

***Interactive comment on “Exploitation of the  
far-offshore wind energy resource by fleets of  
energy ships. Part B. Cost of energy” by  
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We assumed a lifetome of 20 years and an interest rate of 6% for the low cost scenario and 10% for the high cost scenario, which gives a capital recovery factor in the range 8.7-11.7%. This information can be found in section 4.1: "Assuming an interest rate in the range 6–10% and a lifetime of 20 years, the capital recovery factor is in the range 8.7–11.7%."

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