

## An apology

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I must apologise for moderation being slow yesterday.

I will do the same in advance for today, and maybe Monday.

It is the time of year when academic life fires back into life and there are a lot of matters to attend to in my day job.

I also seem to be taking on a pile of new work on new research projects, as if I had not already got enough to do.

I will moderate comments as soon as I can, but if they sometimes have to wait for hours, that's because I am busy elsewhere, and I think that providing a moderated space much better than the alternative.