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<p>Research Publications (last 10 years)</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Validation of an in situ solidification/stabilization technique for hazardous barium and cyanide waste for safe disposal into a secured landfill. Rucha Vaidya, Kisan Kodam, Vikram Ghole, K. Surya Mohan Rao <i>J. Environ. Manage.</i> 91 (2010) 1821-1830, 2. Biodegradation of thiocyanate using co-culture of <i>Klebsiella pneumoniae</i> and <i>Ralstonia</i> sp. Ashvini U. Chaudhari and Kisan M. Kodam <i>Appl. Microbiol. Biotechnol.</i> 85 (2010) 1167–1174. 3. Decolorization and degradation of Disperse Blue 79 and Acid Orange 10, by <i>Bacillus fusiformis</i> KMK5 isolated from the textile dye contaminated soil. Yogesh M. Kolekar , Shrikant P. Pawar, Kachru R. Gawai, Pradeep D. Lokhande, Yogesh S. Shouche, Kisan M. Kodam <i>Biores. Technol.</i> 99 (2008) 8999–9003. 	

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Patents:

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