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## Interactive comment on "Technical Note: Application of artificial neural networks in groundwater table forecasting – a case study in Singapore swamp forest" by Y. Sun et al.

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The paper ("technical note") presents a practical example of using a well-known and widely used machine learning technique (neural network) for a groundwater problem. This contribution could be interesting to groundwater specialists. Referees however do no think the paper carries enough innovation, and provided a number of serious comments (and recommendations) that in their view do not allow them for recommending publishing this paper. I agree - in this form the paper is not ready for publication. However, I would like to give an opportunity to the authors to address all the referees' comments, and to rework the paper.

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