Experimental Study of the Pomelo Peel Powder as Novel Shale

Inhibitor in Water-based Drilling Fluids

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