

## ***Interactive comment on “Multi-scale data on intertidal macrobenthic biodiversity and environmental features in three New Zealand harbours” by Casper Kraan et al.***

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Thank you for the positive review of our work and we couldn't agree more on the importance of WoRMS to synchronise taxonomic data.

We updated the species-list (Table\_1\_species\_list; Added here as ZIP-file) to the latest scientific names provided by WoRMS and added a column with current accepted Aphia-IDs to the species-list, allowing to track the taxonomy of our intertidal species.

Please also note the supplement to this comment:

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<https://www.earth-syst-sci-data-discuss.net/essd-2019-151/essd-2019-151-AC1-supplement.zip>

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