



## Water quality assessment on river Ganga from Haridwar to Garhmukteshwar with a specific focus on point source discharges

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