

Interactive comment on “Retrospect and prospect of a section-based stratigraphic and palaeontological database – Geobiodiversity Database” by Hong-He Xu et al.

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According to the reviewers' comments and suggestions, the corresponded author made the revised manuscript, which can be upload now. The revision mainly includes the following aspects.

The negative and unnecessary criticisms were deleted from the manuscript. The updates of the GBDB and the website focused on the survey and users wishes. The positive way is looking ahead. The is need to the development of the GBDB.

Specific statement and explanations are given to some concepts and unclear points,

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making the data description clear.

Some important work was introduced for the understanding of the data and the study, the references are added.

Some spelling and grammar mistakes were removed

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