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1	Optical properties of oxygen precipitates and dislocations in silicon. Journal of Applied Physics, 2002, 92, 2437-2445.	2.5	85
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