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## *Interactive comment on* "Simulation and validation of subsurface lateral flow paths in an agricultural landscape" by Q. Zhu and H. S. Lin

## Anonymous Referee #3

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General Comments I found the first 2 reviewers' comments well thought out and constructive. I do not really have any further remarks to make apart from a few technical issues. I think the manuscript should be published with some minor changes, particularly to some of the figures. In terms of structural changes, Reviewer #2 has made some pertinent comments that the authors should act on.

Specific Remarks p2899 L25. I also picked up on the use of "better" to describe the 3m DEM used in this study, this is a subjective remark that should be replaced by "of finer resolution". ALso Fig 2 is probably taken from the ESRI manual for ARCGIS so should not be shown, it is common knowledge as pointed out by Reviewer#2.

Technical Remarks P 2899 L26, Thompson is misspelt in the citation of their 2006 paper Figs 6 & 7 "Asterix" not "asteroid" should be in the caption

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