

Dear reviewer and editorial board,

Thank you for reviewing our paper submitted for publication in The Cryosphere, and for taking into account the exchanges in the previous stages of this process.

The syntax and typographical errors you pointed out have been corrected. The suggested wording for line 459 is much clearer and has been used as is.

We are pleased to be able to make this contribution to The Cryosphere. We wish you all the best for the future.

The authors.