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## List of Publications by Year in descending order

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#	ARTICLE	IF	CITATIONS
1	Detection of a SARS-CoV-2 variant of concern in South Africa. <i>Nature</i> , 2021, 592, 438-443.	27.8	1,381
2	Rapid epidemic expansion of the SARS-CoV-2 Omicron variant in southern Africa. <i>Nature</i> , 2022, 603, 679-686.	27.8	1,210
3	Omicron extensively but incompletely escapes Pfizer BNT162b2 neutralization. <i>Nature</i> , 2022, 602, 654-656.	27.8	928
4	Developmental pathway for potent V1V2-directed HIV-neutralizing antibodies. <i>Nature</i> , 2014, 509, 55-62.	27.8	681
5	The Neutralization Breadth of HIV-1 Develops Incrementally over Four Years and Is Associated with CD4 <sup>+</sup> T Cell Decline and High Viral Load during Acute Infection. <i>Journal of Virology</i> , 2011, 85, 4828-4840.	3.4	441
6	Genital Inflammation and the Risk of HIV Acquisition in Women. <i>Clinical Infectious Diseases</i> , 2015, 61, 260-269.	5.8	354
7	Genetic and Neutralization Properties of Subtype C Human Immunodeficiency Virus Type 1 Molecular env Clones from Acute and Early Heterosexually Acquired Infections in Southern Africa. <i>Journal of Virology</i> , 2006, 80, 11776-11790.	3.4	334
8	Sixteen novel lineages of SARS-CoV-2 in South Africa. <i>Nature Medicine</i> , 2021, 27, 440-446.	30.7	326
9	Evolution of an HIV glycan-dependent broadly neutralizing antibody epitope through immune escape. <i>Nature Medicine</i> , 2012, 18, 1688-1692.	30.7	273
10	Viral variants that initiate and drive maturation of V1V2-directed HIV-1 broadly neutralizing antibodies. <i>Nature Medicine</i> , 2015, 21, 1332-1336.	30.7	215
11	Limited Neutralizing Antibody Specificities Drive Neutralization Escape in Early HIV-1 Subtype C Infection. <i>PLoS Pathogens</i> , 2009, 5, e1000598.	4.7	213
12	Plasma cytokine levels during acute HIV-1 infection predict HIV disease progression. <i>Aids</i> , 2010, 24, 819-831.	2.2	195
13	Viral Escape from HIV-1 Neutralizing Antibodies Drives Increased Plasma Neutralization Breadth through Sequential Recognition of Multiple Epitopes and Immunotypes. <i>PLoS Pathogens</i> , 2013, 9, e1003738.	4.7	190
14	Dual HIV-1 infection associated with rapid disease progression. <i>Lancet</i> , The, 2004, 363, 619-622.	13.7	189
15	Establishing a Cohort at High Risk of HIV Infection in South Africa: Challenges and Experiences of the CAPRISA 002 Acute Infection Study. <i>PLoS ONE</i> , 2008, 3, e1954.	2.5	175
16	Defining genital tract cytokine signatures of sexually transmitted infections and bacterial vaginosis in women at high risk of HIV infection: a cross-sectional study. <i>Sexually Transmitted Infections</i> , 2014, 90, 580-587.	1.9	173
17	Symptomatic Vaginal Discharge Is a Poor Predictor of Sexually Transmitted Infections and Genital Tract Inflammation in High-Risk Women in South Africa. <i>Journal of Infectious Diseases</i> , 2012, 206, 6-14.	4.0	171
18	Potent and Broad Neutralization of HIV-1 Subtype C by Plasma Antibodies Targeting a Quaternary Epitope Including Residues in the V2 Loop. <i>Journal of Virology</i> , 2011, 85, 3128-3141.	3.4	151

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19	Optimal Combinations of Broadly Neutralizing Antibodies for Prevention and Treatment of HIV-1 Clade C Infection. <i>PLoS Pathogens</i> , 2016, 12, e1005520.	4.7	150
20	A year of genomic surveillance reveals how the SARS-CoV-2 pandemic unfolded in Africa. <i>Science</i> , 2021, 374, 423-431.	12.6	144
21	The C3-V4 Region Is a Major Target of Autologous Neutralizing Antibodies in Human Immunodeficiency Virus Type 1 Subtype C Infection. <i>Journal of Virology</i> , 2008, 82, 1860-1869.	3.4	142
22	The replication-competent HIV-1 latent reservoir is primarily established near the time of therapy initiation. <i>Science Translational Medicine</i> , 2019, 11, .	12.4	141
23	Incidence of HIV-1 Dual Infection and Its Association with Increased Viral Load Set Point in a Cohort of HIV-1 Subtype C-Infected Female Sex Workers. <i>Journal of Infectious Diseases</i> , 2004, 190, 1355-1359.	4.0	119
24	Comparison of Viral Env Proteins from Acute and Chronic Infections with Subtype C Human Immunodeficiency Virus Type 1 Identifies Differences in Glycosylation and CCR5 Utilization and Suggests a New Strategy for Immunogen Design. <i>Journal of Virology</i> , 2013, 87, 7218-7233.	3.4	119
25	An association between HIV-1 subtypes and mode of transmission in Cape Town, South Africa. <i>Aids</i> , 1997, 11, 81-87.	2.2	118
26	Characterization and Selection of HIV-1 Subtype C Isolates for Use in Vaccine Development. <i>AIDS Research and Human Retroviruses</i> , 2003, 19, 133-144.	1.1	113
27	Regional Clustering of Shared Neutralization Determinants on Primary Isolates of Clade C Human Immunodeficiency Virus Type 1 from South Africa. <i>Journal of Virology</i> , 2002, 76, 2233-2244.	3.4	111
28	Cross-Reactive Neutralizing Antibody Responses Elicited by SARS-CoV-2 501Y.V2 (B.1.351). <i>New England Journal of Medicine</i> , 2021, 384, 2161-2163.	27.0	111
29	Prior infection with SARS-CoV-2 boosts and broadens Ad26.COVS.S immunogenicity in a variant-dependent manner. <i>Cell Host and Microbe</i> , 2021, 29, 1611-1619.e5.	11.0	106
30	The HIV-1 Epidemic: Low- to Middle-Income Countries. <i>Cold Spring Harbor Perspectives in Medicine</i> , 2012, 2, a007187-a007187.	6.2	89
31	Integrin $\alpha 4 \beta 7$ expression on peripheral blood CD4 <sup>+</sup> T cells predicts HIV acquisition and disease progression outcomes. <i>Science Translational Medicine</i> , 2018, 10, .	12.4	85
32	Case report: mechanisms of HIV elite control in two African women. <i>BMC Infectious Diseases</i> , 2018, 18, 54.	2.9	82
33	Features of Recently Transmitted HIV-1 Clade C Viruses that Impact Antibody Recognition: Implications for Active and Passive Immunization. <i>PLoS Pathogens</i> , 2016, 12, e1005742.	4.7	81
34	Virological features associated with the development of broadly neutralizing antibodies to HIV-1. <i>Trends in Microbiology</i> , 2015, 23, 204-211.	7.7	77
35	Escape from recognition of SARS-CoV-2 variant spike epitopes but overall preservation of T cell immunity. <i>Science Translational Medicine</i> , 2022, 14, .	12.4	77
36	Association of HIV-Specific and Total CD8 <sup>+</sup> T Memory Phenotypes in Subtype C HIV-1 Infection with Viral Set Point. <i>Journal of Immunology</i> , 2009, 182, 4751-4761.	0.8	75

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37	Impact of Clade, Geography, and Age of the Epidemic on HIV-1 Neutralization by Antibodies. <i>Journal of Virology</i> , 2014, 88, 12623-12643.	3.4	75
38	Genital Tract Inflammation During Early HIV-1 Infection Predicts Higher Plasma Viral Load Set Point in Women. <i>Journal of Infectious Diseases</i> , 2012, 205, 194-203.	4.0	67
39	Multiple Pathways of Escape from HIV Broadly Cross-Neutralizing V2-Dependent Antibodies. <i>Journal of Virology</i> , 2013, 87, 4882-4894.	3.4	65
40	Human Immunodeficiency Virus-Specific Gamma Interferon Enzyme-Linked Immunospot Assay Responses Targeting Specific Regions of the Proteome during Primary Subtype C Infection Are Poor Predictors of the Course of Viremia and Set Point. <i>Journal of Virology</i> , 2009, 83, 470-478.	3.4	63
41	Cervicovaginal Inflammation Facilitates Acquisition of Less Infectious HIV Variants. <i>Clinical Infectious Diseases</i> , 2017, 64, 79-82.	5.8	53
42	Rapid Disease Progression in HIV-1 Subtype C-Infected South African Women. <i>Clinical Infectious Diseases</i> , 2014, 59, 1322-1331.	5.8	46
43	Genetic characteristics of HIV-1 subtype C envelopes inducing cross-neutralizing antibodies. <i>Virology</i> , 2007, 368, 172-181.	2.4	45
44	HIV-1 subtypes in different risk groups in South Africa. <i>Lancet</i> , The, 1995, 346, 782.	13.7	44
45	Differential Impact of Magnitude, Polyfunctional Capacity, and Specificity of HIV-Specific CD8 <sup>+</sup> T Cell Responses on HIV Set Point. <i>Journal of Virology</i> , 2014, 88, 1819-1824.	3.4	36
46	Cooperation between Strain-Specific and Broadly Neutralizing Responses Limited Viral Escape and Prolonged the Exposure of the Broadly Neutralizing Epitope. <i>Journal of Virology</i> , 2017, 91, .	3.4	35
47	Structure and Recognition of a Novel HIV-1 gp120-gp41 Interface Antibody that Caused MPER Exposure through Viral Escape. <i>PLoS Pathogens</i> , 2017, 13, e1006074.	4.7	33
48	Structure of an N276-Dependent HIV-1 Neutralizing Antibody Targeting a Rare V5 Glycan Hole Adjacent to the CD4 Binding Site. <i>Journal of Virology</i> , 2016, 90, 10220-10235.	3.4	32
49	HIV molecular epidemiology: transmission and adaptation to human populations. <i>Current Opinion in HIV and AIDS</i> , 2009, 4, 247-252.	3.8	27
50	Emergence and phenotypic characterization of the global SARS-CoV-2 C.1.2 lineage. <i>Nature Communications</i> , 2022, 13, 1976.	12.8	27
51	Fluidity of HIV-1-Specific T-Cell Responses during Acute and Early Subtype C HIV-1 Infection and Associations with Early Disease Progression. <i>Journal of Virology</i> , 2010, 84, 12018-12029.	3.4	26
52	Multiple HIV-1 infections with evidence of recombination in heterosexual partnerships in a low risk Rural Clinical Cohort in Uganda. <i>Virology</i> , 2011, 411, 113-131.	2.4	26
53	Metabolic Syndrome After HIV Acquisition in South African Women. <i>Journal of Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndromes (1999)</i> , 2016, 73, 438-445.	2.1	26
54	Longitudinal Analysis of HIV Type 1 Subtype C Envelope Sequences from South Africa. <i>AIDS Research and Human Retroviruses</i> , 2007, 23, 316-321.	1.1	25

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55	Epidemiology of HIV-1 Subtypes Among Men Who Have Sex With Men in Cape Town, South Africa. <i>Journal of Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndromes</i> (1999), 2014, 65, 473-480.	2.1	25
56	Assessing the safety and pharmacokinetics of the anti-HIV monoclonal antibody CAP256V2LS alone and in combination with VRC07-523LS and PGT121 in South African women: study protocol for the first-in-human CAPRISA 012B phase I clinical trial. <i>BMJ Open</i> , 2020, 10, e042247.	1.9	25
57	HIV Superinfection Drives De Novo Antibody Responses and Not Neutralization Breadth. <i>Cell Host and Microbe</i> , 2018, 24, 593-599.e3.	11.0	24
58	Panels of HIV-1 Subtype C Env Reference Strains for Standardized Neutralization Assessments. <i>Journal of Virology</i> , 2017, 91, .	3.4	23
59	A rev1â€“vpu polymorphism unique to HIV-1 subtype A and C strains impairs envelope glycoprotein expression from revâ€“vpuâ€“env cassettes and reduces virion infectivity in pseudotyping assays. <i>Virology</i> , 2010, 397, 346-357.	2.4	20
60	Antibody-Dependent Cellular Cytotoxicity (ADCC)-Mediating Antibodies Constrain Neutralizing Antibody Escape Pathway. <i>Frontiers in Immunology</i> , 2019, 10, 2875.	4.8	20
61	South African HIV-1 subtype C transmitted variants with a specific V2 motif show higher dependence on Î±4Î±7 for replication. <i>Retrovirology</i> , 2015, 12, 54.	2.0	19
62	Increased Memory Differentiation Is Associated with Decreased Polyfunctionality for HIV but Not for Cytomegalovirus-Specific CD8+T Cells. <i>Journal of Immunology</i> , 2012, 189, 3838-3847.	0.8	18
63	Restriction fragment length polymorphism analysis for rapid gag subtype determination of human immunodeficiency virus Type 1 in South Africa. <i>Journal of Virological Methods</i> , 1999, 78, 51-59.	2.1	17
64	Antibody Isotype Switching as a Mechanism to Counter HIV Neutralization Escape. <i>Cell Reports</i> , 2020, 33, 108430.	6.4	16
65	Anaemia in Acute HIV-1 Subtype C Infection. <i>PLoS ONE</i> , 2008, 3, e1626.	2.5	15
66	Approaches to the induction of HIV broadly neutralizing antibodies. <i>Current Opinion in HIV and AIDS</i> , 2016, 11, 569-575.	3.8	15
67	Identification of broadly neutralizing antibody epitopes in the HIV-1 envelope glycoprotein using evolutionary models. <i>Virology Journal</i> , 2013, 10, 347.	3.4	14
68	Rapid, complex adaptation of transmitted HIV-1 full-length genomes in subtype C-infected individuals with differing disease progression. <i>Aids</i> , 2013, 27, 507-518.	2.2	14
69	Limited HIV-1 Superinfection in Seroconverters from the CAPRISA 004 Microbicide Trial. <i>Journal of Clinical Microbiology</i> , 2014, 52, 844-848.	3.9	14
70	Challenges of Diagnosing Acute HIV-1 Subtype C Infection in African Women: Performance of a Clinical Algorithm and the Need for Point-of-Care Nucleic-Acid Based Testing. <i>PLoS ONE</i> , 2013, 8, e62928.	2.5	13
71	HIV-1 Superinfection Resembles Primary Infection. <i>Journal of Infectious Diseases</i> , 2015, 212, 904-908.	4.0	13
72	Replication Capacity of Viruses from Acute Infection Drives HIV-1 Disease Progression. <i>Journal of Virology</i> , 2017, 91, .	3.4	13

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73	Positive Selection at Key Residues in the HIV Envelope Distinguishes Broad and Strain-Specific Plasma Neutralizing Antibodies. <i>Journal of Virology</i> , 2019, 93, .	3.4	13
74	Combining Viral Genetics and Statistical Modeling to Improve HIV-1 Time-of-Infection Estimation towards Enhanced Vaccine Efficacy Assessment. <i>Viruses</i> , 2019, 11, 607.	3.3	12
75	Performance of saliva and mid-turbinate swabs for detection of the beta variant in South Africa. <i>Lancet Infectious Diseases</i> , The, 2021, 21, 1354.	9.1	12
76	Utilizing nucleic acid amplification to identify acute HIV infection. <i>Aids</i> , 2007, 21, 653-655.	2.2	11
77	HIV Disease Progression in Seroconvertors from the CAPRISA 004 Tenofovir Gel Pre-exposure Prophylaxis Trial. <i>Journal of Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndromes (1999)</i> , 2015, 68, 55-61.	2.1	10
78	Intersubtype Differences in the Effect of a Rare p24 Gag Mutation on HIV-1 Replicative Fitness. <i>Journal of Virology</i> , 2012, 86, 13423-13433.	3.4	9
79	Evidence for both Intermittent and Persistent Compartmentalization of HIV-1 in the Female Genital Tract. <i>Journal of Virology</i> , 2019, 93, .	3.4	9
80	Reduced amplification efficiency of the RNA-dependent-RNA-polymerase target enables tracking of the Delta SARS-CoV-2 variant using routine diagnostic tests. <i>Journal of Virological Methods</i> , 2022, 302, 114471.	2.1	8
81	Short Communication Decreased Incidence of Dual Infections in South African Subtype C-Infected Women Compared to a Cohort Ten Years Earlier. <i>AIDS Research and Human Retroviruses</i> , 2011, 27, 1167-1172.	1.1	7
82	Differences in HIV Type 1 Neutralization Breadth in 2 Geographically Distinct Cohorts in Africa. <i>Journal of Infectious Diseases</i> , 2015, 211, 1461-1466.	4.0	7
83	ADCC-mediating non-neutralizing antibodies can exert immune pressure in early HIV-1 infection. <i>PLoS Pathogens</i> , 2021, 17, e1010046.	4.7	6
84	Conserved positive selection signals in gp41 across multiple subtypes and difference in selection signals detectable in gp41 sequences sampled during acute and chronic HIV-1 subtype C infection. <i>Virology Journal</i> , 2008, 5, 141.	3.4	4
85	Immunological Correlates of the HIV-1 Replication-Competent Reservoir Size. <i>Clinical Infectious Diseases</i> , 2021, 73, 1528-1531.	5.8	4
86	Short Communication: A Recombinant Variant with Increased Envelope Entry Efficiency Emerged During Early Infection of an HIV-1 Subtype C Dual Infected Rapid Progressor. <i>AIDS Research and Human Retroviruses</i> , 2016, 32, 303-310.	1.1	3
87	Effect of HIV Envelope Vaccination on the Subsequent Antibody Response to HIV Infection. <i>MSphere</i> , 2020, 5, .	2.9	3
88	Early evolution of human leucocyte antigen-associated escape mutations in variable Gag proteins predicts CD4+ decline in HIV-1 subtype C-infected women. <i>Aids</i> , 2017, 31, 191-197.	2.2	2
89	HIV-1 Subtype C Tier 3 Viruses Have Increased Infectivity Compared to Tier 2 Viruses. <i>AIDS Research and Human Retroviruses</i> , 2020, 36, 1010-1019.	1.1	0
90	From Bench to Bedside: Lessons from HIV's Natural History Cohort Studies. , 2017, , 137-152.		0

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