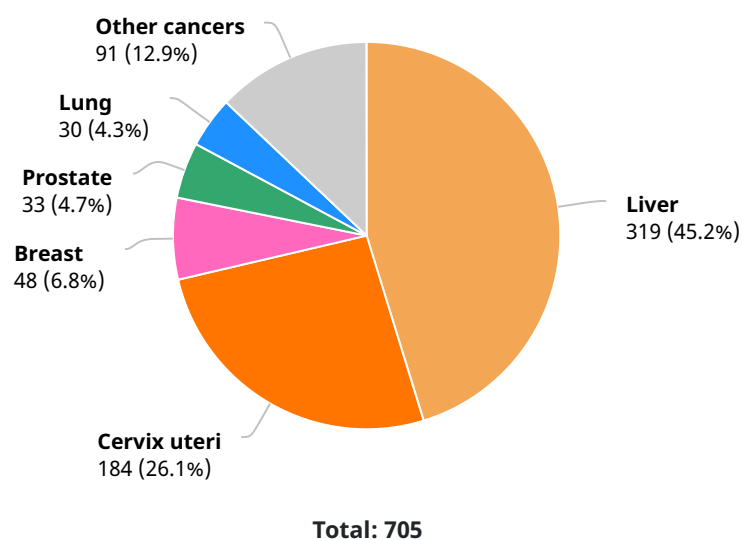


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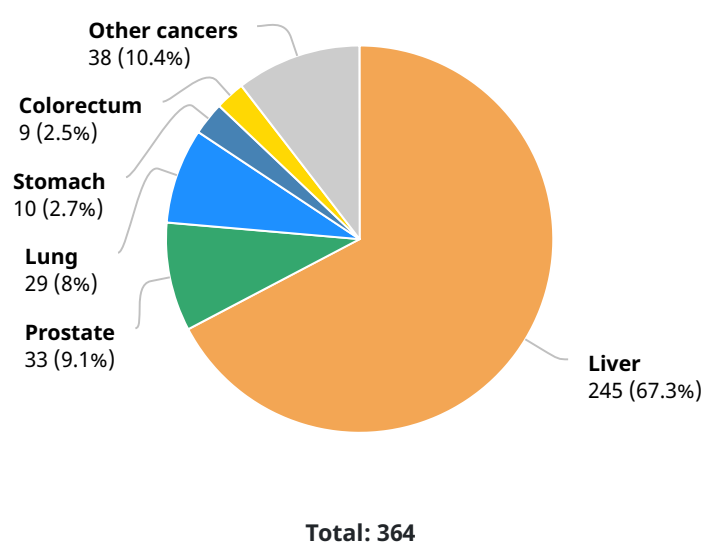
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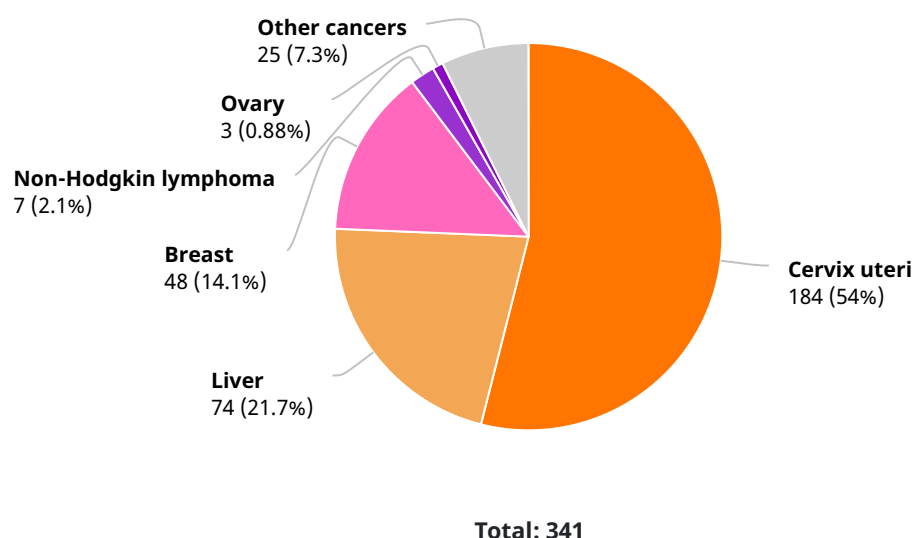
Number of new cases in 2018, both sexes, all ages



Number of new cases in 2018, males, all ages



Number of new cases in 2018, females, all ages



Summary statistic 2018

	Males	Females	Both sexes
Population	1 070 976	1 092 799	2 163 775
Number of new cancer cases	364	341	705
Age-standardized incidence rate (World)	60.8	53.2	57.2
Risk of developing cancer before the age of 75 years (%)	6.4	5.4	5.9
Number of cancer deaths	355	255	610
Age-standardized mortality rate (World)	60.7	43.9	52.2
Risk of dying from cancer before the age of 75 years (%)	6.2	4.6	5.4
5-year prevalent cases	456	537	993
Top 5 most frequent cancers excluding non-melanoma skin cancer (ranked by cases)	Liver Prostate Lung Stomach Colorectum	Cervix uteri Liver Breast Non-Hodgkin lymphoma Ovary	Liver Cervix uteri Breast Prostate Lung

Geography



Numbers at a glance

Total population

2 163 775

Number of new cases

705

Number of deaths

610

Number of prevalent cases (5-year)

993

Data source and methods

Incidence

Country-specific data source: National Cancer Registry of The Gambia

Method: National (or local with coverage greater than 50%) rates projected to 2018

Mortality

Country-specific data source: No data

Method: Estimated from national incidence estimates by modelling, using incidence:mortality ratios derived from cancer registry data in neighbouring countries

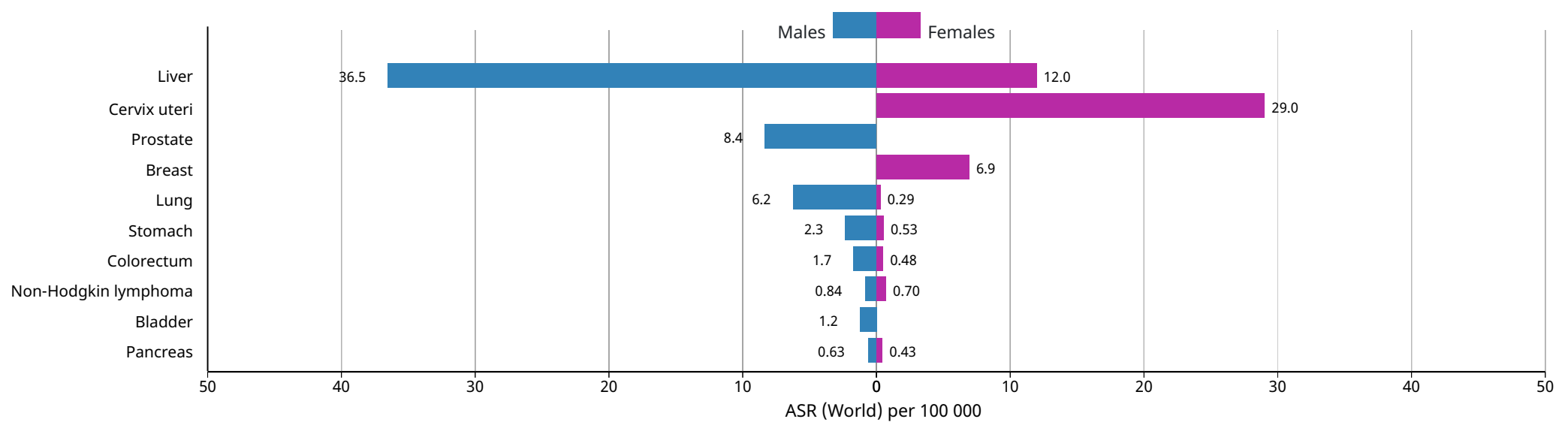
Prevalence

Computed using sex-, site- and age-specific incidence to 1-,3- and 5-year prevalence ratios from Nordic countries for the period (2000-2009), and scaled using Human Development Index (HDI) ratios.

Incidence, Mortality and Prevalence by cancer site

Cancer	New cases				Deaths				5-year prevalence (all ages)	
	Number	Rank	(%)	Cum.risk	Number	Rank	(%)	Cum.risk	Number	Prop.
Liver	319	1	45.2	2.42	343	1	56.2	2.65	387	17.89
Cervix uteri	184	2	26.1	2.84	132	2	21.6	2.34	310	28.37
Breast	48	3	6.8	0.68	24	4	3.9	0.41	78	7.14
Prostate	33	4	4.7	1.12	18	5	3.0	0.62	43	4.02
Lung	30	5	4.3	0.43	30	3	4.9	0.43	29	1.34
Non-Hodgkin lymphoma	16	6	2.3	0.06	10	7	1.6	0.06	31	1.43
Stomach	12	7	1.7	0.22	12	6	2.0	0.22	14	0.65
Rectum	8	8	1.1	0.11	6	8	0.98	0.10	11	0.51
Bladder	6	9	0.85	0.07	4	11	0.66	0.05	11	0.51
Oesophagus	6	10	0.85	0.05	5	10	0.82	0.05	6	0.28
Pancreas	5	11	0.71	0.06	5	9	0.82	0.06	5	0.23
Colon	3	12	0.43	0.05	3	12	0.49	0.05	3	0.14
Ovary	3	13	0.43	0.06	2	13	0.33	0.05	6	0.55
Thyroid	1	14	0.14	0.00	0	22	0	0	2	0.09
Leukaemia	1	15	0.14	0.00	0	27	0	0	2	0.09
Larynx	1	16	0.14	0.02	1	14	0.16	0.02	2	0.09
Corpus uteri	1	17	0.14	0.03	1	15	0.16	0.03	2	0.18
Testis	0	18	0	0	0	19	0	0	0	0
Nasopharynx	0	19	0	0	0	20	0	0	0	0
Vulva	0	20	0	0	0	21	0	0	0	0
Lip, oral cavity	0	21	0	0	0	23	0	0	0	0
Mesothelioma	0	22	0	0	0	24	0	0	0	0
Anus	0	23	0	0	0	25	0	0	0	0
Oropharynx	0	24	0	0	0	26	0	0	0	0
Gallbladder	0	25	0	0	0	28	0	0	0	0
Kidney	0	26	0	0	0	29	0	0	0	0
Hypopharynx	0	27	0	0	0	30	0	0	0	0
Vagina	0	28	0	0	0	31	0	0	0	0
Brain, central nervous system	0	29	0	0	0	32	0	0	0	0
Melanoma of skin	0	30	0	0	0	33	0	0	0	0
Hodgkin lymphoma	0	31	0	0	0	34	0	0	0	0
Penis	0	32	0	0	0	35	0	0	0	0
Salivary glands	0	33	0	0	0	16	0	0	0	0
Kaposi sarcoma	0	34	0	0	0	17	0	0	0	0
Multiple myeloma	0	35	0	0	0	18	0	0	0	0
All cancer sites	705	-	-	5.91	610	-	-	5.44	993	45.89

Age-standardized (World) incidence rates per sex, top 10 cancers



Age-standardized (World) incidence and mortality rates, top 10 cancers

