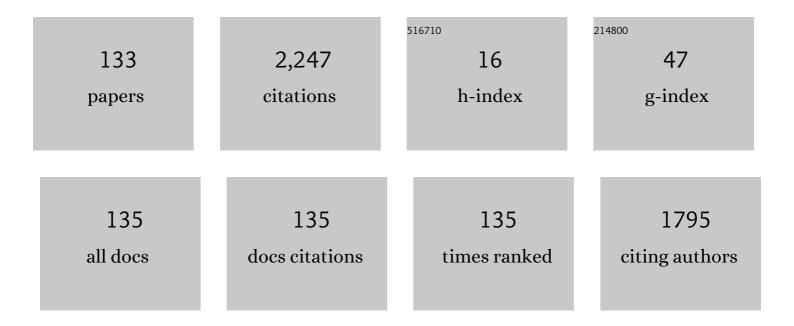
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List of Publications by Year in descending order

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1	Tight Glycemic Control in Diabetic Coronary Artery Bypass Graft Patients Improves Perioperative Outcomes and Decreases Recurrent Ischemic Events. Circulation, 2004, 109, 1497-1502.	1.6	678
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3	Prevention and management of sternal wound infections. Journal of Thoracic and Cardiovascular Surgery, 2016, 152, 962-972.	0.8	191
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8	Early discharge after coronary artery bypass graft surgery: Are patients really going home earlier?. Journal of Thoracic and Cardiovascular Surgery, 2001, 121, 943-950.	0.8	55
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