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I think that the manuscript is excellent. I only suggest to insert these further references, concerning the statistical models, at page 4 line 67-69:

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