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1	The mTOR pathway is regulated by polycystin-1, and its inhibition reverses renal cystogenesis in polycystic kidney disease. Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences of the United States of America, 2006, 103, 5466-5471.	7.1	715
2	Inversin, the gene product mutated in nephronophthisis type II, functions as a molecular switch between Wnt signaling pathways. Nature Genetics, 2005, 37, 537-543.	21.4	680
3	Mutations in INVS encoding inversin cause nephronophthisis type 2, linking renal cystic disease to the function of primary cilia and left-right axis determination. Nature Genetics, 2003, 34, 413-420.	21.4	582
4	The centrosomal protein nephrocystin-6 is mutated in Joubert syndrome and activates transcription factor ATF4. Nature Genetics, 2006, 38, 674-681.	21.4	535
5	Everolimus in Patients with Autosomal Dominant Polycystic Kidney Disease. New England Journal of Medicine, 2010, 363, 830-840.	27.0	517
6	TRPP2 and TRPV4 form a polymodal sensory channel complex. Journal of Cell Biology, 2008, 182, 437-447.	5.2	349
7	Exome Capture Reveals ZNF423 and CEP164 Mutations, Linking Renal Ciliopathies to DNA Damage Response Signaling. Cell, 2012, 150, 533-548.	28.9	347
8	Mutations in a novel gene, NPHP3, cause adolescent nephronophthisis, tapeto-retinal degeneration and hepatic fibrosis. Nature Genetics, 2003, 34, 455-459.	21.4	345
9	Primary cilia regulate mTORC1 activity and cell size through Lkb1. Nature Cell Biology, 2010, 12, 1115-1122.	10.3	330
10	Interaction with Podocin Facilitates Nephron Signaling. Journal of Biological Chemistry, 2001, 276, 41543-41546.	3.4	304
11	Loss of Nephrocystin-3 Function Can Cause Embryonic Lethality, Meckel-Gruber-like Syndrome, Situs Inversus, and Renal-Hepatic-Pancreatic Dysplasia. American Journal of Human Genetics, 2008, 82, 959-970.	6.2	294
12	Trafficking of TRPP2 by PACS proteins represents a novel mechanism of ion channel regulation. EMBO Journal, 2005, 24, 705-716.	7.8	237
13	Autosomal dominant polycystic kidney disease: the changing face of clinical management. Lancet, The, 2015, 385, 1993-2002.	13.7	227
14	ANKS6 is a central component of a nephronophthisis module linking NEK8 to INVS and NPHP3. Nature Genetics, 2013, 45, 951-956.	21.4	183
15	The von Hippel-Lindau tumor suppressor protein controls ciliogenesis by orienting microtubule growth. Journal of Cell Biology, 2006, 175, 547-554.	5.2	165
16	The German Chronic Kidney Disease (GCKD) study: design and methods. Nephrology Dialysis Transplantation, 2012, 27, 1454-1460.	0.7	127
17	mTOR and rapamycin in the kidney: signaling and therapeutic implications beyond immunosuppression. Kidney International, 2011, 79, 502-511.	5.2	124
18	Direct reprogramming of fibroblasts into renal tubular epithelial cells by defined transcription factors. Nature Cell Biology, 2016, 18, 1269-1280.	10.3	113

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19	Genetic studies of urinary metabolites illuminate mechanisms of detoxification and excretion in humans. <i>Nature Genetics</i> , 2020, 52, 167-176.	21.4	101
20	A molecular mechanism explaining albuminuria in kidney disease. <i>Nature Metabolism</i> , 2020, 2, 461-474.	11.9	99
21	TRPP2 channels regulate apoptosis through the Ca ²⁺ concentration in the endoplasmic reticulum. <i>EMBO Journal</i> , 2009, 28, 490-499.	7.8	98
22	Phosphorylation by casein kinase 2 induces PACS-1 binding of nephrocystin and targeting to cilia. <i>EMBO Journal</i> , 2005, 24, 4415-4424.	7.8	92
23	Wnt Signaling in Polycystic Kidney Disease. <i>Journal of the American Society of Nephrology: JASN</i> , 2007, 18, 1389-1398.	6.1	87
24	Tyrosine Phosphorylation Modulates the Activity of TRPV4 in Response to Defined Stimuli. <i>Journal of Biological Chemistry</i> , 2009, 284, 2923-2933.	3.4	87
25	mTORC1 maintains renal tubular homeostasis and is essential in response to ischemic stress. <i>Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences of the United States of America</i> , 2014, 111, E2817-26.	7.1	82
26	The HECT ubiquitin ligase AIP4 regulates the cell surface expression of select TRP channels. <i>EMBO Journal</i> , 2006, 25, 5659-5669.	7.8	79
27	Cilia-localized <i>LKB1</i> regulates chemokine signaling, macrophage recruitment, and tissue homeostasis in the kidney. <i>EMBO Journal</i> , 2018, 37, .	7.8	78
28	NEPH2 Is Located at the Glomerular Slit Diaphragm, Interacts with Nephrin and Is Cleaved from Podocytes by Metalloproteinases. <i>Journal of the American Society of Nephrology: JASN</i> , 2005, 16, 1693-1702.	6.1	77
29	Genetic and physical interaction between the NPHP5 and NPHP6 gene products. <i>Human Molecular Genetics</i> , 2008, 17, 3655-3662.	2.9	72
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31	OS-9 Regulates the Transit and Polyubiquitination of TRPV4 in the Endoplasmic Reticulum. <i>Journal of Biological Chemistry</i> , 2007, 282, 36561-36570.	3.4	63
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33	Identification of a Protein Kinase C-dependent phosphorylation site involved in sensitization of TRPV4 channel. <i>Biochemical and Biophysical Research Communications</i> , 2010, 391, 1721-1725.	2.1	61
34	Targeting mTOR Signaling Can Prevent the Progression of FSGS. <i>Journal of the American Society of Nephrology: JASN</i> , 2017, 28, 2144-2157.	6.1	57
35	N-WASP Is Required for Stabilization of Podocyte Foot Processes. <i>Journal of the American Society of Nephrology: JASN</i> , 2013, 24, 713-721.	6.1	56
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37	Inversin relays Frizzled-8 signals to promote proximal pronephros development. Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences of the United States of America, 2010, 107, 20388-20393.	7.1	50
38	Role of the Polarity Protein Scribble for Podocyte Differentiation and Maintenance. PLoS ONE, 2012, 7, e36705.	2.5	50
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40	The Subcellular Localization of TRPP2 Modulates Its Function. Journal of the American Society of Nephrology: JASN, 2008, 19, 1342-1351.	6.1	48
41	Nephrocystin-4 is required for pronephric duct-dependent cloaca formation in zebrafish. Human Molecular Genetics, 2011, 20, 3119-3128.	2.9	48
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44	Primary decidual zone formation requires Scribble for pregnancy success in mice. Nature Communications, 2019, 10, 5425.	12.8	42
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50	TBC1D8B Mutations Implicate RAB11-Dependent Vesicular Trafficking in the Pathogenesis of Nephrotic Syndrome. Journal of the American Society of Nephrology: JASN, 2019, 30, 2338-2353.	6.1	25
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96	Wnt signaling and rejuvenation of the adult kidney. Nephrology Dialysis Transplantation, 2010, 25, 34-36.	0.7	3
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