

Ground track series

GOCE Aerodynamic Torque Modeling

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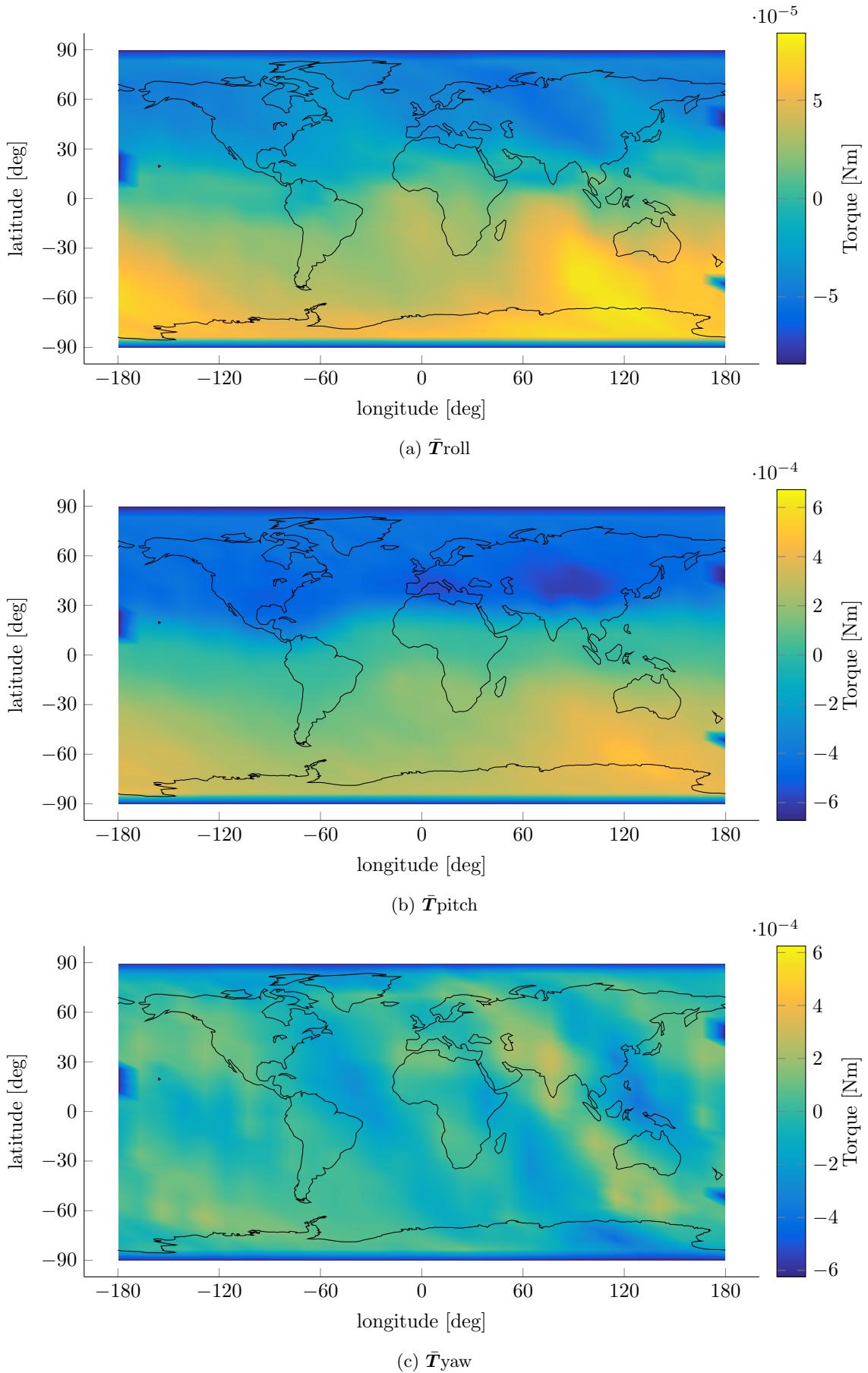


Figure 1: Total modeled torque $\bar{\mathbf{T}}$ projected onto the Earth's surface, ascending only, in October 2013.

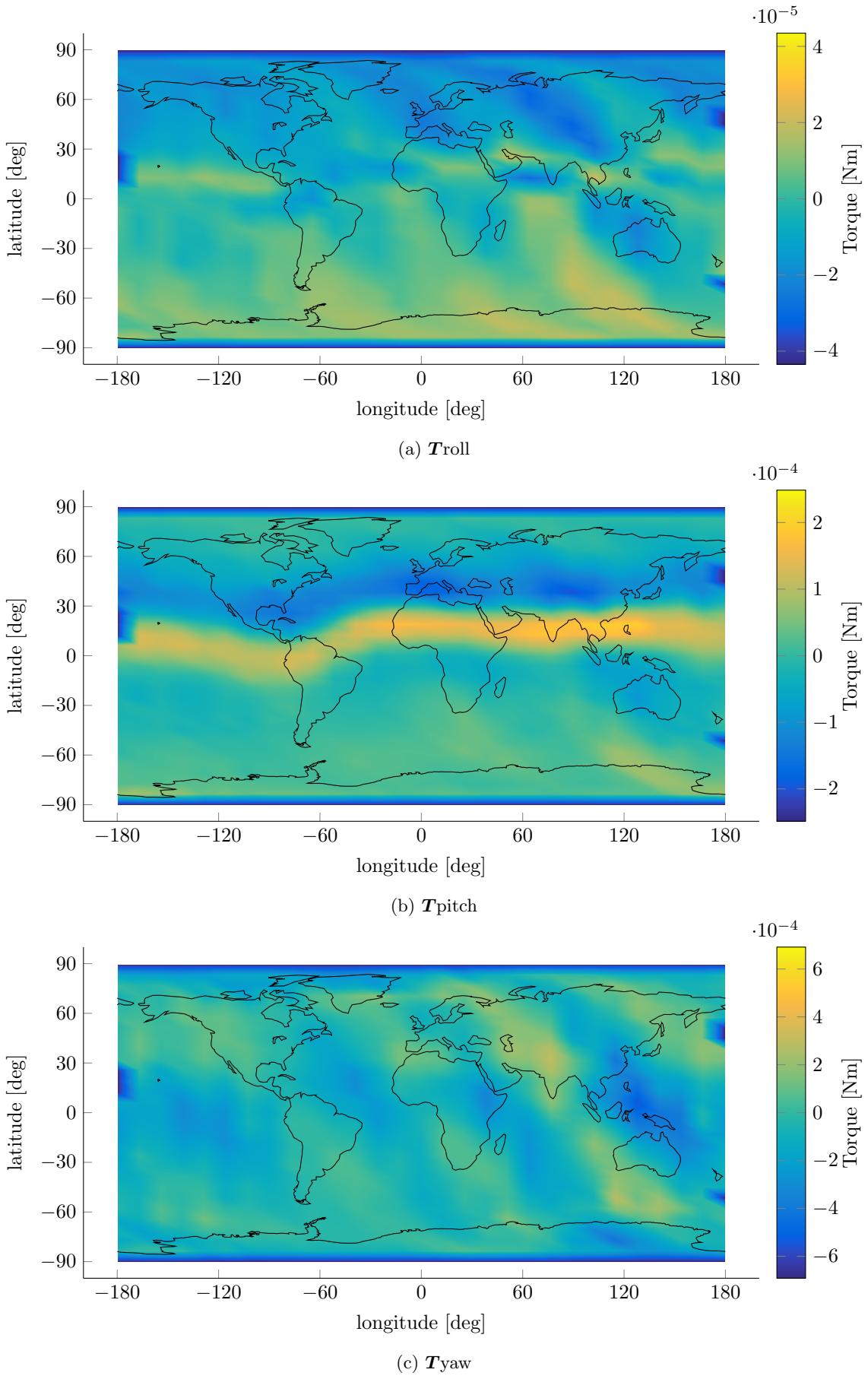


Figure 2: Measured torque \mathbf{T} projected onto the Earth's surface, ascending only, in October 2013.

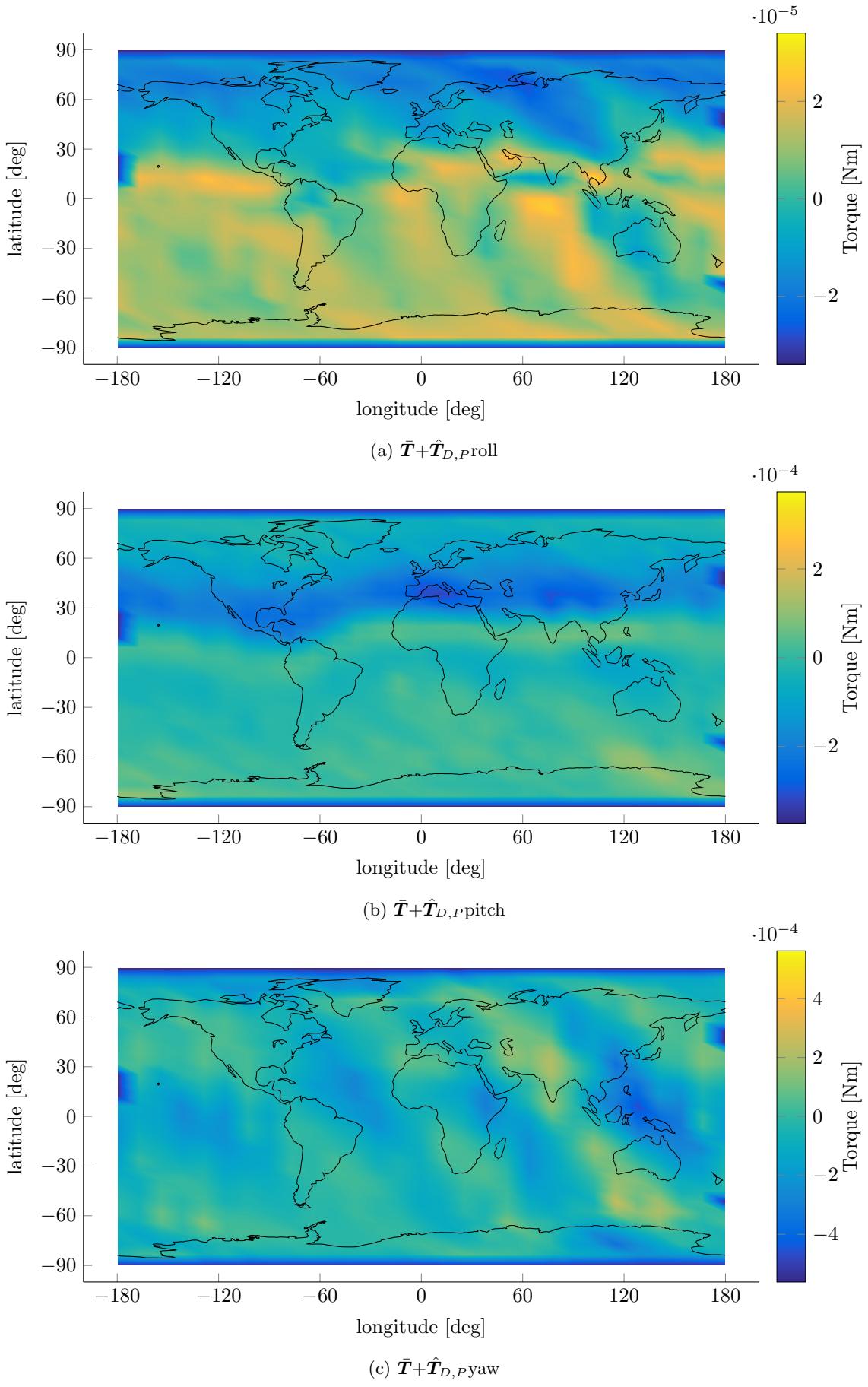


Figure 3: Total modeled torque $\bar{\mathbf{T}}$, and fitted payload dipole torque $\hat{\mathbf{T}}_{D,P}$ projected onto the Earth's surface, ascending only, in October 2013.

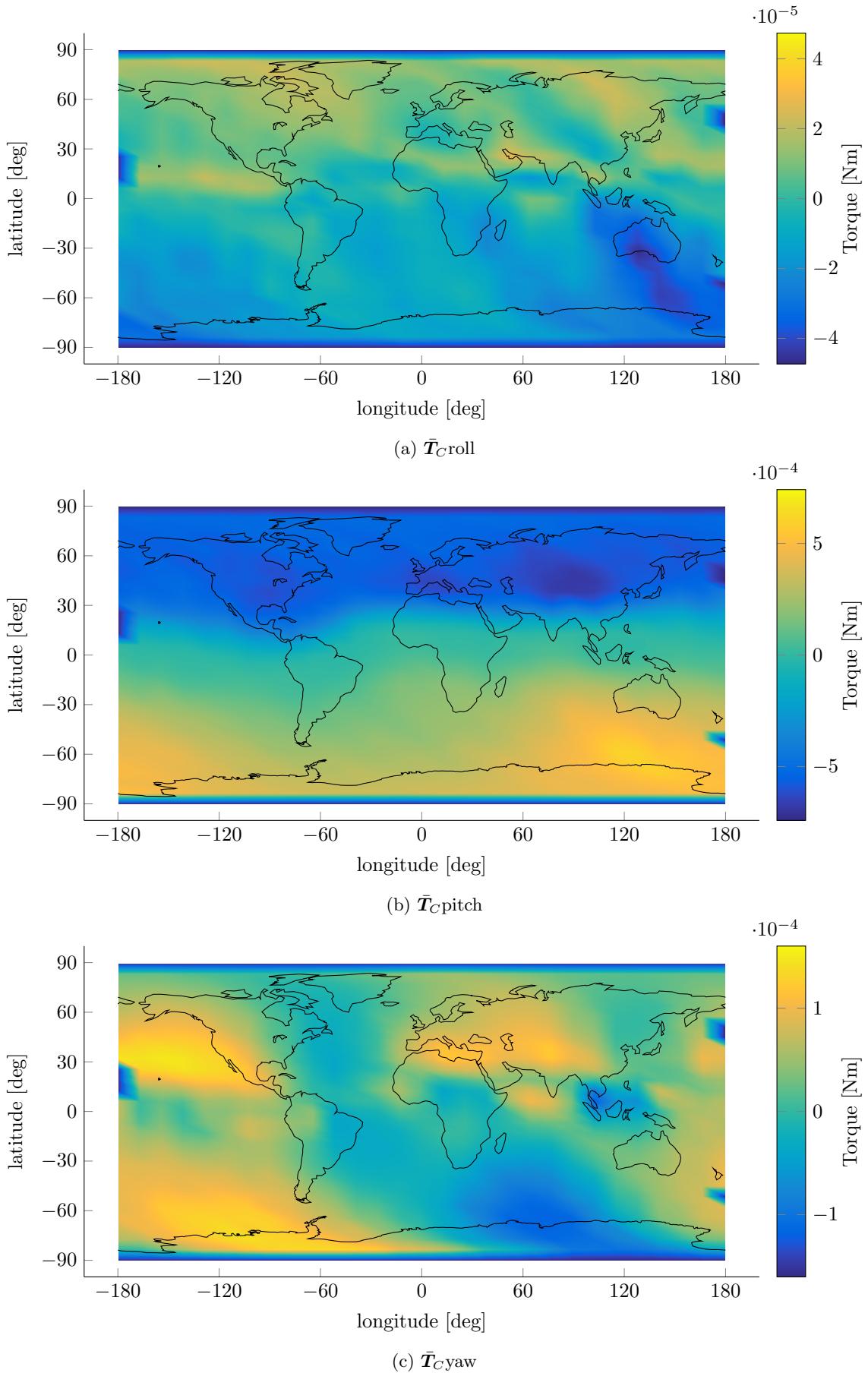


Figure 4: Magentic control torque \bar{T}_C projected onto the Earth's surface, ascending only, in October 2013.

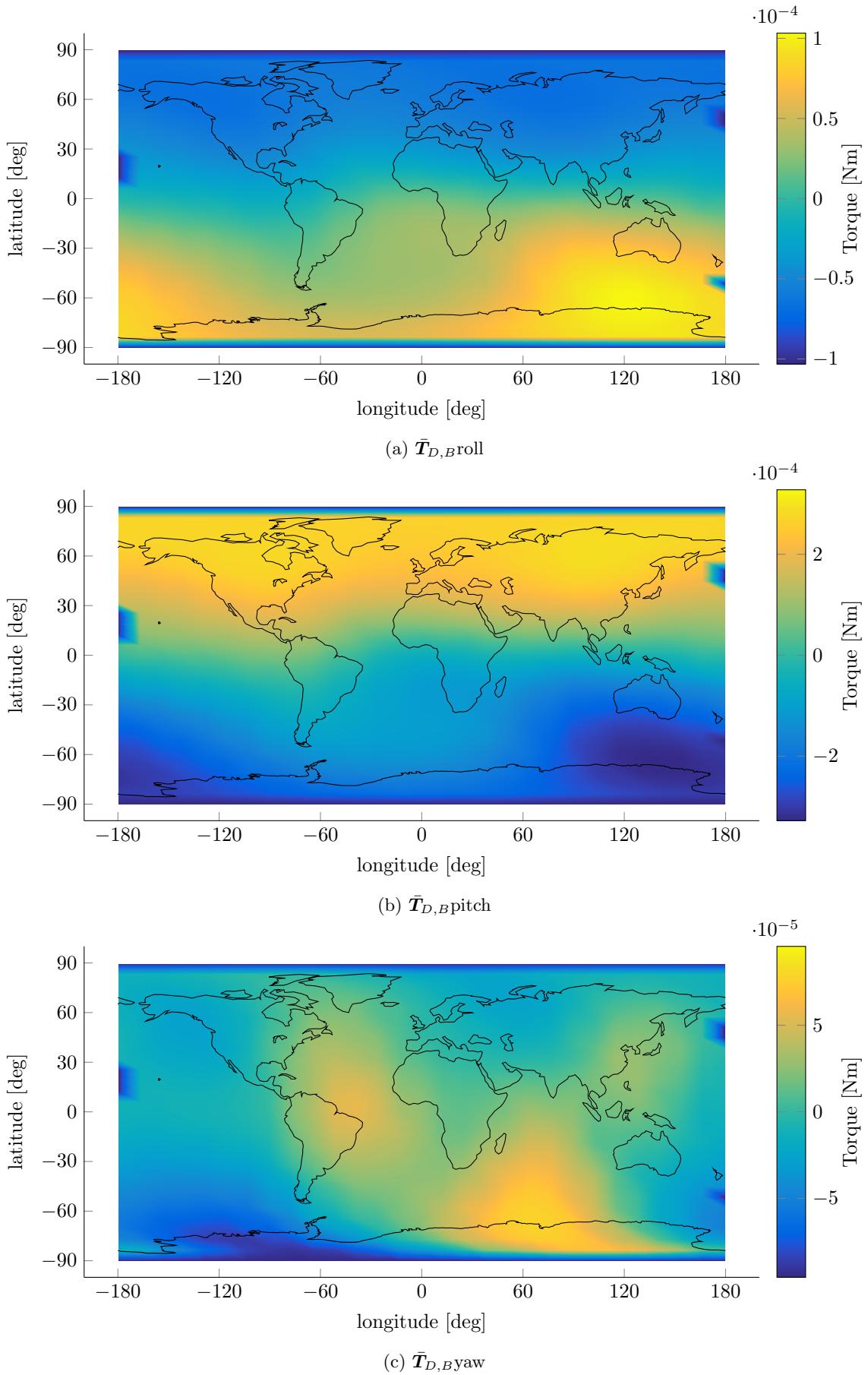


Figure 5: Residual bus dipole torque $\bar{\mathbf{T}}_{D,B}$ projected onto the Earth's surface, ascending only, in October 2013.

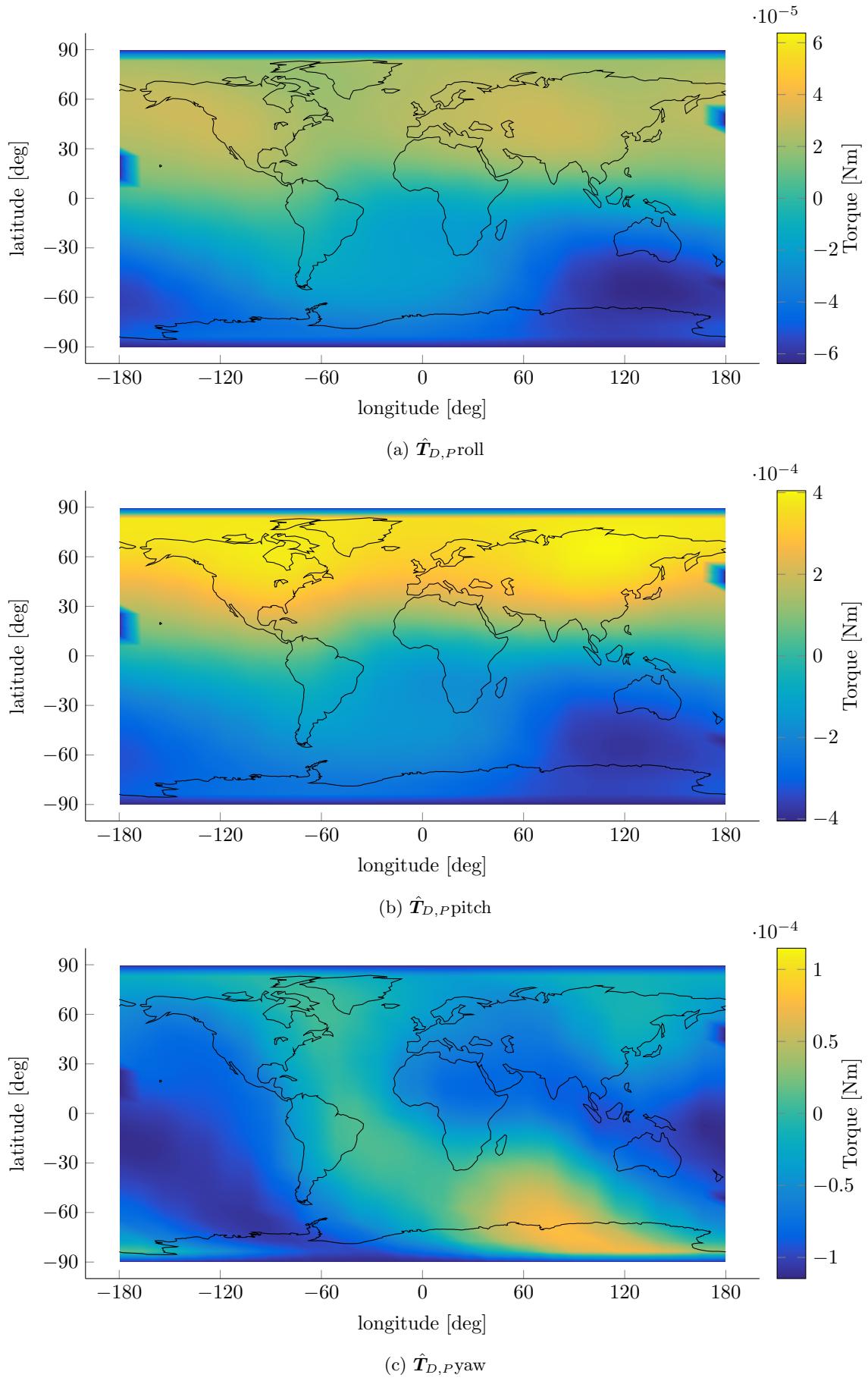


Figure 6: Fitted payload dipole torque $\hat{\mathbf{T}}_{D,P}$ projected onto the Earth's surface, ascending only, in October 2013.

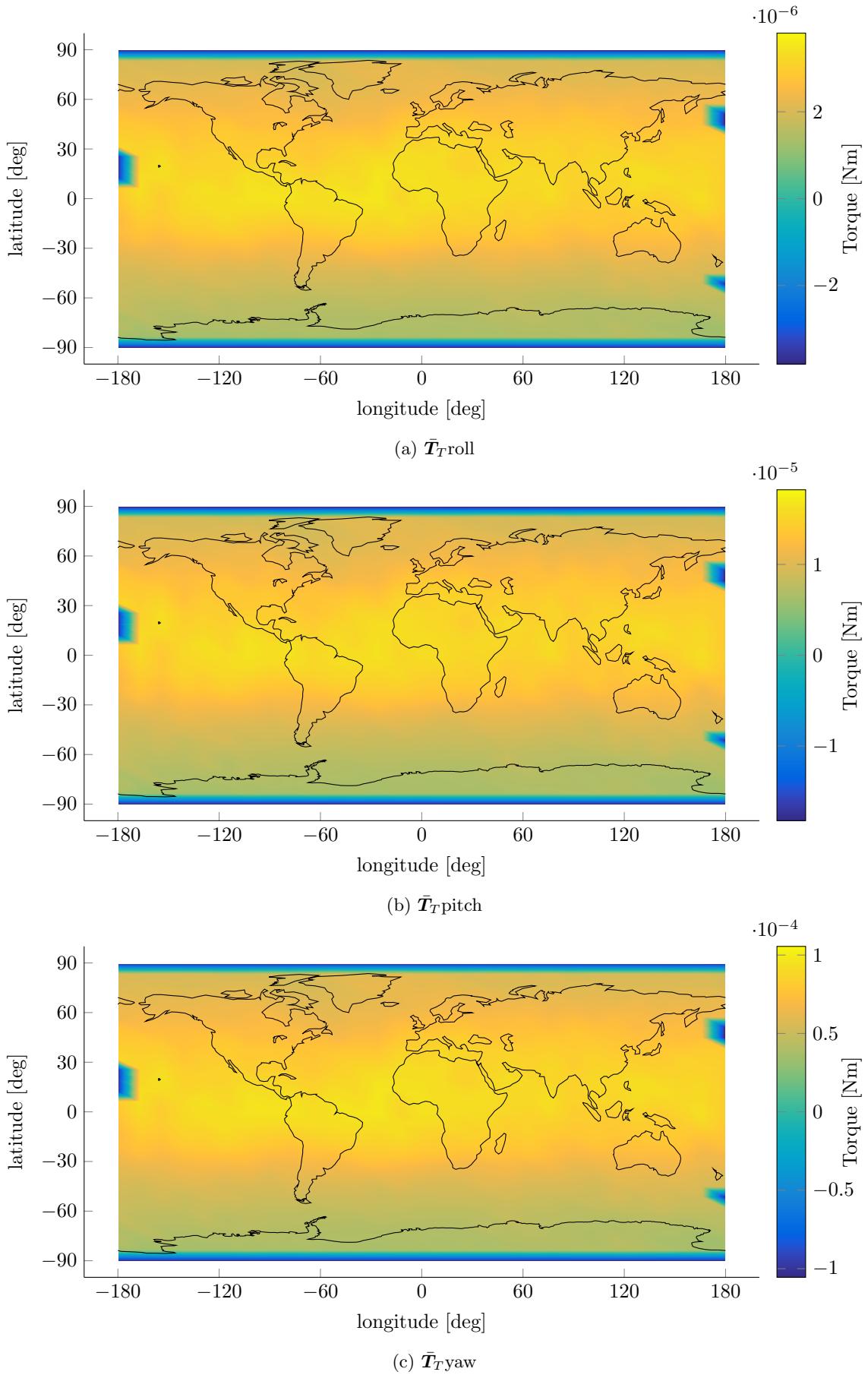


Figure 7: Thruster misalignment torque $\bar{\mathbf{T}}_T$ projected onto the Earth's surface, ascending only, in October 2013.

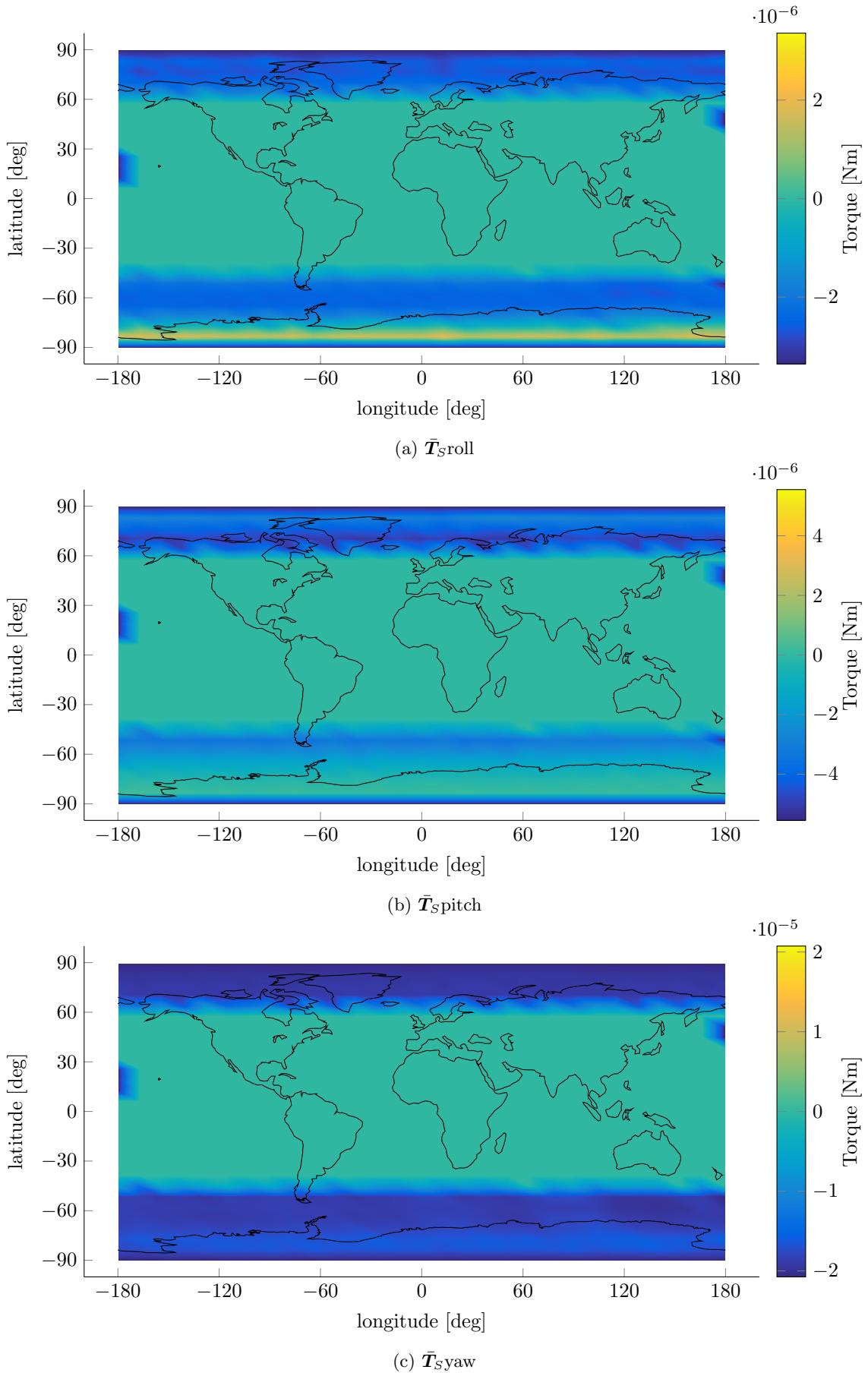


Figure 8: Solar radiation pressure torque \bar{T}_S projected onto the Earth's surface, ascending only, in October 2013.

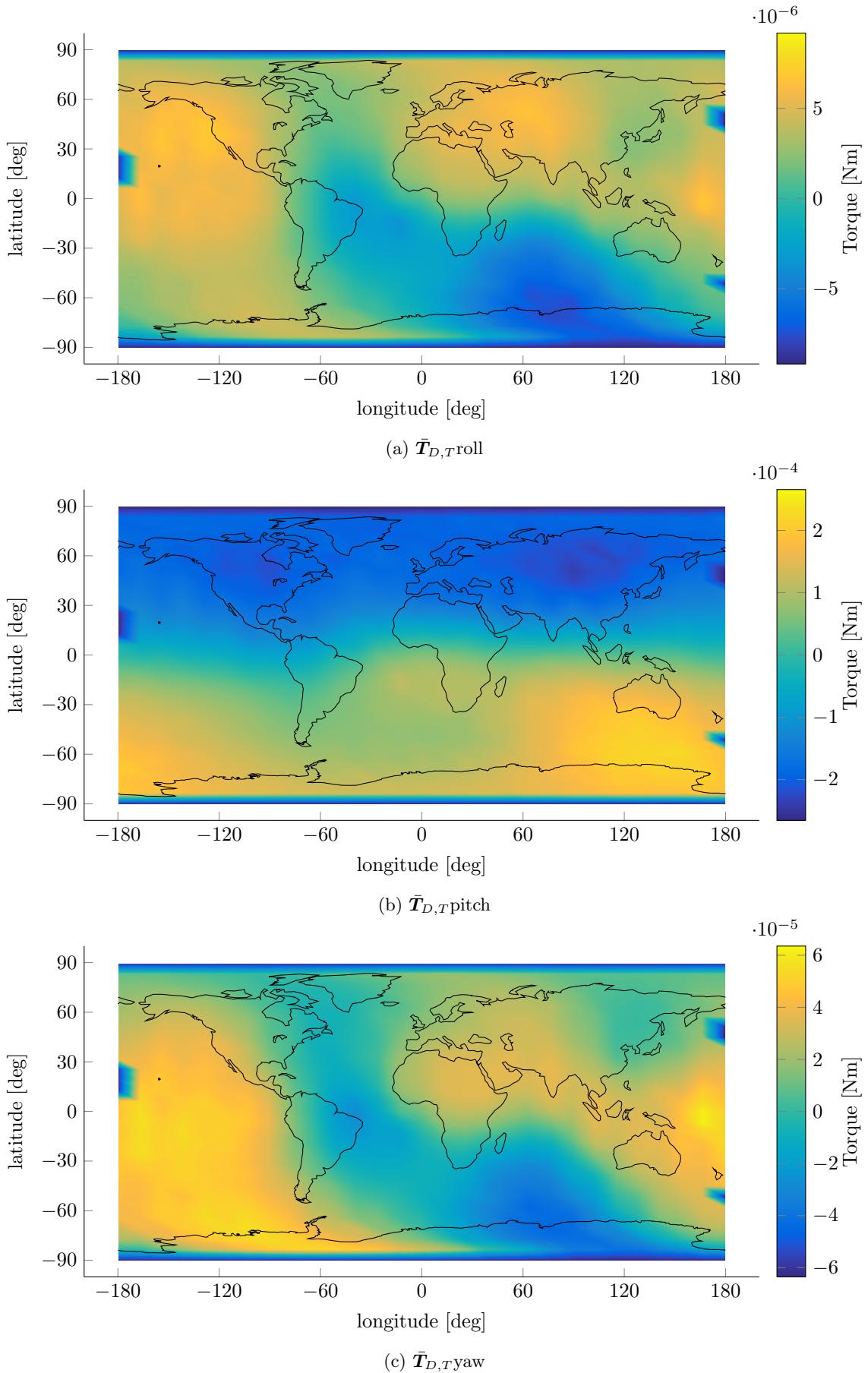


Figure 9: Thruster dipole torque $\bar{\mathbf{T}}_{D,T}$ projected onto the Earth's surface, ascending only, in October 2013.

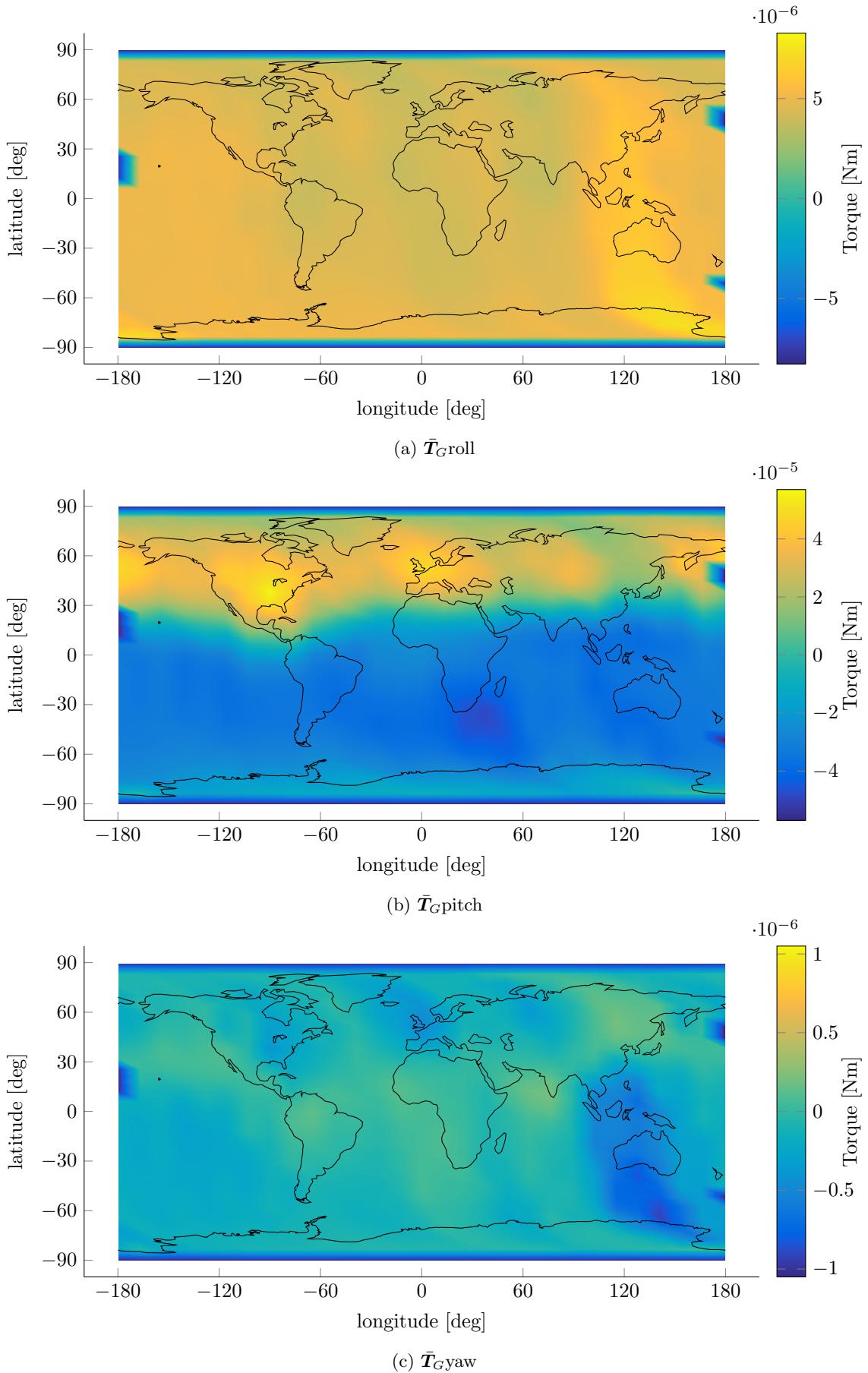


Figure 10: Gravity gradient torque \bar{T}_G projected onto the Earth's surface, ascending only, in October 2013.

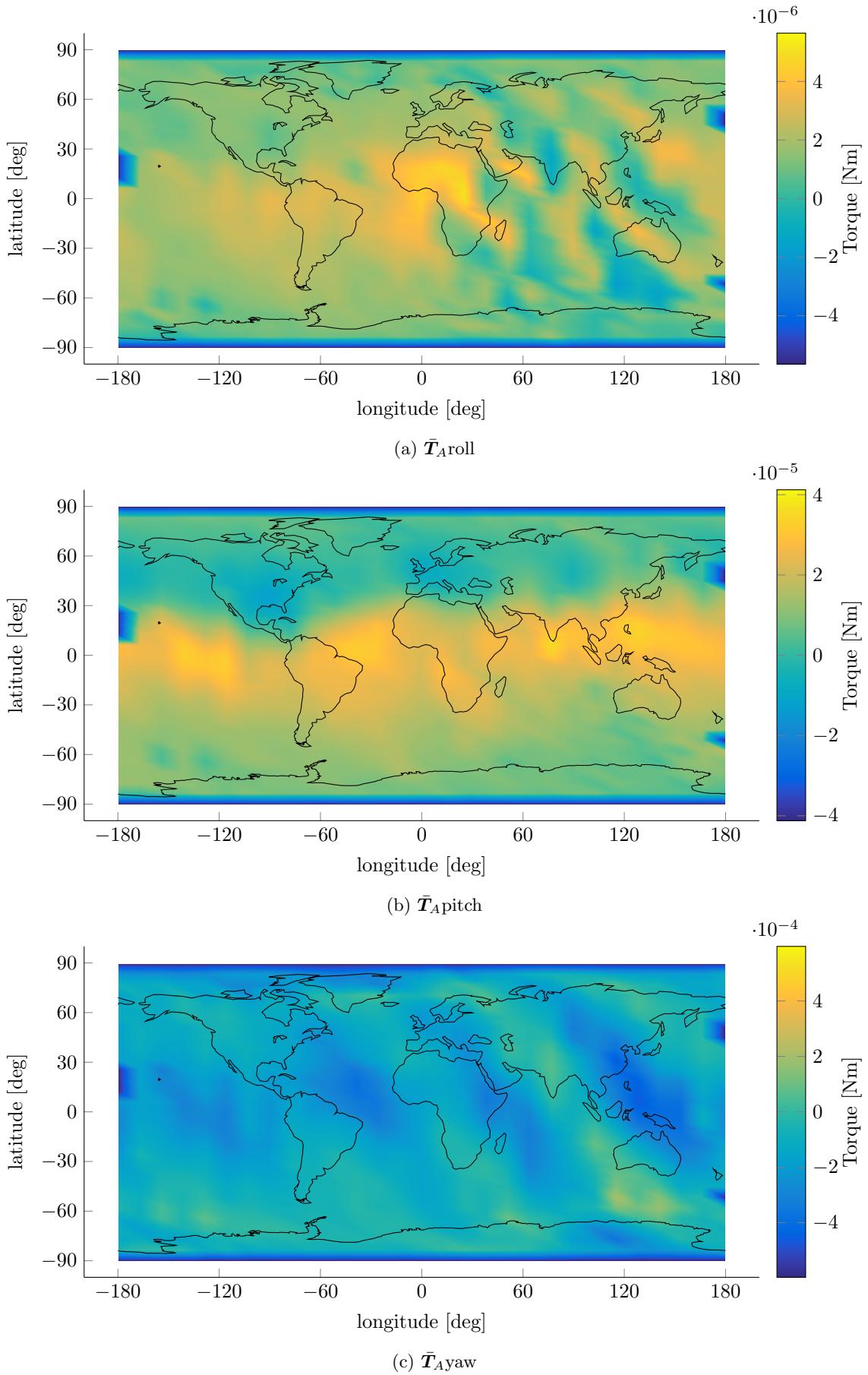


Figure 11: Aerodynamic torque \bar{T}_A projected onto the Earth's surface, ascending only, in October 2013.

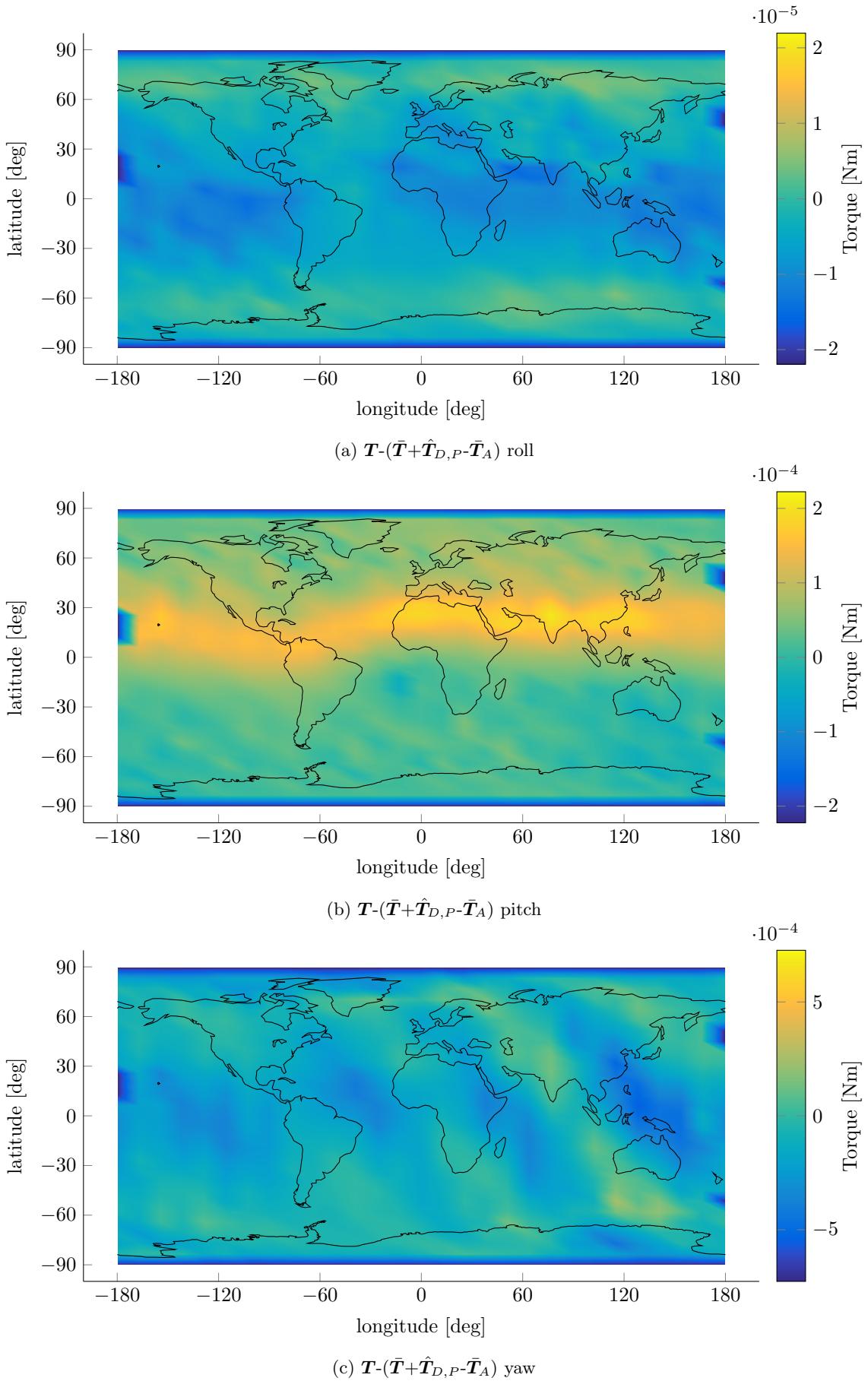


Figure 12: Measured torque \mathbf{T} , total modeled torque $\bar{\mathbf{T}}$, fitted payload dipole torque $\hat{\mathbf{T}}_{D,P}$, and aerodynamic torque $\bar{\mathbf{T}}_A$ projected onto the Earth's surface, ascending only, in October 2013.