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## List of Publications by Year in descending order

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#	ARTICLE	IF	CITATIONS
1	Search and pursuit-evasion in mobile robotics. <i>Autonomous Robots</i> , 2011, 31, 299-316.	3.2	434
2	Sensor Planning for a Symbiotic UAV and UGV System for Precision Agriculture. <i>IEEE Transactions on Robotics</i> , 2016, 32, 1498-1511.	7.3	339
3	Development and field evaluation of a strawberry harvesting robot with a cable-driven gripper. <i>Computers and Electronics in Agriculture</i> , 2019, 157, 392-402.	3.7	157
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5	The role of information in the cop-robber game. <i>Theoretical Computer Science</i> , 2008, 399, 179-190.	0.5	97
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7	Robotic data mules for collecting data over sparse sensor fields. <i>Journal of Field Robotics</i> , 2011, 28, 388-404.	3.2	83
8	Energy-optimal trajectory planning for car-like robots. <i>Autonomous Robots</i> , 2014, 37, 279-300.	3.2	83
9	Lion and man with visibility in monotone polygons. <i>International Journal of Robotics Research</i> , 2014, 33, 155-181.	5.8	76
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18	Capturing an evader in polygonal environments with obstacles: The full visibility case. <i>International Journal of Robotics Research</i> , 2012, 31, 1176-1189.	5.8	52

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19	Multi-target visual tracking with aerial robots. , 2014, , .		52
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29	A Novel Method for the Extrinsic Calibration of a 2D Laser Rangefinder and a Camera. IEEE Sensors Journal, 2018, 18, 4200-4211.	2.4	35
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37	Vision-Based UAV Navigation in Orchards <sup>***</sup> This work is supported in part by NSF Awards 1111638, 1525045 and the MnDrive initiative. The authors thank Professors Emily Hoover, Cindy Tong and James Luby from the Department of Horticultural Science, University of Minnesota for access to their orchards and useful discussions. We also thank Dr. Krishna Doddapaneni for his help with the experiments. <i>IFAC PapersOnline</i> , 2016, 49, 10-15.	0.5	25
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43	Controller design for human-robot interaction. <i>Autonomous Robots</i> , 2008, 24, 123-134.	3.2	18
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50	Surveying apple orchards with a monocular vision system. , 2016, , .		15
51	Building a 3D Virtual Museum of Native American Baskets. , 2006, , .		14
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60	Air To Ground Collaboration For Energy-efficient Path Planning For Ground Robots. , 2019, , .		10
61	Acoustic Collision Detection and Localization for Robot Manipulators. , 2020, , .		10
62	Sensor Selection in Arbitrary Dimensions. IEEE Transactions on Automation Science and Engineering, 2008, 5, 651-660.	3.4	9
63	Pursuit-Evasion: A Toolkit to Make Applications More Accessible [Tutorial]. IEEE Robotics and Automation Magazine, 2016, 23, 138-149.	2.2	9
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65	Visual Coverage Path Planning for Urban Environments. IEEE Robotics and Automation Letters, 2020, 5, 5961-5968.	3.3	9
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87	Modeling human motion patterns for multi-robot planning. , 2012, , .		4
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