

## ***Interactive comment on “Spatial characteristics analysis of drought disasters in North China during the Ming and Qing Dynasties” by S. Bi et al.***

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This paper investigates the spatial characteristics of drought disasters in North China during the Ming and Qing Dynasties, and it is very important for the ancient climate research. However, there are many spell mistakes in this paper, please revise it again and again, and then to publish in minor review. Some mistakes are listed as follows: 1. Page 1, in Abstract, line 5: “on”, delete; 2. Page 1, in Abstract, line 6: “into”, delete 3. Page 1, in the Introduction, line 7 : “present” to “presents”; 4. Page 2, line 21: “on”, delete; 5. Page 2, line 22: “is” should be “are”; 6. Page 3, line 29: “big” should be “the highest”; 7. Page 4, line 19 : “low” should be “the lowest”; 8. Page 8, line 4: “region” should be “regions”; 9. Page 11, line 19: “receive” should be “receives”; 10. Page 12, the first reference: “40(9)” to “40 (9)”;

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