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# Scheepvaart

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# Luchtvervuiling door zeeschepen vanuit de ruimte gezien

Wat is er te detecteren?

Waar is het meetbaar?

Wat is de relatie met emissies?

Hoe verandert uitstoot in de tijd?

Inverteren van emissies uit satelliet data

# Scheepvaart uitstoot = groot probleem

**“Scheepvaart is de meest ontransparante industrie”**

## Efficiëntere milieucontrole van zeeschepen: de trage weg naar schone scheepvaart

De FOD Mobiliteit kan sinds kort schepen efficiënter controleren op hun zwavelgehalte. Maritieme inspecteurs kunnen nu binnen de minuut zien hoeveel zwavel de scheepsbrandstof bevat. Een hele vooruitgang voor een sector die nog een weg heeft af te leggen.

Ende scheepvaart

**'In de autowereld is de transitie ingezet, nu moet ook de scheepvaart volgen'**

Bruno Mostrey van de denktank Oikos roept op om na de automotoren, ook de vervuiling door scheepsmotoren aan te pakken.

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# Waarom?

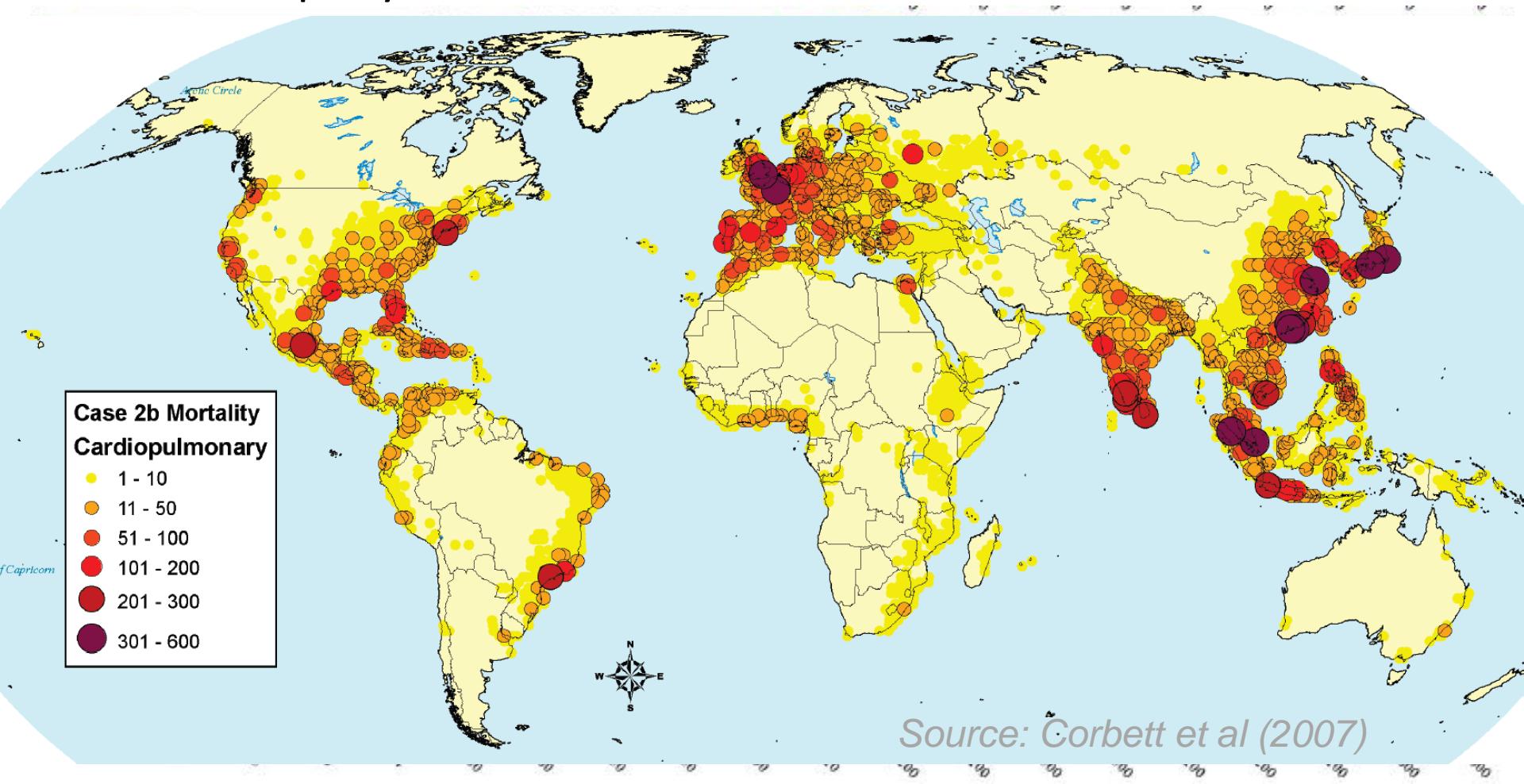
Ships are strong sources of greenhouse gases and air pollutants:

- 3% of global CO<sub>2</sub> emissions
- ±13% of global NO<sub>x</sub> emissions (5-20%)
- ±12% of global SO<sub>2</sub> emissions



# Waarom?

- 70% of ship emissions occur within 400 km to shores
- Pollution from the world's 90,000 cargo ships leads to 60,000 deaths per year

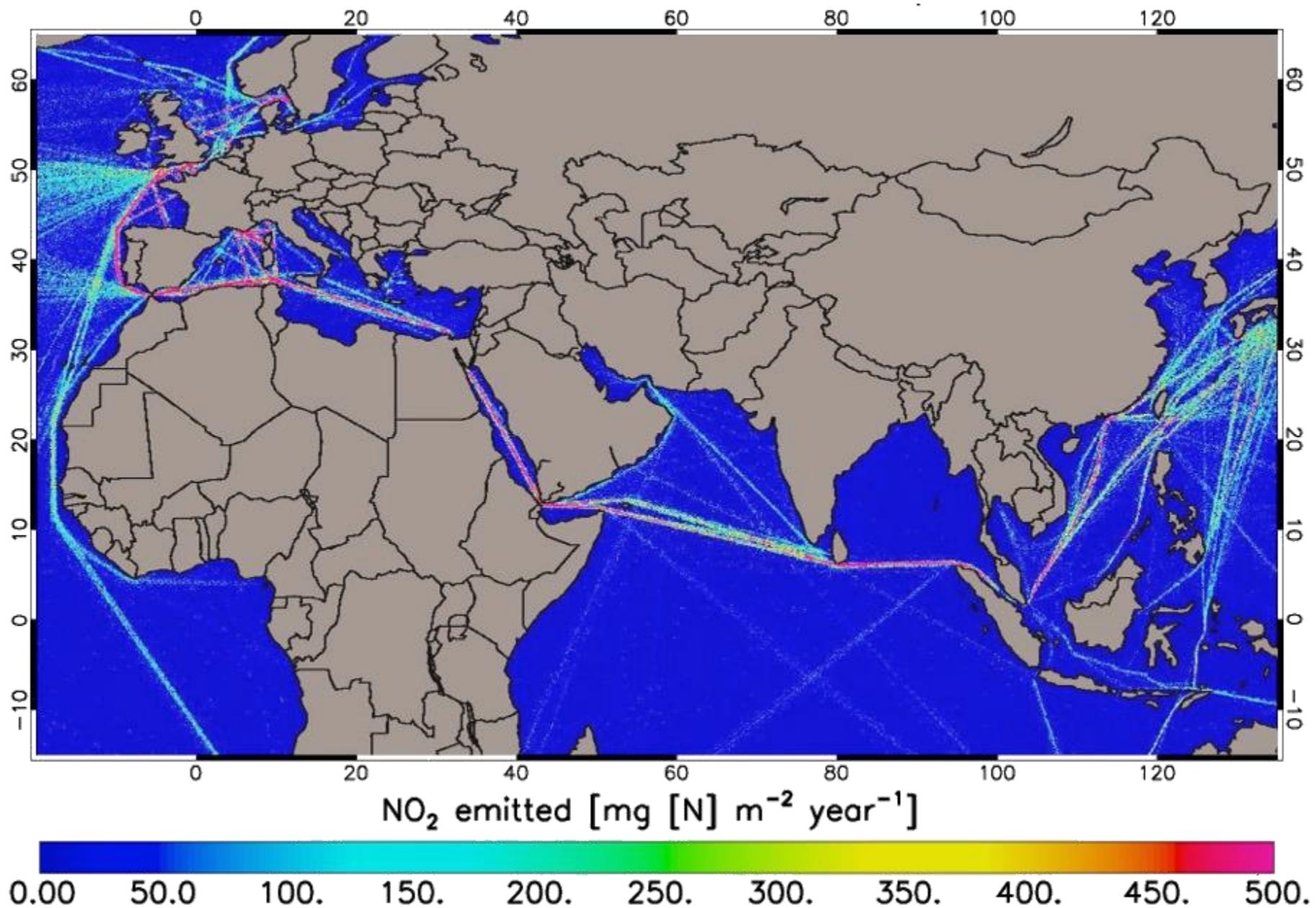


Source: Corbett et al (2007)

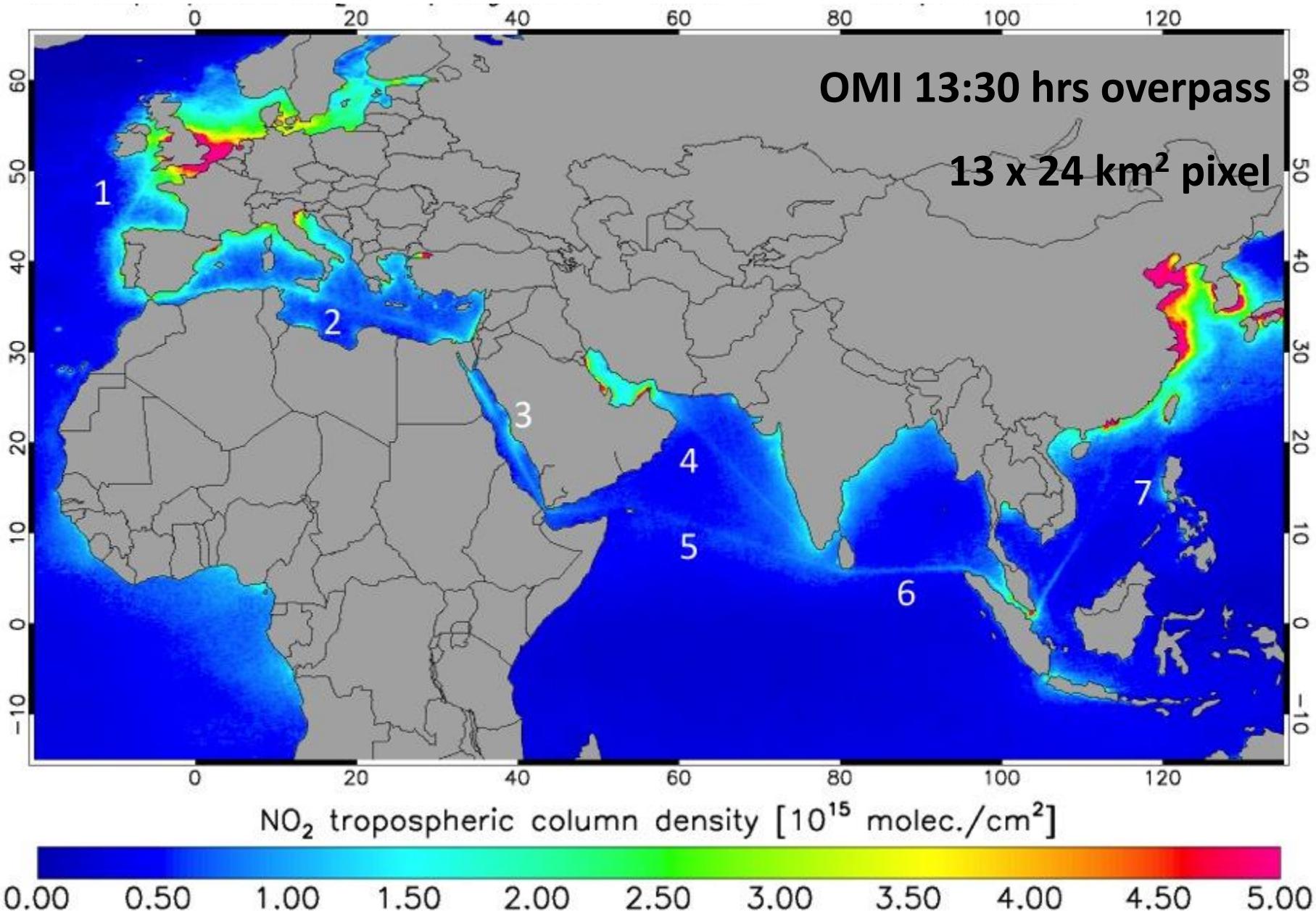
# 1. Wat valt er te detecteren vanuit de ruimte?

- $\text{NO}_2$  als er geen wolken zijn
- $\text{SO}_2$  tot nog toe zeer moeilijk
- $\text{CO}_2$  alleen indirect
- Fijnstof – vooral via ‘ship tracks’

## Emissions of NO<sub>x</sub> (AMVER-ICOADS database)



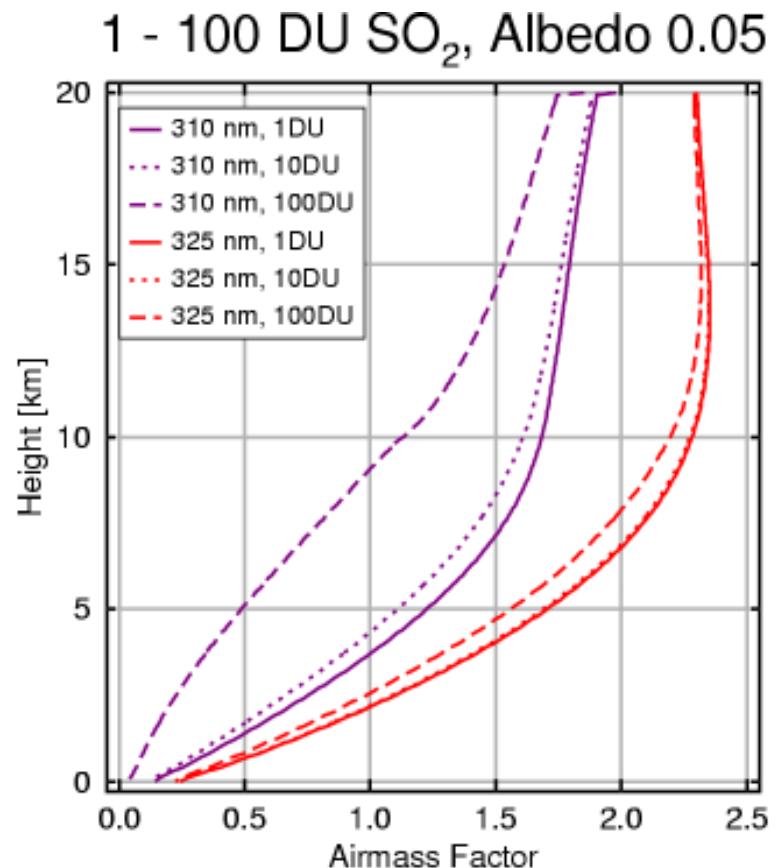
## Observations of NO<sub>2</sub> (from OMI)



## Gap analysis: SO<sub>2</sub>

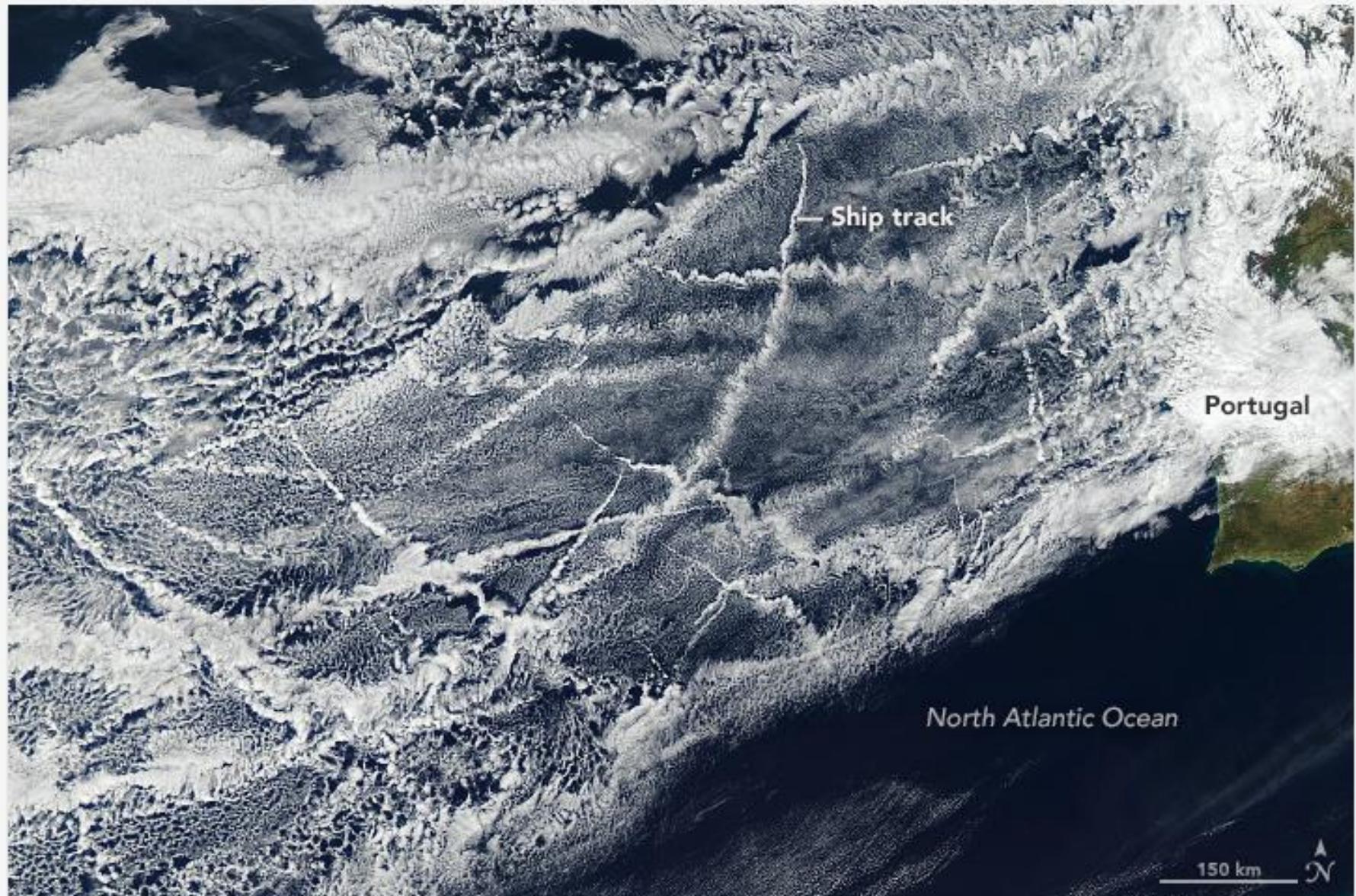
*For which pollutants and sectors can techniques such as inverse modelling be applied for an independent check of reported national emission inventory data and at what scale?*

- Possible for NOx pollution from the international shipping sector.
- More difficult for SO<sub>2</sub>, that cannot be retrieved down to the marine boundary layer.
- Perhaps that future instruments can be of help there (TROPOMI, geostationary instruments).



Richter et al., ESA, 2006

# Fijnstof – vooral via ‘ship tracks’

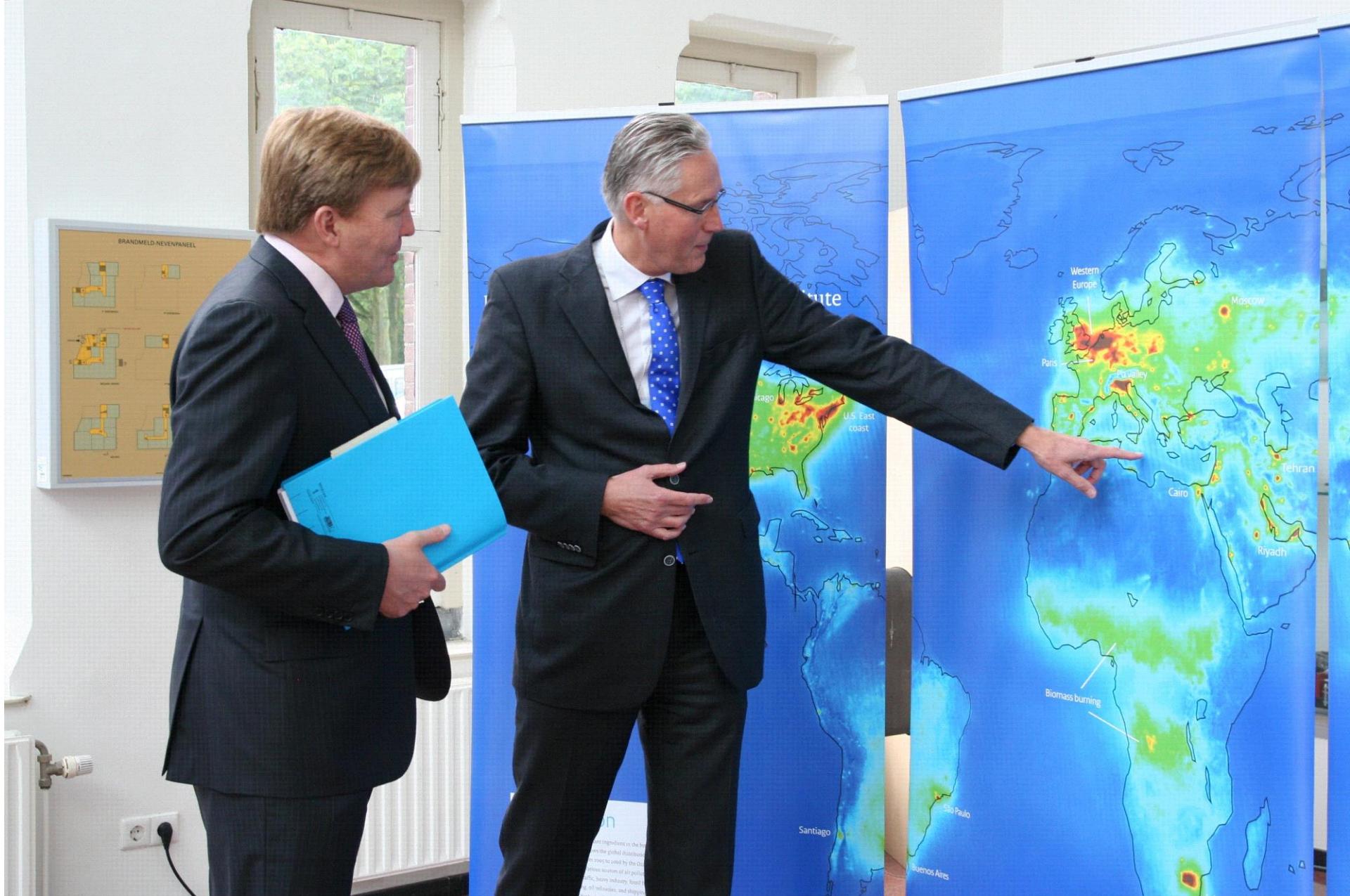


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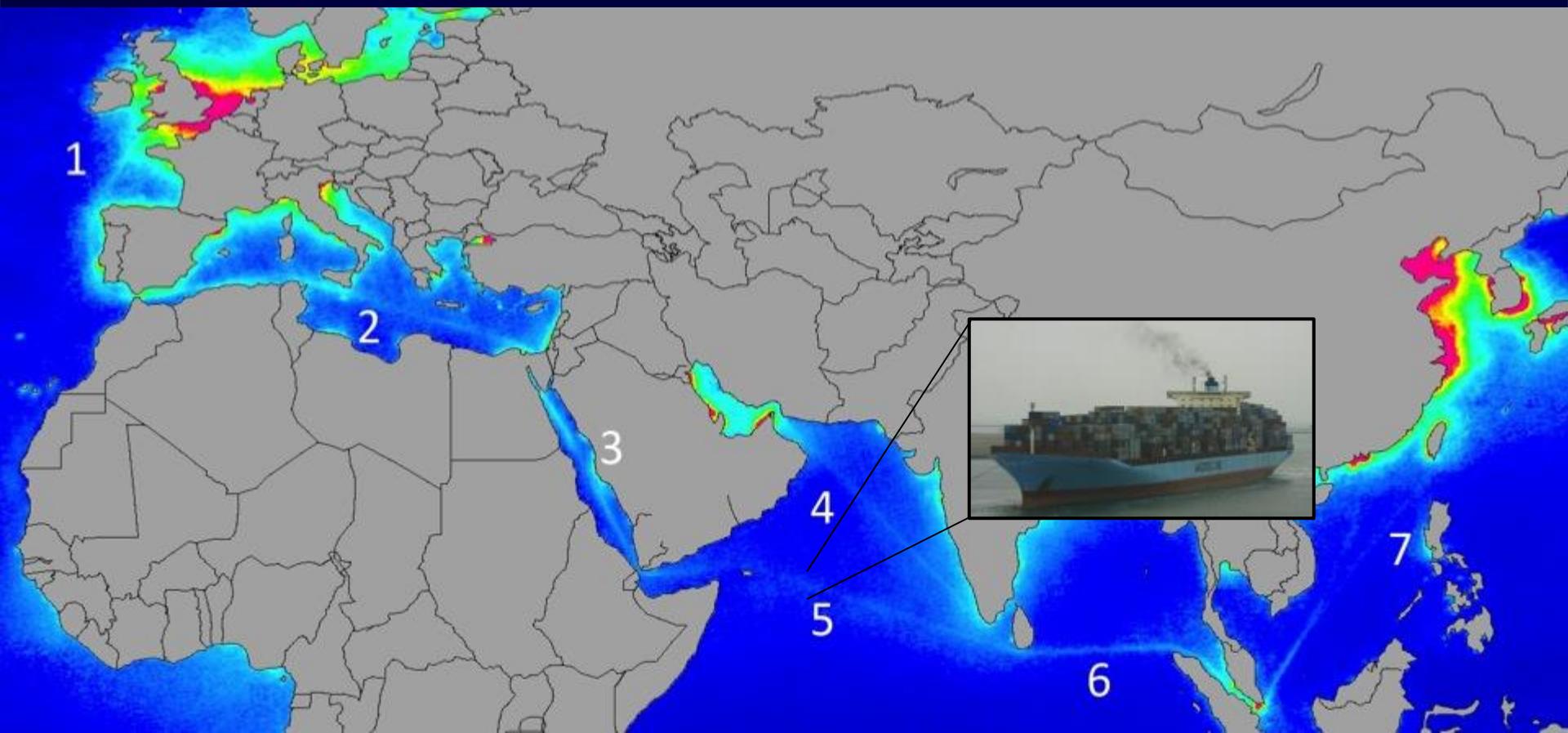
## 2. Waar is het direct meetbaar?

- Wereldwijd met satellieten
- Emissies moeten substantieel zijn
- Onbewolkt, weinig wind



25 September 2012

# Previously in OMI multi-year averages



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# Nu in 1 dag

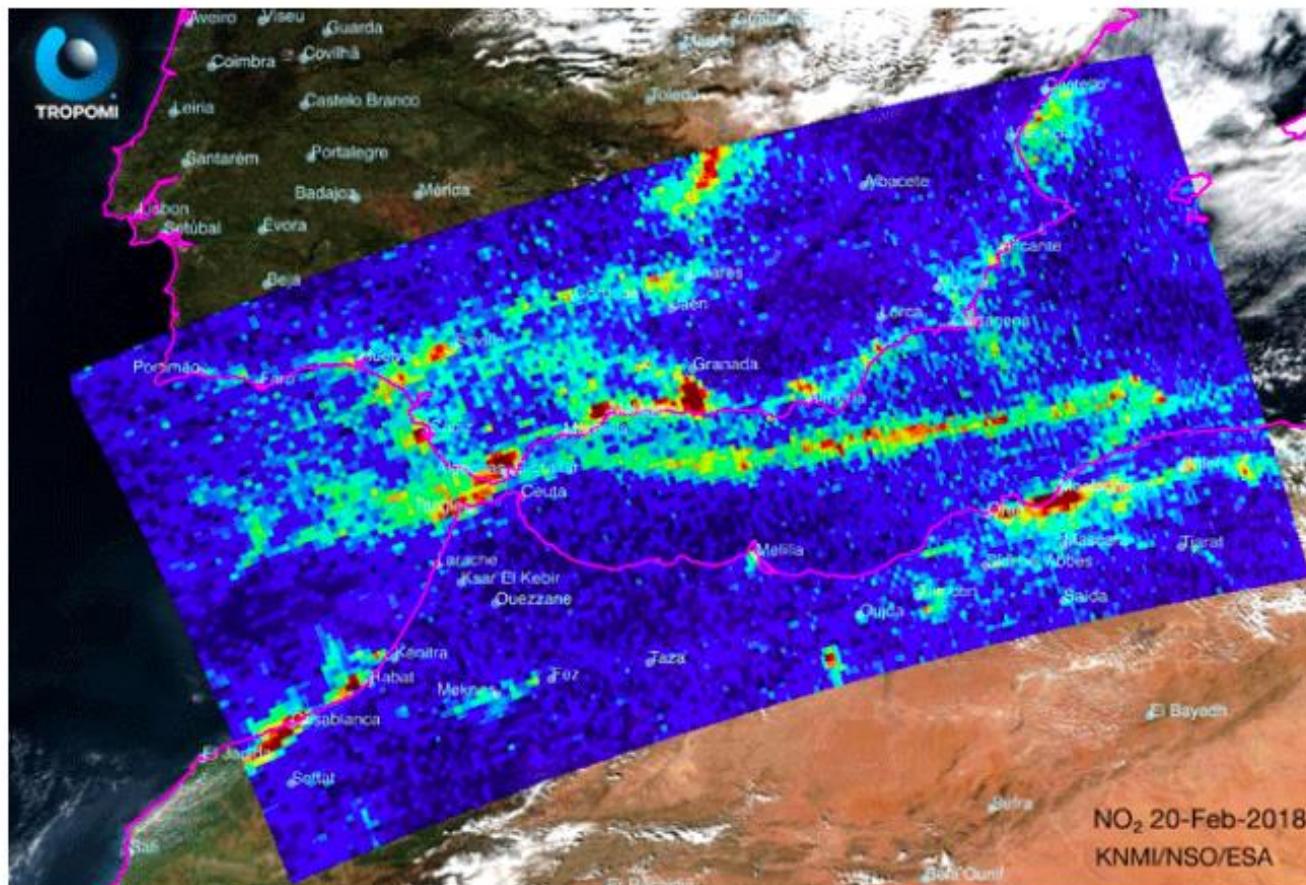
## TROPOMI

## NO<sub>2</sub> data

# Sentinel tracks ships' dirty emissions from orbit

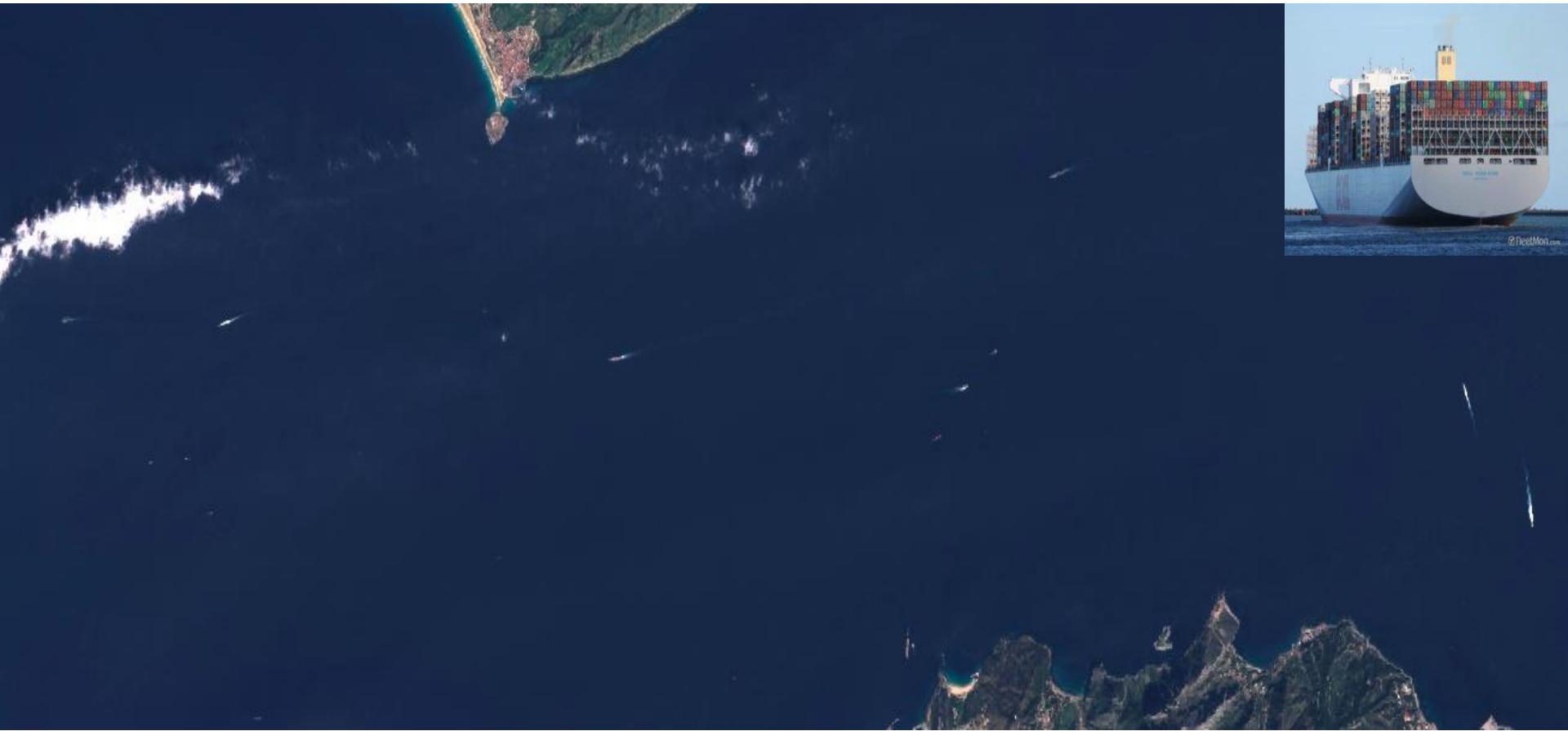
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BBC Science Correspondent

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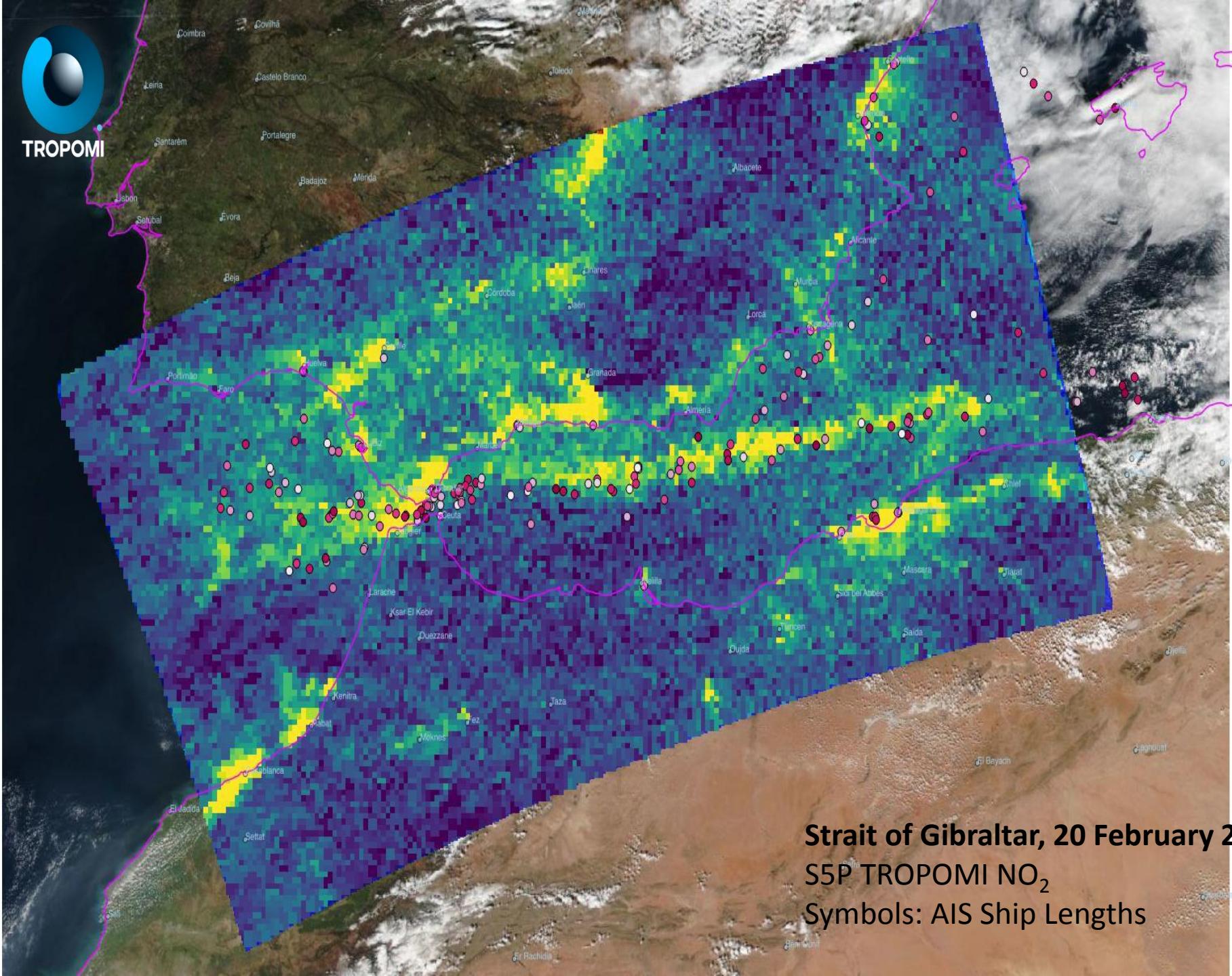


Shipping lane: The Tropomi instrument detects a suite of gases including nitrogen dioxide

# Scheepvaart routes

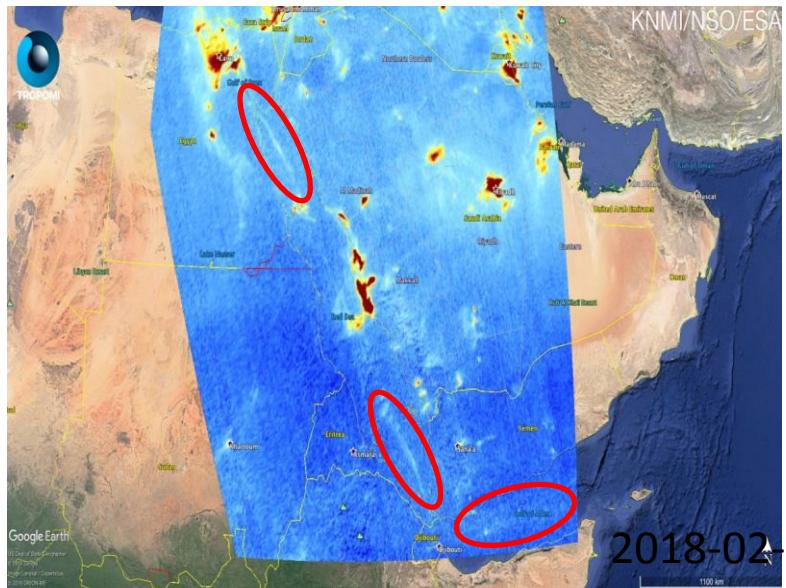
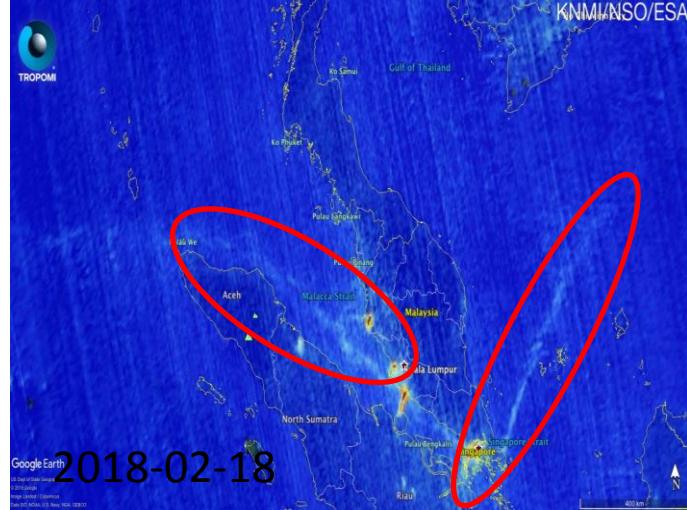
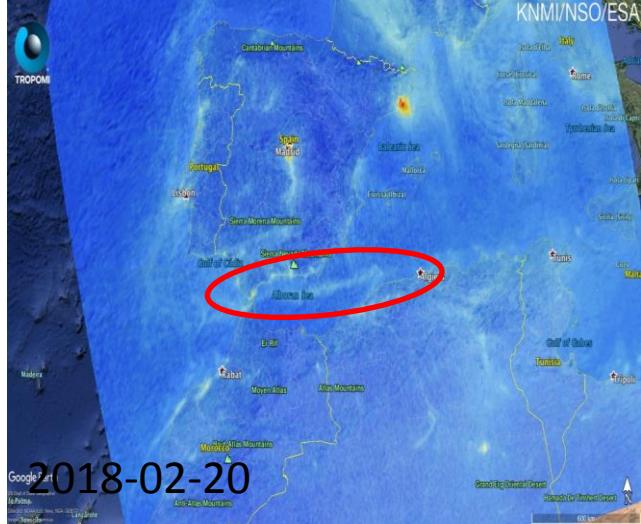


Sentinel 2, Street of Gibraltar, 22 February 2018



**Strait of Gibraltar, 20 February 2022**  
**S5P TROPOMI NO<sub>2</sub>**  
**Symbols: AIS Ship Lengths**

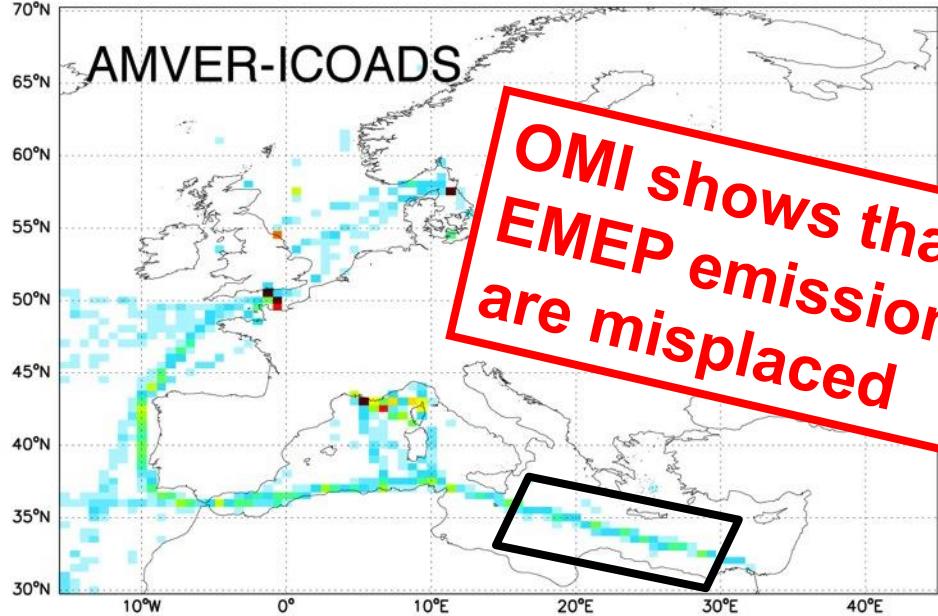
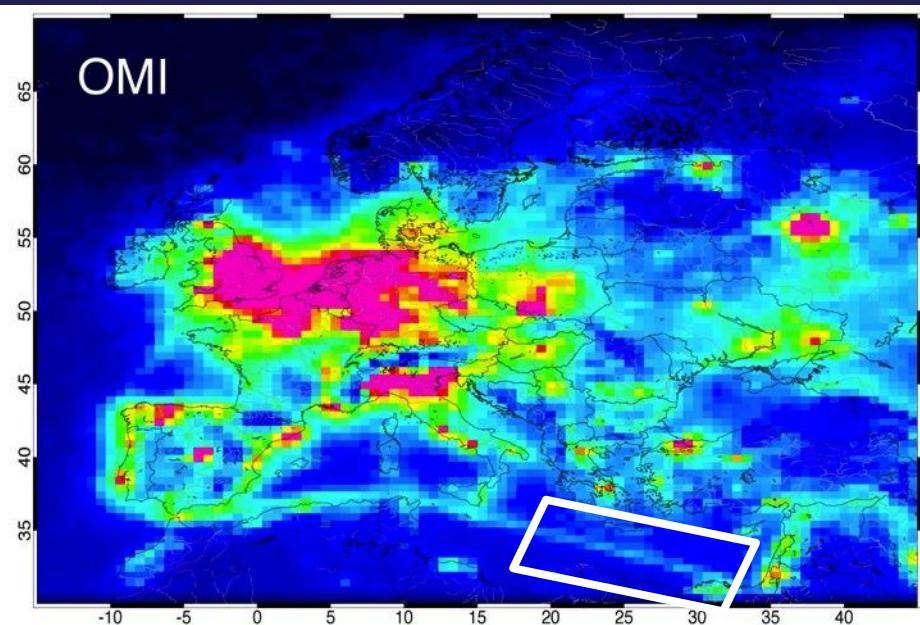
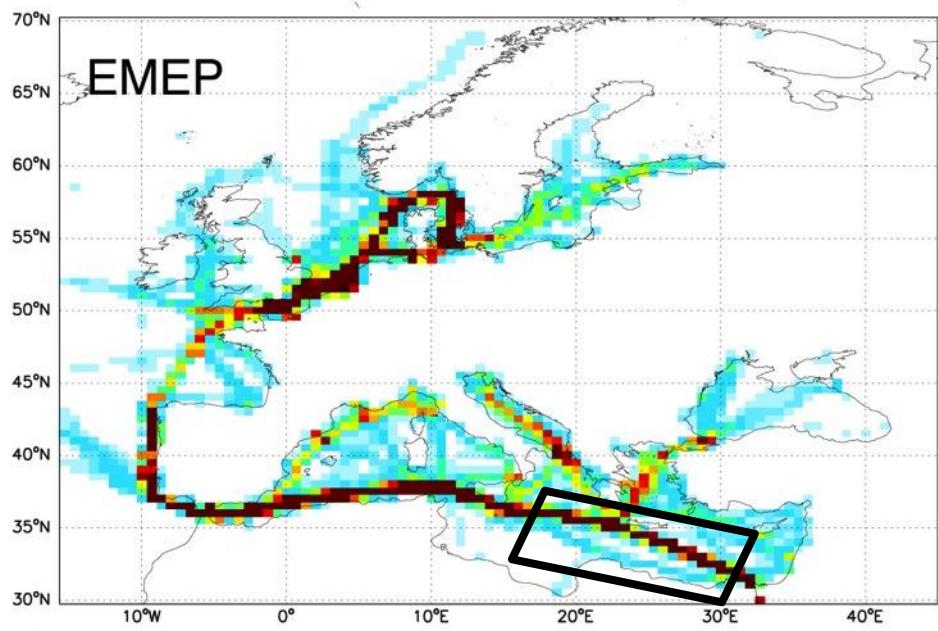
# Ship lanes in individual observations



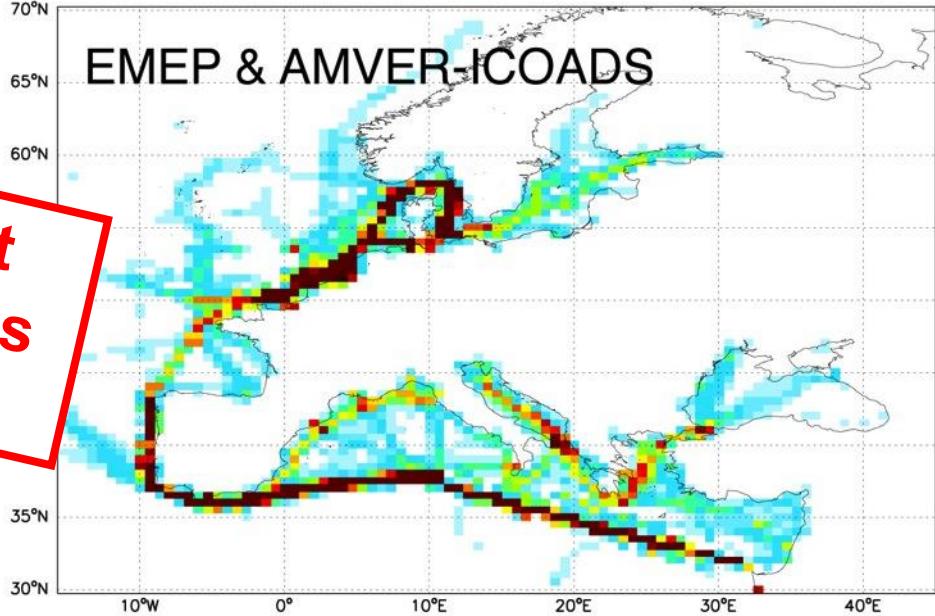
### 3. Wat is de relatie met emissies

- Verificatie van locatie van emissies
- Monitoren van trends
- Link leggen met economische patronen en gedrag (slow steaming)

# Satelliet data laat zien dat emissies 'misplaatst' zijn

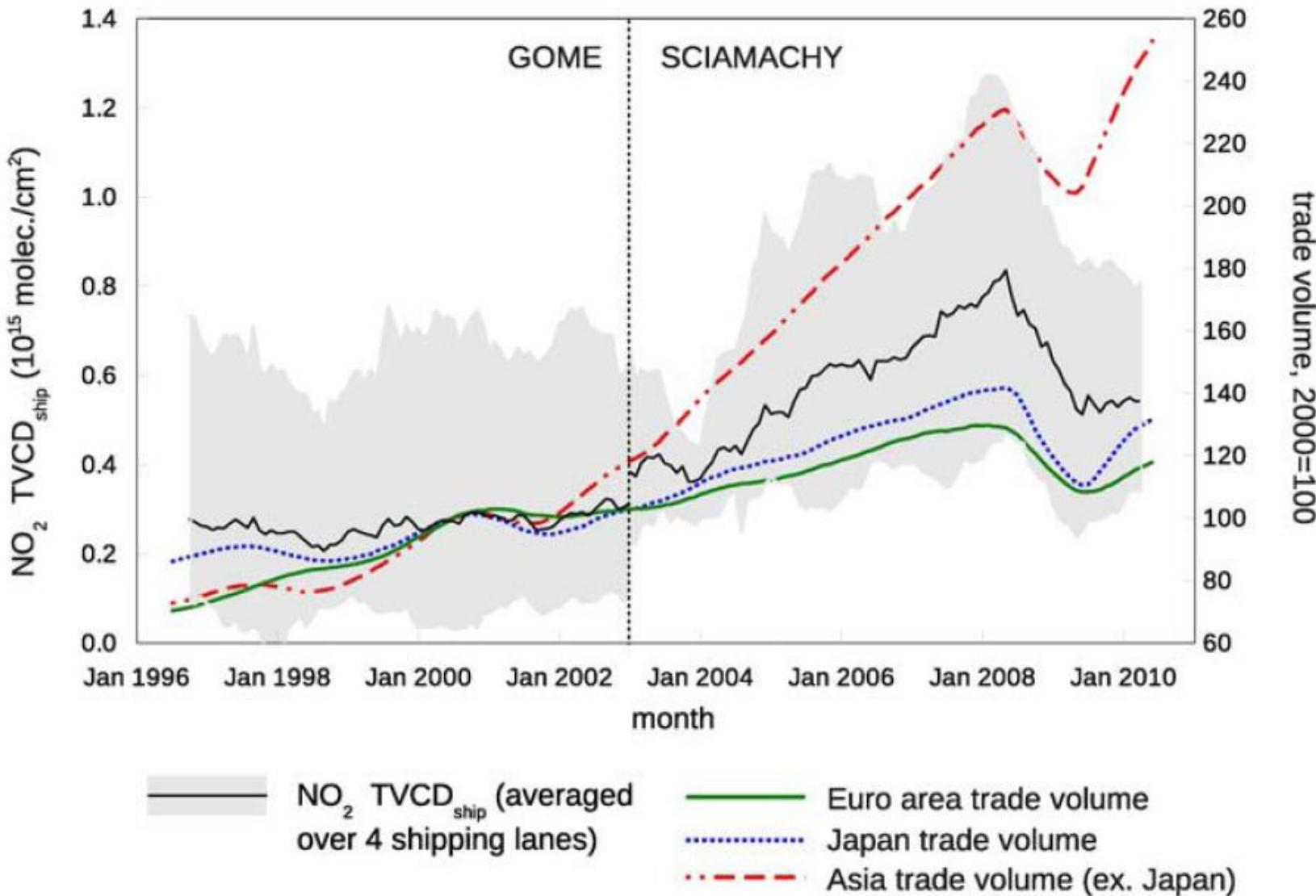


*OMI shows that  
EMEP emissions  
are misplaced*



# Scheepvaart vervuiling volgt ritme economie

80-90% of global trade volume is transported by ships



# $\text{NO}_x$ pollution from ships increasing in relevance

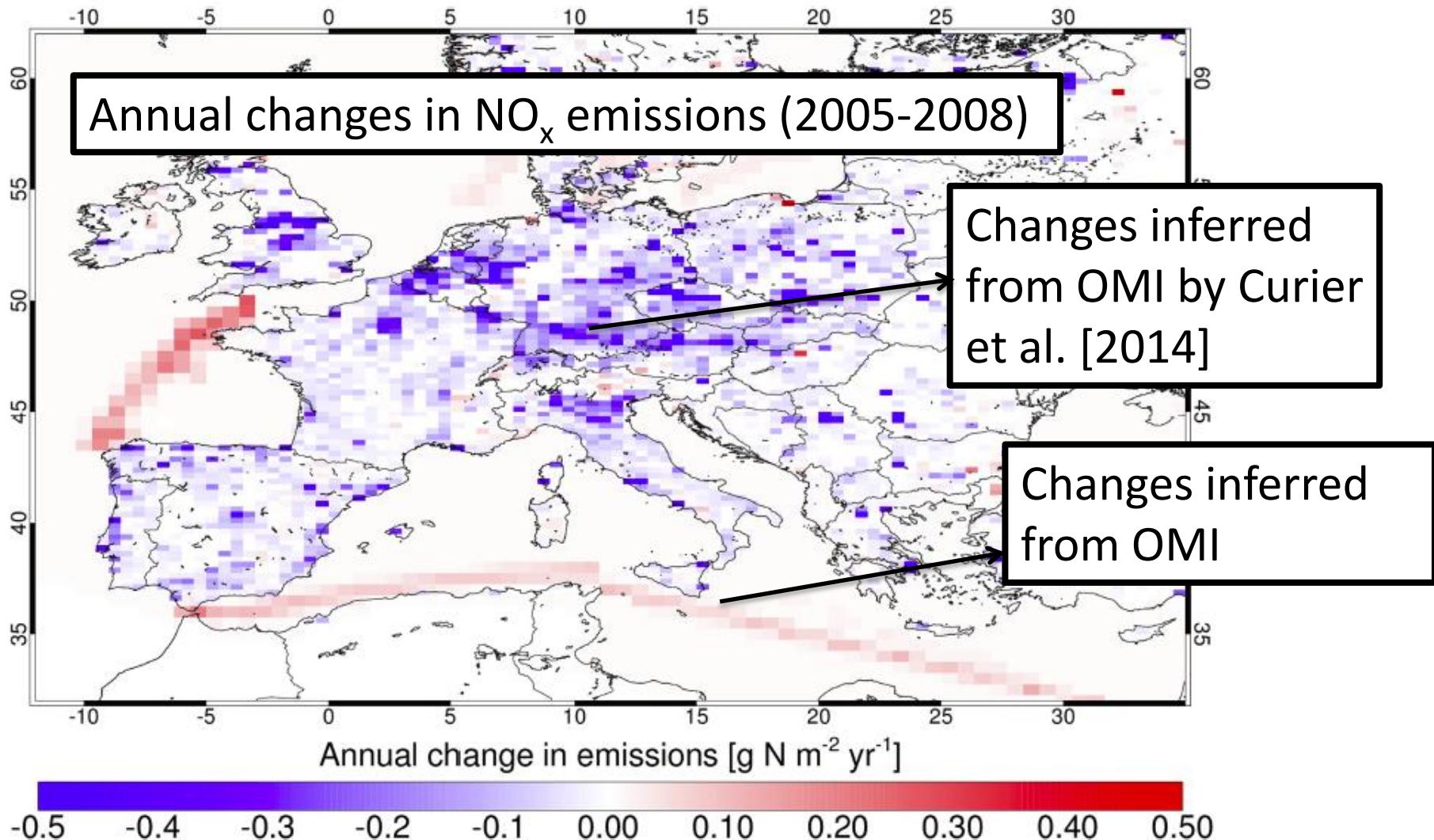


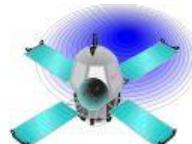
Figure 3. Composite map of annual changes (between 2005 and 2008) in  $\text{NO}_x$  emissions derived from OMI  $\text{NO}_2$  observations. Annual changes in OMI-inferred ship  $\text{NO}_x$  emissions (this work,  $1/2^\circ \times 2/3^\circ$  resolution) are combined with annual changes in OMI-inferred land-based  $\text{NO}_x$  emissions based on the annual trends reported by Curier *et al.* (2014) (at  $1/4^\circ \times 1/2^\circ$  resolution) and absolute land-based emissions from the TNO/MACC-II inventory for the year 2009 (Kuenen *et al.* 2014).

# SAMBA

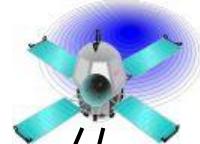
**AIS** provides up-to-date information on location and speed of ships, and feeds to SILAM model

**OMI** observations are used to evaluate SILAM simulations on shipping pollution

AIS



OMI



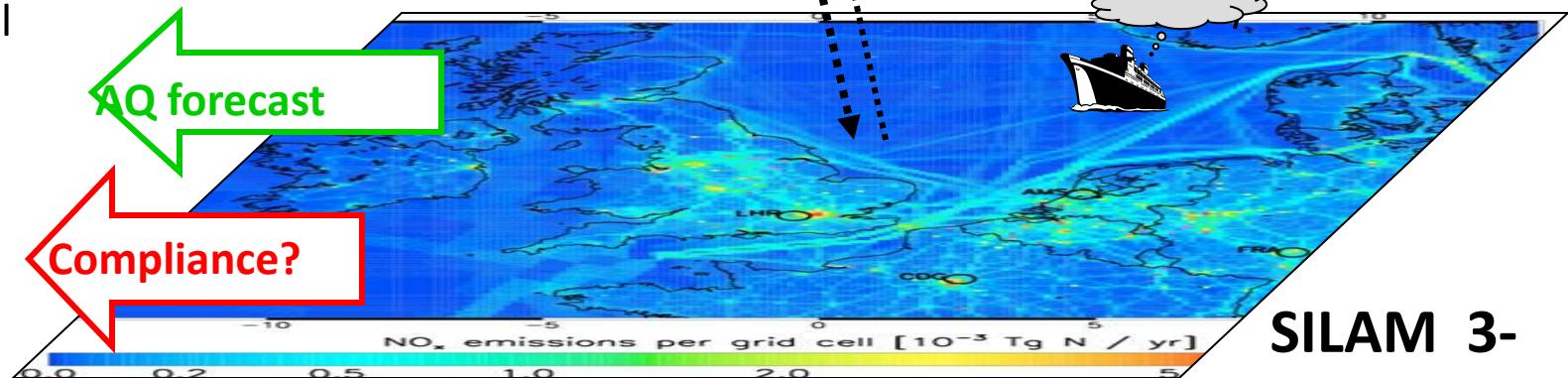
$\text{NO}_x$

Environmental agencies (e.g. DCMR)

AQ forecast

National maritime authorities, EU

Compliance?



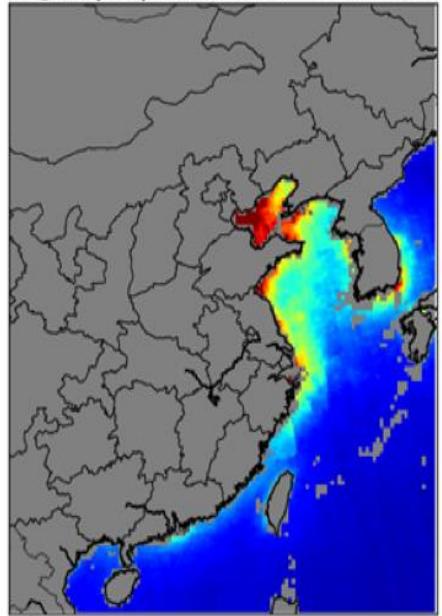
SILAM 3-D CTM

## **4. Scheepvaart emissies bepaald uit satelliet data**

- Snelle kwantificatie van emissies
- Monitoren van trends en maandelijkse veranderingen
- Emissie database voor modelberekeningen
- Relatie met luchtvervuiling over land

# Emissies bepaald uit OMI metingen zelfs als ze onder de outflow van het vaste land van China liggen !

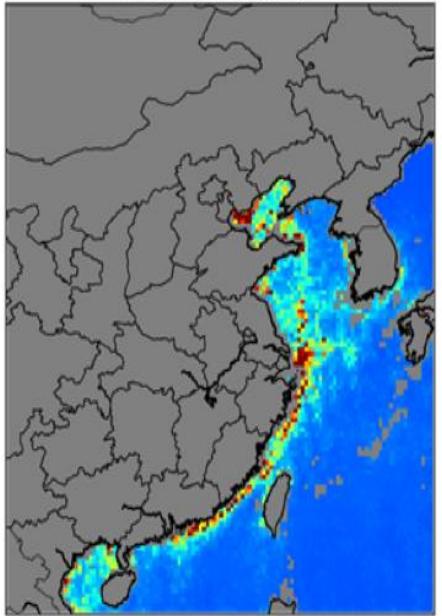
NO<sub>2</sub> tropospheric column from OMI



(a)

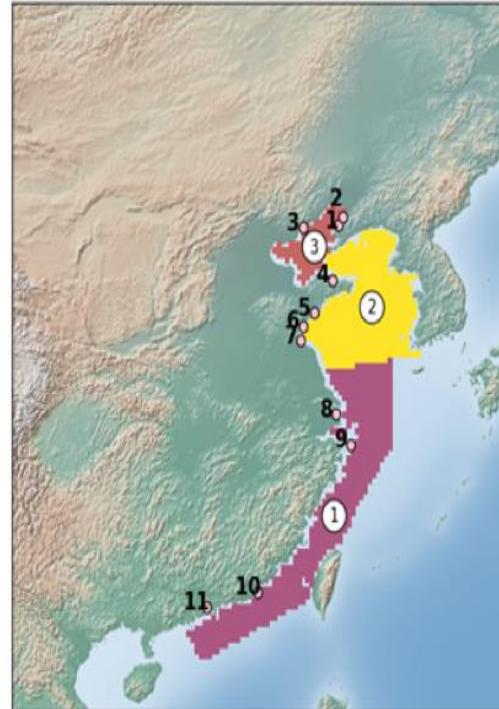
0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10  
 $10^{15}$  molecule cm<sup>-2</sup>

NOx Emissions



(b)

0.0 0.1 0.2 0.3 0.4 0.5 0.6 0.7 0.8 0.9 1.0  
Gg N grid<sup>-1</sup> Year<sup>-1</sup>

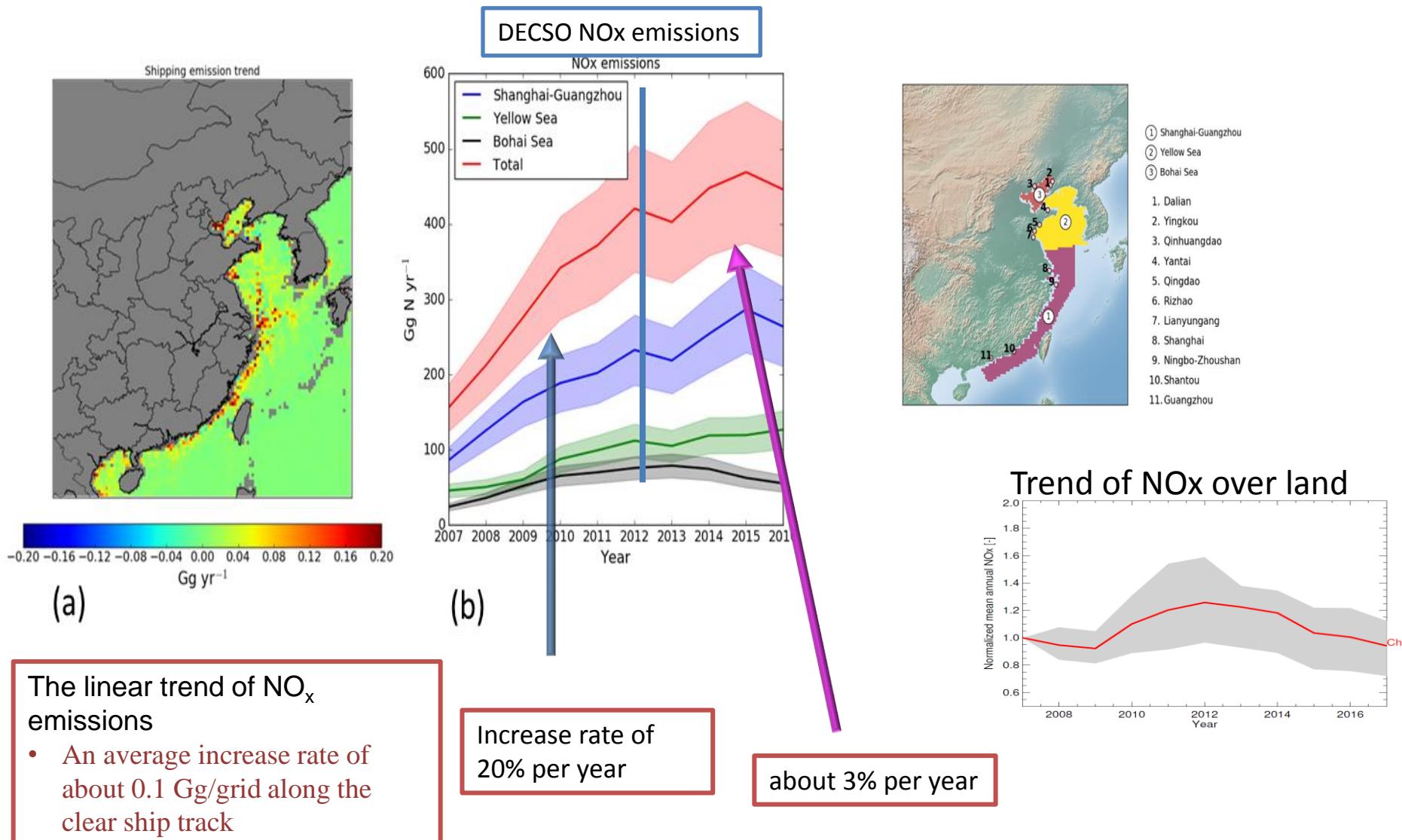


(c)

- (1) Shanghai-Guangzhou
- (2) Yellow Sea
- (3) Bohai Sea
- 1. Dalian
- 2. Yingkou
- 3. Qinhuangdao
- 4. Yantai
- 5. Qingdao
- 6. Rizhao
- 7. Lianyungang
- 8. Shanghai
- 9. Ningbo-Zhoushan
- 10. Shantou
- 11. Guangzhou

1. Clear ship track: shanghai to Guangzhou
  2. A track: Shanghai to Yantai, disperses in Bohai Sea
  3. Bohai: shipping activities and offshore platforms

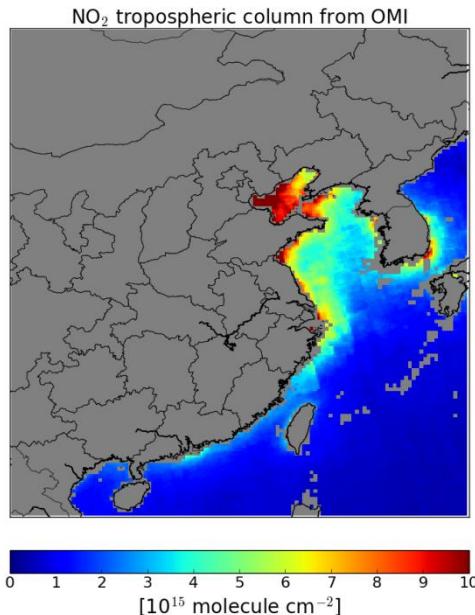
# Trend in emissies



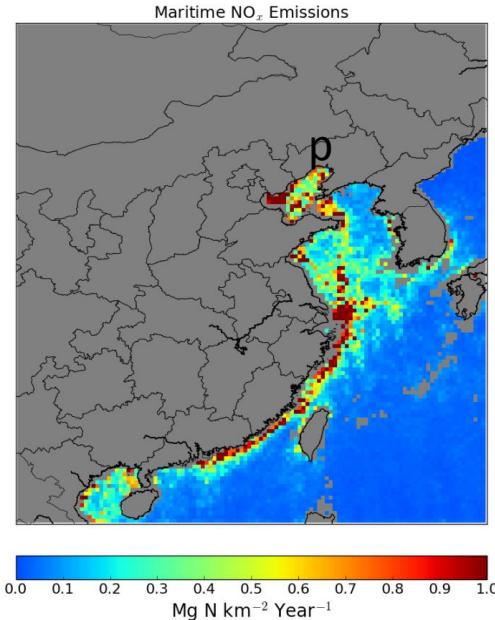
# CO<sub>2</sub> emissies gebaseerd op NO<sub>2</sub> emissies

- OMI NOx used as indicator for the CO<sub>2</sub> emissions from ships and off-shore industry in the Chinese coastal waters
- Emission ratios of the STEAM model (Jalkanen , FMI) are used.
- OMI & TROPOMI even more relevant for climate monitoring for COP21, Paris.

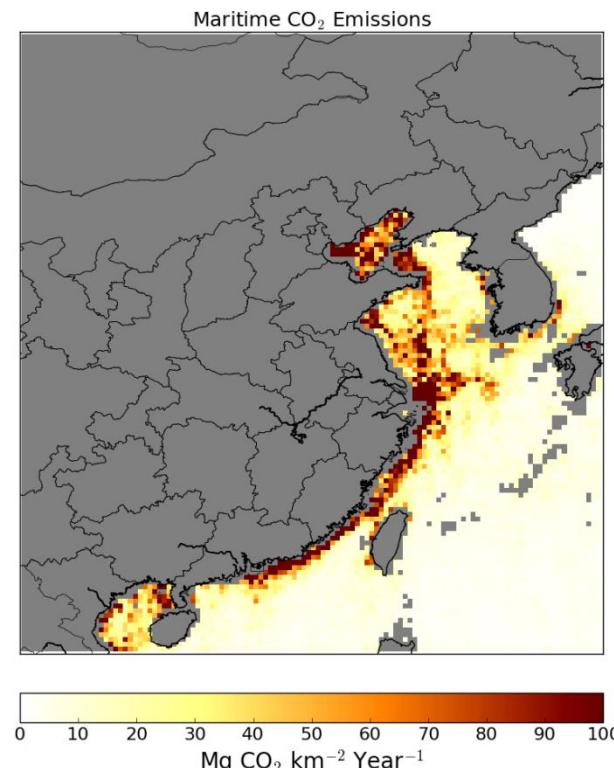
**NO<sub>2</sub> concentrations**



**Maritime NO<sub>x</sub> emissions**



**Maritime CO<sub>2</sub> emissions**



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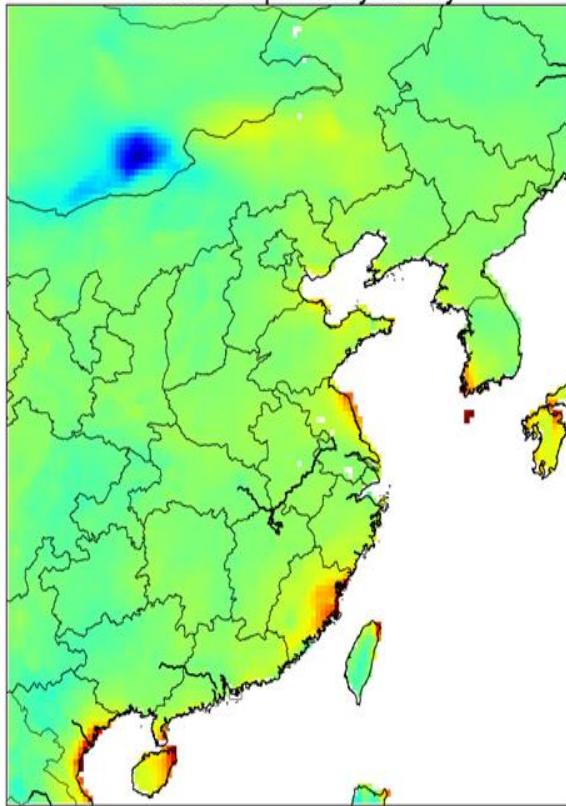
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# Bijdrage van scheepvaartemissies aan luchtvervuiling over land

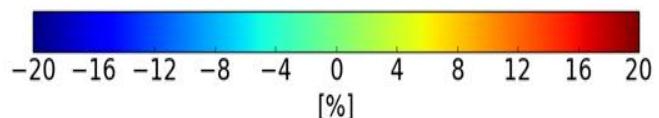
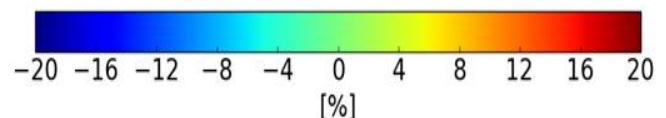
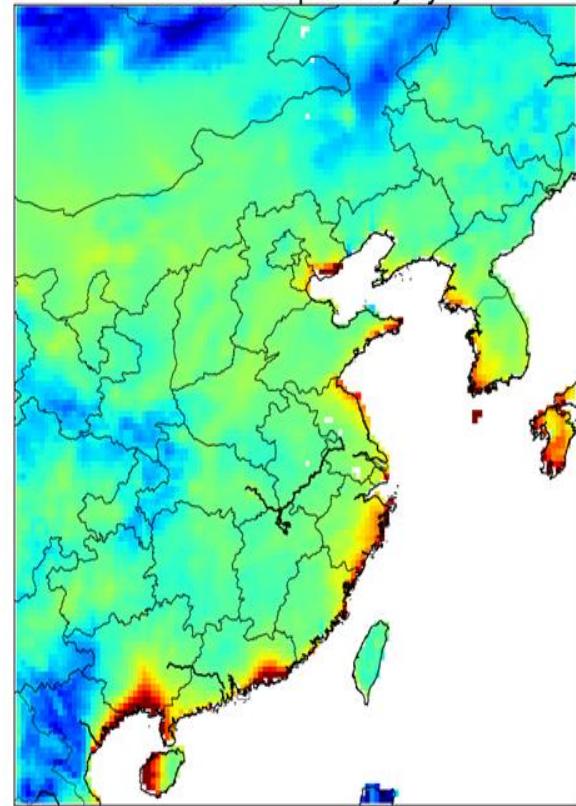
Two model runs for 2015:

- MIX inventory (no maritime emissions)
- MIX + DECSO maritime emissions

Relative impact in January



Relative impact in July



Toename van 5-20 % luchtvervuiling aan de kust