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## Interactive comment on "Evaluation of Low Impact Development and Nature-Based Solutions for stormwater management: a fully distributed modelling approach" by Yangzi Qiu et al.

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In fact, I do not need to give specific comments on a report "from my point of view", that I do not see any specific new knowledge to the readers. Using an existing model with different input data pattern is NOT considered as a new idea, a novelty in knowledge or new observations. The statement that you claimed "I overlooked it", the authors used a ready-made model, the authors did not even make any modification in the model. Finally, I recommend the authors to try to apply the same concept in another case study, and hence, the findings from both case studies could lead the authors to acquire or observe a new knowledge that might be useful and valuable for the hydrologists.

In addition, the authors might carry out a lot of contribution but it is not clear in the cur-

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rent version of the paper. This reviewer appreciates so much if the authors could improve the current version of the manuscript by focusing on their contribution by adding the real details of modeling structure that might be new knowledge to the hydrologists and academic society.

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