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Microbiology of food and animal feeding stuffs - Horizontal method for the detection of *Shigella* spp.

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