

Interactive comment on “Ice melt, sea level rise and superstorms: evidence from paleoclimate data, climate modeling, and modern observations that 2 °C global warming is highly dangerous” by J. Hansen et al.

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I want to thank Hansen et al for their paper and this reviewer for his clear descriptions. When the reviewer writes, "The conclusions of this paper confirm what I had gloomily expected people would figure out," he states my feelings perfectly. It was clear to me as a careful observer that the previous estimates of melting [IPCC e.g.] badly underestimated the feedbacks, for whatever reasons. I see that reviewers object to individual items but I believe the comments I have seen cannot deny the overall message of

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accelerating melt.

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