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Comment on se-2021-73

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Referee comment on "Late Quaternary faulting in the southern Matese (Italy): implications for earthquake potential and slip rate variability in the southern Apennines" by Paolo Boncio et al., Solid Earth Discuss., https://doi.org/10.5194/se-2021-73-RC2, 2021

Dear Authors,

you will find attached my comments.

Overall, I think the paper is pretty interesting and may be suitable for publication in Solid Earth. It ayway deserves partial re-thinking and re-organisation of the Results and Discussion section, which should be more clearly distinguished.

I hope you will find my comments useful to increase the scientific interest of your paper.

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Please also note the supplement to this comment: <u>https://se.copernicus.org/preprints/se-2021-73/se-2021-73-RC2-supplement.pdf</u>