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<u>Compulsory</u> REVISION comments	Abstract: Ln 8-12: Sentence- "Analysis of a 31 years regression analysis and statistical techniques" is too long so it could be fragmented for more clarity. Secondly, regression analysis is also a statistical technique so no need to write 'regression analysis' here. Ln 15: full stop is needed to end the sentence. Introduction: Ln 22-24: Put a sentence to clear how visibility is caused for deaths. Ln 36: at al → et al., Ln 37-38: Paragraph should not be changed. Ln 42-43: Look at the relevancy of sentence as mentioned that emission is insignificant? Study Area: Ln 71: 'Data/Method' should be replaced by 'Data Availability' as the content under the heading	
	is giving information for data only.	
	Under the separate heading 'Data Analysis', mention the analysis done in the paper.	
	Results and Discussion:	
	Figures are required to be explained and expended for clarity	
	Ln 179: Remove heading as already given	
	If dry Season and wet season refer to summers and monsoon, explain.	
	Ln 189: why question mark? Revise the sentence.	
	Table 2: The numbers from which analysis?	
	Ln 223: What is the meaning of the values given as wind direction?	
	Conclusion: Hydrocarbon data should be analysed to address the objective of the paper.	
	Ln 250: What is missing height?	
	Due to lack of references there is no clarity in the text. Gaps should be fulfilled by giving proper	
	references.	
	More analysis should be included.	
	English language needs to be improved.	

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