

## ***Interactive comment on “A database of water and heat observations over grassland in the north-east of Japan” by Wenchao Ma et al.***

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One more remark: sorry I forgot the following: In the abstract you cite "Konto and Xu (1997)", but that should probably mean "Kondo and Xu (1997)"

(Response) We thank the reviewer for pointing this out. We modified the text as followed: "Kondo and Xu (1997)" [P1 L20]

Furthermore, we added two references wrote by Xu et al., which helps readers to understand this method well. The context added to the manuscript are: "This method was successfully applied to Tibetan Plateau (Xu and Haginoya, 2001, Xu et al., 2005)." [P7 L5-6] The references to the context as followed: "Xu, J., Haginoya, S.: An Estimation of Heat and Water Balances in the Tibetan Plateau, Journal of the Meteorological So-

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