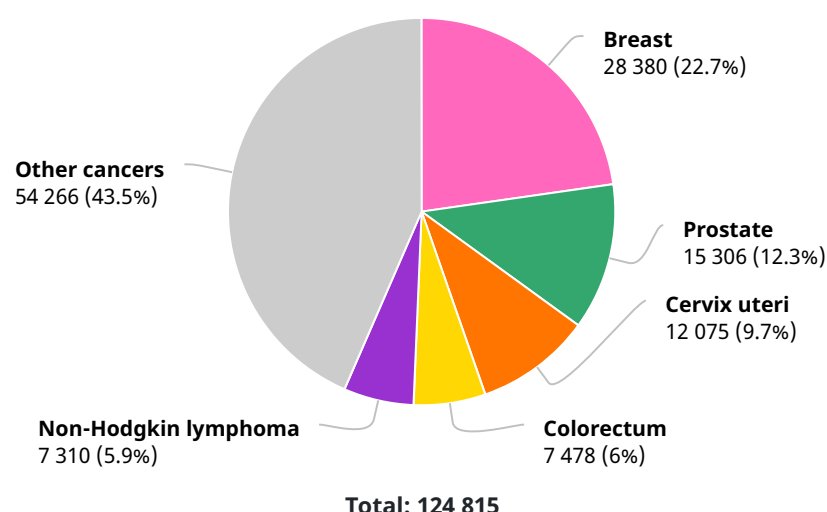


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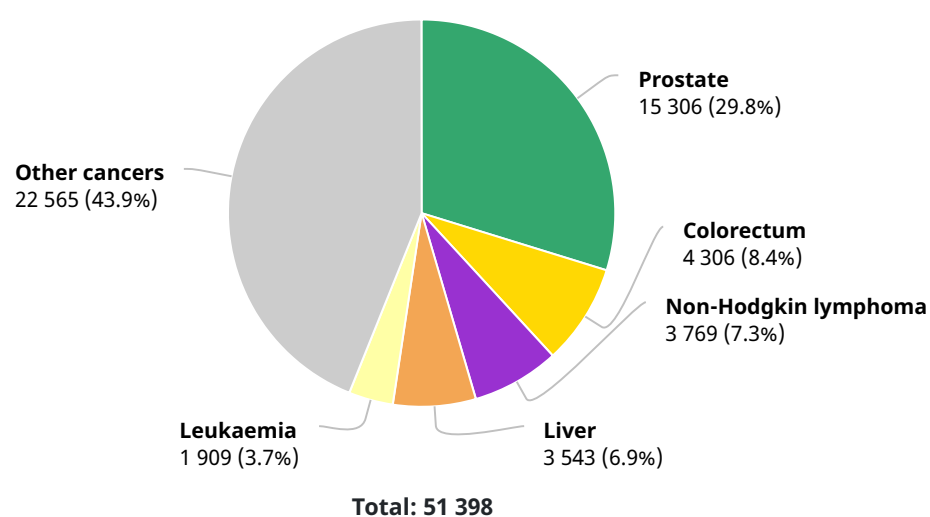
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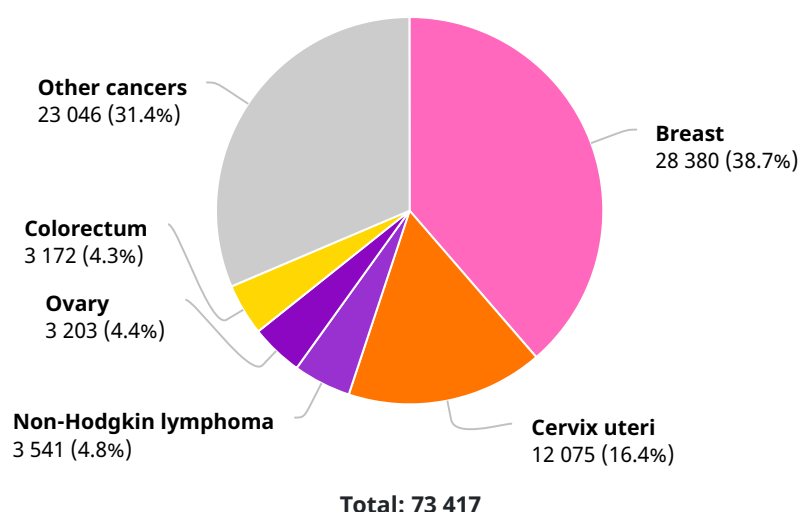
Number of new cases in 2020, both sexes, all ages



Number of new cases in 2020, males, all ages



Number of new cases in 2020, females, all ages



Summary statistic 2020

	Males	Females	Both sexes
Population	104 469 637	101 669 950	206 139 590
Number of new cancer cases	51 398	73 417	124 815
Age-standardized incidence rate (World)	98.8	122.5	110.4
Risk of developing cancer before the age of 75 years (%)	10.8	12.5	11.7
Number of cancer deaths	34 200	44 699	78 899
Age-standardized mortality rate (World)	70.7	79.5	74.8
Risk of dying from cancer before the age of 75 years (%)	7.8	8.5	8.1
5-year prevalent cases	87 397	146 514	233 911
Top 5 most frequent cancers excluding non-melanoma skin cancer (ranked by cases)	Prostate Colorectum Non-Hodgkin lymphoma Liver Leukaemia	Breast Cervix uteri Non-Hodgkin lymphoma Ovary Colorectum	Breast Prostate Cervix uteri Colorectum Non-Hodgkin lymphoma

Geography



Numbers at a glance

Total population

206 139 590

Number of new cases

124 815

Number of deaths

78 899

Number of prevalent cases (5-year)

233 911

Data source and methods

Incidence

Country-specific data source: Abuja Cancer Registry, Calabar Cancer Registry, Ekiti Cancer Registry, Ibadan Cancer Registry

Method: Weighted/simple average of the most recent local rates 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

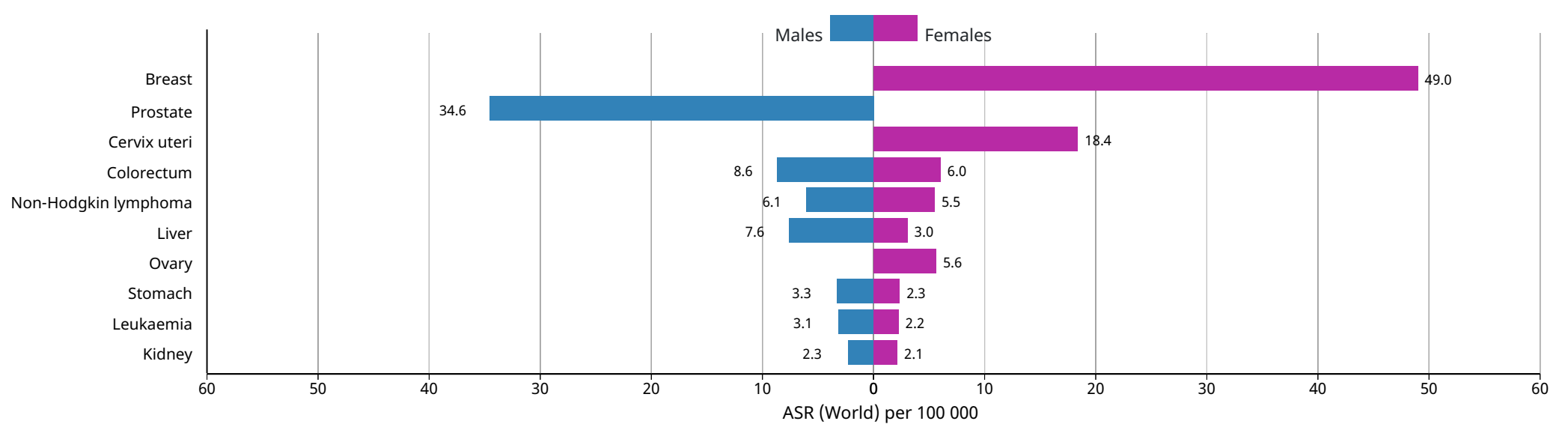
Prevalence

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	28 380	1	22.7	5.38	14 274	1	18.1	2.86	60 296	59.31
Prostate	15 306	2	12.3	4.27	8 517	2	10.8	2.44	22 225	21.27
Cervix uteri	12 075	3	9.7	1.86	7 968	3	10.1	1.42	22 482	22.11
Non-Hodgkin lymphoma	7 310	4	5.9	0.61	4 732	5	6.0	0.44	15 220	7.38
Liver	5 180	5	4.2	0.63	5 046	4	6.4	0.62	5 990	2.91
Leukaemia	3 378	6	2.7	0.27	2 504	6	3.2	0.24	7 023	3.41
Colon	3 337	7	2.7	0.39	2 396	7	3.0	0.28	5 690	2.76
Ovary	3 203	8	2.6	0.63	2 295	9	2.9	0.52	6 079	5.98
Rectum	3 090	9	2.5	0.34	2 238	10	2.8	0.25	5 678	2.75
Stomach	2 621	10	2.1	0.31	2 303	8	2.9	0.27	3 584	1.74
Kidney	2 608	11	2.1	0.25	1 702	11	2.2	0.18	5 472	2.65
Hodgkin lymphoma	2 030	12	1.6	0.10	919	16	1.2	0.06	5 031	2.44
Brain, central nervous system	1 798	13	1.4	0.10	1 409	14	1.8	0.09	3 568	1.73
Lung	1 789	14	1.4	0.24	1 643	12	2.1	0.22	2 040	0.99
Pancreas	1 477	15	1.2	0.19	1 454	13	1.8	0.19	1 305	0.63
Corpus uteri	1 465	16	1.2	0.36	470	26	0.60	0.13	3 255	3.20
Nasopharynx	1 379	17	1.1	0.11	926	15	1.2	0.09	2 856	1.39
Lip, oral cavity	1 292	18	1.0	0.14	801	17	1.0	0.09	2 477	1.20
Bladder	1 241	19	0.99	0.15	684	21	0.87	0.08	2 350	1.14
Kaposi sarcoma	1 170	20	0.94	0.06	686	20	0.87	0.03	2 470	1.20
Anus	1 051	21	0.84	0.10	765	18	0.97	0.08	1 860	0.90
Testis	1 005	22	0.81	0.09	395	27	0.50	0.04	2 598	2.49
Thyroid	978	23	0.78	0.08	362	28	0.46	0.04	2 243	1.09
Vulva	930	24	0.75	0.15	527	24	0.67	0.10	2 086	2.05
Salivary glands	916	25	0.73	0.08	577	22	0.73	0.07	2 011	0.98
Multiple myeloma	891	26	0.71	0.11	748	19	0.95	0.10	1 533	0.74
Larynx	793	27	0.64	0.10	539	23	0.68	0.07	1 496	0.73
Oesophagus	515	28	0.41	0.06	489	25	0.62	0.06	563	0.27
Melanoma of skin	479	29	0.38	0.05	195	30	0.25	0.02	985	0.48
Oropharynx	256	30	0.21	0.03	172	31	0.22	0.02	458	0.22
Gallbladder	222	31	0.18	0.03	196	29	0.25	0.03	283	0.14
Vagina	158	32	0.13	0.03	93	32	0.12	0.02	310	0.30
Hypopharynx	88	33	0.07	0.01	70	33	0.09	0.01	110	0.05
Mesothelioma	69	34	0.06	0.01	66	34	0.08	0.01	78	0.04
Penis	20	35	0.02	0.00	9	35	0.01	0.00	41	0.04
All cancer sites	124 815	-	-	11.65	78 899	-	-	8.11	233 911	113.5

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



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

