Interactive comment on “Determination of circumsolar radiation from Meteosat Second Generation” by B. Reinhardt et al.

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After giving some more thought to my suggestion of looking into using "area diameter" in the paragraph starting, "The authors introduce ‘effective radius’ at the end of section 2.3", I recommend ignoring this entire paragraph. Area diameter is applicable to individual ice crystals and not, at least as far as I can see, applicable to distributions of crystals of different sizes.