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Impact of Human Activities on Groundwater Quality

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It is largely accepted that groundwater resources are becoming more and more threatened by climate change, and by human intervention in the hydrologic cycle. Population growth and economic development amplify the water needs of society, and continuously increase the pressure on the groundwater resources. A large portion of the global population has limited access to good quality water sources, [...]

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