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Diurnal variation of ClO observed with SMILES

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A new generation of super-sensitive submillimeter-wave receivers, employing SIS (Superconductor-Insulator- Superconductor) technology, will provide new opportunities for precise remote sensing observation of minor constituents in the atmosphere. SMILES had been launched at 11/09/2009, and installed on the Japanese Experiment Module (JEM) in the International Space Station (ISS). SMILES is a collaboration project between NICT and JAXA.

SMILES has observed the diurnal observation of CIO, HOCl, HO2, and HCl from October 12, 2009 to April 21, 2010. We will present 1) the result of the evaluation of CIO data quality, including inter-comparison between other satellites measurements and error analysis, and 2) the first simultaneous observations of CIO, HOCl, HO2, and HCl.