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#	ARTICLE	IF	CITATIONS
1	Proposal for new sleep disorder criteria in patients with chronic liver disease: Influence of liver-related complications. <i>Hepatology Research</i> , 2022, 52, 364-370.	3.4	7
2	Trends in hepatocellular carcinoma incident cases in Japan between 1996 and 2019. <i>Scientific Reports</i> , 2022, 12, 1517.	3.3	10
3	A case of hepatitis C-related cirrhosis that developed cancer of unknown primary origin and followed with fulminant course after treatment with direct-acting antivirals. <i>Acta Hepatologica Japonica</i> , 2022, 63, 77-86.	0.1	1
4	Placement of a lumen-apposing metal stent using the water-filling technique from an endoscopic nasocystic drainage catheter to walled-off necrosis with less liquid component. <i>Digestive Endoscopy</i> , 2022, 34, .	2.3	0
5	CXCR1 motif chemokine ligand 1 induced by Hedgehog signaling promotes mouse extrahepatic bile duct repair after acute injury. <i>Hepatology</i> , 2022, 76, 936-950.	7.3	3
6	High serum concentrations of growth differentiation factor-15 and their association with Crohn's disease and a low skeletal muscle index. <i>Scientific Reports</i> , 2022, 12, 6591.	3.3	9
7	Automated fibrosis phenotyping of liver tissue from non-tumor lesions of patients with and without hepatocellular carcinoma after liver transplantation for non-alcoholic fatty liver disease. <i>Hepatology International</i> , 2022, 16, 555-561.	4.2	3
8	The Usefulness of the Athens Insomnia Scale for Evaluating Sleep Disturbance in Patients with Chronic Liver Disease Comparing with Pittsburgh Sleep Quality Index and Epworth Sleepiness Scale. <i>Medicina (Lithuania)</i> , 2022, 58, 741.	2.0	4
9	Serum Mac-2 binding protein glycosylation isomer as a biomarker of fibrosis in living donor liver transplant graft. <i>Clinical Transplantation</i> , 2021, 35, e14175.	1.6	6
10	Treatment of Hepatitis C Virus Infection with Direct-acting Antiviral Agents Elevates the Serum Small-dense Low-density Lipoprotein Cholesterol Level. <i>Internal Medicine</i> , 2021, 60, 191-199.	0.7	2
11	Geranylgeranylacetone decreases the production of hepatitis B virus-related antigen by comprehensive downregulation of mRNA transcription activity. <i>Journal of Gastroenterology and Hepatology (Australia)</i> , 2021, 36, 1979-1987.	2.8	0
12	Comparison of calculated body muscle mass and SARC-F as methods of screening for sarcopenia in patients with chronic liver disease. <i>Biomedical Reports</i> , 2021, 14, 34.	2.0	5
13	Detection of cytokine storm in patients with achalasia using ELISA. <i>Biomedical Reports</i> , 2021, 15, 62.	2.0	5
14	Impact of endoscopic submucosal dissection and epithelial cell sheet engraftment on systemic cytokine dynamics in patients with oesophageal cancer. <i>Scientific Reports</i> , 2021, 11, 15282.	3.3	4
15	Circulating extracellular vesicles are a biomarker for NAFLD resolution and response to weight loss surgery. <i>Nanomedicine: Nanotechnology, Biology, and Medicine</i> , 2021, 36, 102430.	3.3	19
16	Comparison of Histological Sample Volumes among Various Endoscopic Ultrasound-Guided Biopsy Needles. <i>Journal of Clinical Medicine</i> , 2021, 10, 3560.	2.4	9
17	An international genome-wide meta-analysis of primary biliary cholangitis: Novel risk loci and candidate drugs. <i>Journal of Hepatology</i> , 2021, 75, 572-581.	3.7	62
18	Esophageal metastasis of renal cell carcinoma resected by endoscopic submucosal dissection: a case report. <i>BMC Gastroenterology</i> , 2021, 21, 348.	2.0	5

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19	Survival Rate and Shunt Infection Incidence Following Gastrostomy in Adult Patients with an Existing Ventriculoperitoneal Shunt. <i>Neurologia Medico-Chirurgica</i> , 2021, 61, 758-765.	2.2	4
20	A Comparative Proteomic Analysis of Extracellular Vesicles Associated With Lipotoxicity. <i>Frontiers in Cell and Developmental Biology</i> , 2021, 9, 735001.	3.7	6
21	Autophagy-related 16-like 1 is influenced by human herpes virus 1-encoded microRNAs in biopsy samples from the lower esophageal sphincter muscle during per-oral endoscopic myotomy for esophageal achalasia. <i>Biomedical Reports</i> , 2021, 14, 7.	2.0	1
22	Change in tartrate-resistant acid phosphatase isoform 5b levels, a marker of bone metabolism, in patients with chronic hepatitis B treated with tenofovir alafenamide. <i>Biomedical Reports</i> , 2021, 16, 6.	2.0	1
23	Identification of human herpes virus 1 encoded microRNAs in biopsy samples of lower esophageal sphincter muscle during peroral endoscopic myotomy for esophageal achalasia. <i>Digestive Endoscopy</i> , 2020, 32, 136-142.	2.3	15
24	Comparative efficacy of antitumor necrosis factor agents and tacrolimus in naïve steroid-refractory ulcerative colitis patients. <i>Scientific Reports</i> , 2020, 10, 12546.	3.3	6
25	Calculated body muscle mass as a useful screening marker for low skeletal muscle mass and sarcopenia in chronic liver disease. <i>Hepatology Research</i> , 2020, 50, 704-714.	3.4	8
26	A stable protocol for the fabrication of transplantable human oral mucosal epithelial cell sheets for clinical application. <i>Regenerative Therapy</i> , 2020, 14, 87-94.	3.0	10
27	Procedure-Related Complications and Survival after Gastrostomy: Results from a Japanese Cohort. <i>Annals of Nutrition and Metabolism</i> , 2020, 76, 413-421.	1.9	3
28	Direct-acting Antivirals Improved the Quality of Life, Ameliorated Disease-related Symptoms, and Augmented Muscle Volume Three Years Later in Patients with Hepatitis C Virus. <i>Internal Medicine</i> , 2020, 59, 2653-2660.	0.7	13
29	Use of vonoprazan for management of systemic sclerosis-related gastroesophageal reflux disease. <i>Biomedical Reports</i> , 2020, 14, 25.	2.0	9
30	Indices calculated by serum creatinine and cystatin C as predictors of liver damage, muscle strength and sarcopenia in liver disease. <i>Biomedical Reports</i> , 2020, 12, 89-98.	2.0	12
31	IL-8 and LYPD8 expression levels are associated with the inflammatory response in the colon of patients with ulcerative colitis. <i>Biomedical Reports</i> , 2020, 12, 193-198.	2.0	9
32	Autophagy-related 16-like 1 is influenced by human herpes virus 1-encoded microRNAs in biopsy samples from the lower esophageal sphincter muscle during peroral endoscopic myotomy for esophageal achalasia. <i>Biomedical Reports</i> , 2020, 14, 1-1.	2.0	6
33	Changes in serum LDL, PCSK9 and microRNA-122 in patients with chronic HCV infection receiving Daclatasvir/Asunaprevir. <i>Biomedical Reports</i> , 2019, 10, 156-164.	2.0	12
34	Carotid Intima-media Thickness and Small Dense Low-density Lipoprotein Cholesterol Increase after One Year of Treatment with Direct-acting Antivirals in Patients with Hepatitis C Virus Infection. <i>Internal Medicine</i> , 2019, 58, 1209-1215.	0.7	28
35	POGLUT1, the putative effector gene driven by rs2293370 in primary biliary cholangitis susceptibility locus chromosome 3q13.33. <i>Scientific Reports</i> , 2019, 9, 102.	3.3	23
36	Persistent chest pain in young male patient: Jackhammer esophagus treated with peroral endoscopic myotomy. <i>JGH Open</i> , 2019, 3, 185-186.	1.6	0

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37	Predictors of hepatocellular carcinoma recurrence associated with the use of direct-acting antiviral agent therapy for hepatitis C virus after curative treatment: A prospective multicenter cohort study. <i>Cancer Medicine</i> , 2019, 8, 2646-2653.	2.8	27
38	Direct-acting antiviral agents do not increase the incidence of hepatocellular carcinoma development: a prospective, multicenter study. <i>Hepatology International</i> , 2019, 13, 293-301.	4.2	38
39	Detection of DNA damage response in nonalcoholic fatty liver disease via p53-binding protein 1 nuclear expression. <i>Modern Pathology</i> , 2019, 32, 997-1007.	5.5	17
40	Early Gastric Cancer with Diffuse Lanthanum Deposition. <i>Internal Medicine</i> , 2019, 58, 447-448.	0.7	9
41	A nationwide survey on non-B, non-C hepatocellular carcinoma in Japan: 2011–2015 update. <i>Journal of Gastroenterology</i> , 2019, 54, 367-376.	5.1	156
42	Correlation of Fecal Markers with Magnifying Endoscopic Stratification in Patients with Ulcerative Colitis Who Are in Clinical Remission. <i>Digestion</i> , 2018, 97, 82-89.	2.3	10
43	To die or not to die: death signaling in nonalcoholic fatty liver disease. <i>Journal of Gastroenterology</i> , 2018, 53, 893-906.	5.1	63
44	A case of IgG4-related disease presenting with multiple gastric submucosal tumors. <i>Gastrointestinal Endoscopy</i> , 2018, 87, 608-610.	1.0	7
45	Hepatitis C virus-related symptoms, but not quality of life, were improved by treatment with direct-acting antivirals. <i>Hepatology Research</i> , 2018, 48, E232-E239.	3.4	19
46	Rapidly growing, moderately differentiated HCC: A clinicopathological characteristic of HCC occurrence after IFN-free DAA therapy?. <i>Journal of Hepatology</i> , 2018, 68, 854-855.	3.7	30
47	An unusual presentation of adult T-cell leukemia/lymphoma. <i>E-cancermedicalscience</i> , 2018, 12, 801.	1.1	3
48	Anti-ganglionic AChR antibodies in Japanese patients with motility disorders. <i>Journal of Gastroenterology</i> , 2018, 53, 1227-1240.	5.1	26
49	Serum exosomal microRNA-122 and microRNA-21 as predictive biomarkers in transarterial chemoembolization-treated hepatocellular carcinoma patients. <i>Oncology Letters</i> , 2018, 16, 3267-3273.	1.8	39
50	The role of pancreatic juice cytology in the diagnosis of pancreatic intraductal papillary mucinous neoplasm. <i>Revista Espanola De Enfermedades Digestivas</i> , 2018, 111, 775-781.	0.3	5
51	Genome-wide association studies identify PRKCB as a novel genetic susceptibility locus for primary biliary cholangitis in the Japanese population. <i>Human Molecular Genetics</i> , 2017, 26, ddw406.	2.9	46
52	Significance of genetic polymorphisms in patients with nonalcoholic fatty liver disease. <i>Clinical Journal of Gastroenterology</i> , 2017, 10, 201-207.	0.8	18
53	MicroRNA-130a is highly expressed in the esophageal mucosa of achalasia patients. <i>Experimental and Therapeutic Medicine</i> , 2017, 14, 898-904.	1.8	10
54	Successful ledipasvir-sofosbuvir treatment of active synovitis in a rheumatoid arthritis patient with hepatitis C virus-related mixed cryoglobulinemia. <i>Modern Rheumatology</i> , 2017, 27, 917-918.	1.8	7

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55	Glucose fluctuations reduce quality of sleep and of life in patients with liver cirrhosis. <i>Hepatology International</i> , 2017, 11, 125-131.	4.2	12
56	Oral epithelial cell sheets engraftment for esophageal strictures after endoscopic submucosal dissection of squamous cell carcinoma and airplane transportation. <i>Scientific Reports</i> , 2017, 7, 17460.	3.3	73
57	Toyocamycin attenuates free fatty acid-induced hepatic steatosis and apoptosis in cultured hepatocytes and ameliorates nonalcoholic fatty liver disease in mice. <i>PLoS ONE</i> , 2017, 12, e0170591.	2.5	32
58	Hepatitis C Virus Infection Increases c-Jun N-Terminal Kinase (JNK) Phosphorylation and Accentuates Hepatocyte Lipoptosis. <i>Medical Science Monitor</i> , 2017, 23, 4526-4532.	1.1	5
59	Impact of hepatitis C virus genotype-4 eradication following direct acting antivirals on liver stiffness measurement. <i>Hepatic Medicine: Evidence and Research</i> , 2017, Volume 9, 45-53.	2.5	17
60	Endoscopic submucosal dissection of the pharyngeal region using anchored hemoclip with surgical thread: A novel method. <i>Endoscopy International Open</i> , 2016, 04, E828-E831.	1.8	8
61	Polyglycolic Acid Felt Sealing Method for Prevention of Bleeding Related to Endoscopic Submucosal Dissection in Patients Taking Antithrombotic Agents. <i>Gastroenterology Research and Practice</i> , 2016, 2016, 1-7.	1.5	25
62	Efficacy and Tolerability of Pegylated Interferon and Ribavirin in Combination with Simeprevir to Treat Hepatitis C Virus Infections After Living Donor Liver Transplantation. <i>Journal of Interferon and Cytokine Research</i> , 2016, 36, 358-366.	1.2	6
63	Î²-cell function prior to liver transplantation contributes to post-operative diabetes. <i>Biomedical Reports</i> , 2016, 5, 749-757.	2.0	2
64	Clinical efficacy of adalimumab in Crohn's disease: a real practice observational study in Japan. <i>BMC Gastroenterology</i> , 2016, 16, 82.	2.0	6
65	Successful resection of large esophageal leiomyoma by a combined thoracoscopic-endoscopic submucosal tunneling method. <i>Gastrointestinal Endoscopy</i> , 2016, 83, 1027-1028.	1.0	5
66	Safety and efficacy of Vonoprazan-based triple therapy against <i>Helicobacter pylori</i> infection: A single-center experience with 1118 patients. <i>Therapeutic Advances in Gastroenterology</i> , 2016, 9, 747-748.	3.2	8
67	Screening for minimal hepatic encephalopathy in patients with cirrhosis by cirrhosis-related symptoms and a history of overt hepatic encephalopathy. <i>Biomedical Reports</i> , 2016, 5, 193-198.	2.0	11
68	Lipotoxicity pathways intersect in hepatocytes: Endoplasmic reticulum stress, c-Jun N-terminal kinase, and death receptors. <i>Hepatology Research</i> , 2016, 46, 977-984.	3.4	24
69	Elevated Fasting Plasma Glucose before Liver Transplantation is Associated with Lower Post-Transplant Survival. <i>Medical Science Monitor</i> , 2016, 22, 4707-4715.	1.1	4
70	Rapid Increase in Serum Low-Density Lipoprotein Cholesterol Concentration during Hepatitis C Interferon-Free Treatment. <i>PLoS ONE</i> , 2016, 11, e0163644.	2.5	79
71	5-Aminolevulinic Acid mediated Photodynamic Diagnosis with A Laser-Equipped Video Image Endoscope. <i>Nippon Laser Igakkaishi</i> , 2015, 36, 113-118.	0.0	3
72	A case of liver cirrhosis type C complicated with acute onset idiopathic thrombocytopenic purpura which was possible to undergo living donor liver transplantation by multidisciplinary therapy. <i>Acta Hepatologica Japonica</i> , 2015, 56, 296-302.	0.1	0

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73	Clinical Characteristics of Patients with Gastroesophageal Reflux Disease Refractory to Proton Pump Inhibitors and the Effects of Switching to 20 mg Esomeprazole on Reflux Symptoms and Quality of Life. <i>Medical Science Monitor</i> , 2015, 21, 4111-4121.	1.1	6
74	New Endoscopic Indicator of Esophageal Achalasia: "Pinstripe Pattern". <i>PLoS ONE</i> , 2015, 10, e0101833.	2.5	24
75	Serum Wisteria Floribunda Agglutinin-Positive Mac-2 Binding Protein Values Predict the Development of Hepatocellular Carcinoma among Patients with Chronic Hepatitis C after Sustained Virological Response. <i>PLoS ONE</i> , 2015, 10, e0129053.	2.5	67
76	Genetic Polymorphisms of <i>IL-17F</i> and <i>TRAF3IP2</i> Could Be Predictive Factors of the Long-Term Effect of Infliximab against Crohn's Disease. <i>BioMed Research International</i> , 2015, 2015, 1-12.	1.9	15
77	In vivo fluorescence navigation of gastric and upper gastrointestinal tumors by 5-aminolevulinic acid mediated photodynamic diagnosis with a laser-equipped video image endoscope. <i>Photodiagnosis and Photodynamic Therapy</i> , 2015, 12, 201-208.	2.6	19
78	Incidence of and risk factors for bile duct stones after living donor liver transplantation: An analysis of 100 patients. <i>Hepatology Research</i> , 2015, 45, 969-975.	3.4	3
79	How to prevent contamination with <i>Candida albicans</i> during the fabrication of transplantable oral mucosal epithelial cell sheets. <i>Regenerative Therapy</i> , 2015, 1, 1-4.	3.0	11
80	BH3-only protein Bim is associated with the degree of <i>Helicobacter pylori</i> -induced gastritis and is localized to the mitochondria of inflammatory cells in the gastric mucosa. <i>International Journal of Medical Microbiology</i> , 2015, 305, 553-562.	3.6	3
81	Early stage signet ring cell carcinoma of the colon examined by magnifying endoscopy with narrow-band imaging: a case report. <i>BMC Gastroenterology</i> , 2015, 15, 86.	2.0	6
82	Peroral endoscopic myotomy: merging indications and evolving techniques. <i>Digestive Endoscopy</i> , 2015, 27, 175-181.	2.3	54
83	Early and long-term outcomes of endoscopic submucosal dissection for early gastric cancer in a large patient series. <i>Experimental and Therapeutic Medicine</i> , 2014, 7, 594-598.	1.8	40
84	Peroral endoscopic myotomy for esophageal achalasia: clinical impact of 28 cases. <i>Digestive Endoscopy</i> , 2014, 26, 43-51.	2.3	84
85	Significance of serum and hepatic microRNA-122 levels in patients with nonalcoholic fatty liver disease. <i>Liver International</i> , 2014, 34, e302-7.	3.9	124
86	Antitumor function of microRNA-122 against hepatocellular carcinoma. <i>Journal of Gastroenterology</i> , 2014, 49, 589-593.	5.1	113
87	Amrubicin monotherapy in patients with platinum-refractory metastatic neuroendocrine carcinoma and mixed adenoneuroendocrine carcinoma of the gastrointestinal tract. <i>Journal of Clinical Oncology</i> , 2014, 32, e15165-e15165.	1.6	1
88	Bamboo Joint-Like Appearance of the Stomach: A Stable Endoscopic Landmark for Crohn's Disease Regardless of Anti-Tumor Necrosis Factor alpha Treatment. <i>Medical Science Monitor</i> , 2014, 20, 1918-1924.	1.1	7
89	Background Coloration of Squamous Epithelium in Esophago-Pharyngeal Squamous Cell Carcinoma: What Causes the Color Change?. <i>PLoS ONE</i> , 2014, 9, e85553.	2.5	7
90	Prevention of esophageal strictures after endoscopic submucosal dissection. <i>World Journal of Gastroenterology</i> , 2014, 20, 15098.	3.3	43

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91	Oral prednisolone and triamcinolone injection for gastric stricture after endoscopic submucosal dissection. <i>Annals of Translational Medicine</i> , 2014, 2, 22.	1.7	10
92	Endoscopic procedures developed in Japan. <i>Annals of Translational Medicine</i> , 2014, 2, 11.	1.7	0
93	Improvement of endocytoscopic findings after per oral endoscopic myotomy (POEM) in esophageal achalasia; does POEM reduce the risk of developing esophageal carcinoma? Per oral endoscopic myotomy, endocytoscopy and carcinogenesis. <i>BMC Gastroenterology</i> , 2013, 13, 22.	2.0	29
94	Management of complications associated with endoscopic submucosal dissection/ endoscopic mucosal resection for esophageal cancer. <i>Digestive Endoscopy</i> , 2013, 25, 29-38.	2.3	108
95	Degradation of cIAPs contributes to hepatocyte lipoapoptosis. <i>American Journal of Physiology - Renal Physiology</i> , 2013, 305, G611-G619.	3.4	16
96	Recent topics on α -fetoprotein. <i>Hepatology Research</i> , 2013, 43, 820-825.	3.4	26
97	Significance of hepatitis B virus core-related antigen and covalently closed circular DNA levels as markers of hepatitis B virus re-infection after liver transplantation. <i>Journal of Gastroenterology and Hepatology (Australia)</i> , 2013, 28, 1217-1222.	2.8	37
98	Endoplasmic Reticulum Stress Contributes to Helicobacter Pylori VacA-Induced Apoptosis. <i>PLoS ONE</i> , 2013, 8, e82322.	2.5	62
99	Frequency of elevated biomarkers in patients with cryptogenic hepatocellular carcinoma. <i>Medical Science Monitor</i> , 2013, 19, 742-750.	1.1	12
100	Relationship of α -fetoprotein levels and development of hepatocellular carcinoma in hepatitis C patients with liver cirrhosis. <i>Experimental and Therapeutic Medicine</i> , 2012, 4, 972-976.	1.8	10
101	Genome-wide Association Study Identifies TNFSF15 and POU2AF1 as Susceptibility Loci for Primary Biliary Cirrhosis in the Japanese Population. <i>American Journal of Human Genetics</i> , 2012, 91, 721-728.	6.2	251
102	Interweaving MicroRNAs and Proinflammatory Cytokines in Gastric Mucosa with Reference to H. pylori Infection. <i>Journal of Clinical Immunology</i> , 2012, 32, 290-299.	3.8	38
103	Geranylgeranylacetone has anti-hepatitis C virus activity via activation of mTOR in human hepatoma cells. <i>Journal of Gastroenterology</i> , 2012, 47, 195-202.	5.1	4
104	Usefulness of oral prednisolone in the treatment of esophageal stricture after endoscopic submucosal dissection for superficial esophageal squamous cell carcinoma. <i>Gastrointestinal Endoscopy</i> , 2011, 73, 1115-1121.	1.0	301
105	Suppressor of cytokine signal 3 and IL28 genetic variation predict the viral response to peginterferon and ribavirin. <i>Hepatology Research</i> , 2011, 41, 1216-1222.	3.4	7
106	Prevalence of type 2 diabetes mellitus in Japanese patients with hepatocellular carcinoma. <i>Experimental and Therapeutic Medicine</i> , 2011, 2, 81-84.	1.8	5
107	Insulin-induced mTOR activity exhibits anti-hepatitis C virus activity. <i>Molecular Medicine Reports</i> , 2011, 5, 331-5.	2.4	5
108	Predictive Value of the Fibrosis Scores in Patients with Chronic Hepatitis C Associated with Liver Fibrosis and Metabolic Syndrome. <i>Internal Medicine</i> , 2011, 50, 1137-1141.	0.7	11

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109	Clinical characteristics of hepatocellular carcinoma in elderly patients. <i>Oncology Letters</i> , 2011, 2, 851-854.	1.8	22
110	<i>Helicobacter pylori</i> VacA Reduces the Cellular Expression of STAT3 and Pro-survival Bcl-2 Family Proteins, Bcl-2 and Bcl-XL, Leading to Apoptosis in Gastric Epithelial Cells. <i>Digestive Diseases and Sciences</i> , 2011, 56, 999-1006.	2.3	42
111	Enhanced Expression of CXCL13 in Human <i>Helicobacter pylori</i> -Associated Gastritis. <i>Digestive Diseases and Sciences</i> , 2011, 56, 2887-2894.	2.3	20
112	MIRNA-205 modulates cellular invasion and migration via regulating zinc finger E-box binding homeobox 2 expression in esophageal squamous cell carcinoma cells. <i>Journal of Translational Medicine</i> , 2011, 9, 30.	4.4	120
113	MicroRNA signatures in <i>Helicobacter pylori</i> -infected gastric mucosa. <i>International Journal of Cancer</i> , 2011, 128, 361-370.	5.1	175
114	The incidence of hepatocellular carcinoma associated with hepatitis C infection decreased in Kyushu area. <i>Medical Science Monitor</i> , 2011, 17, PH7-PH11.	1.1	16
115	Differences in prognostic factors according to viral status in patients with hepatocellular carcinoma. <i>Oncology Reports</i> , 2010, 23, 1317-23.	2.6	17
116	MicroRNAs and Esophageal Squamous Cell Carcinoma. <i>Digestion</i> , 2010, 82, 138-144.	2.3	91
117	Effect of an oral branched chain amino acid-enriched snack in cirrhotic patients with sleep disturbance. <i>Hepatology Research</i> , 2010, 40, 971-978.	3.4	33
118	Interferon- α -induced mTOR activation is an anti-hepatitis C virus signal via the phosphatidylinositol 3-kinase-Akt-independent pathway. <i>Journal of Gastroenterology</i> , 2009, 44, 856-863.	5.1	27
119	A snack enriched with oral branched-chain amino acids prevents a fall in albumin in patients with liver cirrhosis undergoing chemoembolization for hepatocellular carcinoma. <i>Nutrition Research</i> , 2009, 29, 89-93.	2.9	53
120	Hepatitis C virus kinetics during the first phase of pegylated interferon- α 2b with ribavirin therapy in patients with living donor liver transplantation. <i>Hepatology Research</i> , 2009, 39, 856-864.	3.4	5
121	Predictive value of suppressor of cytokine signal 3 (SOCS3) in the outcome of interferon therapy in chronic hepatitis C. <i>Hepatology Research</i> , 2009, 39, 850-855.	3.4	26
122	The Significance of Enzyme Immunoassay for the Assessment of Hepatitis B Virus Core-Related Antigen following Liver Transplantation. <i>Internal Medicine</i> , 2009, 48, 1577-1583.	0.7	3
123	Clinicopathological study of nonalcoholic fatty liver disease in Japan: the risk factors for fibrosis. <i>Liver International</i> , 2008, 28, 519-524.	3.9	61
124	Differential effects of calcineurin inhibitors, tacrolimus and cyclosporin a, on interferon-induced antiviral protein in human hepatocyte cells. <i>Liver Transplantation</i> , 2008, 14, 292-298.	2.4	45
125	Predictive Value of the Phosphorylation of Signal Transducers and Activators of Transcription in the Outcome of Interferon Therapy for Chronic Hepatitis C. <i>Intervirolgy</i> , 2008, 51, 394-399.	2.8	7
126	Abrogation of constitutive STAT3 activity sensitizes human hepatoma cells to TRAIL-mediated apoptosis. <i>Journal of Hepatology</i> , 2007, 47, 546-555.	3.7	56

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127	Survivin downregulation by siRNA sensitizes human hepatoma cells to TRAIL-induced apoptosis. <i>Oncology Reports</i> , 2006, 16, 389.	2.6	7
128	DHMEQ, a novel NF- κ B inhibitor, induces apoptosis and cell-cycle arrest in human hepatoma cells. <i>International Journal of Oncology</i> , 2006, 29, 713.	3.3	6
129	Two cases of non-alcoholic steatohepatitis with development of hepatocellular carcinoma without cirrhosis. <i>Journal of Gastroenterology and Hepatology (Australia)</i> , 2006, 21, 1865-1866.	2.8	31
130	DHMEQ, a novel NF- κ B inhibitor, induces apoptosis and cell-cycle arrest in human hepatoma cells. <i>International Journal of Oncology</i> , 2006, 29, 713-9.	3.3	12
131	Aging of patients with hepatitis C virus-associated hepatocellular carcinoma: long-term trends in Japan. <i>Oncology Reports</i> , 2006, 16, 837-43.	2.6	28
132	Clinical benefits of hepatocellular carcinoma surveillance: A single-center, hospital-based study. <i>Oncology Reports</i> , 2005, 14, 999.	2.6	4
133	Cytokine gene polymorphisms in Japanese patients with hepatitis B virus infection—association between TGF- β 1 polymorphisms and hepatocellular carcinoma. <i>Journal of Hepatology</i> , 2005, 42, 505-510.	3.7	143
134	Diverse efficacy of vaccination therapy using the β -fetoprotein gene against mouse hepatocellular carcinoma. <i>International Journal of Molecular Medicine</i> , 2004, 13, 111.	4.0	14
135	High viral load is a risk factor for hepatocellular carcinoma in patients with chronic hepatitis B virus infection. <i>Journal of Gastroenterology and Hepatology (Australia)</i> , 2004, 19, 670-675.	2.8	96
136	Antiangiogenic property of pigment epithelium-derived factor in hepatocellular carcinoma. <i>Hepatology</i> , 2004, 40, 252-259.	7.3	107
137	Antiangiogenic gene therapy for hepatocellular carcinoma using angiostatin gene. <i>Hepatology</i> , 2003, 37, 696-704.	7.3	39
138	Hepatic steatosis is a risk factor for hepatocellular carcinoma in patients with chronic hepatitis C virus infection. <i>Cancer</i> , 2003, 97, 3036-3043.	4.1	292
139	Interferon- β sensitizes human hepatoma cells to TRAIL-induced apoptosis through DR5 upregulation and NF- κ B inactivation. <i>Oncogene</i> , 2003, 22, 1653-1662.	5.9	129
140	Short interfering RNA—directed inhibition of hepatitis B virus replication. <i>FEBS Letters</i> , 2003, 543, 51-54.	2.8	125
141	Interferon alpha inhibits the nuclear factor kappa B activation triggered by X gene product of hepatitis B virus in human hepatoma cells. <i>FEBS Letters</i> , 2003, 553, 304-308.	2.8	12
142	Association Between Nonalcoholic Fatty Liver, Markers of Obesity, and Serum Leptin Level in Young Adults. <i>American Journal of Gastroenterology</i> , 2002, 97, 1796-1801.	0.4	68
143	Transactivation of human β -fetoprotein gene by X-gene product of hepatitis B virus in human hepatoma cells. <i>International Journal of Molecular Medicine</i> , 2002, 9, 397.	4.0	5
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