

ESD-2021-55: “ESD Reviews: Extreme Weather and Societal Impacts in the Eastern Mediterranean” by Assaf Hochman, Francesco Marra, Gabriele Messori, Joaquim G. Pinto, Shira Raveh-Rubin, Yizhak Yosef and Georgios Zittis.

Point by point response to the Editor:

1. **Editor:** Can be deleted, already in title.

Response: Deleted according to the Editor’s suggestion.

2. **Editor:** explain where this region is.

Response: Explained according to the Editor’s suggestion. The added text can be found in line 88 and it is: *‘(the region along the Eastern Mediterranean coasts)’*.

3. **Editor:** Is this also reflected in a scenario (RCP or SSP?) If so please add.

Response: This is reflected in the RCP8.5 scenario. Added according to the Editor’s suggestion in line 125.

4. **Editor:** Not only damage due to drought, but also pests.

Response: Added according to the Editor’s suggestion in line 145-147 and the added text is: *‘Pests and diseases could also present a serious threat. In addition, frost days may also be a considerable threat to crops and vegetation in the region (Cramer et al., 2018).’*

5. **Editor:** Also add somewhere potential effects on vegetation and frost damage.

Response: Added according to the Editor’s suggestion in line 145 – 147. See added text in response 4 above.

6. **Editor:** What is TLC?

Response: TLC is an Abbreviation for Tropical-Like-Cyclone. We added the definition in the caption to Figure 1 in line 1411.