

***Interactive comment on “Soil moisture active and passive microwave products: intercomparison and evaluation over a Sahelian site” by C. Gruhier et al.***

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