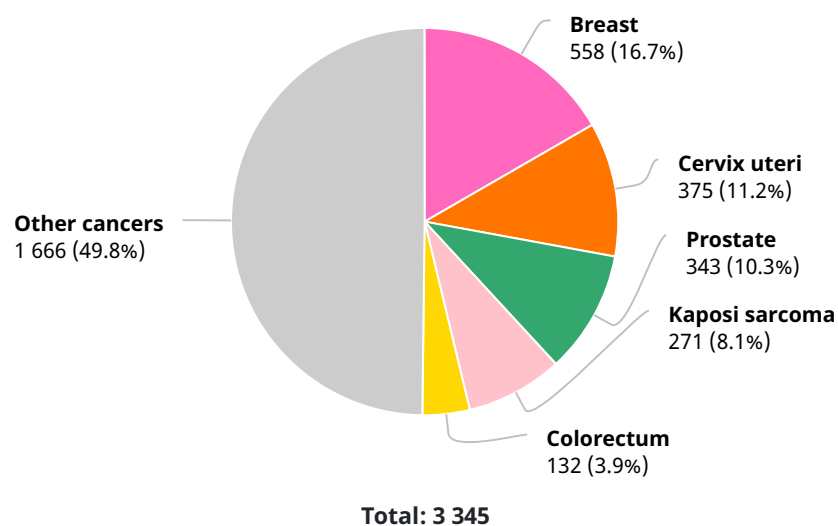


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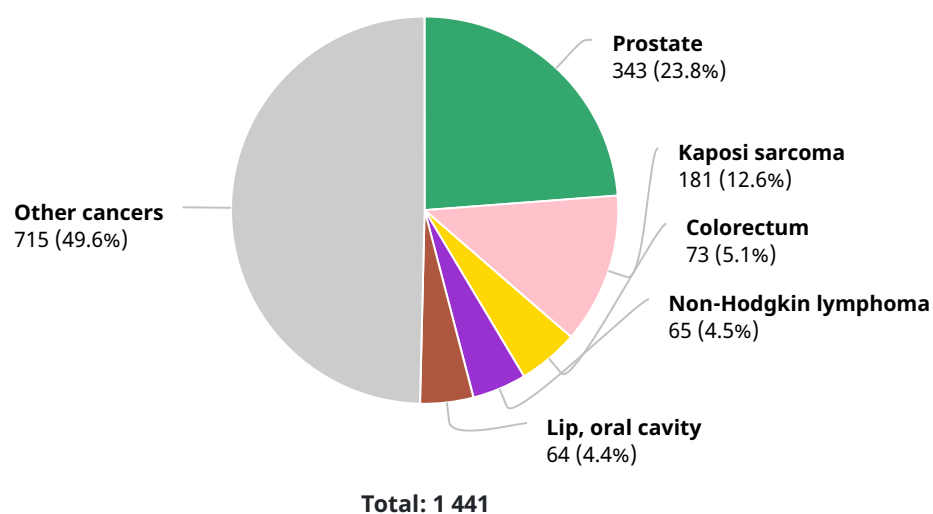
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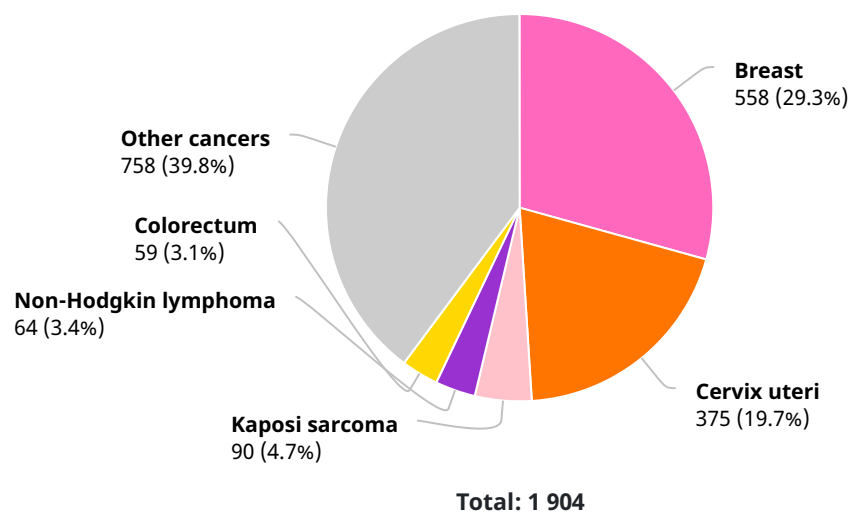
Number of new cases in 2020, both sexes, all ages



Number of new cases in 2020, males, all ages



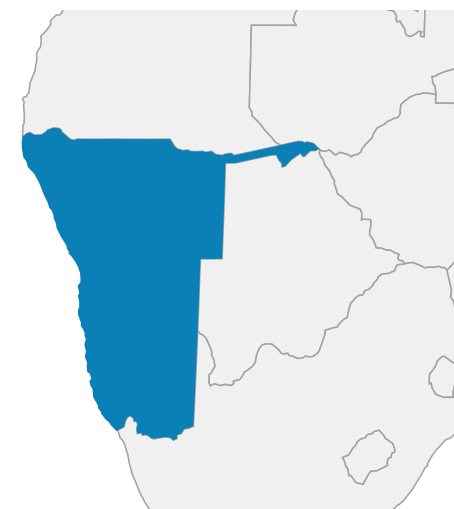
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Summary statistic 2020

	Males	Females	Both sexes
Population	1 231 683	1 309 233	2 540 916
Number of new cancer cases	1 441	1 904	3 345
Age-standardized incidence rate (World)	222.0	191.9	198.3
Risk of developing cancer before the age of 75 years (%)	21.0	18.2	19.1
Number of cancer deaths	829	1 047	1 876
Age-standardized mortality rate (World)	133.2	109.6	116.1
Risk of dying from cancer before the age of 75 years (%)	12.9	11.1	11.7
5-year prevalent cases	3 021	4 442	7 463
Top 5 most frequent cancers excluding non-melanoma skin cancer (ranked by cases)	Prostate Kaposi sarcoma Colorectum Non-Hodgkin lymphoma Lip, oral cavity	Breast Cervix uteri Kaposi sarcoma Non-Hodgkin lymphoma Colorectum	Breast Cervix uteri Prostate Kaposi sarcoma Colorectum

Geography



Numbers at a glance

Total population

2 540 916

Number of new cases

3 345

Number of deaths

1 876

Number of prevalent cases (5-year)

7 463

Data source and methods

Incidence

Country-specific data source: Namibian Cancer Registry
Method: Most recent rates from a single registry applied to 2020 population

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

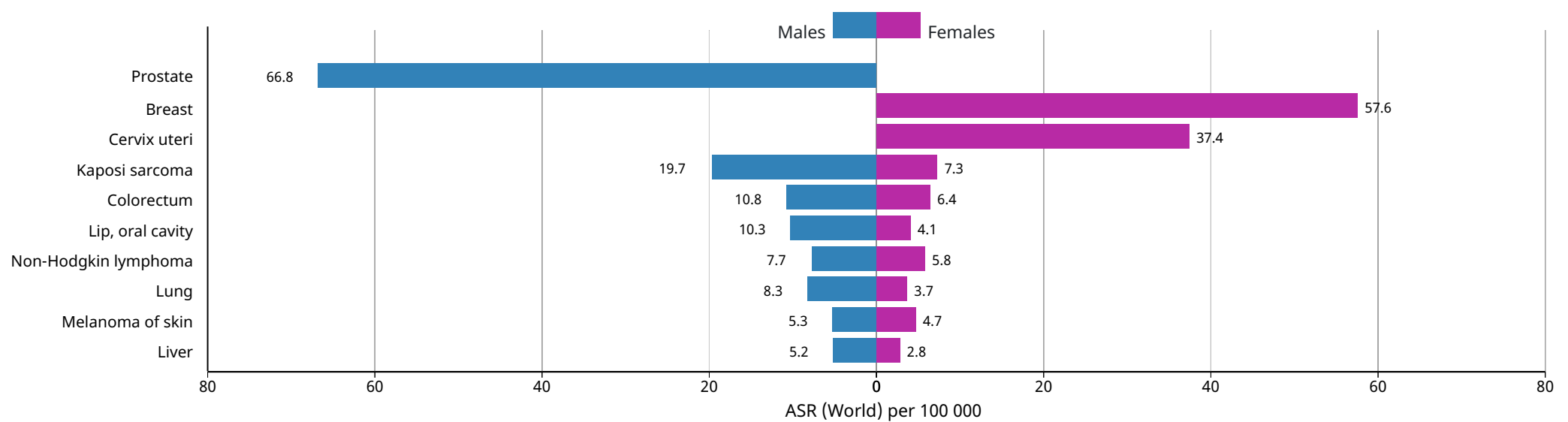
Prevalence

Computed using sex-, site- and age-specific incidence to 1-;3- and 5-year prevalence ratios from Nordic countries for the period (2006-2015), 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. (per 100 000)
Breast	558	1	16.7	5.96	228	1	12.2	2.59	1 410	107.70
Cervix uteri	375	2	11.2	3.84	214	2	11.4	2.40	842	64.31
Prostate	343	3	10.3	6.76	138	4	7.4	2.39	653	53.02
Kaposi sarcoma	271	4	8.1	1.08	161	3	8.6	0.68	677	26.64
Non-Hodgkin lymphoma	129	5	3.9	0.60	79	5	4.2	0.40	324	12.75
Lip, oral cavity	102	6	3.0	0.68	52	8	2.8	0.36	223	8.78
Lung	83	7	2.5	0.71	76	6	4.1	0.68	98	3.86
Colon	72	8	2.2	0.56	47	9	2.5	0.40	148	5.82
Melanoma of skin	71	9	2.1	0.48	24	16	1.3	0.15	175	6.89
Liver	62	10	1.9	0.40	60	7	3.2	0.40	80	3.15
Leukaemia	57	11	1.7	0.26	45	10	2.4	0.24	142	5.59
Kidney	53	12	1.6	0.29	34	12	1.8	0.20	120	4.72
Corpus uteri	49	13	1.5	0.74	14	22	0.75	0.21	130	9.93
Bladder	48	14	1.4	0.41	23	18	1.2	0.17	108	4.25
Rectum	47	15	1.4	0.33	30	14	1.6	0.26	101	3.97
Oesophagus	43	16	1.3	0.30	41	11	2.2	0.29	44	1.73
Ovary	40	17	1.2	0.41	28	15	1.5	0.35	94	7.18
Stomach	39	18	1.2	0.29	34	13	1.8	0.25	54	2.13
Larynx	35	19	1.0	0.35	21	19	1.1	0.22	83	3.27
Thyroid	30	20	0.90	0.15	10	25	0.53	0.07	86	3.38
Brain, central nervous system	28	21	0.84	0.13	24	17	1.3	0.12	73	2.87
Vulva	22	22	0.66	0.17	12	23	0.64	0.10	63	4.81
Multiple myeloma	20	23	0.60	0.15	17	20	0.91	0.14	41	1.61
Penis	19	24	0.57	0.26	7	30	0.37	0.06	48	3.90
Oropharynx	18	25	0.54	0.19	12	24	0.64	0.15	39	1.53
Salivary glands	17	26	0.51	0.08	9	26	0.48	0.06	42	1.65
Vagina	16	27	0.48	0.19	8	27	0.43	0.09	36	2.75
Pancreas	15	28	0.45	0.14	15	21	0.80	0.14	15	0.59
Testis	13	29	0.39	0.13	4	34	0.21	0.05	46	3.73
Anus	13	30	0.39	0.10	8	29	0.43	0.09	26	1.02
Nasopharynx	13	31	0.39	0.07	8	28	0.43	0.05	33	1.30
Hodgkin lymphoma	11	32	0.33	0.03	4	33	0.21	0.02	33	1.30
Hypopharynx	7	33	0.21	0.07	6	31	0.32	0.06	9	0.35
Gallbladder	6	34	0.18	0.05	5	32	0.27	0.05	7	0.28
Mesothelioma	0	35	0	0	0	35	0	0	0	0
All cancer sites	3 345	-	-	19.09	1 876	-	-	11.71	7 463	293.7

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



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

