**Interactive comment on “Wave climate in the Arctic 1992–2014: seasonality and trends” by Justin E. Stopa et al.**

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The paper is a thorough investigation of the changing wave and ice climate in the Arctic ocean. The paper will serve as a baseline study of conditions in the Arctic upon which future studies can build. I recommend the paper is accepted as is.

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