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## Reply on AC1

Joanne Williams (Editor)

Editor comment on "On the uncertainty associated with detecting global and local mean sea level drifts on Sentinel-3A and Sentinel-3B altimetry missions" by Rémi Jugier et al., Ocean Sci. Discuss., https://doi.org/10.5194/os-2021-106-EC1, 2022

Hi Rémi, I'm really sorry this has taken so long. I've really struggled to find a second reviewer for this paper, and as satellite altimetry isn't my primary expertise either I was reluctant to just go with just one - especially as the first reviewer declared a conflict of interest. And I have to admit I've been a bit slow with responding to the "xxx has declined the review" emails, I'm sorry.

There is now a reviewer lined up, they said they needed a bit extra time and I figured another couple of weeks was a better bet than trying anyone else.

Jo Williams, Topic Editor.