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## List of Publications by Year in descending order

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1	Molecular Microbiological and Immune Characterization of a Cohort of Patients Diagnosed with Early Lyme Disease. <i>Journal of Clinical Microbiology</i> , 2020, 59, .	3.9	7
2	An Antisense Oligonucleotide Leads to Suppressed Transcription of Hdac2 and Long-Term Memory Enhancement. <i>Molecular Therapy - Nucleic Acids</i> , 2020, 19, 1399-1412.	5.1	18
3	Molecular Testing of Serial Blood Specimens from Patients with Early Lyme Disease during Treatment Reveals Changing Coinfection with Mixtures of <i>Borrelia burgdorferi</i> Genotypes. <i>Antimicrobial Agents and Chemotherapy</i> , 2019, 63, .	3.2	11
4	Broad-range survey of vector-borne pathogens and tick host identification of <i>Ixodes ricinus</i> from Southern Czech Republic. <i>FEMS Microbiology Ecology</i> , 2017, 93, .	2.7	27
5	The IRIDICA BAC BSI Assay: Rapid, Sensitive and Culture-Independent Identification of Bacteria and <i>Candida</i> in Blood. <i>PLoS ONE</i> , 2016, 11, e0158186.	2.5	62
6	Tcf4 Regulates Synaptic Plasticity, DNA Methylation, and Memory Function. <i>Cell Reports</i> , 2016, 16, 2666-2685.	6.4	113
7	Rapid Molecular Diagnostics, Antibiotic Treatment Decisions, and Developing Approaches to Inform Empiric Therapy: PRIMERS I and II. <i>Clinical Infectious Diseases</i> , 2016, 62, 181-189.	5.8	52
8	Rapid Diagnosis of Infection in the Critically Ill, a Multicenter Study of Molecular Detection in Bloodstream Infections, Pneumonia, and Sterile Site Infections*. <i>Critical Care Medicine</i> , 2015, 43, 2283-2291.	0.9	159
9	Survey of <i>Ixodes pacificus</i> Ticks in California Reveals a Diversity of Microorganisms and a Novel and Widespread Anaplasmataceae Species. <i>PLoS ONE</i> , 2015, 10, e0135828.	2.5	50
10	Corrigendum to "Evaluation of PCR electrospray-ionization mass spectrometry for rapid molecular diagnosis of bovine mastitis" (J. Dairy Sci. 96:3611-3620). <i>Journal of Dairy Science</i> , 2015, 98, 718.	3.4	0
11	Prevalence of <i>Borrelia miyamotoi</i> in <i>Ixodes</i> Ticks in Europe and the United States. <i>Emerging Infectious Diseases</i> , 2014, 20, 1678-82.	4.3	95
12	Broad-Range Survey of Tick-Borne Pathogens in Southern Germany Reveals a High Prevalence of <i>Babesia microti</i> and a Diversity of Other Tick-Borne Pathogens. <i>Vector-Borne and Zoonotic Diseases</i> , 2014, 14, 584-591.	1.5	34
13	Rapid PCR/ESI-MS-based molecular genotyping of <i>Staphylococcus aureus</i> from nasal swabs of emergency department patients. <i>BMC Infectious Diseases</i> , 2014, 14, 16.	2.9	5
14	Improved Sensitivity for Molecular Detection of Bacterial and <i>Candida</i> Infections in Blood. <i>Journal of Clinical Microbiology</i> , 2014, 52, 3164-3174.	3.9	145
15	Detection and identification of viral pathogens in patients with hand, foot, and mouth disease by multilocus PCR, reverse-transcription PCR and electrospray ionization mass spectrometry. <i>Journal of Clinical Virology</i> , 2014, 59, 115-119.	3.1	13
16	Germ Catcher. <i>Scientific American</i> , 2014, 310, 50-55.	1.0	1
17	Molecular genotyping of <i>Acinetobacter</i> spp. isolated in Arizona, USA, using multilocus PCR and mass spectrometry. <i>Journal of Medical Microbiology</i> , 2013, 62, 1295-1300.	1.8	4
18	Achieving molecular diagnostics for Lyme disease. <i>Expert Review of Molecular Diagnostics</i> , 2013, 13, 875-883.	3.1	9

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19	Evaluation of PCR electrospray-ionization mass spectrometry for rapid molecular diagnosis of bovine mastitis. <i>Journal of Dairy Science</i> , 2013, 96, 3611-3620.	3.4	13
20	Atypical Erythema Migrans in Patients with PCR-Positive Lyme Disease. <i>Emerging Infectious Diseases</i> , 2013, 19, 815-817.	4.3	43
21	Enhanced Diagnostic Yields of Bacteremia and Candidemia in Blood Specimens by PCR-Electrospray Ionization Mass Spectrometry. <i>Journal of Clinical Microbiology</i> , 2013, 51, 3535-3541.	3.9	43
22	Survey of Culture, GoldenGate Assay, Universal Biosensor Assay, and 16S rRNA Gene Sequencing as Alternative Methods of Bacterial Pathogen Detection. <i>Journal of Clinical Microbiology</i> , 2013, 51, 3263-3269.	3.9	25
23	PCR Followed by Electrospray Ionization Mass Spectrometry for Broad-Range Identification of Fungal Pathogens. <i>Journal of Clinical Microbiology</i> , 2013, 51, 959-966.	3.9	43
24	Broad-Spectrum Biosensor Capable of Detecting and Identifying Diverse Bacterial and Candida Species in Blood. <i>Journal of Clinical Microbiology</i> , 2013, 51, 2670-2678.	3.9	32
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26	Microbiota Evaluation of Patients With a Boston Type I Keratoprosthesis Treated With Topical 0.5% Moxifloxacin and 5% Povidone-Iodine. <i>Cornea</i> , 2013, 32, 407-411.	1.7	37
27	Rapid Diagnosis of Bloodstream Infections with PCR Followed by Mass Spectrometry. <i>PLoS ONE</i> , 2013, 8, e62108.	2.5	54
28	“Salvage Microbiology” Detection of Bacteria Directly from Clinical Specimens following Initiation of Antimicrobial Treatment. <i>PLoS ONE</i> , 2013, 8, e66349.	2.5	30
29	Microbial Identification by PCR/Electrospray Ionization-Mass Spectrometry. , 2013, , 441-465.		1
30	Identification of Endosymbionts in Ticks by Broad-Range Polymerase Chain Reaction and Electrospray Ionization Mass Spectrometry. <i>Journal of Medical Entomology</i> , 2012, 49, 843-850.	1.8	35
31	Detection of <i>Plasmodium vivax</i> in a child returning from India by use of broad-range PCR and electrospray ionization mass spectrometry. <i>Emerging Microbes and Infections</i> , 2012, 1, 1-3.	6.5	2
32	Identification of <i>Streptococcus intermedius</i> Central Nervous System Infection by Use of PCR and Electrospray Ionization Mass Spectrometry. <i>Journal of Clinical Microbiology</i> , 2012, 50, 4160-4162.	3.9	17
33	Detection of heartworm infection in dogs via PCR amplification and electrospray ionization mass spectrometry of nucleic acid extracts from whole blood samples. <i>American Journal of Veterinary Research</i> , 2012, 73, 854-859.	0.6	11
34	Concurrent Serotyping and Genotyping of Pneumococci by Use of PCR and Electrospray Ionization Mass Spectrometry. <i>Journal of Clinical Microbiology</i> , 2012, 50, 2018-2025.	3.9	23
35	Comprehensive Biothreat Cluster Identification by PCR/Electrospray-Ionization Mass Spectrometry. <i>PLoS ONE</i> , 2012, 7, e36528.	2.5	33
36	Direct Molecular Detection and Genotyping of <i>Borrelia burgdorferi</i> from Whole Blood of Patients with Early Lyme Disease. <i>PLoS ONE</i> , 2012, 7, e36825.	2.5	71

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37	Rapid and High-Throughput Detection of Highly Pathogenic Bacteria by Ibis PLEX-ID Technology. PLoS ONE, 2012, 7, e39928.	2.5	46
38	Longitudinal Analysis of the Temporal Evolution of <i>Acinetobacter baumannii</i> Strains in Ohio, USA, by Using Rapid Automated Typing Methods. PLoS ONE, 2012, 7, e33443.	2.5	15
39	Simultaneous Identification of Mycobacterial Isolates to the Species Level and Determination of Tuberculosis Drug Resistance by PCR Followed by Electrospray Ionization Mass Spectrometry. Journal of Clinical Microbiology, 2011, 49, 908-917.	3.9	30
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48	Carbapenem-resistant <i>Acinetobacter baumannii</i> and <i>Klebsiella pneumoniae</i> across a hospital system: impact of post-acute care facilities on dissemination. Journal of Antimicrobial Chemotherapy, 2010, 65, 1807-1818.	3.0	176
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54	Rapid Determination of Quinolone Resistance in <i>Acinetobacter</i> spp. Journal of Clinical Microbiology, 2009, 47, 1436-1442.	3.9	82

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56	Occurrence, Distribution, and Origins of <i>Streptococcus pneumoniae</i> Serotype 6C, a Recently Recognized Serotype. <i>Journal of Clinical Microbiology</i> , 2009, 47, 64-72.	3.9	61
57	Pathogen Profiling: Rapid Molecular Characterization of <i>Staphylococcus aureus</i> by PCR/Electrospray Ionization-Mass Spectrometry and Correlation with Phenotype. <i>Journal of Clinical Microbiology</i> , 2009, 47, 3129-3137.	3.9	60
58	The Microbial Rosetta Stone: a database system for tracking infectious microorganisms. <i>International Journal of Legal Medicine</i> , 2009, 123, 65-69.	2.2	6
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63	Rapid Detection and Molecular Serotyping of Adenovirus by Use of PCR Followed by Electrospray Ionization Mass Spectrometry. <i>Journal of Clinical Microbiology</i> , 2008, 46, 644-651.	3.9	47
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75	The Microbial Rosetta Stone Database: a compilation of global and emerging infectious microorganisms and bioterrorist threat agents. <i>BMC Microbiology</i> , 2005, 5, 19.	3.3	78
76	Rapid Identification of Emerging Pathogens: Coronavirus. <i>Emerging Infectious Diseases</i> , 2005, 11, 373-379.	4.3	94
77	Rapid identification and strain-typing of respiratory pathogens for epidemic surveillance. <i>Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences of the United States of America</i> , 2005, 102, 8012-8017.	7.1	165
78	The Microbial Rosetta Stone Database: A Common Structure for Microbial Biosecurity Threat Agents. <i>Journal of Forensic Sciences</i> , 2005, 50, 1-6.	1.6	9
79	Mass spectrometry provides accurate characterization of two genetic marker types in <i>Bacillus anthracis</i> . <i>BioTechniques</i> , 2004, 37, 642-651.	1.8	56
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81	Rev Response Elements (RRE) in Lentiviruses: An RNAMotif Algorithm-Based Strategy for RRE Prediction. <i>ChemInform</i> , 2003, 34, no.	0.0	0
82	Discovery of RNA structural elements using evolutionary computation. <i>Nucleic Acids Research</i> , 2002, 30, 5310-5317.	14.5	46
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93	â€™Mutational SURFâ€™™: A strategy for improving lead compounds identified from combinatorial libraries. <i>Bioorganic and Medicinal Chemistry</i> , 1996, 4, 717-725.	3.0	6
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96	Deconvolution of Combinatorial Libraries for Drug Discovery: A Model System. <i>Journal of Medicinal Chemistry</i> , 1995, 38, 344-352.	6.4	78
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98	Cholic acid-oligonucleotide conjugates for antisense applications. <i>Bioorganic and Medicinal Chemistry Letters</i> , 1994, 4, 1053-1060.	2.2	30
99	Potent and Specific Inhibition of HIV Envelope-Mediated Cell Fusion and Virus Binding by C Quartet-Forming Oligonucleotide (ISIS 5320). <i>AIDS Research and Human Retroviruses</i> , 1994, 10, 1497-1506.	1.1	85
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102	Implication of RNA structure on antisense oligonucleotide hybridization kinetics. <i>Biochemistry</i> , 1992, 31, 12055-12061.	2.5	236
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106	Chromosomal mapping of the ubiquitin gene family in <i>Saccharomyces cerevisiae</i> by pulsed field gel electrophoresis. <i>Nucleic Acids Research</i> , 1989, 17, 3611-3612.	14.5	10
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