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We very much appreciated the constructive review. We are glad to state that we have adapted the manuscript according to the referee’s comments, in particular by broadening our discussion under consideration of the Chen 2002 paper. We feel that this paper definitively has to be considered in our paper. We have chosen to acknowledge this accordingly.

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