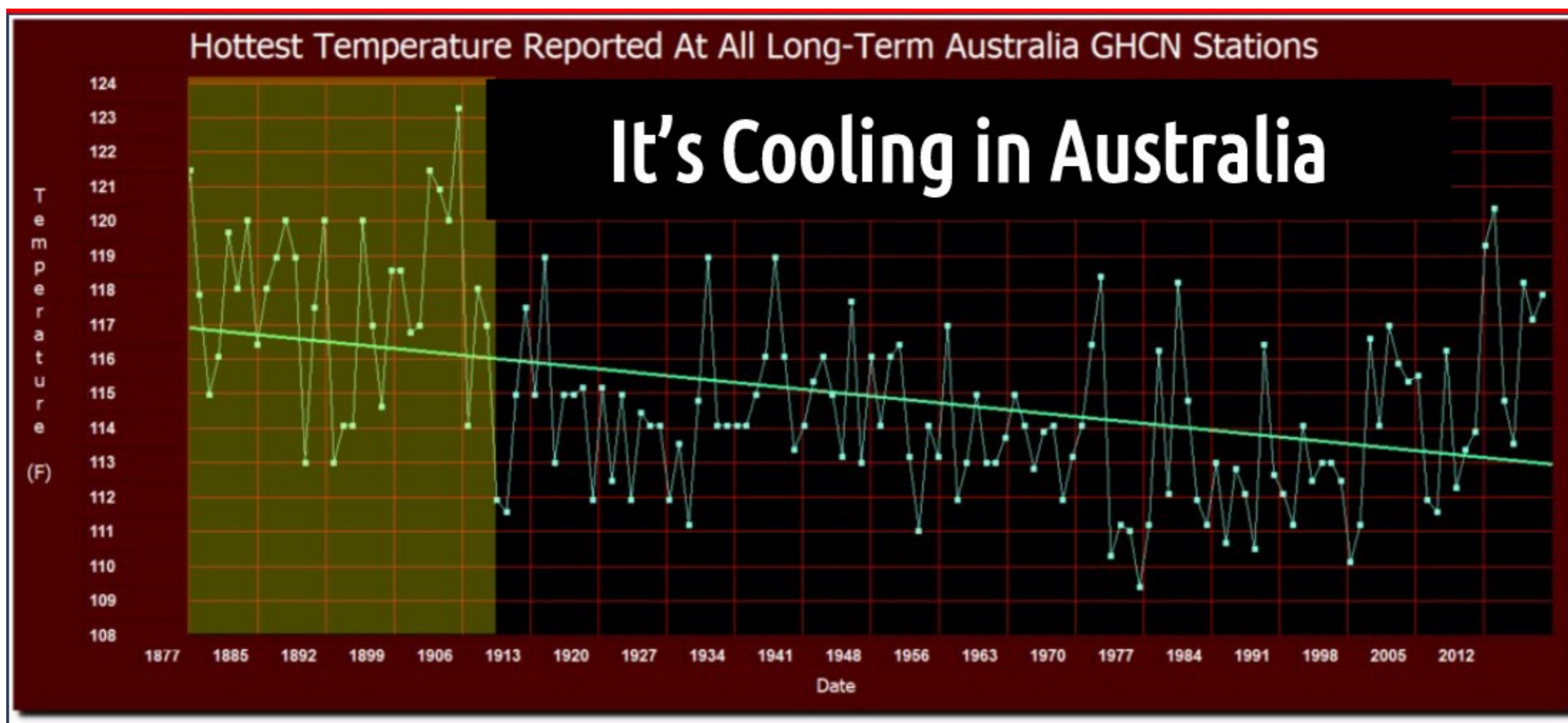


Hello everyone, I'm Kevin Loughrey. I'm a LtCol now retired from the Army after 32 years service. I could spend the next 10 minutes which have been allotted to profusely thank the organisers and all you wonderful people who have come from great distances, at considerable expense, to be at this rally. But I only have 10 minutes so I will get stuck into this speech. I will be showing you today that the earth's atmosphere is not warming but is in fact cooling and it has been doing that for around 8,000 years.

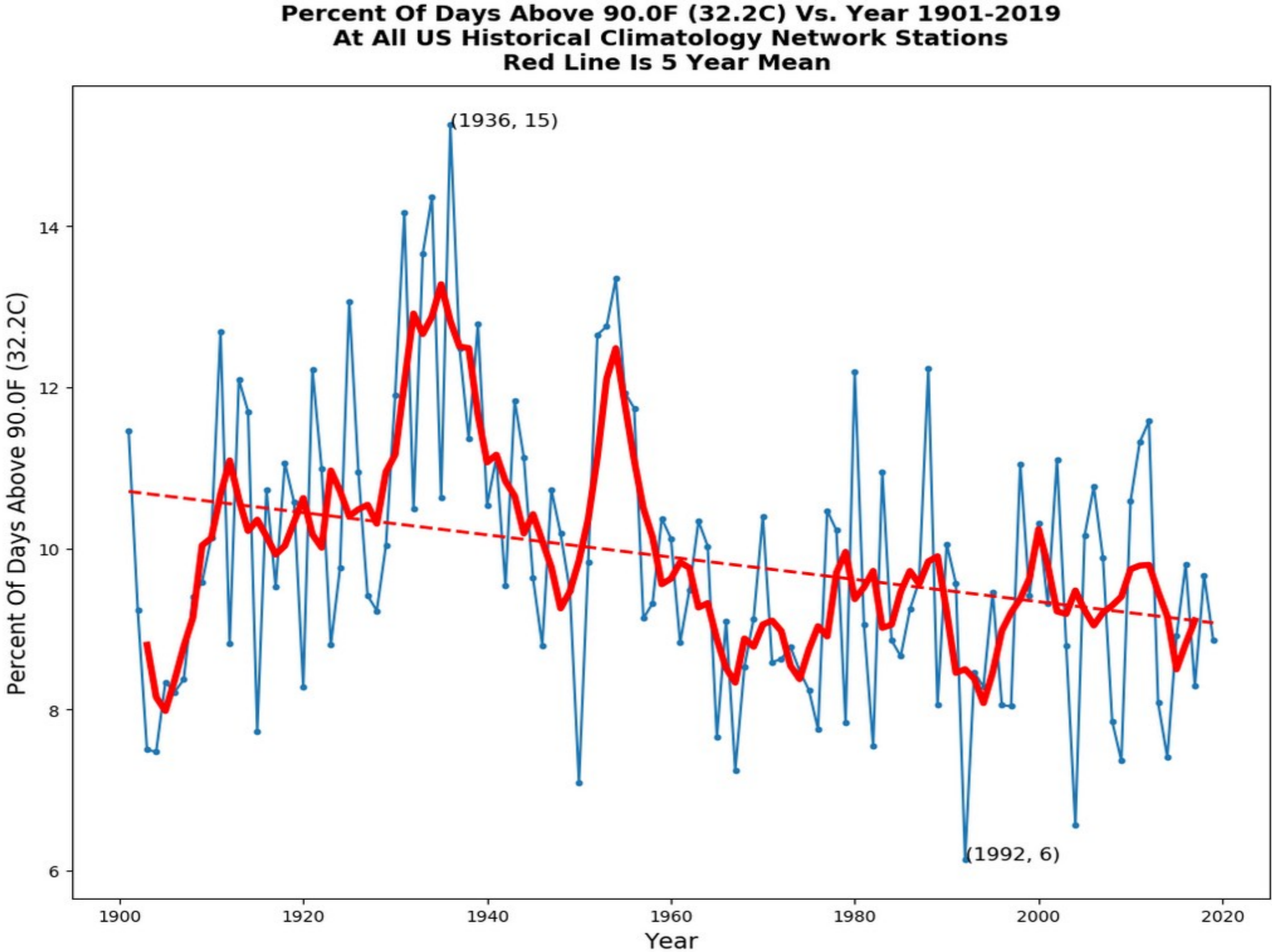
Let's have a bit of fun here as it has been a bit of a long day. Every time I raise my finger to the heavens like this, I want you to say, "**THEY LIED!**"

Let's give it a go.... **THEY LIED!.....**Great!!

You've no doubt heard that the temperature of the atmosphere in Australia is rising because of human emissions. Well here is a graph using data from the Australian Archives as well as from the Bureau of Meteorology BoM that shows... (Finger up..**THEY LIED!**) Yes, since 1880 to the present day, the temperatures have been dropping.

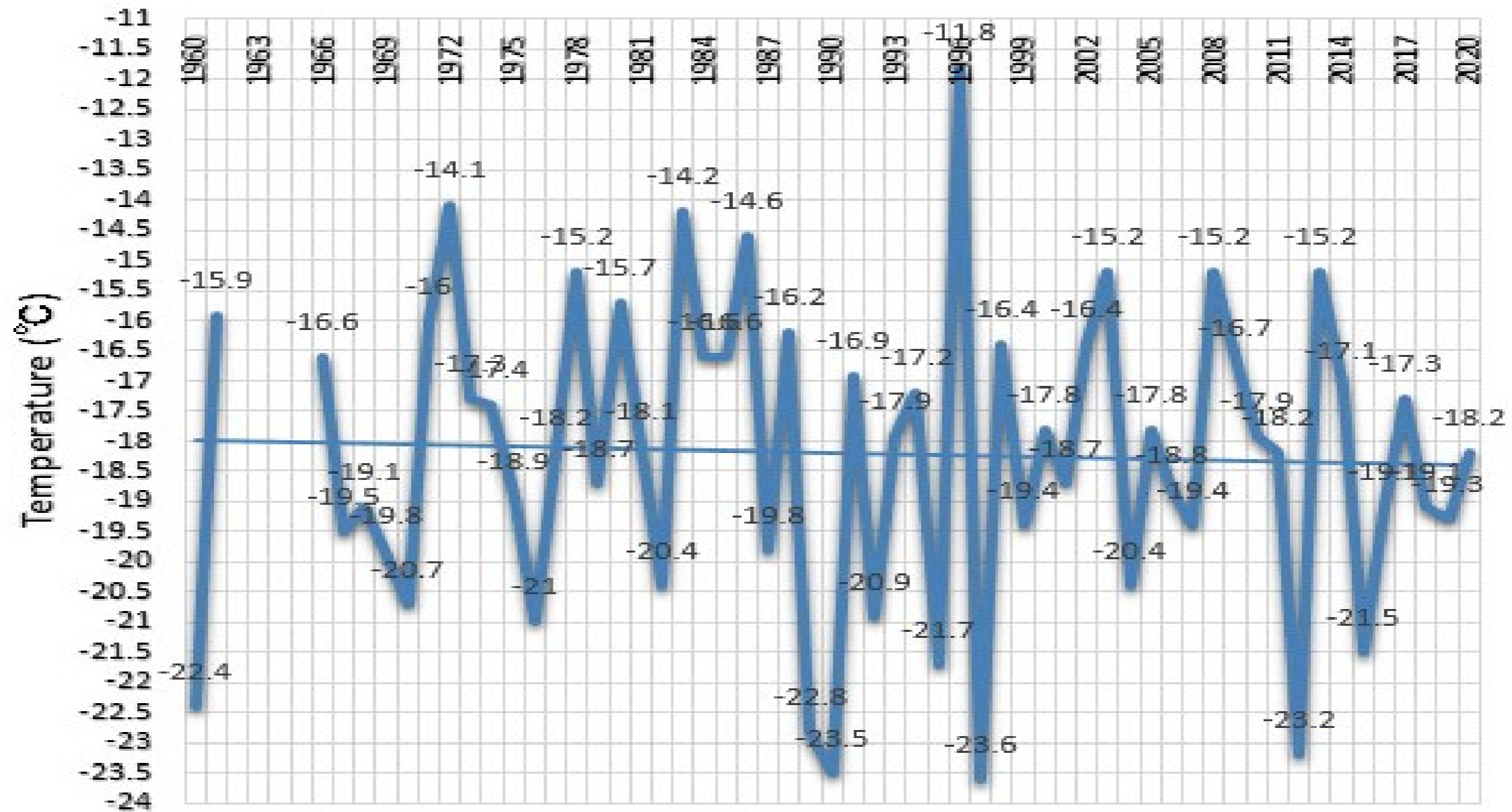


It's the same in the USA. This graph, from stations of long standing in the US Climatology network, dating from around 1900 to the present day.

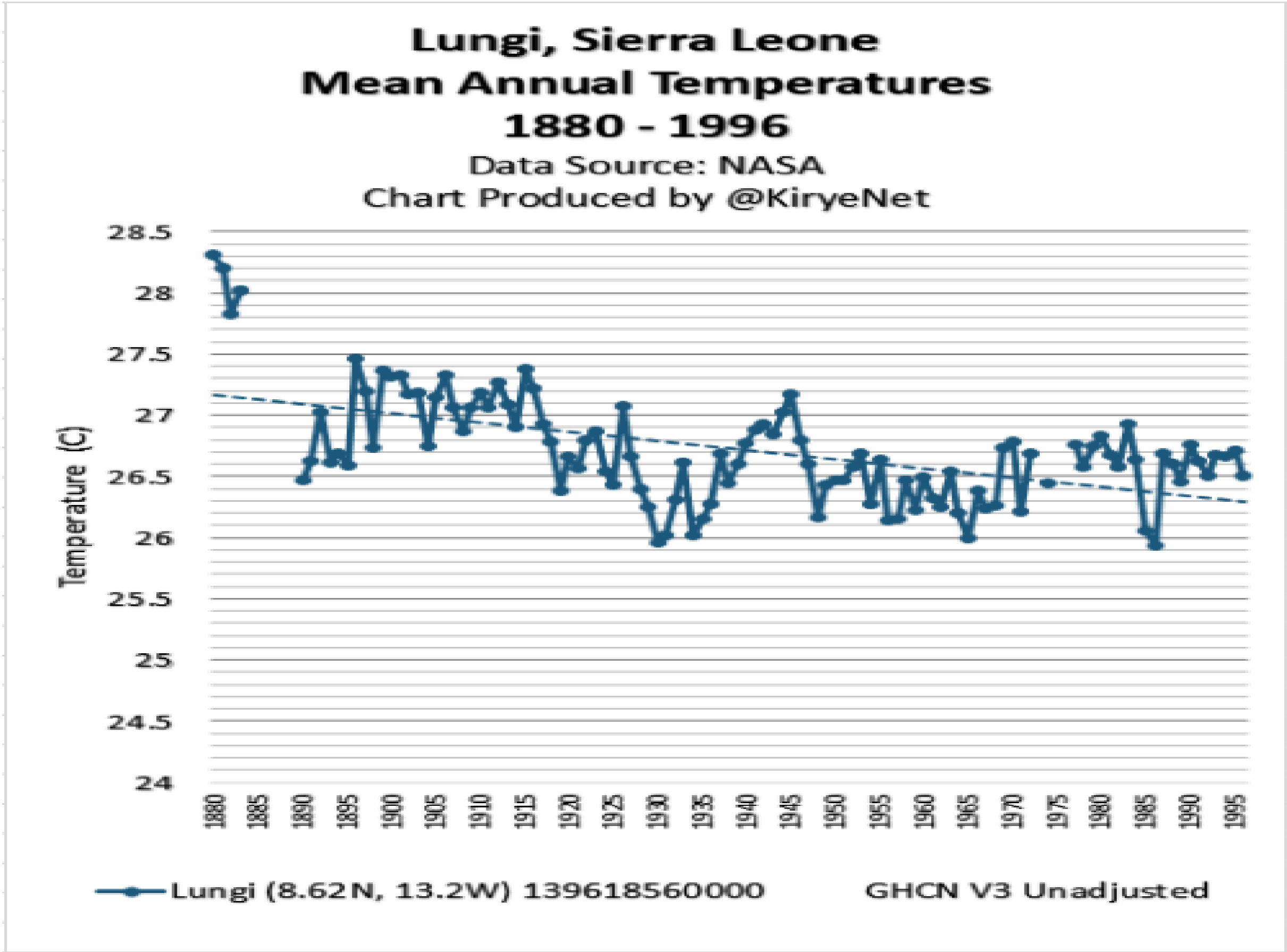


You might have heard that it is getting hotter in Antarctica. (Finger up... **THEY LIED!**) This graph is from the Japanese Meteorological Agency for their station in Antarctica. You can see the temperature is dropping. In fact in the last winter, they experienced the coldest temperatures ever recorded!

昭和(南極)の9月の平均気温
Syowa, Antarctica
Mean Monthly Temperatures for September
1960 - 2020
Data Source: JMA
Chart Produced by @KiryeNet



Going from Antarctica to the West Coast of Africa, here is the temperature trend from 1880 to 1995. It's going down! Yet we are told the earth's atmospheric temperature is rising because of human emissions of CO2... (Finger up.. **THEY LIED!**)

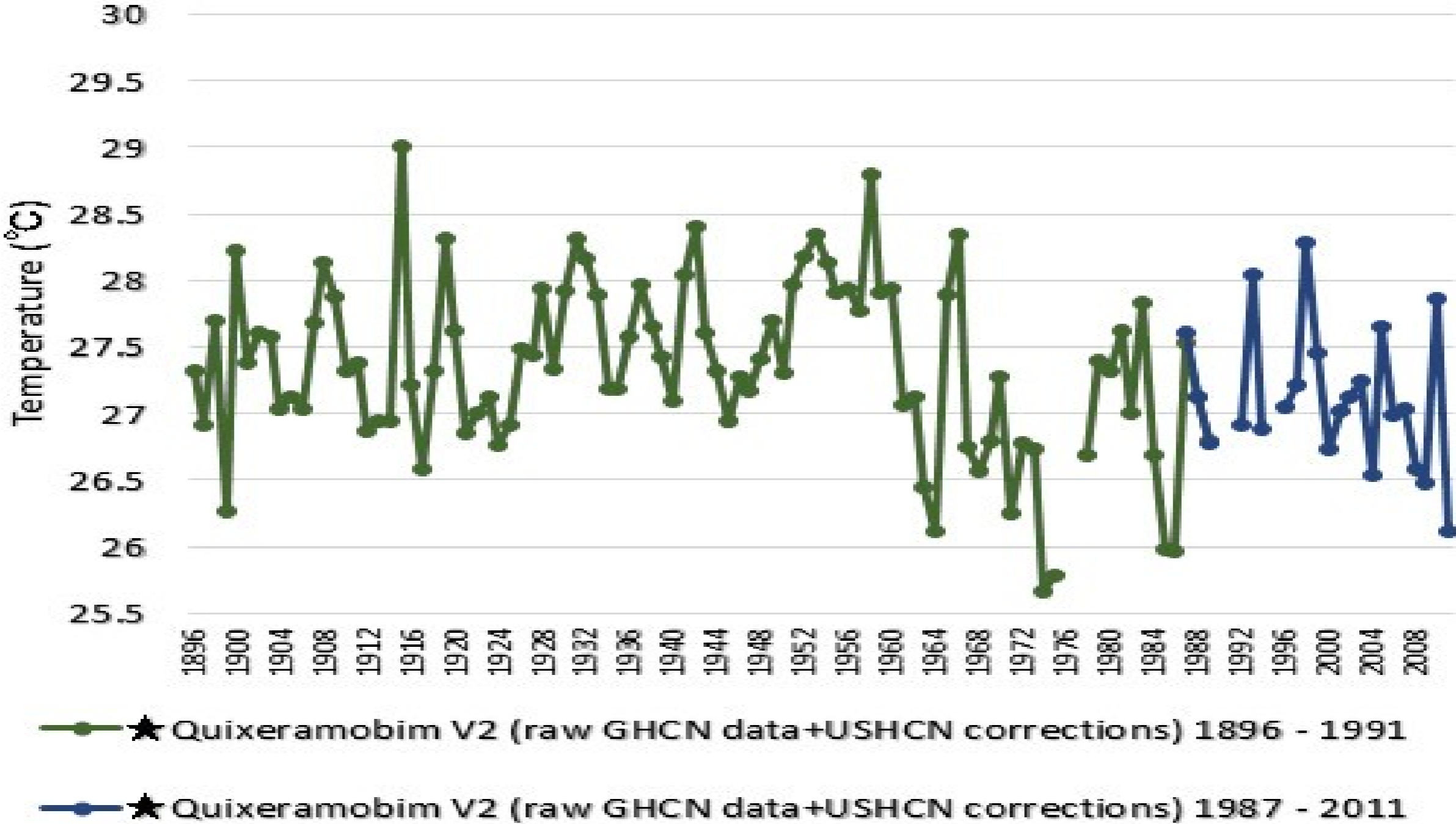


We'll see what it is like for Brazil. Here is a graph of temperatures from 1896 to 2008. Same trend ... downwards! But how could this be when we are constantly being told by the likes of Google and the ABC that the earth's atmosphere is warming up?? (Finger up.. **THEY LIED!**)

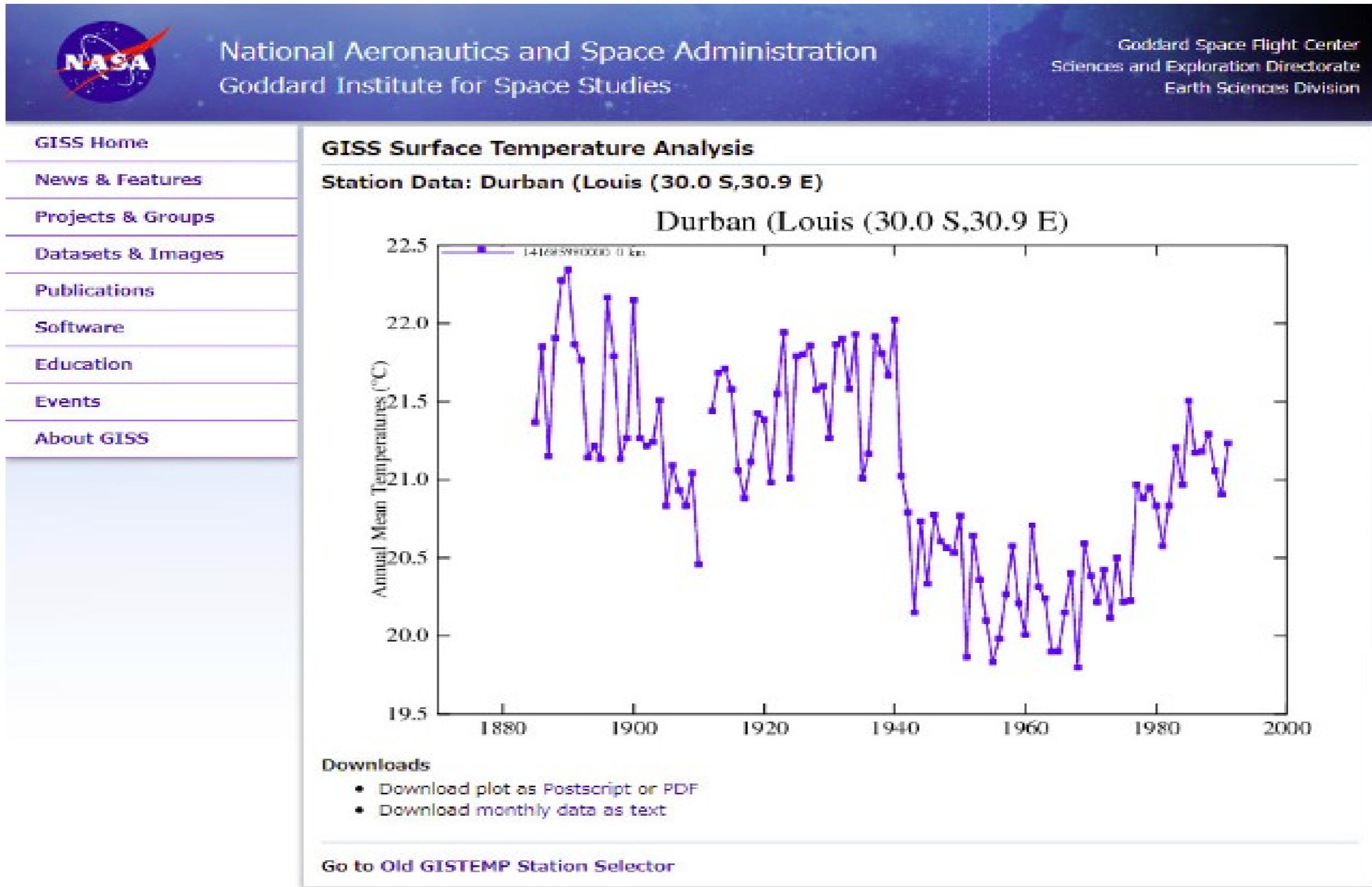
Quixeramobim, Brazil Mean Annual Temperatures 1896 - 2011

Data Source: NASA

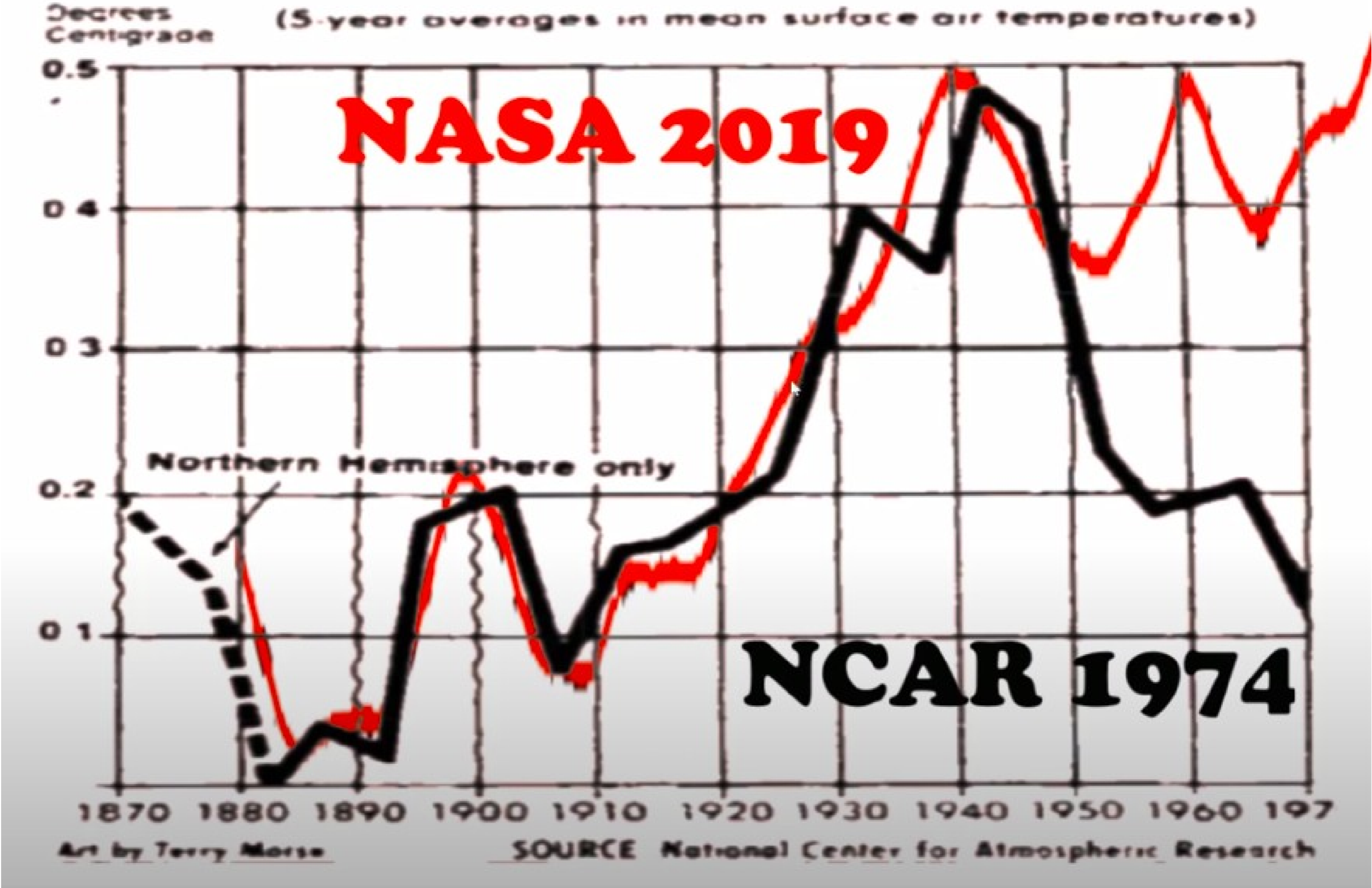
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Back to the East Coast of Africa to Durban. The graph from 1880 to around 1990 shows a distinct downwards trend.

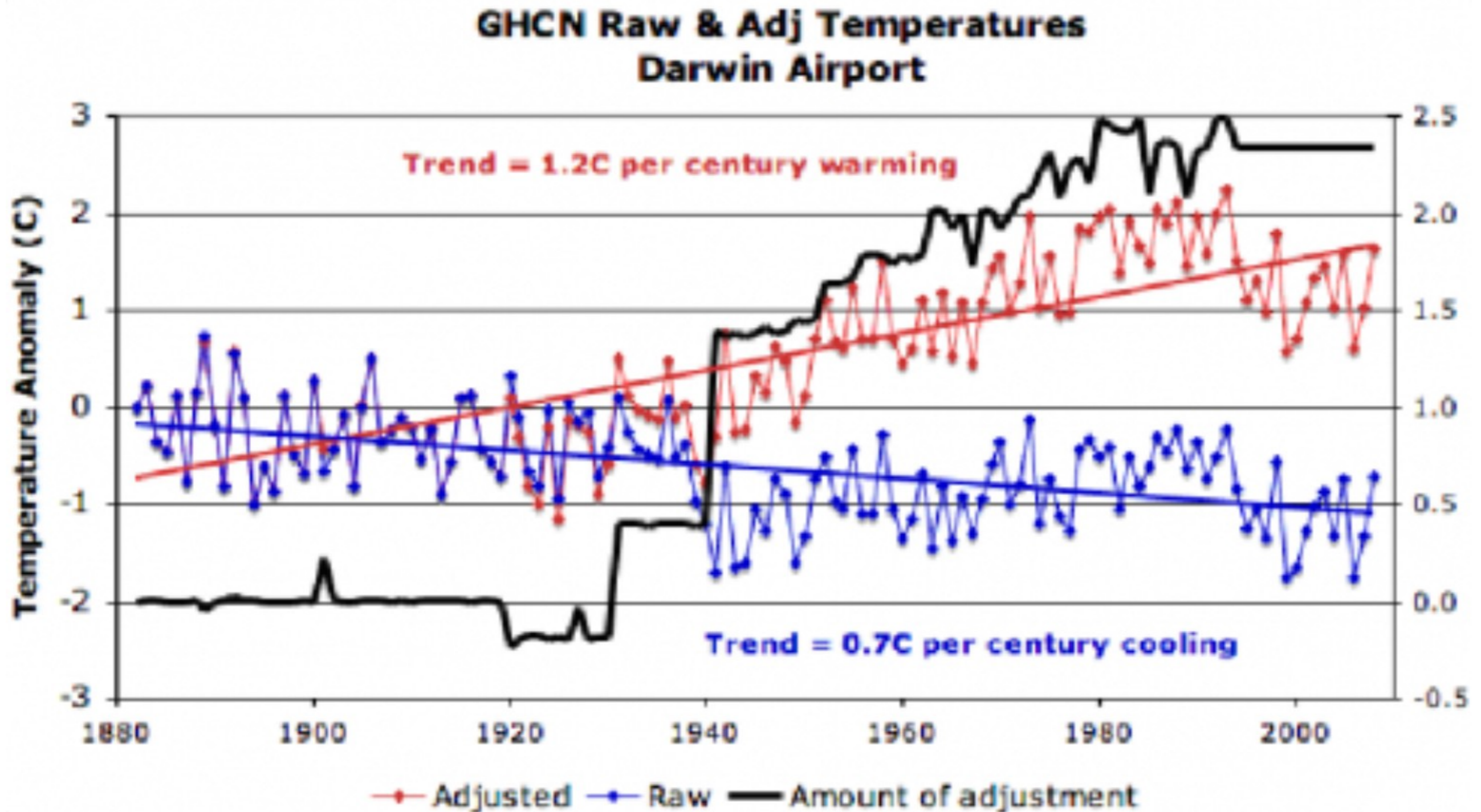


Here's proof!! (Finger up..**THEY LIED!**) They, in this case, being NASA....though I doubt by now you needed any more convincing! The black line is a graph published in 1974 by the US Government's National Center for Atmospheric Research. In 1974, they were worried we were heading into an mini-ice age. And indeed we are but don't be too worried about that. It happens every 347 years approximately. What's important here is the red line published by NASA in 2019 which rewrites the temperature history. This is plain evidence of the fraud being perpetrated upon the people of the world. (Finger up..**THEY LIED!**)



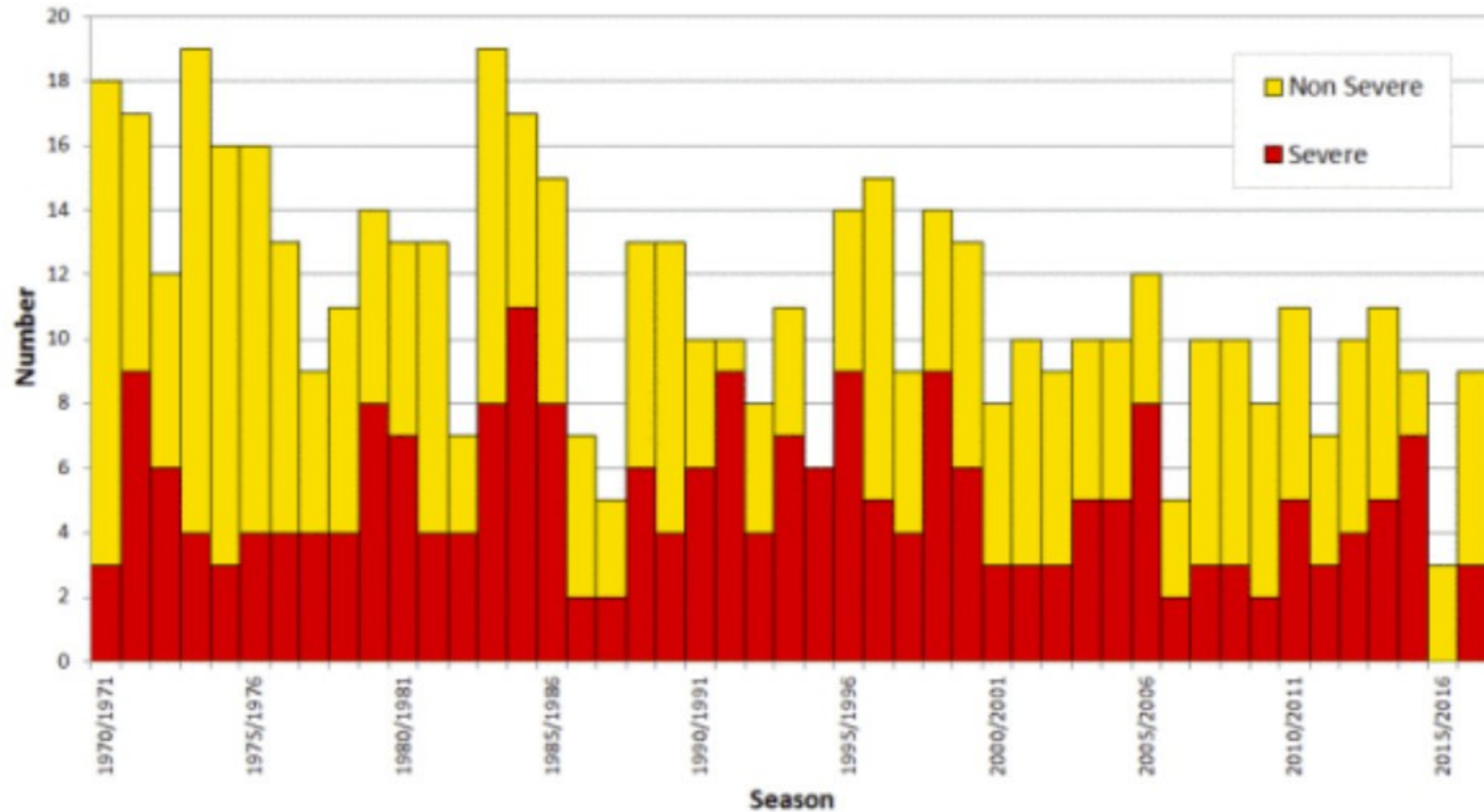
It's not limited to NASA. The Global Historical Climate Network which is part of the UN's Inter-governmental Panel on Climate Change has been changing the temperature record using a fraudulent technique called homogenisation. Here is an example of this.

The blue line is the raw data from temperature measuring stations near Darwin but away from urban structures and bitumen roads. It shows a steady downwards trend from 1880 to the present day. The red line is the temperature record after the communists driving the IPCC have fiddled with the figures. (Finger up..**THEY LIED!**)

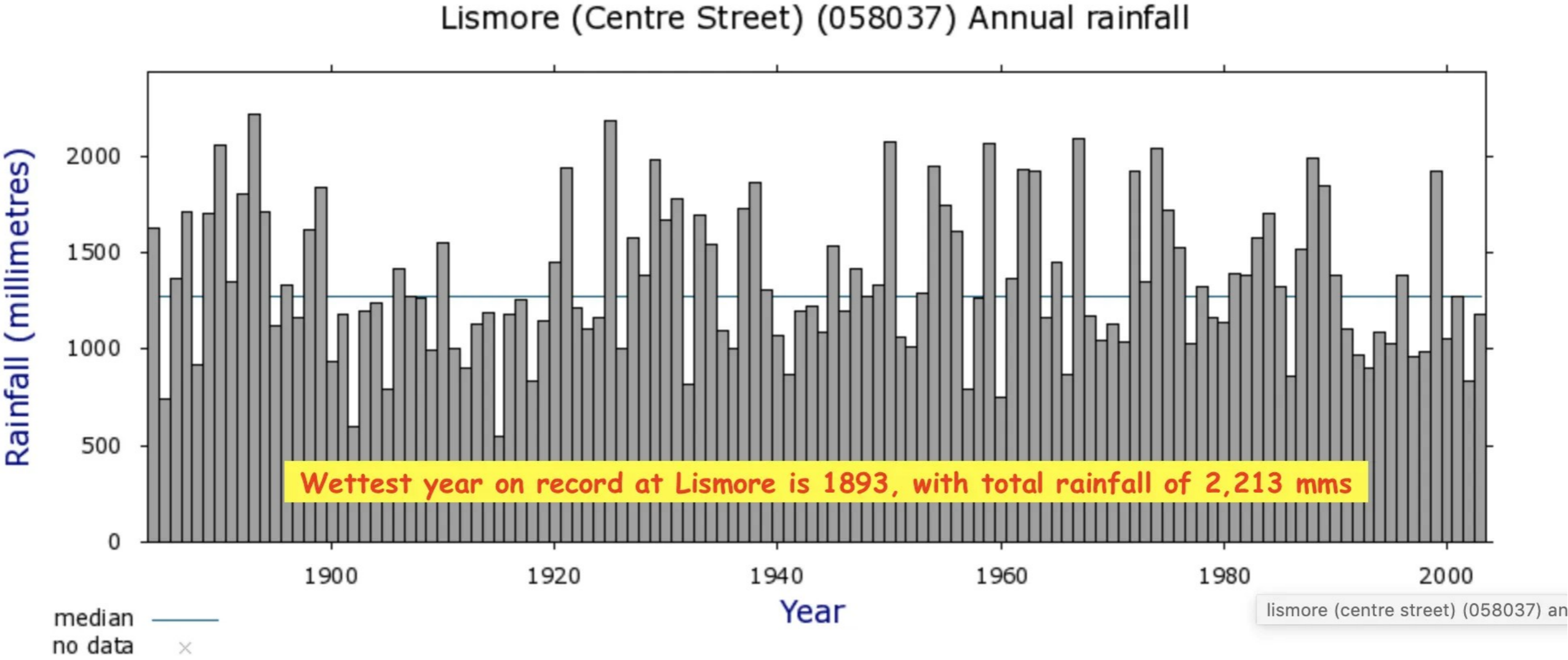


You've no doubt heard that cyclones are getting worse because of the dreaded Climate Change. (Finger up... **THEY LIED!**)
Here's a graph of real data from 1970 to 2017 of the frequency and severity of cyclones. You can see a steady downwards trend.

Tropical Cyclone Trend for Australia 1970 – 2017 (Aust BoM)



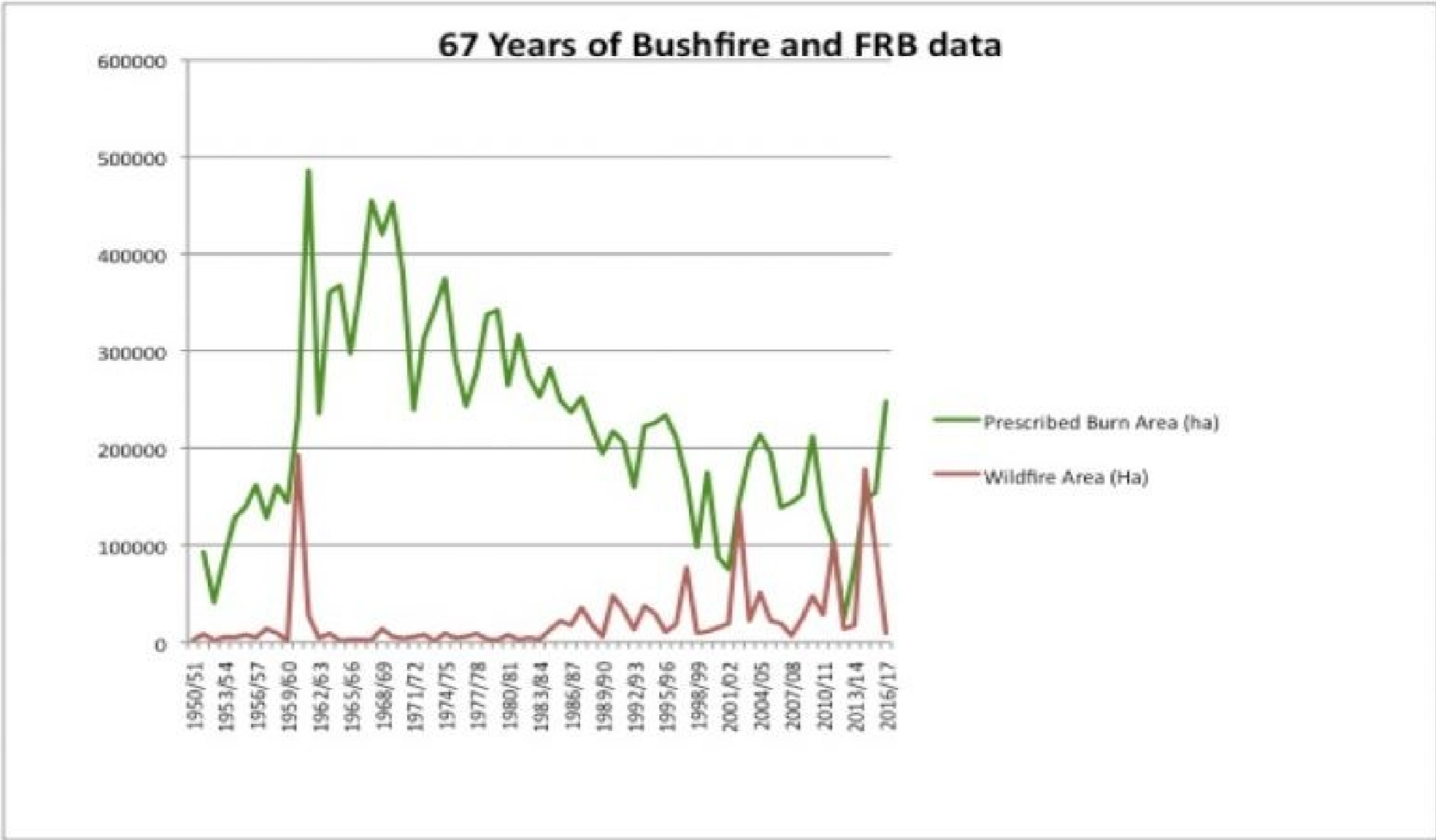
I live near Ballina and we are affected by the floodwaters coming down from Lismore. In early 2022, the district was flooded. That flooding was largely due to Government inaction and incompetence but, as you would expect, the Marxists were in full throat claiming it was caused by “Climate Change”. So I obtained the rainfall record from the BoM for Lismore dating back to 1880. You can see that, if anything, there has been a slight decrease in severe rainfall events.



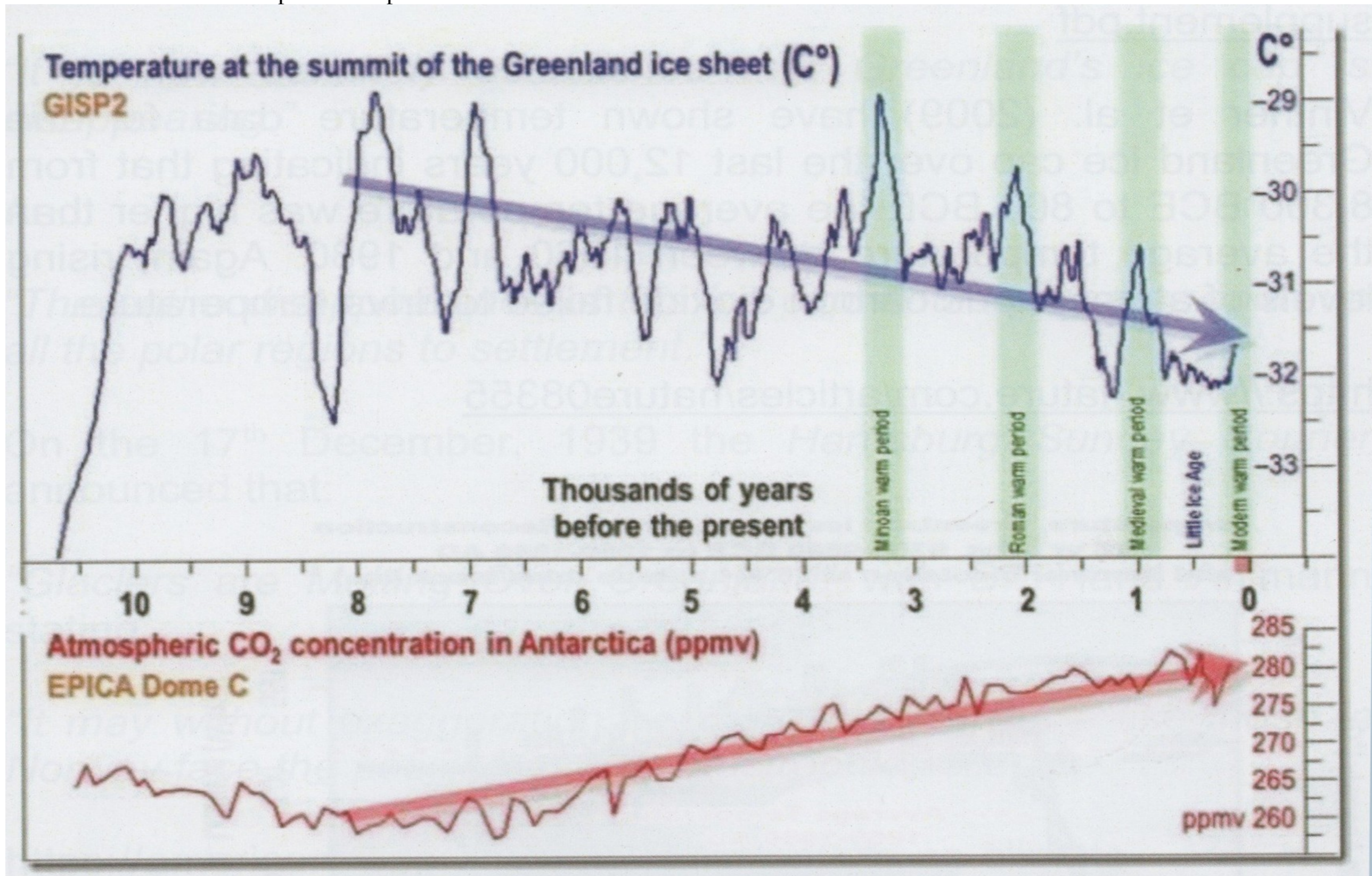
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To further illustrate the point about Government incompetence. The green is burning to reduce hazards. The red is wild fires. Simple really. If you don't do hazard reduction you get wildfires. It has nothing to do with climate! It has a lot to do with Government inaction and incompetence. Every time there is a severe fire they all cry, "Climate Change"...(Finger up..**THEY LIED!**)

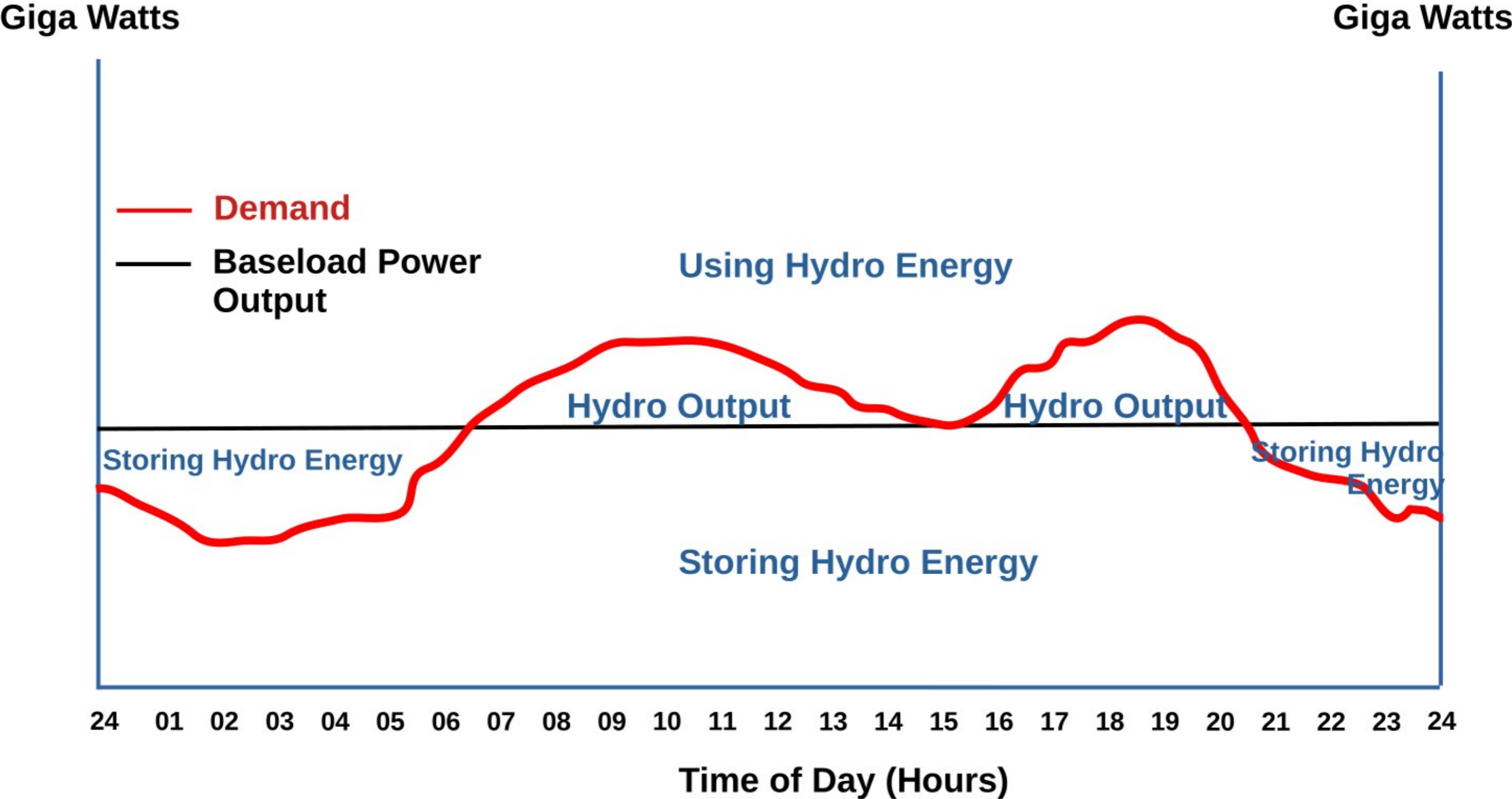


Here we have some truth at last! This is data extracted from two ice cores. From these ice cores it is possible by scientific wizardry to determine the temperature and the CO2 concentration at the time when the ice formed. The top graph shows that the atmospheric temperature has been dropping whilst the bottom graph shows that the concentration of CO2 in the atmosphere has been rising. This is called a “Black Swan” event. It shows that CO2 has no appreciable effect on the earth’s atmospheric temperature.

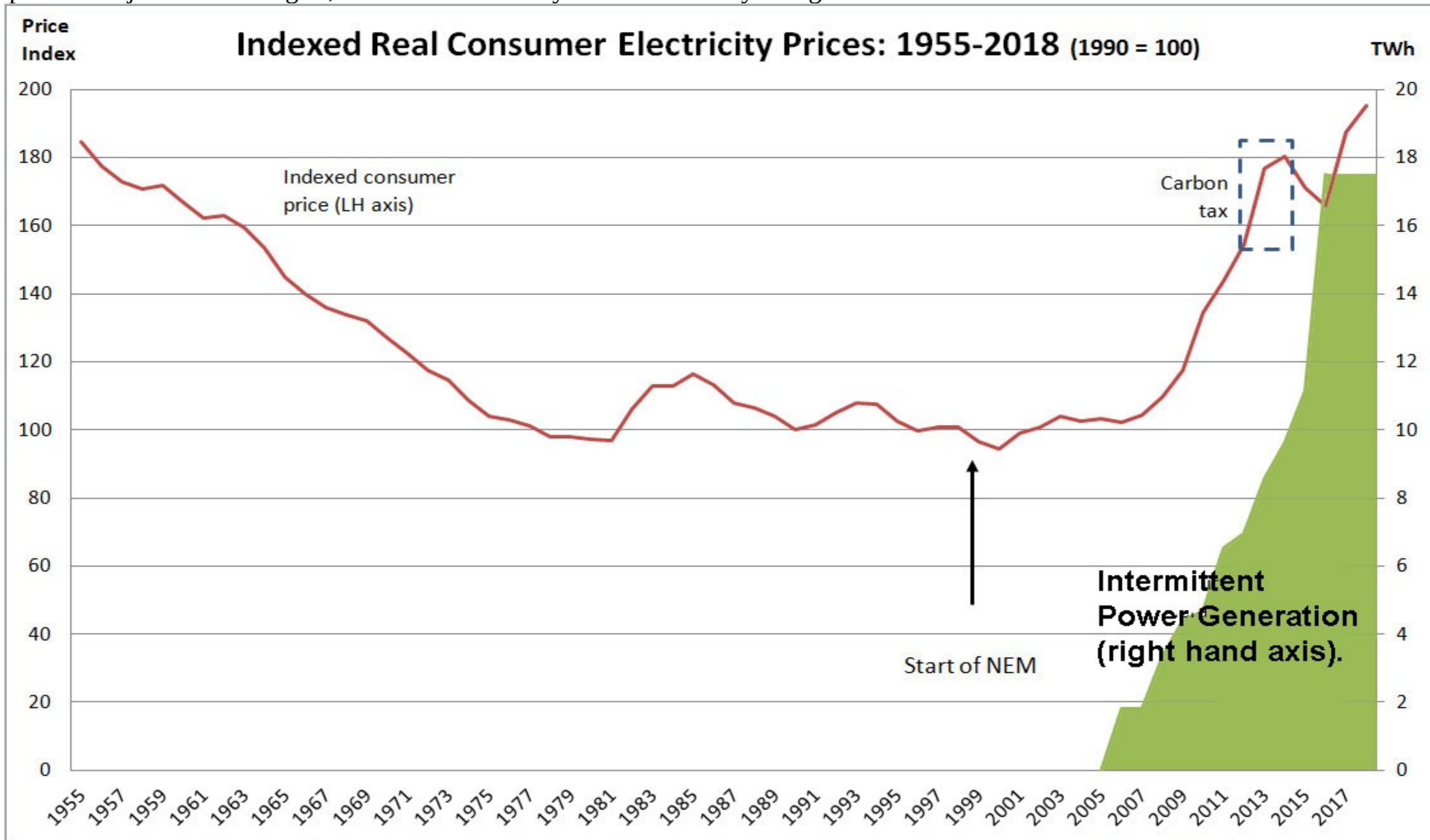


I'll now take a moment to explain why electricity is becoming so expensive. The **black line** here is the **Baseload Power Output**. To get the cheapest power from a big baseload facility you must drive it at 100% of its capacity 100% of the time. That's why the **black line is dead flat**. The **Red Line is Demand**. When demand is low (the **red line on the graph**) you use the excess electricity to pump water up to an elevated storage location. When the **Demand** exceeds **Baseload Power** Output you use this stored energy to supplement output and thereby satisfy the demand. That is the function of the present Snowy Mountains Hydro Scheme. This is how you get the cheapest electricity possible.

IDEAL POWER GENERATION SYSTEM



But look what happens when you inject intermittent power from wind and solar into the grid. The Baseload Generators no longer run at 100% their capacity 100% of the time but they have to remain to satisfy the full demand when the wind doesn't blow and the sun doesn't shine. You can see here that as intermittent power is injected into the grid, the cost of electricity has been steadily rising.



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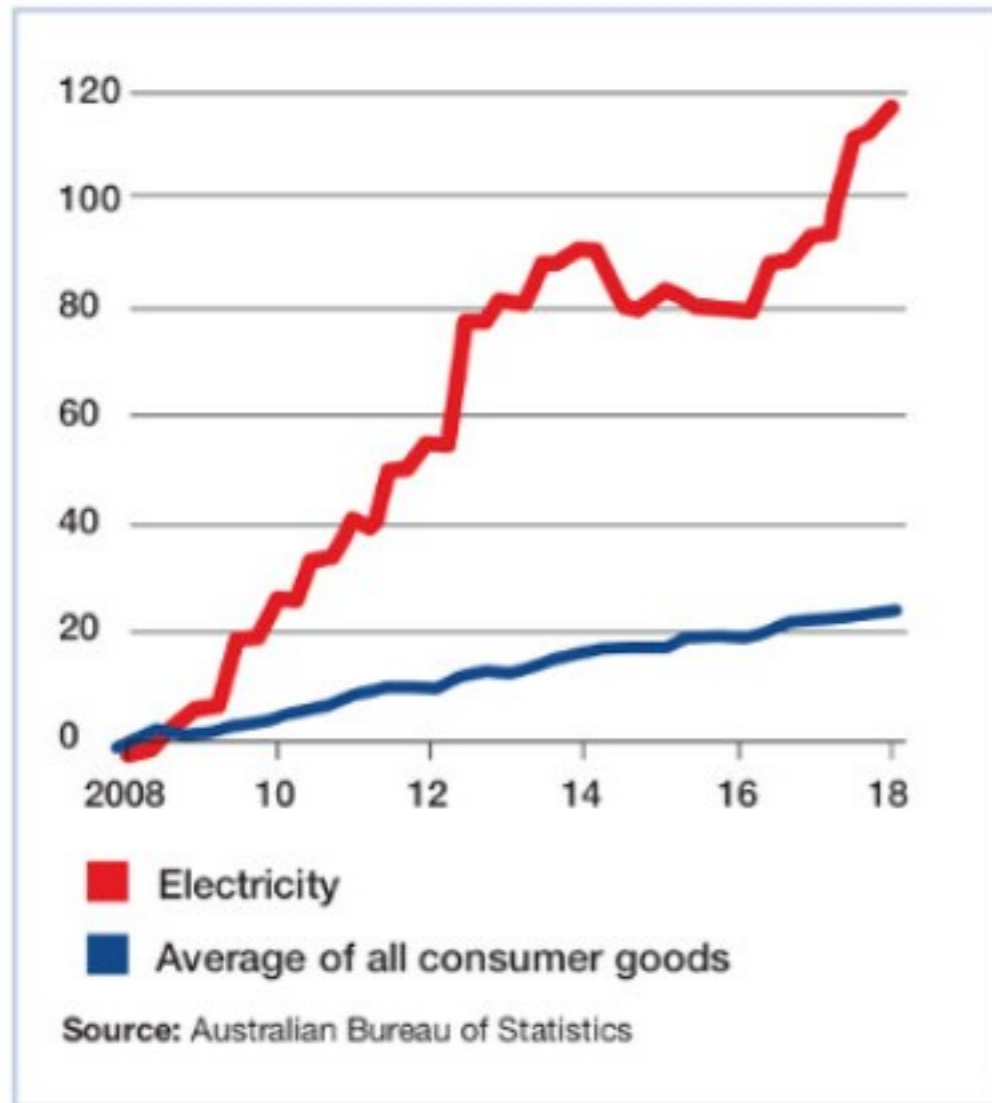
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Intermittent power generation (Terra Watt hours, TWh) from Figure 4.2 in *Independent Review into the Future of the National Electricity Market*

Here's the end result of this. They told us wind and solar would give us cheap electricity. (Finger up...**THEY LIED!**) **YOU BET THEY DID!!**

Cumulative percentage increase in nominal prices



There is a cost of **\$14 billion per year** incurred by consumers and taxpayers, or a total cost of **\$140 billion over 10 years.**

Already 10 coal fired baseload power stations have closed in Australia.

With \$140 billion, the Australian Taxpayer could have built **70 coal fired power stations!**

The blue line is the Consumer Price Index. The red line is the percentage increase in the cost of electricity. It has gone up 120% to 2018 and now in 2024, it is even more expensive still.

How can we fix this. The only way you will fix this is to elect to Parliament candidates who are aware of this fraud. The Greens, Labor, the Liberals and Nationals have let Australia down badly. **There are some good individuals in Parliament but the Parties have all signed up to emission reduction targets when there is no point in this because CO2 etc does not appreciably warm the earth's atmosphere.**

Australia is \$900+ billion in debt and it is spending borrowed money to purchase nearly all of this wind and solar hardware from Communist China. This fraud is a huge wealth transfer and it is hurting most, the vulnerable in our society. It has to stop. Our politicians are bankrupting this country and we have nothing to show for it. This huge debt will have to be paid off by our Children, Grandchildren and their successors. I urge you all to become involved in politics. Seek out those persons who you can trust to fix this mess and do your best to see them get elected. If we all are complacent and do nothing then nothing good will happen.

THANK YOU AGAIN FOR BEING HERE TO DAY AND THANK YOU FOR GIVING ME THE OPPORTUNITY TO SPEAK.