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Interactive comment on "On the importance of observational data properties when assessing regional climate model performance of extreme precipitation" by M. A. Sunyer et al.

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I think this is an interesting and well structured manuscript. It reinforces and extends our findings in the context of the uncertainties related to the observational datasets employed to evaluate climate models. We summarized them in a paper recently published that you may have not noticed:

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In this article, we deal with the same topic you develop here, use a very similar methodology, and draw the same main conclusion: the necessity of taking into account uncer-

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tainties in the observational datasets used to validate climate models. Perhaps the authors could consider briefly discussing our findings in the introduction, in order to better contextualize their study in the available bibliography.

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