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## Interactive comment on "Responses of natural runoff to recent climatic changes in the Yellow River basin, China" by Y. Tang et al.

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The reviewers of the manuscript have positively accounted for its importance and relevance. The methodologies are also adequate . However, they provide a few major comments that must be addressed to make the manuscript appropriate for publication. They comment on the problematic aspects of the division of flow into three regimes, and the lack of consideration of the processes that caused them. The spatial analysis is also missing and could provide some important insights. Additional clarifications are needed on several issues as listed in the reviewer reports.

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