

## Supplemental Information

### Tropospheric Ozone Precursors: Global and Regional Distributions, Trends, and Variability

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Table S 1: List of ozone sonde stations used in the study.

Station	Country or region	Latitude	Longitude	Source	Link
Alert	Canada	82.50	-62.30	HEGIFTOM	<a href="https://hegiftom.meteo.be/">https://hegiftom.meteo.be/</a>
Eureka	Canada	80.05	-86.42	HEGIFTOM	<a href="https://hegiftom.meteo.be/">https://hegiftom.meteo.be/</a>
Resolute	Canada	74.72	-97.98	HEGIFTOM	<a href="https://hegiftom.meteo.be/">https://hegiftom.meteo.be/</a>
Churchill	Canada	58.74	-94.07	HEGIFTOM	<a href="https://hegiftom.meteo.be/">https://hegiftom.meteo.be/</a>
Edmonton	Canada	53.55	-114.10	HEGIFTOM	<a href="https://hegiftom.meteo.be/">https://hegiftom.meteo.be/</a>
Goose Bay	Canada	53.30	-60.39	HEGIFTOM	<a href="https://hegiftom.meteo.be/">https://hegiftom.meteo.be/</a>
Legionowo	Poland	52.40	20.97	HEGIFTOM	<a href="https://hegiftom.meteo.be/">https://hegiftom.meteo.be/</a>
De Bilt	Netherlands	52.10	5.18	HEGIFTOM	<a href="https://hegiftom.meteo.be/">https://hegiftom.meteo.be/</a>
Uccle	Belgium	50.80	4.36	HEGIFTOM	<a href="https://hegiftom.meteo.be/">https://hegiftom.meteo.be/</a>
Kelowna	Canada	49.93	-119.40	HEGIFTOM	<a href="https://hegiftom.meteo.be/">https://hegiftom.meteo.be/</a>
Payerne	Switzerland	46.81	6.94	HEGIFTOM	<a href="https://hegiftom.meteo.be/">https://hegiftom.meteo.be/</a>
Yarmouth	Canada	43.87	-66.11	HEGIFTOM	<a href="https://hegiftom.meteo.be/">https://hegiftom.meteo.be/</a>
Madrid	Spain	40.45	-3.72	HEGIFTOM	<a href="https://hegiftom.meteo.be/">https://hegiftom.meteo.be/</a>
Izaña	Spain	28.30	-16.48	HEGIFTOM	<a href="https://hegiftom.meteo.be/">https://hegiftom.meteo.be/</a>
Paramaribo	Suriname	5.81	-55.21	HEGIFTOM	<a href="https://hegiftom.meteo.be/">https://hegiftom.meteo.be/</a>
Lauder	New Zealand	-45.04	169.68	HEGIFTOM	<a href="https://hegiftom.meteo.be/">https://hegiftom.meteo.be/</a>
Ny-Ålesund	Norway	78.91	11.88	NDACC	<a href="https://www-air.larc.nasa.gov/missions/ndacc/data.html">https://www-air.larc.nasa.gov/missions/ndacc/data.html</a>
Thule	Greenland	76.53	-68.74	NDACC	<a href="https://www-air.larc.nasa.gov/missions/ndacc/data.html">https://www-air.larc.nasa.gov/missions/ndacc/data.html</a>
Scoresbysund	Greenland	70.48	-21.97	NDACC	<a href="https://www-air.larc.nasa.gov/missions/ndacc/data.html">https://www-air.larc.nasa.gov/missions/ndacc/data.html</a>
Sodankylä	Finland	67.37	26.65	NDACC	<a href="https://www-air.larc.nasa.gov/missions/ndacc/data.html">https://www-air.larc.nasa.gov/missions/ndacc/data.html</a>
Haute Provence	France	43.94	5.71	NDACC	<a href="https://www-air.larc.nasa.gov/missions/ndacc/data.html">https://www-air.larc.nasa.gov/missions/ndacc/data.html</a>
Dumont d'Urville	Antarctica	-66.67	140.00	NDACC	<a href="https://www-air.larc.nasa.gov/missions/ndacc/data.html">https://www-air.larc.nasa.gov/missions/ndacc/data.html</a>
Neumayer	Antarctica	-70.65	-8.25	NDACC	<a href="https://www-air.larc.nasa.gov/missions/ndacc/data.html">https://www-air.larc.nasa.gov/missions/ndacc/data.html</a>
McMurdo	Antarctica	-77.85	166.67	NDACC	<a href="https://www-air.larc.nasa.gov/missions/ndacc/data.html">https://www-air.larc.nasa.gov/missions/ndacc/data.html</a>
Belgrano	Antarctica	-77.87	-34.62	NDACC	<a href="https://www-air.larc.nasa.gov/missions/ndacc/data.html">https://www-air.larc.nasa.gov/missions/ndacc/data.html</a>

Summit	Greenland	72.34	-38.29	NOAA	<a href="ftp://ftp.gml.noaa.gov/data/ozwv/Ozonesonde/">ftp://ftp.gml.noaa.gov/data/ozwv/Ozonesonde/</a>
Trinidad Head	United States	40.80	-124.16	NOAA	<a href="ftp://ftp.gml.noaa.gov/data/ozwv/Ozonesonde/">ftp://ftp.gml.noaa.gov/data/ozwv/Ozonesonde/</a>
Boulder ESRL HQ (CO)	United States	39.99	-105.26	NOAA	<a href="ftp://ftp.gml.noaa.gov/data/ozwv/Ozonesonde/">ftp://ftp.gml.noaa.gov/data/ozwv/Ozonesonde/</a>
Huntsville	United States	34.72	-86.64	NOAA	<a href="ftp://ftp.gml.noaa.gov/data/ozwv/Ozonesonde/">ftp://ftp.gml.noaa.gov/data/ozwv/Ozonesonde/</a>
South Pole	Antarctica	-90.00	-169.00	NOAA	<a href="ftp://ftp.gml.noaa.gov/data/ozwv/Ozonesonde/">ftp://ftp.gml.noaa.gov/data/ozwv/Ozonesonde/</a>
Wallops Island	United States	37.93	-75.47	SHADOZ	<a href="https://tropo.gsfc.nasa.gov/shadoz/Archive.html">https://tropo.gsfc.nasa.gov/shadoz/Archive.html</a>
Hanoi	Vietnam	21.01	105.80	SHADOZ	<a href="https://tropo.gsfc.nasa.gov/shadoz/Archive.html">https://tropo.gsfc.nasa.gov/shadoz/Archive.html</a>
Hilo (HI)	Northeastern Pacific	19.58	-155.07	SHADOZ	<a href="https://tropo.gsfc.nasa.gov/shadoz/Archive.html">https://tropo.gsfc.nasa.gov/shadoz/Archive.html</a>
Costa Rica	Costa Rica	9.94	-84.04	SHADOZ	<a href="https://tropo.gsfc.nasa.gov/shadoz/Archive.html">https://tropo.gsfc.nasa.gov/shadoz/Archive.html</a>
Kuala Lumpur	Malaysia	2.73	101.27	SHADOZ	<a href="https://tropo.gsfc.nasa.gov/shadoz/Archive.html">https://tropo.gsfc.nasa.gov/shadoz/Archive.html</a>
San Cristobal	Galapagos	-0.92	-89.62	SHADOZ	<a href="https://tropo.gsfc.nasa.gov/shadoz/Archive.html">https://tropo.gsfc.nasa.gov/shadoz/Archive.html</a>
Nairobi	Kenya	-1.30	36.75	SHADOZ	<a href="https://tropo.gsfc.nasa.gov/shadoz/Archive.html">https://tropo.gsfc.nasa.gov/shadoz/Archive.html</a>
Natal	Brazil	-6.00	-35.20	SHADOZ	<a href="https://tropo.gsfc.nasa.gov/shadoz/Archive.html">https://tropo.gsfc.nasa.gov/shadoz/Archive.html</a>
Watakosek	Java	-7.50	112.60	SHADOZ	<a href="https://tropo.gsfc.nasa.gov/shadoz/Archive.html">https://tropo.gsfc.nasa.gov/shadoz/Archive.html</a>
Ascension	South Atlantic	-7.58	-14.24	SHADOZ	<a href="https://tropo.gsfc.nasa.gov/shadoz/Archive.html">https://tropo.gsfc.nasa.gov/shadoz/Archive.html</a>
Samoa (Cape Matatula)	Southeastern Pacific	-14.25	-170.56	SHADOZ	<a href="https://tropo.gsfc.nasa.gov/shadoz/Archive.html">https://tropo.gsfc.nasa.gov/shadoz/Archive.html</a>
Fiji	South Pacific	-18.13	178.40	SHADOZ	<a href="https://tropo.gsfc.nasa.gov/shadoz/Archive.html">https://tropo.gsfc.nasa.gov/shadoz/Archive.html</a>
La Réunion	Southwestern Indian Ocean	-21.08	55.38	SHADOZ	<a href="https://tropo.gsfc.nasa.gov/shadoz/Archive.html">https://tropo.gsfc.nasa.gov/shadoz/Archive.html</a>
Irene	South Africa	-25.90	28.22	SHADOZ	<a href="https://tropo.gsfc.nasa.gov/shadoz/Archive.html">https://tropo.gsfc.nasa.gov/shadoz/Archive.html</a>
Idabel	United States	33.90	-94.75	TOPP	<a href="http://www.ruf.rice.edu/%7Eozone/">http://www.ruf.rice.edu/%7Eozone/</a>
Houston	United States	29.72	-95.34	TOPP	<a href="http://www.ruf.rice.edu/%7Eozone/">http://www.ruf.rice.edu/%7Eozone/</a>

Quito	Ecuador	-0.20	-78.44	USFQ	<a href="https://observaciones-ia.usfq.edu.ec/">https://observaciones-ia.usfq.edu.ec/</a>
Lerwick	United Kingdom	60.13	-1.10	WOUDC	<a href="https://woudc.org/data/explore.php?lang=en">https://woudc.org/data/explore.php?lang=en</a>
Lindenberg	Germany	52.21	14.12	WOUDC	<a href="https://woudc.org/data/explore.php?lang=en">https://woudc.org/data/explore.php?lang=en</a>
Valentia	Ireland	51.94	-10.25	WOUDC	<a href="https://woudc.org/data/explore.php?lang=en">https://woudc.org/data/explore.php?lang=en</a>
Prague	Czech Republic	50.01	14.45	WOUDC	<a href="https://woudc.org/data/explore.php?lang=en">https://woudc.org/data/explore.php?lang=en</a>
Hohenpeissenberg	Germany	47.80	11.01	WOUDC	<a href="https://woudc.org/data/explore.php?lang=en">https://woudc.org/data/explore.php?lang=en</a>
Sapporo	Japan	43.06	141.33	WOUDC	<a href="https://woudc.org/data/explore.php?lang=en">https://woudc.org/data/explore.php?lang=en</a>
Tateno (Tsukuba)	Japan	36.10	140.13	WOUDC	<a href="https://woudc.org/data/explore.php?lang=en">https://woudc.org/data/explore.php?lang=en</a>
Naha	Japan	26.20	127.68	WOUDC	<a href="https://woudc.org/data/explore.php?lang=en">https://woudc.org/data/explore.php?lang=en</a>
Hong Kong	China	22.31	114.17	WOUDC	<a href="https://woudc.org/data/explore.php?lang=en">https://woudc.org/data/explore.php?lang=en</a>
Broadmeadows	Australia	-37.69	144.95	WOUDC	<a href="https://woudc.org/data/explore.php?lang=en">https://woudc.org/data/explore.php?lang=en</a>
Macquarie Island	Australia	-54.50	158.94	WOUDC	<a href="https://woudc.org/data/explore.php?lang=en">https://woudc.org/data/explore.php?lang=en</a>
Marambio	Antarctica	-64.24	-56.62	WOUDC	<a href="https://woudc.org/data/explore.php?lang=en">https://woudc.org/data/explore.php?lang=en</a>
Davis	Australia	-68.58	77.97	WOUDC	<a href="https://woudc.org/data/explore.php?lang=en">https://woudc.org/data/explore.php?lang=en</a>
Syowa	Antarctica	-69.00	39.58	WOUDC	<a href="https://woudc.org/data/explore.php?lang=en">https://woudc.org/data/explore.php?lang=en</a>

### CO MOPITT and CAM-chem simulation:

We compare simulations made by the Community Atmosphere Model with chemistry (CAM-chem) of the Community Earth System Model (CESM) version 2.1. The model is run at nominal  $1^\circ \times 1^\circ$ , with comprehensive tropospheric and stratospheric chemistry, and includes nudging to the MERRA-2 reanalysis (Danabasoglu et al., 2020; Emmons et al., 2020). A baseline simulation uses the daily Quick-Fire Emissions Dataset (QFED) and monthly anthropogenic inventory from CAMS-GLOB-ANTv5.1 (Soulié et al., 2023). The anthropogenic CO emissions were replaced by the Community Emissions Data System version 2 or CEDSv2 (McDuffie et al., 2020).

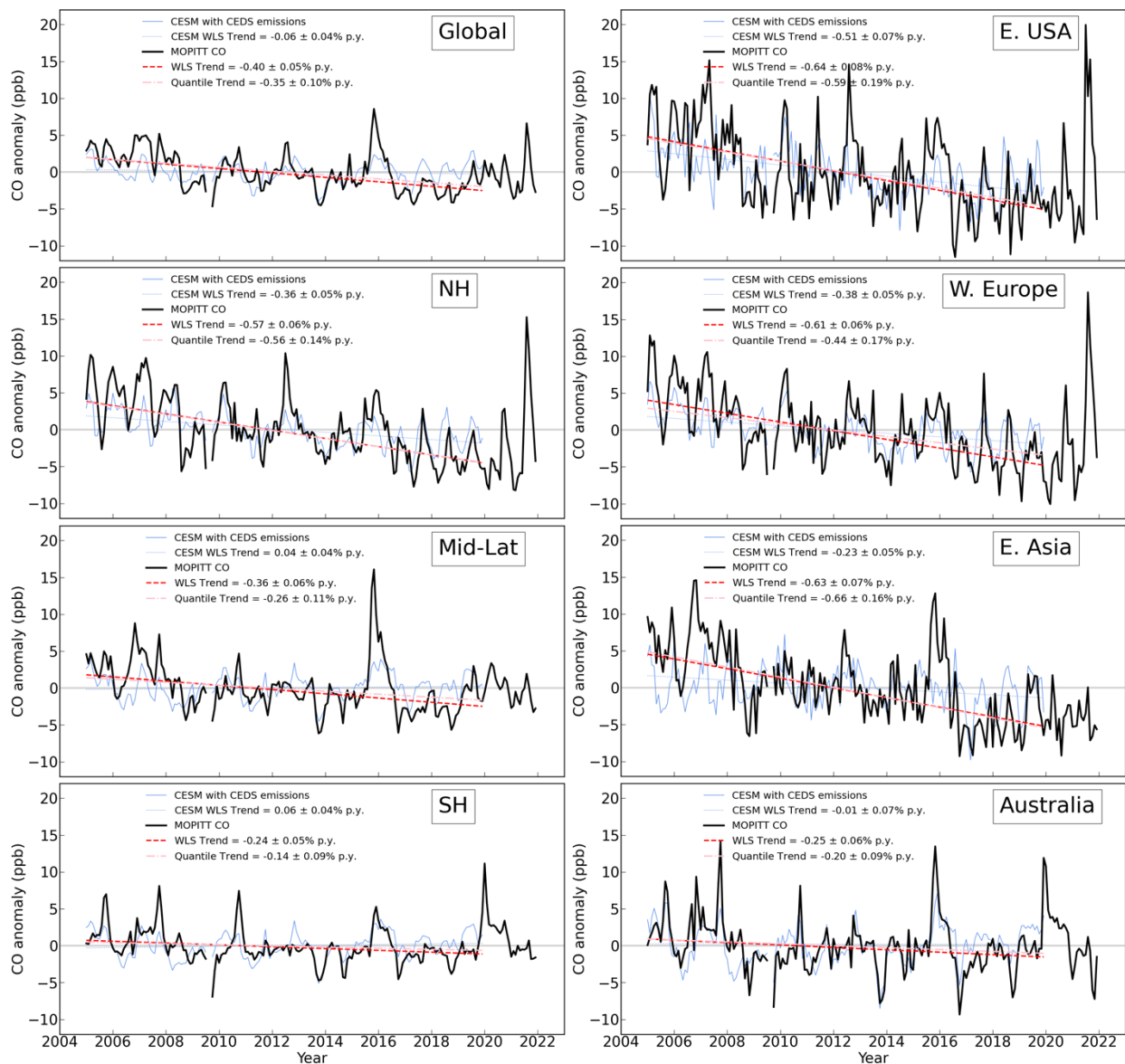


Figure S 1: MOPITT monthly average CO anomalies in column average volume mixing ratio (VMR), 2005-2021 (black). Updated dataset based on Buchholz et al. (2021). Data is Level 3, monthly average daytime observations, using version 9 joint NIR/TIR retrievals. Regions are defined in Figures 10 and 11. Trends are calculated on anomalies 2005-2019. The weighted Least Squares trend (red) is weighted by the monthly regional standard deviation. The quantile regression trend is also shown (pink). The quantile regression trend is also shown (pink). Grey line indicates zero. CESM simulation results are shown as a comparison. Model output was

convolved with the MOPITT averaging kernel prior to calculating regional month average CO anomalies (blue solid line) and WLS trends (blue dotted line).

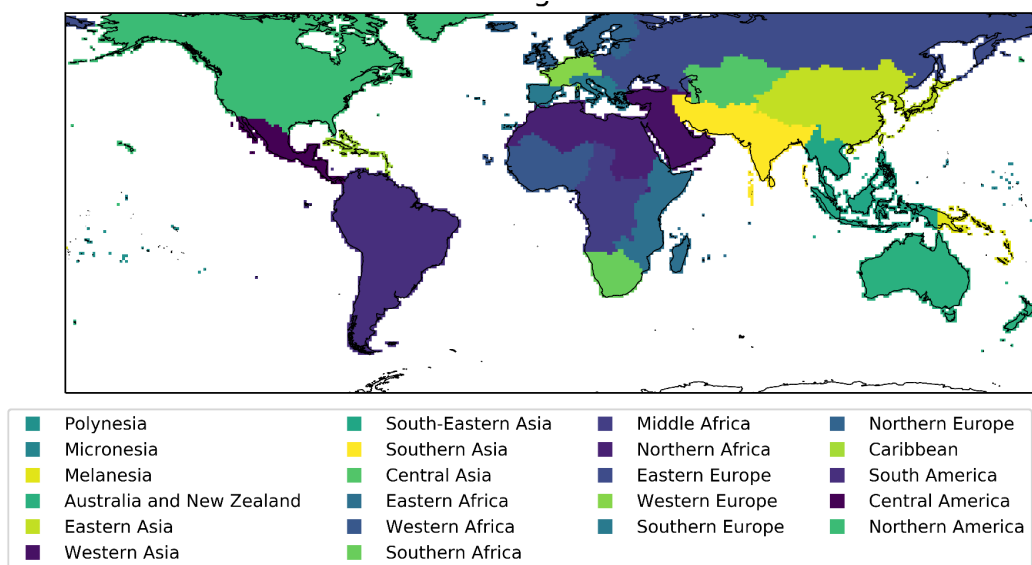


Figure S 2: Map of the regions used for computing the regional OMI QA4ECV TrC-NO<sub>2</sub> and TrC-HCHO trends.



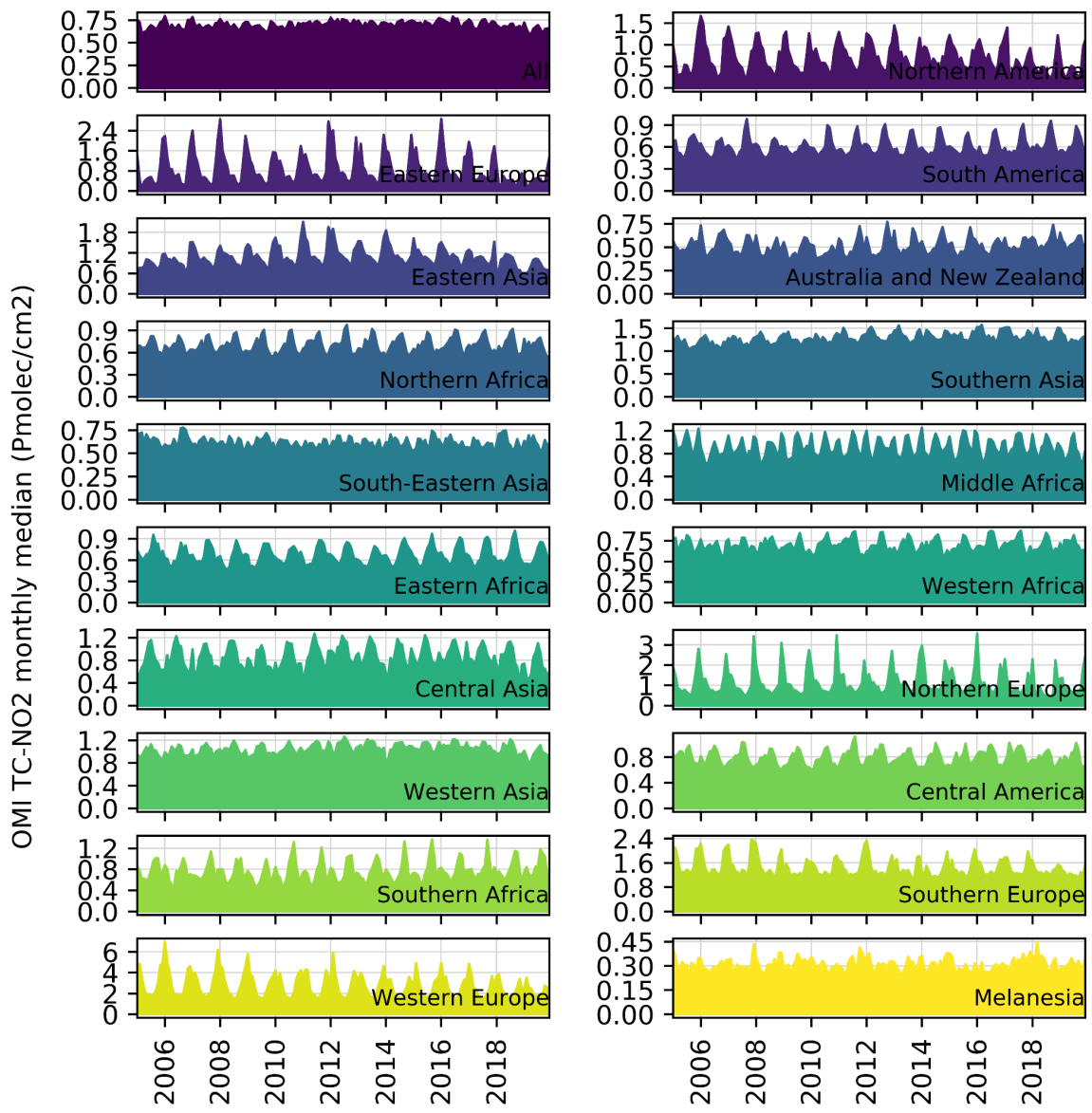


Figure S 3: Monthly regional time series of OMI QA4ECV TrC-NO2.

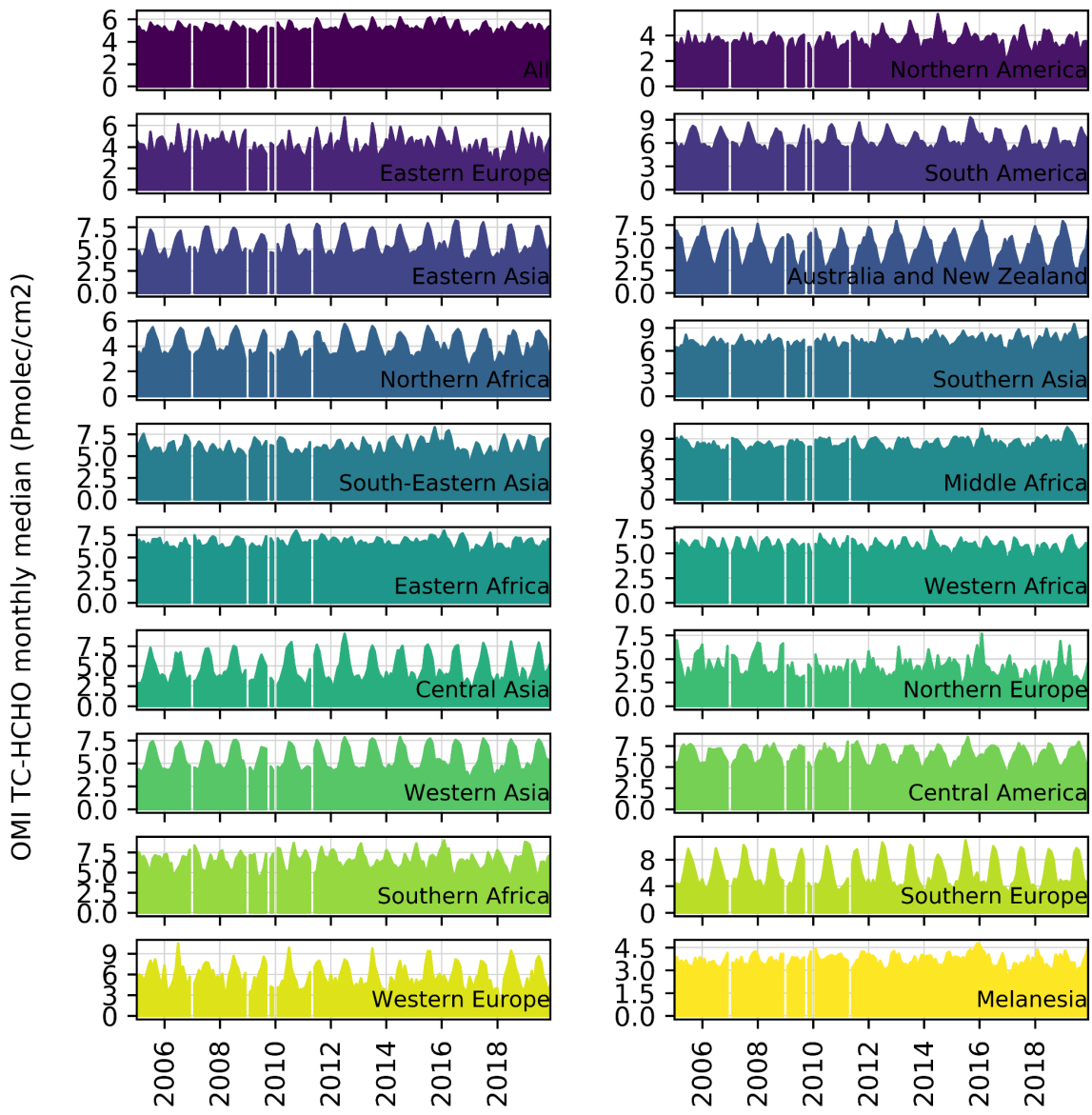


Figure S 4: Monthly regional time series of OMI QA4ECV TrC-HCHO.

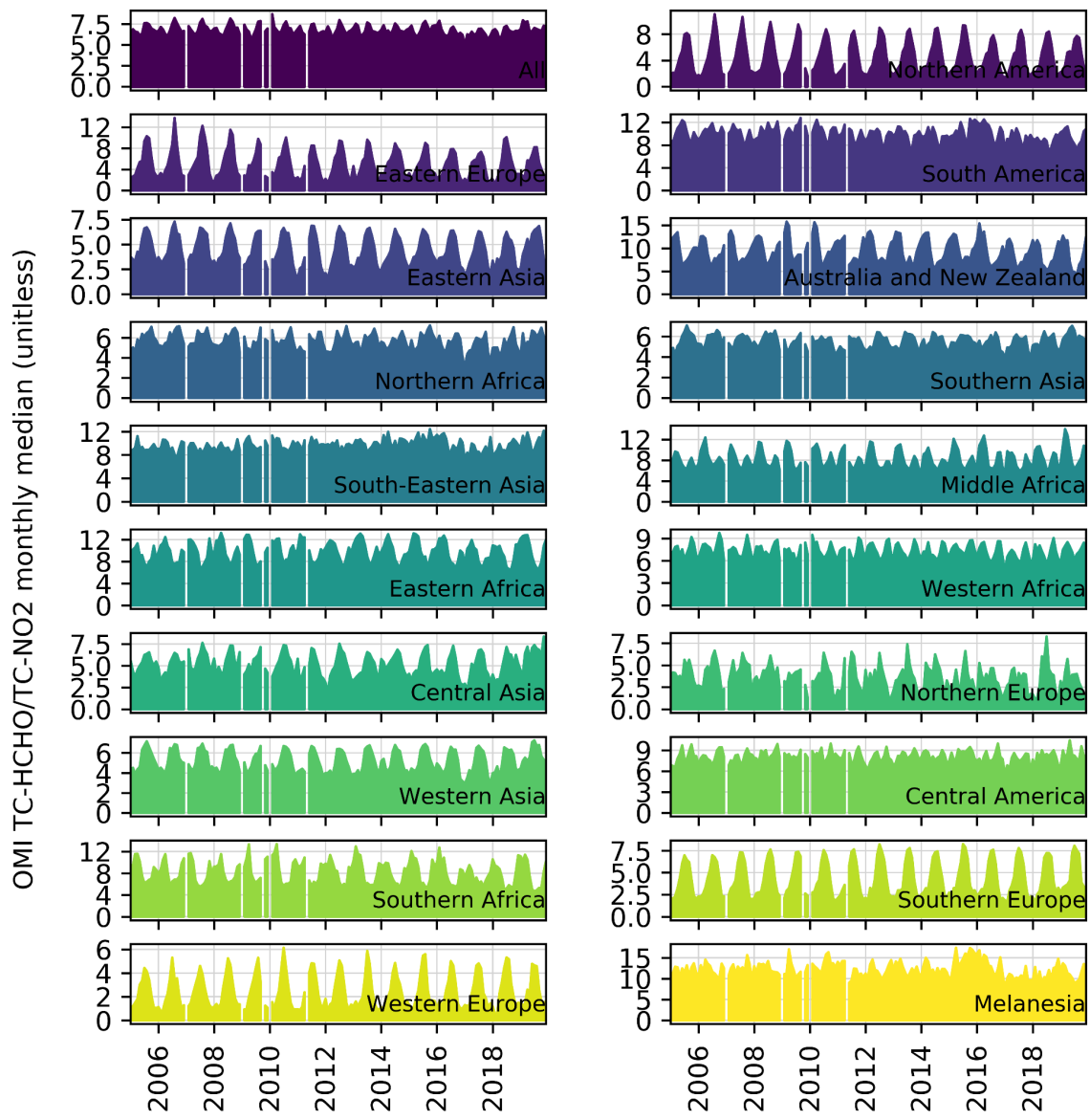


Figure S 5: Monthly regional time series of OMI QA4ECV TrC-HCHO/NO2.