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List of Publications by Year in descending order

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1	Design and control of warehouse order picking: A literature review. European Journal of Operational Research, 2007, 182, 481-501.	5.7	1,323
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