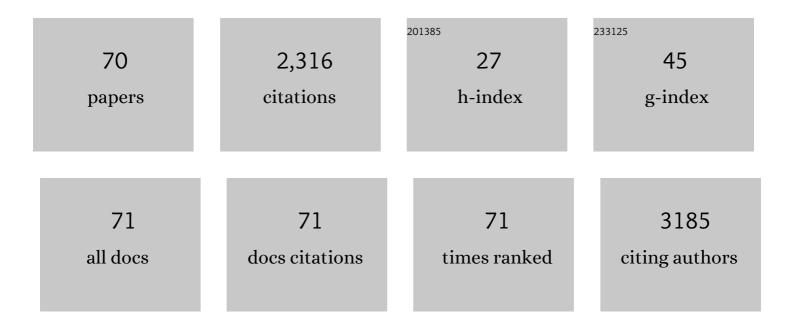
List of Publications by Year in descending order

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#	Article	lF	CITATIONS
1	Antibacterial Activity of Plastics Coated with Silver-Doped Organicâ^'Inorganic Hybrid Coatings Prepared by Solâ^'Gel Processes. Biomacromolecules, 2007, 8, 1246-1254.	2.6	192
2	Detection and preliminary characterization of a bacteriocin (plantaricin 35d) produced by a Lactobacillus plantarum strain. International Journal of Food Microbiology, 2001, 64, 193-198.	2.1	135
3	Water ecology of Legionella and protozoan: environmental and public health perspectives. Biotechnology Annual Review, 2005, 11, 355-380.	2.1	110
4	Preparation and antibacterial activity of hybrid materials containing quaternary ammonium salts via sol–gel process. European Polymer Journal, 2007, 43, 3621-3628.	2.6	93
5	Anti-listerial activity of a polymeric film coated with hybrid coatings doped with Enterocin 416K1 for use as bioactive food packaging. International Journal of Food Microbiology, 2008, 123, 281-287.	2.1	86
6	Vancomycin-resistance Transferability from VanA Enterococci to Staphylococcus aureus. Current Microbiology, 2011, 62, 1363-1367.	1.0	80
7	Inhaled Solid Lipid Microparticles to target alveolar macrophages for tuberculosis. International Journal of Pharmaceutics, 2014, 462, 74-82.	2.6	71
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9	Enterocin 416K1, an antilisterial bacteriocin produced by Enterococcus casseliflavus IM 416K1 isolated from Italian sausages. International Journal of Food Microbiology, 2002, 75, 163-170.	2.1	65
10	Effect of Bacterial Interference on Biofilm Development by Legionella pneumophila. Current Microbiology, 2008, 57, 532-536.	1.0	62
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12	Antibiotic resistance and antibacterial activity in heterotrophic bacteria of mineral water origin. Science of the Total Environment, 2005, 346, 213-219.	3.9	57
13	Vancomycin-resistant enterococci (VRE) in meat and environmental samples. International Journal of Food Microbiology, 2006, 107, 218-222.	2.1	55
14	Phytochemical composition and <i>in vitro</i> screening of the antimicrobial activity of essential oils on oral pathogenic bacteria. Natural Product Research, 2018, 32, 544-551.	1.0	55
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18	A bacteriocin-like substance produced from Lactobacillus pentosus 39 is a natural antagonist for the control of Aeromonas hydrophila and Listeria monocytogenes in fresh salmon fillets. LWT - Food Science and Technology, 2014, 55, 604-611.	2.5	41

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19	Bacteriocin-like substance (BLS) production inAeromonas hydrophilawater isolates. FEMS Microbiology Letters, 2003, 220, 121-125.	0.7	39
20	Detection of bacteriocin production and virulence traits in vancomycin-resistant enterococci of different sources. Journal of Applied Microbiology, 2008, 104, 970-979.	1.4	39
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23	The "immune-mobile brain― Evolutionary evidence. Advances in Neuroimmunology, 1991, 1, 27-39.	1.8	38
24	Bile Acid Transformation by the Intestinal Flora and Cholesterol Saturation in Bile. Digestion, 1982, 23, 80-88.	1.2	36
25	Detection and partial characterization of a bacteriocin-like substance produced by Lactobacillus fermentum CS57 isolated from human vaginal secretions. Anaerobe, 2014, 26, 41-45.	1.0	35
26	Antimicrobial resistance and virulence traits in Enterococcus strains isolated from dogs and cats. New Microbiologica, 2015, 38, 369-78.	0.1	32
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31	<i>Acanthamoeba polyphaga</i> , a potential environmental vector for the transmission of foodâ€borne and opportunistic pathogens. Journal of Basic Microbiology, 2012, 52, 261-268.	1.8	25
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37	Antibacterial activity of <i>Rosmarinus officinalis</i> L. and <i>Thymus vulgaris</i> L. essential oils and their combination against food-borne pathogens and spoilage bacteria in ready-to-eat vegetables. Natural Product Research, 2019, 33, 3568-3572.	1.0	20
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55	In vitro evaluation of the amoebicidal activity of rosemary (<i>Rosmarinus officinalis</i> L.) and cloves (<i>Syzygium aromaticum</i> L. Merr. & Perry) essential oils against <i>Acanthamoeba polyphaga</i> trophozoites. Natural Product Research, 2019, 33, 606-611.	1.0	12
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