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# Aerosol Optical Depth in EUBREWNET

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# Outline



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- EUBREWNET
- AOD in EUBREWNET
- AOD Measurements
- RBCC-C calibrations

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AOD in EUBREWNET

- A spatially consistent network of Brewer Ozone Spectrophotometers providing O<sub>3</sub>, SO<sub>2</sub>, UV and AOD.
  - European network developed on the COST action (2013-2017) with now with 70 spectrometers and 61 stations around the world and growing.
- 
- QA/QC observations are central processed and distributed in AEMET
  - Fiducial Reference Network for satellite validation (ESA), Air Quality Copernicus CAMS and Copernicus Climate Studies



The brewer spectrometer: Canadian instrument developed in the 80's as Dobson replacement for ozone measurement.

-O<sub>3</sub>, SO<sub>2</sub>, Spectral UV, AOD and ozone profiles (Umkher).

Weather Services and Universities and Research Institutes 50 instruments around Europe independently managed.

Own processed data submitted to WOUDC and NDACC.

Two private calibration companies.

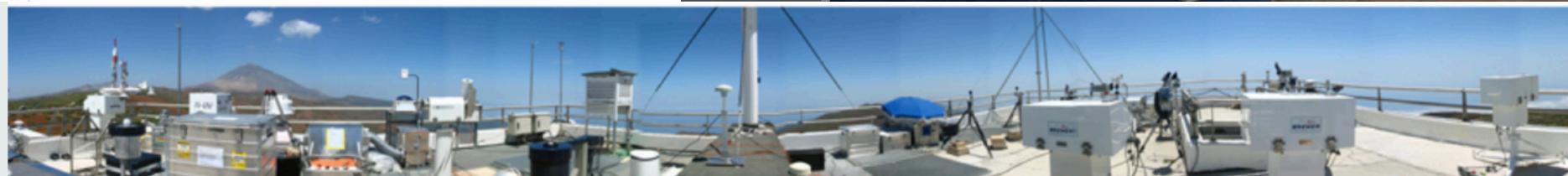


## Past II

The Eubrewnet are based on the iberonesia application developed since 1999 to support the Spanish / Portuguese brewers.

In 2008 were updated to IBERONESIA 2.0 with the objective to give support to the Regional Brewer Calibration Center-Europe (RBCC-E) campaigns (ESA-CALVAL funded)

The support of the RBCC-E were transferred to EUBREWNET application since 2015  
EUBREWNET/ RBCC-E campaign in Huelva.




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- Brewer #017
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Main Page

**RBCC-E**  
 Regional Brewer Calibration Center - Europe  
67 stations in English

**Latest RBCC-E News**  


The TENTH INTERCOMPARISON CAMPAIGN OF THE REGIONAL BREWER CALIBRATION CENTER-EUROPE (RBCC-E) and COST ACTION ES1207 EUBREWNET CAMPAIGN will be held at El Arenosillo Atmospheric Bounding Station (Huelva, Spain) during the period May 26 to June 25, 2015.  
 All participants are requested to contact the campaign coordinators and fill in the registration form [here](#) and Internet Access [here](#). Please confirm your participation before April 15, 2015.  
[Detailed Information Here](#).

**RBCC-E Activities. Work in progress**  
**Past RBCC-E Intercomparison Campaigns**  

As a Regional Brewer Calibration Center for RA-II region, RBCC-E performs regular intercomparison campaigns in Europe, mainly taking place in Central and South Europe. We provide for each of the participant instrument an ozone calibration report, linked below.

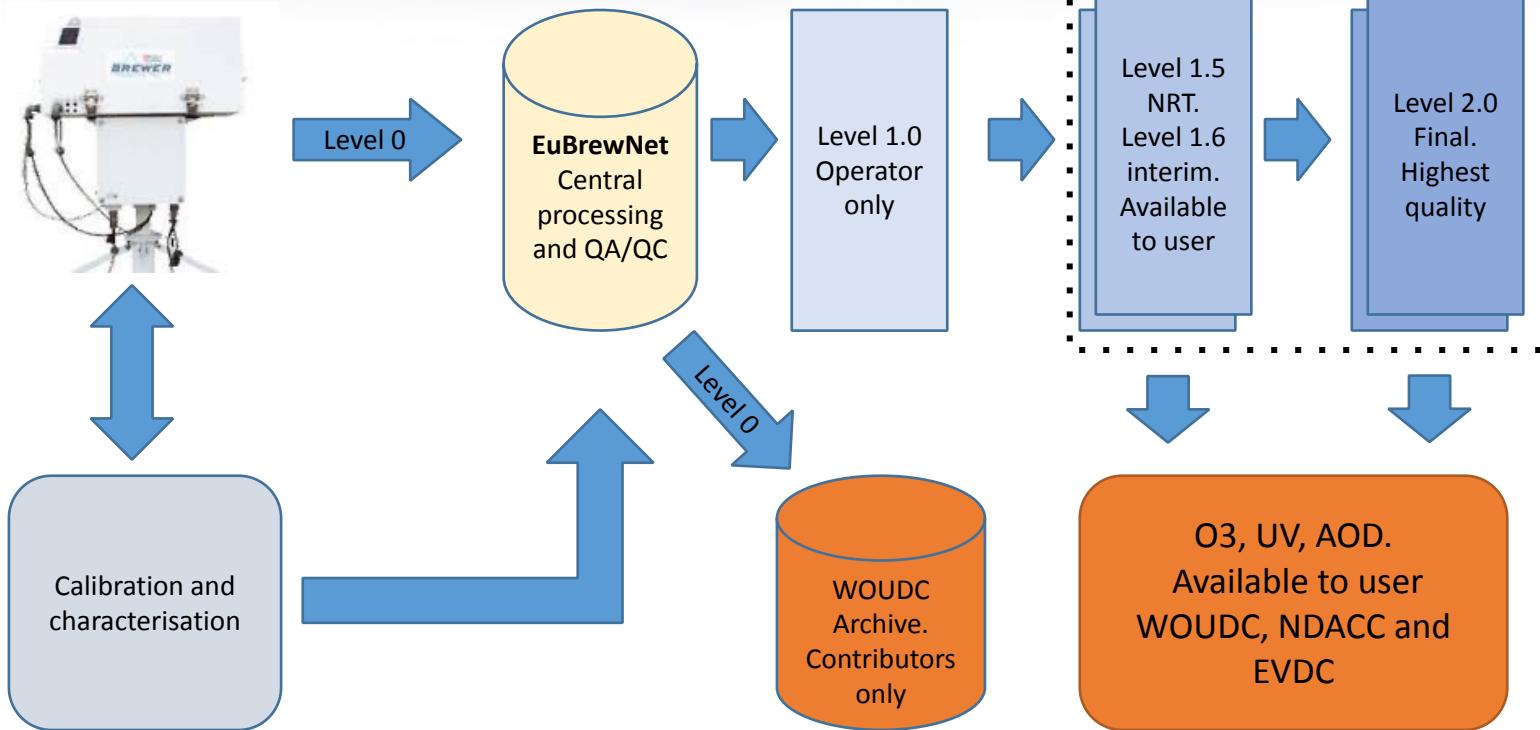
Event	Description	Date	Calibration Reports
<a href="#">Arosa 2014 (Switzerland)</a>	Intercomparison Campaign	Summer 2014	<a href="#">Aro2014</a>
<a href="#">Arenosillo 2013</a>	Intercomparison Campaign	Summer 2013	<a href="#">Aro2013</a>

**RBCC-E Programmed activities**  
**Future RBCC-E Intercomparison Campaigns**  

Recently, the Regional Brewer Calibration Center for Europe, RBCC-E, has been selected to take part in the European Space Agency (ESA) project named CEOS Intercalibration of Ground-Based Spectrometers and Lidars. Below are the programmed activities for the current year:

Event	Description	Date
<a href="#">El Arenosillo 2015</a>	Brewer Intercomparison	Spring 2015

# EUBREW NET



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Documentation: <http://rbcce.aemet.es/dokuwiki/doku.php?id=start>

**Open Project: Source code on free access :**

[https://bitbucket.org/rbcc\\_e/iberonesia3-git/src/master/](https://bitbucket.org/rbcc_e/iberonesia3-git/src/master/)

## Eubrewnet manuals

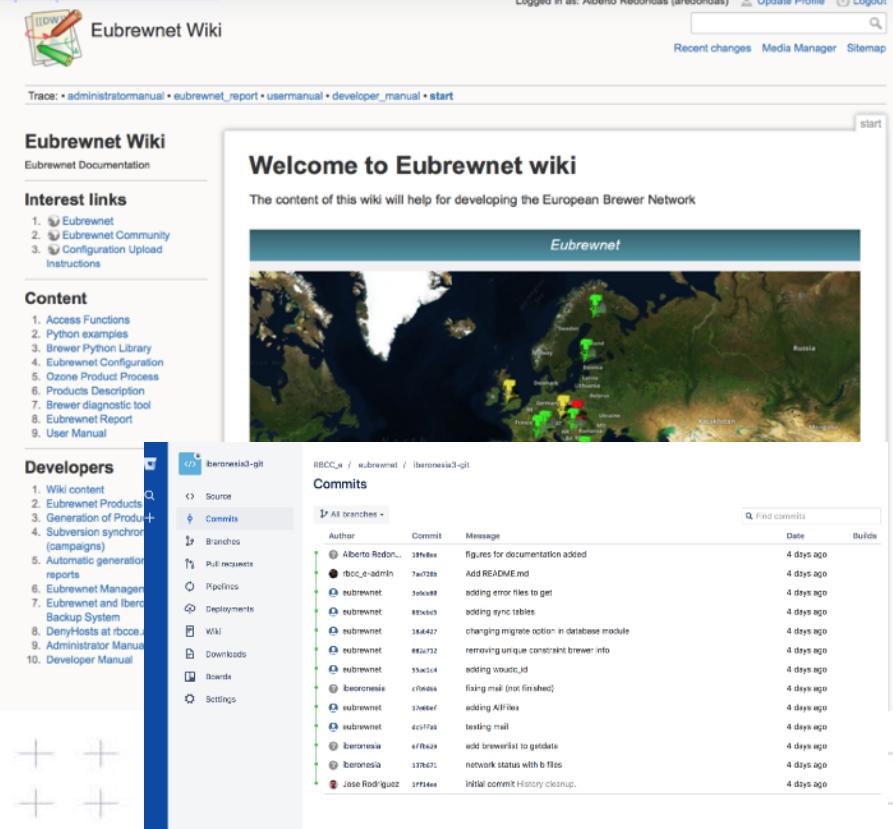
System Description <http://rbcce.aemet.es/dokuwiki/doku.php?>

User Manual :<http://rbcce.aemet.es/dokuwiki/doku.php?id=code>

Administrador Manual <http://rbcce.aemet.es/dokuwiki/doku.>

Developer Manual : <http://rbcce.aemet.es/dokuwiki/doku.php>

by Ilias Fountoulakis, Bentorey Hernández ,  
Javier Lopez, Alberto Berjon



The screenshot shows the Eubrewnet Wiki interface. At the top, there's a header with the AEMET logo and links for "Recent changes", "Media Manager", and "Sitemap". Below the header, the main content area has a title "Welcome to Eubrewnet wiki" and a subtitle "The content of this wiki will help for developing the European Brewer Network". To the left, there's a sidebar with sections for "Eubrewnet Wiki", "Interest links", and "Content". The "Content" section lists various manual pages. The main content area also features a map of Europe with green and red markers indicating different locations or status. On the right side, there's a "Developers" section with a tree view of repository branches and a "Commits" table showing recent changes made by users like "rbcce-admin" and "Iberonesia".

Author	Commit	Message	Date	Builds
Alberto Redondas	3f8d6e	figures for documentation added	4 days ago	
rbcce-admin	7ac73b	Add README.md	4 days ago	
eubrewnet	30e487	adding error files to get	4 days ago	
eubrewnet	385e63	adding sync tables	4 days ago	
eubrewnet	384427	changing migrate option in database module	4 days ago	
eubrewnet	8f6232	removing unique constraint brewer_info	4 days ago	
eubrewnet	55ae34	adding source_id	4 days ago	
Iberonesia	c9dd6a	fixing mail (not finished)	4 days ago	
eubrewnet	31eefc	adding All files	4 days ago	
eubrewnet	425f8a	testing mail	4 days ago	
Iberonesia	a1fb8a	add brewerlist to getdata	4 days ago	
Iberonesia	378c01	network status with b files	4 days ago	
Jose Rodriguez	0ff1ee	Initial commit History cleanup.	4 days ago	



COPERNICUS REPORT

Copernicus Climate Change Service

Product User Guide and Specification for Total Column Ozone data from the European Brewer Network (EUBREWNET)

C3S\_311a\_Lot3\_CNR – SC1  
Access to observations from baseline and reference networks

Issued by: CNR-iMAA / Fabio Madonna  
Date: 29/06/2021

Copernicus  
European Space Agency

ECMWF

### EUBREWNET Maturity index matrix

H2020 GAIA-CLIM ([www.gaia-clim.eu](http://www.gaia-clim.eu))

Metadata	Documentation	Uncertainty characterization	Public access, feedback and update	Usage	Sustainability	Software (optional)
Standards	Formal Description of Measurement Methodology	Traceability	Access	Research	Siting environment	Coding standards
Collection level	Formal Validation Report	Comparability	User feedback mechanism	Public and commercial exploitation	Scientific and expert support	Software documentation
File level	Formal Measurement Series User Guidance	Uncertainty Quantification	Updates to record		Programmatic support	Portability and numerical reproducibility
		Routine Quality Management	Version control			Security
			Long term data preservation			
Legend						
1	2	3	4	5	6	Not applicable

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## European Brewer Network (EUBREWNET)

[EuBrewNet Website](#)



<http://www.ndaccdemo.org/about/cooperating-networks/european-brewer-network>



<https://woudc.org/data/explore.php>

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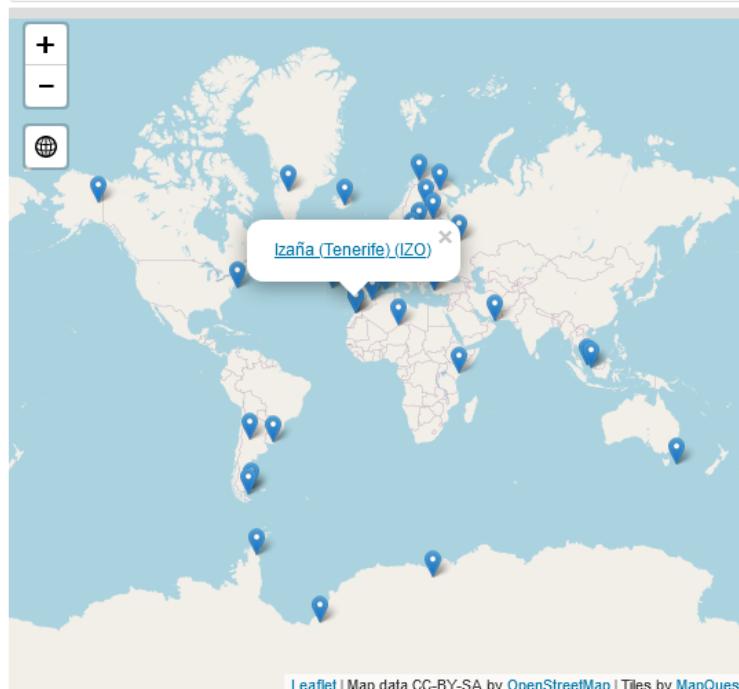
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- Permanent location and landing page will be provided by NILU, on behalf of EVDC, through the DataCite metadata service.
- EUBREWNET reports the metadata needed to generate the DOI and landing page:  
[https://rbccce-test.aemet.es/eubrewnet/metadata/active\\_dois.json](https://rbccce-test.aemet.es/eubrewnet/metadata/active_dois.json)
- Granularity: One DOI for **each product** (O3, UV, AOD) from **each station**.
- The DOI is assigned to a "collection" will not change when the data are processed and updated.
- The metadata will follow the ESA/AVDC guidelines (<http://evdc.esa.int/documentation/doi-docs/>), except the rights (copyright info) all the information is already on the database.



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DOI, landing page (on develop)

<https://evdc.esa.int/publications/eubrewnet-ozone-products-for-the-izana-spain-station/>

The screenshot shows a dataset landing page for "EUBREWNET ozone products for the Izana (Spain) station". The page has a header with the evdc esa logo and navigation links like Home, Search Cal/Val Data, Search Satellite Data, Upload Data, Documentation, Tools, Campaigns, Overpass Tool, Contact Us, and Login. Below the header, it displays the last update date: "Updated: 25 Apr 2022". The main content area includes the EUBREWNET logo and title, followed by detailed metadata fields:

- DOI:** 10.48891/eubrewnet.izana
- Publisher:** EUBREWNET
- Creators:** EUBREWNET
- Publication Year:** 2022
- Resource Type:** Dataset
- Subject:** Atmospheric Science
- Contributors:** Alberto Redondas (Researcher)
- Dates:** Created: 2022-04-11; Issued: 2022
- Data Format:** GEOMS HDF

- Operator training Courses.
  - Tenerife, March 2014
  - Huelva , June 2015
  - Edinburgh, Sept 2016
  - Sydney, Sept 2017
  - Huelva, June 2019
  - Online , June 2020/June 2021
  - Brasil, Jan 2024 ?
- South America 2024?





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# How EuBrewNet supports monitoring in A5 countries.

- The operator courses cover care and maintenance, scheduling, principles of operation and data management.
- The importance of regular calibration is emphasised.
- Calibration data can be stored in EuBrewNet database.
- Software can be installed to enable automatic transfer of raw data to the EuBrewNet database for QA/QC and processing into NRT products.
- Once set up – ***higher submission rates.***

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Direct Sun Measurements

Zenith Sky Measurements

Standard Lamp Measurements

Focused Moon Measurements

FZ Measurements

DZ Measurements

UV Measurements

## Eubrewnet Stats

Brewers by year



2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
38	45	42	49	44	56	47	57	67	72	70	73	70	71	68	71	69	61

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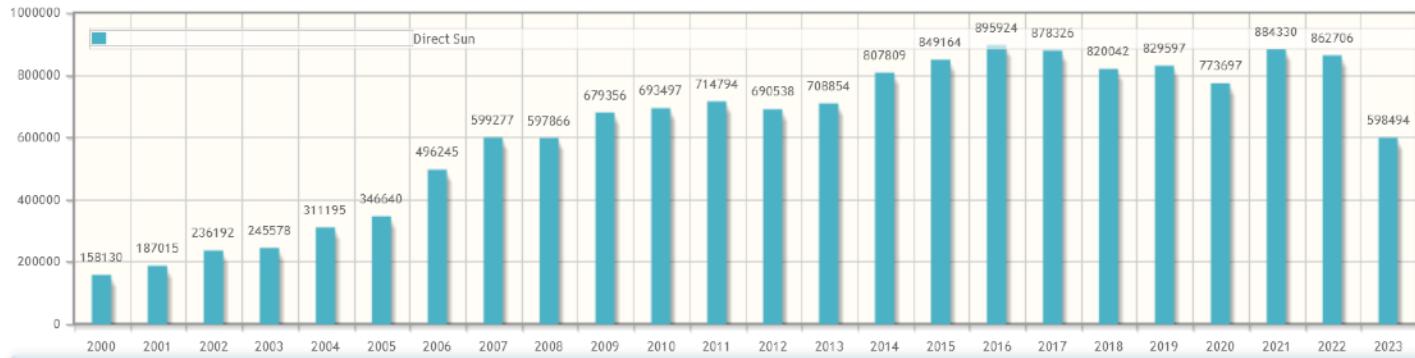
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UV Measurements

## Eubrewnet Stats

Total Direct Sun Measurements



Year	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	
	56	693497	714794	690538	708854	807809	849164	895924	878326	820042	829597	773697	884330	862706	598494

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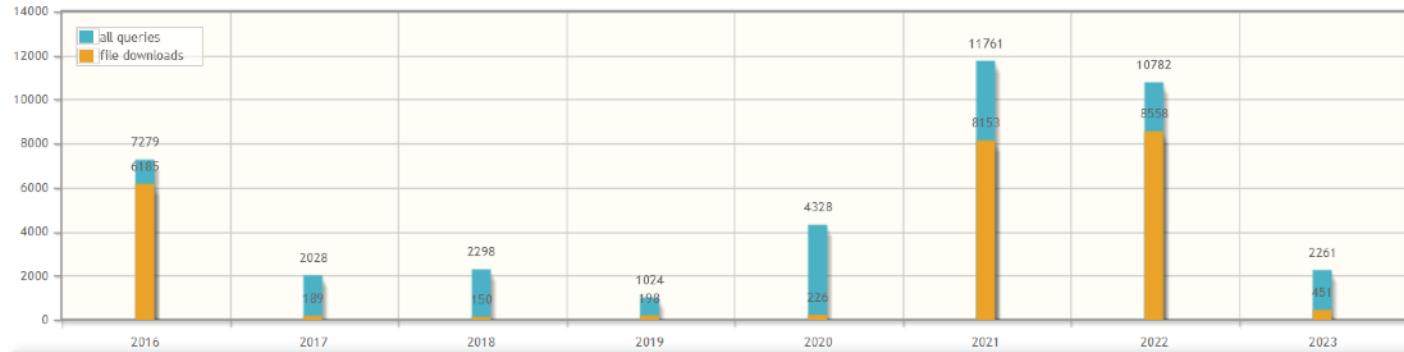
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DB queries by year

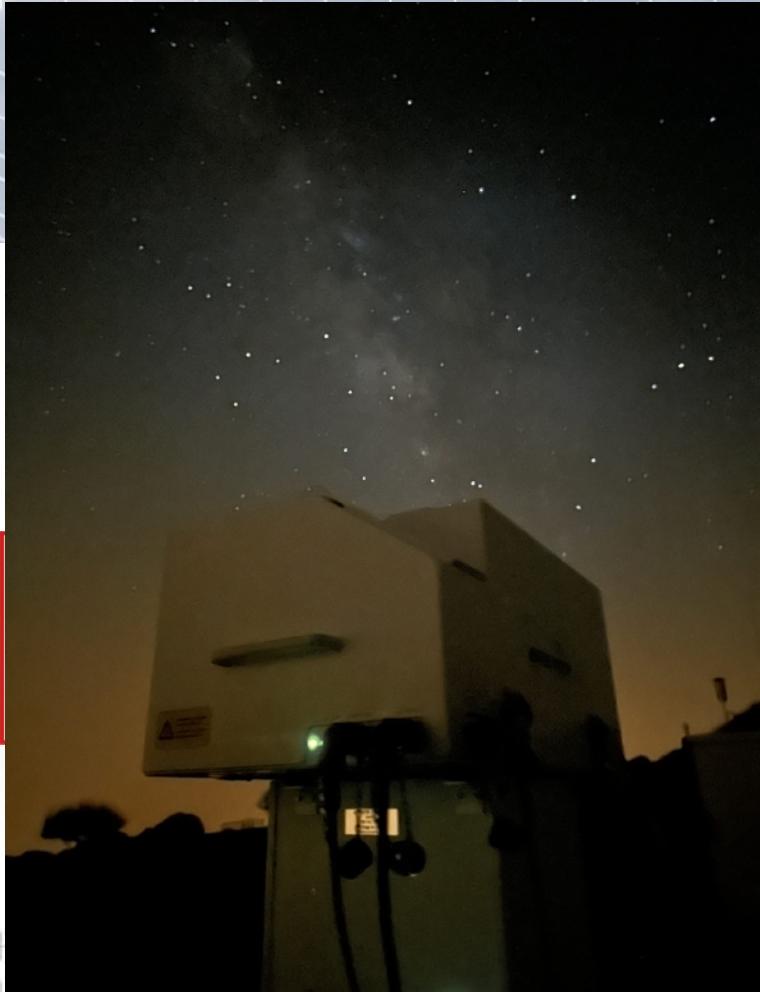


DB queries by year: 65871

Year	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
<b>all queries</b>	7279	2028	2298	1024	4328	11761	10782	2261
<b>file downloads</b>	6185	189	150	198	226	8153	8558	451

# New products and functions

- Ozone uncertainty determination
- UV level 1.6 using SHICrvm
- UV level 2.0 using BUVIC
- AOD-specific (JG) measurements
- Calibration tools (langley & filters)





For all the details, see

Atmos. Chem. Phys., 18, 3885–3902, 2018

<https://doi.org/10.5194/acp-18-3885-2018>

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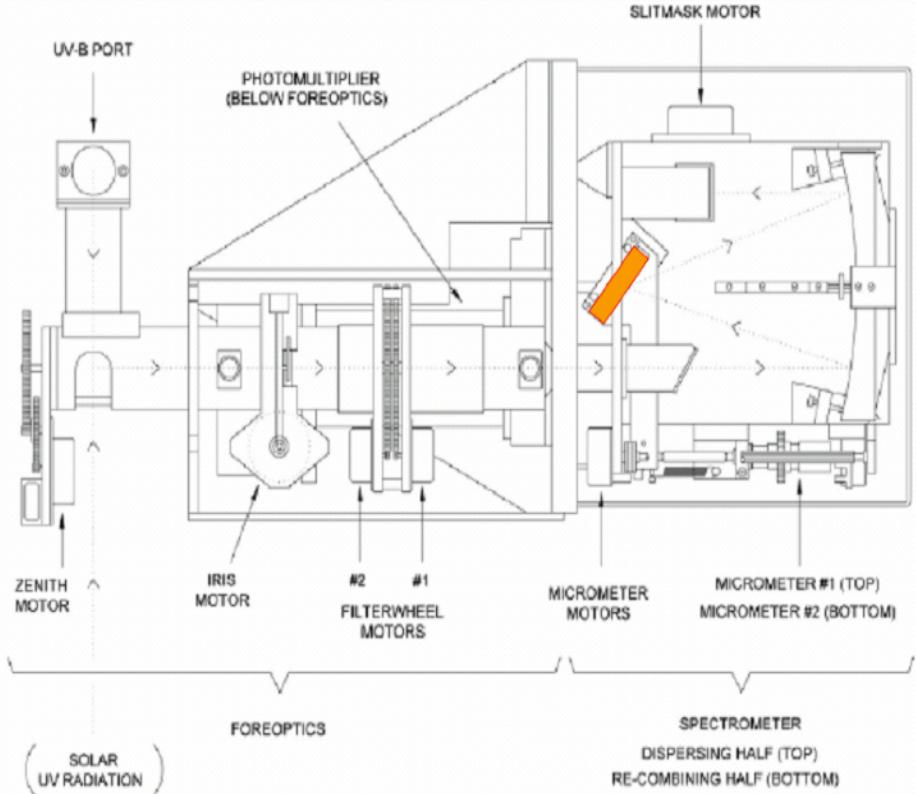
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Aerosol  
Optical  
DepthExtra-  
terrestrial  
constantCorrected  
counts/sBass & Paur  
absorption  
coefficientsStation's  
pressureRayleigh  
airmass

$$\tau_a(\lambda) = \frac{1}{m_a} \{ \log_e I_0(\lambda) - \log_e I(\lambda) - X_o k_o(\lambda) m_o - \frac{p}{1013} \tau_{R0}(\lambda) m_R \}$$

Aerosol airmass  
approximated by the  
Rayleigh airmassOzone with  
Nicolet's  
RayleighOzone  
airmassRayleigh  
optical  
depth

## Modified Ebert Grating Spectrometer with photon counting detection and six exit slits



## Basic design features:

- Spectral purity
- Wavelength step 0.0075 nm/step
- Passive temperature compensation
- High wavelength stability

From Julian

## AOD mode

Brewer op mode	Ozone	UV	AOD
grating	Fixed at O <sub>3</sub> position	Rotating	Rotating to fix positions
slit	6 quasi simultaneous	#1 and #5	6
FOV	~2	2pi	2
Attenuation	ND automatic	ND fixed	automatic
Temperature , correction	From Lamp ratios	Not implemented	
Measurement	Relative (Ratios)	Absolute	Absolute
Calibration	Travelling Langley	Lamp	Travelling / Langley
QA/QC	Travelling RBCC-E	Travelling (QASUME)	

## Potential wavelengths for AOD-specific measurements

Micrometer pos., slit no.	Wavelength (nm)	Micrometer pos., slit no.	Wavelength (nm)
1, 0	311	3, 0	339
1, 2	314		342
1, 3	318	3, 3	345
1, 4	321		348
1, 5	324	3, 5	351
1, 6	327		354
2, 0	326	4, 0	349
2, 2	328		351
2, 3	332	4, 3	355
2, 4	335		358
2, 5	338	4, 5	360
2, 6	341		363



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	Ozone calibration	AOD calibration
-	Instrumental <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ DT</li><li>○ TC (Relative)</li><li>○ Filter no linearity (Ratios)</li><li>○</li></ul>	Instrumental <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ DT</li><li>○ TC (Absolute)</li><li>○ Filter Matrix</li><li>○ Polarization</li></ul>
-	Wavelength Calibration <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ Ozone absorption coefficients</li><li>○ SO2</li><li>○ Rayleigh</li></ul>	Wavelength Calibration <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ Ozone</li><li>○ SO2</li><li>○</li></ul>
-	ETC transfer <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ Langley (double ratio)</li><li>○ Transfer From Reference</li></ul>	- <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ Langley (wv)</li><li>○ Transfer From Reference</li></ul>
-	Ratios-> No absolute calibration needed	Relative calibration for AOD
		-

$I_0(\lambda)$ : Langley-plot method at Izaña or calibration transfer during the RBCC-E Intercomparison campaigns

### Aerosol Optical Depth

$I_0(\lambda)$  + filter correction

- stored as a single matrix
- “real” space, counts/second

For example:

8.24E+07 6.13E+07 ( $\lambda\#1$ , f#2) ( $\lambda\#1$ , f#3) ...  
6.33E+07 4.72E+07 ( $\lambda\#2$ , f#2) ( $\lambda\#2$ , f#3) ...  
( $\lambda\#3$ , f#0) ( $\lambda\#3$ , f#1) ( $\lambda\#3$ , f#2) ( $\lambda\#3$ , f#3) ...  
...

### Ozone

- ETC and “ETC filter correction”
- stored by separate Brewer log space

For example:

1616 and [0, 0, 0, 5, 8, 0]  
f#0 f#1 f#2 f#3 f#4 f#5

## Direct-Sun measurements at different micrometer steps

### Source code:

```

10000 REM **** jg routine 16/04/19 ****
55555 ' 4 feb 2014 Julian, based on original js . jump scan for aod retrieval, to be used after ds
55555 ' 4 oct 2014 Alberto, based on original js . Add slit 7 for DT calculation
55555 ' 12 Jan 2016 Added Summary in line 13005
55555 ' 16 Apr 2019 Added check for extended range. Volodya
55555 ' *** Setup ***
55555 '
11010 DATA jg
11020 TR$=d+"s":UC%=0
11020 IF TYP$="mkii" OR (TYP$="mkiv" AND ZERO+VAL(MC$)>3000) OR (TYP$="mkiv" AND Q9%=0) THEN XR%=0 ELSE XR%=1
11030 IF VAL(SQ$)<128 AND M2<2 THEN SQ$="128"
11050 GOSUB 6610:IF MDD$="o3" THEN GOSUB 6630 ELSE GOSUB 6636      'Filter#1 to 1 or 4
11060 M5$=SQ$ :GOSUB 6650          'Filter#2 to SQ$
11070 GOSUB 6690:GOSUB 7750          'Iris closed, ZE to zenith
11080 LOCATE ,SP:PRINT "4 - Point Brewer at zenith"
11090 GOSUB 9650          'Wait until ready, test intensity
12000 '
12001 ' *** Take Set of Observations ***
12002 '
12010 GOSUB 2450:CZ$="10":GOSUB 9700
12020 GOSUB 8000:MS(0)=11:DS%=0
12025 GOSUB 21000   ' move to 1st pos
12030 GOSUB 7500:SN$=M5$:C7$="-5":GOSUB 9700

```

### B-file:

```

08:58:37
jg: Running jg from o319722a line -67.03
hk
08:58:44
27
30
27
14
4.24
-99
-38
jg
a
192
539.34
0
6
5
84888
31
122857
176112
228198
300241
388081
rat
27.1411
29.99208
26.66594
2090 ← Mic step
jg

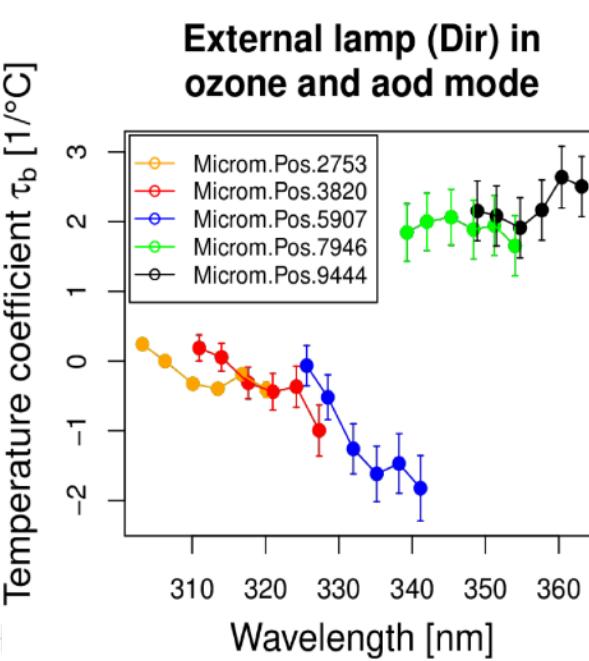
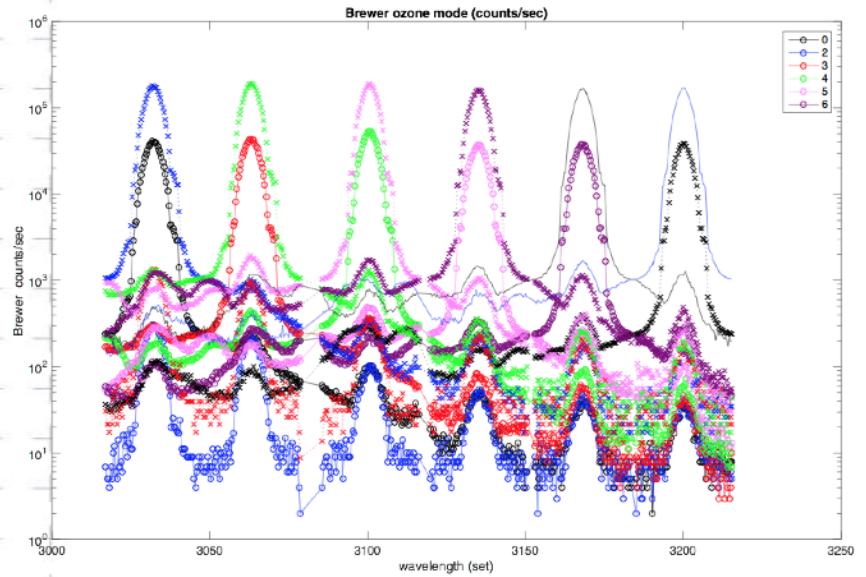
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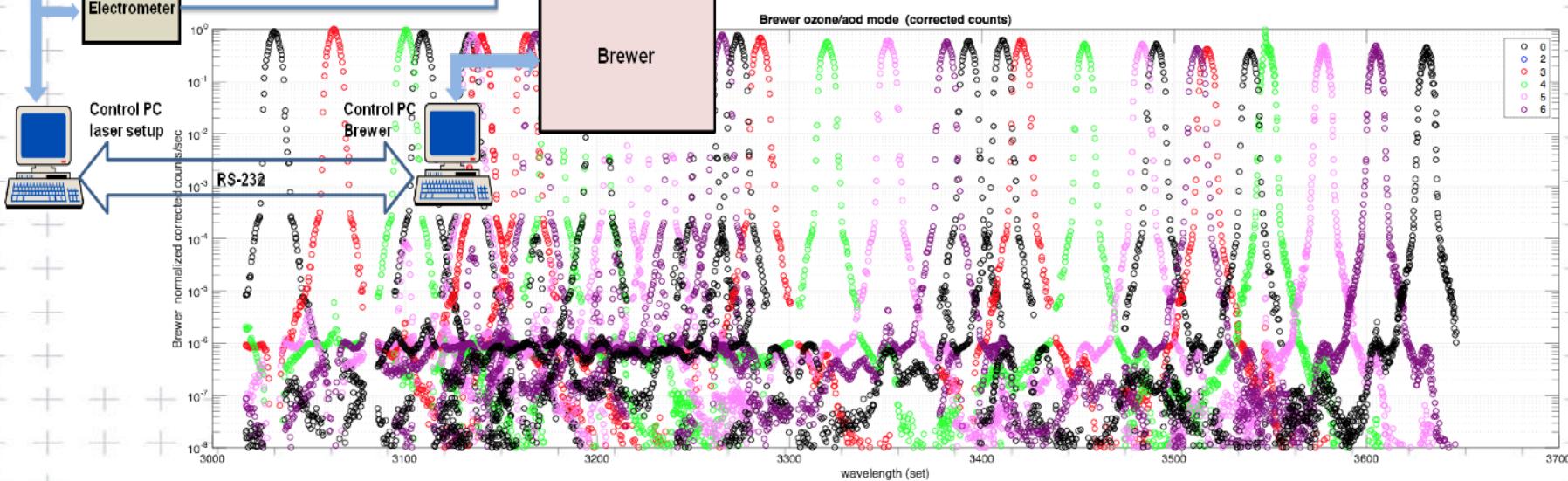
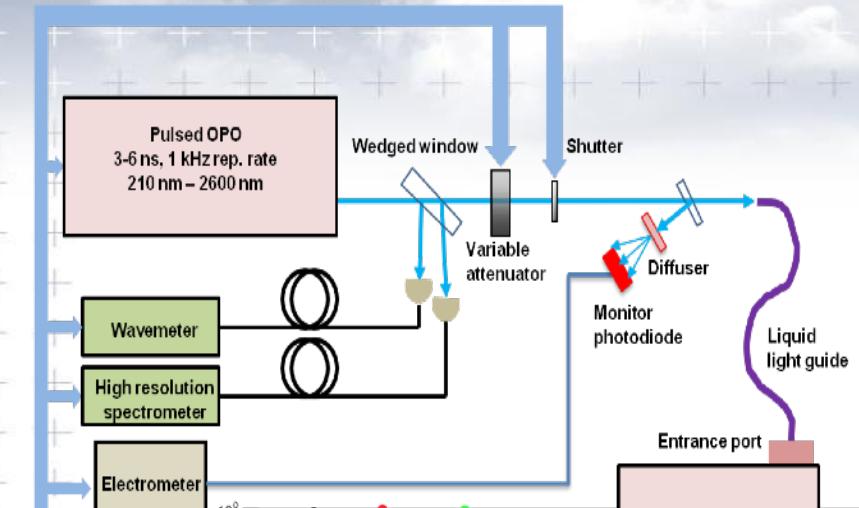
Counts

Mic step

## Wavelength Calibration (Redondas *et al.*, 2018)

Temperature analysis (Berjón *et al.*, 2016,  
[https://presentations.copernicus.org/  
QOS2016/QOS2016-110\\_presentation.pdf](https://presentations.copernicus.org/QOS2016/QOS2016-110_presentation.pdf))





# Calibrations and data



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Calibration file: just a CSV with one row for each wavelength (only ozone DS ones for now) and a lot of columns (many of them not used yet!)

A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O	P	Q	R	S	T	U	V	W	X	Y	Z	AA	AB	AC	AD	AE	
1	#wavel	sit	cabssep	fvnm	etc_f10	etc_f11	etc_f12	etc_f13	etc_f14	etc_f15	rayleigh	c3_abs	so2_abs	m2_abs	tc_const	tc_lin	tc_quad	at_f1	at_f2	at_f3	at_f4	at_f5	strayl_const	strayl_coeff	strayl_exp	sl_ref	sl_slope	sl_quad	aod_ex1	aod_ex2	aod_ex3
2	303.207	1	1021								5049.500	2.594				4244	9051	13715	21832	25111											
3	306.309	2	1021								4831.700	1.778				4264	9068	13718	21787	25045											
4	310.052	3	1021								4584.603	1.005				4262	9073	13714	21740	24971											
5	313.54	4	1021								4370.900	0.676				4279	9094	13723	21709	24924											
6	317.798	5	1021								4176.700	0.375				4286	9103	13728	21676	24890											
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				4262	9073	13714	21740	24971								
				4279	9094	13723	21708	24924								
				4286	9103	13728	21676	24890								
				4295	9122	13738	21638	24842								

# AOD: configuration

Right now, we're doing a lot of approximations to many of these configuration parameters, but to determine the ETCs at each wavelength and filter position, we have a new Langley code which is quite complete



```
def doLangleyFunc(myData,langleyFunc,filters_minobs,showplots,verbose):
    """Do the requested Langley

    Langley methods:

    * Paper: contr_counts_i + contr_rayleigh_i = -tau_i * airmass_ozone + log10_I0_i

        So, for each wavelength i:
        x = airmass_ozone+airmass_aero == airmass_ozone
        y = contr_counts + contr_rayleigh
        slope == -tau_ozone
        intercept = log10_I0

    * Separate ozone: contr_counts_i + contr_rayleigh_i + contr_ozone_i = -tau_i * airmass + log10_I0_i

        So, for each wavelength i:
        x = airmass_aero
        y = contr_counts + contr_rayleigh + contr_ozone
        slope = -tau_aero
        intercept = log_I0

    Fit methods:

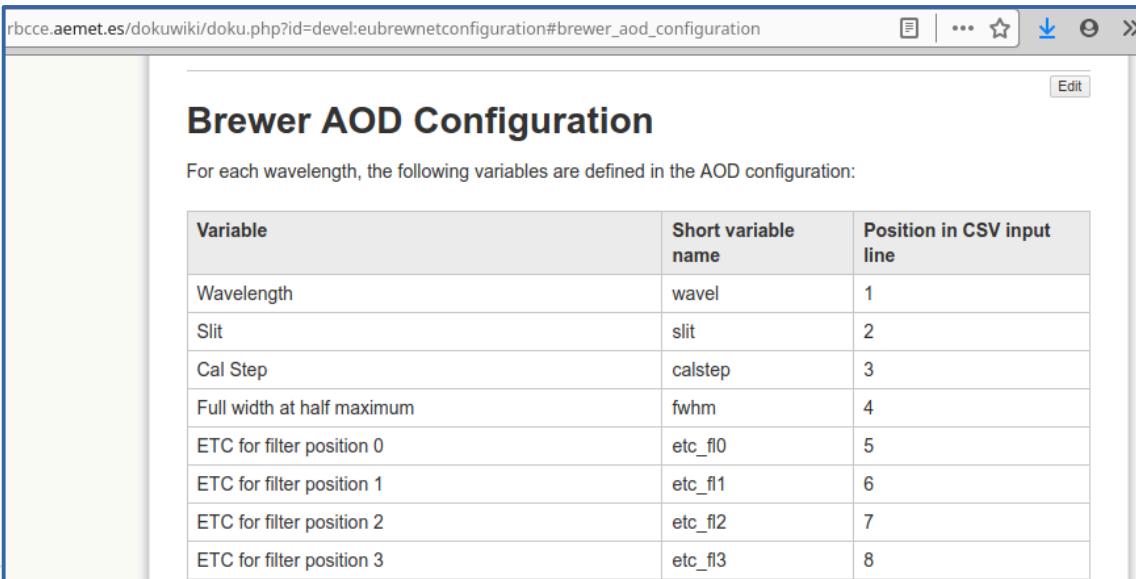
    * fit without dummies, using numpy's polyfit
    * fit with dummies to take into account the filters, using
        sklearn's LinearRegression

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"""
```

In the future, you will be able to run this code directly on EUBREWNET's data server, as you can do right now with the ozone Langley, see <https://eubrewnet.aemet.es/dokuwiki/doku.php?id=codes:calibration>

More information on the format of the file is available at EUBREWNET's wiki:

[http://rbcce.aemet.es/dokuwiki/doku.php?id=devel:eubrewnetconfiguration#brewer\\_aod\\_configuration](http://rbcce.aemet.es/dokuwiki/doku.php?id=devel:eubrewnetconfiguration#brewer_aod_configuration)



The screenshot shows a web browser window with the URL [http://rbcce.aemet.es/dokuwiki/doku.php?id=devel:eubrewnetconfiguration#brewer\\_aod\\_configuration](http://rbcce.aemet.es/dokuwiki/doku.php?id=devel:eubrewnetconfiguration#brewer_aod_configuration). The page title is "Brewer AOD Configuration". Below the title, a text block states: "For each wavelength, the following variables are defined in the AOD configuration:". A table follows, listing variables, their short variable names, and their position in a CSV input line.

Variable	Short variable name	Position in CSV input line
Wavelength	wavel	1
Slit	slit	2
Cal Step	calstep	3
Full width at half maximum	fwhm	4
ETC for filter position 0	etc_fl0	5
ETC for filter position 1	etc_fl1	6
ETC for filter position 2	etc_fl2	7
ETC for filter position 3	etc_fl3	8

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Add, modify, or just check which configurations are available:

<http://rbcce.aemet.es/eubrewnet/configuration/list/AOD>

The screenshot shows a web browser displaying the EUBREWNET configuration list for AOD. The URL in the address bar is [rbcce.aemet.es/eubrewnet/configuration/list/AOD](http://rbcce.aemet.es/eubrewnet/configuration/list/AOD). The page header includes the EUBREWNET logo, navigation links for EUBREWNET, NEWS, BREWERS, STATIONS, DOCUMENTATION, TOOLS, ADMIN, and a user session for JLSOLANO. The main content area has a red header "Add new brewer" with fields for BrewerId (185) and Date (2019-04-08), and buttons for "Add new Configuration", "Modify Configuration", and "Download Configs". Below this is a section titled "Available AOD Configurations" showing a timeline of configurations from 2013-05-07 to 2020-04-12, with the 2019-04-08 configuration selected. A table details the configuration parameters:

Field	Value
date	2019-04-08
version	2.0
operator	jlsolano
modify_date	2021-03-18 10:06:10
id	83
comments	config by JLS on 20210318. calibration data from before Are2019. filter 1 from extended langley

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[http://rbcce.aemet.es/dokuwiki/doku.php?id=codes:dbaccess#get\\_aodl1\\_5](http://rbcce.aemet.es/dokuwiki/doku.php?id=codes:dbaccess#get_aodl1_5)

rbcce.aemet.es/dokuwiki/doku.php?id=codes:dbaccess#get\_aodl1\_5

## Get AODL1\_5

- Function: AODL1\_5
- Description: returns Aerosol Optical Depth summaries for the wavelengths considered – as of October 2020, counts are taken from DS measurements so the AOD is calculated for the six wavelengths at approx. 303, 306, 310, 313, 317, and 320 nm, provided a calibration exists for each of them. For the the Ozone contribution to the AOD, the O3L1.5 data is used. For full details of the AOD determination, see [J. López-Solano et al., Atmos. Chem. Phys. 18, 3885–3902 \(2018\)](#). An operative [AOD configuration](#) must be available for the requested period.
- Input:
  1. `brewerid`: see [Brewerid in common inputs](#)
  2. `date`: see [Date in common inputs](#)
  3. `enddate`: see [Enddate in common inputs](#)
  4. `format`: see [Format](#)
  5. `means`: see [means](#)
- Output: the following AOD-specific fields are included in the standard output alongside the other usual ones (Brewer ID, pressure, sza, ...):
  1. `aodconfigid`: ID of the AOD configuration used in the calculation
  2. `aodconfigdate`: date of the AOD configuration used in the calculation
  3. `wavelengths_i`: wavelength  $i$ , in nm. As of October 2020, counts are taken from DS measurements so the AOD is calculated for the six wavelengths at approx. 303, 306, 310, 313, 317, and 320 nm
  4. `aod_i`: AOD for the wavelength  $i$
  5. `std_aod_i`: standard deviation of the AOD summaries at wavelength  $i$

**Note:** the `airmass` field corresponds to the aerosol airmass, which is currently approximated by the Rayleigh airmass.

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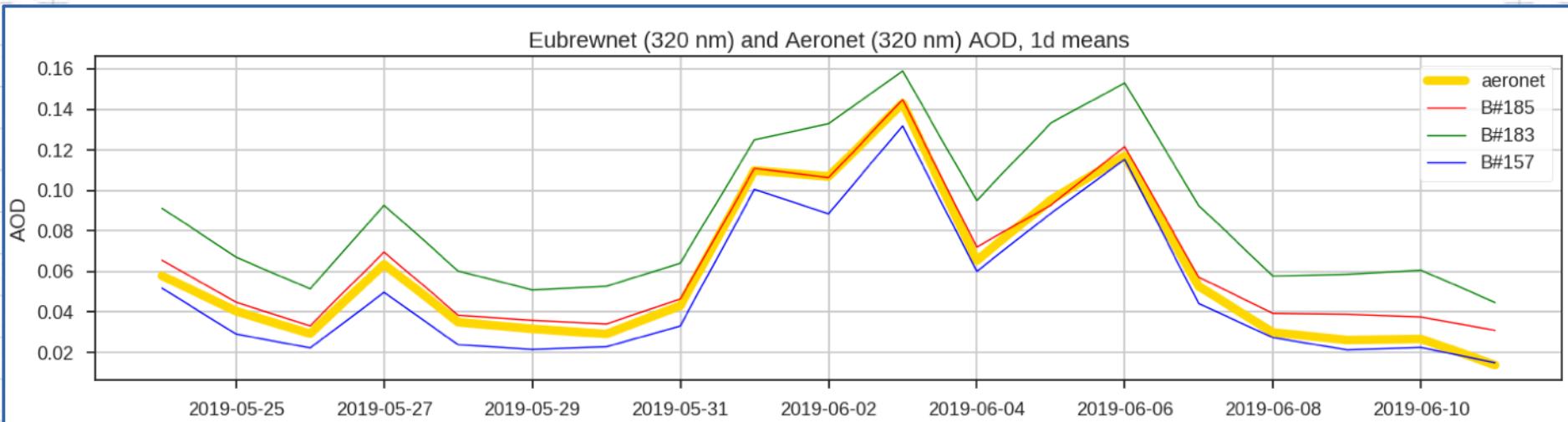
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# El Arenosillo

We transfer the calibration of B#185 - the travelling reference of the RBCC-E Triad - at the Intercomparison Campaigns.

The RBCC-E Triad is calibrated by the Langley-plot method at Izaña, using 1-2 months of data.



# El Arenosillo

We have uploaded to  
EUBREWNET  
preliminary  
calibrations for the  
El Arenosillo 2013  
and 2015,2019,2021  
campaigns.

Some results of  
these campaigns are  
discussed in López-  
Solano *et al.* (2018)

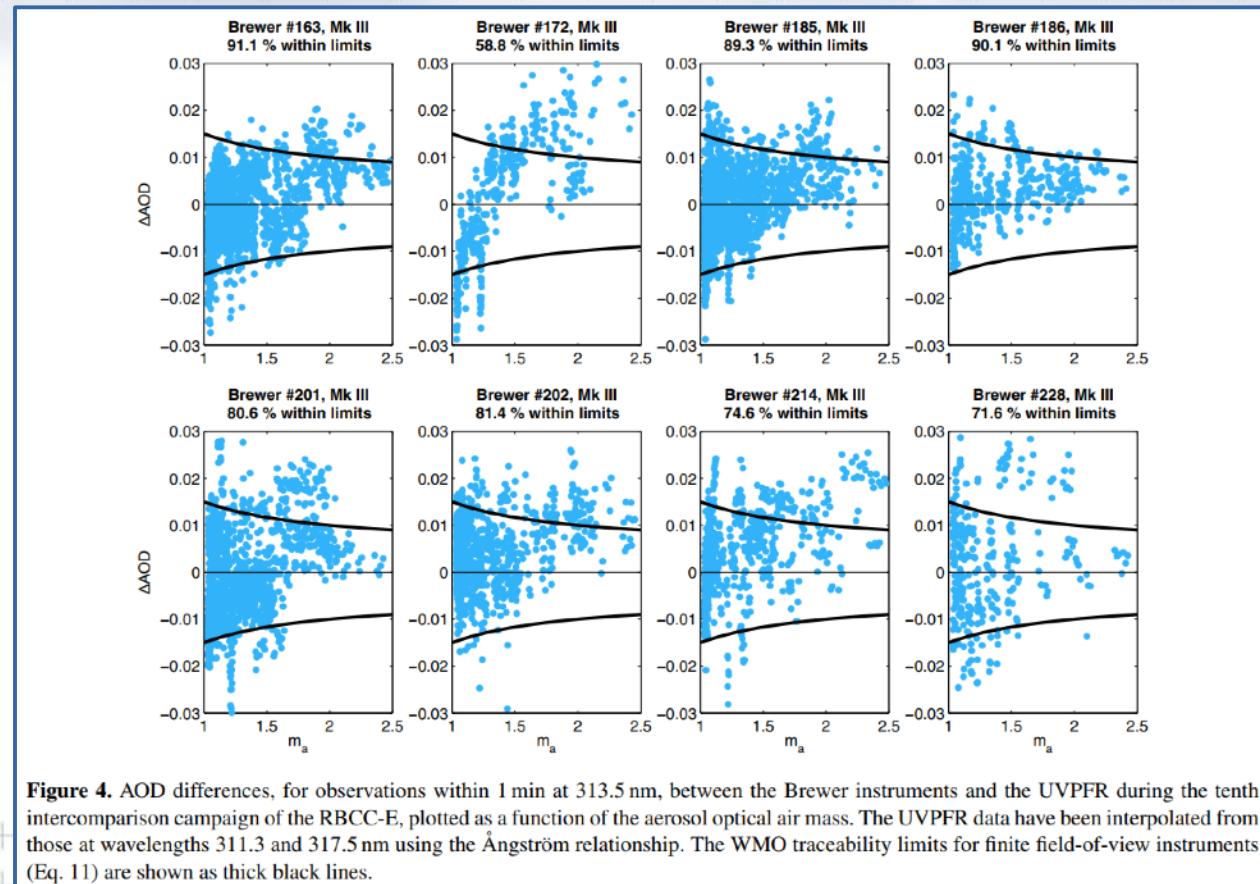


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**Figure 4.** AOD differences, for observations within 1 min at 313.5 nm, between the Brewer instruments and the UVPFR during the tenth intercomparison campaign of the RBCC-E, plotted as a function of the aerosol optical air mass. The UVPFR data have been interpolated from those at wavelengths 311.3 and 317.5 nm using the Ångström relationship. The WMO traceability limits for finite field-of-view instruments (Eq. 11) are shown as thick black lines.

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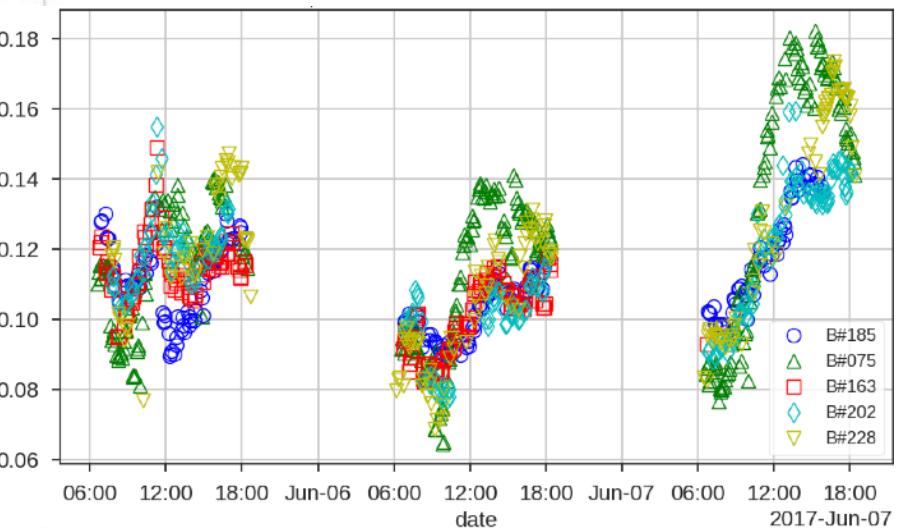
Calibrations of the 2017 and 2019 campaigns.



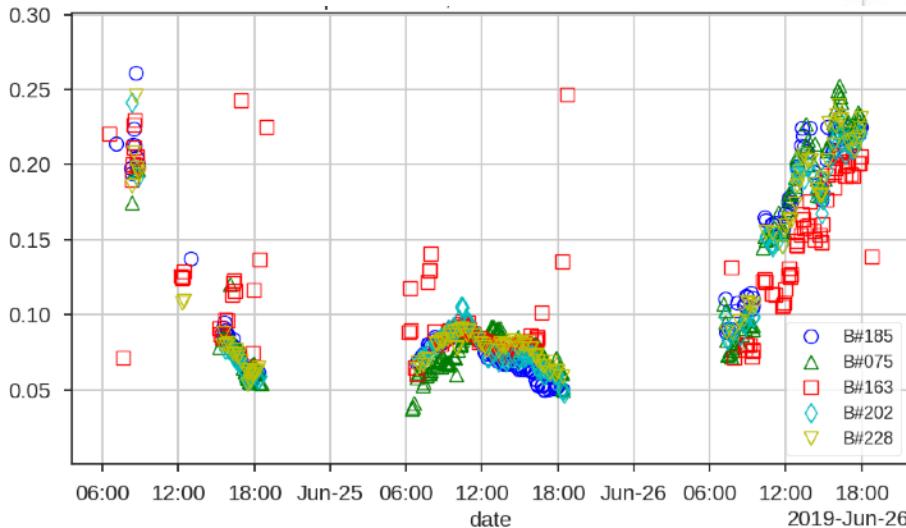
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### AOD 320 nm



El Arenosillo 2017, last three days



El Arenosillo 2019, last three days

AOD in EUBREWNET

# El Arenosillo

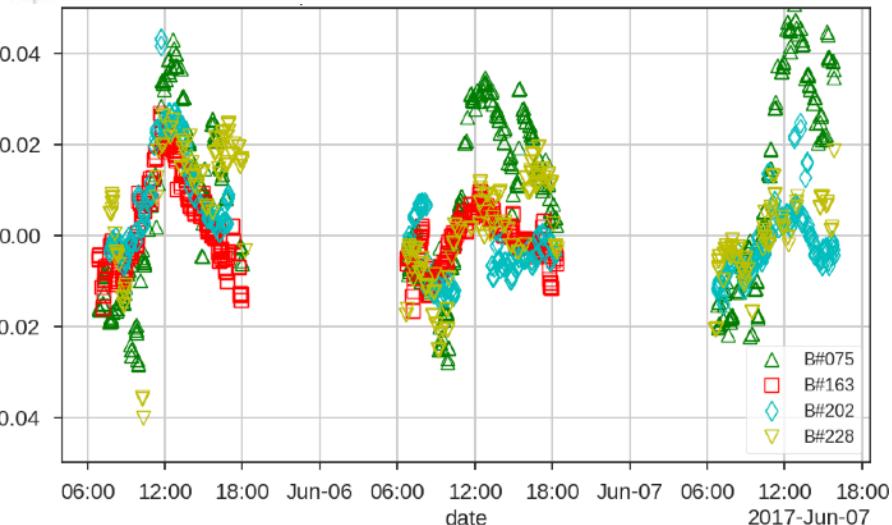
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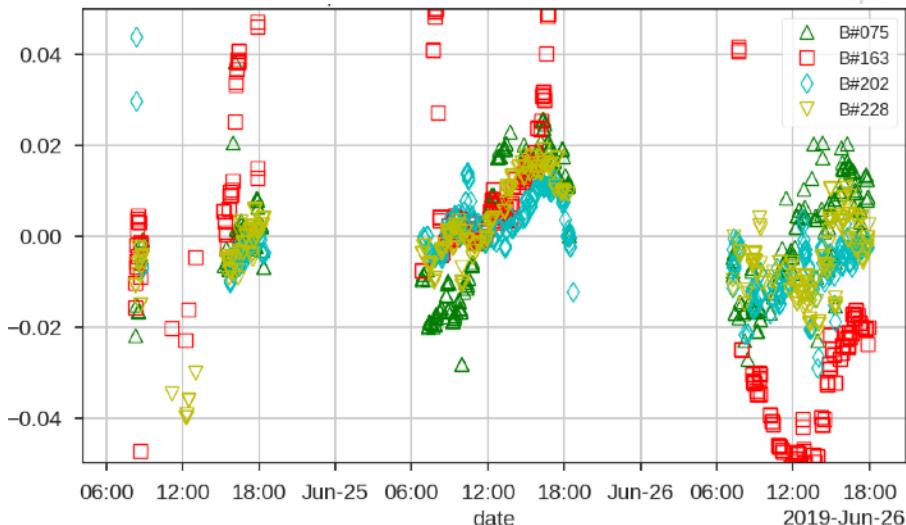
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## AOD 320 nm differences with respect to B#185



El Arenosillo 2017, last three days



El Arenosillo 2019, last three days

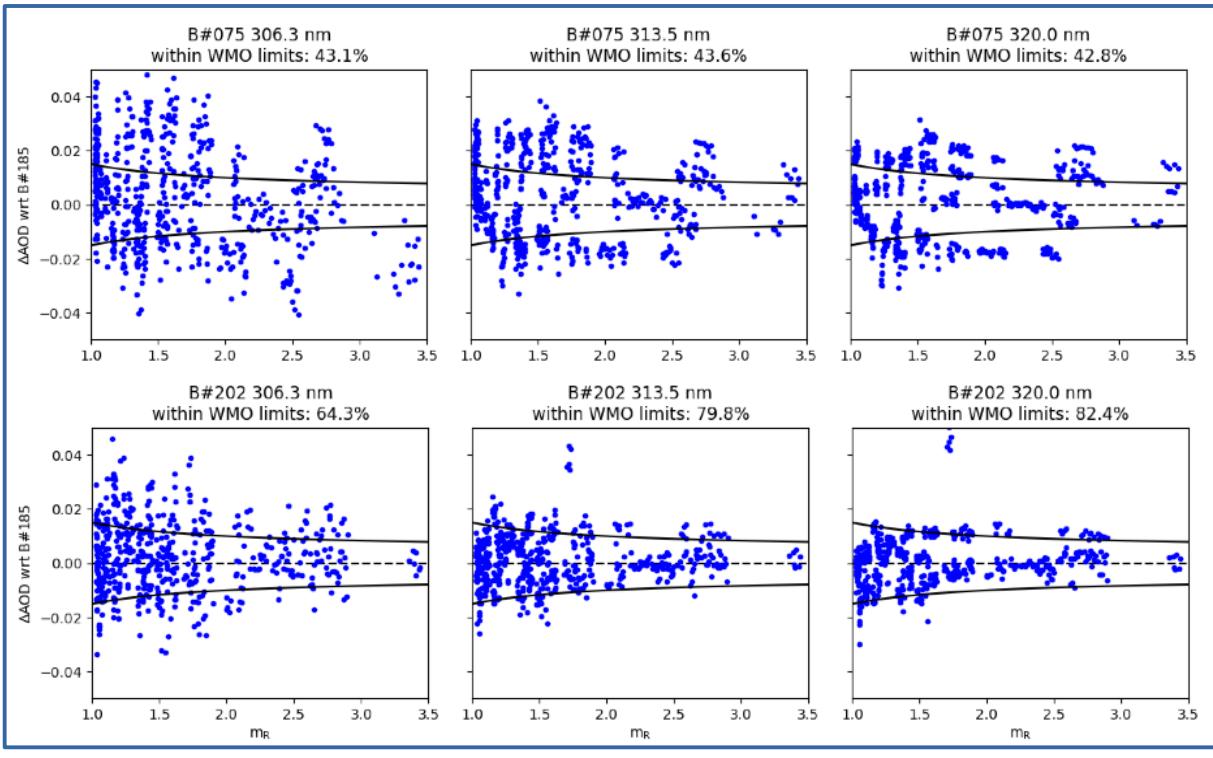
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Some instruments behave better than others: stray light? Polarization? Temperature? Something else?



El Arenosillo 2019,  
last 3 days, final  
calibrations

WMO traceability  
criteria: 95% of  
the differences  
within the limits

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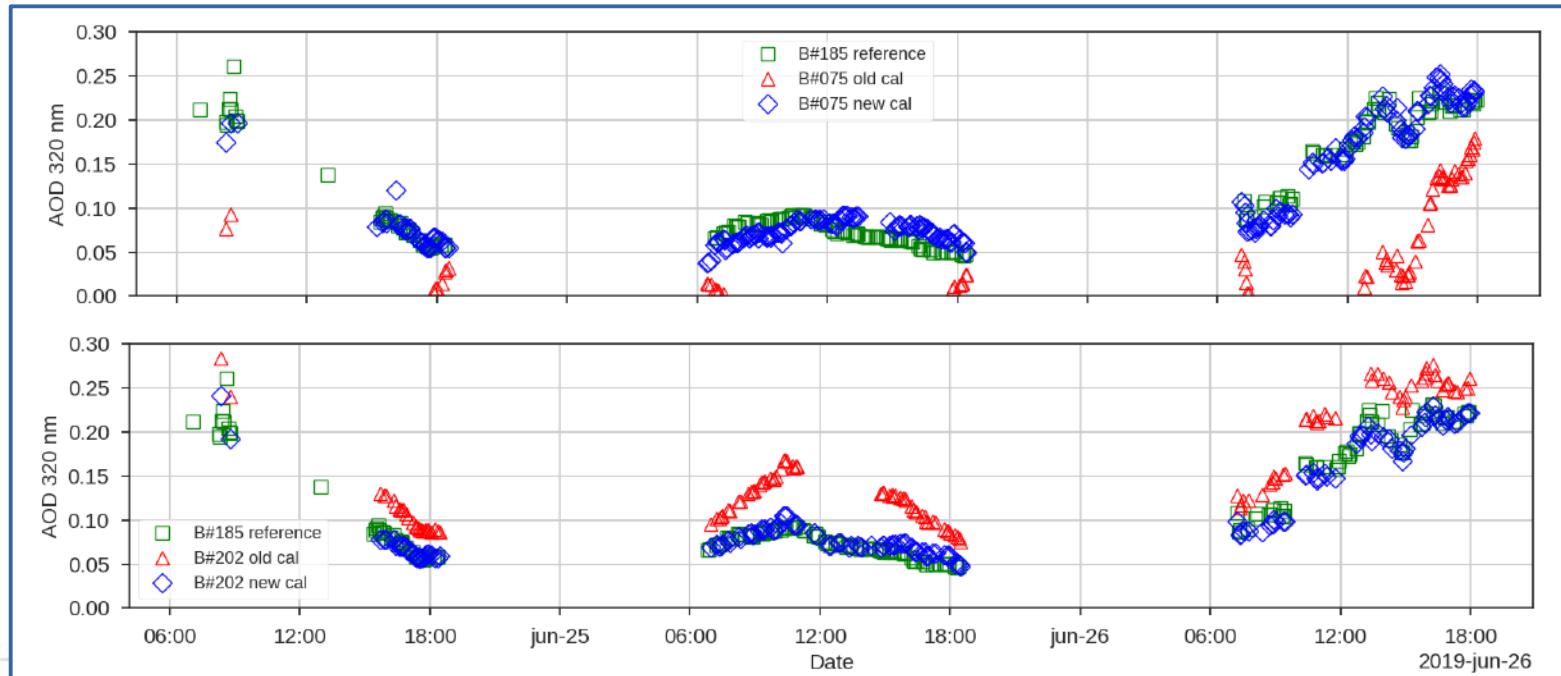


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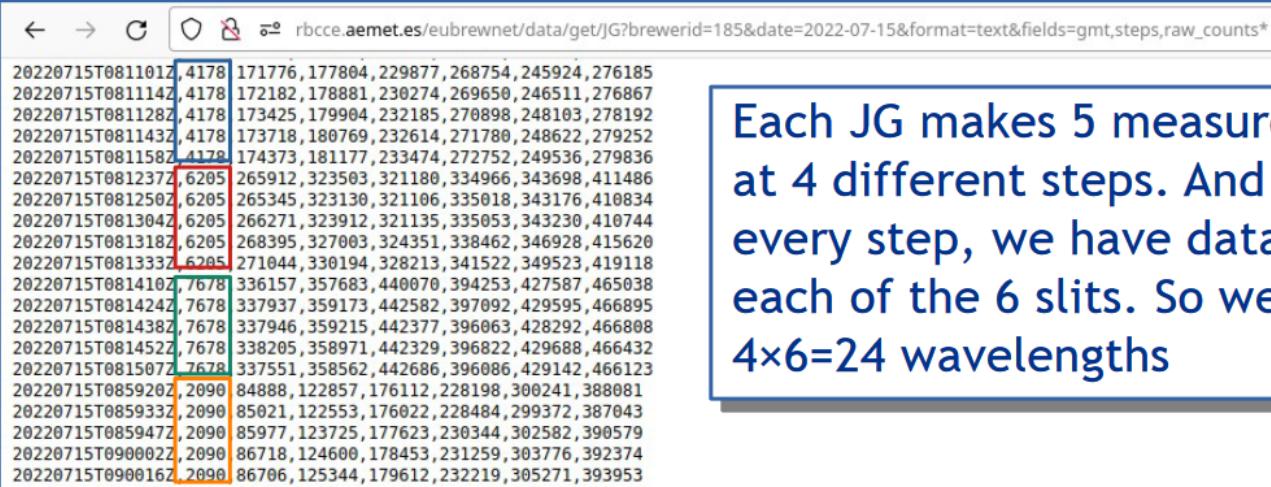
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We are also working on tracking the changes between campaigns.

El Arenosillo 2019, last 3 days. Old cal = Arenosillo 2017, new cal= Arenosillo 2019



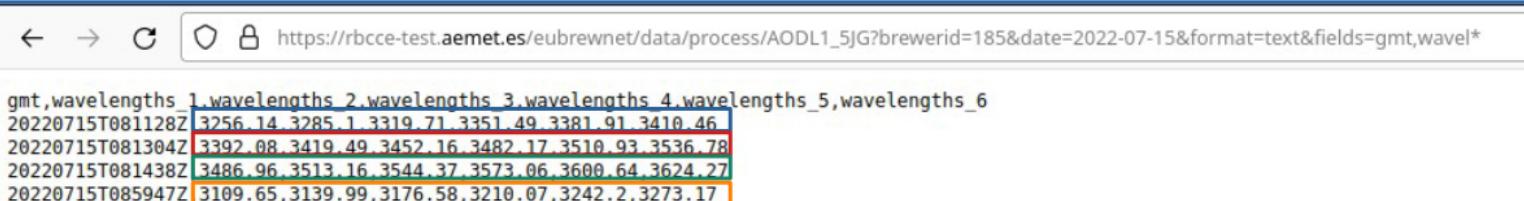
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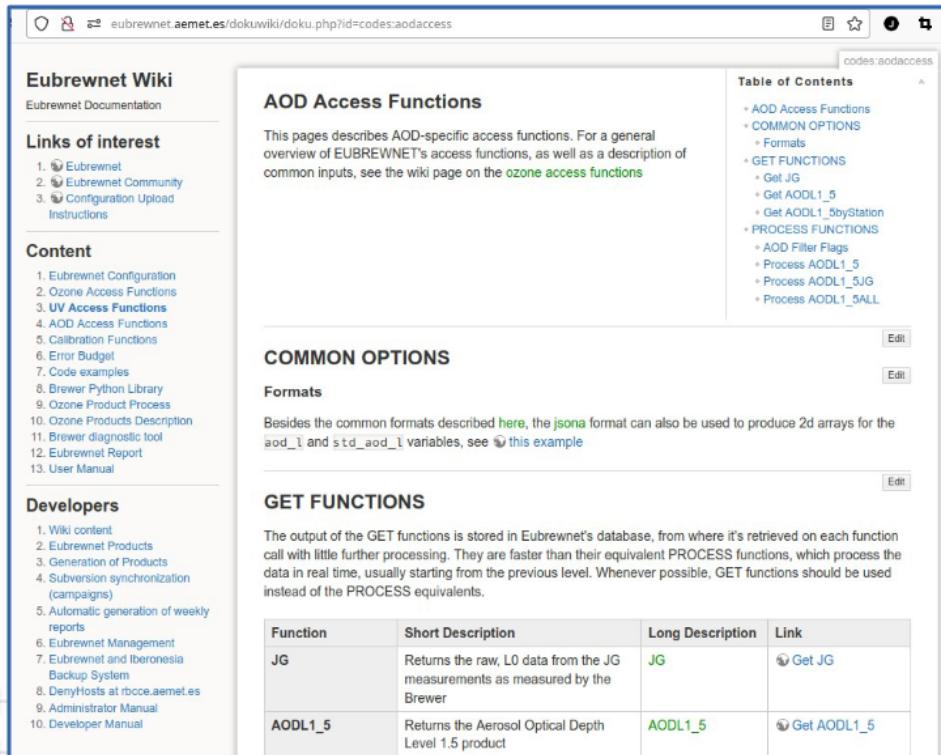
Each JG makes 5 measurements at 4 different steps. And for every step, we have data at each of the 6 slits. So we have  $4 \times 6 = 24$  wavelengths

## Processing at Eubrewnet with process/AODL1\_5JG



date	slit	gmt	wavelength_1	wavelength_2	wavelength_3	wavelength_4	wavelength_5	wavelength_6					
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20220715T085947Z	4	3109	65	3139	99	3176	58	3210	07	3242	2	3273	17

For more information on these functions, see the wiki page at  
<https://eubrewnet.aemet.es/dokuwiki/doku.php?id=codes:aodaccess>



The screenshot shows a web browser displaying a wiki page titled "AOD Access Functions". The page content includes a table of contents on the right side listing various access functions and their sub-sections. The main content area contains sections for "COMMON OPTIONS" and "GET FUNCTIONS", with detailed descriptions and examples. At the bottom, there is a table comparing "Function", "Short Description", "Long Description", and "Link" for two specific functions: "JG" and "AODL1\_5".

**AOD Access Functions**

This page describes AOD-specific access functions. For a general overview of EUBREWNET's access functions, as well as a description of common inputs, see the wiki page on the ozone access functions

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**COMMON OPTIONS**

**Formats**

Besides the common formats described here, the json format can also be used to produce 2d arrays for the aod\_1 and std\_aod\_1 variables, see this example

**GET FUNCTIONS**

The output of the GET functions is stored in Eubrewnet's database, from where it's retrieved on each function call with little further processing. They are faster than their equivalent PROCESS functions, which process the data in real time, usually starting from the previous level. Whenever possible, GET functions should be used instead of the PROCESS equivalents.

Function	Short Description	Long Description	Link
JG	Returns the raw, L0 data from the JG measurements as measured by the Brewer	JG	<a href="#">Get JG</a>
AODL1_5	Returns the Aerosol Optical Depth Level 1.5 product	AODL1_5	<a href="#">Get AODL1_5</a>

# AOD: preliminary results

Comparison with AERONET (ARN) data (extrapolated from 340 nm using the 340-440 nm Ångström exponent where necessary), daily medians over July-August 2022 for B#185 at Izaña

320 nm from DS looks OK, as usual

Approx. area  
within the WMO  
traceability limits

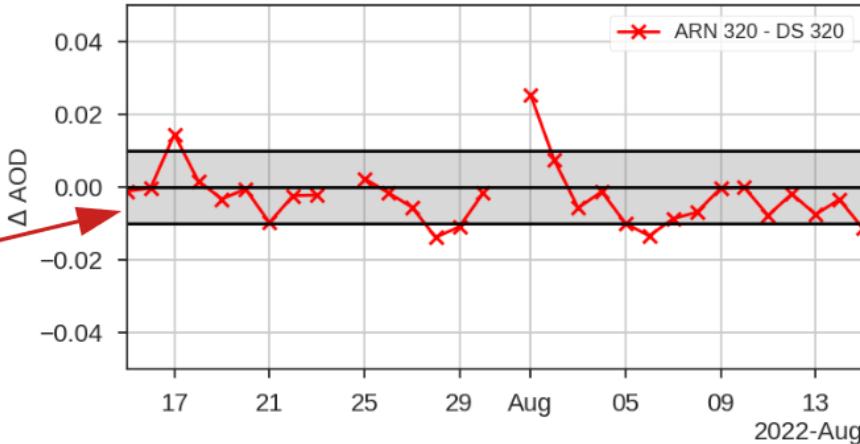
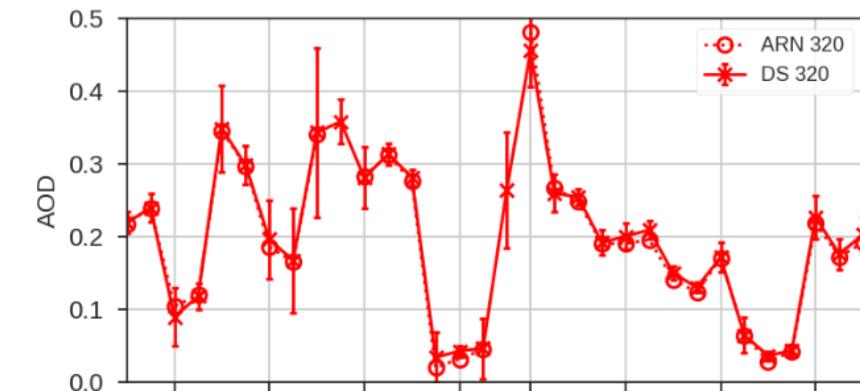


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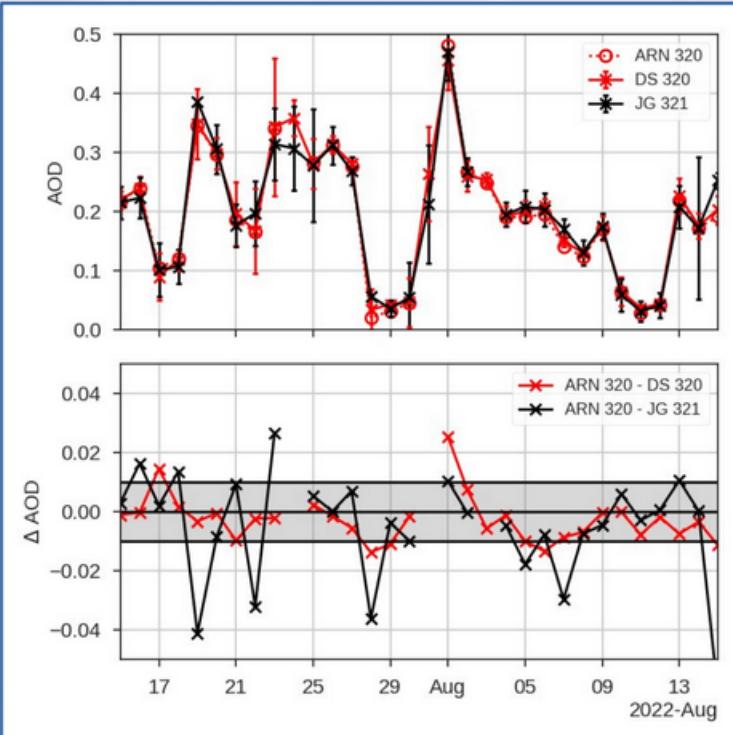


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321 nm from JG is worse than the DS, but it's quite close



# AOD: preliminary results

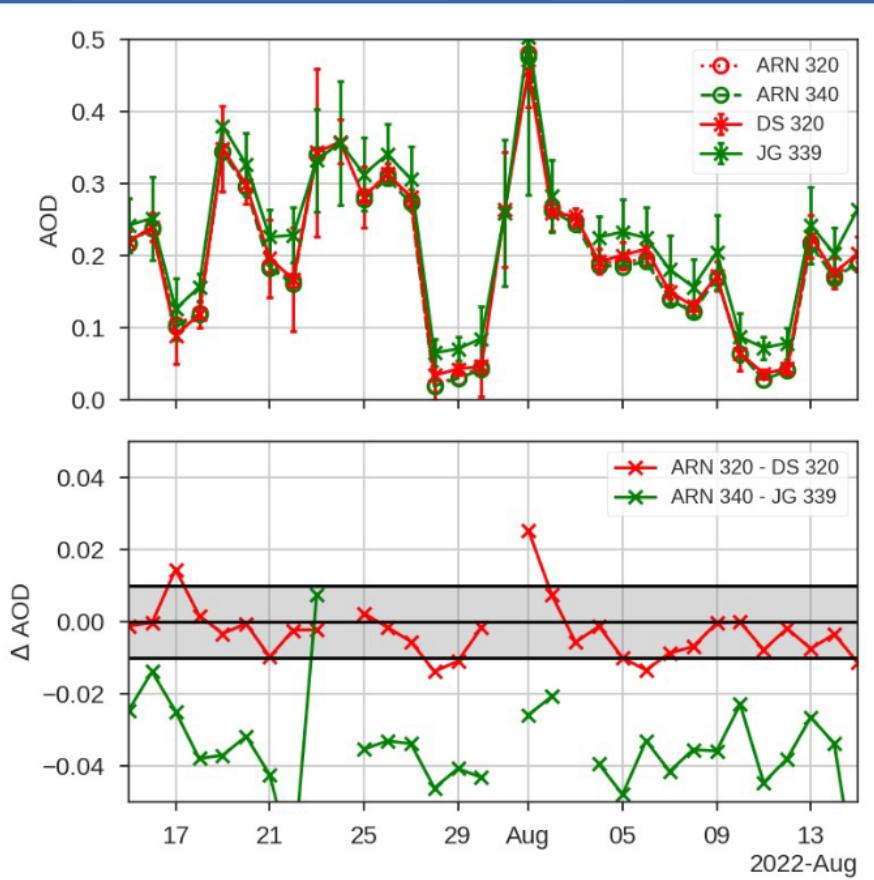


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339 nm looks quite bad...



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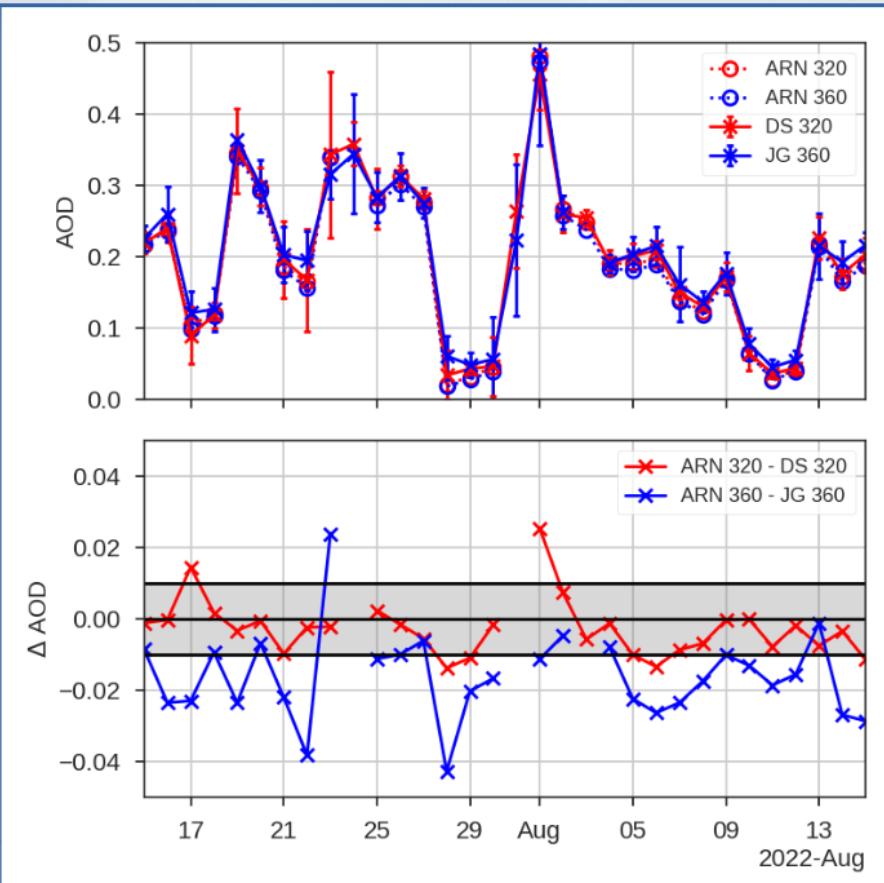


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... but 360 nm gets better!

→ Lots of work pending  
in the AOD calibrations!



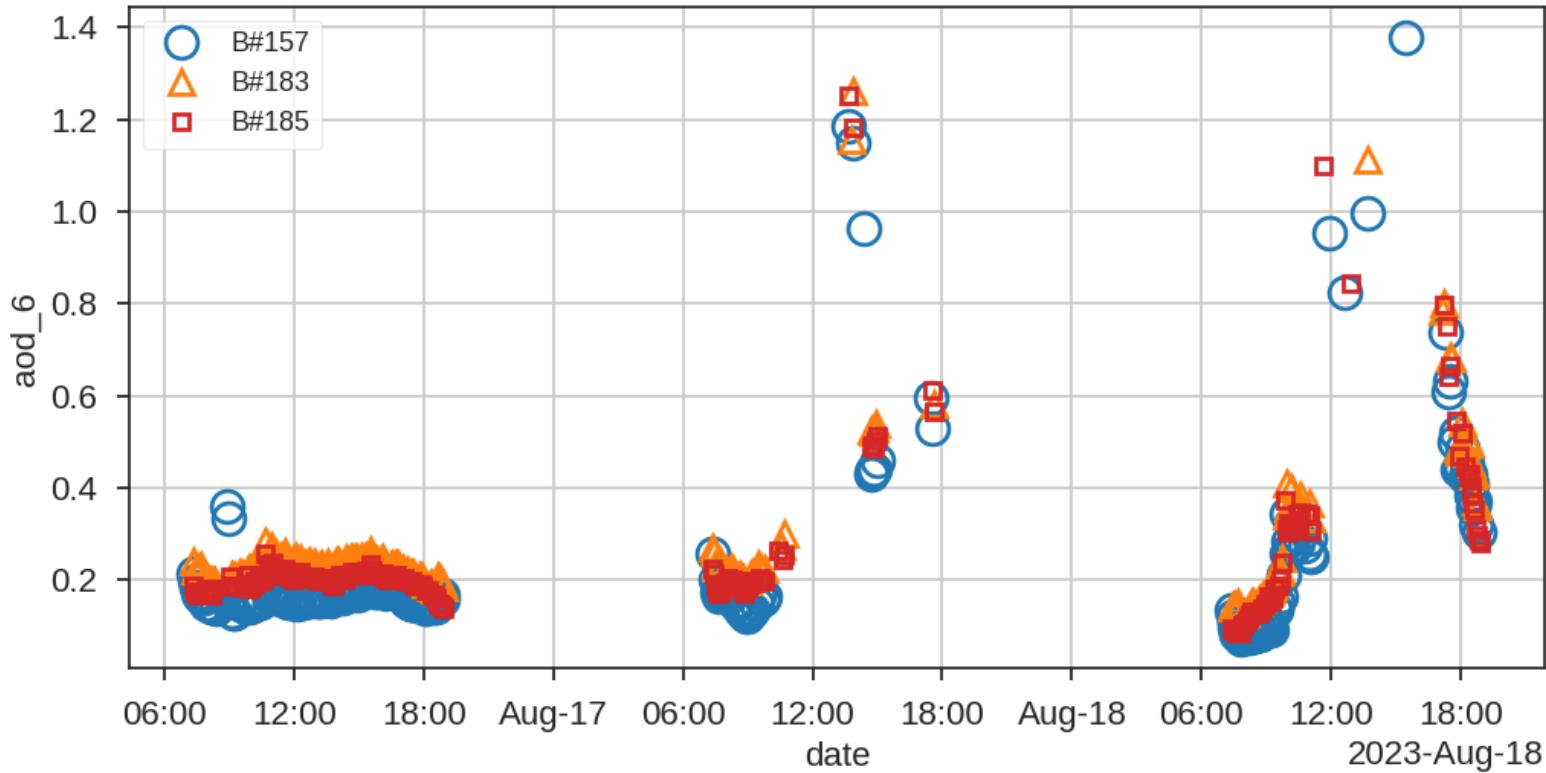


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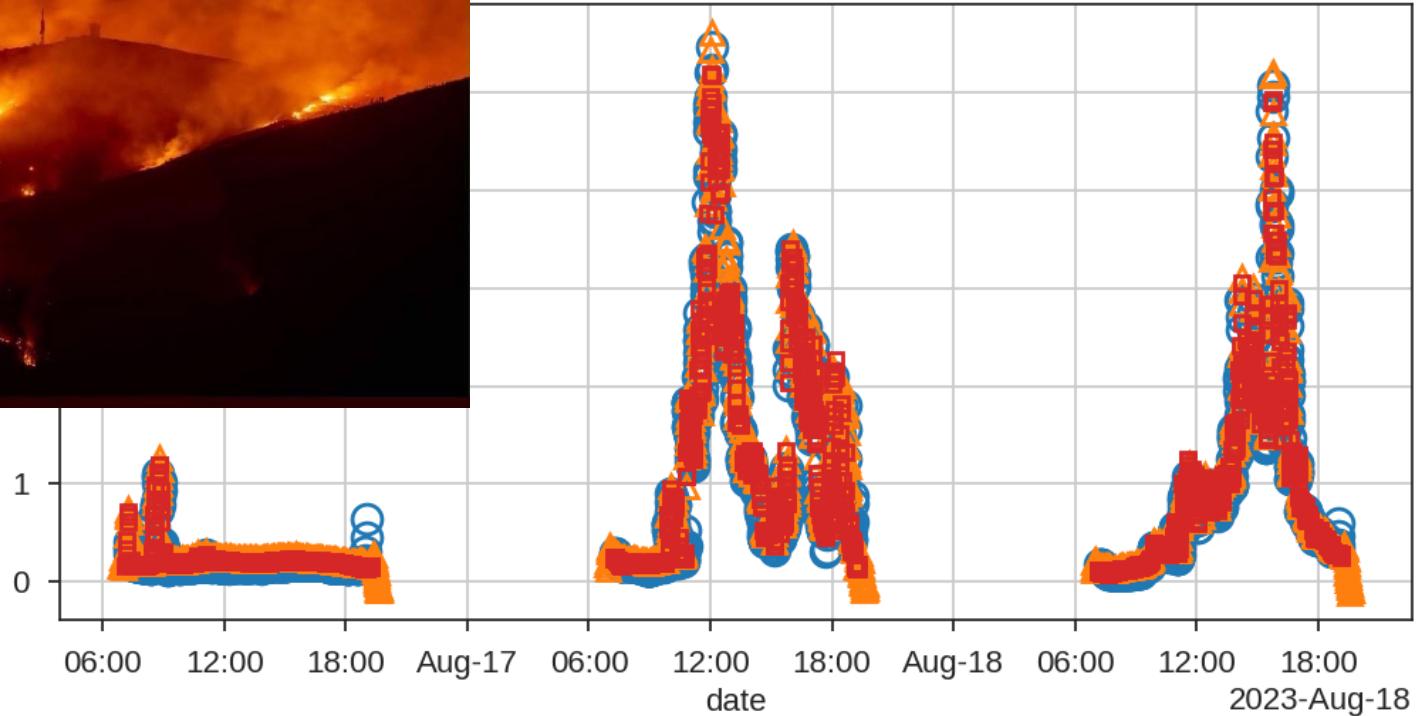
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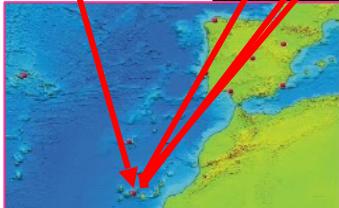
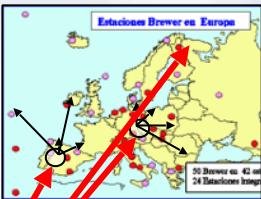
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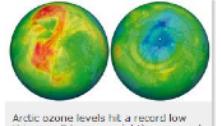
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Arctic monitoring stations hit by budget constraints.

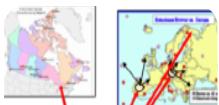
Quinn Schencker

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Arctic ozone levels hit a record low this year (blue area, right), compared



2003



2005



2006



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5-15 September 2021: Huelva intercomparison

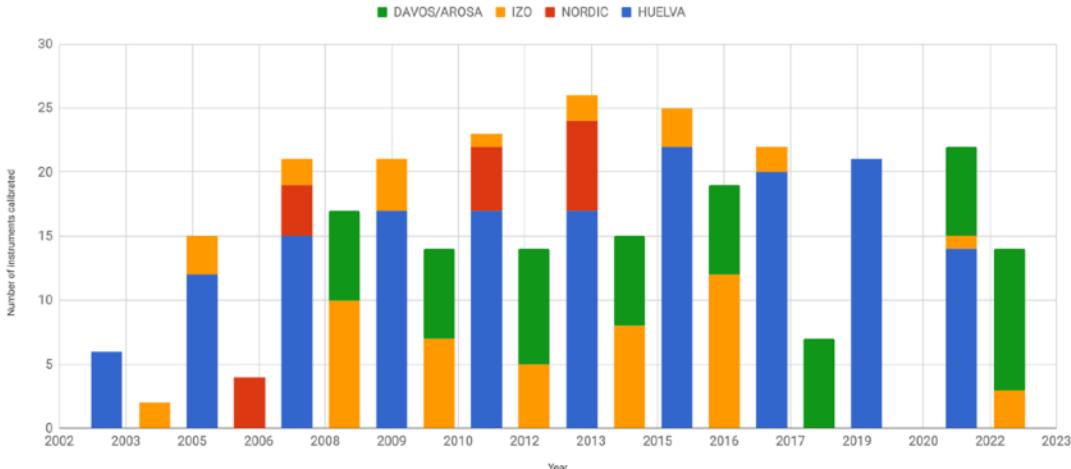
## 2022 - Chile – Chajnantor setup

Davos July 2022

## 2023 – September 2023

## 2024 - WMO Brasil January 2024

RBCC-E calibrated Brewers



- Operator training Courses.
  - Tenerife, March 2014
  - Huelva , June 2015
  - Edinburgh, Sept 2016
  - Sydney, Sept 2017
  - Huelva, June 2019
  - Huelva, Sep 2023 ?
  - South America 2024?





Thanks for your attention!

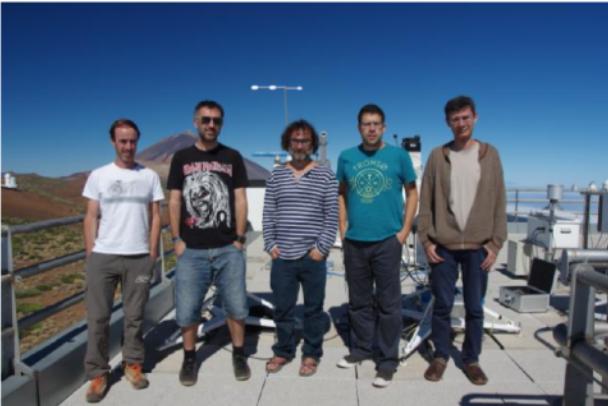
Questions and suggestions are always welcome!

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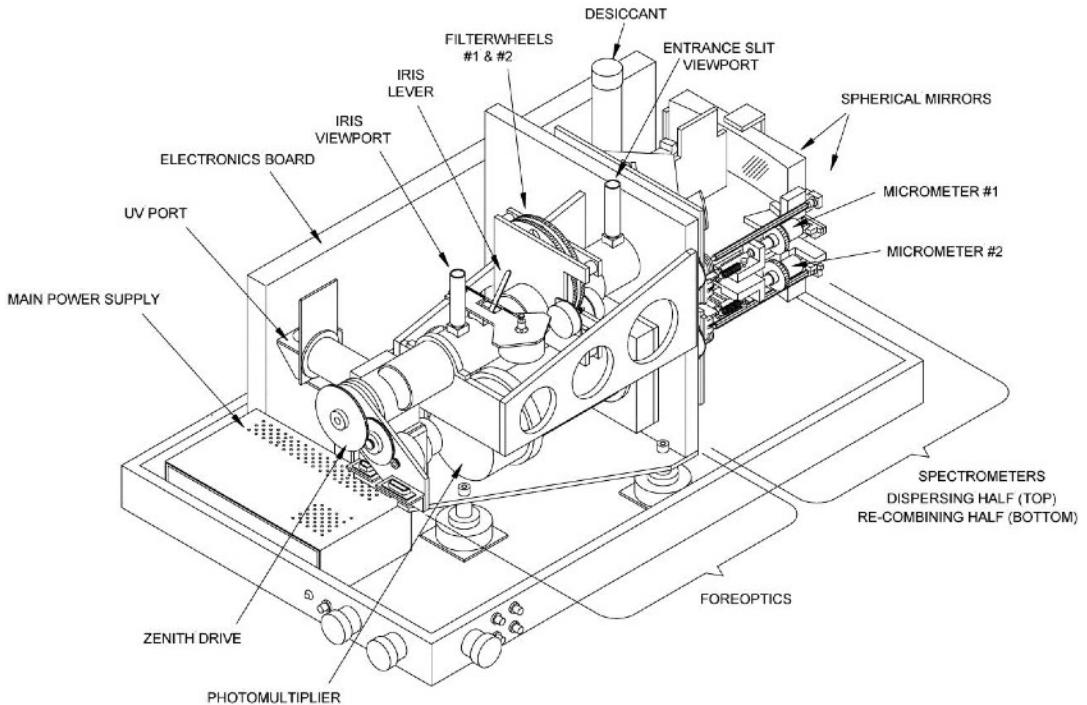
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## Inside a Brewer



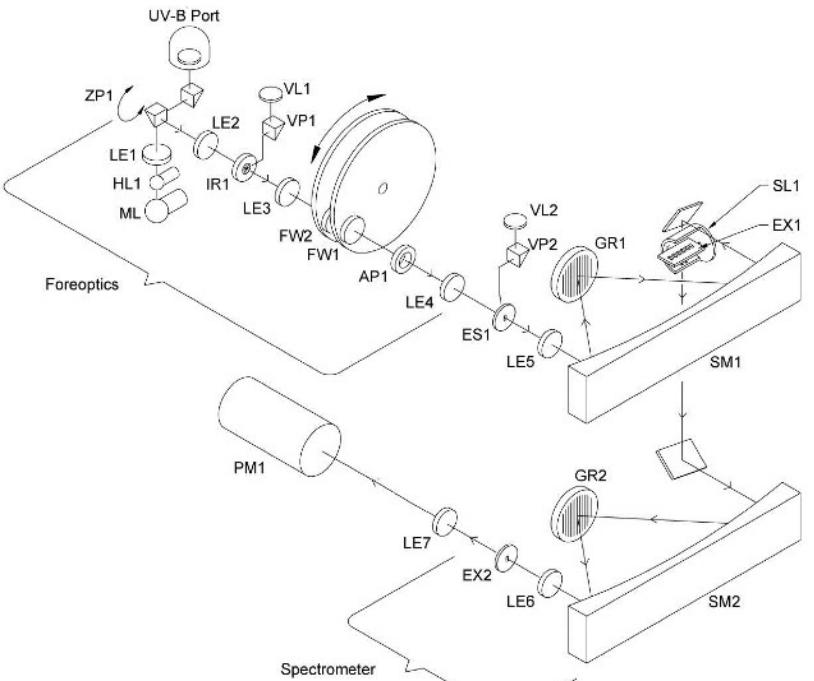
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Simpler view



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