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Sergio F Vizcaino and WJ Loughry

The Xenarthra are an order of the mammals consisting of the armadillos, anteaters, and sloths. "The Biology of the Xenarthra" is the first authoratative study of the Xenarthra ....

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Kathleen M Dudzinski, Toni Frohoff and Mark Bekoff

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Caitlin O'Connell

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Edited by Pan Qinghua, Wang Yingxiang and Yan Kun

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