

Interactive comment on “Effects of dating errors on nonparametric trend analyses of speleothem time series” by M. Mudelsee et al.

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Regarding Sebastian Lünings question “Why does he criticize an interpretation [sic!] in our blog article that he seems to have supported himself in an earlier paper (Fohlmeister et al. 2012), studying the same cave and same time interval?”, our answer is as follows.

As already said by us, our paper (Mudelsee et al., 2012, CPD) is about trends, not cycles. Vahrenholt and Lüning state that our paper found cycles. This is an untrue statement.

As already said by us, other papers may find anything, be it on the same or on other C938

data—the above statement by Vahrenholt and Lüning is still untrue.

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