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Interactive comment on "BEATBOX: Background Error Analysis Testbed with Box Models" *by* Christoph Knote et al.
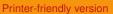
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Christoph,

On the code web page I have noticed that there are various releases of the BEATBOX code. In the code accessibility section could you please specify which release you have used to create the results in the paper? The statement on access through pypi is a bit unclear. I assume you mean that this provides an alternative access to the same code that can be accessed via https://boxmodeling.meteo.physik.uni-muenchen.de as a whole. Can you please clarify? If these packages are needed in addition to BEATBOX you should specify the versions being used in the paper.

GMD is also encouraging authors to provide a persistent access to the released source

code as supplement or through the use of a DOI. At this point this is not compulsory but suggested where appropriate.

All the best Lutz Gross GMD Executive Editor

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