

Review

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A review on the sustainability of textile industries wastewater with and without treatment methodologies

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Abstract: The textile industry in India plays a vital role in the economic growth of the nation. The growth of the textile industry not only impacts the economy of a country but also influences the global economy and mutual exchange of technology between the countries. However, the textile industry also generates an enormous quantity of waste as waste sludge, fibers and chemically polluted waters. The chemically polluted textile wastewater degrades the quality of the soil and water when it mixes with these natural resources and its dependent habitats and environment. Owing to the existing problem of solid and liquid waste, textile industries are facing major problems in environment pollution. Therefore, researchers and the textile industries are focusing on the reduction of textile wastewater and the formulation of alternative efficient treatment techniques without hampering the environment. Hence, the present literature survey mainly concentrates on the various wastewater treatment techniques and their advantages. Moreover, the focus of the study was to describe the methods for the reduction of environmental waste and effective utilization of recycled water with zero wastewater management techniques. The alternative methods for the reduction of textile waste are also covered in this investigation. Finally, this paper also suggests utilization of solid wastes after treatment of wastewater in other sectors like construction for the preparation of low-grade tiles and or bricks by replacing the cement normally used in their manufacturing.

Keywords: cost-benefit analysis; locking tiles/bricks; textile wastewater; treatment.

Introduction

This review paper seeks to describe, clarify, evaluate and/or integrate the content of primary and previous published reports on various treatment techniques for the recovery of wastewater as collected from textile industries. The study also describes the methods for effective utilization of wastewater by low cost techniques using various industrial wastes as an absorbent for effective treatment of textile wastewater. An intensive research was conducted to develop an understanding of low cost treatment techniques for the successful use of various textile wastes. Therefore, the present study reviews the following issues and finally proposes the best alternative.

Study on the different purification techniques for the treatment of textile wastewater

The real problem behind industrial textile wastewater is that it is extremely carcinogenic in nature, it causes allergies and it produces toxic compounds in addition to other environmental issues. Textile dyes have a high importance due to being colourful, in addition different dyes have different significance in individual societies and their use is a significant concern in the modern world. However, these textile dyes, after cleaning or washing of textile fibers after the color is added produce huge environmental pollution. The wastewater contains not only the colored dye but also other metallic particles, high fluctuating pH, suspended solids with high chemical oxygen demand (COD), etc. (1, 2). Therefore, today, the textile wastewater from the textile and dyeing industries causes major concern with regard to the treatment of textile wastewater. This is reused for textile processing because of the high quantity of biological oxygen demand (BOD), pH, color, COD and the existence of solid metal particulates (3–7). However,

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other researchers have also reported on the toxicity of wastewater effluents by way of biological systems and attempted to reduce the toxic effect (8, 9).

Jeihanipour et al. (10) proposed an original process for the production of biogas from cellulose in blended waste textiles fibers and in the solvent, N-methyl morpholine-N-oxide used for pretreatment of cellulose. They reported that the cellulosic part of the waste separated from the noncellulosic fibers using the proposed N-methyl morpholine-N-oxide method. Foo and Hameed (11) discussed new technologies in waste treatment along with challenges facing the time of treatment of dyes and pointed out its future consequence. They reported that dye processing industries or sectors specifically involved in textile generation might fail in the future if there is no environmental pollution control. They also suggested that adoption of titanium dioxide accommodation oxidation was capable of being used as a fundamental approach for wastewater treatment and detoxification of the processes that recover the catalyst from the slurry stream (12, 13).

Barredo-Damas et al. (14) suggested an ultrafiltration process that may be an alternative for the pre-treatment of textile wastewater through membrane separation processes such as nanofiltration and a reverse-osmosis process, respectively, with 99% turbidity with 82–98% of the color being removed along with COD also being reduced between 62 and 79% successfully. However, in a conventional process for wastewater treatment mainly physicochemical and biological treatments by activated sludge method were frequently used but after treatment the same wastewater could not be reused in the textile processing sectors (15–21) (Table 1).

Ashwin et al. (23) studied textile liquid wastewater treatment using the sequential batch reactor (SBR) technique and performed the pre- as well as post-treatment using a sonochemical reactor. They observed that in this method the treatment process, the effluent was vigilantly diluted to get the desired chemical oxygen demand concentration, but the cost can be successfully managed by using the SRB technique with pre- as well as post-treatments. Similarly, few researchers used the bioaugmented

membrane bioreactor (MBR) (24), the anaerobic batch reactor (25) and the bioreactor typology technique (26–28). However, the acidogenic reactor, the methanogenic reactor (29), the recycle reactor (30), the photoelectrocatalytic reactor (31), toxic reactive Blue Bezaktiv S-GLD 150 dye (32) and the fixed bed reactor (33) for the removal of total organic carbon (C).

Khelifi et al. (34) reported that de-colorization and de-toxification of textile waste water using laccase from *Trametes trogii* and investigated in the absence of laccase mediators. They observed that laccase was not able to decolorize the effluent, where the enzyme concentration was slightly higher. Again, Khouni et al. (35) studied three different processes to observe the decolorization efficiency of textile effluent from laboratory prepared waste water consisting of two different reactive dyes and found that in the coagulation/flocculation method 93% of color was removed whereas, commercial laccase catalysis reduces the color by 99%, respectively.

Similarly, most of the researchers repeatedly cited their research work in different platforms as regards the dye removal process, such as the membrane separation process, reverse osmosis, the coagulation technique, chemical oxidation demand, the electrochemical process, the aerobic and anaerobic microbial degradation process, respectively, which were successfully implemented in the textile industry. However, all the techniques were not cost-effective, and these methods have a lot of restrictions for successfully removing color from wastewater efficiently (36, 37). For example, Merzouk et al. (38) investigated both the mixed wastewater and textile wastewater on the treatment of pure red dye solution using the electrocoagulation technique (39) and observed that textile wastewater was not fully treated whereas, pure red dye solution was suitable with the higher level of color and organic pollution abatements. Finally, they proposed that a more accurate evaluation technique was needed to improve the treatment efficiency of the mixed wastewater. Similarly, other industries like the food industry (40, 41), tanneries (42, 43), heavy metals (44–47), mechanical workshops (48, 49), polymerization manufacture and the textile

Table 1: Conventional techniques adopted to treat the wastewater (3–21).

Sl. No	Types of techniques	Treatment
1	Physical	Sedimentation, screening, aeration, flotation and skimming, filtration, degasification and equalization
2	Chemical	Chlorination, ozonation (22), neutralization, coagulation, adsorption and ion exchange
3	Biological	Activated sludge treatment methods, trickling filtration, oxidation, ponds, lagoons, aerobic digestion
	a. Aerobic	Anaerobic digestion, septic tanks, lagoons

industries (50–53) followed the electrocoagulation treatment technique specifically in highly polluted industrial wastewater locations. Hence, based on the mentioned techniques for the treatment of textile wastewater, very few treatment techniques have been used efficiently in the textile industry. Therefore, there has been development in the demands for the making of textile dyes; an inexpensive method is required with minimum chemical and energy consumption. Nowadays, the electrocoagulation technique is frequently used by the textile industry (54). The electrocoagulation technique is a simple and efficient method applied in most of the wastewater treatment plants. The wastewater generally contains oil wastes (48, 55), textile wastewater (56), dye (57–60), foodstuff waste (61), heavy metals (62–65), fluoride and polyvinyl alcohol (66), for the removal of Bomaplex Red CR-L (67) by the electrocoagulation process. These authors successfully removed color by coagulation and flocculation technologies (68), respectively.

Similarly, biological treatment processes treat textile effluent by reverse osmosis (RO) (69, 70) and nanofiltration membranes (71–75) for reuse of water and it was also observed that reverse osmosis and nanofiltration membranes could successfully remove COD, BOD and color from the biologically treated effluents. Similarly, removal of metal ion mixtures (i.e. textile dye and metal ion) and dye decolorization is also possible using the electrochemical treatment process. It was also explained, by using this technique rapid decolorization could also be achieved by complete reduction of both acid dyes and the reactive dyes (76). Lastly, it was proposed that the electrochemical treatment process was one of the efficient techniques to remove binary mixtures and textile dye decolorization, respectively. However, a limitation of this technique was that it was unable to mineralize the organic pollutants and other by-products completely (77).

Again, nowadays most researchers are mainly focused on various microorganisms (78–80) which degrade azo dyes (81–85) in two different conditions, anaerobic and aerobic, respectively (86–91). Hence, based on the impact of azo dye one of the efficient treatment processes specifically for textile wastewater treatment, Cui et al. (92) reported that the azo dye decolorization rate was higher with the use of consortia as compared with other individual strains. Bacterial consortia can be decolorized by methyl red under aerobic and anaerobic conditions, respectively (93–96). Similarly, Eren (97) reviewed more than 100 research papers on ultrasonic treatment process with biochemical, electrochemical, photolysis and photocatalysis, respectively (98–100). Whereas, Fenton (101, 102), electro-Fenton (103) and ozonation processes,

respectively, used specifically for textile dyes and dye baths due to the cavitation phenomenon occurs which increases the efficiency of advanced oxidation processes (AOPs) (104–108).

Wang and Peng (109) discussed the scientific utilization of natural zeolites as adsorbents for the purification of wastewater and water obtained from the textile dye industry, municipality waste or treatment plants' wastewater, respectively. They also reported that the modified zeolite shows better adsorption capacity specifically for organic material and anions. Similarly, Hedström and Amofah (110) studied natural zeolite such as clinoptilolite which has a maximum adsorption capacity for ammonium of about 20 mg/L with a maximum grain size of 4–8 mm. They also estimated that for smaller grain size the adsorption capacity was more as compared with other natural zeolites like natural Bulgarian zeolite treatment (111–118), zeolite-clinoptilolite (119), bentonite (120, 121), sepiolite (122), zeolite (123), used to remove color (124, 125) from aqueous solutions.

Martellini et al. (126) collected wastewater from two different plants, textile wastewater and municipal wastewater, to obtain the concentrations, compositional profiles and contribution to ambient levels and observed that polybrominated-diphenyl-ethers concentration was higher in textile wastewater. They also proposed that the plant's distance from the source and the wind direction also affect the environment. Loncar et al. (127) discussed cheap enzyme sourced from potato polyphenol oxidase for decolorization of seven different textile dyes and three different dye effluents and reported that the optimized conditions were achieved for removal of dyes of about 93–99.9%. Finally, potato polyphenol oxidase was recommended as being capable of extracting reactive dyes and effluents without any intermediate effects and that decolorization (128) was obtained via insoluble polymers using filtration.

Derden and Huybrechts (129) determined a new technique for the reduction of decabromodiphenyl ether (Deca-BDE) emissions from the textile industry. Nowadays, BDE is increasingly used in the textile industry for the production of cotton and synthetic fibers for clothing and carpets. Brominated flame retardants have been used to protect fibers from burning without depending on the texture, color as well as the appearance of the prepared fabrics (130). Hence, during the finishing process larger amounts of Deca-BDE were being mixed with the textile wastewater and was harmful to the environment as well as the soil. Therefore, the additional technique was identified as emission levels associated with the best available technique (BAT-AEL) as another parameter, which confirmed

that the emission data with the determined BAT-AEL range was less than 20 mg/L. Table 2 indicates a summary of various textile industries treatment techniques and other alternative techniques for textile wastewater.

Study on the effective utilization of low-cost absorbent for the treatment of textile industrial effluents

Again Mahmoud (131) proposed another wastewater treatment method for coal filter treatment of textile industry effluents. In this techniques cement kiln dust (CKD) and CKD/coal filters remove color, heavy metals, organic substances and turbidity from textile wastewater by hydraulic loading of $1\text{ m}^3/\text{m}^2\text{ h}$. However, using the CKD/coal filters method, the percentage of removal was more as compared with the CKD filter technique. Saraya and Aboul-Fetouh (132) investigated the process of elimination of acid dyes as well as dye colored by using CKD from aqueous solution and then the dye concentration was measured using ultraviolet-visible (UV-Vis) spectroscopy before and after treatment. Whereas, the X-ray diffraction (XRD), infra-red (IR) and differential scanning calorimeter (DSC) test were also performed to measure the colored residue. Finally, it was reported that CKD might be an efficient alternative technique to remove the acid dyes from the textile wastewater industries of Egypt. Mostafa et al. (133) proposed the ability of cement by-pass dust (CBPD), a by-product of the cement industry can decrease the COD, heavy metals and total suspended solids (TSS) within the acceptable limit from textile wastewater. They also demonstrated in different dose percentages of CBPD and observed that at a 2 g/L dose CBPD was able to remove 75% of primary true color, 33.2% of heavy metals, 92.1% of TSS and 91.3% of COD from textile effluent. Mahmoud (131) studied the usefulness of both CKD and coal filter/CKD for the removal of BOD, COD, heavy metals, color and turbidity from textile wastewater specifically for the weaving and spinning industries of Egypt. The addition of coal filter in CKD was shown to have a better performance as far as the removal of heavy metals, color, turbidity and it reduced BOD, COD as compared with only passing through the CKD technique for textile wastewater. However, Mackie et al. (134) studied the physicochemical characterization of six different samples of CKD collected from across North American cement plants and produced calcium hydroxide $[\text{Ca(OH)}_2]$ slurries for the treatment of textile wastewater

applications and finally compared these characteristics with commercially available quicklime products. They reported that commercially available quicklime and the slurry made from CKD samples preformed equally well, but a large quantity of raw material CKD was required for acid neutralization of the textile wastewater.

Saraya and Nassar (135) studied the adsorption of Reactive Blue 7 (136) dye as generated from textile wastewater using a low-cost adsorbent such as CKD by taking into consideration the use of contact time, dye concentration, and adsorbent dose, respectively. The maximum adsorption capacity of CKD was 100 mg/g of CKD at ambient temperature and they also reported that the treatment of dye-loaded CKD with different solvents and acids showed that a slight amount of dye was released in water, along with methanol and ethanol due to the physical adhesion of the dye. Whereas in the case of acid dye, the CKD was dissolved entirely, which may be the interaction of dye molecules with the CKD. Similarly, Shaheen et al. (137) studied the sorption nature of the four divalent metals, i.e. cadmium (Cd), copper (Cu), lead (Pb) and zinc (Zn) in textile wastewater with three different sorbents such as CKD, sawdust and activated C (36, 138, 139). Hence, most of the researchers preferred good absorbency along with being economically viable, such as agriculture waste (140) which can be used as a suitable adsorbent (114, 141, 142), tyre char (143), agricultural wastes such as rice bran (144), bone char (145) and fly ash (146, 147), respectively.

They observed that the average material removed from the textile wastewater was 100% Cd which was extracted by using activated C and CKD, but nearly 75% of the Cd was eliminated using the sawdust medium. However, the combination of activated C and sawdust were not shown to have efficient sorption in nature for the removal of divalent metals from textile wastewater. Again, another group Refaey et al. (148, 149) studied CKD (a by-product of cement) and activated C (obtained from the agriculture waste) as an adsorbent for the removal of Cd and Cu separately from aqueous solutions. The observed results indicated that CKD might be used as a low cost and efficient sorbent for removal of Cd and Cu from textile wastewater as compared to activated C. However, Kumar and Porkodi (150) used rubber wood sawdust instead of CKD for the removal of Bismarck brown from an aqueous solution by the adsorption process. Bismarck brown is used for hair colorants as well as shoe polish, however, when mixed with wastewater or with the environment it may be harmful to human life due to its carcinogenic nature. Hence, rubber wood sawdust can be successfully used as an adsorbent for removal of Bismarck brown from aqueous solutions.

Table 2: Summary of various conventional and advanced treatment techniques used in textile industries.

Sr No	Name of the journal/author	Year of publication	List of experiment performed	Methodology	Key issues addressed	Location specific	Remarks	Ref. No
1	Bioresource Technology/Banat et al.	1996	Azo dyes used as adsorbent Activated sludge used as adsorbent	Biological decolorization	1. Biological processes could be adopted as a pre-treatment decolorization step, combined with the conventional treatment system	—	1. Concerted efforts are still required to establish biological decolorization systems	(1)
2	World Journal of Microbiology and Biotechnology/Bakshi et al.	1999	Adsorption and enzymatic degradation	Biodecolorization	1. Increase of 6.7-fold in lignin peroxidase (LIP) level, 4-fold in biomass and 45.5% enhanced decolorization of effluent was achieved	Chandigarh, India	1. To obtain maximum decolorization of synthetic dye effluent through adsorption as well as enzymatic degradation	(2)
3	Biodegradation/Senan and Abraham	2004	Isolation and screening, analytical determinations	Bioremediation	1. Dyes removal decrease 2. Aerobic bacterial consortium was developed for the decolorization of textile azo dyes	Trivandrum, India	1. Dyes are converted to low molecular weight compounds and amines were absent	(3)
4	Desalination/Suman et al.	2011	Batch and continuous operation	Adsorption process	1. Adsorption, Cationic surfactant 2. SGW	Hooghly, India	1. Use of SGW as an adsorbent	(4)
5	New Biotechnology/Antonella et al.	2011	Decolourization experiments	Fungal treatment	3. Adsolubilization 1. Decolu-riization 2. Detoxification 3. Fungal treatment 4. Dyeing process	Italy	1. <i>Bjerkandera adusta</i> was tested in different culture conditions to assess its real potential for bioremediation of textile wastewaters	(5)
6	Trends in Analytical Chemistry/Iva R.	2011	Separation	Liquid/solid extraction	1. Engineered nanoparticle 2. Separation	Croatia	1. Important techniques for monitoring ENPs on textile-wastewater samples	(6)
7	Journal of Colloid and Interface Science/Eliana et al.	2012	Kinetic and equilibrium study	Adsorption studies	1. Sol-gel, grafting, organofunctionalized silica 2. Effluent treatment, nonlinear fitting, dye removal from aqueous solution	Brazil	1. Development of an ionic silica-based hybrid material containing the cationic pyridinium group, remove the dye	(7)
8	Bioresource Technology/Jadhav et al.	2010	Dyes and chemicals analysis, isolation, screening and microorganisms, decolorization assay	Biotreatment	1. RO 16 adsorbate used 2. Significantly higher reduction in color, COD, BOD and metal ions in much less time, by utilizing the components of the wastewater for the growth	Kolhapur	1. Bicolorization of the textile effluent revealed the nontoxic nature of the biotreated sample	(8)

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9	Bioresource Technology/Novotny et al.	2011	Fungal trickling filter treatment	Biological method	1. Textile wastewater treatment, fungal trickling filter, mixed bacterial community, <i>Ipex lacteus</i> , two-step degradation process	Austria	1. Efficiency of a sequential biodegradation process using fungal and mixed bacterial cultures for treatment of textile wastewater	(9)
10	Waste Management/ Jeihanipour et al.	2010	Separation procedure, and fermentation to ethanol, digestion to biogas	Enzymatic hydrolysis process and analytical methods	1. Initial rate of enzymatic hydrolysis by 8–14-fold and the initial rate of biogas production by more than 15-fold	Sweden	1. Cellulose solvent, N-methylmorpholine-N-oxide (NMMO) was used in this process for separation and pretreatment of the cellulose	(10)
11	Advances in Colloid and Interface Science/Foo and Hameed	2010	Photoexcitation, diffusion, recombination, hole trapping, oxidation	Molecular adsorption deposition method	1. Crude titanium dioxide is typically extracted from minerals ilmenite, leucoxenes ores	Malaysia	1. Textile waste dyes treatment via titanium dioxide/C composites treatment processes	(11)
12	Industrial & Engineering Chemistry Research/ Follansbee et al.	2008	Pressure drop and pumping requirements	Novel continuous photocatalytic reactor	1. Introduce a novel continuous photocatalytic reactor configuration that addresses the difficulties of particle separation, process scalability	Albany, New York	1. Systematic methodology that identifies globally optimal key design parameter values and associated optimal operating process conditions for a continuous AOP	(12)
13	Transactions of Nonferrous Metals Society of China/Fu et al.	2006	SEM-EDX, XRD, XPS and FTIR	Molecular adsorption-deposition	1. Interposition fixing structure, stability	Beijing, China	1. TiO ₂ film anchored on activated C fibers (TiO ₂ /ACFs), shows high stability in the cyclic photodegradation runs	(13)
14	Desalination/ Barredo-Damas et al.	2010	Analytical methods, ultrafiltration, experimental procedure,	Ultrafiltration process	1. Ceramic UF membranes proved to be a feasible pre-treatment alternative 2. Turbidity and color removals seemed to be more influenced	Spain	1. Ultrafiltration process was applied successfully for textile wastewater treatment in order to adapt this effluent for a later NF/RO stage	(14)
15	Journal of Hazardous Materials/Capar et al.	2008	Flux decline analysis, membrane chemical cleaning	NFT-50 membranes, nanofiltration, analytical techniques	1. Beck-dyeing used as adsorbates 2. Low COD rejection at acidic pH can be speculated as the passage of acetate ions	Turkey	1. Separate water reuse schemes offered for print-dyeing and Beck-dyeing wastewaters	(15)

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16	Desalination/De Florio et al.	2005	Pilot scale treatment	Nanofiltration	1. Textile effluents, water reuse, nanofiltration	Italy	1. Nanofiltration of the investigated effluents proved to be a cost-efficient treatment work	(16)
17	Environmental Science & Technology/van der Bruggen et al. EPA Manual	2005	Microfiltration, ultrafiltration, nanofiltration and reverse osmosis	Pressure-driven membrane processes	1. To treat or discharge the concentrate	Belgium	1. Pressure-driven membrane processes results in the generation of a large concentrated waste stream	(17)
18	Desalination/Srivastava et al.	1996	General waste categorization	Pollution prevention approaches	1. Pollution prevention opportunities are identified for specific textile processes	US	1. Successful implementation of pollution prevention in textile processing	(18)
19	Desalination/Aouni et al.	2011	Treatment of dye effluent	Membrane separation method	1. Modified PVDF membranes showed moderate color removal, COD reduction	Tirupur, Tamil Nadu	1. The modified PVDF membranes were capable of successfully removal of around 97% of CR dye and over 70% of RB5 dye from the feed solutions	(19)
20	Desalination/Aouni et al.	2012	Ultrafiltration nanofiltration	Membrane separation method	1. Ultrafiltration, nanofiltration 2. Reactive dyes, rinsing wastewater	Spain	1. Ultrafiltration and nanofiltration processes were used to treat synthetic reactive dyes aqueous solutions	(20)
21	Chemical Engineering Journal/Barredo-Damas et al.	2012	Ultrafiltration	Membrane separation	1. Ceramic membranes, textile wastewater, ultrafiltration 2. Water reclamation	Spain	1. Performance of tubular ceramic ultrafiltration membranes treating integrated raw effluents from a textile mill	(21)
22	Dyes and Pigments/Turhan et al.	2012	Bench-scale reactor	Ozonation	1. Ozonation, methylene blue 2. Basic dye, kinetics	Turkey	1. Decolorization of the dye was achieved by ozonation	(22)
23	Desalination/Ashwin et al.	2011	Pre and post-treatments by sonolysis, Kinetic study	SBR treatment and sonolysis	1. SBR technique with an AOP like sonolysis, it is possible to achieve reasonable time management and cost effectiveness	Chennai	1. Optimization of time allocation for SBR and sonolysis at various stages through a simulation for normal and shock loads of textile effluents	(23)

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24	Water Research/Hai et al.	2011	Microorganism and synthetic wastewater, design and feeding mode of the bioreactor	Biological treatment	1. Use of the GAC-zone for dye removal	Japan	1. Stable decoloration along with significant organics (TOC, TN) removal over a prolonged period under extremely high dye loadings was observed	(24)
25	Bioresource Technology/ Gnanapragasam et al.	2011	Batch studies anaerobic digestion technique	Anaerobic digestion technique	1. Batch reactor, kinetics, anaerobic digestion, starch, textile dye	Annamalainagar, India	1. An anaerobic digestion technique was applied to textile dye wastewater aiming at the color and COD removal	(25)
26	Bioresource Technology/ Balamurugan et al.	2011	Anaerobic biodegradation	Microbial method	1. Halotolerant bacteria, reactive textile dye, anaerobic degradation	Coimbatore, India	1. Reduce the COD and color of the effluent containing reactive textile dye by microbial method	(26)
27	International Biodegradation & Biodegradation/ Papadia et al.	2011	Microbial characterization	Biological method	1. Wastewater treatment, reactor configuration, fluid dynamics, microbial characterization	Italy	1. Comparison of different pilot scale bioreactors for the treatment of a real wastewater from the textile industry	(27)
28	Separation and Purification Technology/Su et al.	2011	Fluidized-bed Fenton	Oxidation	1. Textile wastewater, hydrogen peroxide, decolorization, fluidized-bed Fenton	Thailand	1. Treatment of textile industrial wastewater by the fluidized-bed Fenton process	(28)
29	Chemical Engineering Journal/ Senthilkumar et al. et al.	2011	Upflow anaerobic sludge blanket reactor	Biological method	1. Textile dyeing wastewater 2. Color removal, Sago 3. Two-phase UASB	Tamil Nadu, India	1. Decolourization and removal of degradable organics with tapioca sago wastewater	(29)
30	Desalination/Basha et al.	2012	Batch reactor	Oxidation	1. Batch recirculation reactor, recycle reactor, Procion blue, specific energy consumption	Tamil Nadu	1. Dye-bath and wash water effluents of a textile industry were subjected to electrochemical oxidation in batch reactor	(30)
31	Journal of Photochemistry and Photobiology/ Sapkal et al.	2012	Photoelectrocatalytic decolorization and degradation	Photoelectrocatalysis	1. Photoelectrocatalysis, zinc oxide, textile effluent, FTIR, phytotoxicity	Kolapur, India	1. Photoelectrocatalytic decolorization and degradation of textile effluent using ZnO thin films	(31)

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32	Separation and Purification Technology/Khouni et al.	2012	Sequencing batch reactor	Decolourization	1. Textile effluent, Sequencing batch reactor, biodegradation, reactive dye	Tunisia	1. Investigate the biological decolourization of a widely used textile reactive dye	(32)
33	Chemical Engineering Journal/ Nahil and Williams	2012	Activation reactor	Adsorption	1. Pyrolysis, textile waste, C, surface chemistry, XPS	UK	1. Acrylic textile waste was pyrolyzed in a fixed bed reactor in a nitrogen atmosphere at three different temperatures	(33)
34	Journal of Hazardous Materials/Khlifi et al.	2010	Media and culture conditions	Decolourization tests	1. Laccase, decolorization, detoxify dye effluent	Tunisia	1. Ability of crude laccase from the white-rot fungus <i>T. trogii</i> to decolorize and detoxify dye effluent from the textile industry	(34)
35	Desalination/Khouni et al.	2011	Coagulation, flocculation	Advance treatment	1. Coagulation, flocculation, laccase catalysis, nanofiltration	France	1. Decolourization efficiency of textile effluent in different processes achieved	(35)
36	Colloids Surf A/ Qadeer	2007	Batch technique	Adsorption kinetics	1. Wheat bran; Astrazon yellow; adsorption kinetics; diffusion; thermodynamic parameters	Turkey	1. Removal of Astrazon Yellow 7 GL from aqueous solutions by adsorption onto wheat bran	(36)
37	Chemical Engineering Journal/ Cengiz et al.	2012	Activation reactor	Adsorption	1. Posidonia oceanica, Dye adsorption, wastewater treatment, Astrazon Red	Turkey	1. Usage of a natural environmental waste, <i>P. oceanica</i> dead leaves, for the removal of dyes from industrial effluents	(37)
38	Desalination/ Merzouk et al.	2011	Adsorption equilibrium	Electrocoagulation	1. Electrocoagulation, aluminum, red dye, textile wastewater, mixed waste, sludge settling velocity	France	1. Efficiency of electrocoagulation for the abatement of COD, TOC, absorbance and turbidity from a real textile wastewater	(38)
39	Reviews in Chemical Engineering/Naje et al.	2016	Efficiency, electrocoagulation, operating parameters, pollutant removal	Coagulation concept	1. EC treatment of textile wastewater and highlighted the main drawbacks of this technique	Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia	1. EC process with rotating electrodes, which could reduce the passivation film, enhance homogeneity of electrolyte, and increase the rate of flocs formation	(39)

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40	Separation and Purification Technology/Chen et al.	2000	COD, BOD	Purification technology	1. Charge loading, chemical oxygen demand, current density, oil and grease, removal efficiency	China	1. Separation of pollutants from restaurant wastewater by electrocoagulation	(40)
41	International Journal of Electrochemical Science/Naje et al.	2015	Monopolar and bipolar connection aluminum electrode; iron electrode	Electrocoagulation	1. The overall efficiency of EC process was compared to the conventional chemical coagulation process	Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia	1. The performance of EC was higher than the traditional chemical coagulation based on the difference between the removal efficiency of COD and the Al dosage within the pH range	(41)
42	Journal of Hazardous Materials/Golder et al.	2007	Batch experiments	Electrocoagulation	1. Electrocoagulation, bipolar, monopolar; electrode configuration, current efficiency		1. Removal of Cr ³⁺ by EC from aqueous solution with both monopolar and bipolar electrode configurations is a feasible process	(42)
43	Separation and Purification Technology/Heidmann and Calmano	2008	Batch experiments	Electrocoagulation	1. Electrocoagulation, chromium iron electrodes; wastewater	Germany	1. Performance of an electrocoagulation system with iron electrodes for Cr removal from model wastewaters	(43)
44	Desalination/Merzouk et al.	2008	Batch experiments	Electroflootation	1. Electroflootation, aluminum electrodes turbidity, textile wastewater, heavy metals	Algeria	1. Treatment of textile wastewater and removal of heavy metals using the electroflootation technique	(44)
45	Journal of Hazardous Materials/Merzouk et al.	2009	Batch experiments	Electroflootation	1. Electrocoagulation-electroflootation, heavy metals	Algeria	1. Removal turbidity and separation of heavy metals from textile wastewater using electroflootation technique	(45)
46	Journal of Hazardous Materials/Meunier et al.	2006	Electrochemical techniques	Electroflootation	1. Metal, soil, leaching, electrocoagulation, decontamination, effluent, removal, solubilization	France	1. Comparison between electrocoagulation and chemical precipitation based on heavy metals removal from acidic soil leachate (ASL) at the laboratory pilot scale	(46)

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47	Journal of Hazardous Materials/Heidmann and Calmano	2008	Batch experiments	Electrocoagulation	1. Electrocoagulation, heavy metal; aluminum electrodes, industrial wastewater	Germany	1. Performance of an electrocoagulation system with aluminium electrodes for removing heavy metal ions from aqueous solution	(47)
48	Journal of Hazardous Materials/Canizares et al.	2008	Electrochemical coagulation experiments	Electrochemical	1. Break-up, aluminum electrodes, O/W emulsion, dosing, electrochemical	Spain	1. Efficiencies of the chemical and the electrochemical break-up of O/W emulsions with hydrolyzing aluminum salts are compared	(48)
49	Institution of Chemical Engineers/ Khemis et al.	2005	Batch experiments	Electrocoagulation	1. Aluminum, electrocoagulation oil suspensions 2. Hydrogen evolution	France	1. Investigations of an electrocoagulation process for the treatment of concentrated oil dispersions, used for machining and drilling operations	(49)
50	Journal of Hazardous Materials/Kobya et al.	2003	Batch experiments	Electrocoagulation	1. Electrocoagulation iron, aluminum, electrode; textile wastewater	Turkey	1. Treatment of textile wastewaters by electrocoagulation using iron and of aluminum electrode materials	(50)
51	Chemical Engineering and Processing/Alinsafi et al.	2005	Batch experiments	Electrocoagulation	1. Electro-coagulation, reactive dye; color removal, experimental design, biodegradability	Morocco	1. Electro-coagulation of a blue reactive dye solution has been optimized by experimental design in terms of color removal and COD	(51)
52	Chemical Engineering Journal/Merzouk et al.	2009	Batch experiments	Electrocoagulation	1. Continuous electrocoagulation, red dye, decolorization	France	1. A continuous electrocoagulation process was investigated for decolorization and chemical oxygen demand (COD) abatement of a synthetic textile wastewater	(52)

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53	Journal of Hazardous Materials/Zongo et al.	2009	Chemicals and analytical techniques	Electrocoagulation	1. Wastewater treatment 2. Textile industry 3. Electrocoagulation 4. COD, turbidity	France	1. Aluminum and iron are suitable electrode materials for the treatment of the investigated textile wastewaters by electrocoagulation	(53)
54	Journal of Hazardous Materials/ Daneshvar et al.	2006	Decolorization	Electrocoagulation	1. Electrocoagulation, basic dye 2. Decolorization, reduction 3. Dyeing wastewater	Iran	1. Electrocoagulation has been used for the removal of color from solutions containing C. I. Basic Red 46 (BR46) and C. I. Basic Blue 3 (BB3)	(54)
55	Journal of Hazardous Materials/Bensadok et al.	2008	Electrocoagulation	Membrane process	1. Electrocoagulation 2. Cutting oil emulsions 3. Aluminum plate electrodes 4. Very high COD	France	1. Electrocoagulation (EC) was experimentally investigated as a pretreatment step prior to a membrane process	(55)
56	Journal of Hazardous Materials/Canizares et al.	2008	Electrochemical Reactor	Electrochemical method	1. Break-up; aluminum 2. Electrodes; O/W 3. Emulsion, dosing 4. Electrochemical	Spain	1. Efficiencies of the chemical and the electrochemical break-up of O/W emulsions with hydrolyzing aluminum salts are compared	(48)
57	Desalination/ Merzouk et al.	2011	Batch experimental	Electrocoagulation	1. Electrocoagulation, aluminum 2. Red dye, textile wastewater 3. Mixed waste, sludge settling velocity	France	1. Efficiency of electrocoagulation for the abatement of COD, TOC, absorbance and turbidity from a real textile wastewater	(56)
58	Journal of Environmental Management/ Sanchez-Martín et al.	2010	Buffered solution, coagulant solution and wastewater samples, analytical procedures	Coagulation-flocculation	1. Tanfloc is a highly effective treatment agent 2. Pilot plant studies	Spain	1. Tannin-based coagulant-flocculant (Tanfloc) was tested for water treatment at a pilot plant level	(57)
59	Journal of Hazardous Materials/Zidane et al.	2008	Decolorization	Electrocoagulation	1. Electrocoagulation; Dye 2. Decolourization, coagulant 3. Aluminum hydroxide 4. Reactive Red 141	Morocco	1. Removal of a reactive textile dye (CI Reactive Red 141) from solution using both a direct electrocoagulation process	(58)

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60	Desalination/Majaei et al.	2009	Decolorization	Indirect electrochemical oxidation	1. Textile wastewater 2. Indirect electrochemical oxidation 3. Aromatic ring degradation 4. C. I. Reactive Yellow 3	Iran	1. Decolorization and aromatic ring degradation of colored textile wastewater	(59)
61	Desalination/Nidheesh and Gandhimathi	2012	Electro-Fenton reactors	Kinetics of electro-Fenton process	1. Electro-Fenton 2. Wastewater treatment 3. Degradation 4. Organic pollutant	Tamil Nadu	1. Application of electro-Fenton on organic pollutant removal from wastewater	(60)
62	Industrial & Engineering Chemistry Research/Barrera-Diaz et al.	2006	Electrochemical reactor	Electrochemical method	1. Electrochemical reactor, organic pollutants, wastewater	Mexico	1. Electrochemical method used in this study reduces the concentration of organic pollutants in industrial wastewater	(61)
63	Journal of Hazardous Materials/Gomes et al.	2007	EC reactor	EC	1. EC, Combined Al-Fe electrode system, wastewater; arsenic removal, ionic substitution	USA	1. Aluminum and iron, provides an alternative method for removal of arsenic from water by EC	(62)
64	Journal of Hazardous Materials/Keshmirizadeh et al.	2011	EC reactor	EC	1. Chromium, EC 2. Alternating pulse current, optimized operational parameters, conductivity	Iran	1. EC process with aluminum/iron electrodes for removal of chromium on a laboratory scale	(63)
65	Desalination/Shafaei et al.	2011	EC reactor	EC	1. Heavy metal, Cobaltion 2. Wastewater, EC process	Iran	1. EC process is an effective method for the removal of heavy metal ions wastewater effluents	(64)
66	Applied Surface Science/Maria	2012	Batch experiments	Adsorption	1. Bentonite, fly ash, pollutants 2. Adsorption, wastewater treatment	Romania	1. Fly ash represents a low-cost adsorbent for advanced wastewater treatment	(65)
67	Chem Eng Trans/Drouiche et al.	2011	Calcium precipitation experiments	EC	1. Calcium precipitation experiments, optimization, photovoltaic wastewater	Algeria	1. EC system using aluminum electrodes was studied for the removal of fluoride from pre-treated photovoltaic wastewater with lime	(66)
68	Desalination/Yilmaz et al.	2011	Batch adsorption experiments	Adsorption	1. Dye removal, wastewater, waste utilization, adsorption, isotherms, kinetics	Turkey	1. Electrocoagulated metal hydroxides sludge could be used for removal of Bomplex Red CR-L from aqueous solutions	(67)

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69	Journal of Environmental Management/Verma et al.	2012	Decolorization coagulation flocculation	Advance method	1. Dye, Decolorization 2. Coagulation, flocculation 3. Textile wastewater	Bhubaneswar	1. Chemical coagulation/ flocculation technologies for removal of color from textile wastewaters	(68)
70	Desalination/Qi et al.	2011	Study the optimal ozone dosage, combination of ozone with BAF as membrane pre-treatment	Biological aerated filter and reverse osmosis	1. Ozone, biological aerated filter 2. Reverse osmosis, reuse 3. Concentrate stream	China	1. Feasibility of reusing the secondary effluent of a textile industry treatment plant as water resource, using the combination processes of BAF with ozone as a pre-treatment, and with reverse osmosis for the final step unit	(69)
71	Desalination/Liu et al.	2011	Cross-flow filtration system	Nanofiltration reverse osmosis	1. Textile effluent 2. NF 3. Reverse osmosis 4. Water reuse 5. Wastewater treatment	China	1. Evaluate and compare the effectiveness of reverse osmosis and NF 2. Membranes in the treatment of biologically treated textile effluent	(70)
72	Powder Technology/Jedidi et al.	2011	Thermal analysis	Membrane separation method	1. Mineral coal fly ash obtained from coal-fired power stations could be also a good material to make low cost membranes	California, USA	1. Ceramic fly ash microfiltration membrane applied to the clarification and the decoloration of the effluents coming from the dying industry	(71)
73	Desalination/Ellouze et al.	2012	Nanofiltration, microfiltration	Membrane separation method	1. Textile industry wastewater 2. Coagulation-flocculation 3. Treatment combination 4. Microfiltration 5. NF	Tunisie	1. Use of NF as a post-treatment after coagulation 2. Flocculation used to treat textile water	(72)
74	Desalination/Borsi et al.	2012	Ultrafiltration	Membrane separation method	1. Hollow fibers, modeling membrane fouling	Italy	1. Efficiency of the ultrafiltration process for the treatment of secondary effluents to be reused in wet textile industries	(73)
75	Water Research/Cheng et al.	2012	NF	Membrane separation method	1. NF 2. Positive charge 3. Self-assembly 4. Dye, wastewater	UK	1. NF membrane for the treatment of textile industry 2. Wastewaters	(74)

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76	Bioresource Technology/ Robinson et al.	2001	Chemical, physical and biological treatments	Decolorization	1. Textile dyes 2. Chemical, physical and biological treatments 3. White-rot fungi 4. Solid state fermentation (SSF)	UK	1. Current available technologies and suggests an effective, cheaper alternative for dye removal and decolorization applicable on large scale 2. Scale	(75)
77	Chemical Engineering Journal/ Körbahti et al.	2011	Electrochemical treatment	RSM	1. Electrochemical treatment 2. Binary mixture, acid dye, reactive dye, Cu, Ni	Turkey	1. Electrochemical decolorization of textile dyes and removal of metal ions from textile dye and metal ion binary mixtures	(76)
78	Journal of Hazardous Materials/Basiri Parsa et al.	2009	Decolorization kinetics	Electrochemical oxidation	1. Electrochemical oxidation 2. Direct blue 71 3. Decolorization 4. Kinetics	Iran	1. Two types of electrochemical reactors for the treatment of simulated wastewaters containing Direct blue 71 azo dye	(77)
79	Journal of Hazardous Materials/Tamboli et al.	2010	Decolorization experiment	Biological treatment	1. Decolorization 2. Biological treatment 3. Textile dye	Maharashtra	1. Potential of <i>Sphingobacterium</i> sp. ATM to decolorize and degrade textile dye	(78)
80	Journal of Cleaner Production/ Sathishkumar et al.	2012	Bench scale studies	Adsorption process	1. Jatropha curcas 2. Agro-industrial waste 3. C	Tamil Nadu, India	1. Agro-industrial waste J. curcas pods were used for the C the preparation to remove reactive dye	(79)
81	Bioresource Technology/Yang et al.	2012	Aerobic bio-contact oxidation	Biological process	4. Remazol Brilliant Blue R 5. Adsorption isotherm 1. Archaea, bacteria 2. Denaturing-gradient gel electrophoresis 3. Fungi microbial community 4. Printing and dyeing wastewater	China	1. Dynamics of bacterial, fungal and archaeal populations in two-stage biological processes of a full-scale printing and dyeing wastewater treatment system	(80)
82	Journal of Environmental Science and Health/ Armaghan	2003	Adsorption	Ion exchange method	1. Sepiolite, zeolite, reactive azo dyes, modified sepiolites and 2. Zeolites, adsorption	Bulgaria	1. Adsorptions of three types of reactive dyes onto natural and modified sepiolite and zeolite have been investigated	(81)

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83	Journal of Chemical Technology and Biotechnology/ Armağan et al.	2003	Adsorption	Ion exchange method	1. Zeolite, clinoptilolite 2. Reactive dyes 3. Organozelite 4. Adsorption	Turkey	1. Removal of reactive azo dyes by natural and modified zeolites	(82)
84	International Biodeterioration & Biodegradation/ Deng et al.	2008	Dye decolorizing microorganism	Biological process	1. Broad-spectrum 2. <i>Bacillus cereus</i> strain DC11 3. Decolorization and degradation 4. Comparative analysis	China	1. Decolorization of anthraquinone, triphenylmethane and azo dyes by a new isolated <i>Bacillus cereus</i> strain DC11	(83)
85	International Biodeterioration & Biodegradation/ Garg et al.	2012	Culture conditions	Dye decolorization	1. Decolorization, FTIR 2. GC/MS analysis, Orange II 3. <i>Pseudomonas putida</i> , textile effluent	Uttar Pradesh	1. Study the effect of various cultural and nutritional conditions on decolorization of extensively used Monoazo dye orange II in minimal salt medium	(84)
86	International Biodeterioration & Biodegradation/ El-Sheekh et al.	2009	Spectroscopic analysis	Biological method	1. Algae, azo dyes 2. Azo dye reductase 3. Biodegradation	Egypt	1. Biodegradation of dyes by some green algae and cyanobacteria	(85)
87	Electrochimica Acta/ Senthilkumar et al.	2012	Combined electrochemical and biological oxidation	Electrochemical, oxidation	1. COD removal 2. Color removal 3. Dye effluent 4. Electrochemical 5. Oxidation, Procion scarlet	Tamil Nadu, India	1. To evaluate the COD reduction and color removal of dye effluent with individual, combined and integrated process of electrochemical and biological oxidation	(86)
88	Resources, Conservation and Recycling/Vergili et al.	2012	Techno-economic analysis	Integrated membrane processes	1. Integrated membrane processes 2. Membrane fouling 3. Benefit-cost analysis 4. Techno-economic analysis	Turkey	1. Zero liquid discharge approach 2. Can be used in processing textile dye bath waste streams using integrated membrane processes	(87)
89	Water SA/Cariell et al.	1995	Anaerobic decolorization	Kinetic study	1. Microbial decolorization 2. Azo dye, anaerobic	Italy	1. Microbial decolorization of a reactive azo dye under anaerobic conditions	(88)

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90	FEMS Microbiol. Lett./Heiss et al.	1992	Degradation of xenobiotics	Decolorization	1. Azo-dye decolorization; Degradation of xenobiotics 2. DNA cloning 3. <i>Rhodococcus</i> , no cardioforms	South Africa	1. Cloning of DNA from a <i>Rhodococcus</i> strain confering the ability to decolorize sulfonated azo dyes	(89)
91	Bioresource Technology/ Eichlerova et al.	2006	Static cultivation	Decolorization	1. Decolorization 2. <i>Dichomitus squalens</i> 3. Manganese peroxidase 4. Ligninolytic enzymes	South Africa	1. Ability of the white rot fungus <i>D. squalens</i> to decolorize different synthetic dyes	(90)
92	Bioresource Technology/Tan et al.	2009	Decolorization	Biological process	1. Decolorization 2. Azo dye 3. Salinity, metal ions 4. Microbial community	China	1. Decolorization of Reactive Brilliant Red X-3B wastewater by the biological process coping with high salinity and metal ions	(91)
93	Journal of Hazardous Materials/Cui et al.	2012	Decolorization assay	Biological process	1. Azo dye, Decolorization 2. Bacterial consortium 3. Identification 4. Microbial community	China	1. Comparative studies on the ability of two consortia (AE and AN) to decolorize different azo dyes under aerobic and anaerobic conditions	(92)
94	Resources, Conservation and Recycling/de Souza et al.	2010	Mathematical model, Description of the process,	Optimization process	1. Employing the reuse of aqueous streams which are currently sent to the final treatment station	Brazil	1. Methodology based on the WSD method was developed, taking the fabric flow as a reference and applying the concept of pseudo-concentration at the inlet and outlet of the tank units of the continuous washing process	(93)
95	Applied Microbiology Biotechnology/ Rajaguru et al.	2000	Anaerobic-aerobic treatment method	Biological treatment	1. Aerobic condition 2. Reduction of dye orange G 3. Isolation of bacteria	Coimbatore, India	1. Maximum degradation of azo dye by using anaerobic-aerobic method	(94)
96	World Journal of Microbiology & Biotechnology/ Verma and Madamwar	2003	Decolourization	Biological treatment	1. Decolorization 2. Laccase 3. Manganese peroxidase 4. <i>Serratia marcescens</i>	Gujarat, India	1. dye-decolorization of the bacterium <i>Serratia marcescens</i> efficiently decolorized dyes	(95)

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97	World Journal of Microbiology & Biotechnology/ Adedayo et al.	2004	Biodegradation	Biological treatment	1. Azo dyes 2. Biodegradation 3. <i>Pseudomonas</i> 4. Textile wastewater, Vibrio	Canada	1. Decolourization and detoxification of methyl red by aerobic bacteria from a textile wastewater	(96)
98	Journal of Environmental Management/Eren	2012	Ultrasonic treatment	Decolorization	1. Ultrasound, Remediation 2. Dye, decolorization, mineralization	Turkey	1. Use of ultrasound with biochemical, electrochemical, ozonation, photolysis, photocatalysis and Fenton processes for the degradation of mostly textile dyes and dye bath	(97)
99	Chemosphere/Liou et al.	2005	Oxidation catalyst	Oxidation	1. FeII-supported on resin catalysts 2. Catalytic oxidation 3. Phenol 4. Hydrogen peroxide	Taiwan	1. FeII-supported on resin as an effective catalyst for oxidation of mostly textile dyes and dye bath	(98)
100	Agric. Food Chemistry/Kong and Lemley	2006	Kinetic model	Anodic Fenton treatment	1. 2,4-D, pesticides 2. Degradation, soil 3. Fenton reaction 4. Hydroxyl radicals 5. Acid	New York	1. AFT has been shown to be a promising technology in pesticide wastewater treatment	(99)
101	Journal of Photochemistry and Photobiology/ Sarwan et al.	2012	Heterogeneous photocatalysis	Hydrolysis method	1. BIOCl catalyst, neutral red 2. Degradation, mineralization 3. Toxicity reduction	Ujjain, India	1. Photocatalytic degradation and toxicity reduction of textile dye using synthesized BIOCl photocatalyst has been successfully carried out	(100)
102	Desalination/ Karthikeyan et al.	2011	Preparation of electron rich C matrix, pre-treatment of wastewater	Physico-chemical analysis of the wastewater	1. Heterogeneous Fenton oxidation, 2. Mesoporous C 3. Homogeneous Fenton oxidation	Chennai	1. Treatment of textile wastewater by homogeneous and heterogeneous Fenton oxidation processes	(101)
103	Applied Catalysis B: Environmental/ Salazar et al.	2012	Solar pre-pilot plant	Chemical oxidation	1. Anthraquinonic dyes 2. Boron-doped diamond anode 3. Metal catalysts 4. SPEF 5. Wastewater treatment	Spain	1. SPEF process with Fe2+ and Cu2+-as metal co-catalysts and its application to the treatment of industrial textile dye	(102)

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104	Journal of Hazardous Materials/Kochanya and Lipczynska-Kochany	2009	Fenton treatment	Struvite precipitation	1. Landfill leachate, Struvite precipitation, Fenton reagent 2. Respirometry	Canada	1. Leachate from an active municipal landfill	(103)
105	Journal of Saudi Chemical Society/Ali and El-Mohamedy	2010	Fungi decolorization	Microbial Decolorization	1. Fungi; decolorization 2. Waste water, reactive dyes 3. Acid dyes	Egypt	1. Six fungal were used for decolorization activities of some acid and reactive dyes	(104)
106	Process Biochemistry/Solis et al.	2012	Biosorption	AOPs, microbial fuel cells	1. Microorganisms, Azo dyes 2. Decoloration, Degradation 3. Biosorption, Toxicity	Mexico	1. Microbial degradation and biosorption are cost-effective methods for dye removal	(105)
107	Chemical Engineering Journal/ Kusic et al.	2006	AOP experiment	AOPs	1. Phenol; AOP 2. UV irradiation 3. Ozone 4. Mineralization	Croatia	1. Comparative investigations of the efficiency of several ozone- and/or UV-based processes for the minimization of phenol as a model hazardous pollutant in wastewater	(106)
108	Environmental Science and Technology/Hai et al.	2007	Photochemical degradation	AOPs	1. Dye wastewater 2. Decolorization 3. Energy and water reuse 4. Hybrid treatment systems	Japan	1. Physicochemical and biological techniques have been explored for treatment of extremely recalcitrant dye wastewater	(107)
109	Journal of Hazardous Materials/Wu and Chang	2006	Decolorization experiments	AOPs	1. Reactive Red 2 2. AOPs, TiO_2 ; SnO_2 ; O_3 ; MnO_2 3. Decolorization 4. Hybrid treatment systems	Taiwan	1. Decolorization of the Reactive Red 2 in water using AOPs	(108)
110	Chemical Engineering Journal/ Wang and Peng	2010	Acid/base treatment	Adsorption	1. Natural zeolite 2. Adsorption 3. Inorganics 4. Organics 5. Water treatment	China	1. Natural zeolites as effective adsorbents in wastewater treatment	(109)
111	Journal of Environmental Engineering and Science/Hedstrom and Amofah	2008	Phosphorus, adsorption, ion-exchange, desorption, zeolite, clinoptilolite, wastewater	Adsorption	1. Estimate the effects of clinoptilolite grain size and pre-treatment of influent wastewater on the ammonium adsorption capacity and clogging of a clinoptilolite filter	Manisa-Gördez, Turkey	2. The ammonium adsorption capacity obtained in this study was similar to other column investigations	(110)

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112	Waste Management/ Panayotova	2001	Adsorption	Ion exchange method	1. Natural and modified Zeolite 2. Waste water treatment 3. Copper ion removal	Bulgaria	1. Natural zeolite remove copper from wastewater	(111)
113	Journal of Environmental Science and Health/ Panayotova	2000	Adsorption	Ion exchange method	1. Cadmium ions 2. Removal, wastewater 3. Zeolite	Bulgaria	1. Use of zeolite for cadmium removal 2. From wastewater	(112)
114	Journal of Environmental Science and Health/ Panayotova and Velikov	2002	Adsorption	Ion exchange method	1. Heavy metals 2. Wastewater treatment 3. Natural zeolite	Bulgaria	1. Removal of ions obeyed the kinetic equation for adsorption	(113)
115	Desalination/Amin	2008	UV spectrophotometer	Adsorption	1. Reactive dye 2. Bagasse pith 3. Removal 4. Activated carbon 5. Adsorption	Egypt	1. Three different Cs were prepared used successfully as an adsorbing agent for the removal of RO dye from aqueous solutions	(114)
116	Journal of Colloid and Interface Science/Gupta et al.	2003	Sorption experiment	Adsorption	1. Adsorption, C, blast furnace slag 2. Carbonaceous material 3. Solid waste utilization 4. Dye removal	Uttaranchal	1. Waste carbon slurries and blast furnace slag have been converted into low cost potential adsorbents	(115)
117	Desalination/Barka et al.	2009	Adsorption kinetic study	Adsorption	1. Natural phosphate 2. Adsorption kinetics 3. Adsorption isotherms 4. Textile dyes	Morocco	1. Ability of NP to remove textile dyes from 2. Aqueous solutions	(116)
118	Journal of Hazardous Materials/Mittal et al.	2005	Adsorption kinetic study	Adsorption	1. Bottom ash 2. Azo dye 3. Adsorption 4. Waste materials	Roorkee	1. Waste materials 'bottom ash' and 'de-oiled soya' were efficiently utilized as adsorbents for the removal of hazardous dye like amaranth	(117)
119	Journal of Hazardous Materials/Mittal	2006	Adsorption technique	Adsorption	1. Hen feather 2. Brilliant Blue 3. FCF, adsorption 4. Kinetics	Bhopal, India	1. Excellent biosorbent for the removal of Brilliant Blue FCF from wastewater	(118)

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120	Journal of Environmental Science and Health /Panayotova and Velikov	2003	Adsorption	Ion exchange method	1. Heavy metal ions 2. Wastewater 3. Natural zeolite transformation	Bulgaria	1. Influence of zeolite transformation in a homoionic form on the removal of heavy metal ions from wastewater	(119)
121	Desalination/Lian et al.	2009	Batch studies	Adsorption	1. Modified bentonite 2. CaCl ₂ 3. Adsorption 4. Congo red 5. Isotherms, kinetics	China	1. CaCl ₂ modified bentonite (BCa2+), a clean and cost-effective adsorbent with a basal spacing of 15.43 Å, was prepared for the removal of Congo red dye from water	(120)
122	Journal of Colloid and Interface Science/Özcan et al.	2004	Adsorption isotherm studies	Adsorption kinetics	1. Adsorption 2. Acid dye, kinetics 3. Bentonite 4. Thermodynamics 5. Surfactant	Turkey	1. Modified bentonite was prepared and tested as an adsorbent for an acid dye removal from aqueous solution	(121)
123	Separation Science and Technology/Özcan et al.	2004	Adsorption isotherm studies	Adsorption kinetics	6. Clays 1. Adsorption 2. Acid dyes 3. Clays, isotherm, sepiolite	Turkey	1. Adsorption of two acid dyes, namely Acid Red 57 and Acid Blue 294 onto sepiolite	(122)
124	Desalination/Sohrabnezhad and Pourahmad	2010	Adsorption isotherm studies	Adsorption study	4. Kinetics 1. Mordenite nanocrystal 2. New methylene blue 3. Dye removal	Iran	1. Using mordenite and mordenite nanocrystal as an adsorbent to remove new methylene blue from aqueous solution	(123)
125	Water Pollut. Contol/Souther and Alspaugh	1957	Pilot-plant experiments	Physical, chemical and biological treatment	4. Adsorption, XRD 1. Pilot-plant experiments 2. Textile waste recovery, removal of BOD	Greensboro	1. To reduce the liquid waste load from textile mills	(124)
126	Journal of Hazardous Materials/Tsantaki et al.	2012	Electrochemical oxidation	AOPs	3. Color and alkalinity 1. AOPs 2. BDD 3. Dyes	Greece	1. Electrochemical oxidation of textile effluents over a boron-doped diamond anode was investigated	(125)

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127	Environmental Pollution/Martellini et al.	2012		1. Polybrominated diphenyl ethers Emission 2. WWTPs 3. Deca-BDE Atmosphere	Italy	1. Atmospheric PBDEs concentrations 2. Within the plant boundary and surrounding area of two Italian WWTPs treating wastewater	(126)	
128	International Biodeterioration & Biodegradation/Loncar et al.	2012	FTIR spectrometry analysis	Decolorization	1. Polyphenol oxidase, potato 2. Decolorization, reactive dyes 3. Dye effluent	Serbia	1. Potatoes are desirable source for polyphenol oxidase purification of textile dye effluent	(127)
129	Chemical Engineering Journal/Kurade et al.	2012	Microbial type culture collection	Biological treatment	1. Decolorization, HPLC 2. Biodegradation, consortium 3. Biotransformation	Kolhapur	1. Decolorization of textile industry effluent containing disperse dye Scarlet RR was achieved by a developed bacterial yeast consortium BL-GG	(128)
130	Journal of Cleaner Production/Derden and Huybrechts	2013	Available techniques	BAT	1. BAT 2. BFR, decabromodiphenyl ether (Deca-BDE), textile wastewater	Belgium	1. To determine the BATs for reducing decabromodiphenyl ether emissions from the textile industry via its wastewater	(129)

AFT, Anodic Fenton treatment; AOP, advanced oxidation process; ASL, acidic soil leachate; BAT, best available technique; BFR, brominated flame retardant; COD, chemical oxygen demand ; EC, electroregulation; FTIR, Fourier-transform infrared spectroscopy; GAC, granular activated carbon; NP, natural phosphate; O/W, oil-in-water; RO, reactive orange; RSM, response surface methodology; SEM, scanning electron microscopy; SGW, silica gel waste; SPEF, solar photonelectro Fenton; XRD, X-ray diffraction.

Again, Malik (151) studied the adsorption capacity of activated C used for the removal of acidic dyes from aqueous solutions, and the activated C was prepared from low cost mahogany sawdust and rice husk, respectively. The author also observed that the acidic dye not was only available in textile wastewater but also from other waste waters such as paper, soap, cosmetics, wax, and polishes, etc. Finally, the author concluded that sawdust C had better adsorption capacity as compared with rice husk and mentioned that the adsorption capacity was mainly dependent on contact time, adsorbent dose and pH value of the wastewater, respectively (152). However, Chuah et al. (153) studied only rice husk instead of using both sawdust and rice husk for the preparation of activated C to remove the acidic dye. They used rice husks for the removal of heavy metal as well as dye removal as a low cost biosorbent and also predicted that the sorption capacities could be achieved only in specific conditions, i.e. treatment processes, metal concentration, temperature, contact time as well as pH value. Similarly, Wong et al. (154) considered modified rice husk (agriculture wastes or by-products) by different carboxylic acids to improve the binding capacity for removal of Cu and Pb (hazardous materials) from aqueous solution.

Another group of researchers used fly ash, an industrial waste, obtained from thermal power plants for the adsorption of reactive dyes from aqueous solutions [Dizge et al. (146)]. The fly ash has been used a potential adsorbent for removal of reactive commercial dyes, i.e. Remazol Brilliant Blue, Remazol Red 133 and Rifacion Yellow HED from aqueous solutions. Similarly, Kara et al. (155) studied both the adsorbent dosage and particle size of the three reactive dyes, i.e. Remazol Brilliant Blue, Remazol Red 133 and Rifacion Yellow HED from aqueous solutions using fly ash as an adsorbent under equilibrium conditions. They also recommended that with the increase in adsorbent dose and decrease in particle size the adsorption capacity of the reactive dyes also increased. Again, Sun et al. (147) reported on both reactive dyes (i.e. Reactive Red 23 and Reactive Blue 171) and acidic dyes. Acid Black 1 (156) and Acid Blue 193 from aqueous solutions using fly ash as an adsorbent by taking into consideration the dye concentration, adsorption temperature, time and pH value of the solution, respectively. They concluded that for reactive dyes removal the pH value of the solution should be 7.5–8.5 and for acidic dyes removal, the pH should be 5–6, respectively, with an optimal temperature of 293 K for 60 min reaction time.

In another study, Lin et al. (157) reported that removal of basic dye from an aqueous solution using fly ash particulates as an adsorbent. In this research work, they treated the industrial waste fly ash with sulfuric acid

(as a low-cost adsorbent) for the removal of a primary dye (methylene blue) from the aqueous solution. They also studied the adsorption behavior by using a pseudo-second-order model and critically examined the kinetic study, where a positive value of the enthalpy indicates an endothermic nature, and the low cost of activation energy of adsorption (E) suggests the adsorption process might be mainly physical. Ferrero (158) discussed hazelnut shells and sawdust for removal of methylene blue, basic dye and Acid Blue 25 from aqueous solutions and conducted several sets of experiments about the adsorption capacity of the shells and sawdust. Through the experimental run, the author concluded that hazelnut shells were better adsorbents as compared with the sawdust for removal of methylene blue from the aqueous solution. Ong et al. (159) conducted several sets of experiments for the removal of either anionic or cationic dye because of most of the wastewater consisted of a mixture of both basic and acidic dyes. Hence, to remove both the types of dye, the authors first chemically modified the rice hull and then used it as an adsorbent for the removal of acidic dyes. The detailed analysis of the above technique is summarized along with crucial issues raised during the review of the published research as mentioned in Table 3.

Study on the effective utilization of textile sludge for the preparation of a concrete structure in the replacement of cement

The Indian textile industry is one of the oldest platforms for the development of dyes on natural and synthetic fabrics. There are huge quantities and varieties of dyes and other chemicals coming out in the water and this creates a significant problem for society as well as the environment. This wastewater ultimately becomes mixed with river water or mixed with soil water, which eventually causes major problems in society both in liquid and chemically reactions with the environment. Hence, nowadays the significant challenges are the utilization of textile wastewater with either the wastewater being treated for reuse in textile industry through different treatment techniques or the huge cost involved in the treatment of the wastewater. Hence, low cost natural treatments such as CKD, activated C, coal, fly ash and sawdust, etc. may be used as adsorbents. At the end of treatment, on the one hand, the waste water is converted to ordinary water for reuse application in the textile industry, simultaneously huge quantities of

Table 3: Study on effective utilization of low-cost adsorbent for treatment of textile industrial effluents.

Sr No	Name of the journal/author	Year of publication performed	List of experiment performed	Methodology	Key issues addressed	Location specific	Remarks	Ref. No
1	Desalination/Mahmoud	2010	Hydraulic loading	Adsorption studies	1. Textile effluents, seed germination, CKD 2. Hydraulic loading, dyes	Egypt	1. Test efficiency of CKD-coal filters in removing a color (97%), turbidity (86%), and organic substance (78%) and heavy metals from textile wastewater 2. CKD	(131)
2	American Journal of Environmental Sciences/Saraya et al.	2012	Spectrophotometric analysis	Adsorption equilibrium	1. Waste water, cement dust 2. Acid dye 3. Visual inspection 4. UV-Vis spectroscopy 5. AR, AB, COD	Egypt	1. Investigate removal of some acid dyes from aqueous solution using 2. CKD	(132)
3	Ninth International Water Technology Conference/Mostafa et al.	2005	DTA analysis	Flocculation	1. Tannery, wastewater 2. Kiln dust 3. Cement industry, COD, TSS	Egypt	1. By-pass kiln dust to decolorize and decrease COD, TSS and heavy metals levels from textile effluent 2. Decrease COD, TSS and heavy metals	(133)
4	Desalination/Mahmoud	2010	Batch kinetic studies	Batch adsorption method	1. Textile effluents 2. Seed germination 3. CKD 4. Hydraulic loading 5. Dyes	Egypt	1. Efficiency of CKD-coal filters in removing a color, turbidity, and organic substances and heavy metals from textile wastewater	(131)
5	Journal of Hazardous Materials/Mackie et al.	2010	Batch-scale experiments	Adsorption	1. CKD, quicklime 2. Wastewater treatment 3. Acid neutralization	North America	1. Physicochemical characterization of CKD for potential reuse in acidic wastewater treatment	(134)
6	International Journal of Research in Engineering & Technology/Saraya et al.	2015	Batch kinetic studies	Adsorption	1. CKD 2. Reactive Blue 7	Cairo, Egypt	1. CKD was used as an unconventional and low-cost adsorbent for the Reactive Blue 7 dye	(135)
7	Ecotoxicology and Environmental Safety/Bazin et al.	2012	UV/visible spectrum deconvolution	Anti-estrogenic activity	1. Textile dyes 2. Estrogenic activity 3. Anti-estrogenic activity 4. Industrial textile effluent	France	1. Estrogenic and anti-estrogenic activity of 23 endocrine disrupting effects of the dyes and wastewater effluent have been poorly investigated	(136)
8	Water Environment Research/Shaheen et al.	2014	Batch Kinetic	Adsorption	1. Remediation, contaminated waters 2. Trace elements 3. By-products, sorption system	Germany	1. CKD was the potential as promising sorbents for the effective removal of toxic metals (Pb, Zn, Cu, Cd) from the environment 2. To be an effective adsorbent for the removal of ruthenium ions 3. From nitric acid medium	(137)
9	Colloids and Surfaces A/Qadeer	2007	Batch technique	Adsorption	1. Ruthenium ions 2. Adsorption 3. Activated charcoal 4. Nitric acid solutions	Pakistan	1. Activated charcoal prove 2. To be an effective adsorbent for the removal of ruthenium ions 3. From nitric acid medium	(36)

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Sr No	Name of the journal/author	Year of publication performed	List of experiment performed	Methodology	Key issues addressed	Location specific	Remarks	Ref. No
10	Chemical Engineering Journal/Srivastava et al.	2007	Batch adsorption	Adsorption	1. Adsorption 2. Toxic metal removal, thermodynamics 3. Temperature 4. Isotherms 5. Cation exchange resin	Uttaranchal, India	1. Bagasse fly ash and rice husk ash are adsorbents for the removal of Cd, Ni and Zn from aqueous solutions	(138)
11	International journal of hydrogen energy/ Li et al.	2012	Batch experiments	Adsorption	1. Biohydrogen 2. Dark fermentation 3. Textile wastewater 4. C	Taiwan	1. Textile wastewater was used as a substrate to investigate fermentative hydrogen production performance	(139)
12	Chemical Engineering Journal/Mahmoud et al.	2012	Batch equilibrium	Adsorption	1. Adsorption 2. Basic dye 3. Biochar 4. Kenaf fiber	Malaysia	1. The ability of the treated kenaf fiber char (H-KFC) to remove methylene blue dye (MB) from aqueous solutions	(140)
13	FUEL/Allen	1987	Adsorption isotherms	Adsorption	1. Adsorption isotherms 2. Dyes	Northern Ireland, UK	1. Equilibrium adsorption isotherms for peat	(141)
14	Bioresource Technology/Allen et al.	2003	Adsorption equilibrium	Adsorption	1. Kudzu 2. Adsorption 3. Isotherms, basic dye	USA	1. Equilibrium adsorption of two basic dyes by Kudzu has been reported	(142)
15	Desalination/Amin	2008	Adsorbent preparation	Adsorption	1. Reactive dye 2. Bagasse pith 3. Removal 4. C. Adsorption	Egypt	1. Bagasse pith, waste from sugarcane, has been used as a preparation of C	(114)
16	Journal of Hazardous Materials./Mui et al.	2010	Production of chars	Adsorption	1. Tire, Char 2. Adsorption 3. Organics, isotherm	Hong Kong	1. Evaluate the dye adsorption capacity of resultant chars, a series of equilibrium adsorption studies were carried out	(143)
17	Journal of Hazardous Materials/Kadam et al.	2011	Adsorption	Biodegradation Decolorization	1. <i>Pseudomonas</i> sp. SUK1, <i>Aspergillus ochraceus</i> NCIM-1146 2. Textile industry wastewater, chemical precipitate of textile dye effluent 3. (CPTDE), biodegradation	Kolhapur, India	1. Develop consortium using <i>Pseudomonas</i> sp. SUK1 and <i>Aspergillus ochraceus</i> NCIM-1146 to decolorize adsorbed dyes from textile effluent wastewater	(144)
18	Chemical Engineering Journal/jp et al.	2010	Adsorption kinetics	Adsorption	1. Adsorption, kinetics 2. Reactive Black 5 3. Bamboo C 4. Bone char 5. Intraparticle diffusion	Hong Kong	1. Adsorption of a large reactive dye, Reactive Black 5, onto four adsorbents has been studied	(145)

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Sr No	Name of the journal/author	Year of publication performed	List of experiment performed	Methodology	Key issues addressed	Location specific	Remarks	Ref. No
19	Journal of Hazardous Materials/Dizge et al.	2008	Diffusion controlled kinetic	Absorption kinetics process	1. Reactive dyes 2. Fly ash 3. Adsorption isotherms 4. External diffusion 5. Intraparticle diffusion	Turkey	1. Adsorption kinetic and equilibrium studies of three reactive dyes namely RB, RR and RV from wastewater	(146)
20	Journal of Hazardous Materials/Sun et al.	2012	Separation	Absorption	1. Fly ash 2. Adsorption 3. Anionic dye 4. Wastewater	China	1. Fly ash was investigated for the removal of RR23, RB171, AB1 and 2. AB193 from aqueous solutions	(147)
21	Water Science & Technology/EI-Refaey	2016	Absorption kinetic studies	Absorption	1. Removal of Cd(2+) onto CKD and AC 2. Strong potential of CKD compared to AC for removing Cd(2+) from aqueous solutions	Alexandria Egypt	1. CKD can be used as a cost-effective and efficient sorbent for Cd removal in comparison with C	(148)
22	Alexandria Science Exchange Journal/ EIRefaey	2017	Solubility equilibrium estimation	Sorption	1. Potential of CKD for removing Cu2+ from aqueous solutions within the first 10 min of the batch reaction preceded with no effect by temperature or time	Egypt	1. Copper (Cu^{2+}) removal from aqueous solution by CKD as industrial by-product in cement manufacturing process	(149)
23	Int. J. Environmental Technology and Management/Kumar and Porkodi	2009	Sorption experiments, equilibrium experiment, UV spectrophotometer	Batch equilibrium experiments, sorption processes (Temp32c)	1. Low cost material, rubber wood saw dust, can be used as an adsorbent for the removal of Bismarck brown from aqueous solution	Chennai, India	1. Rubber wood saw dust was used as an adsorbent for the removal of Bismarck brown from textile wastewater	(150)
24	Dyes and Pigments/ Malik	2003	Absorption method was carried out to find physicochemical characteristics	Absorption experiments, titration methods	1. C prepared from low cost materials 2. SDC and RHC have suitable adsorption capacity with removal of Acid Yellow 36 from textile water effluent	Calcutta, India	1. Adsorption capacity of Cs, were prepared from low-cost mahogany sawdust and rice husk on adsorption of acid dyes from aqueous solution	(151)
25	Desalination/ Charumathi and Das	2012	Up-flow packed bed column	Biosorption	1. Textile wastewater, immobilization, biosorption 2. Up-flow packed bed column 3. <i>C. tropicalis</i> , synthetic dyes	Tamil Nadu, India	2. (Acid Yellow 36) 1. Packed bed column studies for the removal of synthetic dyes from textile wastewater 2. Using immobilized dead <i>C. tropicalis</i>	(152)
26	Desalination/Chauhan et al.	2005	Absorption process	Measures pH, metal concentration	1. Used rice Husk as a low-cost sorbent for removing heavy metals, textile dye (malachite green and Acid Yellow 36) aqueous waste streams	Malaysia	1. Rice husk as an agricultural by-product low-cost biosorbent material used as removal of heavy metals and dyes	(153)

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Sr No	Name of the journal/author	Year of publication performed	List of experiment performed	Methodology	Key issues addressed	Location specific	Remarks	Ref. No
27	Chemosphere/Wong et al.	2003	Preparation of esterified tartaric acid modified rice husk, batch study	Adsorption experiments	1. TARH was the highest binding capacities for Cu and Pb removed from aqueous solutions	Selangor, Malaysia	1. Modification of rice husk have been reported in order to enhance the sorption capacities for metal ions (Cu and Pb) and other pollutants (154)	(154)
28	Journal of Hazardous Materials/Digge et al.	2008	Diffusion controlled kinetic	Absorption	1. Reactive dyes, fly ash, adsorption isotherms, external diffusion, intraparticle diffusion	Turkey	1. Adsorption kinetic and equilibrium studies of three reactive dyes namely, RB, RR and RY from aqueous solutions	(146)
29	Desalination/Kara et al.	2007	Batch adsorption	Absorption kinetics process	1. Reactive dyes, fly ash, adsorbent particle size, adsorbent dosage	Turkey	1. Fly ash, a waste residue generated in a substantial amount in during coal-fired electric power generation, was used as adsorbent in this study	(155)
30	Journal of Hazardous Materials/Sun et al.	2010	Adsorbents and characterization	Absorption equilibriums test	1. Fly ash 2. Adsorption	China	1. Fly ash was investigated for the removal of RR23, RB171, AB1 and AB193 from aqueous solutions	(147)
31	Dyes and Pigments/Sebastiano et al.	2012	Micellar capillary electrophoresis	Electrokinetic chromatography	3. Anionic dye Wastewater 1. Textile dyes, metal complexes 2. Micellar capillary, electrophoresis, REACH legislation	Italy	1. Analysis of commercial Acid Black 194 and related dyes by micellar electrokinetic chromatography	(156)
32	Journal of Environmental Management/Lin et al.	2008	Batch adsorption	Absorption kinetics process	3. Acid black and brown analysis 1. Fly ash 2. Methylene blue	China	1. Acidic treatment of fly ash with H ₂ SO ₄ typical dye, methylene blue removes from the aqueous solution	(157)
33	Journal of Hazardous Materials/Ferrero	2007	Fixed bed experiments	Batch adsorption process	3. Adsorption 4. Wastewater; kinetics model 1. Dye adsorption 2. Hazelnut shell 3. Wood sawdust 4. Adsorption isotherms 5. Fixed bed	Torino, Italy	1. Ground hazelnut shells was studied in comparison with sawdust, as low cost adsorbent for dye removal in dye house effluents	(158)
34	American Journal of Applied Sciences/Ong et al.	2010	UV-vis spectrophotometer	Absorption process	1. Adsorption, dyes 2. Batch study 3. Column study 4. Surface morphology 5. Wastewater	Malaysia	1. Modification of rice hull with EDA under the optimum conditions forms as a sorbent (MRH)	(159)

CKD, Cement kiln dust; COD, chemical oxygen demand; FTIR, Fourier-transform infrared spectroscopy; TARH, tartaric modified rice husk; XRD, X-ray diffraction.

textile sludge is also produced as a byproduct of the textile industry. In India, nearly 70 to 80 million tonnes of textile sludge are produced as a byproduct every day. Therefore, the disposal of sludge is also a challenging job nowadays in the textile industry, because these waste sludges cause pollution the control board also bans environmental pollution as well as dumping of sludge. Therefore, most of the researchers have developed an alternative use of textile sludge in other sections like the replacement of certain types of cement for construction of the concrete structures, bricks and retaining walls, etc.

Lekshmi and Sasidharan (160) prepared four different concrete cubes with varying percentages of the weight of textile sludge, water and cement ratio and determined the strength, splitting strength and elasticity modulus of the concrete mixed specimens. They observed that for 10% of cement replacement of textile sludge at 0.4% water-cement ratio the compressive strength was found to be 29.33 MPa, which satisfied the compressive strength of the paver block as a standard. Therefore, ultimately the cost of the concrete structure can be reduced through the partial replacement of cement. Similarly, Kulkarni et al. (161) studied the feasibility of textile mill sludge as a fine aggregate in M:20 grade of concrete. They observed that in a conventional concrete mix structure the density, workability and reduction in compressive strength obtained with the replacement of fine aggregate by textile mill sludge is beyond 32%. Therefore, to enhance the compressive strength of the concrete structure, industrial waste such as fly ash was added in the replacement of cement along with 32 wt.% of textile mills' sludge. They noticed that the compressive strength of the prepared concrete structure was slightly decreased with the addition of fly ash. Balasubramanian et al. (162) and Rahman et al. (163) studied the possible use of textile sludge in structural materials and to non-structural building materials due to the combination ratio of cement and textile sludge failed to achieve the standard of the structural applications. Therefore, they studied non-structural applications for feasibility analysis as per ASTM standards for nonstructural materials. Similarly, another group of researchers [Sudheesh et al. (164)] proposed the use of textile sludge for the replacement of cement and fine aggregate to fabricate paver blocks; for the addition of textile sludge for the replacement of cement the compressive strength showed inferior properties. Therefore, they modified the proportion ratio by the addition of another waste, i.e. quarry dust with textile sludge in place of the cement. The compressive strength of the new combination of the composites has shown improved properties by replacing a portion of the cement along with quarry dust and textile dust.

Raghunathan et al. (165) developed a new combination of composites by using existing non-degradable and hazardous waste material mixed with Portland cement replacing the sand and related aggregates, due to non-availability of silica sand. The proposed composites have a good quality of being reasonably low cost in making the composite and could be used as an unconventional building material, i.e. synthetic sludge aggregate. Shivanath et al. (166) studied the efficient utilization of textile effluent treatment plant (ETP) sludge for the replacement of cement in concrete structures (M20 standard). The sludge was collected from the lime treatment of automobile, engineering and lead battery industries effluents. They prepared the blocks of the mixture of cement and three different weight percentages of sludges, i.e. 5 wt.%, 10 wt.% and 15 wt.%, respectively. The highest compressive strength was obtained in 5 wt.% sludge mixed with cement after 28 days curing. However, Weng et al. (167) discussed only textile industry sludge for the manufacturing of low-grade bricks. They mainly concentrated on the percentage of sludge and the firing temperature to improve the quality of the bricks and studied different weight percentages of the sludge. Finally, they finished with 20 wt.% sludge incorporated into the brick manufacturing and tested the strength up to 860–960°C. However, on further increase in the percentage of sludge the strength, water absorption capacity and brick shrinkage was reduced. Sayyad et al. (168) developed new materials by combining two different wastes collected from two various sectors such as textile waste (sludge) and plaster of Paris waste, respectively, to improve the sustainability of the material. Again, another group of authors studied the use of textile sludge for the replacement of cement for the manufacturing of M30 grade rubber mold paver blocks (RMTBs), where the sludge weight percentage varied from 0 wt.% to 40 wt.% at an interval of 5 wt.%, respectively. The effective weight percentage of manufacturing the paver block was 20 wt.% sludge beyond which the properties were slowly decreased [Patel et al. (169)]. Again, Patel and Pandey (170) collected sludge from cotton dyeing and printing operations' hazardous wastes after treatment for reuse in construction materials. The chemical sludge was used along with cement by varying the percentage of sludge from 30 wt.% to 70 wt.%, respectively (171). The prepared brick was satisfied the BIS standards for the classes of C to K up to the strength of 25 N/mm².

Sahu et al. (172) studied sewage sludge pellets for the replacement of sand mixed with cement in the manufacturing of pavements. In this study, the authors took all the three sludges such as dried sludge, sludge pellets and sludge ash, respectively, for preparation of building

materials. They also concluded that with 20 wt.%, sewage sludge may be used for the manufacturing of soft mud bricks, 30 wt.% sludge may be replaced with mortar from water and sewage treatment plant for the preparation of bricks. João Marciano (173) reported on waste textile trimming fibers mixed with resin/sand aggregate for the development of polymer concrete. They successfully studied the flexural as well as the compressive strength of the polymer concrete at room temperature. However, the strength performance was not effective against the function of textile trimmed fibers. Kaur et al. (174) discussed the efficient utilization of textile mill sludge obtained from ETPs and observed that the increased textile sludge causes a reduction in strength of the concrete. After continuous analysis of the study the authors introduced a certain quantity of plasticizer along with textile mill sludge in concrete and reported that the compressive strength of the concrete was 23.55 N/mm² for M20 grade concrete.

Study on the direct reusing of textile wastewater without further secondary treatment

In India a large number of textile industries where dyeing and finishing processes are the principal activity they require a significant quantity of pure and excellent quality of water. As water is also one significant constituent nowadays in the textile industry, simultaneously, the wastewater also creates a significant problem for society as well as the environment. The waste may be liquid wastes, solid waste or contaminants, which directly affect the river water and soil water also. Therefore, to reduce these textile wastes, there is currently a lot of research in this area. The conventional method is processing the wastewater using different treatment methods and reusing it in the textile industry, where costs, as well as time, are the significant parameters. Shaid et al. (175) proposed a cost-effective technique for the reuse of textile wastewater without treatment, which reduces the consumption rate of the fresh water as well as the treatment time. They studied nearly six different types of rinsing wastewater and used the rinsing wastewater to scour bleach knitted cotton fabric. Finally, they concluded that the weight loss of the scoured bleached sample was nearly 6.53% in a fresh water medium and 6.65% in a wastewater medium after dyeing the bleached samples. The reflectance of whiteness was found to be 76.68% and 77.92%, respectively, for bleached wastewater and fresh water samples.

Again, Erdumlu et al. (176) proposed an efficient technique for the reuse of textile wastewater after primary treatment instead of going through all of the three to four treatment processes, the basic treatments being filtering, ion exchange, airing and pH regulating, respectively. In their research they defined that the effluent water being passed through microfilters, which is a cost-effective and straightforward methodology. The reuse of the water obtained through microfilters is a type of membrane separation technique, which removes suspended solids, COD and color, respectively. Whereas, the hardness and conductivity of the effluent can be changed by the use of natural minerals like zeolite instead of using an advanced membrane separation technique. However, Roohi et al. (177) proposed an alternative method for the use of textile wastewater for irrigation purposes instead of direct use in the textile processing industry and reported the nature/strength of soil properties by the use of untreated waste water. The reuse of wastewater was applied to different soils for irrigation purposes but repeated use of wastewater may affect the soil properties.

Study on the cost-benefit analysis of textile wastewater used in the textile industry

Dogan et al. (178) studied a denim textile mill's wastewater as per the European Union's integrated pollution prevention and control directive for processing and implemented different wastewater treatment (end-of pipe and several other water recovery techniques) techniques to observed the best available techniques (BATs) from the above alternatives. Therefore, on the basis of economic viability of the availability techniques most of the textile mills are ready to invest at a high cost initially because for the long run the efficiency of water recovery may be increased. Chougule and Sonaje (179) primarily proposed the cost-benefit analysis of the wastewater recycling only in wet processing and also suggested that almost all the industries must follow the water management techniques for alternative sources of pure water starting from wet processing to finishing product analysis. In the end, as reported using ISO-105 and AATCC methods the washing and rubbing fatness of the fabric was more satisfactory. Teal (180) conducted sensitivity analysis for all the treatment processes available to-date and developed a cost-effective technique based on the present lists of treatment processes by avoiding pretreatment processes of each in every case. The author mainly

focused on the decreased use of dye and fabric as far as benefits were considered and also suggested a significant justification for the reduction of chemicals during processing, labor, variable overheads as well as fixed overheads. El-Dein et al. (181) discussed the cost analysis of the textile dyes processing and combined H_2O_2/UV , and the biological treatment process (9) at higher concentration of reactive textile dye uses. They suggested that H_2O_2 has no absorption capacity but with improved UV technology it may improve the efficiency and also the biological treatment stage can reduce energy cost to get a higher degree of mineralization (182). Again, Libra and Sosath (183) suggested the overall cost-effectiveness must be a combination of the capital as well as the operating cost. They reported that for ozone treatment the investment cost was much higher whereas, by combining the ozone and biological treatment process it was less expensive due to a one-stage ozone process instead of two different treatment processes. Similarly, Tsai (184) studied the energy utilization from the biological treatment process as a preliminary analysis in Taiwan. Their main finding was combustible waste produced from agriculture and industry sectors and further reused as an auxiliary fuel. Parveen and Rafique (185) developed an optimal technique without the use of additional chemicals at the time of pre- and post-treatment, and also studied the cost-benefit analysis of the proposed efficient method. They showed that the cost analysis of the aluminum salt and foil separately and reported that as the aluminum foil was a waste material it can be recycled and reused with a low operational cost.

The state of Rajasthan consumes 17 L of water per meter of fabric production, and in Bhilwara town, the fabric preparation capacity is one million meters per days, which consumes 17 million liters per day water. Similarly, other parts of the state such as Jodhpur, Pali, Barmer (Balotra), and Jaipur (Sanganer) also consume equal quantities of water for the preparation of fabrics (186). However, in India, the textile industries alone have a water consumption capacity of 200–250 m³/tonne cotton cloth, and for the production of man-made fabric, it is 20 m³/tonne of nylon and polyester produced, whereas it is 150 m³/tonne for viscose rayon fiber which only produced in Rajasthan state.

In Europe the textile industries' annual fresh water consumption is nearly 600 million-m³ and 90% of the water is used for textile finishing operations, out of which 108 million tons of wastewater is produced every year but only 36 million tons of chemicals and other auxiliaries are removed from the textile wastewater. However, they have successfully developed an alternative technique for the reuse of textile wastewater mixed with membrane concentrates followed by treatment within the existing biological

treatment plant, which can treat nearly 500 m³/day wastewater and which recovers 374 m³/day of water (187). The summary of various textile industries which use other alternative techniques for textile wastewater treatments is shown in Table 4.

Future scope of research

Insufficient research work has been carried out to-date on the direct use of textile wastewater without any further treatment processes and the use of waste sludge for making of building materials such as locking tile and low-grade bricks by replacing cement. CKD is also one of the industrial wastes obtained from cement industries after cement preparation, and a few researchers have already used this cement kiln waste for the treatment of textile wastewater without any further increase in cost. Similarly, fly ash, quarry dust, plaster of Paris waste, coal, sawdust and activated C, etc. can also be used as low cost natural treatments when used as an absorbent to improve the sustainability of construction material for the preparation of flooring tiles, solid, bricks and pavement blocks, etc. Therefore, more research is required for the detailed analysis of the treatment process without going through any artificial chemical treatment process to obtain a clean and pure environment (Figure 1). Hence, based on the mentioned literature review a number of awareness programs are also needed for the proper utilization of the textile wastes, because textile waste not only contains wastes and chemicals but it also consists of significant amounts of valuable resources that can be used as a raw material for other industrial applications. However, to-date very few textile manufacturing industries have reused wastewater efficiently in the textile industry as well as in agriculture sectors. Therefore, appropriate technology may be developed to improve the wastewater quality or else an alternative arrangement is required to reuse the wastewater and the sludge. Hence, there is huge opportunity for research, in the manufacturing industry, and for society to develop knowledge-based networks to create new guidelines for the production of new products from the resulting waste sludge and wastewater. It also recommends that substantial waste industries such as the textile waste industries should concentrate more on the quality of chemicals used in wet processes as the strength of the chemicals may also affect the reuse quality of wastewater in the industry. In the end, cost-benefit analysis of the all the treatments and the non-treatment procedure is required for the implementation of the optimal methodology in the textile industry

Table 4: Summary of alternative techniques used in various industry for textile wastewater treatments.

Sr No	Name of the journal/author	Year of publication performed	List of experiment	Methodology	Key issues addressed	Location specific	Remarks	Ref. No
1	International Journal of Advances in Engineering & Technology/Lekshmi and Sasidharan	2015	Compressive strength	Modulus of Elasticity	1. Textile Sludge, compressive strength, splitting tensile strength, modulus of elasticity	Thirupur, India	1. Investigation on the use of textile sludge in concrete	(160)
2	Global Journal of Researches in Engineering/ Kulkarni et al.	2012	Compressive strength	Absorption	1. Textile mill sludge, fly ash, concrete, workability, compressive strength	Karnataka, India	1. Feasibility of using textile sludge as fine aggregates in M:20 grade of concrete	(161)
3	Waste Management/ Balasubramanian et al.	2006	Standard Vicat apparatus	Absorption	1. Textile sludge 2. Compressive strength 3. Splitting tensile strength 4. Modulus of elasticity	Tirupur, India	1. Potential reuse of textile ETP sludge in building materials	(162)
4	Arab J Sci Eng/Rahman et al.	2016	Compressive strength and flexural strength	Absorption	1. Textile ETP sludge 2. Compressive strength 3. Leachability 4. Mortar concrete	Bangladesh	1. Characterize and find a potential use of textile effluent treatment 2. Plant (ETP) sludge	(163)
5	International Journal of ChemTech Research/ Sudheesh et al.	2015	Paver blocks	Mechanical mixing	1. Determine utilization of the textile sludge as cement replacement material in making the paver blocks	Tirupur, India	1. The compressive strength of paver blocks decreases with the increase in the amount of partial replacement of cement with sludge in paver blocks	(164)
6	International Journal of Civil and Structural Engineering/ Raghunathan et al.	2010	Industry effluent treatment plant	Composite preparation	1. Dyeing industry ETP sludge 2. Synthetic sludge aggregate 3. Sand and concrete	Trichirappalli, Tamil Nadu	1. Create a new composite material which can be derived from the already existing non degradable and hazardous waste materials	(165)
7	Jr. of Industrial Pollution Control/Shivanath et al.	2011	Industry ETP	Concrete preparation	1. ETP sludge 2. Lime sludge 3. Use of ETP sludge in concrete	Tamil Nadu, India	1. Utilize industrial ETP sludge as partial replacement for cement in M20 concrete	(166)
8	Advances in Environmental Research/Weng et al.	2003	Industrial wastewater treatment plant	Brick preparation	1. Brick 2. Compressive strength 3. Clay, metal leaching	Taiwan	1. Bricks manufactured from dried sludge collected from an industrial wastewater treatment plant were investigated	(167)
9	Recent trend science and management/Sayyad et al.	2016	Mechanical analysis	Building material	4. Sludge utilization 1. Waste 2. Plaster of Paris 3. Textile fiber	Maharashtra, India	1. The reuse of waste materials can contribute to improve the strength of materials	(168)
10	International Journal of Constructive Research in Civil Engineering/Patel et al.	2017	Mechanical analysis	Building material	5. Strength 1. Textile ETP sludge 2. Solid waste management, cement 3. Paver block, RMPB	Gujarat, India	1. Textile ETP sludge can be utilized as cement substitute	(169)

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11	American Journal of Environmental Sciences/ Patel and Pandey	2009	Mechanical analysis	Building material	1. Textile industry 2. Chemical sludge 3. Wastewater 4. Construction 5. Reuse, compressive strength	New Delhi, India	1. Using solidification/ stabilization indicates that chemical sludge generated from treatment of textile dyeing wastewater has the possibility to be used as the construction material	(170)
12	Journal of Hazardous Materials / Patel and Pandey	2012	XRD and SEM examination	Solidification Stabilization	1. Textile industry 2. Chemical sludge 3. Solidification 4. Stabilization 5. Construction	New Delhi, India	1. Stabilization/solidification of chemical 2. Sludge was carried out to explore its reuse potential in the construction materials	(171)
13	International Journal of Engineering Science and Technology/Sahu et al.	2013	Mechanical analysis	Building material	1. Landfill 2. Sewage sludge ash 3. Sewage sludge pellet 4. Sludge	Gurgaon, Haryana, India	1. Sewage sludge pellets (SSP) has replaced sand in concrete manufacturing for pavements	(172)
14	Materials Research/Reis	2009	Mechanical analysis	Building material	1. Recycling 2. Textile fibers 3. Polymer concrete	Brazil	1. Mechanical behavior of polymer concrete reinforced with textile trimming waste was investigated	(173)
15	International Journal of Civil, Structural/Kaur et al.	2017	Mechanical analysis	Building material	1. Textile industry 2. Chemical sludge 3. Wastewater 4. Construction, reuse 5. Compressive strength	Punjab, India	1. Optimum quantity of replacement of textile mill Sludge with fine aggregates is 35%, which results 23.55 2. N/mm ² compressive strengths for the M20	(174)
15	International Journal of Engineering Research and Development/Shaid et al.	2013	Mechanical analysis	Building material	1. Effluent 2. Wastewater reuse 3. Groundwater 4. Environment	Bangladesh	1. Reusing the textile wastewater without any wastewater treatment process in same factory 2. After using of rinsing wastewater scouring, bleaching performance are shown in weight loss and reflectance of whiteness	(175)
16	AUTEX Research Journal/ Erdumlu et al.	2012	Multiple criteria decision making	Membrane process	1. Textile effluent 2. Wastewater, treatment 3. Multiple criteria decision making	Turkey	1. Determine the viability of the reuse of effluent water obtained from the textile processes after some basic treatments	(176)

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17	Journal of Environmental Management/Roohi et al.	2016	Microcosm fabrication	Biological process	1. Textile wastewater 2. Water extractable organic carbon 3. Soil respiration 4. Soil enzymes 5. Soil microbial activity	Pakistan	1. To investigate effects of untreated textile wastewater on soil C mineralization, MBC, qCO ₂ , dehydrogenase activity and some chemical properties of Aridisol which had never received wastewater in the past	(177)
18	Water Science & Technology/Dogan et al.	2010	Water minimization, wastewater recovery and reuse	Cost-benefit analysis	1. BAT 2. Cost-benefit analysis 3. Cross-media effects 4. IPPC directive 5. Textile industry	Turkey	1. BAT alternatives such as water recovery techniques and wastewater treatability technologies were investigated 2. Laboratory-scale tests and their performances were technically discussed	(178)
19	International Journal of Computational Engineering Research/Chougule and Sonaje	2013	Pilot treatment plant	ISO-105 and AATCC methods, pilot treatment plant	1. Oil and gas removal trap, slow sand filter, GAC unit 2. There was dye saving in wet processing which was additional benefit to industry	Maharashtra, India	1. By using recycled wastewater were having many benefits, quality of fabric will enhanced, economical solution to the industries, overcome from the water crisis and washing and rubbing flatness of fabric observed	(179)
20	Agricultural and Applied Economics/Teal	1997	Pre-treatment benefits analysis	Sensitivity analysis	1. Cationic polymer solution 2. Submercerization and mercerization strength sodium hydroxide solutions	USA	1. Pre-treatments would not be cost effective in any scenario considered and the after treatments would be cost effective in every scenario	(180)
21	Journal of Chemical Technology and Biotechnology/El-Dein et al.	2006	Reagent and analytical methods	Oxidation experiments	3. Chitosan and cellulase enzymes 1. Overall removal achieved by combined H ₂ O ₂ /UV and biological treatment of high concentrations of a textile dye, as well as a cost analysis of the process	Germany	1. Efficiency and cost-effectiveness of H ₂ O ₂ /UV for the decolorization and mineralization of wastewater containing high concentrations of the textile dye Reactive Black 5	(181)
22	Journal of Hazardous Materials/Chen et al.	2010	Mineralization reaction	Magnetic catalyst	1. Mineralization 2. Magnetic catalyst 3. H ₂ O ₂ /O ₃ 4. Reactive Black 5	Taiwan	1. Prepare a magnetic catalyst (SiO ₂ /Fe ₃ O ₄) that can be recycled by using an external magnetic field	(182)

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23	Journal of Chemical Technology and Biotechnology/Libra and Sosath	2003	Rotating disc reactors	Biological treatment	1. Textile wastewater 2. Aerobic decolorization aerobic degradation 3. Treatment costs	Germany	1. Treatment of a segregated textile wastewater containing reactive dyes was investigated in two continuous-flow process trains using ozonation and biological processes	(183)
24	Energies/Tsai	2012	Thermochemical	Biological treatment	1. Biological wastewater treatment 2. Sludge 3. Waste-to-energy 4. Regulatory promotion 5. Benefit analysis	Taiwan	1. Provide a preliminary analysis of energy utilization from biological wastewater treatment sludge	(184)
25	Adsorption Science & Technology/Parveen and Rafique	2017	Synthesis of alumina hybrid	Adsorption	1. Alumina hybrid 2. Adsorption 3. Dopant, isotherm 4. Kinetic	Pakistan	1. Cobalt-doped alumina hybrids provides environmental friendly and economical alternative option to the commercial adsorbents for the 2. Treatment of textile effluents	(185)
26	State Water Resources Planning Department Jaipur	2009	Water quality, overexploitation of ground water, water logging	Environmental management guidelines	1. Environmental issues in the water sector	Jaipur, India	Awareness programs may be conducted to educate the masses on impact of fluoride	(186)
27	Desalination/Rosi et al.	2007	Water quality	Biological treatment	1. BAT, T	Rome, Italy	1. BAT for water reuse in textile SMEs	(187)

BAT, Best available technique; ETP, effluent treatment plant; GAC, granular activated carbon; RMPB, rubber mold paver block; SEM, scanning electron microscopy; XRD, X-ray diffraction.

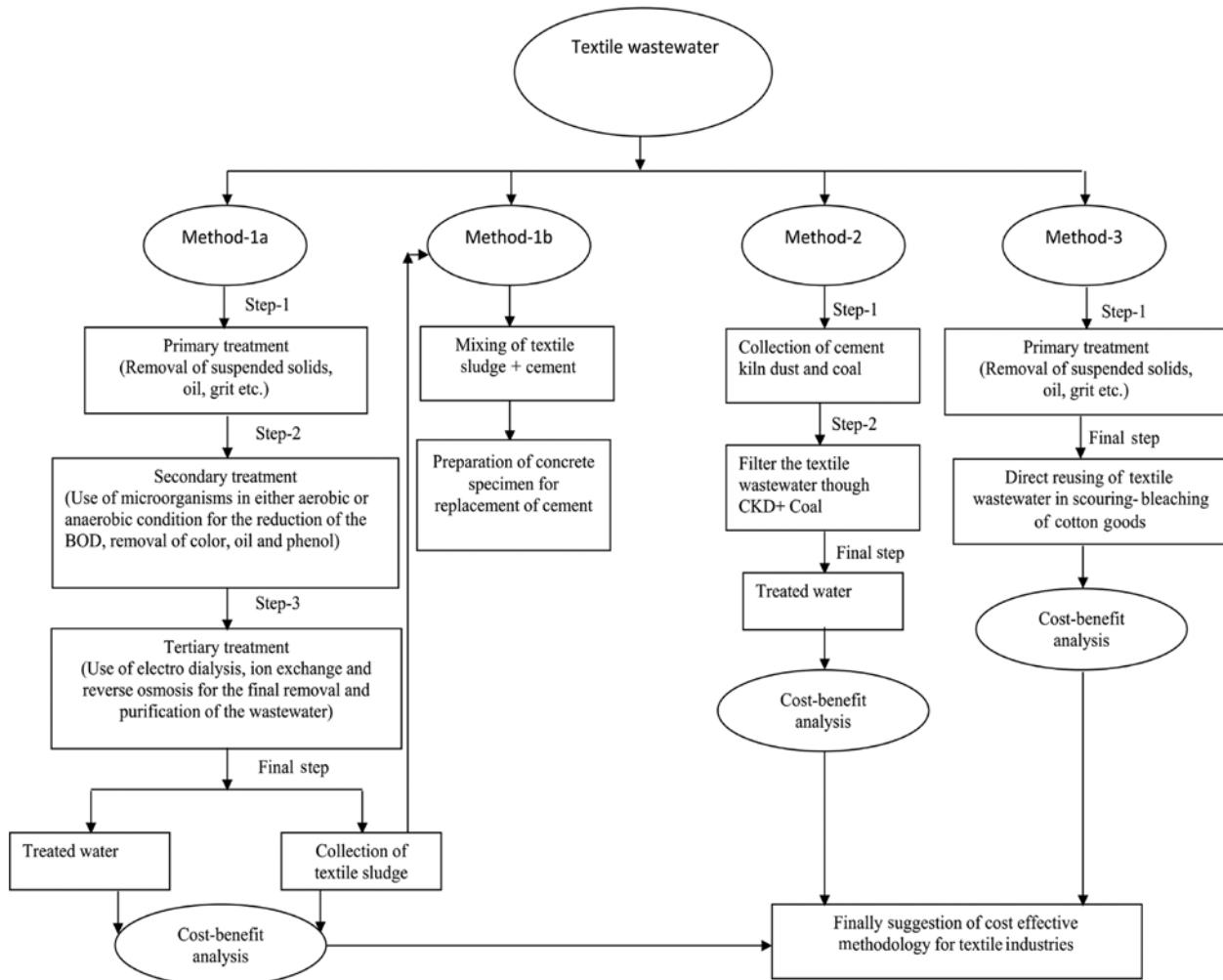


Figure 1: Selection effective treatment technique for textile wastewater

to reduce waste collection and landfill costs, simultaneously these wastes will give direct benefits to consumers and participating enterprises.

Conclusions

The textile making industry is one of the major industries in India for the growth of the economy as well as employing the unskilled to skilled workers. The textile industry produces a massive quantity of textile wastes in term of chemicals, solid wastes and environment wastes after successful treatment of textile fibers, rinsing of final products, as well as from dyes. The treatment techniques followed in the textile industry are not cost-effective, and therefore, an alternative treatment technique was discussed from the cost-effective point of view. Textile wastewater can cause hemorrhages, ulceration of the skin, sickness, stress and dermatitis. The chemicals present in the water can block

sunlight and increase the BOD thereby inhibiting photosynthesis and reoxygenation.

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