

Interactive comment on “Inferring the anthropogenic NO_x emission trend over the United States during 2003–2017 from satellite observations: Was there a flattening of the emission trend after the Great Recession?” by Jianfeng Li and Yuhang Wang

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Dear authors, in support of your results I would like to bring your attention to a recent study on satellite-based tropospheric NO₂ trends and trend reversals (1996-2017). In this study, it is shown that several regions in the US experienced a trend reversal around the period 2000 from positive or neutral trends to negative ones. There are also results for selected megacities in the US (e.g. Los Angeles).

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