

Interactive comment on “Increased rate of acceleration on Pine Island Glacier strongly coupled to changes in gravitational driving stress”
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I have reviewed this manuscript for a different journal and at that time recommended accept with minor alterations. The suggestions that I originally made have all been acted upon in the current version and I am therefore happy to recommend accepting the paper. My only comment is that the Conclusions state that the transmission of thinning is "exceptionally fast at less than a decade for 200 km". This statement needs to be expanded so that the assumptions about the date of the initial perturbation are made explicit.

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