NON-MELANOMA SKIN CANCER

Incidence

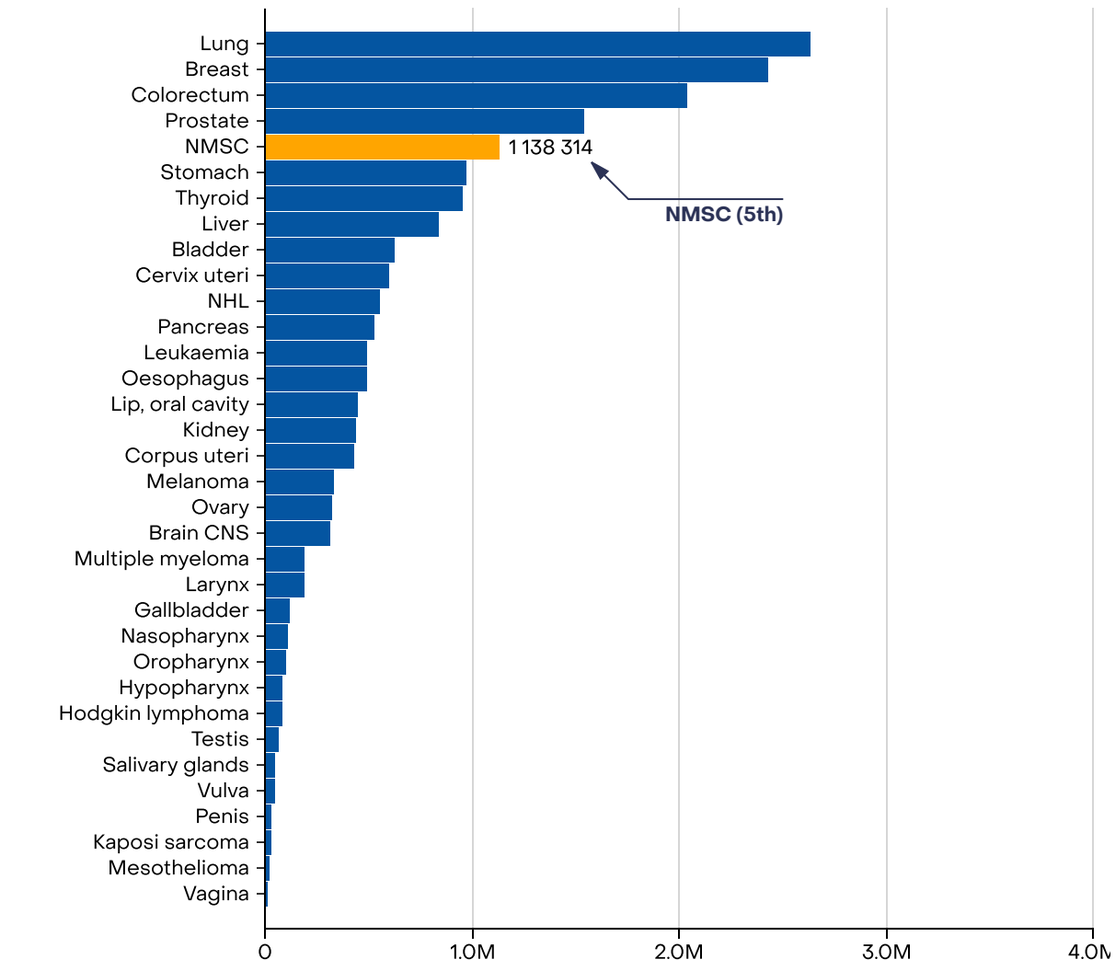
Rank	Cases	ASR (World)
5	1 138 314	9.2

Mortality

Rank	Deaths	ASR (World)
22	58 721	0.47

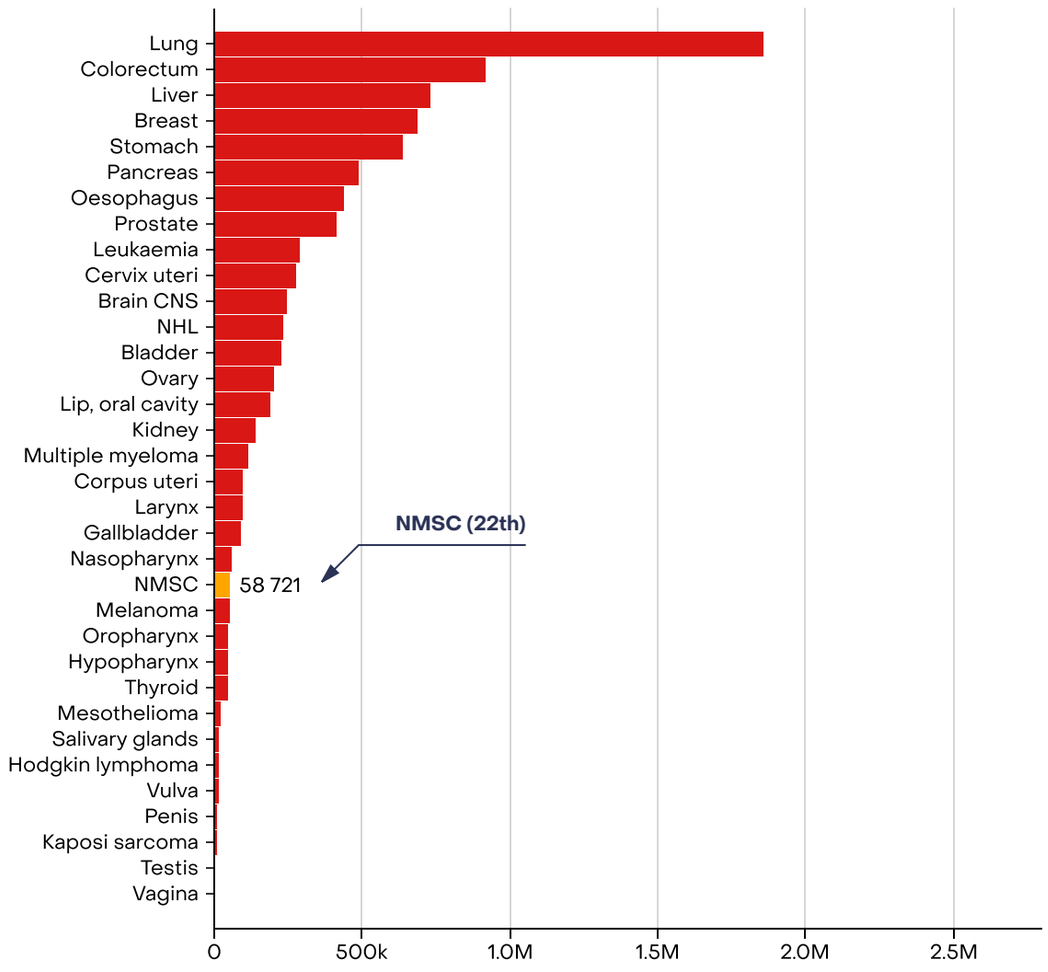
Cancer site ranking

Incidence



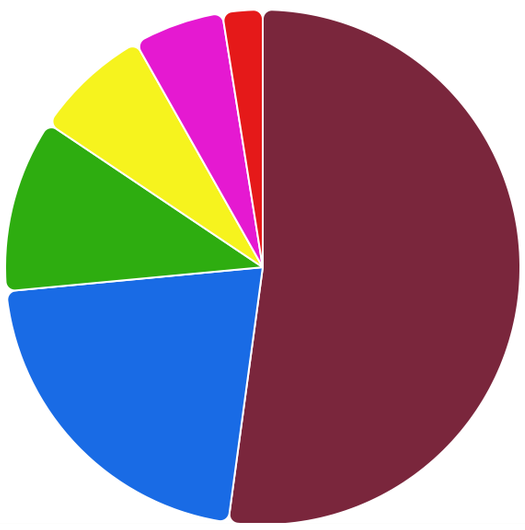
Number of new cases , both sexes, all ages

Mortality



Number of deaths , both sexes, all ages

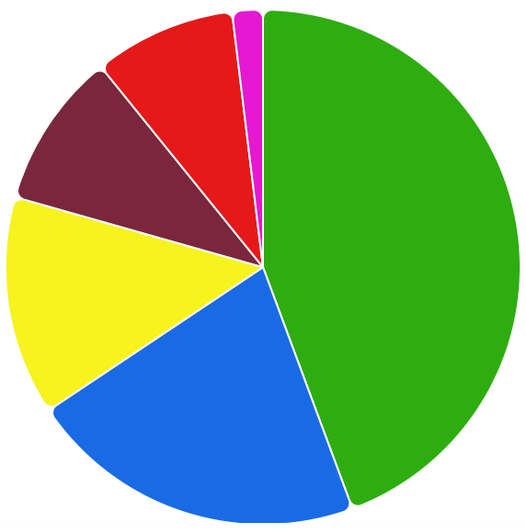
Incidence



Continent	Cases	Percent
Northern America	593 546	52.1%
Europe	243 221	21.4%
Asia	123 971	10.9%
Latin America and the Caribbean	84 270	7.4%
Oceania	64 653	5.7%
Africa	28 653	2.5%

Incidence, both sexes

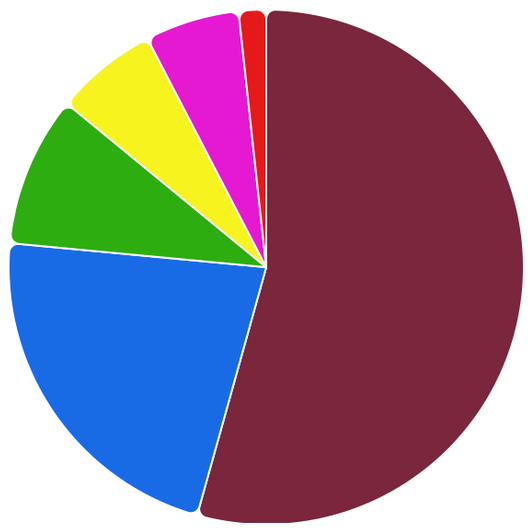
Mortality



Continent	Deaths	Percent
Asia	26 044	44.4%
Europe	12 495	21.3%
Latin America and the Caribbean	8 081	13.8%
Northern America	5 746	9.8%
Africa	5 227	8.9%
Oceania	1 128	1.9%

Mortality, both sexes

Prevalence



Continent	Prev. cases	Percent
Northern America	2 047 064	54.3%
Europe	835 218	22.2%
Asia	355 921	9.4%
Latin America and the Caribbean	242 375	6.4%
Oceania	222 743	5.9%
Africa	64 660	1.7%

5-year prevalence, both sexes

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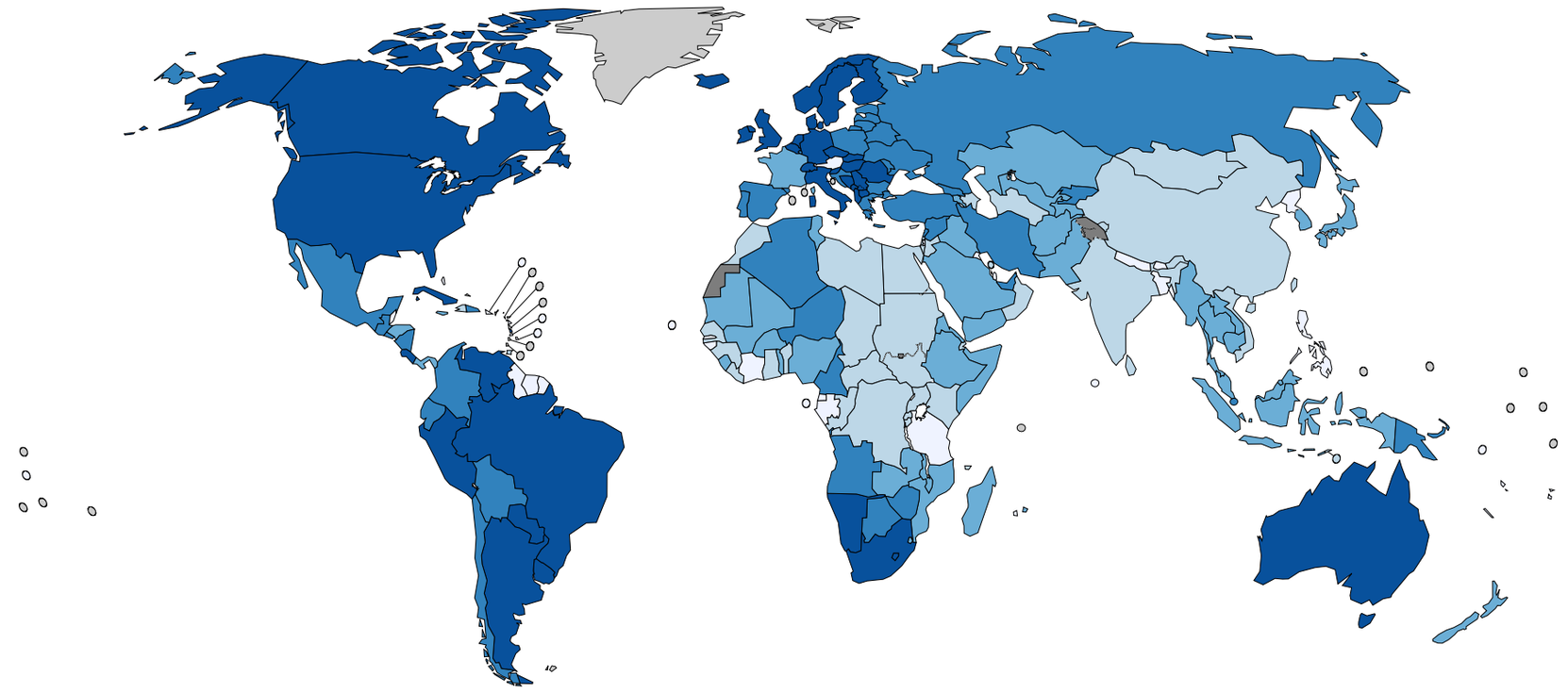
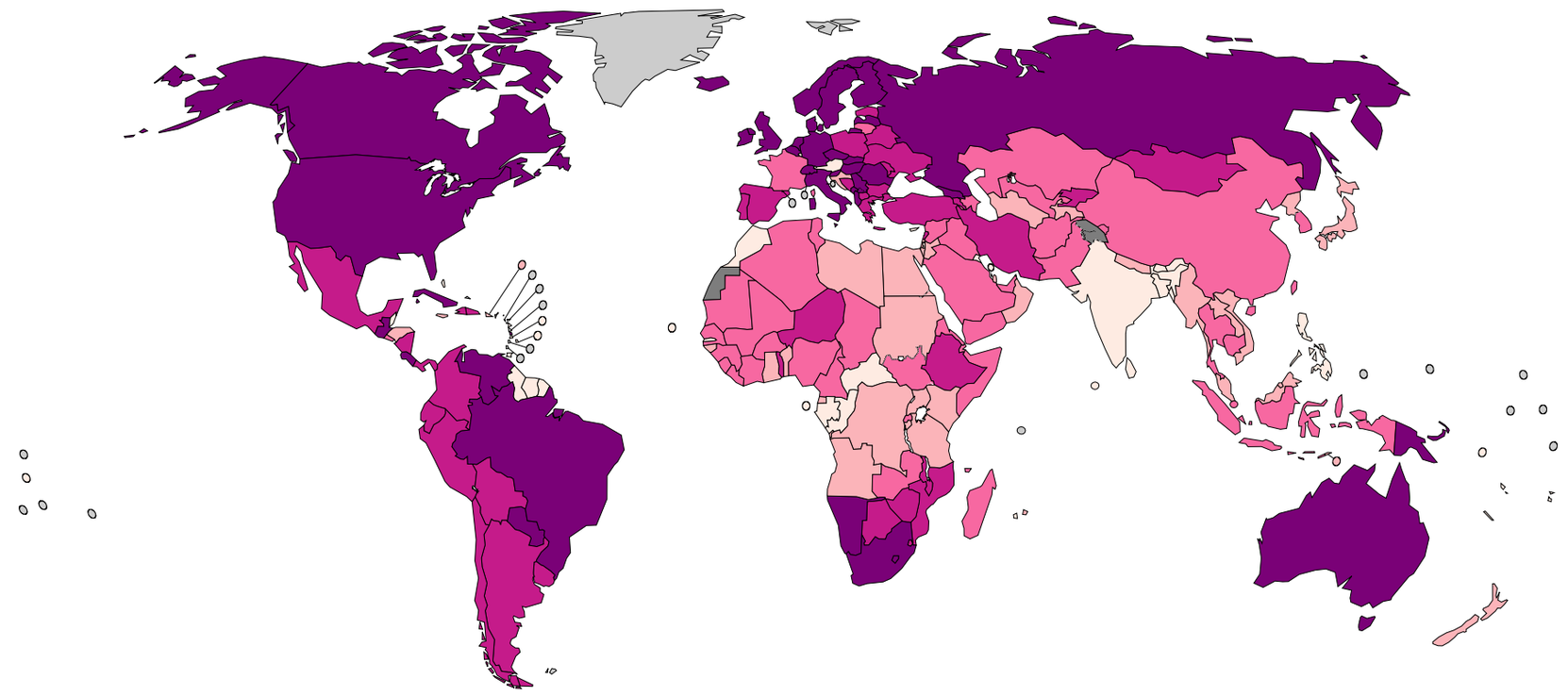
Males



Age standardized (World) incidence rates, Non-melanoma skin cancer, males, all ages

Females



Age standardized (World) incidence rates, Non-melanoma skin cancer, females, all ages

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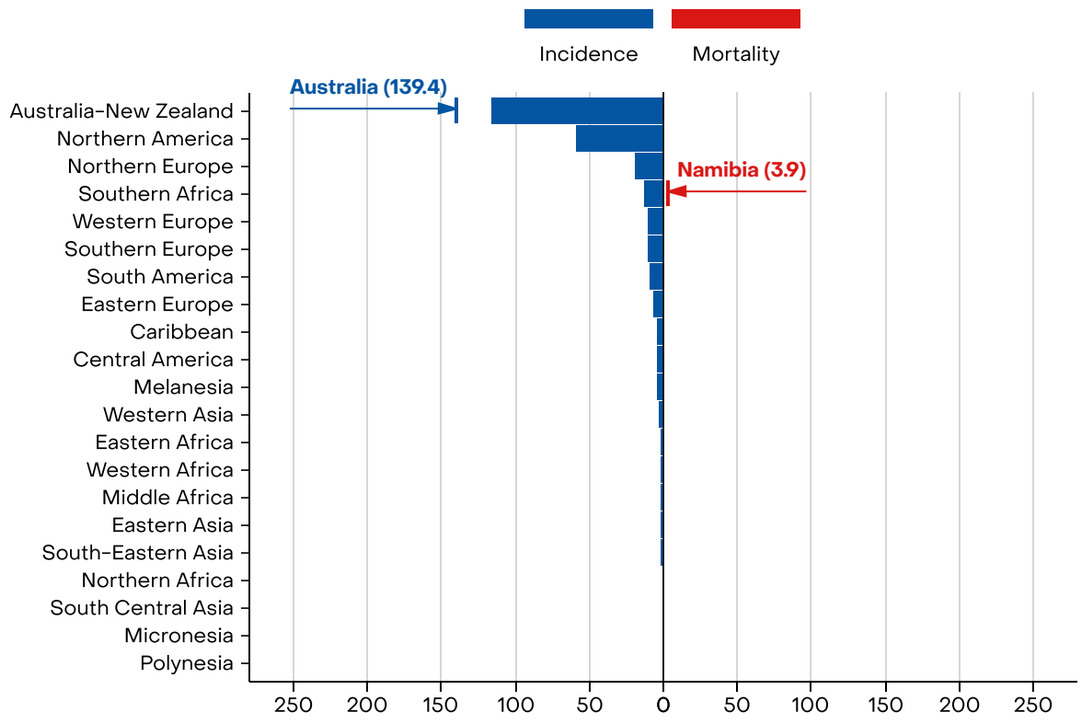
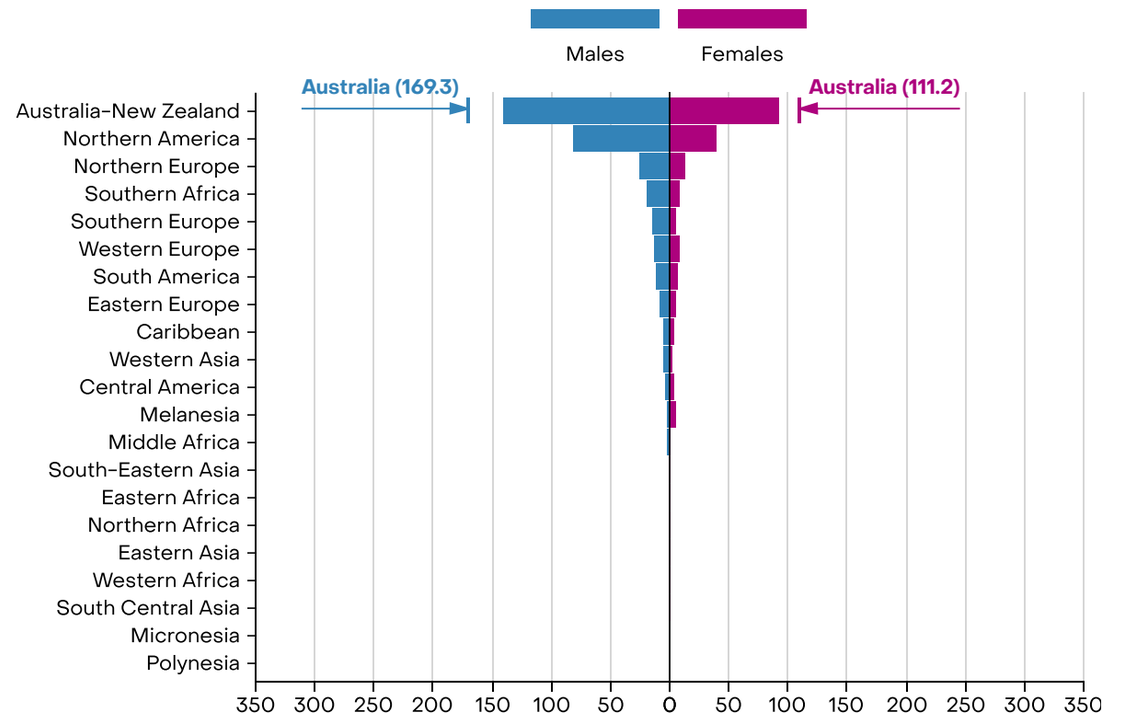


Age-standardized (World) incidence and mortality rates, both sexes, per regions



Age-standardized (World) incidence rates per sex, per regions

* includes non-melanoma skin cancer (NMSC)
** NMSC included in other cancers
Age standardization using world population (see link)

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