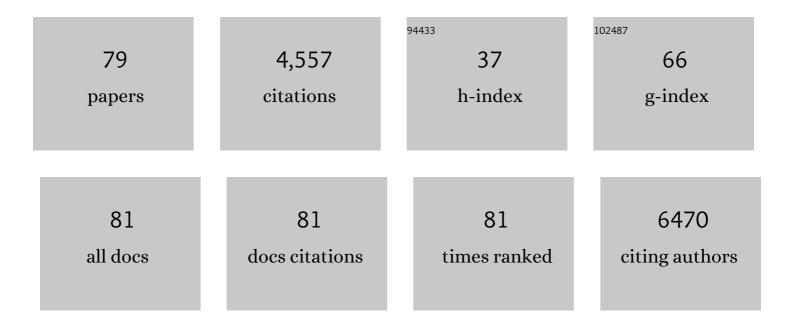
List of Publications by Year in descending order

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#	Article	IF	CITATIONS
1	Hepatitis C virus induces a mutator phenotype: Enhanced mutations of immunoglobulin and protooncogenes. Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences of the United States of America, 2004, 101, 4262-4267.	7.1	346
2	NANOG Metabolically Reprograms Tumor-Initiating Stem-like Cells through Tumorigenic Changes in Oxidative Phosphorylation and Fatty Acid Metabolism. Cell Metabolism, 2016, 23, 206-219.	16.2	285
3	Hepatitis C Virus Triggers Mitochondrial Permeability Transition with Production of Reactive Oxygen Species, Leading to DNA Damage and STAT3 Activation. Journal of Virology, 2006, 80, 7199-7207.	3.4	222
4	Toll-like receptor 4 mediates synergism between alcohol and HCV in hepatic oncogenesis involving stem cell marker Nanog. Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences of the United States of America, 2009, 106, 1548-1553.	7.1	210
5	Hepatitis C Virus Induces Toll-Like Receptor 4 Expression, Leading to Enhanced Production of Beta Interferon and Interleukin-6. Journal of Virology, 2006, 80, 866-874.	3.4	184
6	Mitophagy Controls the Activities of Tumor Suppressor p53 to Regulate Hepatic Cancer Stem Cells. Molecular Cell, 2017, 68, 281-292.e5.	9.7	179
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8	Replication of Hepatitis C Virus RNA on Autophagosomal Membranes. Journal of Biological Chemistry, 2012, 287, 18036-18043.	3.4	156
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