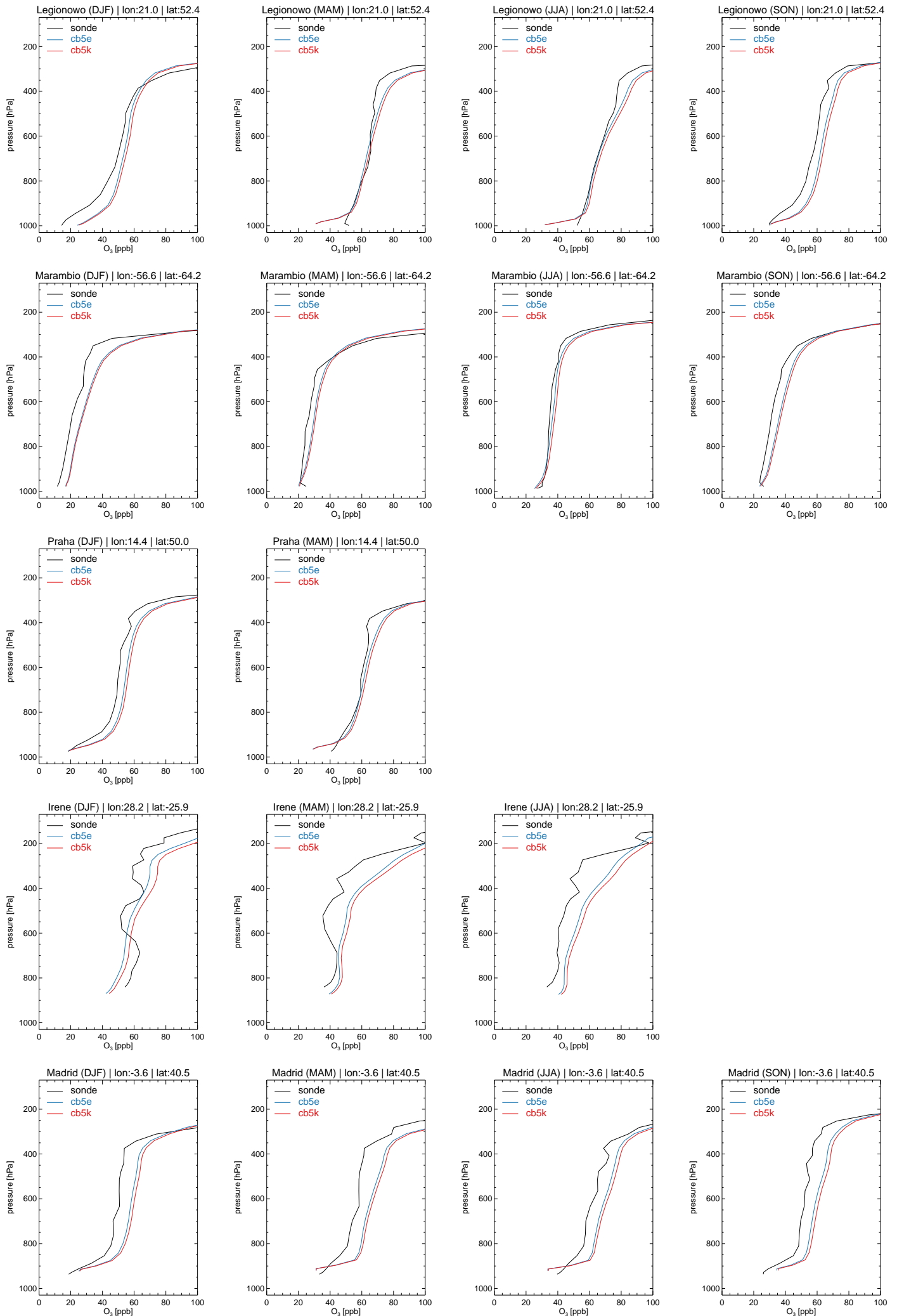


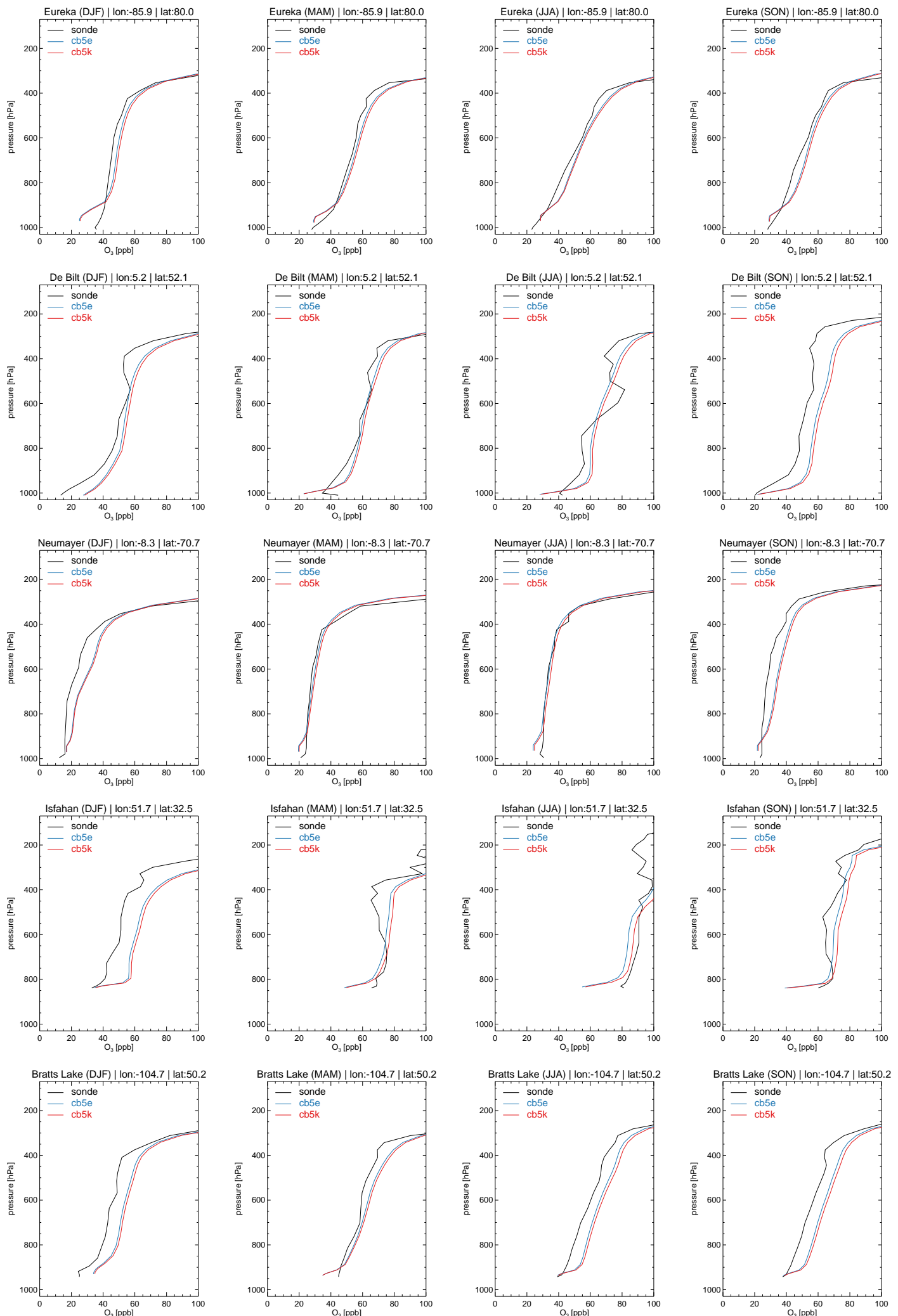
Monthly mean comparisons of TM5 UTLS O₃ concentrations sampled at the measurement place and time against MOZAIC flight data between Frankfurt (N50.0, E8.6) and Windhoek (E17.7, S22.5) for April (left column) and October 2006 (right). Data at pressures higher than 300 hPa has been filtered out.

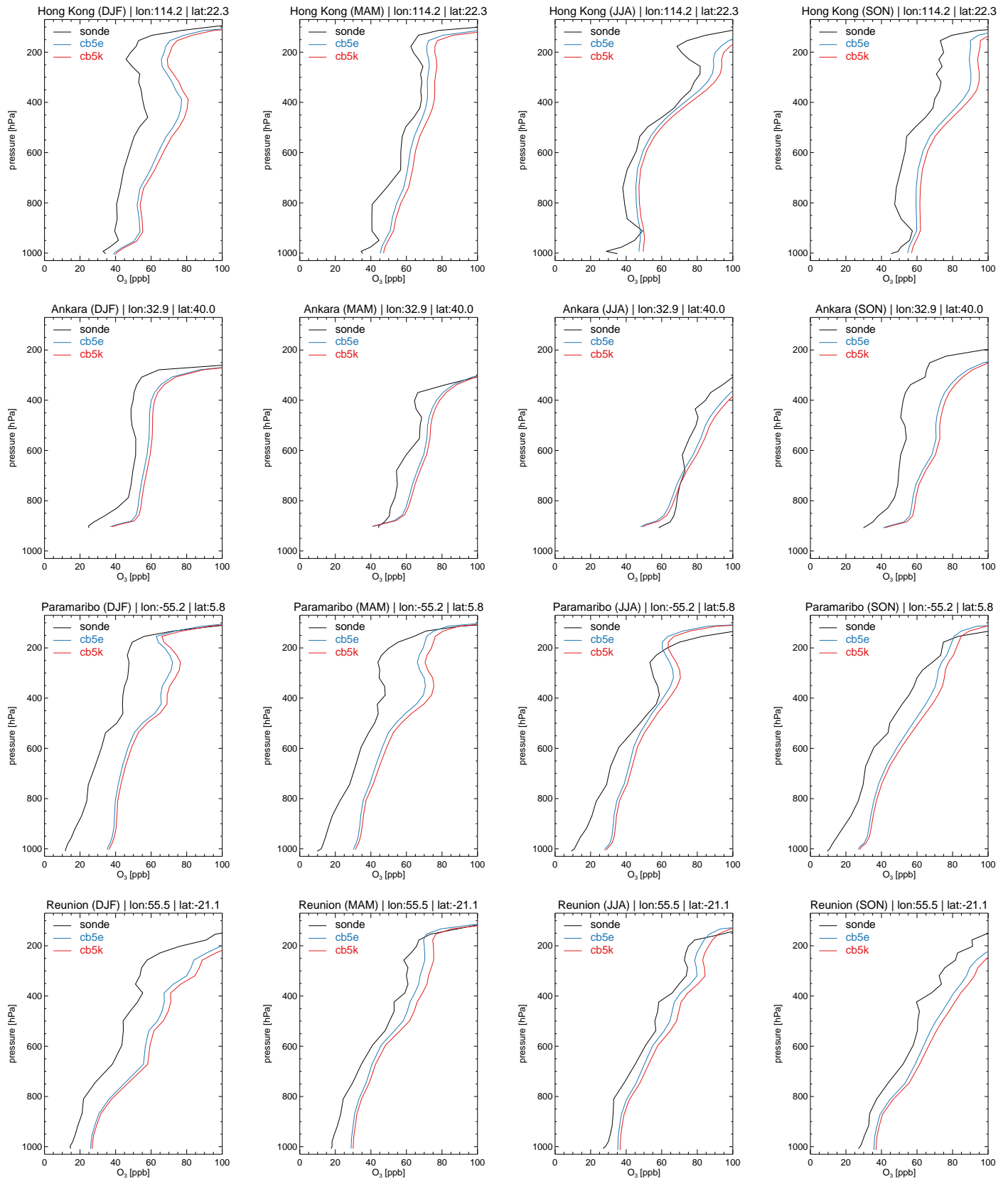




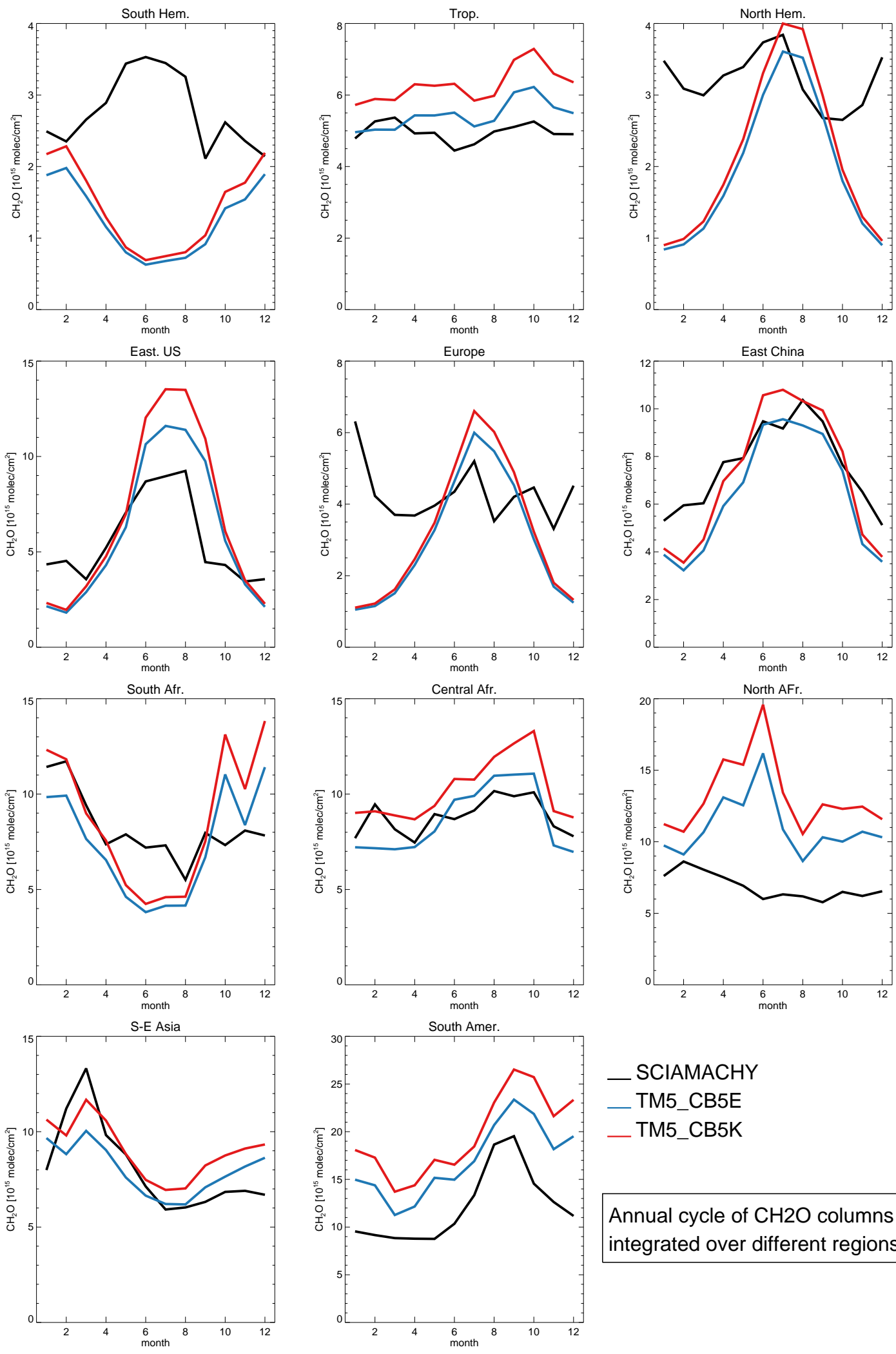








CH₂O comparisons (SCIAMACHY)

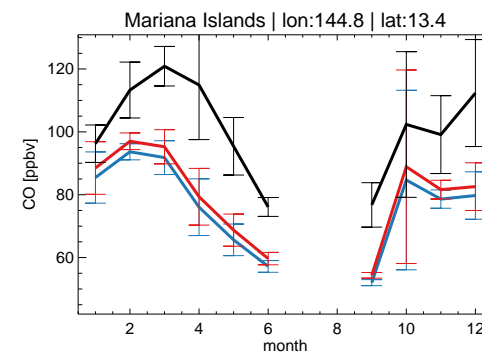
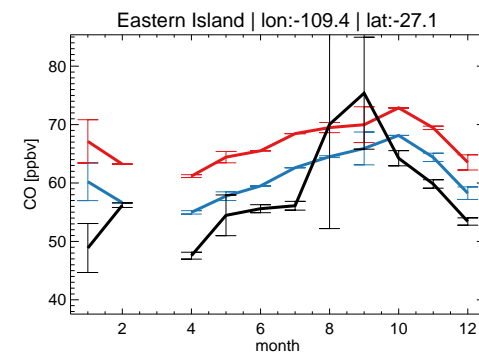
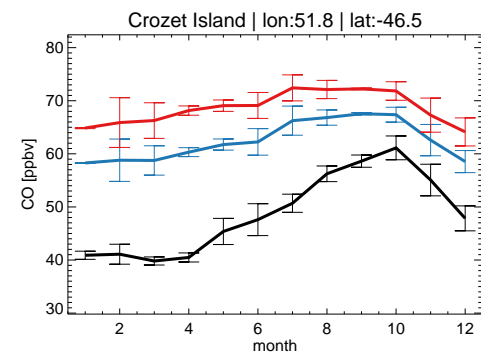
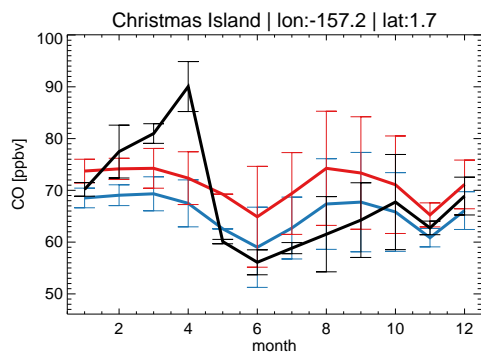
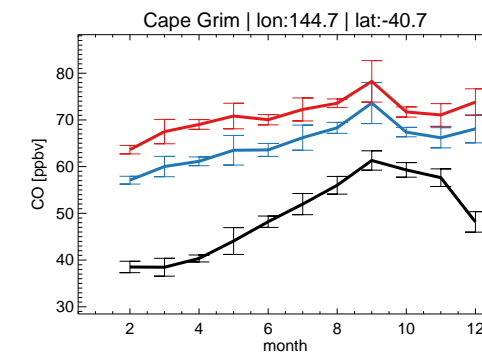
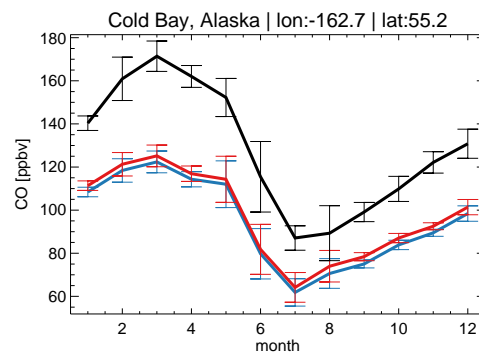
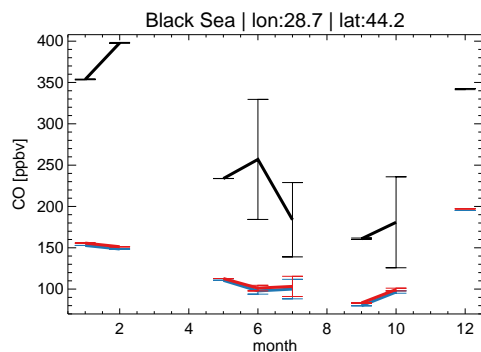
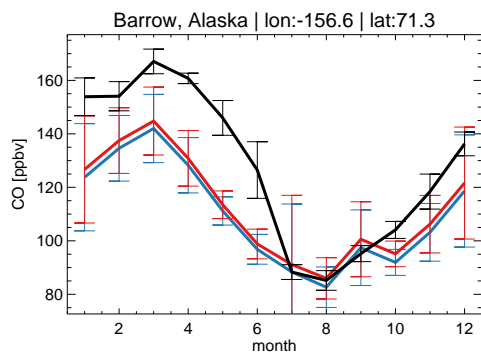
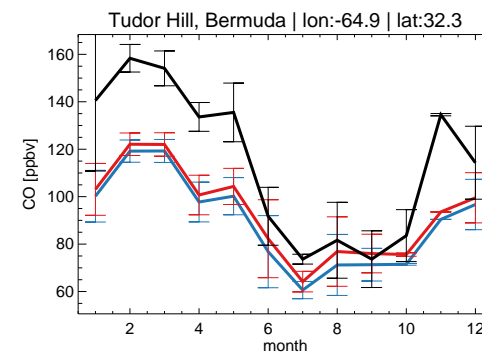
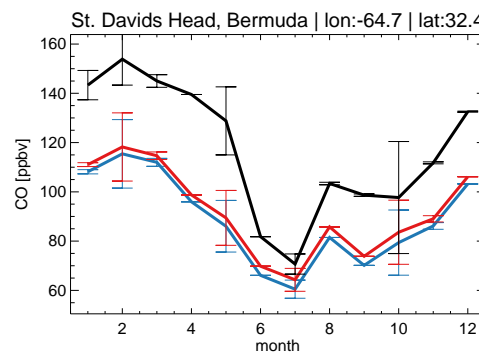
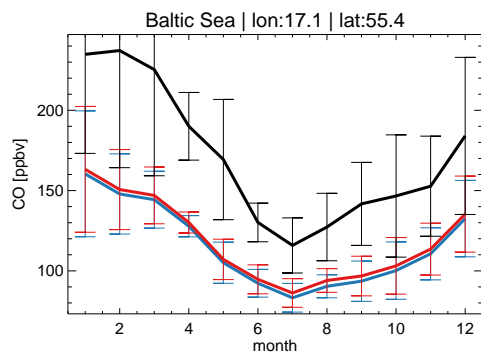
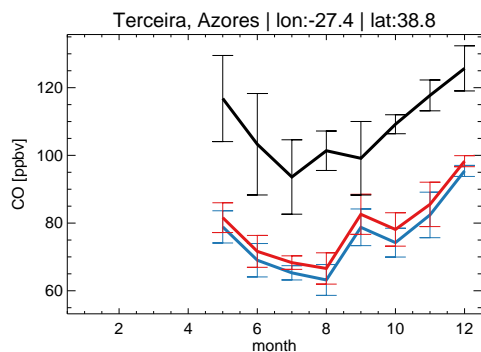
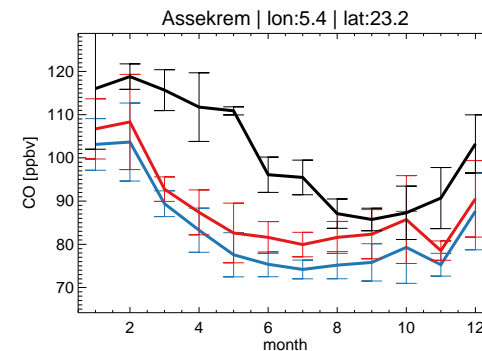
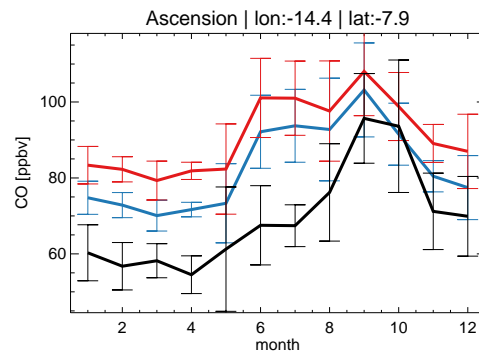
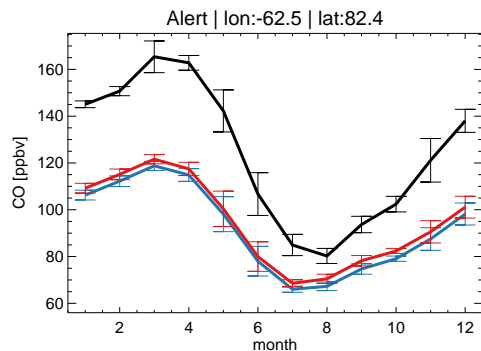


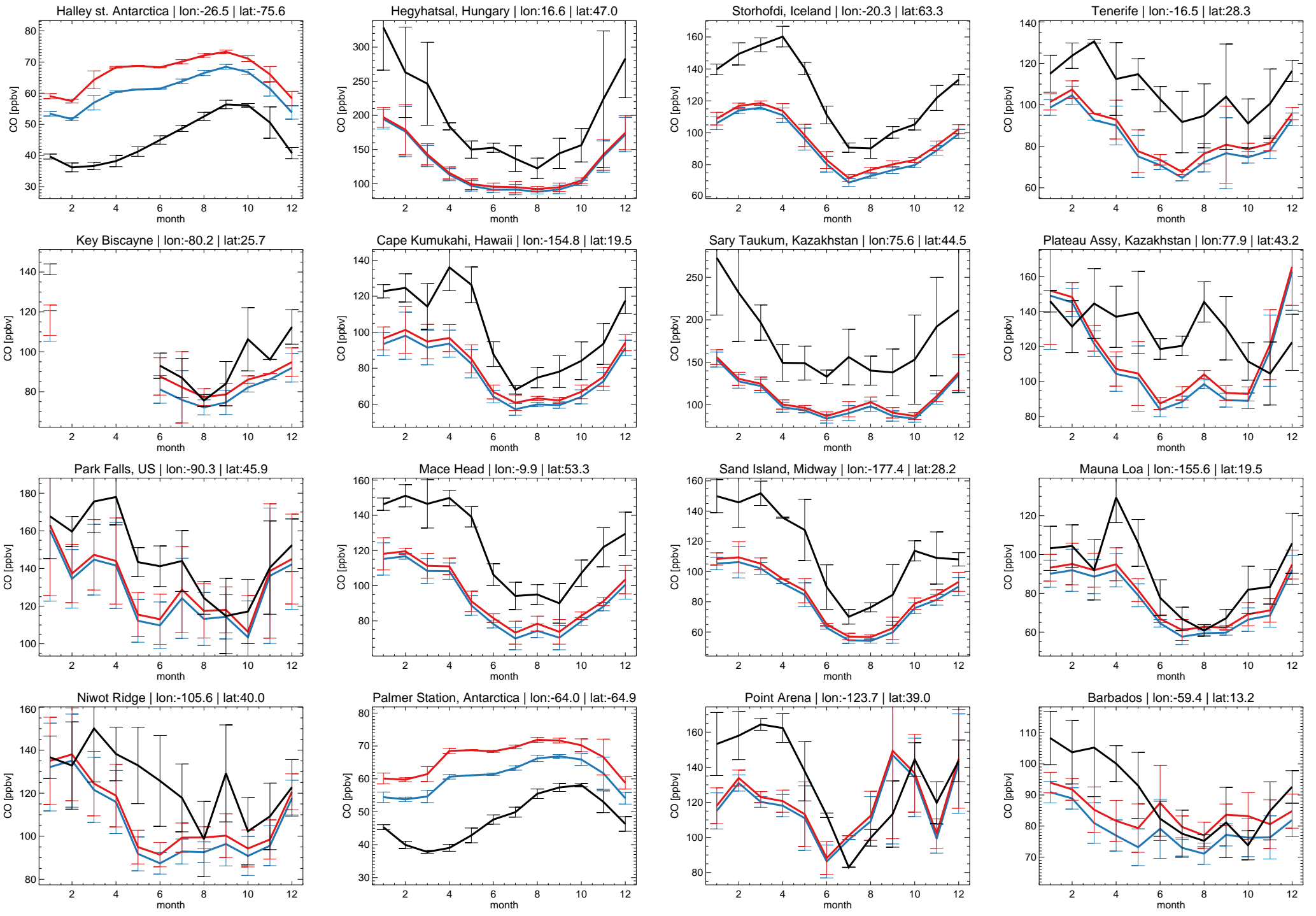
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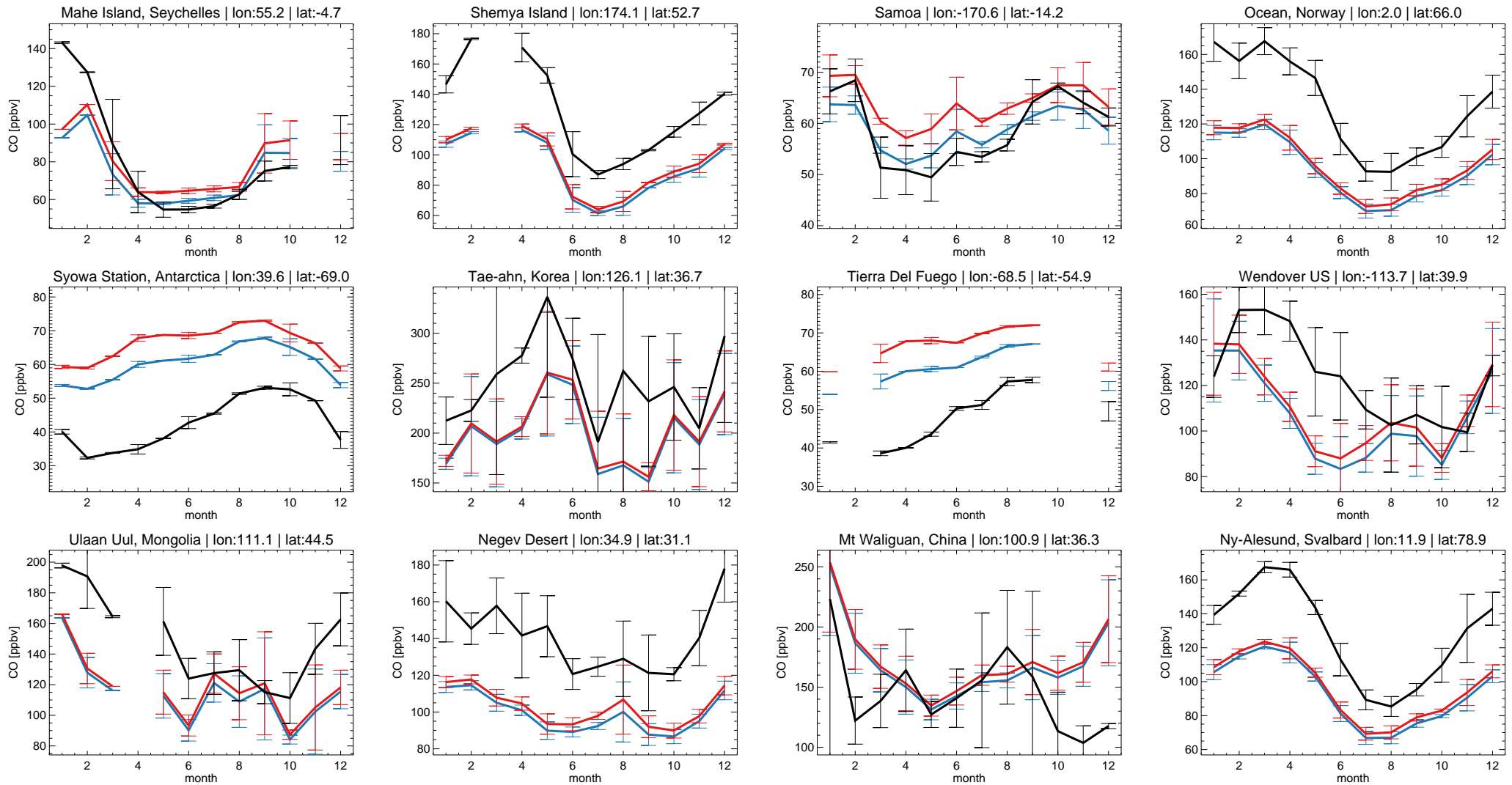
Annual cycle of CH₂O columns integrated over different regions.

CO comparisons (MOPITT, CMDL, MOZAIC)

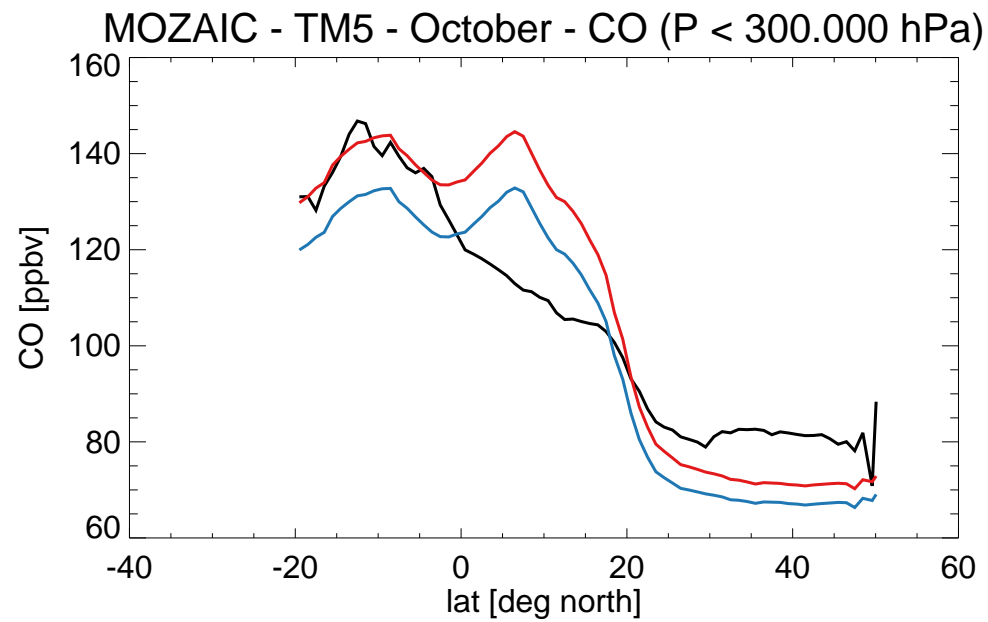
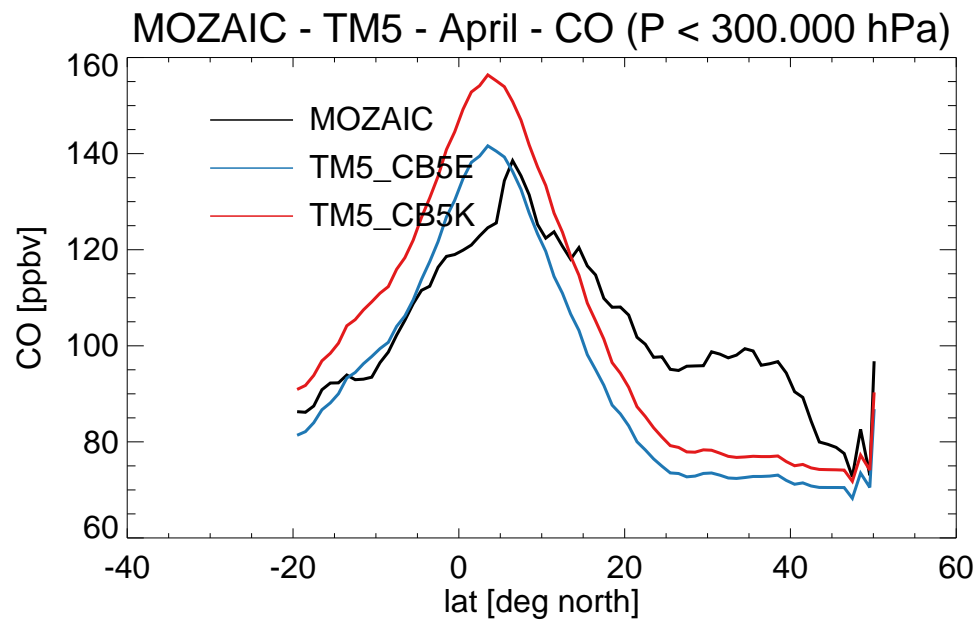
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Monthly mean comparison of TM5 surface CO against GMD(CMDL) surface observations using co-located model output for 2006, sampled at the measurement times. Error bars indicate the standard deviation in the monthly means.



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