

IASI L0 and L1 Daily Monitoring Report

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17/03/2013 00:00:00 - 18/03/2013 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 17/03/2013 00:00:00 - 18/03/2013 00:00:00 .

The monitoring data are extracted on PDU basis.

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

2 Data quantity 17/03/2013 00:00:00 - 18/03/2013 00:00:00

Product Type	Number	Action
L0 HKTM PDUs	481	-
L0 IASI PDUs	481	-
L1 ENG PDUs	480	-
L1 ENG distinct GEPSSGranule	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)	2254	2369	20130317054224.174	20130317054255.096
PX1 (130)	2370	2372	20130317054255.311	20130317054255.741
PX1 (130)	2372	2375	20130317054255.741	20130317054256.393
PX1 (130)	2375	2385	20130317054256.393	20130317054258.553
PX1 (130)	2386	2388	20130317054258.768	20130317054259.202
PX1 (130)	2388	2390	20130317054259.202	20130317054259.635
PX1 (130)	2401	2403	20130317054303.526	20130317054303.959
PX2 (135)	2254	2369	20130317054224.174	20130317054255.096
PX2 (135)	2369	2374	20130317054255.096	20130317054256.174
PX2 (135)	2375	2386	20130317054256.393	20130317054258.768
PX2 (135)	2386	2388	20130317054258.768	20130317054259.202
PX2 (135)	2388	2390	20130317054259.202	20130317054259.635
PX3 (140)	2254	2379	20130317054224.174	20130317054257.256
PX3 (140)	2379	2382	20130317054257.256	20130317054257.905
PX3 (140)	2383	2389	20130317054258.120	20130317054259.420
PX4 (145)	2254	2373	20130317054224.174	20130317054255.959
PX4 (145)	2373	2382	20130317054255.959	20130317054257.905
PX4 (145)	2382	2387	20130317054257.905	20130317054258.987

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APID	Seq from	Seq to	Time from	Time to
PX4 (145)	2387	2389	20130317054258.987	20130317054259.420
IMG (150)	10226	10377	20130317054224.174	20130317054259.420
IMG (150)	10392	10394	20130317054303.311	20130317054303.745
VER (160)	6016	6037	20130317054221.147	20130317054301.147
AUX (180)	14280	14285	20130317054221.581	20130317054301.581

Table 2: L0 data gaps

3 Instrument modes

Time	Transition from	Transition to
17/03/2013 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)	99.46 %	-
GQisFlagQual set (PX2)	99.32 %	-
GQisFlagQual set (PX3)	99.38 %	-
GQisFlagQual set (PX4)	99.48 %	-
GQisFlagQual set (all)	99.41 %	-

Table 4: Quality flags

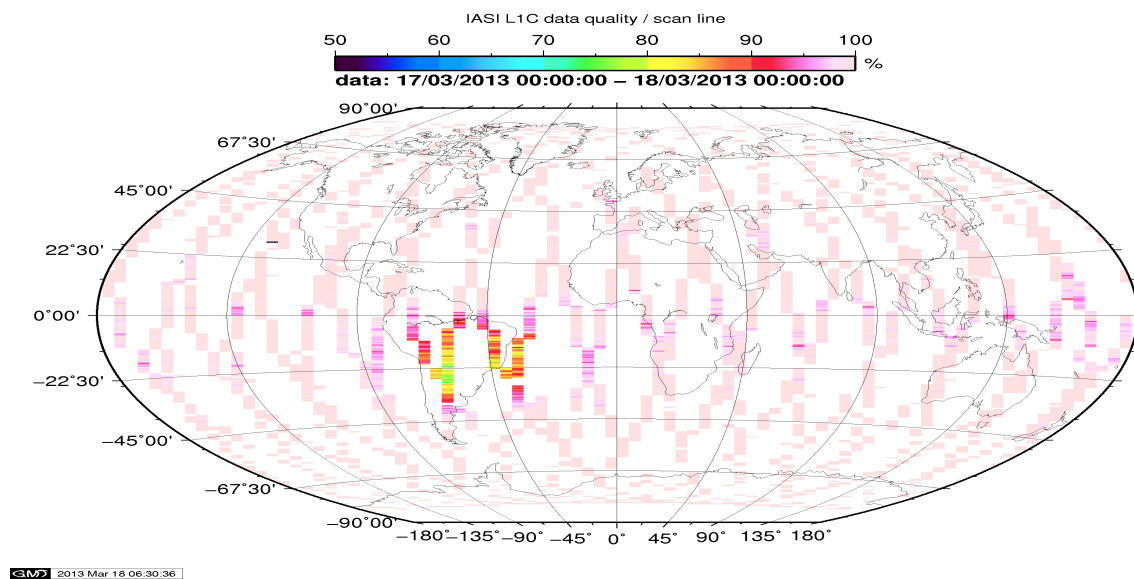


Figure 1: L1C data quality

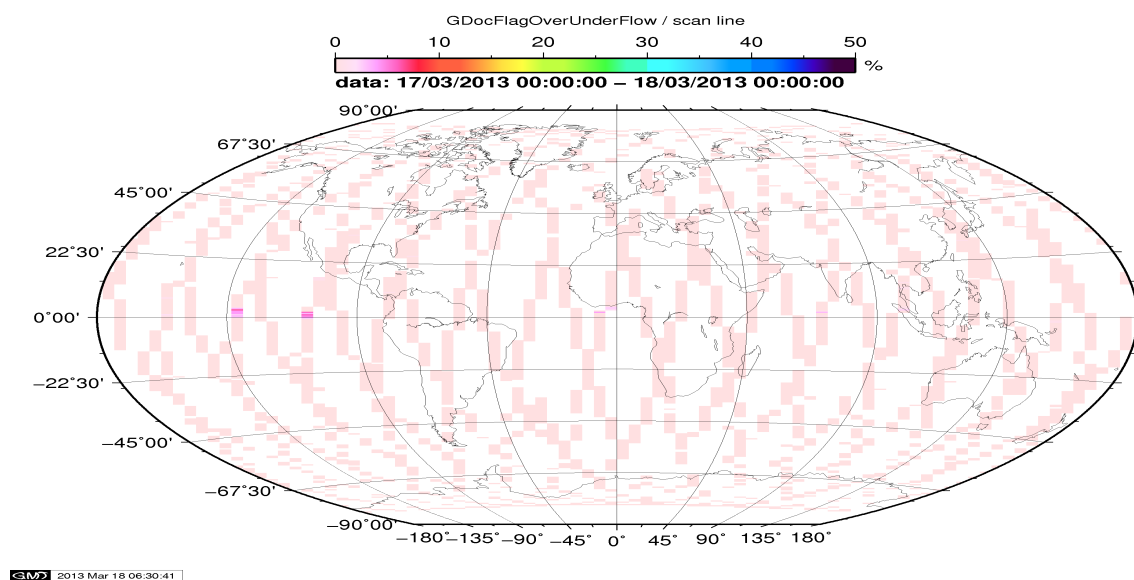


Figure 2: Flag of Over and Under Flows

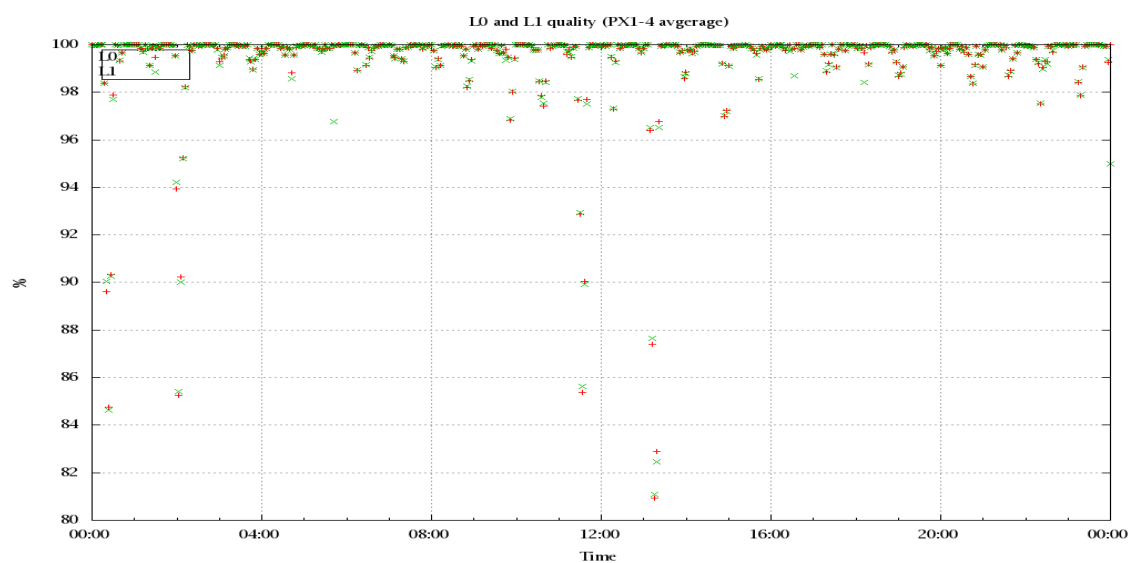


Figure 3: Level 0 and 1C overall quality

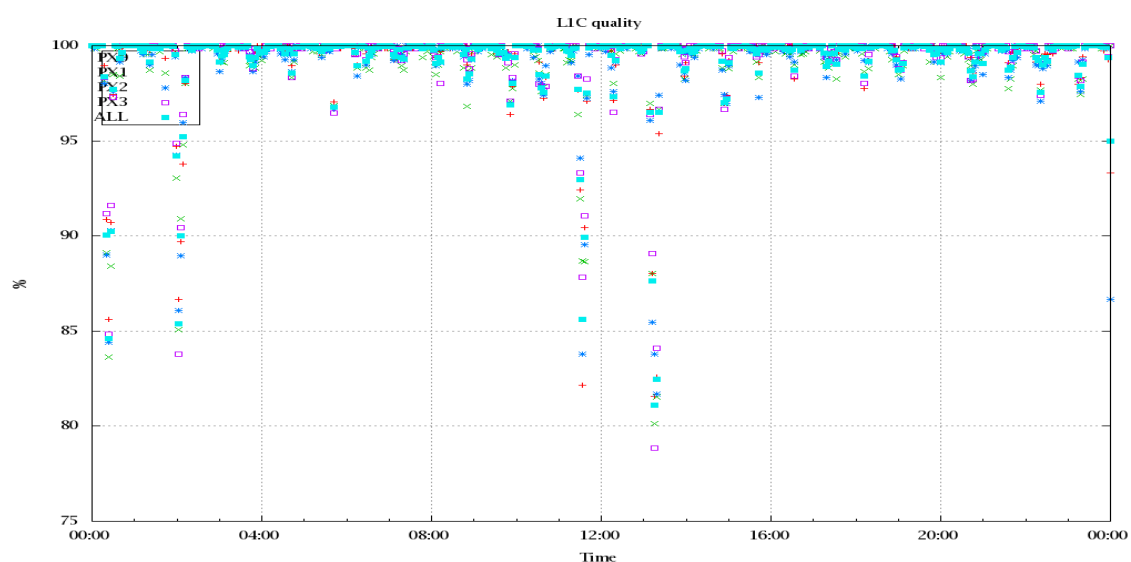


Figure 4: Level 1C quality

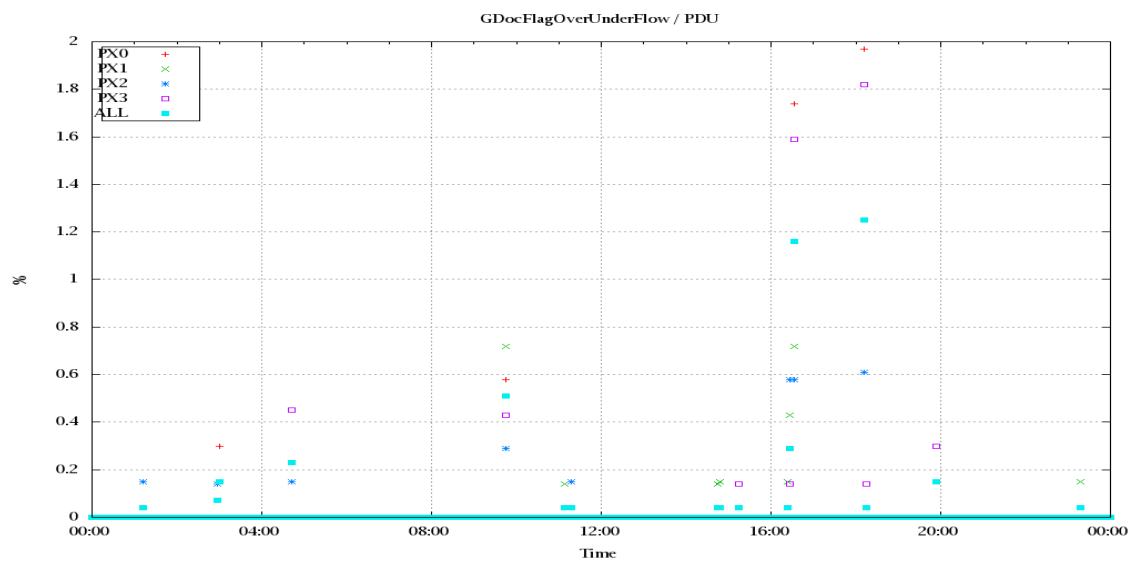


Figure 5: OverUnderFlowFlag timeseries

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.

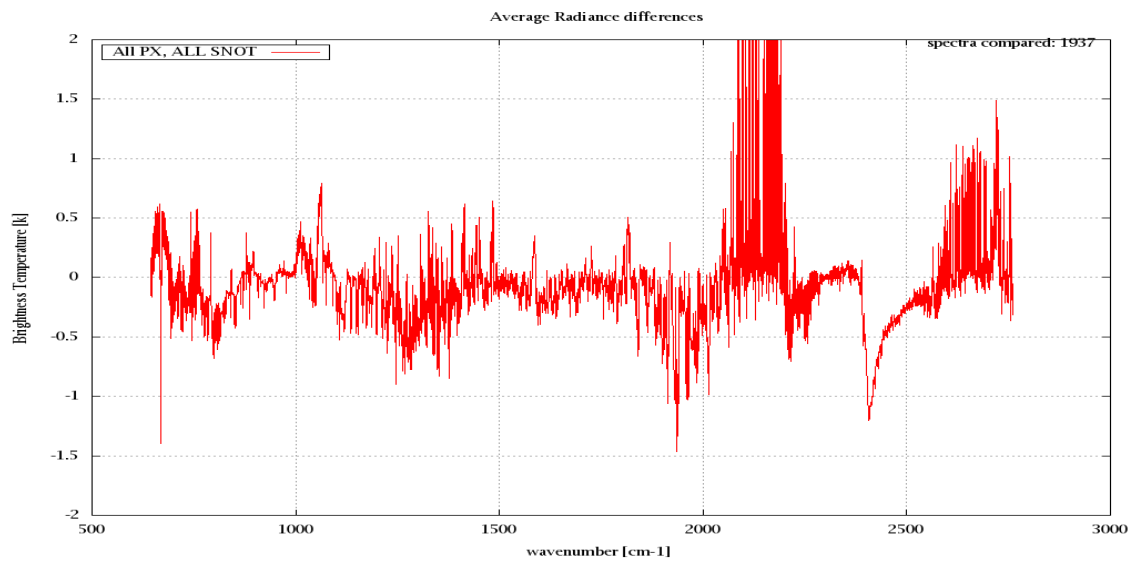


Figure 6: Average Radiance differences: OBS-CAL

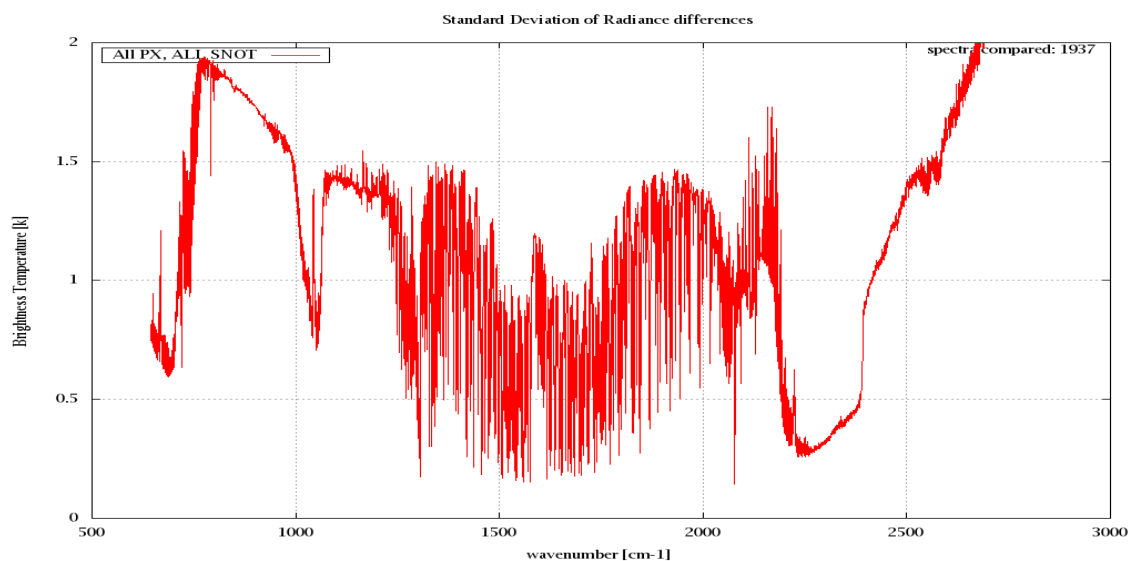


Figure 7: Standard Deviation of Radiance differences

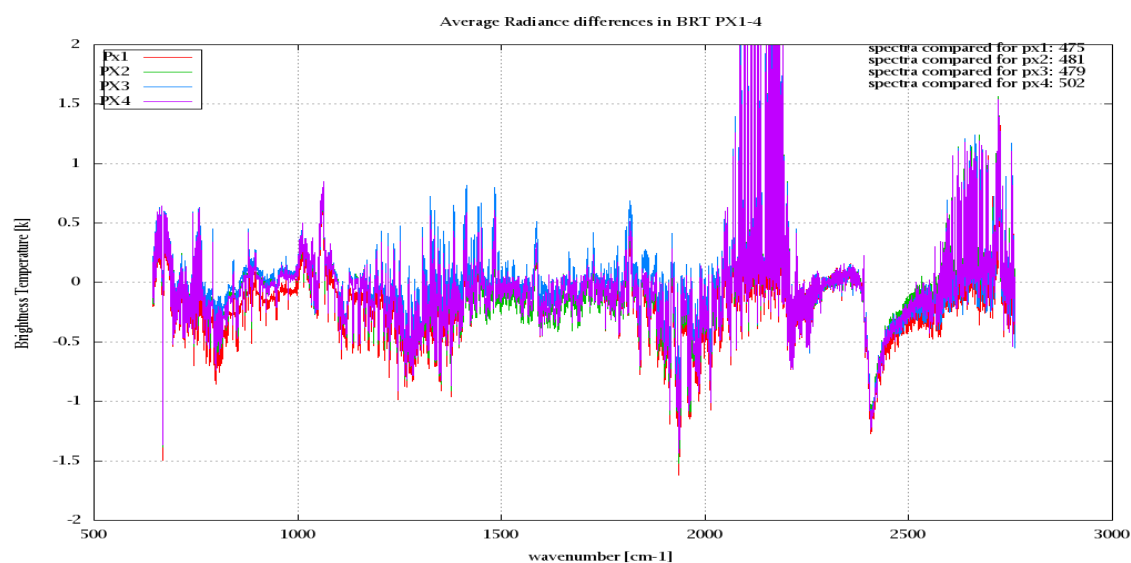


Figure 8: Average Radiance differences: OBS-CAL

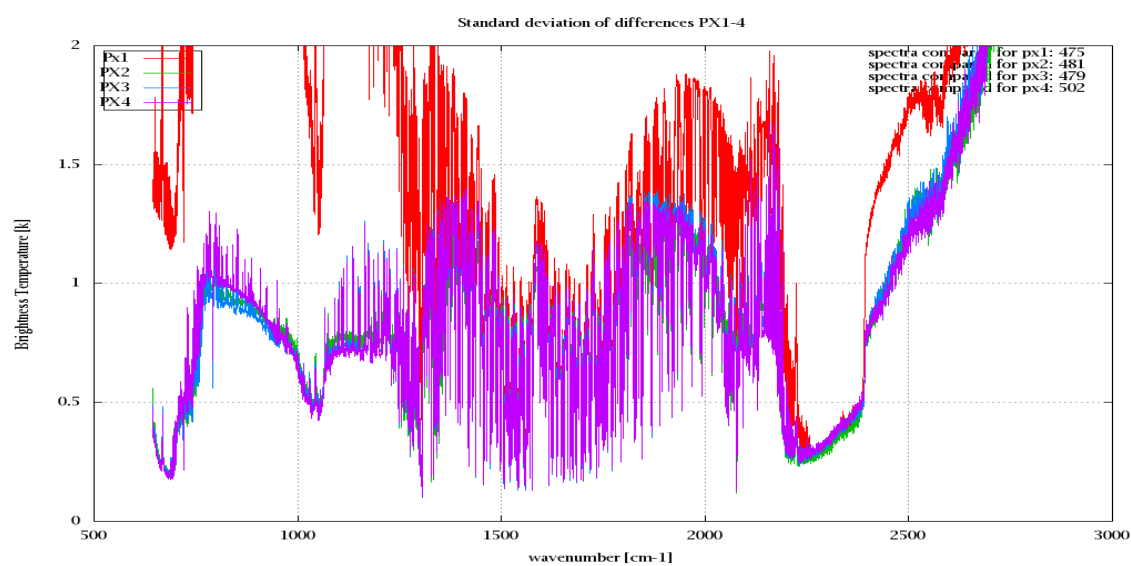


Figure 9: Standard Deviation of Radiance differences

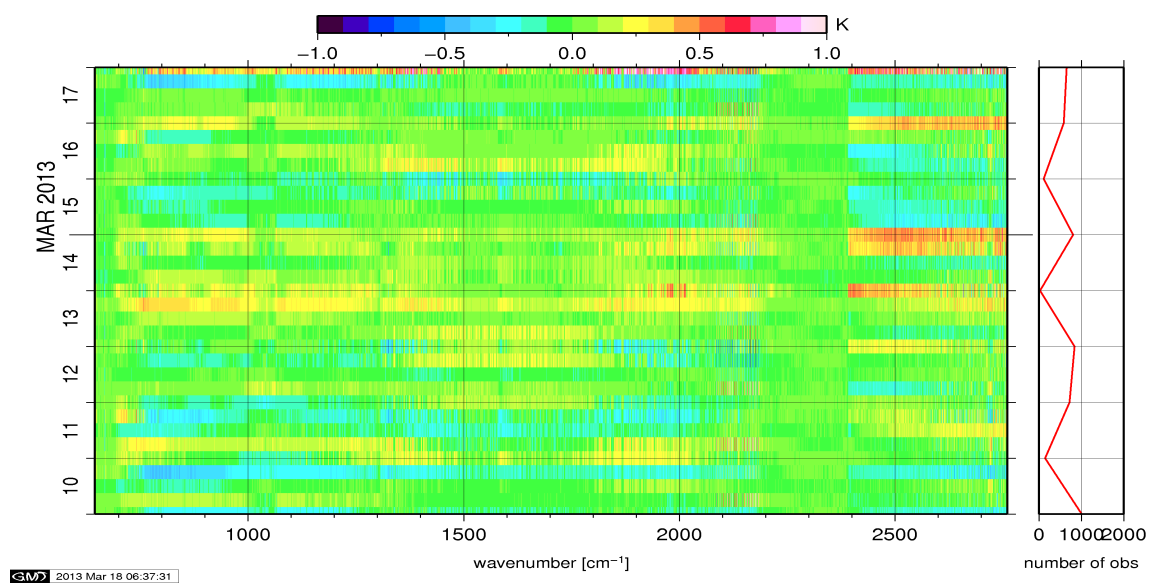


Figure 10: Radiance Anomaly in BRT: All Channels

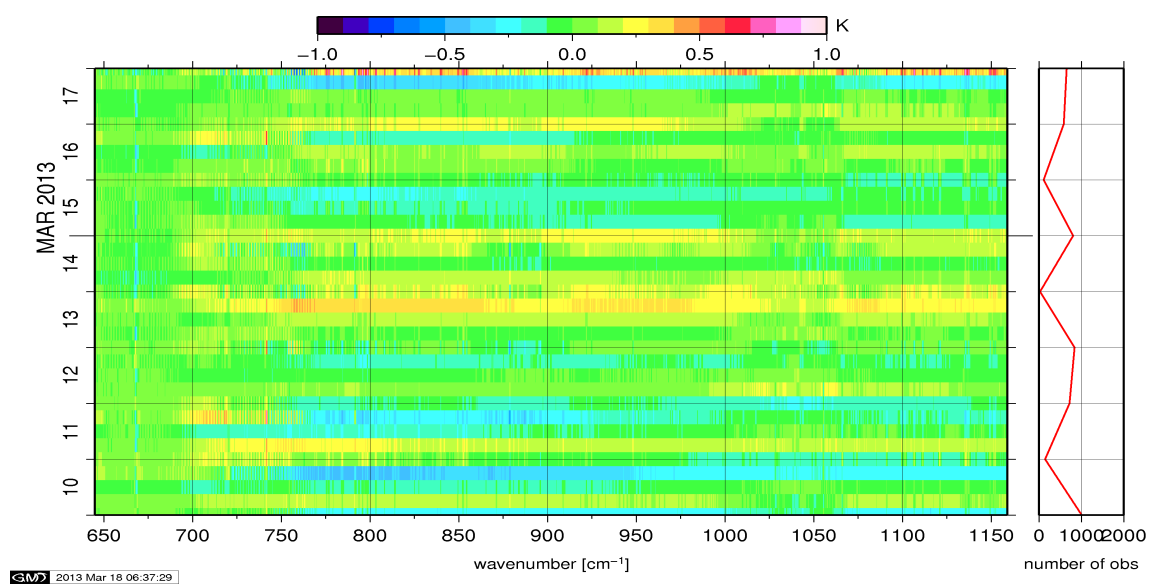


Figure 11: Radiance Anomaly in BRT: IASI Band 1

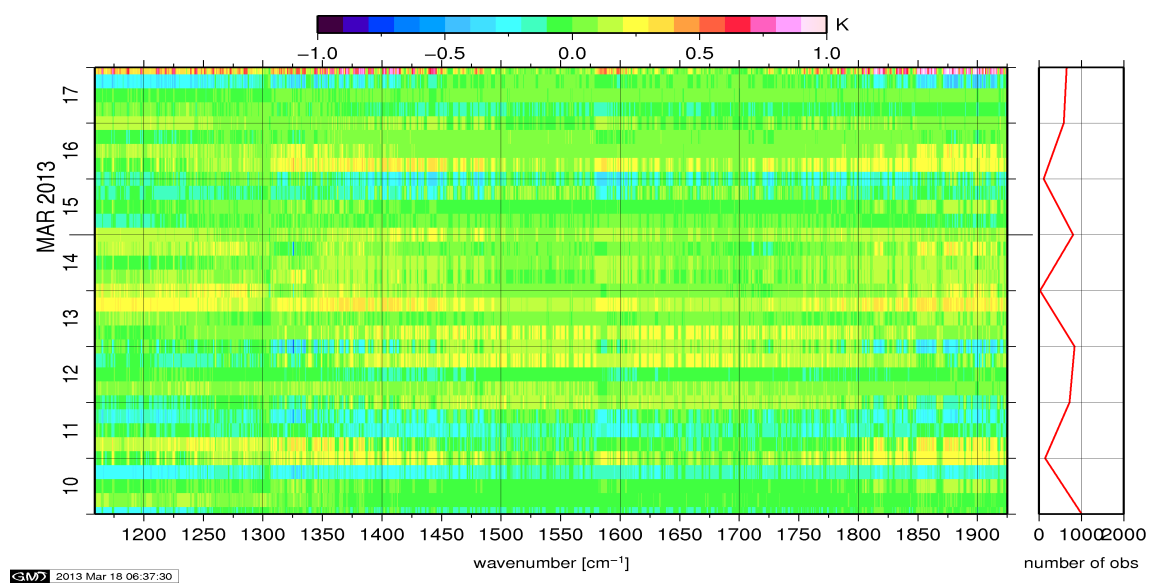


Figure 12: Radiance Anomaly in BRT: IASI Band 2

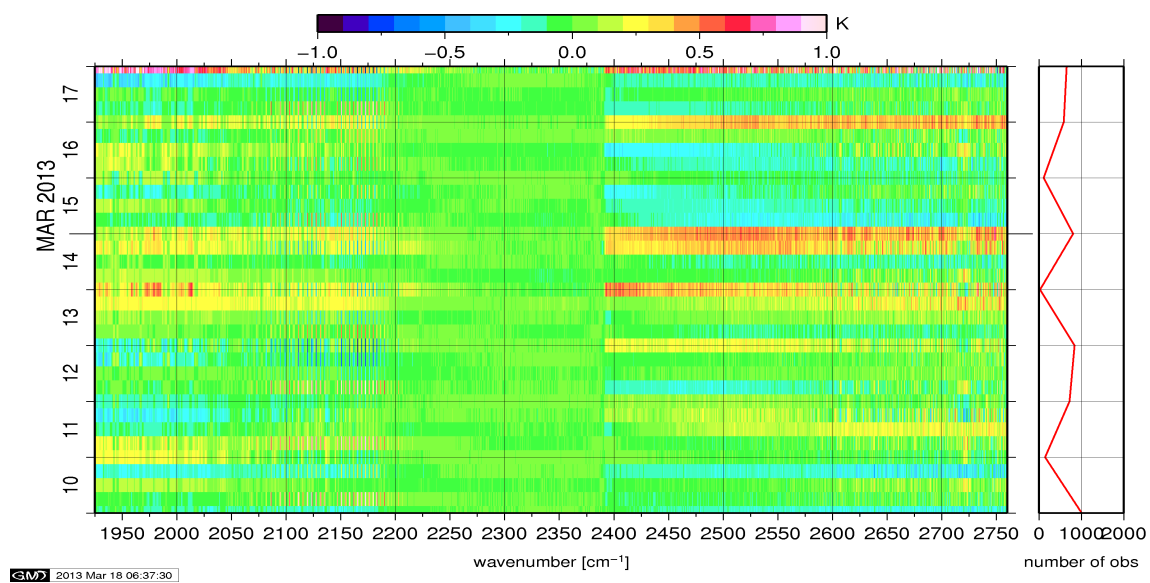


Figure 13: Radiance Anomaly in BRT: IASI Band 3

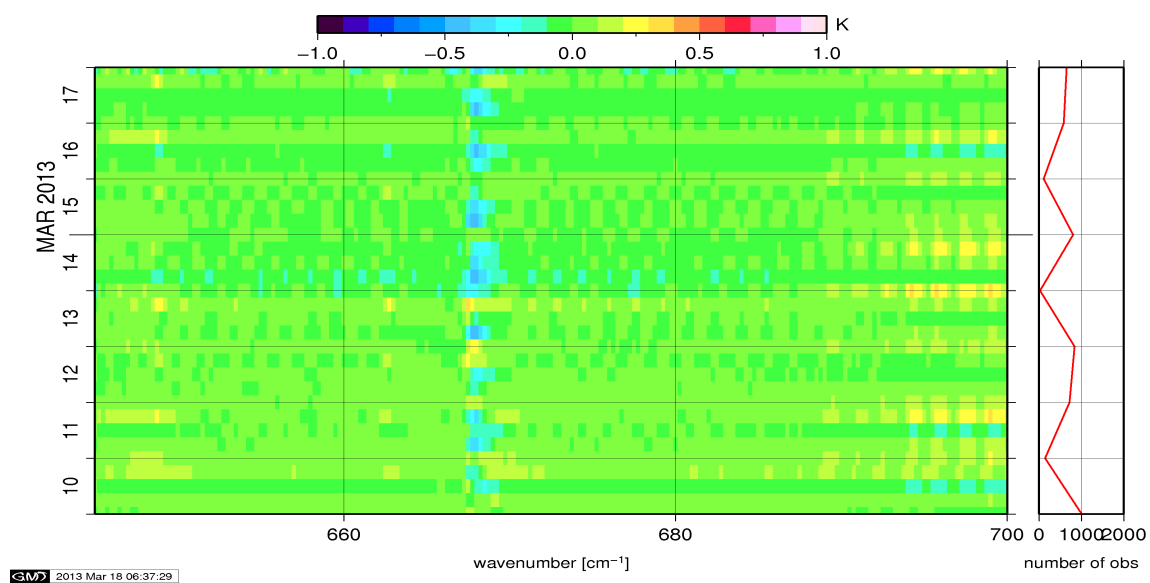


Figure 14: Radiance Anomaly in BRT: CO2 14

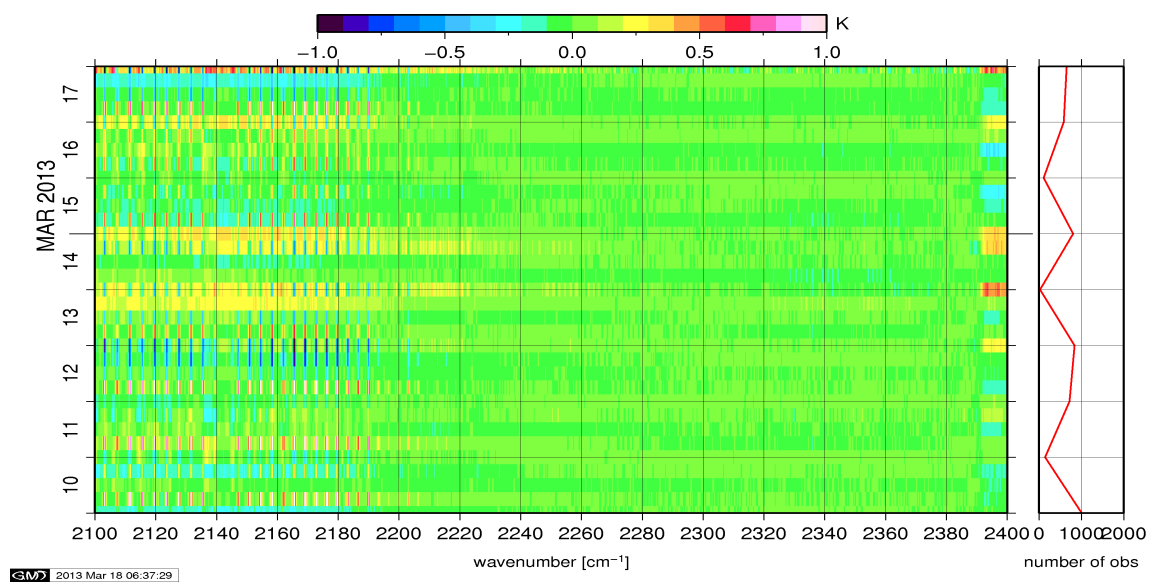


Figure 15: Radiance Anomaly in BRT: CO2 4.3

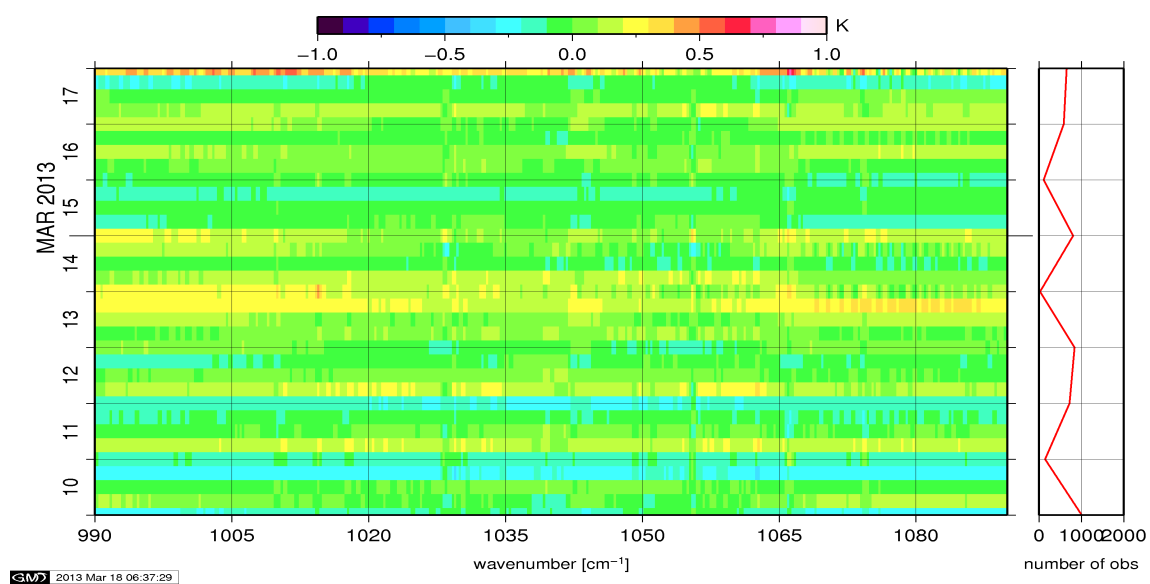


Figure 16: Radiance Anomaly in BRT: O3

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.

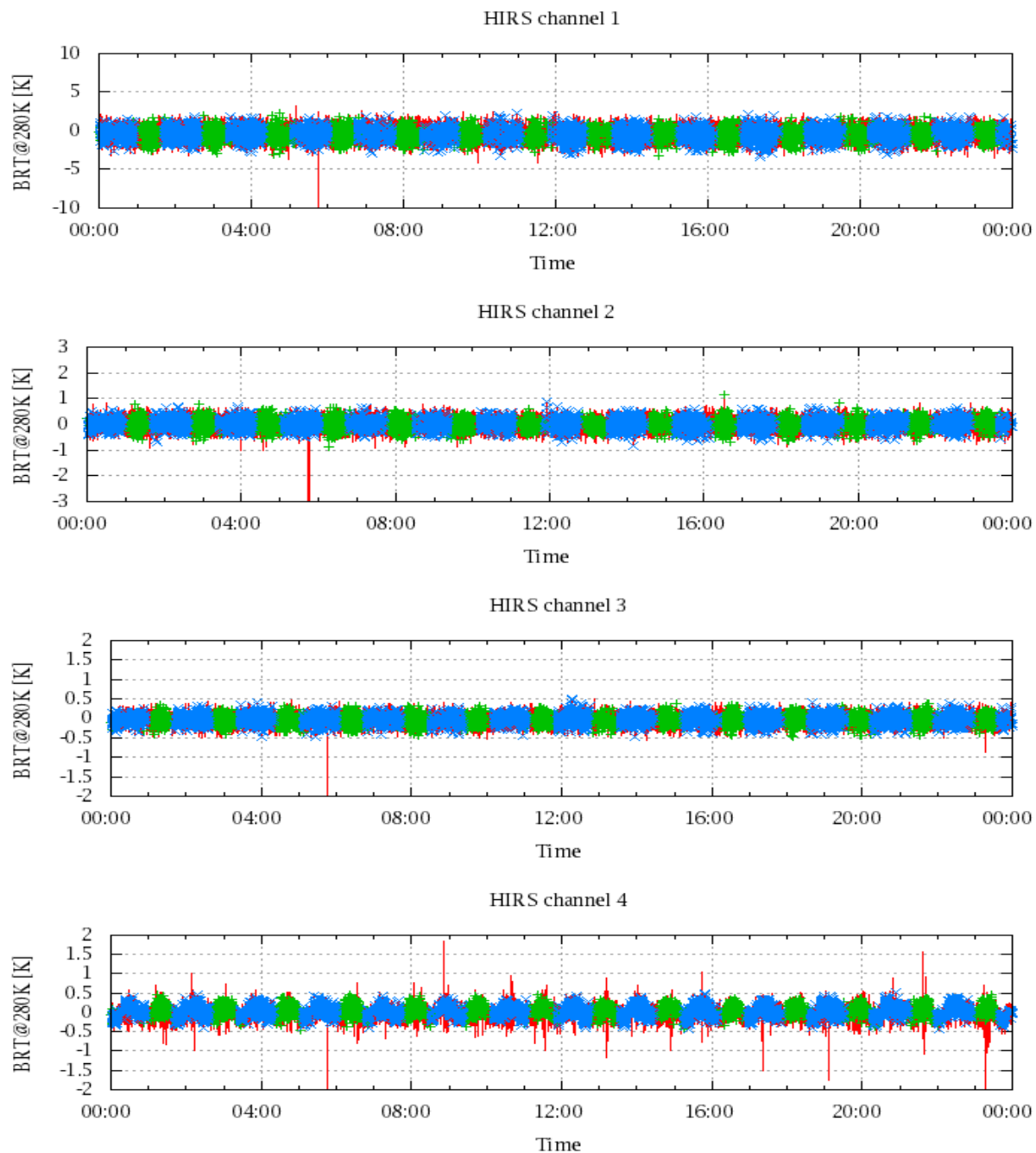


Figure 17: Radiance Differences in BRT

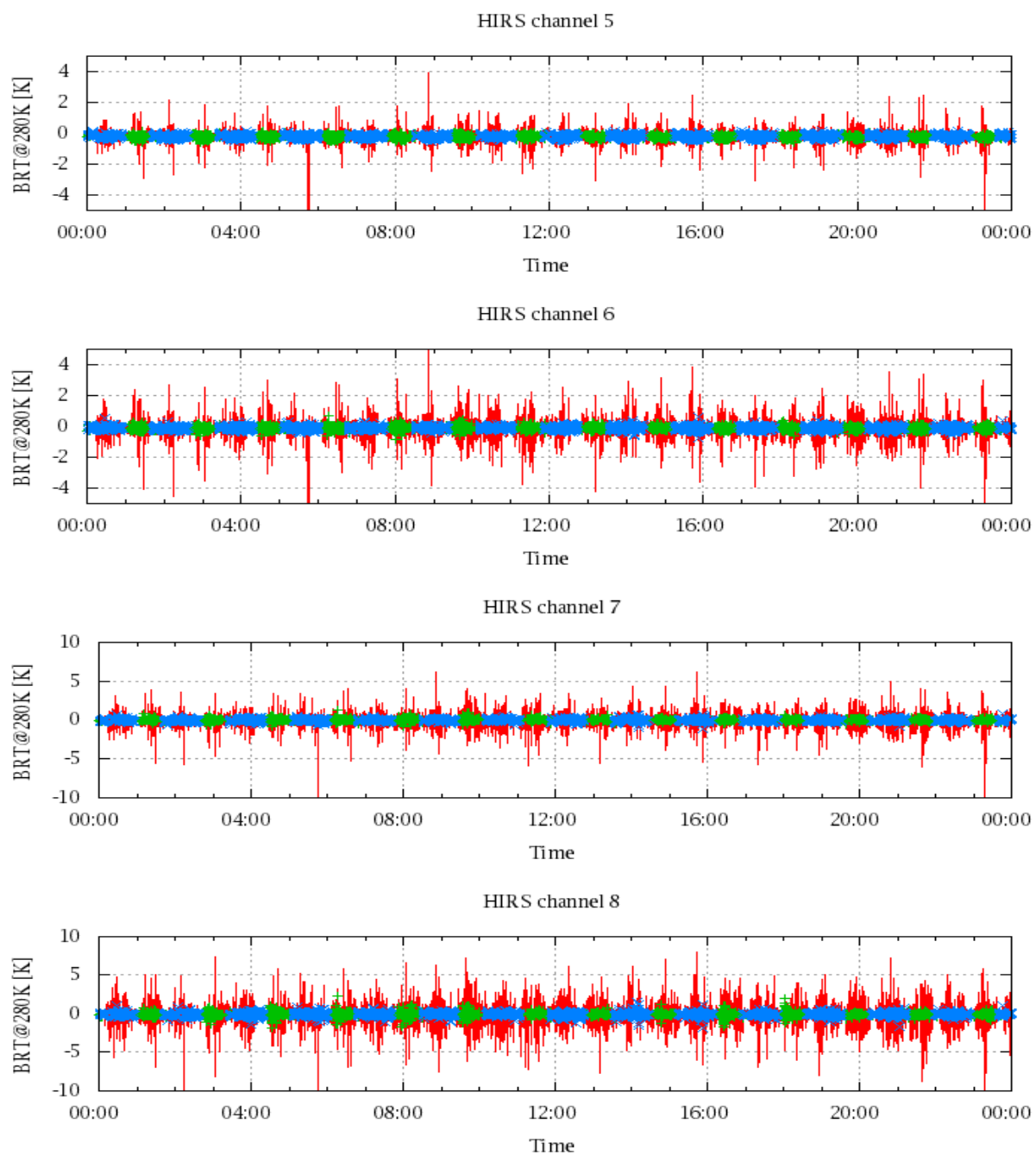


Figure 18: Radiance Differences in BRT

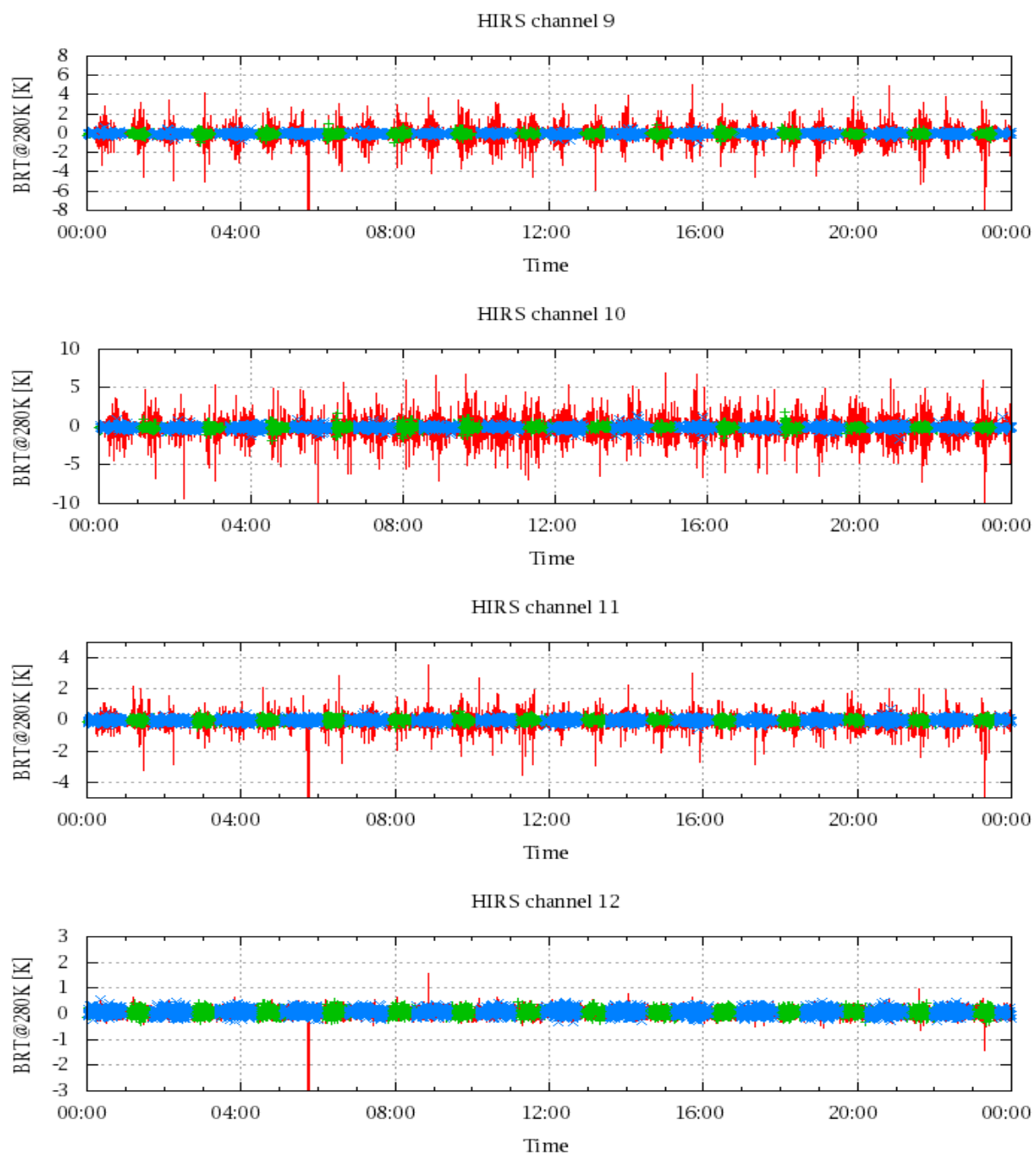


Figure 19: Radiance Differences in BRT

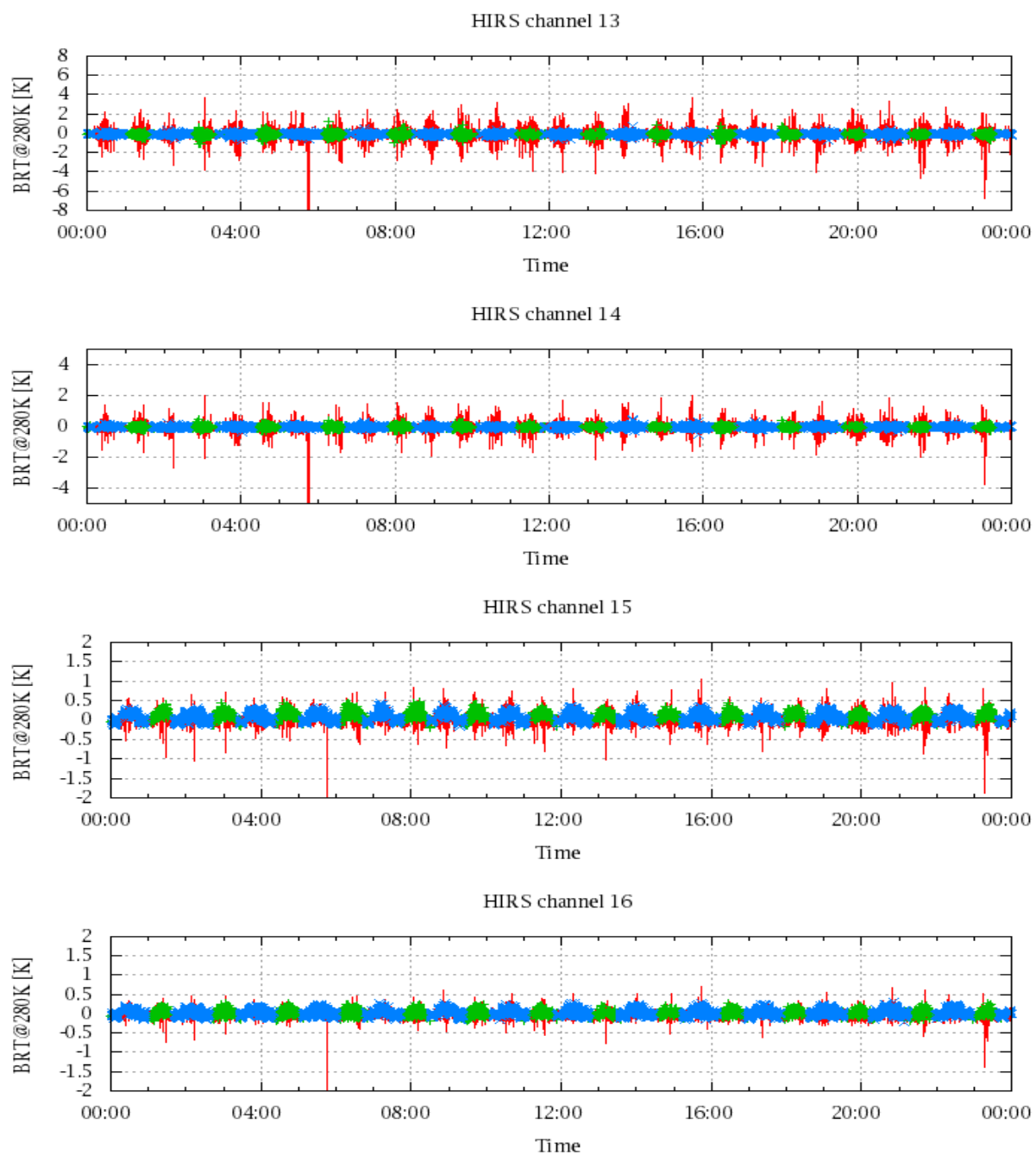


Figure 20: Radiance Differences in BRT

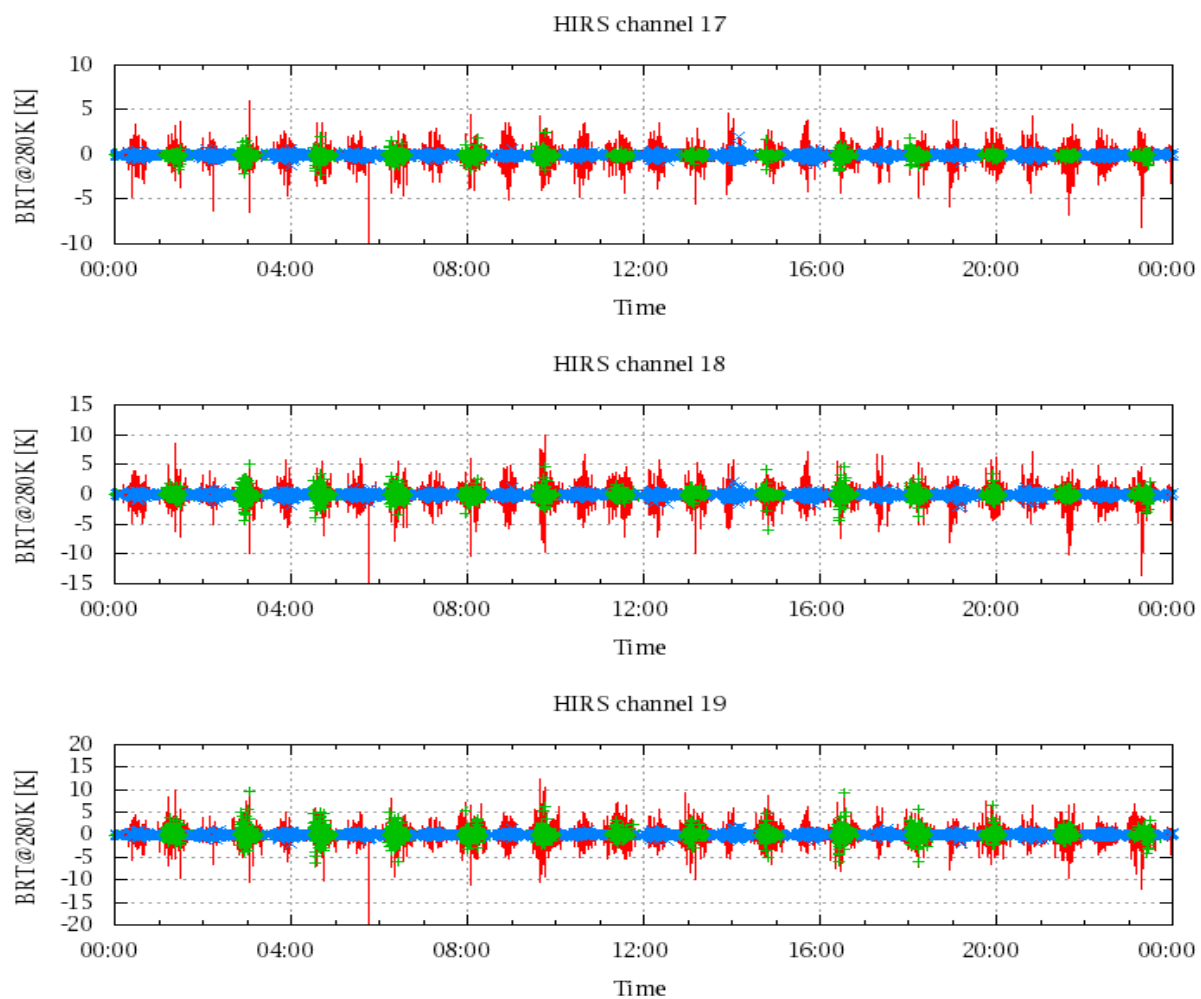


Figure 21: Radinace Differences in BRT