Basic Data Construction for a Typhoon Disaster Prevention Model : Analysis and Changes by El Nino and La Nina year

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