The Baikal-GVD neutrino telescope: search for high-energy cascades

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This contribution reports on the status of the Baikal-GVD high-energy cascade-like neutrino analysis. A data sample accumulated in 2019-2020 has been analyzed. After suppression of the downward going atmospheric muon background, seven cascade events with high multiplicity of hit optical modules and reconstructed energy E > 60 TeV were selected as candidates for astrophysical neutrinos.

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