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ABBREVIATIONS USED

A = Aspergillus
bp = base pairs
C = Chaetomium
Cat⁺ = Cells utilizing catechin
Cat⁻ = Cells not utilizing catechin
E = Endothia
EDTA = Ethylene diamine tetracetic acid
HPLC = High performance liquid chromatography
kb = Kilobase
PCDase = Phloroglucinolcarboxylic acid decarboxylase
Ps. = Pseudomonas
R = Rhizobium
T = Trichosporon
TCA = Trichloroacetic acid
TZC = Tetrazolium chloride
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