

## ***Interactive comment on “Diatom flux reflects water-mass conditions on the southern Northwind Abyssal Plain, Arctic Ocean” by J. Onodera et al.***

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We greatly appreciate the anonymous referee #2 on the positive review of this manuscript and many suggestions to improve the manuscript. All comments by referee #2 were helpful to revise the manuscript.

All our reply to referee's comments are listed in the supplement file. Please attached find the supplement PDF file in addition to the revised manuscript. We hope this revised manuscript is in the acceptable condition.

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