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## **Reply on RC1**

Renée Hermans et al.

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Author comment on "Net soil carbon balance in afforested peatlands and separating autotrophic and heterotrophic soil CO<sub>2</sub> effluxes" by Renée Hermans et al., Biogeosciences Discuss., <https://doi.org/10.5194/bg-2021-126-AC1>, 2021

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Thank you very much for taking the time to review our study, we have answered in the attached document.

Please also note the supplement to this comment:

<https://bg.copernicus.org/preprints/bg-2021-126/bg-2021-126-AC1-supplement.pdf>