

Review of: "ALR_Sim_tracks - trajectory simulator software to assist the search for favourable trajectories for the exploration of the triple Asteroid 2001-SN263 from the Laser Altimeter point of view"

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Reviewers Comments:

- Figure 6a, top labelling figure is not completely included, need to rectify.
- Abstract can focus more clearly in short about background of work, limitations of existing work, approach and derived results, advantages.
- Keywords can be alphabetically arranged
- It will be good practice if reference citations are starting with introduction and not from abstract of the article.
- In section 2: A more detailed explanation of the program's operation is given below, starting with a description of the input parameters used, simulations carried out, analysis parameters created, visualizations offered (graphs) and results displayed by the program.

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- ATD (along track distance)- instead of this use following way of writing abbreviations:

Along Track Distance (ATD) in entire paper for all abbreviations.

- There is no description appearing before the figures- for figures 4a, 4b
- Check for every table and figures- Figure and table description should appear before it appears in paper.
- 3. Which optical instruments can be simulated- Change the section heading
- 4. Conclusions and comments- Change the section heading
- Few more good journal references can be included.