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Community comment on "A data-driven topsoil $\delta^{13}C$ dataset and the drivers of spatial variability across the Tibetan Plateau" by Yunsen Lai et al., Earth Syst. Sci. Data Discuss., https://doi.org/10.5194/essd-2021-411-CC1, 2022

This manuscript reported the topsoil $\delta 13C$ dataset across the Tibetan Plateau. The dataset is important, however, the authors did not provide the information of soil organic carbon content and the $\delta 13C$ of vegetation, which is essential for exploring the drivers of spatial variability of soil $\delta 13C$.