More Good News: Eighteen Years and Counting

Skepticism is the first step to Truth – D. Diderot
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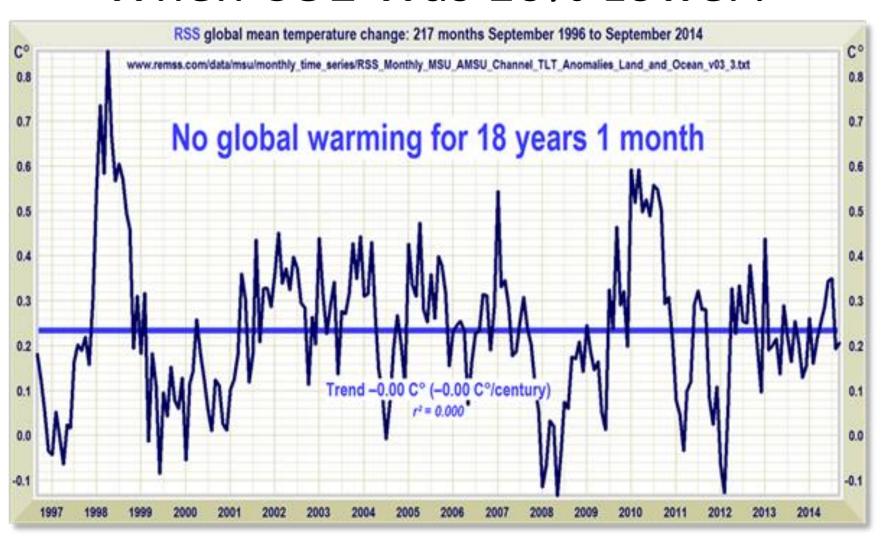
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Where Were You 18 Years Ago When CO2 Was 10% Lower?

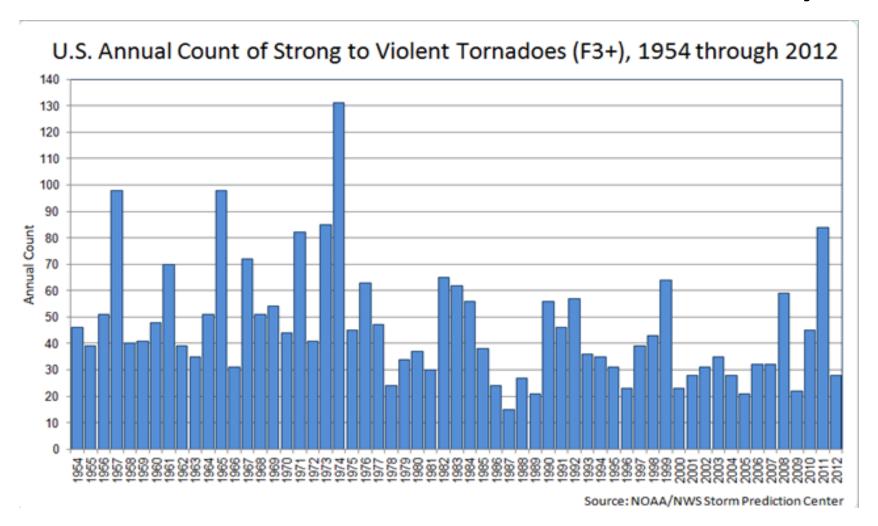


Number of Natural Catastrophes in 2013 Drops to a Ten-year Low Amidst Climate Change Disaster Propaganda

The "World Catastrophe Report 2014" is published in Geneva by the International Red Cross and Red Crescent Movement.

According to the report "337 natural catastrophes were counted over the past year, almost half as many as the peak seen in 2005. The number of deaths was 22,452 and thus well below the mean of the decade of 97,954."

U.S. NOAA Tornado Record 1954-2012 No Trend; No Increased Severity



Atmospheric CO2 Up Food Production Up

"From Ohio to Nebraska, thousands of field inspections this week during the Pro Farmer Midwest Crop Tour show corn output in the U.S., the world's top producer, will be 0.4 percent above the government's estimate.

US production of soybean will jump 10 percent this year to an all-time high of 3.631 billion bushels, and inventories before the 2015 harvest will be double a year earlier.

Almost every country one looks at in Europe, one is finding record bumper crops this year.

Russia is awash in grain from a bumper harvest in the growing season just ended. The 2014 grain harvest increased to 105 million tonnes threatening to break a record."

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Fracking Good News

"U.S. drilling companies have become so adept at fracking that the U.S. is expected to become energy independent by 2020. Energy independence would diminish the importance of the Middle East."

"Despite increasing tensions in the Middle East, the nationwide average for a gallon of gas stands below \$3 for the first time in four years — a roughly 20% drop from June levels."

The Science is *Never* Settled: Neither Climate Nor Medical Science

A large and exhaustive new analysis by a team of international scientists found **no evidence** that eating saturated fat increased heart attacks and other cardiac events.

Annals of Internal Medicine "did not find that people who ate higher levels of saturated fat had more heart disease than those who ate less. Nor did it find less disease in those eating higher amounts of unsaturated fat, including monounsaturated fat like olive oil or polyunsaturated fat like corn oil."