

The chemical transport model Oslo CTM3

Supplementary material

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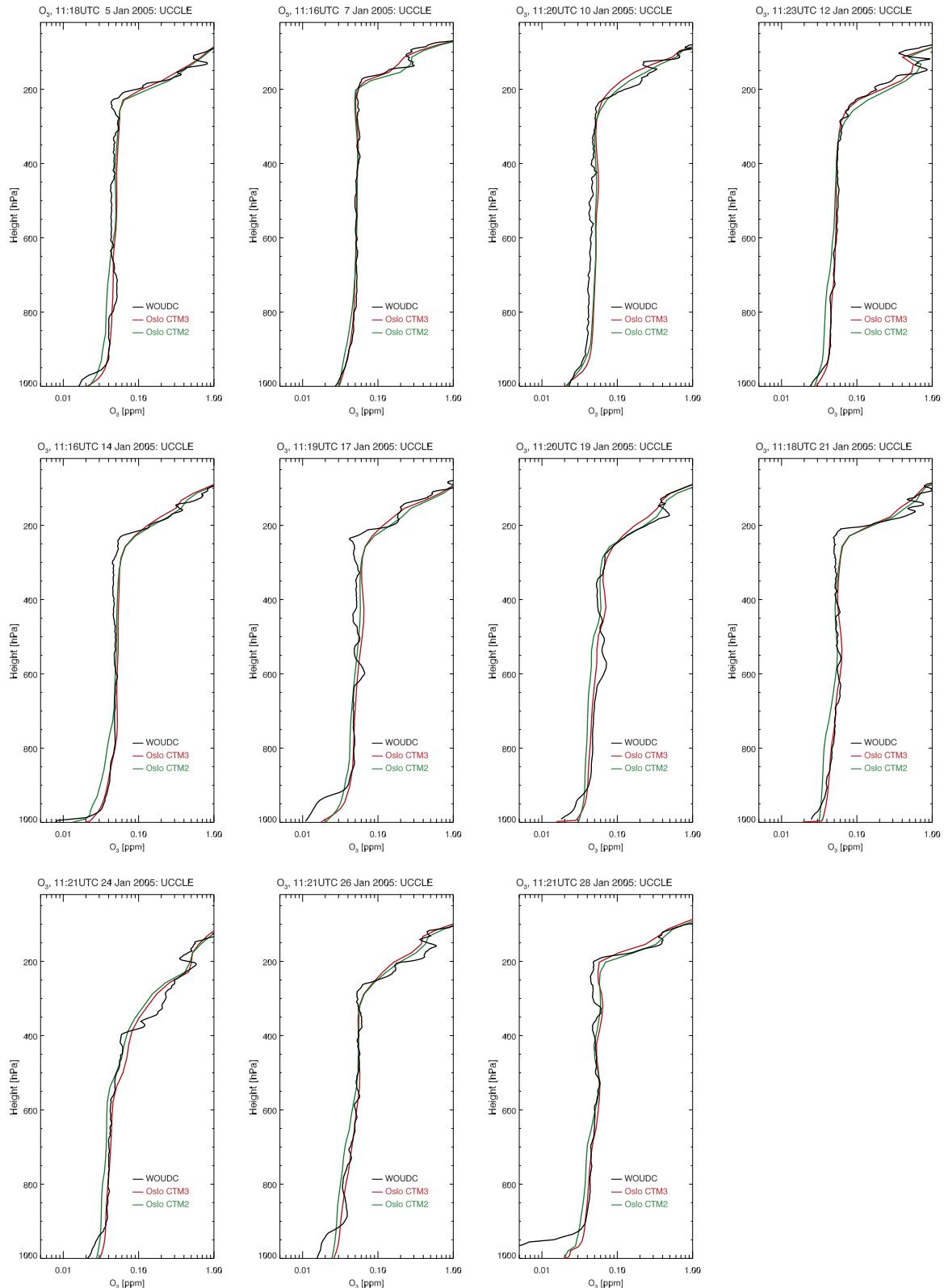
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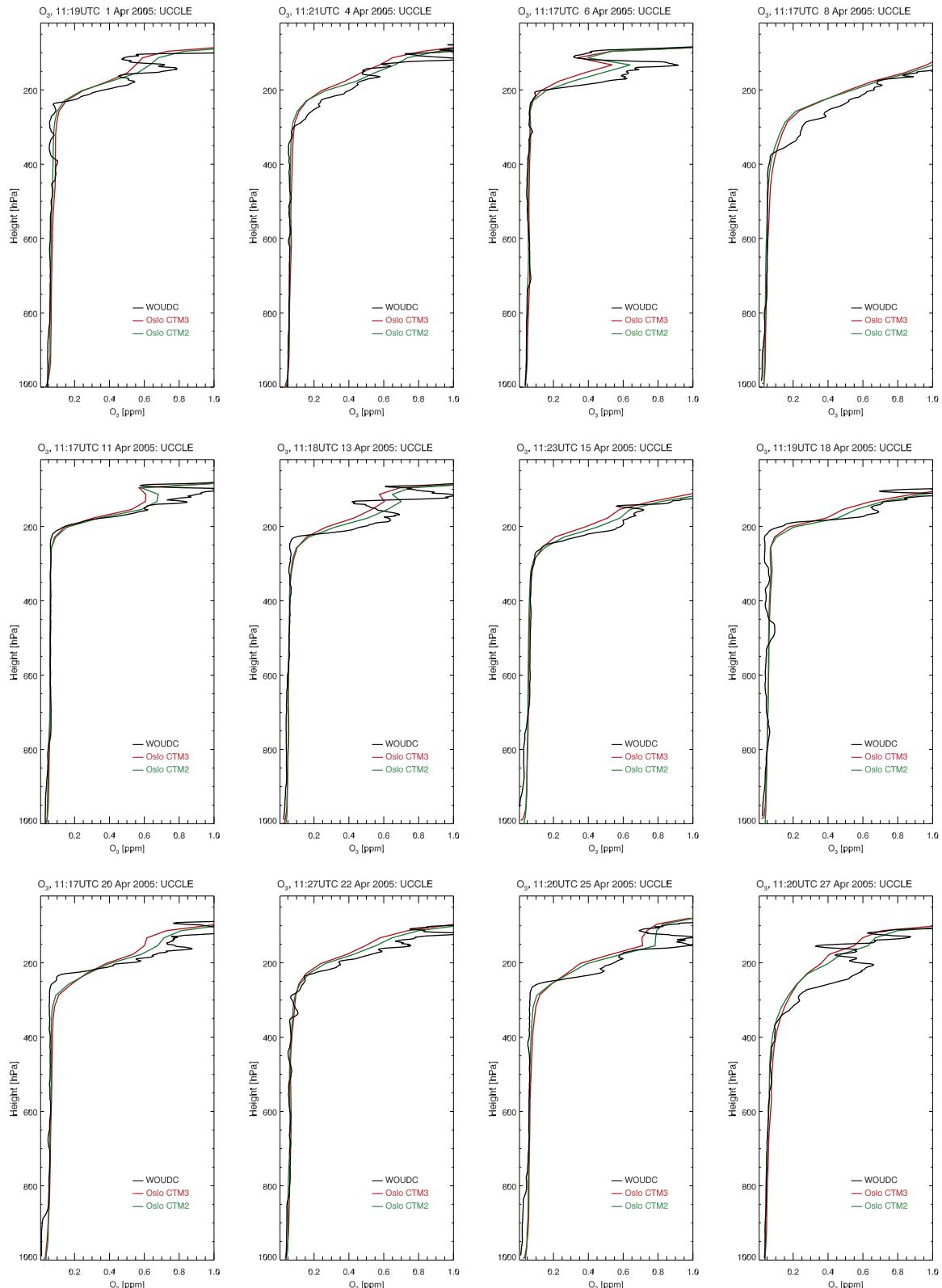
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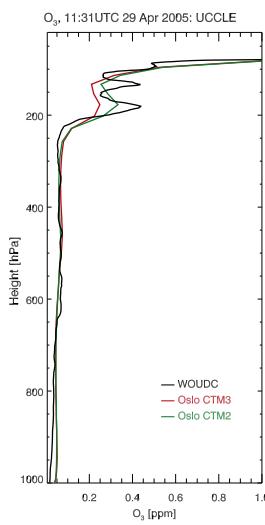
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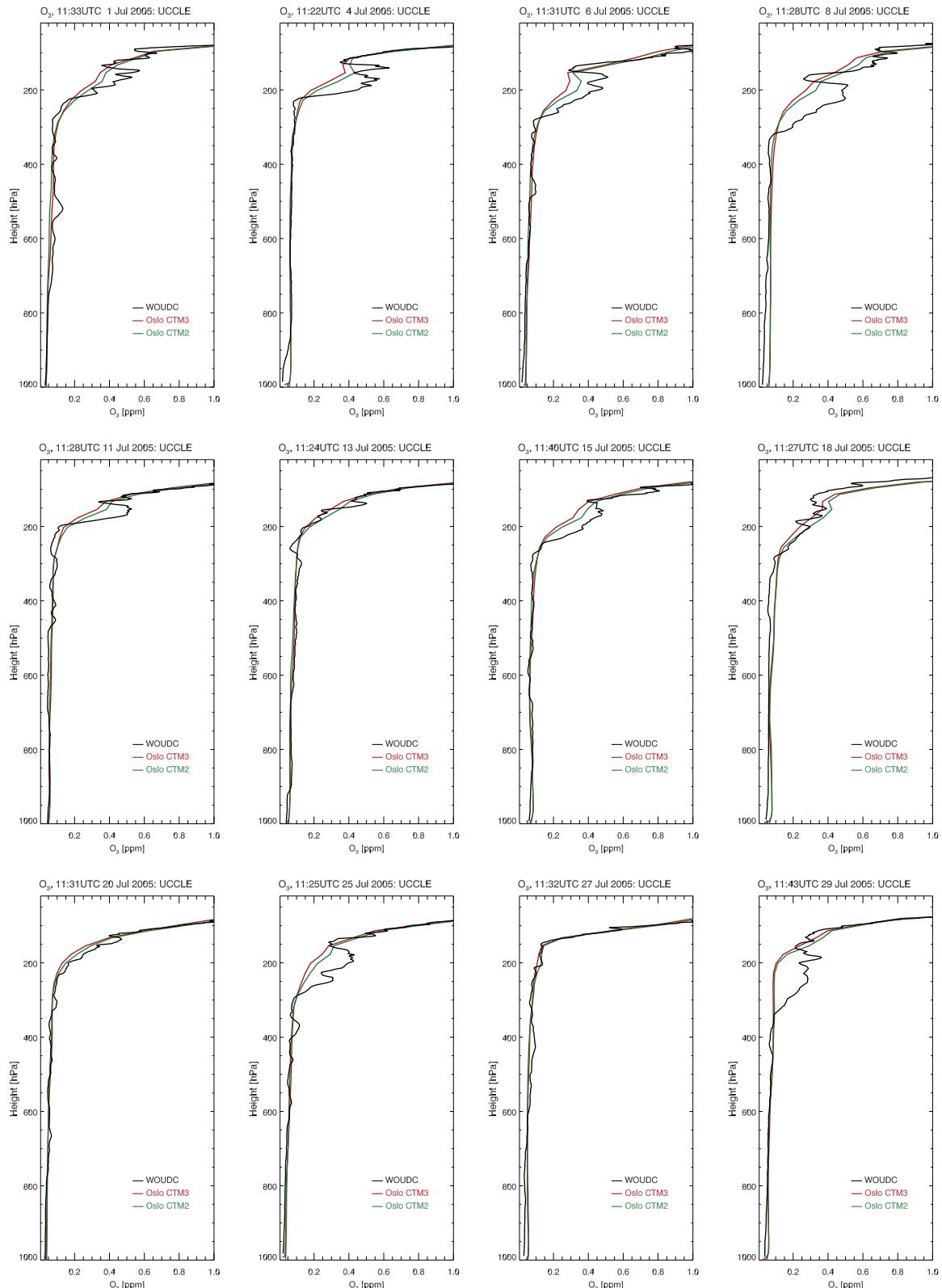


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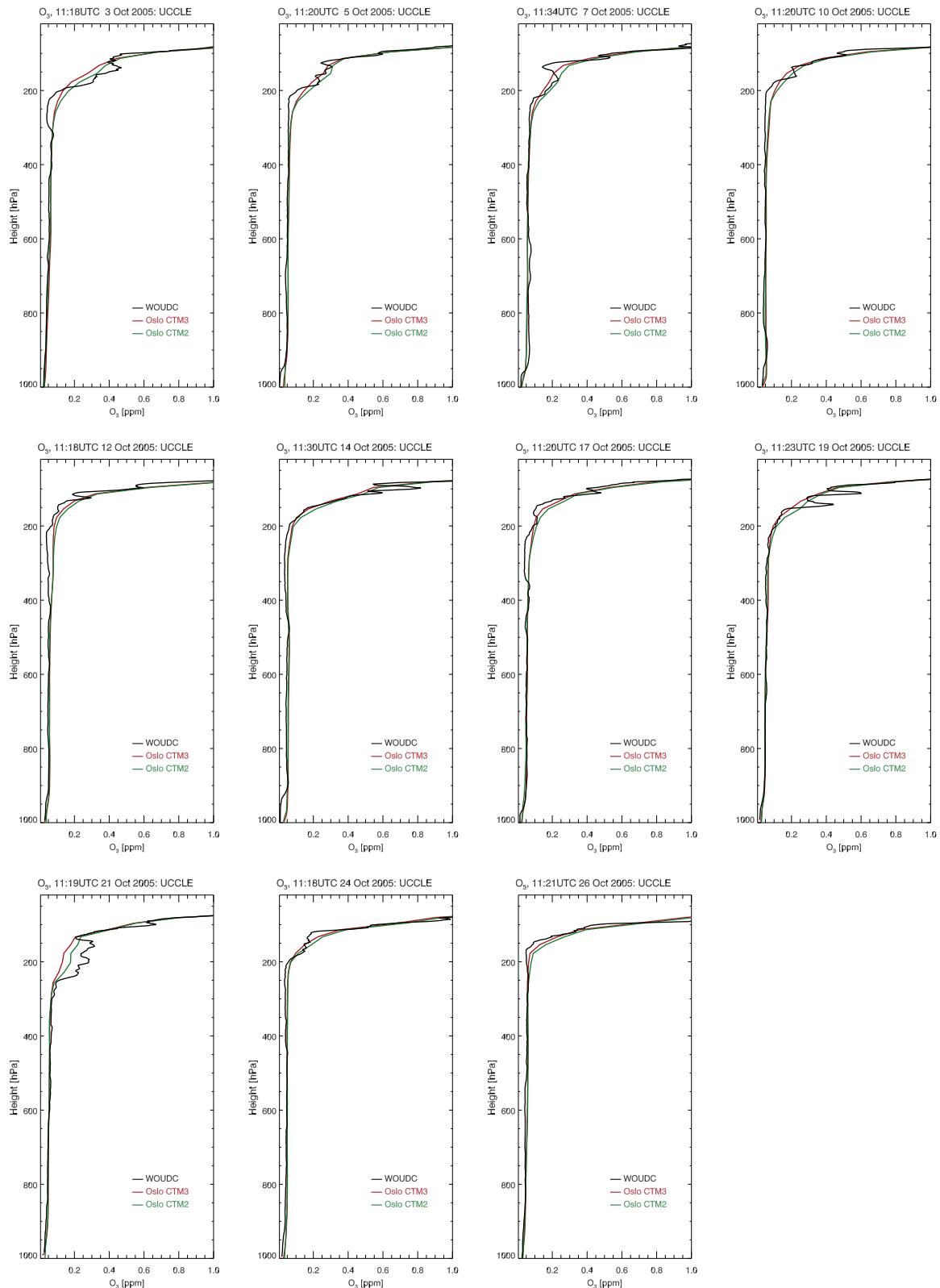




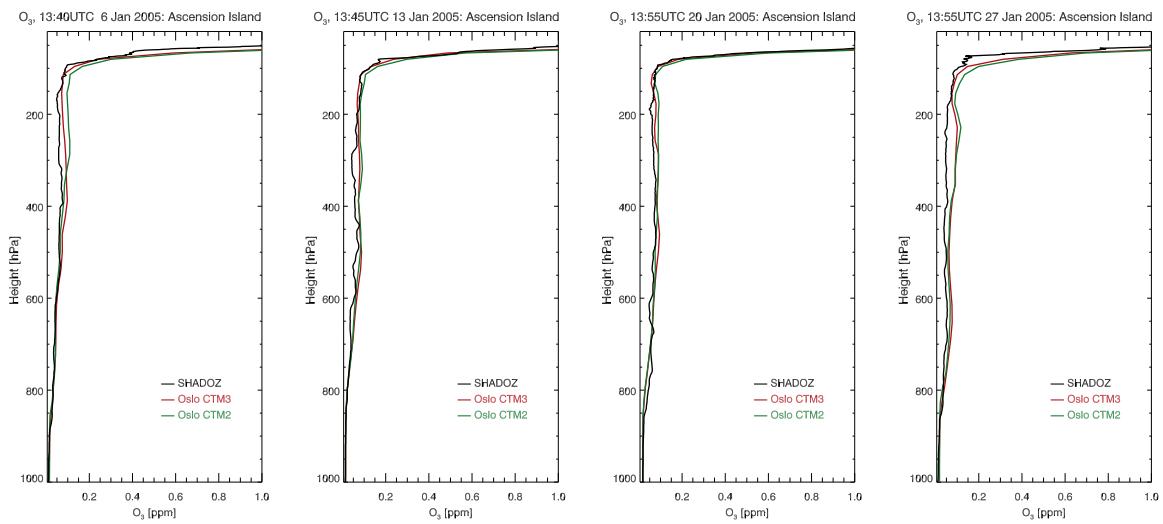
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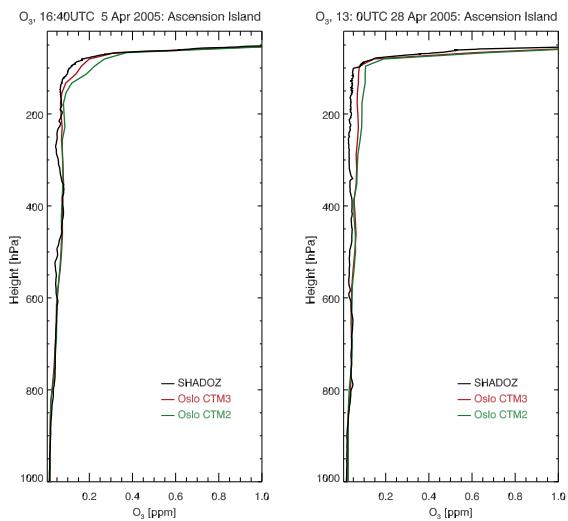
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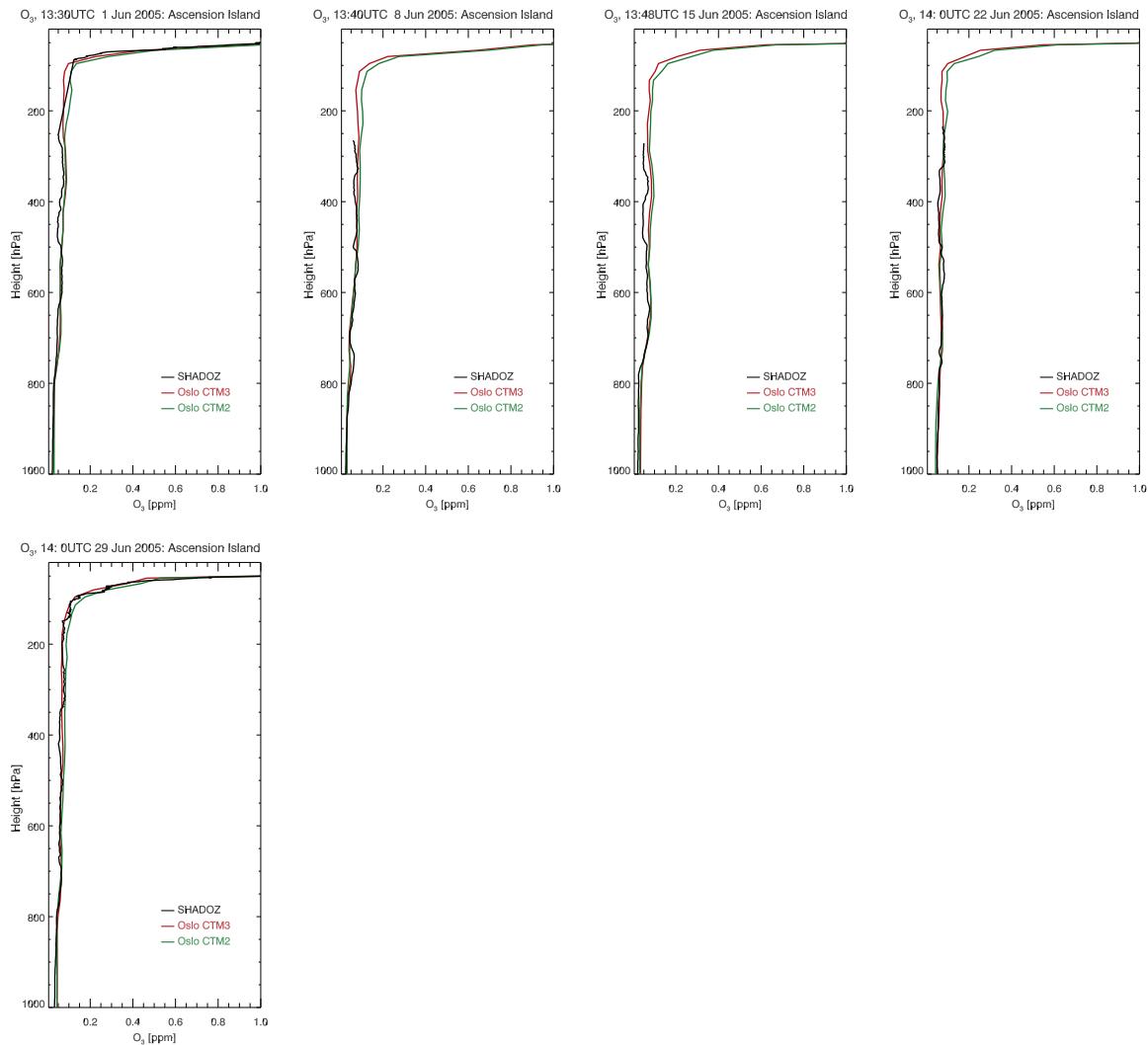
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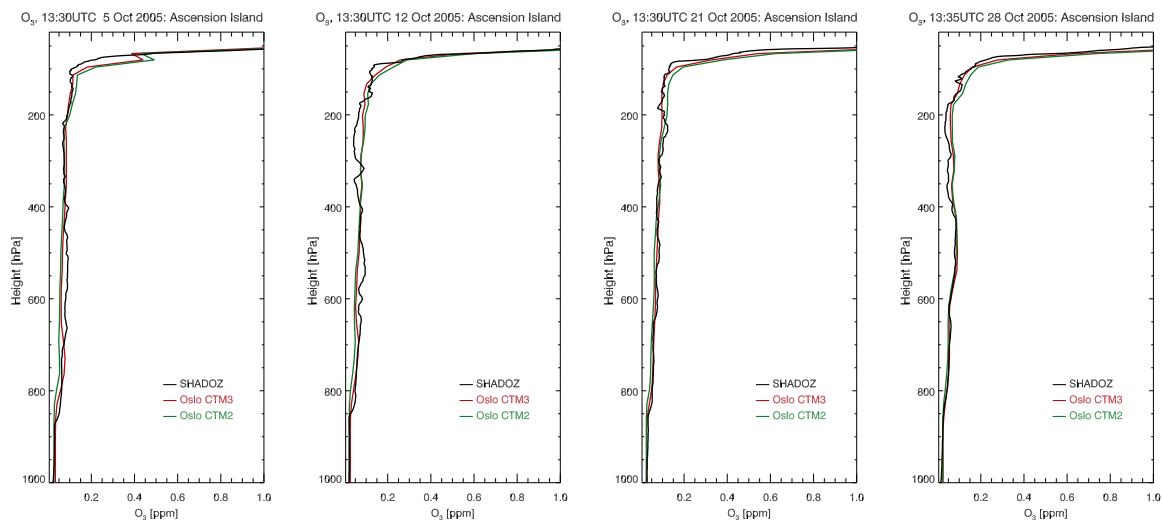
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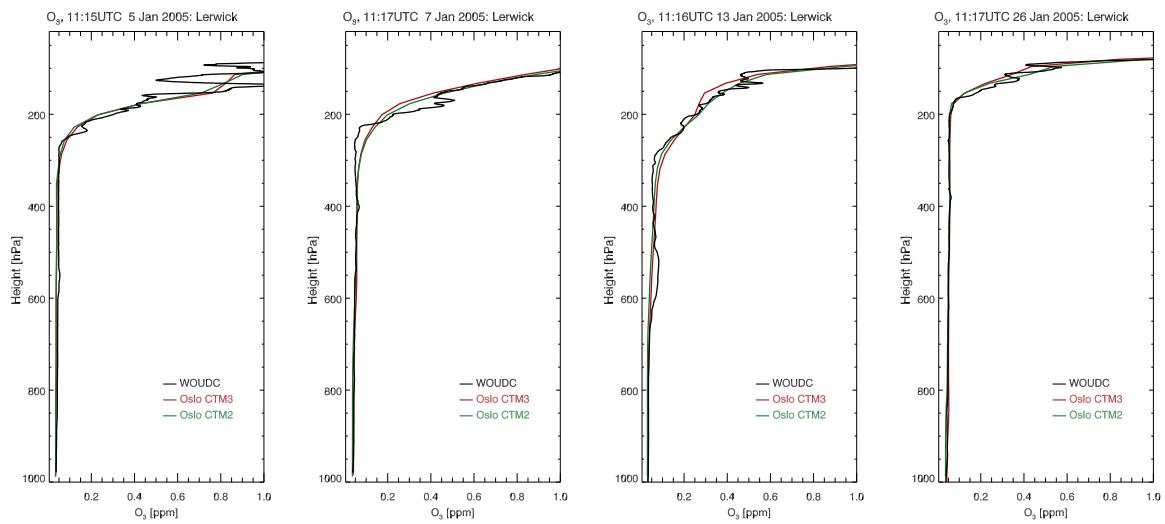
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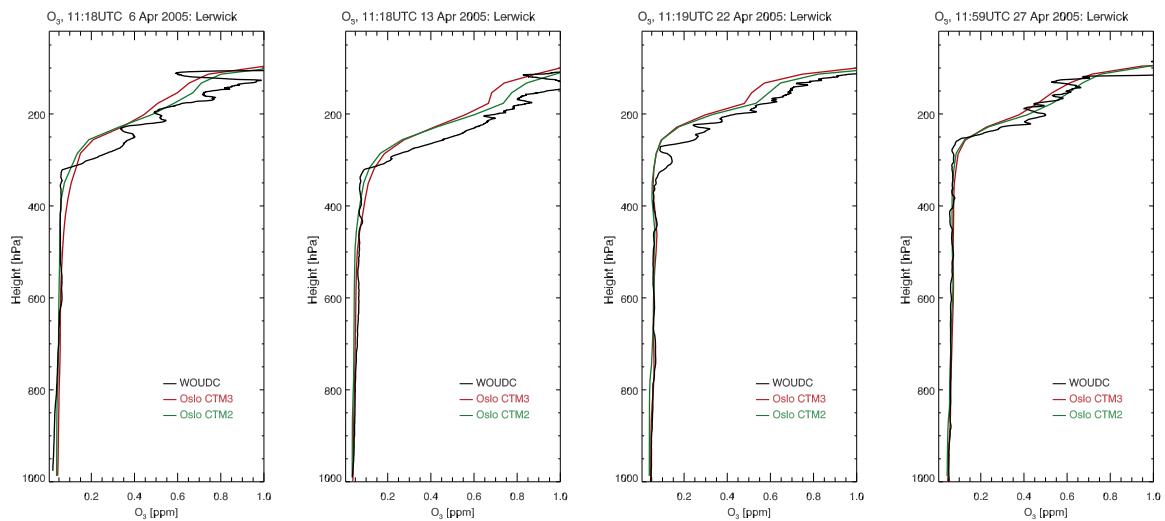
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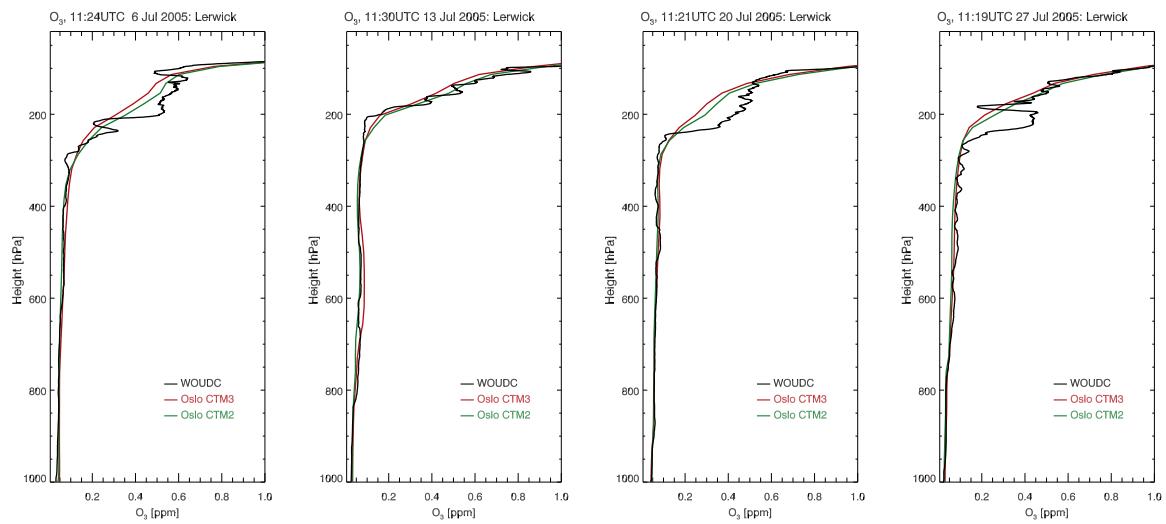
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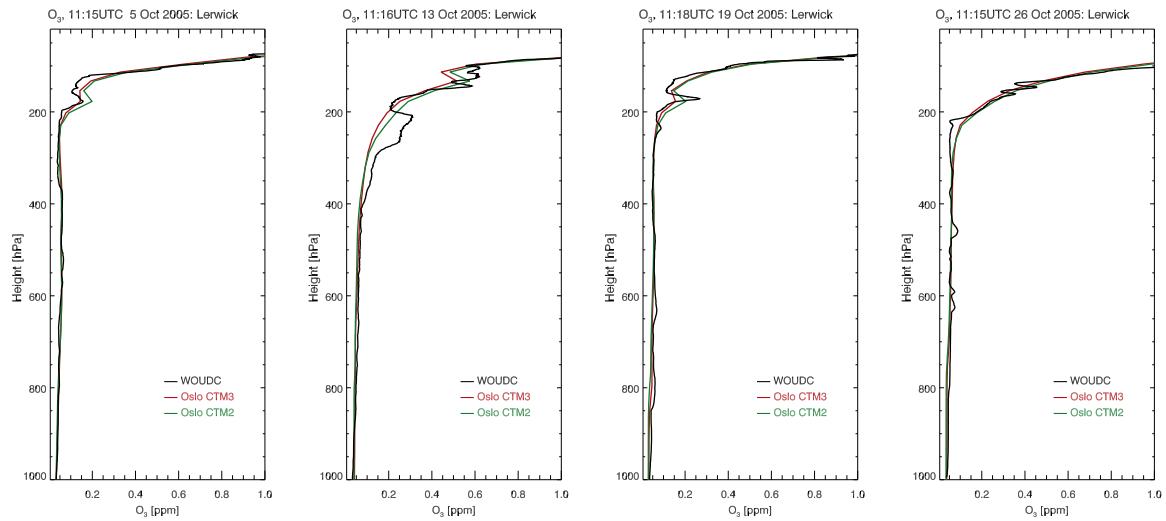
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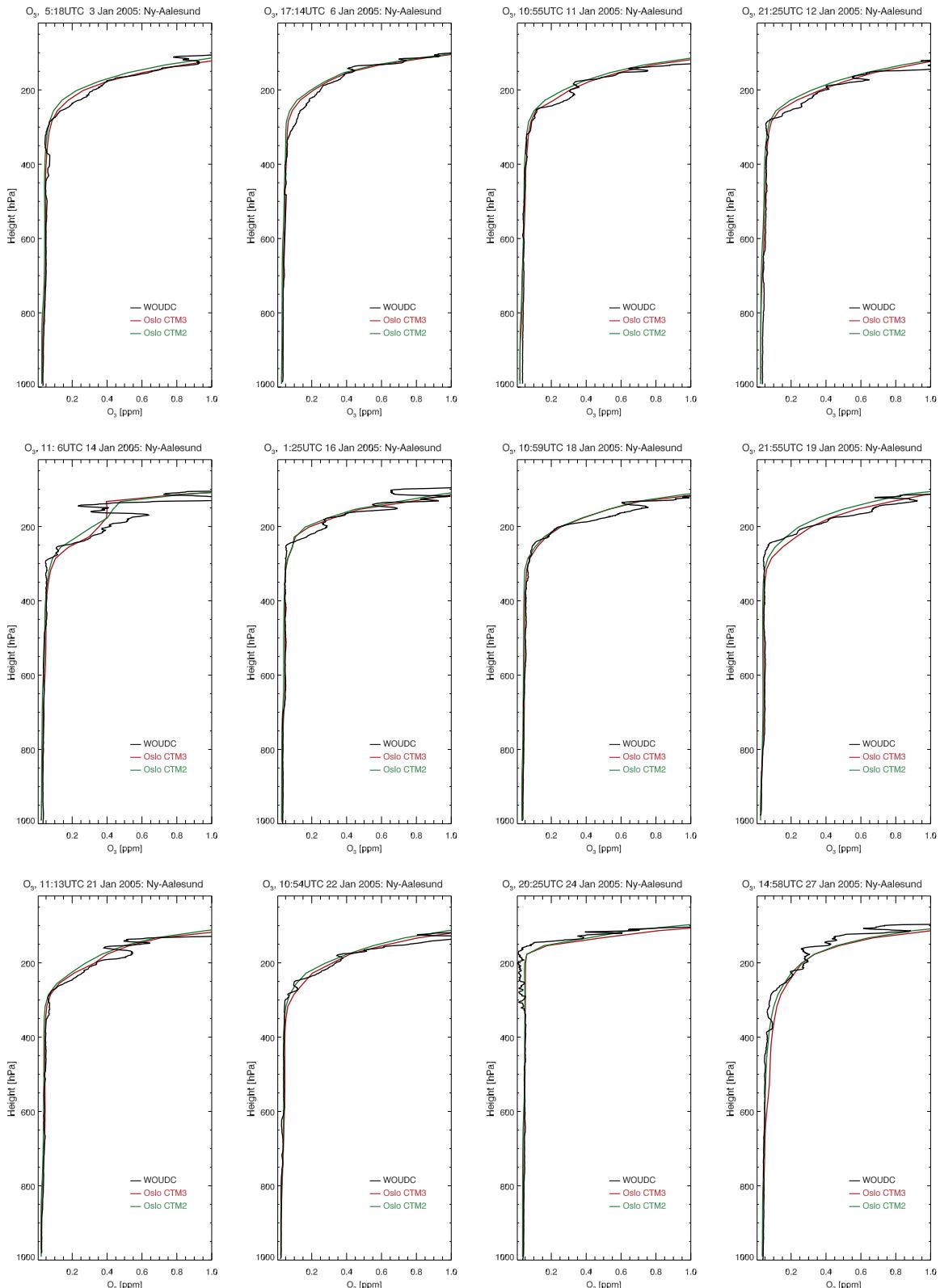
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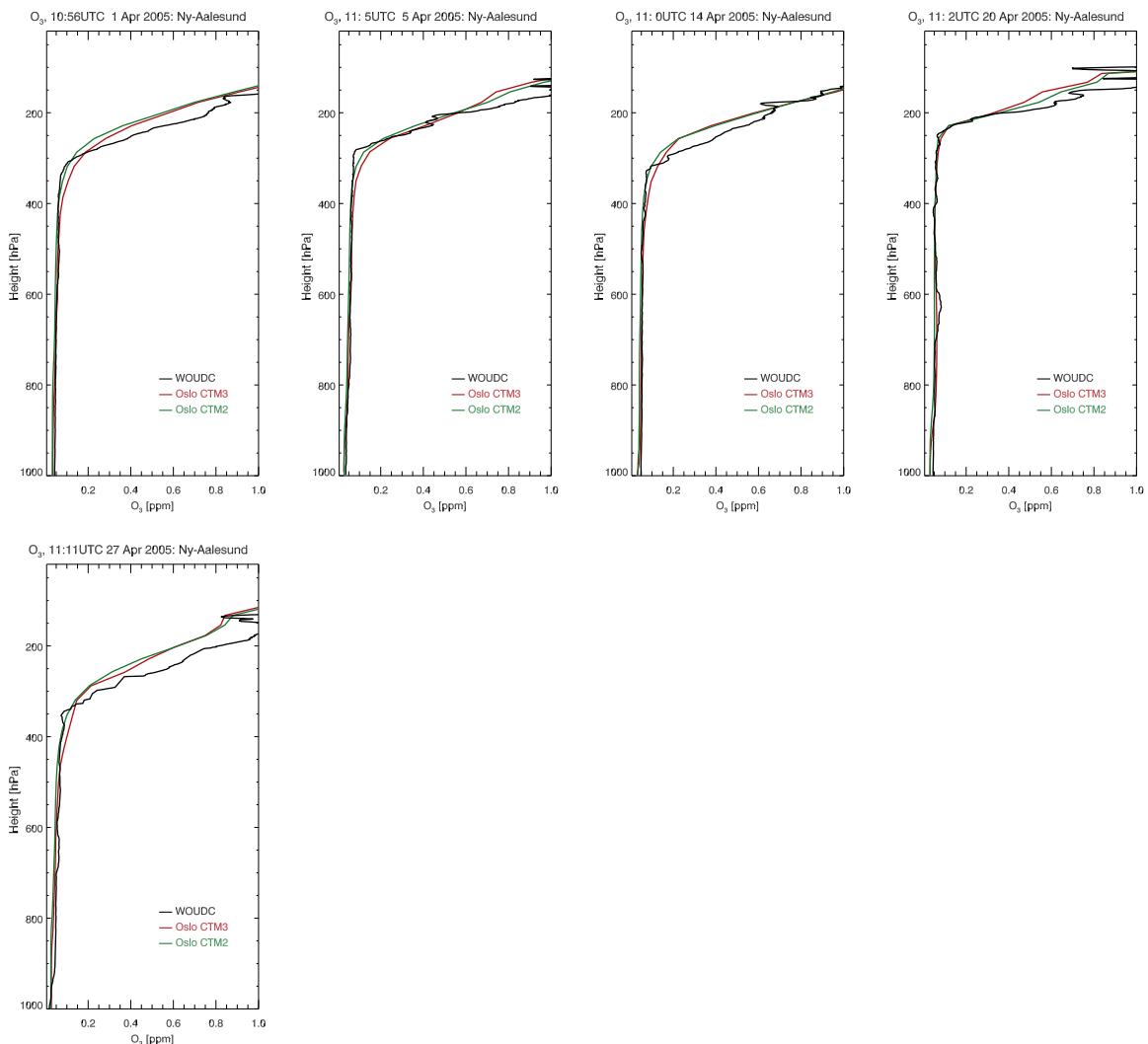
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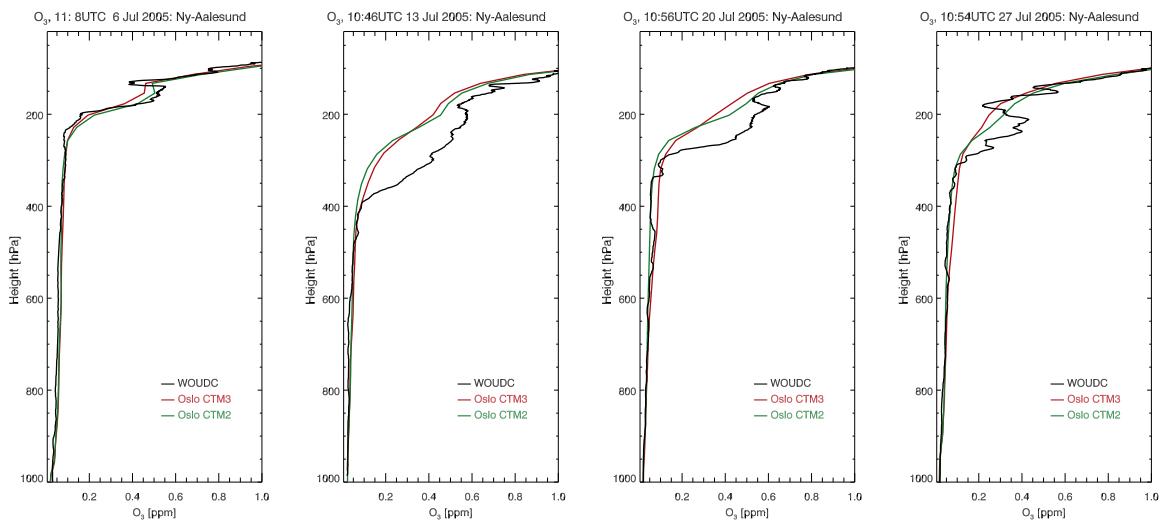
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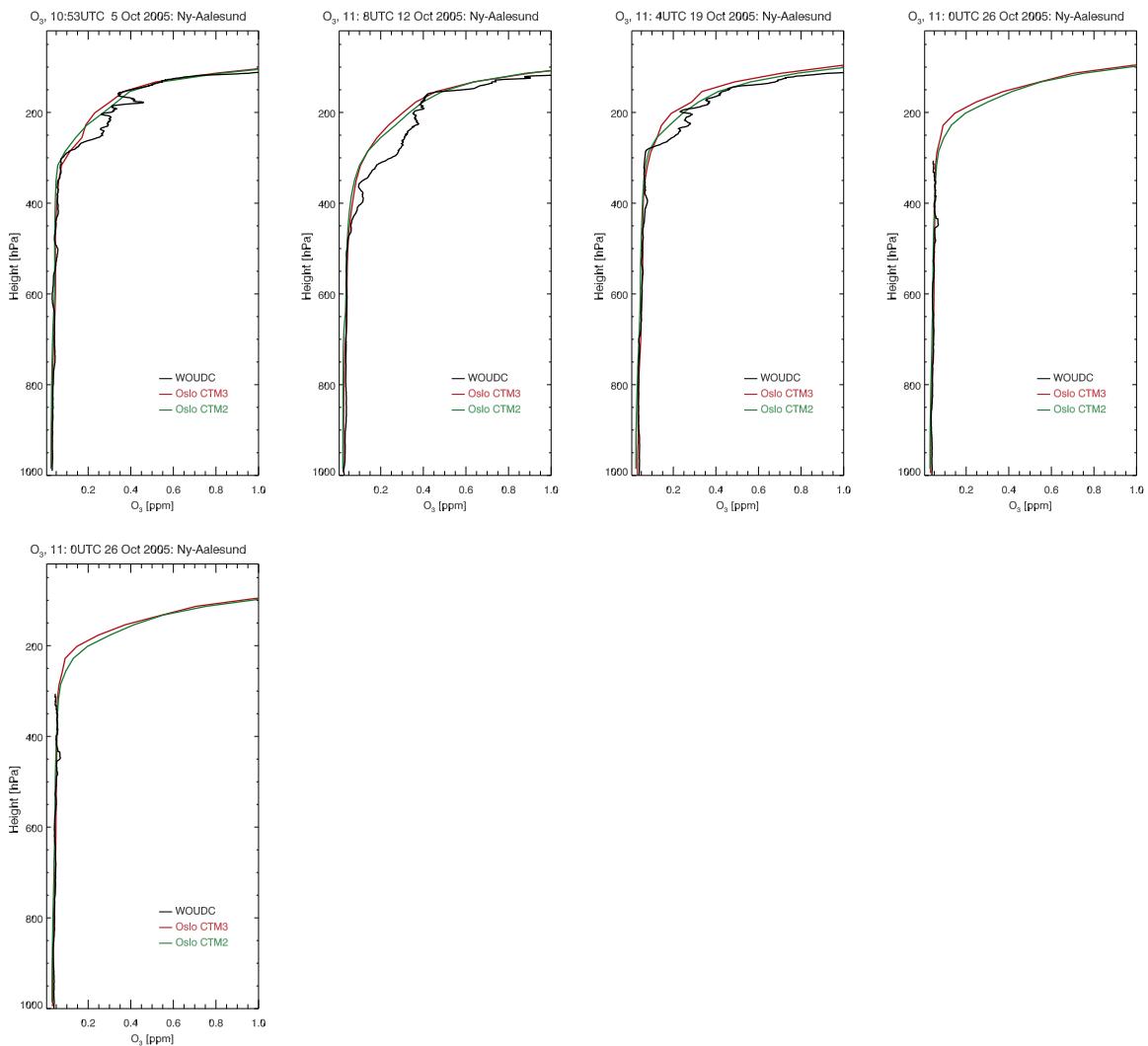
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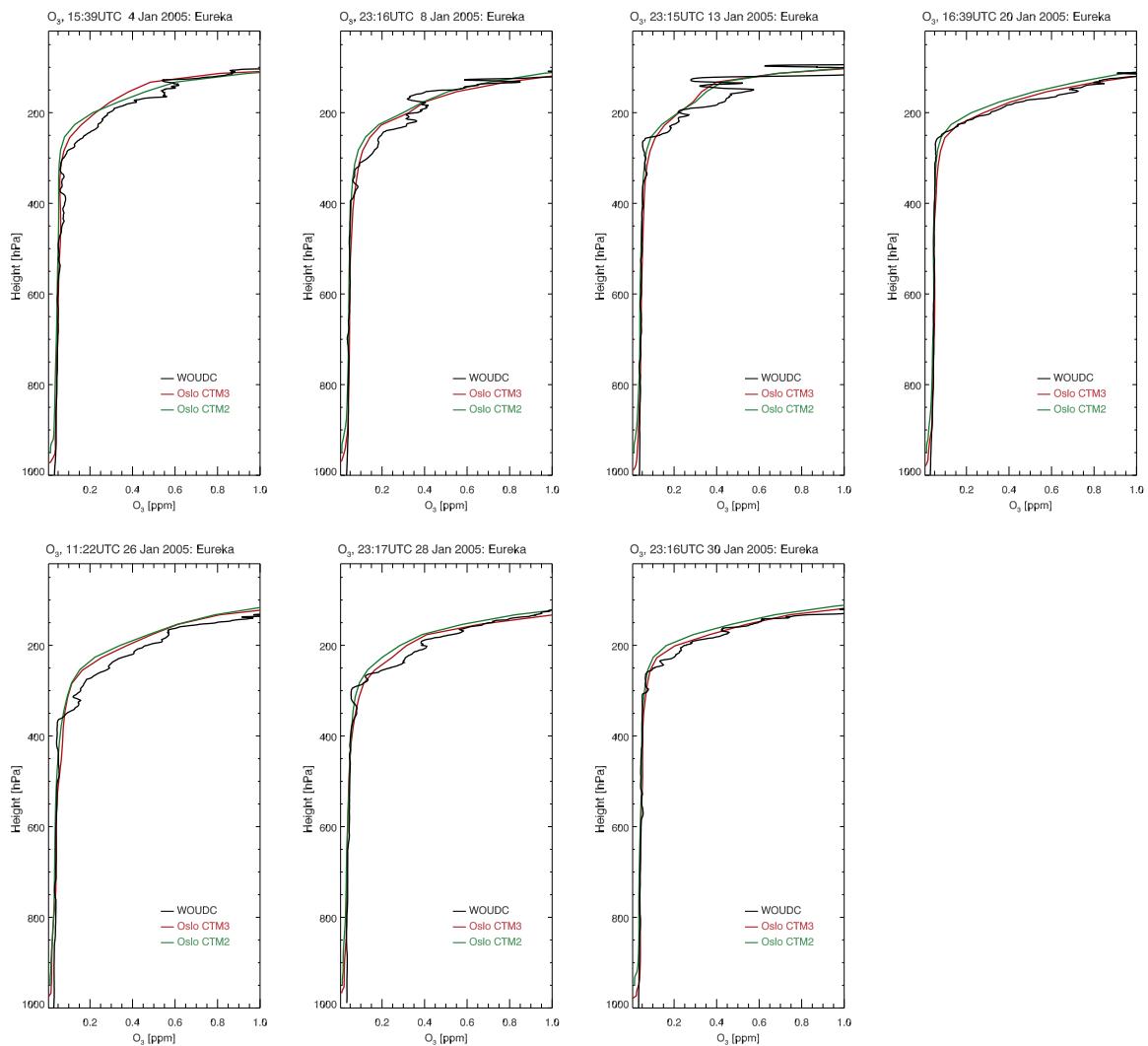
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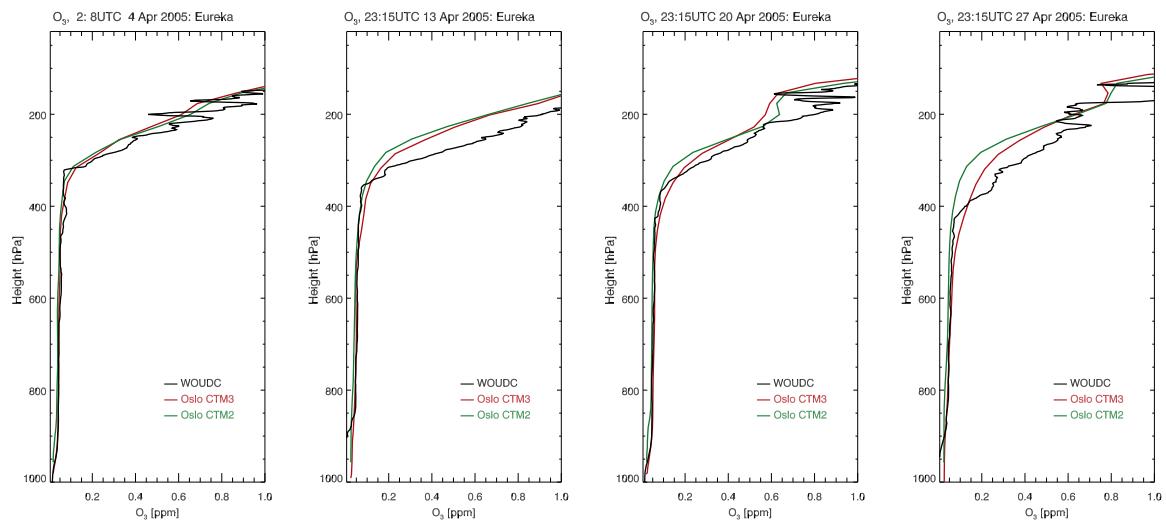
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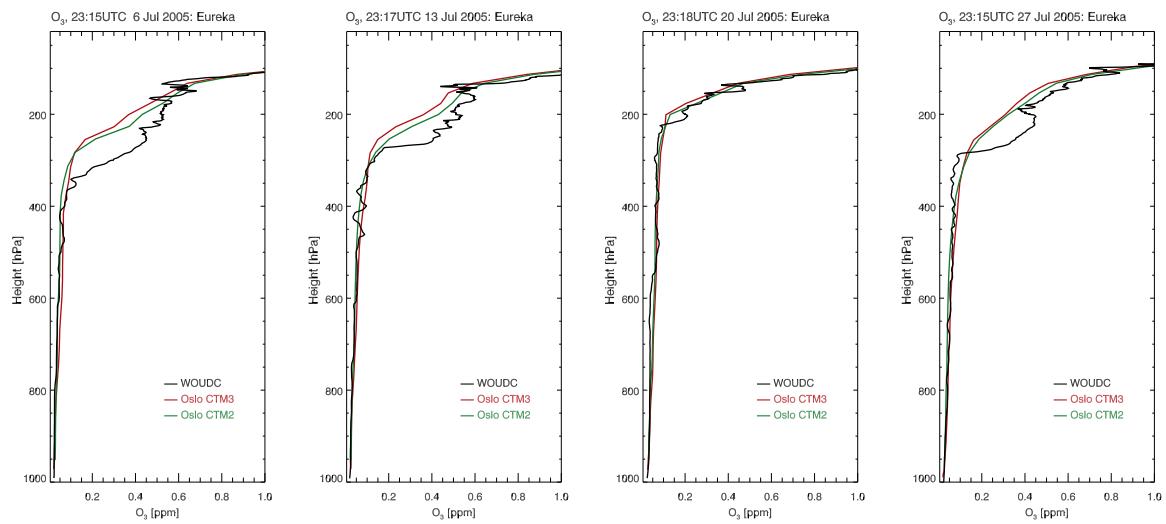
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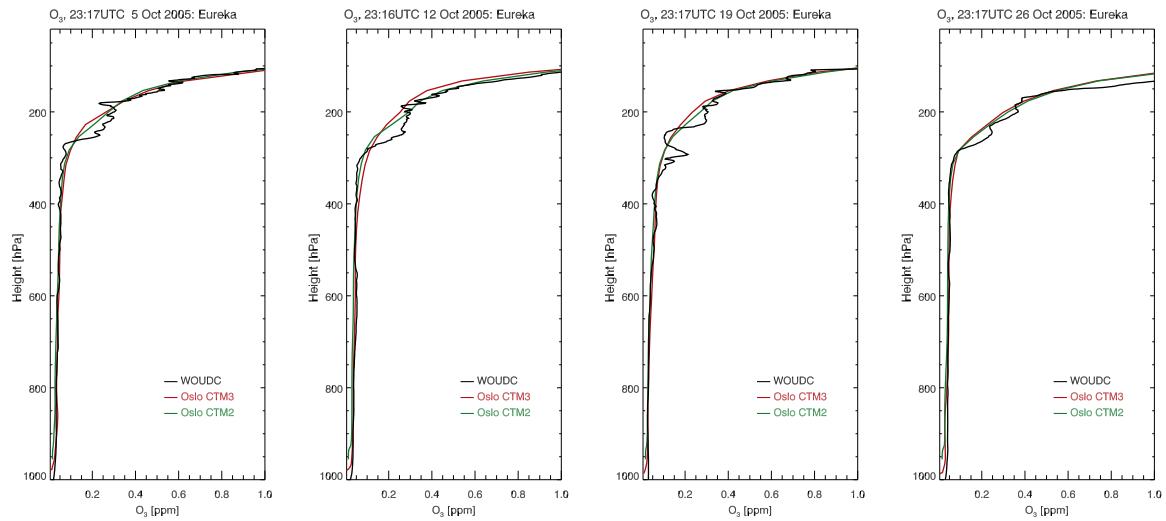
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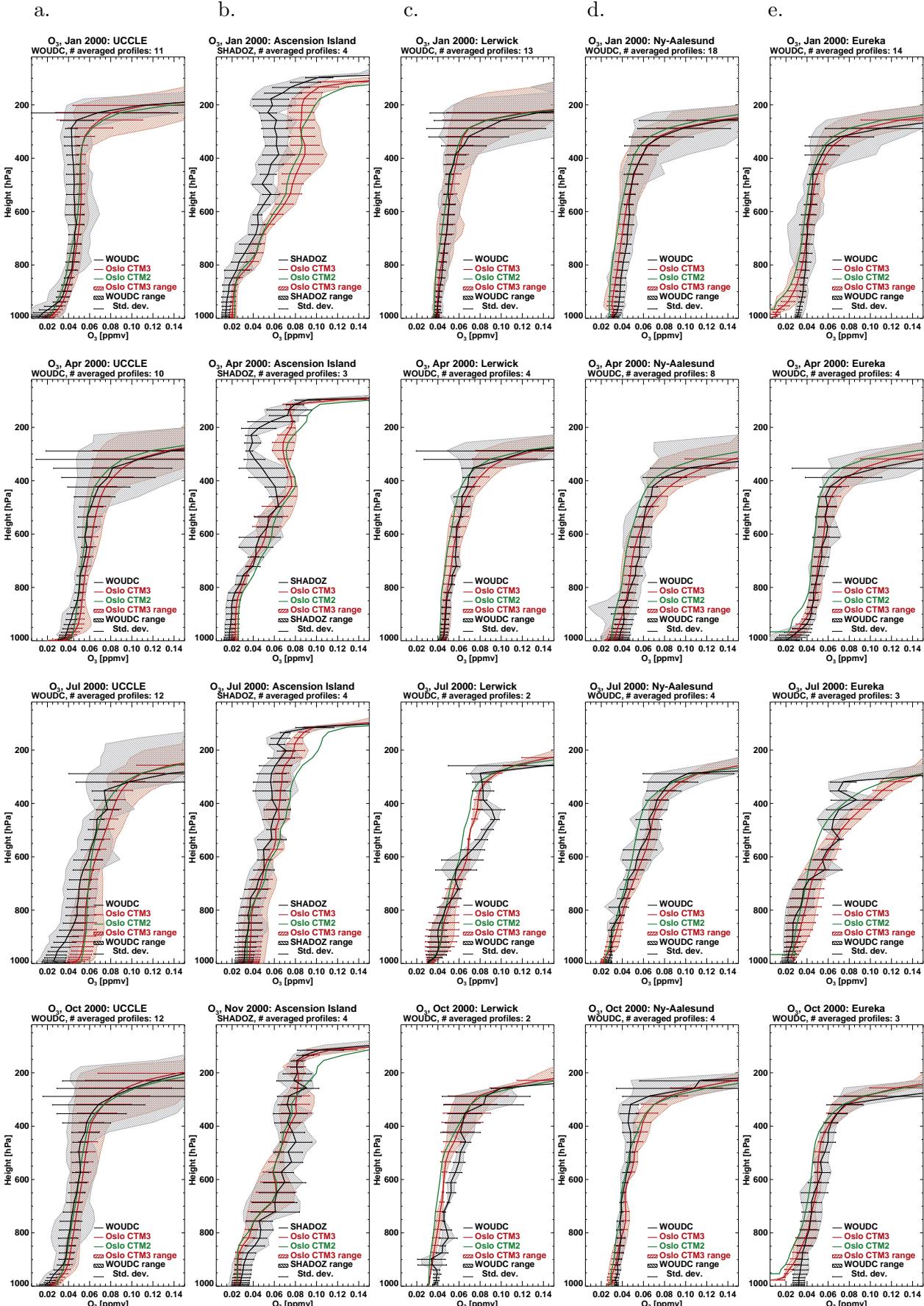


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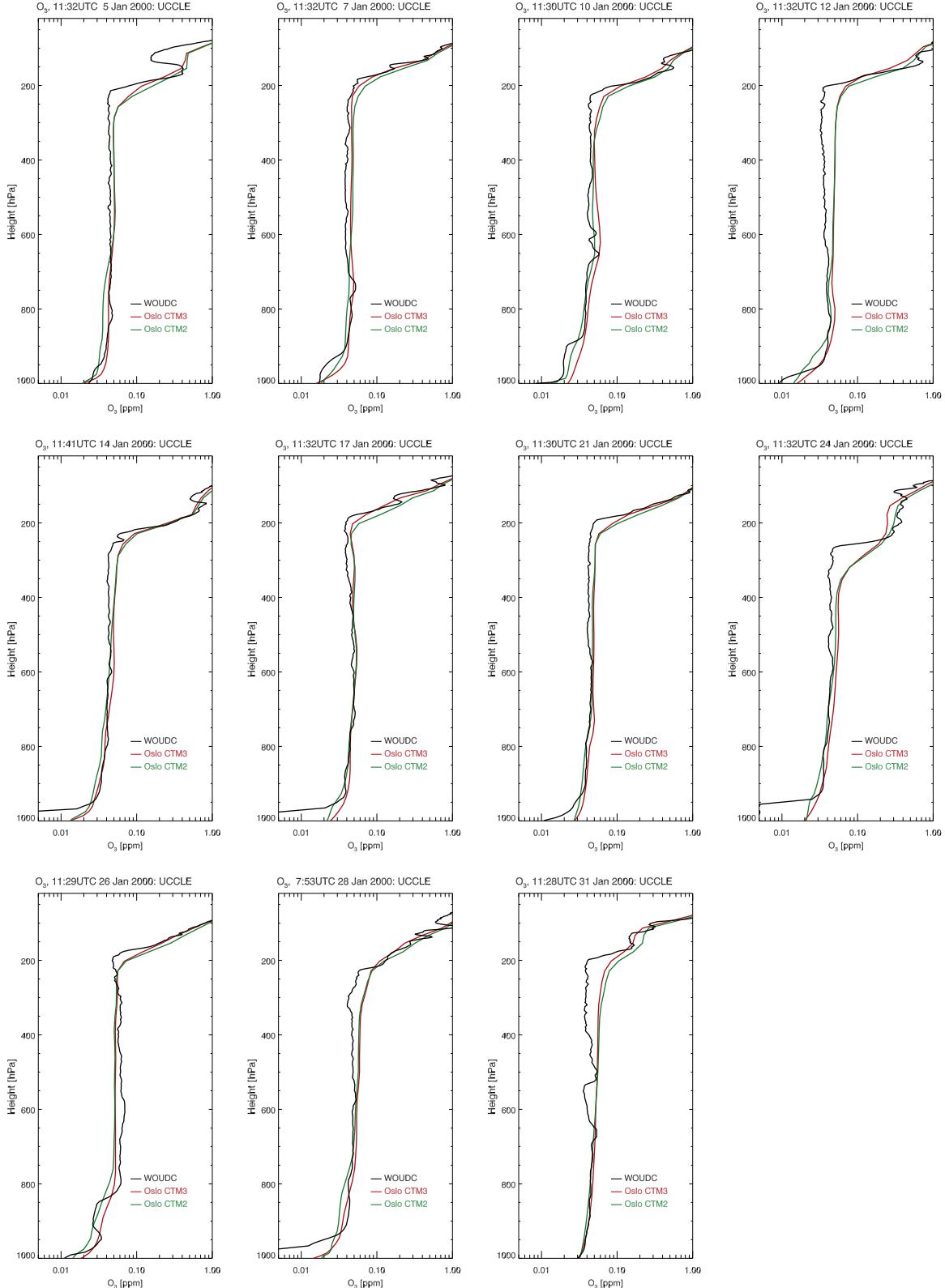
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Because the emissions used in the CTM3 are for the year 2000, it may be better to compare near-surface measurements for the year 2000. Whereas the distribution of emissions are probably similar, the amounts may be different. Therefore we include the evaluation for year 2000 here.

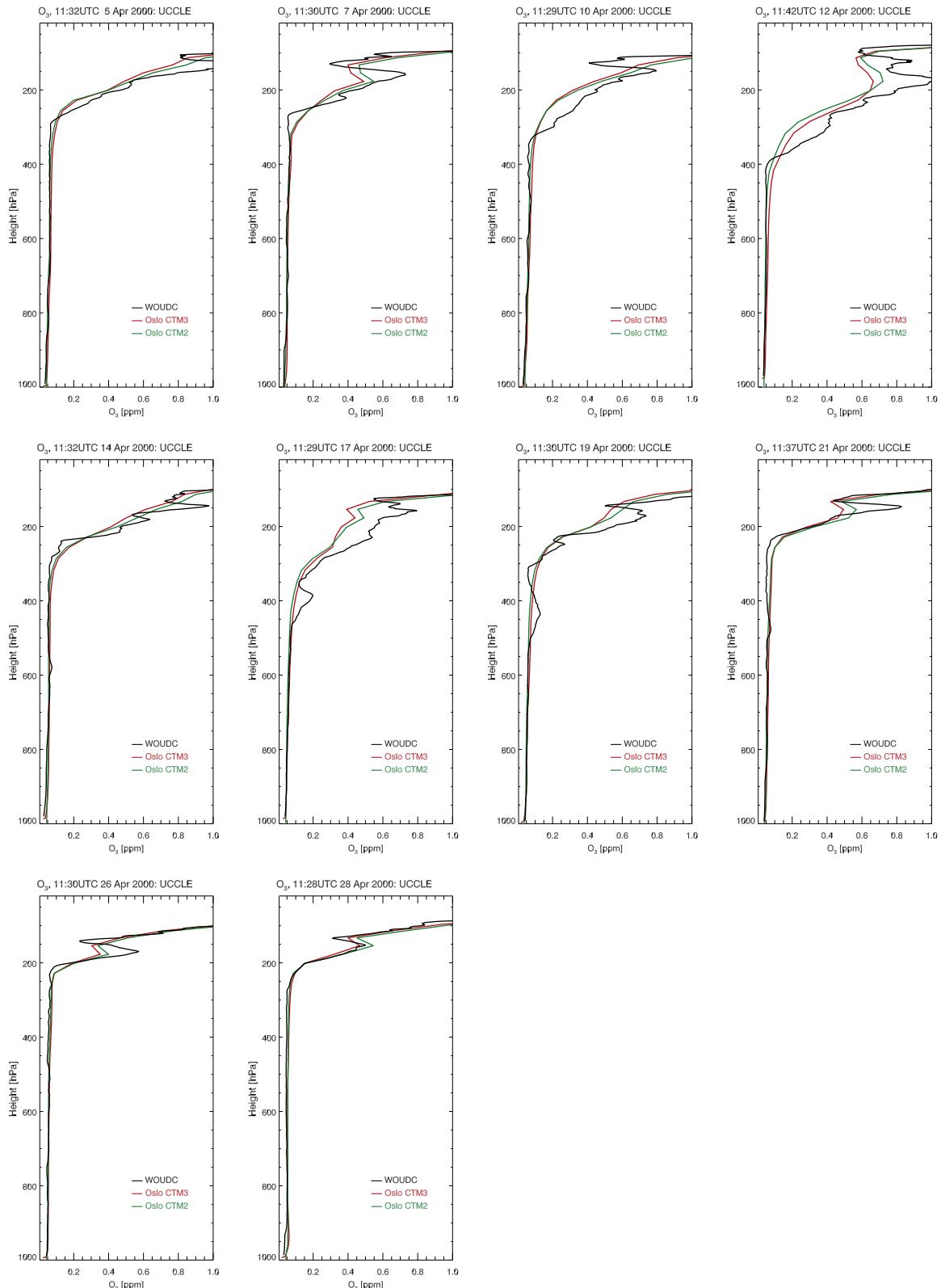


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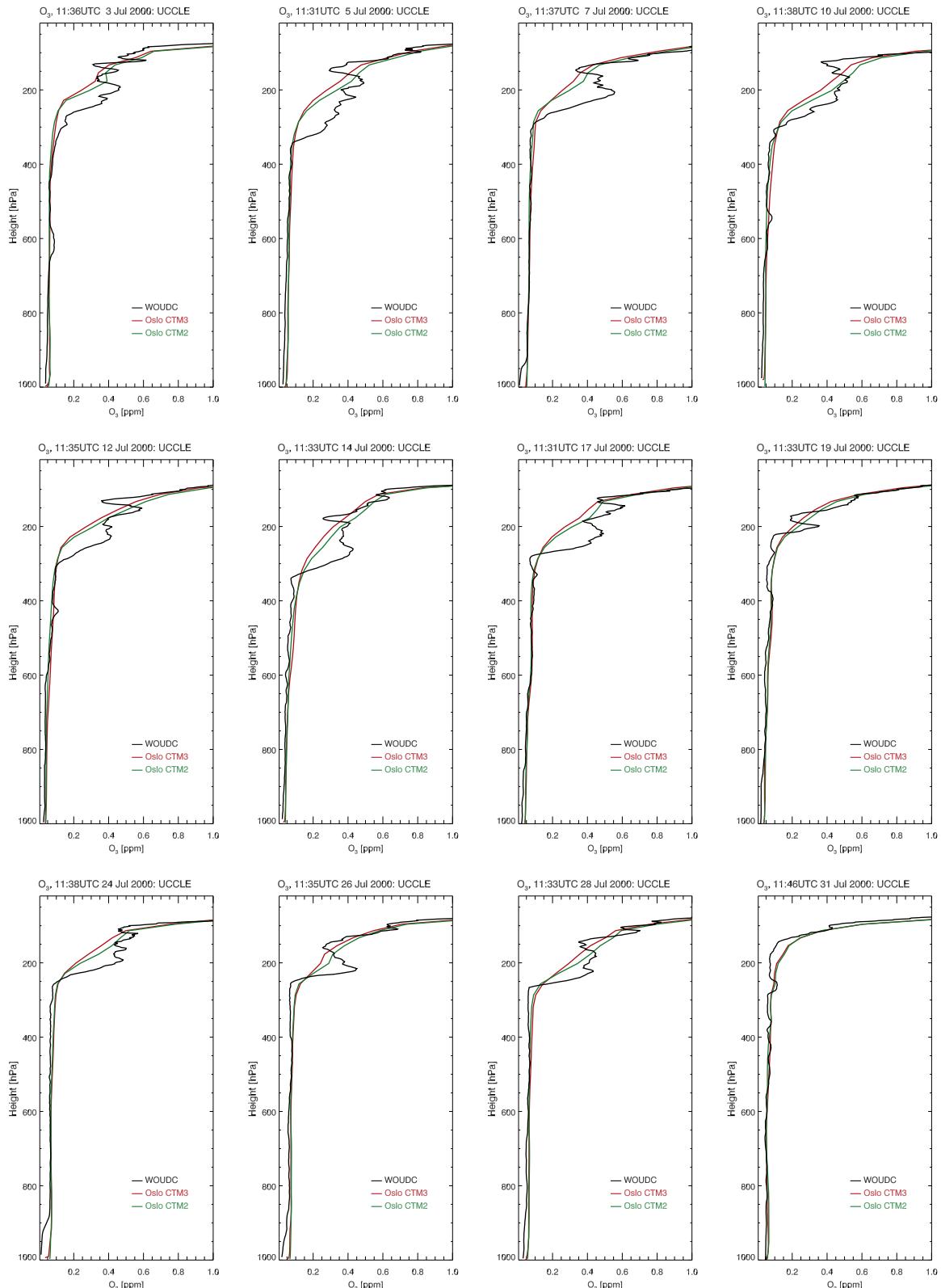
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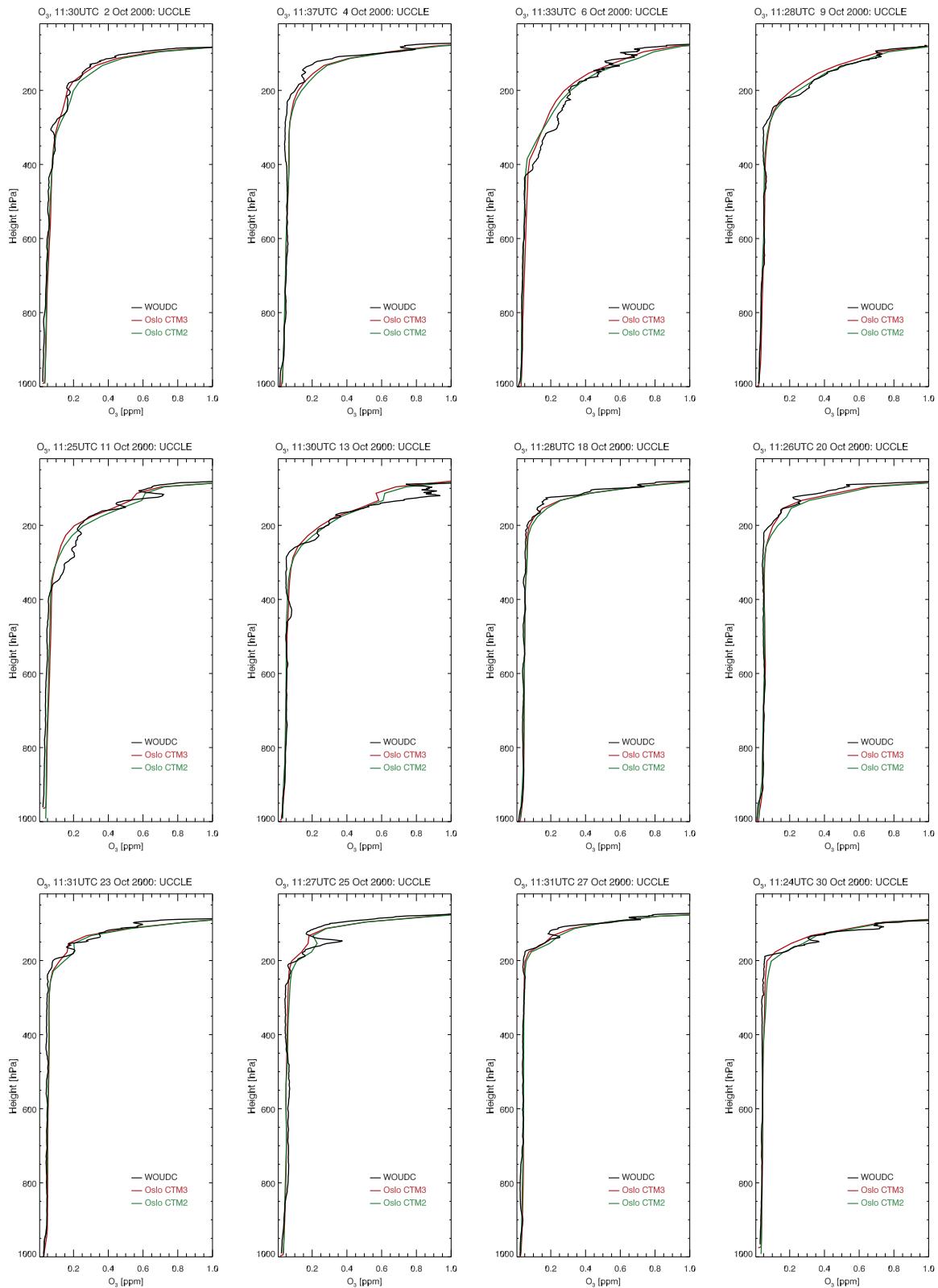
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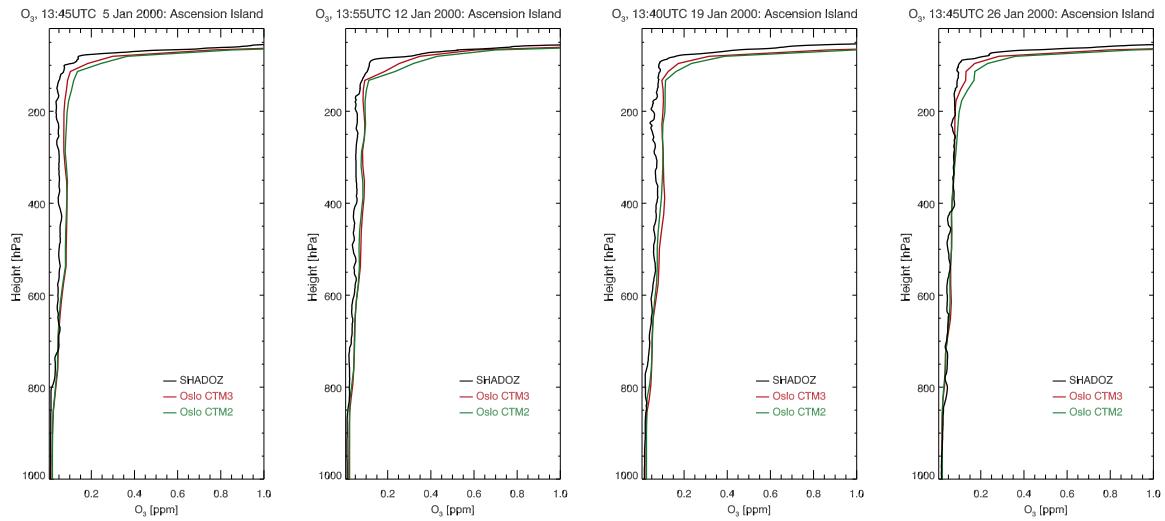
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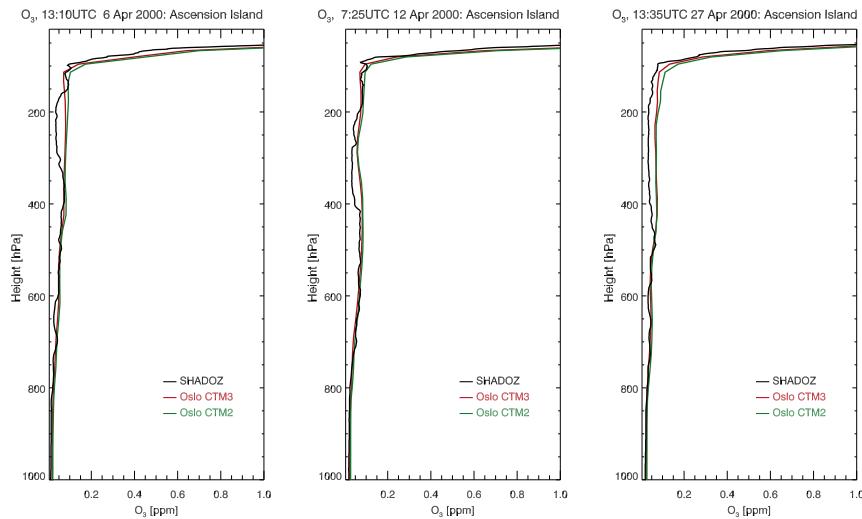
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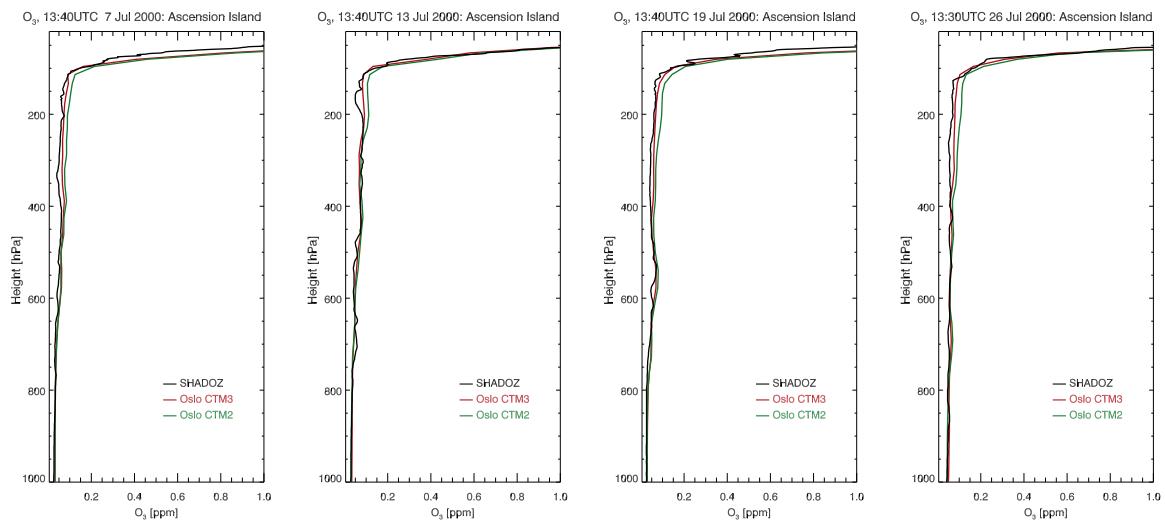
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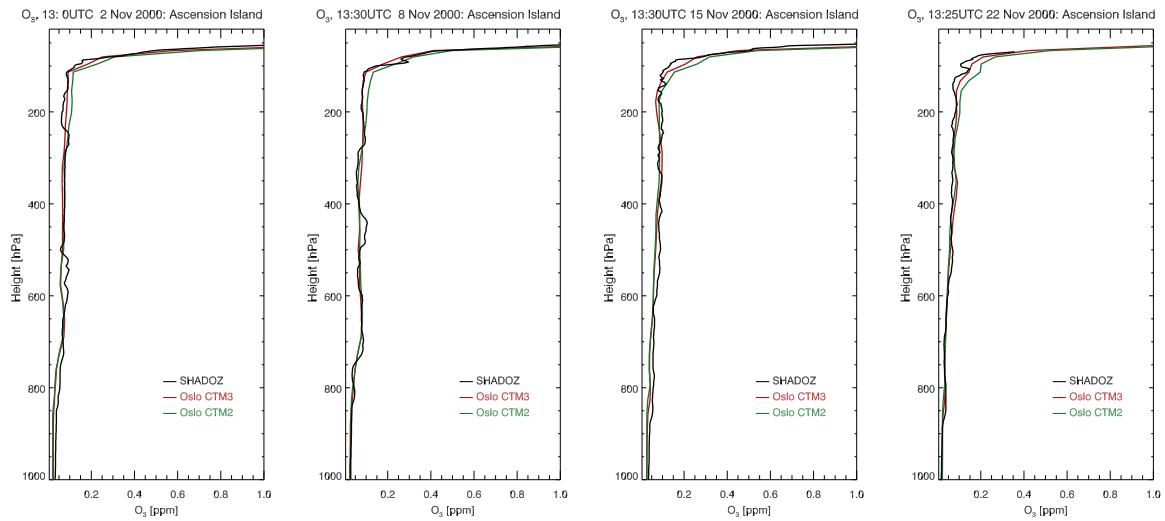
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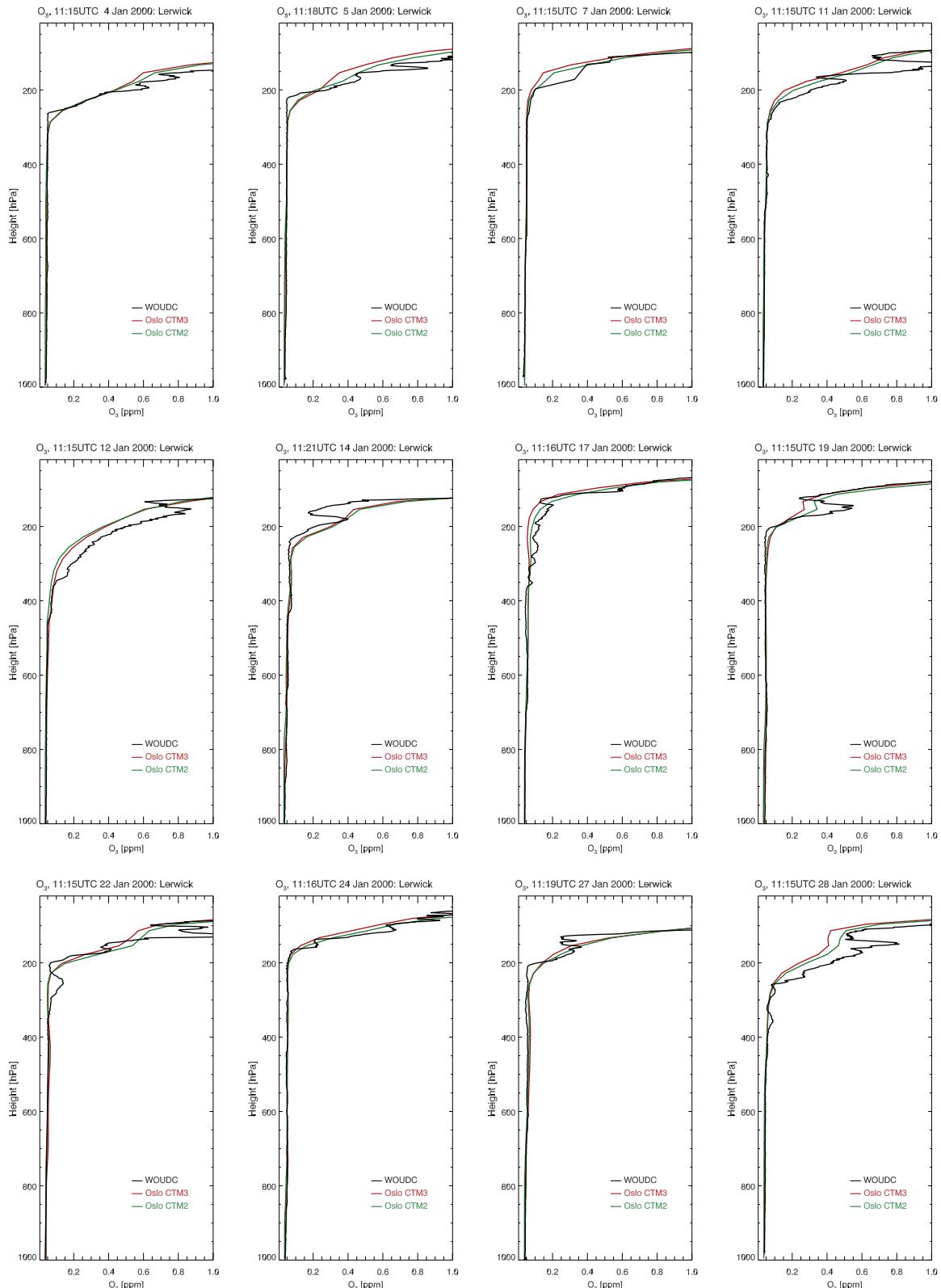
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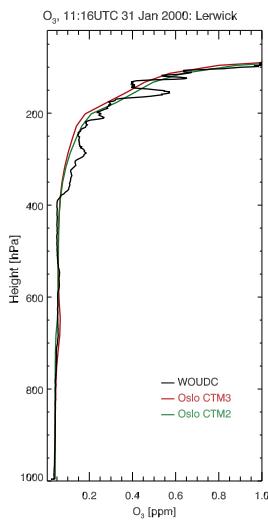


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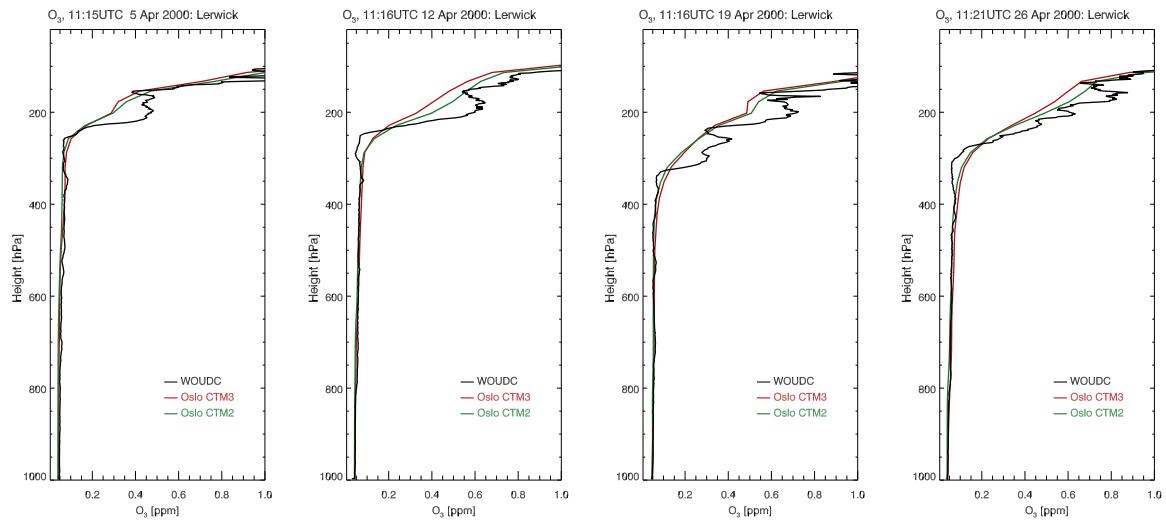


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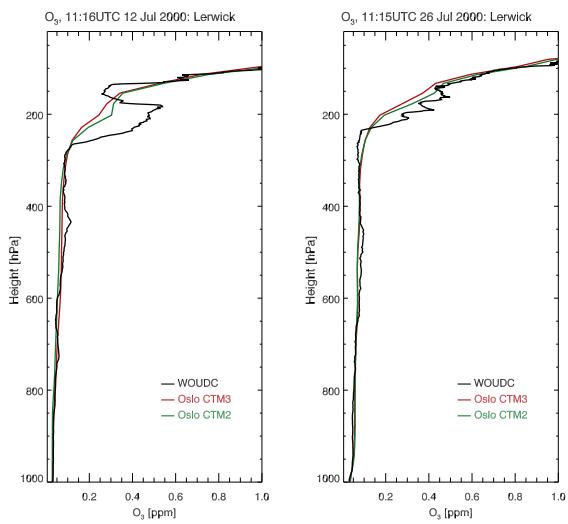




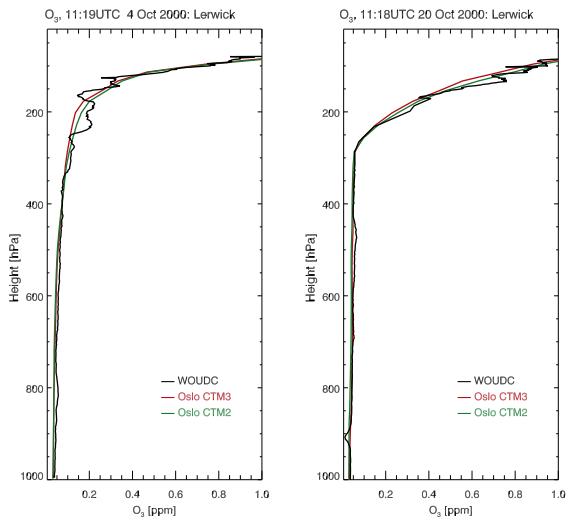
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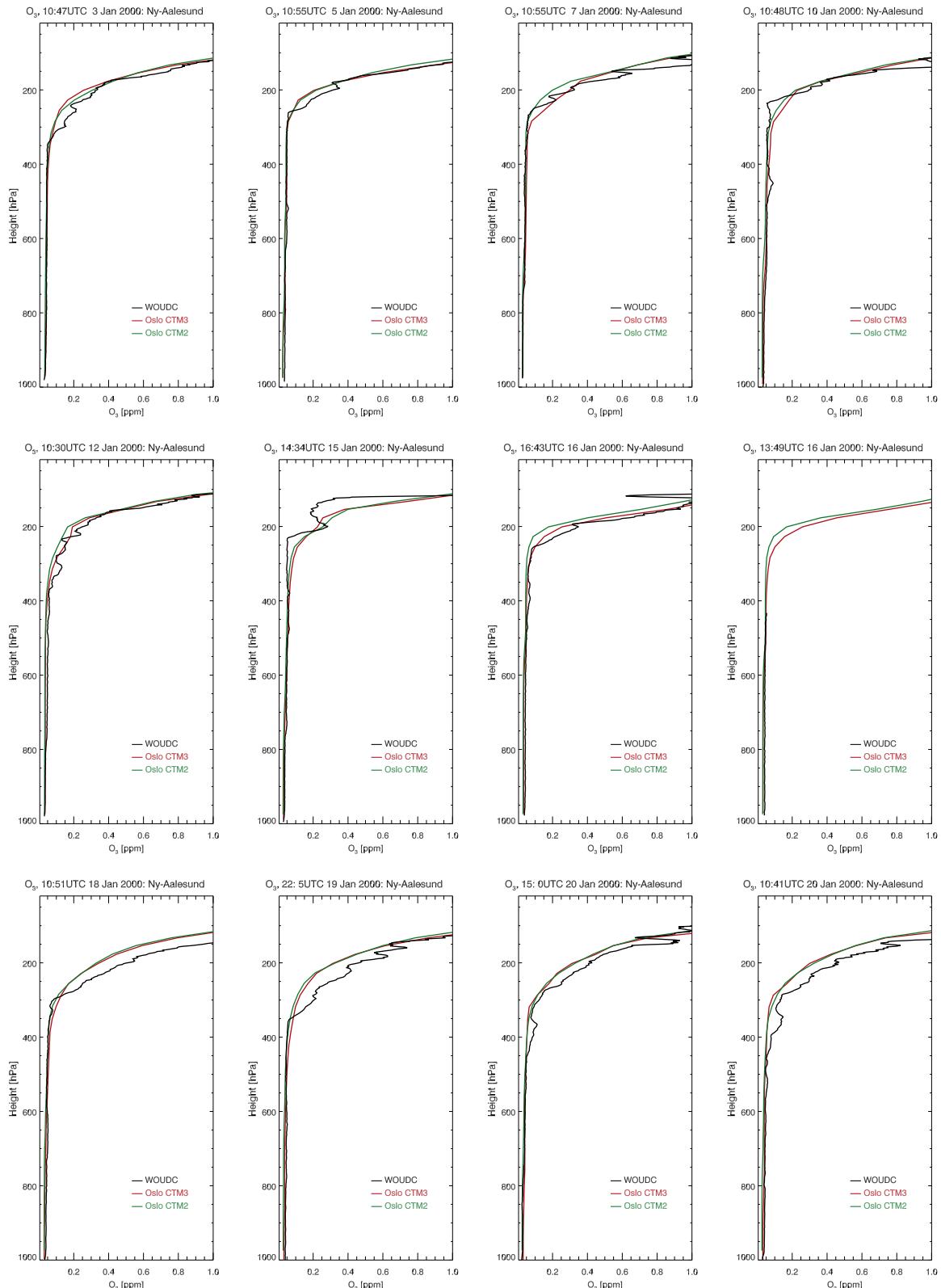
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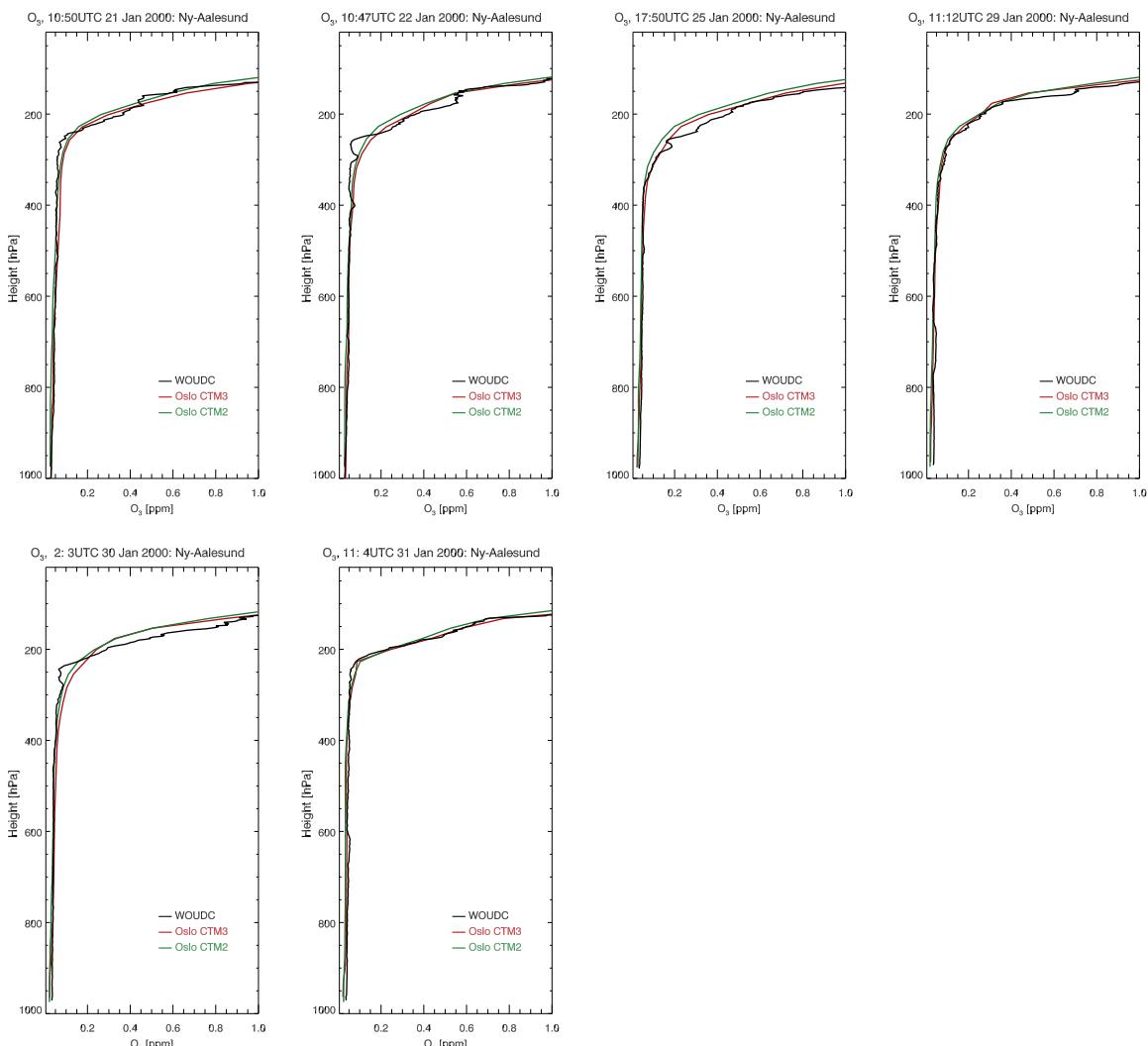


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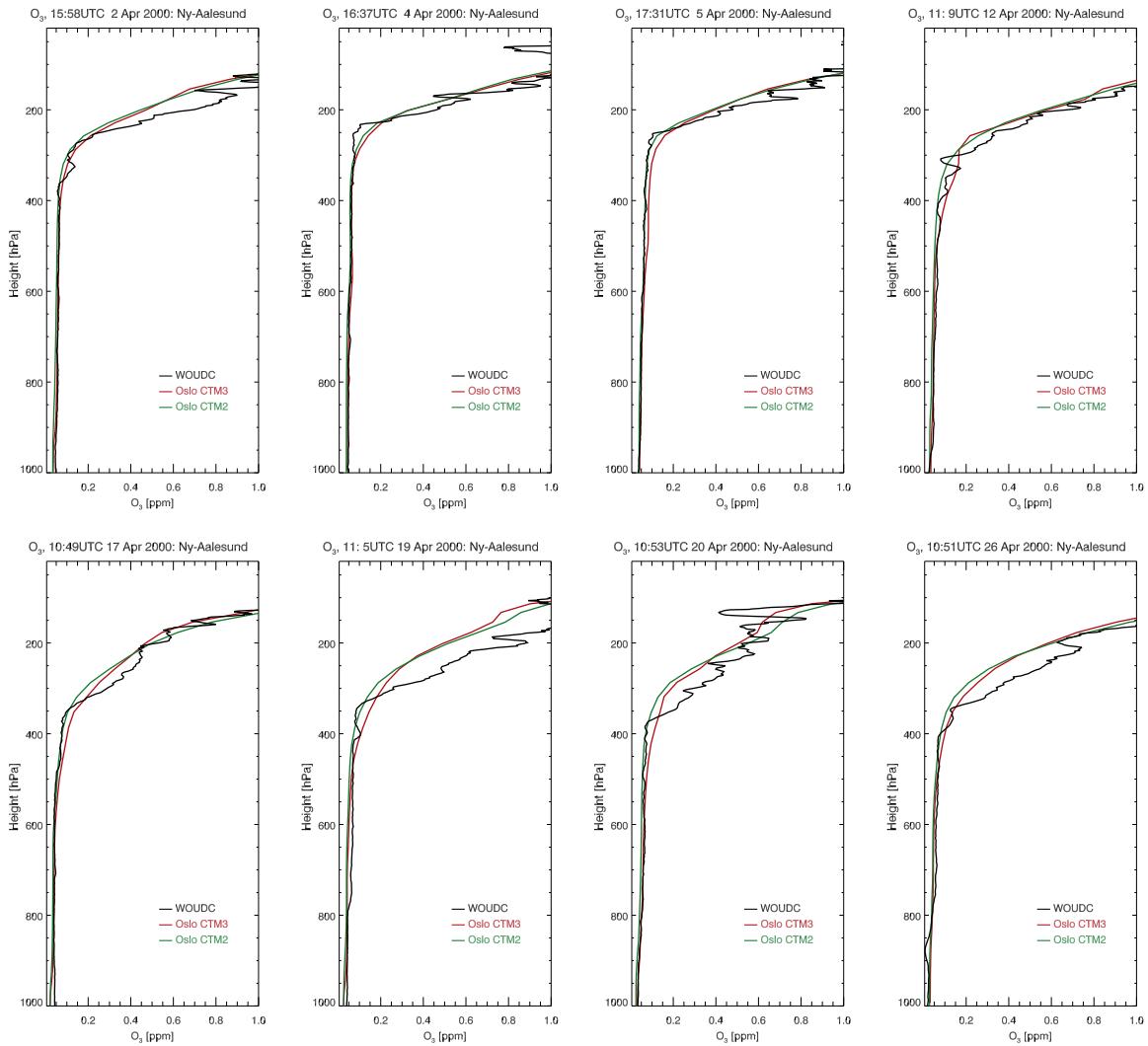


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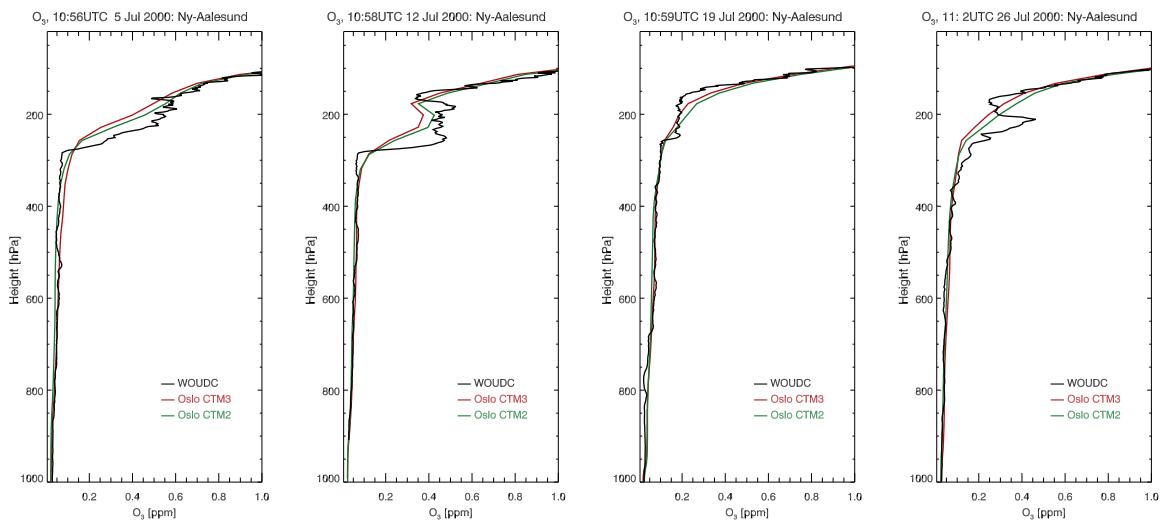




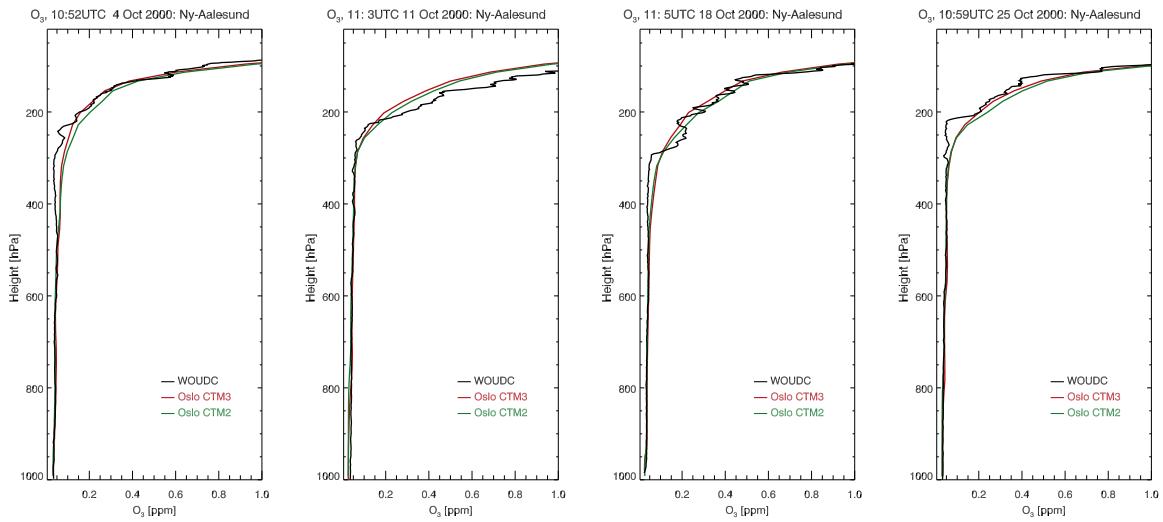
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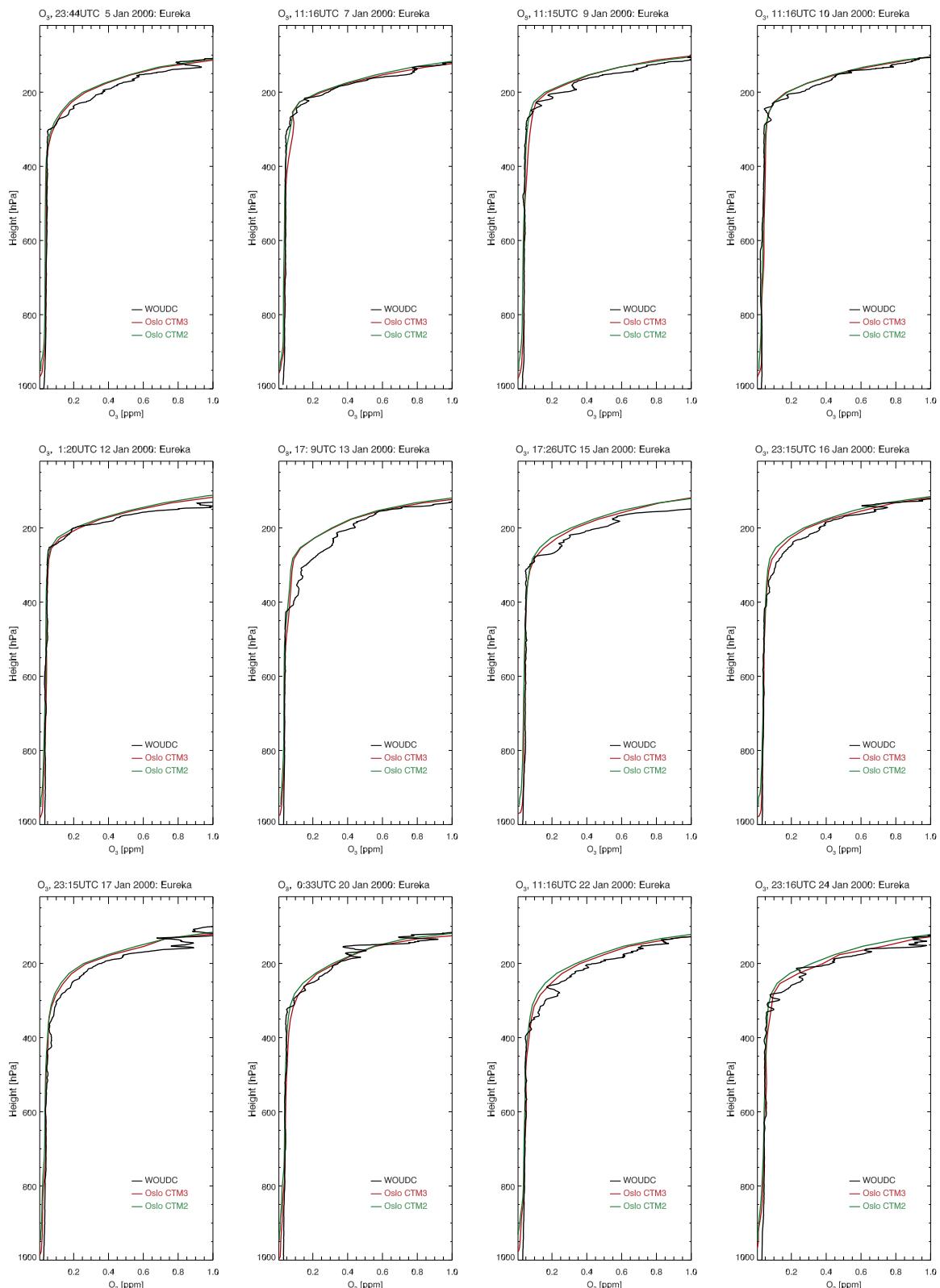
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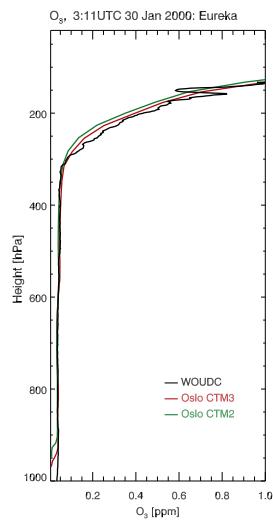
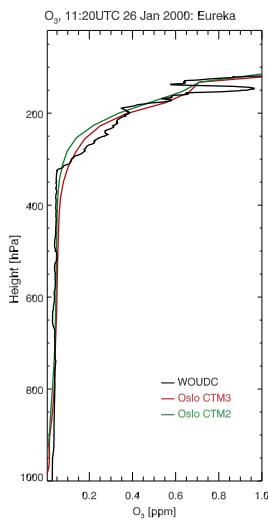


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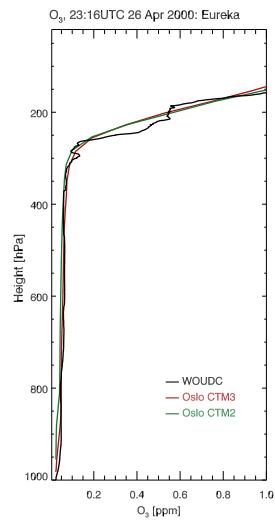
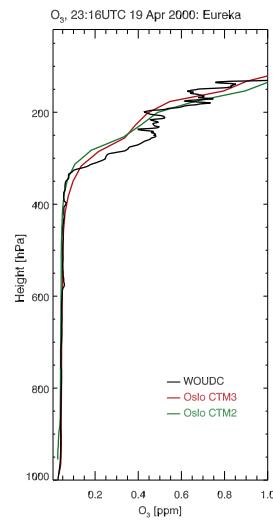
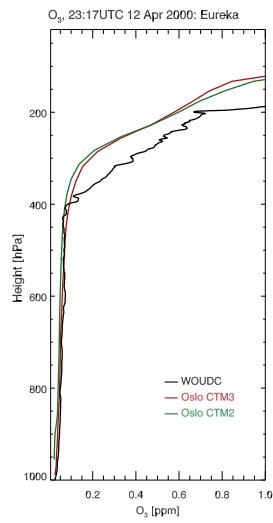
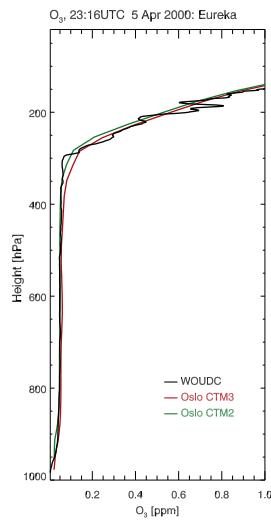


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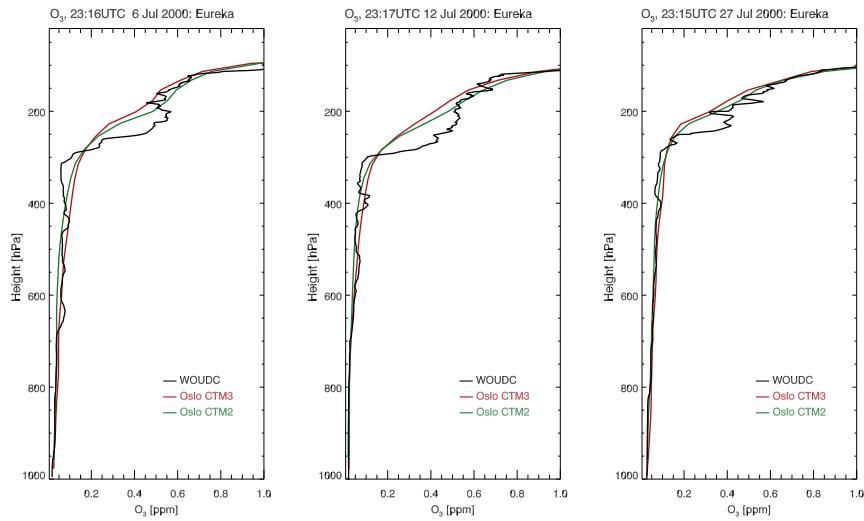




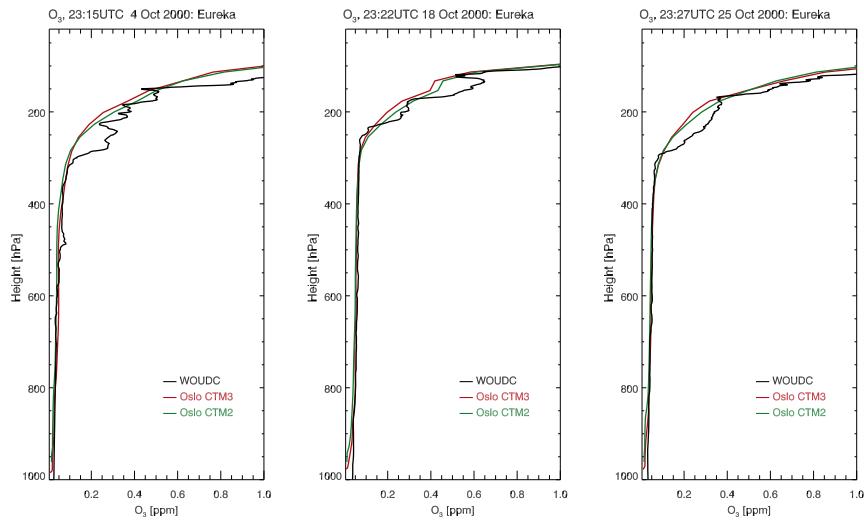
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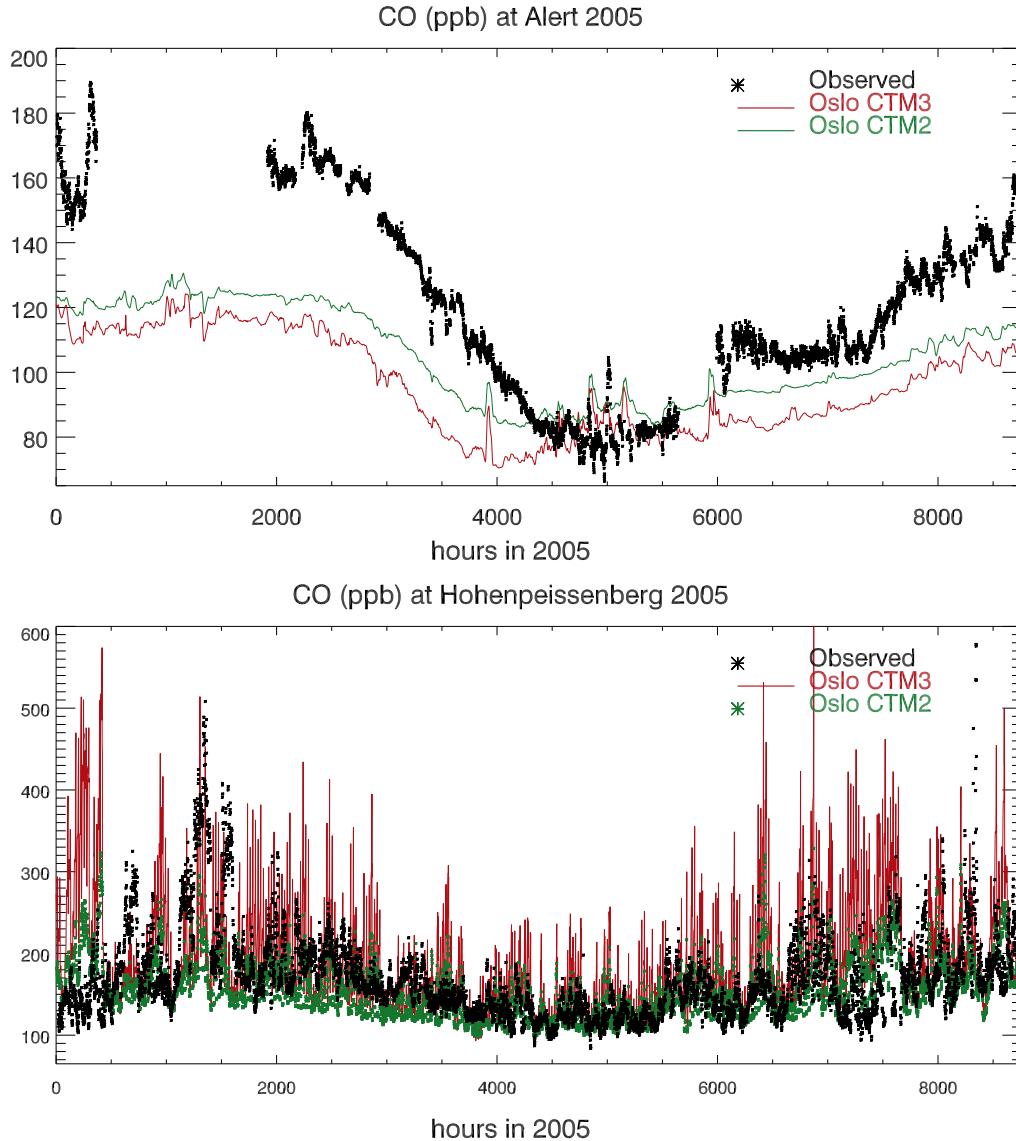


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4 Surface observations of CO

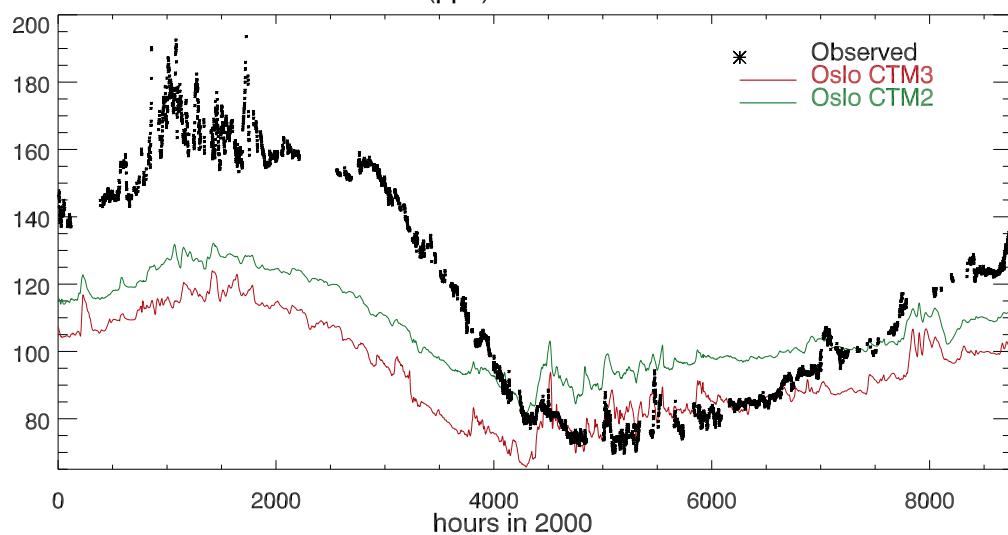
To check the model seasonal variation of CO, we compare the models against measurements at two stations; Alert and Hohenpeissenberg, shown in the figures below. The year is 2005, and it should be kept in mind that the model emissions are taken from the year 2000; it is expected that the horizontal distribution of CO emission has not changed much, although the amount emitted may have. However, a comparison with 2000 measurements gives similar conclusions (shown on the next page). The models underestimate winter-time CO at high northern latitudes, as found in earlier studies.



CO measurements from Alert Global Atmosphere Watch Observatory are delivered by Environment Canada (Doug.Worthy@ec.gc.ca), retrieved from the World Data Center for Greenhouse Gases.

CO data measured by the Hohenpeißenberg Meteorological Observatory, delivered by Deutscher Wetterdienst (Stefan.Gilge@dwd.de), were obtained from the WMO World Data Center for Greenhouse Gases in Tokyo.

CO (ppb) at Alert 2000



CO (ppb) at Hohenpeissenberg 2000

