

Interactive comment on “Key Landscapes for Conservation Land Cover and Change Monitoring Thematic and Validation Datasets for Sub-Saharan Africa” by Zoltan Szantoi et al.

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Dear Reviewer,

Thank you for your notes. Based on your recommendations, we generated a source dataset at <https://doi.pangaea.de/10.1594/PANGAEA.914261>. Within this source dataset, users can download the complete package (354MB) containing all the KLCs, as well as there is an option to download each KLC site separately. The links to download the individual KLC datasets are provided at the <https://doi.pangaea.de/10.1594/PANGAEA.914261> website under “Source data set:”. Each of the datasets contain the corresponding land cover and land cover change

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maps, QGIS legends files, and the validation dataset.

We also added both the land cover/change and the validation datasets to the Copernicus Hot-Spot website (<https://land.copernicus.eu/global/hsm>), where users can visualize and/or download them directly from the selected KLC panel. All datasets (land cover/change and validation) are fully open.

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