

Dear Dr. Yool,

Thank you for your email and for accepting our manuscript for publication. We're delighted that you're happy with the revised version.

We've fixed the CO₂ formatting issue you highlighted - you're absolutely right, and we apologise for the confusion. It was indeed a busy week on our side, as we also attended the Ocean Sciences. We've corrected this throughout the manuscript.

Many thanks again for all your help with this manuscript.

Best regards,

Nicole Laureanti