

Supporting Information for

NO₂ concentration differences under clear versus cloudy skies and implications for applications of satellite measurements

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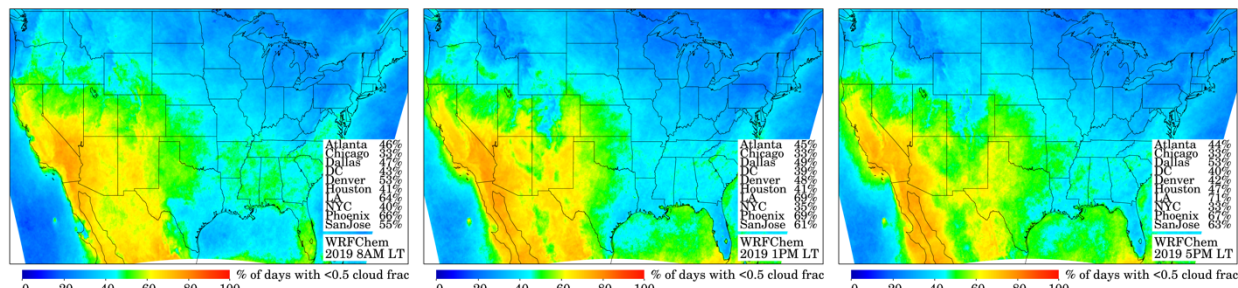
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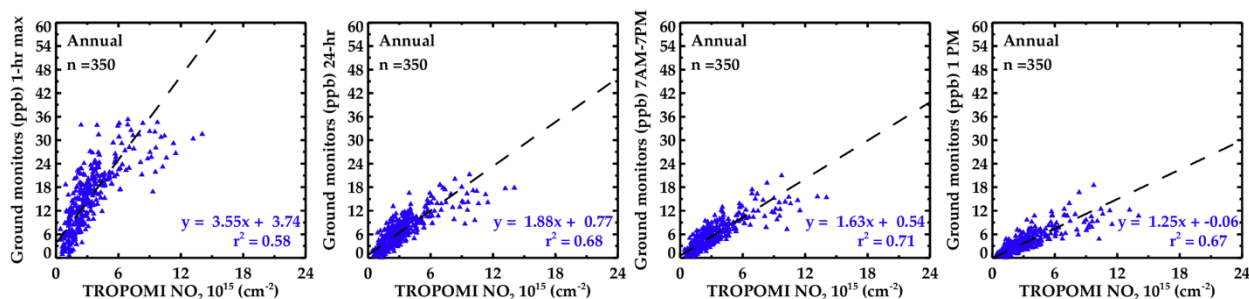
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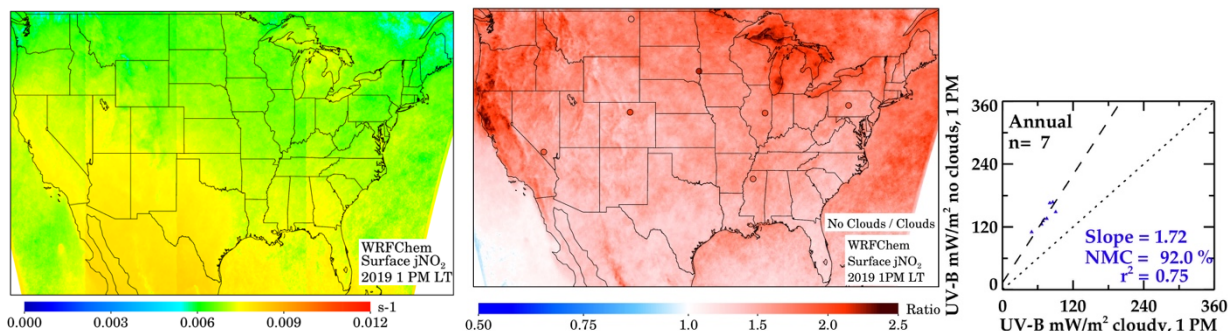
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Table S1. Slope, r^2 , Normalized Mean Change (NMC), and number of sites of the “cloudy vs. all days” bias by further filtering out AQS data using various additional sensitivity analyses.

	Slope	r^2	NMC
Baseline (V2.4)	1.11	0.96	12.9%
V2.3.1	1.08	0.96	11.8%
V2.4 higher cloud filter	1.18	0.92	28.6%
V2.4 all sites	1.03	0.96	11.8%
V2.4 near road	0.95	0.93	6.1%
V2.4 no chemi	1.12	0.95	19.6%
V2.4 Summer	1.09	0.94	10.5%
V2.4 Winter	1.08	0.96	9.6%
V2.4 Spring	1.12	0.98	8.4%
V2.4 Fall	1.04	0.88	12.6%
V2.4 North	1.14	0.98	13.9%
V2.4 South	1.01	0.89	11.6%
V2.4 NorthEast	1.16	0.99	17.5%
V2.4 SouthEast	1.12	0.98	14.6%
V2.4 NorthWest	1.09	0.97	10.5%
V2.4 SouthWest	0.96	0.86	8.9%
V2.4 lowPopDensity	1.18	0.96	11.1%
V2.4 highPopDensity	1.08	0.93	15.5%
V2.4 lowRoadDensity	1.13	0.95	10.9%
V2.4 highRoadDensity	1.09	0.94	15.7%

Table S2. Slope, r^2 , Normalized Mean Change (NMC), and number of sites of the “all days vs. no clouds” bias by further filtering out AQS data using various additional sensitivity analyses.

	Slope	r^2	NMC
Baseline (V2.4)	1.09	0.95	17.2%
V2.3.1	1.10	0.95	21.3%
V2.4 higher cloud filter	1.06	0.97	32.1%
V2.4 all sites	1.02	0.97	15.7%
V2.4 near road	0.93	0.98	8.4%
V2.4 no chemi	1.07	0.95	26.5%
V2.4 Summer	1.07	0.98	23.8%
V2.4 Winter	1.07	0.94	14.7%
V2.4 Spring	1.15	0.96	17.4%
V2.4 Fall	1.03	0.97	13.7%
V2.4 North	1.15	0.95	22.3%
V2.4 South	0.97	0.98	10.1%
V2.4 NorthEast	1.18	0.97	36.2%
V2.4 SouthEast	1.13	0.98	16.1%
V2.4 NorthWest	1.03	0.96	9.1%
V2.4 SouthWest	0.95	0.99	4.8%
V2.4 lowPopDensity	1.15	0.94	17.9%
V2.4 highPopDensity	1.05	0.92	17.3%
V2.4 lowRoadDensity	1.04	0.93	16.0%
V2.4 highRoadDensity	1.08	0.94	19.8%