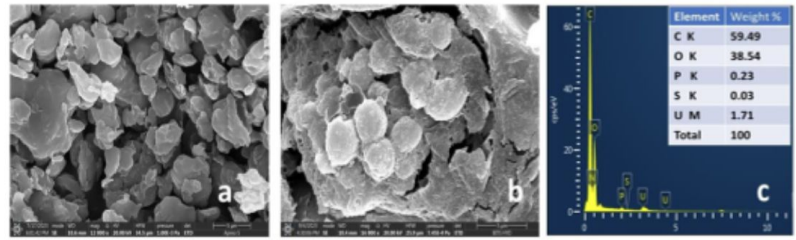


**PENDING****(IN202311083945)**

**A process for producing a biosorbent for the removal of heavy metal contamination from water and a biosorbent produced therefrom**



**Figure 3. SEM images (A) before adsorption (B) after adsorption and (C) EDAX spectrum of biosorbent.**

## NEED

Water contamination by heavy metals, like uranium, poses significant environmental and health risks. A novel biosorbent using PMMA microplastic and *Saccharomyces cerevisiae* offers an effective solution for heavy metal removal from contaminated water.

## TECHNOLOGY OVERVIEW

This patent presents a biosorbent made from PMMA microplastic and *Saccharomyces cerevisiae* for the removal of heavy metals like uranium from water. The process ensures enhanced removal efficiency, with up to 96% of uranium removed, and offers a scalable, cost-effective solution for water purification.

## TECHNOLOGY KEY FEATURES

PMMA microplastic and *Saccharomyces cerevisiae* combination; removes uranium and other heavy metals; 96% uranium removal; optimized conditions; environmentally friendly biosorbent; low-cost water remediation solution.

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## MARKET ANALYSIS

The global water treatment market is projected to grow at a CAGR of 8.7% from 2023 to 2033, driven by increasing water contamination and regulatory pressure for environmental protection. (Source: Grand View Research, 2023)

## Target Industries

1) Water treatment companies specializing in heavy metal removal; 2) Environmental remediation service providers; 3) Research and development in water filtration technologies; 4) Government agencies and NGOs focusing on clean water initiatives.

## AT A GLANCE

- SDG 6 (Clean Water and Sanitation), SDG 12 (Responsible Consumption and Production), SDG 13 (Climate Action)

Technology is available for licensing/ co-development.

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