List of Publications by Year in descending order

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#	Article	IF	CITATIONS
1	Two Polyurethane Adhesives for PVDF Fixation Show Superior Biocompatibility in a Rat Model. Journal of Investigative Surgery, 2022, 35, 233-239.	0.6	3
2	Characterization of innate and adaptive immune cells involved in the foreign body reaction to polypropylene meshes in the human abdomen. Hernia: the Journal of Hernias and Abdominal Wall Surgery, 2022, 26, 309-323.	0.9	12
3	Quantitative Characterization of Macrophage, Lymphocyte, and Neutrophil Subtypes Within the Foreign Body Granuloma of Human Mesh Explants by 5-Marker Multiplex Fluorescence Microscopy. Frontiers in Medicine, 2022, 9, 777439.	1.2	7
4	PD-1+ T-Cells Correlate with Nerve Fiber Density as a Prognostic Biomarker in Patients with Resected Perihilar Cholangiocarcinoma. Cancers, 2022, 14, 2190.	1.7	4
5	A peritoneal defect covered by intraperitoneal mesh prosthesis effects an increased and distinctive foreign body reaction in a minipig model. Journal of Biomaterials Applications, 2021, 35, 732-739.	1.2	1
6	Basics zu Netzen für die Leistenhernienreparation. , 2021, , 193-196.		0
7	Acute myocardial injury secondary to severe acute liver failure: A retrospective analysis supported by animal data. PLoS ONE, 2021, 16, e0256790.	1.1	3
8	Superior Overall Survival in Patients with Colorectal Cancer, Regular Aspirin Use, and Combined Wild-Type PIK3CA and KRAS-Mutated Tumors. Cancers, 2021, 13, 4959.	1.7	4
9	P042 CHARACTERIZATION OF INNATE AND ADAPTIVE IMMUNE CELLS INVOLVED IN THE FOREIGN BODY REACTION TO POLYPROPYLENE MESHES IN THE HUMAN ABDOMEN. British Journal of Surgery, 2021, 108, .	0.1	0
10	Tissue remodeling macrophages morphologically dominate at the interface of polypropylene surgical meshes in the human abdomen. Hernia: the Journal of Hernias and Abdominal Wall Surgery, 2020, 24, 1175-1189.	0.9	13
11	Comment to: analysing topics using different methods promotes constructive debates. Author's reply. Hernia: the Journal of Hernias and Abdominal Wall Surgery, 2020, 24, 1139-1140.	0.9	1
12	<scp>CD68</scp> + macrophages as crucial components of the foreign body reaction demonstrate an unconventional pattern of functional markers quantified by analysis with double fluorescence staining. Journal of Biomedical Materials Research - Part B Applied Biomaterials, 2020, 108, 3134-3146.	1.6	22
13	META Score: An International Consensus Scoring System on Meshâ€Tissue Adhesions. World Journal of Surgery, 2020, 44, 2935-2943.	0.8	0
14	Improved tissue integration of a new elastic intraperitoneal stoma mesh prosthesis. Journal of Biomedical Materials Research - Part B Applied Biomaterials, 2020, 108, 2250-2257.	1.6	0
15	The Impact of a Nitric Oxide Synthase Inhibitor (L-NAME) on Ischemia–Reperfusion Injury of Cholestatic Livers by Pringle Maneuver and Liver Resection after Bile Duct Ligation in Rats. International Journal of Molecular Sciences, 2019, 20, 2114.	1.8	12
16	Follow Up Data of MRI-Visible Synthetic Meshes for Reinforcement in Large Hiatal Hernia in Comparison to None-Mesh Repair—A Prospective Cohort Study. Frontiers in Surgery, 2019, 6, 17.	0.6	3
17	Elastic TPU Mesh as Abdominal Wall Inlay Significantly Reduces Defect Size in a Minipig Model. Journal of Investigative Surgery, 2019, 32, 501-506.	0.6	5
18	MRI Evaluation of an Elastic TPU Mesh under Pneumoperitoneum in IPOM Position in a Porcine Model. Journal of Investigative Surgery, 2018, 31, 185-191.	0.6	7

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19	AK03, a new recombinant fibrinogenase prevents abdominal adhesions in a rat model without systemic side effects. Journal of Surgical Research, 2018, 222, 85-92.	0.8	5
20	Mesh implants for hernia repair: an update. Expert Review of Medical Devices, 2018, 15, 735-746.	1.4	17
21	Biocompatibility and biomechanical analysis of elastic <scp>TPU</scp> threads as new suture material. Journal of Biomedical Materials Research - Part B Applied Biomaterials, 2017, 105, 99-106.	1.6	26
22	Registry of implants for the reconstruction of pelvic floor in males and females: A feasibility case series. International Journal of Surgery, 2017, 42, 27-33.	1.1	3
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24	InÂvivo imaging of antioxidant response element activity during liver regeneration after partial hepatectomy. Journal of Surgical Research, 2016, 206, 525-535.	0.8	7
25	Analysis of adhesion formation of a new elastic thermoplastic polyurethane (TPU) mesh in comparison to polypropylene (PP) meshes in IPOM position. Journal of the Mechanical Behavior of Biomedical Materials, 2016, 53, 366-372.	1.5	22
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27	Implants in Urogynecology. BioMed Research International, 2015, 2015, 1-3.	0.9	5
28	High Structural Stability of Textile Implants Prevents Pore Collapse and Preserves Effective Porosity at Strain. BioMed Research International, 2015, 2015, 1-7.	0.9	5
29	Mesh for prolapse surgery: Why the fuss?. Post Reproductive Health, 2015, 21, 69-74.	0.3	6
30	Elastic mesh with thermoplastic polyurethane filaments preserves effective porosity of textile implants. Journal of Biomedical Materials Research - Part A, 2015, 103, 2654-2660.	2.1	16
31	Update of guidelines on laparoscopic (TAPP) and endoscopic (TEP) treatment of inguinal hernia (International Endohernia Society). Surgical Endoscopy and Other Interventional Techniques, 2015, 29, 289-321.	1.3	274
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35	Biomechanical analyses of prosthetic mesh repair in a hiatal hernia model. Journal of Biomedical Materials Research - Part B Applied Biomaterials, 2014, 102, 1485-1495.	1.6	5
36	Time-Dependent Changes of Magnetic Resonance Imaging–Visible Mesh Implants in Patients. Investigative Radiology, 2014, 49, 439-444.	3.5	24

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37	Characterisation of the cellular infiltrate in the foreign body granuloma of textile meshes with its impact on collagen deposition. Hernia: the Journal of Hernias and Abdominal Wall Surgery, 2014, 18, 571-578.	0.9	22
38	In vivo characterisation of the inflammatory reaction following mesh implantation in transgenic mice models. Langenbeck's Archives of Surgery, 2014, 399, 579-588.	0.8	9
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40	Gut-liver axis improves with meloxicam treatment after cirrhotic liver resection. World Journal of Gastroenterology, 2014, 20, 14841.	1.4	8
41	Bias-Variation Dilemma Challenges Clinical Trials: Inherent Limitations of Randomized Controlled Trials and Meta-Analyses Comparing Hernia Therapies. International Journal of Clinical Medicine, 2014, 05, 778-789.	0.1	4
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47	Retrieval study at 623 human mesh explants made of polypropylene - impact of mesh class and indication for mesh removal on tissue reaction. , 2013, 101, n/a-n/a.		6
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49	In vivo MRI visualization of mesh shrinkage using surgical implants loaded with superparamagnetic iron oxides. Surgical Endoscopy and Other Interventional Techniques, 2012, 26, 1468-1475.	1.3	52
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51	Modified classification of surgical meshes for hernia repair based on the analyses of 1,000 explanted meshes. Hernia: the Journal of Hernias and Abdominal Wall Surgery, 2012, 16, 251-258.	0.9	156
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54	Damage to the spermatic cord by the Lichtenstein and TAPP procedures in a pig model. Surgical Endoscopy and Other Interventional Techniques, 2011, 25, 146-152.	1.3	13

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55	Guidelines for laparoscopic (TAPP) and endoscopic (TEP) treatment of inguinal Hernia [International Endohernia Society (IEHS)]. Surgical Endoscopy and Other Interventional Techniques, 2011, 25, 2773-2843.	1.3	561
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5 7	Beneficial effects of hydrocortisone or spironolactone coating on foreign body response to mesh biomaterial in a mouse model. Journal of Biomedical Materials Research - Part A, 2011, 99A, 335-343.	2.1	24
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61	Evaluation of the collaborative network of highly correlating skin proteins and its change following treatment with glucocorticoids. Theoretical Biology and Medical Modelling, 2010, 7, 16.	2.1	1
62	Two Controversial Concepts: Standard Procedure in a Standard Patient Versus Tailored Surgery with Procedures Adjusted to Individual Patients. , 2010, , 467-472.		3
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66	Analysis of survival curve configuration is relevant for determining pathogenesis and causation. Medical Hypotheses, 2009, 72, 510-517.	0.8	3
67	Impact of Proinflammatory Cytokine Knockout on Mesh Integration. Journal of Investigative Surgery, 2009, 22, 256-262.	0.6	12
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69	Influence of mesh materials on the integrity of the vas deferens following Lichtenstein hernioplasty: an experimental model. Hernia: the Journal of Hernias and Abdominal Wall Surgery, 2008, 12, 621-626.	0.9	36
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74	Polymeric meshes induce zonal regulation of matrix metalloproteinaseâ $\in 2$ gene expression by macrophages and fibroblasts. FASEB Journal, 2007, 21, 1047-1057.	0.2	25
75	Demands and properties of alloplastic implants for the treatment of stress urinary incontinence. Expert Review of Medical Devices, 2007, 4, 349-359.	1.4	11
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81	Anatomical Limitations of Surgical Techniques. , 2007, , 81-82.		0
82	Risk factors related to recurrence in inguinal hernia repair: a retrospective analysis. Hernia: the Journal of Hernias and Abdominal Wall Surgery, 2006, 10, 309-315.	0.9	92
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86	Incisional Hernia: Open Techniques. World Journal of Surgery, 2005, 29, 1066-1072.	0.8	105
87	Technical consideration for subxiphoidal incisional hernia repair. Hernia: the Journal of Hernias and Abdominal Wall Surgery, 2005, 9, 84-87.	0.9	49
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93	Polypropylene in the intra-abdominal position: Influence of pore size and surface area. Hernia: the Journal of Hernias and Abdominal Wall Surgery, 2004, 8, 365-372.	0.9	115
94	Modified mesh for hernia repair that is adapted to the physiology of the abdominal wall. The European Journal of Surgery, 2003, 164, 951-960.	1.0	225
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100	Impact of Polymer Pore Size on the Interface Scar Formation in a Rat Model. Journal of Surgical Research, 2002, 103, 208-214.	0.8	305
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105	Functional and morphologic properties of a modified mesh for inguinal hernia repair. World Journal of Surgery, 2002, 26, 1472-1480.	0.8	145
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110	Tension banding closure of laparotomies: results of an experimental study in dogs. Langenbeck's Archives of Surgery, 2002, 387, 309-314.	0.8	8
111	Review of Wound Healing with Reference to an Unrepairable Abdominal Hernia. The European Journal of Surgery, 2002, 168, 67-73.	1.0	24
112	Functional impairment and complaints following incisional hernia repair with different polypropylene meshes. Hernia: the Journal of Hernias and Abdominal Wall Surgery, 2001, 5, 142-147.	0.9	190
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119	Abnormal Collagen I to III Distribution in the Skin of Patients with Incisional Hernia. European Surgical Research, 2000, 32, 43-48.	0.6	185
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122	Expression of the Extracellular Matrix Proteins Collagen I, Collagen III and Fibronectin and Matrix Metalloproteinase-1 and -13 in the Skin of Patients with Inguinal Hernia. European Surgical Research, 1999, 31, 480-490.	0.6	112
123	Synthesis of type I and III collagen, expression of fibronectin and matrix metalloproteinases-1 and -13 in hernial sac of patients with inguinal hernia. International Journal of Surgical Investigation, 1999, 1, 219-27.	0.0	39
124	Functional and morphological evaluation of different polypropylene-mesh modifications for abdominal wall repair. Biomaterials, 1998, 19, 2235-2246.	5.7	174
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