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1	Ubiquitination at the lysine 27 residue of the Parkin ubiquitin-like domain is suggestive of a new mechanism of Parkin activation. <i>Human Molecular Genetics</i> , 2022, 31, 2623-2638.	2.9	1
2	Analysis of Dopaminergic Functions in <i>Drosophila</i> . <i>Methods in Molecular Biology</i> , 2021, 2322, 185-193.	0.9	0
3	Cytosolic and Mitochondrial Ca ²⁺ Imaging in <i>Drosophila</i> . <i>Methods in Molecular Biology</i> , 2021, 2322, 207-214.	0.9	0
4	Î±-Synuclein Seeding Assay Using RT-QuIC. <i>Methods in Molecular Biology</i> , 2021, 2322, 3-16.	0.9	6
5	Midbrain as an Ex Vivo Analysis Platform for Parkinson's Disease. <i>Methods in Molecular Biology</i> , 2021, 2322, 111-117.	0.9	2
6	Measurement of GCase Activity in Cultured Cells. <i>Methods in Molecular Biology</i> , 2021, 2322, 47-52.	0.9	0
7	Î±-Synuclein Seeding Assay Using Cultured Cells. <i>Methods in Molecular Biology</i> , 2021, 2322, 27-39.	0.9	2
8	A Novel LRRK2 Variant p.G2294R in the WD40 Domain Identified in Familial Parkinson's Disease Affects LRRK2 Protein Levels. <i>International Journal of Molecular Sciences</i> , 2021, 22, 3708.	4.1	7
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10	Editorial: Molecular Links Between Mitochondrial Damage and Parkinson's Disease and Related Disorders. <i>Frontiers in Cell and Developmental Biology</i> , 2021, 9, 734475.	3.7	0
11	UQCRC1 engages cytochrome c for neuronal apoptotic cell death. <i>Cell Reports</i> , 2021, 36, 109729.	6.4	13
12	Monitoring PINK1-Parkin Signaling Using from iPS Cells. <i>Methods in Molecular Biology</i> , 2021, 2322, 81-92.	0.9	0
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14	Identifying Therapeutic Agents for Amelioration of Mitochondrial Clearance Disorder in Neurons of Familial Parkinson Disease. <i>Stem Cell Reports</i> , 2020, 14, 1060-1075.	4.8	43
15	Reduced astrocytic reactivity in human brains and midbrain organoids with PRKN mutations. <i>Npj Parkinson's Disease</i> , 2020, 6, 33.	5.3	30
16	Lipids: Key Players That Modulate Î±-Synuclein Toxicity and Neurodegeneration in Parkinson's Disease. <i>International Journal of Molecular Sciences</i> , 2020, 21, 3301.	4.1	36
17	A novel rare variant of LRRK2 associated with familial Parkinson's disease: p.R1501W. <i>Parkinsonism and Related Disorders</i> , 2020, 76, 46-48.	2.2	3
18	Editorial for the Special Issue "Animal Models of Parkinson's Disease and Related Disorders". <i>International Journal of Molecular Sciences</i> , 2020, 21, 4250.	4.1	0

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