

Interactive comment on “A millennial multi-proxy reconstruction of summer PDSI for Southern South America” by É. Boucher et al.

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Dear Dr. Boucher,

It has been very difficult to find referees willing to review this paper and I am still waiting the outcome of additional referee nominations submitted last week. I believe this is in part due to the length and relative complexity of this manuscript. However, until we get the comments from an additional reviewer, let me suggest you start addressing all the comments and suggestions made by Dr. Neukom in his detailed review. I would also strongly recommend you consider reducing the length of the manuscript wherever possible, maybe by removing some less relevant portions of the text and/or putting some figures and text as Supplementary Material. This would make the paper more readable and attractive for a wider audience. I would also recommend reducing the size

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of the heavier figure files so that the resulting discussion paper is not so big (currently over 50mb with 17 figures).

Best regards,

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