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Research Highlights

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- Diagnostic ratio analyses are useful tools to be applied for PAH source appointment.
- Most PAHs in urban sediments are attributed to pyrogenic activities.
- Emission from transportation has impact on PAHs pollution in sediments.
- High-ring PAHs from combustion are the main components of PAHs in river sediments.

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