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PART 1:

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PART 2:

FINAL EVALUATOR'S comments on revised paper (if any)	Authors' response to final evaluator's comments
1. Fig 2 should contain coastline of Cyprus and should cover all Cyprus territory to be a map of Cyprus. A reader would prefer Fig 1, 2, 5A and 5B to have the same borders. 2. % signs should be removed after the numbers in the last column in Table 1 since the sign is already in the column header. 3. Commas are not needed in line 128, 260, 261 and may be elsewhere. The text needs editing by an English speaking specialist.	1. In Figs 4a and 4b, we give the rectangular maps, produced by the software used SURGEF - v.6.50. In this mode, we define our region by specifying the longitude/latitude of the lower left and upper right corners instead of the usual west, east, south, north boundaries. The reason for specifying our area this way is that for this and many other projections, lines of equal longitude and latitude are not straight lines and are thus poor choices for map boundaries. Instead, we require that the map boundaries be rectangular by defining the corners of a rectangular map boundary. We replaced Fig1 with a political map, showing the area of interest, i.e. the area under the control of the Republic of Cyprus, comprising about 59% of the island's area, NOT the Turkish-controlled area in the north. 2. We corrected it. 3. We corrected them. Text is edited by native English speakers.