

Summary of observations and conclusions by Malcolm Roberts of David Karoly's falsities and/or major errors:

- No real-world scientific evidence exists for David Karoly's claim that human production of carbon dioxide (CO₂) caused Earth's latest modest warming. Yet he is responsible for the UN IPCC's core chapter 9 claiming such. Failed repeatedly to provide evidence in responses to Malcolm Roberts' requests for evidence. Failed to provide evidence when requested by broadcaster Alan Jones. Initially avoided Alan Jones' question until held accountable—then falsely implied '*evidence*' that is not true.
- David Karoly reportedly stated Australia's recent droughts had a human fingerprint—as evidenced he claims in rainfall patterns. Not true. There is no trend change. It's possible and likely that his false claims contradicting meteorological data distracted state governments from core issues that could have minimised impact of subsequent floods.
- David Karoly claimed droughts were caused by higher temperature. Yet reality—as explained to him by expert hydrologist Professor Stewart Franks more than once—is that high temperatures are due to drought. As a professor of meteorology David Karoly should know this, shouldn't he?
- David Karoly claimed he did not know of John McLean's analyses of chapter 9 showing only five reviewers endorsed that chapter's claim of human causation of global warming. If so that's amazing as David Karoly has been repeatedly provided with the titles of John Mclean's reports and web site links by e-mail. Titles were provided as well by Registered Post with Delivery Confirmation.
- David Karoly denied that he said or implied that Queensland's floods were caused by human production of CO₂. On December 31, 2010 in a report headed '*Floods: Climate link can't be denied*' he reportedly said, quote: "*What we are seeing over the last 50 years and over the last 100 years is a change in this pattern of extremes with more hot and more wet extremes in northern Australia and more hot and more dry extremes in southern Australia and that pattern is exactly what we would expect from climate change due to increasing greenhouse gases in the atmosphere.*"
<http://www.greenleft.org.au/node/46524>
Reports show viewers concluded from David Karoly's various other public comments that Queensland's floods were more severe due to human CO₂. Yet in the previous 170 years there have been six more severe floods. He's a

professor of meteorology and should know that, shouldn't he?

- During an interview by Alan Jones, David Karoly implied that only geological factors were considered in the past as drivers of climate. That's false.
- 2001 chapter 12 was written by a tight knit cabal. That contradicted UN IPCC guidelines for Lead Authors. David was a Lead Author who assembled the authors for chapter 12. He was responsible.
- 2007 Draft Summary for Policy Makers was co-authored by David Karoly. Despite lacking any real-world science evidence, it implied to national governments and media worldwide that such evidence existed.
- David Karoly claimed in November 2009 on ABC's '4 Corners' program that not one scientific paper has been published that seriously contradicts the UN IPCC's claim. As Lead Author (2001) and Review Editor (2007) he should know that's not true. Malcolm Roberts provided David Karoly with examples.
- David Karoly failed to describe to Malcolm Roberts over many months what he understands to be '*scientific peer-review*'. Doing so would reveal that UN IPCC Chapter 9—David Karoly's chapter—is not scientifically peer-reviewed. His 2007 work for the UN IPCC seems to have breached basic tests of objectivity and independence and bypassed accepted scientific processes and standards.
- David Karoly's chapter 9 of UN IPCC's 2007 report contradicts real-world scientific evidence by downplaying evidence of temperatures being driven by El Nino oscillations and solar factors.
- David Karoly implied 2010's deadly Victorian bush fires were due to, or worsened by, human impact on climate presumably through human CO₂.
<http://www.kuro5hin.org/story/2009/3/4/7438/09041>
- David Karoly misrepresented the situation when making his summary comment to an inquirer concerning his e-mail correspondence with Malcolm Roberts who had been seeking information from Professor Karoly.

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