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	safety practices are being followed along with increased awareness drives to educate the masses about food safety and thereby ensure highest standards possible.Hence the relevance of this study.	
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