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#	ARTICLE	IF	CITATIONS
1	The geometry of soft materials: a primer. <i>Reviews of Modern Physics</i> , 2002, 74, 953-971.	16.4	340
2	Molecular chirality and chiral parameters. <i>Reviews of Modern Physics</i> , 1999, 71, 1745-1757.	16.4	285
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18	Microscopic Origin of Cholesteric Pitch. <i>Physical Review Letters</i> , 1997, 78, 1476-1479.	2.9	110

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19	Generating the Hopf Fibration Experimentally in Nematic Liquid Crystals. <i>Physical Review Letters</i> , 2013, 110, 237801.	2.9	97
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26	Elongation and Fluctuations of Semiflexible Polymers in a Nematic Solvent. <i>Physical Review Letters</i> , 2004, 92, 125503.	2.9	65
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45	Bogomolnyi, Prasad, and Sommerfield Configurations in Smectics. <i>Physical Review Letters</i> , 2003, 91, 045506.	2.9	36
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71	Synergistic assembly of nanoparticles in smectic liquid crystals. <i>Soft Matter</i> , 2015, 11, 7367-7375.	1.2	19
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