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Interactive comment on "Ergosterol, arabitol and mannitol as tracers for biogenic aerosols in the Eastern Mediterranean" by N. Burshtein et al.

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Response to the comments by Reviewer #3 on "Ergosterol, arabitol and mannitol as tracers for biogenic aerosols in the Eastern Mediterranean"

Dear Editor; The authors thank the reviewers for the insightful reviews. We have seriously considered each point raised by the Reviewers. Below please find our detailed point-by-point replies to the comments.

Referee #3 1. TMS is now corrected to BSTFA. 2. The limitations and benefits of this analysis are now discussed in section 3.6. 3. Schelzinger is now corrected to Schlesinger. 4. The term "marine indicating" has been changed in the text to "Markers for marine aerosols".

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