**Interactive comment on “Regional frequency analysis of heavy precipitation in the Czech Republic by improved region-of-influence method” by L. Gaál and J. Kyselý**

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Given that the first referee (#3) gave already a thorough feedback with which I basically agree, I do not have any further substantial comments. The author’s reply to the first referee’s comments seem to me duly considering the suggestions for modifications and corrections of the original text.

I would like, however, to say a word on the manuscript’s originality: I agree with the first referee that the originality is quite limited, also taking into account the author’s reply: it remains a variation of a known approach with combinations of known methods. However, I do not mind more application oriented studies showing also to the scientific community how certain approaches gain in the extent of application. Be it in a geo-
graphical sense, i.e. application in different regions of the world; be it with regard to content, i.e. use in a variety of domains, other than originally designed for.

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