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List of Publications by Year
in descending order

119 papers	10,433 citations	44069 48 h-index	37204 96 g-index
154 all docs	154 docs citations	154 times ranked	7110 citing authors

#	Article	IF	Citations
1	Negative plantâ€“soil feedback predicts tree-species relative abundance in a tropical forest. Nature, 2010, 466, 752-755.	27.8	942
2	The ecology of lianas and their role in forests. Trends in Ecology and Evolution, 2002, 17, 223-230.	8.7	778
3	Soil microbes drive the classic plant diversityâ€“productivity pattern. Ecology, 2011, 92, 296-303.	3.2	517
4	Increasing liana abundance and biomass in tropical forests: emerging patterns and putative mechanisms. Ecology Letters, 2011, 14, 397-406.	6.4	421
5	A Mechanistic Explanation for Global Patterns of Liana Abundance and Distribution. American Naturalist, 2005, 166, 262-276.	2.1	390
6	The impact of lianas on tree regeneration in tropical forest canopy gaps: evidence for an alternative pathway of gap-phase regeneration. Journal of Ecology, 2000, 88, 655-666.	4.0	372
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8	Density and diversity of lianas along a chronosequence in a central Panamanian lowland forest. Journal of Tropical Ecology, 2000, 16, 1-19.	1.1	299
9	Lianas suppress tree regeneration and diversity in treefall gaps. Ecology Letters, 2010, 13, 849-857.	6.4	219
10	The impact of lianas on 10â€ƒyears of tree growth and mortality on Barro Colorado Island, Panama. Journal of Ecology, 2010, 98, 879-887.	4.0	215
11	Disentangling above- and below-ground competition between lianas and trees in a tropical forest. Journal of Ecology, 2005, 93, 1115-1125.	4.0	212
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13	Liana Abundance, Diversity, and Distribution on Barro Colorado Island, Panama. PLoS ONE, 2012, 7, e52114.	2.5	150
14	Lianas reduce carbon accumulation and storage in tropical forests. Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences of the United States of America, 2015, 112, 13267-13271.	7.1	147
15	Science on the Rise in Developing Countries. PLoS Biology, 2004, 2, e1.	5.6	143
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18	Spatially disjunct effects of co-occurring competition and facilitation. Ecology Letters, 2005, 8, 1191-1200.	6.4	131

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19	Supplemental protocol for liana censuses. Forest Ecology and Management, 2008, 255, 1044-1049.	3.2	131
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21	Seasonal differences in leaf-level physiology give lianas a competitive advantage over trees in a tropical seasonal forest. Oecologia, 2009, 161, 25-33.	2.0	117
22	Waterâ€use advantage for lianas over trees in tropical seasonal forests. New Phytologist, 2015, 205, 128-136.	7.3	115
23	Differences in leaf traits, leaf internal structure, and spectral reflectance between two communities of lianas and trees: Implications for remote sensing in tropical environments. Remote Sensing of Environment, 2009, 113, 2076-2088.	11.0	110
24	Establishment limitation reduces species recruitment and species richness as soil resources rise. Journal of Ecology, 2004, 92, 339-347.	4.0	106
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26	Water uptake and transport in lianas and co-occurring trees of a seasonally dry tropical forest. Trees - Structure and Function, 2005, 19, 282-289.	1.9	98
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47	Lianas suppress seedling growth and survival of 14 tree species in a Panamanian tropical forest. Ecology, 2016, 97, 215-224.	3.2	55
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60	Tropical dry forest succession and the contribution of lianas to wood area index (WAI). Forest Ecology and Management, 2009, 258, 941-948.	3.2	38
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