

## ***Interactive comment on “Radon monitoring as a possible indicator of tectonic events” by V. I. Outkin et al.***

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1. Anonymous did not understand what the authors as a precursor to use not absolute (or relative) value of a particular physical parameter (the amount of 3-d intensity of radon, strain, etc.) and spatial compression area array (dilatancy area) that you define on the basis of the data of radon monitor.
2. The authors consider radon as an indicator of gas phase behavior of soil air, since radon as radioactive gas is relatively easy to detect. Content of radon in soil air is so small (10 -16 %) that the radon gas could not in principle affect the behavior of the array, but can reflect as VAR behavior (compression-tensile) array.
3. References cited anonymous, authors are well known and, in the opinion of the

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authors have no fundamental significance to this article.

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