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## Uncontrolled Drilling: Exposing a Global Threat to Groundwater Sustainability

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### ABSTRACT

Untold numbers of boreholes are drilled into the earth's crust every year. Most constitute a potential threat to groundwater quality by creating a preferred pathway for contaminant migration. Some solutions, including "well-pooling", are proposed to better protect groundwater resources through the efficient management of boreholes.

### KEYWORDS

Groundwater Resources; Contamination; Drilling; Well-Pooling

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