

Interactive comment on “ARTS, the atmospheric radiative transfer simulator – version 2.2, the planetary toolbox edition” by Stefan A. Buehler et al.

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As explained in https://www.geoscientific-model-development.net/about/manuscript_types.html it is preferred for the code to be uploaded as a supplement or to be made available at a data repository with an associated DOI (digital object identifier) for the exact model version described in the paper. Given the impermanence of websites, it is not encouraged that authors put models on their own website. Authors should consider improving the availability with a more permanent arrangement.

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On the website <http://www.radiativetransfer.org/misc/download/stable/2.2/> several versions/releases of the code are available for download. The authors need to explicitly state in the manuscript which version the manuscript is based on and are encouraged to provide the code (possibly as stripped version of the tar-ball) as supplement.

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