

Referee Comment for „Unusual Coccolithophore Blooms in Scottish waters”

- 1- An initial paragraph or section evaluating the **overall quality** of the preprint ("general comments")  
In my opinion, the authors have thoroughly applied comments and suggestions from the first review process. The manuscript can be accepted after some minor technical corrections.
  
- 2- A compact listing of **purely technical corrections** at the very end ("technical corrections": typing errors, etc.)  
Page 2  
Line 36 – I would rephrase this sentence  
Page 4  
Line 47 – Dissolved Organic Matter (DOM)  
Line 55 – lacking space between 7 and km  
Page 5  
Line 72 – originates in  
Page 6  
Line 101 – are not  
Page 10  
Line 152 – *Emiliana huxleyi*  
Page 15  
Line 241 – *E. huxleyi*  
Line 241:242 – Why is it unlikely in Scottish waters? Lacks of one short sentence explaining that the pH decrease is negligible