

**To: Dr Martijn Westhoff**  
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Dear Dr. Westhoff,

We would like to thank you for considering our manuscript entitled “**Hydrological trade-offs due to different land covers and land uses in the Brazilian Cerrado**” by Jamil A. A. Anache, Livia M. P. Rosalem, Edson Wendland, Cristian Youlton and Paulo T.S. Oliveira for publication in Hydrology and Earth System Sciences. In the final uploaded manuscript, we corrected a mistake in Eq. 11 and we replaced the minus sign by a multiplication sign, as indicated in the final response letter.

We would like to thank the editor and reviewers for their kind words in support of our manuscript and for their time spent reviewing our text. The editor and reviewers’ suggestions were highly insightful and enabled us to improve the quality of our manuscript.

Thank you again for all the support given during the reviewing and discussion processes.

Yours sincerely,

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