Interactive comment on “Pore formation during dehydration of polycrystalline gypsum observed and quantified in a time-series synchrotron radiation based X-ray micro-tomography experiment” by F. Fusseis et al.

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Dear Florian and co-authors,

I have now taken the time to go through your updated manuscript and figures. I have to say, I think that you have dealt with the reviewers’ comments in an appropriate manner. Although, I did quite like the 3D figure! I will rubberstamp the acceptance after the following (very minor) comment has been considered: I feel that it is a shame that the recent, and pertinent, work of Nicolas Brantut and co-authors is not discussed
anywhere in the paper. For example:


Once considered (in the form of a rebuttal comment and, if applicable, a re-revised manuscript), your manuscript will be accepted. Thank you for considering Solid Earth.

Mike Heap

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