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Interactive comment on "Formation and metamorphism of stratified firn at sites located under spatial variations of accumulation rate and wind speed on the East Antarctic ice divide near Dome Fuji" by S. Fujita et al.

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As we commented in our reply to the comments of the reviewer #1, we added tentative axes of the specific surface area (SSA) to Figures 7, 12 and 13. Revised figures are in the supplement of this author comment as pdf. We confirmed that, as we cited originally in our TCD paper, reference papers by Matzl and Schneebeli (2006) and Wiscombe and Warren (1980) were the most relevant and informative for our deriving the SSA at a wavelength of 940 nm. The scales of the SSA are useful for readers. These changes of figures will be reflected to revised version of the paper.

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