

***Interactive comment on “Modifying a dynamic global vegetation model for simulating large spatial scale land surface water balance” by G. Tang and P. J. Bartlein***

**Anonymous Referee #1**

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Dear Authors,

Thank you for your submission. Although it is not ready for publication yet, I believe that with a significant overhaul of the text (including a more robust justification of the methodology) and additional comparisons to previous work at the global scale, it may then be reconsidered for re-review.

I wish you the best of luck in re-working this interesting article and look forward to what I am sure will be a significantly improved contribution.

Please also note the supplement to this comment:

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<http://www.hydrol-earth-syst-sci-discuss.net/9/C71/2012/hessd-9-C71-2012-supplement.pdf>

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