

## Author's response, 3rd iteration

Westerlund, A., Miettunen, E., Tuomi, L., and Alenius, P.: Refined estimates of water transport through the Åland Sea, Baltic Sea, Ocean Sci. Discuss. [preprint], <https://doi.org/10.5194/os-2021-56>, in review, 2021

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## Topic Editor comments, 12 Nov 2021

### > **Comments to the author:**

> Dear Authors

> I am pleased to accept your manuscript for publication subject to technical corrections. In general, the language is very good but please check the usage of "the, a" which is difficult (I admit) if the native language differs in that respect. In addition, it should be "1950s" instead of "1950's" and "Baltic proper" instead of "Baltic Proper" (no proper name).

> Thank you and best wishes

> Markus Meier

Dear Professor Meier,

Thank you for your comments. We have fixed the specific language issues you mentioned and also made our best effort to correct the issues with definite and indefinite articles. Hopefully the English language has improved now.

Best regards,  
the authors