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		group. Structure 2.3.2. File provision unit	Structure: Updated format. Table 2-14 L2 Processing Result (NO2) File Provision Unit: Updated file size.
		2.3.4. File format details	Table 2-12 Level 2 Processing Result (NO2) File Format Details: Added a note that the namespace is not specified. Updated parameter names and descriptions.
		2.4.2. File provision unit	Table 2-16 Level 2 Plot Image (NO2) File Provision Unit: Updated file size.
		2.4.4. File format details	Added information about the plot image file format.

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1. Introduction

1.1. Purpose of this document

This document defines the format of the GOSAT-GW TANSO-3 Level 2 (NO2) product ("L2 (NO2) Product"), which is a product of the Greenhouse gases and Water cycle Observation SATellite ("GOSAT-GW") created by the National Institute for Environmental Studies ("NIES").

1.2 Product and version

The product and its product versions described in this document are shown in Table 1-1.

Table 1-1 Managed Products

Product	Product Version
GOSAT-GW TANSO-3 Wide Mode L2 NO2 Product	(TBD)
GOSAT-GW TANSO-3 Focus Mode L2 NO2 Product	(TBD)
GOSAT-GW TANSO-3 Focus Mode L2 NO2 Product Quick Delivery	(TBD)

1.3. Correspondence between L1 and L2 (NO2) Products

The correspondence of creation units between L1 and L2 (NO2) Products is shown in Table 1-2.

Table 1-2 Correspondence of Creation Units between L1 and L2 (NO2) Products

Observation mode	L1 Product	L2 (NO2) Product
Wide Mode	Path unit	Daily (UTC)
Focus Mode (1km, 2km, 3km)	Scene unit	Scene unit

^{*} Scene: Observation identified by observation request ID

^{*} Path: Observation from one ascending node to the next

2. Product format

2.1. File name list

2.1.1. TANSO-3 L2 (NO2) Product

• File naming convention:

TANSO3 YYYYMMDD Xxxyyznnnn_02NO2P_VMMNNRRmooo.h5

The convention for each item is described below.

- TANSO3: Sensor name (Fixed)
- YYYYMMDD: Observation date (Year, Month, Day) (UTC)
- X: Observation request source
 - J: JAXA
 - N: NIES
 - I: Satellite control system (Wide Mode observation)
 - M: TANSO-3 mission operation system (Unplanned)
- xxyyz: Operation mode
 - xx: Observation/Calibration mode type
 - O1: Normal observation (Output bands: Band1, Band 2, Band 3)
 - O3: Normal observation (Output band: Band1)
 - O6: Normal observation (Output bands: Band1, Band 2)
 - O7: Normal observation (Output bands: Band1, Band3)
 - yy: Imaging mode/Resolution
 - WD: Wide Mode
 - F1: Focus Mode 1km
 - F2: Focus Mode 2km
 - F3: Focus Mode 3km
 - z: Wavelength binning state (1 to c)
- nnnn: Observation request number (0001 to 9999).

A serial number starting from 000 within observations with the same observation date, request source, and operation mode.

For observation request sources J and N, it increments for each observation ID.

For request source s (wide-area observation), it increments for each orbit.

- 02NO2: Processing level (02) + Product identifier (NO2)
- P: Product type
 - Q: Quick-delivery version
- * Indicates Quick-delivery version.
- M: Standard (Monthly) version
- * Indicates Standard version.
- V: Processing identifier

V: Standard processing

R: Reprocessing * Indicates Reprocessing.
U: Unplanned processing * Indicates Unplanned.
T: Test processing * Indicates Test.

- MMNNRR: Product version (Major, Minor, Revision)
- mooo: Input dataset version (Imaging mode + Product type, Version)
 - M: The following number representing the combination of imaging mode type and product type is entered.
 - 0-1: Wide Mode Standard version
 - 2-3: Unassigned
 - * Unassigned to align the format with the L2 (GHG) Product.

 Also, this value is used when creating an "Wide Mode Quick-delivery version" as an internal product.
 - 4-6: Focus Mode Standard version
 - 7-9: Focus Mode Quick-delivery version

ooo: Version number
• Extension: h5 (Fixed)

2.1.2. Level 2 Processing Result (NO2)

• File naming convention:

TANSO3 YYYYMMDD Xxxyyznnnn 02NO2P VMMNNRRmooo.xml

The convention for each item is the same as in '2.1.1 TANSO-3 L2 (NO2) Product'. However, the following are different.

• Extension: xml (Fixed)

2.1.3. Level 2 Plot Image (NO2)

• File naming convention:

 $TANSO3_YYYYMMDD_Xxxyyznnnn_02NO2P_VMMNNRRmooo_AA.A.png$

The convention for each item is the same as in '2.1.1 TANSO-3 L2 (NO2) Product'. However, the following are different.

- AA.A: The percentage of pixels with a "Good" retrieval result, rounded down to one decimal place. The criteria for a "Good" retrieval result is TBD (expected to be decided around the start of operations), but screening is planned to be performed using L2 Product 'RetrievalResults_NO2/pixelQualityValue'.
- Extension: png (Fixed)

2.2. TANSO-3 L2 (NO2) Product

2.2.1. Outline

This data includes the total NO2 slant column, total NO2 vertical column, etc., calculated by the higher-level processing software (L2, NO2). The product is created for each of the five processes (standard processing (Quick-delivery version), standard processing (Standard version), reprocessing, test processing, and unplanned processing). For details on the data included in the L2 (NO2) Product, see Section 2.2.4.

2.2.2. File provision unit

The TANSO-3 L2 (NO2) Product is a standard product. Products that meet the conditions specified by the user (observation period, observation range, etc.) are provided via G3DPS in HDF5 format (.h5) files.

The following file provision units are used for each mode of the Standard and Quick-delivery versions.

Table 2-1 L2 (NO2) Product File Provision Unit

Туре	Provision unit	Data size (MB/File)	Storage unit
Standard Wide Mode	One day	1500	The L2 (NO2) Product is created for one day of data where the observation end time falls between UT 00:00:00 and 23:59:59 (fractional seconds truncated). The number of files corresponds to the number of days in that month. * Immediately after the start of operations, the number of files will be the number of days of standard observation.
Standard Focus Mode (1km /2km/3km)	Scene	10/5/3	One L2 (NO2) Product is created for each L1 product provided in scene units. The number of files corresponds to the number of scenes observed (Focus Mode) in that month.
Quick-delivery Focus Mode (1km/2km/3km)	Scene	10 / 5 / 3	One L2 (NO2) Product is created for each L1 product provided in scene units. The number of files corresponds to the number of scenes in the Focus Mode for that observation.

^{*} Data size is the maximum value without file splitting or compression.

^{*} The file provision unit for reprocessing is the same as for the Standard version.

^{*} Files for test processing and unplanned processing are omitted as they are not subject to provision.

2.2.3. Version definition

The version definition for the TANSO-3 L2 (NO2) Product is stored in the file name for both the product version and the input dataset version. It is also stored within the L2 (NO2) Product and Level 2 Processing Result (NO2) files as part of the metadata.

- MMNNRR: Product version (Major, Minor, Revision)
- mooo: Input dataset version (Imaging mode + Product type, Version)
 - m: The following number representing the combination of imaging mode type and product type is entered.
 - 0-1: Wide Mode Standard version
 - 2-3: Unassigned X Unassigned to align the format with the L2 (GHG) Product.
 - 4-6: Focus Mode Standard version
 - 7-9: Focus Mode Quick-delivery version
- 000: Version number

2.2.4. File format details

The details of the file format will be determined after the detailed design phase.

2.2.4.1. Product data group structure

The data group structure of the product is shown in Table 2-2.

Also, the L2 (NO2) Product created in standard processing (Standard version, Wide Mode) receives multiple L1 products as input and contains information such as multiple observation request IDs. The data group containing data such as the observation request ID of the L2 Product has a data structure that is multiplexed by (observation request ID) X (number of path numbers) of the input L1 product.

Table 2-2 TANSO-3 L2 (NO2) Product Data Group Structure

No.	Group	Outline
1	GlobalAttribute	Metadata based on the Climate and Forecast Convention (CF Convention) 1.7 and ADD (Attribute Conventions for Data Discovery) 1.3 is set as a global attribute. The following data is stored. Product name Organization name/Project name/Contact email Product ID Observation range
2	Metadata	Stores a description of the product type, contents, etc. The following data is stored. Granule ID Satellite name/Sensor name Processing level Gas type Operation mode Processing algorithm version Product Version Number of bands Geodetic datum
3	L1bproductfileInfo	Stores mainly the following as information related to the observation. Number of files for TANSO-3 L1B product Observation start/end date/time of TANSO-3 L1B product

		· Observation request ID corresponding to TANSO-3 L1B product
		· Granule ID of TANSO-3 L1B product
4	SoundingInfo	Stores mainly the following as information related to the observation.
		· Number of observation IDs
		· Observation ID
		· Observation start/end time of the observation ID in the observation plan
		· Number of frames for each observation ID
5	FrameInfo	Stores mainly the following as information related to the observation.
		· Number of frames
		· Frame ID
		· Field-of-view direction AT/CT angle
		· Observation ID for each frame
		· Observation time for each frame
6	PixelInfo	Stores mainly the following as information related to the observation.
		· Number of spatial divisions
		· Spatial division ID
		· Latitude/Longitude/Altitude of division center
		· Land/Water flag
		· Solar zenith/azimuth angle, satellite zenith/azimuth angle
7	RetrievalResult_NO	Stores the following mainly as information related to retrieval results.
	2	Derived value of NO2 column amount (total, tropospheric)
		Derived value of AMF
		Aerosol/cloud optical thickness and altitude, aerosol type
8	Dimension	Stores a one-dimensional array dataset of the same size as each dimension of each dataset and also stores a scalar value of the number of array elements. The dataset is stored directly under the root group.

2.2.4.2. Dimension scale

The details of the dimension scale in the product format are shown in Table 2-3.

Table 2-3 Dimension Scale Details

No.	Dimension Name	Name	Number of arrays	Description
1	AOCEStatus	AOCE status	Number of stored AOCE status data	Stored in chronological order.
2	AttitudeData	Attitude data	Number of stored onboard attitude value data	Stored in chronological order.
3	AttitudeRPY	Roll, Pitch, Yaw	3 (Fixed)	Attitude angles are stored in the order of roll (X-axis rotation), pitch (Y-axis rotation), and yaw (Z-axis rotation).
4	Band	Number of bands	3 (Fixed)	Band1, Band2, Band3 are stored in order.
5	CoordinatesXYZ	XYZ vector	3 (Fixed)	A vector in a Cartesian coordinate system is stored in the order of (X,Y,Z) components.
6	Dark1PixelB1	Band1 spatial direction sample count (dark1)	Band1 spatial direction sample count	Stored in order of spatial direction division index.
7	Dark1PixelB2	Band2 spatial direction sample count (dark1)	Band2 spatial direction sample count	Stored in order of spatial direction division index.
8	Dark1PixelB3	Band3 spatial direction sample count (dark1)	Band3 spatial direction sample count	Stored in order of spatial direction division index.
9	Dark2PixelB1	Band1 spatial direction sample count (dark2)	Band1 spatial direction sample count	Stored in order of spatial direction division index.
10	Dark2PixelB2	Band2 spatial direction sample count (dark2)	Band2 spatial direction sample count	Stored in order of spatial direction division index.
11	Dark2PixelB3	Band 3 spatial direction sample count (dark2)	Band 3 spatial direction sample count	Stored in order of spatial direction division index.
12	DeterminedOrbitData	Number of definitive orbit data	Number of stored definitive orbit data	Stored in order of spatial direction division index.
13	Frame	Number of frames	Number of frames	Stored in chronological order.

14	LunarOrbitData	Number of ephemeris (moon) data	Number of stored ephemeris (moon) data	Stored in chronological order.
15	OnboardOrbitData	Onboard orbit data	Number of stored onboard orbit value data	Stored in chronological order.
16	PointingData	Pointing data	Number of stored pointing information data	Stored in chronological order.
17	PredictedOrbitData	Number of predicted orbit data	Number of stored predicted orbit data	Stored in chronological order.
18	Quaternion	4 (Fixed)	Quaternions are stored in the order of $(q0,q1,q2,q3)$.	q0 is the scalar component, q1, q2, and q3 are i, j, and k respectively.
19	SiderealTimeDataInfo	Number of sidereal time data	Number of stored Greenwich sidereal time data	Stored in chronological order.
20	SolarOrbitData	Number of ephemeris (sun) data	Number of stored ephemeris (sun) data	Stored in chronological order.
21	Sounding	Number of observations	Number of observation IDs	Stored in chronological order.
22	SpacecraftTimeErrorInf o	Time error data	Stored time error	Stored in chronological order.
23	SpatialPixel	Band common spatial direction sample count	Band common spatial direction sample count	Stored in order of spatial direction division index.
24	SpatialPixelB1	Band1 spatial direction sample count	Band1 spatial direction sample count	Stored in order of spatial direction division index.
25	SpatialPixelB2	Band2 spatial direction sample count	Band2 spatial direction sample count	Stored in order of spatial direction division index.
26	SpatialPixelB3	Band 3 spatial direction sample count	Band 3 spatial direction sample count	Stored in order of spatial direction division index.
27	TransCoordMatrix	Coordinate transformation matrix	9 (Fixed)	3x3 matrix is stored in the following order. (0,1,2) (3, 4, 5) (6, 7, 8)
28	TransCoordMatrixInfo	Number of coordinate transformation matrices	Number of stored coordinate transformation matrices	Stored in chronological order.
29	WavelengthPixelB1	Band1 wavelength direction sample count	Band1 wavelength direction sample count	Stored in order of wavelength direction division index.

30	WavelengthPixelB2	Band2 wavelength direction sample count	Band2 wavelength direction sample count	Stored in order of wavelength direction division index.
31	WavelengthPixelB3	Band3 wavelength direction sample count	Band3 wavelength direction sample count	Stored in order of wavelength direction division index.
32	MinMax	Minimum/maximum value	2 (Fixed)	Stored in the order of min,max.
33	WavelengthTemperatur eCorrection TemperatureNum	Number of temperatures used for wavelength temperature correction	10 (Fixed)	The following temperatures are stored in order. 0: TBD 5: TBD 1: TBD 6: TBD 2: TBD 7: TBD 3: TBD 8: TBD 4: TBD 9: TBD
34	WavelengthTemperatur eCorrection PolynominalFunctionOr der	Polynomial degree of temperature for wavelength temperature correction	4 (Fixed)	Coefficients from 0th to 3rd order are stored in order.
35	NCorner	Four corners of the division	4 (Fixed)	Stored in clockwise order.
36	AD3_IP_TEMP	Number of AD3_IP_TEMP data	Number of AD3_IP_TEMP data	Stored in chronological order.
37	AD3_AMP_TEMP	Number of AD3_AMP_TEMP data	Number of AD3_AMP_TEMP data	Stored in chronological order.
38	B1_DET_TEMP_A	B1_DET_TEMP_A data No.	Number of B1_DET_TEMP_A data	Stored in chronological order.
39	PCA_DET1_TEMP_B	Number of PCA_DET1_TEMP_B data	Number of PCA_DET1_TEMP_B data	Stored in chronological order.
40	B2_DET_TEMP_A	B2_DET_TEMP_A data No.	Number of B2_DET_TEMP_A data	Stored in chronological order.
41	B2_DET_TEMP_B	B2_DET_TEMP_B data No.	Number of B2_DET_TEMP_B data	Stored in chronological order.
42	B3_DET_TEMP_A	B3_DET_TEMP_A data No.	Number of B3_DET_TEMP_A data	Stored in chronological order.
43	B3_DET_TEMP_B	B3_DET_TEMP_B data No.	Number of B3_DET_TEMP_B data	Stored in chronological order.
44	OC_IF	Number of A system/B system judgment flag data	Number of A system/B system judgment flag data	Stored in chronological order.

^{*} Quoted from 'GOSAT-GW/TANSO-3 Level 1 Product Format Descriptions (Draft 9), 4. Format Details, Table 4-25 Level 1 Product Dimension Details'.

2.2.4.3. Data type definition

The definitions of the stored data types in the product format are shown in Table 2-4.

Table 2-4 Definition of Stored Data Types

HDF5 type	Definition
H5T_STRING	String with a length of 1 byte or more
H5T_STD_I8LE	Signed 1-byte integer (-128 to 127)
H5T_STD_U8LE	Unsigned 1-byte integer (0 to 255)
H5T_STD_I16LE	Signed 2-byte integer (-32768 to 32767)
H5T_STD_U16LE	Unsigned 2-byte integer (0 to 65535)
H5T_STD_I32LE	Signed 4-byte integer (-2147483648 to 2147483647)
H5T_STD_U32LE	Unsigned 4-byte integer (0 to 4294967295)
H5T_IEEE_F32LE	4-byte floating-point number (Significant digits: 7 decimal digits. Maximum absolute value: 3.402823e+38, minimum absolute value greater than 0: 1.175494e-38)
H5T_IEEE_F64LE	8-byte floating-point number (Significant digits: 15 decimal digits. Maximum absolute value: 1.797693e+308, minimum absolute value greater than 0: 2.225074e-308)

^{*} Quoted from 'GOSAT-GW/TANSO-3 Level 1 Product Format Descriptions (Draft 9), 2.5.5.1. Definition of Stored Data Types'.

2.2.4.4. Product format details

The file format details for each data group of the L2 (NO2) Product are shown in Tables 2-5 to 2-13. The Data Type in the tables is defined the same as for the L1 product. (For Data Type, see '2.2.4.3 Data type definition'.)

(1) GlobalAttribute

Table 2-5 L2 (NO2) Product Format Details (GlobalAttribute)

No.	Attribute Name	Data Type	Name	Explanation
1	Conventions	H5T_STRING	Convention	CF Convention, ACDD version " CF-1.7, ACDD-1.3" (Fixed)
2	title	H5T_STRING	Product name	Stores the product name with the following value. "GOSAT-GW/TANSO-3 L2(NO2)" (Fixed)
3	institution	H5T_STRING	Organization name	Sets the name of the organization that created the product. "National Institute for Environmental Studies (NIES)" (Fixed)
4	project	H5T_STRING	Project name	Describes the name of the project that created the product. "NIES GOSAT-GW Project" (Fixed)
5	summary	H5T_STRING	Summary	Describes the summary of the file.
6	license	H5T_STRING	Data rights	Stores the data rights, terms of use, or the URL of the Website where they are posted.
7	creator_name	H5T_STRING	Product creation organization	Describes the name of the entity that created the product.
				"National Institute for Environmental Studies (NIES)" (Fixed)
8	creator_type	H5T_STRING	Organization type	Stores the type of the entity that created the product. "institution" (Fixed)
9	creator_email	H5T_STRING	Creation organization contact email	Stores the contact email of the entity that created the product.
10	creator_url	H5T_STRING	Creation organization Website	Stores the URL of the Website where information about the entity that created the product can be accessed.
11	keywords	H5T_STRING	Keywords	Stores keywords representing the file content, separated by commas.
12	standard_names_vocabulary	H5T_STRING	vocabulary citing standard_name	Stores the name and version of the vocabulary citing standard_name. "CF Standard Name Table (v49, 12 February 2018)" (Fixed)
13	id	H5T_STRING	Product id	Stores the granule ID

14	naming_authority	H5T_STRING	Organization name	Stores the name of the organization providing the product in a format with the DNS name reversed.					
15	source	H5T_STRING	Data generation method	Stores the version of the algorithm theoretical basis document as the method used to generate the data.					
16	processing_level	H5T_STRING	Processing level	Stores the processing level in the following format. "Level2" (Fixed)					
17	comment	H5T_STRING	Comment	Stores comments not included in other attributes.					
18	date_created H5T_STRING Creation date/time		Creation date/time	Stores the file creation date/time (UTC) in the format "YYYY-MM-DDT hh:mm:ssZ". YYYY: Year MM: 01 to 12 (Month) DD: 01 to 31 (Day) T: "T" (Fixed) hh: 00 to 23 (Hour) mm: 00 to 59 (Minute) ss: 00 to 60 (Second) Z: "Z" (Fixed)					
19	time_coverage_start	me_coverage_start H5T_STRING Observation start date/time		Stores the observation date and time of the start of the data in the format "YYYY-MM-DDThh:mm:ss.uuuZ". YYYY: Year MM: 01 to 12 (Month) DD: 01 to 31 (Day) T: "T" (Fixed) hh: 00 to 23 (Hour) mm: 00 to 59 (Minute) ss: 00 to 60 (Second) uuu: 000 to 999 (millisecond) Z: "Z" (Fixed)					
20	time_coverage_end	H5T_STRING	Observation end date/time	Stores the observation date and time of the end of the data in the format "YYYY-MM-DDThh:mm:ss.uuuZ". YYYY: Year MM: 01 to 12 (Month)					

				-
				DD: 01 to 31 (Day)
				T: "T" (Fixed)
				hh: 00 to 23 (Hour)
				mm: 00 to 59 (Minute)
				ss: 00 to 60 (Second)
				uuu: 000 to 999 (millisecond)
				Z: "Z" (Fixed)
21	geospatial_lat_min	H5T_IEEE_F3 2LE	Northernmost latitude of observation range	Stores the latitude of the northernmost pixel center in the range of -90.0 to 90.0.
22	geospatial_lat_max	H5T_IEEE_F3 2LE	Southernmost latitude of observation range	Stores the latitude of the southernmost pixel center in the range of -90.0 to 90.0.
23	geospatial_lon_min	H5T_IEEE_F3 2LE	Westernmost longitude of observation range	Stores the longitude of the westernmost pixel center in the range of -180.0 to 180.0.
24	geospatial_lon_max	H5T_IEEE_F3 2LE	Easternmost longitude of observation range	Stores the longitude of the easternmost pixel center in the range of -180.0 to 180.0.
25	geospatial_vertical_min	H5T_IEEE_F3 2LE	Minimum altitude of observation range	Stores the minimum altitude of the data in the range of 0 to 6000.
26	geospatial_vertical_max	H5T_IEEE_F3 2LE	Maximum altitude of observation range	Stores the maximum altitude of the data in the range of 0 to 6000.
27	geospatial_vertical_positive	H5T_STRING	Vertical direction value interpretation, Altitude/Depth identification	Stores the identification for altitude/depth. "up" (Fixed)
28	language	H5T_STRING	Language	Stores the language used. "en" (Fixed)
29	topicCategory	H5T_STRING	Category code	Stores the optimal discipline code from the ISO 19115 topic category code table (see Section 8.8), separated by commas. "004,007" (Climatology, Oceans: Fixed)
30	role	H5T_STRING	Role code	Stores the ISO 19115 role code. "003" (Owner of information: Fixed)
31	history	H5T_STRING	File revision history	Stores the file revision history with one record per line for each modification.

32	characterSet	H5T_STRING	Character code	Stores the corresponding code from the ISO-19115 character code table.				
				"004" (UTF-8: Fixed)				
33	acknowledgement	H5T_STRING	Project supplementary information	Stores supplementary information about the project.				
34	publisher_name	H5T_STRING	Name of responsible person	Stores the name of the person responsible for data publication.				
35	publisher_email	ublisher_email H5T_STRING Responsible pe		Stores the contact email address of the person responsible for data publication.				
36	publisher_url	H5T_STRING	Responsible person Website URL	Stores the URL of the Website of the person responsible for data publication.				

(2) Metadata

Table 2-6 L2 (NO2) Product Format Details (Metadata)

No.	Group Path/Dataset Name	Data Type	Dimen	sion	Name	Explanation	Attribute
			Rank	Shape			description
0	/Metadata	-	-	-			-
1	granuleID	H5T_STRING	1	(1,)	Granule ID	Stores the ID that uniquely identifies the observation	long_name:File identifier of the product (granule ID)
2	satelliteName	H5T_STRING	1	(1,)	Satellite name Stores the satellite name. "GOSAT-GW" (Fixed)		long_name:Satellite name
3	sensorName	H5T_STRING	1	(1,)	Sensor name Stores the sensor name. "TANSO-3" (Fixed)		long_name:Senso r name
4	processingLevel	H5T_STRING	1	(1,)	Processing level	Processing level "Level2" (Fixed)	long_name: Processing level
5	gasType	H5T_STRING	1	(1,)	Gas type	Gas type "NO2" (Fixed)	ong_name: Retrieved gas
6	operationMode	H5T_STRING	1	(1,)	Operation mode	Stores the operation mode in the following format "xxyyz" xx: Observation/Calibration mode yy: Imaging mode/Resolution Z: WAVELENGTH BINNING STATE	long_name: Operation mode of TANSO-3
7	processingClassification	H5T_STRING	1	(1,)	Processing category	Stores the processing category with the following value. V: Standard processing, Reprocessing T: Test processing	long_name: Processing classification

8	productionDateTime	H5T_STRING	1	(1,)	Product creation date/time (UTC)	Stores the product creation date/time (UTC) in the following format. "YYYY-MM-DD T hh:mm:ssZ" YYYY: Year MM: 01 to 12 (Month) DD: 01 to 31 (Day) T: "T" (Fixed) hh: 00 to 23 (Hour) mm: 00 to 59 (Minute)	long_name: Date and time product created
						ss: 00 to 60 (Second) Z: "Z" (Fixed)	
9	algorithmVersion	H5T_STRING	1	(1,)	Processing algorithm version	Stores the algorithm development version.	long_name:Algorith m version
10	productVersion	H5T_STRING	1	(1,)	Product Version	Stores the product version (characters 40-45 of the file name).	long_name:Poduct version
11	inputDataVersion	H5T_STRING	1	(1,)	Input dataset version	Stores the input dataset version. (characters 46-49 of the file name)	long_name: Input data version
12	band	H5T_STRING	1	(1,)	Number of bands	Number of bands "3" (Fixed)	long_name: The number of TANSO-3 bands
13	geodeticDatum	H5T_STRING	1	(1,)	Geodetic datum	Ellipsoid model/reference coordinate system "WGS84/WGS84" (Fixed)	long_name: Geodetic datum

(3) L1bproductfileInfo

Table 2-7 L2 (NO2) Product Format Details (LlbproductfileInfo)

No.	Group Path/Dataset Name	Data Type	Dimens	sion	Name	Explanation	Attribute	
			Rank	Shape			description	Units
0	/L1bproductfileInfo	-	-	-			-	
1	pathNo	H5T_STRING	2	(1, numL1bfile)	Path number of the first frame included in the L1B file	Path number (0 to 44)	long_name: Path number included in L2 product	
2	observationStartDateTi me	H5T_STRING	2	(1, numL1bfile)	Observation start time	Stores the observation date and time of the start frame of the L1B product used for creation in the format "YYYY-MM-DD Thh:mm:ss.uuuZ". YYYY: Year MM: 01 to 12 (Month) DD: 01 to 31 (Day) T: "T" (Fixed) hh: 00 to 23 (Hour) mm: 00 to 59 (Minute) ss: 00 to 60 (Second) uuu: 000 to 999 (millisecond) Z: "Z" (Fixed)	long_name: Observation start date and time for each path	

3	observationEndDateTi me	H5T_STRING	2	(1, numL1bfile)	Observation end time	Stores the observation date and time of the end frame of the L1B product used for creation in the format "YYYY-MM-DD Thh:mm:ss.uuuZ". YYYY: Year MM: 01 to 12 (Month) MM: 01 to 31 (Day) T: "T" (Fixed) hh: 00 to 23 (Hour) mm: 00 to 59 (Minute) ss: 00 to 60 (Second) uuu: 000 to 999 (millisecond)Z: "Z" (Fixed)	long_name: Observation end date and time for each path	UTC
4	observationRequestID	H5T_STRING	2	(1, numL1bfile)	Observation request ID	Observation request ID	long_name: Observation request ID	-
5	level1bGranuleID	H5T_STRING	2	(1, numL1bfile)	L1B product file granule ID	Granule ID of the L1B product used for creation.	long_name: Granule ID of L1B product	-

(4) Soundinginfo

Table 2-8 L2 (NO2) Product Format Details (Soundinginfo)

No.	Group Path/Dataset	Data Type	Dimens	sion	Name	Explanation	Attribute				
	Name		Rank	Shape			description	Units	Min	Max	Invalid
0	/SoundingInfo	-		-	Scene information	Stores information for each observation ID.	1				
1	obsID	H5T_STD_ I32LE	2	(1, numSounding)	Observation ID	Stores the observation ID.	long_name:Ob servation ID	-	0	6553 5	99999
2	planStartDateTi me	H5T_STRI NG	2	(1, numSounding)	Observation start time in the observation plan	Stores the observation start time (UTC) of each observation ID in the observation plan in the following format. "YYYY-MM-DDT hh:mm:ss.ffffffZ" YYYY: Year MM: 01 to 12 (Month) DD: 01 to 31 (Day) T: "T" (Fixed) hh: 00 to 23 (Hour) mm: 00 to 59 (Minute) ss: 00 to 60 (Second) ffffff: 000000 to 999999 (Microsecond)	Planed	UTC	-	-	

3	planEndDateTim	H5T_STRI	2	(1,	Observation	Stores the observation end time	long name:	UTC	-	-	_
	e	NG		numSounding)	end time in	(UTC) of each observation ID	Planed				
					the	in the observation plan in the	observation				
					observation	following format. "YYYY-	end date and				
					plan	MM-DDT hh:mm:ss.ffffffZ"	time				
					piun	YYYY: Year	time				
						MM: 01 to 12 (Month)					
						, , , ,					
						DD: 01 to 31 (Day) T: "T" (Fixed)					
						, ,					
						hh: 00 to 23 (Hour)					
						mm: 00 to 59 (Minute)					
						ss: 00 to 60 (Second)					
						ffffff: 000000 to 999999					
						(Microsecond)					
4	obsStartDateTim e	H5T_STRI NG	2	(1, numSounding)	Actual observation start time	Stores the observation start time (UTC) of each observation ID, considering delay time and integration time, in the following format. "YYYY-MM-DDT hh:mm:ss.ffffffZ" YYYY: Year MM: 01 to 12 (Month) DD: 01 to 31 (Day) T: "T" (Fixed) hh: 00 to 23 (Hour) mm: 00 to 59 (Minute) ss: 00 to 60 (Second) ffffff: 000000 to 999999	Corrected	UTC	-	-	-
						(Microsecond)					

5	obsEndDateTim	H5T_STRI	2	(1,	Actual	Stores the observation end time	long_name:	UTC	-	-	-
	e	NG		numSounding)	observation	(UTC) of each observation ID,	Corrected				
					end time	considering delay time and	observation				
						integration time, in the	end date and				
						following format.	time				
						"YYYY-MM-DDT					
						hh:mm:ss.ffffffZ"					
						YYYY: Year					
						MM: 01 to 12 (Month)					
						DD: 01 to 31 (Day)					
						T: "T" (Fixed)					
						hh: 00 to 23 (Hour)					
						mm: 00 to 59 (Minute)					
						ss: 00 to 60 (Second)					
						ffffff: 000000 to 999999					
						(Microsecond)					
6	numObsFrame	H5T_STD_ I16LE	2	(1, numSounding)	Number of frames for each observation		long_name: Number of frames for each observation ID	-	0	9999	-999
		116LE		numSounding)	each	each observation ID.	fram	es for each	es for each	es for each	es for each

(5) FrameInfo

Table 2-9 L2 (NO2) Product Format Details (Frameinfo)

No.	Group Path/D		Dimen	sion	Name	Explanation	Attribute				
	Name	ne Type	Rank	Shape			description	Units	Min	Max	Invalid
0	FrameInfo	-		-		-	-				
1	frameID	H5T_ST RING	2	(1, numFrame)	Frame ID	Stores the frame ID. Numbered starting from 1 in chronological order of observation.	long_name: Frame ID	1	-	-	-
2	angleAT	H5T_IEE E_F32LE		(1, numFrame)	Field-of-view direction AT angle	Field-of-view direction AT angle	long_name: along-track angle	degree	-180	180	-999
3	angleCT	H5T_IEE E_F32LE		(1, numFrame)	Field-of-view direction CT angle	Field-of-view direction CT angle	long_name: cross-track angle	degree	-180	180	-999
4	yawSteeringI	Plag H5T_ST D_I8LE	2	(1, numFrame)	Yaw steering flag for each frame				0	1	-128
5	obsID	H5T_ST RING	2	(1, numFrame)	Observation ID for each frame	Stores the observation ID for each frame.	long_name:obser vation ID for each frame	-	-	-	-

6	frameTimeUTC	H5T_ST	2	(1,	Observation	Stores the common frame	long_name:Fram	UTC	-	-	-
		RING		numFrame)	time for each	observation time (UTC),	e common time				
					frame	not considering delay time	(UTC)				
					(uncorrected)	and integration time, in the					
					(UTC)	following format.					
						"YYYY-MM-DDT					
						hh:mm:ss.ffffffZ"					
						YYYY: Year					
						MM: 01 to 12 (Month)					
						DD: 01 to 31 (Day) T: "T"					
						(Fixed) hh: 00 to 23 (Hour)					
						mm: 00 to 59 (Minute)					
						ss: 00 to 60 (Second)					
						ffffff: 000000 to 999999					
						(Microsecond)					
7	frameTime	H5T_IEE E_F64LE	2	(1, numFrame)	Observation time for each frame (uncorrected)	Stores the common frame time (total seconds), not considering delay time and integration time, as total	long_name:Fram e common time (seconds)	Seconds since 2012- 12-	-	-	-
					(total seconds)	seconds with December 31, 2012 23:59:59 as 0 (sec).		31T23:5 9:59Z			
8	observationTimeU TC	H5T_ST RING	2	(1, numFrame)	Observation time for each frame (UTC)	Stores the common frame observation time (UTC), considering delay time and integration time, in the following format. "YYYY-MM-DDT hh:mm:ss.ffffffZ" YYYY: Year MM: 01 to 12 (Month)	long_name:Fram e observation time (UTC)	UTC	-	-	-
						DD: 01 to 31 (Day)					

				T: "T" (Fixed) hh: 00 to 23 (Hour) mm: 00 to 59 (Minute) ss: 00 to 60 (Second) ffffff: 000000 to 999999 (Microsecond)					
9	observationTime	H5T_IEE E_F64LE	(1, numFrame)	Stores the common frame time (total seconds), considering delay time and integration time, as total seconds with December 31, 2012 23:59:59 as 0 (sec).	e observation time (seconds)	Seconds since 2012- 12- 31T23:5 9:59Z	-	-	-

(6) Pixelinfo

Table 2-10 L2 (NO2) Product Format Details (Pixelinfo)

No.	Group Path/Dataset		Dimens	sion	Name	Explanation	Attribute				
	Name	Type	Rank Shape		description	Units	Min	Max	Invalid		
0	PixelInfo	-		-		-	-				
1	pixelID	H5T_ST RING	2	(1, numPixel)	Spatial division ID	Stores the spatial division ID.	long_name: Pixel ID pixel ID (1:28) = Observation request ID (1:18) + Division number (19:20) + Frame index (21:25) + Pixel index (26:28)	-	-	-	-
2	obsTime	H5T_ST RING	2	(1, numPixel)	Observation time	Stores the observation time of each spatial division in the format "YYYY-MM-DDT hh:mm:ss.ffffffZ". YYYY: Year MM: 01 to 12 (Month) DD: 01 to 31 (Day) T: Fixed hh: 00 to 23 (Hour) mm: 00 to 59 (Minute) ss: 00 to 60 (Second) ffffff: 000000 to 999999 (Microsecond) Z: Fixed	long_name: Observation time for each pixel	UTC	-	-	-
3	latitude	H5T_IEE E_F32LE	2	(1, numPixel)	Latitude	Stores the center latitude of the spatial division.	long_name: Geodetic latitude of observation point	degree	-90	90	-999

4	longitude	H5T_IEE E_F32LE	2	(1, numPixel)	Longitude	Stores the center longitude of the spatial division.	long_name: Geodetic longitude of observation point	degree	-180	180	-999
5	latitudePixelBoun ds	H5T_IEE E_F32LE	2	(1, numPixel)	Latitude of four corners	Stores the latitude of the four corners of the spatial division.	long_name: Geodetic latitude of observation bounds	degree	-90	90	-999
6	longitudePixelBou nds	H5T_IEE E_F32LE	2	(1, numPixel)	Longitude of four corners	Stores the longitude of the four corners of the spatial division.	long_name: Geodetic longitude of observation bounds	degree	-180	180	-999
7	height	H5T_IEE E_F32LE	2	(1, numPixel)	Altitude	Stores the average altitude within the spatial division.	long_name: Mean altitude within each pixel	m	-500	9999	-999
8	heightStandardDe viation	H5T_IEE E_F32LE	2	(1, numPixel)	Standard deviation of altitude	Stores the standard deviation of altitude within the spatial division.	long_name: Standard deviation of altitude within each pixel	M	0	9999	-999
9	landwaterFlag	H5T_ST D_I8LE	2	(1, numPixel)	Land/Water flag	Stores the land/water flag. 1: Land 0: Water	long_name: Land/water flag	1	0	1	-128
10	landFraction	H5T_IEE E_F32LE	2	(1, numPixel)	Land fraction	Stores the percentage of land area within the spatial division.	long_name: Land coverage within each pixel	%	0	100	-999
11	solarZenith	H5T_IEE E_F32LE	2	(1, numPixel)	Solar zenith angle	Stores the solar zenith angle at the observation point. $0 \le \text{solarZenith} \le 180$	long_name: Solar zenith angle at observation point	degree	0	180	-999
12	solarAzimuth	H5T_IEE E_F32LE	2	(1, numPixel)	Solar azimuth angle	Stores the solar azimuth angle at the observation point. $0 \le \text{solarAzimuth} < 360$	long_name: Solar azimuth angle at observation point	degree	0	360	-999

13	viewZenith	H5T_IEE E_F32LE		(1, numPixel)	Satellite zenith angle	Stores the satellite zenith angle at the observation point. $0 \le \text{viewZenith} \le 180$		degree	0	180	-999
14	viewAzimuth	H5T_IEE E_F32LE		(1, numPixel)	Satellite azimuth angle	Stores the satellite azimuth	long_name:	degree	0	360	-999
17	solarDistance	H5T_IEE E_F32LE	2	(1, numPixel)	Solar distance	Stores the distance between the sun and the observation point at the time of observation.	Distance from sun	AU	1	-	-999

(7) RetrievalResult_NO2 (Quick-delivery version)

Table 2-11 L2 (NO2) Product Format Details (RetrievalResult_NO2 (Quick-delivery version))

No.	*	Data	Dimen	sion	Name	Explanation	Attribute				
	Name	Type	Rank	Shape			description	Units	Min	Max	Invalid
0	/RetrievalResult_NO 2	-		-	T3L2NO2 calculation result data	-	-				
1	no2ScdTotal	H5T_IEE E_F32LE	2	(1, numPi xel)	NO2 slant column density	Stores the NO2 slant column density. In case of missing data, saturated pixels, or defective pixels, a special value is stored.	long_name: NO2 SCD data	molec. /cm2	-	-	-999
2	rootMeanSquared Error	H5T_IEE E_F32LE	2	(1, numPi xel)	RMSE data	Stores the RMSE data. In case of missing data, saturated pixels, or defective pixels, a special value is stored.	long_name: root mean square error data	molec. /cm2	-	-	-999
3	stripeAmplitude	H5T_IEE E_F32LE	2	(1, numPi xel)	De-stripe correction	Stores the de-stripe correction. In case of missing data, saturated pixels, or defective pixels, a special value is stored.	long_name: stripe correction term	molec. /cm2	-	-	-999
4	climAmfTotal	H5T_IEE E_F32LE	2	(1, numPi xel)	Total AMF calculated using climatology	Stores the total AMF calculated using climatology. In case of missing data, saturated pixels, or defective pixels, a special value is stored.	long_name: Climatological total amf	-	-	-	-999
5	climAmfTroposph ere	H5T_IEE E_F32LE	2	(1, numPi xel)	Tropospheric AMF calculated using climatology	Stores the tropospheric AMF calculated using climatology. In case of missing data, saturated pixels, or defective pixels, a special value is stored.	long_name: Climatological tropospheric amf	-	-	-	-999
6	climNo2VcdTotal	H5T_IEE E_F32LE	2	(1, numPi xel)	Total NO2 vertical column density calculated using climatology	Stores the total NO2 vertical column density calculated using climatology. In case of missing data, saturated pixels, or defective pixels, a special value is stored.	long_name: Climatological total NO2 VCD data	molec. /cm2	-	-	-999

7	climNo2VcdTropo sphere	H5T_IEE E_F32LE	2	(1, numPi xel)	Tropospheric NO2 vertical column density calculated using climatology	Stores the tropospheric NO2 vertical column density calculated using climatology. In case of missing data, saturated pixels, or defective pixels, a special value is stored.	long_name: Climatological tropospheric NO2 vcd data	molec. /cm2	-	-	-999
8	climNo2ScdStrato sphereCTM	H5T_IEE E_F32LE	2	(1, numPi xel)	NO2 slant column (stratospheric) data by climatology	Stores the NO2 slant column (stratospheric) data by climatology. In case of missing data, saturated pixels, or defective pixels, a special value is stored.	long_name: "Climatologica 1 stratospheric NO2 slant column density from CTM"	molec. /cm2	-	-	-999
9	climAerosolOptica lThickness	H5T_IEE E_F32LE	2	(1, numPi xel)	AOD calculated using climatology	Stores the aerosol optical thickness calculated using climatology. In case of missing data, saturated pixels, or defective pixels, a special value is stored.	long_name: Climatological aerosol optical thickness	-	-	-	-999
10	climAerosolType	H5T_IEE E_F32LE	2	(1, numPi xel)	Aerosol type derived using climatology	Stores the aerosol type derived using climatology. In case of missing data, saturated pixels, or defective pixels, a special value is stored.	long_name: Climatological aerosol type	-	-	-	-999
11	climNo2Profile	H5T_IEE E_F32LE	3	(1, numPi xel, numLa yer)	NO2 profile by climatology	Stores the NO2 profile by climatology. In case of missing data, saturated pixels, or In case of defective pixels, a special value is stored.	long_name: NO2 profile from climatology	ppb	-	-	-999
12	climTropopauseFl ag	H5T_ST D_I8LE	3	(1, numPi xel, numLa yer)	Tropopause flag by climatology	Stores the tropopause flag by climatology. In case of missing data, saturated pixels, or defective pixels, a special value is stored.	long_name: tropopause flag from climatology	-	0	1	-128
13	climAveragingKer nel	H5T_IEE E_F32LE	3	(1, numPi xel, numLa yer)	Averaging kernel by climatology	Stores the averaging kernel by climatology. In case of missing data, saturated pixels, or defective pixels, a special value is stored.	long_name: averaging kernel from climatology	-	-	-	-999

14	climTemperatureP rofile	H5T_IEE E_F32LE	3	(1, numPi xel, numLa yer)	Temperature by climatology	Stores the temperature by climatology. In case of missing data, saturated pixels, or defective pixels, a special value is stored.	long_name: temperature profile from climatology	K	-	-	-999
15	climPressureProfil e	H5T_IEE E_F32LE	3	(1, numPi xel, numLa yer)	Pressure by climatology	Stores the pressure by climatology. In case of missing data, saturated pixels, or defective pixels, a special value is stored.	long_name: pressure profile from climatology	hPa	-	-	-999
16	climAmfStratosph ere	H5T_IEE E_F32LE	2	(1, numPi xel)	Stratospheric AMF by climatology	Stores the stratospheric AMF by climatology. In case of missing data, saturated pixels, or defective pixels, a special value is stored.	long_name: "Climatologica l stratospheric air mass factor"	-	1	-	-999
17	climNo2ScdTropo sphere	H5T_IEE E_F32LE	2	(1, numPi xel)	Tropospheric NO2 slant column density by climatology	Stores the tropospheric NO2 slant column density by climatology. In case of missing data, saturated pixels, or defective pixels, a special value is stored.	long_name: "Climatologica l tropospheric NO2 slant column density"	molec. /cm2	-	-	-999
18	preScrIdx	H5T_ST D_I8LE	2	(1, numPi xel)	prescreening result	Stores the prescreening result. In case of missing data, saturated pixels, or defective pixels, a special value is stored.	long_name:Pre -screening index	-	0	5	-128
19	snowIceFlag	H5T_ST D_I16LE	2	(1, numPi xel)	Snow/ice flag	Stores the snow/ice flag. In case of missing data, saturated pixels, or defective pixels, a special value is stored.	long_name: Snow/ice flag	-	0	256	-999
20	climSurfaceAlbed o	H5T_IEE E_F32LE	2	(1, numPi xel)	Surface albedo by climatology	Stores the surface albedo by climatology. In case of missing data, saturated pixels, or defective pixels, a special value is stored.	long_name: Surface albedo from climatology	-	+	-	-999

21	climWindSpeed	H5T_IEE E_F32LE	(1, numPi xel)	Wind speed by climatology	Stores the wind speed by climatology. In case of missing data, saturated pixels, or defective pixels, a special value is stored.	Wind speed	-	0	256	-999
22	pixelQualityValue	H5T_IEE E_F32LE	(1, numPi xel)	Pixel data quality data	Stores the pixel data quality data. In case of missing data, saturated pixels, or defective pixels, a special value is stored.		-	0	1	-999

(8) RetrievalResult=NO2 (Standard version)

Table 2-12 L2 (NO2) Product Format Details (RetrievalResult_NO2 (Standard version))

No.	Group Path/Dataset	Data Type	Dimen	sion	Name	Explanation	Attribute				
	Name		Rank	Shape			description	Units	Min	Max	Invalid
0	/RetrievalResult_NO2	-		-	T3L2NO2 calculation result data	1	-				
1	no2VcdTroposphere	H5T_IEEE _F32LE	2	(1, numPi xel)	NO2 vertical column (tropospheric) data	Tropospheric NO2 vertical column density In case of missing data, saturated pixels, or defective pixels, a special value is stored.	long_name: tropospheric NO2 vertical column denisty	molec./ cm2	-	-	-999
2	amfToposphere	H5T_IEEE _F32LE	2	(1, numPi xel)	AMF data (tropospheric)	Tropospheric AMF data In case of missing data, saturated pixels, or defective pixels, a special value is stored.	long_name: tropospheric air mass factor	-	-	-	-999
3	no2ScdStratosphere CTM	H5T_IEEE _F32LE	2	(1, numPi xel)	NO2 slant column (stratospheric) data by CTM	Stratospheric NO2 slant column density In case of missing data, saturated pixels, or defective pixels, a special value is stored.	long_name: stratospheric NO2 slant column denisty from CTM	molec./ cm2	-	-	-999
4	amfStratosphere	H5T_IEEE _F32LE	2	(1, numPi xel)	AMF data (stratospheric)	Stratospheric AMF data In case of missing data, saturated pixels, or defective pixels, a special value is stored.	long_name: stratospheric air mass factor	-	-	-	-999

5	no2VcdTotal	H5T_IEEE	2	(1,	Total NO2	Total NO2 vertical column density	long_name:	molec./	-	-	-999
		_F32LE		numPi	vertical	data (= Tropospheric NO2 vertical	tropospheric	cm2			
				xel)	column	column density + Stratospheric NO2	NO2 vertical				
					density data	vertical column density)	column				
						In case of missing data, saturated	denisty from				
						pixels, or defective pixels, a special	CTM				
						value is stored.					
6	amfTotal	H5T_IEEE _F32LE	2	(1, numPi xel)	Total AMF data	total AMF data In case of missing data, saturated pixels, or defective pixels, a special value is stored.	long_name: total air mass factor data	-	-	-	-999
7	no2ScdTotal	H5T_IEEE _F32LE	2	(1, numPi xel)	Total NO2 slant column density data	Total NO2 slant column density data In case of missing data, saturated pixels, or defective pixels, a special value is stored.	long_name: total NO2 sland column density	molec./ cm2	-	-	-999
8	no2ScdTroposphere	H5T_IEEE _F32LE	2	(1, numPi xel)	Tropospheric NO2 slant column density data	Tropospheric NO2 slant column density data In case of missing data, saturated pixels, or defective pixels, a special value is stored.	long_name: tropospheric NO2 slant column density	molec./ cm2	-	-	-999
9	pixelQualityValue	H5T_IEEE _F32LE	2	(1, numPi xel)	Pixel data quality data	Pixel data quality data In case of missing data, saturated pixels, or defective pixels, a special value is stored.	long_name: pixel data quality value	-	0	1	-999
10	rootMeanSquaredEr ror	H5T_IEEE _F32LE	2	(1, numPi xel)	RMSE data	RMSE data In case of missing data, saturated pixels, or defective pixels, a special value is stored.	long_name: root mean square error data	-	-	-	-999
11	no2VcdStratosphere Error	H5T_IEEE _F32LE	2	(1, numPi xel)	Stratospheric NO2 slant column density error data	Stratospheric NO2 slant column density error data In case of missing data, saturated pixels, or defective pixels, a special value is stored.	long_name: stratospheric NO2 slant clumn density error	molec./ cm2	-	-	-999

12	airMassFactorError	H5T_IEEE	2	(1,	AMF error	AMF error data	long_name:	-	-	-	-999
		_F32LE		numPi xel)	data	In case of missing data, saturated pixels, or defective pixels, a special value is stored.	air mass factor error				
13	no2VcdTroposphere Error	H5T_IEEE _F32LE	2	(1, numPi xel)	Tropospheric NO2 vertical column density error data	Tropospheric NO2 vertical column density error data In case of missing data, saturated pixels, or defective pixels, a special value is stored.	long_name: data quality flag	molec./ cm2	-	-	-999
14	snowIceFlag	H5T_IEEE _F32LE	2	(1, numPi xel)	snow/ice flag data	snow/ice flag data In case of missing data, saturated pixels, or defective pixels, a special value is stored.	long_name: snow/ice flag	-	0	256	-999
15	aerosolOpticalThick ness	H5T_IEEE _F32LE	2	(1, numPi xel)	Aerosol optical thickness	Aerosol optical thickness In case of missing data, saturated pixels, or defective pixels, a special value is stored.	long_name: aerosol optical thickness	-	-	-	-999
16	aerosolLayerHeight	H5T_IEEE _F32LE	2	(1, numPi xel)	Aerosol layer altitude	Aerosol layer altitude In case of missing data, saturated pixels, or defective pixels, a special value is stored.	long_name: aerosol layer height	hPa	-	-	-999
17	stripeAmplitude	H5T_IEEE _F32LE	2	(1, numPi xel)	De-stripe correction	De-stripe correction In case of missing data, saturated pixels, or defective pixels, a special value is stored.	long_name: stripe correction term	molec./	-	-	-999
18	surfaceAlbedo	H5T_IEEE _F32LE	2	(1, numPi xel)	Surface albedo	Surface albedo In case of missing data, saturated pixels, or defective pixels, a special value is stored.	long_name: surface albedo	-	0	1	-999
19	preScrIdx	H5T_STD _I8LE	2	(1, numPi xel)	prescreening result	Prescreening result In case of missing data, saturated pixels, or defective pixels, a special value is stored.	long_name: pre-screening index	-	0	5	-128

20	no2ProfileCTM	H5T_IEEE_ F32LE	2	(1, numPix el, numLa yer)	NO2 profile by CTM	NO2 profile by CTM In case of missing data, saturated pixels, or defective pixels, a special value is stored.	long_name: NO2 profile from CTM	ppb	-	-	-999
21	tropopauseFlagCTM	H5T_STD _I8LE	2	(1, numPi xel, numLa yer)	Tropopause flag by CTM	Tropopause flag by CTM In case of missing data, saturated pixels, or defective pixels, a special value is stored.	long_name: tropopause flag from CTM	-	0	1	-128
22	averagingKernel	H5T_IEEE _F32LE	2	(1, numPi xel, numLa yer)	Averaging kernel	Averaging kernel In case of missing data, saturated pixels, or defective pixels, a special value is stored.	long_name: averaging kernel	-	-	-	-999
23	biasCorrectionFacto r	H5T_IEEE _F32LE	2	(1, numPi xel)	Bias correction term by CTM	Bias correction term by CTM In case of missing data, saturated pixels, or defective pixels, a special value is stored.	long_name: bias correction factor from CTM	molec./ cm2	-	-	-999
24	temperatureProfileC TM	H5T_IEEE _F32LE	2	(1, numPi xel, numLa yer)	Temperature by CTM	Temperature by CTM In case of missing data, saturated pixels, or defective pixels, a special value is stored.	long_name: temperature profile from CTM	K	-	-	-999
25	pressureProfileCTM	H5T_IEEE _F32LE	2	(1, numPi xel, numLa yer)	Pressure by CTM	Pressure by CTM In case of missing data, saturated pixels, or defective pixels, a special value is stored.	long_name: pressure profile from CTM	hPa	-	-	-999
26	cloudLayerHeight	H5T_IEEE _F32LE	2	(1, numPi xel)	Cloud altitude data	Cloud altitude data In case of missing data, saturated pixels, or defective pixels, a special value is stored.	long_name: Cloud layer height	hPa	-	-	-999

27	cloudOpticalThickn ess	H5T_IEEE _F32LE	2	(1, numPi xel)	Cloud optical thickness	Cloud optical thickness In case of missing data, saturated pixels, or defective pixels, a special value is stored.		-	0	99	-999
28	aerosolType	H5T_STD _I8LE	2	(1, numPi xel)	Aerosol type	Aerosol type 6: (MA, MX) 7: (MA, DU) 8: (MA, NA) 9: (MA, NC) 15: (MX, DU) 16: (MX, NA) 17: (MX, NC) 18: (DU, NA) 19: (DU, NC) 20: (NA, NC) MA: Moderately-absorbing, MX: Mixture, DU: Dust, NA: Non-absorbing, NC: Non-absorbing-coast	long_name; Aerosol type	-	0	99	-128
29	windSpeed	H5T_IEEE _F32LE	2	(1, numPi xel)	Wind speed	Wind speed	long_name; Wind speed	W/s	0	99	-999

(9) Dimension

Table 2-13 L2 (NO2) Product Format Details (Dimension)

No.	Group	Dimen	sion	Data Type	Name	Explanation	Attribute				
	Path/Dataset Name	Rank	Shape				description	Units	Min	Max	Invalid
1	Band	1	numBand	H5T_IEEE_ F32LE	Band	Number of bands =3 (Fixed)	TANSO-3 bands	N/A	0	0	N/A
2	numBand	0	scalar	H5T_STD_I 8LE	Number of bands	Stores the number of bands.	Number of TANSO-3 bands		3	3	N/A
3	Frame	1	numFrame	H5T_IEEE_ F32LE	Frame	Number of frames.	Frames in the product file	N/A	0	0	N/A
4	numFrame	0	scalar	H5T_STD_I 32LE	Number of frames	Stores the number of frames included in the product file.	Number of frames in the product file	N/A	0	99,99 9	-999
5	Layer	1	numLayer	H5T_IEEE_ F32LE	Retrieval layer	Number of vertical layers	Vertical layers	N/A	0	0	N/A
6	numLayer	0	scalar	H5T_STD_I 8LE	Number of retrieval layers	Stores the number of vertical layers.	Number of vertical layers	N/A	15	15	-128
7	L1bfile	1	11bfileNum	H5T_IEEE_ F32LE	L1B product file	Number of L1B product files	L1B product file	N/A	0	0	N/A
8	numL1bfile	0	scalar	H5T_STD_I 8LE	Number of L1B product files	Stores the number of L1B product files used for creation.	Number of L1B product file	N/A	0	99	-128
9	Pixel	1	numPixel	H5T_IEEE_ F32LE	Spatial division	Number of spatial divisions	Spatial pixels in the product file	N/A	0	0	N/A
10	numPixel	0	scalar	H5T_STD_I 32LE	Number of spatial divisions	Stores the number of spatial divisions included in the product.	Number of spatial pixels in the product file	N/A	0	9,999, 999	-999
11	Sounding	1	numSoundin g	H5T_IEEE_ F32LE	Observation ID	Number of observation IDs	Number of observation Id in the product file	N/A	0	0	N/A
12	numSounding	0	scalar	H5T_STD_I	Number of	Stores the number of	Number of	N/A	0	9,999	-999
				32LE	observation IDs	observation IDs contained in the	observation Id in				
						product.	the product file				

13	Column	1	numColumn	H5T_IEEE_ F32LE	Across-track divisions	Number of across-track divisions	Number of across- track spatital pixel	N/A	0	0	N/A
14	numColumn	0	scalar	H5T_STD_I 8LE	Number of across-track divisions	Stores the number of across-track divisions.	Number of across- track spatital pixel	N/A	0	96	-128
15	Time	1	numTime	H5T_IEEE_ F32LE	Time direction	Dummy axis for data shaping		N/A	0	0	N/A
16	numTime	0	scalar	H5T_STD_I 8LE	Number of time directions	Dummy axis for data shaping.		N/A	0	96	-128

2.3. Level 2 Processing Result (NO2)

2.3.1. Outline

The Level 2 Processing Result (NO2) is an XML format (.xml) file that stores the processing results (product information) from the creation of the TANSO-3 L2 (NO2) Product.

2.3.2. File provision unit

The Level 2 Processing Result (NO2) is a standard product. When providing an L2 (NO2) Product that meets the conditions specified by the user (observation period, observation range, etc.) via G3DPS, this file is also provided. It is stored in an XML format (.xml) file.

The following file provision units are used for each mode of the Standard and Quick-delivery versions.

Type Provision unit Data size (KB/file)

Standard Wide Mode One day 10

Standard Focus Mode (1km/2km/3km) Scene 7/7/6

Quick-delilvery Focus Mode (1km/2km/3km) Scene 7/7/6

Table 2-14 L2 Processing Result (NO2) File Provision Unit

2.3.3. Version definition

The version of the Level 2 Processing Result (NO2) file itself is not defined.

The version information of the L2 (NO2) Product that stores the processing results is stored in the file name for both the product version and the input dataset version.

- MMNNRR: Product version (Major, Minor, Revision)
- 0000: Input dataset version

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^{*} Data size is the maximum value without file splitting or compression.

^{*} The file provision unit for reprocessing is the same as for the Standard version.

^{*} Files for test processing and unplanned processing are omitted as they are not subject to provision.

^{*} The file storage unit is the same as for the TANSO-3 L2 Product.1

¹ For the file storage unit of the TANSO-3 L2 Product, see Section 2.2.2.

2.3.4. File format details

The file format of the Level 2 Processing Result (NO2) is shown in Table 2-15.

Table 2-15 Level 2 Processing Result (NO2) File Format Details

Level 2 Processing Result (NO2)	File (XML) Form	at Details (Draft)		Remarks
Tag name	Number of elements	Name	Explanation	
L2Result_NO2	1	Level 2 Processing Result (NO2)		The namespace is not specified in the processing result file.
MetaData	1	Metadata		The L2 (NO2) Product also includes the same information.
processResult	1	Processing Result	Stores the result of the Level 2 Processing (NO2) with the following values. An abnormal end is recorded only when processing fails for all input data. "OK": Normal end "NG": Abnormal end	
granuleID	1	Granule ID	Stores the granule ID.	Granule ID of the L2 (NO2) Product.
satelliteName	1	Satellite name	Stores the satellite name. "GOSAT-GW" Fixed	
sensorName	1	Sensor name	Stores the sensor name. "TANSO-3" Fixed	
observationStartDateTime	1	Observation start time	Stores the observation time of the first frame (UT) in the format "YYYY-MM-DDThh:mm:ss.ffffffZ". Stores the earliest time from the observation start times for each L1B product, obsStartDateTime, described later. If the product creation fails and the observation start date and time cannot be obtained, an empty string is stored.	
observationEndDateTime	1	Observation end time	Stores the observation time of the last frame (UT) in the format "YYYY-MM-DDThh:mm:ss.ffffffZ". Stores the latest time from the observation end times obsEndDateTime for each L1B product, described later. If the product creation fails and the observation end date and time cannot be obtained, an empty string is stored.	
productionDateTime	1	Processing date/time	Stores the processing date/time (UT) in the format "YYYY-MM-DDThh:mm:ss.ffffffZ". If the product creation fails and the processing date and time	

				cannot be obtained, an empty string is stored.	
proc	essingLevel	1	Processing level	Stores the processing level. "Level2" Fixed	
prod	luctType	1	Product type	Stores the product type as either "Monthly" or "Quick-Delivery".	
para	meterVersion	1	Input dataset version	Stores the input dataset version ('mooo' in the file name).	
algo	rithmVersion	1	Product version	Stores the processor version managed by a separately defined ATBD, etc.	
Observ	ration	N		Stores the processing result for each L1B product, with the same number of entries as the number of L1B products specified in the L2 processing plan.	
L1gr	ranuleID	1	L1 product granule ID	Stores the granule ID of the input L1 product.	For information on each observation ID, refer to the L1 processing result file.
obse	ervationRequestID	1	Observation request ID	Stores the observation request ID.	
path	No	1	Path number	Stores the path number (1 to 44) without 0 padding.	
obsS	StartDateTime	1	Observation start time	Stores the observation time of the first frame (UT) in the format "YYYY-MM-DDThh:mm:ss.ffffffZ".	
obsE	EndDateTime	1	Observation end time	Stores the observation time of the last frame (UT) in the format "YYYY-MM-DDThh:mm:ss.ffffffZ".	
geos	spatial_bounds	1	Observation range on map	Stores the latitude/longitude range in the OGC Well-Known Text (WKT) Geometry format. Latitude and longitude values are stored with 2 decimal places, without 0 padding. Stored only for fine products. An empty value is stored for other products.	

2.4. Level 2 Plot Image (NO2)

2.4.1. Outline

The Level 2 Plot Image (NO2) is an image generated based on the TANSO-3 L2 (NO2) Product, displaying the total NO2 slant column density.

2.4.2. File provision unit

The Level 2 Plot Image (NO2) is a standard product. Products that meet the conditions specified by the user (observation period, observation range, etc.) are provided via G3DPS in PNG format (.png) files.

The following file provision units are used for each mode of the Standard and Quick-delivery versions.

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Туре	Provision unit	Data size (MB/file)			
Standard Wide Mode	One day	-			
Standard Focus Mode	Scene	-			
Quick-delivery Focus Mode	Scene	1			

Table 2-16 Level 2 Plot Image (NO2) File Provision Unit

2.4.3. Version information

The version of the Level 2 Plot Image (NO2) file itself is not defined. The version information of the L2 (NO2) Product that is the basis for the image is stored in the file name for both the product version and the input dataset version.

• MMNNRR: Product version (Major, Minor, Revision)

• mooo: Input dataset version

2.4.4. File format details

The Level 2 Plot Image (NO2) illustrates the total NO2 slant column density for the Quick-delivery version, and the tropospheric NO2 vertical column density for the Standard version (units are molec. cm-2 for each), respectively.

The drawing range and file format are summarized below.

- Drawing range: Longitude -180 to 180 degrees, Latitude -90 to 90 degrees

File format: PNG (.png)Resolution: 200 (dpi)File size: Approx. 400 kB

^{*} Data size is the maximum value without file splitting or compression.

^{*} Files for reprocessing, test processing, and unplanned processing are omitted as they are not subject to provision.

^{*} The file storage unit is the same as for the TANSO-3 L2 Product².

² For the file storage unit of the TANSO-3 L2 Product, see Section 2.2.2.