

## ***Interactive comment on “Identifying sediment transport mechanisms from grain size-shape distributions” by Johannes Albert van Hateren et al.***

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Dear Simon Blott,

Thank you for your positive comments and your suggestions. Below we have made a list of your comments (in quotation marks) and our replies.

Comment 1) “It is lengthy, but it is difficult to see how it could be substantially shortened without removing relevant material”.

We also feel that, although the manuscript is long, there is not much opportunity for shortening it.

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Comment 2) “One small point is that Table 2 appears truncated and missing the right hand side”.

Thank you for noting this error. Part of the last column is indeed not visible in the manuscript. This will be changed in the revision.

Comment 3) “And it is also unfortunate that important material is in the Appendices at the back - I found myself referring to these throughout, which is a little tiresome moving back and forth to the end of the manuscript. I would recommend moving at least the first two appendices into the main text”.

Do you suggest to move appendix A1 and A2 into the main text, or A and B? We will move A1, A2 and A3 into the main text, but appendix B will not be moved as it is of less importance.

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