

***Interactive comment on “The PMIP4 contribution to CMIP6 – Part 2: Two Interglacials, Scientific Objective and Experimental Design for Holocene and Last Interglacial Simulations” by Bette L. Otto-Bliesner et al.***

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**Additional note from referee #1**

As a follow-up on the interactive comment from referee #3, I would like to add some clarifying words.

Past interglacials, especially the early Last Interglacial, are often regarded as analogues for future climate change. Whether this is justified or not is an open question and I'm not asking the authors to provide any proof in favour or against this idea. However, it seems to me that the authors have made a well considered choice not to mention the Last Interglacial (or the Early Holocene for that matter) in this context and it

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would be highly interesting for the larger community, especially considering the wealth of knowledge on the topic held within the long list of authors, if these considerations would be part of the manuscript.

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