

Interactive comment on “Iterative land proxy based reconstruction of SST for the simulation of terrestrial Holocene climate” by K. Haberkorn et al.

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Dear Dr. Haberkorn,

I am now in possession of 3 reviews of your manuscript. I have asked for 3 as this paper presents a new and potentially novel methodology and I think it needed more eyes to look at it than a more 'business-as-usual' paper. Nonetheless, all reviewers agree that despite the strong potential of your method, the paper suffers serious drawbacks that are all clearly addressed in their comments. 2 of the reviewers ask for rejection while one asked for re-submission but was not keen to review the 2nd version of your paper. Based on those and on my own reading of your manuscript I therefore cannot accept it in its present form and am rejecting it. However I think there is a real potential in your work and I would encourage a new version of your paper to be re-submitted at your

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earliest convenience.

Best regards - Nathalie

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