



Eight-year global record of aerosol absorption properties derived from OMI near-UV observations. Global seasonal averages of 388 nm aerosol single scattering albedo are shown on the left panel. Time-series of monthly, zonal averages of single scattering albedo (top) and aerosol absorption optical depth (bottom) are depicted on the right panel (Torres et al., 2013). Courtesy: Omar Torres (NASA).