

Chemical characterization of Bacteria - Graphene oxide/Ag nanocomposite interactions by Atomic force microscopy -Infrared spectroscopy

Reference	Presenter	Authors (Institution)	Abstract
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