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- Zhejiang Univ China
- Shanghai Jiao Tong Univ China
- Univ Toronto Canada
- Tsinghua Univ China
- Huazhong Univ Sci & Technol China
- Sichuan Univ China
- Peking Univ China
- Sun Yat-sen Univ China

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- UniPd (114°)
- UniBo (124°)
- UniMi (129°)
- UniNa F II (141°)