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ACP's guidelines for authors request that the article title "highlight the scientific results/findings or implications of the study" whereas less preferred titles highly "only the topic". I wonder if the authors might consider whether a slight revision to the title might be more in line with ACP guidelines, such as revising "On the calculation ..." to "Improved calculation ..."? I defer to the authors' preferences, and am offering this opportunity to optionally revise the title according to ACP guidelines prior to final acceptance or keep it as is. I will then recommendation publication as is.

The title has been revised to “Improved calculation of single-scattering properties of frozen droplets and frozen droplet aggregates observed in deep convective clouds” as recommended.

Thank you to the reviewers and editor.