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188	Directed 3D cell alignment and elongation in microengineered hydrogels. <i>Biomaterials</i> , 2010 , 31, 6941-6951	15.6	410
187	Mechanical stretch regimen enhances the formation of bioengineered autologous cardiac muscle grafts. <i>Circulation</i> , 2002 , 106, 1137-42	16.7	134
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173	Mechanical Stretch Regimen Enhances the Formation of Bioengineered Autologous Cardiac Muscle Grafts. <i>Circulation</i> , 2002 , 106,	16.7	45
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143	Degenerative aortic valve disease and diabetes: Implications for a link between proteoglycans and diabetic disorders in the aortic valve. <i>Diabetes and Vascular Disease Research</i> , 2019 , 16, 254-269	3.3	14
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140	Impact of severe postoperative complications after cardiac surgery on mortality in patients aged over 80 years. <i>Annals of Thoracic and Cardiovascular Surgery</i> , 2014 , 20, 383-9	1.8	13
139	Complete recovery of fulminant peripartum cardiomyopathy on mechanical circulatory support combined with high-dose bromocriptine therapy. <i>ESC Heart Failure</i> , 2017 , 4, 641-644	3.7	12
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80	Mechanistics of biomass discharge during whole-heart decellularization. <i>Biomedical Materials (Bristol)</i> , 2018 , 13, 035014	3.5	2
79	Soluble CD14 inhibits contractile function and insulin action in primary adult rat cardiomyocytes. <i>Biochimica Et Biophysica Acta - Molecular Basis of Disease</i> , 2017 , 1863, 365-374	6.9	2
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56	Altered mRNA Expression of Interleukin-1 Receptors in Myocardial Tissue of Patients with Left Ventricular Assist Device Support. <i>Journal of Clinical Medicine</i> , 2021 , 10,	5.1	1
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50	Combined heart transplantation and replacement of atheromatous proximal arch. <i>Clinical Case Reports (discontinued)</i> , 2021 , 9, e04073	0.7	1
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