

Analysis of ozone vertical profile day-to-day variability in the lower troposphere during the Paris-2022 ACROSS campaign

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Objectives:

- Analysis of 21 days of ozone vertical profiles by QUALAIR station, AIRPARIF network, and IAGOS flights
- Dependency of ozone daytime increase in the urban layer on vertical structure of the PBL and on regional scale plume advection
- Comparison with satellite observations (IASI) and CAMS ozone simulations





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Mesures surface du réseau mesures
sol AIRPARIF + capteur O₃ tour
Zamanski

Profil O₃ (200 m -3000 m) Lidar ALTO

Mesures quotidiennes des vols IAGOS
sur Paris

Suivi hauteur PBL (radiosondage,
microlidar SLIM)

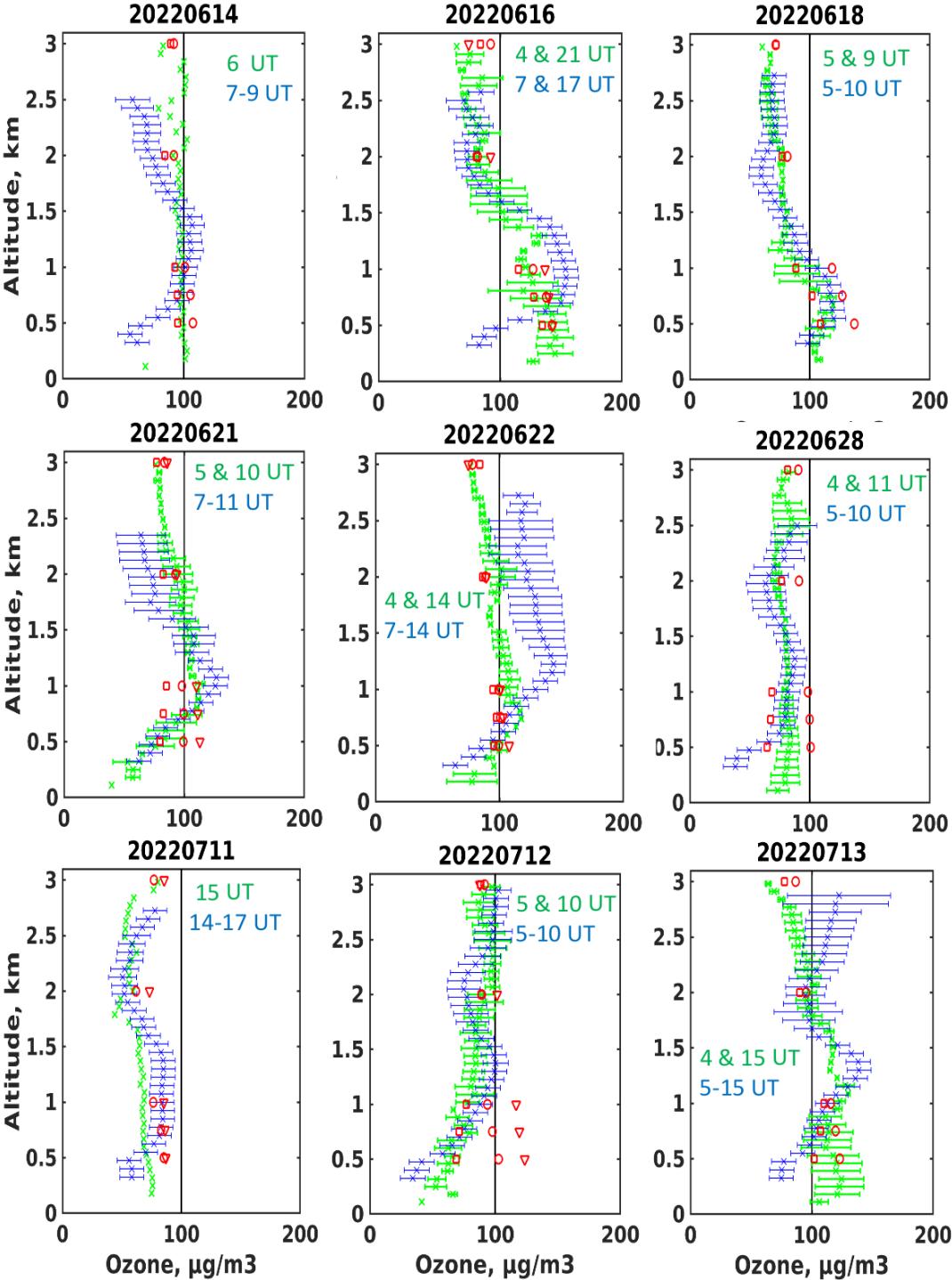
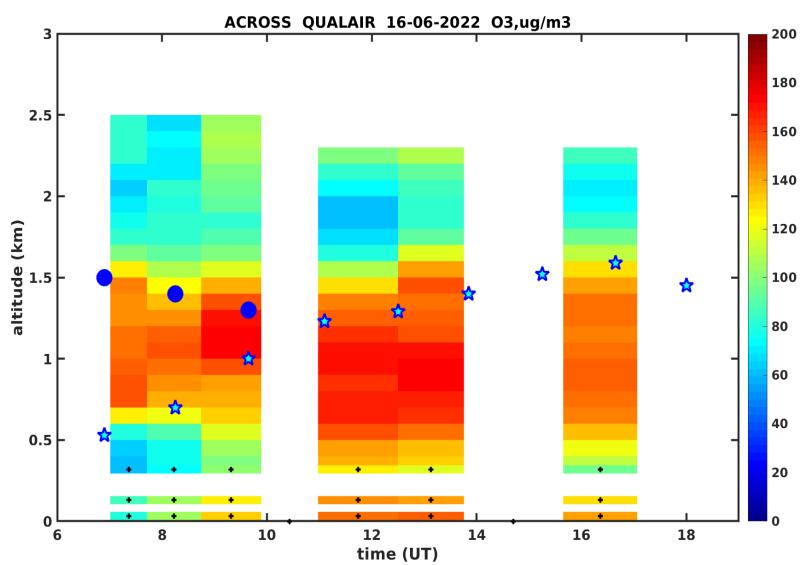


ACROSS

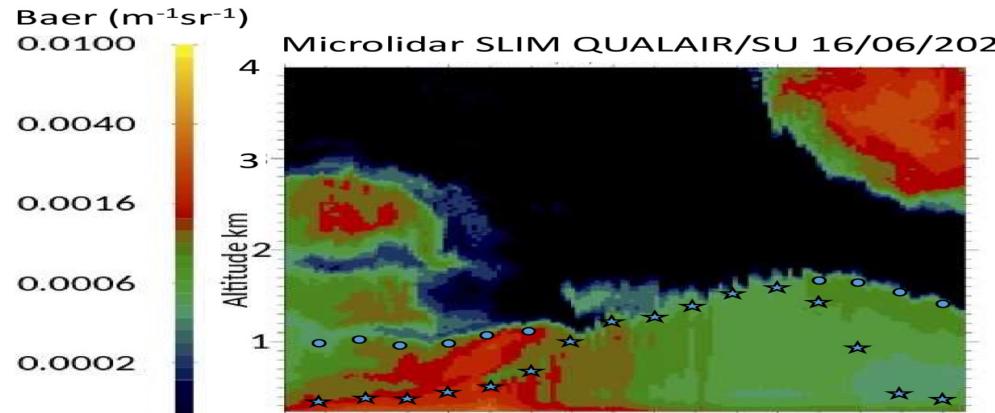
21 jours de mesures de évolution diurne des profils d'ozone

Bonne cohérence des profils verticaux lidar au centre de Paris et des profils deduit des vols IAGOS → exploitation vols IAGOS pour suivi des épisodes de pollution

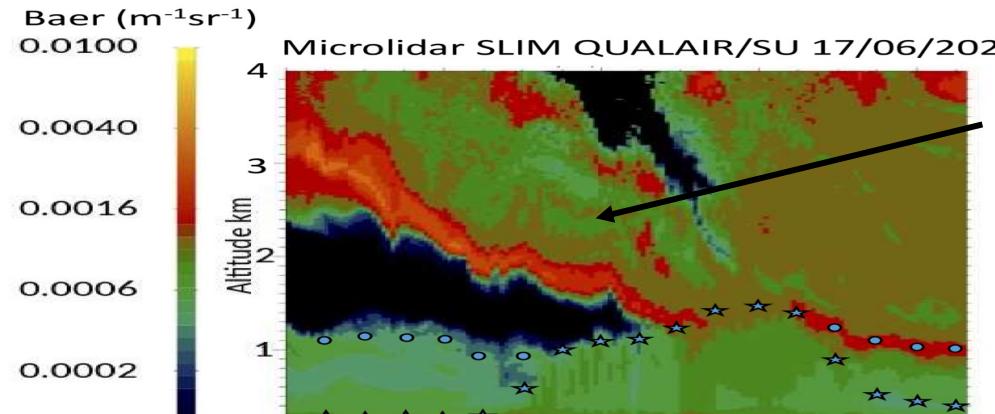
Exploitation des simulations CAMS et retropanaches des couches O₃ observées par le lidar avec le modèle FLEXPART pour analyse du transport régional



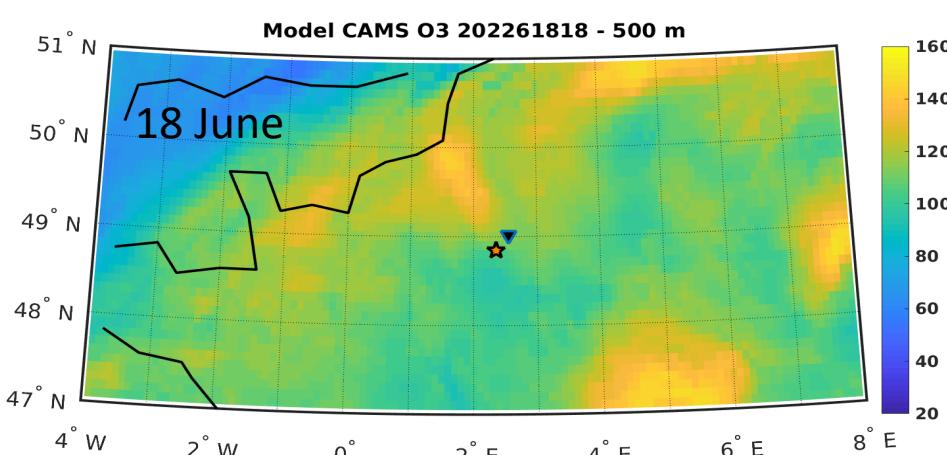
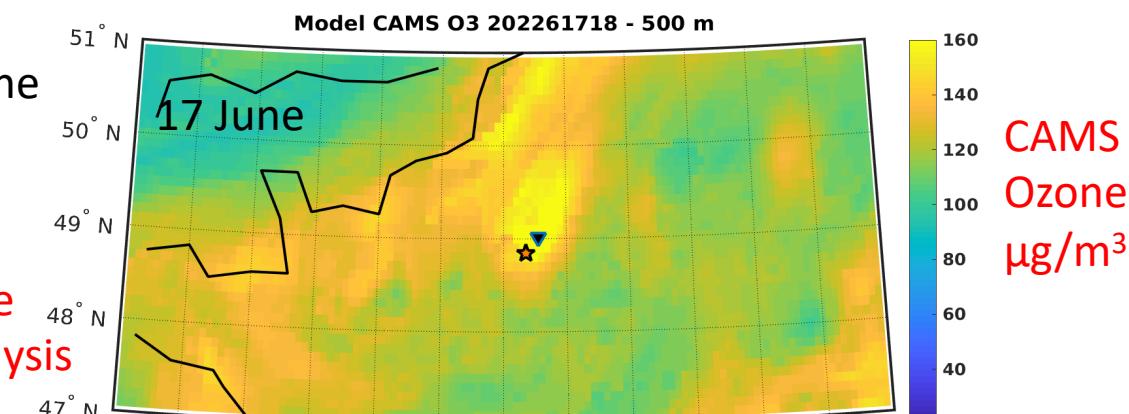
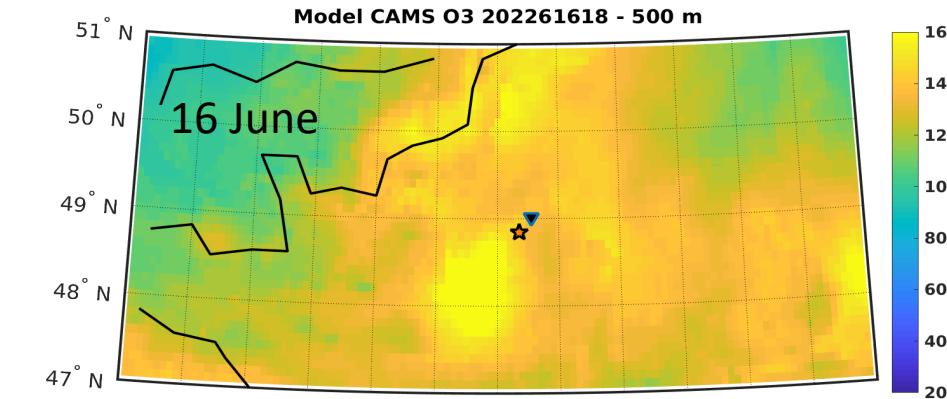
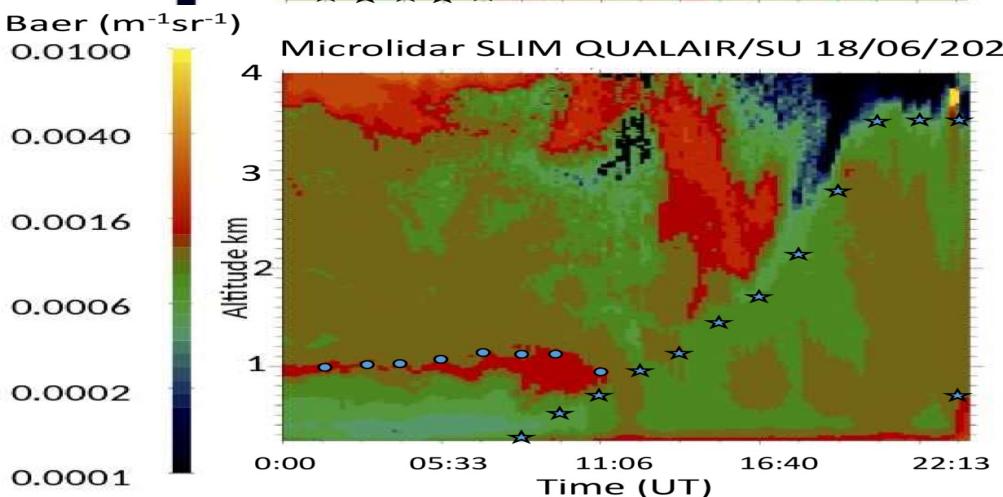
Case # 1 16-18 June: heat wave with long range transport of dust plume

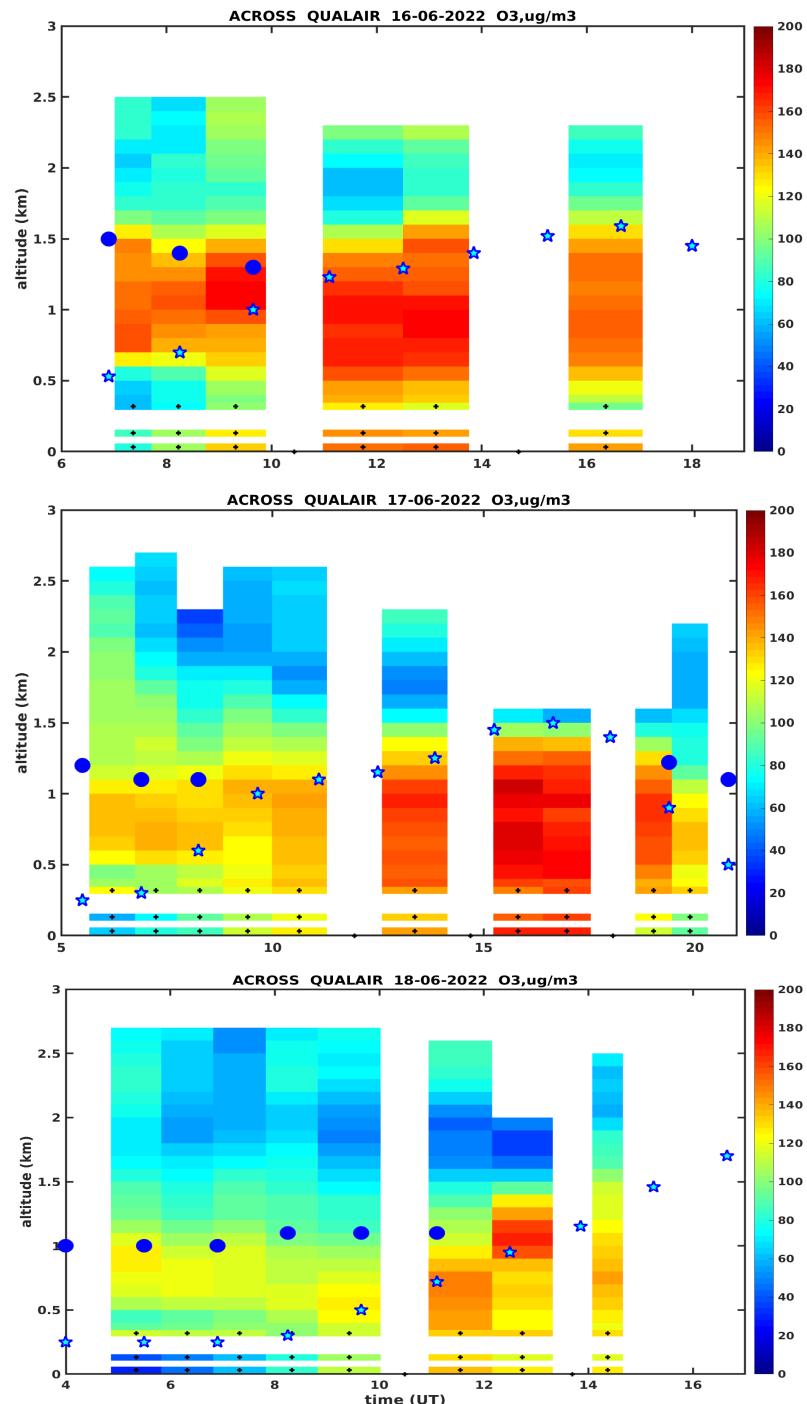


PBL height < 1.5 km



Dust plume 17-18 June
mixing with PBL





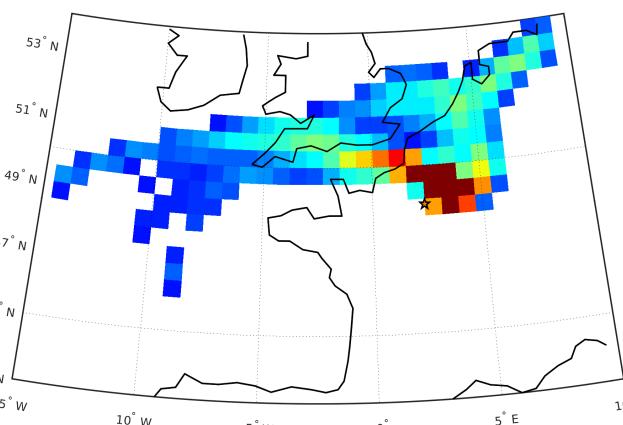
Ozone observations case # 1: 16-18 June

- Mixing of the Residual layer (RL) does not fully explain PBL O₃ increase during the day (> 150 µg/m³)

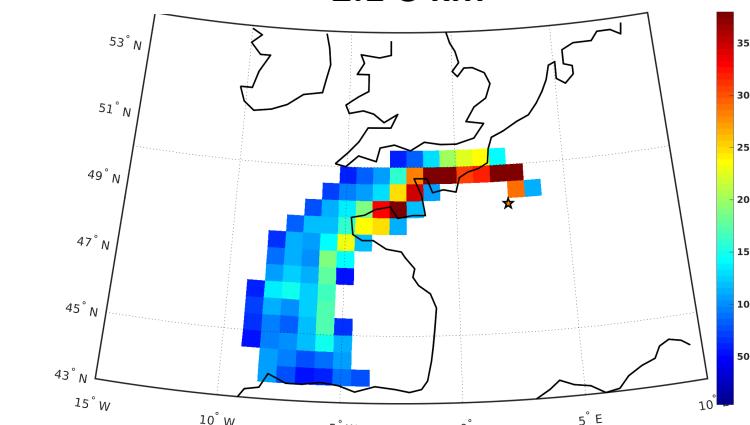
- Aloft advection of the dust plume corresponds to an O₃ decrease above 1.5 km on June 17 and in the PBL on June 18

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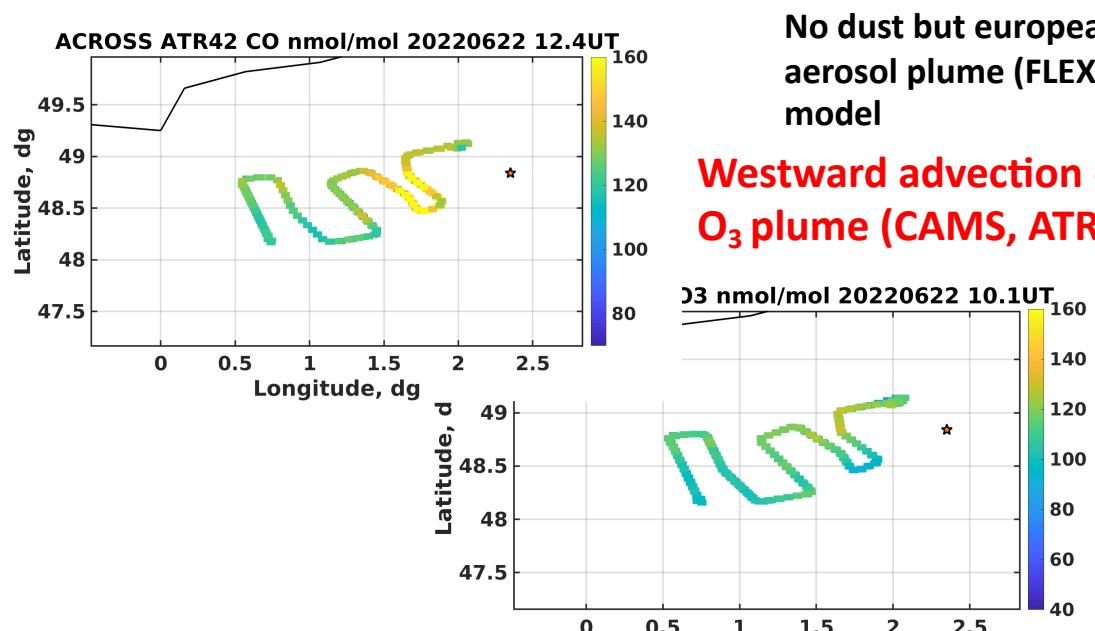
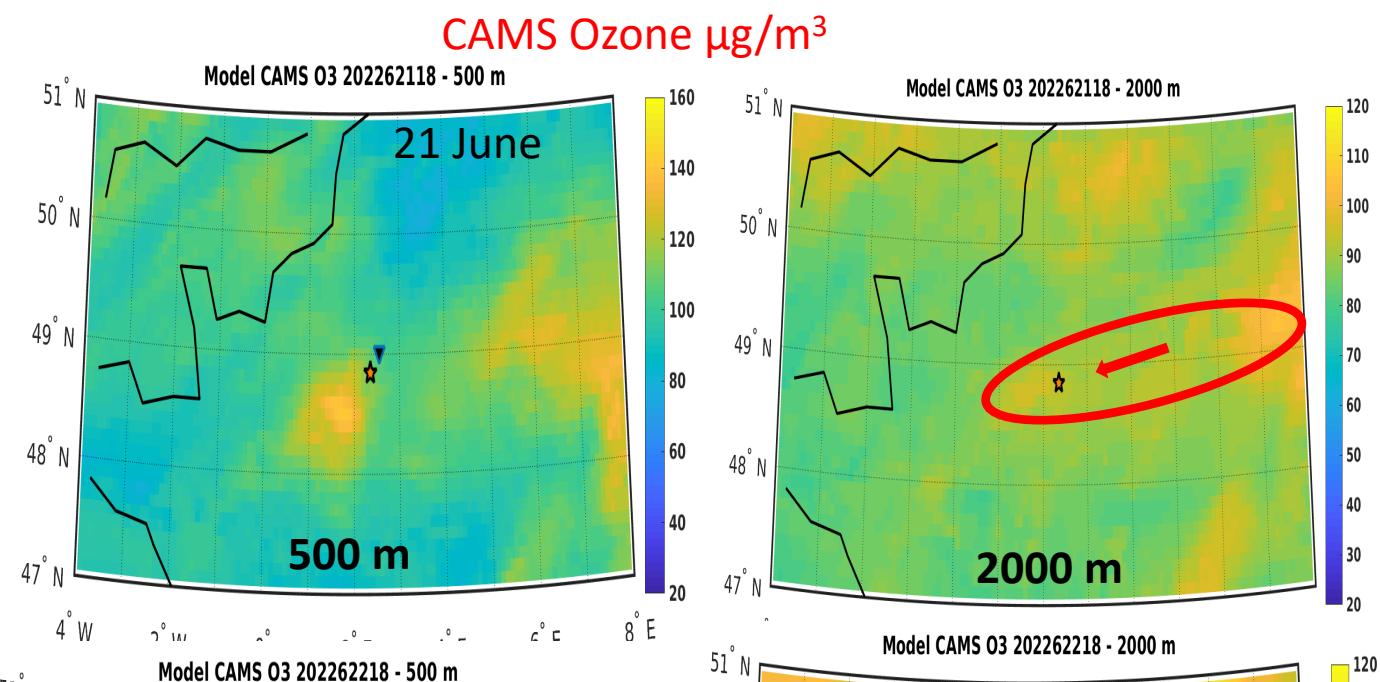
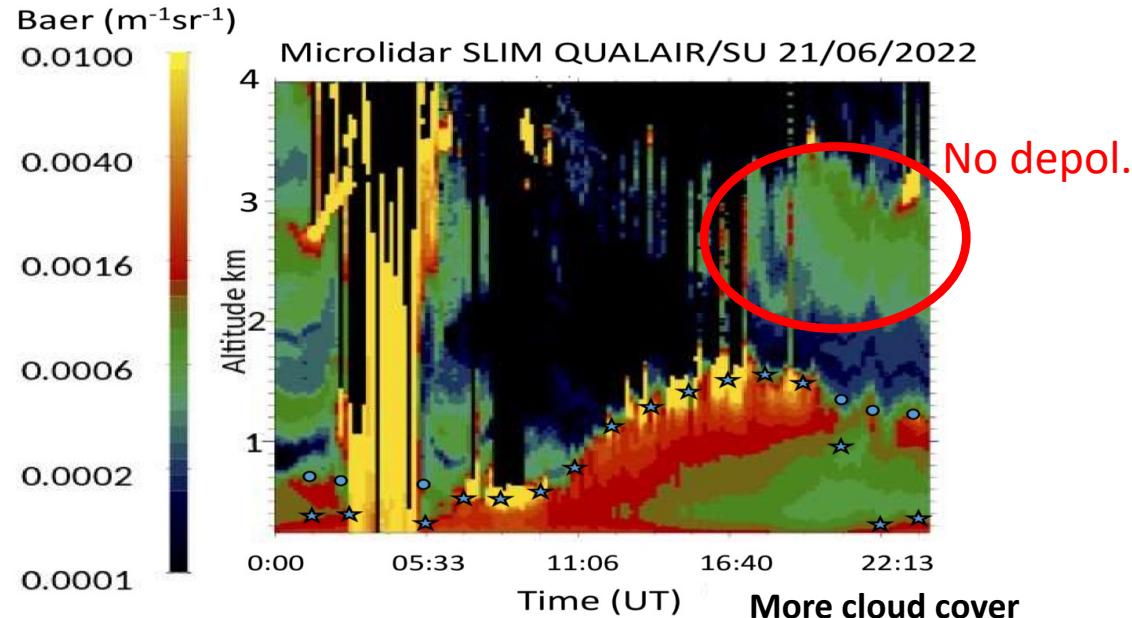
0.5-1.2 km



2.1-3 km

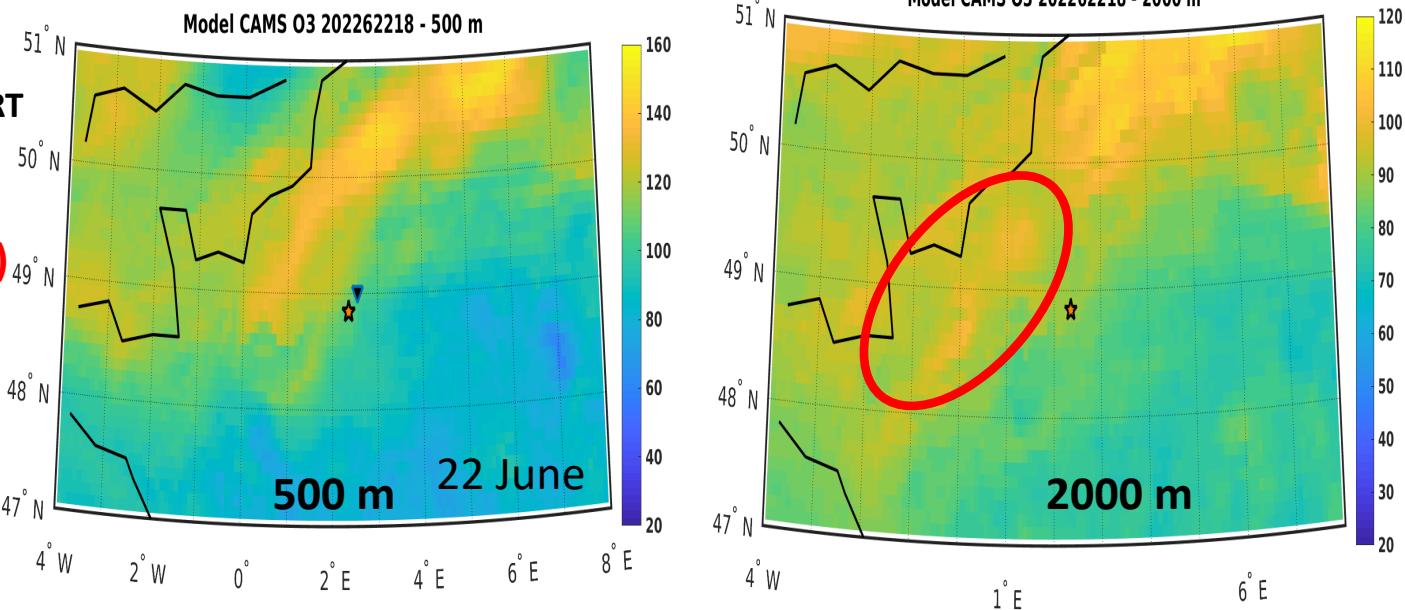


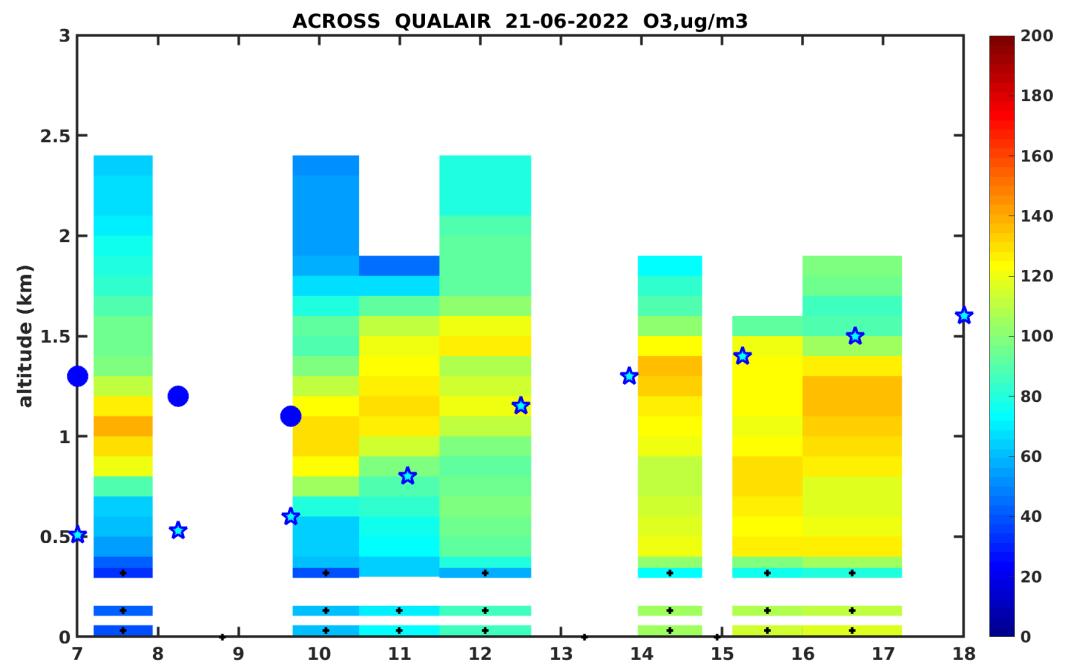
Case # 2 21-22 June: no long range transport but aloft advection of continental aerosol



No dust but european
aerosol plume (FLEXPART
model)

Westward advection of
 O_3 plume (CAMS, ATR42)



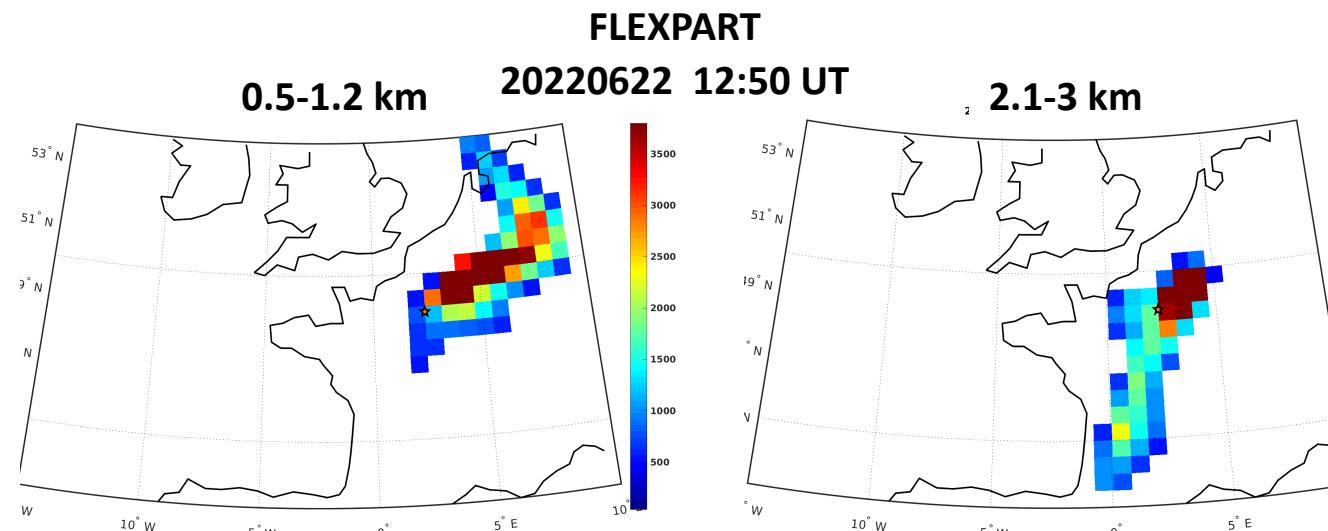
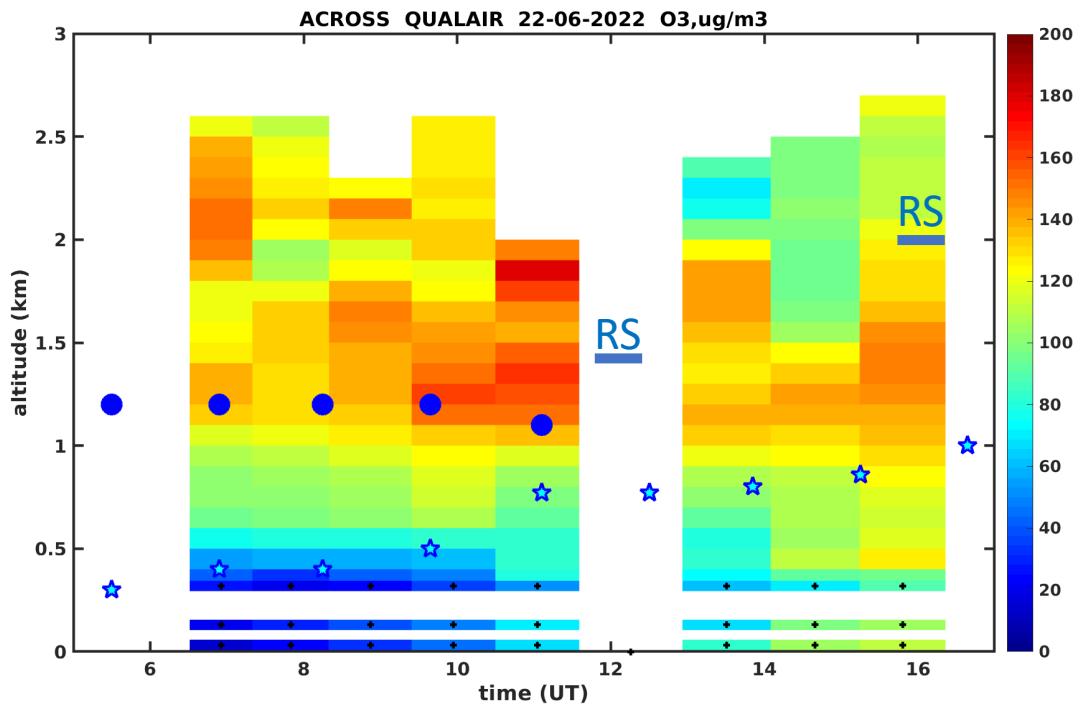


Ozone observations case # 2: 21-22 June 2022

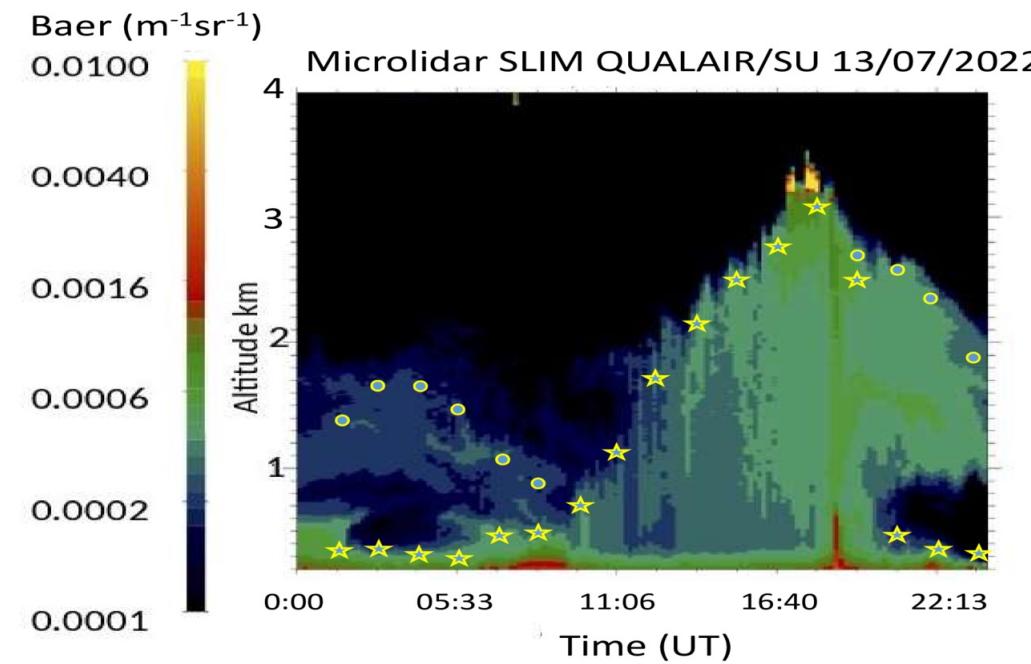
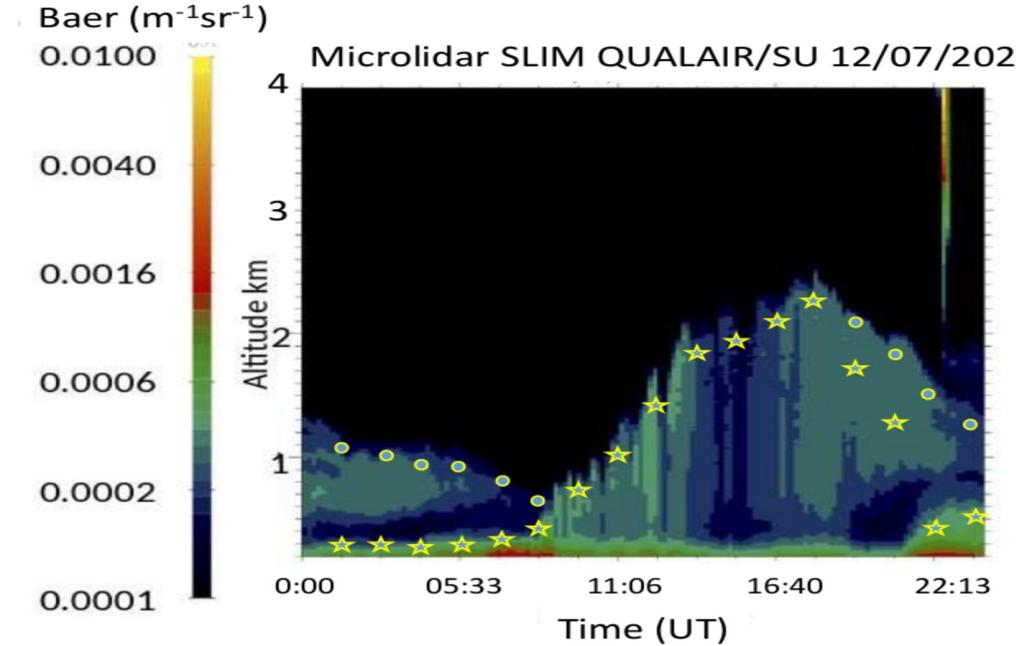
- Cloud cover and lower temperature explain lower PBL ozone increase ($O_3 < 130 \mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$)

- High ozone ($> 140 \mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$) and aerosol plume in the free troposphere on 22 June

- Afternoon O₃ layer depth thicker than lidar PBL height at 16UT on 22 June (Radiosounding temperature inversion $\sim 2 \text{ km}$)

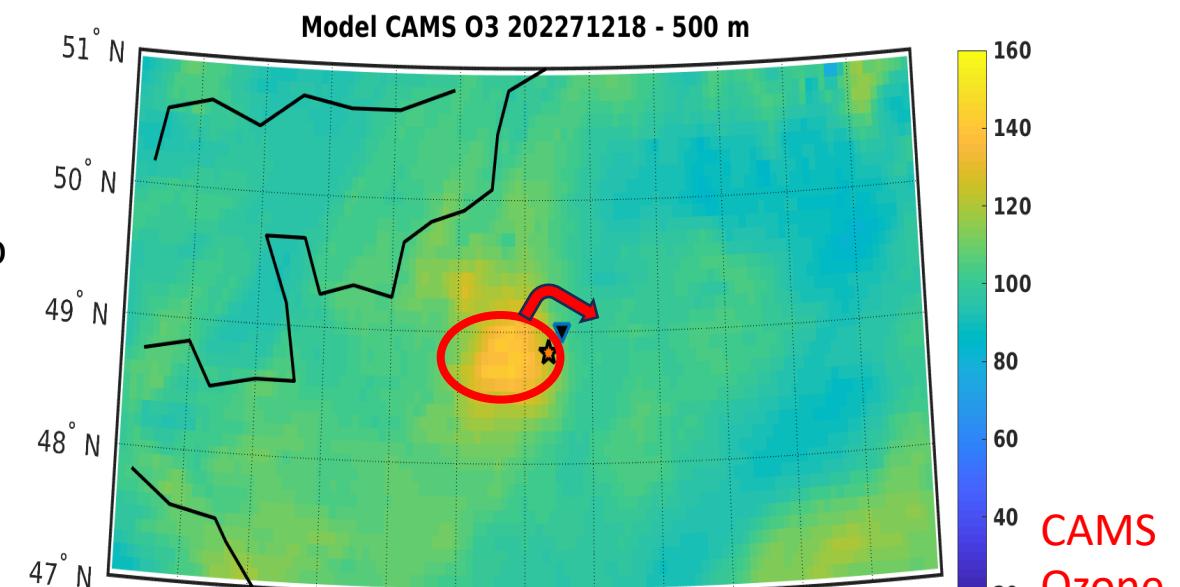


Case # 3 12-13 July: heat wave, no aloft advection of aerosol plumes, thick PBL

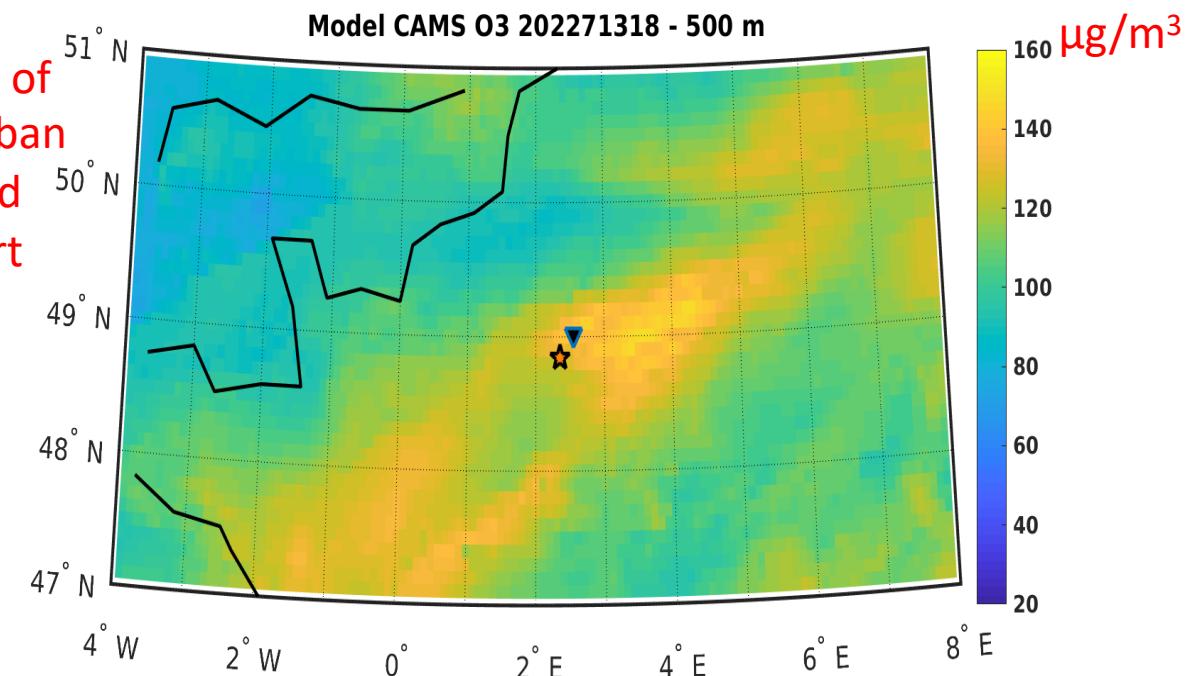


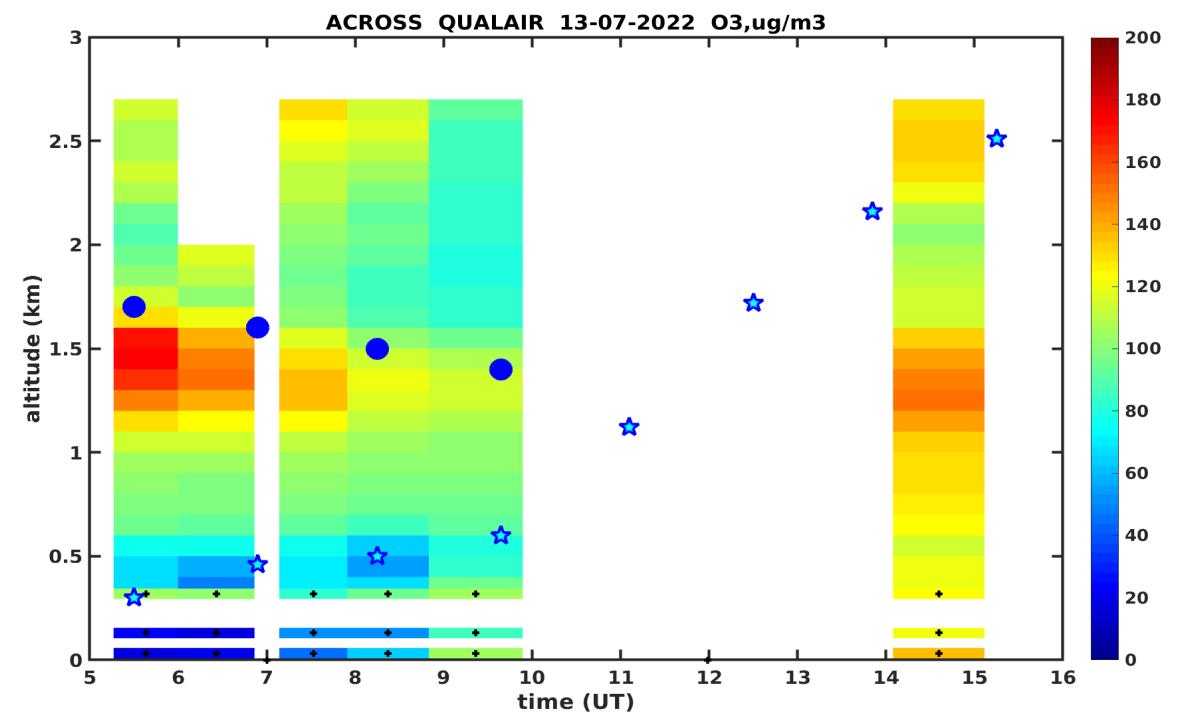
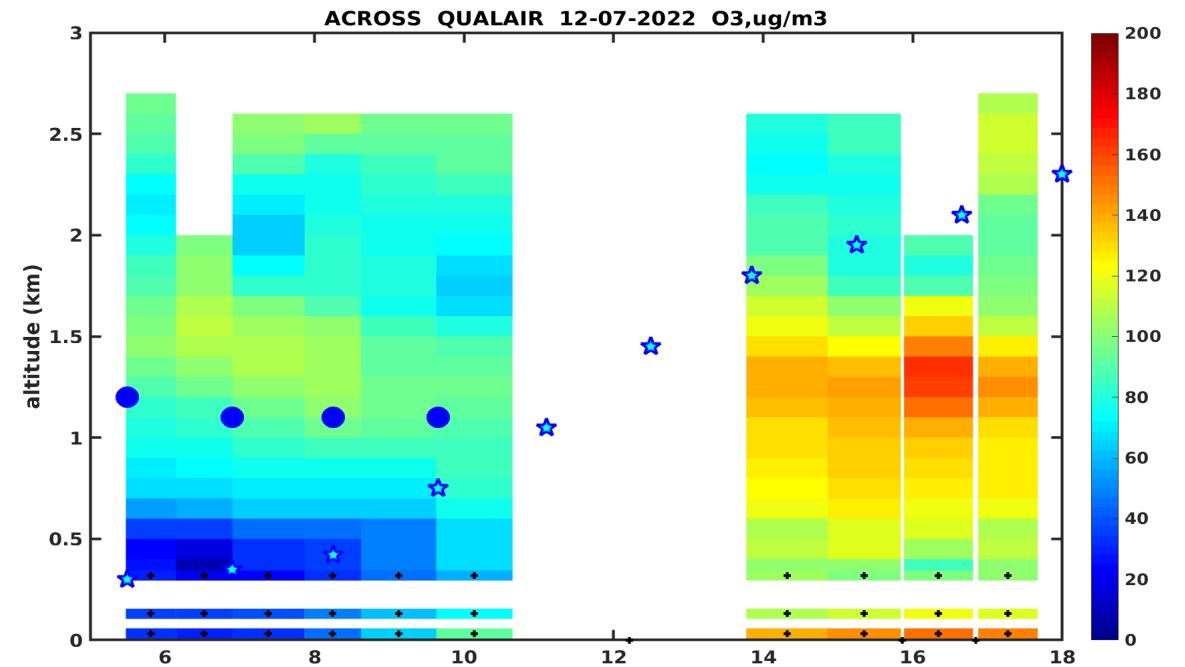
PBL height up to
3km

No aerosol
plume in free
troposphere



Recirculation of
the ozone urban
plume around
Paris (Flexpart
model)

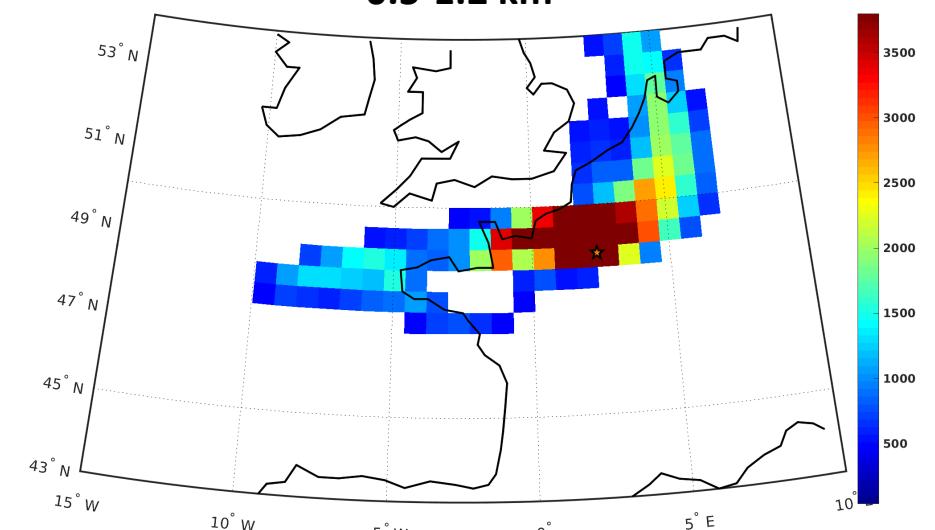




Ozone observations case #3 12-13 July 2022:

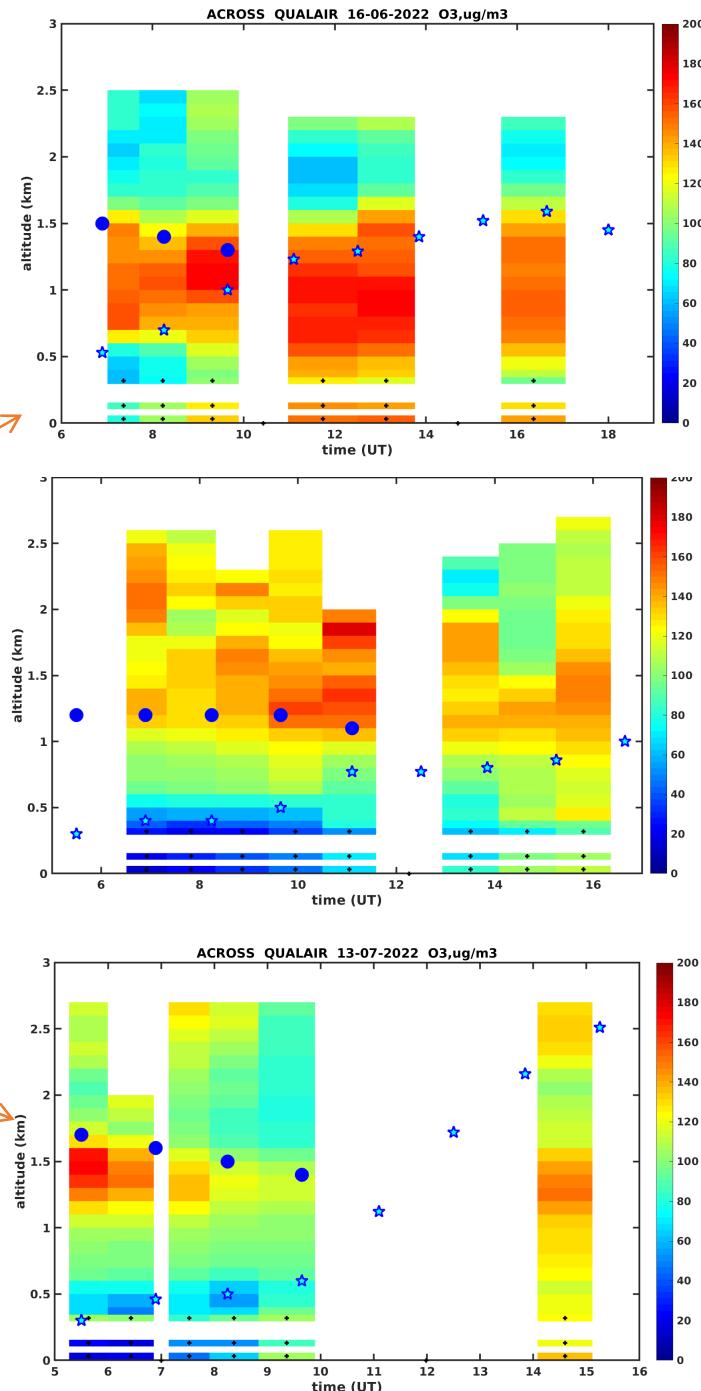
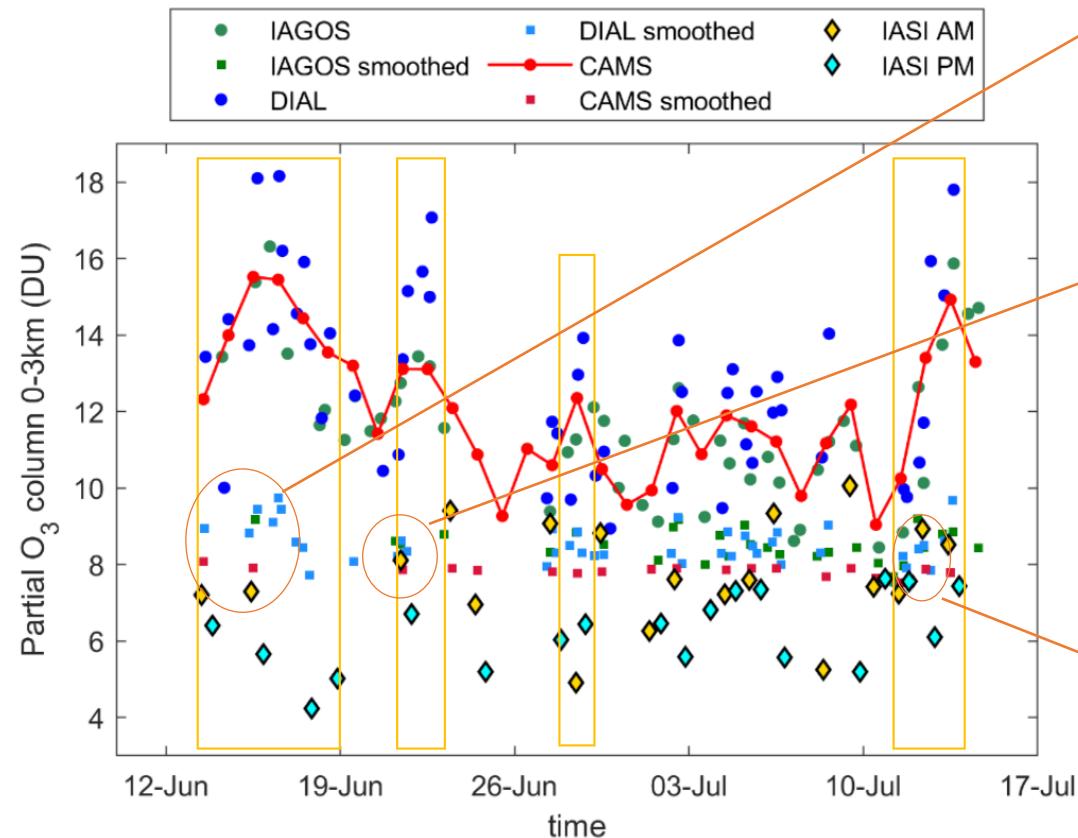
- O₃ daily max < 150 $\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$ but 0-3 km ozone column as high as case # 1
- PBL ozone layer height > 2.5 km and dilution of the ozone concentrations
- main contribution from the Paris plume (low regional ozone plume in CAMS simulation and IASI)

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0.5-1.2 km



Principaux résultats de campagne ACROSS

Validation des observations IASI



Synthèse des principaux résultats de campagne ACROSS

Sensibilité des épisodes de pollution au transport régional et à la structure de la PBL

Characteristics of the Paris ozone episodes in summer 2022.

Date	14-18 June	21-22 June	28 June (or 2 July)	11-13 Jul
O₃ plume altitude, km	<1.5	<2.5	<2.5	<3
O₃ plume maximum, µg.m⁻³	170	150	110	150
O₃ 0-3 km column, DU	14-16	12-13	12	13-15
High temperature, No clouds	Yes	No	No	Yes
PBL height maximum, km	1.5	1.5	2.5	3.0
PBL O₃ and NO₂ regional increase	Yes	Yes	No	13 June on
Regional plume above PBL	Dust plume	European pollution	No	No
Bias IASI vs O₃profiles, DU	-1.5 to -5	0 to -1.5	-2 to -3.5	0 to -2