

Interactive comment on “Brief Communication: A new testing field for debris flow warning systems and algorithms” by M. Arattano et al.

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We thank our anonymous reviewer for his/her comments on our work and his/her detailed suggestions.

We have particularly appreciated the interest that the reviewer has expressed for the topic and especially for the focus on public awareness, since this latter represents a key issue of the paper, as mentioned in the answer to the other reviewer.

We agree about the number of citations related to our own work. We will reduce them and substitute them with other references that the reviewer suggests in his comments.

We will certainly also rewrite the abstract to make it more informative, so to answer

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also the other reviewer requests of improvement and clarification.

We will take into account all the detailed comments and change/improve the text accordingly.

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