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## **Comment on bg-2022-98**

Anonymous Referee #1

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Referee comment on "Dispersal of bacteria and stimulation of permafrost decomposition by Collembola" by Sylvain Monteux et al., Biogeosciences Discuss.,  
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Dear Authors,

I have an additional comment on the Manuscript. In the method section, it is not clear how many replicates per treatment (corresponding to the number of jars per treatment) are used. In Figure 2 and 3, it is reported that  $n = 6$ , but this is not mentioned in the method section, thus a clarification on this point is needed.