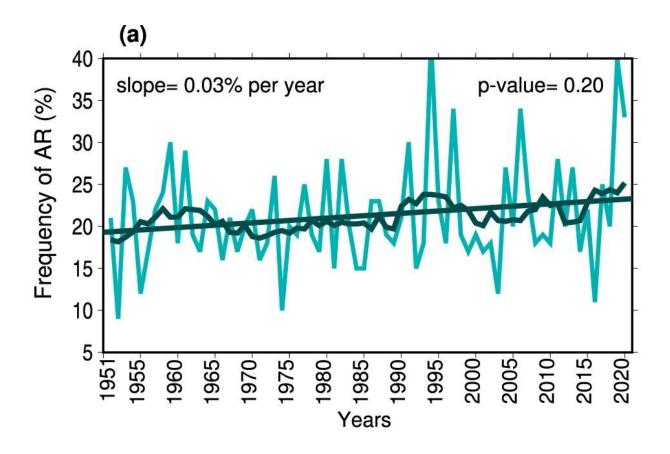


Study shows warming planet is leading to an increase in 'atmospheric river'-associated flooding in India

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Changes in atmospheric rivers in India in the summer monsoon season (JJAS, June-September) during 1951–2020. **a** Trend in the frequency of occurrence of ARs (%) during 1951–2020; **b** Trend in the summer monsoon season IVT anomaly (kg m⁻¹ s⁻¹). Solid lines in (**a**, **b**) indicate the linear trend and 10-year moving mean, respectively; **c** Long-term (1951–2020) change in the frequency of ARs in India. Trend and change (trend slope multiplied by duration) were



estimated using the non-parametric Mann-Kendall trend test and Sen slope estimator. Statistical significance was estimated at 5% level, therefore, *p*

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