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Interactive comment on "Black carbon concentrations from a Tibetan Plateau ice core spanning 1843–1982: recent increases due to emissions and glacier melt" by M. Jenkins et al.

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While we were as forthcoming as possible in the text about the issues with the data (presenting it as mBC), we acknowledge the Referee's concern that some readers may not read the details on the data limitations and utilize the data improperly. We are in agreement that a solution to this problem would be to present the data without units. In author comment AC C2789 in response to Referee #1 we included a normalized annual BC record. For revisions for the current manuscript, we intend to present the data as normalized, which will avoid the reported values being used improperly.

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