

Interactive comment on “Geostrophic currents and kinetic energies in the Black Sea estimated from merged drifter and satellite altimetry data” by M. Menna and P. -M. Poulain

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