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#	ARTICLE	IF	CITATIONS
1	An engineered PET depolymerase to break down and recycle plastic bottles. <i>Nature</i> , 2020, 580, 216-219.	13.7	913
2	Prediction of the stability of protein mutants based on structural environment-dependent amino acid substitution and propensity tables. <i>Protein Engineering, Design and Selection</i> , 1997, 10, 7-21.	1.0	191
3	Fragment Ranking in Modelling of Protein Structure. <i>Journal of Molecular Biology</i> , 1993, 229, 194-220.	2.0	119
4	Comparative modelling of major house dust mite allergen Der p I: structure validation using an extended environmental amino acid propensity table. <i>Protein Engineering, Design and Selection</i> , 1994, 7, 869-894.	1.0	82
5	Molecular modelling of the ORL1 receptor and its complex with nociceptin. <i>Protein Engineering, Design and Selection</i> , 1998, 11, 1163-1179.	1.0	75
6	Structure-function relationships in the cysteine proteinases actinidin, papain and papaya proteinase I α . Three-dimensional structure of papaya proteinase I α deduced by knowledge-based modelling and active-centre characteristics determined by two-hydronic-state reactivity probe kinetics and kinetics of catalysis. <i>Biochemical Journal</i> , 1991, 280, 79-92.	1.7	56
7	The nociceptin (ORL1) receptor: molecular cloning and functional architecture. <i>Peptides</i> , 2000, 21, 893-900.	1.2	55
8	Functional Inactivation of the Nociceptin Receptor by Alanine Substitution of Glutamine 286 at the C Terminus of Transmembrane Segment VI: Evidence from a Site-Directed Mutagenesis Study of the ORL1 Receptor Transmembrane-Binding Domain. <i>Molecular Pharmacology</i> , 2000, 57, 495-502.	1.0	52
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11	A polyclonal antibody preparation with Michaelian catalytic properties. <i>Biochemical Journal</i> , 1991, 279, 871-881.	1.7	48
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13	Supracrystallographic resolution of interactions contributing to enzyme catalysis by use of natural structural variants and reactivity-probe kinetics. <i>Biochemical Journal</i> , 1988, 256, 543-558.	1.7	44
14	Chemical modification of sheep-liver 6-phosphogluconate dehydrogenase by diethylpyrocarbonate. Evidence for an essential histidine residue. <i>FEBS Journal</i> , 1986, 155, 87-94.	0.2	36
15	A generalized theoretical treatment of the kinetics of an enzyme-catalysed reaction in the presence of an unstable irreversible modifier. <i>Journal of Theoretical Biology</i> , 1990, 145, 547-572.	0.8	36
16	Identification of signalling and non-signalling binding contributions to enzyme reactivity. Alternative combinations of binding interactions provide for change in transition-state geometry in reactions of papain. <i>Biochemical Journal</i> , 1989, 258, 755-764.	1.7	34
17	The interplay of electrostatic fields and binding interactions determining catalytic-site reactivity in actinidin. A possible origin of differences in the behaviour of actinidin and papain. <i>Biochemical Journal</i> , 1989, 259, 443-452.	1.7	34
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19	Construction of a synthetic pathway for the production of 1,3-propanediol from glucose. Scientific Reports, 2019, 9, 11576.	1.6	29
20	A general kinetic equation for multihydronic state reactions and rapid procedures for parameter evaluation. Biochemical Society Transactions, 1990, 18, 598-600.	1.6	25
21	Structure of chymopapain M the late-eluted chymopapain deduced by comparative modelling techniques and active-centre characteristics determined by pH-dependent kinetics of catalysis and reactions with time-dependent inhibitors: the Cys-25/His-159 ion-pair is insufficient for catalytic competence in both chymopapain M and papain. Biochemical Journal, 1994, 300, 805-820.	1.7	24
22	Direct Identification of a Peptide Binding Region in the Opioid Receptor-like 1 Receptor by Photoaffinity Labeling with [Bpa10,Tyr14]Nociceptin. Journal of Biological Chemistry, 2000, 275, 29268-29274.	1.6	24
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35	Computer simulations of the kinetics of irreversible enzyme inhibition by an unstable inhibitor. Biochemical Journal, 1986, 240, 817-820.	1.7	14
36	The chemical mechanism of sheep liver 6-phosphogluconate dehydrogenase. A Schiff-base intermediate is not involved. Biochemical Journal, 1986, 234, 671-677.	1.7	13

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37	Rational engineering of a malate dehydrogenase for microbial production of 2,4-dihydroxybutyric acid via homoserine pathway. <i>Biochemical Journal</i> , 2018, 475, 3887-3901.	1.7	12
38	An Atomistic Statistically Effective Energy Function for Computational Protein Design. <i>Journal of Chemical Theory and Computation</i> , 2016, 12, 4146-4168.	2.3	11
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40	An assessment of COMPOSER: a rule-based approach to modelling protein structure. <i>Biochemical Society Symposia</i> , 1990, 57, 1-9.	2.7	10
41	The influence of helix morphology on co-operative polyamide backbone conformational flexibility in peptide nucleic acid complexes 1 Edited by I. Tinoco. <i>Journal of Molecular Biology</i> , 1999, 292, 1017-1038.	2.0	9
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43	Half-time analysis of the kinetics of irreversible enzyme inhibition by an unstable site-specific reagent. <i>BBA - Proteins and Proteomics</i> , 1988, 955, 65-76.	2.1	7
44	Tri-peptide reference structures for the calculation of relative solvent accessible surface area in protein amino acid residues. <i>Computational Biology and Chemistry</i> , 2015, 54, 33-43.	1.1	7
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46	Some classical errors in the kinetic analysis of enzyme reactions. <i>Biochemical Journal</i> , 1993, 295, 898-899.	1.7	6
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48	Ill-conditioning associated with the "end-point" method for the determination of kinetic parameters describing irreversible enzyme inactivation by an unstable inhibitor. <i>Journal of Theoretical Biology</i> , 1988, 135, 169-173.	0.8	4
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50	Three-dimensional structure and thiol reactivity characteristics of chymopapain M (papaya proteinase) Tj ETQq0 0 Q rgBT /Overlock 10 T	1.6	4
51	Peptide nucleic acid Hoogsteen strand linker design for major groove recognition of DNA thymine bases. <i>Journal of Computer-Aided Molecular Design</i> , 2021, 35, 355-369.	1.3	4
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53	A general kinetic approach to investigation of active-site availability in macromolecular catalysts. <i>Biochemical Journal</i> , 2000, 346 Pt 1, 117-25.	1.7	4
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56	Making sense of the kinetics of reactions of unstable modifiers with enzymes. Biochemical Journal, 1992, 287, 334-335.	1.7	2
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