

# Status CH<sub>4</sub> product TROPOMI Sentinel-5P

- 17 July'22 improved algorithm (v02.04.00) incl. a.o. 3rd order polynomial spectral fit surface reflectance to reduce artefacts (Lorente et al., 2022)
- March'23 full mission operational dataset reprocessed until 25 July'22 with same version alg.
- 22-29 Nov'23 PDGS update (v2.16.0) - alternative TROPOMI-only cloud mask (bypassing VIIRS) will become fallback in operational processor, and will run in parallel for further validation (see *Landgraf presentation*)
- Alternative TROPOMI-only cloud mask also allows a CH<sub>4</sub> NRT product to be developed & implemented (autumn 2024 tbc)

See *Maasackers presentation* on using TROPOMI CH<sub>4</sub> data and integrating methane satellite data at different scales.

- Scientific HDO/H<sub>2</sub>O product available at SRON (contact Tobias Borsdorff), can also be made operational