

Interactive comment on “Streamflow trends in Europe: evidence from a dataset of near-natural catchments” by K. Stahl et al.

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The HESSD manuscript by Stahl et al. was positively commented by the three reviewers.

Thus, I would like to invite the authors to submit their paper to HESS after addressing all reviewers' comments.

For what concern the debate on testing statistical significance (where two reviewers have different views), I think that the choice made by the authors is acceptable as the concept of statistical significance with respect to trend testing is being increasingly questioned (e.g. Koutsoyiannis and Montanari, WRR, 2007; Cohn and Lins, GRL,

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2005; Clarke, HSJ, 2010).

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