

Dear Editor,

Thank you for your kind words and measured judgment. We agree with the assessment that the manuscript should explain our rather strict view on benchmarking and should be explained at length to make sure readers can follow. We therefore expanded the introductory paragraphs of the “data and method” section with a clearer explanation based upon your and the reviewers feedback. We also expanded the description of figure 1 to make it clearer. We believe that these changes make the exposition of our chosen flavour of benchmarking much clearer.