

Interactive comment on “Wave energy dissipation in the mangrove vegetation off Mumbai, India” by Samiksha S. Volvaiker et al.

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Dear Authors,

the referees have raised some points that will require a very substantial revision, if the paper is to have a chance of making it through the peer review process. If you resubmit, I will expect to see thorough responses to all of these points.

Referee #1 says "Authors need to show new findings and improve the structure for the publication." In further communication, the referee explains that "putting some future scenarios (potential large scale cyclones)" could help to make the paper publishable.

Referee #2 has provided suggestions as to how you might make the purpose of the paper, and any original contribution it offers to readers, readily apparent. The more gen-

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eral comments, preceding the "specific comments", must be satisfactorily addressed.

If you do plan to revise and resubmit, do not hesitate to ask for an extension. I do not expect that an adequate revision could be completed by 02 Nov.

Sincerely yours, –Matthew Hecht

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