Author’s response

Assessing economic impacts of environmental research infrastructures: overview of methodological tools (Regis Kalaydjian)

The point-by-point responses to reviewers were sent some weeks ago, and the changes in the manuscript follow the changes listed in the responses.

List of the changes:

- The abstract has been redrafted.
- The introduction has been redrafted.
- An introduction to section 2 has been added.
- The first paragraph of 2.1.1 has been redrafted.
- The summary on Argo (2.1.3) has been added.
- Section 3.1.4 has been clarified.
- Section 3.2 has been clarified in order to distinguish between comments on Argo and comment on ENV RIs, especially in the beginning of the subsections.
- 3.2.3 has been added to address more clearly the problem of correlations between indicators.
- 3.2.4 has been added to address the topic of research and education indicators.
- 3.2.5 has been slightly improved.
- 3.3.2 has been improved.
- 3.3.3 has been added to address the problem of specific feedback impacts from Argo.
- The conclusion has been redrafted.
- The captions of figures have been improved.
- Figure 6 has been removed. It did not provide clear information.

English language has been improved and the main mistakes have been corrected for the abstract, the introduction and section 1 and 2. Unfortunately, it was too late to correct section 3 and the conclusion. I beg the permission to make these remaining corrections.