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1	Subduction and Slab Detachment in the Mediterranean-Carpathian Region. <i>Science</i> , 2000, 290, 1910-1917.	12.6	1,379
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9	Evidence for active subduction beneath Gibraltar. <i>Geology</i> , 2002, 30, 1071.	4.4	423
10	A Paleolatitude Calculator for Paleoclimate Studies. <i>PLoS ONE</i> , 2015, 10, e0126946.	2.5	376
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17	On the Hellenic subduction zone and the geodynamic evolution of Crete since the late Middle Miocene. <i>Tectonophysics</i> , 1988, 146, 203-215.	2.2	290
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21	Atlas of the underworld: Slab remnants in the mantle, their sinking history, and a new outlook on lower mantle viscosity. <i>Tectonophysics</i> , 2018, 723, 309-448.	2.2	263
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26	The P-wave velocity structure of the mantle below the Iberian Peninsula: evidence for subducted lithosphere below southern Spain. <i>Tectonophysics</i> , 1993, 221, 13-34.	2.2	233
27	A map-view restoration of the Alpine-Carpathian-Dinaridic system for the Early Miocene. <i>Swiss Journal of Geosciences</i> , 2008, 101, 273-294.	1.2	231
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47	Latest Jurassic–earliest Cretaceous closure of the Mongol-Okhotsk Ocean: A paleomagnetic and seismological-tomographic analysis. <i>Special Paper of the Geological Society of America</i> , 2015, , 589-606.	0.5	103
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52	Dynamics of intraoceanic subduction initiation: 2. Suprasubduction zone ophiolite formation and metamorphic sole exhumation in context of absolute plate motions. <i>Geochemistry, Geophysics, Geosystems</i> , 2015, 16, 1771-1785.	2.5	97
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63	Surface deformation and tectonic setting of Taiwan inferred from a GPS velocity field. <i>Journal of Geophysical Research</i> , 2003, 108, .	3.3	63
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