

Dear Editor,

We thank you for your meticulous reading of our manuscript, and for your editorial suggestions.

- 5 We have corrected the English wordings when asked to, and reworded the unclear sentences. We have clarified, at this end of Section 2.1.3 presenting our isotopic database, that it is available on the PANGAEA data archive. We have added an acknowledgement section. Finally, we have gathered means and standard deviations in the same column in all tables.

We hope that this revised version will be appropriate for publication in Climate of the Past.

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Best regards,

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