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92	MiR-218 suppresses nasopharyngeal cancer progression through downregulation of survivin and the SLIT2-ROBO1 pathway. <i>Cancer Research</i> , <b>2011</b> , 71, 2381-91	10.1	228
91	MicroRNA-301 mediates proliferation and invasion in human breast cancer. <i>Cancer Research</i> , <b>2011</b> , 71, 2926-37	10.1	214
90	Circulating microRNAs in breast cancer: novel diagnostic and prognostic biomarkers. <i>Cell Death and Disease</i> , <b>2017</b> , 8, e3045	9.8	196
89	MUC1 immunobiology: from discovery to clinical applications. <i>Advances in Immunology</i> , <b>2004</b> , 82, 249-9.	<b>3</b> 5.6	179
88	Enhancer of Zeste homolog 2 (EZH2) is overexpressed in recurrent nasopharyngeal carcinoma and is regulated by miR-26a, miR-101, and miR-98. <i>Cell Death and Disease</i> , <b>2010</b> , 1, e85	9.8	137
87	Significance of Plk1 regulation by miR-100 in human nasopharyngeal cancer. <i>International Journal of Cancer</i> , <b>2010</b> , 126, 2036-48	7.5	98
86	microRNA-320/RUNX2 axis regulates adipocytic differentiation of human mesenchymal (skeletal) stem cells. <i>Cell Death and Disease</i> , <b>2014</b> , 5, e1499	9.8	97
85	microRNA expression profiling on individual breast cancer patients identifies novel panel of circulating microRNA for early detection. <i>Scientific Reports</i> , <b>2016</b> , 6, 25997	4.9	81
84	Targeting uroporphyrinogen decarboxylase for head and neck cancer treatment. <i>BMC Proceedings</i> , <b>2013</b> , 7,	2.3	78
83	Significance of dysregulated metadherin and microRNA-375 in head and neck cancer. <i>Clinical Cancer Research</i> , <b>2011</b> , 17, 7539-50	12.9	75
82	Genome-wide mRNA and miRNA expression profiling reveal multiple regulatory networks in colorectal cancer. <i>Cell Death and Disease</i> , <b>2015</b> , 6, e1614	9.8	72
81	Lin28b promotes head and neck cancer progression via modulation of the insulin-like growth factor survival pathway. <i>Oncotarget</i> , <b>2012</b> , 3, 1641-52	3.3	67
80	Single-Cell Transcriptome Analysis Highlights a Role for Neutrophils and Inflammatory Macrophages in the Pathogenesis of Severe COVID-19. <i>Cells</i> , <b>2020</b> , 9,	7.9	65
79	Quantitative ultrasound characterization of cancer radiotherapy effects in vitro. <i>International Journal of Radiation Oncology Biology Physics</i> , <b>2008</b> , 72, 1236-43	4	65
78	MicroRNA-320 suppresses colorectal cancer by targeting SOX4, FOXM1, and FOXQ1. <i>Oncotarget</i> , <b>2016</b> , 7, 35789-35802	3.3	62
77	microRNAs as regulators of adipogenic differentiation of mesenchymal stem cells. <i>Stem Cells and Development</i> , <b>2015</b> , 24, 417-25	4.4	54
76	Targeted depletion of BMI1 sensitizes tumor cells to P53-mediated apoptosis in response to radiation therapy. <i>Cell Death and Differentiation</i> , <b>2009</b> , 16, 1469-79	12.7	53

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75	MicroRNA-196b regulates the homeobox B7-vascular endothelial growth factor axis in cervical cancer. <i>PLoS ONE</i> , <b>2013</b> , 8, e67846	3.7	52
74	In vitro differentiation of human skin-derived multipotent stromal cells into putative endothelial-like cells. <i>BMC Developmental Biology</i> , <b>2012</b> , 12, 7	3.1	50
73	MicroRNA-193b enhances tumor progression via down regulation of neurofibromin 1. <i>PLoS ONE</i> , <b>2013</b> , 8, e53765	3.7	50
72	Protein Coding and Long Noncoding RNA (lncRNA) Transcriptional Landscape in SARS-CoV-2 Infected Bronchial Epithelial Cells Highlight a Role for Interferon and Inflammatory Response. <i>Genes</i> , <b>2020</b> , 11,	4.2	48
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70	SOX4: Epigenetic regulation and role in tumorigenesis. Seminars in Cancer Biology, <b>2020</b> , 67, 91-104	12.7	43
69	Rapid Biological Synthesis of Silver Nanoparticles Using Plant Seed Extracts and Their Cytotoxicity on Colorectal Cancer Cell Lines. <i>Journal of Cluster Science</i> , <b>2017</b> , 28, 595-605	3	39
68	Long non-coding RNA (lncRNA) transcriptional landscape in breast cancer identifies LINC01614 as non-favorable prognostic biomarker regulated by TGFIand focal adhesion kinase (FAK) signaling. <i>Cell Death Discovery</i> , <b>2019</b> , 5, 109	6.9	38
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66	Pleiotropic effects of cancer cellsTsecreted factors on human stromal (mesenchymal) stem cells. <i>Stem Cell Research and Therapy</i> , <b>2013</b> , 4, 114	8.3	36
65	PD-L1 Blockade by Atezolizumab Downregulates Signaling Pathways Associated with Tumor Growth, Metastasis, and Hypoxia in Human Triple Negative Breast Cancer. <i>Cancers</i> , <b>2019</b> , 11,	6.6	33
64	Efficacy of combining GMX1777 with radiation therapy for human head and neck carcinoma. <i>Clinical Cancer Research</i> , <b>2010</b> , 16, 898-911	12.9	33
63	Therapeutic efficacy of seliciclib in combination with ionizing radiation for human nasopharyngeal carcinoma. <i>Clinical Cancer Research</i> , <b>2009</b> , 15, 3716-24	12.9	31
62	Molecular profiling of ALDH1 colorectal cancer stem cells reveals preferential activation of MAPK, FAK, and oxidative stress pro-survival signalling pathways. <i>Oncotarget</i> , <b>2018</b> , 9, 13551-13564	3.3	30
61	Noncoding RNAs as potential mediators of resistance to cancer immunotherapy. <i>Seminars in Cancer Biology</i> , <b>2020</b> , 65, 65-79	12.7	28
60	Bone morphogenetic protein 2 (BMP2) induces growth suppression and enhances chemosensitivity of human colon cancer cells. <i>Cancer Cell International</i> , <b>2016</b> , 16, 77	6.4	27
59	Transcriptomic profiling disclosed the role of DNA methylation and histone modifications in tumor-infiltrating myeloid-derived suppressor cell subsets in colorectal cancer. <i>Clinical Epigenetics</i> , <b>2020</b> , 12, 13	7.7	26
58	Local radiotherapy induces homing of hematopoietic stem cells to the irradiated bone marrow. <i>Cancer Research</i> , <b>2007</b> , 67, 10112-6	10.1	26

57	Uroporphyrinogen decarboxylase is a radiosensitizing target for head and neck cancer. <i>Science Translational Medicine</i> , <b>2011</b> , 3, 67ra7	17.5	25
56	An increase in cellular size variance contributes to the increase in ultrasound backscatter during cell death. <i>Ultrasound in Medicine and Biology</i> , <b>2010</b> , 36, 1546-58	3.5	25
55	Integrated Transcriptome and Pathway Analyses Revealed Multiple Activated Pathways in Breast Cancer. <i>Frontiers in Oncology</i> , <b>2019</b> , 9, 910	5.3	24
54	MicroRNA-4739 regulates osteogenic and adipocytic differentiation of immortalized human bone marrow stromal cells via targeting LRP3. <i>Stem Cell Research</i> , <b>2017</b> , 20, 94-104	1.6	23
53	CDH1 and IL1-beta expression dictates FAK and MAPKK-dependent cross-talk between cancer cells and human mesenchymal stem cells. <i>Stem Cell Research and Therapy</i> , <b>2015</b> , 6, 135	8.3	23
52	CUDC-907 Promotes Bone Marrow Adipocytic Differentiation Through Inhibition of Histone Deacetylase and Regulation of Cell Cycle. <i>Stem Cells and Development</i> , <b>2017</b> , 26, 353-362	4.4	21
51	Epigenetic Library Screen Identifies Abexinostat as Novel Regulator of Adipocytic and Osteoblastic Differentiation of Human Skeletal (Mesenchymal) Stem Cells. <i>Stem Cells Translational Medicine</i> , <b>2016</b> , 5, 1036-47	6.9	21
50	TGF1-Induced Differentiation of Human Bone Marrow-Derived MSCs Is Mediated by Changes to the Actin Cytoskeleton. <i>Stem Cells International</i> , <b>2018</b> , 2018, 6913594	5	21
49	Transcriptomic Analyses Revealed Systemic Alterations in Gene Expression in Circulation and Tumor Microenvironment of Colorectal Cancer Patients. <i>Cancers</i> , <b>2019</b> , 11,	6.6	19
48	Single-cell long noncoding RNA (lncRNA) transcriptome implicates MALAT1 in triple-negative breast cancer (TNBC) resistance to neoadjuvant chemotherapy. <i>Cell Death Discovery</i> , <b>2021</b> , 7, 23	6.9	19
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44	Large-Scale Analysis of Gene Expression Data Reveals a Novel Gene Expression Signature Associated with Colorectal Cancer Distant Recurrence. <i>PLoS ONE</i> , <b>2016</b> , 11, e0167455	3.7	16
43	Neoplastic Transformation of Human Mesenchymal Stromal Cells Mediated via LIN28B. <i>Scientific Reports</i> , <b>2019</b> , 9, 8101	4.9	15
42	Resveratrol inhibits adipocyte differentiation and cellular senescence of human bone marrow stromal stem cells. <i>Bone</i> , <b>2020</b> , 133, 115252	4.7	15
41	Oxygen-independent degradation of HIF-alpha via bioengineered VHL tumour suppressor complex. <i>EMBO Molecular Medicine</i> , <b>2009</b> , 1, 66-78	12	15
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38	SERPINB2 is a novel TGFE esponsive lineage fate determinant of human bone marrow stromal cells. <i>Scientific Reports</i> , <b>2017</b> , 7, 10797	4.9	13
37	Pembrolizumab Interferes with the Differentiation of Human FOXP3-Induced T Regulatory Cells, but Not with FOXP3 Stability, through Activation of mTOR. <i>Journal of Immunology</i> , <b>2020</b> , 204, 199-211	5.3	13
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25	Epigenetic regulation of triple negative breast cancer (TNBC) by TGF-Isignaling. <i>Scientific Reports</i> , <b>2021</b> , 11, 15410	4.9	8
24	Convergence of TGFIand BMP signaling in regulating human bone marrow stromal cell differentiation. <i>Scientific Reports</i> , <b>2019</b> , 9, 4977	4.9	7
23	Computational and Transcriptome Analyses Revealed Preferential Induction of Chemotaxis and Lipid Synthesis by SARS-CoV-2. <i>Biology</i> , <b>2020</b> , 9,	4.9	7
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21	Multiple intracellular signaling pathways orchestrate adipocytic differentiation of human bone marrow stromal stem cells. <i>Bioscience Reports</i> , <b>2018</b> , 38,	4.1	6
20	Cancer stem cells. From characterization to therapeutic implications. <i>Journal of King Abdulaziz University, Islamic Economics</i> , <b>2011</b> , 32, 1229-34	1.1	6
19	Gene expression data analysis identifies multiple deregulated pathways in patients with asthma. <i>Bioscience Reports</i> , <b>2018</b> , 38,	4.1	5
18	Identification of PBMC-based molecular signature associational with COVID-19 disease severity. <i>Heliyon</i> , <b>2021</b> , 7, e06866	3.6	5
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3	Integrated whole transcriptome and small RNA analysis revealed multiple regulatory networks in colorectal cancer. <i>Scientific Reports</i> , <b>2021</b> , 11, 14456	4.9	1
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1	Identification of Novel Circulating miRNAs in Patients with Acute Ischemic Stroke <i>International Journal of Molecular Sciences</i> , <b>2022</b> , 23,	6.3	1