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## List of Publications by Year in descending order

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1	The complete genome sequence of the Gram-positive bacterium <i>Bacillus subtilis</i> . <i>Nature</i> , 1997, 390, 249-256.	13.7	3,519
2	The Spo0A regulon of <i>Bacillus subtilis</i> . <i>Molecular Microbiology</i> , 2003, 50, 1683-1701.	1.2	466
3	High- and Low-Threshold Genes in the Spo0A Regulon of <i>Bacillus subtilis</i> . <i>Journal of Bacteriology</i> , 2005, 187, 1357-1368.	1.0	366
4	The Program of Gene Transcription for a Single Differentiating Cell Type during Sporulation in <i>Bacillus subtilis</i> . <i>PLoS Biology</i> , 2004, 2, e328.	2.6	308
5	Evidence that entry into sporulation in <i>Bacillus subtilis</i> is governed by a gradual increase in the level and activity of the master regulator Spo0A. <i>Genes and Development</i> , 2005, 19, 2236-2244.	2.7	255
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7	Paradoxical DNA Repair and Peroxide Resistance Gene Conservation in <i>Bacillus pumilus</i> SAFR-032. <i>PLoS ONE</i> , 2007, 2, e928.	1.1	118
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9	An investigation into the compartmentalization of the sporulation transcription factor $\sigma^E$ in <i>Bacillus subtilis</i> . <i>Molecular Microbiology</i> , 2002, 43, 27-38.	1.2	86
10	The master regulator for entry into sporulation in <i>Bacillus subtilis</i> becomes a cell-specific transcription factor after asymmetric division. <i>Genes and Development</i> , 2003, 17, 1166-1174.	2.7	84
11	Chromosomal Arrangement of Phosphorelay Genes Couples Sporulation and DNA Replication. <i>Cell</i> , 2015, 162, 328-337.	13.5	79
12	Temporal and selective association of multiple $\sigma$ factors with RNA polymerase during sporulation in <i>Bacillus subtilis</i> . <i>Genes To Cells</i> , 2000, 5, 79-88.	0.5	76
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15	Feedback Loops Involving Spo0A and AbrB in In Vitro Transcription of the Genes Involved in the Initiation of Sporulation in <i>Bacillus subtilis</i> . <i>Journal of Biochemistry</i> , 1998, 124, 98-104.	0.9	62
16	Ultrasensitivity of the <i>Bacillus subtilis</i> sporulation decision. <i>Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences of the United States of America</i> , 2012, 109, E3513-22.	3.3	62
17	Transcription of the principal $\sigma$ -factor genes, <i>rpoD</i> and <i>rpoS</i> , in <i>Pseudomonas aeruginosa</i> is controlled according to the growth phase. <i>Molecular Microbiology</i> , 1994, 13, 1071-1077.	1.2	59
18	The Threshold Level of the Sensor Histidine Kinase KinA Governs Entry into Sporulation in <i>Bacillus subtilis</i> . <i>Journal of Bacteriology</i> , 2010, 192, 3870-3882.	1.0	58

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19	Cloning and nucleotide sequence of the gene ( <i>amyP</i> ) for maltotetraose-forming amylase from <i>Pseudomonas stutzeri</i> MO-19. <i>Journal of Bacteriology</i> , 1989, 171, 1333-1339.	1.0	56
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21	Rapid isolation of RNA polymerase from sporulating cells of <i>Bacillus subtilis</i> . <i>Gene</i> , 1998, 221, 185-190.	1.0	44
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32	Transcriptional Profile during Deoxycholate-Induced Sporulation in a <i>Clostridium perfringens</i> Isolate Causing Foodborne Illness. <i>Applied and Environmental Microbiology</i> , 2016, 82, 2929-2942.	1.4	23
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41	In vitro transcription analysis of <i>rpoD</i> in <i>Pseudomonas aeruginosa</i> PAO1. <i>FEMS Microbiology Letters</i> , 1999, 180, 311-316.	0.7	14
42	Expression Level of a Chimeric Kinase Governs Entry into Sporulation in <i>Bacillus subtilis</i> . <i>Journal of Bacteriology</i> , 2011, 193, 6113-6122.	1.0	14
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44	Novel Modulators Controlling Entry into Sporulation in <i>Bacillus subtilis</i> . <i>Journal of Bacteriology</i> , 2013, 195, 1475-1483.	1.0	13
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65	In vitro transcription analysis of rpoD in <i>Pseudomonas aeruginosa</i> PAO1. FEMS Microbiology Letters, 1999, 180, 311-316.	0.7	1