

Number of new cases

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Number of deaths

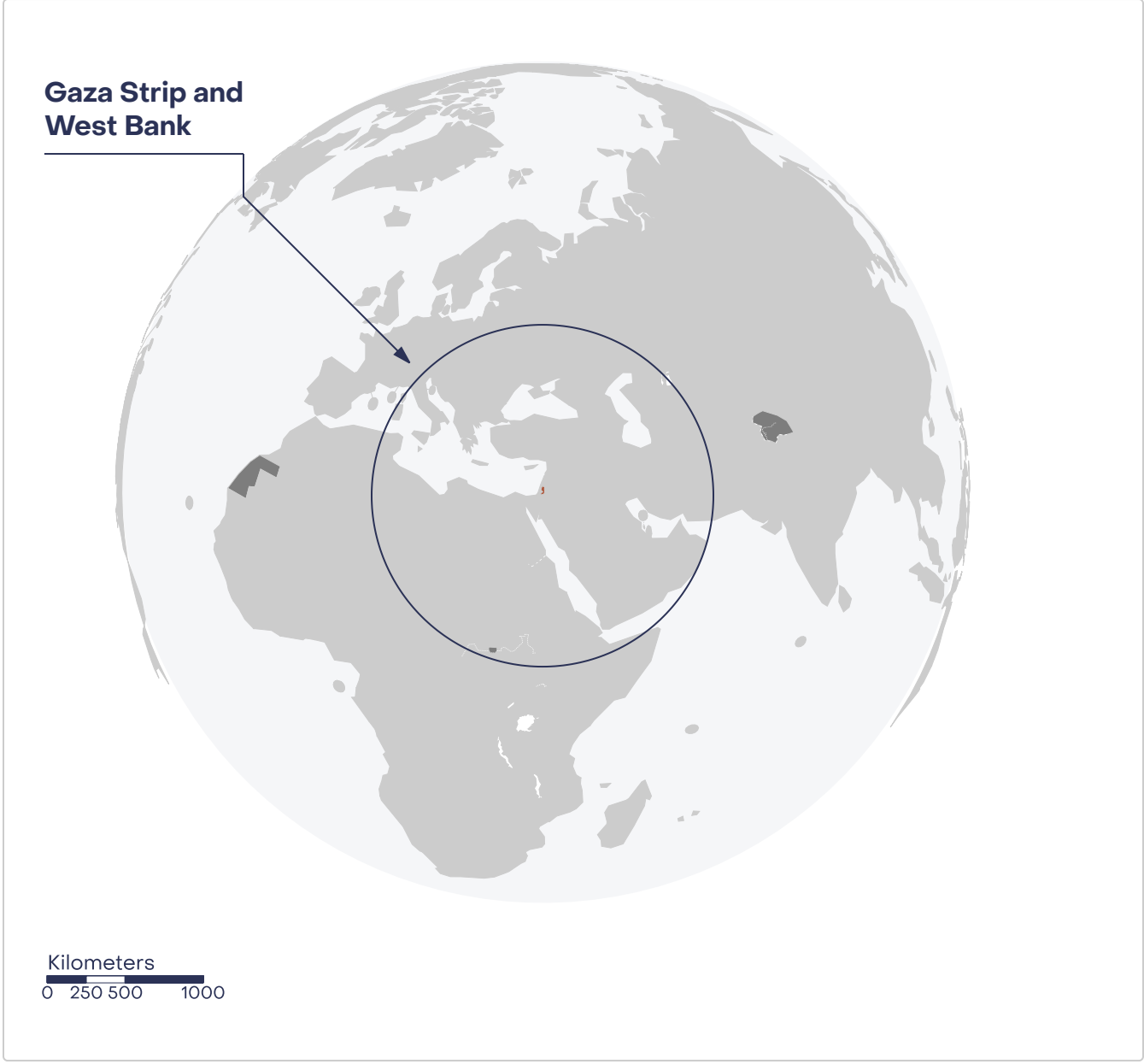
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Number of prevalent cases (5-year)

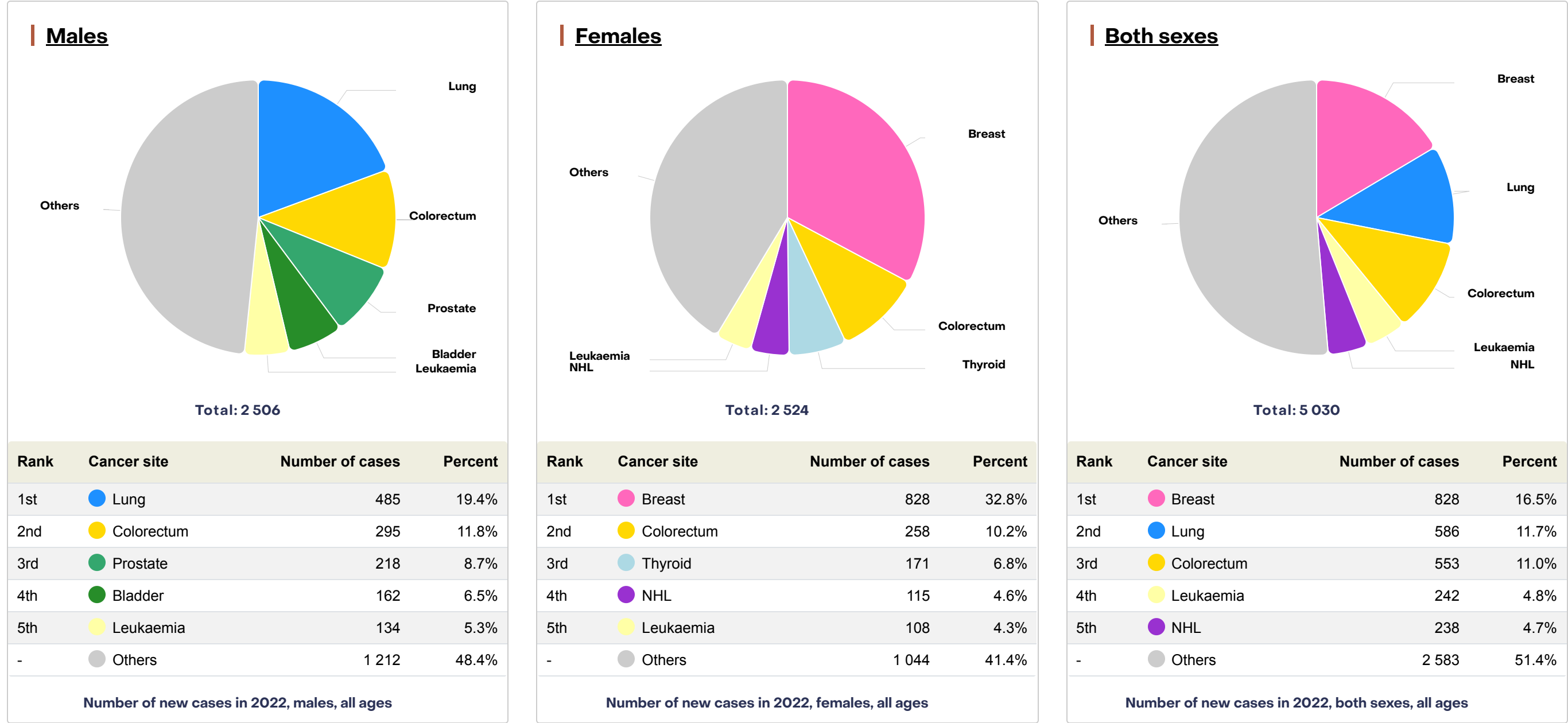
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Statistics at a glance, 2022

	Males	Females	Both sexes
Population	2 710 663	2 634 882	5 345 545
Incidence*			
Number of new cancer cases	2 506	2 524	5 030
Age-standardized incidence rate	165.5	142.6	152.3
Risk of developing cancer before the age of 75 years (cum. risk %)	17.4	14.6	15.9
Top 3 leading cancers (ranked by cases)**	Lung Colorectum Prostate	Breast Colorectum Thyroid	Breast Lung Colorectum
Mortality*			
Number of cancer deaths	1 676	1 335	3 011
Age-standardized mortality rate	117.5	81.5	98.0
Risk of dying from cancer before the age of 75 years (cum. risk %)	12.3	8.8	10.5
Top 3 leading cancers (ranked by deaths)**	Lung Colorectum Leukaemia	Breast Colorectum Lung	Lung Breast Colorectum
Prevalence*			
5-year prevalent cases	5 863	7 092	12 955



Top 5 most frequent cancers**



Incidence, Mortality and Prevalence by cancer site										
	New cases				Deaths				5-year prevalence	
Cancer	Number	Rank	(%)	Cum.risk	Number	Rank	(%)	Cum.risk	Number	Prop. (per 100 000)
Breast	828	1	16.5	5.1	333	2	11.1	2.3	2 526	95.9
Lung	586	2	11.7	2.4	543	1	18.0	2.3	792	14.8
Colorectum	553	3	11.0	2.2	323	3	10.7	1.2	1 512	28.3
Leukaemia	242	4	4.8	0.60	194	4	6.4	0.57	722	13.5
NHL	238	5	4.7	0.74	133	6	4.4	0.48	739	13.8
Prostate	218	6	4.3	2.1	74	12	2.5	0.49	490	18.1
Thyroid	218	6	4.3	0.47	32	19	1.1	0.12	726	13.6
Bladder	189	8	3.8	0.78	92	10	3.1	0.36	557	10.4
Brain CNS	158	9	3.1	0.35	129	7	4.3	0.33	571	10.7
Stomach	156	10	3.1	0.56	123	9	4.1	0.43	248	4.6
Liver	152	11	3.0	0.61	139	5	4.6	0.59	231	4.3
Pancreas	131	12	2.6	0.51	126	8	4.2	0.51	134	2.5
Kidney	115	13	2.3	0.36	54	13	1.8	0.20	341	6.4
Hodgkin lymphoma	108	14	2.1	0.16	37	16	1.2	0.09	384	7.2
Corpus uteri	107	15	2.1	0.88	29	20	0.96	0.26	358	13.6
Multiple myeloma	96	16	1.9	0.40	81	11	2.7	0.33	251	4.7
Larynx	78	17	1.6	0.32	52	15	1.7	0.21	232	4.3
Ovary	74	18	1.5	0.48	53	14	1.8	0.41	211	8.0
Cervix uteri	59	19	1.2	0.34	37	16	1.2	0.28	184	7.0
Testis	45	20	0.90	0.12	11	25	0.37	0.03	163	6.0
Gallbladder	44	21	0.88	0.18	34	18	1.1	0.14	60	1.1
Lip, oral cavity	38	22	0.76	0.16	22	21	0.73	0.09	105	2.0
Nasopharynx	24	23	0.48	0.07	17	23	0.56	0.05	80	1.5
Melanoma	24	23	0.48	0.07	12	24	0.40	0.03	81	1.5
Oesophagus	22	25	0.44	0.09	22	21	0.73	0.09	39	0.73
Salivary glands	14	26	0.28	0.05	8	26	0.27	0.05	42	0.79
Kaposi sarcoma	7	27	0.14	0.04	1	30	0.03	0.00	6	0.11
Mesothelioma	5	28	0.10	0.02	5	27	0.17	0.02	8	0.15
Vulva	5	28	0.10	0.06	2	28	0.07	0.03	15	0.57
Oropharynx	4	30	0.08	0.02	1	30	0.03	0.01	11	0.21
Vagina	2	31	0.04	0.03	2	28	0.07	0.03	4	0.15
Hypopharynx	0	32	0.00	0.00	0	32	0.00	0.00	0	0.00
All cancers	5 030	-	-	15.9	3 011	-	-	10.5	12 955	-
All cancers excl. NMSC	4 978	-	-	15.8	2 995	-	-	10.4	12 782	-

Data source and methods

Incidence

Country-specific data source: No data
Method: No data: the rates are those of neighbouring countries or registries in the same area

[Click here to see detailed data source and methods](#)

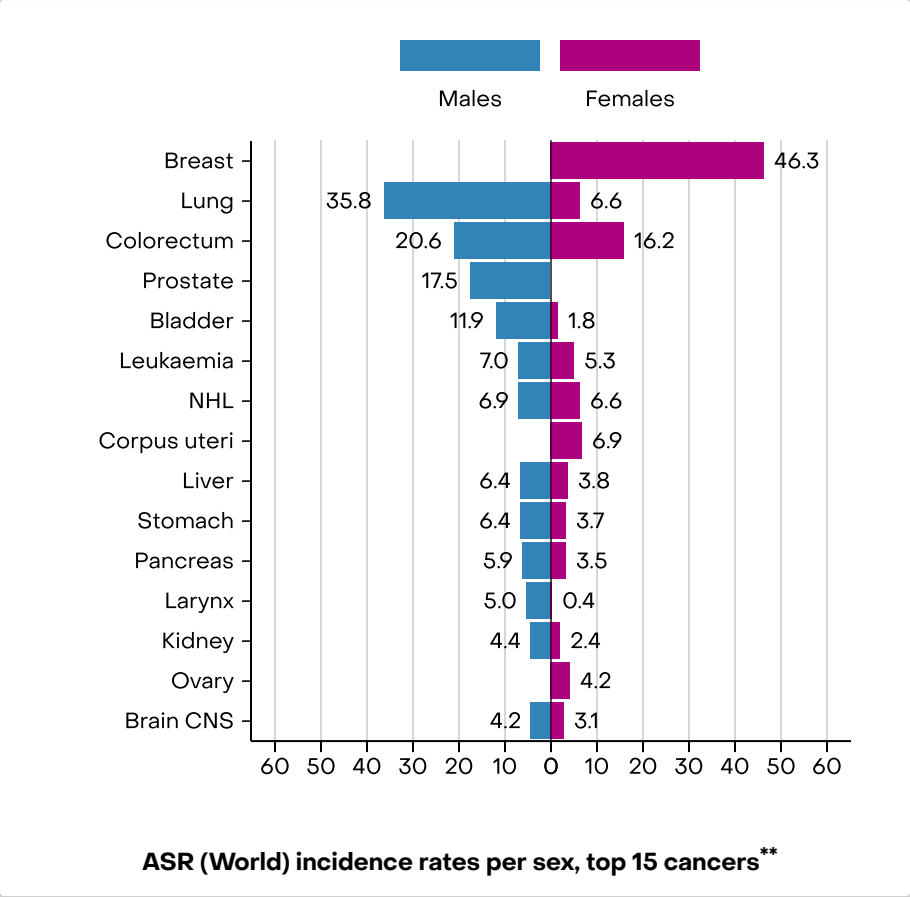
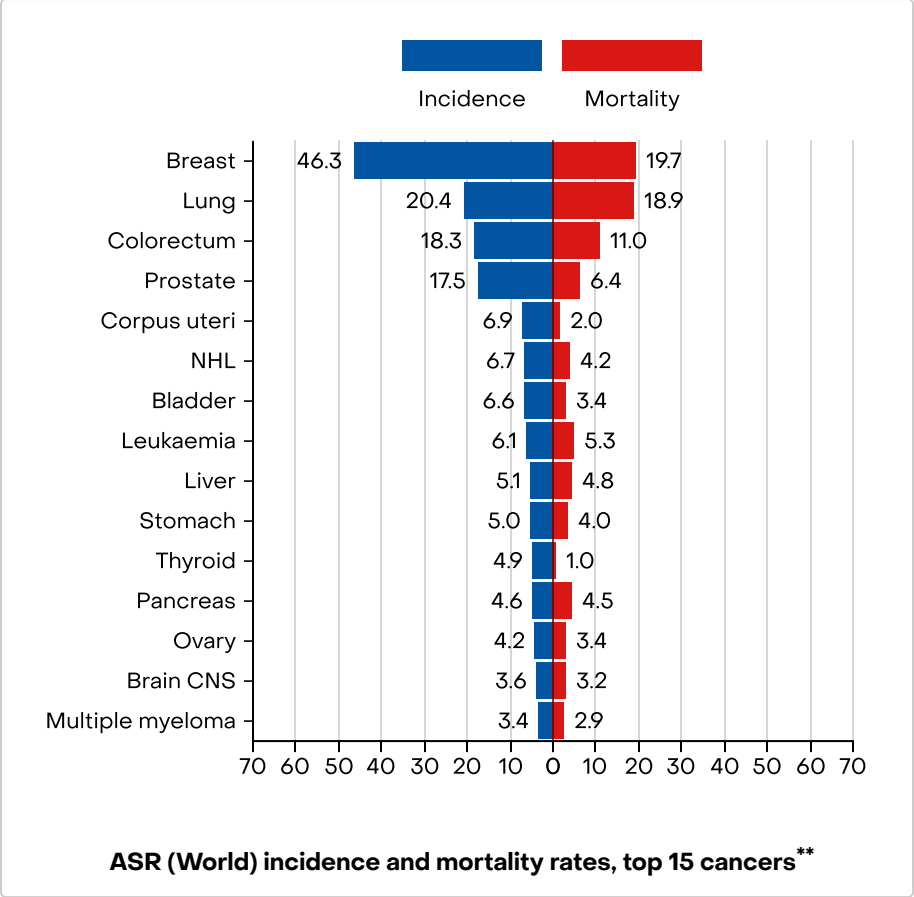
Mortality

Country-specific data source: Survival estimates
Method: Estimated from national incidence estimates by modelling, using mortality:incidence ratios derived from survival estimation

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Prevalence

Computed using sex-, site- and age-specific incidence to 1-;3- and 5-year prevalence ratios from Nordic countries for the period (2011–2020), and scaled using Human Development Index (HDI) ratios.



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

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