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Lessons Learnt from COVID-19 Pandemic

Genomic Perspective

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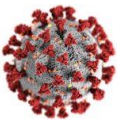
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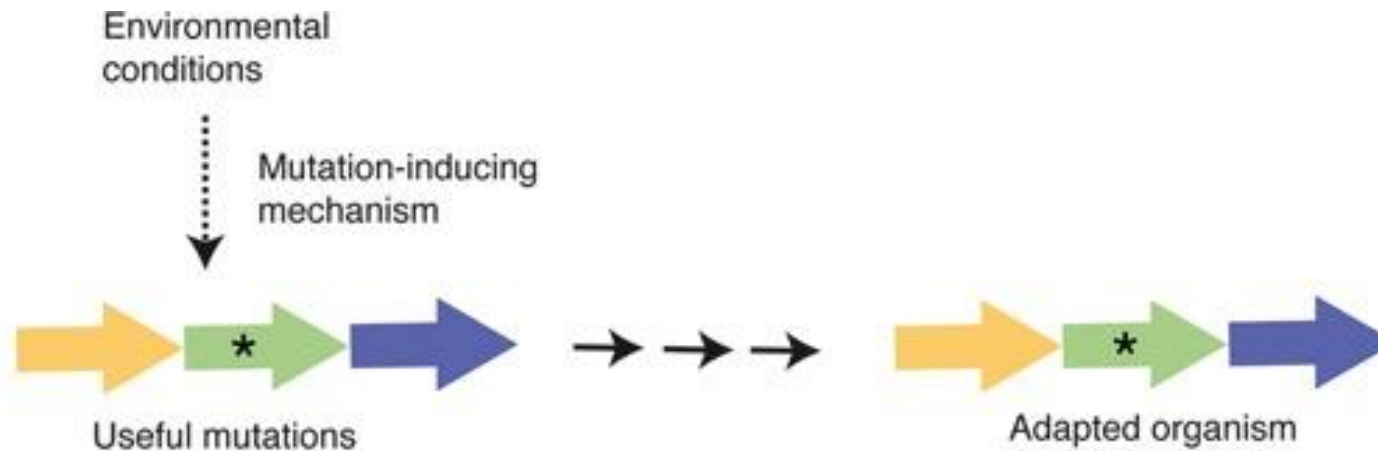




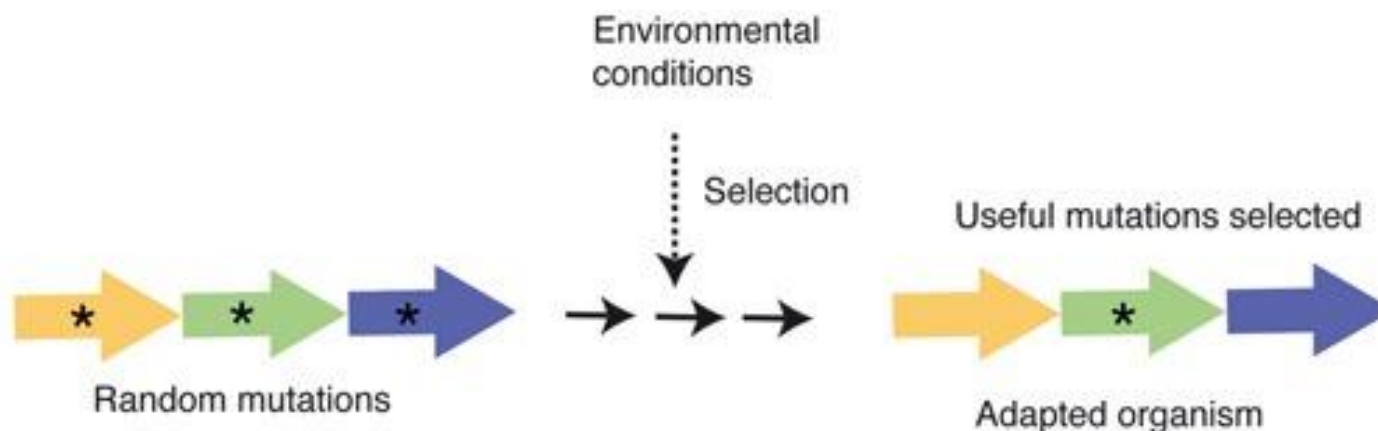
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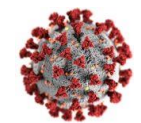


Jean-Baptiste Lamarck
(1744~1829)



Charles R. Darwin
(1809~1882)





Genomic Character of the SARS-CoV-2

60-140 nm in diameter.

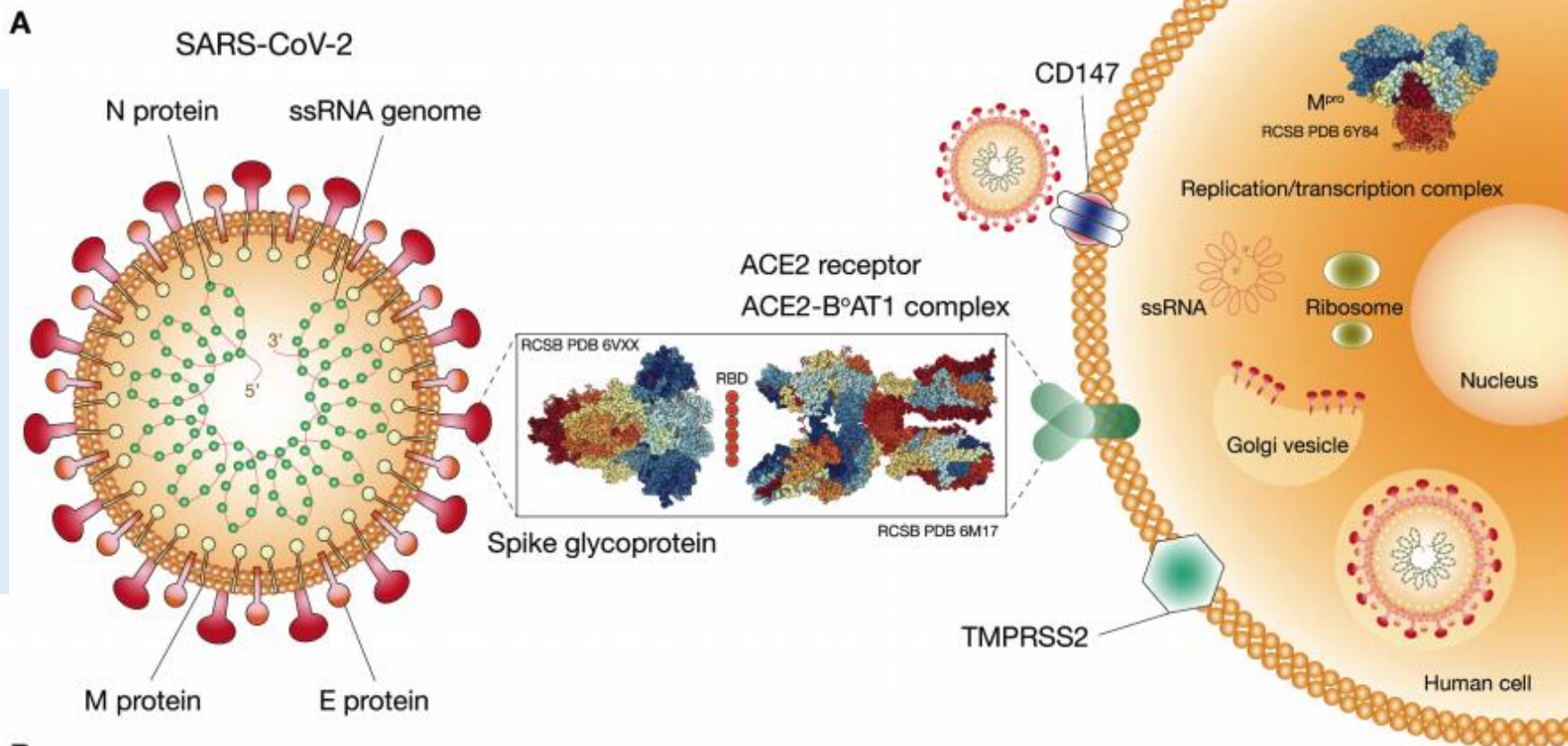
~30 kb genome length.

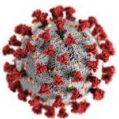
Largest genomes of any known RNA viruses

96% similarity to the bat coronavirus

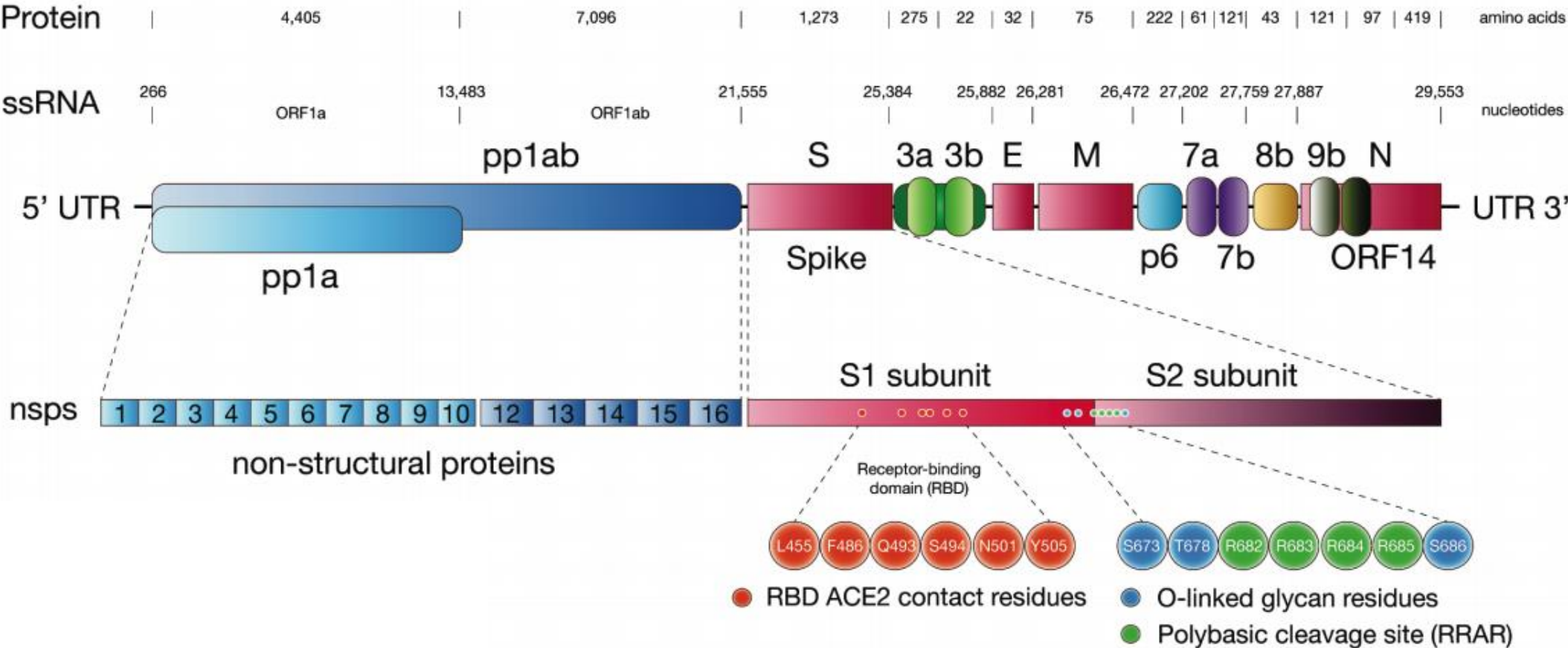
80% similarity with SARS-CoV

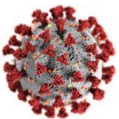
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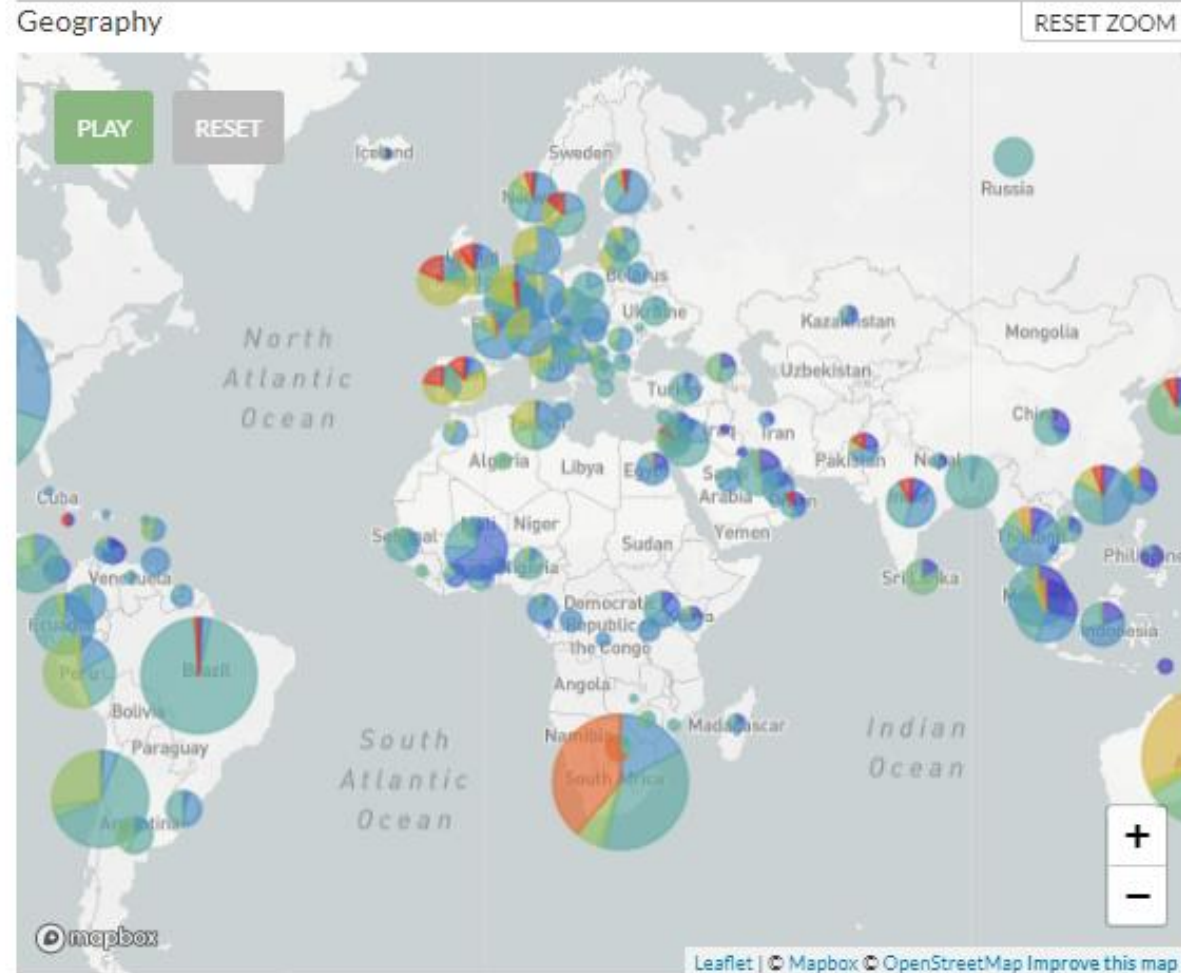
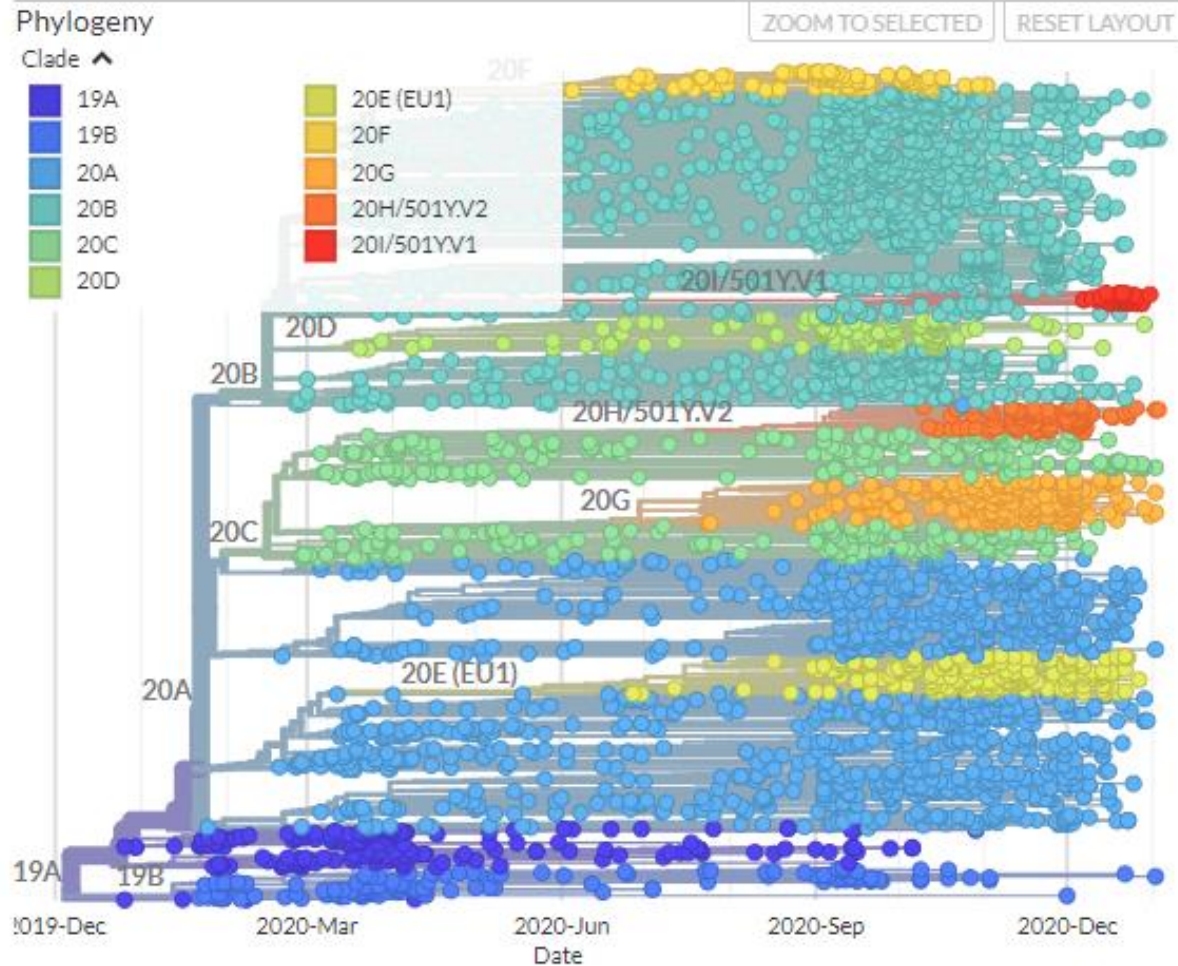


Genomic Character of the SARS-CoV-2





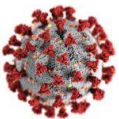
Phylogeny Clade of the SARS-CoV-2



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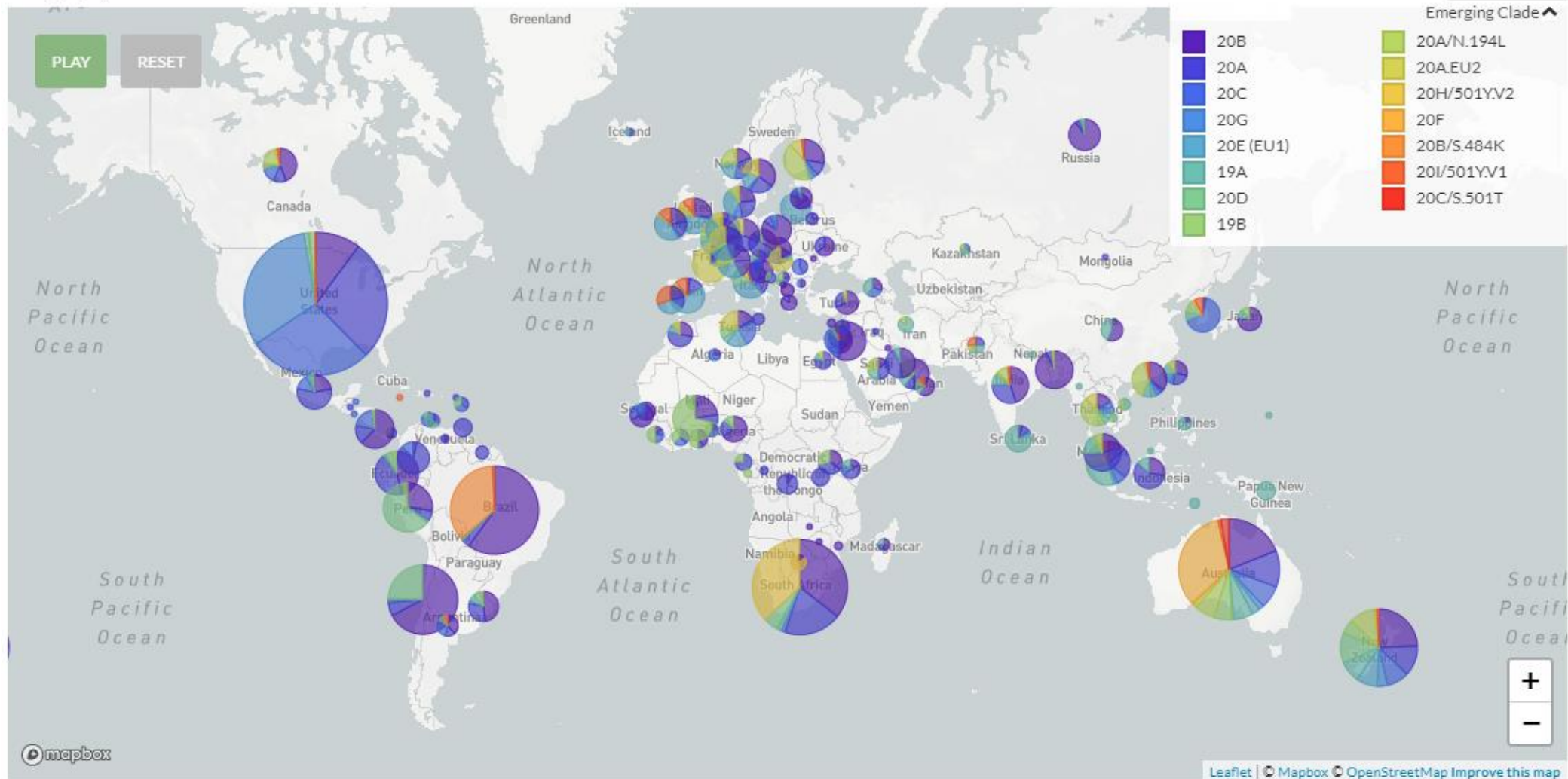
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Emerging clade

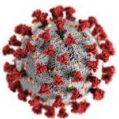
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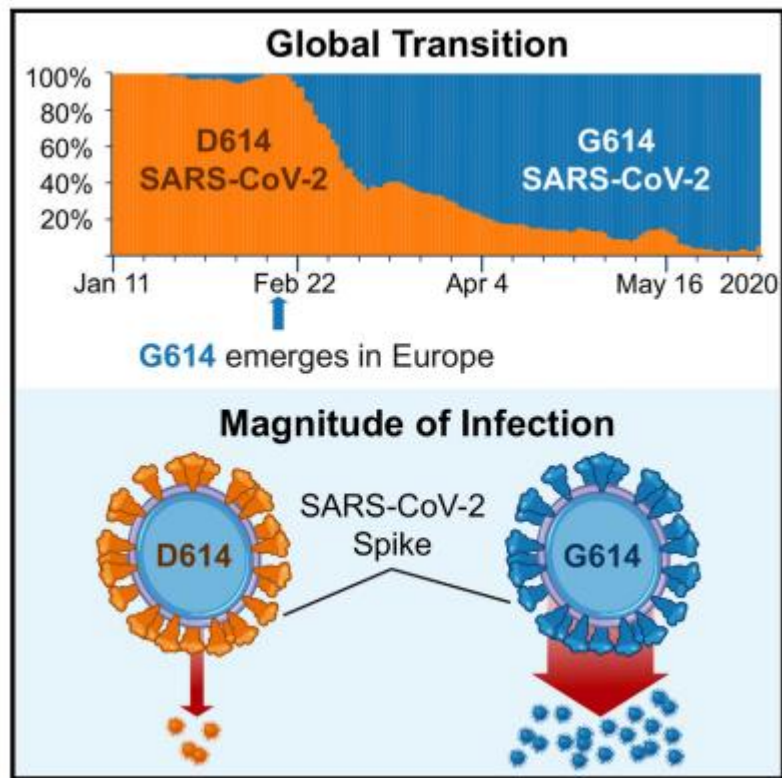
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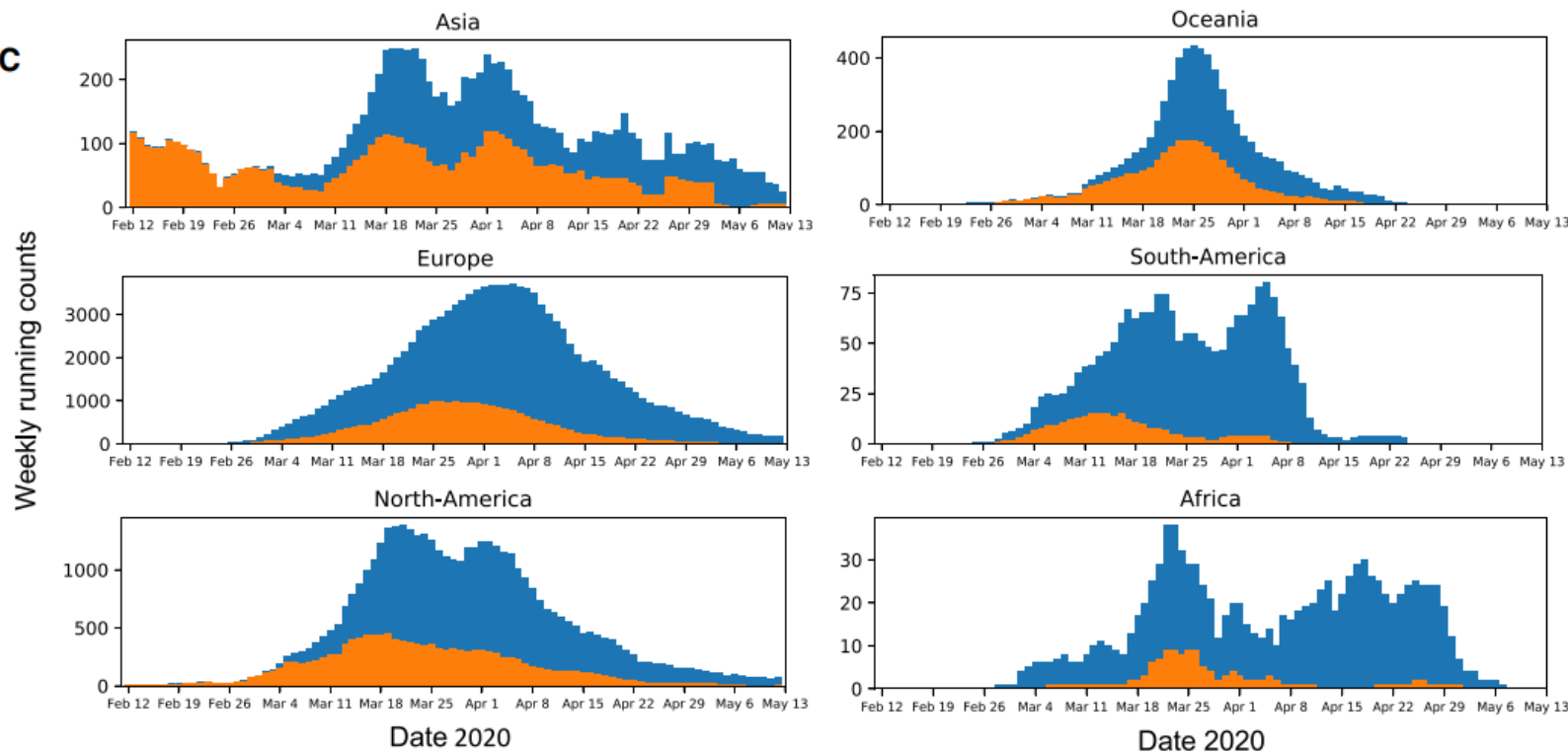




D614G, a variant replacing the old strain



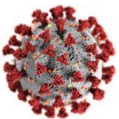
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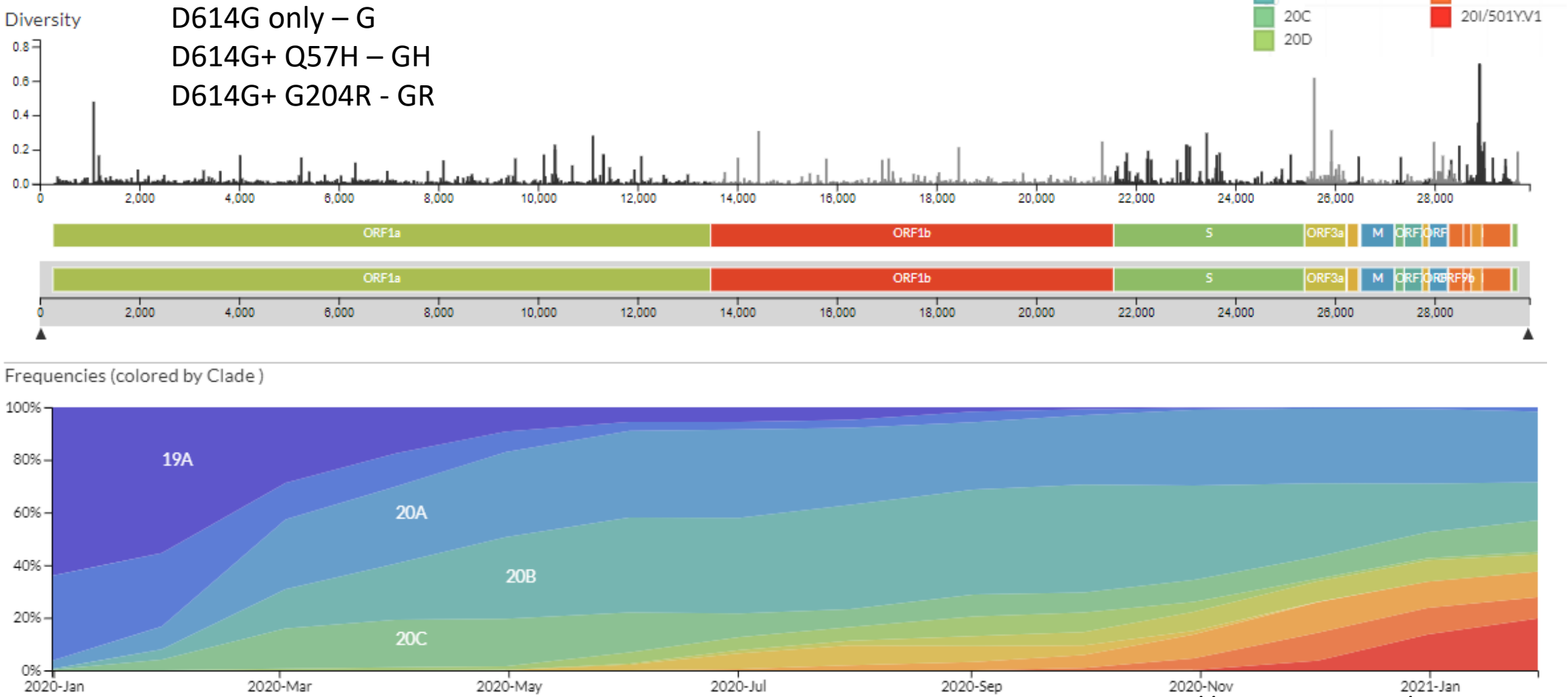
- Link to the surge of the infection in many countries
- It may be responsible for increased infectivity, but no enough evidence for disease severity

<https://doi.org/10.1016/j.cell.2020.06.043>



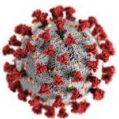


Distribution of the GISAID Clade

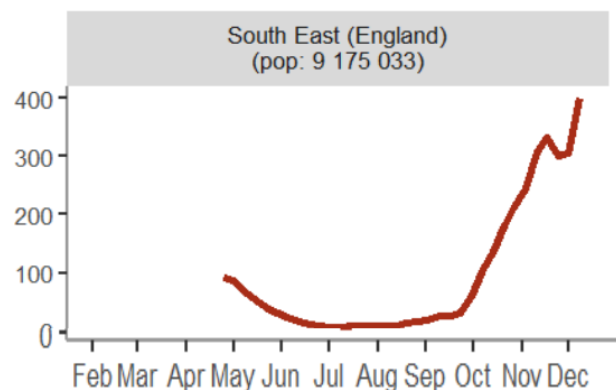


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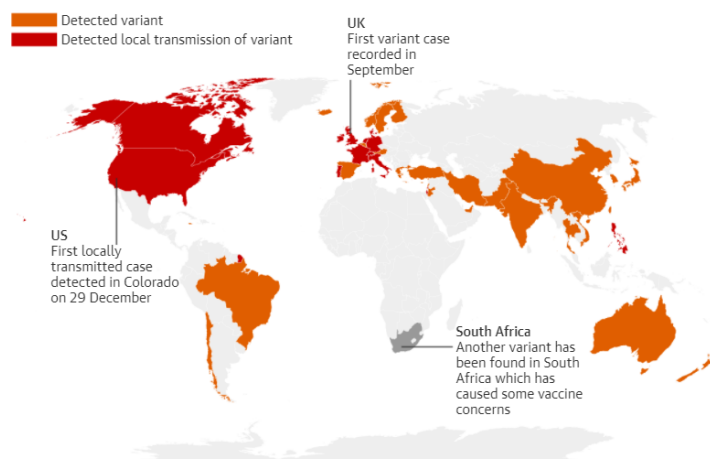


UK variant: VOC-202012/01 (Lineage B.1.1.7)



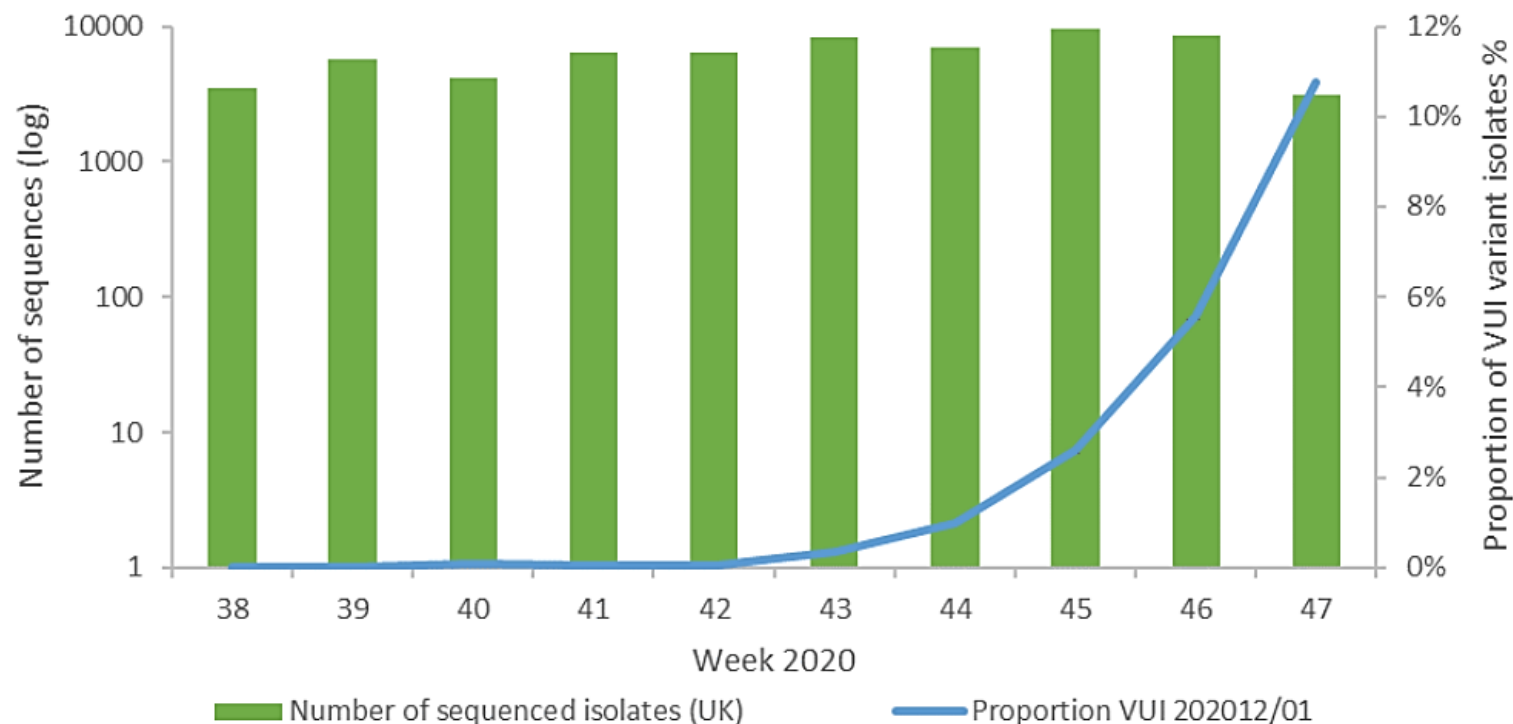
Dozens of countries have recorded cases of the new UK variant

Detected variant
Detected local transmission of variant



Guardian graphic. Source: cov-lineages.org. UK variant is lineage B.1.1.7. Data as of 6 January.

Figure 3. Total number of SARS-CoV-2 sequences from the UK and proportion of VUI 202012/01 variant sequences among all UK sequences in the GISAID EpiCoV database (as of 20 December 2020) by week of sampling, 2020

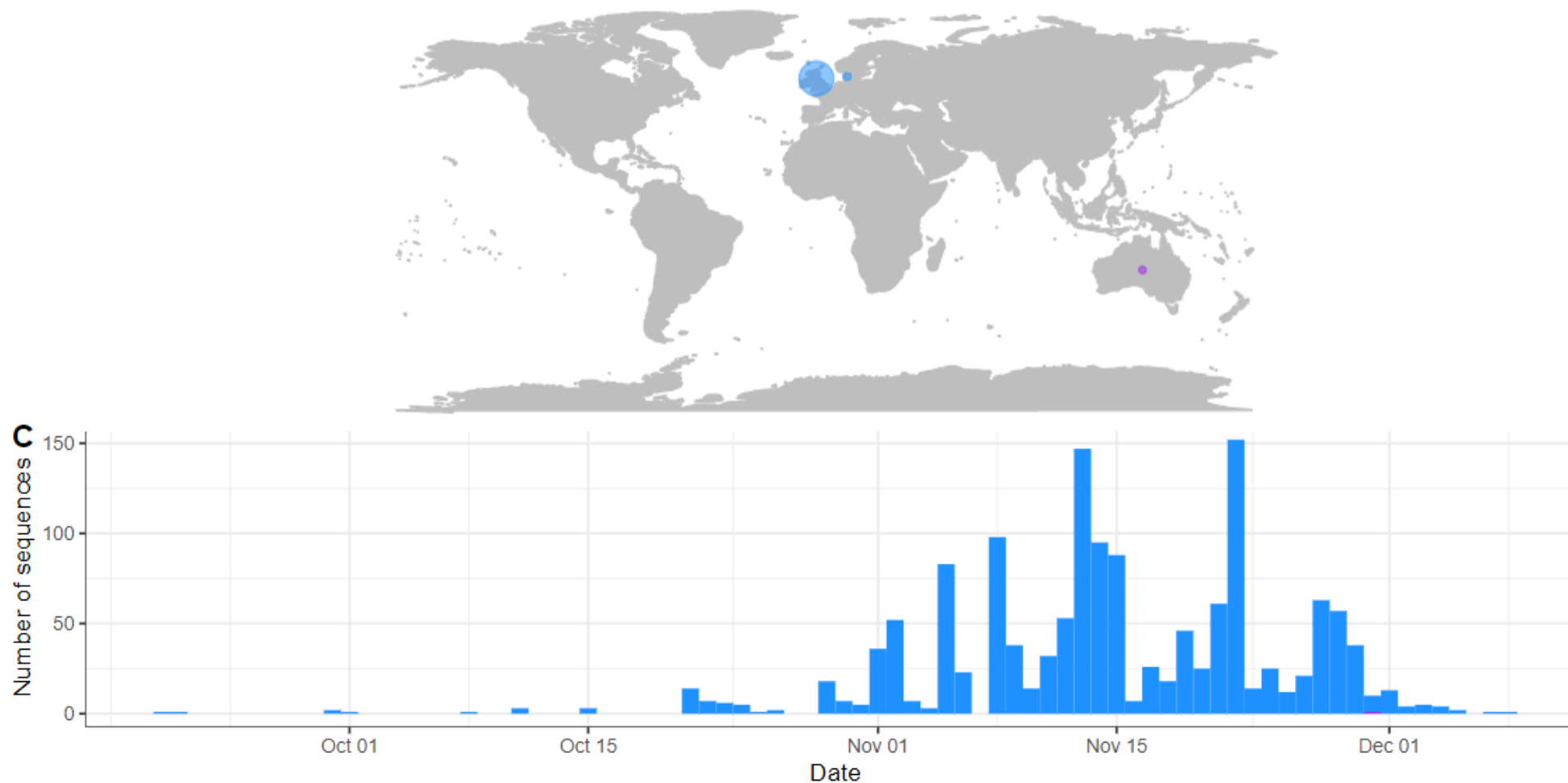


- Multiple Mutations in Spike of SARS-CoV-2
- Gene deletion 69-70, deletion 144, N501Y, A570D, D614G, P681H, T716I, S982A, D1118H



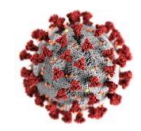
Identification the UK variants

Lineage B.1.1.7: 1451 sequences sampled 20/09/2020-08/12/2020 from 3 countries on 2 continents



Lineage B.1.1.7 sequence distributions. (A) Map of Lineage B.1.1.7 global sampling locations. Point size is proportional to the number of sequences from the country. (B) Number of Lineage B.1.1.7 sequences collected from each country. (C) Collection day of Lineage B.1.1.7 sequences.



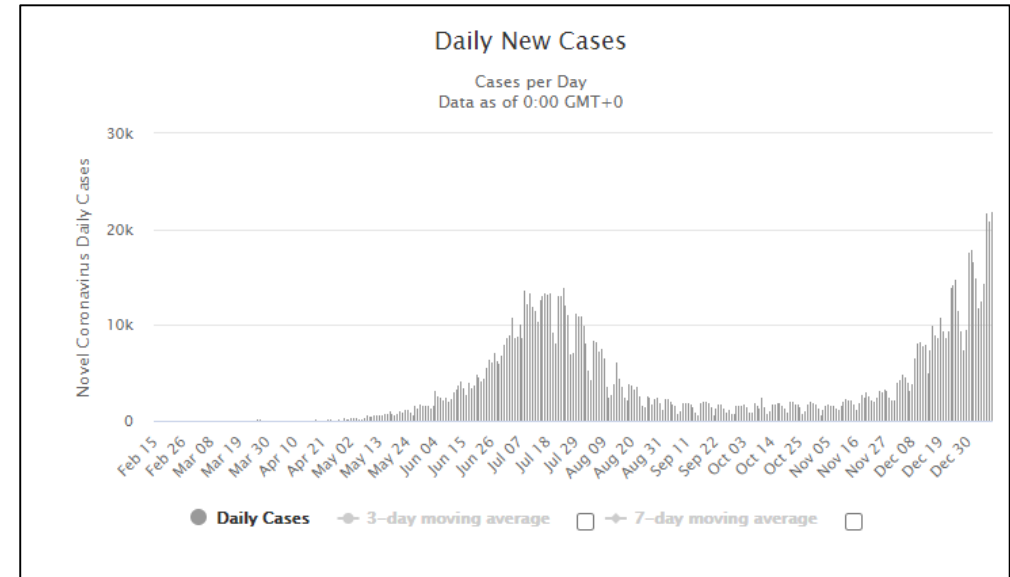


South African variant: 501Y.v2 (Lineage: B.1.351)

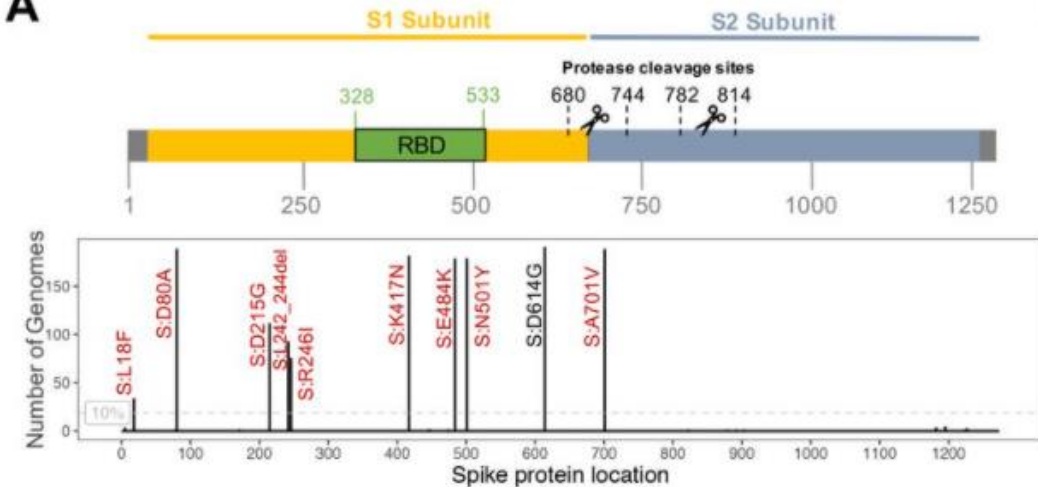


B.1.351 report

Daily global report for lineage B.1.351



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Spike Mutations: N501Y, K417N, and E484K



Nigeria Variant: P681H mutation



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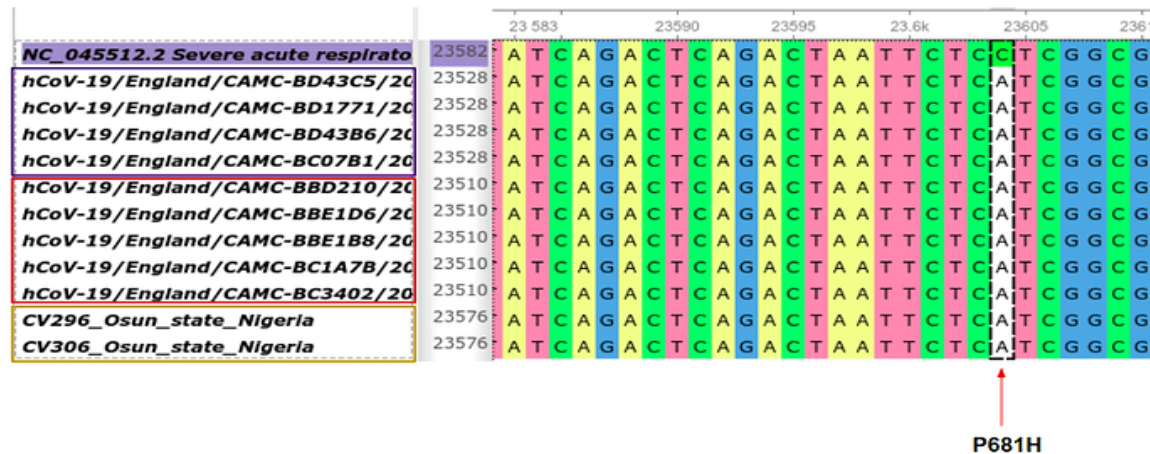
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Airliner carrying 62 people aboard

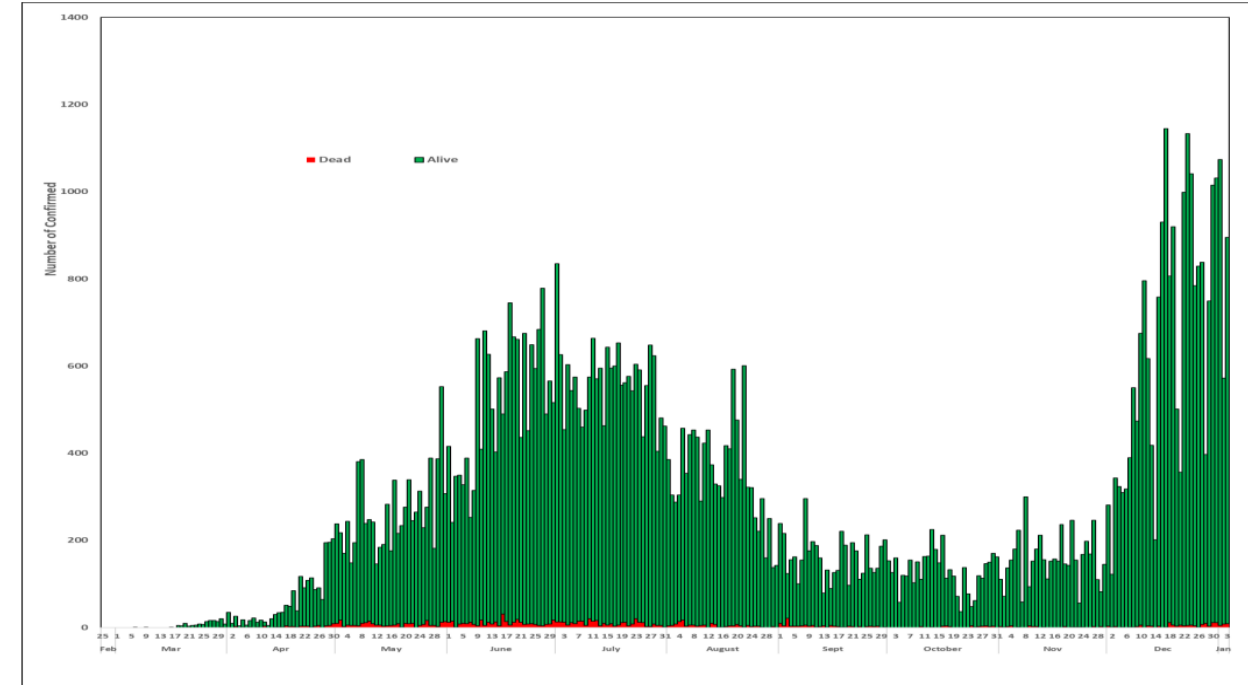
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Another new COVID strain found in Nigeria, says Africa CDC

The news comes after the UK and South Africa report new variants of the virus that appear to be more contagious, leading to new travel restrictions.

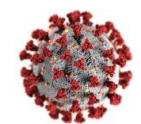


DAILY EPICURVE



P681H is directly adjacent to the furin cleavage site, which may have biological significance.





Cluster 5 (Δ FVI spike)



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SARS-CoV-2 mink-associated variant strain – Denmark

Disease Outbreak News: Update
3 December 2020

Since June 2020, Danish authorities have reported an extensive spread of SARS-CoV-2, the virus that causes COVID-19, on mink farms in Denmark. On 5 November, the Danish public health authorities reported the detection of a mink-associated SARS-CoV-2 variant with a combination of mutations not previously observed (referred to as "Cluster 5") in 12 human cases in North Jutland, detected from August to September 2020.

- Seven unique mutations (four amino acid changes) in the spike protein among variants co-circulating in mink and humans.
- There was a **lower capability of antibodies to neutralize the Cluster 5 strain.**

<https://www.who.int/csr/don/03-december-2020-mink-associated-sars-cov2-denmark/en/>

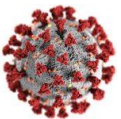
Denmark to cull all farmed minks over coronavirus mutation

Denmark has said it would cull around 15 million minks after a mutated version of the coronavirus spread to people. The government said the mutation poses a risk to the efficacy of future vaccines.

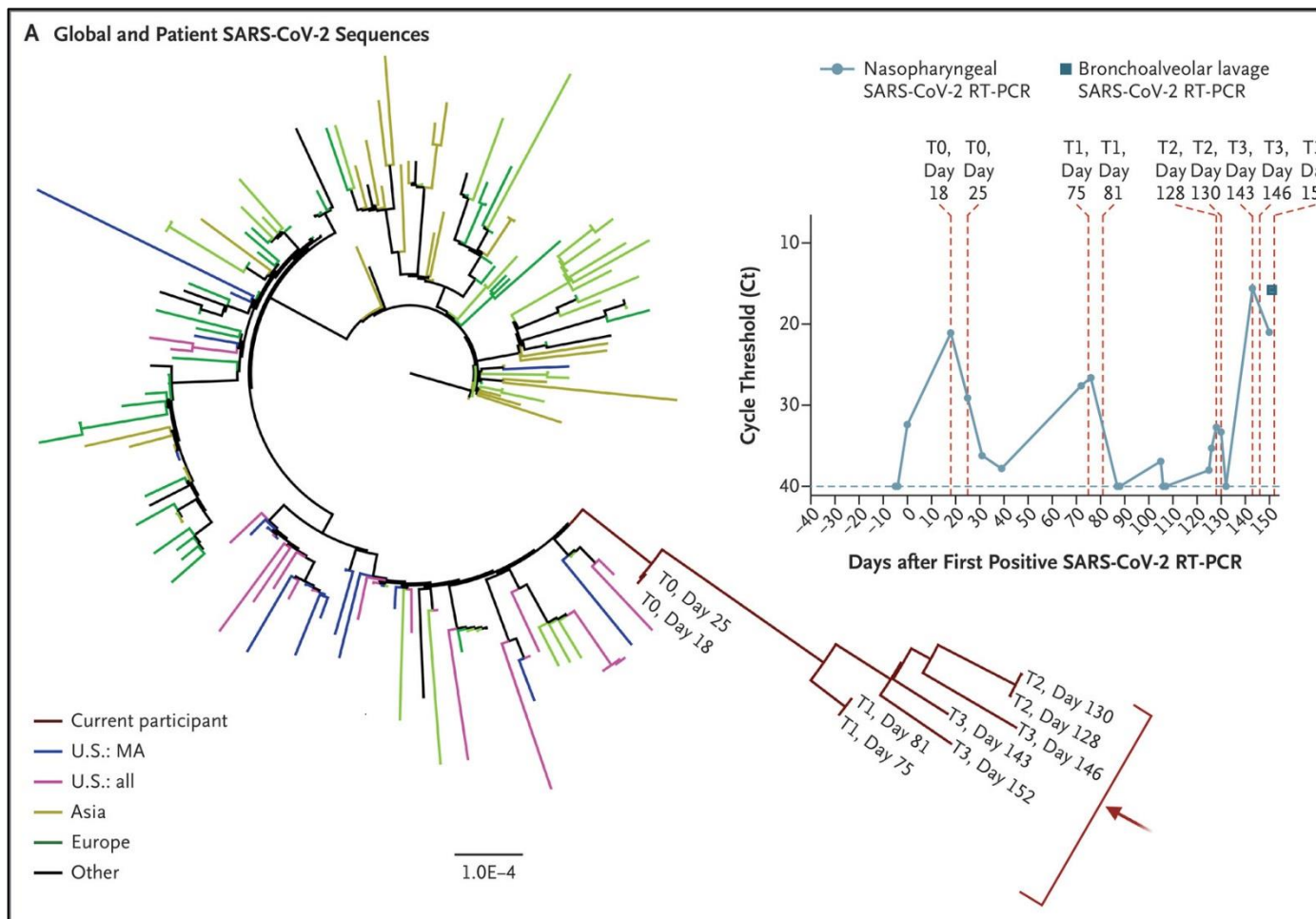


Deletion 69-70, Y453F, I692V, M1229I





Mutation after convalescent plasma therapy/ drug treatment



Mutation after a patient received 3 treatments of convalescent plasma starting at day 63. Something similar in a 65-year-old cancer patient who survived after 105 days with the virus.

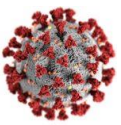
N439K (also found in South African variant)—may allow the virus to bypass monoclonal antibody drugs.

Special caution is needed to give treatment in Immunocompromised patients.



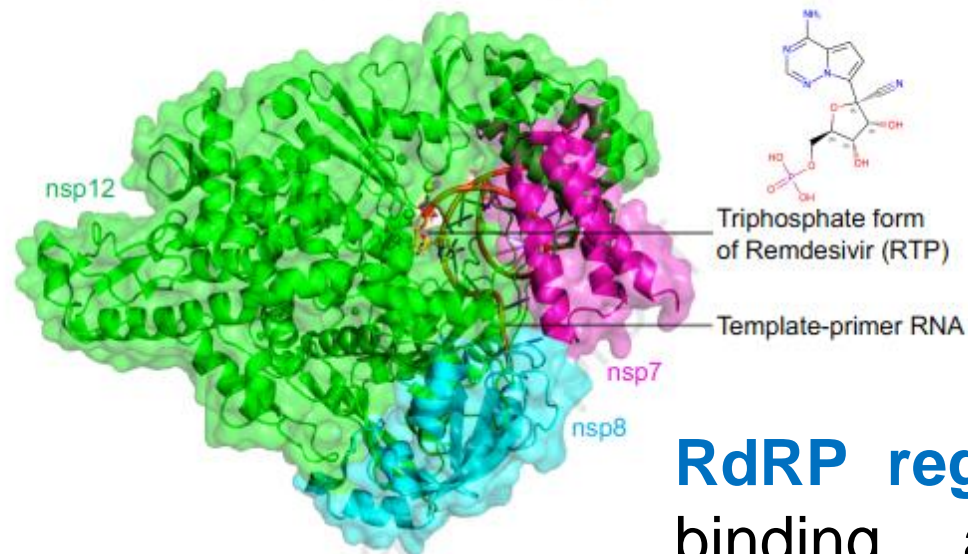
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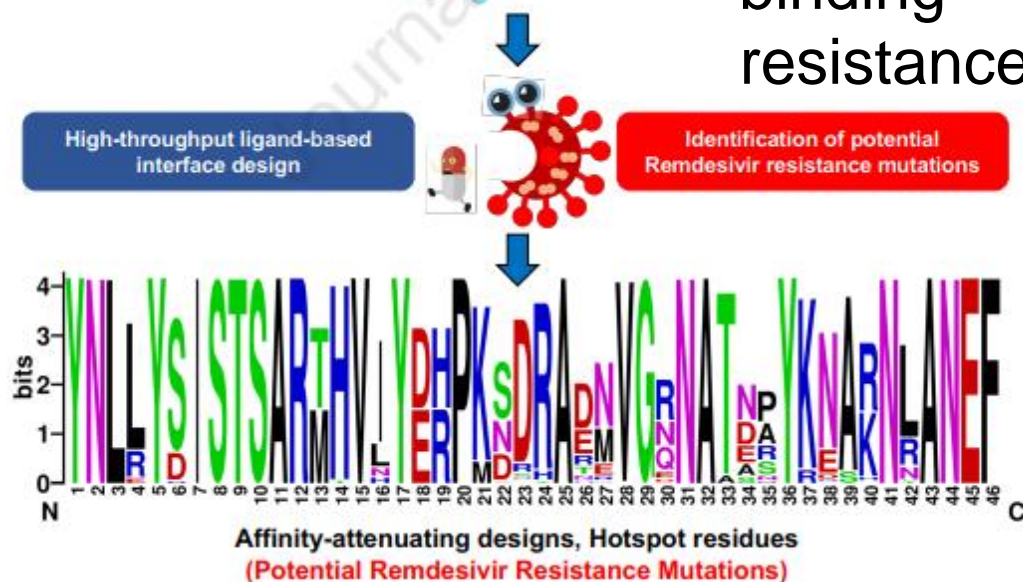


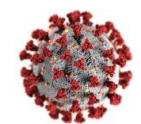
Potential drug resistance site in the genome of SARS-CoV-2

SARS-CoV-2 RdRp

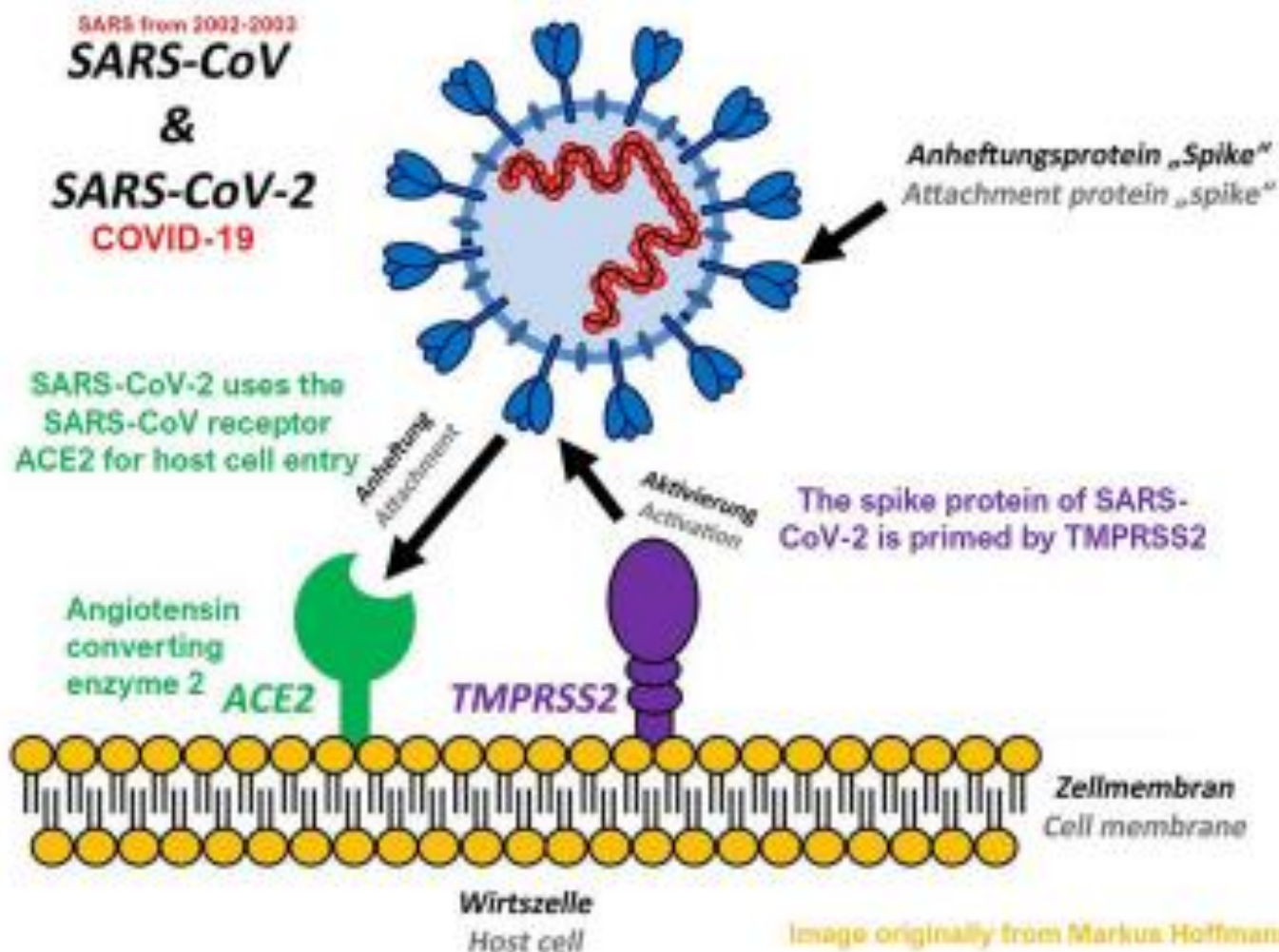


RdRP region: Several mutants displayed decreased binding affinity to remdesivir, suggesting drug resistance.





Role of Spike in cell-entry

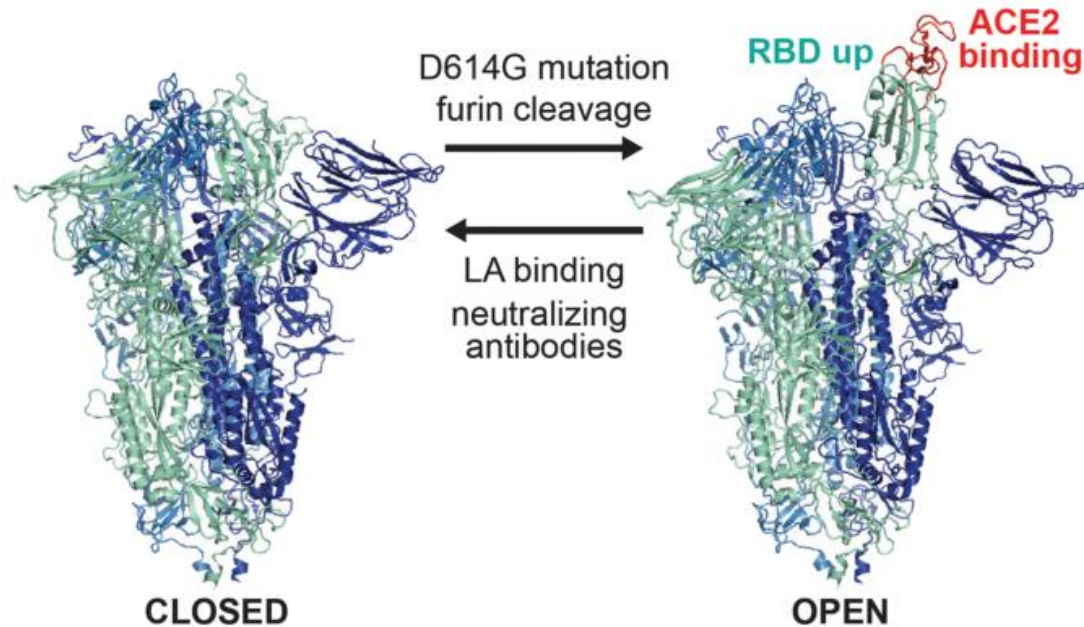
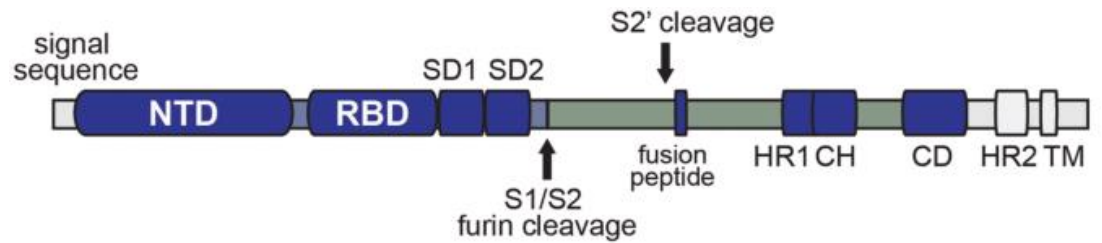


Mutation rate: 10^{-8} to 10^{-6} s/n/c for DNA viruses and from 10^{-6} to 10^{-4} s/n/c for RNA viruses.

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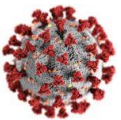
Spike mutation and Infectivity



SARS-CoV-2 S has higher affinity for angiotensin-converting enzyme 2 (ACE2) as compared to SARS-CoV S due to six mutations in the receptor-binding motif (RBM).

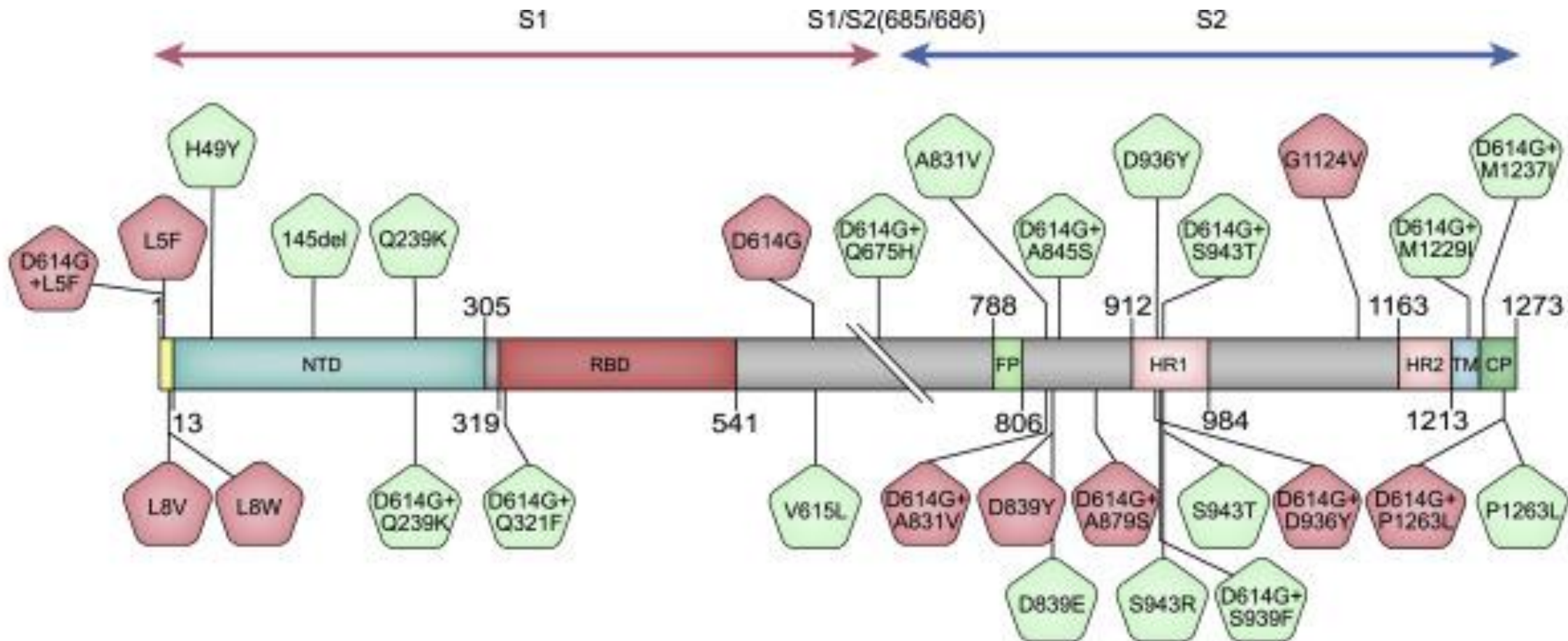
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Variants and combined variants with D614G across the entire S gene excluding the RBD region

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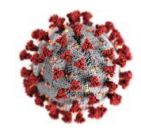


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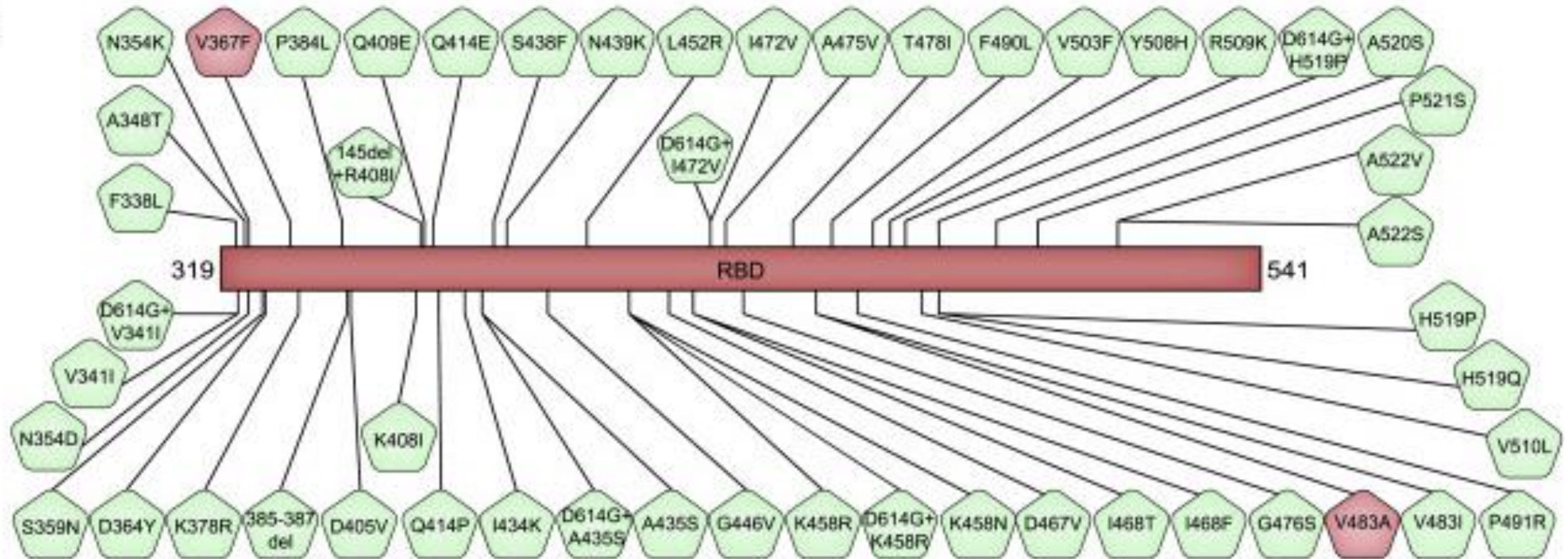
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Variants in RBD

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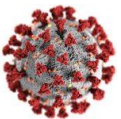


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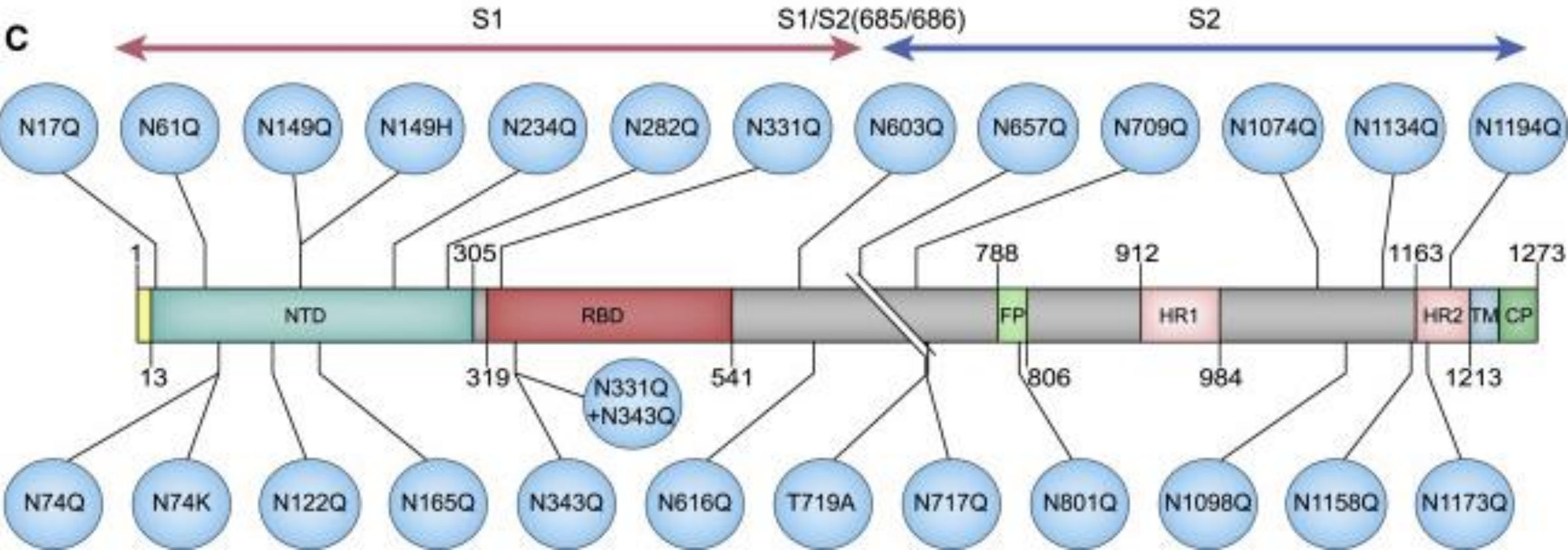
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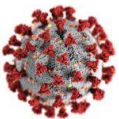
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Mutants at the putative glycosylation sites (22 sites)





Known Characters of the some mutations

	Group A	Group B	Group C
Number of variants or mutants	29	51	26
Increased infectivity	D614G, D614G+L5F, D614G+D936Y, D614G+S939F, D614G+S943T	D614G+V341I, D614G+K458R, D614G+I472V ^a	none
Decreased infectivity	Q239K, D839Y, P1263L, D614G+Q675H	V341I, D364Y, 385-387del, D405V, Q414P, I434K, S438F, D467V, P491R, V503F, R509K, V510L, P521S	N122Q, N343Q, N717Q, T719A, N801Q, N1074Q, N331Q+N343Q
Increased sensitivity to neutralizing mAbs	none	V367F, Q409E, Q414E, I468F, I468T, Y508H, A522V	N165Q, N709Q
Decreased sensitivity to neutralizing mAbs	A831V	N439K, L452R, A475V, V483A, F490L, Y508H, D614G+A435S, D614G+I472V ^a	N234Q
Increased sensitivity to convalescent sera	V615L	F338L, V367F, I468F, I468T	N149H, N149Q, N165Q, N331Q, N354D, N709Q, N1173Q
Decreased sensitivity to convalescent sera	Y145del, A831V, D614G+A831V, D614G+A879S, D614G+M1237I	Q414E, N439K, G446V, K458N, I472V, A475V, T478I, V483I, F490L, H519P, D614G+Q321L, D614G+I472V ^a	none

^aD614G+I472V is the only variant with increased infectivity and decreased sensitivity to neutralizing mAb and convalescent sera. It is of note only one sequence is recorded in GISAID.

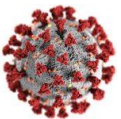
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Severity Vs 382-nucleotide deletion ($\Delta 382$)

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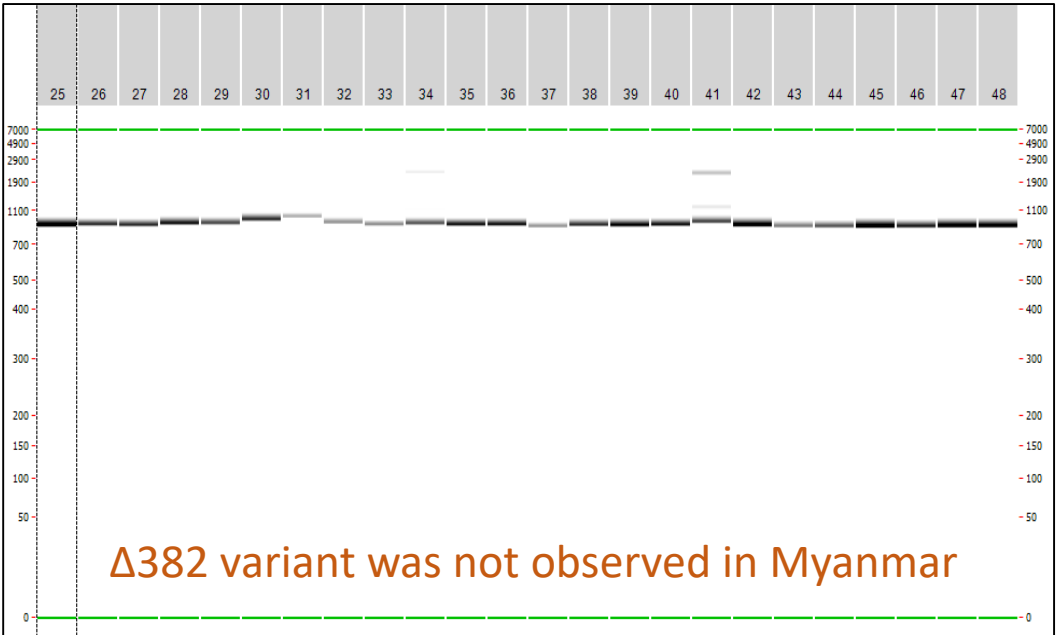
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Summary

Background Severe acute respiratory syndrome coronavirus 2 (SARS-CoV-2) variants with a 382-nucleotide deletion ($\Delta 382$) in the open reading frame 8 (ORF8) region of the genome have been detected in Singapore and other countries. We investigated the effect of this deletion on the clinical features of infection.



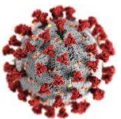
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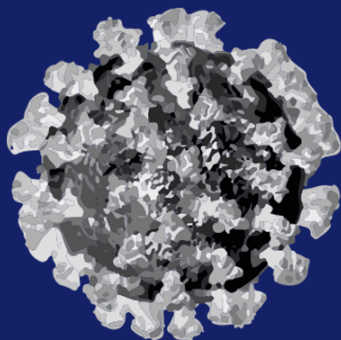
ORF8 is a hotspot for coronavirus mutation. The clinical effect of deletions in this region appears to be a milder infection with less systemic release of proinflammatory cytokines and a more effective immune response to SARS-CoV-2.



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Host Genetic Factors?



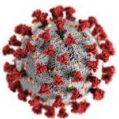
The COVID-19 Host Genetics Initiative



34 studies from 16 countries
~15% of all registered studies (N=220)

30,937 COVID-19 positive cases among
> 1.7 million individuals



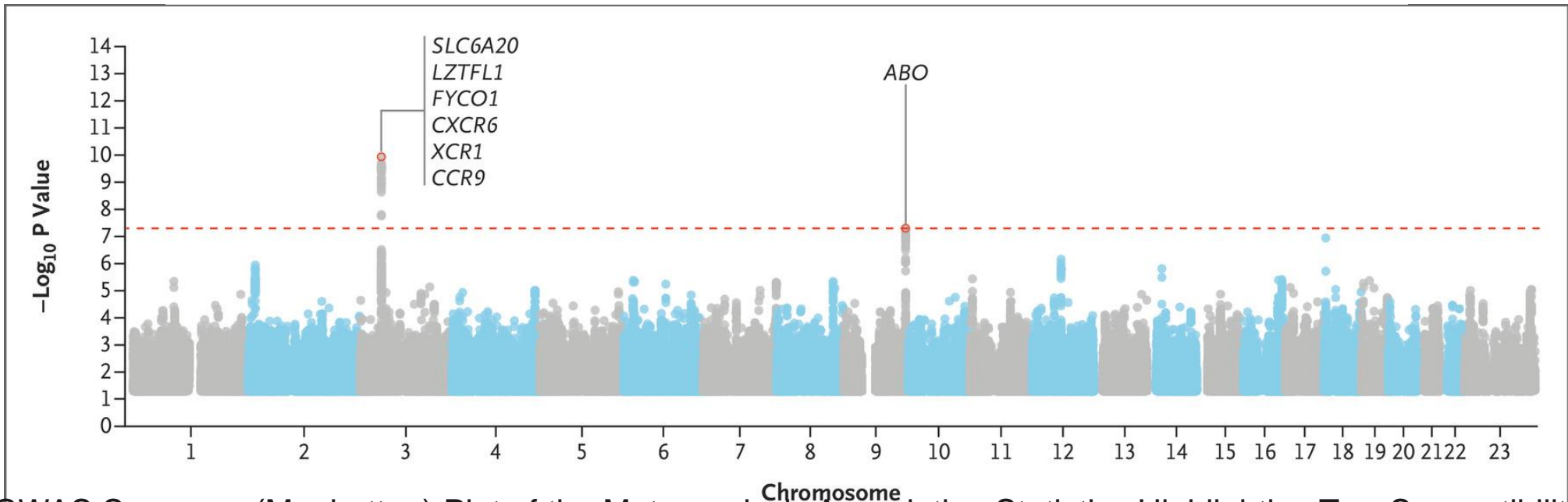


Human Genetic Factors for severity?

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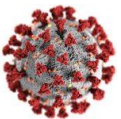
The Severe Covid-19 GWAS Group*



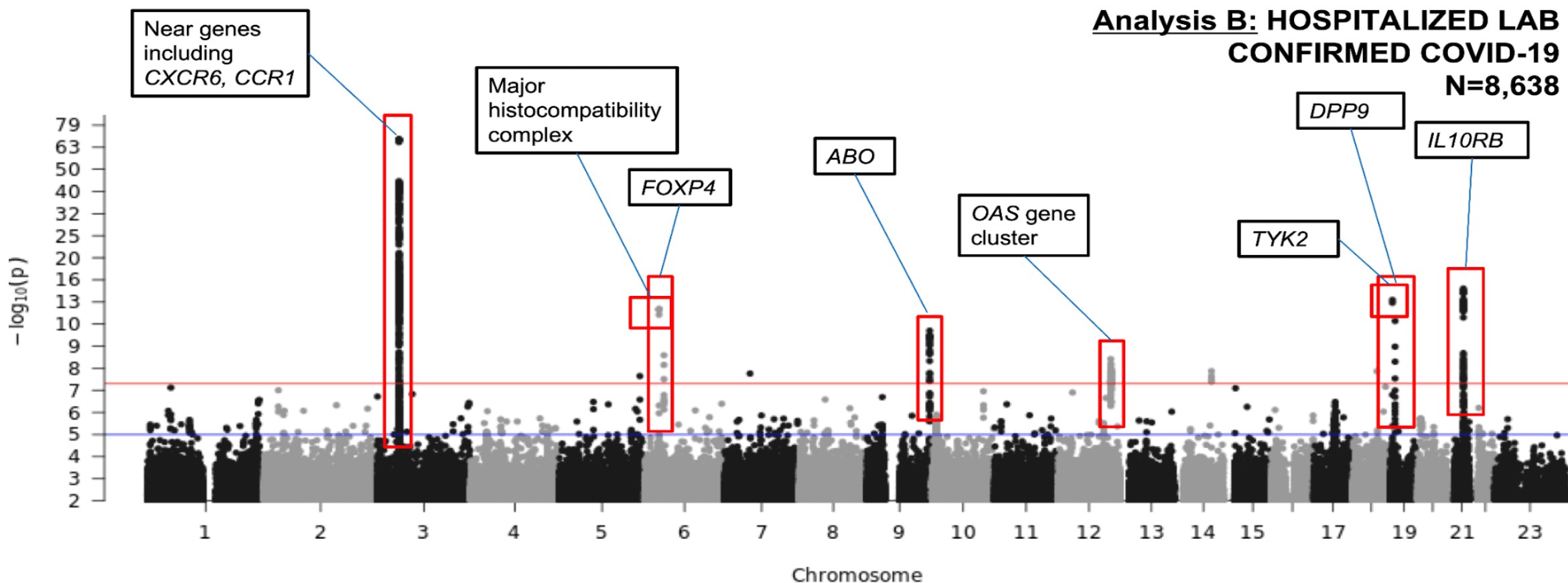
GWAS Summary (Manhattan) Plot of the Meta-analysis Association Statistics Highlighting Two Susceptibility Loci with Genomewide Significance for Severe Covid-19 with Respiratory Failure.



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Human Genetic Factors for severity?



Manhattan plot showing the GWAS results for COVID-19 Severity in 8,638 hospitalized COVID-19 cases and 1.7 million controls. The analysis identified independent significant associations as indicated by red boxes around genetic "peaks" rising above the threshold.



Severity: Why Male, Why old age?



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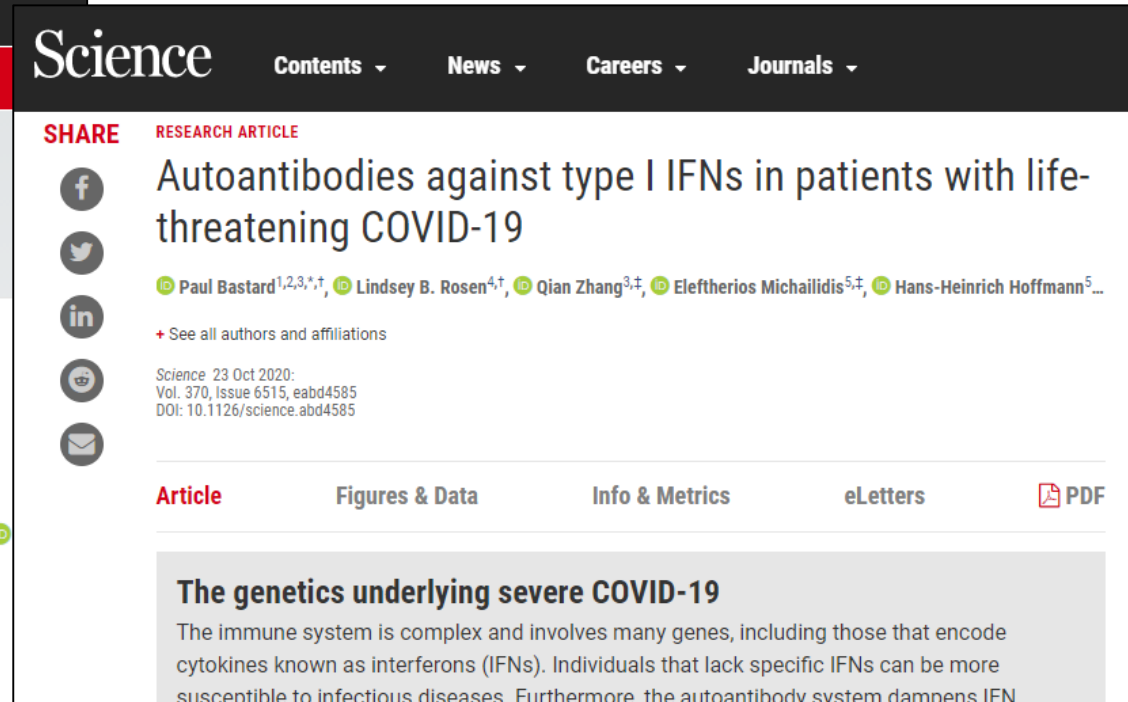
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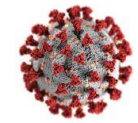
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The genetics underlying severe COVID-19

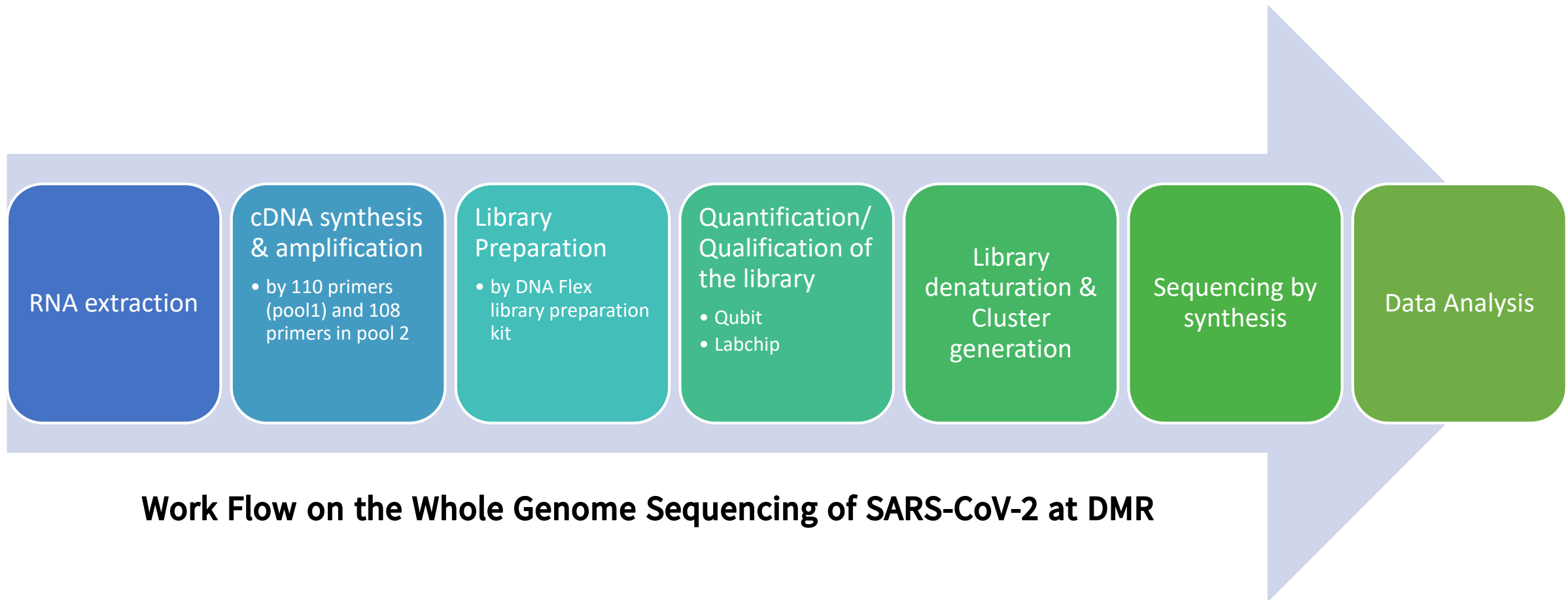
The immune system is complex and involves many genes, including those that encode cytokines known as interferons (IFNs). Individuals that lack specific IFNs can be more susceptible to infectious diseases. Furthermore, the autoantibody system dampens IFN

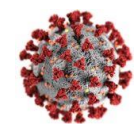
Patients with life-threatening COVID-19 pneumonia had known (AR IRF7 and IFNAR1 deficiencies or AD TLR3, TICAM1, TBK1, and IRF3 deficiencies) or new (AD UNC93B1, IRF7, IFNAR1, and IFNAR2 deficiencies) genetic defects at eight of the 13 candidate loci involved in the TLR3- and IRF7-dependent induction and amplification of type I IFNs. A B cell autoimmune phenocopy of inborn errors of type I IFN immunity accounts for life-threatening COVID-19 pneumonia in at least 2.6% of women and 12.5% of men.





Findings on SARS-CoV-2 Genomic study in Myanmar





Existing Capacity

- BSL2+ lab
- Capillary electrophoresis
- Conventional PCR
- Real-time PCR
- Sanger's Sequencer
- Next-Generation Sequencer (Miseq)
- Molecular medical scientists



What we have



Spectrophotometer
(DNA quality/quantifier)



Qubit (DNA quantifier)



LabChip (DNA analyzer)



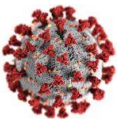
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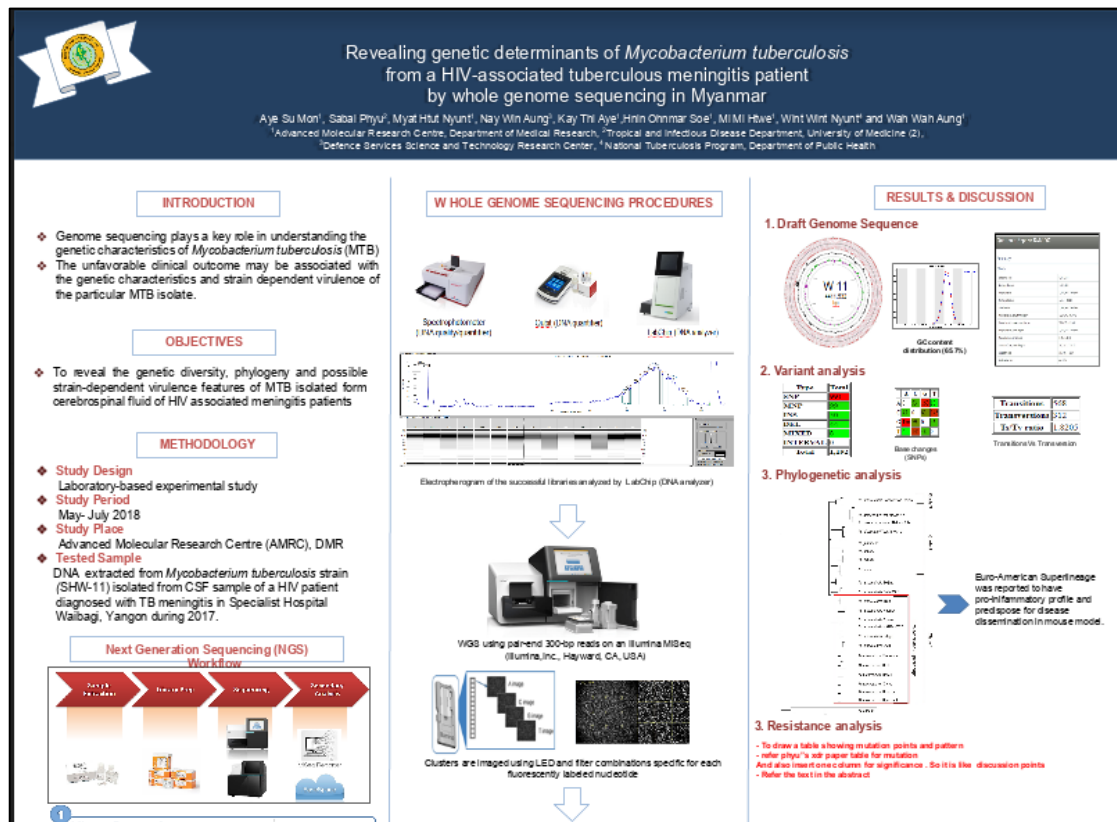
Dell super computer (+BE Patho)

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Established Technology and experiences



Pseudomonas aeruginosa strain:MMK2018

Accession: PRJNA530358

Pseudomonas aeruginosa strain:MMK2018 Genome sequencing and assembly

Whole Genome Analysis of the Drug Resistance *Pseudomonas aeruginosa* Isolate (P38) in Myanmar

Accession	PRJNA530358
Data Type	Genome sequencing and assembly
Scope	Monoisolate
Organism	<i>Pseudomonas aeruginosa</i> [Taxonomy ID: 287] Bacteria; Proteobacteria; Gammaproteobacteria; Pseudomonadales; Pseudomonadaceae; Pseudomonas; Pseudomonas aeruginosa
Submission	Registration date: 7-Apr-2019 Department of Medical Research
Relevance	Medical
Locus Tag Prefix	E5D53

Since 2018, Advanced Molecular Research Center (AMRC), DMR have the facilities and technology for Whole Genome Sequencing.
 Successfully sequencing- WGS of Tuberculosis, and multi-drug resistance *Pseudomonas aeruginosa*.



Standard Operation Procedures (SOPs)



SOP ID: AMRC_NGS02

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Version History

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SOP ID: AMRC_NGS06 (Library Preparation)

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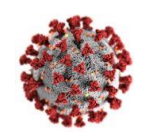
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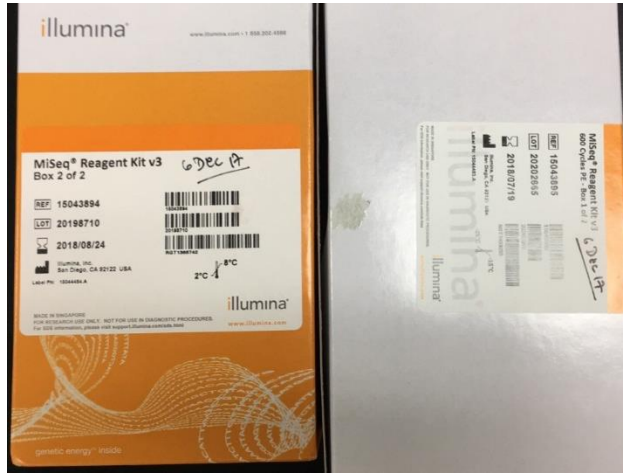
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Reagents used



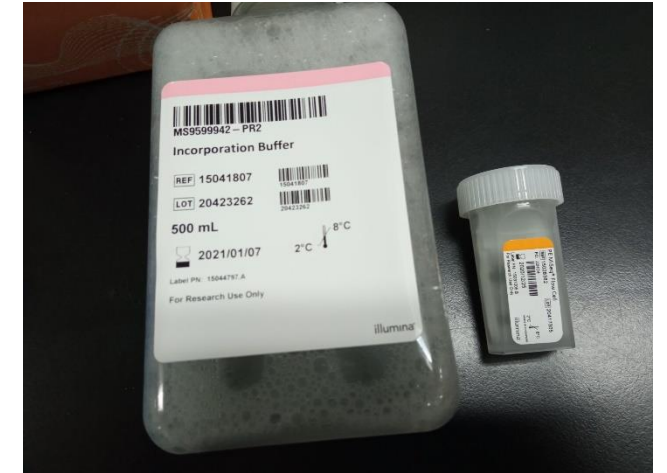
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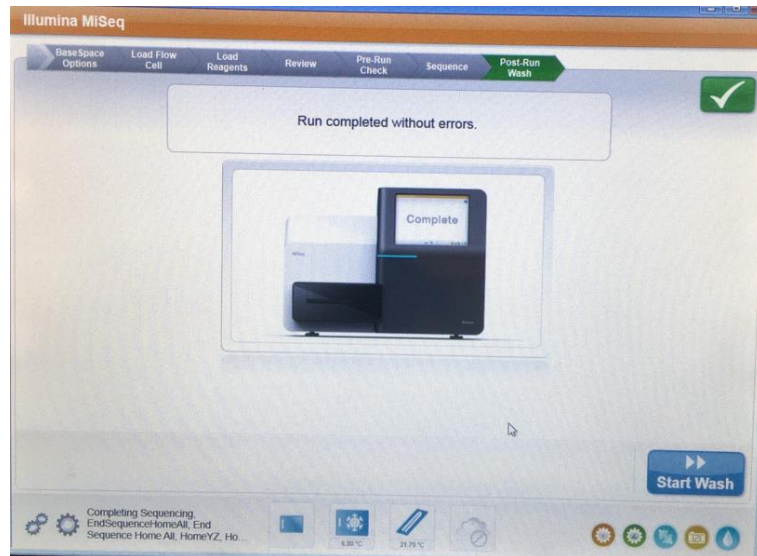
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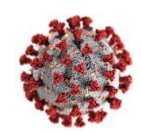


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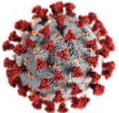
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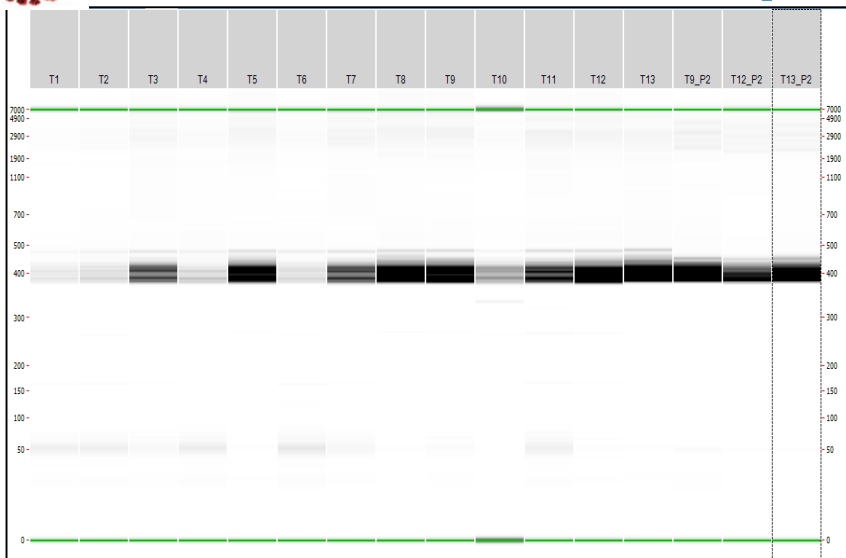


Pictorial Record of the Workflow

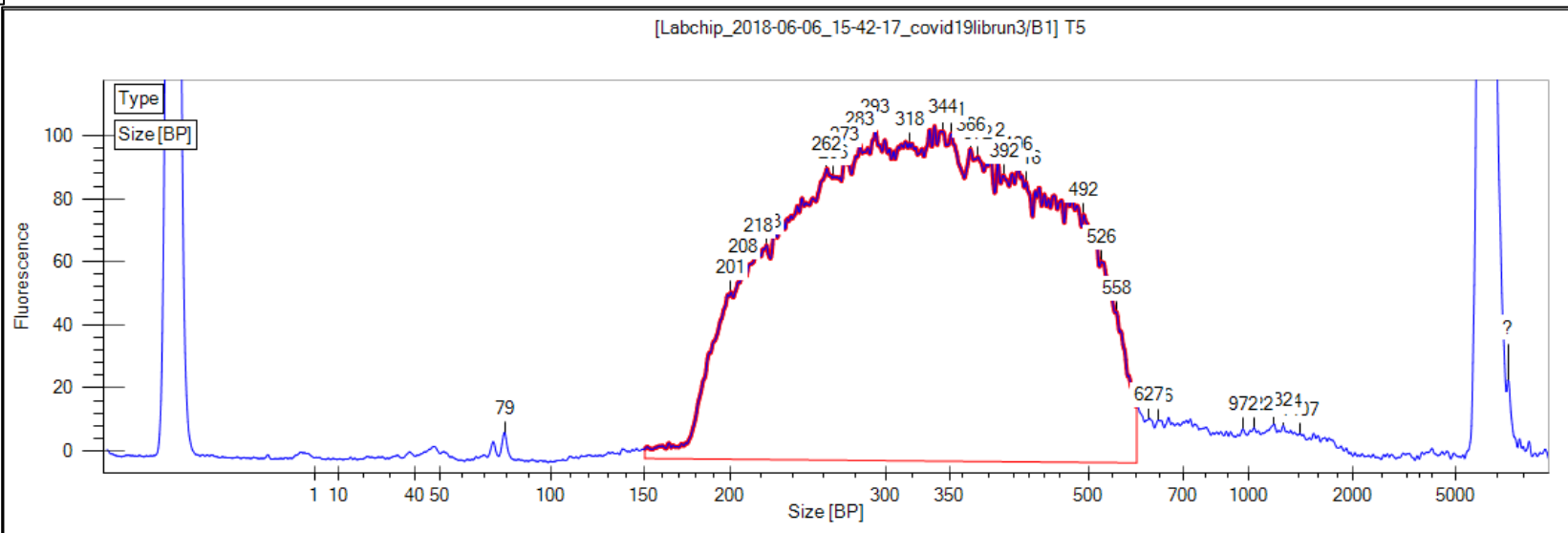




Qualification of the amplification and Library by LabChip

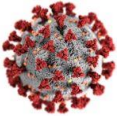


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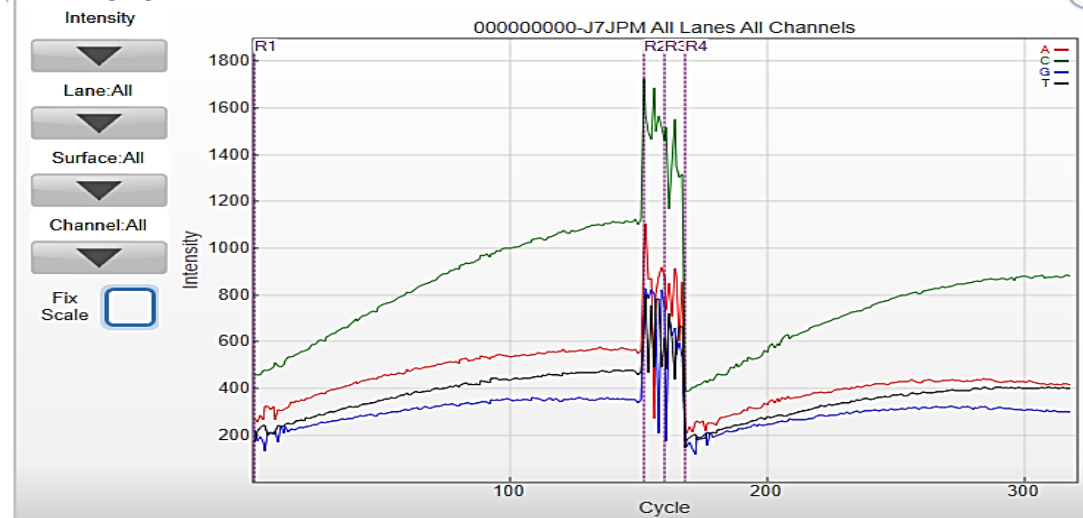
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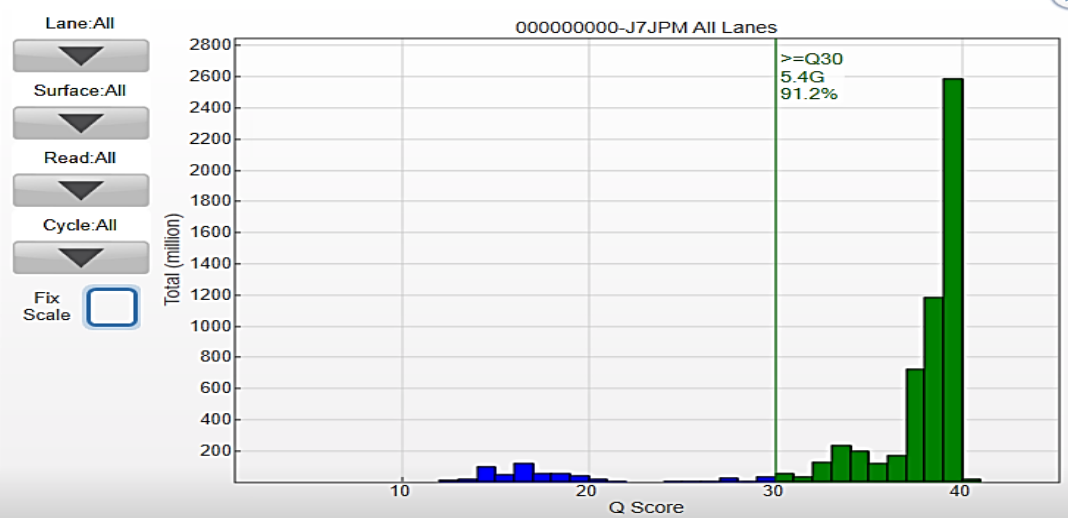


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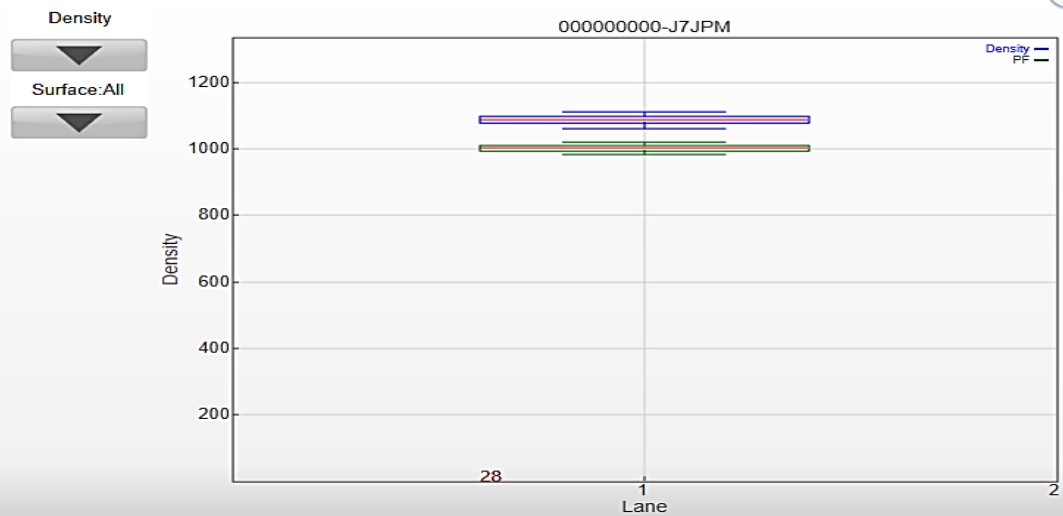
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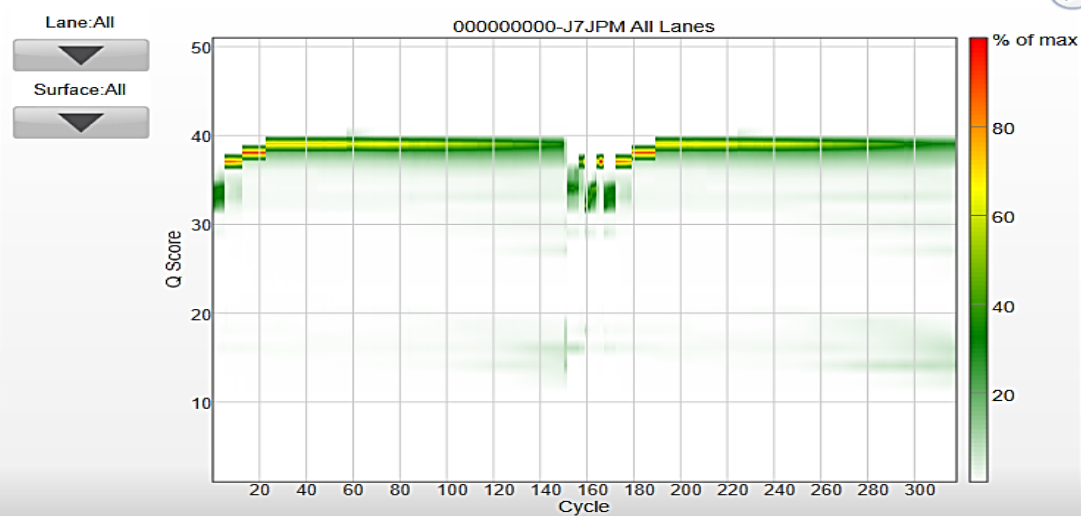
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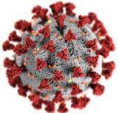


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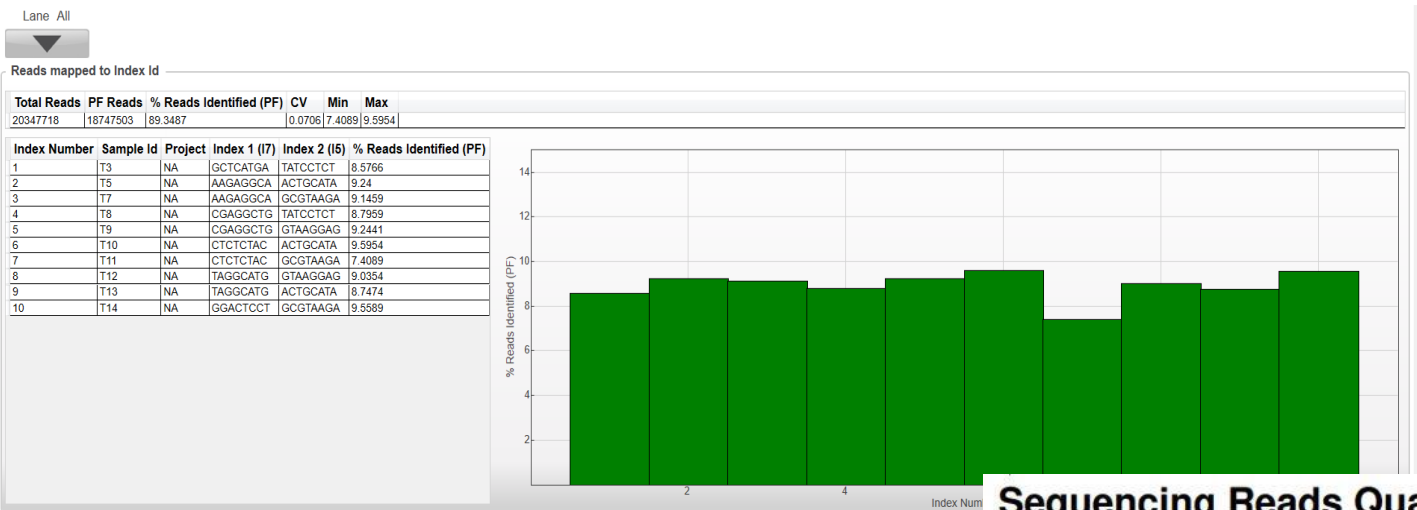


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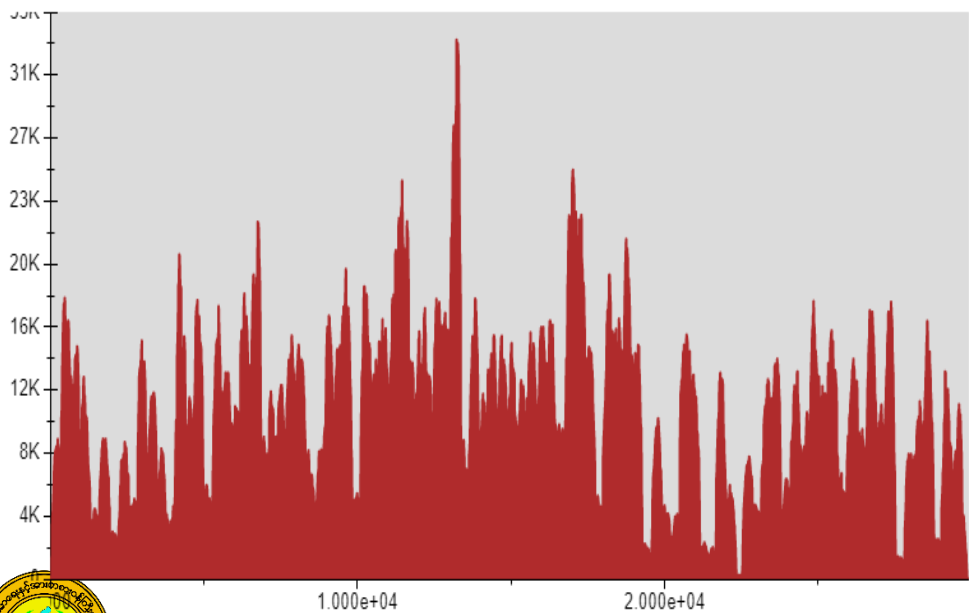




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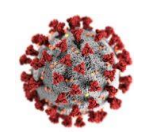
Sequencing Reads Quality Control



Sample	Raw Reads (pairs)	Raw Bases	Clean Reads (pairs)	Clean Bases
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E	1,301,550	291,010,242	1,138,170	237,156,562
F	1,344,315	301,370,397	1,173,291	245,108,570
G	1,339,262	298,026,135	1,157,401	240,784,918
H	1,371,296	306,862,413	1,193,052	248,784,080
J	1,424,886	316,216,039	1,243,905	257,990,191
K	1,326,979	296,827,450	1,160,324	241,902,281
M	1,343,785	300,161,894	1,167,858	243,355,035
N	1,368,931	306,128,689	1,192,448	248,132,955
O	1,311,782	297,670,564	1,147,570	240,769,951

All Myanmar samples showed good read data enough to do Genome-wide study.





Sequences quality

NGS details

Assembly

Coverage length	29901 (1 contig(s))
Est. depth of coverage	9779.8
Est. number of reads	2611118
Ambiguities	0

Assignment

Type	Severe acute respiratory syndrome-related coronavirus (Taxonomy ID: 694009)
Reference Genome	NC_045512.3 (Length: 29903bp)
Host(s)	Homo sapiens / Paguma larvata
NT Identity (%)	99.9231
NT Quality	1.99652

All samples showed

- Depth of coverage >8000
- Number of reads >2,600,000
- NT identity(%) - >99.9

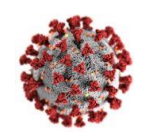
Alignment

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Genome Region

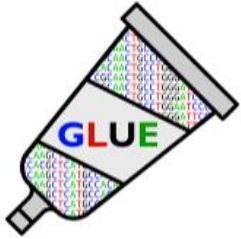
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Software used for Bioinformatics Analysis

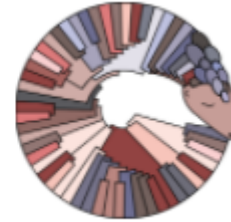
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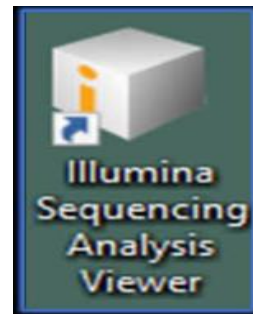
Nextstrain

Real-time tracking of pathogen evolution

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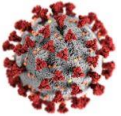
Molecular Evolutionary
Genetics Analysis



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NCBI GenBank SRA Accessions

All sequences have been submitted to NCBI GenBank.

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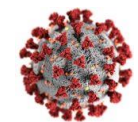
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Number of samples for WGS (as of 10-Jan-2021)

Run time	Total samples test	Sample collection site	Time of sample collection	Remark
1	10	Yangon/Q-site of returnees	April-Jul (2020)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 4 Returnees from India - 1 Returnee from China - 5 from local infection (Yangon) (First wave)
2	10	Rakhine/Q-site of returnees	August (2020)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 9 from Rakhine - 1 from Philippines Returnee
3	10	Yangon	September (2020)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 10 deceased cases from Yangon (Second wave)
4	11	Mandalay/Sagaing	December (2020)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 1 PyiGyiTakon, 1 PyinOoLwin, 1 NaungCho, 1 ChanAyeThaZan, 1 Sagaing, 1 Tadaoo, 1 MyinGyan, 1 ChanMyaTharSi, 1 AungMyayTharSan, 1 Mattaya, 1 MaharAungMyay
5	11	Yangon/Bago	December (2020)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 4 Yangon, 2 Bago, 2 Padaung, 2 Tharyarwaddy, 1 Yadeshay
Total	52			



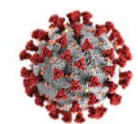


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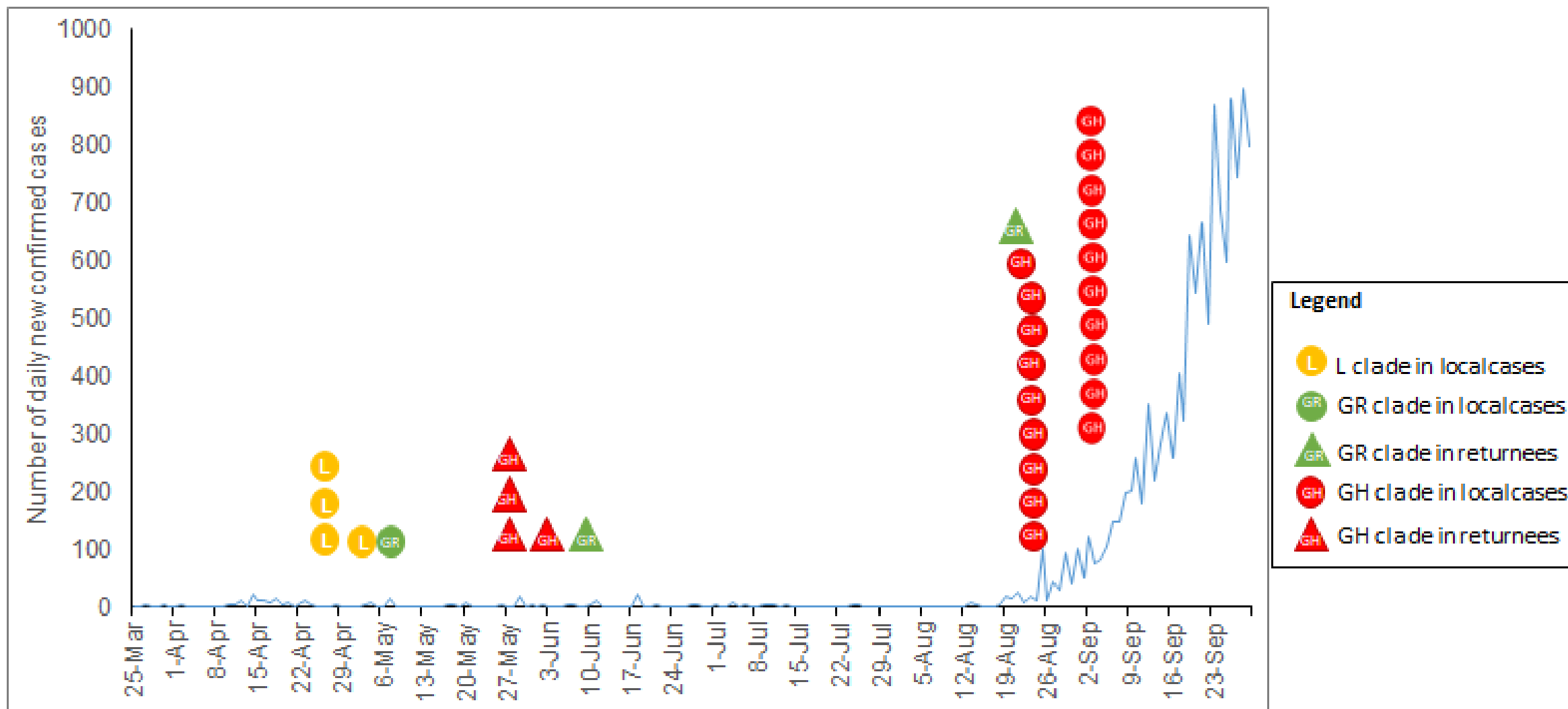
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MM3	Yangon	No	24-Apr	19A	L	B.6
MM4	Yangon	No	3-May	19A	L	B.6
MM5	Yangon	No	7-May	20B	GR	B.1.1
MM6	Yangon	Yes (India)	25-May	20A	GH	B.1.36.1
MM7	Yangon	Yes (China)	2-Jun	20A	GH	B.1.80
MM8	Yangon	Yes (India)	26-May	20A	GH	B.1.36.1
MM9	Yangon	Yes (India)	26-May	20A	GH	B.1.36.1
MM10	Yangon	Yes (India)	30-May	20B	GR	B.1.1
MM11	Sittwe	No	21-Aug	20A	GH	B.1.36
MM12	Sittwe	No	21-Aug	20A	GH	B.1.36
MM13	Sittwe	No	21-Aug	20A	GH	B.1.36
MM14	Sittwe	No	20-Aug	20A	GH	B.1.36
MM15	Sittwe	No	20-Aug	20A	GH	B.1.36
MM16	Sittwe	No	20-Aug	20A	GH	B.1.36
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MM18	Sittwe	No	21-Aug	20A	GH	B.1.36
MM19	Sittwe	No	19-Aug	20A	GH	B.1.36
MM20	Yangon	Yes(Philippine)	19-Aug	20B	GR	B.1.1
MM21	Yangon	No	12-Sep	20A	GH	B.1.36
MM22	Yangon	No	13-Sep	20A	GH	B.1.36
MM23	Yangon	No	16-Sep	20A	GH	B.1.36
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MM25	Yangon	No	14-Sep	20A	GH	B.1.36
MM26	Yangon	No	17-Sep	20A	GH	B.1.36
MM27	Yangon	No	17-Sep	20A	GH	B.1.36
MM28	Yangon	No	17-Sep	20A	GH	B.1.36
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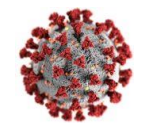
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MM36	Tadaoo	No	12-Dec	20A	GH	B.1.36
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MM38	Chanmyatharsi	No	19-Dec	20A	GH	B.1.36
MM39	AungMyayTharzan	No	19-Dec	20A	GH	B.1.36
MM40	SalTawGyi (Mattaya)	No	20-Dec	20A	GH	B.1.36
MM41	MaharAungMyay	No	21-Dec	20A	GH	B.1.36
MM42	Yangon	No	18-Dec	20A	GH	B.1.36
MM43	NOGTH	No	14-Dec	20A	GH	B.1.36
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MM46	Tharyarwaddy	No	15-Dec	20A	GH	B.1.36
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COVID-19 pandemic wave and clades detected in Myanmar





Phylogenetic analysis of 30 genome of SARS-CoV2 detected in Myanmar

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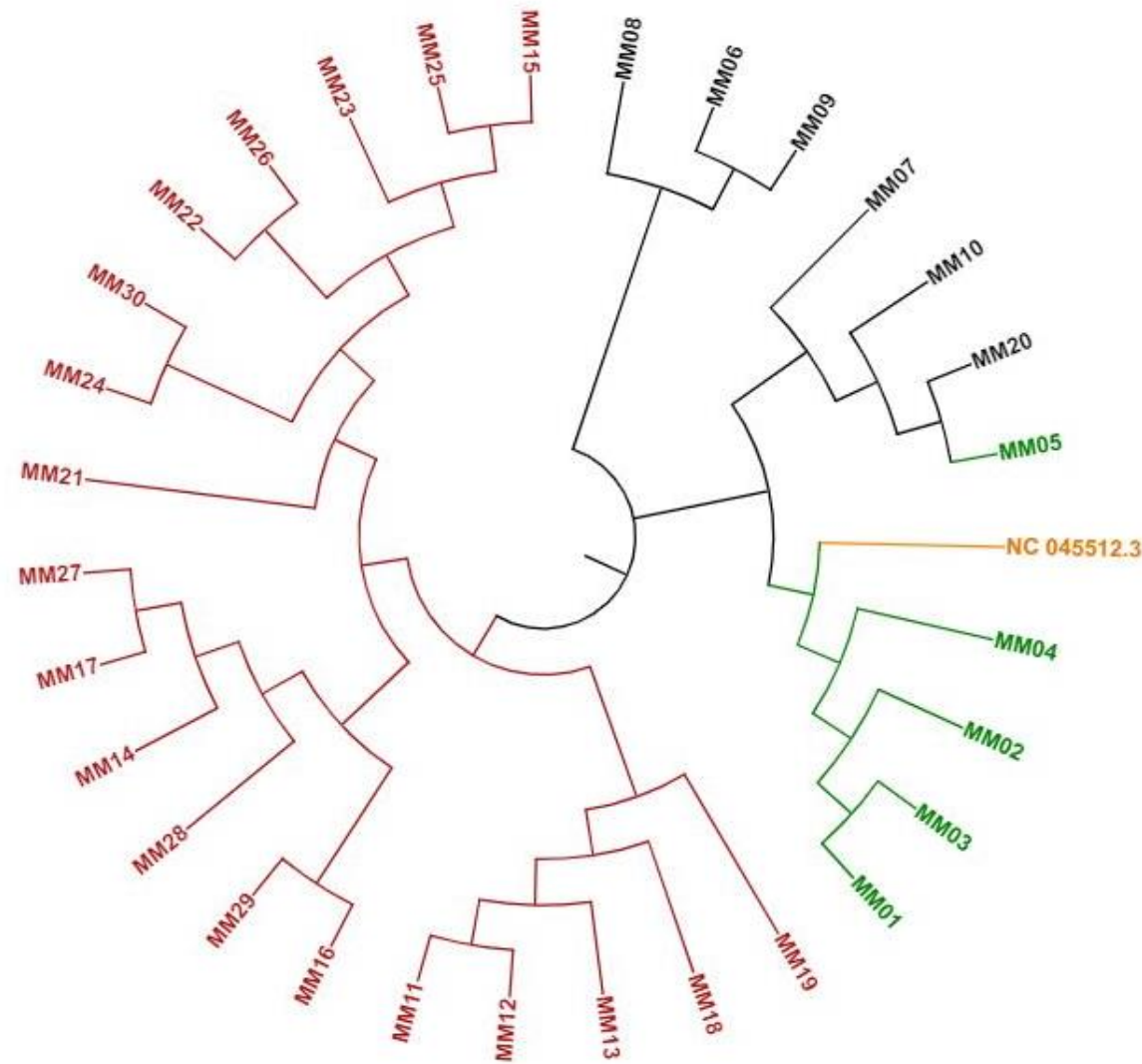
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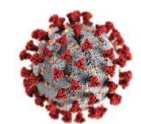
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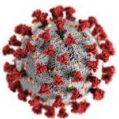
2nd week of the January-2021

Total 11 samples (Jordan returnees -6, Bago-2, SOWCH -3)

Samples	Lineage	GISAID clade	Nextstain clade
All Jordan samples (n=6)	B.1.1.312	GR	20B
Bago samples (n=2)	B.1.36	GH	20A
Yangon samples (n=3)	B.1.36	GH	20A

Until now, no evidence on introduction of UK variant (B.1.1.7), 501Y.V2, Nigeria variant nor Cluster5 in Myanmar.





Dissemination of the findings and Public Awareness

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ကျန်းမာရေးနှင့်အားကစားဝန်ကြီးဌာန ပြည်ထောင်စုဝန်ကြီး ဒေါက်တာမြင့်ထွေးထံ ဆေးသုတေသနဦးစီးဌာနက “မြန်မာနိုင်ငံတွင် တွေ့ရှိရသည့် SARS-CoV-2 ဗိုင်းရပ်စ်ပိုး၏ မျိုးဗီဇတစ်ခုလုံးကို လေ့လာသောသုတေသန” ဆောင်ရွက်ခဲ့မှုနှင့် ကာကွယ်ဆေးသုတေသနလုပ်ငန်းများနှင့် စပ်လျဉ်း၍ ရှင်းလင်းတင်ပြမှု အစည်းအဝေးကို ယမန်နေ့ ညနေပိုင်းတွင် ဆေးသုတေသနဦးစီးဌာန(ရန်ကုန်)၌ ကျင်းပသည်။ (ယာဝု)

ရှေးဦးစွာ ဆေးသုတေသနဦးစီး

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COVID-19 ရောဂါကိုဖြစ်စေသည့် SARS-CoV-2 ပိုးရဲ့ပြင်းထန်တဲ့မျိုးဗီဇပြောင်းလဲမှုကို တွေ့ရှိနေပြီဖြစ်တဲ့အတွက် အဲဒီကူးစက်မှုမြန်တဲ့ ပိုးအမျိုးအစားများမှ ပြည်တွင်းကူးစက်မှု ဖြစ်လာပါက ဒုတိယလှိုင်း ဖြစ်နိုင်ခြေရှိတယ်လို့ ဆေးသုတေသနဦးစီးဌာနက သိရပါတယ်။

ဦးစီးဌာနက ဆောင်ရွက်ကာ “မြန်မာနိုင်ငံတွင် ဖြစ်ပွားနေသည့် SARS-CoV-2 ဗိုင်းရပ်စ်ပိုးကို မော်လီကျူးနည်းပညာ ဝန်ဆောင်ခံရထားသည့် အခြေအနေအထားတွင် အခြားနိုင်ငံများတွင် ဖြစ်ပွားသည့်ရောဂါပိုးနှင့် တူညီမှု ရှိ၊ မရှိနှင့် ရောဂါပြင်းထန်စေနိုင်မှု များစွာ သုံးစွဲရမည့်ဖြစ်သဖြင့် ကာကွယ်ဆေးအမျိုးမျိုးကို မိမိတို့



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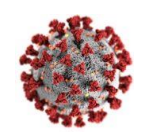
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Future Direction

- Genomic Surveillance is essential compartment of the pandemic
- Genomic and molecular surveillance have to be conducted.
- Surveillance network
- Sample data bank (pathogen/host)



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