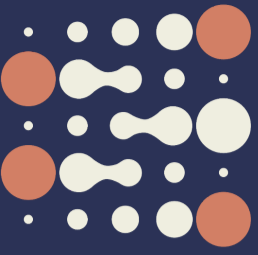


# UNITED STATES OF AMERICA



Number of new cases

**2 380 189**

Number of deaths

**605 761**

Number of prevalent cases (5-year)

**7 845 698**

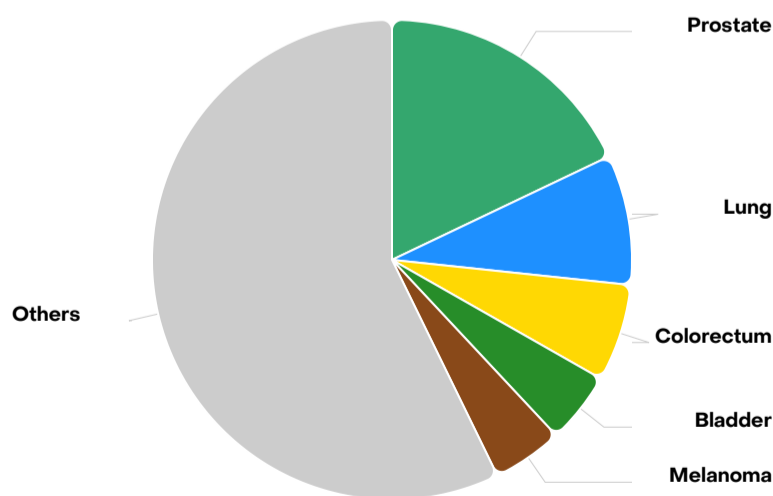
## Statistics at a glance, 2022

	Males	Females	Both sexes
<b>Population</b>	165 658 009	169 147 259	334 805 268
<b>Incidence*</b>			
Number of new cancer cases	1 283 898	1 096 291	2 380 189
Age-standardized incidence rate	401.7	341.7	367.0
Risk of developing cancer before the age of 75 years (cum. risk %)	37.1	31.7	34.3
<b>Top 3 leading cancers (ranked by cases)**</b>	Prostate Lung Colorectum	Breast Lung Colorectum	Breast Prostate Lung
<b>Mortality*</b>			
Number of cancer deaths	320 641	285 120	605 761
Age-standardized mortality rate	93.2	73.6	82.3
Risk of dying from cancer before the age of 75 years (cum. risk %)	9.7	7.9	8.8
<b>Top 3 leading cancers (ranked by deaths)**</b>	Lung Prostate Colorectum	Lung Breast Colorectum	Lung Colorectum Pancreas
<b>Prevalence*</b>			
5-year prevalent cases	4 082 871	3 762 827	7 845 698



## Top 5 most frequent cancers\*\*

**Males**

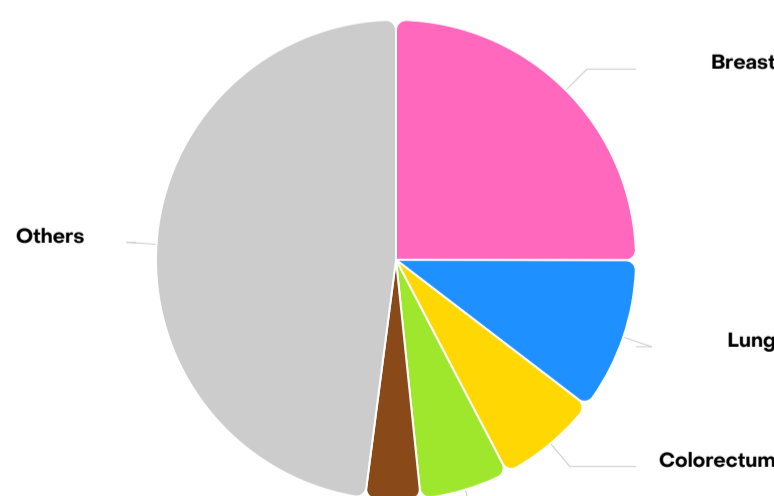


Total: 1 283 898

Rank	Cancer site	Number of cases	Percent
1st	Prostate	230 125	17.9%
2nd	Lung	112 343	8.8%
3rd	Colorectum	84 172	6.6%
4th	Bladder	61 657	4.8%
5th	Melanoma	60 762	4.7%
-	Others	734 839	57.2%

Number of new cases in 2022, males, all ages

**Females**

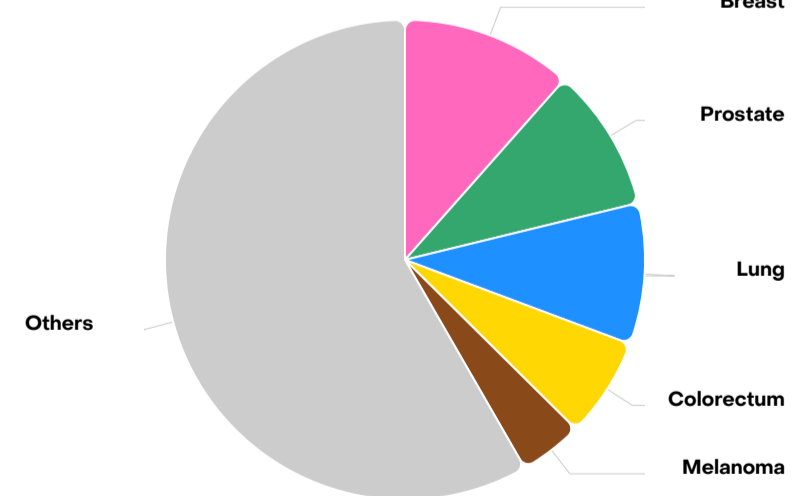


Total: 1 096 291

Rank	Cancer site	Number of cases	Percent
1st	Breast	274 375	25.0%
2nd	Lung	113 690	10.4%
3rd	Colorectum	76 014	6.9%
4th	Corpus uteri	66 055	6.0%
5th	Melanoma	40 626	3.7%
-	Others	525 531	47.9%

Number of new cases in 2022, females, all ages

**Both sexes**



Total: 2 380 189

Rank	Cancer site	Number of cases	Percent
1st	Breast	274 375	11.5%
2nd	Prostate	230 125	9.7%
3rd	Lung	226 033	9.5%
4th	Colorectum	160 186	6.7%
5th	Melanoma	101 388	4.3%
-	Others	1 388 082	58.3%

Number of new cases in 2022, both sexes, all ages

Cancer	New cases				Deaths				5-year prevalence	
	Number	Rank	(%)	Cum.risk	Number	Rank	(%)	Cum.risk	Number	Prop. (per 100 000)
Breast	274 375	1	11.5	10.4	42 900	4	7.1	1.3	1 194 271	706.1
Prostate	230 125	2	9.7	9.7	33 746	5	5.6	0.70	1 007 844	608.4
Lung	226 033	3	9.5	4.0	127 653	1	21.1	2.0	288 303	86.1
Colorectum	160 186	4	6.7	3.1	54 614	2	9.0	0.83	552 771	165.1
Melanoma	101 388	5	4.3	1.8	7 368	17	1.2	0.11	397 644	118.8
Bladder	80 404	6	3.4	1.2	17 705	10	2.9	0.17	276 091	82.5
NHL	77 956	7	3.3	1.4	20 827	8	3.4	0.25	270 832	80.9
Kidney	71 759	8	3.0	1.5	14 295	12	2.4	0.22	253 038	75.6
Corpus uteri	66 055	9	2.8	2.7	11 939	15	2.0	0.38	281 393	166.4
Leukaemia	63 144	10	2.7	1.1	23 460	7	3.9	0.29	206 437	61.7
Pancreas	60 127	11	2.5	1.0	49 491	3	8.2	0.79	53 607	16.0
Thyroid	52 169	12	2.2	1.2	2 244	23	0.37	0.03	214 047	63.9
Liver	43 492	13	1.8	0.88	30 931	6	5.1	0.55	54 168	16.2
Multiple myeloma	32 258	14	1.4	0.58	13 067	14	2.2	0.17	102 458	30.6
Lip, oral cavity	27 570	15	1.2	0.55	4 155	19	0.69	0.07	94 302	28.2
Stomach	25 554	16	1.1	0.47	10 976	16	1.8	0.18	37 331	11.2
Brain CNS	24 940	17	1.0	0.51	18 545	9	3.1	0.35	108 877	32.5
Ovary	21 179	18	0.89	0.81	13 273	13	2.2	0.43	68 388	40.4
Oesophagus	18 747	19	0.79	0.35	16 469	11	2.7	0.29	25 054	7.5
Oropharynx	14 280	20	0.60	0.32	3 339	21	0.55	0.07	47 857	14.3
Cervix uteri	13 920	21	0.59	0.61	5 932	18	0.98	0.23	54 612	32.3
Larynx	12 172	22	0.51	0.25	3 884	20	0.64	0.07	44 624	13.3
Testis	9 404	23	0.40	0.42	504	30	0.08	0.02	44 064	26.6
Hodgkin lymphoma	8 536	24	0.36	0.18	929	27	0.15	0.01	36 137	10.8
Vulva	6 228	25	0.26	0.21	1 569	25	0.26	0.04	21 568	12.8
Salivary glands	5 094	26	0.21	0.09	1 054	26	0.17	0.01	18 026	5.4
Gallbladder	4 719	27	0.20	0.08	2 136	24	0.35	0.03	6 057	1.8
Mesothelioma	3 114	28	0.13	0.04	2 435	22	0.40	0.03	3 420	1.0
Hypopharynx	2 316	29	0.10	0.05	635	29	0.11	0.01	5 146	1.5
Nasopharynx	2 008	30	0.08	0.04	858	28	0.14	0.02	7 316	2.2
Penis	1 671	31	0.07	0.06	389	32	0.06	0.01	5 805	3.5
Vagina	1 436	32	0.06	0.05	404	31	0.07	0.01	4 181	2.5
<b>All cancers</b>	<b>2 380 189</b>	-	-	<b>34.3</b>	<b>605 761</b>	-	-	<b>8.8</b>	<b>7 845 698</b>	-
<b>All cancers excl. NMSC</b>	<b>1 832 550</b>	-	-	<b>29.9</b>	<b>600 970</b>	-	-	<b>8.7</b>	<b>6 017 588</b>	-

## Data source and methods

### Incidence

**Country-specific data source:** National cancer registry  
**Method:** National (or sub-national with coverage greater than 50%) rates projected to 2022

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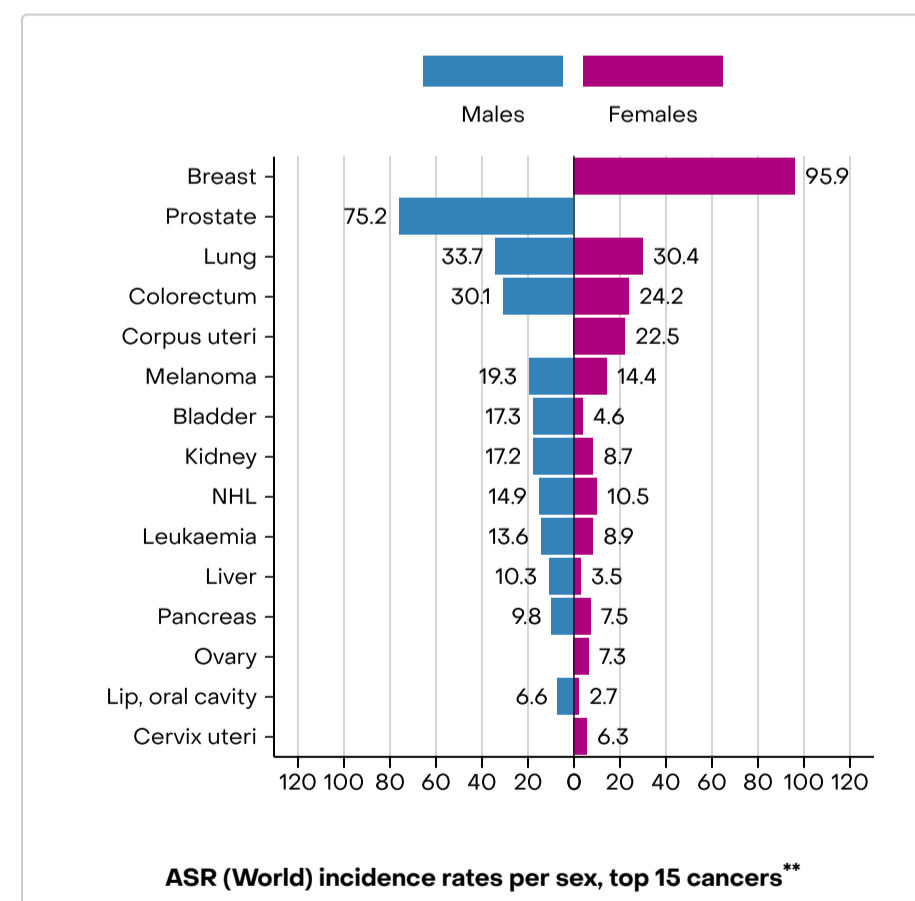
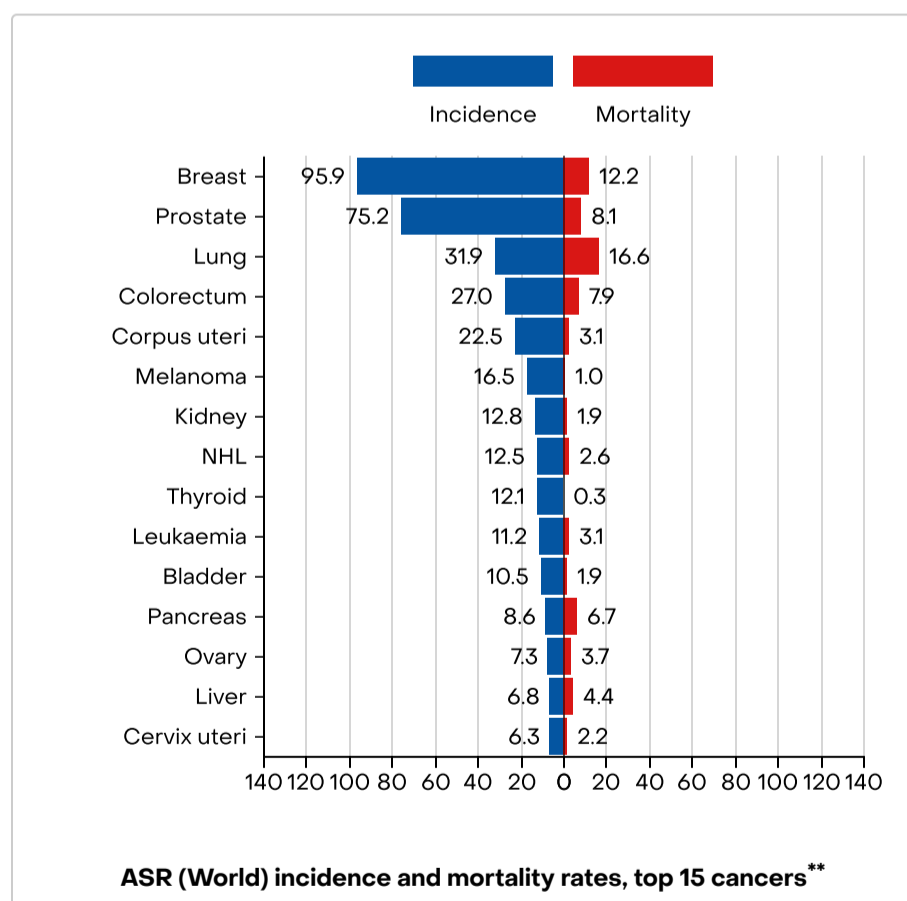
### Mortality

**Country-specific data source:** National (WHO)  
**Method:** National rates projected to 2022

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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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