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## Usage of the term of "geo" in Japanese geopark activity

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Some people in geopark community is called "geo" about inclusive geological, geographical and geophysical phenomena. This usage is ambiguous and grammatical mistake. Some scientist is aware of problem. This case is an example of the problems of science communication.

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