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1	Anthropogenic warming has increased drought risk in California. Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences of the United States of America, 2015, 112, 3931-3936.	3.3	1,023
2	Regional Climate Modeling for the Developing World: The ICTP RegCM3 and RegCNET. Bulletin of the American Meteorological Society, 2007, 88, 1395-1410.	1.7	847
3	Changes in Ecologically Critical Terrestrial Climate Conditions. Science, 2013, 341, 486-492.	6.0	473
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5	Climate change hotspots in the CMIP5 global climate model ensemble. Climatic Change, 2012, 114, 813-822.	1.7	449
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16	A multi-model and multi-index evaluation of drought characteristics in the 21st century. Journal of Hydrology, 2015, 526, 196-207.	2.3	296
17	Higher Hydroclimatic Intensity with Global Warming. Journal of Climate, 2011, 24, 5309-5324.	1.2	294
18	Robust increases in severe thunderstorm environments in response to greenhouse forcing. Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences of the United States of America, 2013, 110, 16361-16366.	3.3	278

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19	Changes in severe thunderstorm environment frequency during the 21st century caused by anthropogenically enhanced global radiative forcing. Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences of the United States of America, 2007, 104, 19719-19723.	3.3	277
20	Occurrence and persistence of future atmospheric stagnation events. Nature Climate Change, 2014, 4, 698-703.	8.1	247
21	Observational and model evidence of global emergence of permanent, unprecedented heat in the 20th and 21st centuries. Climatic Change, 2011, 107, 615-624.	1.7	231
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26	Climate change hotspots in the United States. Geophysical Research Letters, 2008, 35, .	1.5	196
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28	Climate volatility deepens poverty vulnerability in developing countries. Environmental Research Letters, 2009, 4, 034004.	2.2	188
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30	Intensification of hot extremes in the United States. Geophysical Research Letters, 2010, 37, .	1.5	157
31	The COVID-19 lockdowns: a window into the Earth System. Nature Reviews Earth & Environment, 2020, 1, 470-481.	12.2	153
32	Trends in atmospheric patterns conducive to seasonal precipitation and temperature extremes in California. Science Advances, 2016, 2, e1501344.	4.7	150
33	Out of the Tropics: The Pacific, Great Basin Lakes, and Late Pleistocene Water Cycle in the Western United States. Science, 2012, 337, 1629-1633.	6.0	139
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37	Extension and Intensification of the Meso-American mid-summer drought in the twenty-first century. <i>Climate Dynamics</i> , 2008, 31, 551-571.	1.7	125
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39	Drought and immunity determine the intensity of West Nile virus epidemics and climate change impacts. <i>Proceedings of the Royal Society B: Biological Sciences</i> , 2017, 284, 20162078.	1.2	114
40	Transient response of severe thunderstorm forcing to elevated greenhouse gas concentrations. <i>Geophysical Research Letters</i> , 2009, 36, .	1.5	111
41	Climate volatility and poverty vulnerability in Tanzania. <i>Global Environmental Change</i> , 2011, 21, 46-55.	3.6	111
42	Could CO2-induced land-cover feedbacks alter near-shore upwelling regimes?. <i>Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences of the United States of America</i> , 2004, 101, 27-32.	3.3	107
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45	Global warming presents new challenges for maize pest management. <i>Environmental Research Letters</i> , 2008, 3, 044007.	2.2	92
46	Rapid, time-transgressive, and variable responses to early Holocene midcontinental drying in North America. <i>Geology</i> , 2010, 38, 135-138.	2.0	89
47	Influence of climate model biases and daily-scale temperature and precipitation events on hydrological impacts assessment: A case study of the United States. <i>Journal of Geophysical Research</i> , 2010, 115, .	3.3	86
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49	Influence of modern land cover on the climate of the United States. <i>Climate Dynamics</i> , 2009, 33, 945-958.	1.7	85
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51	Attributing Extreme Events to Climate Change: A New Frontier in a Warming World. <i>One Earth</i> , 2020, 2, 522-527.	3.6	83
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53	Influence of temperature and precipitation variability on near-term snow trends. <i>Climate Dynamics</i> , 2015, 45, 1099-1116.	1.7	80
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56	Response of corn markets to climate volatility under alternative energy futures. Nature Climate Change, 2012, 2, 514-518.	8.1	74
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71	The Role of Plant CO ₂ Physiological Forcing in Shaping Future Daily-Scale Precipitation. Journal of Climate, 2017, 30, 2319-2340.	1.2	46
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75	Characterizing the Spatial Scales of Extreme Daily Precipitation in the United States. <i>Journal of Climate</i> , 2018, 31, 8023-8037.	1.2	44
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83	Variations in the Intensity and Spatial Extent of Tropical Cyclone Precipitation. <i>Geophysical Research Letters</i> , 2019, 46, 13992-14002.	1.5	37
84	Projected changes in African easterly wave intensity and track in response to greenhouse forcing. <i>Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences of the United States of America</i> , 2014, 111, 6882-6887.	3.3	36
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93	Atmosphere-land cover feedbacks alter the response of surface temperature to CO2 forcing in the western United States. Climate Dynamics, 2005, 24, 237-251.	1.7	26
94	Disentangling the influence of local and remote anthropogenic aerosols on South Asian monsoon daily rainfall characteristics. Climate Dynamics, 2019, 52, 6301-6320.	1.7	26
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99	Response of California Current forcing to mid-Holocene insolation and sea surface temperatures. Paleoceanography, 2007, 22, .	3.0	21
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105	Implications of the permanent El Niño teleconnection "blueprint" for past global and North American hydroclimatology. Climate of the Past, 2011, 7, 723-743.	1.3	18
106	Agriculture and Trade Opportunities for Tanzania: Past Volatility and Future Climate Change. Review of Development Economics, 2012, 16, 429-447.	1.0	17
107	Observed and projected climate trends and hotspots across the National Ecological Observatory Network regions. Frontiers in Ecology and the Environment, 2015, 13, 547-552.	1.9	17
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111	Probability of emergence of novel temperature regimes at different levels of cumulative carbon emissions. <i>Frontiers in Ecology and the Environment</i> , 2016, 14, 418-423.	1.9	15
112	Moisture- Versus Wind- Dominated Flavors of Atmospheric Rivers. <i>Geophysical Research Letters</i> , 2020, 47, e2020GL090042.	1.5	13
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115	Atmospheric variability contributes to increasing wildfire weather but not as much as global warming. <i>Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences of the United States of America</i> , 2021, 118, .	3.3	12
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118	Response of large-scale eastern boundary current forcing in the 21st century. <i>Geophysical Research Letters</i> , 2005, 32, n/a-n/a.	1.5	8
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129	Appreciation of peer reviewers for 2015. Geophysical Research Letters, 2016, 43, 3593-3619.	1.5	0
130	Appreciation of 2017 GRL Peer Reviewers. Geophysical Research Letters, 2018, 45, 4494-4528.	1.5	0
131	Thank You to Our 2018 Peer Reviewers. Geophysical Research Letters, 2019, 46, 12608-12636.	1.5	0
132	Asia.. , 2010, , 65-77.		0
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134	Introducing “Environmental Research: Climate” a new journal devoted to understanding the causes, consequences and solutions of climate variability and change. , 2022, 1, 010201.		0