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

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Unfortunately, the first review comment was far too polite. I have been doing energy research for over 40 years and this paper makes absolutely no sense to me. First of all the methodology is not clear, and even if it were it is at far too aggregate a level to be meaningful given the kinds of issues that the authors seem to want to address, as far as I can tell. Secondly, the paper is terribly written, which is part of the reason why it seems to make little or no sense. Surely, this paper should not be published. It is not even close to being a professional paper.