

## *Interactive comment on* "The non-conservative distribution pattern of organic matter in Rajang, a tropical river with peatland in its estuary" *by* Zhuoyi Zhu et al.

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I have some questions as following. Thank you in advance for your reply.

1. If the variation of D/L Glx ratios was related to DON? When you discussed the relationship between D/L Glx and salinity, did you only consider the carbon in Glx?

2. Why did you draw a dotted line in Figure 5a? I initially thought there was some linear relationship but finally found it was not.

3. In Figure 1b, S18, S17, S19, and S15 looked like in the downstream of Sibu, why did you mark them as freshwater?

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