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Fine ceramics (advanced ceramics, advanced technical ceramics) - Determination of photocatalytic activity of surfaces in an aqueous medium by degradation of methylene blue

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