Retraction Note

Retraction Note: A Hot Pepper cDNA Encoding Ascorbate Peroxidase Is Induced during the Incompatible Interaction with Virus and Bacteria

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