

Interactive comment on “Variability of the ocean heat content during the last millennium – an assessment with the ECHO-g Model” by P. Ortega et al.

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Dear editor,

All suggestions have been carefully considered and most of them were included in the new manuscript. We have put special effort in meeting the major concerns, by providing an extensive discussion on the potential bias introduced by the flux adjustments, by putting the ECHO-G model in the context of other AOGCMs, and also by enhancing the description of the model, the experimental set-up and the different methodologies applied. We have also reworked the figures to improve their visibility. The authors are grateful to the four anonymous referees for their constructive comments, that have

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helped improved the manuscript substantially. We also hope that this new version is considered of interest for publication in Climate of the Past

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