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Parson, Alexander. Amazing Spiders. New York: Knopf, 1990.

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Book (no author) (Citation Maker)

World Travel Guide. London: SF Travel Publications, 2002.

Title of Book. Place of Publication: Publisher, Publication Date.

Encyclopedia Article (Citation Maker)

Minch, Edwin W. "Spiders." The World Book Encyclopedia. 1997 ed.

Author's Last Name, First Name. "Title of Article." Encyclopedia Title. Year.

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Magazine Article (Citation Maker)

Churchman, Deborah. "Be a Nature Detective." Ranger Rick Mar. 1999: 28-31.

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Newspaper Article (Citation Maker)

Stern, Henry. "Pre-emptive Blitz Set to Meet Threat of West Nile." Oregonian [Portland, OR] 9 Apr. 2003: D01.

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Online Databases – such as ELibrary or Proquest

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Minch, Edwin W. "Spider." World Book Online. Eastwood El. School, Roseburg, OR. 9 Apr. 2003 <<http://www.worldbookonline.com/>>.

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Churchman, Deborah. "Super Spider Silk." Ranger Rick May 1995: 36. Kids Search. EBSCOhost. Terra Linda El. School, Portland, OR. 9 Apr. 2003 <<http://search.epnet.com/>>.

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Stern, Henry. "Pre-emptive Blitz Set to Meet Threat of West Nile." Oregonian [Portland, OR] Newsbank. Adams El. School, Eugene, OR. 14 Apr. 2003. 14 Apr. 2003 <<http://infoweb.newsbank.com/>>.

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Encyclopedia Article on the Internet (Citation Maker)

"Ernest Hemingway." MSN Encarta. 27 Dec. 2005 <<http://encarta.msn.com/>>.

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