

Interactive comment on “Calculations of automatic chamber flux measurements of methane and carbon dioxide using short time series of concentrations” by N. Pirk et al.

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In your abstract you write that "the robust linear regression model [...] is often applied". However, it seems that you don't actually mean to refer to robust regression techniques (e.g., Huber, 1981), but intend to express that linear regression is a "robust" (in the non-statistical meaning) approach for flux estimation. Please clarify this. (I think that robust regression methods, such as the M- or MM-estimator, are an interesting approach for flux estimation.)

References:

P. J. Huber (1981) Robust Statistics. Wiley.

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