

Comments to the author:

Thanks Authors, for the interesting paper.

The degradation of groundwater reservoirs is referred (line 304) to the early 20th century, but likely it is for the early 21st century...?

Kind regards and good luck with your research activities, Eyal

Reply:

Dear editor, thanks so much for your work and your contributions during the review process, which help us a lot.

Thanks for your comment, the “the early 20th century” should be “the end of the 20th century” .

We have edited the manuscript strictly based on the submission guidelines, including figure format, and added necessary sections such as data availability ...

We are glad to have this opportunity to publish our innovative paper in Biogeosciences. We will also continue to submit important results to your journal.

Regards!

Prof. Dr. Tiexi Chen and coauthors