

Hi Christian

Thanks for your suggestions. I have modified the m/s according to them and it has removed some errors and consequently improved the paper.

Here are the changes:

1. Line 9: I've added the time period "Between January and April 2022 ..."
2. Line 99: Fixed.
3. Fig.3: I've removed the "Top", "Middle" and "Bottom" as this seems redundant now that I have (a), (b) and (c).
4. Line 168: Quite right. I've removed the reference.
5. Line 184: Yes I agree this does sound contradictory. Instead, I've just said the aerosol is elevated between 15-25 S.

Again thanks for guiding my paper through the peer review process – I know it is time consuming and takes you away from your research activities and it is much appreciated by me.

Kind regards

Fred

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