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## Interactive comment on "Jason continuity of services: continuing the Jason altimeter data records as Copernicus Sentinel-6" by R. Scharroo et al.

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Dear Riccardo,

Thank you for your comment. We agree that the description of the secondary mission (radio occultation) was very shallow in the previous version, so we have modified the manuscript to add several paragraphs extra on the mission objectives, products, and requirements for the radio occultation measurements.

We have provided the modified version of the manuscript as supplement. This version also includes the edits suggested by the two anonymous reviewers who provided inputs



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previously.

An additional edits include:

- Update of Figure 1 given launch dates of Jason-3 and Sentinel-3A;
- Update of Figure 2 given change of roles between NOAA and NASA;
- Updates to Table 5 as requirements have been finalised.

We hope that this will satisfy your interests.

Regards,

Remko Scharroo (on behalf of all authors)

Please also note the supplement to this comment: http://www.ocean-sci-discuss.net/12/C1471/2016/osd-12-C1471-2016supplement.pdf

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