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Interactive comment on "Application of a modified distributed-dynamic erosion and sediment yield model in a typical watershed of hilly and gully region, Chinese Loess Plateau" by Lei Wu et al.

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Dear Prof. Wu:

I have checked the reviews of your manuscript submitted to Solid Earth (SE-2016-127). All of them have suggested minor revision. You have been informed by the editorial office about this. I have also seen that you recently submitted a report with answers to the three referees' comments which includes a revised version.

This is not yet a definitive official decision, but, in my opinion, the manuscript has been considerably improved. However, I also see that there are many issues that need clarification or re-writing. In order to accelerate the process and make things easy,



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I have revised the last version of the manuscript and have made some changes in writing and included some comments. Please, find the attached marked and unmarked versions.

Please, open the "marked" version and check all suggested changes one by one. Check all corrections made to the text. All of them have been done just to make text more understandable in English.

REFERENCES

- The listed references included many errors: author names, publication names and other wrong or absent data. Please, check suggestions and revise the rest of the list.

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- Master or PhD theses are not peer-reviewed sources. Therefore, they must be deleted. I understand that they may be valuable scientific works, but can not be accepted in a scientific paper. Delete them or substitute with a peer-reviewed source.

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I hope you find these comments useful. If you need more time, just tell me.

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Executive Editor of Solid Earth

Please also note the supplement to this comment: http://www.solid-earth-discuss.net/se-2016-127/se-2016-127-EC1-supplement.pdf

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