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1	Sex pheromone receptors of the light brown apple moth, <i>Epiphyas postvittana</i> , support a second major pheromone receptor clade within the Lepidoptera. <i>Insect Biochemistry and Molecular Biology</i> , 2022, 141, 103708.	1.2	15
2	The Genomics and Population Genomics of the Light Brown Apple Moth, <i>Epiphyas postvittana</i> , an Invasive Tortricid Pest of Horticulture. <i>Insects</i> , 2022, 13, 264.	1.0	5
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