

Interactive comment on “Dissipation of the energy imparted by mid-latitude storms in the Southern Ocean” by J. Jouanno et al.

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Dear Authors, I can understand that the question of "Why did you choose not to consider other vertical mixing parameterizations..." would be a more difficult one to fully accommodate. If you will acknowledge the influence of unresolved mixed layer processes, mention why GLS was chosen and perhaps also acknowledge that good results at ocean station P do not necessarily guarantee good results in the Southern Ocean, then I believe that Referee 2 will be satisfied that this question has been adequately addressed.

Sincerely yours, –Matthew Hecht

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