

***Interactive comment on “Changes in the spectrum and rates of extracellular enzyme activities in seawater following aggregate formation” by K. Ziervogel et al.***

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Dear Dr. Ziervogel,

We now have three reviews of your manuscript. All reviewers agree that data are interesting and are worthy of publication in the journal Biogeosciences. However, they also raise a number of points that must be addressed in a revision. All reviewers concern the methodology you used, and the clarification of the methodological issues is absolutely essential for the scientific accuracy of the text. The revised manuscript will probably be acceptable, provided that you take into account the points brought forward by the reviewers.

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We look forward to receiving your revised manuscript, along with a detailed response to each of the reviewers' comments and concerns.

Thank you for submitting your interesting results to Biogeosciences.

Sincerely,

Koji Suzuki

Editor, Biogeosciences

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