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## Interactive comment on "Iron oxide deposits associated with the ectosymbiotic bacteria in the hydrothermal vent shrimp Rimicaris exoculata" by L. Corbari et al.

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I would like to thank the anonymous referee #1 for the excellent and very detailed comments to this manuscript. Since it is very difficult to differentiate biogenic oxides from those formed as a result of an abiotic reaction, the authors should reconsider some of their statements in the discussion section.

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