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#	ARTICLE	IF	CITATIONS
1	Hayabusa2 arrives at the carbonaceous asteroid 162173 Ryugu—A spinning top-shaped rubble pile. <i>Science</i> , 2019, 364, 268-272.	12.6	410
2	The geomorphology, color, and thermal properties of Ryugu: Implications for parent-body processes. <i>Science</i> , 2019, 364, 252.	12.6	313
3	The surface composition of asteroid 162173 Ryugu from Hayabusa2 near-infrared spectroscopy. <i>Science</i> , 2019, 364, 272-275.	12.6	262
4	An artificial impact on the asteroid (162173) Ryugu formed a crater in the gravity-dominated regime. <i>Science</i> , 2020, 368, 67-71.	12.6	183
5	Sample collection from asteroid (162173) Ryugu by Hayabusa2: Implications for surface evolution. <i>Science</i> , 2020, 368, 654-659.	12.6	158
6	Preliminary analysis of the Hayabusa2 samples returned from C-type asteroid Ryugu. <i>Nature Astronomy</i> , 2022, 6, 214-220.	10.1	136
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8	Preflight Calibration Test Results for Optical Navigation Camera Telescope (ONC-T) Onboard the Hayabusa2 Spacecraft. <i>Space Science Reviews</i> , 2017, 208, 17-31.	8.1	81
9	Pebbles and sand on asteroid (162173) Ryugu: In situ observation and particles returned to Earth. <i>Science</i> , 2022, 375, 1011-1016.	12.6	78
10	Thermally altered subsurface material of asteroid (162173) Ryugu. <i>Nature Astronomy</i> , 2021, 5, 246-250.	10.1	47
11	Collisional history of Ryugu's parent body from bright surface boulders. <i>Nature Astronomy</i> , 2021, 5, 39-45.	10.1	42
12	Spacecraft sample collection and subsurface excavation of asteroid (101955) Bennu. <i>Science</i> , 2022, 377, 285-291.	12.6	39
13	Global photometric properties of (162173) Ryugu. <i>Astronomy and Astrophysics</i> , 2020, 639, A83.	5.1	37
14	The Western Bulge of 162173 Ryugu Formed as a Result of a Rotationally Driven Deformation Process. <i>Astrophysical Journal Letters</i> , 2019, 874, L10.	8.3	30
15	Anomalously porous boulders on (162173) Ryugu as primordial materials from its parent body. <i>Nature Astronomy</i> , 2021, 5, 766-774.	10.1	30
16	Spin-driven evolution of asteroids' top-shapes at fast and slow spins seen from (101955) Bennu and (162173) Ryugu. <i>Icarus</i> , 2020, 352, 113946.	2.5	28
17	The spatial distribution of impact craters on Ryugu. <i>Icarus</i> , 2020, 338, 113527.	2.5	25
18	Resurfacing processes on asteroid (162173) Ryugu caused by an artificial impact of Hayabusa2's Small Carry-on Impactor. <i>Icarus</i> , 2021, 366, 114530.	2.5	24

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19	Spectrally blue hydrated parent body of asteroid (162173) Ryugu. <i>Nature Communications</i> , 2021, 12, 5837.	12.8	23
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21	The descent and bouncing path of the Hayabusa2 lander MASCOT at asteroid (162173) Ryugu. <i>Astronomy and Astrophysics</i> , 2019, 632, L3.	5.1	18
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23	Hayabusa2 Landing Site Selection: Surface Topography of Ryugu and Touchdown Safety. <i>Space Science Reviews</i> , 2020, 216, 1.	8.1	17
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29	Crater depth-to-diameter ratios on asteroid 162173 Ryugu. <i>Icarus</i> , 2021, 354, 114016.	2.5	12
30	Opposition Observations of 162173 Ryugu: Normal Albedo Map Highlights Variations in Regolith Characteristics. <i>Planetary Science Journal</i> , 2021, 2, 177.	3.6	12
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32	Post-arrival calibration of Hayabusa2's optical navigation cameras (ONCs): Severe effects from touchdown events. <i>Icarus</i> , 2021, 360, 114353.	2.5	11
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37	Quantitative Potassium Measurements with Laser-Induced Breakdown Spectroscopy Using Low-Energy Lasers: Application to In Situ K-Ar Geochronology for Planetary Exploration. <i>Applied Spectroscopy</i> , 2017, 71, 1969-1981.	2.2	7
38	Spectral characterization of the craters of Ryugu as observed by the NIRS3 instrument on-board Hayabusa2. <i>Icarus</i> , 2021, 357, 114253.	2.5	7
39	Mars™ atmospheric neon suggests volatile-rich primitive mantle. <i>Icarus</i> , 2021, 370, 114685.	2.5	7
40	Development of image texture analysis technique for boulder distribution measurements: Applications to asteroids Ryugu and Itokawa. <i>Planetary and Space Science</i> , 2021, 204, 105249.	1.7	6
41	Resurfacing processes constrained by crater distribution on Ryugu. <i>Icarus</i> , 2022, 377, 114911.	2.5	6
42	High-resolution observations of bright boulders on asteroid Ryugu: 2. Spectral properties. <i>Icarus</i> , 2021, 369, 114591.	2.5	5
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44	Site selection for the Hayabusa2 artificial cratering and subsurface material sampling on Ryugu. <i>Planetary and Space Science</i> , 2022, 219, 105519.	1.7	4
45	Alignment determination of the Hayabusa2 laser altimeter (LIDAR). <i>Earth, Planets and Space</i> , 2021, 73, .	2.5	3
46	Conceptual Design of an In Situ K-Ar Isochron Dating Instrument for Future Mars Rover Missions. <i>Transactions of the Japan Society for Aeronautical and Space Sciences Aerospace Technology Japan</i> , 2016, 14, Pk_89-Pk_94.	0.2	2
47	Experimental characterization of elastomeric O-rings as reusable seals for mass spectrometric measurements: Application to in situ K-Ar dating on Mars. <i>Advances in Space Research</i> , 2017, 60, 1453-1462.	2.6	2
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50	Three-axial shape distributions of pebbles, cobbles and boulders smaller than a few meters on asteroid Ryugu. <i>Icarus</i> , 2022, 381, 115007.	2.5	1
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52	Optical design adopting tilted filters for reduction of stray light in planetary exploration cameras and other optics. , 2021, , .		0