

Editor

General comments:

In the conclusion, detection limits of Fe and Cu in the air are provided. I think the detection limits in air depends on the volume of air sampled. Should the authors also provide detection limits in the solutions?

Response: We thank the editor for the comment. We have added the following text for clarity “**The detection limits in the solutions were 2.07 ppb for WS Fe, 2.05 ppb for WS Cu, 7.00 ppb for total Fe and 3.06 ppb for total Cu.**” to p.8, 1 221-222.