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1	Host association of <i>Borrelia burgdorferi</i> sensu lato – the key role of host complement. Trends in Microbiology, 2002, 10, 74-79.	7.7	372
2	Immune evasion of <i>Borrelia burgdorferi</i> by acquisition of human complement regulators FHL-1/reconectin and Factor H. European Journal of Immunology, 2001, 31, 1674-1684.	2.9	239
3	Further Characterization of Complement Regulator-Acquiring Surface Proteins of <i>Borrelia burgdorferi</i> . Infection and Immunity, 2001, 69, 7800-7809.	2.2	221
4	Complement Resistance of <i>Borrelia burgdorferi</i> Correlates with the Expression of BbCRASP-1, a Novel Linear Plasmid-encoded Surface Protein That Interacts with Human Factor H and FHL-1 and Is Unrelated to Erp Proteins. Journal of Biological Chemistry, 2004, 279, 2421-2429.	3.4	218
5	<i>Leptospira interrogans</i> Endostatin-Like Outer Membrane Proteins Bind Host Fibronectin, Laminin and Regulators of Complement. PLoS ONE, 2007, 2, e1188.	2.5	189
6	New Insights Into CRASP-Mediated Complement Evasion in the Lyme Disease Enzootic Cycle. Frontiers in Cellular and Infection Microbiology, 2020, 10, 1.	3.9	175
7	LfhA, a Novel Factor H-Binding Protein of <i>Leptospira interrogans</i> . Infection and Immunity, 2006, 74, 2659-2666.	2.2	165
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11	Complement regulator-acquiring surface proteins of <i>Borrelia burgdorferi</i> : Structure, function and regulation of gene expression. Ticks and Tick-borne Diseases, 2013, 4, 26-34.	2.7	113
12	Binding of Human Factor H-Related Protein 1 to Serum-Resistant <i>Borrelia burgdorferi</i> Mediated by Borrelial Complement Regulator-Acquiring Surface Proteins. Journal of Infectious Diseases, 2007, 196, 124-133.	4.0	112
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14	Mechanism of complement resistance of pathogenic <i>Borrelia burgdorferi</i> isolates. International Immunopharmacology, 2001, 1, 393-401.	3.8	106
15	<i>Borrelia burgdorferi</i> Infection-Associated Surface Proteins ErpP, ErpA, and ErpC Bind Human Plasminogen. Infection and Immunity, 2009, 77, 300-306.	2.2	103
16	Identification and Functional Characterization of Complement Regulator-Acquiring Surface Protein 1 of the Lyme Disease Spirochetes <i>Borrelia afzelii</i> and <i>Borrelia garinii</i> . Infection and Immunity, 2005, 73, 2351-2359.	2.2	96
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19	CspA-Mediated Binding of Human Factor H Inhibits Complement Deposition and Confers Serum Resistance in <i>Borrelia burgdorferi</i> . <i>Infection and Immunity</i> , 2009, 77, 2773-2782.	2.2	87
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21	Complement Regulator-Acquiring Surface Protein 1 of <i>Borrelia burgdorferi</i> Binds to Human Bone Morphogenic Protein 2, Several Extracellular Matrix Proteins, and Plasminogen. <i>Journal of Infectious Diseases</i> , 2010, 202, 490-498.	4.0	83
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56	Identification and characterization of the factor H and FHL-1 binding complement regulator-acquiring surface protein 1 of the Lyme disease spirochete <i>Borrelia spielmanii</i> sp. nov.. <i>International Journal of Medical Microbiology</i> , 2009, 299, 141-154.	3.6	30
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64	Comparison of in vitro activities of tigecycline, doxycycline, and tetracycline against the spirochete <i>Borrelia burgdorferi</i> . <i>Ticks and Tick-borne Diseases</i> , 2010, 1, 30-34.	2.7	24
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66	The Complement Binding and Inhibitory Protein CbiA of <i>Borrelia miyamotoi</i> Degrades Extracellular Matrix Components by Interacting with Plasmin(ogen). <i>Frontiers in Cellular and Infection Microbiology</i> , 2018, 8, 23.	3.9	22
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68	Further Insights Into the Interaction of Human and Animal Complement Regulator Factor H With Viable Lyme Disease Spirochetes. <i>Frontiers in Veterinary Science</i> , 2018, 5, 346.	2.2	22
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74	Borreliacidal activity of early Lyme disease sera against complement-resistant <i>Borrelia afzelii</i> FEM1 wild-type and an OspC-lacking FEM1 variant. <i>Journal of Medical Microbiology</i> , 2000, 49, 917-928.	1.8	16
75	Lipoproteome screening of the Lyme disease agent identifies inhibitors of antibody-mediated complement killing. <i>Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences of the United States of America</i> , 2022, 119, e2117770119.	7.1	16
76	<i>Borrelia valaisiana</i> Resist Complement-Mediated Killing Independently of the Recruitment of Immune Regulators and Inactivation of Complement Components. <i>PLoS ONE</i> , 2013, 8, e53659.	2.5	15
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80	The Factor H-Binding Site of CspZ as a Protective Target against Multistrain, Tick-Transmitted Lyme Disease. <i>Infection and Immunity</i> , 2020, 88, .	2.2	13
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83	A soft tick <i>Ornithodoros moubata</i> salivary protein OmC1 is a potent inhibitor to prevent avian complement activation. <i>Ticks and Tick-borne Diseases</i> , 2020, 11, 101354.	2.7	11
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87	Interaction between <i>Borrelia miyamotoi</i> variable major proteins Vlp15/16 and Vlp18 with plasminogen and complement. <i>Scientific Reports</i> , 2021, 11, 4964.	3.3	8
88	Binding of complement regulatory protein factor H enhances serum resistance of <i>Borrelia spielmanii</i> sp. nov.. <i>International Journal of Medical Microbiology</i> , 2008, 298, 292-294.	3.6	6
89	Crystal structure of the membrane attack complex assembly inhibitor BGA71 from the Lyme disease agent <i>Borrelia bavariensis</i> . <i>Scientific Reports</i> , 2018, 8, 11286.	3.3	5
90	Bactericidal activity of avian complement: a contribution to understand avian-host tropism of Lyme borreliae. <i>Parasites and Vectors</i> , 2021, 14, 451.	2.5	5

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92	Assessment of the regions within complement regulator-acquiring surface protein (CRASP)-2 of Borrelia burgdorferi required for interaction with host immune regulators FHL-1 and factor H. International Journal of Medical Microbiology, 2008, 298, 268-271.	3.6	3
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97	Utilizing Two Borrelia bavariensis Isolates Naturally Lacking the PFam54 Gene Array To Elucidate the Roles of PFam54-Encoded Proteins. Applied and Environmental Microbiology, 2022, 88, AEM0155521.	3.1	0