Interactive comment on “A novel technique including GPS radio occultation for detecting and monitoring volcanic clouds” by Riccardo Biondi et al.

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I find the monthly mean anomaly figure (Figure 3) and its discussion in the text confusing. Is not the anomaly calculated relative to the monthly mean? Then the mean anomaly should be zero by definition. Please explain the concept behind this figure more carefully.

And a technical comment on the same figure: The top row misses x-axis labels.