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  H. Sigel, B. P. Operschall, and R. Griesser

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- "Acid-Base and Metal Ion Binding Properties of 2-Thiocytidine in Aqueous Solution"
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