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## Interactive comment on "Refined estimate of China's CO<sub>2</sub> emissions in spatiotemporal distributions" by M.-M. Liu et al.

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## Dear Authors,

Sincerely yours,

Your paper has been evaluated by two anonymous reviewers. They gave a set of major and minor comments, and most of the minor comments, including the editorial comments, will be addressed, in your revision, as suggested in your reply. The major criticism, raised by one of both reviewers, was related to the methodologies involved, and the scientific quality. There are some significant assumptions in the methodology used and the authors identify some of these. Also, the reviewer pointed out that the authors are too critical of previous studies.

As handling editor, I strongly support your suggestion (as suggested in both replies)

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to address those comments. The scientific quality in the revised version and to address those comments will be critical for accepting the paper in ACP. I look forward in receiving the revision.

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