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Title of the Manuscript:	Resolution of Trace Elements in Groundwater of Municipal Area at Kushtia and Jhenaidah District of Bangladesh
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PART 1: Review Comments

	Reviewer's comment	Author's comment (if agreed with reviewer, correct the manuscript and highlight that part in the manuscript. It is mandatory that authors should write his/her feedback here)
<p>Compulsory REVISION comments</p> <p>1. Is the manuscript important for scientific community? (Please write few sentences on this manuscript)</p> <p>2. Is the title of the article suitable? (If not please suggest an alternative title)</p> <p>3. Is the abstract of the article comprehensive?</p> <p>4. Are subsections and structure of the manuscript appropriate?</p> <p>5. Do you think the manuscript is scientifically correct?</p> <p>6. Are the references sufficient and recent? If you have suggestion of additional references, please mention in the review form.</p> <p><u>(Apart from above mentioned 6 points, reviewers are free to provide additional suggestions/comments)</u></p>	<p>1. This manuscript is important for scientific community because presents a study carried out on the quality of underground water, especially for the concentrations of Fe, Mn, Pb, Cd and Zn. Groundwater should be an important water resource for its consumption by the population, but if it has a trace element content higher than the permitted one, it can have significant negative effects on people's health. That is why it is important to constantly monitor the quality of the underground water, respectively to find solutions and alternatives to provide the population with water of an appropriate quality.</p> <p>2. Yes. 3. Yes. 4. Yes. 5. Yes. 6. The references are sufficient and relatively recent.</p> <p>A situation plan with the studied area would be useful. Table 1 could also be accompanied by a graphic representation. Where do the studied trace elements come from, are they present naturally or from pollution? Depending on the answer to this question, solutions and recommendations can be established to improve water quality. Table 2 could also be accompanied by a graphic representation. Figures 2 and 3 could also represent the limits allowed by the standards in force.</p>	
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