Interactive comment on "Energetic regimes of the global economy – past, present and future" *by* Andrew Jarvis and Carey King

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I am pleased to see that this manuscript it generating interest. The journal's open review process is an opportunity for researchers to contribute their reviews, thoughts, and opinions about work that is undergoing peer review.

I would be very grateful that when comments and responses are posted, they focus on the manuscript under review. A good review will allow me as the editor to evaluate the manuscript. If there are issues with the manuscript, then they need to be detailed. General comments about methodologies while of course important need to be substantiated.

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