



Interactive comment on “A spatially-explicit approach to simulate urban heat islands in complex urban landscapes” by Martí Bosch et al.

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The work is very interesting, relevant to the broader context of urban planning and ecosystem services, and presents the model and underlying information and references clearly. The manuscript is well-written and I only have very minor suggestions for revision:

I suggest one minor revision: Adding more detail on how the tree shading coefficient (S_i) was calculated (page 6, line 116 to 118) by way of an equation. The other components (ETI, CCi) have accompanying equations to make their derivation clear to the reader.

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I also found a minor technical correction on page 7, line 143: "biophysiscal" should be "biophysical".

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