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## ***Interactive comment on “Floods in the Niger basin – analysis and attribution” by V. Aich et al.***

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I would like to thank the referees for their effort, and for raising interesting issues that surely will help the authors in improving the manuscript. This paper has been subject of 2 reviews with different feedbacks, thus providing really a useful discussion. All the reviewers recognized the value of the presented work and the effort spent in the data analysis. The treated topic is challenging. Having said that reviewer #1 suggested minor issues, while reviewer #2 recommended a rejection arguing a series of critical issues that are present in the text. I agree with all the issues raised, and at the same time I appreciated the detailed replies that the authors provided. Based on this feedback, I think that the authors should have a chance to propose a revised version of their work. The authors should consider in detail all the critical issues raised, and try to do the best to fix all the underlined weak points. I will expect an improved version of

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