

Interactive comment on "Particle export fluxes to the oxygen minimum zone of the Eastern Tropical North Atlantic" *by* Anja Engel et al.

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We thank the referee for these suggestions. All of them will be considered in a revised version. Specifically, we will include reduced sinking velocity as an alternative explanation for higher b-values. We will clarify that a decrease in TEP fluxes below the OMZ, and thus a decreasing TEP-C:POC ratio, was mainly observed during deployment #2.

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