

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

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Paper focused on a research into the behavior of radon (VAR-volume activity of radon) excreted from the array. This paper constitutes a very complex work and an interesting application of the above mentioned method but it is unclear about to scientific advances that could be used by scientific community. Some improvements are request

1) Abstract: it needs to be more concise, focus on location, need for investigation methods used expected outcomes. 2) Introduction: I think that the Authors could be focused this paragraph to specify the peculiar aspects of novelty of this paper with respect to other studies performed from other authors. This is important because paper merit to be published in a form more comprehensible.

3) the methodology. I believe that would be much more informative if Authors provide additional details about the survey strategy and the inversion procedure. 4) Conclusion:

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This has been written more like a summary than conclusions

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