

Thank you for addressing my comments. I am largely satisfied with the responses. I have few remaining comments.

1. The manuscript does not reflect some of the responses. For clarity and transparency the manuscript should be revised corresponding to these responses. For example,

“As per our response on groupings in above reply, one should not assume that the clusters in the same groups should have same trends.” : I could not find any corresponding changes in the manuscript.

“The Figure 8 shows the contribution of clusters in total monthly rainfall while Figure 10 shows the contribution of clusters in total change in rainfall . Thus, the cluster that contributes maximum rainfall doesn't have to be the one that changed the most.” : I could not find any corresponding changes in the manuscript.

These are important information that should be clearly mentioned in the manuscript.

2. A part of my earlier comments that is still unaddressed: “The authors also did not describe Figure 9 well. What is "Seasonal frequency of occurrence of cluster"? Is it N_i in Equation 3?”

Minor comments:

1. Line#40: JASS -> JJAS
2. Figure#8 caption: K&T -> T&K
3. Code availability statement: the link https://github.com/RBhupi/monsoon_clusters is broken