

Interactive comment on “The fate of seeds in the soil: a review of the influence of overland flow on seed removal and its consequences for the vegetation of arid and semiarid patchy ecosystems” by E. Bochet

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The author has made a significant effort to address the reviewers comments. In particular, the mis-reference of the Wang et al. (2013) and Jiao et al. (2011) work has been rectified.

Satisfactory justification has been provided for the statement: “but Wang et al. 2013 for a similar study in the Chinese Loess Plateau” so it is reasonable to retain the statement and narrative here.

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Overall a balanced response to this review.

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