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Climategate goes American: NOAA, GISS and the mystery of the vanishing weather stations

By [James Delingpole](#) [Politics](#) Last updated: January 16th, 2010

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For those who haven't seen it, here's a link to [US weatherman John Coleman's magisterial demolition of the Great AGW Scam](#). I particularly recommend part 4 because that's the one with all the meat. It shows how temperature readings have been manipulated at the two key climate data centres in the United States – the NASA Goddard Science and Space Institute at Columbia University in New York and the NOAA National Climate Data Center in Ashville, North Carolina. (Hat tip: [Platosays](#))

This is a scandal to rank with Climategate.

What it shows is that, just like in Britain at the Climatic Research Unit (CRU) temperature data records have been grotesquely distorted by activist scientists in order to exaggerate the appearance of late 20th century global warming. They achieved this – with an insouciant disregard for scientific integrity which quite beggars belief – through the simple expedient of ignoring most of those weather station sited in higher, colder places and using mainly ones in warmer spots. Then, they averaged out the temperature readings given by the warmer stations to give a global average. Et voila: exactly the scary “climate change” they needed to persuade bodies like the IPCC that AGW was a clear and present danger requiring urgent pan-governmental action.

The man who spotted all this is a computer programmer called EM Smith – aka the [Chiefio](#). You can read the full report at [his excellent blog](#). In the 70s, the Chiefio discovered, GISS and NOAA took their temperature data from 6,000 weather stations around the world. By 1990, though, this figure had mysteriously dropped to 1500. Even more mysteriously this 75 per cent reduction in the number of stations used had a clear bias against those at higher latitudes and elevations.

Here's an [excellent example of this: Bolivia](#).

Notice that nice rosy red over the top of Bolivia? Bolivia is that country near, but not on, the coast just about half way up the Pacific Ocean side. It has a patch of high cold Andes Mountains where most of the population live.

One Small Problem with the anomaly map. There has not been any thermometer data for Bolivia in GHCN since 1990.

None. Nada. Zip. Zilch. Nothing. Empty Set.

So just how can it be so Hot Hot Hot! in Bolivia if there is **NO** data from the last 20 years?

Easy. GISTemp “makes it up” from “nearby” thermometers up to 1200 km away. So what is within 1200 km of Bolivia? The beaches of Chili, Peru and the Amazon Jungle.

Not exactly the same as snow capped peaks and high cold desert, but hey, you gotta make do with what you have, you know?

Meteorologist Joseph D'Aleo has also been on the case. You can find a link to his superb analysis of the scandal at [Watts Up With That](#). (Sorry: I would give you a more direct link to his pdf file but I can't work out how to do it)

In Canada the number of stations dropped from 600 to 35 in 2009. The percentage of stations in the lower elevations (below 300 feet) tripled and those at higher elevations above 3000 feet were reduced in half. Canada's semi-permanent depicted warmth comes from interpolating from more southerly locations to fill northerly vacant grid boxes, even as a pure average of the available stations shows a COOLING. Just 1 thermometer remains for everything north of latitude 65N – that station is Eureka. Eureka according to Wikipedia has been described as “The Garden Spot of the Arctic” .

You know what this means, don't you? It means the ragbag of eco-loons, politicians and technocrats pushing AGW can no longer plausibly deploy their main excuse about Climategate – that it was all a little local difficulty of no great importance because the HadCrut temperature data sets were independently confirmed by those at GISS and NOAA. What this story demonstrates, as many of us suspected all along, is that not just the British temperature records but those in the US too have been hijacked by political activists. I need hardly say that this breaking scandal has been almost completely ignored by the MSM.

Not unpredictably, the director of one of the two institutions implicated in this – [Dr James Hansen](#) of the Goddard Institute for Space Studies – has issued a (very carefully worded – which makes you wonder what he's not telling us) denial of any skullduggery.

“NASA has not been involved in any manipulation of climate data used in the annual GISS global temperature analysis.”

The idea that a man of Dr Hansen's radical persuasion should be running an organisation as important as GISS is looking increasingly absurd. To get an idea how absurd, think Tony Benn in charge of Britain's defence policy, or – let's get really weird – imagine if Ed Balls were in charge of Education or Gordon Brown were running the country. More on Hansen's activist sympathies in another blog.

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- Hanson is now on very thin ice because of his previous intemperate outbursts about various utility industry leaders so he wont be saying anything controversial any time soon.

An interesting turn of phrase though, very carefully worded. NASA may very well not have deliberately manipulated any data (N.B. that remains to be proven however, there are hints in Climategate that they are not quite as pure as the driven snow on this) but they have certainly manipulated the data gathering process as you point out above. A serious question to be resolved is, did one of the world's major science institutions let this happen accidentally?

A really interesting and simple illustration of the way temperatures in the US have declined in recent years can be found here:

<http://www.climate-skeptic.com/2009/12/urban-biases-on-surface-temperature-records.html>

This shows what's really happening not waht the warmists want you to beleive. A father and son demolish the whole shoddy structure using publically available figures, a PC and some basic "math". Take a look.



JohnRS on Jan 16th, 2010 at 5:09 pm

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- "NASA has not been involved in any manipulation of climate data used in the annual GISS global temperature analysis."

Leave that to others, and hope to achive 'plausible deniability'.

Yeah right.



rastech on Jan 16th, 2010 at 5:09 pm

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- I'm sorry. Are you implying that there may have been some malfeasance behind the UN's and Government's consensus-based scientific pronouncements on Global Warming (sorry, Climate Change)? Rarely has my flabber been so gasted.



gorsefox on Jan 16th, 2010 at 5:11 pm

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- Bang to rights, Jimbo.



shakassoc on Jan 16th, 2010 at 5:11 pm

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- It boggles the mind that we don't just have one scandal – which on its own would be enough to cast doubt

on the entire edifice – no, we have dozens. Climategate, or this revealed cherry picking by GISS and NOAA should have been enough to kill it dead.

But no. It's the age of [post-normal science](#).



[katabasis](#) on Jan 16th, 2010 at 5:12 pm

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- That is a very carefully worded statement. Though intended to sound as an affirmation that no wrongdoing has been done, it actually means that GISS, the subordinate agency, is the responsible agency and NASA had nothing to do with it. Americans are as aware of the tricks of double-speak like that as Brits are. Both hear it every day of the week.



Bu on U on Jan 16th, 2010 at 5:12 pm

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- Jolly Good!

I'm gonna bug y'all with this again 😊

I've had an Idea how to quell our Kleptocratic PerkWorld.CON.yUK MPs Desires!

When Citizens become MPs they should be r-f-i-d- chipped the moment they are elected and 'Tagged' with Taser Bracelets so their every move can be tracked online via Google Earth or Maps by US!, The People, The Voters!

AND

If they get out of line we can hit a TAZE button!, when it reaches a predetermined preset value i.e. if enough people are p*ssed off, the MP GET'S TAZED! therefore truly putting the power in the hands of The People!

I think it could work you know!



100% Public Funding = 100% Public Monitoring
See Curtis here...

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=GgXIHpDcPnU&feature=channel>



theunbrainwashed on Jan 16th, 2010 at 5:16 pm

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- However.....Just to show you they AIN'T LISTENIN'!

EU pushes for deeper carbon emissions cuts

(AFP) – 43 minutes ago

SEVILLE, Spain — The EU remained firm Saturday on its push to move to a 30 percent cut in carbon dioxide emissions by 2020 despite the failure of last month's UN climate summit to secure a legally-

binding deal.

Several participants at an informal meeting of European environment ministers in Seville in southeastern Spain said the proposal must remain on the table in the wake of the failed Copenhagen summit to keep the momentum in global climate talks going.

“We definitely think we should maintain the 30 percent offer. We think it is very, very important. It has always been a conditional offer but it is a very important signal that it is maintained,” British Energy and Climate Change Minister Ed Miliband told reporters.

The 27-nation European Union had agreed ahead of the climate talks in Denmark to cut carbon dioxide emissions by 20 percent over the next decade from 1990 levels and to deepen those cuts to 30 percent if other nations followed suit...

However, France, like Britain, backs keeping the possibility of deepening the proposed cuts on the table.”

http://www.google.com/hostednews/afp/article/ALeqM5jcybJ_QlZyk2KwuI-FmVHfViEk5w



theunbrainwashed on Jan 16th, 2010 at 5:24 pm

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- @katabasis you are so right, mate. And I WILL write about PNS one day, I promise.



James Delingpole on Jan 16th, 2010 at 5:26 pm

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- So, all that remains is the NOAA set, which just happens to correspond with the GISS and HadCRUT ones which we now know to be as bent as a nine-bob note.

Anyone looking at that yet?

FF



Fangface on Jan 16th, 2010 at 5:28 pm

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- @everyone – I’ve just got round to reading that Alanneilditchfield post from my post earlier in the week on the death of peer review. Alan Ditchfield if you are reading this YOU ARE GOD! Your brilliant summation of the problem should be read by everyone.



James Delingpole on Jan 16th, 2010 at 5:28 pm

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- There is this bolox as well...

IPCC Pondering New Steps in Wake of Hacked E-mails Episode by Eli Kintisch

Scientists at the helm of the Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change (IPCC) have spent weeks on the defensive after e-mails uncovered by hackers revealed private messages in which they criticized papers relevant to their 2007 report. That behavior has led to accusations of bias, or worse, and undermined the credibility of the climate research community. Now the IPCC leadership is preparing its response, with

steps that may include additional training for the authors of the next report, due out in 2013, and a review of the incident by an outside organization. At least one key scientist is unhappy with those options.

In December, the head of the IPCC, Rajendra Pachauri, said that the discussions in the e-mails raised “a serious issue and we will look into it in detail.” Atmospheric chemist Pauline Midgley, a support scientist on staff for the 2013 IPCC report, says that officials asked themselves three questions: Were there problems with the IPCC’s procedures for 2007? Were those procedures sufficient? Are changes needed in preparing the 2013 version?

IPCC never conducted a formal investigation of the issue, but the scientists who run the organization and their support staff members have looked over the messages, and found no evidence that the authors were lax in their review of the papers. Still, says Christopher Field of the Carnegie Institution for Science, a co-chair of one of the 2013 IPCC reports’ three working groups, it hasn’t been “a particularly good period.”

Still, he says: “So far in our exploration of this, and it is far from complete, this has been a stress test of IPCC procedures, but the IPCC procedures have held up extremely well.” In December, 28 Republican members of Congress wrote to the United Nations, questioning whether IPCC could conduct a truly “independent investigation” of its authors’ behavior.

The panel’s 10-member executive team, led by Pachauri, is now considering a series of steps to further address the issue. One concept is new training for chapter authors. Field says that training would help them deal with what he expects will be “intense pressure” by outside critics. Midgley says that training could also help authors “to deal with papers contrary to the consensus view” on particular issues.

Changes in the review process for each chapter are also in the works, aimed at having an outside senior reviewer make sure that expert comments are properly considered. (Field said he was not aware of this option.) Finally, Midgley said that there is talk of asking an outside expert body to review issues raised by the e-mails.

Field emphasized that there were “no plans to change IPCC procedures,” which include multi-author teams assembling each chapter, layers of review by experts and governments, and an international meeting to create a summary for the reports.

<http://blogs.sciencemag.org/scienceinsider/2010/01/ipcc-facing-com.html>



theunbrainwashed on Jan 16th, 2010 at 5:28 pm

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- Brilliant Stuff!

But where is the MSM? Why isn’t this headline news?



grandsmalls on Jan 16th, 2010 at 5:29 pm

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- Have a look here:

<http://wattsupwiththat.com/2009/10/13/how-bad-is-the-global-temperature-data/>

For the full impact of the removal of two thirds of the worlds weather stations.



JohnRS on Jan 16th, 2010 at 5:30 pm

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- @fangface Read Joe D'Aleo's piece. NOAA data record is bent as a butcher's hook. Which leaves only UAH....



James Delingpole on Jan 16th, 2010 at 5:32 pm

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- Excellent stuff James

unbrainwashed 5.24

Unbelievable!! I don't live too far from Seville so I might pop down the road and slap 'em purple



dirlada on Jan 16th, 2010 at 5:41 pm

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- Can't wait for SteveGnyc to tell us that this is all a non-event because the Daily Spart never mentioned it. And Duckham will tell us that we need to buy one of his dodgy windfarms, as oil ran out several weeks ago. Good, that's those comments sorted.

"imagine if Ed Balls were in charge of Education or Gordon Brown were running the country". Oh come on, now you're just being frivolous.

I suppose this posting is good news (although not unexpected), in the sense that the Americans are more sensitive than we are about the waste of tax-payers' money, and so we may see a few people ending up in Alcatraz or wherever it is.



Clothilde S on Jan 16th, 2010 at 5:48 pm

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- Sorry for off topic:

Anyone knowledgable about Ron Paul know what his comment on 9/11 at the end of this video might mean?

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=B5BBdxRIK4E>



grandsmalls on Jan 16th, 2010 at 5:52 pm

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- @ grandsmalls

....sounds like he said that the Federal Reserve and some other organization had his "hands tied"...he wouldn't comment...lol!



marys on Jan 16th, 2010 at 6:15 pm

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-election time is coming up!

Back on topic for a moment, ClimateScamGate has Been American for a long time evidently! I posted this video on an older blog of James', take a look.....

<http://www.truveo.com/hannity-chris-horner-climategate-12309/id/3334112419>



marys on Jan 16th, 2010 at 6:22 pm

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- “The idea that a man of Dr Hansen’s radical persuasion should be running an organisation as important as GISS is looking increasingly absurd. To get an idea how absurd, think Tony Benn in charge of Britain’s defence policy”

But James, that’s exactly what has happened; Warmist faculty like Hansen are de facto employees of the allegedly-racketeering Teachers’ (‘TIAA-CREF’) hedge fund managers who control Boeing ...

” ... the world’s leading aerospace company and the largest manufacturer of commercial jetliners and military aircraft combined. Additionally, Boeing designs and manufactures rotorcraft, electronic and defense systems, missiles, satellites, launch vehicles and advanced information and communication systems. As a major service provider to NASA, Boeing operates the Space Shuttle and International Space Station”

N.B. Warmist Teachers’ (\$390 billion assets under management) eliminated competitors (CO2e.com) in the North Tower on 9/11 and then transferred the patented cap and trade desk to the Chicago Climate Exchange.

Never, never underestimate these guys.

Teachers’ Dohrn and Ayers wanted to murder 25 million capitalists in the 60s and 70s to secure the Weather Underground revolution; they have just changed the name to Warmist and put the goals up on the Richter Scale for 250 million or 2.5 billion dead.

“TIAA-CREF (Teachers Insurance and Annuity Association – College Retirement Equities Fund) is one of the largest financial services companies in the United States, with \$398 billion in assets under management as of September 30, 2008. The organization helps meet the financial needs of approximately 3.6 million individuals and 15,000 institutions in the academic, research, medical, cultural and nonprofit fields. Much of TIAA-CREF operates on a nonprofit basis, with surplus returned to participants. TIAA-CREF is headquartered in New York City and has major offices in Denver, Colorado; Charlotte, North Carolina; and Dallas, Texas; as well as 60 local offices throughout the United States. The company ranks 86th on Fortune’s list of the 500 largest corporations in America. The company owns the Walkers Stadium where Leicester City play their football matches”



captainsherlock on Jan 16th, 2010 at 6:28 pm

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- Yet again Delingpole’s non-story ignores the two major problems which threaten world security, namely Islamophobia and the fact that oil will run out in no more than 8 years’ time, rendering the Western Judaeo Christian capitalist system obsolete, and confirming what Gordon Brown, Britain’s greatest prime minister since Clement Atlee’s glorious socialist regime replaced that of the ailing warmonger despot Churchill, said when he rolled out his latest policy initiative on the relief of the poorest segment of society who have been completely ignored by the Conservatives and will be ignored under David Cameron as confirmed by the comments of David Tennant, Noam Chomsky and George Monbiot in a paper presented to the fourth Praesidium of the Socialist International Society of Fabians this morning..
(Just in case any of you were feeling the absence of Fabiansecrections and the Indonesian Trollbot (TM))



James Delingpole on Jan 16th, 2010 at 6:36 pm

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- dirlada on Jan 16th, 2010 at 5:41 pm

Just take some Taser Bracelets!

Don't Taze ME Bro!

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=SaiWCS10C5s&feature=related>



theunbrainwashed on Jan 16th, 2010 at 6:37 pm

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- Good to see you back on track Delingpolemic!



warden on Jan 16th, 2010 at 6:41 pm

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- James Delingpole on Jan 16th, 2010 at 6:36 pm

It is around somewhere.... soon to rear it's head!

The poor sod seems to have lost it's wonder!

http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=M1lr_EULZS8



theunbrainwashed on Jan 16th, 2010 at 6:42 pm

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- Duck'em surely can't come back after that one.



warden on Jan 16th, 2010 at 6:43 pm

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- So, James – WHY IS THIS NOT FRONT PAGE NEWS IN THE PAPER?

Everything is unravelling for the warmpants-brigade, your blog (along with Gerald Warner and Christopher Booker's blogs) is breaking open a major global scandal... So why is the paper not interested?

This should be MUCH bigger than MPs expenses. The truth has to out, we're all behind you, do it!



crosswordkid on Jan 16th, 2010 at 6:44 pm

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- @James re: PNS

I'm currently methodically working my way through the various works of Ravetz and Hulme – the two primary proponents of PNS. I thought they'd been misquoted at first. They haven't. So I'm putting together a summarised, but hopefully more or less complete picture of their work. I'm also compiling a database of

PNS influenced institutions and individual researchers who have – through their own words – shown themselves to be part of the PNS school of thinking.

I'll be happy to share this with you in a few weeks if you want.



[katabasis](#) on Jan 16th, 2010 at 6:46 pm

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- Thank you for giving us the link. I watched the whole programme and thought it was very well presented.

Two things occur to me: firstly how the so-called 'climate scientists' at East Anglia University have dragged the reputation of British science through the mire. Secondly how badly we have been let down by the BBC.

One thing that needs to happen soon is for the issue of recycling and generally using resources carefully to be de-coupled from Global Warming. At the moment if you say you don't believe in Global Warming some people instantly assume you mean you want to be wasteful and pollute the earth. It's my belief that the BBC has played a major hand in making this connection. The BBC needs to be very careful that the whole of their science and current affairs departments don't go down with the IPPC and the University of East Anglia.

Finally, can I plead with any science teachers out there to bring pressure to bear so that the teaching in schools of man made carbon dioxide Global Warming as fact is brought to an end.



henrietta on Jan 16th, 2010 at 6:48 pm

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- JohnRS "Hanson is now on very thin ice because of his previous intemperate outbursts about various utility industry leaders so he wont be saying anything controversial any time soon"

Here is a picture of the Teachers' author of the "350 Cap-and-Liquidate" Rule – as used by the Chicago Climate Exchange – describing his plan to liquidate utility leaders, and the much-hated corporate and banking leaders as well. <http://patdollard.com/wp-content/uploads/2009/07/obamablackboard.jpg>

Obama's treats utility leaders as rivals to the role given him by the Teachers' as an Alinsky-style community leader and therefore they have to be whacked.

The Teachers' with 3.9 million members, predominantly of the left-wing parasitical Warmist persuasion, have a tremendous capability for organizing a hit and then rearranging the crime scene so the guilty go free.

By way of an example of a doctored crime scene, Hillary Clinton, an Alinskyite patent lawyer, brokered the development of the QRS11 GyroChip missile gyroscopes which were used during a bogus continuity of government exercise to guide the weapons platform which took out the Pentagon's U.S. Naval Command Center on 9/11 at 10 foot elevation and 540 mph.

Stupid cow, that will be the death of her, the Muslim hijackers couldn't even land a Cessna.

“PLAYBOY: Didn't you have any compunction about consorting with — if not actually assisting — murderers?

ALINSKY: None at all, since there was nothing I could do to stop them from murdering, practically all of which was done inside the family. I was a nonparticipating observer in their professional activities,

although I joined their social life of food, drink and women: Boy, I sure participated in that side of things — it was heaven. And let me tell you something, I learned a hell of a lot about the uses and abuses of power from the mob, lessons that stood me in good stead later on, when I was organizing.

Another thing you've got to remember about Capone is that he didn't spring out of a vacuum. The Capone gang was actually a public utility; it supplied what the people wanted and demanded. The man in the street wanted girls: Capone gave him girls. He wanted booze during Prohibition: Capone gave him booze. He wanted to bet on a horse: Capone let him bet. It all operated according to the old laws of supply and demand, and if there weren't people who wanted the services provided by the gangsters, the gangsters wouldn't be in business. Everybody owned stock in the Capone mob; in a way, he was a public benefactor. I remember one time when he arrived at his box seat in Dyche Stadium for a Northwestern football game on Boy Scout Day and 8000 scouts got up in the stands and screamed in cadence, "Yea, yea, Big Al. Yea, yea, Big Al." Capone didn't create the corruption, he just grew fat on it, as did the political parties, the police and the overall municipal economy.

PLAYBOY: How long were you an honorary member of the mob?

ALINSKY: About two years. After I got to know about the outfit, I grew bored and decided to move on — which is a recurring pattern in my life, by the way. I was just as bored with graduate school, so I dropped out and took a job with the Illinois State Division of Criminology, working with juvenile delinquents. This led me into another field project, investigating a gang of Italian kids who called themselves the 42 Mob. They were held responsible by the D.A. for about 80 percent of the auto thefts in Chicago at the time and they were just graduating into the outer fringes of the big-time rackets. It was even tougher to get in with them than with the Capone mob, believe me. Those kids were really suspicious and they were tough, too, with hair-trigger tempers. I finally got my chance when one of the gang's leaders, a kid named Thomas Massina, or Little Dumas, as he called himself, was shot and killed in a drugstore stick-up. The minute I heard about it, I went over to the Massina house, hoping to get in good with Dumas' friends. But they were as leery as ever.

By a stroke of luck, though, I heard Mrs. Massina, Dumas' mother, weeping and wailing, repeating the same thing over and over in Italian. I asked one of the kids what she was saying and he said she was bemoaning the fact that she didn't have any pictures of Dumas since he was a baby, nothing to remember him by. So I left right away, picked up a photographer friend of mine and rushed down to the morgue. I showed my credentials and the attendant took us in to the icebox, where Dumas was laid out on a slab. We took a photograph, opening his eyes first, then rushed back to the studio to develop it. We carefully retouched it to eliminate all the bullet holes, and then had it hand-tinted. The next morning, I went back to the wake and presented the photograph to Mrs. Massina. "Dumas gave this to me just last week," I said, "and I'd like you to have it." She cried and thanked me, and pretty soon word of the incident spread throughout the gang. "That Alinsky, he's an all-right motherfucker," the kids would say, and from that moment on they began to trust me and I was able to work with them, all because of the photograph. It was an improvised tactic and it worked.

PLAYBOY: It was also pretty cynical and manipulative.

ALINSKY: It was a simple example of good organizing. And what's wrong with it? Everybody got what they wanted. Mrs. Massina got something to hold onto in her grief and I got in good with the kids. I got to be good friends with some of them. And some of them I was able to help go straight. One of the members is now a labor organizer and every time things get hot for me somewhere, he calls me up and growls, "Hey, Saul, you want me to send up some muscle to lean on those motherfuckers?" I just thank him and say I can handle it, and then we chat about the old days. Anyway, after I finished working with the 42 Mob, I left the division of criminology and went to work as a criminologist at the state prison in Joliet, but I was already getting bored with the whole profession and looking for something new."



captainsherlock on Jan 16th, 2010 at 6:48 pm

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- I have a technical question addressed to anyone who may be able to answer it. Global temperature is sampled from various sites. Is “global temperature” intended to represent that of the atmosphere as a whole (I know it tails off) or to represent that of a particular altitude, for example sea level?



Pragmatist on Jan 16th, 2010 at 6:51 pm

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- There’s one other thing to thank you for, James, besides posting indefatigably about this scam, and that is that you’ve linked to the many excellent sceptics’ blogs, which, speaking for myself, I’d not have visited.

But, as has been mentioned already – it is a great pity that this whole scam and fraud just is not been reported in the papers (I’ve given up on the Beeb!).

What does it take to get those pesky editors out of their bubble?



colliemum on Jan 16th, 2010 at 7:01 pm

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- @James D

Thanks for summarising what finalsolutions and the Indonesian Trollbot would have doubtless had to say on the matter. Funnily enough, I kinda miss those guys. It’s people like them that help ‘maintain the rage’ and keep me committed to the good fight.



tayles on Jan 16th, 2010 at 7:09 pm

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- fabiansolutions was a wind-up



warden on Jan 16th, 2010 at 7:13 pm

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- I’m getting really appalled at the lack of real science being done by these people and they still collect a pay check. They need to be fired forthwith. Any chance anyone has the data from all the other weather stations or has that all been lost. Or are they closing down the inconvenient stations.



crownarmourer on Jan 16th, 2010 at 7:24 pm

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- James D

Re Alan Neil Ditchfield. His post was clearly something different than anyone else has ever posted and he was clearly someone different than any other poster in terms of his involvement and access = assuming what he said was true. In fact, it was exactly as if a GOD had dropped in out of the heavens to enlighten us mortals. I did a little bit of research about him without arriving at a conclusion as to who/what he is that he has been in so many central events. Puzzling to not have ever heard of him. My impression is you recognized his name. Who is he and why has he had such integral involvement and access?

skepik

It is profoundly puzzling as to your position, as recently as the previous thread. You say you are undecided and neither side has proved their case. Yet you seem to have concurred that everything James D has written about as fraud is fraud – or at least you appear to agree that it's not good data/methodology. So what do you base your continuing indecision on? I.e., what body of data, methods, scientists and predictions is it that you still consider could be valid/plausible?



msher1 on Jan 16th, 2010 at 7:24 pm

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- Pragmatist; Not one person in the AGW camp will be able to give you a direct answer to that question. Fortunately their stronghold on global temperature records and with that the ability to massage the data drew to a close with the launching of satellites. And in addition to the NASA satellites we have Russian, Japanese, European, Indian, and Chinese units in orbit, a lot of them also taking the pulse of Mother Gaia. Piers Corbyn, Anthony Watt, and Roy Spencer commented on this issue and Roy Spencer reports global temperatures, updated monthly on his website.

The Anglian whistleblower realised that their monopoly was up and that the truth will come out!



thejollygreenman on Jan 16th, 2010 at 7:32 pm

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- James D

P.S. You said the NOAA misfeasance is a scandal to rank with Climategate. Isn't it part of Climategate – i.e., all the fraudulent scientists wherever they are, all the participating institutions and all the bad data and bad predictions. They are all part of the same conspiracy (and I believe that to be literally true and provable in some hypothetical legal action or prosecution). Why are you differentiating and making this or any other part of this thing a *different* scandal?

And now that you are into NOAA, how about hurricanes and cyclones?



msher1 on Jan 16th, 2010 at 7:32 pm

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- @katabasis I look forward to it.
@msher1 dunno who he is. But I was rather hoping he might get in touch...
@henrietta I almost totally agree with you, except your example of recycling as an unmitigated good is not necessarily the best. Recycling is often pitifully wasteful and counterproductive and landfill often the better alternative. But of course to appreciate this you have to circumvent acres of propoganda and lies telling you otherwise.



James Delingpole on Jan 16th, 2010 at 7:37 pm

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- @ Pragmatist,

I'm not sure how accurate this website is, actually I don't trust any of these so-called Warmist websites, but

I'll just post it anyway...lol! Take from it what you will.....

<http://www.sciencedaily.com/releases/2007/03/070315101129.htm>



marys on Jan 16th, 2010 at 7:41 pm

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- colliemum on Jan 16th, 2010 at 7:01 pm

‘What does it take to get those pesky editors out of their bubble?’

See here

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=rkRIbUT6u7Q>



theunbrainwashed on Jan 16th, 2010 at 7:44 pm

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- Nice to see mr Mann get it tight!

Right wing attacks climate scientist with outrageous spindoctoring

http://www.huffingtonpost.com/kevin-grandia/right-wing-attacks-climat_b_425856.html

Money, money, money!



theunbrainwashed on Jan 16th, 2010 at 7:52 pm

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- Critical-mass is reached WHEN precicely?

MSM is running on life-support alone just now. LMAO



orkneylad on Jan 16th, 2010 at 7:56 pm

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- Msher1, there is a series of three posts from AN Ditchfield on the American Spectator on this page:

<http://spectator.org/blog/2009/11/23/glenn-beck-on-climategate>

Scroll down and you will find his comments.

See his post on global population. In contrast to your comments earlier, shame!



thejollygreenman on Jan 16th, 2010 at 8:03 pm

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- *This is a scandal to rank with Climategate.*

Its stuff all then. I suppose when it gets to ‘The Patagonian Connection’ the whole thread will be down to

msher1 and Captain Sherlock.

It is too often assumed that the alternative to this kind of obsession about a peripheral spat is another about when oil will run out. There is loads and loads of oil. It is not the fact that oil will run out; it probably never will run out. There will always be reserves somewhere. It is that it is becoming uneconomic to recover. There are limits to how much economies can spend on their energy source and that limit is, inevitably, coming much sooner than peak oil or oil runnnng out or any other silly timing argument. The point at which it gets too expensive varies depending on the country and so this point is variable. This is not an argument that can become an end in itself like the one that has been going on here. This is a simple obvious point that is tracked by a market and events on the ground. It is in fact reality. It bears no relation whatsoever to the fantasies of the non-scandal and the non-issue so beloved of the faithful multi-posters on these threads.

[John Duckham](#)
<http://johnduckham.tk>



[Duckham](#) on Jan 16th, 2010 at 8:05 pm
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- Wow.....that was quick, BBC actually NOT burying this story completely:

‘Rival to government drug advisory panel launched’

“An independent group designed to give “politically neutral” information about the risks of drugs is being launched.

It has been set up by the government’s former chief drugs adviser, David Nutt, who was sacked last October for criticising government policy.

The Independent Council on Drug Harms consists of about 20 specialists.”

<http://news.bbc.co.uk/1/hi/uk/8460555.stm>



orkneylad on Jan 16th, 2010 at 8:08 pm
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- @Duckham You’re totally wrong fella, there is NO LIMIT to what ‘economies’ will spend/do to secure energy.....plenty of blood being spilled too in-case you haven’t noticed?



orkneylad on Jan 16th, 2010 at 8:12 pm
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- Duckie you have offered the readership your claims that the world is running out of cheap oil, my career in the industry with the world’s leading oilfield data management Schlumberger tells me you are lying.

I have explained how the Teachers’ pension fund with UK equivalent USS are operating a global extortion racket using their equity and debt stakes in major companies to collect protection money through cap and kill.

Readers can choose who they respect; we have this site where WYSIWYG, you have online platitudes.

<http://abeldanger.blogspot.com/>



captainsherlock on Jan 16th, 2010 at 8:22 pm

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- Those of us who've been studying this issue for some years now are not surprised by this. Obviously such a major scientific scandal will be covered in depth and great detail in the Sunday supplements and on the television news.

Oh wait..... no it won't... my bad.



Robinson on Jan 16th, 2010 at 8:25 pm

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- Really glad this temperature station stuff is getting more widespread attention. Also inspired by EM Smith, it was the adjustments to the temperature data that really grabbed me – quite shocking:
<http://diggingintheclay.blogspot.com/2009/11/how-would-you-like-your-climate-trends.html>

The 'official' output is so processed that it is only by going back step-by-step that it is possible to get any sense of what has been done.



vjones on Jan 16th, 2010 at 8:35 pm

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- I don't think the Indonesian Trollbot's (TM) contribution to this thread was nearly as realistic as my one.



James Delingpole on Jan 16th, 2010 at 8:39 pm

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- For the umpteenth time; hedge fund managers for the BBC Pension Trust and Teachers'/USS faculty and Goldman Sachs are profiting from illegal naked short selling (cellar boxing) of stock in companies targeted for destruction by Warmist propaganda and data fraud.

Ergo you are dealing with a racketeering-influenced and corrupt organization operated through Climate Exchange Plc in the Isle of Man.

Ergo all the CIEP directors especially Richard Sandor should be arrested and charged with money laundering through the global cap and drug trade launched out of Chicago on 9/11 when the Teachers' hit teams destroyed the CO2e competition in the World Trade Center.

Teachers' hit team leaders over the last 40 years are Bill Ayers (UC) and Bernardine Dohrn (Northwestern).



captainsherlock on Jan 16th, 2010 at 8:42 pm

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- All of these temp databases use the stations dictated by the http://www.wmo.int/pages/index_en.html

When the MET office was fingered by the Russians for selecting a small unrepresentative set of weather stations this was their defence.

Question is who in the WMO is picking these stations.



johnh on Jan 16th, 2010 at 8:48 pm

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- Below are links to a couple of sites that show the locations of some of the weather stations that are used to record climatic data here in the States. The second site not only can you view these bad weather stations you can actually report the location of such weather stations. As you can see the locations of these sites are terrible and can in no way report the correct local temperature. Many of these stations have been relocated but if you look at the official map the NOAA keeps for these weather stations it has not been upgraded in years. All this was reported years ago and the USGS, NASA, and the “Oh God we are going to fry and the Great Satan is causing it” crowd have ignored this. What I find so ironic about this whole thing is the accusations that the Geo. W. Bush administration was suppressing the “facts” and stone walling. Now we can see who it really was who was, and still is, stone walling and suppressing the facts. This is getting sweeter by the day. One thing you might find interesting is the National Weather Service has a program that lets the average person add weather stations to the data base the NWS uses for forecasting the weather. Get a Davis, a Peet, or some other professional grade automated weather station that has a computer interface using free software supplied by The NWS you can plug such a weather station into the network, and The NWS can download the data from your weather station to use in their forecasts. One of the local Meteorologists told me the super computers used to do the forecasting have plenty of power but they do not have enough data sets to go by so they absolutely welcome people setting such stations.

http://www.norcalblogs.com/watts/weather_stations/

<http://www.surfacestations.org/>



transmster on Jan 16th, 2010 at 8:53 pm

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- James Delingpole
The settled science is showing cracks, unless they’ve a plan b prepare for a new crime of inciting AGW denial.
But there’s still a perception the warmists are the humanitarians! (The UN showed its hand in Rwanda.) We know that eco extremists hate humanity (excepting their clique) often quoting ‘the need for a deadly virus’, or lamenting the eradication of certain diseases. Perhaps a blog to blow this myth apart and name and shame the sickest quotes.



maxpower on Jan 16th, 2010 at 9:00 pm

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- JD: you forgot the link to <http://www.duckhamcrap.tk> (a guaranteed cure for insomnia).



Clothilde S on Jan 16th, 2010 at 9:08 pm

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- Good grief, that link actually exists.



Clothilde S on Jan 16th, 2010 at 9:10 pm

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- James

I hope you are keeping a 'Climategate' diary, who did what and when and your part in it. My concern is that there will be a climategate enquiry, along the lines of the present Chilcot enquiry, in the spring of 2016 following the lights out in winter 2015.

You and Chris Booker will be star witnesses during the blame game over climategate.

The establishment will be looking for scapegoats to blame for the collapse of carbon trading followed by a major slump which deprived the UK of the finance and resources to get the alternative energy set up required to maintain electricity supplies.

The 'Watergate Papers' based upon these blogs will also be required as evidence, and so we will all be implicated as well

The proceedings of this enquiry however will get very little critical attention since the internet in January 2013 will be throttled by not accepting any new information unless approved by 'the system', also the paper and broadcast based MSM will be similarly controlled by 'the system'

The last meaningful contribution to the internet was a completion of Google Street View which provided a visual record of the way things used to be before 'the system' arrived. All downloads are now free but as already mentioned are 99 percent historical with almost no new information added similar to the crackdown in China in 2011.

A lot of other things have changed there are no longer any schools, children learn to write on a keyboard, and arithmetic is part of a planned and monitored education experience 4 hours per day, five days a week programmed learning from the age of five to sixteen. The system is called Schoogle.

The Wii was a great invention and is now used as a personal health education and monitoring system, via the internet with automatic referrals to the digital doctor system as required. The system is called Fitoogle.

The digital doctor system is the pride of the NHS and is based on non invasive probes positioned on preset monitor point on the body and a full remote diagnosis is thus possible, this information coupled with an online Google personal health record allows hospitals to operate on a conveyor line based operating system for maximum efficiency. This system is called Medicoogle.

Powergate occurred in November 2014 when 'the system' started rationing electricity, they realised that people did not need electricity when asleep, so by law the electricity was switched off for 8 hours in each 24 hours. A rigid curfew was imposed and anyone breaking the curfew not only was never seen again it was as though they never existed.

Ooooooh

I had been reading a Cap'n Sherlock post and fell asleep when the lights went out. Surely I must have had a nightmare, this could never happen could it, Could it, Could It, COULD IT



manonthemoor on Jan 16th, 2010 at 9:27 pm

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- Keep up the good work James

Now you mention it, haven't seen anything from Fabian Delusions since The Enforcer (aka Lord Tebbit) spanked him on his blog !!



ian on Jan 16th, 2010 at 9:32 pm

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- So this is the REAL pandemic we never had – the virus known as fiddling dataritus fudge factorum – let’s face it it’s certainly infectious -as it’s definitely spreading far and wide – but fear not – the vaccine had been developed here ready to be administered where ever!



yaosxx on Jan 16th, 2010 at 9:41 pm

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- James I just logged on and for a few seconds was struck dumb by your comment at 6.30pm!!! Then of course realised you were taking the mickey out of that fabianschlitz and ols ducky so relaxed. But thanks, for a good laugh, first one today!



LADYMONEYPENNY on Jan 16th, 2010 at 9:42 pm

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- “When the MET office was fingered by the Russians for selecting a small unrepresentative set of weather stations this was their defence.

Question is who in the WMO is picking these stations.”

Probably someone from the MET Office



rastech on Jan 16th, 2010 at 9:43 pm

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- Unfortunately the only way to administer the vaccine is by giant suppository!



yaosxx on Jan 16th, 2010 at 9:43 pm

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- **DOG’S PAWS IN THE ANDES**

pragmatist, I’d say that there should be a mean proportional increase at all areas, HASL included. The world has been warming up slightly, on what seems a straight line path, for at least the last 350 years, with little apparent help from CO2. But no ’scientist’[sic] in possession of his marbles or a milligram of integrity uses data collected on the beach in Lima to measure the rise in temperature up in the Bolivian mountains 1000 miles away.



Same Old Dog on Jan 16th, 2010 at 9:50 pm

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- Looks like the Met Office might be getting the boot from the BBC:

http://entertainment.timesonline.co.uk/tol/arts_and_entertainment/tv_and_radio/article6991064.ece



yaosxx on Jan 16th, 2010 at 9:54 pm

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- Ha Ha Ha! – It’s all going tits up at the Met Office!:

<http://www.timesonline.co.uk/tol/news/environment/article6945445.ece>



yaosxx on Jan 16th, 2010 at 9:56 pm

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- “...*vanishing weather stations.*”

And it seems the [the Met Office’s “inaccurate weather forecasts” could soon be vanishing from the BBC’s TV stations.](#)



Lance Grundy on Jan 16th, 2010 at 9:57 pm

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- Jeez – is it Christmas still or has it come really early??

World misled over Himalayan glacier meltdown

<http://www.timesonline.co.uk/tol/news/environment/article6991177.ece>



yaosxx on Jan 16th, 2010 at 10:02 pm

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- I think fabiansolutions was last seen in hot pursuit of the siphoned off £900+ per laptop + broadband out of the 270,000 unit allocation (£1,111.11p per household gross) for low income families budget of £300 million.

I hope he’s still breathing, and will be returning with info on where the money is going and just who is stealing Public Funds, before too long.



rastech on Jan 16th, 2010 at 10:06 pm

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- orkneylad on Jan 16th, 2010 at 8:12 pm

Precisely the point I have been making. Confrontations and wars are proceeding and blood is being spilled and we are all spending more and more and trying to ignore the fact that our countries are bankrupt. Where do we disagree? I am saying that instead of chasing around making a living out of an argument everybody else, including Private Eye, is ignoring while winding up a load of gullible multi-posters who can’t see beyond the playground level of desperately needing to be proven right; why don’t some of these bravely investigating journalists who are pumping out this second hand ‘hat tip’ rubbish look at the solutions to the problem that actually attack the causes and the real effects and not just mince around on the sidelines where nothing serious is happening? On these blogs only Rowena Mason and Geoffrey Lean have hit the mark and made points about the substance behind the pettiness.

[John Duckham](#)

<http://johnduckham.tk>



[Duckham](#) on Jan 16th, 2010 at 10:28 pm

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- You knew this was coming. It had to.

What's more likely? That two separate groups of scientists came to the same conclusion, one using corrupt data and a corrupt process, and the other using an uncorrupted process with uncorrupted data; or that they're both cooking the books?



Dickens on Jan 16th, 2010 at 10:33 pm

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- So what can we summarise?
Number of MSM stories gradually on the rise, wider plebian awakening, soon the mobb will open eyes & everything will flop nicely into the hands of some new set of Knumbskulls MPs?
Have we all got our copies of Mackay ready?
Stocks all sold?

Best o' luck!



orkneylad on Jan 16th, 2010 at 10:40 pm

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- Wogan Runs to the Mets Defense!

Don't blame the Met Office – blame the weathermen

Things have never been the same since Bert Ford hung up his mackintosh, says Terry Wogan

”It's Groundhog Day. We're trapped in a never-ending cycle of the deep, crisp and even, and it's no use blaming the Met Office, although they do need a kick in the pants for their relentless espousal of Al Gore's discredited hockey stick, in the face of the present frosty circumstances. You see, you need a fall guy to focus on, and Michael Fish is long gone, although his sports coats will always remain an enduring memory”

Blablabla....

<http://www.telegraph.co.uk/comment/columnists/terrywogan/7005857/Dont-blame-the-Met-Office—blame-the-weathermen.html>



theunbrainwashed on Jan 16th, 2010 at 10:47 pm

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- James, a story from your eastwhile competitors over at The Times:

[BBC consider dropping the Met Office for weather forecasting](#). Posted in their “entertainment” section.

We've all had a lot of entertainment from the Met Office over the years.... I do hope you cover it!



Robinson on Jan 16th, 2010 at 10:49 pm

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- Thank you those who have responded to my question.



Pragmatist on Jan 16th, 2010 at 10:52 pm

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- World misled over Himalayan glacier meltdown

From The Sunday Times

January 17, 2010

“The revelation is the latest crack to appear in the scientific concensus over climate change. It follows the so-called climate-gate scandal, where British scientists apparently tried to prevent other researchers from accessing key data. Last week another row broke out when the Met Office criticised suggestions that sea levels were likely to rise 1.9m by 2100, suggesting much lower increases were likely.....”

<http://www.timesonline.co.uk/tol/news/environment/article6991177.ece?token=null&offset=12&page=2>

It's big news when The Times goes after the IPCC and with the story above



fakescience on Jan 16th, 2010 at 10:59 pm

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- [...] By James Delingpole in The Telegraph: [...]

[terryfrank.net » More Global Warming Scandal](#) on Jan 16th, 2010 at 11:01 pm

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- MORE SH*T!

Picking up Where Copenhagen Left Off 2010-1-16 15:18

”European Union environment ministers are meeting informally in Seville to come up with a strategy for reviving global climate talks.

The climate talks in Copenhagen last month fell far short of their original goal of forging a replacement for the climate-protecting Kyoto Protocol when it expires in 2012.

Spanish Minister for Environment, Agriculture and Fisheries – Elena Espinosa – said earlier in the week that the meeting will try to pave the way for the Conference of the Parties (COP) meeting in Mexico in 2010.

The ministers will discuss what level of emissions cuts they will officially commit to ahead of a U.N. deadline on January 31st.

The pledges that were on the table at Copenhagen would lead to around 3.5 degrees of climate warming by the year 2100, said climate scientist Stefan Rahmstorf of Germany’s Potsdam Institute for Climate Impact Research.

Ministers meeting in Seville will consider how to encourage other countries to support the accord, despite its weaknesses, and how to secure a legally binding treaty in 2010.”

http://english.ntdtv.com/ntdtv_en/ns_europe/2010-01-16/607963307893.html



theunbrainwashed on Jan 16th, 2010 at 11:01 pm

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- SNEAKY B'STARDS! – It's that Sisyphus Moment!

Farm ministers back climate-change action at Berlin talks – Summary
Posted : Sat, 16 Jan 2010 21:09:41 GMT

Berlin – Agriculture officials from 50 countries on Saturday backed calls for the world's farms to drastically cut emissions of climate-changing carbon dioxide and other greenhouse gases. Whether it is burping cows or slash-and-burn agriculture, farmers have been accused worldwide of being major contributors to climate change.

Climate issues have taken centre stage at the Global Forum for Food and Agriculture (GFFA), an event held as part of the 10-day International Green Week trade fair for farm produce in Berlin.

German Agriculture Minister Ilse Aigner, chairwoman of the talks, said: "We farm ministers want to advance where the international community ground to a stop in Copenhagen (at the December climate summit)."

She said farmers face a conflict of interest, striving to increase yields while reducing emissions.

"To feed everybody on our planet in the year 2050, food availability has to grow 70 per cent," she said. "On the other hand, we have to do what we can to prevent the climate deteriorating. Farmers are both causers and victims at the same time."

Ideas on reconciling the rival aims are to be traded at a meeting next month of farm ministers, organized by the Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development.

China rejected accusations that it had blocked a deal last month at the Copenhagen climate summit.

Chinese Vice-Minister of Agriculture Niu Dun said that a climate accord required that a no more than a "fair burden" be placed on developing and emerging economies.

"My view is that the Chinese delegation at the Copenhagen conference operated responsibly and in a very future-oriented way," he said in Berlin.

Niu said that China would continue to work hard to fight global warming, and it was in its own interest to deal alertly with the issue since China was "the world's biggest developing country."

Aigner and the deputy director of the UN Food and Agricultural Organization (FAO), Alexander Mueller, said that one way to help was for farmers to offer deep rock under their land as sites to sequester carbon dioxide.

Ajay Vashee, chairman of the International Federation of Agricultural Producers (IFAP), warned that it was unfair to abandon farmers to suffer all the negative effects of global warming without government help.

Green Week was in full swing on its second day, with 350 out-of-town coaches arriving by midday Saturday with people from around Europe eager to see and taste the current season's farm food quality.

http://www.earthtimes.org/articles/show/304164_farm-ministers-back-climate-change-action-at-berlin-talks-summary.html



theunbrainwashed on Jan 16th, 2010 at 11:08 pm

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- This is interesting though...

Met Office computer accused of 'warm bias' by BBC weatherman

By Mail On Sunday Reporter

Last updated at 10:24 PM on 16th January 2010

A BBC weather forecaster has suggested that the Met Office's super-computer has a 'warm bias' which has stopped it predicting bitterly cold spells like the one we have just endured.

Paul Hudson said the error may have crept into the computer's climate model as a result of successive years of milder weather.

His claim was rejected by the Met Office but other experts said there could be flaws in the system, which was first developed 50 years ago.

In a blog, the BBC Look North presenter writes: 'Clearly there is the rest of January and February to go, but such has been the intensity of the cold spell...it would take something remarkable for the Met Office's forecast (of a mild winter) to be right.

'It is also worth remembering that this comes off the back of the now infamous barbecue summer forecast.

'Could the model, seemingly with an inability to predict colder seasons, have developed a warm bias, after such a long period of milder than average years?'

The Met Office produces its forecasts by feeding information from sources, including satellites and weather stations, into a 'climate model'. A set of complex equations then predict weather changes.

Mr Hudson appears to be suggesting that data recorded over the past decade of warmer winters could be unduly influencing the computer's calculations. However, the Met Office denies this, saying 'any small biases' are automatically corrected before it issues seasonal forecasts.

http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=HdpVuBS_UFo



theunbrainwashed on Jan 16th, 2010 at 11:14 pm

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- Duckham what you seem to be missing is, the degree of interlinking in the subjects that seem to concern you, with the whole AGW issue itself.

Now all these interlinked threads run right through energy (e.g. why, when demand has collapsed, have speculators managed to keep the price of oil so high, when storage facilities are so full, even tankers are anchored up brimming with the stuff, and refining with no end user demand has been done to fill downstream storage so more upstream storage space can be made available?), etc., but it isn't compulsory to attack corruption and criminality from just one predictable direction, is it?

The b'st'rd criminal racketeers haven't been sporting or fair with us, so why should we be sporting or fair with them?

Pull on the massed threads of criminal racketeering knitting all tied up in AGW and carbon tax and cap'n trade, and the big fish villains are going to come in well hooked by reeling them in from that end, just as effectively.

So rather than urinating into the wind, help uncover these threads and start pulling on the darned things!

As our American cousins so rightly put it, stop being a part of the problem, and start being a part of the solution, and what's the other one? Oh yes, "If you can't lead, follow, and if you can't follow, get out of the ruddy way!"

Another point is this, abused cannon fodder such as fabiansolutions (maybe not him, just yet) have surely got to be waking up to the degree they have been lied to and robbed blind by these racketerring criminals, just like the rest of us have been lied to and robbed blind by these racketeering criminals.

Yes that makes your eyes smart and your blood boil once you find out, but far better than carrying on being brainwashed and deceived while your wallet is being lifted.

From here on in, things are going to get interestinger and interestinger. To say the least.

This isn't going away soon, as so many of the abused cannon fodder thought back in November, which was what they were being used to try and achieve back then, this is only just starting, and those massed threads lead to an amazing amount of really interesting people and places.

Follow the knitting if these criminal racketeers don't cop a plea and turn Crown evidence darned soon, if The Rule of Law isn't invoked with vigour 'yesterday', then that knitting could lead straight to red knitted caps on heads of ladies sat by guillotines.

Now hopefully, we can sort this mess out before things get to that sort of predicament.



rastech on Jan 16th, 2010 at 11:15 pm

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- Allow me to go OT for a moment to tell you about a **genuine** weather forecaster. I'll be brief.

Haydon Walker in Australia is the equivalent of Piers Corbyn in the UK. Walker is the fourth generation of a family of meteorologists that since 1887 have built up a database of observations in their Queensland observatory. Like Corbyn, they base their forecasts on solar activity and claim an 80% accuracy. When I was growing up I remember every year around Christmas, Haydon Walker's father Lennox would give on TV his general forecast for Australia for the year ahead. In high school, I actually kept notes of his predictions; I don't recall him being wrong once. No wonder their forecasts are still in demand from pastoralists, stock agents and so on. Their website is <http://www.worldweather.com.au/>

Alas, since solar physics is now *verboten* as a forecasting tool in the MSM, we no longer hear the Walker forecasts on Australian TV. Long-range weather forecasting, we are told, is now the province of "climate change" and control of the political message must be held tightly by those within the tent. Voices outside the tent, using alternative methodology, regardless of how well proven, are to be excluded and not to be tolerated. Moreover, our government-run Bureau of Meteorology and ABC TV network mirror exactly the Met office and BBC in their partisan political embrace of AGW. It's a pity, and it's also the reason no-one outside the government is prepared to pay the BOM or the Met a penny for their pathetic prognostications. You stand a better chance with the daily horoscope. "Fine, partly cloudy with a chance of thunderstorm and hail". That should cover all bases.



ozboy on Jan 16th, 2010 at 11:15 pm

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- henrietta 'At the moment if you say you don't believe in Global Warming some people instantly assume you mean you want to be wasteful and pollute the earth.'

Absolutely. That is my fear too. I don't agree that global warming is manmade, yet I do believe that man-made pollution IS a problem. We need to decouple these two things.

If Brown was so intent on adopting a low-pollution lifestyle for Britain he could do so many things, yet here he is, spouting forth about 'manmade global warming' yet pooing everything Prince Charles is saying about the benefits of organic farming and the likely perils of GM agriculture with its heavy reliance on agri-chemical businesses, stronger polluting pesticides and the steady decline of nature's gene-pool.

Brown caring about the planet? Pull the other one!



Hagar on Jan 16th, 2010 at 11:20 pm

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- ozboy: "Fine, partly cloudy with a chance of thunderstorm and hail". That should cover all bases."

A bit like round here then. If you can see Ireland it's going to rain, and if you can't see Ireland, it's raining.



rastech on Jan 16th, 2010 at 11:25 pm

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- 'and the likely perils of GM agriculture with its heavy reliance on agri-chemical businesses, stronger polluting pesticides and the steady decline of nature's gene-pool.'

Not to mention control of the world's food industry. yes, that is instantly achievable with GM. Think about it.



Hagar on Jan 16th, 2010 at 11:28 pm

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- Like I said.... Here comes the Cavalry...

Prince of Wales will take the heat at 'climategate' row university

Never afraid of speaking out for causes he believes in, the Prince of Wales is to visit the university that has been at the centre of the worldwide "climategate" scandal.

Mandrake can disclose that the heir to the throne is to hold talks next week at the School of Environmental Sciences at the University of East Anglia, of which he is patron.

Leading scientists at the university in Norwich were accused of manipulating data to support the case for man-made climate change.

"Controversy or no controversy, the Prince visits his patronages," declares Charles's spokesman. "It is really not out of the blue for the Prince; he does it all the time."

At the United Nations Climate Change Conference in Copenhagen last month, Charles called on the world to come to a global agreement to pull mankind "back from the brink" of catastrophic climate change.

Professor Phil Jones, the director of the Climatic Research Unit, has stepped aside while an independent review is carried out.

In Copenhagen, the Prince warned that the world had only seven years before climate change causes a

“point of crisis” that will drive food shortages, terrorism and poverty. He said the “survival of the species” was in peril.”

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=NOIxgbOpOWU>



theunbrainwashed on Jan 16th, 2010 at 11:37 pm

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- Weather forecast: Partly cloudy with scattered earthquakes in the afternoon.

Most sensible people know that CNN derives the vast majority of it’s viewership from poor suckers forced to watch the tripe they shovel out as part of captive audiences at airport lounges.

So, there I was waiting in the arrivals lounge at McCarran airport when CNN’s Anderson Cooper in Haiti was asked about earthquake aftershocks..

His answer, was that he hadn’t heard from any updates from meteorologists...then he said it again a few mins later.



enasharples on Jan 16th, 2010 at 11:40 pm

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- thejollygreenmanm @8:03 pm

Thanks. When I researched Ditchfield after his post a few threads ago, I came across various posts and comments of his, probably including the Spectator link. What I didn’t see was anything that helped figure out who he is. Maybe a question of my laziness – I wasn’t willing to put anymore time into researching. Easier to ask James D who I thought knew.

“See his post on population. In contrast to your comments earlier, shame!”

Not sure what you think my opinions are. For the most part I don’t have expertise to have opinions. I’m not sure what comments you are referring to. Except for what I may have written satirically, this would be what I would have wanted to write:

- 1) Increasing populations will put pressure on existing water (That’s already happening.)
- 2) Increasing populations may put pressure on land and other resources, if any, that are finite. Others are far more knowledgeable than I on this.
- 3) Increasing populations will definitely take away animal habitats. I have seen that happen in my own life time, both in poor countries and in parts of the U.S.
- 4) Humans and even the animals are better off if societies are industrialized and wealthier.
- 5) Increasing populations pollution and waste – issues that need addressing. Technology and knowledge are the best route to find and implement solutions. To the extent there are relatively easy changes in our habits that we could all make without destroying our economies or way or quality of life, then we should evaluate those changes and consider making them.
- 6) Population *declines* are suicide for the West both a) in terms of having a work force to support older individuals, given increasing life spans and b) if the populations of other hostile cultures and ways of life continue to increase.
- 7) There may or may not be reasons why continuing *increases* in populations aren’t good – I don’t have the expertise to have an opinion. BUT a great many of the people calling for population control also have other agendas I find unethical or coercive. This makes me suspicious of what their real concerns and agenda are.

That’s about it. If I’ve written anything different, then it was satire, inadvertent or careless. What do you find shameful about those opinions?



msher1 on Jan 17th, 2010 at 12:16 am

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- He(Prince Chuck) said the “survival of the species” was in peril.”

If he’s talking about his particular species (Privileged Sponges)it’s not entirely a bad thing.



enasharples on Jan 17th, 2010 at 12:40 am

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- Note that Pierre Elliott Trudeau and then Maurice Strong are the godfathers of the serial global genocides executed by mercenary death squads hired through the member states of La Francophonie, including Vietnam, Cambodia, Rwanda and Haiti.

“By 1966, Strong had .. become Director General of Canada’s External Aid and President of Canada’s YMCA. Strong’s primary job was to deliver the foreign aid promised by Lester Pearson’s [Marxist] government .. Through his creation and direction of CIDA, Strong controlled the implementation of aid programs on the ground to distribute private foundation money as well as government money [and have a] federally funded but semi-private intelligence/influence network [for use in creating behavioral economic models (Warmism) to legitimize manipulated scarcity and mass murder].”

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To:

Canadian Prime Minister, The Right Honourable Stephen Harper

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CO2e racketeering, FC-KU Crime Scenes, Kellogg Cat Bonds femme.comp@xxx

bcc: 2500+

Sent January 16, 2010

Dear Prime Minister Harper:

S.E.S. lockouts on 9/11 used Charlotte’s Canadian Web

Hawks CAFE believes that the U.S. Senior Executive Service used Charlotte’s Canadian Web – an airborne internet built by Canada for a former FAA official, Charlotte Bryan – to coordinate the lockouts of USAF and other ‘blue-team’ defenders during a bogus Global Guardian war game on 9/11.

By way of example, our KSM agents have evidence that S.E.S. member and KSM alumnus Charlotte Bryan, used Charlotte’s Web command signals to lock passengers out of the AA Flight 77 cockpit, pump in CO2 to render pilot Chic Burlingame unconscious (a de facto lockout) and trigger the bogus decoy and drone maneuvers on 9/11 which set up various FC-KU* crime scenes at the Pentagon’s U.S. Naval Command Center.

KSM also has evidence that in 1949, the future Canadian Prime Minister Pierre Elliott Trudeau began to develop a revolutionary strategy of reverse lockouts where violent employees would lock out or kill their employers in government, industry and military command centers and replace the liberties of the sovereign state with a global francophone dictatorship.

“At midnight on February 14, 1949, miners walked off the job at four asbestos mines in the Eastern Townships, near Asbestos, Quebec and Thetford Mines. Though these mines were owned by either American or English-Canadian companies, almost all the workers were francophones. The largest company was the American Johns-Manville firm .. demands were radical in Quebec at the time, and they were rejected by the owners. On February 13, 1949 the workers voted to strike .. The strike was illegal .. The provincial government sent squads of police to protect the mines .. The lead reporter for Le Devoir was Gérard Pelletier, who was deeply sympathetic to the cause of the workers. Pierre Elliott Trudeau also covered the strike in a sympathetic manner. Six weeks into the strike Johns-Manville hired strikebreakers to keep the mines open .. The strike turned violent as the 5000 strikers attacked, destroying the property of the “scabs” and intimidating them through force. More police were sent to protect the strikebreakers. The striking miners and police fought on the picket line and hundreds of miners were arrested. Some of the incidents included: On March 14, a dynamite explosion destroyed part of a railroad track that led into the Johns-Manville Corporation Canadian subsidiary property. On March 16, strikers overturned a company jeep, injuring a passenger. On March 18, a company official was abducted from his home and severely beaten .. The strike was in large part led by Jean Marchand, a labour unionist. Journalist Gérard Pelletier and future Canadian Prime Minister Pierre Elliott Trudeau, then a journalist, also played significant roles .. Trudeau edited a book, The Asbestos Strike, that presented the strike [lockout] as the origin of modern Quebec, portraying it as “a violent announcement that a new era had begun.”

Please explore the links herein and help KSM to neutralize the S.E.S.'s threatened use of Charlotte's Web for violent reverse lockouts at the Vancouver 2010 Winter Olympics.

<http://abeldanger.blogspot.com/>

Yours sincerely,

Field McConnell, United States Naval Academy, 1971, Forensic Economist 30 year airline and 22 year military pilot, 23,000 hours of safety, Tel: 218 329 6190

David Hawkins Tel: 604 542-0891 Former oil industry operating engineer; Blow-out specialist, safety officer, trouble shooting. Decades of experience in explosives, incendiaries, radioactive materials and 12-D simulations.

Notes: FC-KU crime scenes are locations where Femme Comp Inc's clients use KU-band and C4 technologies to monitor for violations of the FAA's safety cap of 5,000 ppm or Obama's cap of 350ppm in CO2, prior to killing the victims to stop the violations. FC-KU crime-scene managers move hit team and victim assets including snuff-film cameras and payments, through Charlotte's Canadian Web, a secure e-tunnel into Northwestern University Transportation Center (1954). FC-KU victims are 'herded' by crowd-dynamics expert Professor Hani Mahmassani. FC-KU crime scenes are linked by patented CO2e-Fannie Mae gas chambers and virtual private networks built for Khalid Sheikh Mohammed, Kristine 'S.E.S.' Marcy and the Kellogg School of Management.



captainsherlock on Jan 17th, 2010 at 12:48 am

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- It's like two ships that pass in the night.

Ship 1: Maurice Strong and the Obama Warmists trying to get a quota system applied globally where Obama's 350 Cap in CO2 rule generates the same level of people culling which was achieved by Strong's cousin Anna Louise Strong who showed Stalin how to kill 10 million peasants in the Ukraine with a 40% seed quota.

Ship 2: Jack and Jill Sixpack who want to use a well-proven Grand Jury (Ethelred the Unroede's 'Accuse

no Innocent, Shelter no Guilty')system to put those suspected of treason and murder on trial and build a new London Bridge to dispose of guilty bits and pieces.

Nothing personal Duckie but we won't run out of tar any time soon and it is eventually biodegradable.

“The Northern Gate, the New Stone Gate, was replaced by Nonsuch House in 1577. The southern gatehouse, the Stone Gateway, became the scene of one of London’s most notorious sights: a display of the severed heads of traitors, impaled on pikes and dipped in tar to preserve them against the elements. The head of William Wallace was the first to appear on the gate, in 1305, starting a tradition that was to continue for another 355 years. Other famous heads on pikes included those of Jack Cade in 1450, Thomas More in 1535, Bishop John Fisher in the same year, and Thomas Cromwell in 1540. A German visitor to London in 1598 counted over 30 heads on the bridge. The practice was finally stopped in 1660, following the Restoration of King Charles II.”



captainsherlock on Jan 17th, 2010 at 1:17 am

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- *Yet again Delingpole's non-story ignores the two major problems which threaten world security, namely Islamophobia and the fact that oil will run out in no more than 8 years' time, rendering the Western Judaeo Christian capitalist system obsolete, and confirming what Gordon Brown, Britain's greatest prime minister since Clement Atlee's glorious socialist regime replaced that of the ailing warmonger despot Churchill, said when he rolled out his latest policy initiative on the relief of the poorest segment of society who have been completely ignored by the Conservatives and will be ignored under David Cameron as confirmed by the comments of David Tennant, Noam Chomsky and George Monbiot in a paper presented to the fourth Praesidium of the Socialist International Society of Fabians this morning.. (Just in case any of you were feeling the absence of Fabiansecrections and the Indonesian Trollbot (TM))*

(See thread above @ 6:36 pm)

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[John Duckham](#)

<http://johnduckham.tk>



Duckham on Jan 17th, 2010 at 1:21 am

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- So the EU & IPCC, the politicians & the media still stick to the script, can we start to shift the focus now from the scientists?
It is not they that are able to orchestrate the cover up of the fraud which continues to be propped up by the powerful corporate & political criminals that seek to tax humanity back into a neo feudal society & implement massive population reduction through a Malthusian financial collapse, control & degradation of food & water supplies, & the liberal use of vaccines as bio terror weapons of mass destruction.
AIDS – SWINE FLU – AUTISM – FLUORIDE – CODEX ALIMENTARIUS – & the 'false flag' events of 9/11 & 7/7 – AGW???
- I hope people are beginning to observe & question what is being played out in each of these areas.
The use of 'science' as a myth, broadcast by media whores & news blackouts if the truth is discovered.
We are witnessing conspiracy theory become FACT.
We are being governed & strategically 'culled' by genocidal corporate fascists seeking to consolidate their grip on power as people demand a new paradigm which has truth & freedom & humanity at it's heart.
I read some of the courageous people who have inspired us by their refusal to allow others to think for

them & give in to peer pressure, still not seeing beyond the 'scientists' role in this hideous crime against humanity.

My son was deliberately given a vaccine with thimerosal in it which induced autism & which has been known to cause brain damage since it's use as a 'preservative'.

1 in 38 British boys now has autism.

FFS people, we need to spend less time being witty, bitchy & indignant & spend more time talking about how we creatively & peacefully oppose this cruel & corrupt tyranny.

Love to all.

We need a 'Spartacus' moment soon.

Only without the mass crucifixions maybe...

x



re9luv9u9tion on Jan 17th, 2010 at 1:27 am

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- Duckie – It is inevitable that you would treat anyone who says the world is not running out of oil as a pre-emptive striker because it isn't and you think it is.

"Indonesia reports increase in oil, gas reserves JAKARTA, Dec. 28 (Xinhua) — The Indonesian government claimed Thursday the proven oil reserves rose to 8.93 billion barrels in 2006 from 8.63 billion barrels last year, and gas reserves rose 187.1 trillion cubic feet (5.29 trillion cubic meters) from 185.8 trillion cubic feet (5.26 trillion cubic meters)"

I have sympathy for recovering alcoholics, including immediate family, but if you write that "As the booze left the sponge between and above my ears", you should recognize that most bloggers here are not so afflicted so stop trying their patience with mindless repetition.



captainsherlock on Jan 17th, 2010 at 1:53 am

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This of course very true, People are still in shock to see their 'False Reality' crumble so easily....

Keep alert and Keep Pushing

Cool Development on Rajendra Pachauri though!

Taxpayers' millions paid to Indian institute run by UN climate chief By Robert Mendick

'A research institute headed by Dr Pachauri will receive up to £10 million funding over the next five years from the Department for International Development (DfID).

The grant comes amid question marks over the finances of The Energy and Resources Institute's (TERI) London operation. Last week its UK head called in independent accountants after admitting 'anomalies' – described as 'unintentional' – in its accounts that have prompted demands for the Charity Commission to investigate.

The decision to resubmit accounts follows a Sunday Telegraph investigation into the finances of TERI Europe, which has benefited from funding from other branches of the British Government including the Foreign Office and the Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs. ”

<http://www.telegraph.co.uk/earth/environment/climatechange/7005963/Taxpayers-millions-paid-to-Indian-institute-run-by-UN-climate-chief.html>



theunbrainwashed on Jan 17th, 2010 at 2:08 am

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- Skeptics Speak Out: Dr. Joseph D'Aleo
<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=UUmsw1lwcY0>



captainsherlock on Jan 17th, 2010 at 2:25 am

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- I need hardly say that this breaking scandal has been almost completely ignored by the MSM.

Er, this is the Telegraph, isn't it? I appreciate that the DT's become pretty conflicted in its general editorial stance in recent years, particularly on the subject of one Gordon Brown, but, JD, you can't escape the fact that it is part of the dead tree press and, as such, the MSM. And you work for them.

MSM journo 'blogs' are just as much a part of the 'MSM' as any other kind of professional hackery. That your moronic 'editor-in-chief' (and that's where this comment gets disappeared) permits you to go on gatecrashing the pathetic armageddon, AGW, misanthropic watermelon party should tell you one thing and one thing alone: even he knows that you can't piss off your entire readership without killing circulation. You're still active because you're useful. But genuine blogger you ain't, mate. Genuine bloggers are just your (free) sources.

But if you do really think you're "blog" is independent, then at some point you're in for a hell of a shock. You're still in business simply because of your ratings, nothing else. Hey, don't take my word for it. Ask your boss.

Good works apart, you're as much a part of the MSM as the mad hacks of the Grauniad, like Monbiot. As if you didn't know.

But to pretend that you're somehow part of the citizen blogger fraternity is sad – and I say that as a blogger (you'll notice I haven't advertised my blog here, though: I need my anonymity because I value my independence – and my job).

Aside from that, keep up the great work. It's always good to know we have some sort of an active infiltrator at work, even if he has no idea that he's not really trusted because he doesn't think it important that his salary cheque is paid by 'the man'.

Get real.



Jono on Jan 17th, 2010 at 2:25 am

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- i got an idea for that Spartacus moment theunbrainwashl... it's a long shot but it just might work...



re9luv9u9tion on Jan 17th, 2010 at 2:30 am

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- Be aware that Paul Pelosi Jr. founding member of Cisco Connected Urban Development and clients of the Obamas' old law firm Sidley Austin are gaming the CO2e cat bond market where friends are put on the winning side!

“Cisco has inked a deal with NASA to build a new global system for tracking climate change. Dubbed ‘Planetary Skin,’ the network platform will connect a number of sensor and recording units throughout the planet in an effort to gather data for monitoring and tracking changes to the global climate. The company plans to begin building the system next year with a program called ‘Rainforest Skin’ which will track both climate change and deforestation in rainforest environments. Eventually, the company plans to take the system throughout the planet and create a global network of data-collecting systems for the project. A podcast and a video explain the project in further detail.”



captainsherlock on Jan 17th, 2010 at 2:36 am

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- theunbrainwashed 2:08 am

It's not going to be pretty nor peaceful.

“The tree of liberty must be refreshed from time to time with the blood of patriots and tyrants.” — Thomas Jefferson



captainsherlock on Jan 17th, 2010 at 3:31 am

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- “Yet again Delingpole’s non-story ignores the two major problems which threaten world security, namely Islamophobia and the fact that oil will run out in no more than 8 years’ time, rendering the Western Judaeo Christian capitalist system obsolete.”

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Below is a listing of Jihadist killings back to the first of this year. When you read such a list you begin to understand how is must have felt to be a Western Roman Citizen in the early 5th century AD.

2010.01.15 Spin Boldak, Afghanistan

A mother and her four children are successfully taken out by a fundamentalist bomb attack on their car.

2010.01.14 Nazran, Ingushetia

Islamists shoot a cop to death outside a mosque.

2010.01.14 Najaf, Iraq

Twenty-seven people are massacred, and 111 injured by three separate bomb blasts at a Shia market.

2010.01.14 Mohmand, Pakistan

Two members of a peace committee are murdered by Taliban roadside bombers while on their way home.

2010.01.14 Baqubah, Iraq

Two people at a market are killed by a Mujahideen market blast.

2010.01.14 Helmand, Afghanistan

A Shahid suicide bomber sends a local cop to paradise.

2010.01.14 Pattani, Thailand

A Buddhist couple is shot to death by Muslims while riding to work. Their bodies are then burned.

2010.01.14 Uruzgan, Afghanistan

Three children are among twenty civilians blown to bits at a market place by a Fedayeen suicide bomber.

2010.01.13 Saqlawiya, Iraq

A suicide bomber sends seven Iraqis to Allah.

2010.01.13 Ghazni, Afghanistan

An Afghan police officer is murdered by Sunni roadside bombers.

2010.01.13 Shabwa, Yemen

Two local soldiers are cut down in an al-Qaeda ambush.

2010.01.13 Hangu, Pakistan

A man is kidnapped and beheaded by Muslim militants, who then booby-trap the body.

2010.01.13 Tank, Pakistan

A child is killed from an explosive planted by religious radicals at a playground.

2010.01.13 Pattani, Thailand

Islamic terrorists ambush a group of electricians, killing one.

2010.01.13 Allaghane, Algeria

Two security personnel are shot to death by Islamic extremists.

2010.01.12 Diyala, Iraq

Terrorists murder three people with a brutal bomb blast.

2010.01.11 Peshawar, Pakistan

One person is crushed to death in a Taliban rocket attack.

2010.01.11 Uruzgan, Afghanistan

A policeman is cut down by a suicide bomber.

2010.01.11 Jammu, India

Pakistani terrorists shoot an Indian border guard to death.

2010.01.10 Uruzgan, Afghanistan

Three humanitarian workers die in a Taliban roadside attack.

2010.01.10 Kulgam, India

Hizb-ul-Mujahideen gun down two former members who had renounced violence.

2010.01.10 Mohmand, Pakistan

Suspected Islamists murder two tribal elders.

2010.01.10 Narathiwat, Thailand

Two men sitting in a tea shop are blown away by Muslim terrorists with automatic weapons.

2010.01.09 Helmand, Afghanistan

A British journalist is among two killed in a roadside Mujahideen bombing.

2010.01.09 Mosul, Iraq

Freedom fighters kill a 16-year-old boy with a bomb.

2010.01.08 Karachi, Pakistan

Five mourners at a funeral are shot to death by sectarian Jihadis.

2010.01.08 Logar, Afghanistan

Two Afghans are blown away at point blank range by a Fedayeen.

2010.01.08 Bajaur, Pakistan

Two people are blown to bits by a Taliban roadside bomb.

2010.01.08 Ras Al-Jadeh, Iraq

Jihad bombers kill two local cops.

2010.01.08 Khyber, Pakistan

Three children are among eight civilians murdered by a Lashkar-e-Islam suicide bomber outside a mosque.

2010.01.07 Khanaqin, Iraq

Three Iraqis are cut down by a Jihadi bomb.

2010.01.07 Nag Hamadi, Egypt

Six worshipers and one guard are gunned down by Muslim radicals as they leave mass at a Christian church. A 14-year-old is among the dead.

2010.01.07 Nangarhar, Afghanistan

Four children are among nine Afghans murdered by Islamic bombers in two attacks.

2010.01.07 Yala, Thailand

A man is ripped in two by a Religion of Peace nail bomb.

2010.01.07 Hit, Iraq

Women and children are among the dead when Mujahideen detonate planted bombs around the bedrooms of four homes.

2010.01.07 Uruzgan, Afghanistan

All eight Afghan soldiers riding in a vehicle are killed by a Taliban roadside bomb.

2010.01.06 Sudhanoti, Pakistan

Three local soldiers are incinerated by a suicide bomber.

2010.01.06 Mosul, Iraq

Two children are killed by a bomb in their home, suspected to have been stored there by their father.

2010.01.06 Srinagar, India

Jamiat-ul-Mujahideen militants toss grenades and fire into a crowd at a shopping center, killing at least three people.

2010.01.06 Makhachkala, Dagestan

A suicide bomber murders six Russian police officers.

2010.01.06 Egypt Rafah 1 0 Hamas snipers take down an Egyptian soldier.

2010.01.05 Karachi, Pakistan

A 70-year-old leader of a religious minority is murdered while sitting in his store by Jihadi gunmen.

2010.01.05 Mohmand, Pakistan

Two civilians are taken down by Taliban rockets.

2010.01.04 Kirkuk, Iraq

Three Iraqis are murdered in a Mujahideen double bombing.

2010.01.04 Mosul, Iraq

Sunni bombers blast three civilians into pieces.

2010.01.03 Waziristan Tribal region of Pakistan.

A bombing and separate rocket attack leave two people dead.

2010.01.03 Tal Abta, Iraq

Three road construction workers are gunned down by Muslim terrorists.

2010.01.03 Bajaur, Pakistan

Two tribal elders are blown to bits by a Taliban roadside bomb.

2010.01.03 Hangu, Pakistan

A Taliban roadside bomb ends the lives of four people.

2010.01.02 Dhusamareb, Somalia

al-Shabaab Islamists assault a small town. At least four dozen people are killed in the fighting.

2010.01.02 Afghanistan Kandahar 4 0 Four American soldiers guarding a road are murdered by a Taliban roadside bomb.

2010.01.02 Orakzai, Pakistan

Three civilian village guards are ambushed and killed by Islamic militants.

2010.01.02 Mosul, Iraq

Two local cops are gunned down by Sunni terrorists.

2010.01.02 Nimroz, Afghanistan

Five civilians are killed when Sunni terrorists bomb their pickup truck.

2010.01.02 Baghdad, Iraq

Jihadi bombers take out a civilian and injure two dozen others.

2010.01.01 Shah Hason, Pakistan

Children are amply represented among over one hundred spectators massacred at a volleyball tournament by a Fedayeen suicide bomber.



transmaster on Jan 17th, 2010 at 3:32 am

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I think the proper response to Duckham was articulated by the great philosopher Curly Howard. To whit, *ahem*

nyuk, nyuk, nyuk!



Doz on Jan 17th, 2010 at 3:44 am

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- transmaster: "I Think we have ample reason to look with suspicion at people who believe it is their ticket to paradise to blow themselves up, or shoot who ever they can get close to, women, Children, old men. When is the last time you heard of one of those Western Judaeo Christian capitalists blowing themselves up for Heaven."

You are a victim of virtual deception by its greatest practitioners, Warmist Godfather, Maurice Strong, and the racketeering partners and alumni of the Sidley Austin law firm, including the Obamas and Bernardine Dohrn who administer the Rockefeller Family Trusts.

Key words are " .. hire mercenaries"; if the 3.9 million Warmist Teachers' ('TIAA-CREF') want to create an impression of al-Qaeda they hire muslims to blow themselves up, or shoot who ever they can get close to, women, Children, old men; if they want to create an impression of Neo Nazis, the Warmist Teachers' hire a Timothy McVeigh; the Red Brigade, Weathermen, Black Panthers, Unabombers it's always based out of a corrupt university system and a parasitical elite.

Shit, Mumbai Massacre on Thanksgiving Day 2008 was run out of the Chicago Kellogg School of Management, not by Marxists hiring Muslims but by Warmists hiring Muslims. Same with University College hiring the crotch bomber in London and sending him to Aden for some street cred.

"This is what Strong told a reporter back in 1990, when he was describing what he called a fantasy scenario for the World Economic Forum meeting in Davos, Switzerland—where 1,000 diplomats, CEOs and politicians gather annually "to address global issues". What if a small group of these world leaders were to conclude that the principal risk to the earth comes from the actions of the rich countries?... In order to save the planet, the group decides: Isn't the only hope for the planet that the industrialized civilizations collapse? Isn't it our responsibility to bring this about? "This group of world leaders forms a secret society to bring about an economic collapse," Strong told the reporter in painting his so-called fantasy scenario. "It's February. They're all at Davos. These aren't terrorists. They're world leaders. They have positioned themselves in the world's commodities and stock markets. They've engineered, using their access to stock markets and computers and gold supplies, a panic. Then, they prevent the world's stock markets from closing. They jam the gears. They hire mercenaries who hold the rest of the world leaders at Davos as hostage. The markets can't close"



captainsherlock on Jan 17th, 2010 at 6:13 am

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snowmaneasy on Jan 17th, 2010 at 8:13 am

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- “you realise you are doing something right.”

Duckie, there is usually a first time for everything, even your getting something right, but that’s a long shot, so let’s not make any predictions on that score (0.001 probability say?).

The best estimates by ‘experts’ show that there is forty years oil left. Go back through the data over 40 years and you will find that there has usually been 40 years oil left at any point in time...i.e 20 years on, there is still around 40 years oil from the range of assessors.

I think your 8 year estimate is as unfounded and contrived as the AGW hypothesis itself. However, IF you could possibly be right then that just shows that all the talk of CO2 reduction is daft as there will be no oil to burn soon. How many years for coal then Duckie – 10 or 12??? Is the planet ‘saved’ from ‘death by plant food?’



realityreturns on Jan 17th, 2010 at 8:18 am

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- **Re disappearing weather stations**

I am surprised that nobody has yet, (so far as I can see), posted this link to an earlier discussion of the subject. See: http://www.appinsys.com/GlobalWarming/GW_Part2_GlobalTempMeasure.htm



skeptik on Jan 17th, 2010 at 8:44 am

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- Gavin Schimdt who effectively runs <http://www.realclimate.org> works for NASA at the Goddard Institute for Space Studies (GISS). James Hansen is his boss....

here is a link to the “man himself”

<http://www.giss.nasa.gov/staff/gschmidt/>

How NASA allows him to run a website like realclimate beggars the imagination, he is supposed to be a govt employee. At the moment he effectively runs a political website. Obviously NASA knows this and has no problem with it...

If you puruse the website you will find mostly climate change studies.

Here are some of their recent studies...

1. Could Arctic Sea Ice Retreat Drive Changes in Air Pollution Levels?
 2. Survival of Tibetan Glaciers
 3. Can the Oceans Keep Pace with Industrial Emissions?
 4. Catalog of Change
 5. How do Global Soot Models Measure Up?
 6. Ocean Temperature Variations and Rainfall
 7. Think Global, Act Local
 8. Aerosols Boost Warming Potential of Some Gases
 9. NASA Expands Climate Simulation Computing System
 10. Alaskan Climate and Peatland Carbon Storage
- and so on....



snowmaneasy on Jan 17th, 2010 at 9:57 am

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- Paper on East Antarctic Ice Shelf Stability, Jan 2009 from the abstract...

“We report on long-term surface elevation changes of the central Amery Ice Shelf (AIS) by comparing elevation records spanning 4 decades (1968–2007).”

“At GPS-leveling crossovers the mean long-term dh/dt is -0.003 metres/ a–1, and at ICESat-leveling crossovers the mean dh/dt is $+0.013$ metres/ a–1; neither trend is significantly different from zero.”

“We conclude that these observed multiyear elevation changes must be due to currently unexplained or presently poorly quantified phenomena involving surface or basal processes and/or ice dynamics.”

“With the multidecadal stability of the AIS established, the short-term fluctuations that we observe suggests that for other ice shelves, observed strong dh/dt signals over short time periods do not necessarily indicate ice shelf instability”

(dh/dt means rate of vertical change)

Citation: King, M. A., R. Coleman, A.-J. Freemantle, H. A. Fricker, R. S. Hurd, B. Legrésy, L. Padman, and R. Warner (2009), A 4-decade record of elevation change of the Amery Ice Shelf, East Antarctica, J. Geophys. Res., 114, F01010, doi:10.1029/2008JF001094.

Link....

<http://www.agu.org/pubs/crossref/2009/2008JF001094.shtml>



snowmaneasy on Jan 17th, 2010 at 10:28 am

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- “When posters start making pre-emptive strikes against you...you realise you are doing something right.” – Ducky

Either that, or your diatribes are so predictable, repetitive and tedious that they've become the stuff of parody. Look, we get it: you're far wiser and more enlightened than those of us still banging on about global warming, because you recognise that the real threat to global security is the sinister military-industrial complex that will plunge the world into chaos in a deadly battle over oil. Unlike us gullible dolts, you can see through the facade to the real truth. You truly are a prophet. Albeit one marooned in the arse-end of nowhere who believes in Javanese Mysticism.

Like I've said before: what you predict won't happen. Ever. I'm sure that believing it makes you feel like the hero in a bad 1970s conspiracy thriller ("Dammit, Jack, this goes all the way to the top!"), but if you had the slightest grasp of economics, you'd realise that even the most sinister despot isn't going to waste his time with a commodity that is no longer cost effective.

I imagine this rather banal truth spoils your *Three Days of the Condor* fantasies, and reveals your supposed insight as a silly delusion, but reality is sometimes like that. Sometimes it steadfastly refuses to endorse your barmy self-image as the voice of reason in a world gone mad. So why not remove that ridiculous self-flattering post on your website and go back to musing about "the syncretism of East and West", whatever the bloody hell that is. And for the love of God, no more talk of 'peak oil'.



tayles on Jan 17th, 2010 at 11:29 am

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- **msher1 on Jan 16th, 2010 at 7:24 pm**

"skeptik

It is profoundly puzzling as to your position, as recently as the previous thread. You say you are undecided and neither side has proved their case. Yet you seem to have concurred that everything James D has written about as fraud is fraud – or at least you appear to agree that it's not good data/methodology. So what do you base your continuing indecision on? I.e., what body of data, methods, scientists and predictions is it that you still consider could be valid/plausible?"

Not sure what you are referring to here. If you want a more reasoned reply than what I am writing below, would you be more specific please?

If you are referring to the "I refute it THUS" blog and the follow up, then I do indeed agree that Motl's work is sound. I have reproduced, using my own program, (not his), **every single one** of the results that he mentions on his blog.

On the other hand, I have been severely critical of the graph attached to the same JD blog! This is not Motl's work but somebody else's.

My position is simple. Much of the **Al Gore warmist** stuff is bad science. However, so is much of the denialist "science".

I would expect CO2 to have **some** effect on climate. The question is: how much? My view is that it is probably small(ish) but not negligible. However, I think that it would be more sensible to cope with any climate change **consequences**, including those of natural climate change, than it would be to try to prevent the man made element unless and until we learn that it really is dangerous.



skeptik on Jan 17th, 2010 at 11:33 am

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- **Dickens on Jan 16th, 2010 at 10:33 pm**

“What’s more likely? That two separate groups of scientists came to the same conclusion, one using corrupt data and a corrupt process, and the other using an uncorrupted process with uncorrupted data; or that they’re both cooking the books?”

There is an alternative explanation – and one that I gave on Dec 15th, 2009 at 12:23 am, see:
<http://blogs.telegraph.co.uk/news/jamesdelingpole/100019812/climategate-who-bodysnatched-boris/>

Basically it is quite common for people using mathematical models to “clean up” their data first. I, myself have done this. The problem is that the “cleaning up” process can introduce biases and false positives.

Usually, One spots this oneself – especially in time series like temperature records or financial / economic data. The giveaway is that you start off with what look like random corrections and these gradually become smoother and suggest a trend. Now, if you were to look at the USHCN corrections, available on:
http://cdiac.ornl.gov/epubs/ndp/ushcn/ts.ushcn_anom25_diffs_urb-raw_pg.gif
you would see that they follow very much this sort of pattern.

Now suppose that all the climate records used the same pice of “cleaning up” software, then they would all show the same patterns in the adjusted data if such a bug were present.

This however, is pure speculation on my part.



skeptik on Jan 17th, 2010 at 11:50 am

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- That ‘America Rising’ Video is well cool, Thanks to whoever put that up.

WE NEED a Political Force with that Attitude.

Who?

Where?

Sadly I do not see them.

Here is the vid again

”Hope And Change’s Backlash”

<http://market-ticker.denninger.net/archives/1865-Hope-And-Changes-Backlash.html>



theunbrainwashed on Jan 17th, 2010 at 11:50 am

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- @skeptik thanks for that brilliant link



[James Delingpole](#) on Jan 17th, 2010 at 11:53 am

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- tayles 11.29

Just brilliant! I read it three times ‘cos it made me feel better



dirlada on Jan 17th, 2010 at 11:58 am

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- captainsherlock on Jan 17th, 2010 at 3:31 am

Whoever said it would be easy?

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=SLuW-GBaJ8k>



theunbrainwashed on Jan 17th, 2010 at 12:08 pm

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- I have just over at <http://www.climateprogress.org> here's one of the posts....being on the site was like walking into a "born again ecochondrian's love in"... most of the posts are from people living in California and they seem to be arguing over where to put solar energy plants....sunlight...great if you can get it...

Barry says:

January 16, 2010 at 10:08 pm

Sable (#61),

I can see the trouble people get into by rushing into things too quickly. However this is NOT a case of "rushing into something"...the train is already mindlessly rocketing down the tracks, out of control, and hammering every ecosystem and species in sight.

Humans are spending a billion dollars every two hours to extract, burn and litter around FOUR TRILLION gallons of just oil every day.

Add to that the ex-mountains of coal and unimaginable quantities of natural gas. Every hour humanity rushes megatonnes more mindlessly and without limitations into our ecosystems.

It is fine to wish the train were not thundering along, gathering speed, growing by millions of tonnes every hour, as it runs over our future. I sure wish it weren't happening! But that doesn't change the reality that it IS.

We will not have the luxury of taking our time on clean energy until we actually slow down our dirty energy disaster first.

The monstrous fossil fuel burn IS happening...it IS out of control...it IS growing...it IS time critical to stop if we want to save what we dearly love of our ecosystems or our kids future.

I'm tired of people lecturing me about how society must "grow up", "go slow" and "not rush into" clean energy BEFORE society has even bothered to do the same with the fossil killing machine first.

Our ecosystems are already falling apart under the brutal assault of an additional several megatonnes of climate pollution every hour.

Going slow on clean energy has proven to mean going even faster on dirty energy. Humanity is choosing one or the other no matter how much we wish it wasn't.

Clean or dirty or fantasy? 385ppm and growing.



snowmaneasy on Jan 17th, 2010 at 12:31 pm

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- @katabasis on Jan 16th, 2010 at 5:12 pm

Thank you so much for the introduction to post-normal science. Until now, I've been mystified, not just by the absence of integrity (or intellectual rigour of any kind, in many cases), but by the brute shamelessness of these people.

I recommend [your blog](#) on this unreservedly; also [Buy The Truth](#) on this, to which you link.

Now I feel I'm starting to see the enemy for what it really is. Appalling, but it's better to know...

Keep it up, please!!



HNMcC on Jan 17th, 2010 at 12:53 pm

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- enasharples:

"He(Prince Chuck) said the "survival of the species" was in peril."

If he's talking about his particular species (Privileged Sponges)it's not entirely a bad thing."

You are a lot closer to the truth with that, than you might think.

When population gets to a certain level, the 'Cosy Club' no longer becomes tenable. Hence the whole Eugenics based population scares.

For perspective, approx 30% of the surface of this Planet is land.

Of that, about 8% is agricultural land (about 2.4% of the whole Planets surface area). Most of that agricultural land, is not farmed efficiently, and vast quantities of perfectly usable food is not harvested from the land that isn't farmed (foodstuffs that aren't in general use e.g. acorns and beechmast in the UK).

'Unfarmable' presently sterile land in hot climates (think Sahara and similar), can be massively productive with desalination plants and drip agriculture, offering many harvests per year. Desalination plant water is now less than 50c a cubic metre (a lot of water, for not a lot of money).

People that live in Cities, often fly to cities on holiday, and go to cities by the beach. There seems to be an impression in many quarters that the World is tarmac and concrete. It isn't (e.g. travel 10 miles inland from Benidorm, and look around).

For perspective, agricultural land is *vastly greater in area than than the area taken up by cities (which does not mean I don't object to city construction being limited to non-agricultural areas for development). City area would not be 10% of the agricultural land area by any stretch – which means a maximum of 0.24% of the Worlds surface, has cities on it (and it's a lot less than that).*

The agenda at work is a power retention agenda, and it seeks to eliminate the vast majority of human beings from this Planet in the process (in the words of such mouthpieces as a certain Mr Porritt).

They are sick, criminal, murdering people, and they need to be behind bars.

More people = more brains, more Einsteins, more Mozarts, more Jethro Tulls, more Brunels, more Frank Lloyd Wrights, more Buckminster Fullers, etc., etc., etc.

In other words, the greatest asset human beings have, is, has been, and always will be, human beings.



rastech on Jan 17th, 2010 at 12:59 pm

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- Sorry the bold went a bit wrong on that, but it's maybe livable with.



rastech on Jan 17th, 2010 at 1:03 pm

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- That didn't come out right – “which does not mean I don't object to city construction being limited to non-agricultural areas for development”

Yes restrict cities to non agricultural land – and start designing and building them for people to live in again.



rastech on Jan 17th, 2010 at 1:10 pm

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- snowmaneasy – I took a look at the climateprogress thing.

It's a bit like visiting a facility for the mentally challenged. Hell it's more delusional than our own Dicky Ducky or even Fabiansecrections.

Woe woe, the nasty big carbon devil is coming to get us! We must stop driving, we must stop heating, we must stop eating and we must stop breathing...only then shall we be purified of dirty old Carbon Dioxide and live forever after death.

What utter tosh!



realityreturns on Jan 17th, 2010 at 1:11 pm

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- realityreturns on Jan 17th, 2010 at 1:11 pm ...exactly...these guys have been drinking their own bath water....it's very scary reading it...I was going to post a comment...but eventually decided not to...it would have been a complete waste of time.



snowmaneasy on Jan 17th, 2010 at 1:17 pm

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- Thanks for publishing this, James. I'm watching the video right now and I stopped it to comment on something I just heard (in segment 2) from Craig Idso, founder and chairman of the board of the Center for the Study of Carbon Dioxide and Global Change.

He says that increased atmospheric CO2 will increase crop yields in the coming decades by 50%-75%, helping to feed the rising population of earth and that without those increased yields we'll be in trouble.

And I couldn't help thinking, the second I heard that, that this is the REAL reason the carbon-haters hate carbon so much: because they hate people.

How many times have you heard an "environmentalist" say there are "too many people"? Too many times to count.

What is their agenda: fewer people.

What is a key element in enforcing that agenda: less food.

How do you "create" less food: limit atmospheric carbon dioxide.



KathyJ on Jan 17th, 2010 at 1:36 pm

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- Idso introduces his remarks, in segment 2, by saying referring to what everyone learned in SECOND GRADE SCIENCE: that CO2 is the food for plants.

And the EPA in their Infinite Stupidity, calls THE FOOD FOR PLANTS a POLLUTANT and a HEALTH HAZARD.



KathyJ on Jan 17th, 2010 at 1:37 pm

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- **Global warming could turn Hull into the Venice of the North**

By Richard Alleyne, Science Correspondent

Town planners should allow parts of the suburbs to flood while preserving the historic centre to deal with water levels rising by as much of four feet in the next century.

So which newspaper has published such drivel? Er, well it's at

<http://www.telegraph.co.uk/earth/earthnews/6989103/Global-warming-could-turn-Hull-into-the-Venice-of-the-North.html>



Hamish Redux on Jan 17th, 2010 at 1:44 pm

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- KathyJ on Jan 17th, 2010 at 1:36 pm

Indeed so, I was thinking that if we built Coal Fired Power Stations we could build a Piped CO2 by-Product Infrastructure to send the CO2 off to the rural food growing areas of the country....

Check out how the EPA Wants YOU to Pay for your Own demise...

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=gqQ4xR-3J8c&feature=related>

JOHN BOEHNER 1 OF 6 READS PORTIONS 300 EXTRA PAGES OF CLIMATE CHANGE BILL HR 2454 PUT IN AT 3 AM!



theunbrainwashed on Jan 17th, 2010 at 1:47 pm

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- katabasis on Jan 16th, 2010 at 5:12 pm

“It boggles the mind that we don’t just have one scandal – which on its own would be enough to cast doubt on the entire edifice – no, we have dozens.”

This is typical of a leftist scenario. There doesn’t have to be a centrally-orchestrated conspiracy for leftists everywhere to get the same “result”. Once they get their simplified list of talking points, they all run with it and creatively expand it based on a centrally-understood idea. And ideas are easy to be centrally-understood in the leftist “community” because all their ideas come from the same root concept:

Capitalism is evil.

Growth is bad.

Human population is harmful.

Humans must be limited, in what they do, what they have and how many they are.

(Except for we good Socialist Masters, of course. We get to have as much of everything as we want.)



KathyJ on Jan 17th, 2010 at 1:49 pm

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- rastech on Jan 17th, 2010 at 12:59 pm

Yip the Bold works out fine simply for the reason that it highlights

Buckminster Fuller



theunbrainwashed on Jan 17th, 2010 at 1:59 pm

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- KathyJ on Jan 17th, 2010 at 1:49 pm ...if you haven’t already done it go and check this post by alan neil ditchfield| 12.5.09 @ 11:37AM...here is the link...

<http://spectator.org/blog/2009/11/23/glenn-beck-on-climategate>

the post is located a few post down....you have to read it, it is very good...



snowmaneasy on Jan 17th, 2010 at 2:00 pm

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- rastech on Jan 17th, 2010 at 12:59 pm

EXACTLY!

Which is why ‘Over Population’ is a kettle of red herring

Dear dear... I am hearing what Corporal Clegg is spewing on Andrew marr, pass the sick bag will you....

<http://video.tiscali.it/canali/truveo/2473396869.html>



theunbrainwashed on Jan 17th, 2010 at 2:13 pm

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- captainsherlock on Jan 17th, 2010 at 1:17 am

“Maurice Strong and the Obama Warmists trying to get a quota system applied globally where Obama’s 350 Cap in CO2 rule generates the same level of people culling which was achieved by Strong’s cousin Anna Louise Strong who showed Stalin how to kill 10 million peasants in the Ukraine with a 40% seed quota.”

Scary, and what I strongly believe to be true:

The true agenda of the “environmentalist” is the destruction of human life on earth.



KathyJ on Jan 17th, 2010 at 2:14 pm

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- Hope and Change Backlash Part 2:

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=apQukuaXGs4>

Yes it’s exactly the same over here, and everywhere else too.



rastech on Jan 17th, 2010 at 2:18 pm

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- Youtube has been taking these videos down and rigging the viewing figures (a bit like Google and the Climategate hits).

I’ve got Part 1 and Part 2 downloaded and I’ll host them if it comes to it.



rastech on Jan 17th, 2010 at 2:21 pm

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- There’s a lot of speculation that Part 1 was not done by Democrats, and that it’s Republican propaganda.

I know someone in contact with the people that made these videos (via FedupUSA), and she confirmed most involved are bitterly disappointed and bouncing angry Democrat supporters (the small minority are bitterly disappointed and bouncing angry Republican/Independant – Ron Paul fan type – supporters).



rastech on Jan 17th, 2010 at 2:24 pm

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- Thank you, snowmaneazy, for the link, which I repeat here:

spectator.org/blog/2009/11/23/glenn-beck-on-climategate/a>

[When you get to the link, search or scroll down to:](#)

[alan neil ditchfield](#)

[It is excellent and should be read by all, and maybe, James, posted in its entirety as a subject of one of your](#)

[blogs.](#)

[Here's another entry by the same person:](#)

wattsupwiththat.com/2010/01/03/dr-neil-frank-on-climategate-you-should-be-steamed/a>

[Again, search or scroll down to:](#)

[alan neil ditchfield](#)



KathyJ on Jan 17th, 2010 at 2:27 pm

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- KathyJ: "How do you "create" less food: limit atmospheric carbon dioxide"

Plus pay farmers not to grow food, and also drive them out of farming by imposing a nightmare of bureaucratic paperwork on them, that seriously interferes with time to actually farm, plus close food processing plants such as the milk factory devastation in West Wales, closed, despite no shortage of customers for their superior quality powdered milk, for example.

I know far too many farmers that have just thrown up their hands in despair and said 'Enough!'



rastech on Jan 17th, 2010 at 2:40 pm

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- "...the fantasies of the non-scandal and the non-issue so beloved of the faithful multi-posters on these threads..."

–Duckham on Jan 16th, 2010 at 8:05 pm

"They achieved this [manipulation of temperature data] – with an insouciant disregard for scientific integrity which quite beggars belief – through the simple expedient of ignoring most of those weather station sited in higher, colder places and using mainly ones in warmer spots."

–By James Delingpole Politics Last updated: January 16th, 2010

So what you're saying, Duckham, is that "disregard for scientific integrity" by SCIENTISTS is a NON-ISSUE???

Either that or you're saying that Delingpole is a liar, that he's making the whole thing up. That there is NO "disregard for scientific integrity" anywhere in the scientific "climate" establishment.

Since you don't seem to be calling Delingpole a liar, then you ARE saying that "disregard for scientific integrity" is a NON-ISSUE. Right?

Do I have you right, Duckham?



KathyJ on Jan 17th, 2010 at 2:41 pm

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- James;
It is looking less and less like I will need the tin foil hat. I'm just waiting now for the media to make the

connection between the data manipulation and the CRU funders (LNG, Nuclear and Food to Ethanol) and then connect the money to the motivation (the Why). Give it a couple of weeks or so, if we are lucky someone in the MSM will eventually try to understand the connection between Oman LNG and the others and this whole sordid mess.

Climategate goes American: NOAA, GISS and the mystery of the vanishing weather stations.

That would be a couple more of the “few people in just the right places”



andrew30 on Jan 17th, 2010 at 3:09 pm

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- From that link ‘alan neil ditchfield’ provided by KathyJ:

“If comparison is limited to land covered by buildings and pavements the occupied land in the whole world amounts to 0,04% of the terrestrial area of the planet. With 99.96% unoccupied the idea of an overcrowded planet is an exaggeration. ”

Shows how conservative my estimates were, posted above.

“With so much elbowroom it is untenable that world population is excessive or shall ever become so.”

So start looking very closely at the people that are suggesting otherwise, and question the motives . . .

“The cost of feeding a human being was 8 times greater in 1850 than it is today. In 1950, less than half of a world population of 2 billion had an adequate diet, above 2000 calories per day. Today, 80% have the diet, and world population is three times greater.”

Yet here in the UK, somehow, we pay massively more than the going rate for the price of food (hint: the farmers aren’t getting the money).

But the rest is worth reading so I’ll cut the commentary there.



rastech on Jan 17th, 2010 at 3:12 pm

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- Rastech:

but if the political elite see over-population as a threat to their power base, why did Blair actively encourage mass immigration on an unprecedented scale into the UK? Not only that, but as these immigrants tend to be muslim, they also tend to have large families, hence the population explosion in Britain and the drain on overstretched resources? Indeed, this is one reason why the public have turned against new Liebour, as they see their quality of life decrease.



Hagar on Jan 17th, 2010 at 3:13 pm

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- A highly cynical strategy for political ends (and it’s high density in a small area of course, so stirred tempers can be exploited), and things like not being able to artificially blow bubbles in housing (pollies buy houses for big profits in bubble blown markets, especially if they can get the taxpayer to buy them out of ‘expenses’), without creating an artificial demand. All the time espousing the BS line ‘it’s bricks and

mortar, it's an investment' when the reality is it's just a roof over your head to keep the weather off.

Artificially stimulate demand and artificially restrict supply (tie in the credit millstone so further increasing demand artificially by forward pulling demand) to push up prices artificially and rip everyone off, is the antithesis of 'The Market'.

How else do you think people can be suckered to pay more for a motor car that costs less to make now than it did 40 years ago?

Robot lines, low metal content, injection moulding machines spitting components out for pennies, low profile tyres with almost no material content costing 5 x more than something with more materials, and people pay almost £24,000 for a Mini Cooper S, or more than £500 for a 'Smart' car (bought by total dumbasses).

Pollies love scapegoats to divert attention from themselves when TSHTF. The more scapegoats they can ship in, the better.

You don't seriously think they view Enoch Powell's 'Blood in the Streets' as anything but inevitable at some point?

Where will the Pollies be then?

Why in their usual place at the front of the processions, or standing on tanks, of course!



rastech on Jan 17th, 2010 at 3:49 pm

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- Examples to think on.

A Honda 125 fuel injected in Thailand with higher duty and taxes, is less than £600 on the road (before haggling and deals with free stuff like crash helmets).

Here? £1,995 on the road (it still has to be packaged and shipped, to Thailand, and taxes and import duty are higher, remember).

NGK spark plugs for my Honda, list price now here are over £10 EACH!

Same plug made in the same factory in Thailand? About 30p.

I get them from a very nice little owner run shop in America, for \$2.25.

Now would anybody seriously try and tell me, that Halfords, with their buying power, couldn't make a very handsome profit undercutting that single store outlet in America? With their relative buying power, they should be able to beat the Thailand price (taxes are lower here).

Where's the damned money going?

We are seriously being robbed blind.



rastech on Jan 17th, 2010 at 4:01 pm

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- By the way I worked in car component manufacturing, and know what stuff cost to make before big automation and with heavy labour intensive production.

Production costs now are way below what they were then, and they were dirt cheap then.



rastech on Jan 17th, 2010 at 4:05 pm

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- Having also read the link 'alan neil ditchfield' provided by KathyJ and rastech on Jan 17th, 2010 at 3:12 pm

It occurs to me that the as land surface area of earth is only around 25% of the Earth's total, the Earth's populated area seems to be the equivalent of a very small pimple on an elephants backside.

With this perspective, how can the Green Warmista's really believe this density of population and associated industry's relatively minor CO2 output, in 0.00x?ppm, is THE cause of Climate Change /Global Warming? They and there agenda is even more scary than I first thought.



xrayco2 on Jan 17th, 2010 at 4:07 pm

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- "If you tell a lie big enough and keep repeating it, people will eventually come to believe it. The lie can be maintained only for such time as the State can shield the people from the political, economic and/or military consequences of the lie. It thus becomes vitally important for the State to use all of its powers to repress dissent, for the truth is the mortal enemy of the lie, and thus by extension, the truth is the greatest enemy of the State." Joe Goebbels



rastech on Jan 17th, 2010 at 4:42 pm

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- There is a series running in the States "Life After People" The premise is man kind abruptly disappears off the face of the earth for no apparent reason. Then the program depicts how the earth changes over the years, decades, centuries. I lasted 15 minutes into the first show. I absolutely dote on dogs and the thought of all of the dogs locked up in homes of people who are not returning knowing these animals will starve to death turned me off. It is a no brainer to realized this whole series has to be a wet dream to the Earth First, evil human, if only we were gone, loons. As the series unfolds we watch how the earth, with it's burden of the evil humans gone, heals it's self. The same loons who look on Life After People as a religious experience will never be convinced global warming is not man caused.

I was talking to a global warming believer and this lady was almost in tears bubbling about poor Polar Bears, disappearing ice. I pointed out to her for most of the history the earth it did not have polar ice caps. She started to glare at me. I then cemented the hateful glares pointing out that if the Northwest Passage opened up think of the economic impact it would have China, Japan, Taiwan, and Korea. They would be able to ship their products directly to the EU saving thousands of miles of sea travel and untold gallons of fuel.



transmster on Jan 17th, 2010 at 4:44 pm

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- transmster, I was in a toy story yesterday and saw some planet-environment plastic model games. Which is fine. I'm not against giving the kiddies plastic models of seals and polar bears to play with. But you know what? The polar bears had smiles. I'm not joking. Polar bears smiling. That's how they were depicted in this set of otherwise seemingly-realistic pieces. That was not a display of cartoon characters. This was depicting "real" polar bears.

Does anyone even know anything about polar bears. I'm not saying they are evil... no wild animal is evil. But they are vicious killers.

If you could poll seals and walruses about the possible decline of polar bear populations, is there any doubt how they would vote?

Have you ever seen videos of polar bears slaughtering and dismembering seals and walruses? They eat the brains first. Again, not evil. It's nature. It's What Happens.

But smiling polar bears, give me a break.

Remember the story of the group of environmentalists one or two summers ago who boarded an ice-breaker and sailed off into the Arctic to witness the Great Melting and became stranded in a heavily frozen ice-pack? It would have been fitting if, on disembarking on to the ice to trek to the edge of the ice-pack for rescue, one or more would have been eaten by polar bears. I'm not saying it would have been a GOOD thing. Just natural. Nature. The Way Things Are.



KathyJ on Jan 17th, 2010 at 4:56 pm

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Rubbish in, rubbish out.



agoodgerman on Jan 17th, 2010 at 5:05 pm

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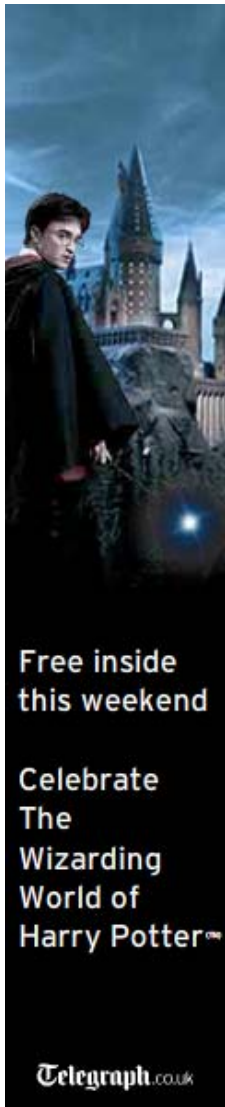
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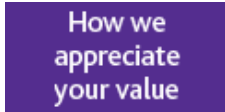
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