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Comment on acp-2021-800

Anonymous Referee #3

Referee comment on "Potential environmental impact of bromoform from *Asparagopsis* farming in Australia" by Yue Jia et al., Atmos. Chem. Phys. Discuss., https://doi.org/10.5194/acp-2021-800-RC3, 2022

Jia et al. presented a modeling analysis on the potential environmental impact of bromoform from Australia Asparagopsis farming on atmospheric ozone depletion. This is an interesting environment impact analysis, and the results would be of great interest to the Asparagopsis farming community and some environmental policy makers in Australia. Overall, the experiment is adequately designed, and the paper is well written, and should be accepted for publication on ACP. I have only some very minor comments.

- Change "long-lived halogens" to either long-lived halogen-containing compounds or long-lived halocarbons. ODP is not defined for long-lived halogens.
- ->varies, depending on
- -> emitted into the atmosphere
- Here and later in the text: To cite the WMO assessment chapters, you should use "Engel and Rigby et al, 2018"
- I would recommend rephrasing of "the aim of this study was elucidation of ..." to "... to assess the impact/contribution ...". Elucidation seems to be too much of an assertion in the context of this paper.
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- L305-307. Is there a published reference for trajectory-based ODP? Brioude et al. (2010) and Pisso et al. (2010)??
- L326 & L329. May be this is a personal habit thing, but I would prefer "the OPD values applied here" and "the comparison presented here"
- L520, 527, 532, 542, CHBr"3" should be subscript.