Interactive comment on “NOM characterization and removal at six Southern African water treatment plants” by J. Haarhoff et al.

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General comments: The paper is of good quality, dealing with an interesting topic. Just some minor comments in addition to the comments by Referee W. Siegers.

Specific comments: Page 237, line 20-22: add reference. Page 237, line 24-26: AOC is mainly related to NOM with molecular weight less than 1000 Dalton. The fraction of NOM with molecular weight less than 1000 Dalton corresponds to 16-38% of DOC and 4-9% of colour (Hem and Efraimsen, 2001). Page 244, line 4-7: add reference.
