

Interactive comment on “Sea level 400 000 years ago (MIS 11): analogue for present and future sea-level” by D. Q. Bowen

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The supportive remarks and additional information provided by John Mylroie are appreciated. The Bahamas was included in the paper because Hearty (1998, 2002) proposed an MIS 11 sea level of 18 m on the island of Eluthera. Two essential points emerge: first, that there is no unequivocal evidence for any sea-level above that of the MIS 5.5 sea-level (Mylroie, 2008); and second, that evidence used by Hearty for an 18 m sea-level may be interpreted alternatively (Mylroie, 2008).

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