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29 Oct. 8th International Symposium on Affinity Chromatography and Biological Recognition, Ramat Rachel, Jerusalem, Israel. Dr. Meir Wilchek, Dept. of Biophysics, The Weizmann Inst. of Science, Rehovot 76100, Israel.

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