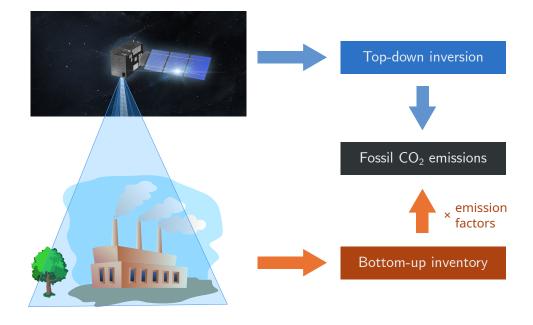
Monitoring anthropogenic carbon dioxide emissions from space

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Space observations can support efforts to reduce fossil CO₂ emissions



New satellites will provide an unprecedented coverage of atmospheric $\ensuremath{\text{CO}}_2$

Requirements for XCO ₂	GOSAT2 (Japan)	OCO-2 (USA)	TanSat (China)	CO₂M (EU)
Random Error and	≤0.5 ppm (CO ₂)	≤0.5 ppm	≤1-4 ppm	≤0.5-0.7 ppm
systematic biases	≤5ppb (CH₄)			
Spatial resolution	0			
	74km²	2.3x1.3km ²	2x2km²	2x2km²
Swath width	5-point sampling on 1000km track	10km	10km	240 km
Revisit	3 days	16 days	16 days	2-3 days with 3 satellites
Orbit equator crossing	13:00 (ascending)	13:36 (ascending)	13:39 (ascending)	11:30 (descending)

From Janssens-Maenhout et al. (2020) BAMS

