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Key words: Riboflavin-binding protein; Estrogen induction; Hormonal specificity; Clomiphene; (Immature chick)

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