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(3) Ramakrishna Naidu, G. and Naidu, P. R. Isotopic exchange study of nickel xanthate in the presence of toluidines, *Proc. Indian Acad. Sci.*, 1978, **87A**, 413-416.

(8) Higdon, A., *Engineering Mechanics*, 1968, Vol. 1, Ch. 5, pp. 99-101, Prentice-Hall, New Jersey.

(9) Gangadharaiah, T., *The Characteristics of Sulfurated Blows*, 1969, Ch. 2, pp. 25-27 Thesis (unpublished), Indian Institute of Science.

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