

Interactive comment on “Brief communication “Likelihood of societal preparedness for global change”” by R. M. Vogel et al.

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The authors are indebted to Dr. Grimaldi for his very constructive and positive review comments. The three minor editorial suggestions will be incorporated into the revised manuscript. In addition, we will expand upon our third conclusion titled “Improvements in Trend Detection, Attribution and Prediction” to include a brief summary of recent developments in nonparametric trend detection as well as the challenges posed by change points and long term persistence when one attempts to detect trends.

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