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1	Crystal structure of cholera toxin Bâ€pentamer bound to receptor G<sub>M1</sub> pentasaccharide. <i>Protein Science</i> , 1994, 3, 166-175.	7.6	534
2	Mutations in the Transmembrane Natriuretic Peptide Receptor NPR-B Impair Skeletal Growth and Cause Acromesomelic Dysplasia, Type Maroteaux. <i>American Journal of Human Genetics</i> , 2004, 75, 27-34.	6.2	325
3	NO and CO differentially activate soluble guanylyl cyclase via a heme pivot-bend mechanism. <i>EMBO Journal</i> , 2007, 26, 578-588.	7.8	208
4	Desensitization of soluble guanylyl cyclase, the NO receptor, by S-nitrosylation. <i>Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences of the United States of America</i> , 2007, 104, 12312-12317.	7.1	201
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7	Crystal Structure of KPC-2:â€ Insights into Carbapenemase Activity in Class A Î²-Lactamases,. <i>Biochemistry</i> , 2007, 46, 5732-5740.	2.5	109
8	Association of STATs with relatives and friends. <i>Trends in Cell Biology</i> , 2000, 10, 106-111.	7.9	100
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13	Tazobactam Forms a Stoichiometric trans-Enamine Intermediate in the E166A Variant of SHV-1 Î²-Lactamase:â€ 1.63 Å... Crystal Structure,. <i>Biochemistry</i> , 2004, 43, 843-848.	2.5	67
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15	High Resolution Crystal Structures of the trans-Enamine Intermediates Formed by Sulbactam and Clavulanic Acid and E166A SHV-1 Î²-Lactamase. <i>Journal of Biological Chemistry</i> , 2005, 280, 34900-34907.	3.4	66
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