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## Interactive comment on "Sensitivity Analysis of a Coupled Hydrodynamic-Vegetation Model Using the Effectively Subsampled Quadratures Method" by Tarandeep S. Kalra et al.

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Dear Executive Editor,

Thank you for your comments on the discussion paper. As per your suggestions:

The title of the discussion paper can be modified to include the name of the model as an acronym: Sensitivity Analysis of Vegetation Module in the Coupled Ocean Atmosphere Waves Sediment Transport (COAWST) Model Using the Effectively Subsampled Quadratures Method

Some parts of the COAWST model are still under development and we are in the

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process of getting a DOI for it in the coming months. We utilize the version number of the model only during the distribution process through "Subversion client" and the version number associated with the distribution that we used for this analysis is "svn 1108". We can add this information in the "Code Availability section".

In addition, we can add the information for the methods that we used in the "Code availability section" along with its DOI specification as:

Effective Quadratures Version 5.2 (https://github.com/Effective-Quadratures/Effective-Quadratures/releases). Seshadri, P., Parks, G., (2017) "Effective Quadratures (EQ): Polynomials for Computational Engineering Studies", Journal of Open Source Software, 2(11). DOI: 10.21105/joss.00166

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Thank you for your assistance.

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