

# CO from AIRS during INTEx-A

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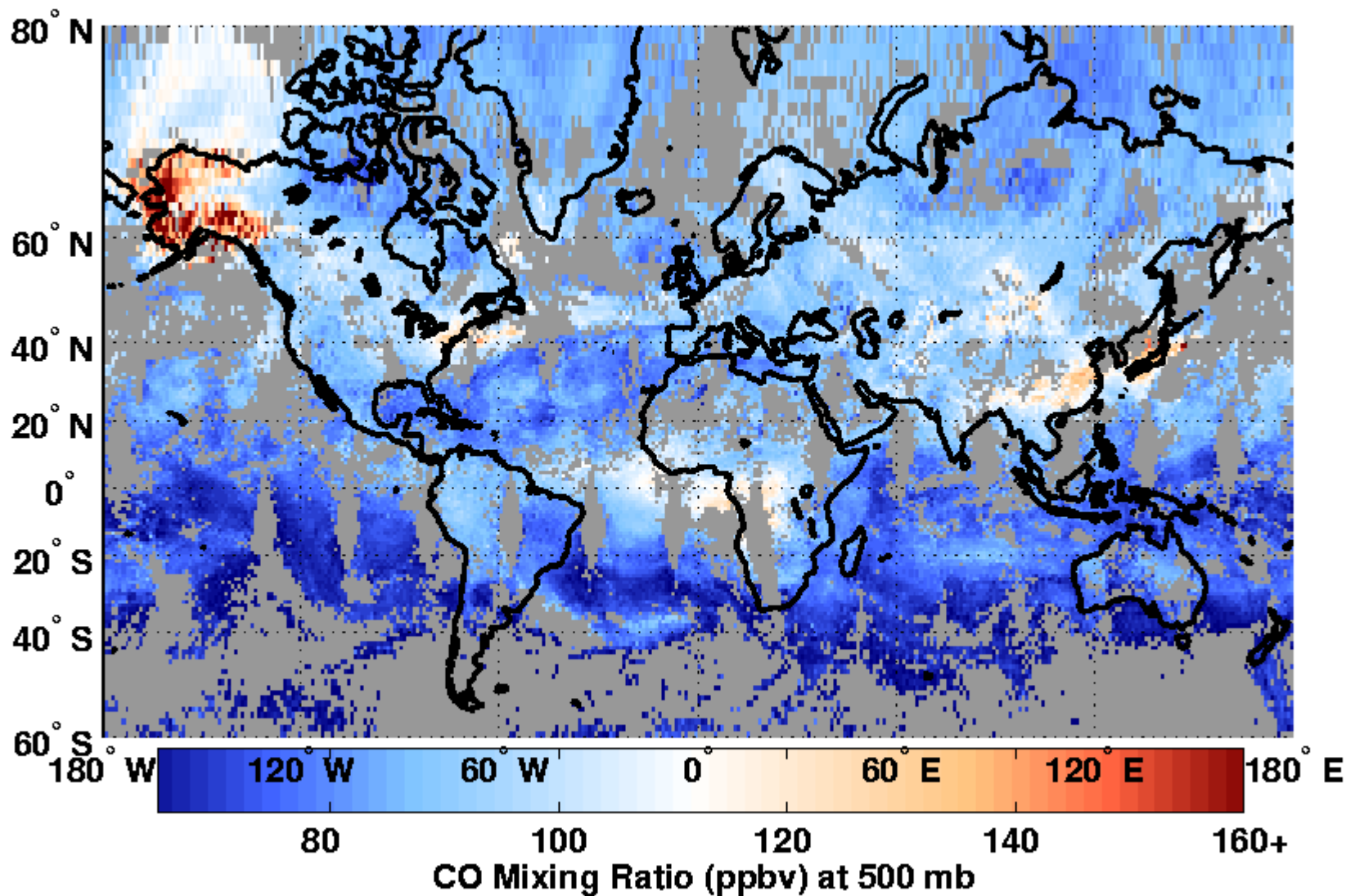
**Thanks to the entire AIRS Team!**

# AIRS CO Data Status

- **Quick-look field data still available via website for INTEX-A period**
  - **1°x1° grid 500mb CO and total column CO**
- **Reprocessed CO retrievals expected May 1**
  - improved quality control (lower yield)
  - AIRS v4.0 standard retrievals (T, H<sub>2</sub>O, etc.)
  - pre-launch CO retrieval
  - CO verticality (vertical distribution of sensitivity)
  - 1°x1° grid and individual retrievals available
- **Improved CO retrievals expected August 1**
  - upgraded AIRS standard retrievals w/CO
  - maybe CO<sub>2</sub> and CH<sub>4</sub>???

# July 2004 AIRS Daily Global CO

AIRS CO at 500 mb on 20040701

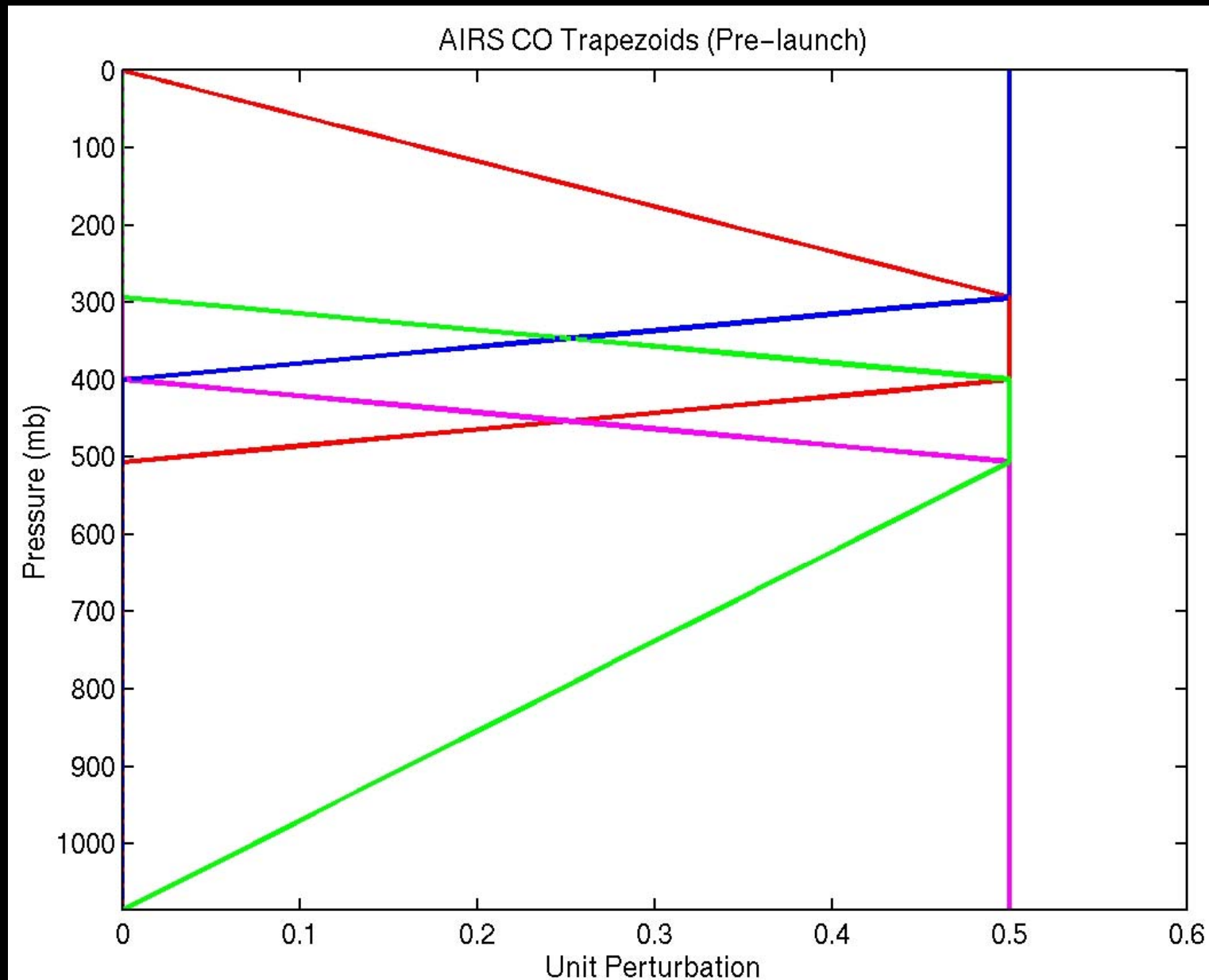


# Outline

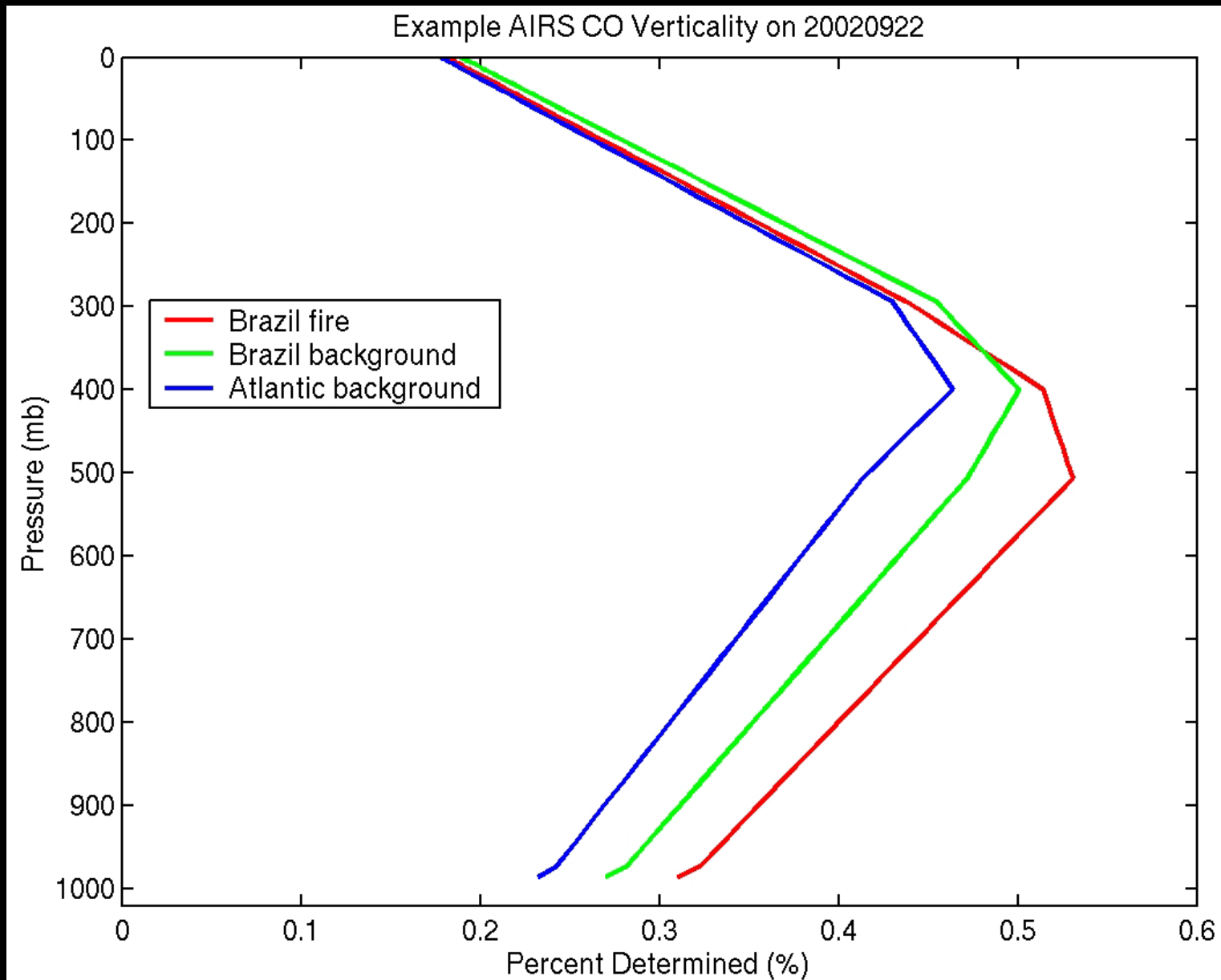
- **AIRS CO retrieval and verticality**
- **AIRS CO – convolved DACOM  $\approx$  -9%**
  - Not the latest DACOM data
- **July 12-22, 2004 Alaska-Yukon Fires**
  - **AIRS CO vs. MODIS Aqua AOD**
    - **Plume evolution (changes in correlations)**
  - **Forward trajectories and plume injection height**
  - **AIRS sees some CO in the lower troposphere**
- **Papers: AIRS v MODIS, AIRS validation, AIRS v MOPITT, AIRS in models, more??**



# AIRS CO Retrieval Vertical Functions



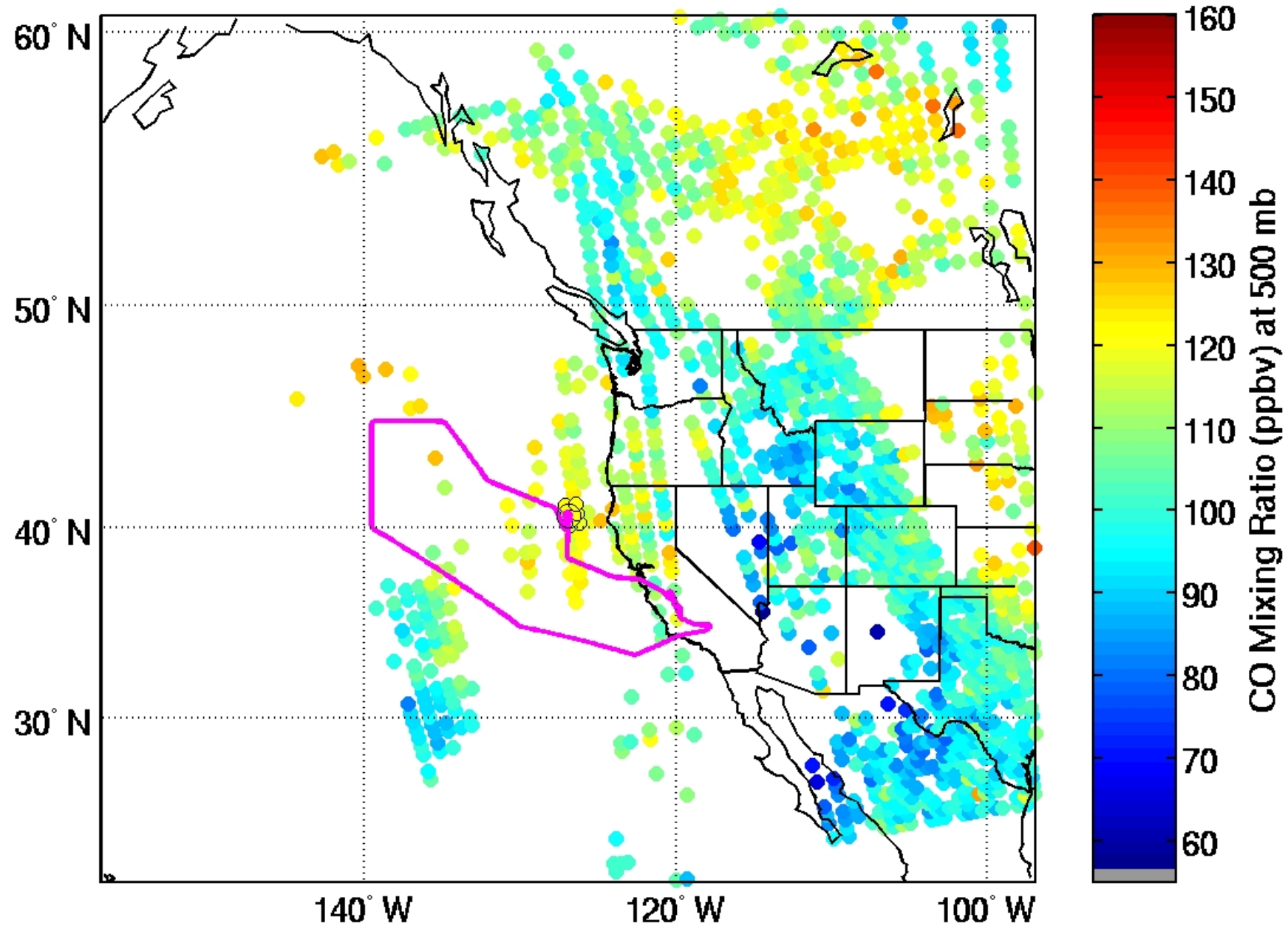
# AIRS CO Retrieval Verticality



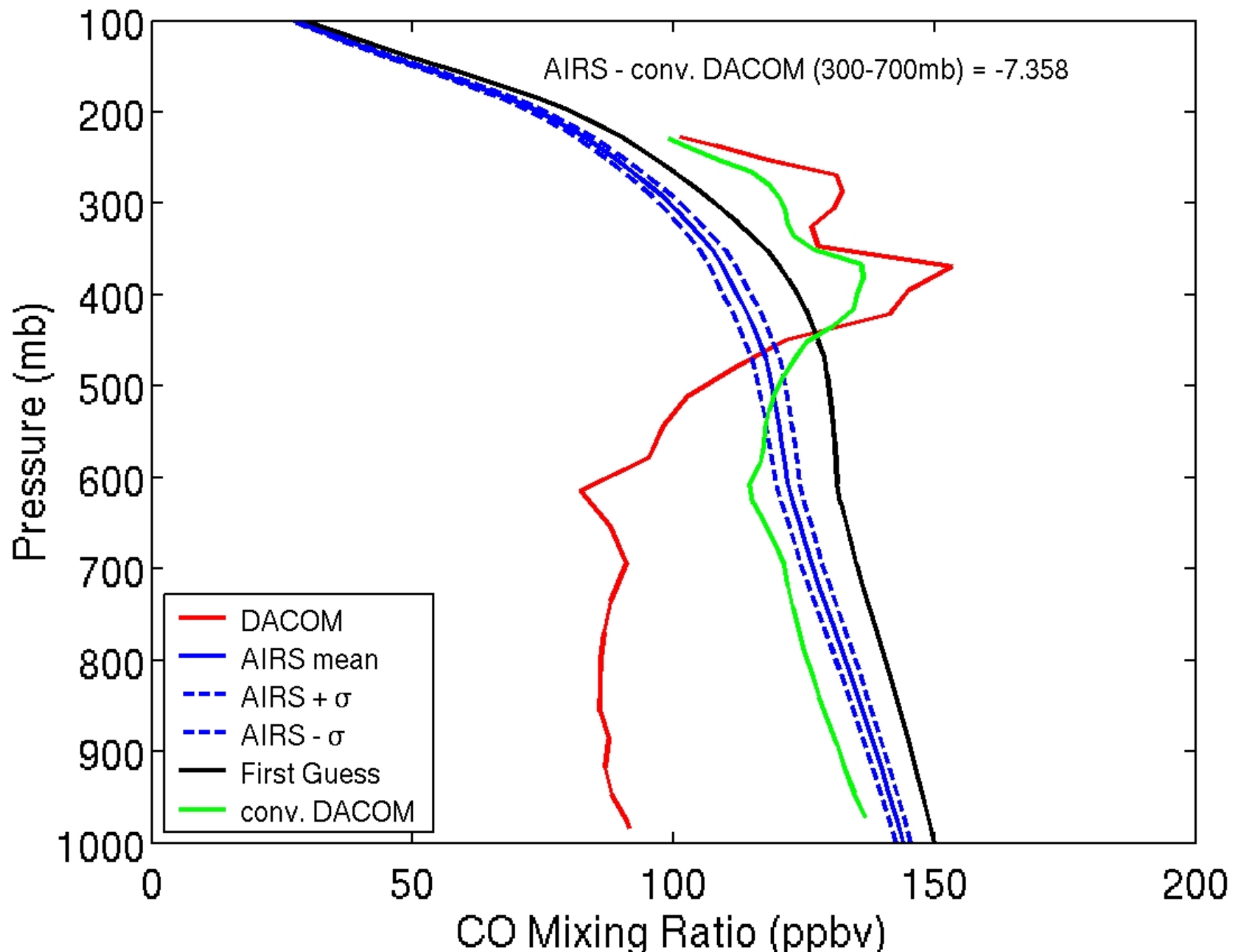
# INTEX-A Profile Summary

DATE	LOCATION	TIMING	TIME (AIRS)	DATA STATUS	AIRS-DACOM (%)
7/1	Pacific	Coincident	21.81 UTC	Good	-6.4
7/6			18.85 UTC	No AIRS < 100 km	
7/8	Illinois	1 hour	18.63 UTC	Good	-15.4
7/10	South Carolina	Coincident	18.39 UTC	Good	-12.5
7/12	Oklahoma	Coincident	19.83 UTC	Good	-13.3
7/15	Wisconsin	1 hour	18.75 UTC	Good	-6.62
7/18	Atlantic	0.5 hours	15.98 UTC	Good	-6.91
7/20	Illinois	Coincident	19.03 UTC	Good	-3.07
7/22	Gulf of Maine	1 hour	17.19 UTC	Good	-5.67
7/25				No AIRS < 100 km	
7/28		3.5 hours	18.22 UTC	No CO data	
8/2	St. Lawrence	0.1 hours	16.90 UTC	Good	-17.4
8/6		1.5 hours	19.74 UTC	No AIRS < 100 km	
8/7		1.7 hours	17.18 UTC	1.7 hours	
8/11	Kentucky	0.1 hours	18.40 UTC	Good	-1.61
8/13		0.75 hours	19.80 UTC	Cloudy area	
8/14		2 hours	20.59 UTC	2 hours	
					<b>-8.88</b>

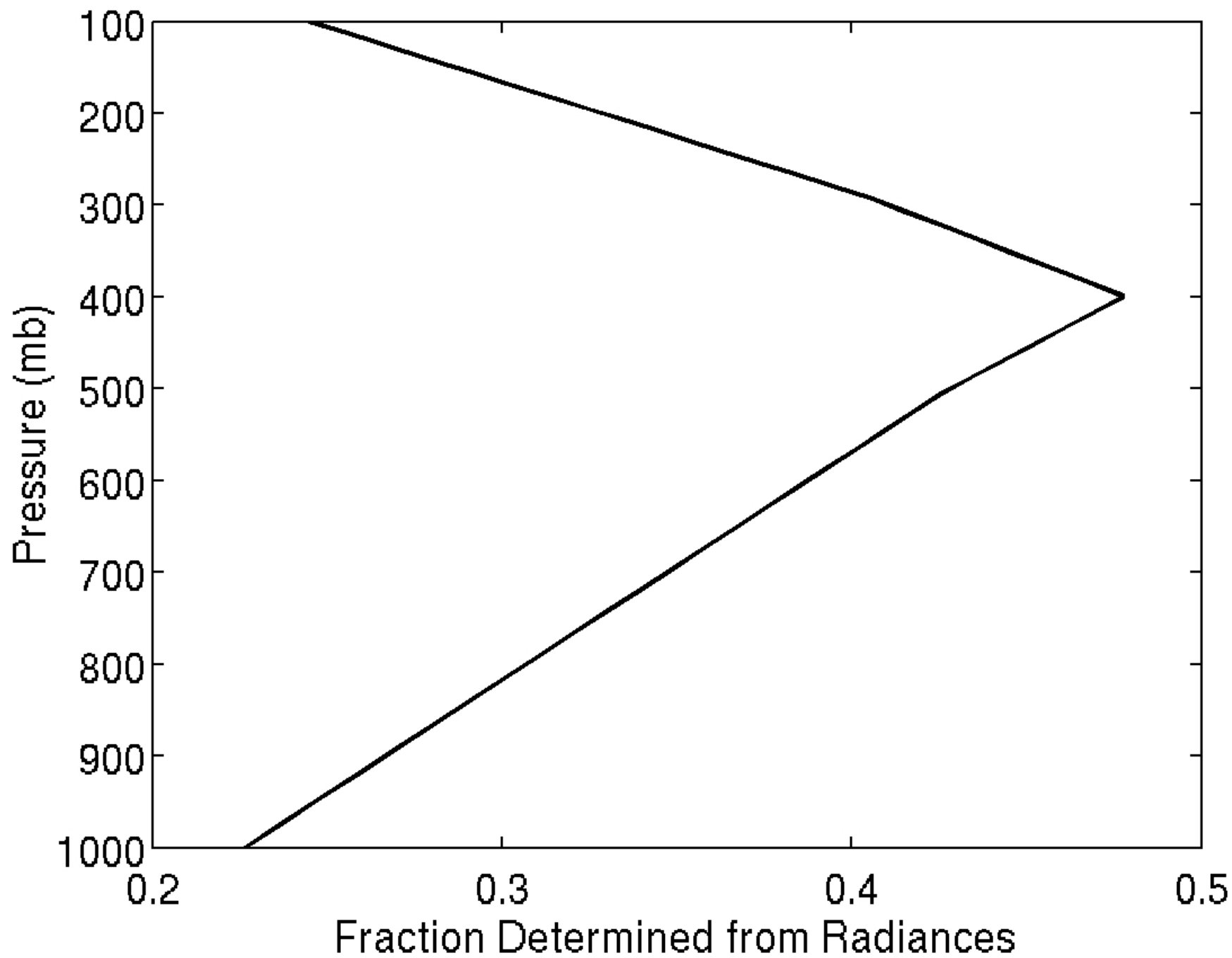
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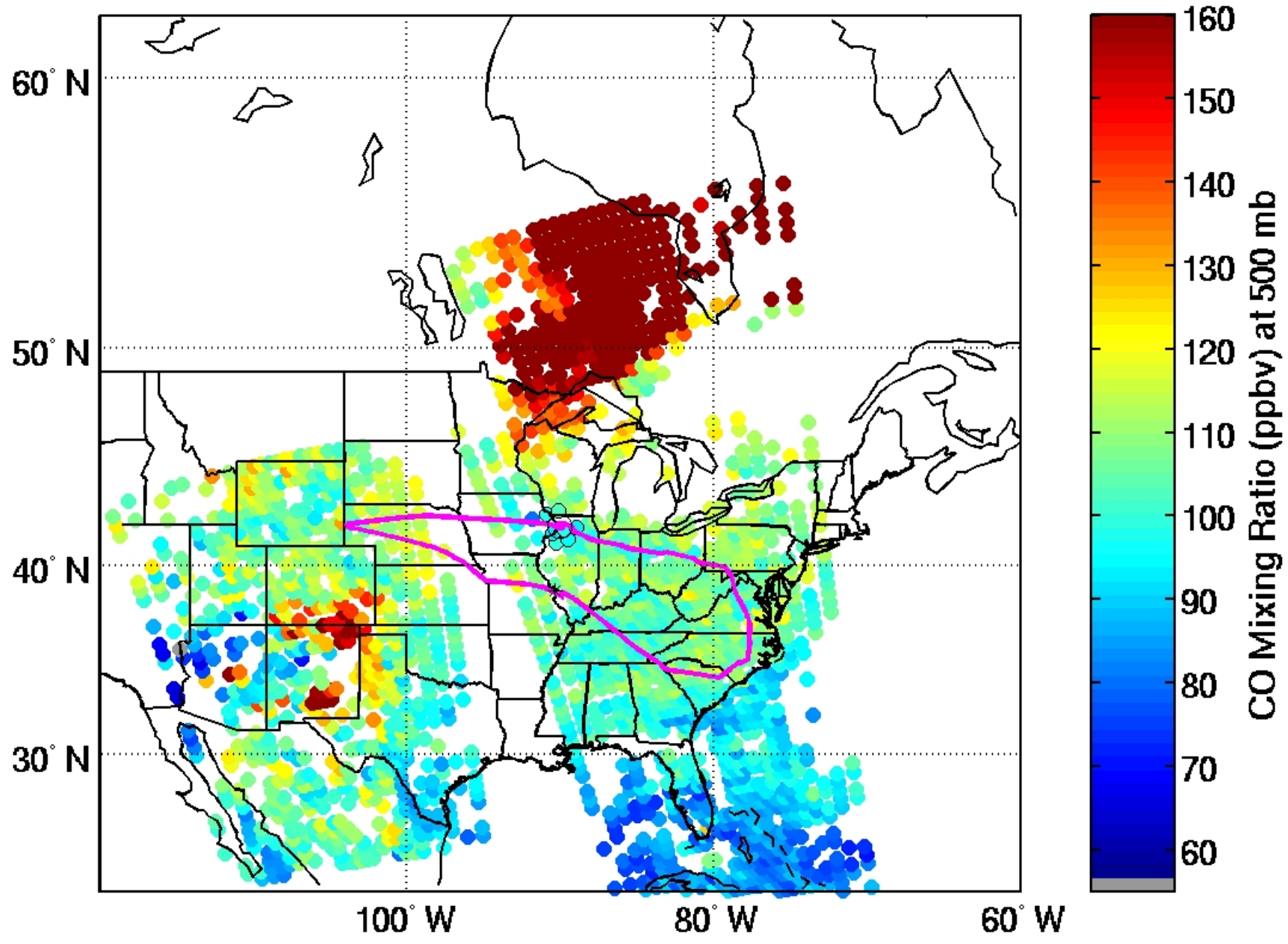
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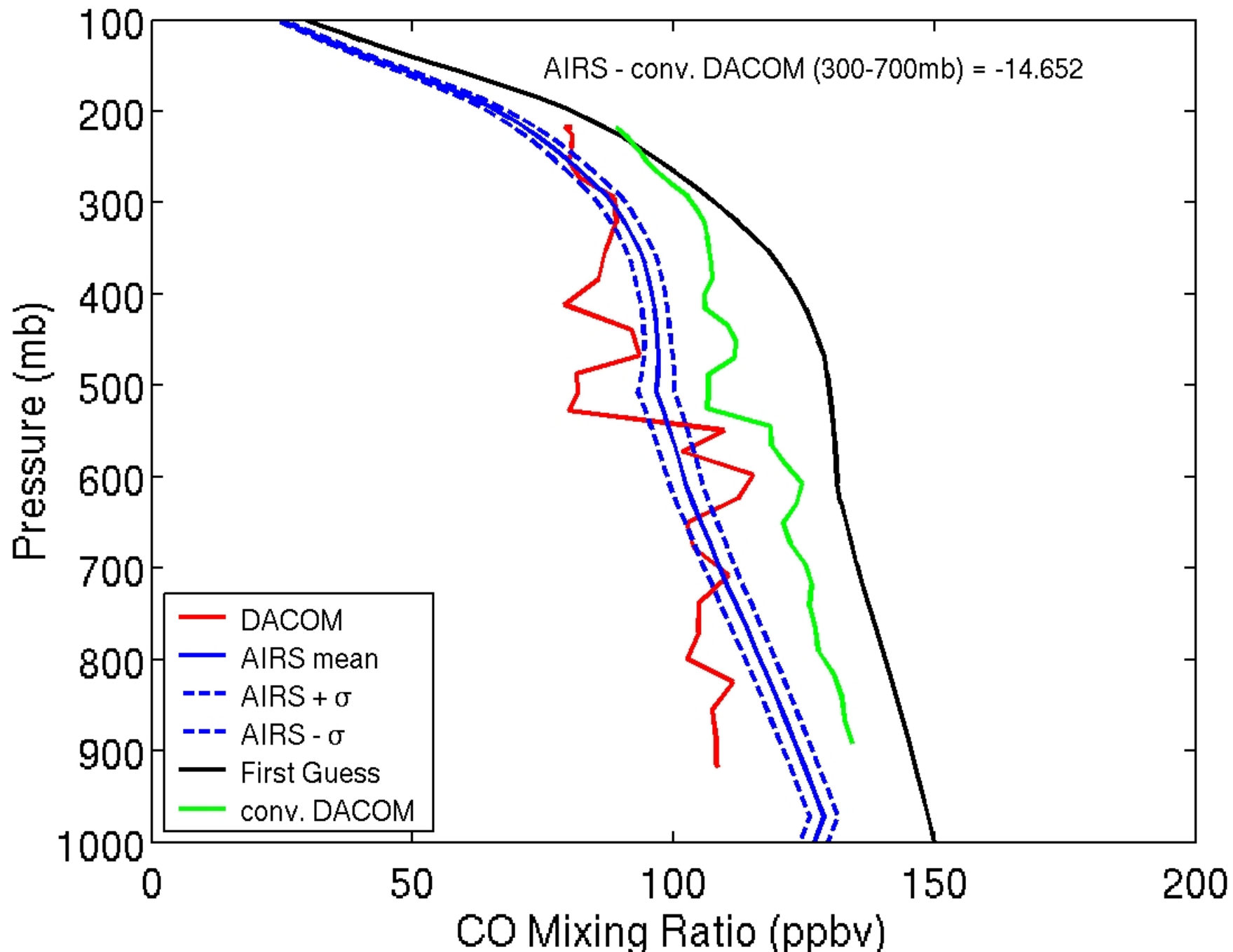
Mean CO verticality on 20040701



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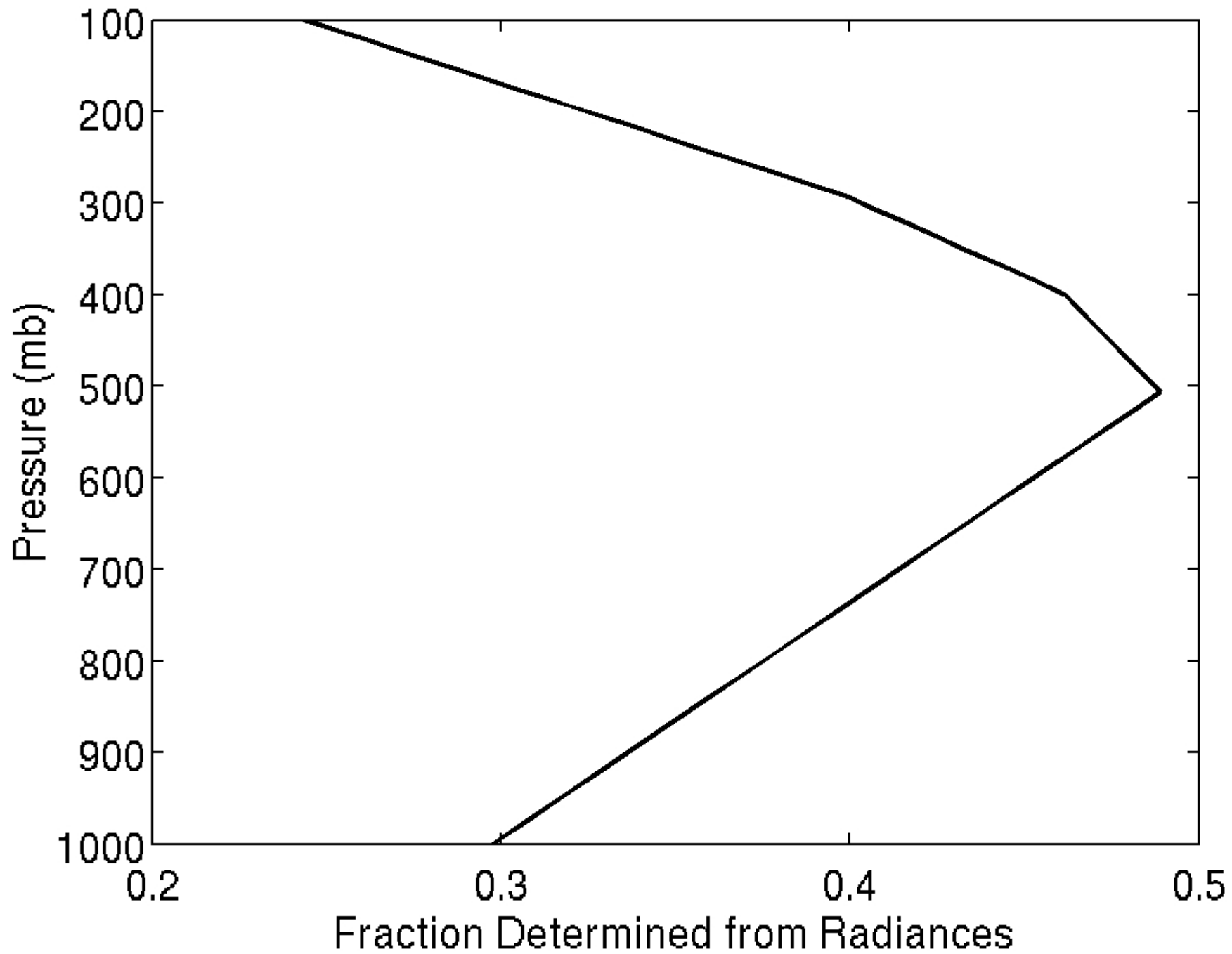


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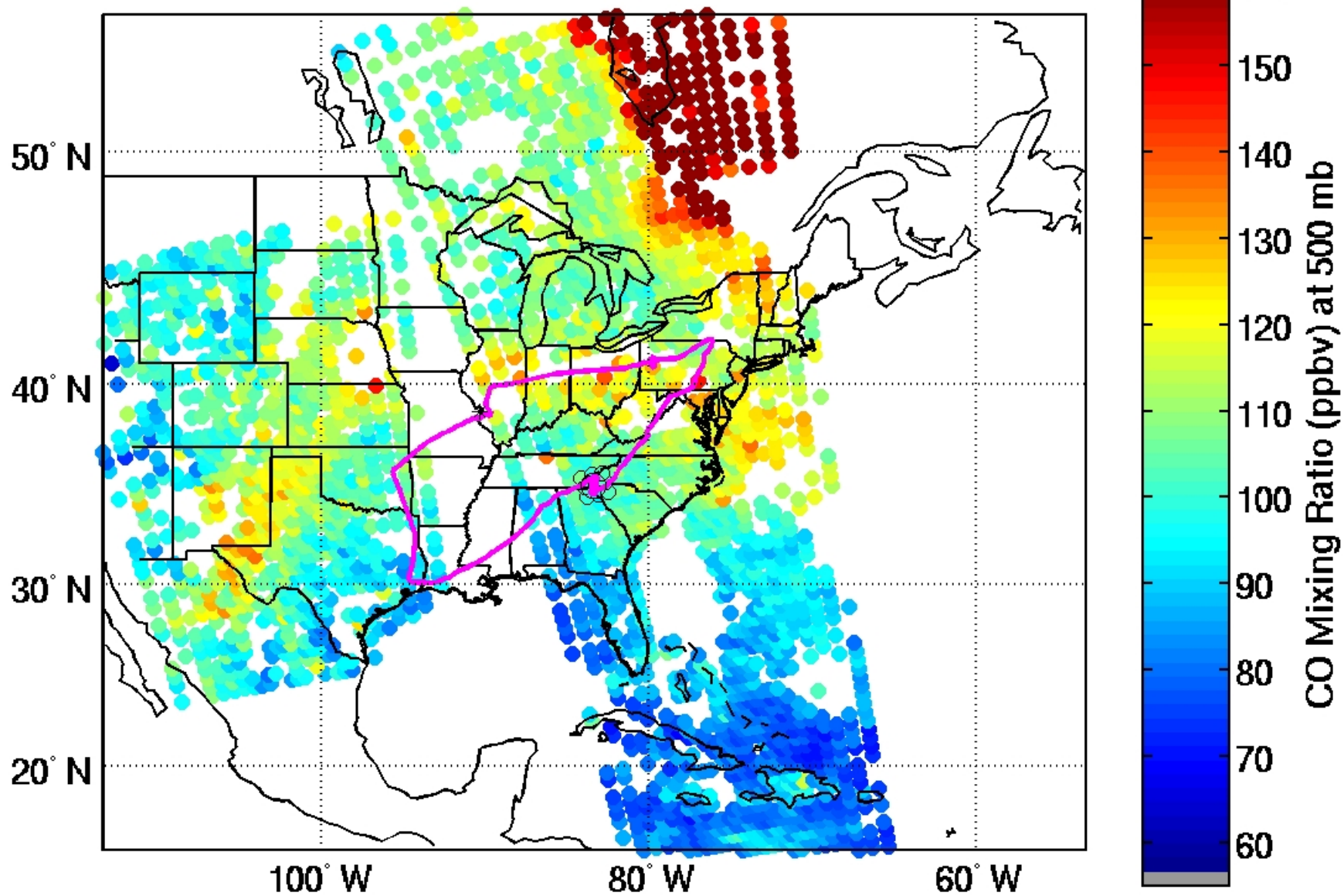




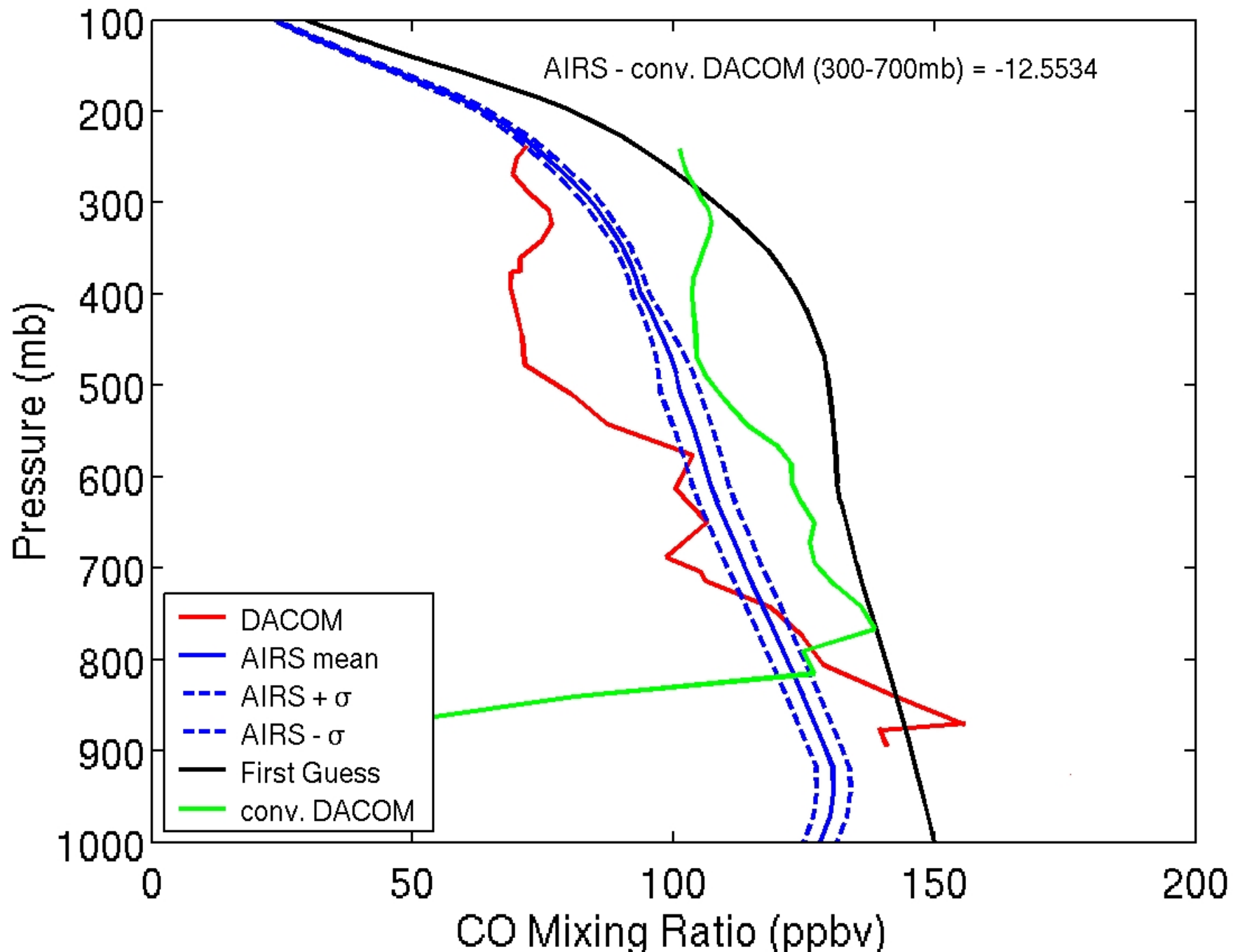
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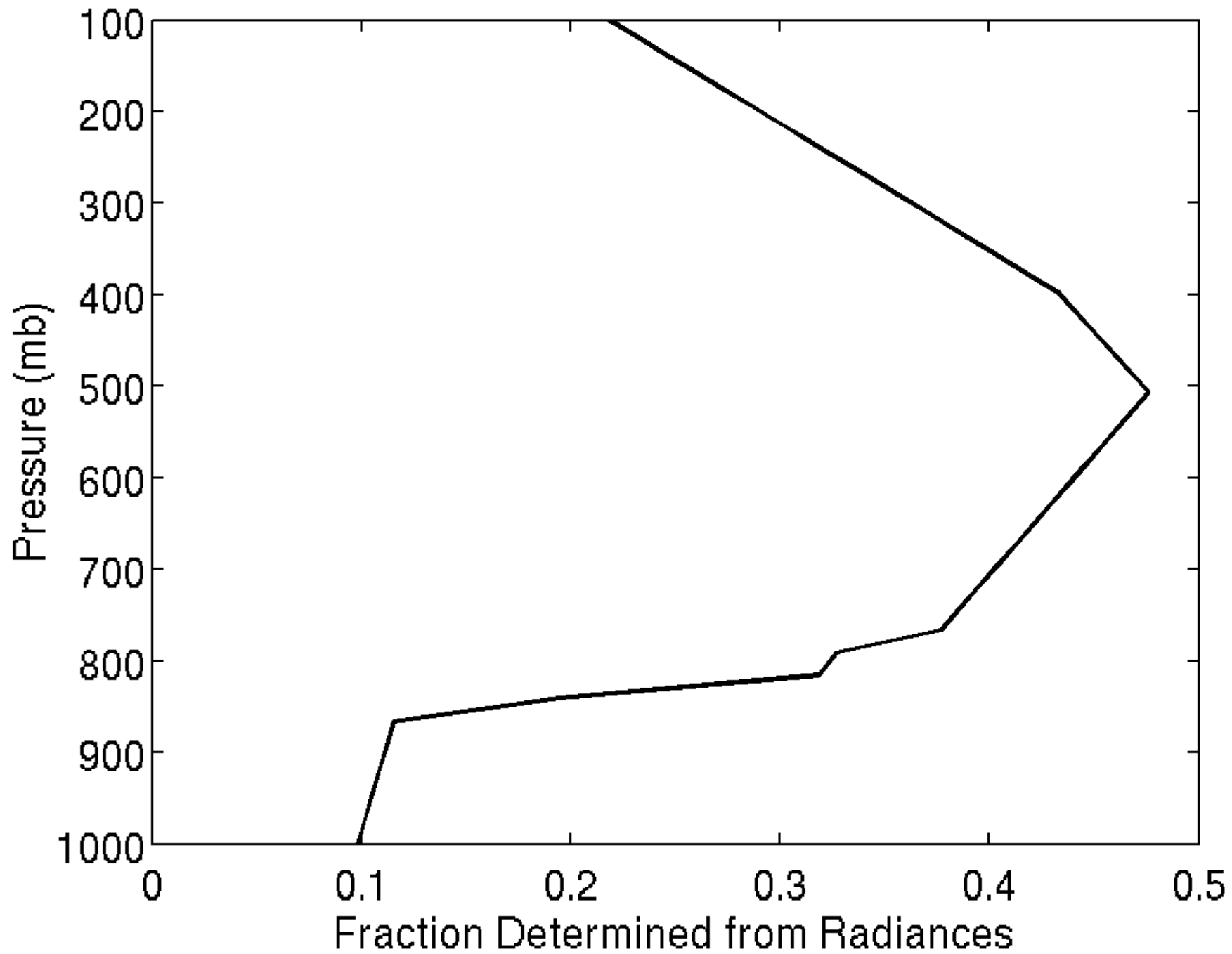
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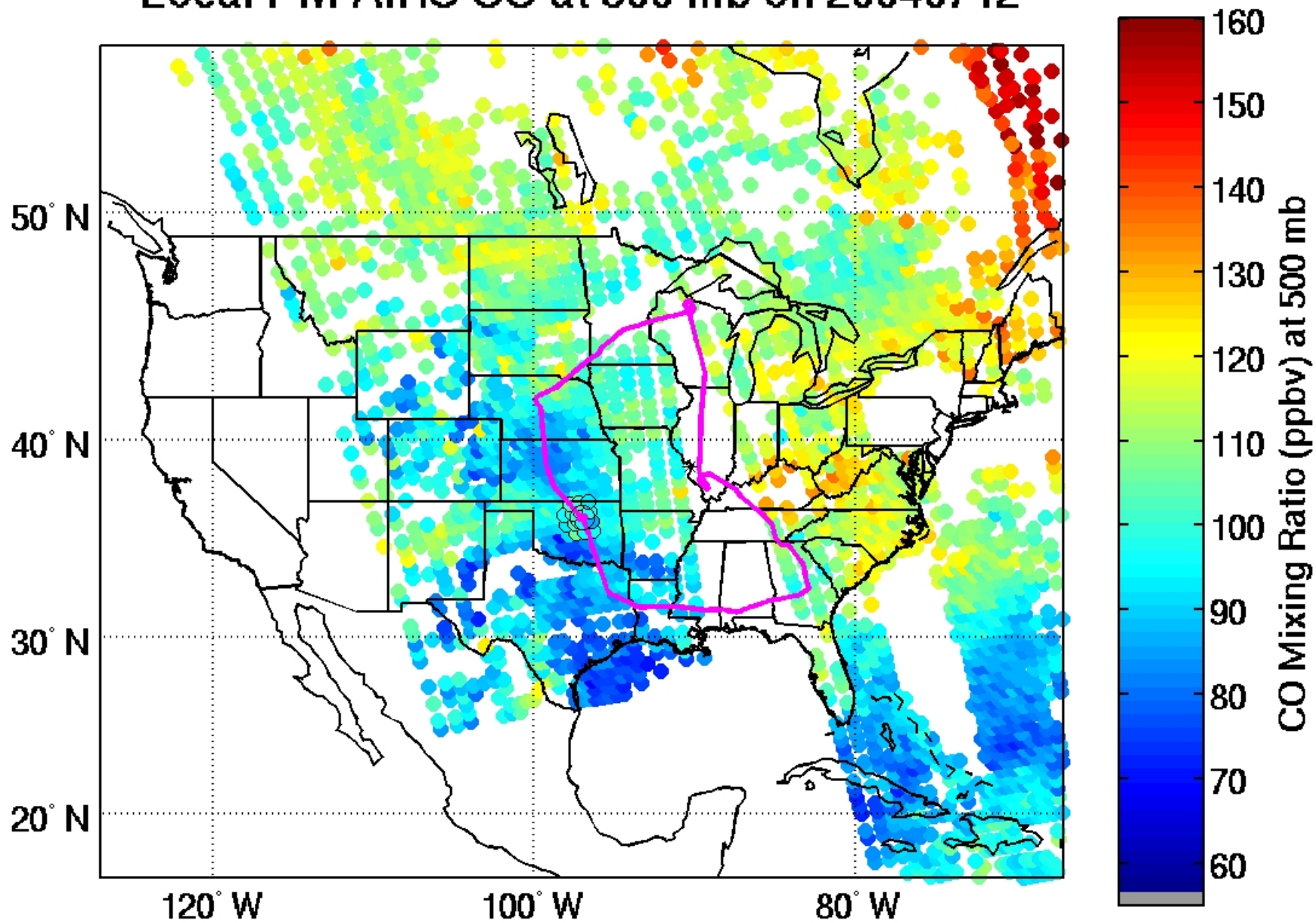
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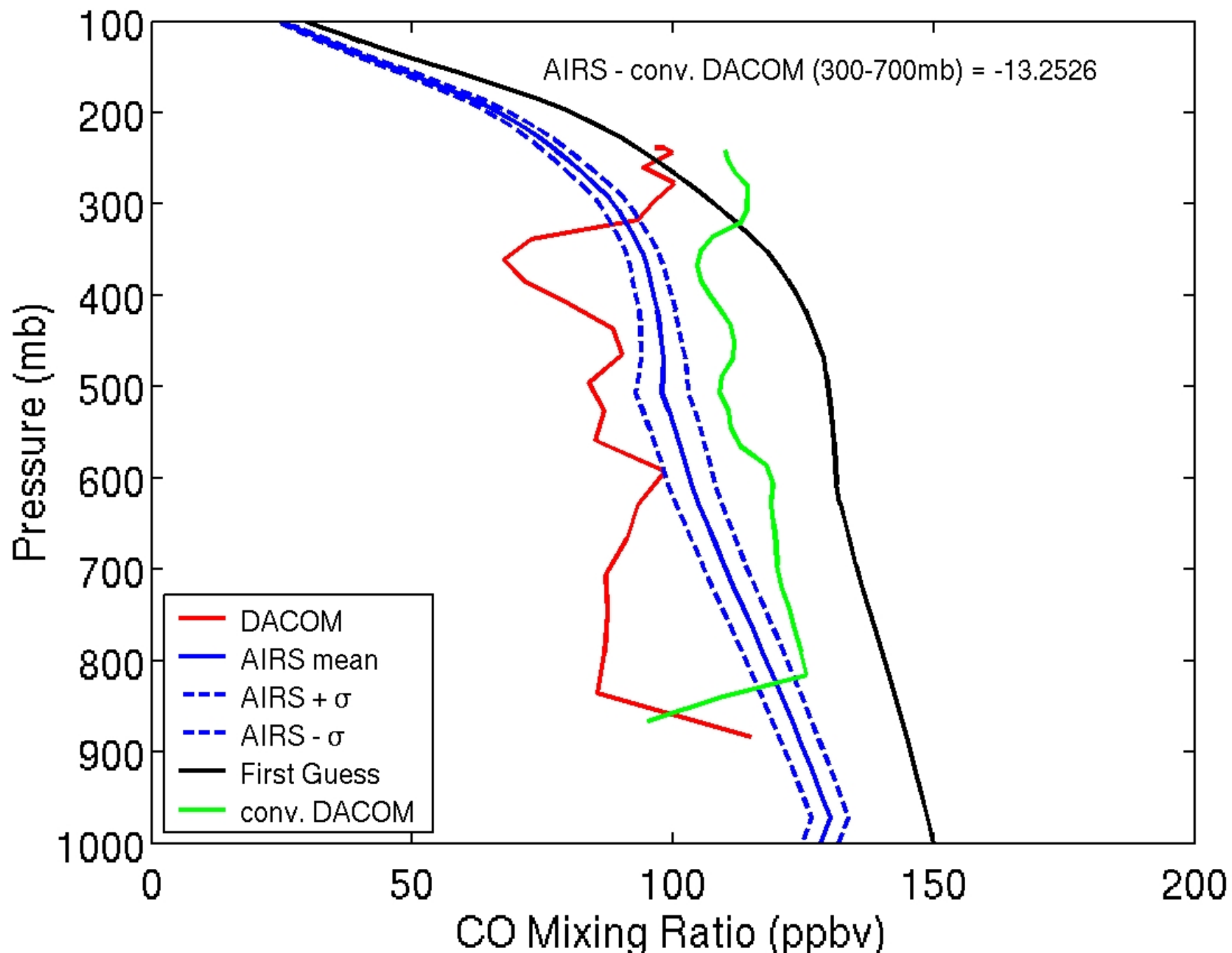
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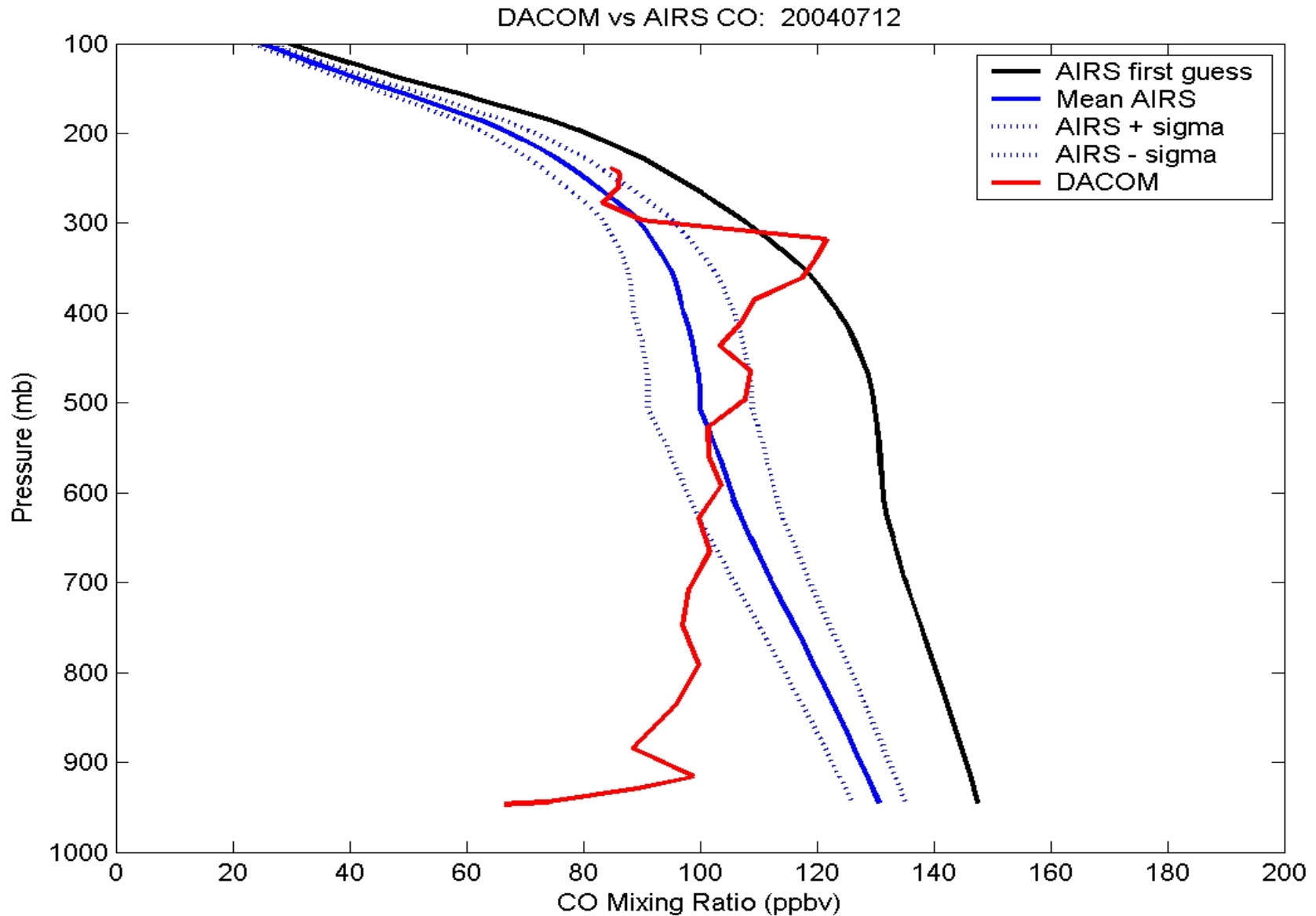
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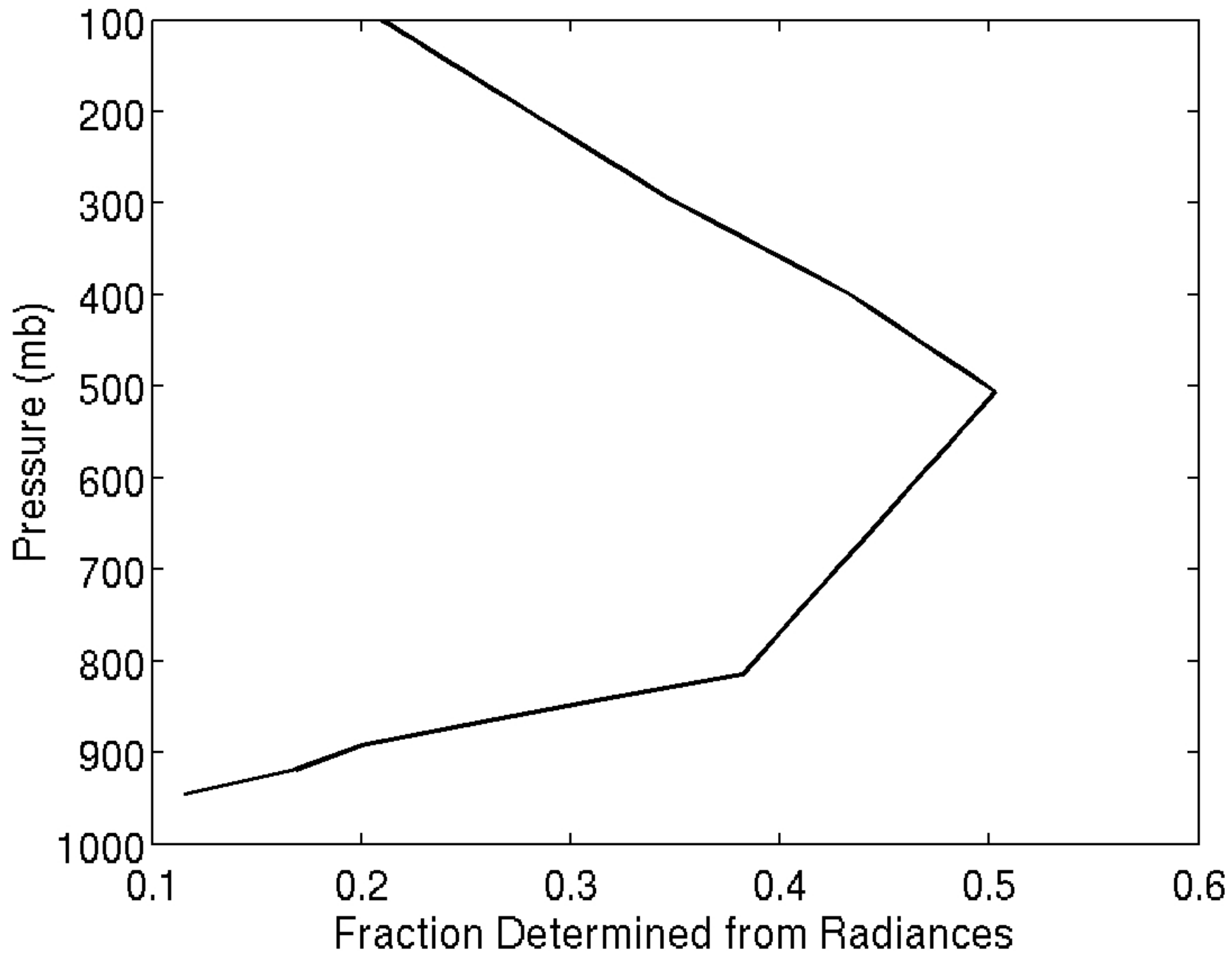
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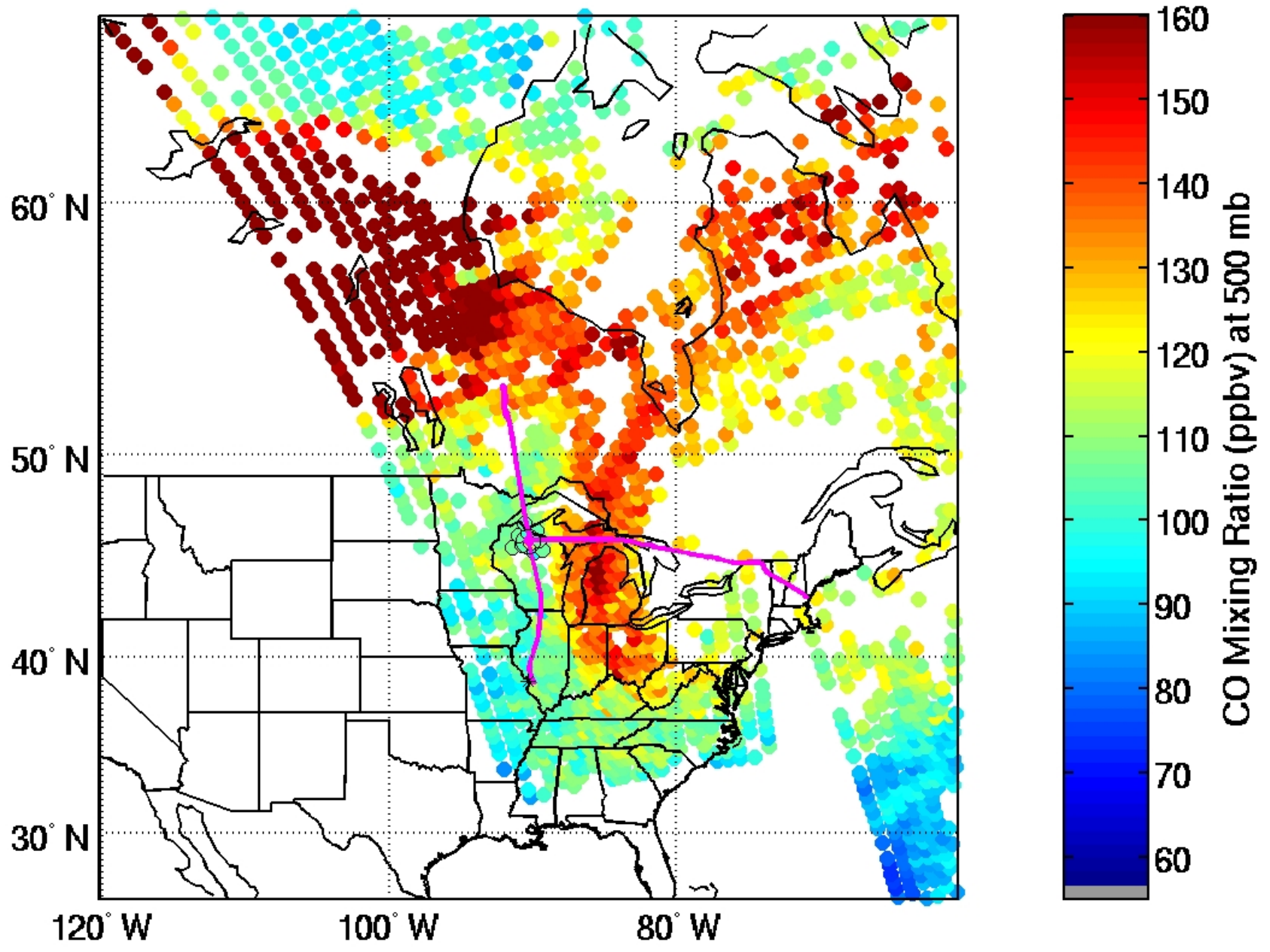


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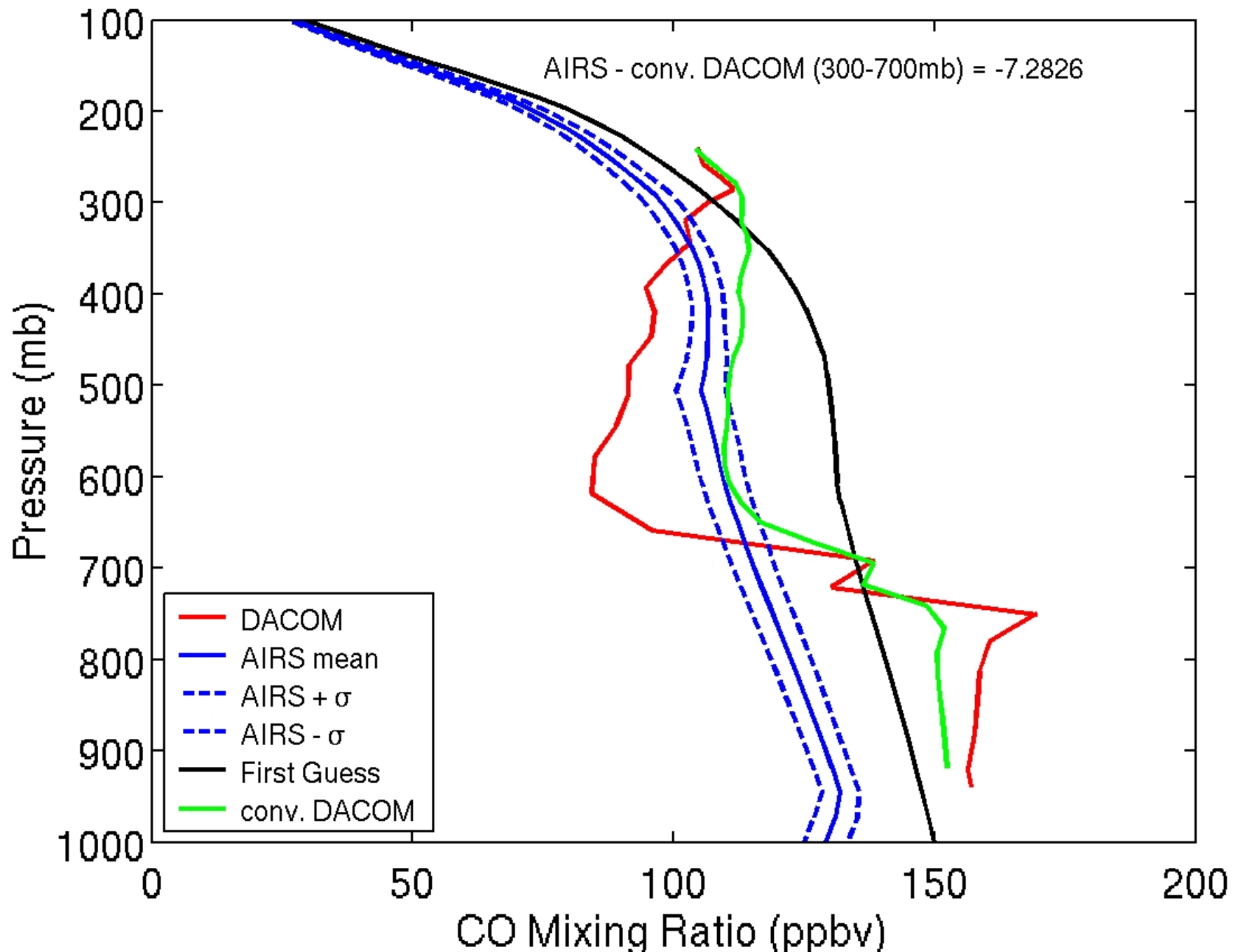




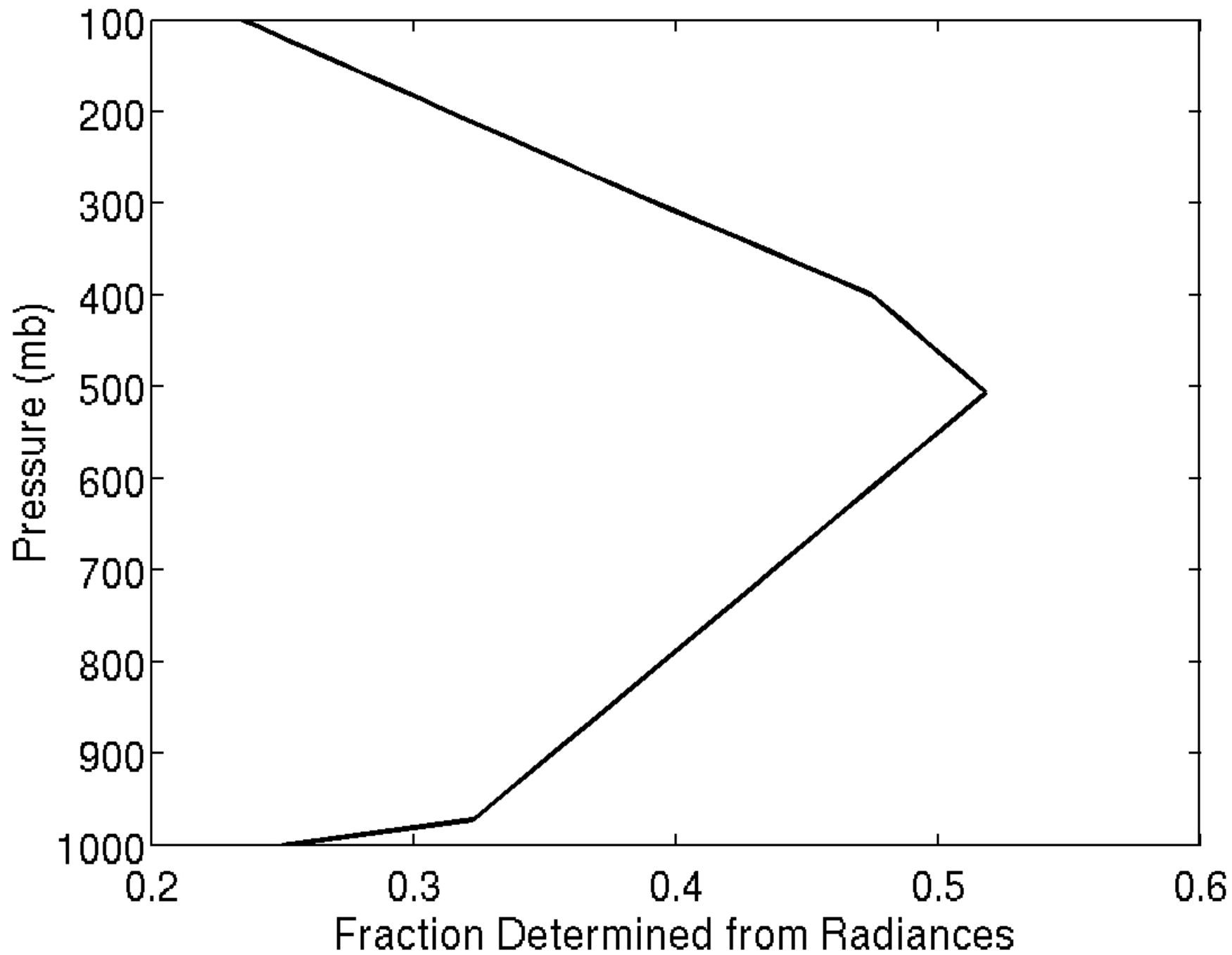
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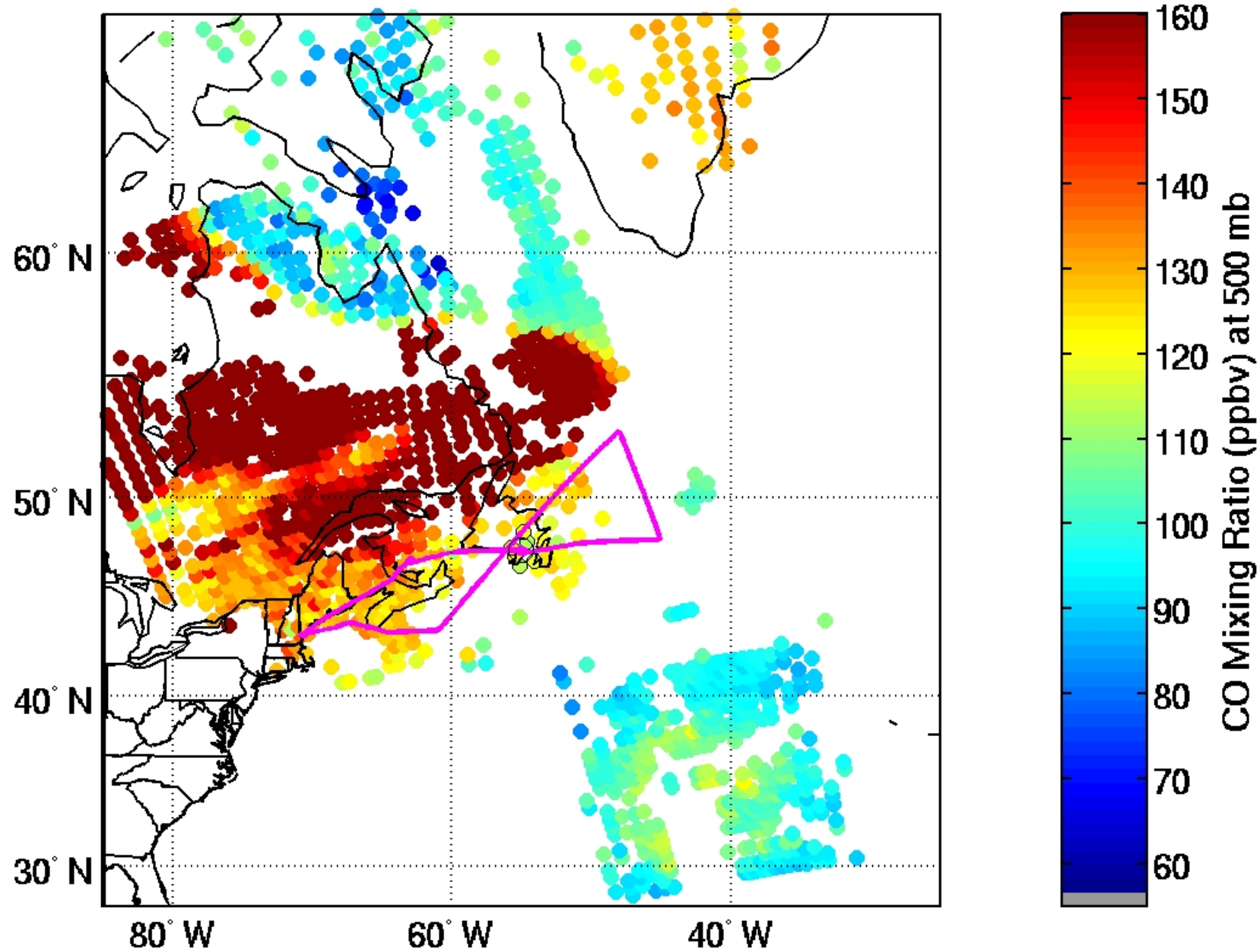
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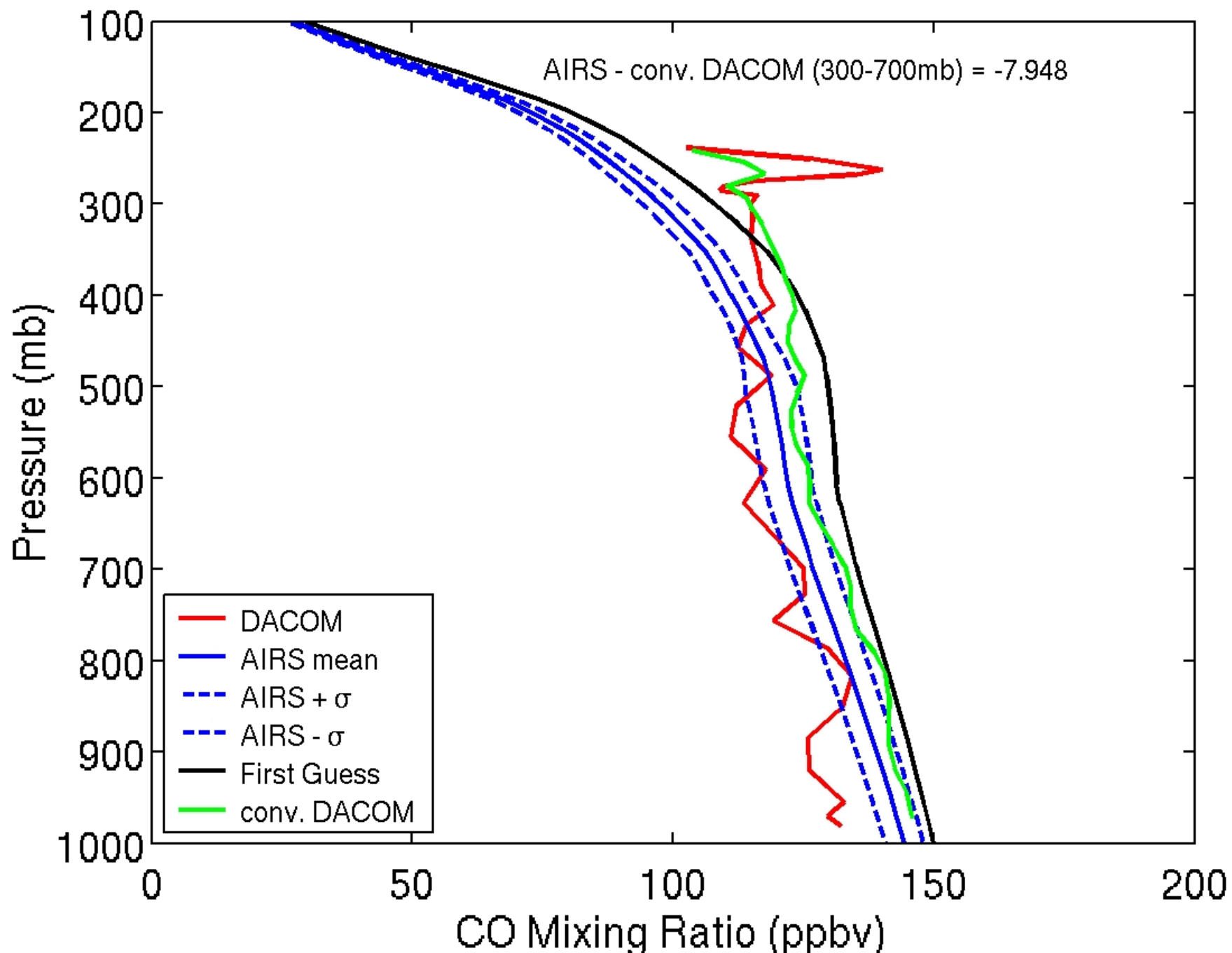
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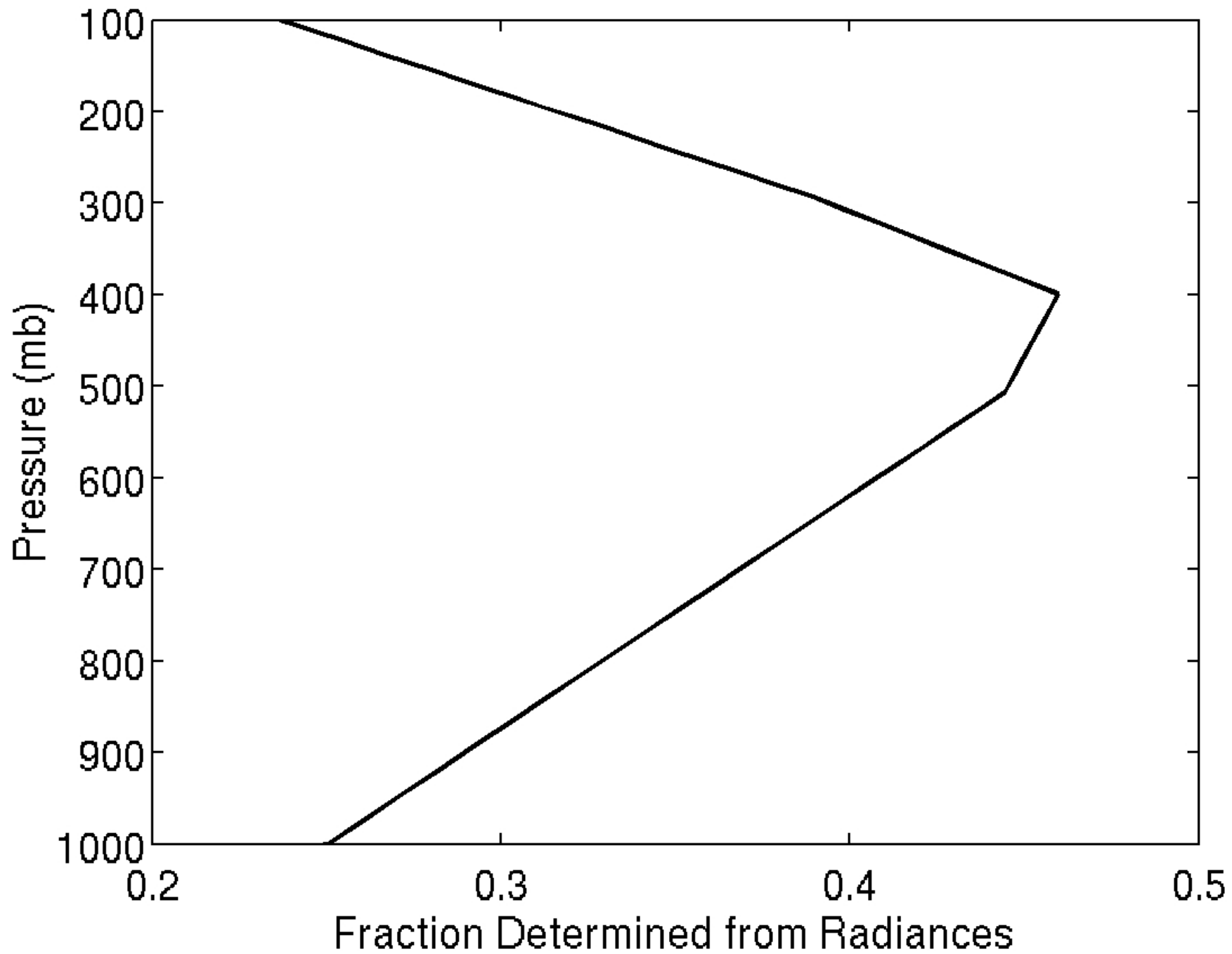
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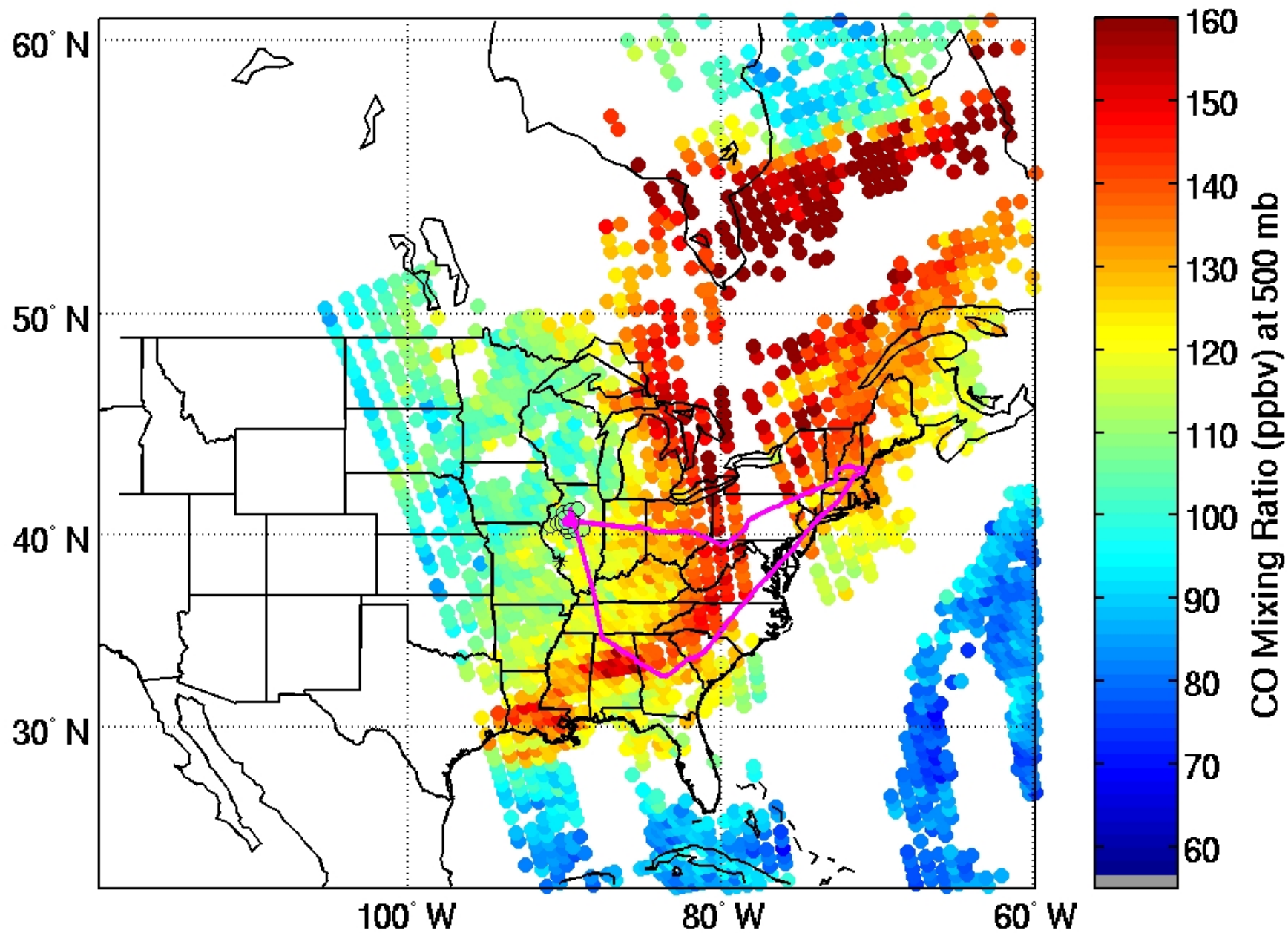
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Mean CO verticality on 20040718

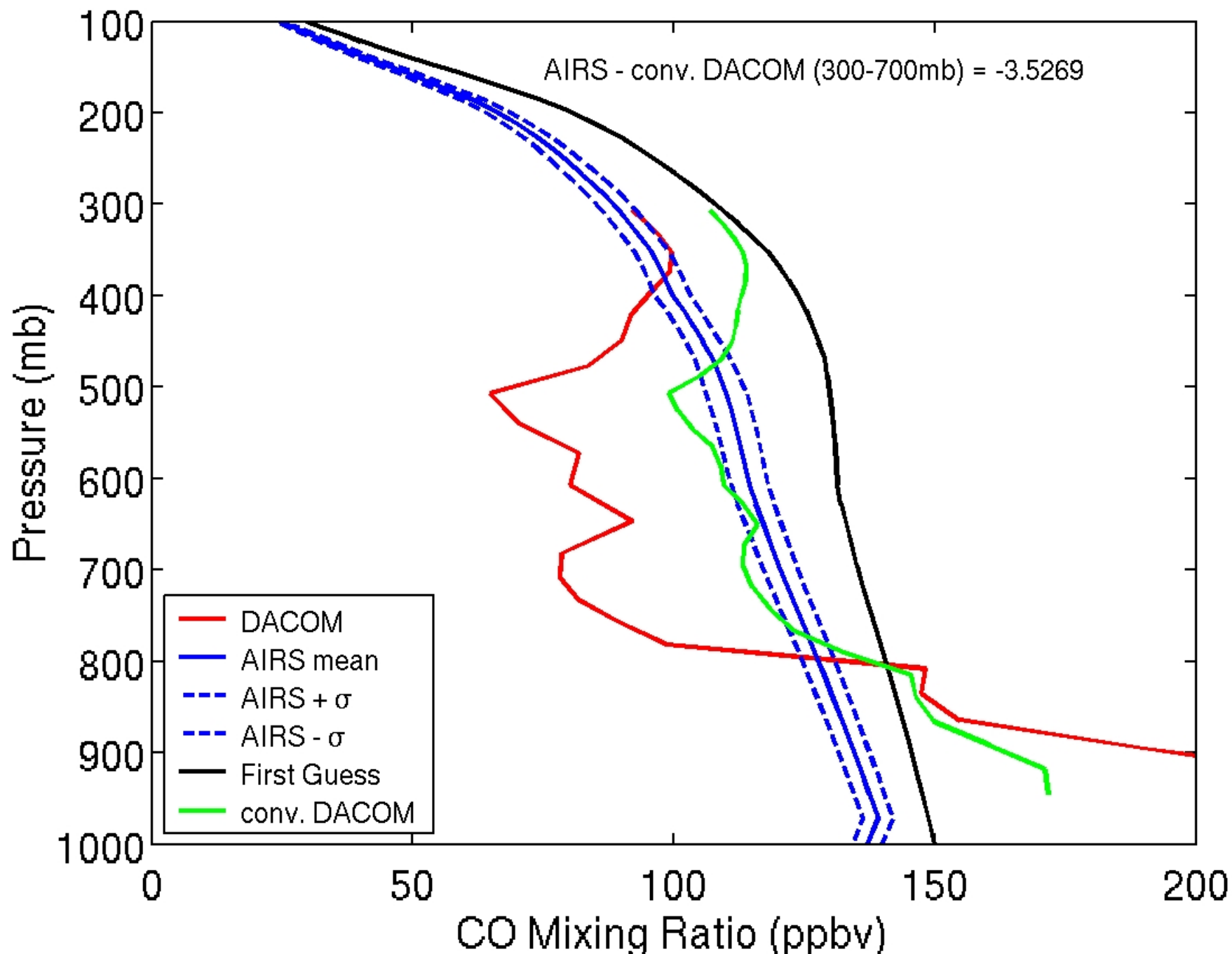


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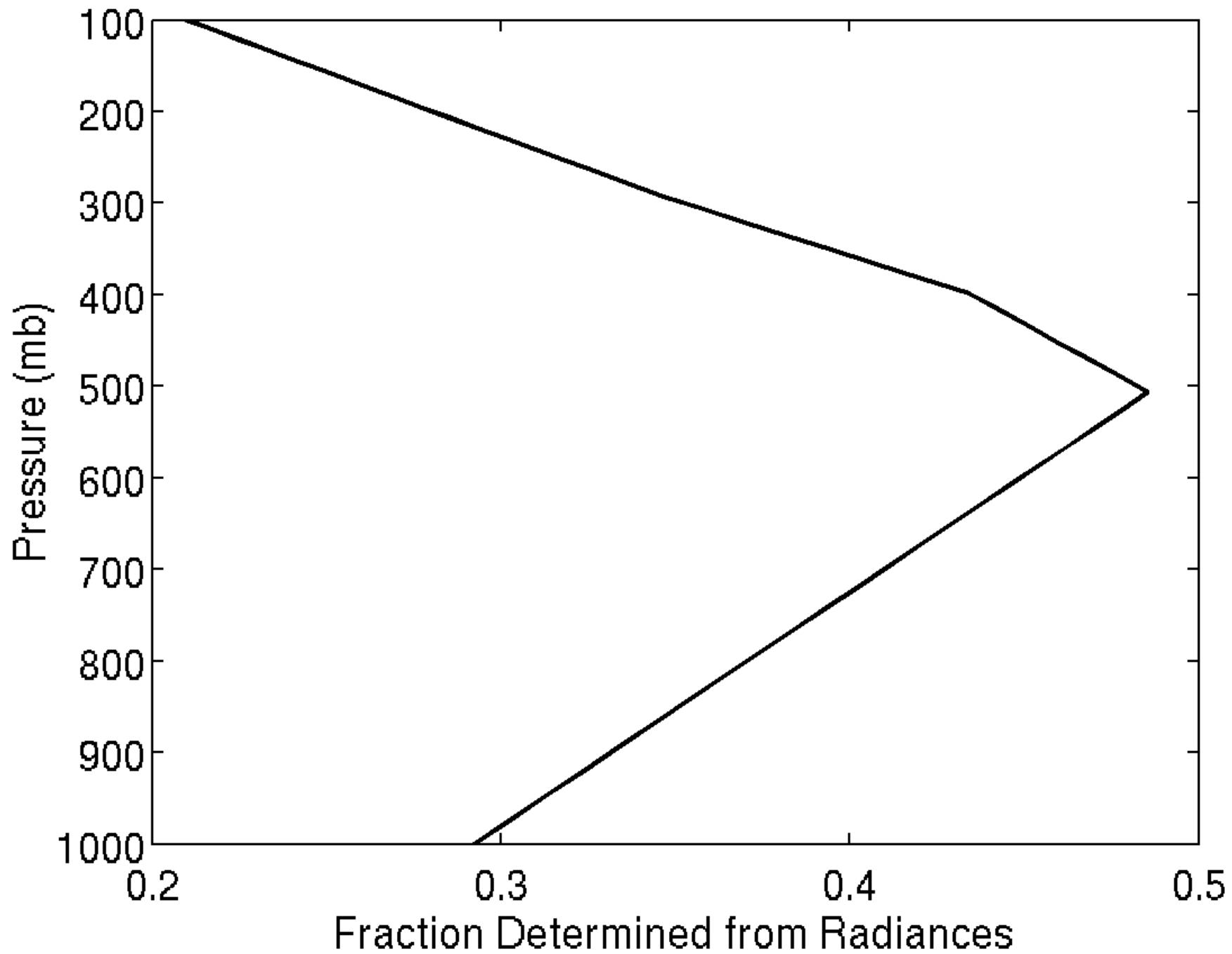


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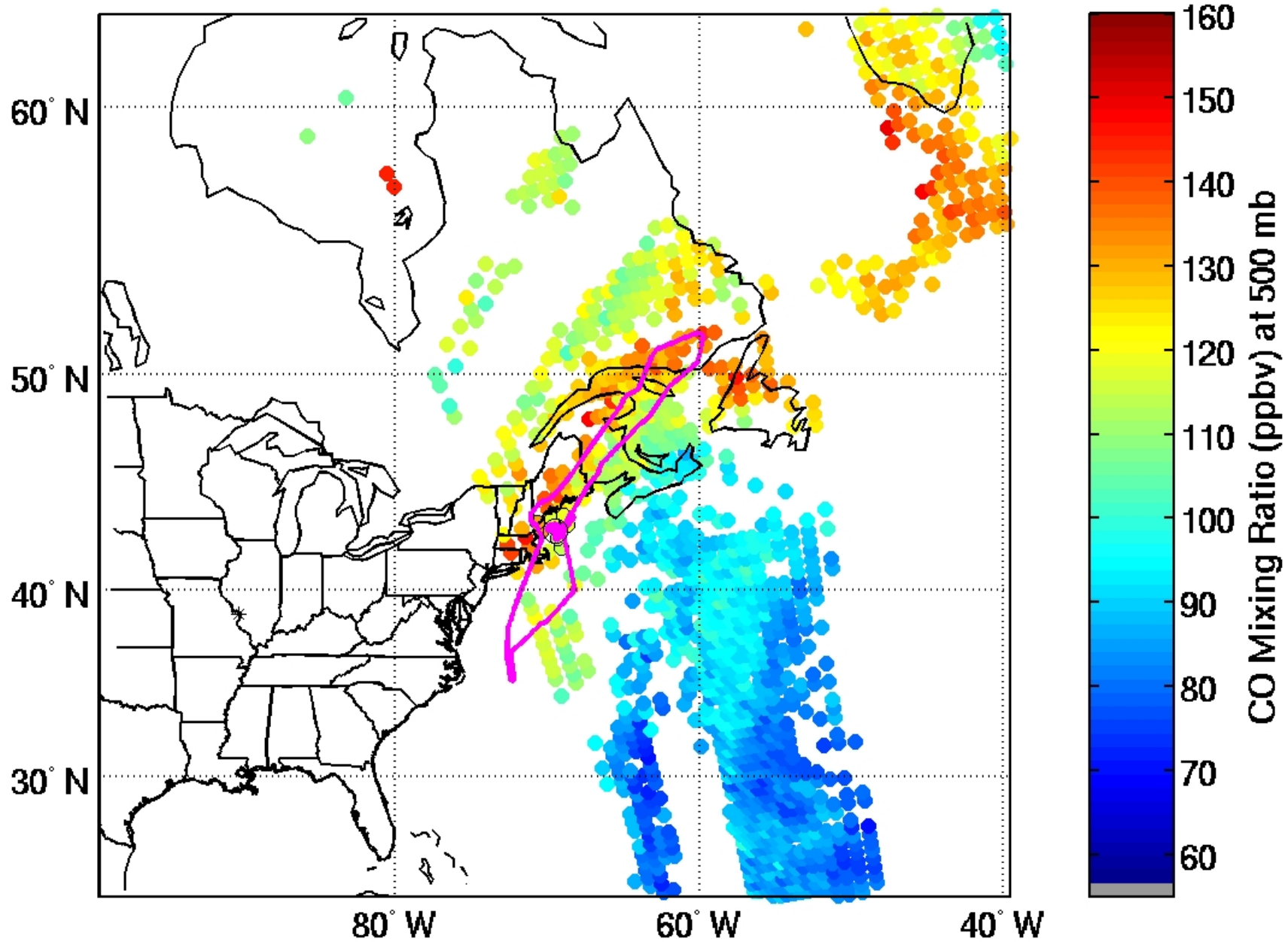




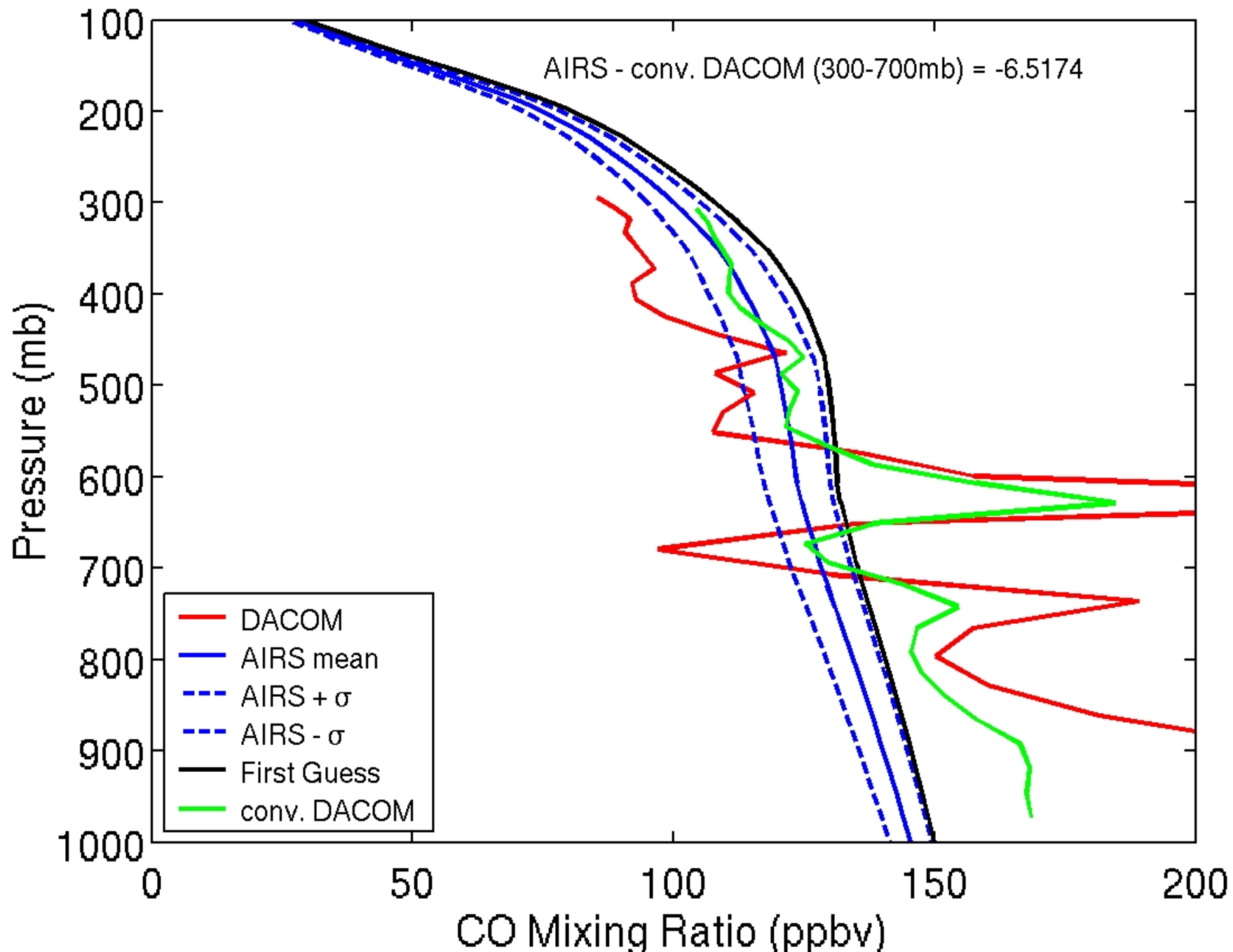
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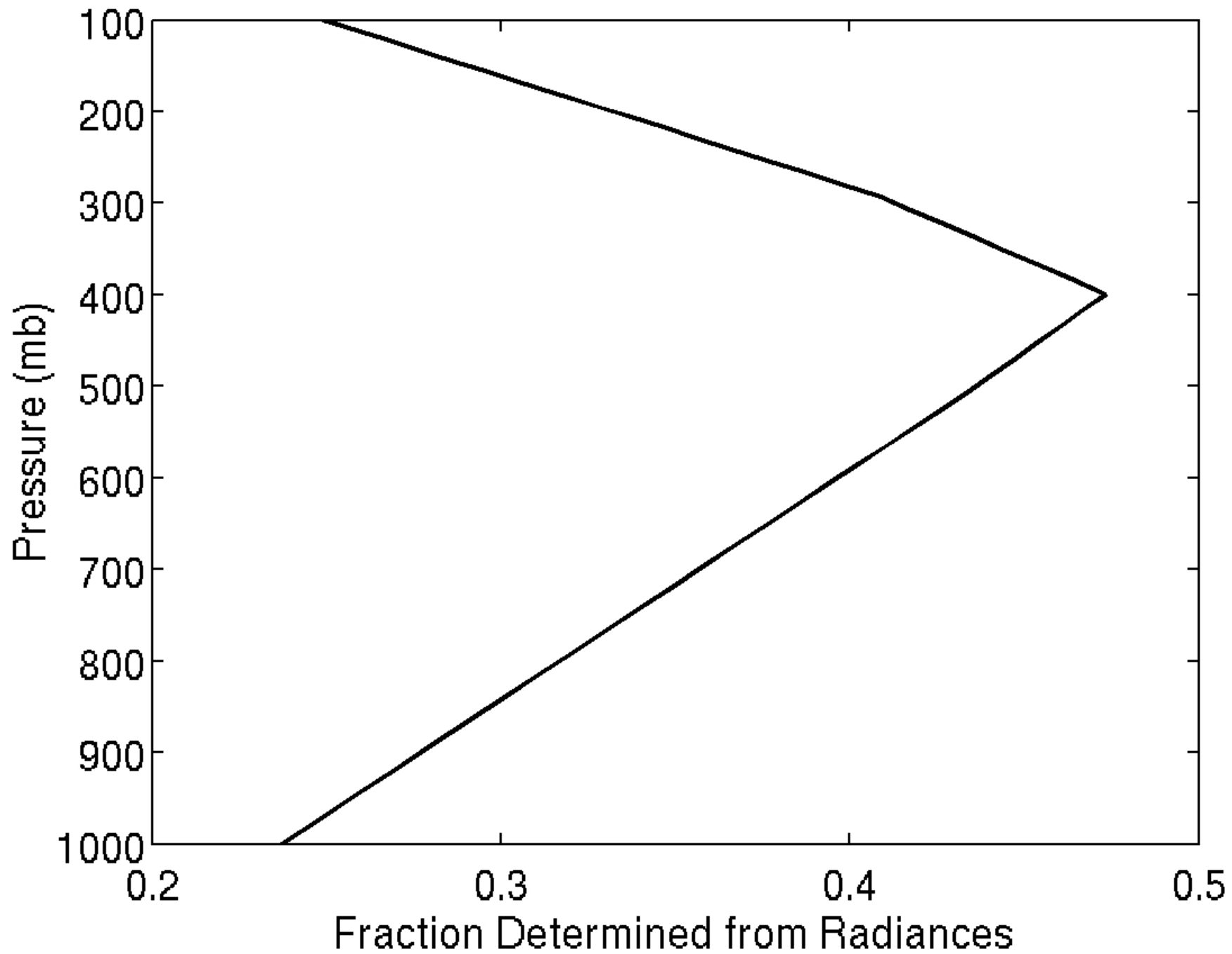
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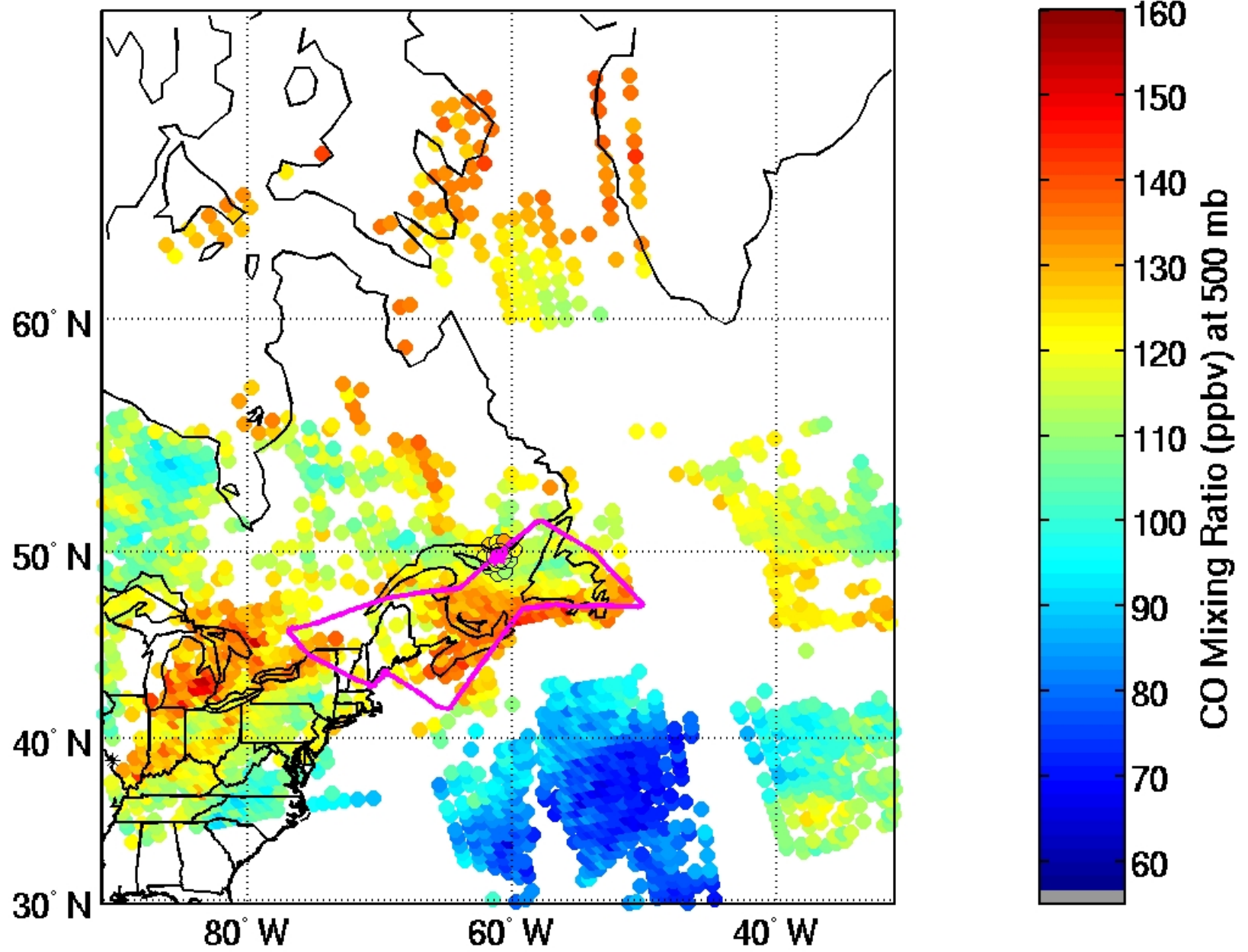
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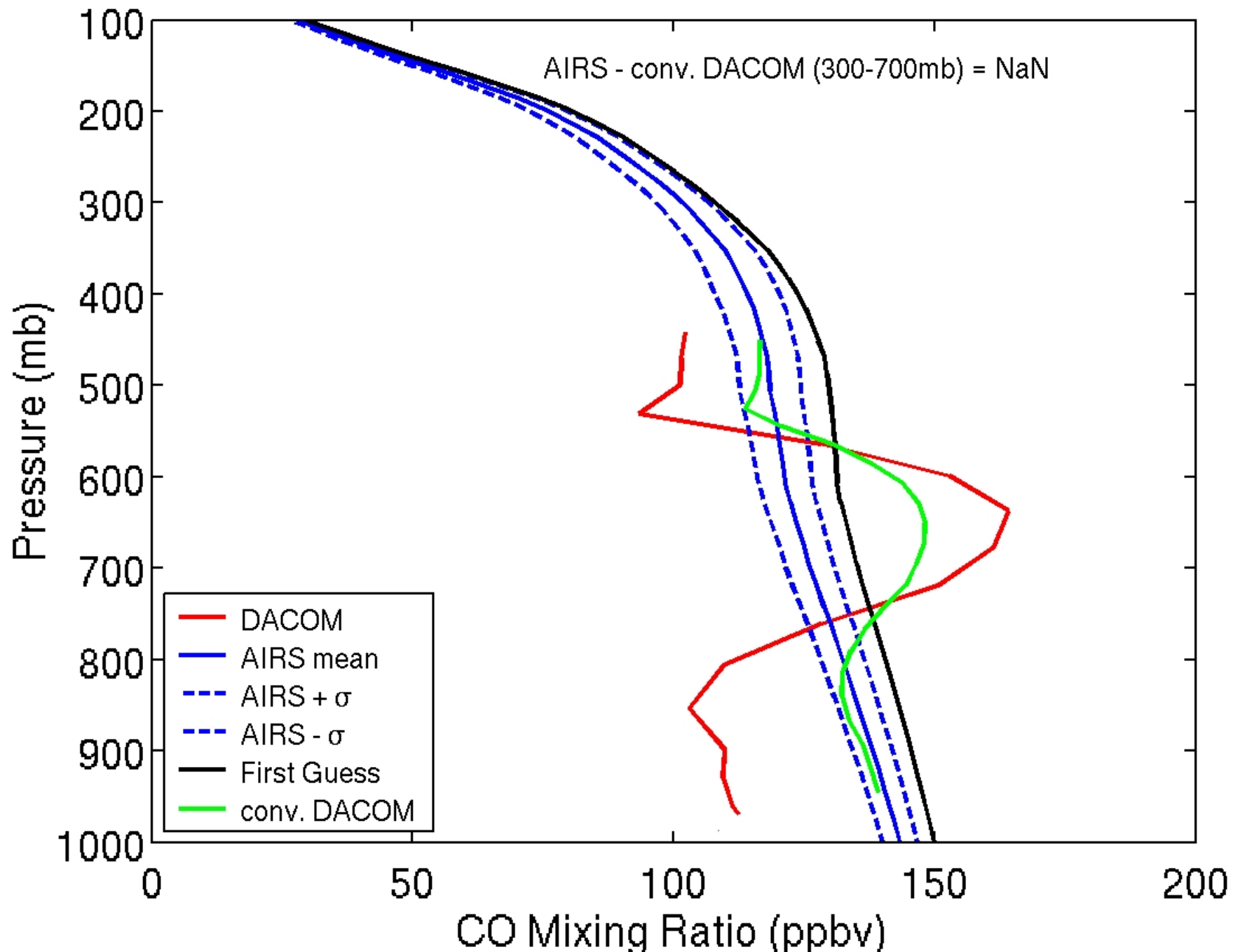
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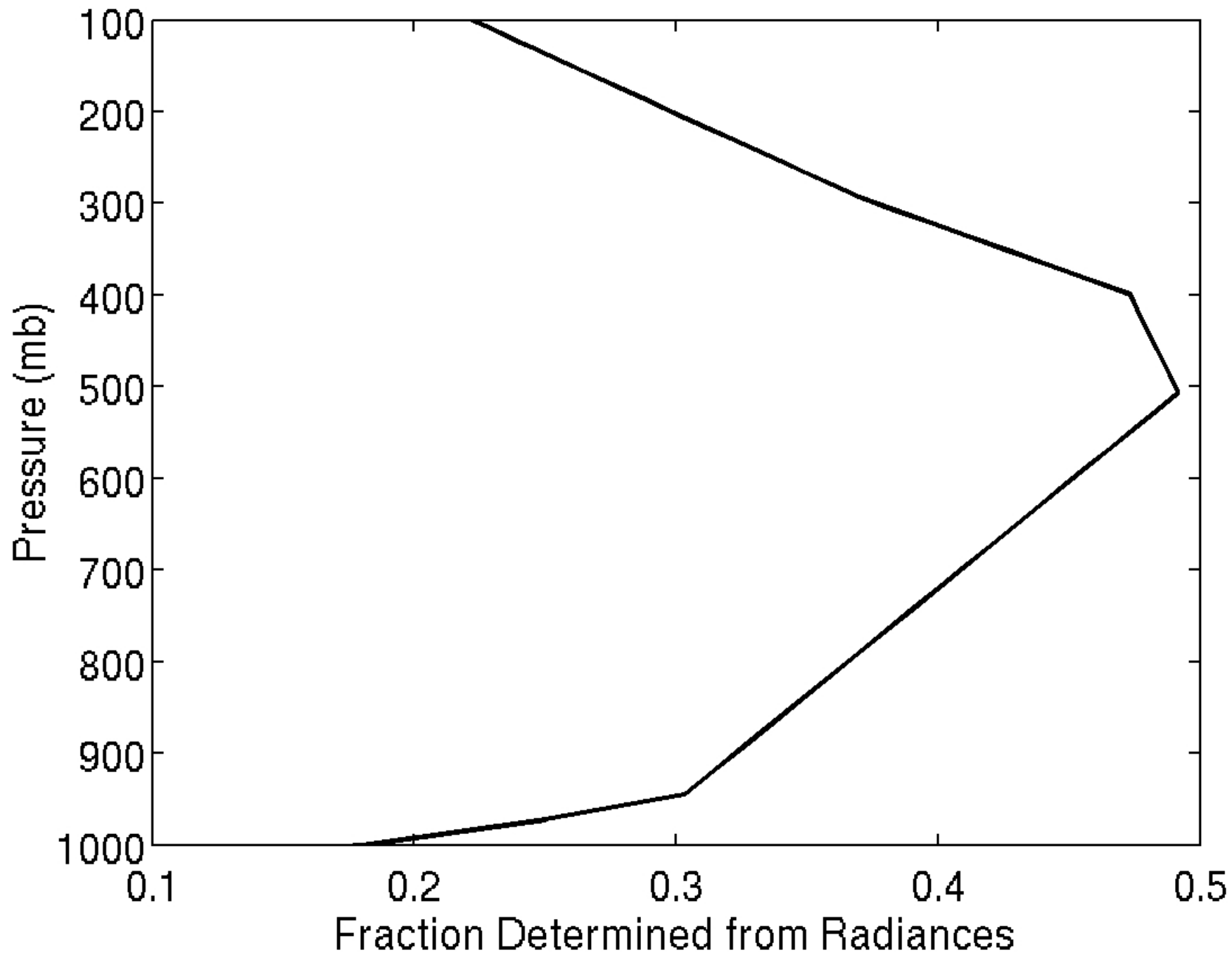
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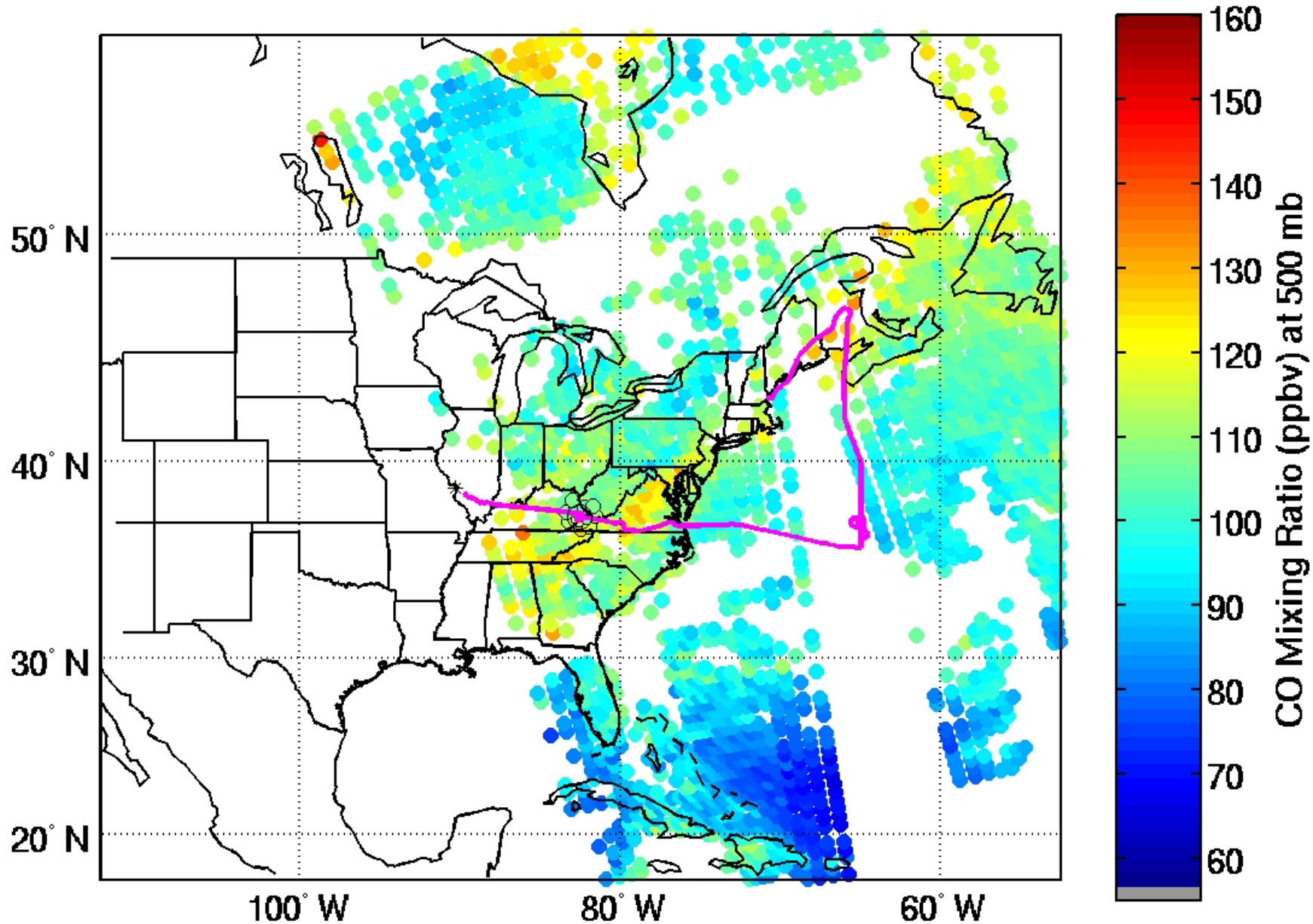
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Mean CO verticality on 20040802

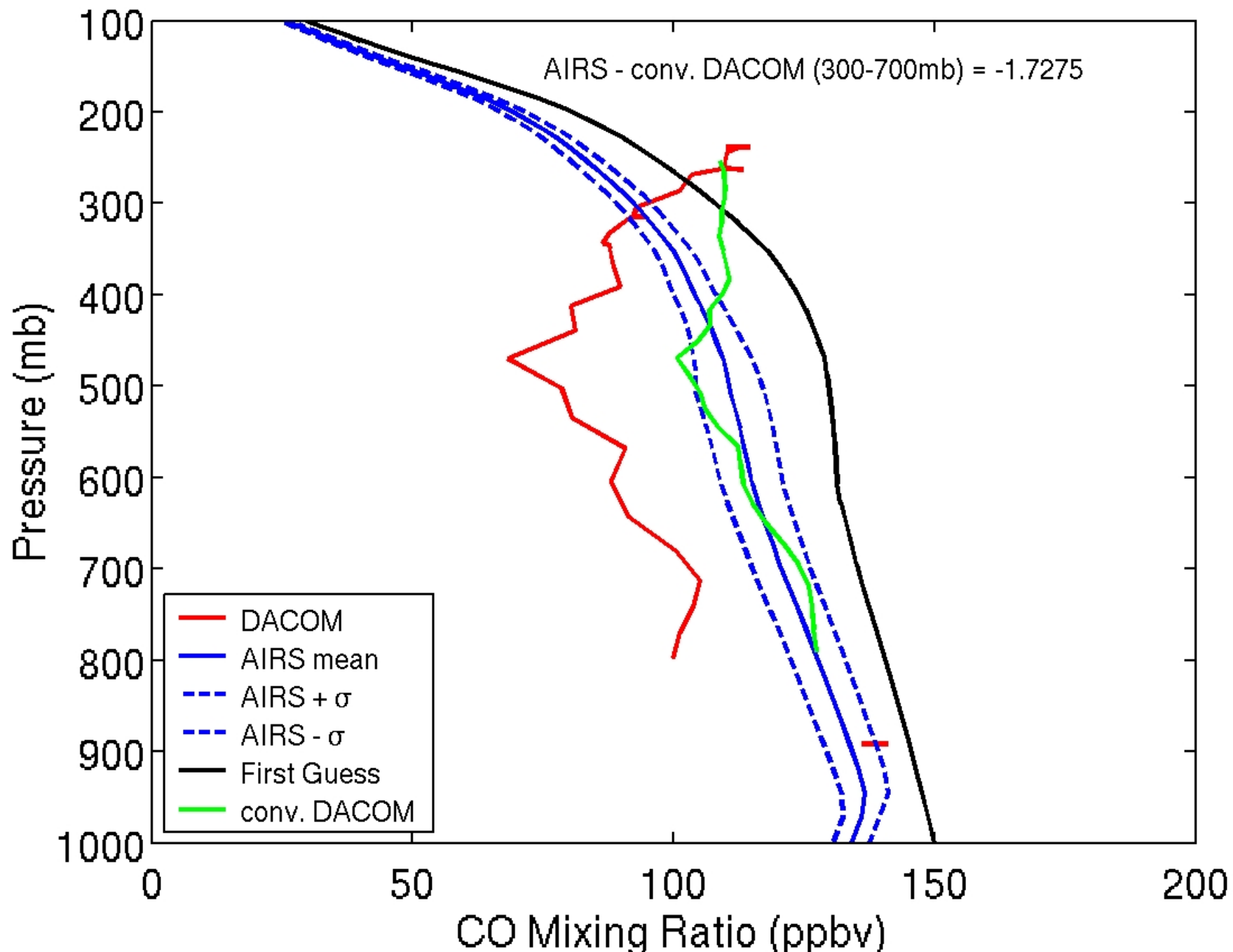


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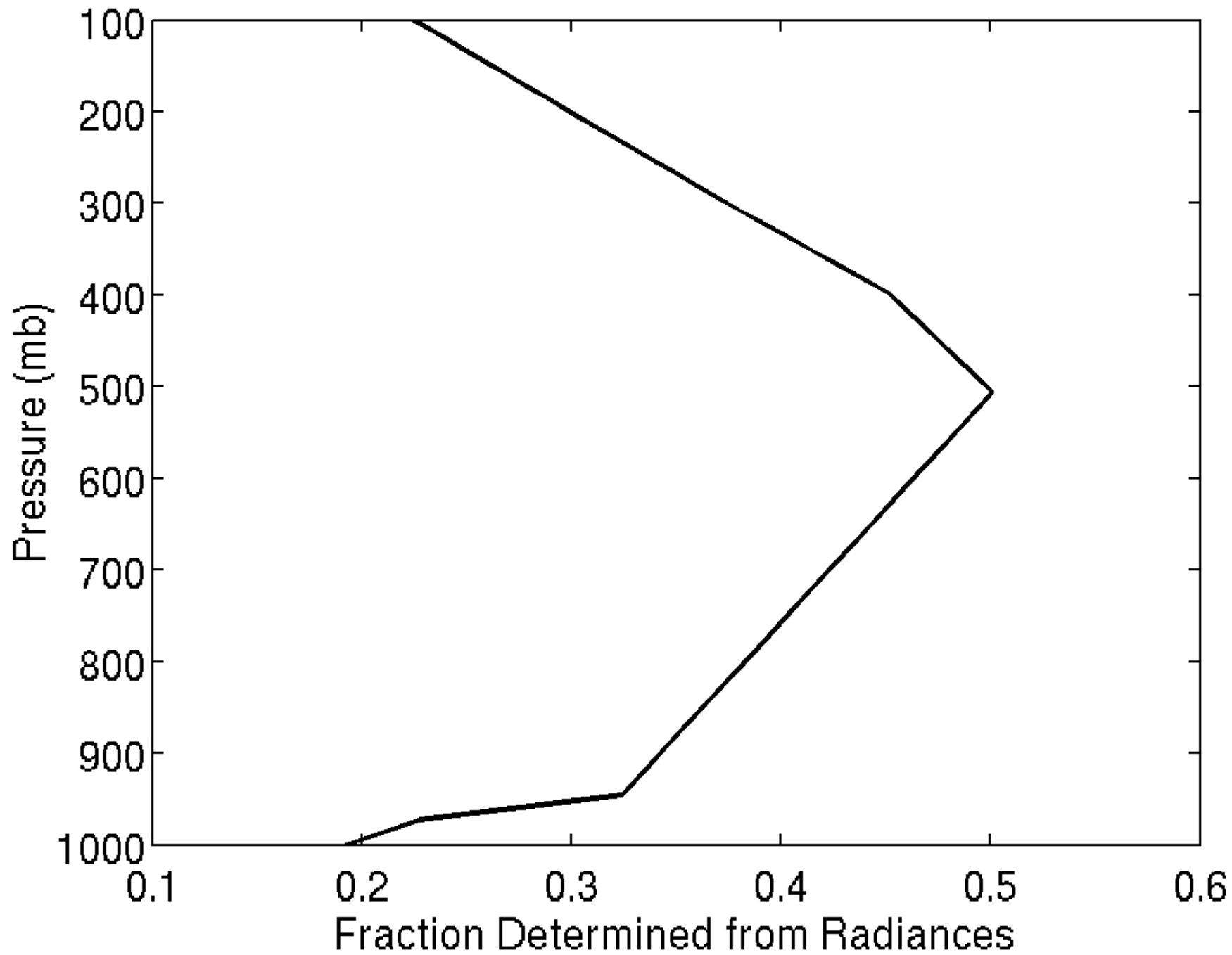




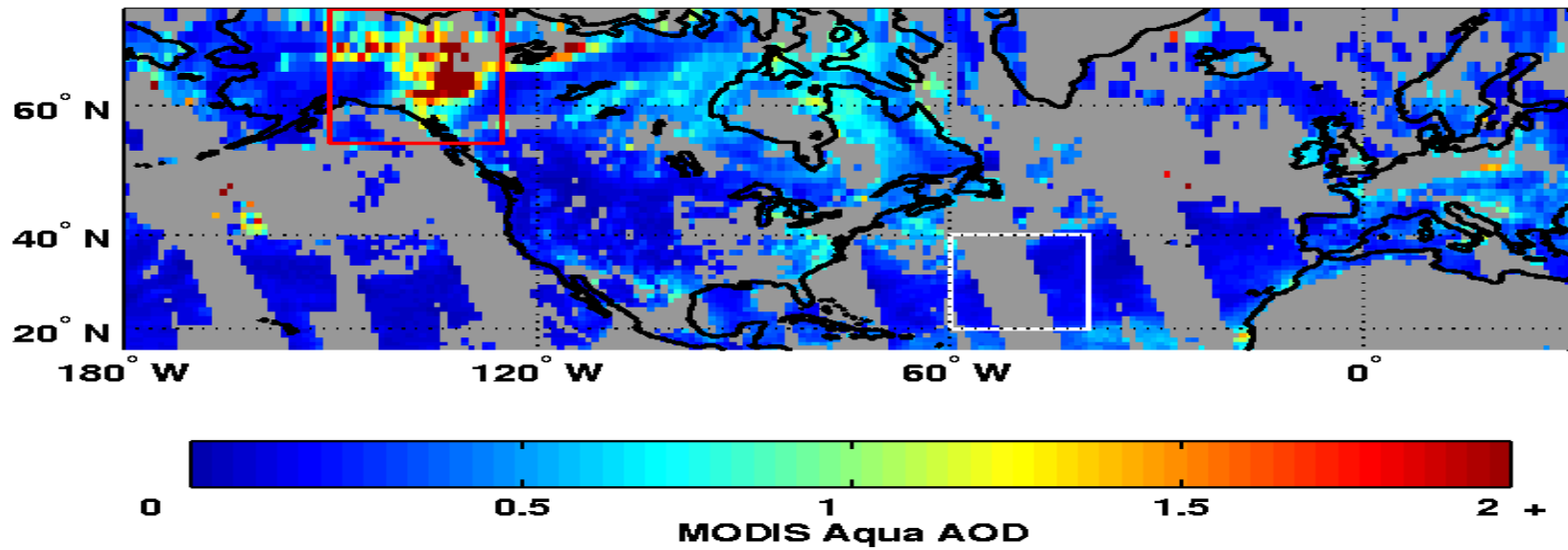
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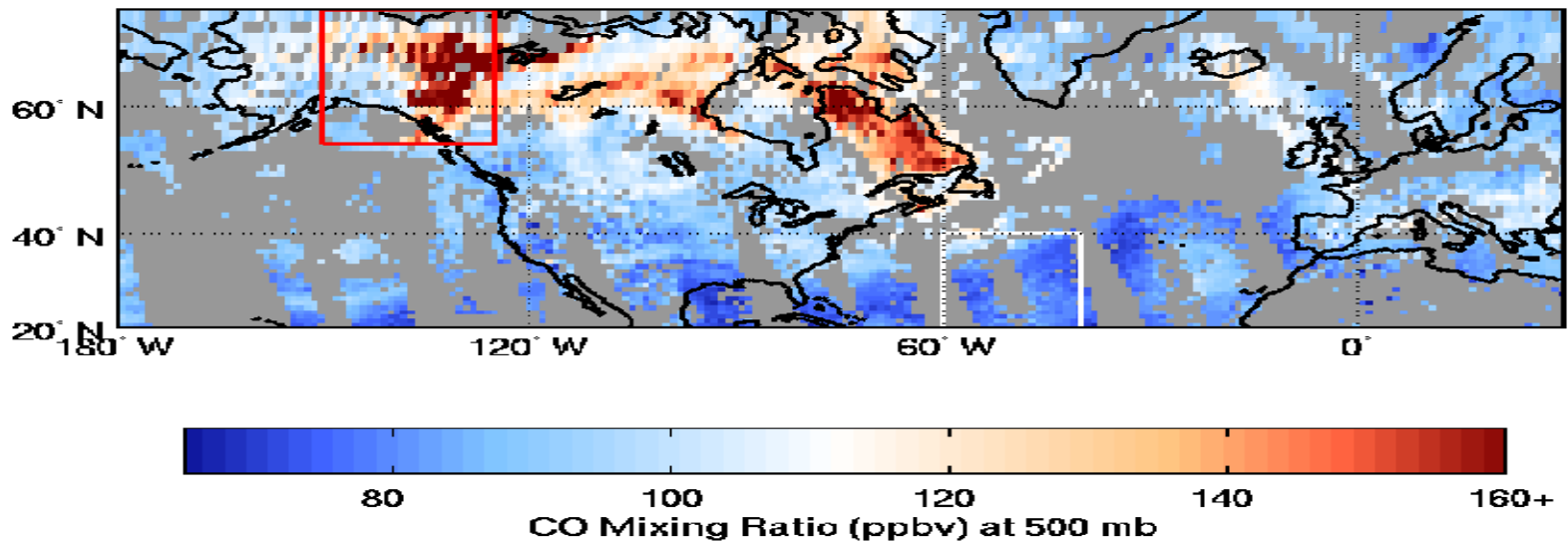
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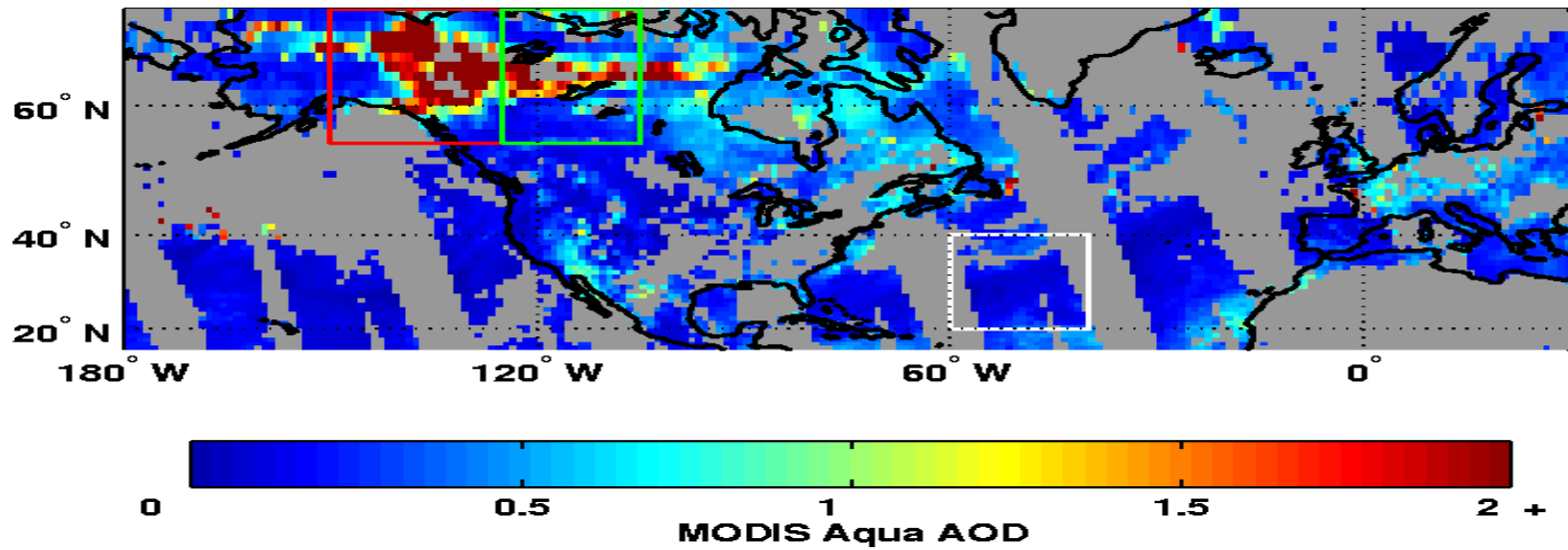
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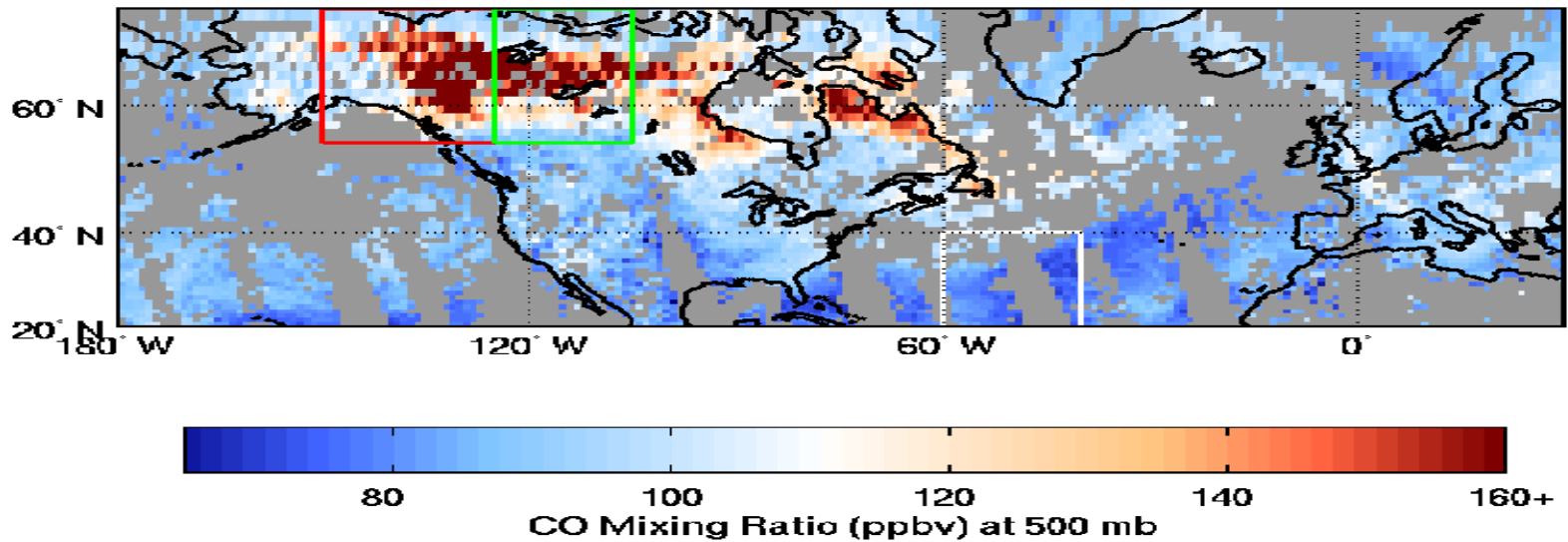
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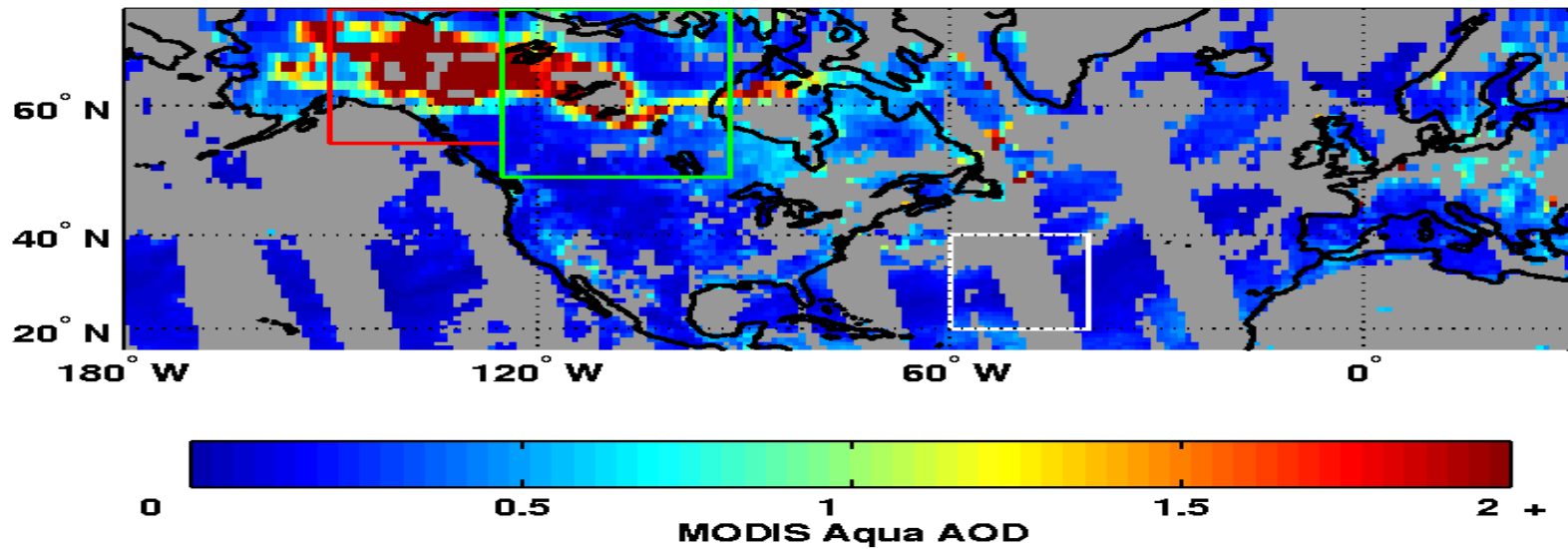
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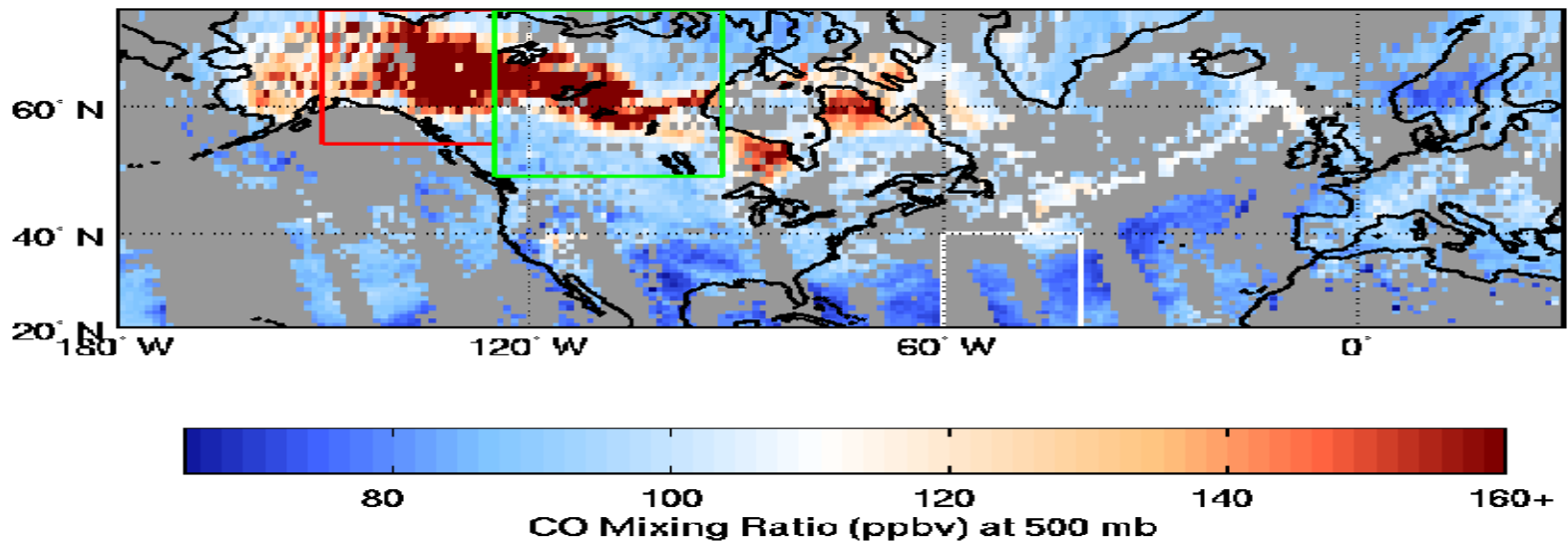
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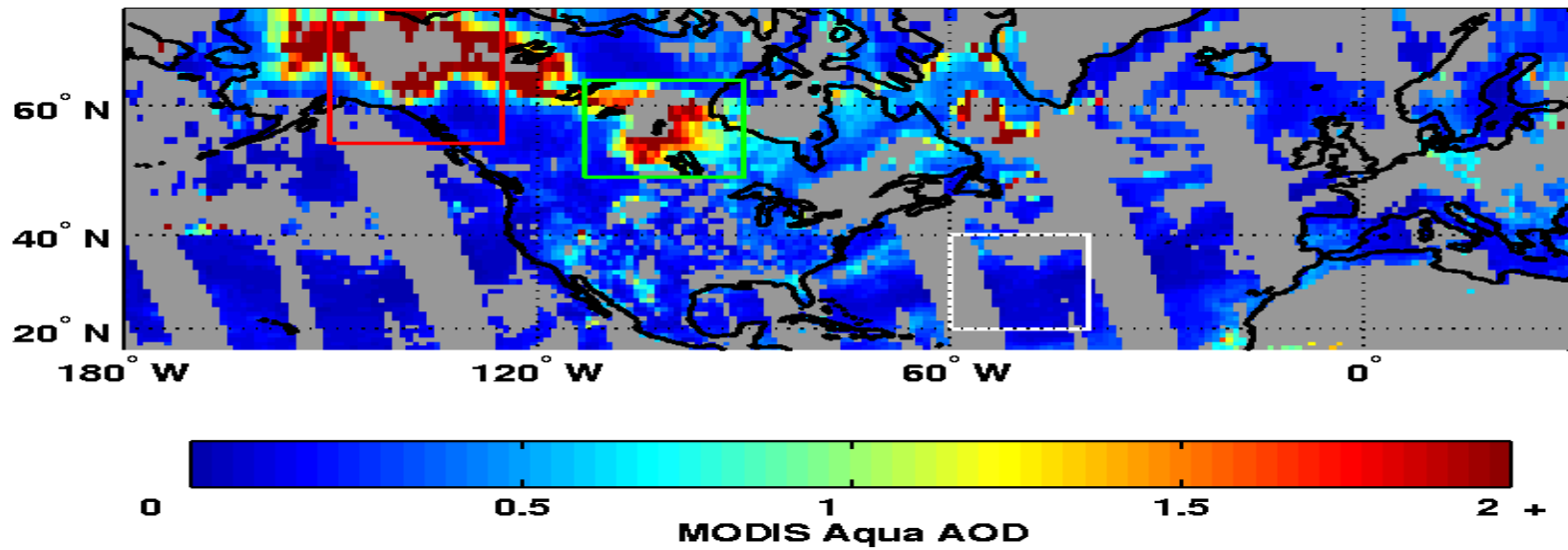
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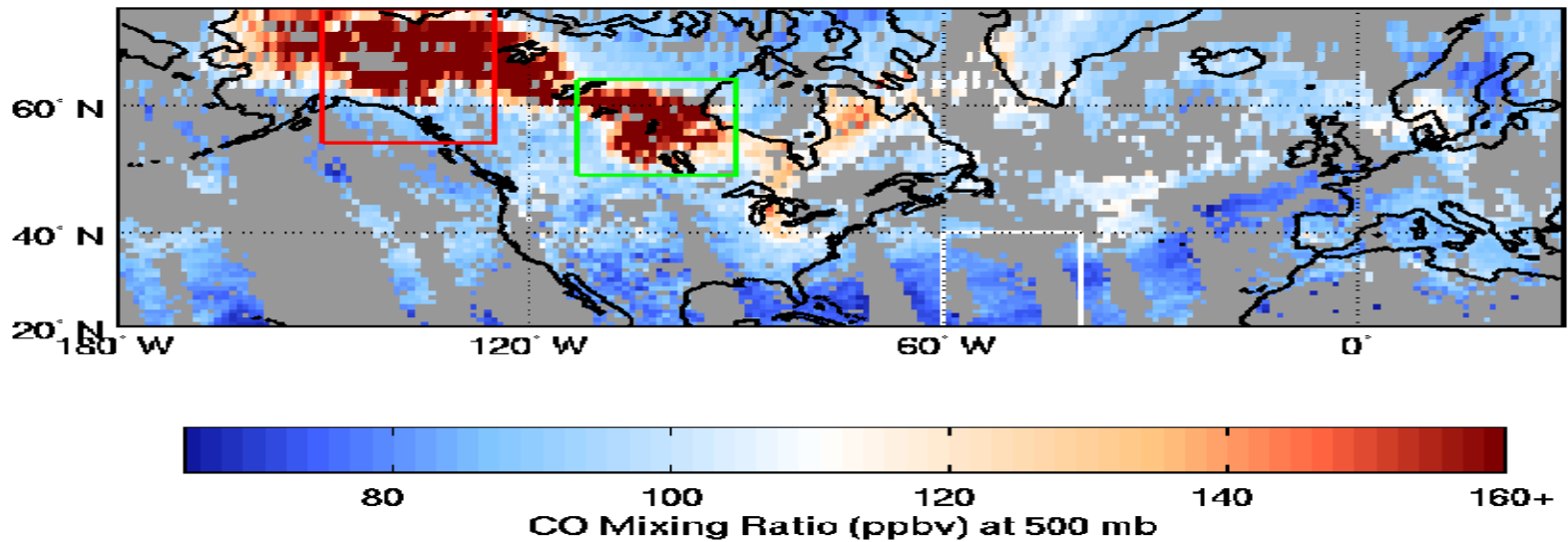
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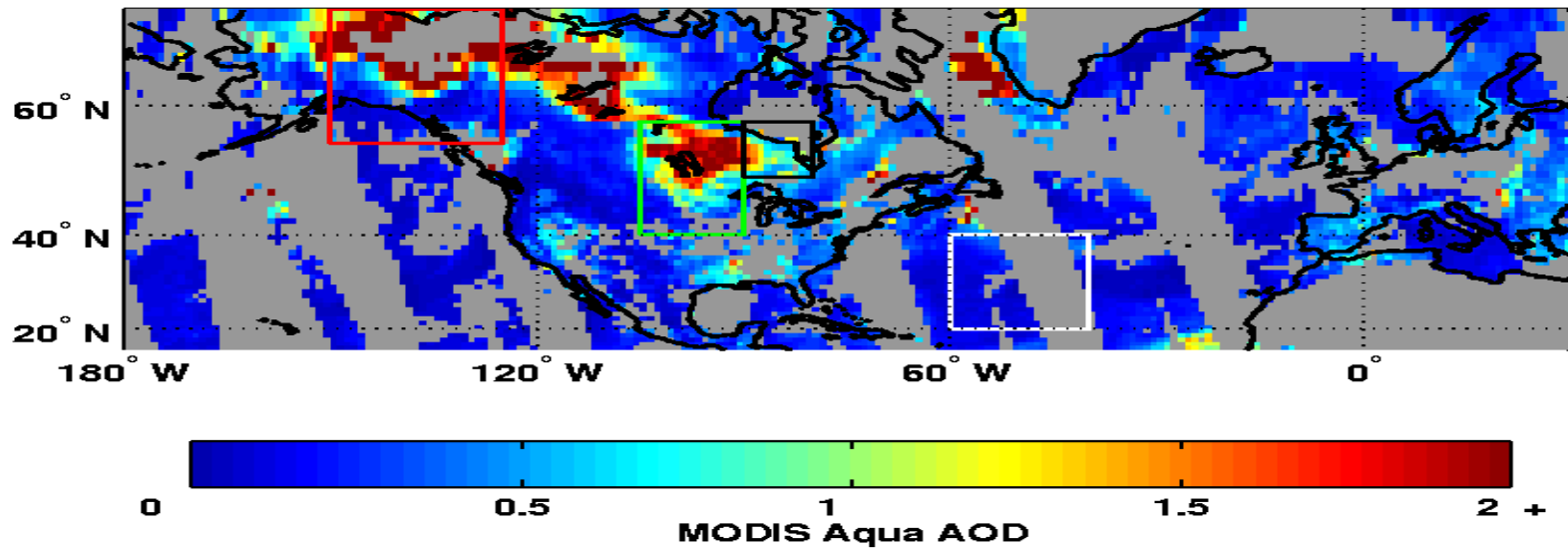
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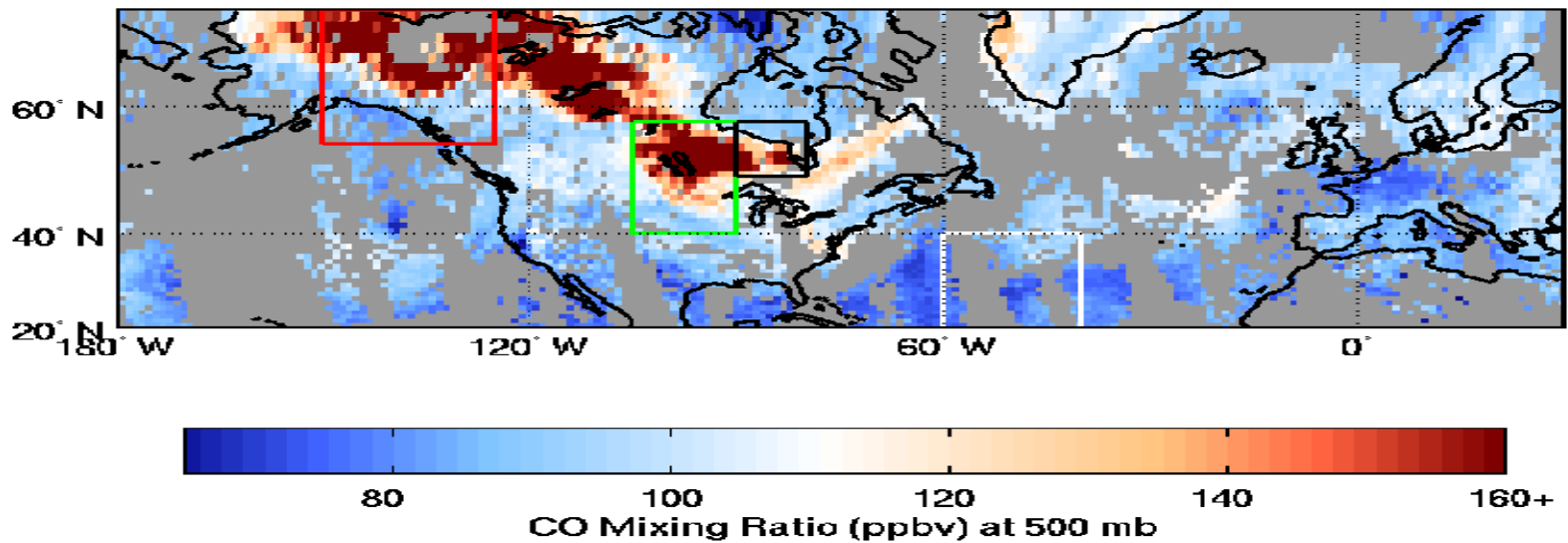
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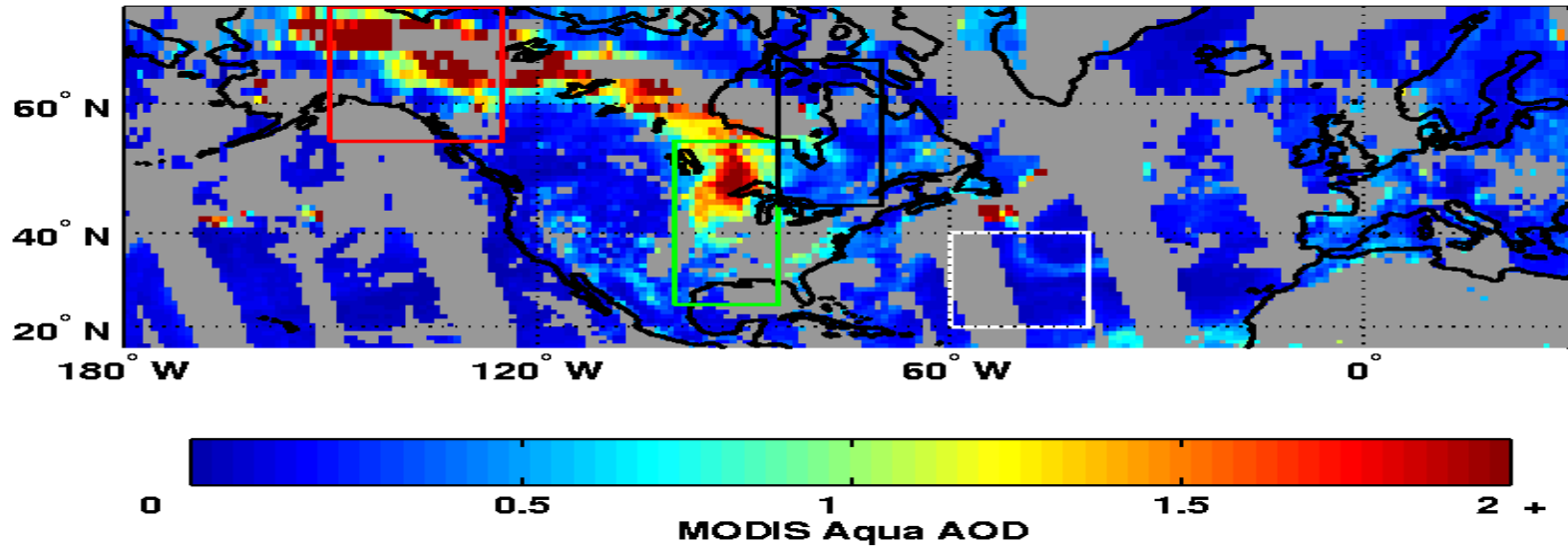
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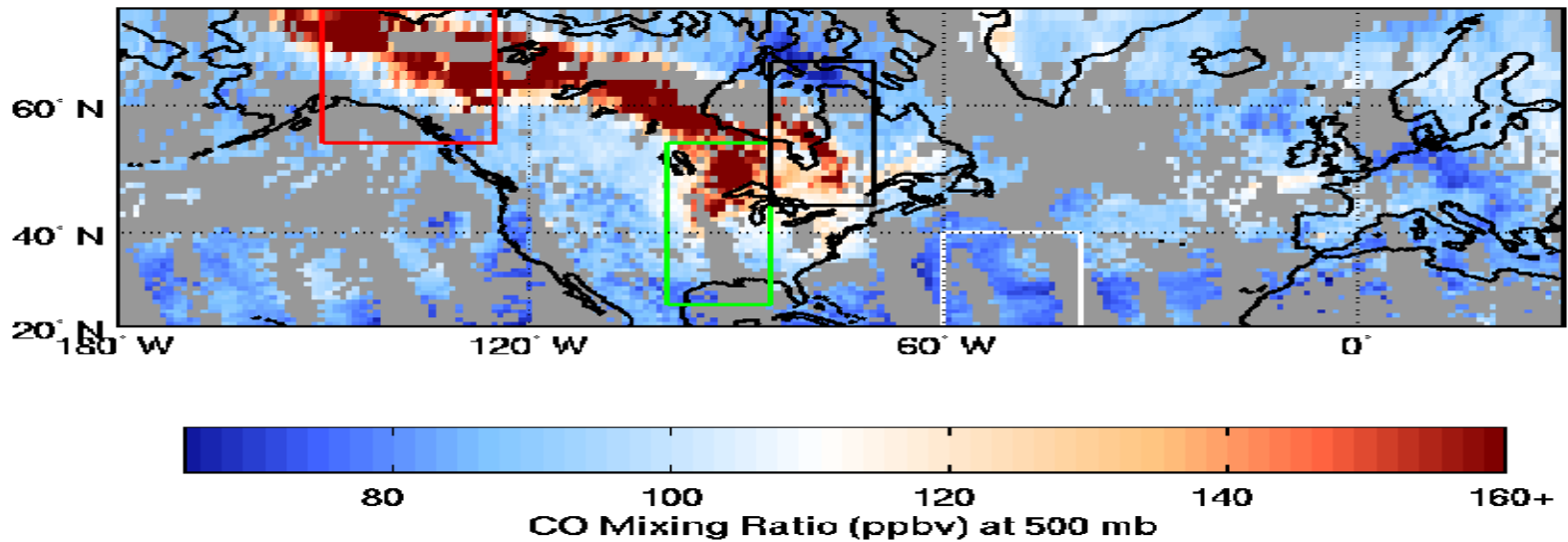
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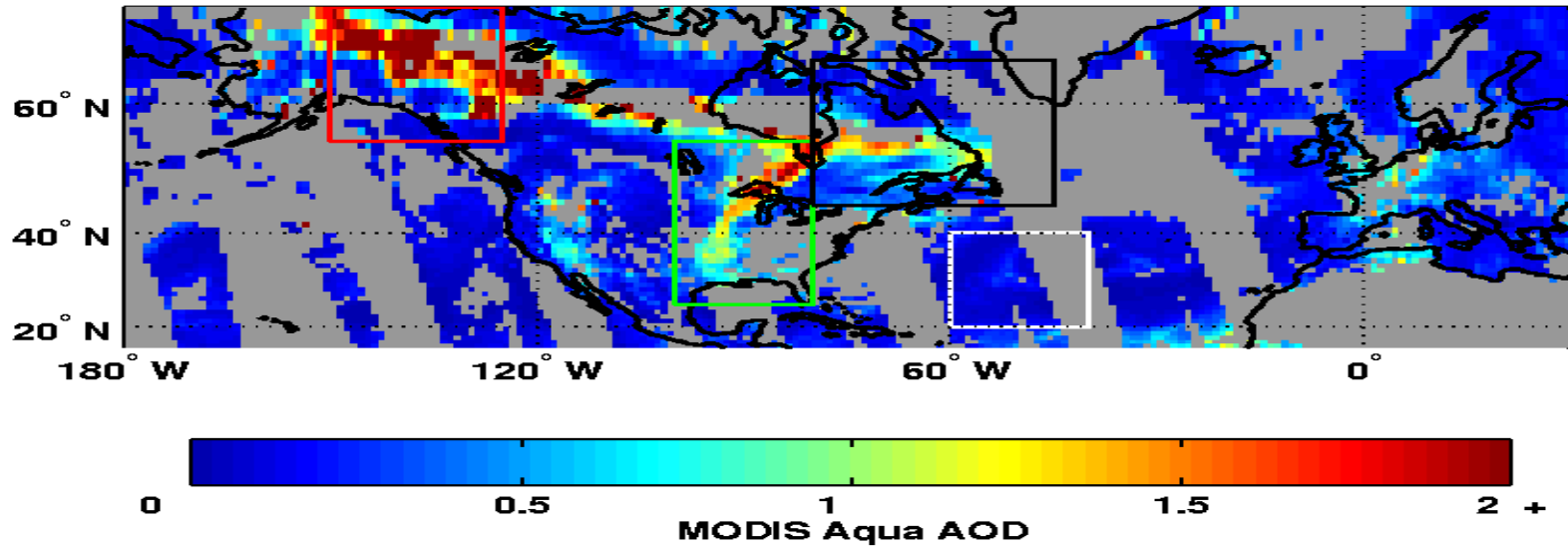


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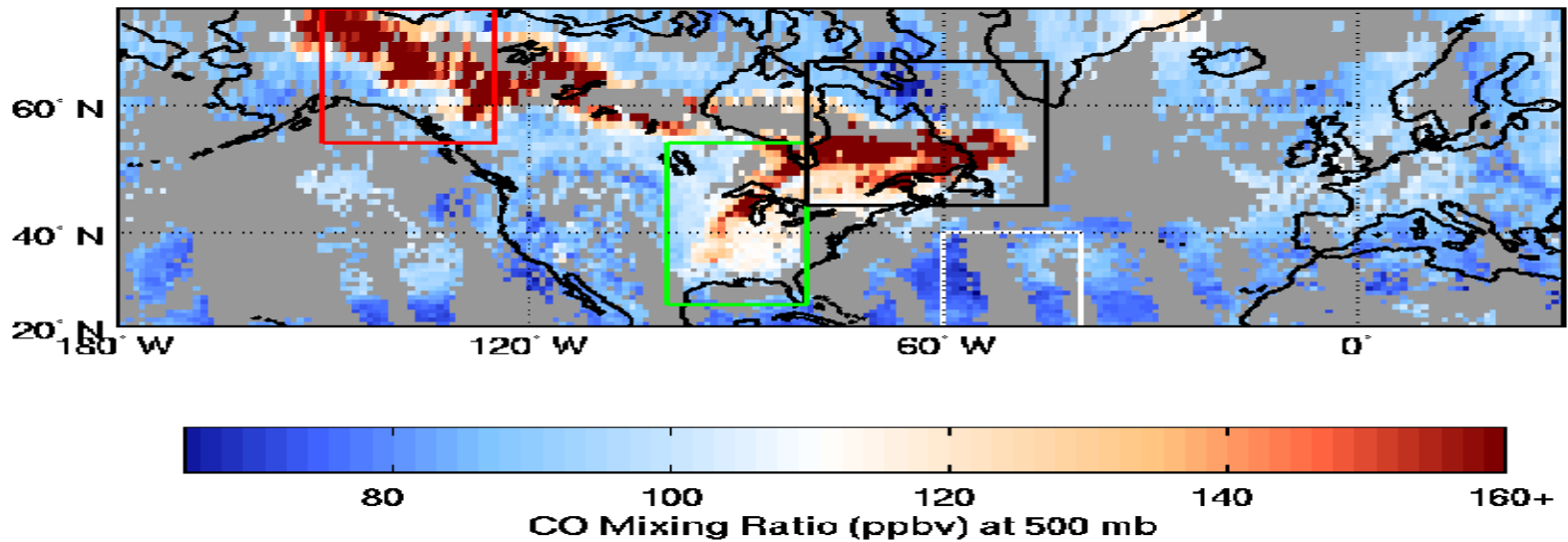




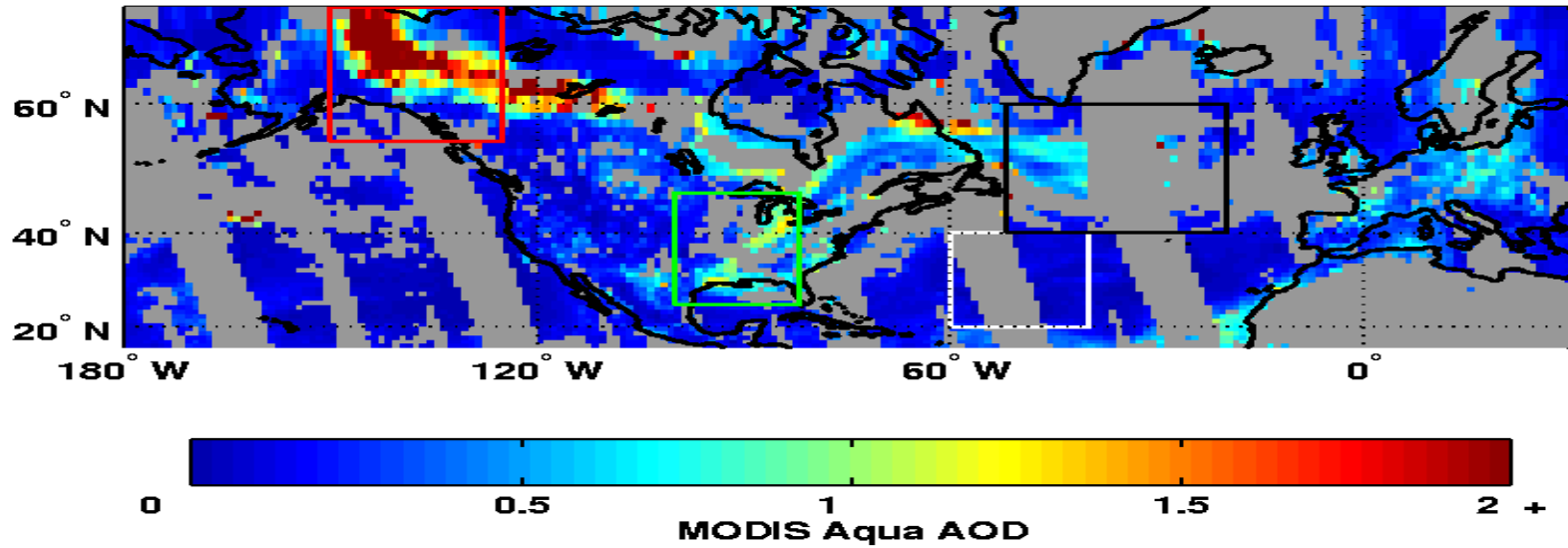
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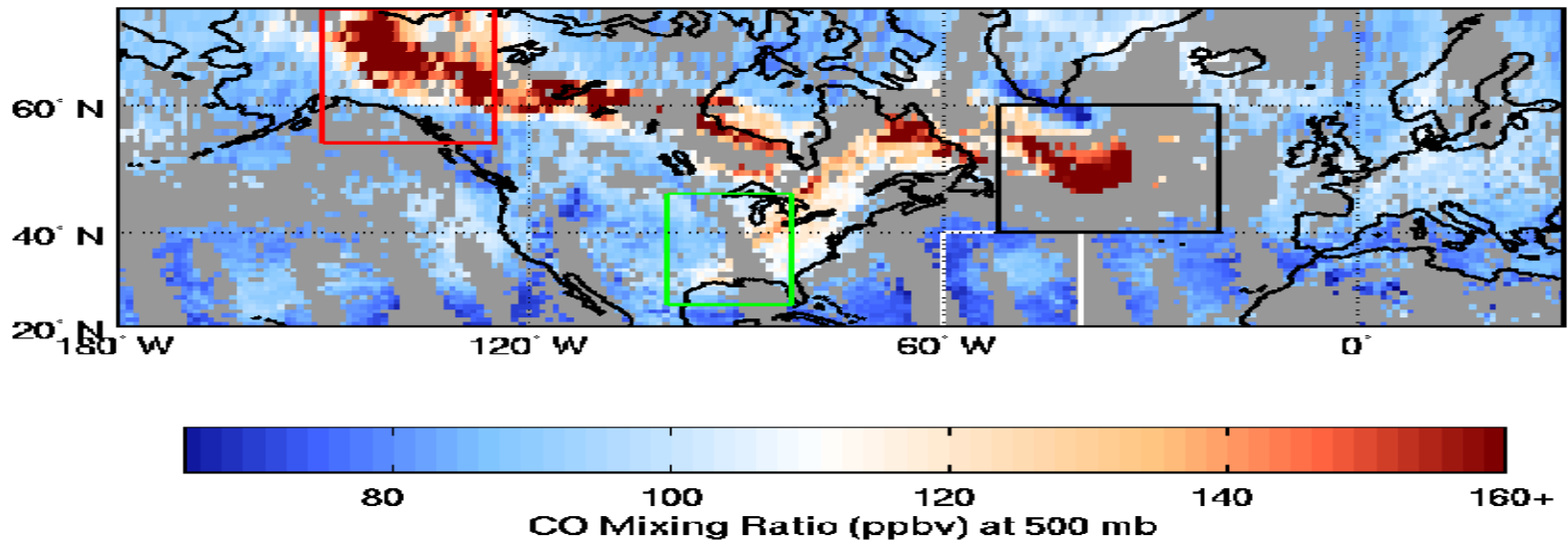
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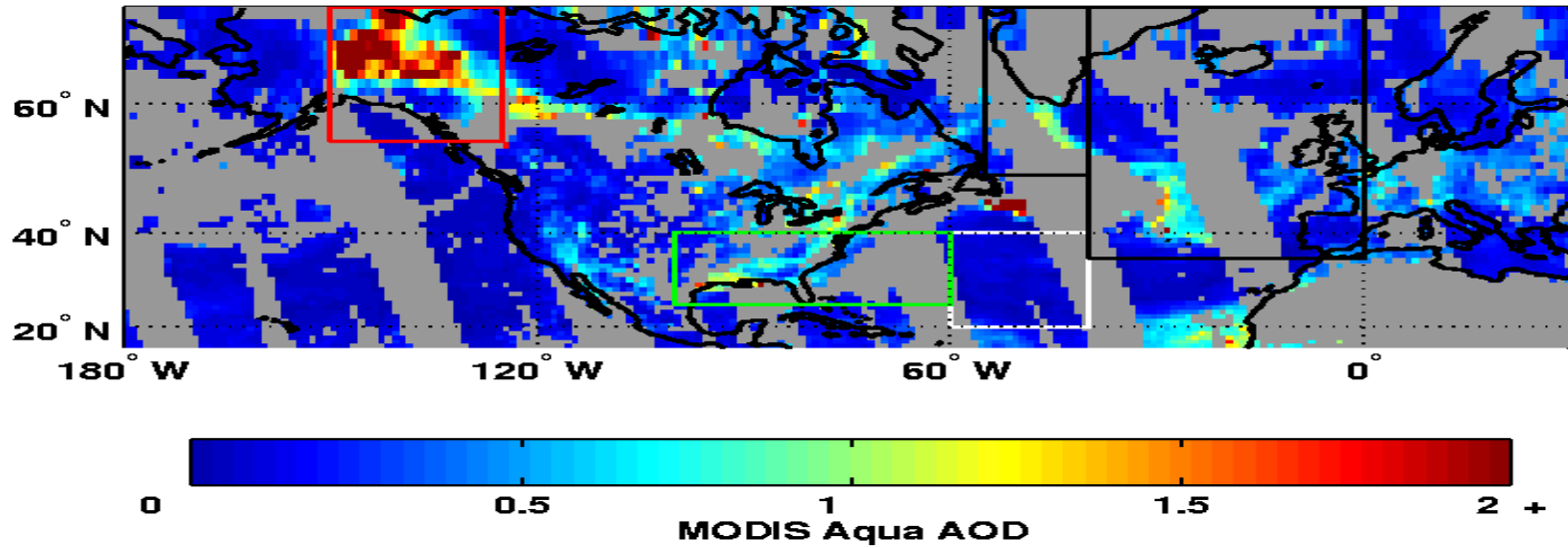
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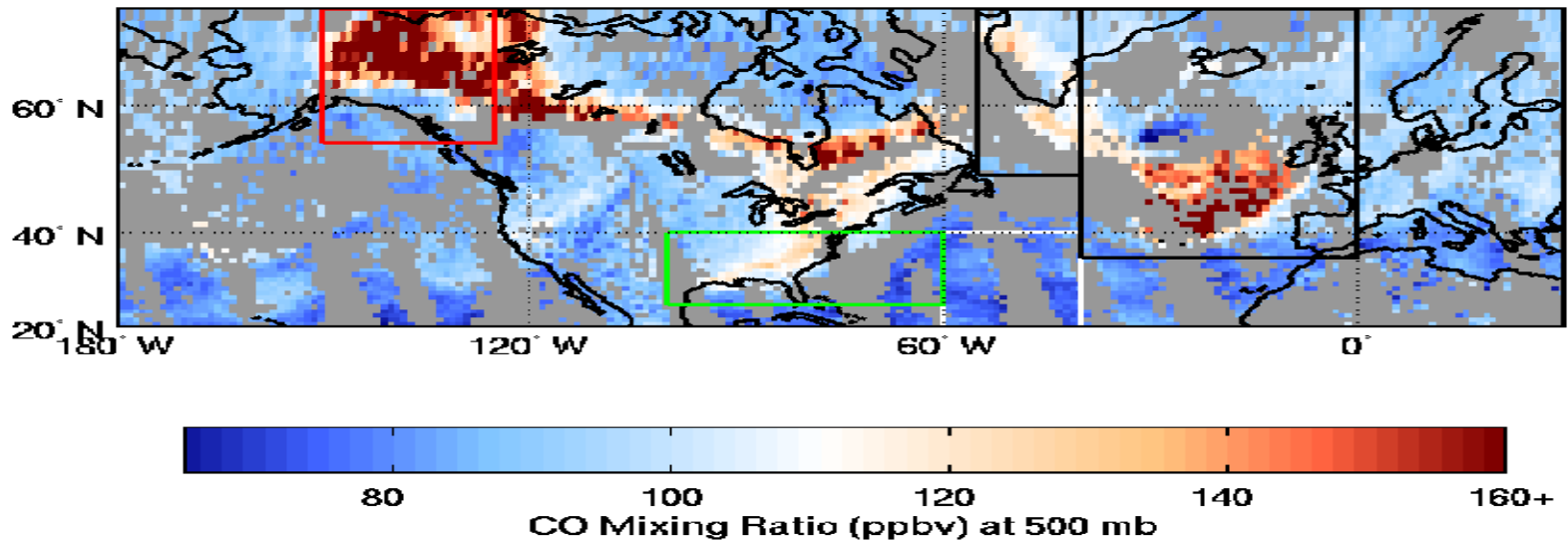
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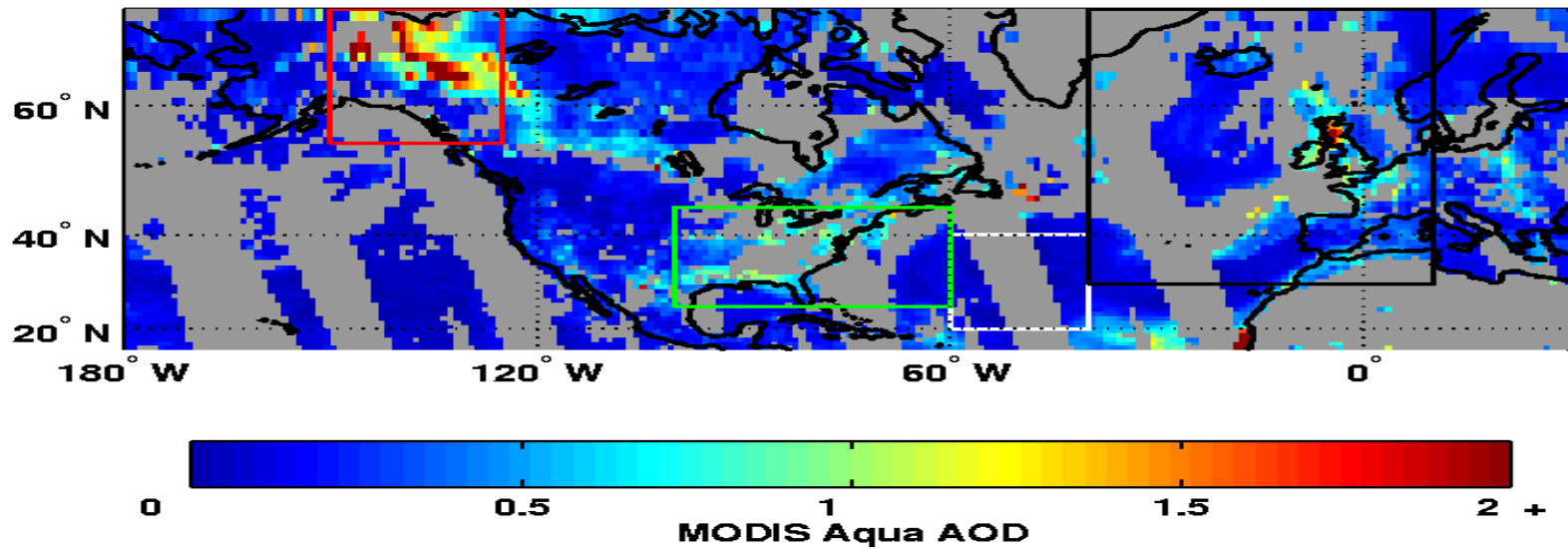
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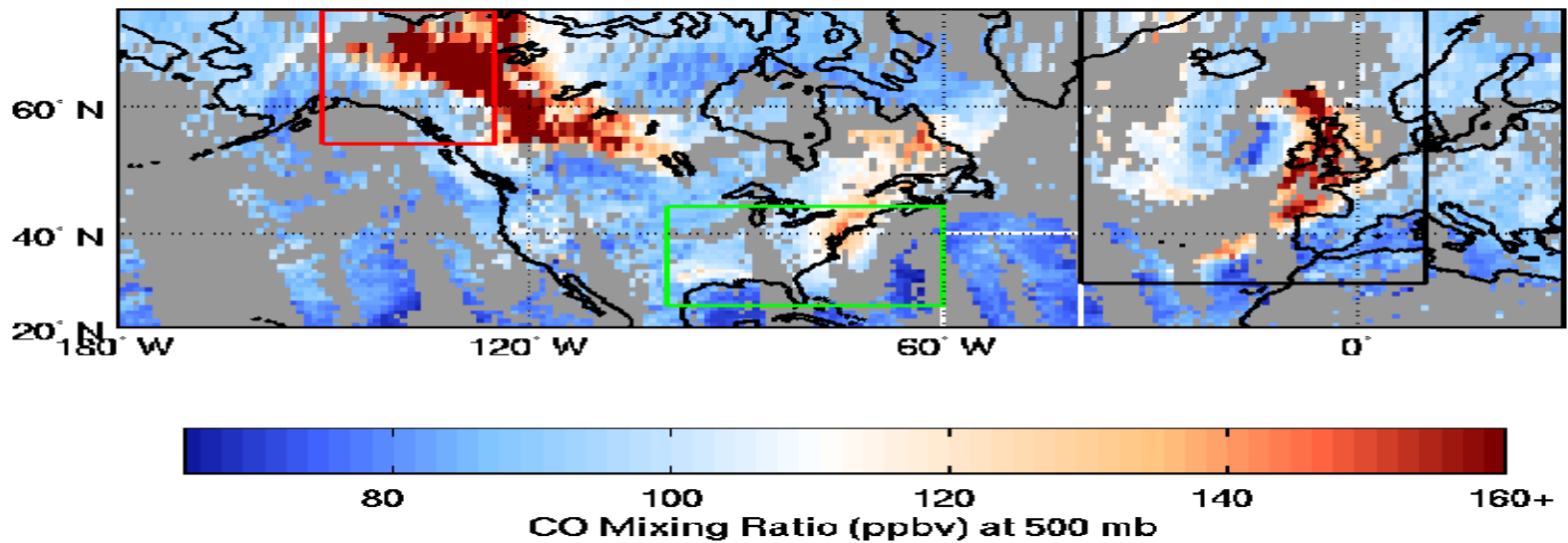
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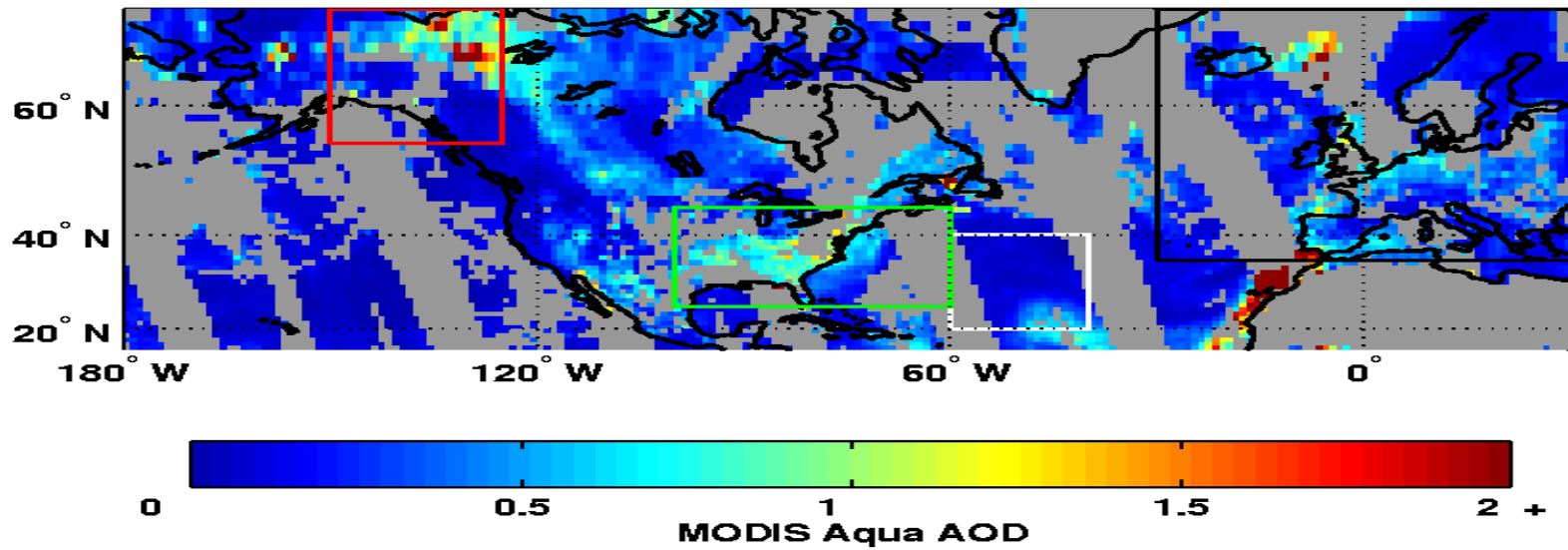
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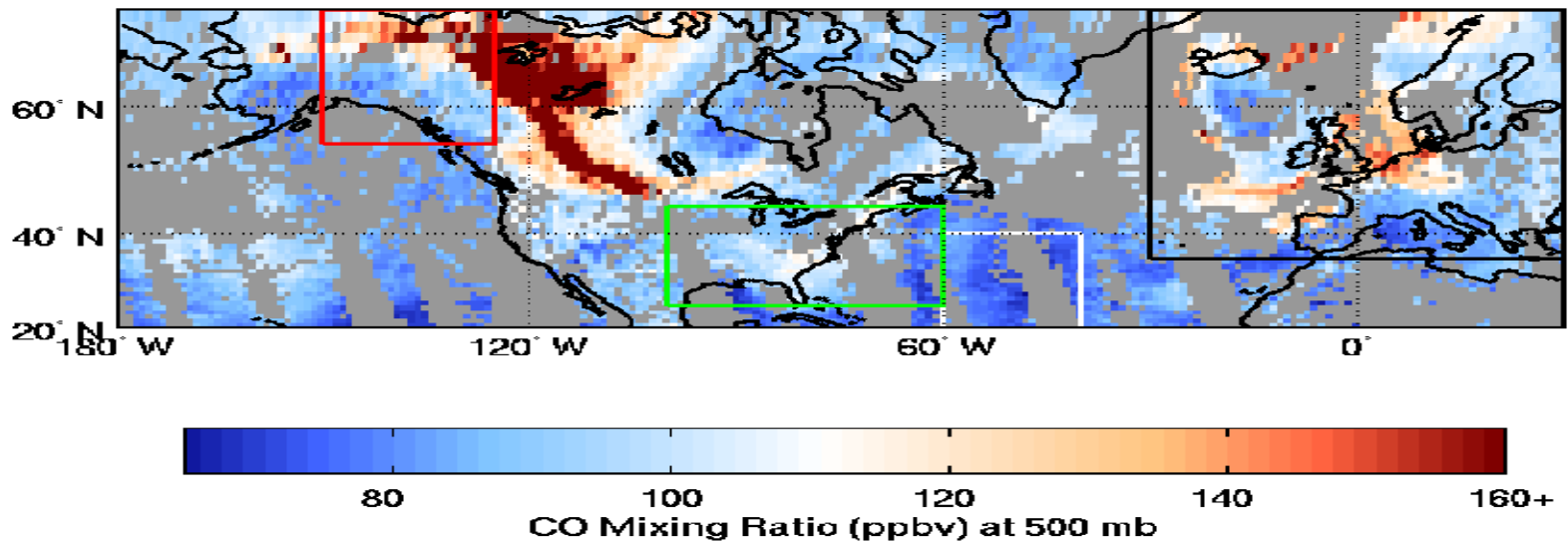
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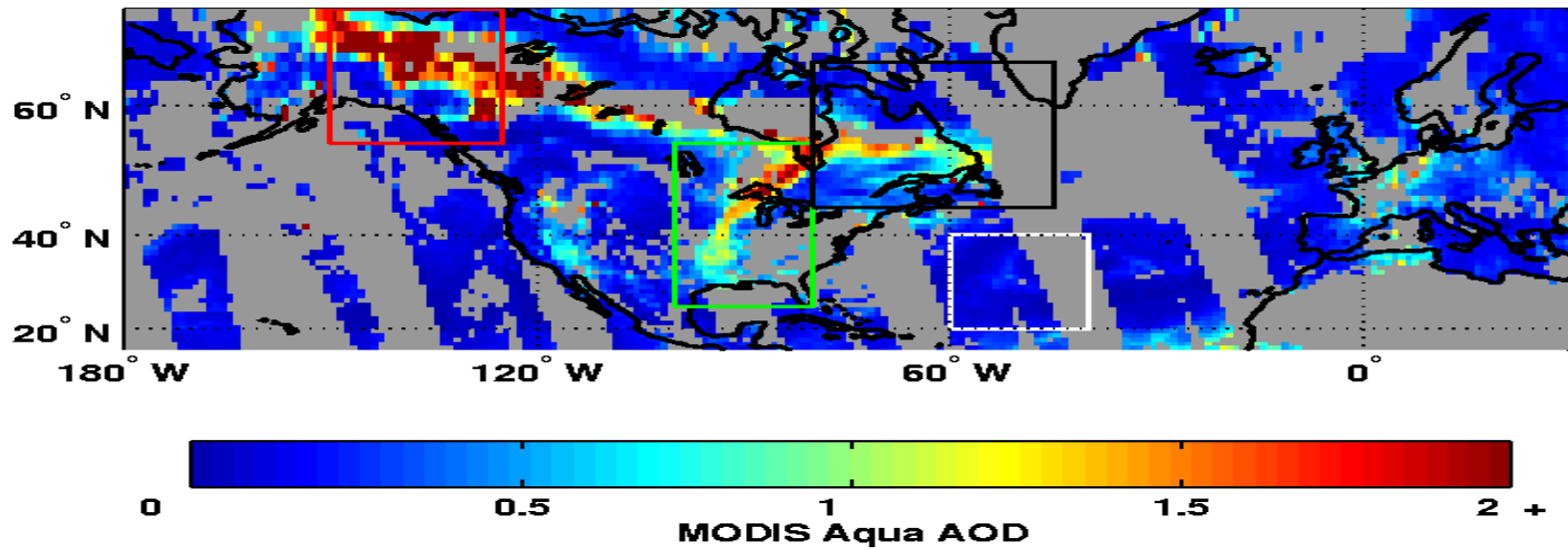
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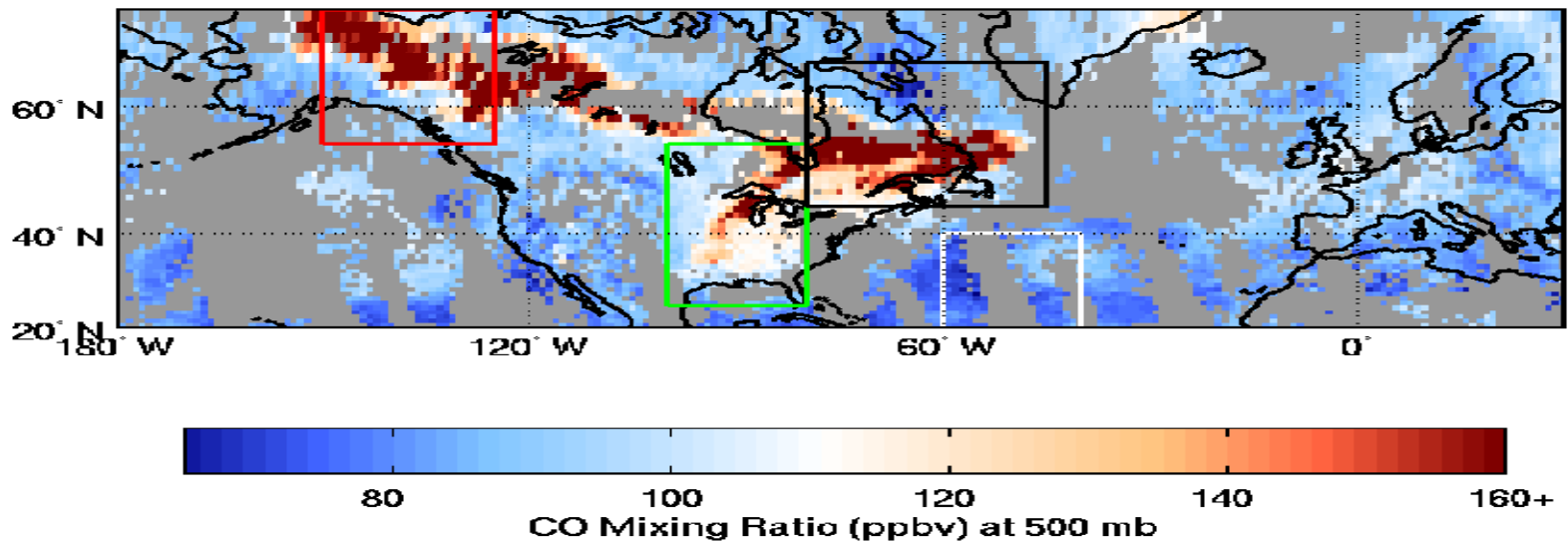
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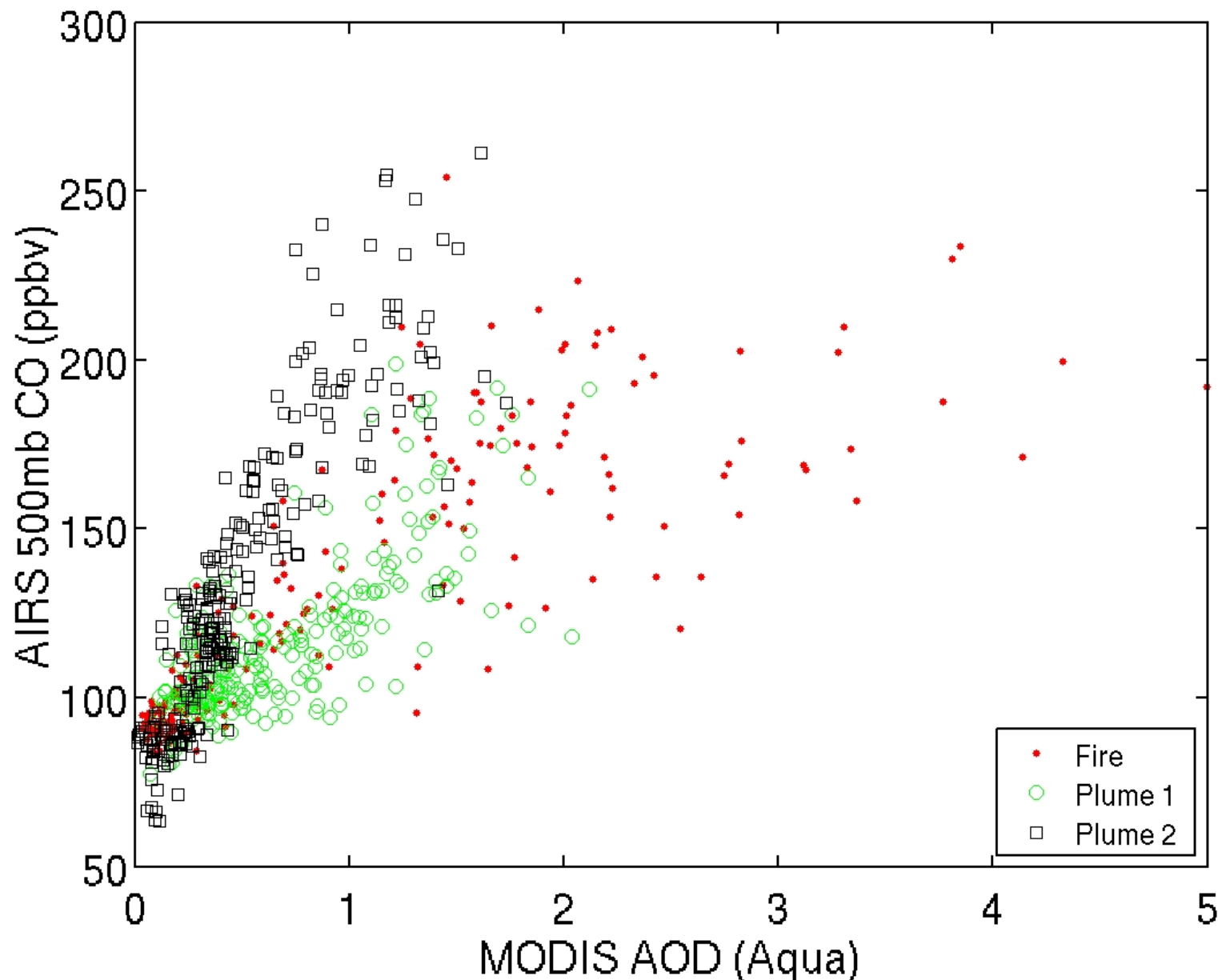
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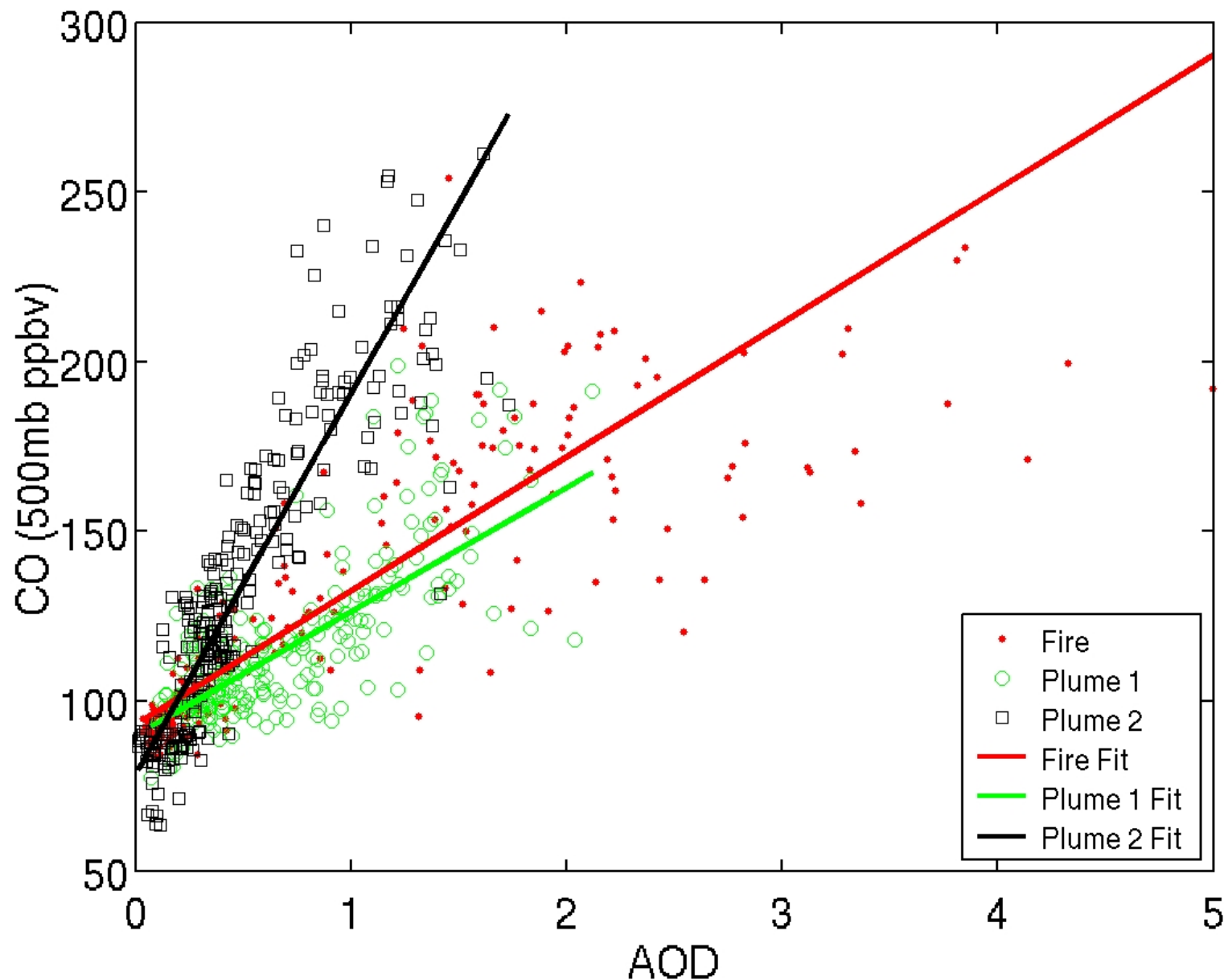
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## AIRS CO vs. MODIS Aqua AOD Fits July 18, 2004



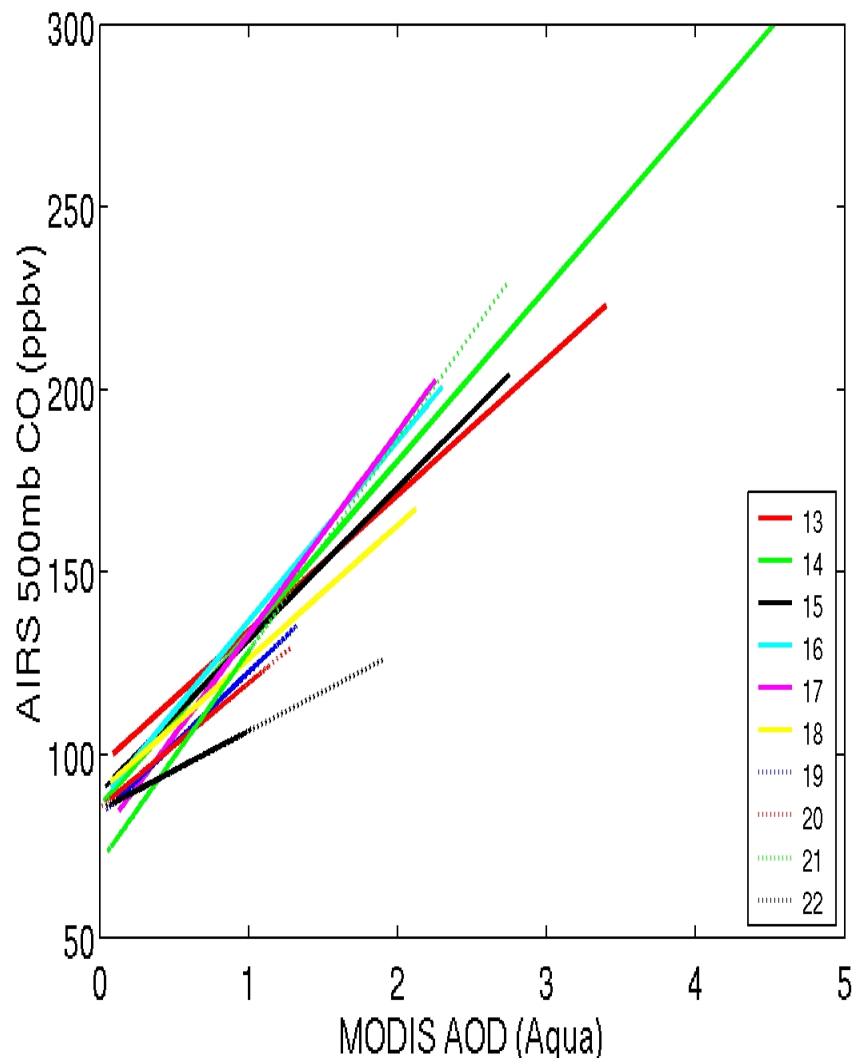
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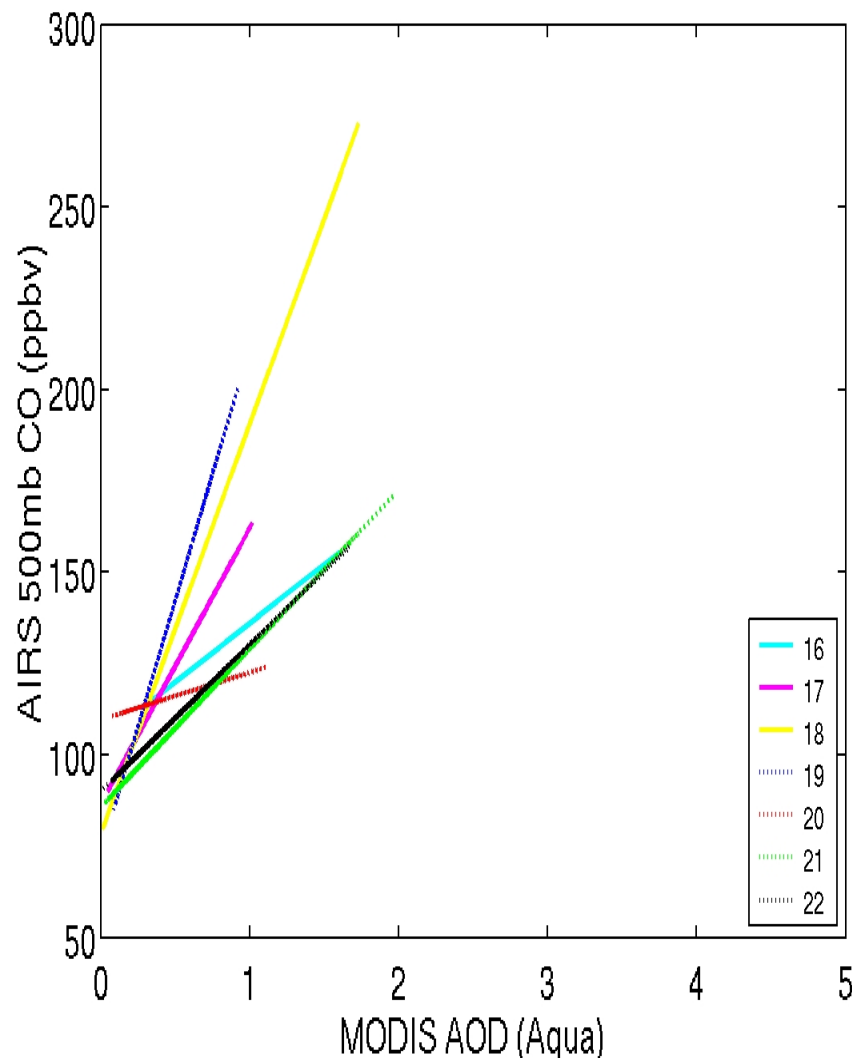


# AIRS CO vs. MODIS AOD: Plume Evolution

AIRS CO 500 mb vs. MODIS AOD: Plume 1 Fits

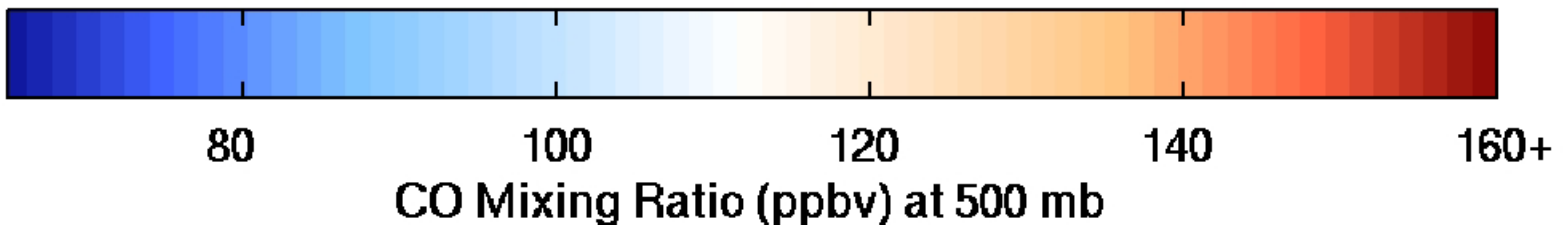
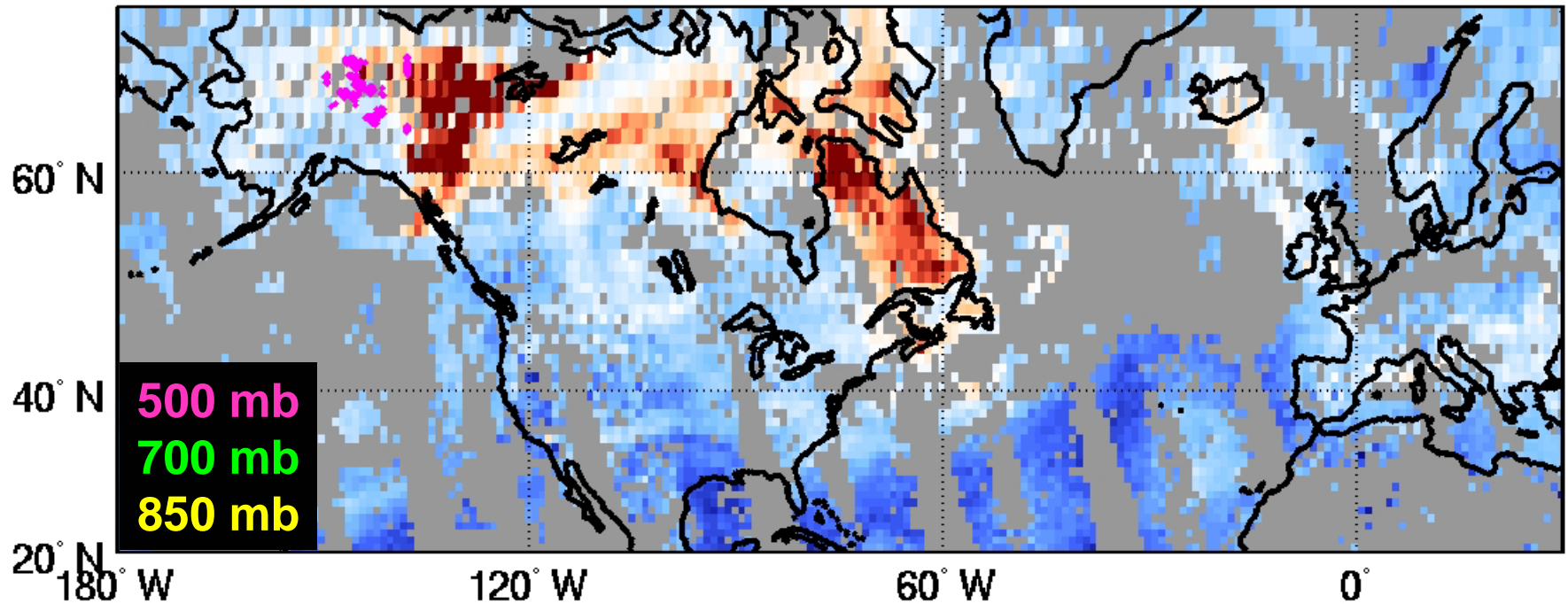


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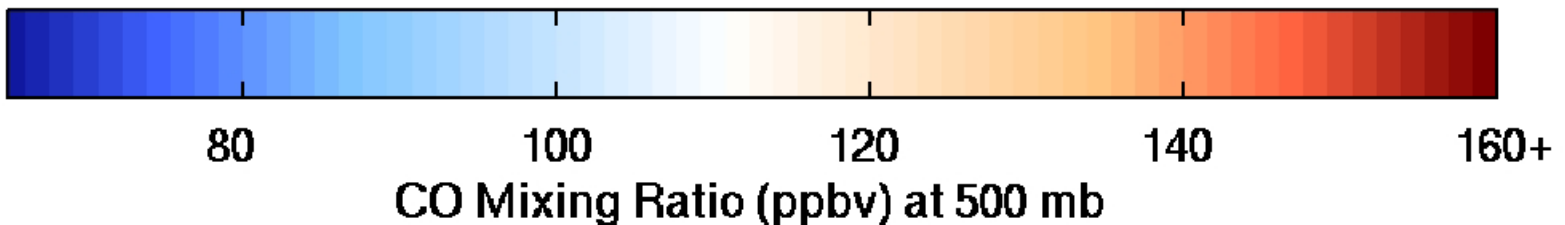
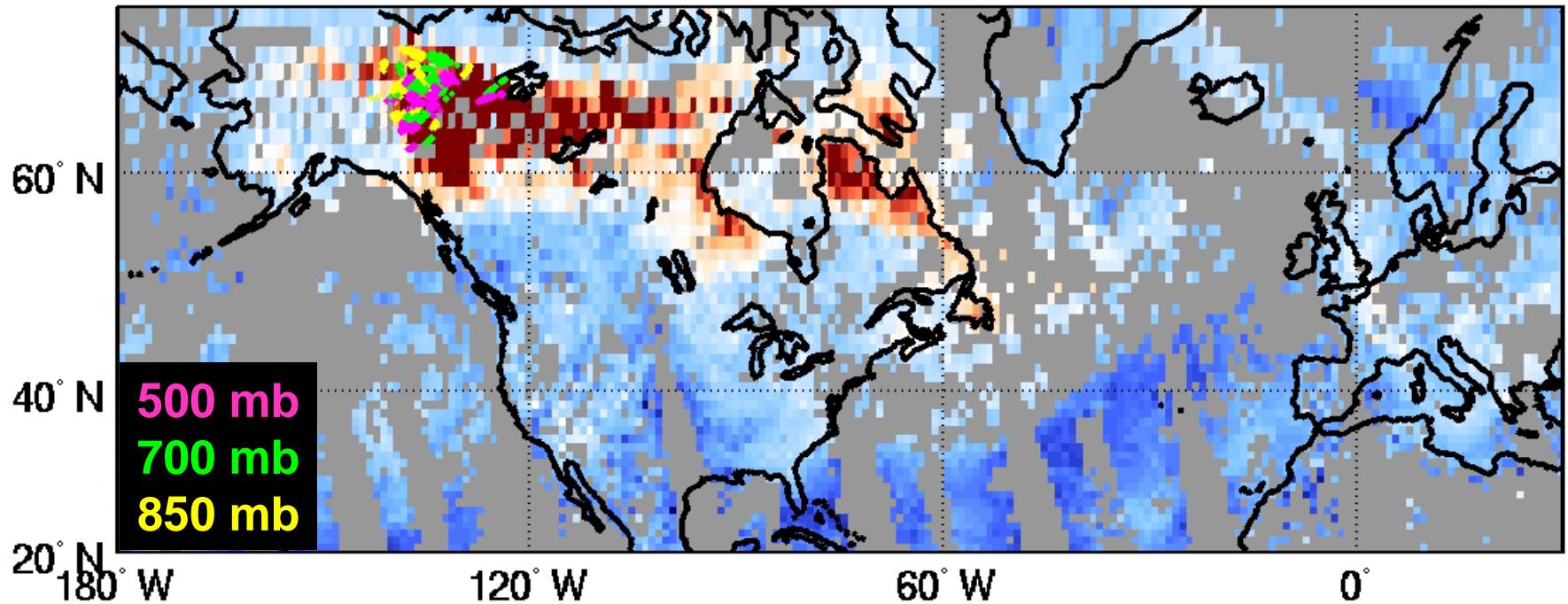
# AIRS CO and Trajectories

Local PM AIRS CO at 500 mb on 20040712



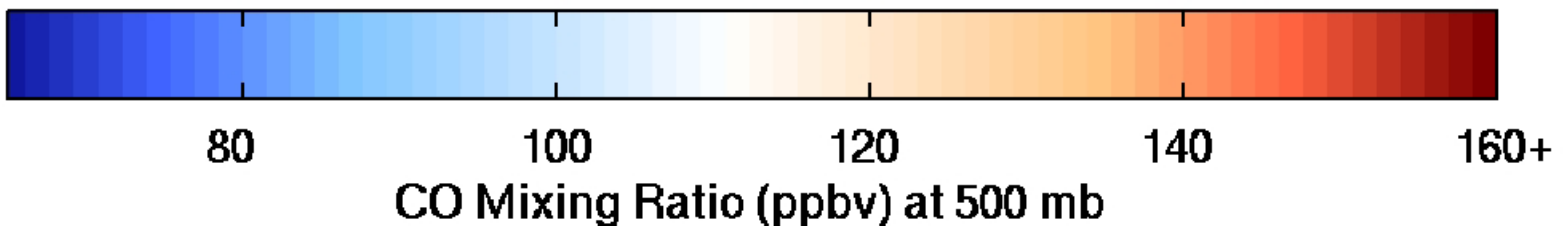
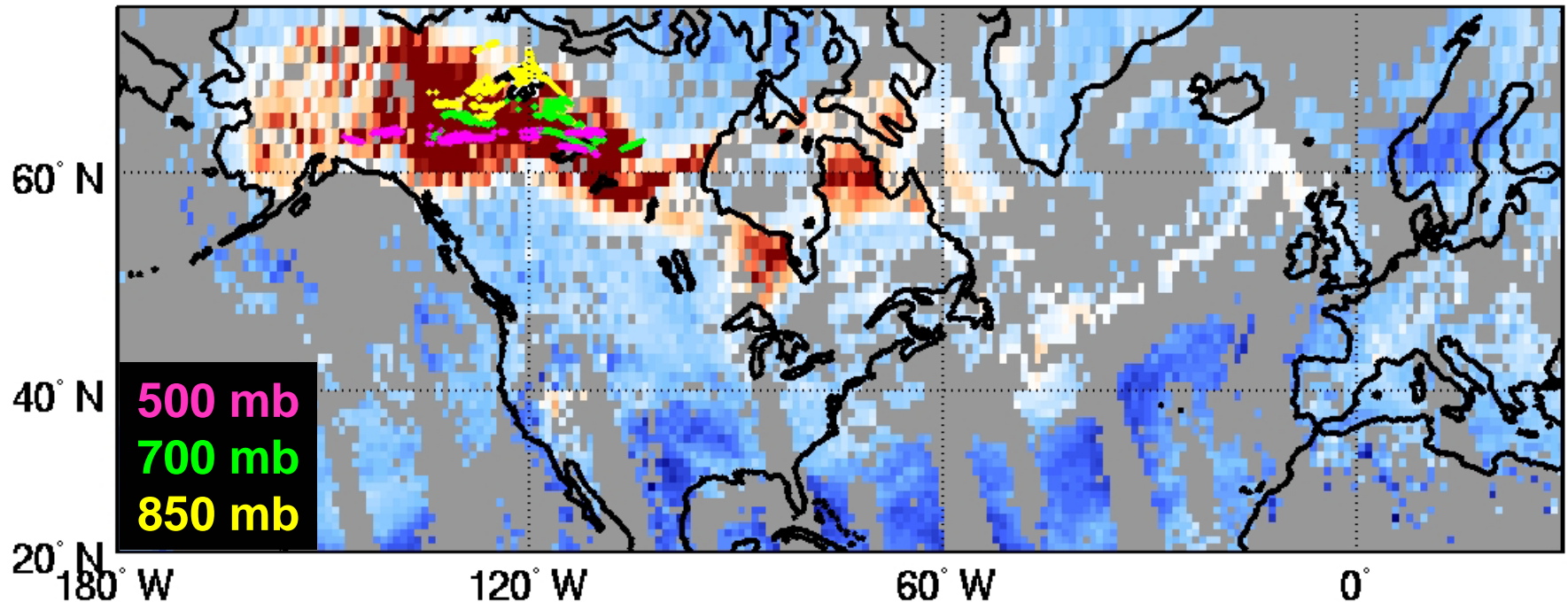
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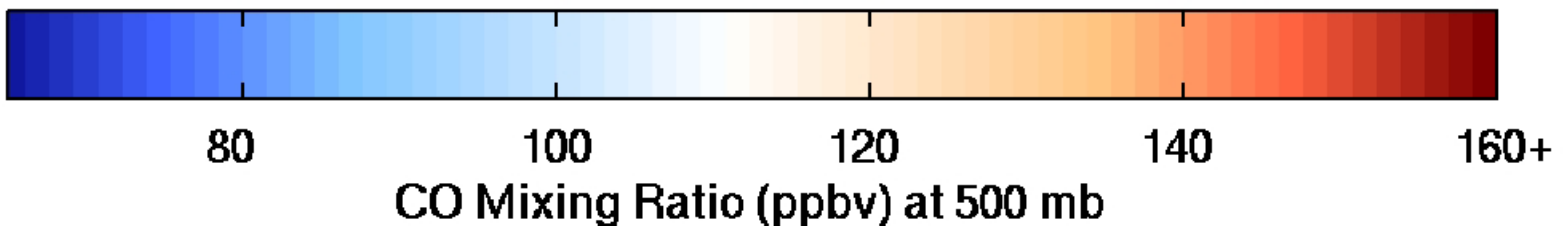
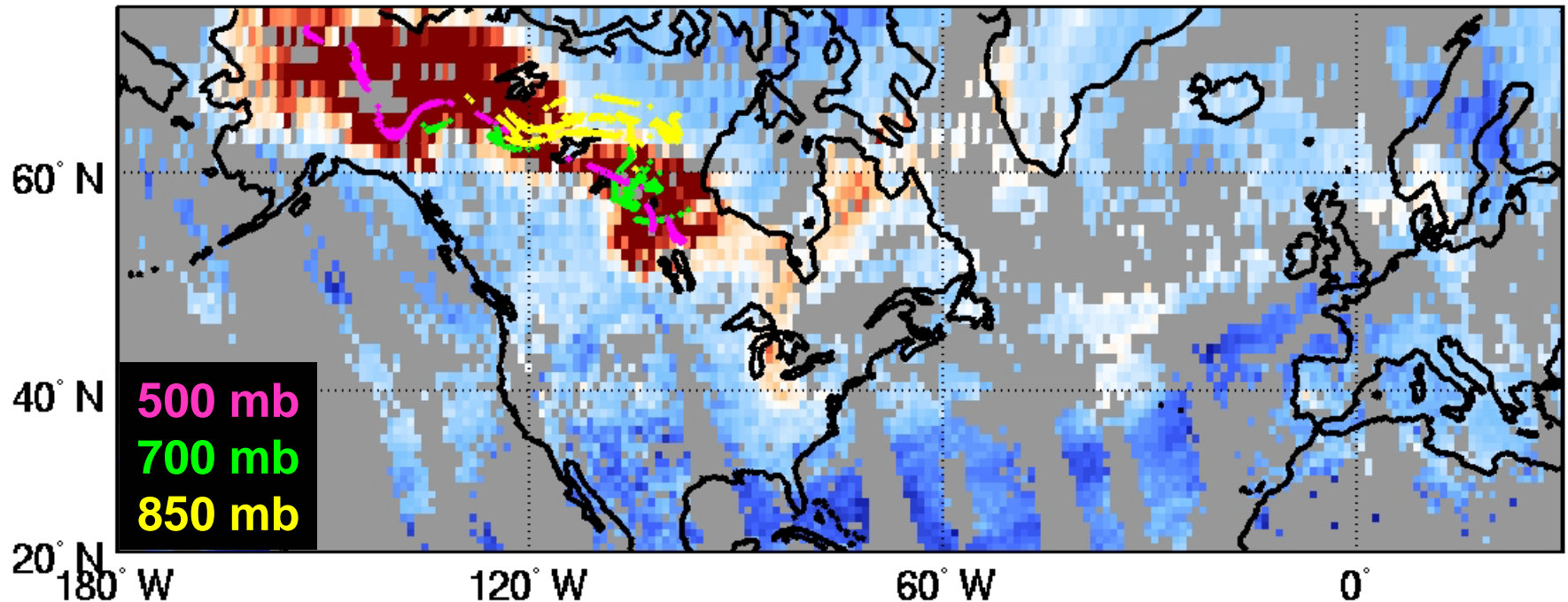
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Local PM AIRS CO at 500 mb on 20040714



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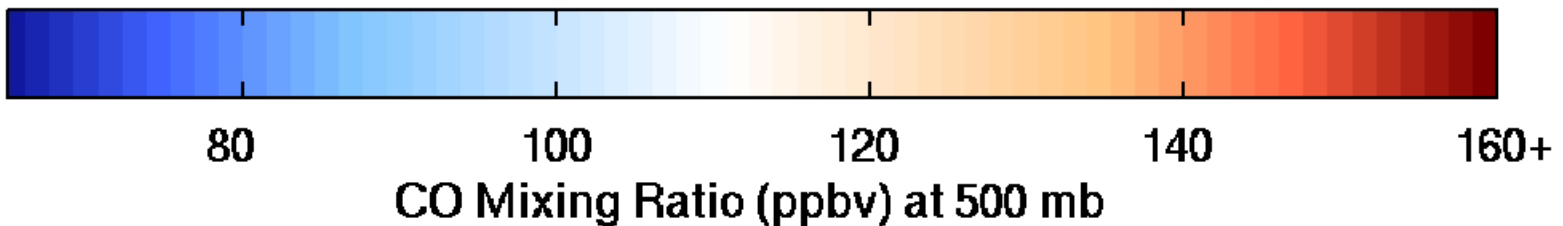
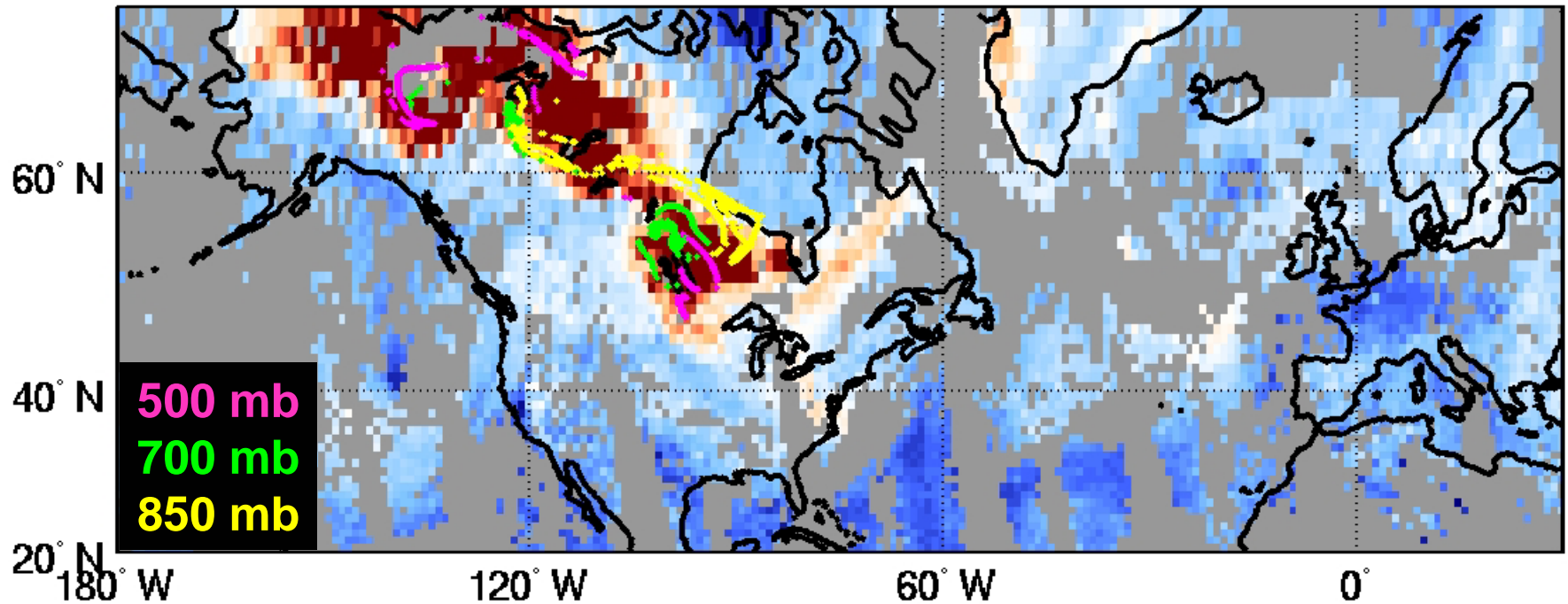
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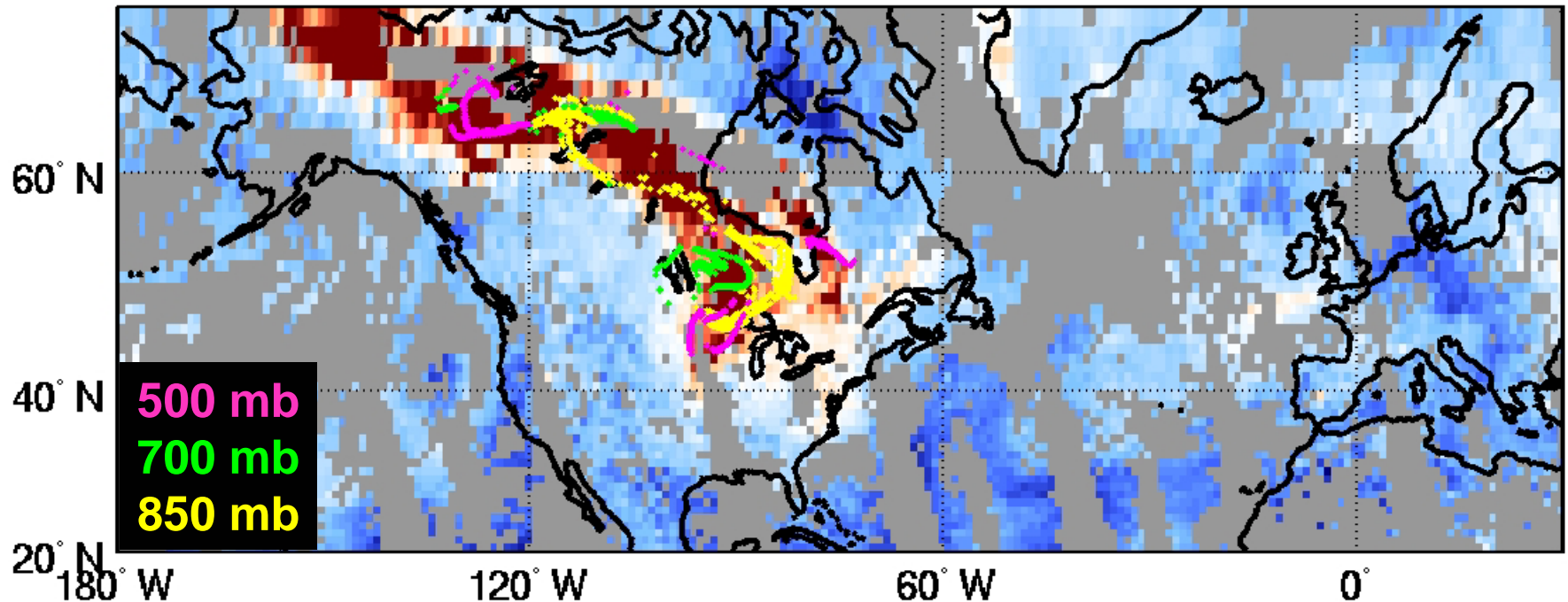
# AIRS CO and Trajectories

Local PM AIRS CO at 500 mb on 20040716



# AIRS CO and Trajectories

Local PM AIRS CO at 500 mb on 20040717



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100

120

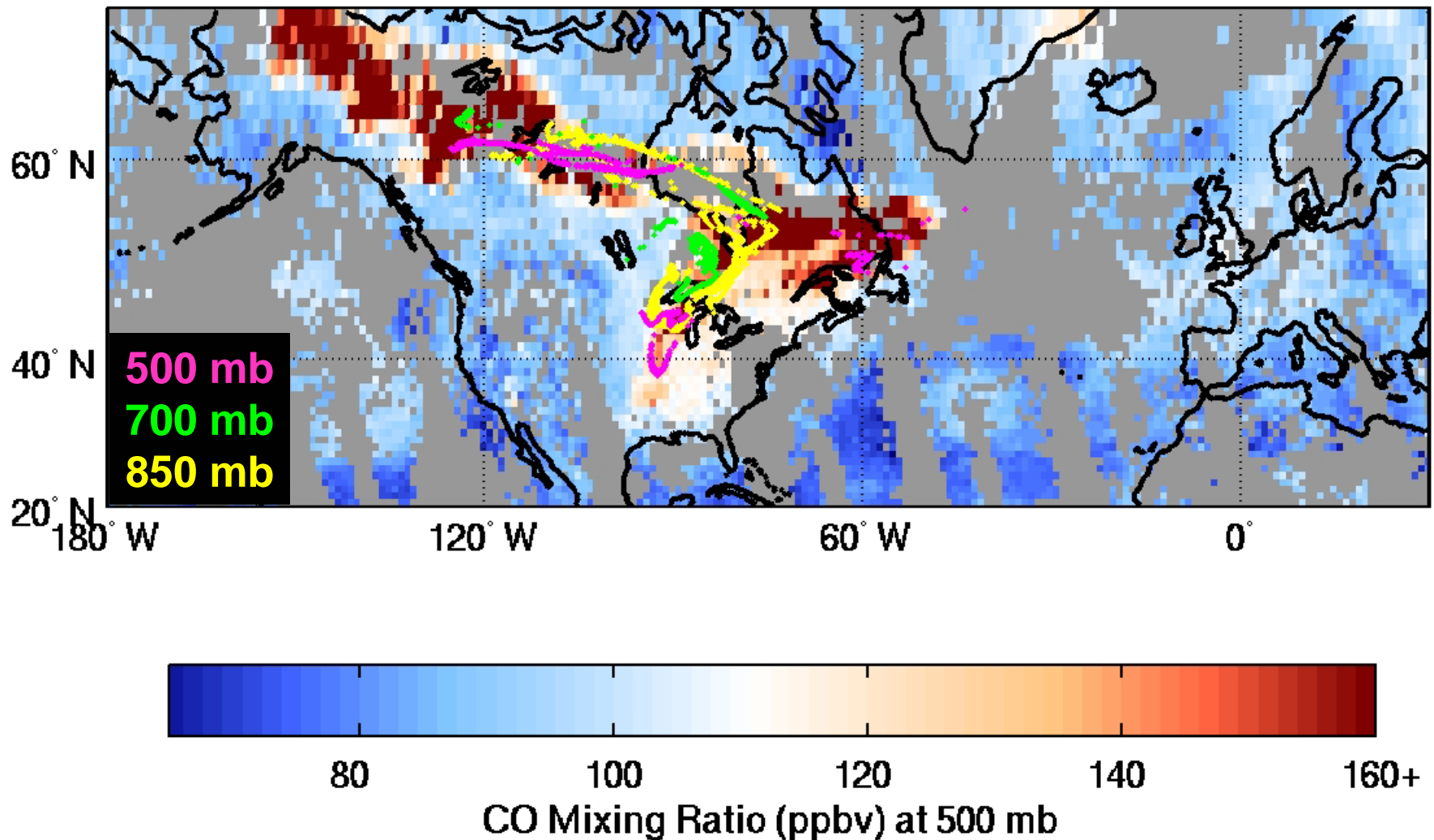
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160+

CO Mixing Ratio (ppbv) at 500 mb

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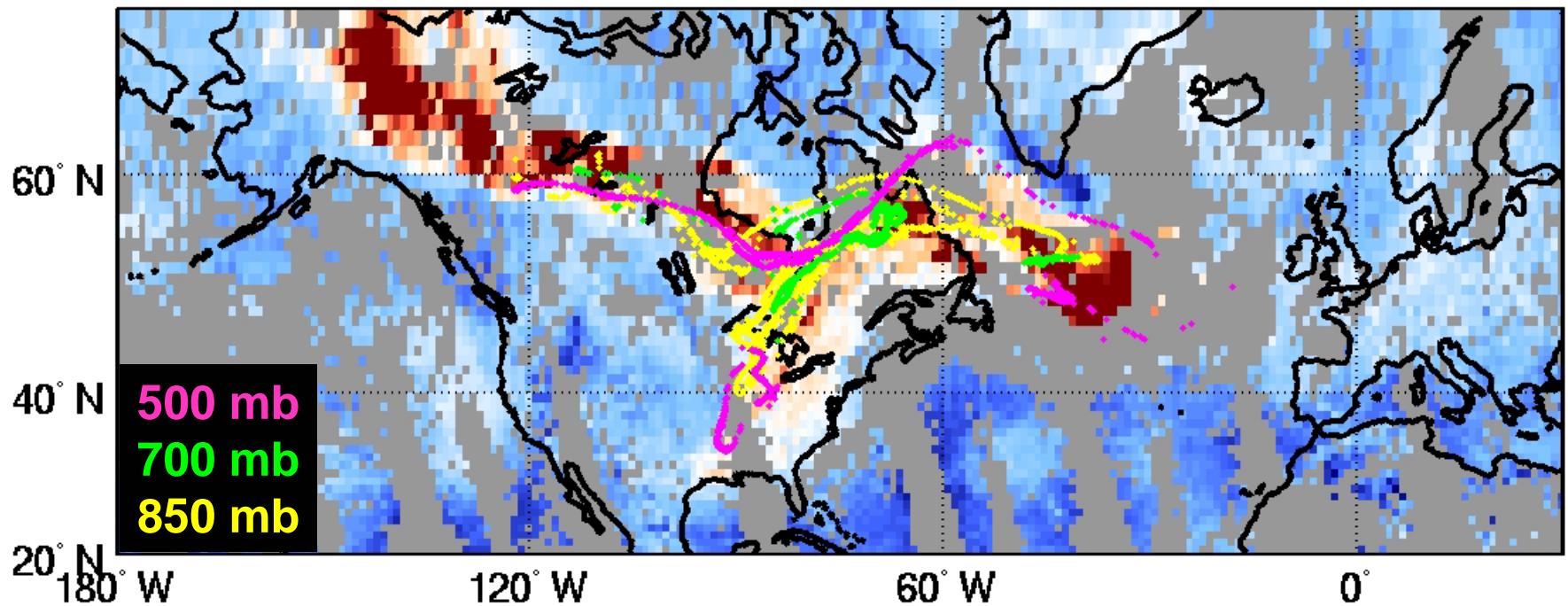
Local PM AIRS CO at 500 mb on 20040718





# AIRS CO and Trajectories

Local PM AIRS CO at 500 mb on 20040719



80

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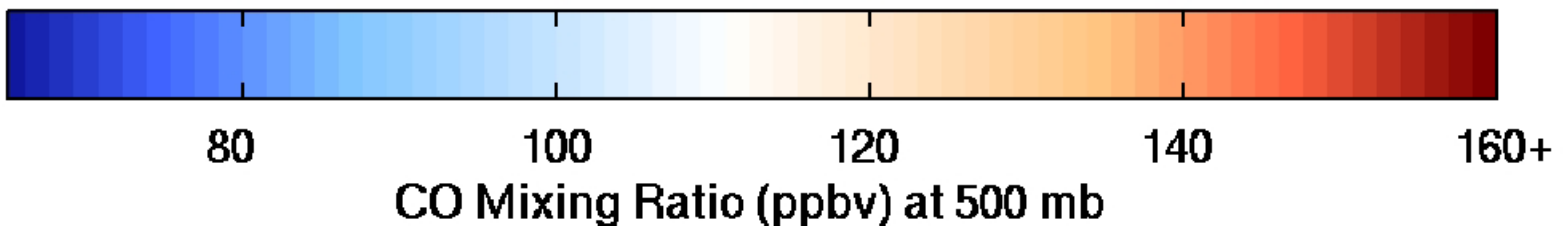
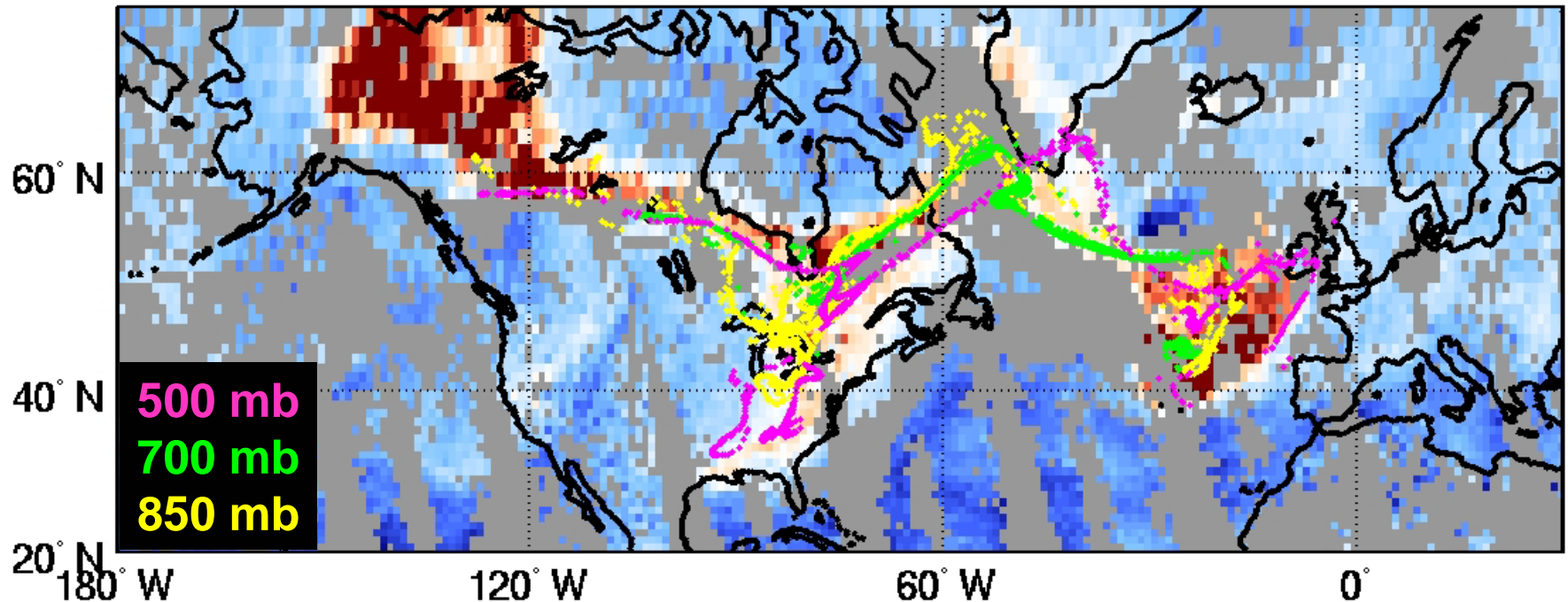
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CO Mixing Ratio (ppbv) at 500 mb

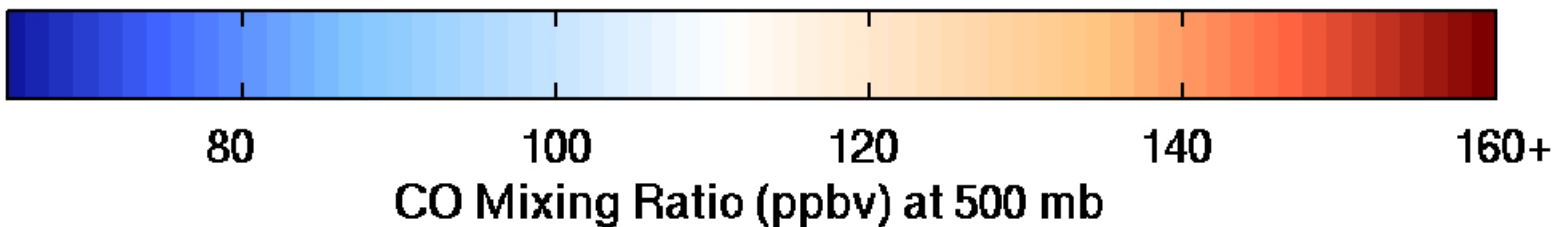
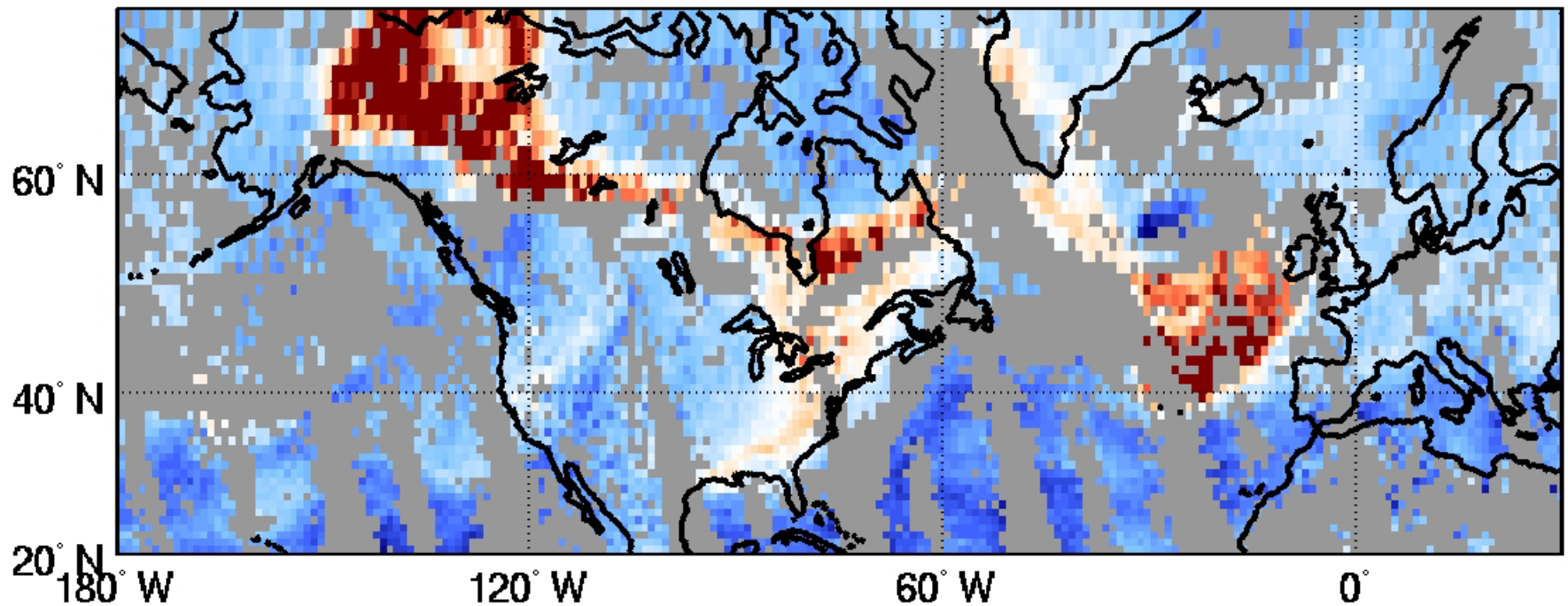
# AIRS CO and Trajectories

Local PM AIRS CO at 500 mb on 20040720



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# OUTLINE

- Reprocessed data with CO verticality available May 1
- Improved CO available by late summer
- AIRS CO – convolved DACOM  $\approx -9\%$
- AIRS CO v MODIS AOD:
  - bimodal correlation due to plume height?
- AIRS sometimes sees CO in the lower troposphere
- Papers: AIRS v MODIS, AIRS validation, AIRS v MOPITT, AIRS in models, more??