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## Reply on CEC1

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Chief editor comment on "Monthly-scale extended predictions using the atmospheric model coupled with a slab ocean" by Zhenming Wang et al., Geosci. Model Dev. Discuss., <https://doi.org/10.5194/gmd-2022-159-CEC2>, 2022

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Dear authors,

in addition to my above comment, I will ask the editorial office to change the type of your article. "The primary purpose of these papers [Model experiment description papers] is to enable modelling communities to perform the same experiments. Therefore, everything required to run the experiment must be provided, apart from the model itself." (GMD Editorial main text, see also appendix B4)

I do not see, that your article is about a model experiment which is done by a bigger community with different models. Therefore your paper fits better the "Technical and development paper" type and I will ask the editorial office to apply this type to your article.

Best regards, Astrid Kerkweg