

## ***Interactive comment on “Behaviors of extreme water level in the Pearl River Delta and possible impacts from human activities” by Y. D. Chen et al.***

### **Anonymous Referee #2**

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General Comments A few language issues need to be attended to in order to make the paper clear. A common grammatical error is “significant increasing” or “significant decreasing”; instead of “significantly increasing”; and “significantly decreasing”; In the discussion section, mention is made of the “decreasing precipitation”; in summer and autumn. This seems to be speculative without any evidence. Page 4373 the correlation coefficient is given as  $R > 9$  when this should be  $R > 0.9$  The correlation coefficient is never greater than 1.0 Table 1: what are the units of measurement for numerical values presented.

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