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Interactive comment on "Drivers for spatial, temporal and long-term trends in atmospheric ammonia and ammonium in the UK" by Yuk S. Tang et al.

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The trend analysis in this study is superficial and does not meet a criteria for publishing in a high-impacted journals such as ACP. The authors are strongly encouraged to conduct a literature review for which trend analysis tools are the most suitable for this work. Incorrect adopting trend analysis tools also leads that several discussion such as "Trends in NH3 concentrations vs trends in NH3 emissions", "Influence of climate" and "Influence of local emission sources" is full of augments and lack of solid scientific values. The reviewer believes a substantial revision to be required to make the current version publishable.

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