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## Reply on AC2

Anonymous Referee #2

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Referee comment on "Seasonal forecasting of lake water quality and algal bloom risk using a continuous Gaussian Bayesian network" by Leah A. Jackson-Blake et al., Hydrol. Earth Syst. Sci. Discuss., <https://doi.org/10.5194/hess-2021-621-RC3>, 2022

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Quick question: How can this be considered a forecast model if it requires you to input wind speeds 6 months in advance? At best, we can only forecast wind speeds a week or two in advance.