

IASI L0 and L1 Daily Monitoring Report

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03/10/2011 00:00:00 - 04/10/2011 00:00:00

1 Introduction

This report provides summary monitoring plots and figures from IASI instrument on the MetOp-A satellite retrieved from the IASI L0 and L1 ENG product (3 minute data packet) for 03/10/2011 00:00:00 - 04/10/2011 00:00:00 .

The monitoring data are extracted on PDU basis.

Data extraction, calibration, processing and statistics are performed at EUMETSAT.

2 Data quantity 03/10/2011 00:00:00 - 04/10/2011 00:00:00

Product Type	Number	Action
L0 HKTM PDUs	481	-
L0 IASI PDUs	481	-
L1 ENG PDUs	480	-
L1 ENG distinct GEPSGranule	481	-
L1 DPX PDUs (RM: IASI-HIRS)	480	-
L1 DPS Files (RM: OBS-CAL NWP based)	480	-

Table 1: Data quantity

APID	Seq from	Seq to	Time from	Time to
PX1 (130)	10912	10929	20111003105536.380	20111003105541.568
PX1 (130)	4382	4396	20111003174329.161	20111003174333.700
PX1 (130)	9820	9830	20111003192029.257	20111003192031.417
PX1 (130)	4919	4949	20111003223709.439	20111003223717.439
PX2 (135)	10912	10929	20111003105536.380	20111003105541.568
PX2 (135)	4382	4396	20111003174329.161	20111003174333.700
PX2 (135)	9820	9829	20111003192029.257	20111003192031.202
PX2 (135)	4919	4948	20111003223709.439	20111003223717.224
PX3 (140)	10912	10929	20111003105536.380	20111003105541.568
PX3 (140)	4382	4396	20111003174329.161	20111003174333.700
PX3 (140)	9820	9829	20111003192029.257	20111003192031.202
PX3 (140)	4918	4948	20111003223709.224	20111003223717.224
PX4 (145)	10912	10929	20111003105536.380	20111003105541.568
PX4 (145)	4382	4396	20111003174329.161	20111003174333.700
PX4 (145)	9819	9829	20111003192029.038	20111003192031.202
PX4 (145)	4918	4948	20111003223709.224	20111003223717.224
IMG (150)	8259	8281	20111003105536.165	20111003105541.568
IMG (150)	13970	13983	20111003174330.458	20111003174333.485

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APID	Seq from	Seq to	Time from	Time to
IMG (150)	5931	5941	20111003192029.038	20111003192031.202
IMG (150)	6930	6964	20111003223709.224	20111003223717.224
VER (160)	4922	4928	20111003105529.247	20111003105545.243
VER (160)	14848	14854	20111003223705.115	20111003223721.115
AUX (180)	7528	7530	20111003105529.677	20111003105545.677
AUX (180)	12790	12792	20111003223705.548	20111003223721.548

Table 2: L0 data gaps

3 Instrument modes

Time	Transition from	Transition to
03/10/2011 00:00:12	-	Normal operation

Table 3: Instrument modes

4 L0 and L1 Data Quality

Flag	Value	Action
L0 IASI PDUs	481	-
L1 ENG PDUs	480	-
L1 ENG distinct GEPSGranule	481	-
GQisFlagQual set (PX1)	99.22 %	-
GQisFlagQual set (PX2)	99.12 %	-
GQisFlagQual set (PX3)	99.21 %	-
GQisFlagQual set (PX4)	99.29 %	-
GQisFlagQual set (all)	99.21 %	-

Table 4: Quality flags

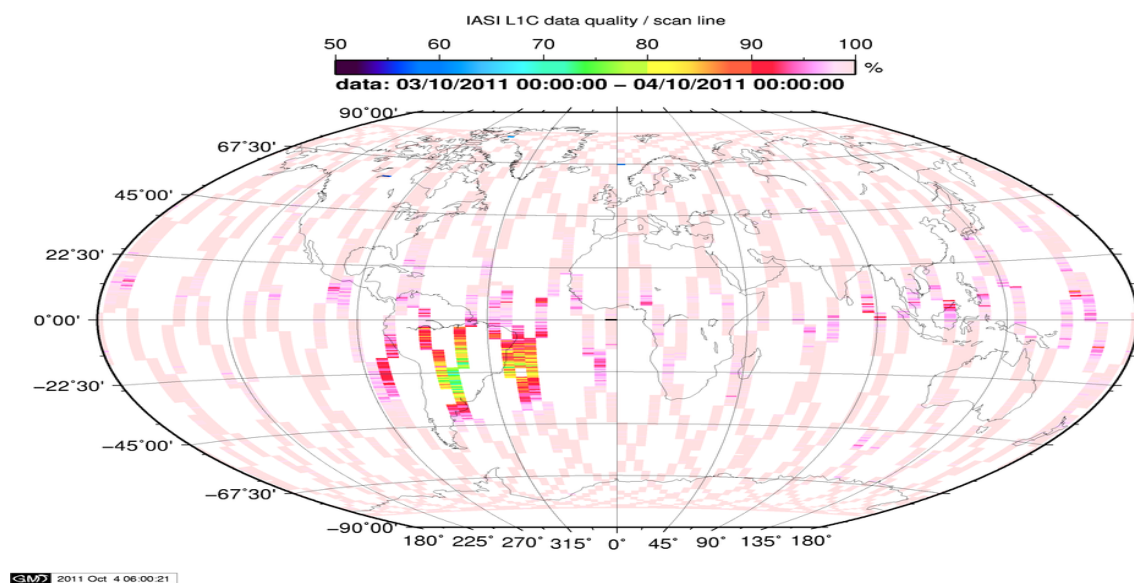


Figure 1: L1C data quality

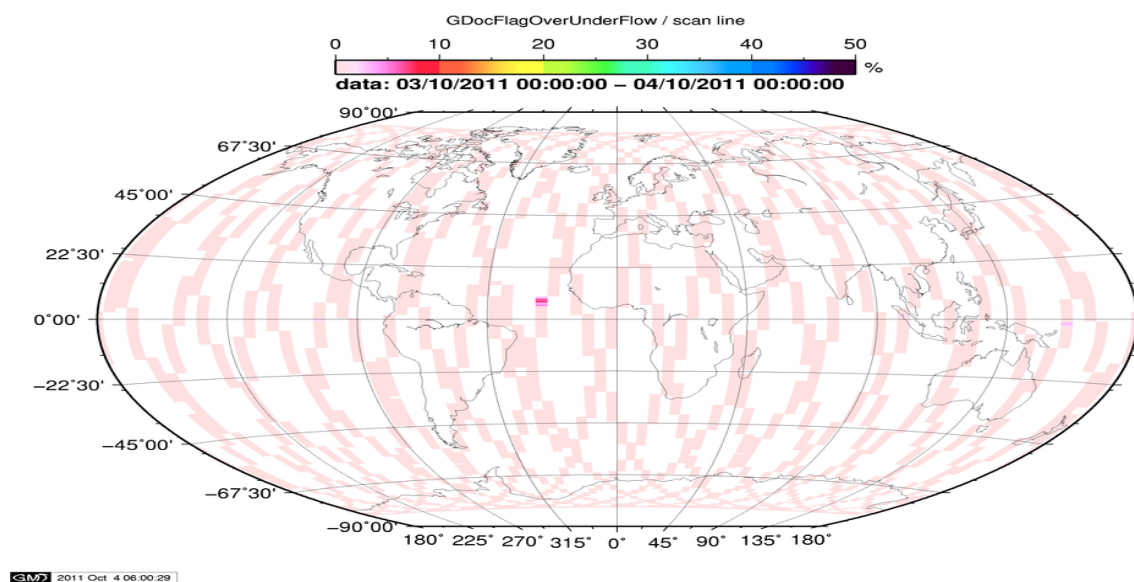


Figure 2: Flag of Over and Under Flows

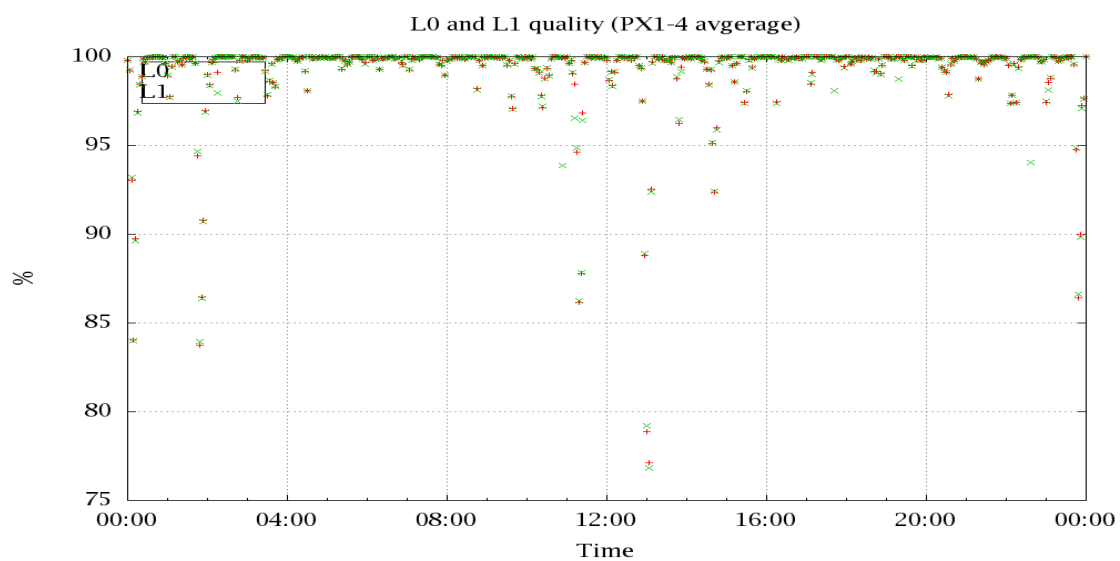


Figure 3: Level 0 and 1C overall quality

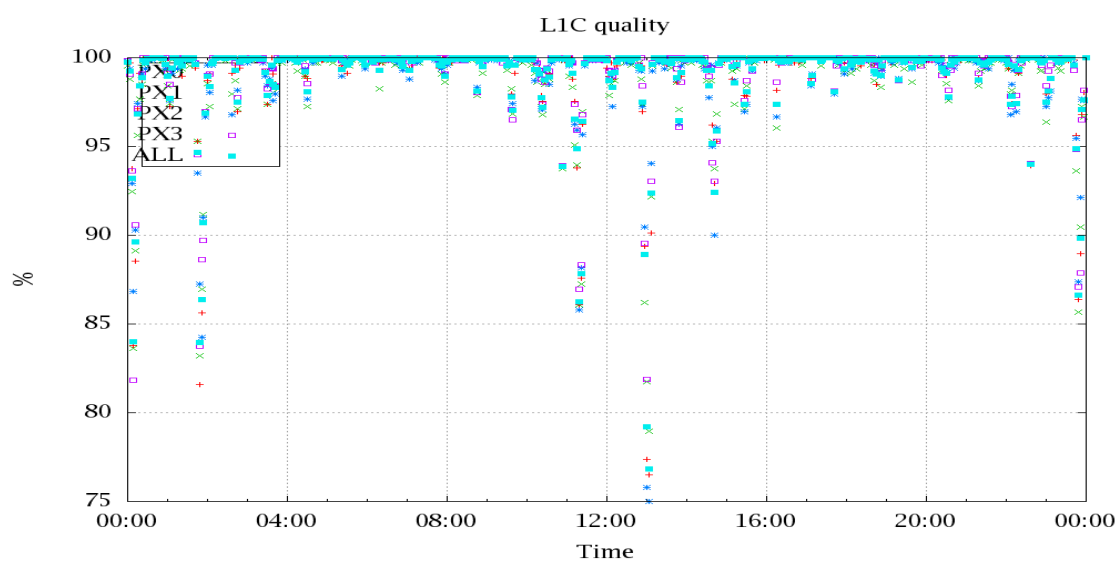


Figure 4: Level 1C quality

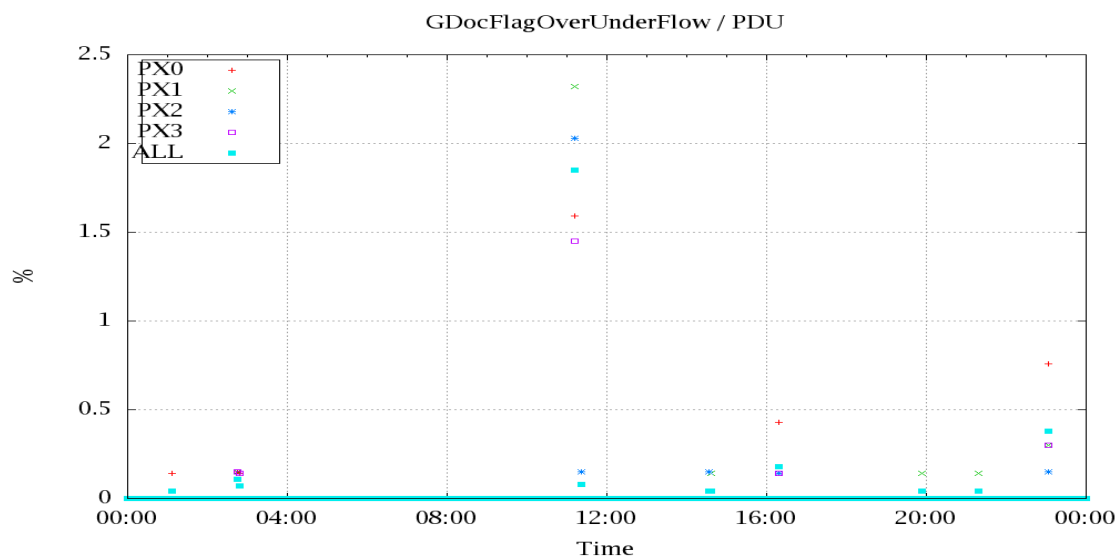


Figure 5: OverUnderFlowFlag timeseries

5 Radiance monitoring based on NWP

The radiance monitoring compares the IASI measurements (L1C-eps-products) obtained under clear sky situation over sea with modeled radiances. Cloud identification is based on cloud flag of co-located AVHRR L1B data in addition to information from the IASI L1C clustering analysis here only homogenous situations are taken into account (99.0 percent in first class). A radiative transfer model (RTM) is feed with co-located ECMWF profiles of T,WV, and Ozon. Between March 2007 and the 18th of May 2010 RTIASI in Version 4.0 is used. After that date the RTTOV model in V9.3 is used. Information about the SST is obtained from the AVHRR L1B or taken from AVHRR scenes analysis (CGS only). In the following figures 10 to 16 the so-called radiance anomaly is shown. The radiance anomaly is defined as the difference between the quarter daily radiance average OBS-CAL (over all pixel and scan position 10 to 20) and the average bias OBS-CAL (over all pixel and scan position 10 to 20) of the last 30 days.

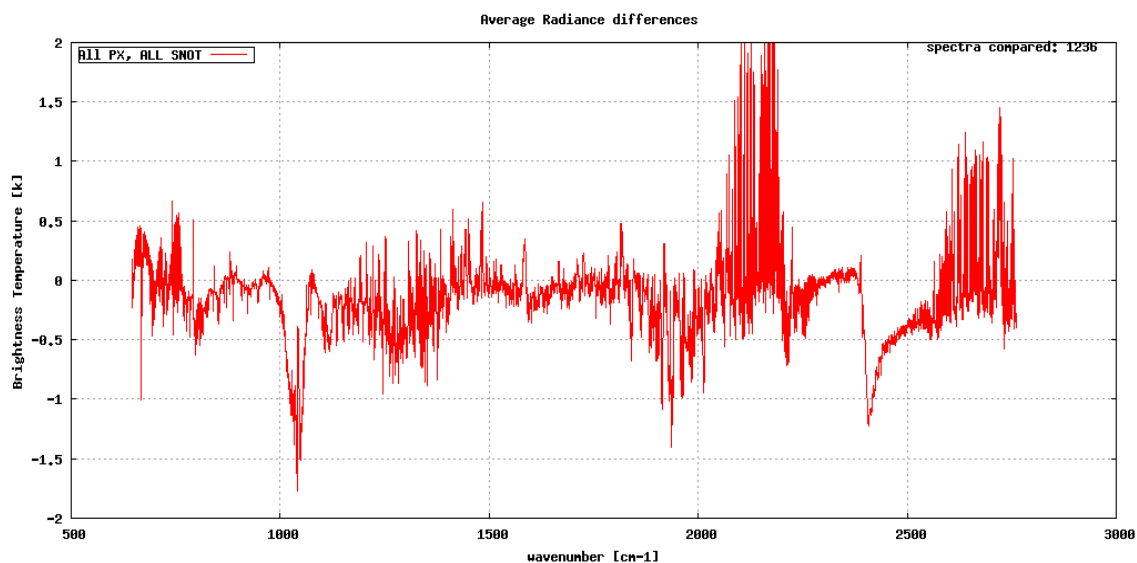


Figure 6: Average Radiance differences: OBS-CAL

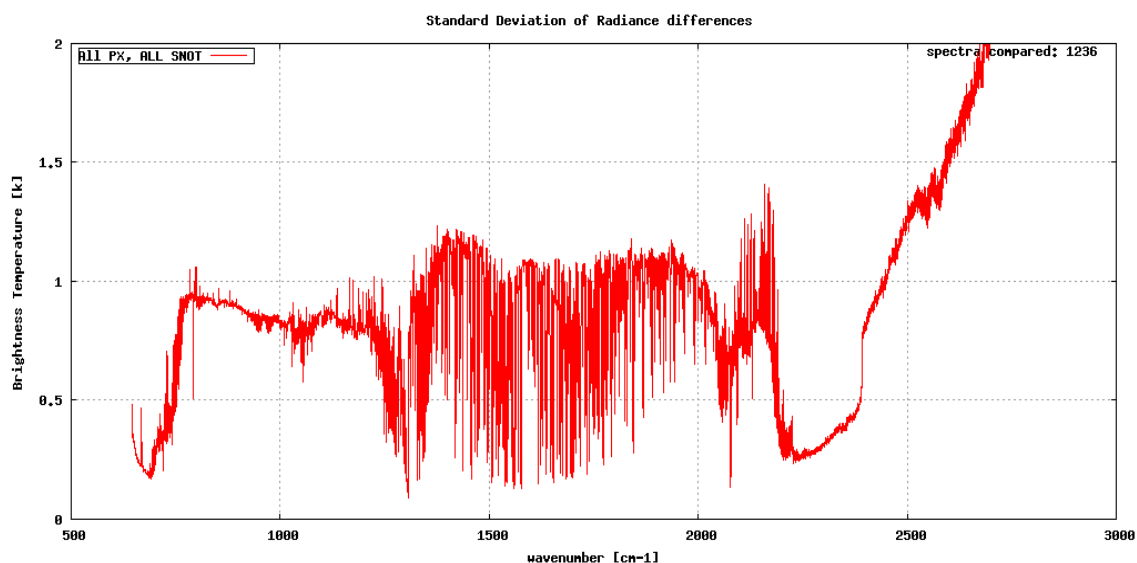


Figure 7: Standard Deviation of Radiance differences

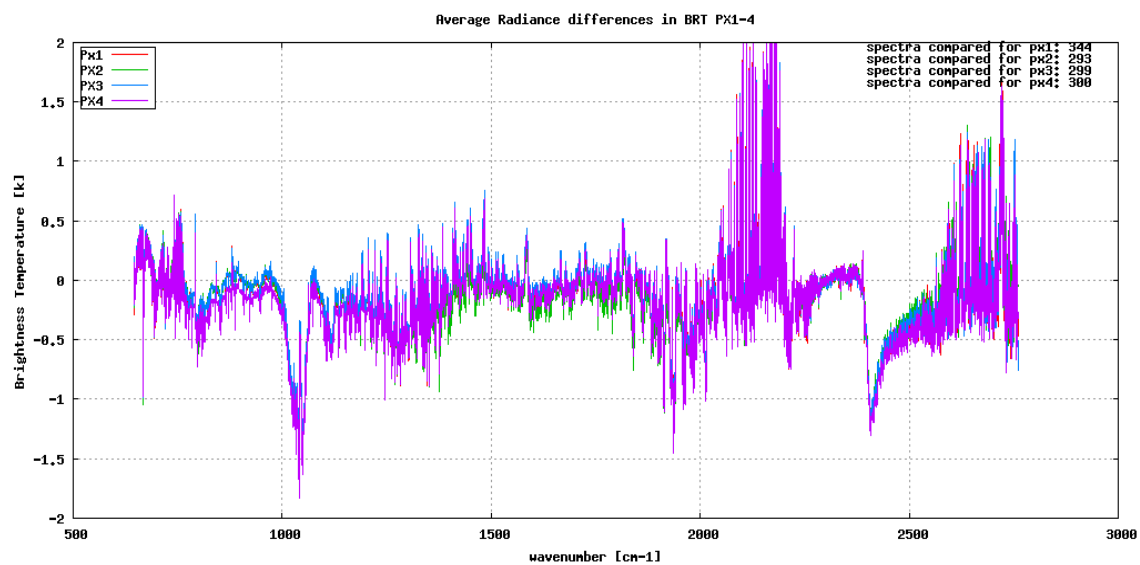


Figure 8: Average Radiance differences: OBS-CAL

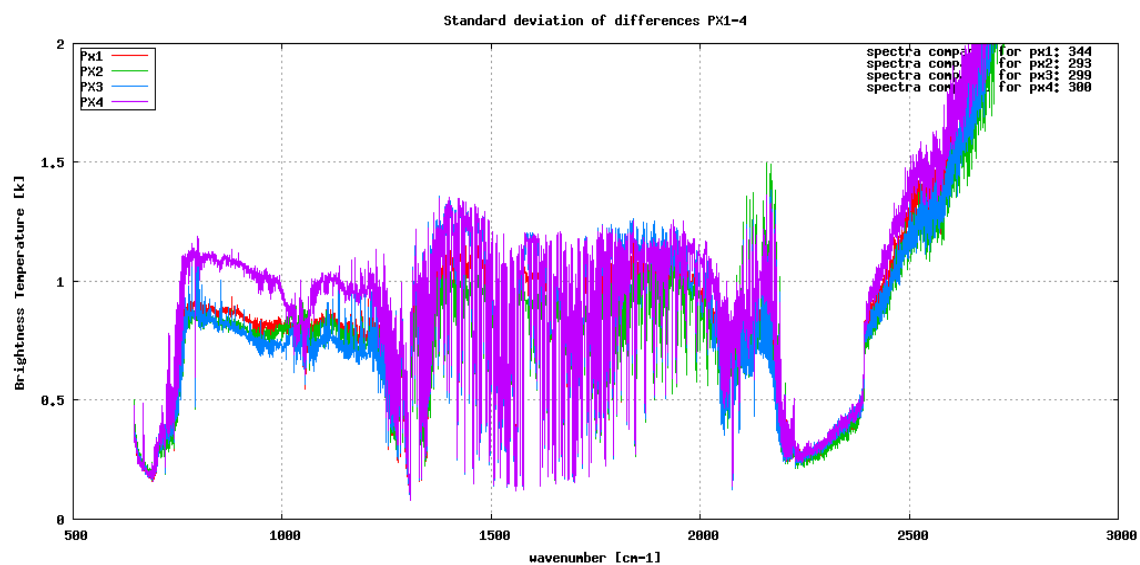


Figure 9: Standard Deviation of Radiance differences

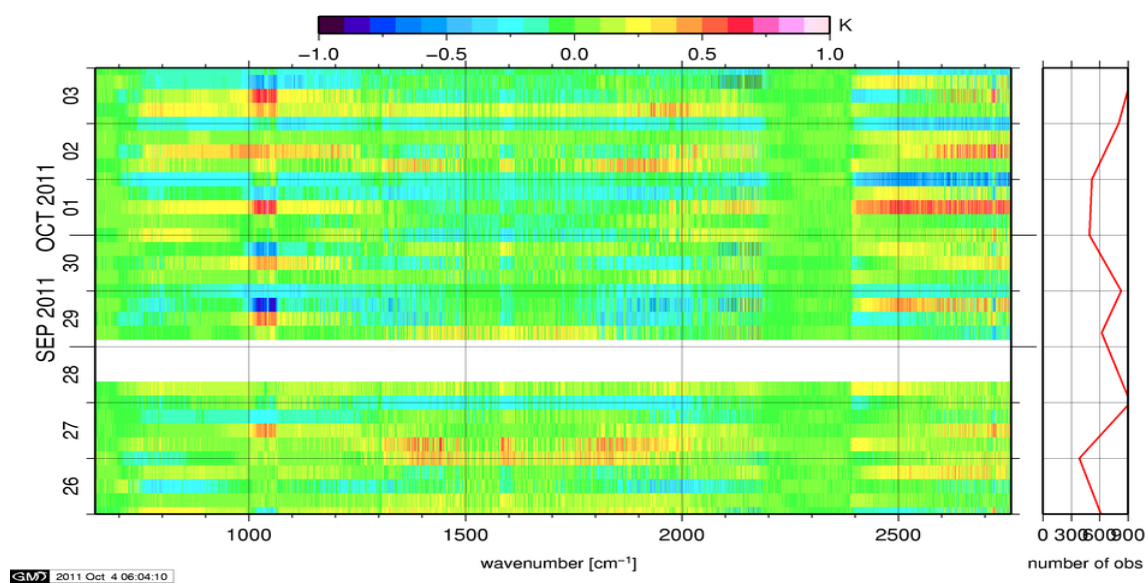


Figure 10: Radiance Anomaly in BRT: All Channels

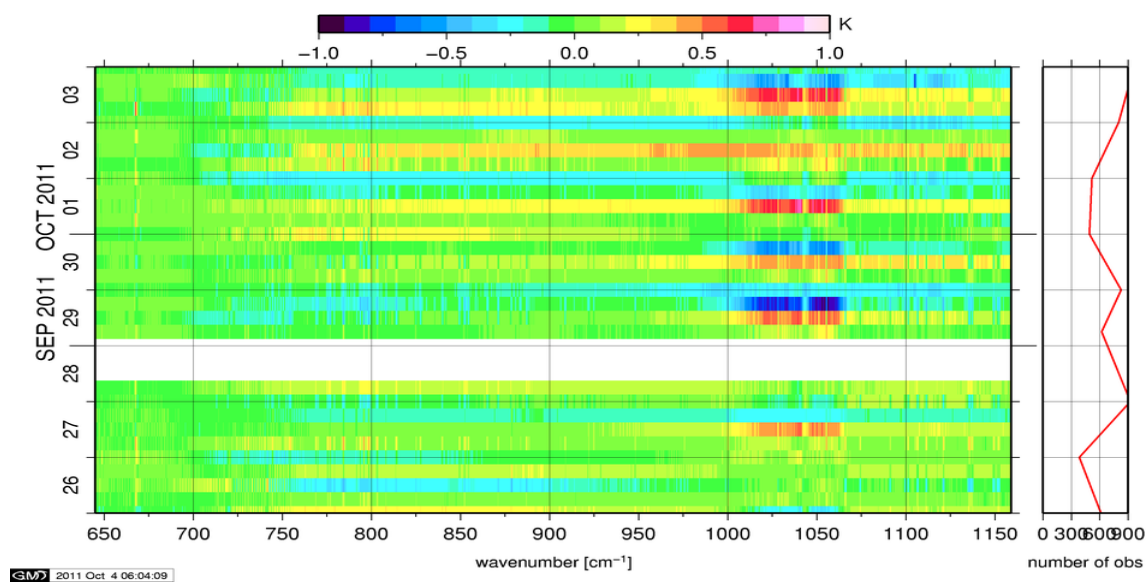


Figure 11: Radiance Anomaly in BRT: IASI Band 1

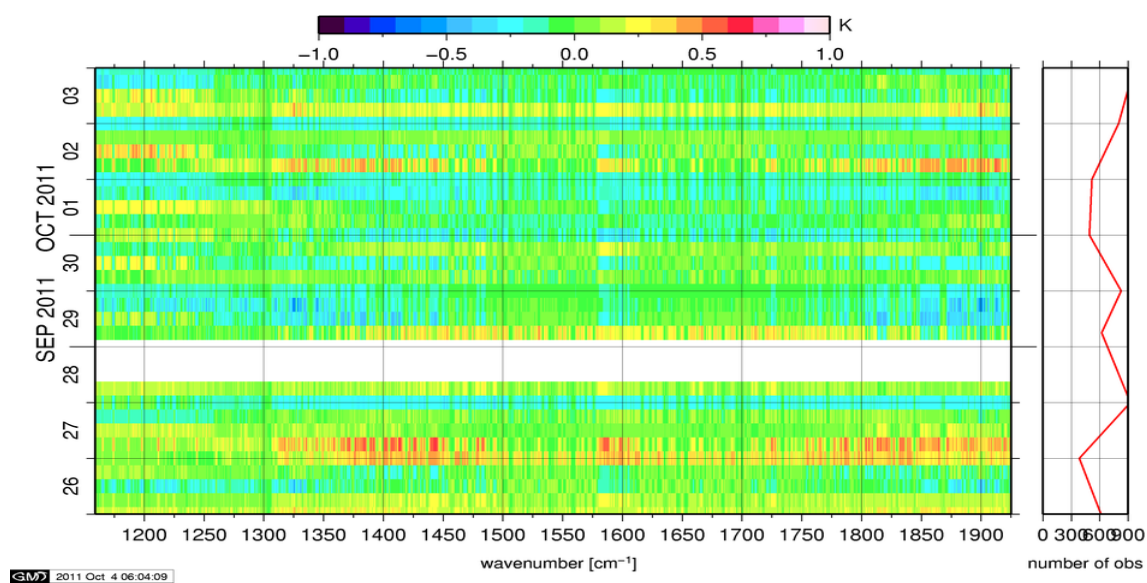


Figure 12: Radiance Anomaly in BRT: IASI Band 2

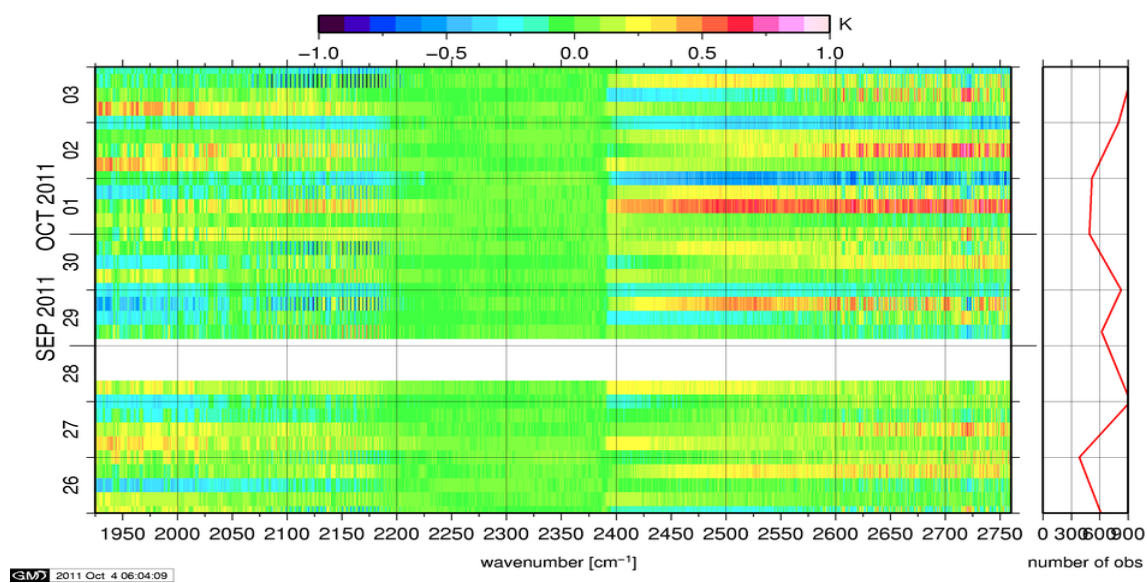


Figure 13: Radiance Anomaly in BRT: IASI Band 3

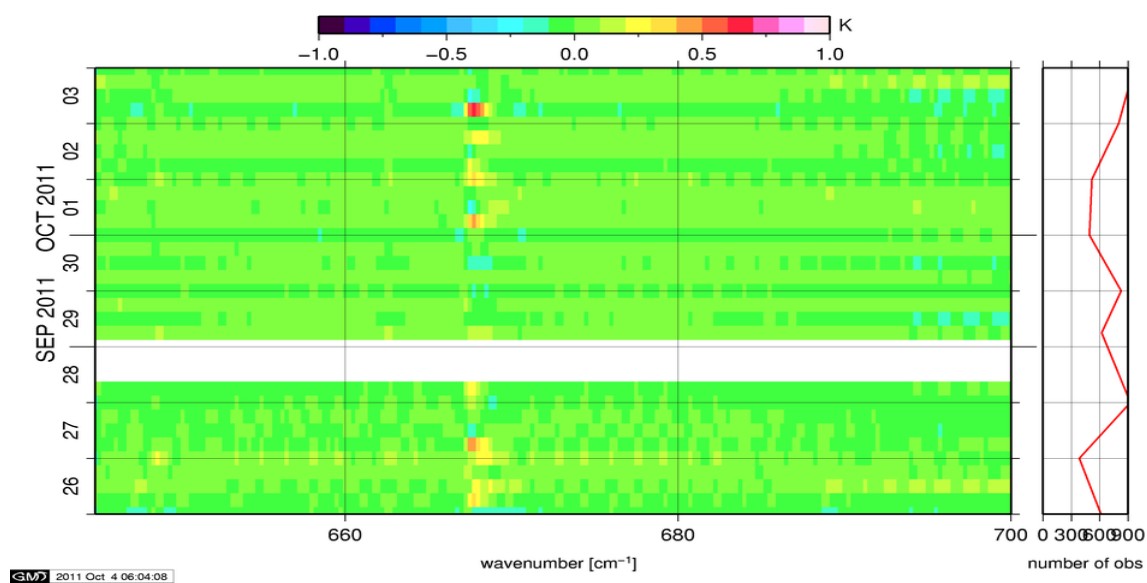


Figure 14: Radiance Anomaly in BRT: CO2 14

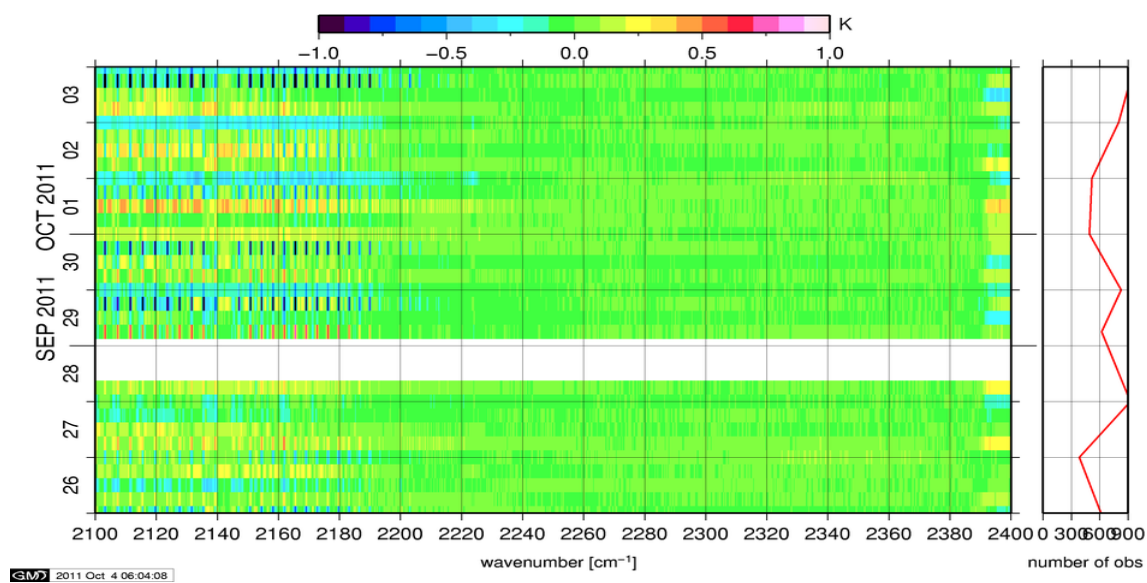


Figure 15: Radiance Anomaly in BRT: CO2 4.3

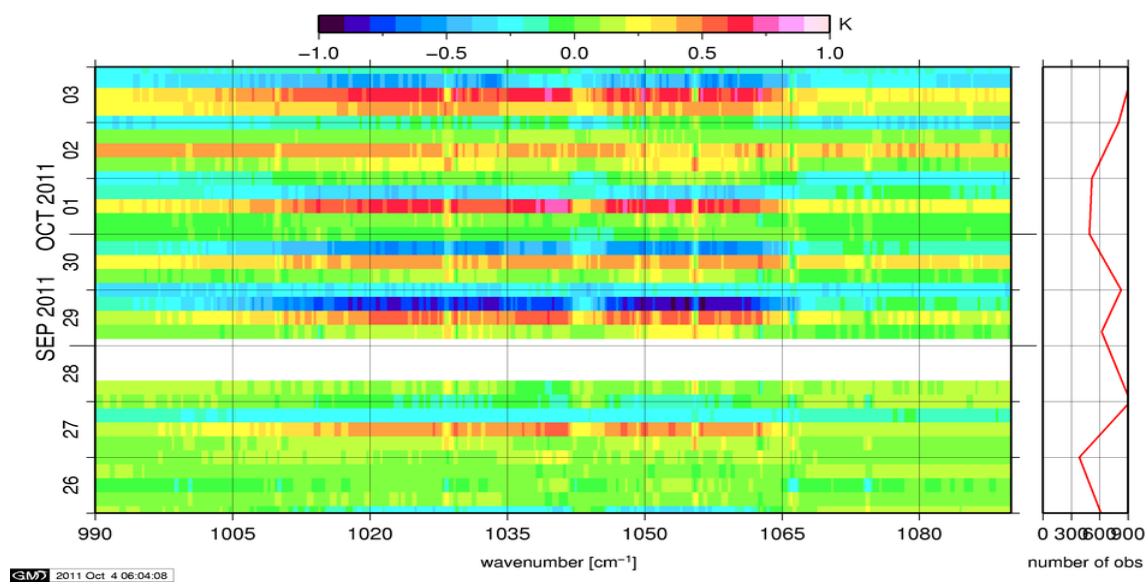


Figure 16: Radiance Anomaly in BRT: O3

6 IASI-HIRS radiance comparison Channel 1-19

The radiance comparison of IASI and HIRS/4 on-board MetOp is performed on all pixel with distances smaller than 3 km between IASI and HIRS. All sky conditions are covered. The radiance differences IASI - HIRS are given in brightness temperatures at 280K reference temperature. All conditions (clear, cloudy, day and night) are given in red in the following figures. The clear sky conditions at night are given in green and the clear sky cases during daylight are displayed in blue.

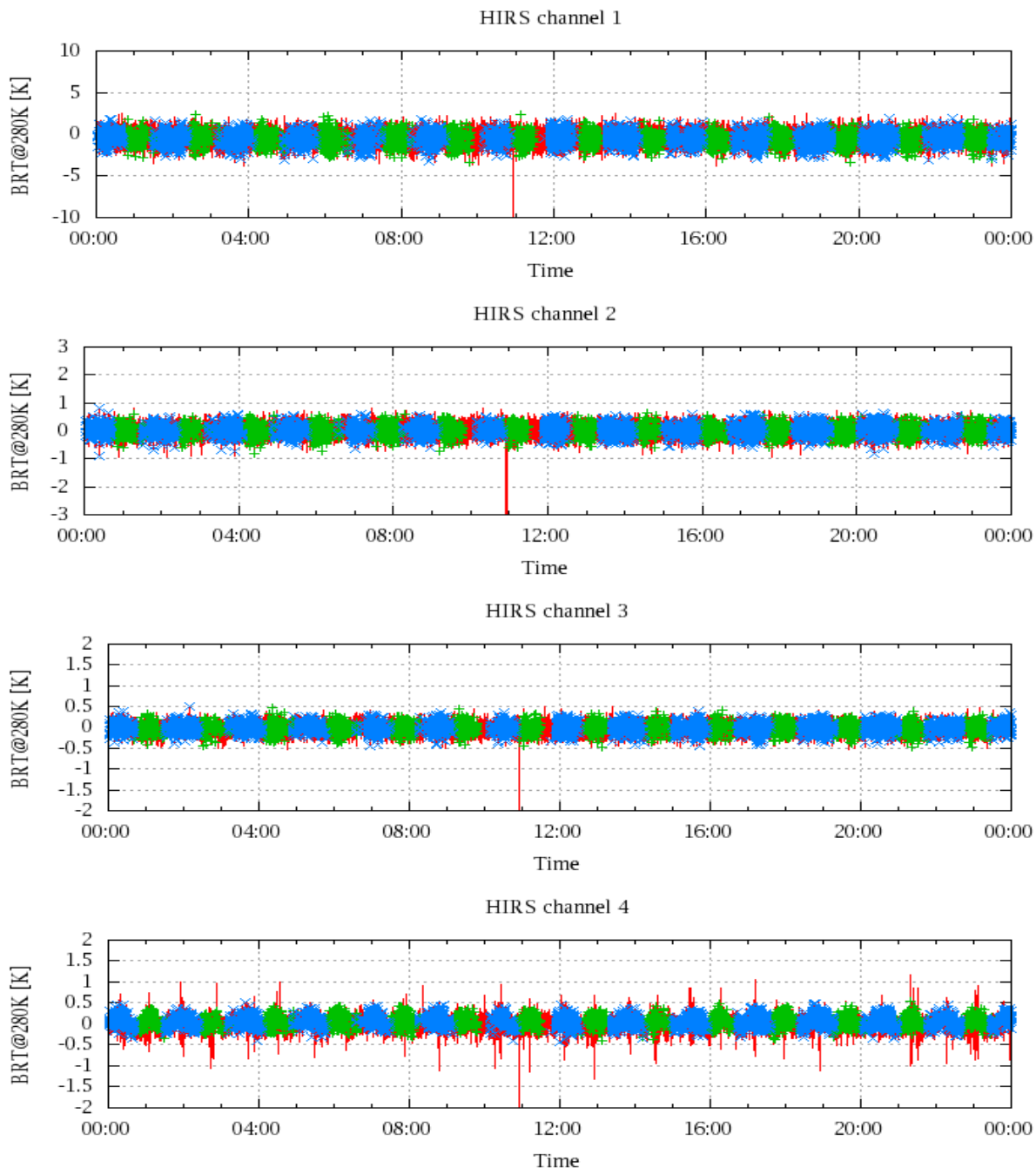


Figure 17: Radiance Differences in BRT

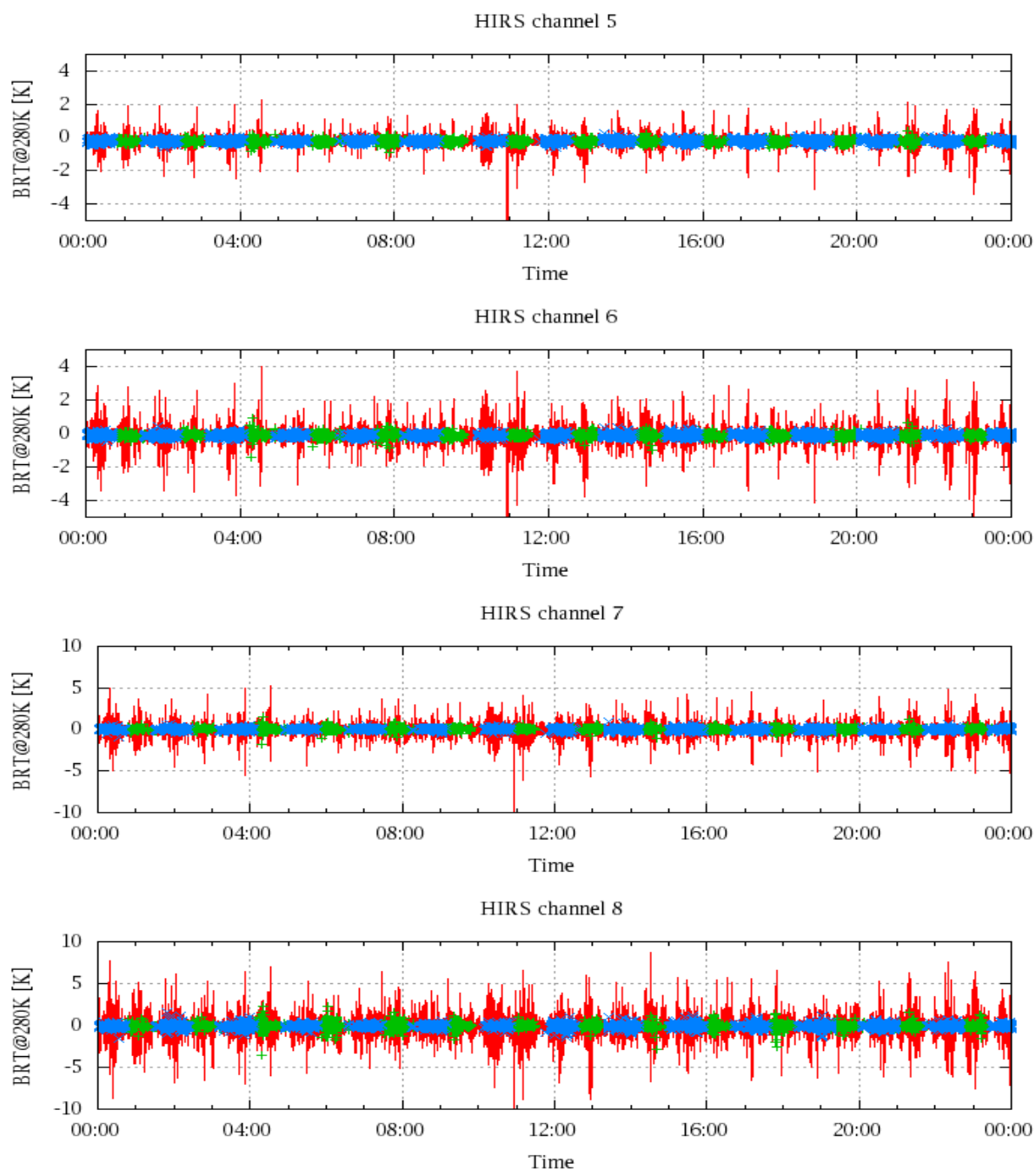


Figure 18: Radiance Differences in BRT

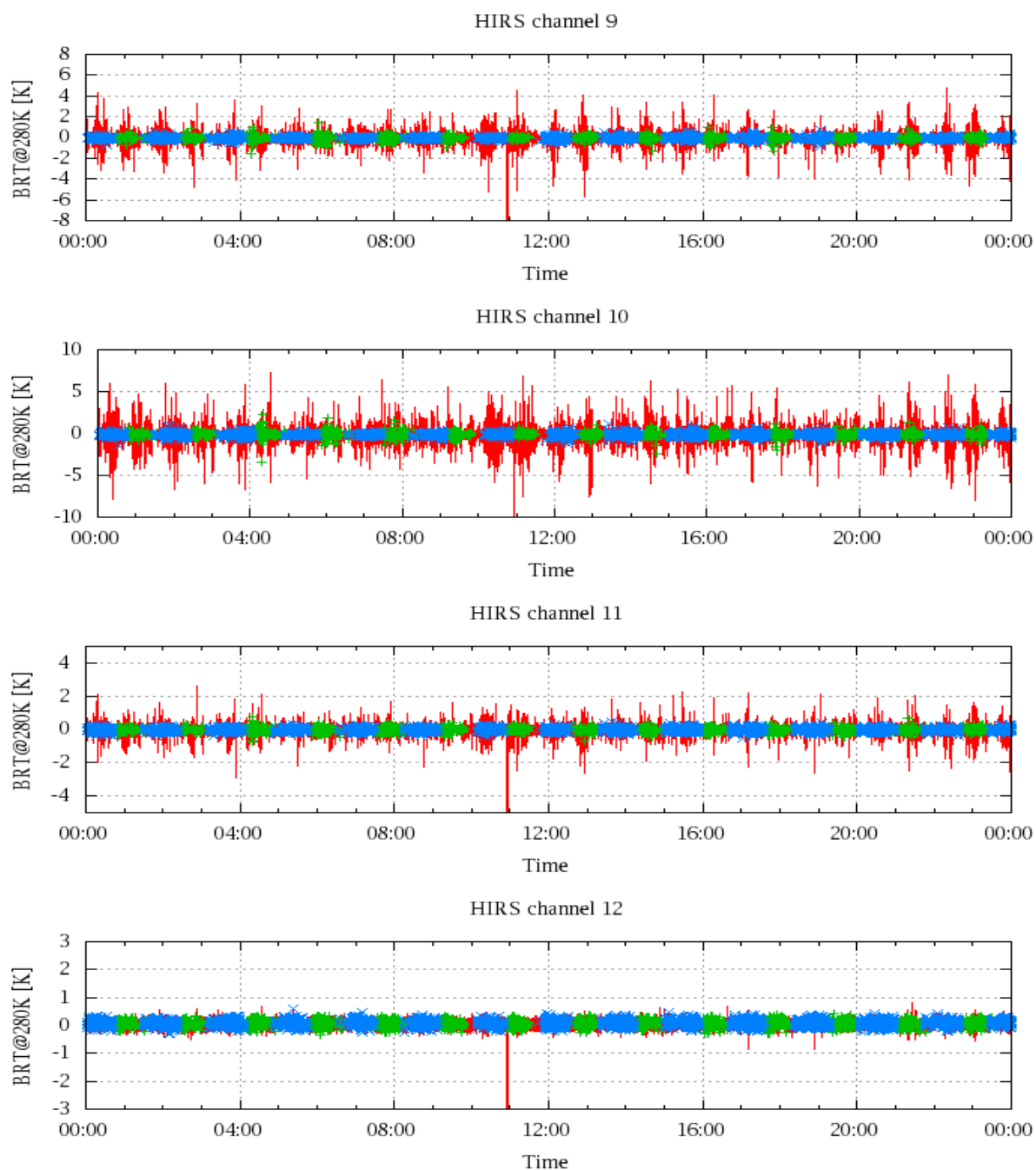


Figure 19: Radiance Differences in BRT

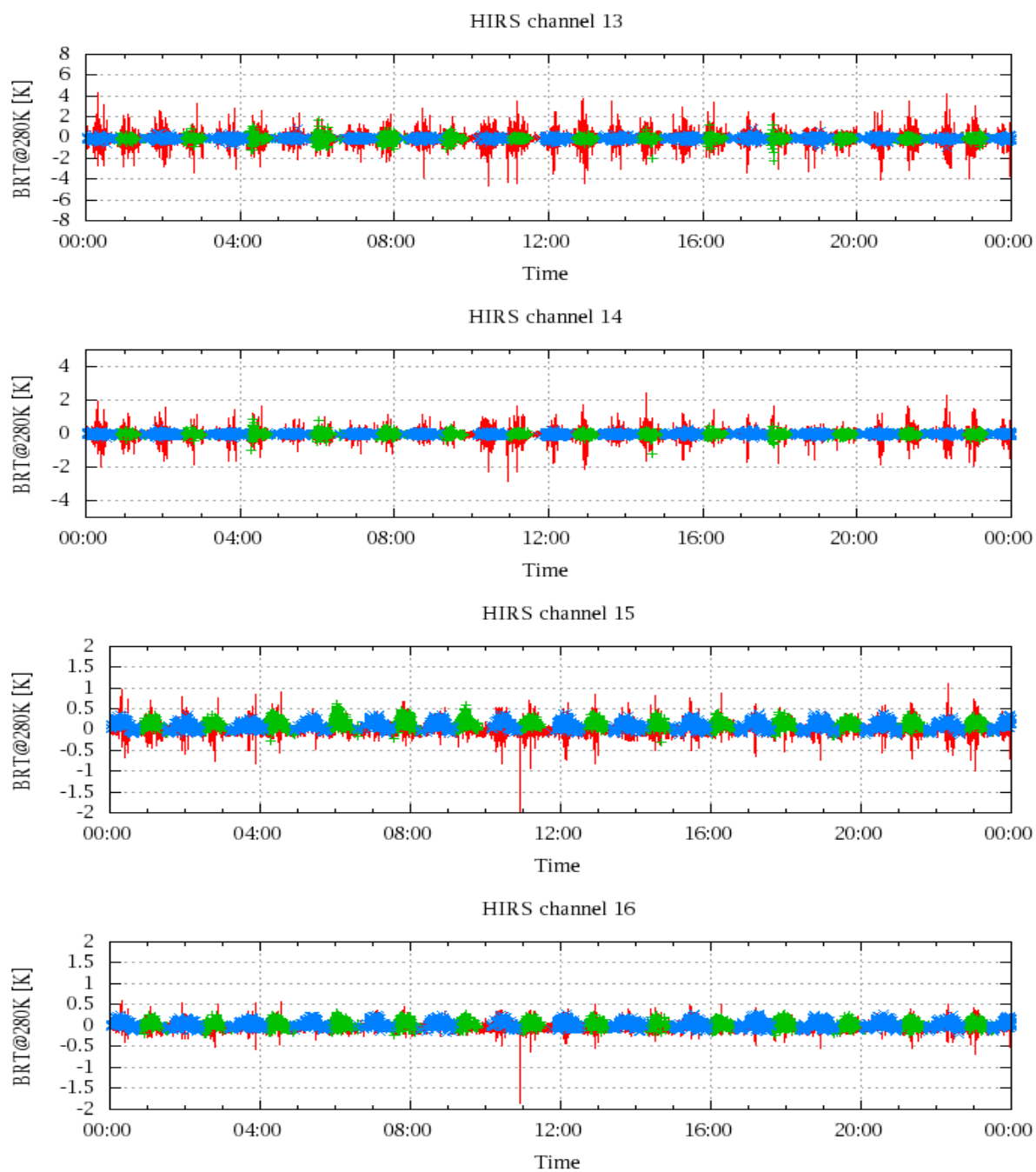


Figure 20: Radiance Differences in BRT

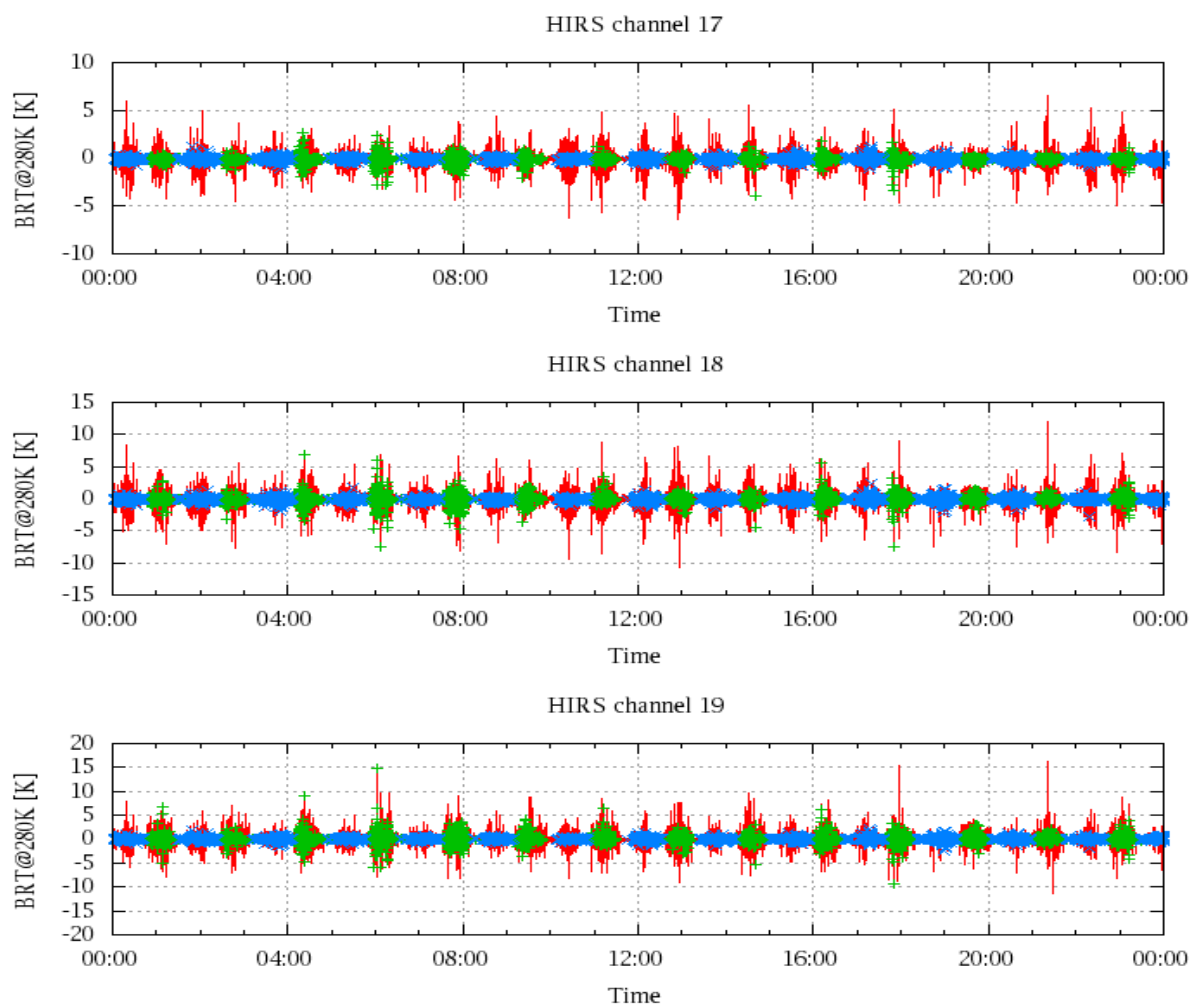


Figure 21: Radinace Differences in BRT