

Authors' response:

We have added some information about funding sources to the Acknowledgements, and corrected a sentence in the Discussion (line 365) that had a small unnecessary repetition of words.

Original sentence:

Xing et al. (2013) used a conjunction of spacecraft and THEMIS all sky imagers, along with imagers to study the auroral response to the ballooning/interchange instability

Corrected sentence:

Xing et al. (2013) used a conjunction of spacecraft and THEMIS all sky imagers, to study the auroral response to the ballooning/interchange instability