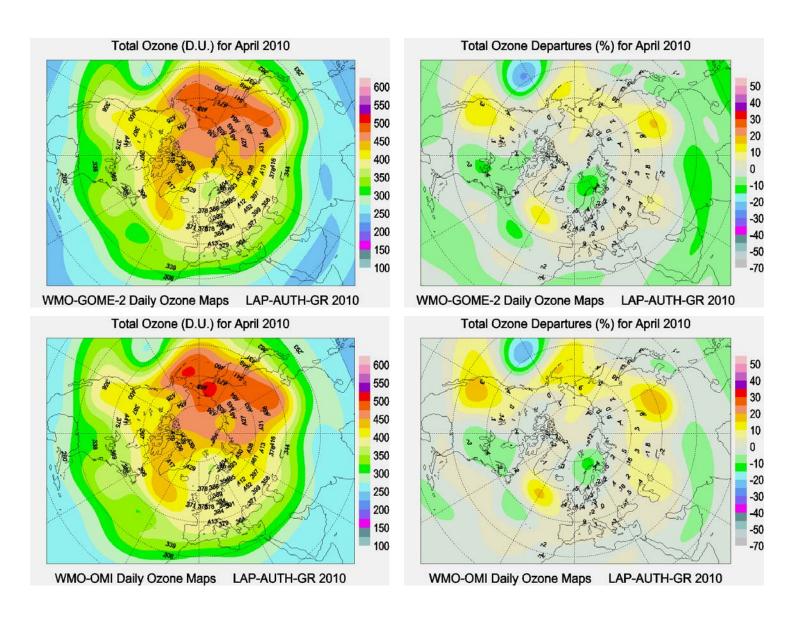
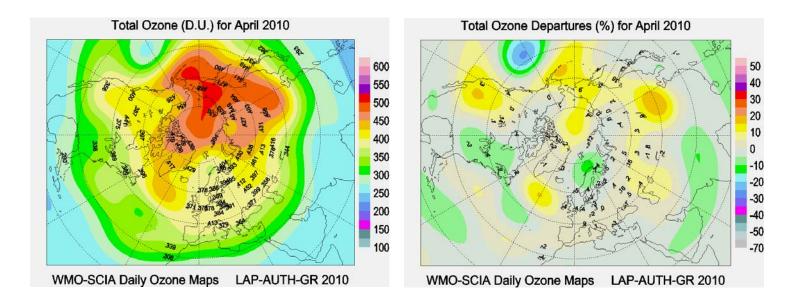
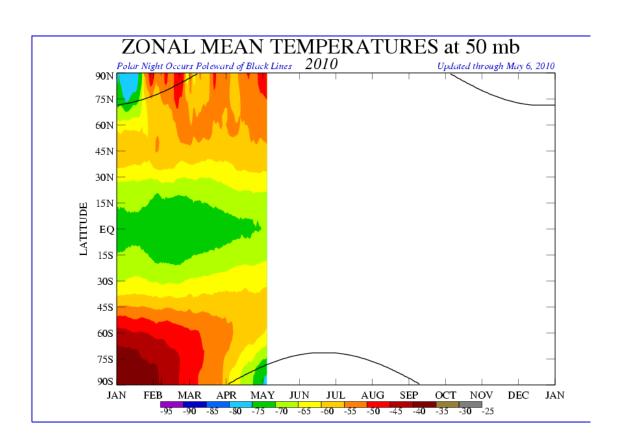
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In April there were not great ozone fluctuations over the Arctic Ocean (from -5% to 5%). The first 10 days were characterized by low ozone values (-20%) over Scandinavia and the North East Pacific Ocean and by ozone abundances of about 20% over Alaska, Bering Sea, China and Mongolia. This spatial ozone pattern preserved during the second 10day period of this month but with slightly greater ozone deviations (up to  $\pm 25\%$ ). During the last 10 days, ozone deficiency of around 20% was detected over Canada and ozone abundance up to 25% was observed over the North West Pacific Ocean and China.







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