

Title (en)

GENES OF CAROTENOID BIOSYNTHESIS AND METABOLISM AND METHODS OF USE THEREOF

Title (de)

GENE DER KAROTINOID-BIOSYNTHESE UND -METABOLISMUS UND VERFÄRHEN ZU DEREN VERWENDUNG

Title (fr)

GENES DE LA BIOSYNTHESE ET DU METABOLISME DU CAROTENOÏDE ET TECHNIQUES D'UTILISATION

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