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List of Publications by Year
in descending order

93 papers	9,577 citations	66315 42 h-index	46771 89 g-index
95 all docs	95 docs citations	95 times ranked	12408 citing authors

#	Article	IF	Citations
1	Accelerated modern humanâ€“induced species losses: Entering the sixth mass extinction. Science Advances, 2015, 1, e1400253.	4.7	2,475
2	Reciprocal Rewards Stabilize Cooperation in the Mycorrhizal Symbiosis. Science, 2011, 333, 880-882.	6.0	1,373
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9	Large carnivores make savanna tree communities less thorny. Science, 2014, 346, 346-349.	6.0	176
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20	Short-term dynamics of an acacia ant community in Laikipia, Kenya. Oecologia, 2000, 123, 425-435.	0.9	99
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26	Piecewise Disassembly of a Large-Herbivore Community across a Rainfall Gradient: The UHURU Experiment. PLoS ONE, 2013, 8, e55192.	1.1	80
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56	Effects of fire on bird diversity and abundance in an East African savanna. African Journal of Ecology, 2006, 44, 165-170.	0.4	21
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