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1	Sociometry and Sociogenesis of Colonies of the Fire Ant Solenopsis Invicta During One Annual Cycle. Ecological Monographs, 1993, 63, 425-457.	5.4	260
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