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1	Power Line Communication for Low-Bandwidth Control and Sensing. IEEE Transactions on Power Delivery, 2022, 37, 2172-2181.	2.9	13
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