

## ***Interactive comment on “Empirical Study on Drought Adaptation of Regional Rainfed Agriculture in China” by Z. Wang et al.***

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Thanks so much for your suggestions and advice on this article, which help us better knowing our shortages and advantages. Below is our point-by-point response to the comments of the reviewers. 1.It’s a good suggestion to use water as the link between natural and society, so as to quantify the development demand. We will consider this in the revised paper. 2. As for the question on how the policy influencing farmers’ production and livelihood, it’s a complicated issue that needed further research. We will do some further analysis of the household level data to better illustrate the interaction between policy and farmers’ behavior. 3.In this article, we have listed the adaptation measures of the government in the timeline in figure 14. 4.We will check terminologies and grammar to guarantee the correctness of them. Thanks so much for your patience.

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