



Effect of current and counterfactual nonpharmaceutical intervention scenarios on COVID-19 epidemic in Iran

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Background and study aim

- **COVID-19 pandemic continues to spread around the world** with 7.8 million+ cases as of June 14.
- With no vaccine, non-pharmaceutical interventions (NPI) play a key role in mitigating the pandemic.
- In Iran, the daily number of cases declined for a few weeks in April, but now we see a second wave of the epidemic.
- **Our study aimed** to model COVID-19 infections and deaths under the current NPI and two counterfactual scenarios.



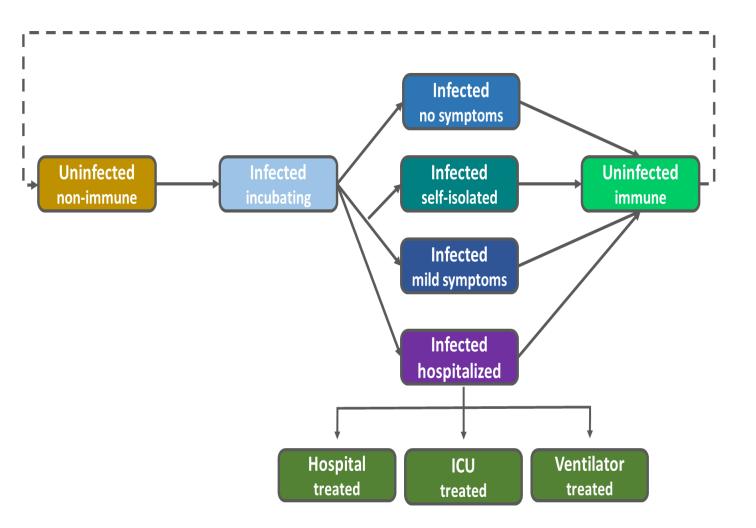
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- CoMo Team (2): Penny Hancock, Lisa J White

CoMo model

- Age structured SEIR model
- Infected compartments stratified by symptoms, severity, treatment seeking and access



Source: CoMo Consortium

CoMo model: main features

Tailor the model assumptions to individual country's context

Simulation of different intervention scenarios that changes in coverage over time

Possible impact of epidemics to hospital capacity (hospital beds, ICU beds, Ventilators)

Source: CoMo Consortium

Welcome Visual Calibration

CoMo COVID-19 App v12.15

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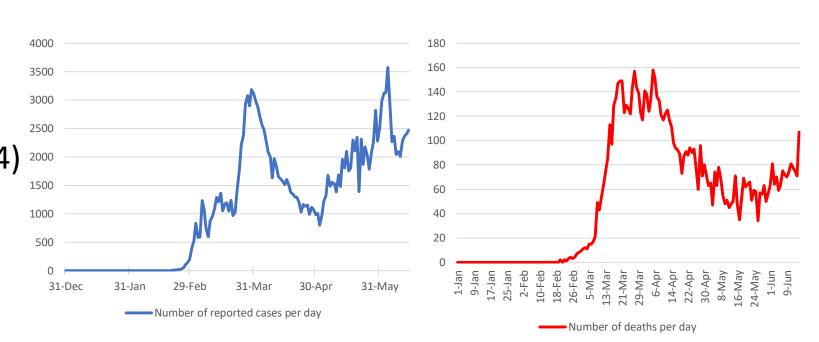
Run Baseline

- Cases/Deaths
- Severity-Mortality
- Population
- Country Area Parameters
- Virus Parameters
- Hospitalization Parameters
- Interventions
- Social Contacts data (Prem K et al PLOS Computational Biology 2017)

 Iran Cases (up to June 14)
 Overall deaths = 8,837/186,476 = 4.74%

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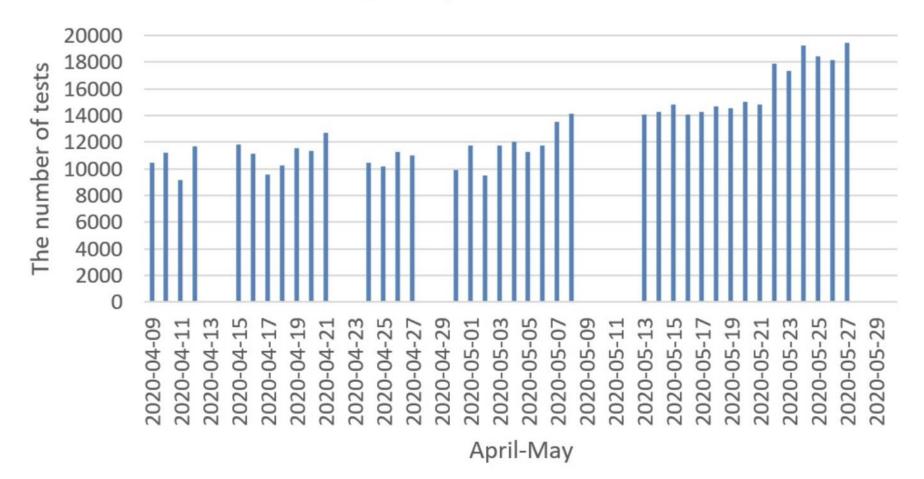
Iran MOH



New reported deaths by day in the United States New reported cases by day in the United States • US Cases (up to June 14) cases⁻ 30.000 cases 2,000 deaths Overall deaths = 20,000 1,000 115,271/2,063,812 = **5.58%** 10,000 Source: March April May March April May June US CDC By The New York Times Updated June 14, 2020, 10:37 A.M. E.T.

Testing for SARS-CoV-2 in Iran

Iran; Daily New Tests



Source: Iran MOH

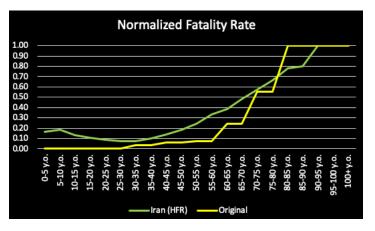
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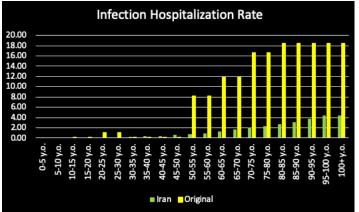
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5-10 y.o.	0.19	0.01	0.0016	0
10-15 y.o.	0.13	0.01	0.007	0.04
15-20 у.о.	0.11	0.07	0.007	0.04
20-25 y.o.	0.09	0.07	0.031	1.1
25-30 y.o.	0.07	0.06	0.031	1.1
30-35 y.o.	0.08	0.10	0.26	0.084
35-40 у.о.	0.10	0.16	0.26	0.084
40-45 y.o.	0.14	0.33	0.48	0.16
45-50 y.o.	0.18	0.45	0.48	0.16
50-55 y.o.	0.24	0.58	0.6	8.2
55-60 y.o.	0.33	0.71	0.6	8.2
60-65 y.o.	0.38	0.84	1.9	11.8
65-70 y.o.	0.48	1.00	1.9	11.8
70-75 y.o.	0.57	1.16	4.3	16.6
75-80 y.o.	0.67	1.19	4.3	16.6
80-85 y.o.	0.78	1.22	7.8	18.4
85-90 y.o.	0.80	1.25	7.8	18.4
90-95 y.o.	1.00	1.28	7.8	18.4
95-100 y.o.	1.00	1.31	7.8	18.4
100+ y.o.	1.00	1.34	7.8	18.4

Source

Severity/Mortality by Age Category:

- Vital Surveillances: The Epidemiological Characteristics of an Outbreak of 2019 Novel Coronavirus Diseases (COVID-19) – China, 2020
- Adjusted Age-Specific Case Fatality Ratio During The COVID-19 Epidemic In Hubei, China, January And February 2020



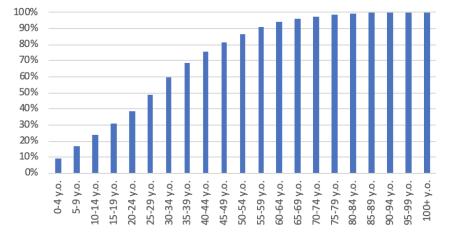


MOH COVID19 data (up to May 15,2020) Seroprevalence – Sys. Review: 16%

* Normalized

• Population





Source: Statistical Centre of Iran

Population projected to 2019

Age category	Population	Number of births per person per day	Deaths per person per day
0-4 y.o.	7365780	0.000000	0.000062
5-9 y.o.	6657836	0.000000	0.00003
10-14 y.o.	5907143	0.000000	0.00003
15-19 у.о.	5668934	0.000050	0.00007
20-24 y.o.	6638730	0.000138	0.000013
25-29 y.o.	8516525	0.000162	0.000013
30-34 y.o.	8931679	0.000134	0.000015
35-39 y.o.	7308243	0.000080	0.000014
40-44 y.o.	5730525	0.000023	0.000016
45-49 y.o.	5018991	0.000023	0.000024
50-54 y.o.	4076952	0.000000	0.000037
55-59 y.o.	3479447	0.000000	0.000046
60-64 y.o.	2640353	0.000000	0.000068
65-69 y.o.	1777282	0.000000	0.000090
70-74 y.o.	1222913	0.000000	0.000125
75-79 y.o.	920480	0.000000	0.000187
80-84 y.o.	671604	0.000000	0.000190
85-89 y.o.	324501	0.000000	0.000121
90-94 y.o.	115866	0.000000	0.000043
95-99 y.o.	19395	0.000000	0.000009
100+ y.o.	6821	0.000000	0.000009
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• Parameters

Label	Value Date	<mark>Original Value</mark>	Unit	Our Value
Date range of simulation / Start	1/1/20			12/22/19
Date range of simulation / End	09/1/20			09/30/20
Probability of infection given contact		0.049		0.043
Percentage of all asymptomatic infections that are reported		2.5	%	0
Percentage of all symptomatic infections that are reported		5	%	1.4
Percentage of all hospitalisations that are reported		100	%	70

• Country Area Parameters

Label	Value_Country	Value	Unit
Social Contacts Data	Iran (Islamic Republic of)		
Mean Household size		3.3	Individuals
Mean number of infectious migrants per day		0	Individuals

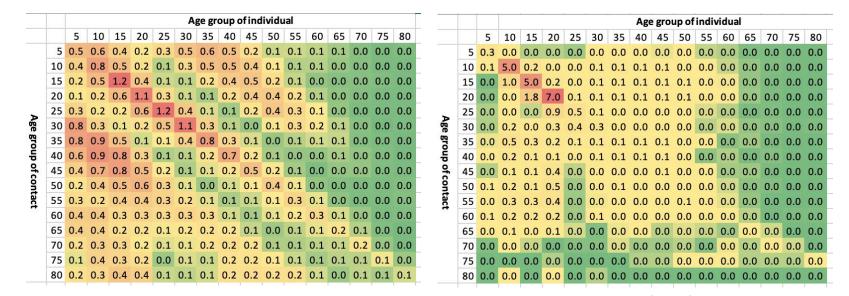
Source: Social Contacts Data: Prem K et al PLOS Computational Biology 2017) Mean Household: Statistical Centre of Iran Population project 2019

Iran - contact rates matrix (all locations = home + work + school + other) Contact rate = the number of other people that a person encounters per day

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	15	0.41	2.41	9.42	1.18	0.58	0.56	0.68	0.90	0.95	0.51	0.25	0.12	0.07	0.07	0.05	0.04
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	80	0.23	0.32	0.48	0.40	0.14	0.15	0.21	0.29	0.30	0.29	0.28	0.14	0.08	0.12	0.09	0.13

RED color intensities indicate more likely events

Iran - contact rates matrix home, school, work, other



Home

School

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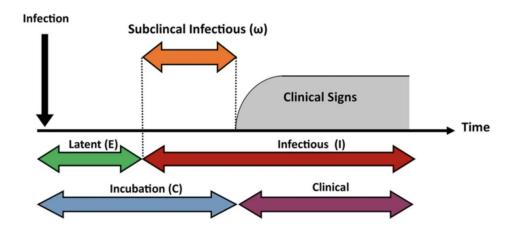
Work

Other

RED color intensities indicate more likely events

Prem K et al PLOS Computational Biology 2017)

• Virus Parameters



Label	Unit	Our Value	Source	<mark>Original V.</mark>
Relative infectiousness of incubation phase:	%	10	СоМо	10
Average incubation period:	Days	5.68	Sys. Rev.	3.5
Average duration of symptomatic infection period:	Days	4.5	СоМо	4.5
Month of peak infectivity of the virus:		Jan.	СоМо	Jan.
Annual variation in infectivity of the virus:	%	0	СоМо	0
Average duration of immunity:	Years	150	СоМо	150
Probability upon infection of developing clinical symptoms:	%	45	Gilan.IR	55
Probability upon hospitalisation of requiring ICU admission:	%	13	MOH.IR	50
Probability upon admission to the ICU of requiring a ventilator:	%	28	MOH.IR	75

Incubation Period Average = 5.68 days

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Study			%
ID		Mean (99% CI)	Weight
Chan 2020 (China,Shenzhen[n=6])	+	4.50 (2.84, 6.16)	5.31
Li 2020 (China,Wuhan[n=425])	-	5.20 (3.29, 7.11)	5.02
Backer 2020 (China,Wuhan[n=88])		6.40 (5.02, 7.78)	5.62
Ki 2020 (South Korea,[n=28])	•	3.90 (2.68, 5.12)	5.79
Zhang 2020 (China,Beijing[n=9])	→ {	2.50 (0.83, 4.17)	5.30
Linton 2020 (China, Multiple cities[n=158])	•	5.60 (4.75, 6.45)	6.12
Linton 2020 (China,Multiple cities[n=52])		5.00 (3.82, 6.18)	5.83
Bai 2020 (China,Anyang[n=6])		12.70 (7.39, 18.01)	2.00
Jiang 2020 (China,[n=50])		4.90 (4.18, 5.62)	6.22
Guan 2020 (China,30 provinces[n=1099])	•	4.25 (4.19, 4.31)	6.47
Song 2020 (China,[n=11791])	•	5.01 (4.10, 5.92)	6.08
Qiu 2020 (China,Zhengzhou[n=8])	•	9.34 (8.08, 10.60)	5.75
Rothe 2020 (Germany,Munich[n=4])	-	4.50 (2.84, 6.16)	5.31
Wu 2020 (China,Tianjin[n=40])	-	7.25 (5.39, 9.11)	5.08
Yang 2020 (China,[n=325])	•	8.75 (8.08, 9.42)	6.25
Lauer 2020 (Outside mainland China,[n=108])	+	5.70 (3.99, 7.41)	5.26
Lauer 2020 (China,outside Hubei province[n=181])	•	5.15 (4.30, 6.00)	6.12
Liu 2020 (China,Shenzhen[n=365])	•	6.00 (5.83, 6.17)	6.46
Overall (I-squared = 98.4%, p = 0.000)	Ŷ	5.68 (4.78, 6.59)	100.00
NOTE: Weights are from random effects analysis		1	

20 Incubation Period (days)

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• Hospitalization Parameters

Label	Unit	Our Value	Source	Original V.
Maximum number of hospital beds	Beds	100,437	MOH.lr	160,000
Maximum number of ICU beds	Beds	5,790	MOH.lr	8,000
Maximum number of ventilators	Ventilators	4,650	MOH.lr	8,000
Relative percentage of regular daily contacts when hospitalised	%	30	Exp. Opi	15
Probability of dying when hospitalized (oldest age class)	%	42	MOH.lr	35
Probability of dying when denied hospitalization (oldest age class)	%	45	СоМо	45
Probability of dying when admitted to ICU (oldest age class)	%	60	MOH.lr	55
Probability of dying when admission to ICU denied (oldest age class)	%	80	СоМо	80
Probability of dying when ventilated (oldest age class)	%	86	MOH.lr	80
Probability of dying when ventilator denied (oldest age class)	%	95	СоМо	95
Duration of hospitalised infection	Days	4	MOH.lr	3
Duration of ICU infection	Days	5	MOH.lr	3
Duration of ventilated infection	Days	3	MOH.lr	3

Non-pharmaceutical interventions	Start date	Duration	Coverage	Adherence	Efficacy	Home contacts inflation	Out-home contacts deflation
Lockdown, Mid	3/20/20 (۱ فروردین)	5w					
Self-Isolation if Symptomatic	2/24/20 (۵ اسفند)	32w (۱۹ مهر)	90%	80%			
Screening/Contact-Tracing (Overdisp.=2, Contacts = 4)	2/24/20 (۵ اسفند)	32w (۱۹ مهر)	75%				
Social Distancing	2/25/20 (۶ اسفند)	8w (۲ اردیبهشت)	40%	50%			
Handwashing	2/20/20 (۱ اسفند)	45w (۳۰ بهمن)			5%		
Working at Home	2/26/20 (۲ اسفند)	8w (۶ خرداد)	60%		50%	10%	
School Closures	2/25/20 (۶ اسفند)	28w (۱۷ شهريور)			85%	20%	
Shielding the Elderly (age = 60+)	2/26/20 (۲ اسفند)	10w (۱۷ اردیبهشت)	80%		82%		
Travel Ban	2/29/20 (۱۰ اسفند)	8w (۶ اردیبهشت)			50%		
Voluntary home quarantine (Avr. Days = 14, Days with Max Coverage = 2)	2/24/20 (۵ اسفند)	32w (۱۹ مهر)	50%			20%	60%

Persian New Year Effect

- Mid Lockdown
- 20 March (5 weeks)



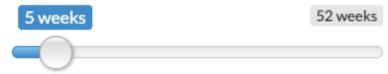
Choose One Lockdown:

	Low	Medium	High
Self-isolation coverage	50	75	95
Social distancing coverage	25	75	95
Hand hygiene coverage	5	5	5
Work from home coverage	25	50	75
School closure efficacy	0	85	85
Cocoon coverage	90	90	90
Travel ban efficacy	0	0	95
Quarantine coverage	0	25	90
Mid Lockdown			

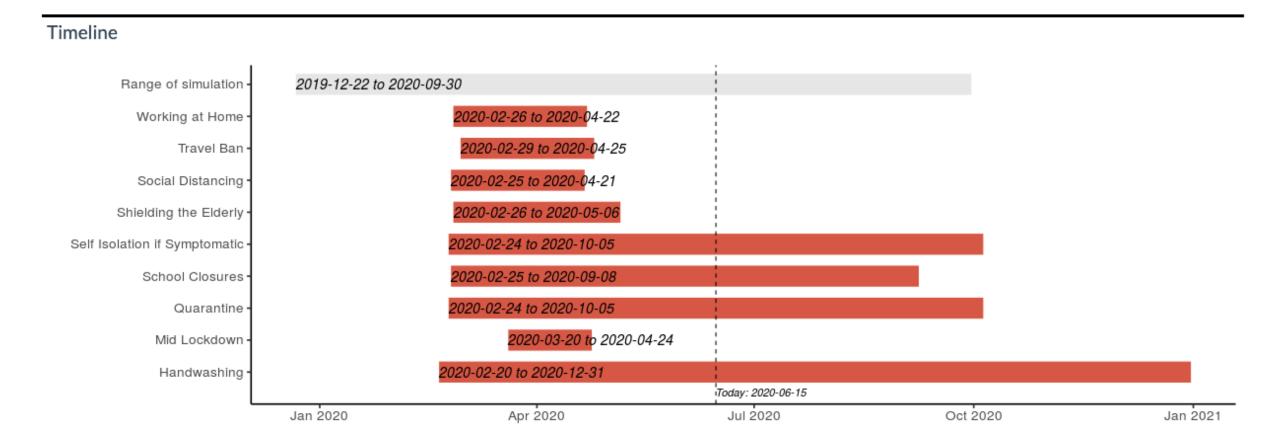
Start Date:

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Duration of Lockdown:



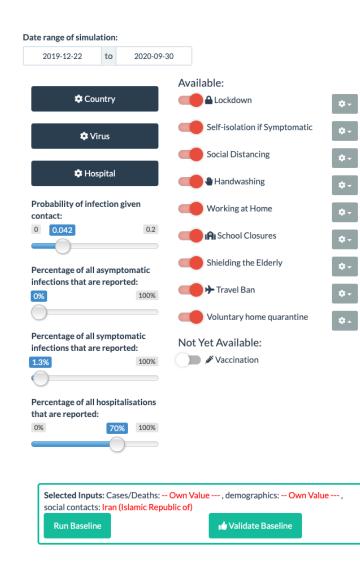
Non-pharmaceutical interventions



Model calibration

- % Asymptomatic reported: 2.5% -> 0%
- % Symptomatic reported = 1.4%
 - 83 million
 - 16% seroprevalence
 - 45% developing symptoms
 - Reported cases minus hospitalization: 186,476 85,358 = 101,118
- Epi. start date : 25 Dec -> 22 Dec [~2 months before the first case reported]
- Hospitalization that reported: 70%
- Probability of infection given contact = 0.043 -> 0.042

Baseline Visual Fit





May '20

Jun '20

Jul '20

Aug '20

Sep '20

Oct '20

Jan '20

Feb '20

Mar '20

Apr '20

Baseline

55.2%

of the population infected during the range of simulation.

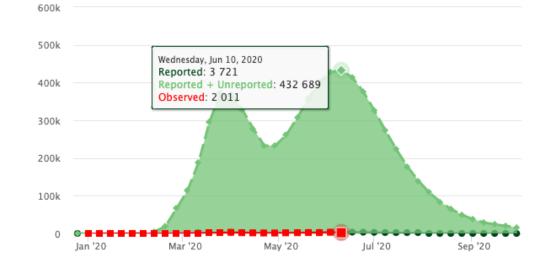
18,185

Covid-19 attributable deaths during the range of simulation.

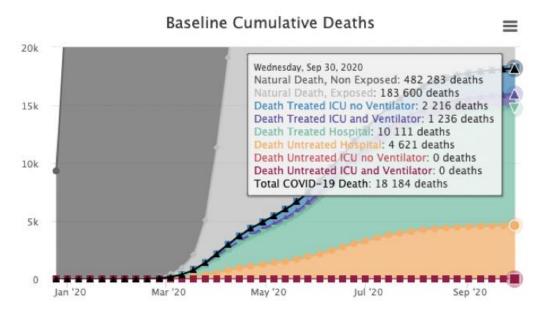
18,209

Covid-19 reported deaths during the range of simulation.

Baseline Cases

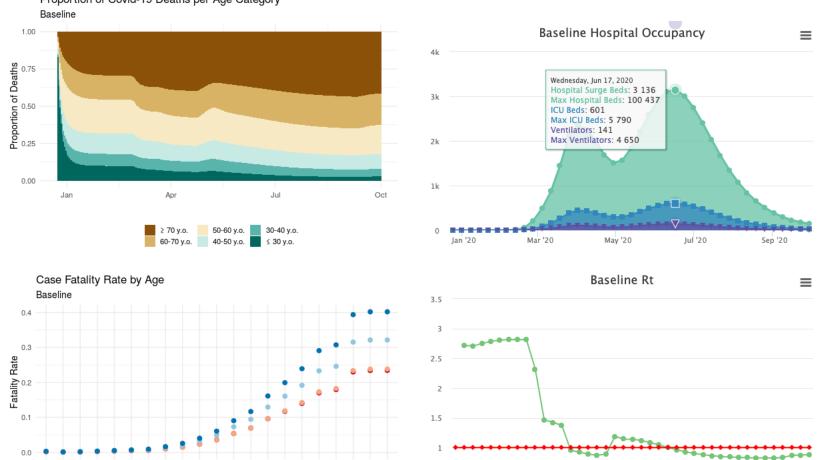


Focus on:



Baseline

Proportion of Covid-19 Deaths per Age Category



0.5

Jan '20

Mar '20

May '20

Jul '20

Sep '20

Measured at: • Day 30 • Day 60 • Day 90 • Day 120

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Counterfactual Scenarios

Interventions	Baseline	Scenario 1	Scenario 2
lockdown	Med. 20March-24April	X	x
Self-isolation if symptomatic Coverage Adherence Duration of intervention	✓ 90% 80% 24Feb-5Oct	✓ 90% 80% 24Feb-5Oct	x
Additional to self-isolation: Screening Coverage Duration of intervention	✓ 75% 24Feb-5Oct	✓ 75% 24Feb-5Oct	x
Social Distancing Coverage Adherence Duration of intervention	✓ 50% 50% 25Feb-21April	✓ 50% 50% 25Feb-21April	x
Duration of intervention Handwashing	\checkmark	✓ F	\checkmark
Efficacy	5%	5%	5%
Duration of intervention	20Feb-31Dec	20Feb-31Dec	20Feb-31Dec
Working at home (Home C. infl. 10%) Coverage Efficacy Duration of intervention	✓ 60% 50% 26Feb-22April	x	x
School Closure (Home C. infl. 20%) Efficacy Duration of intervention	√ 85% 25Feb-8Sep	x	x
Shielding the Elderly Coverage Efficacy Duration of intervention	✓ 80% 82% 26Feb-6Jun	✓ 80% 82% 26Feb-6Jun	x
Voluntary quarantine (Home C. infl. 20%, Other C. Dec. 60%) Coverage Days in isolation Duration of intervention	✓ 50% 14 24Feb-5Oct	✓ 50% 14 24Feb-5Oct	X
Travel Ban 50% (29Feb-25Apr)	\checkmark	\checkmark	X

What if we had no "Lockdown", no "School closure"

What if we had no intervention but "handwashing"

and no "Working at home" Baseline Scenario 1 Scenario 2 55.2% (12.2%) 87.6% 67.4% (32.4%)of the population infected during the range of simulation. of the population infected during the range of simulation. of the population infected during the range of simulation. 18,184 (1, 230)19,415 32,650 (14,465) Covid-19 attributable deaths during the range of simulation. Covid-19 attributable deaths during the range of simulation. Covid-19 attributable deaths during the range of simulation. 18,208 (1,236)19,445 32,705 (14, 496)Covid-19 reported deaths during the range of simulation. Covid-19 reported deaths during the range of simulation. Covid-19 reported deaths during the range of simulation. Display all days ile (Slower) Either way, we display daily data. Focus on: Predicted Reported

Predicted Reported + Unreported Observed **Baseline** Cases ≡ Future Scenarios Cases Future Scenarios Cases \equiv ≡ 600k 2 000k 4M 500k 3M Wednesday, Jun 10, 2020 Wednesday, Mar 25, 2020 Wednesday, Apr 8, 2020 400k Reported: 3 916 Reported: 20 618 Reported: 10 183 Reported + Unreported: 432 689 Reported + Unreported: 1 252 466 Reported + Unreported: 2 575 352 Observed: 2 011 Observed: 2 206 Observed: 1 997 300k 2M 200k 500k 1M 100k 0 0 0 0 0 00000000000000000 Jan '20 Mar '20 May '20 Jul '20 Sep '20 Jan '20 Mar '20 May '20 Jul '20 Sep '20 Jan '20 Mar '20 May '20 Jul '20 Sep '20

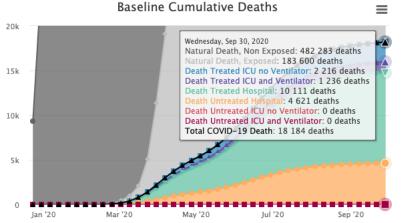
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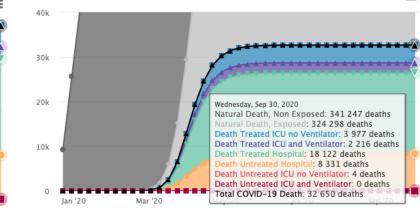
Future Scenarios Cumulative Deaths

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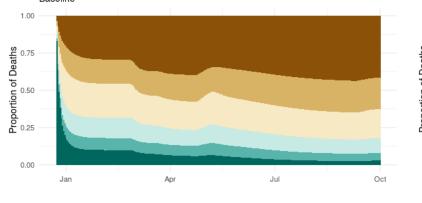
Future Scenarios Cumulative Deaths ≡ 20k <u>.</u> . 15k 10k Wednesday, Sep 30, 2020 Natural Death, Non Exposed: 451 825 deaths Vatural Death, Exposed: 213 990 deaths Death Treated ICU no Ventilator: 2 367 deaths 5k Death Treated ICU and Ventilator: 1 319 deaths Death Treated Hospital: 10 779 deaths Death Untreated Hospital: 4 950 deaths Death Untreated ICU no Ventilator: 0 deaths Death Untreated ICU and Ventilator: 0 deaths 0 Total COVID-19 Death: 19 415 deaths Jan '20 Mar '20



Proportion of Covid-19 Deaths per Age Category Baseline

≥ 70 y.o.

60-70 y.o.

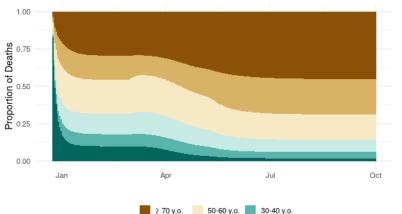


50-60 y.o. 30-40 y.o.

40-50 y.o. ≤ 30 y.o.

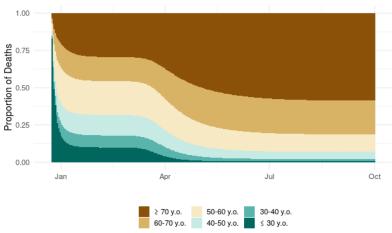
Proportion of Covid-19 Deaths per Age Category Future Scenarios

60-70 y.o.



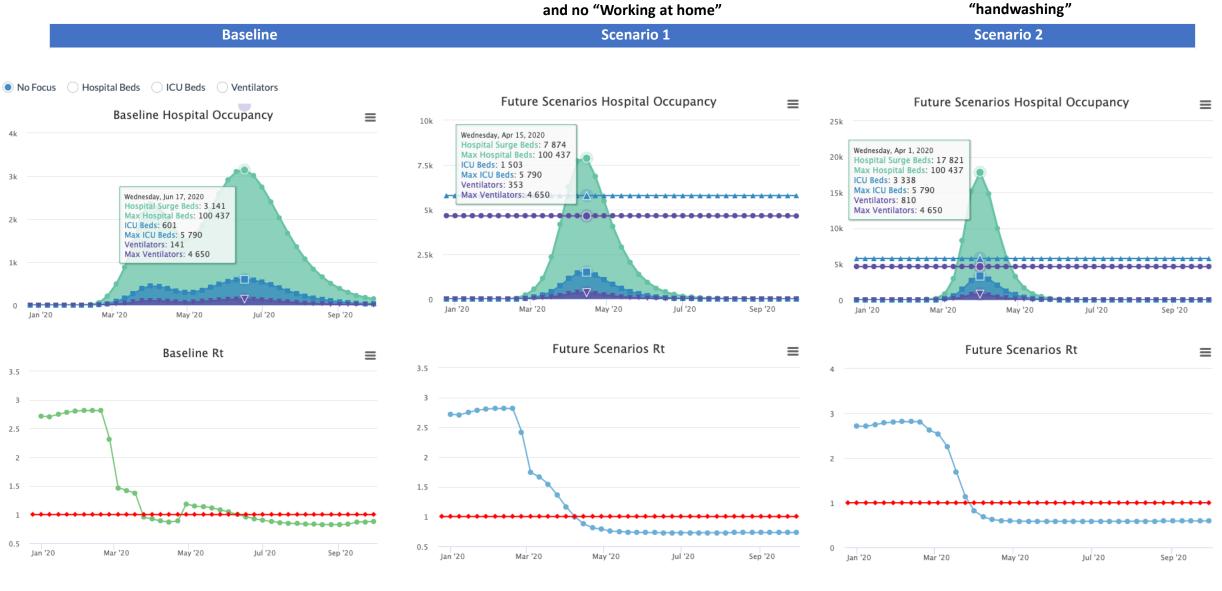
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Proportion of Covid-19 Deaths per Age Category Future Scenarios



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What if we had no intervention but



Main results		What if we had no "Lockdown", no "School closure" and no "Working at home"	What if we had no intervention but "handwashing"	
	Baseline	Scenario 1	Scenario 2	Averted (Baseline vs. S2)
% Pop. Infected	55.20%	67.40%	87.60%	
COVID-19 Deaths	18,185 (63% in 60+ year	19,415 rs)	32,650	14,465
IFR (%)	0.04%	0.03%	0.04%	
Total Infections	45,816,000	55,942,000	72,708,000	26,892,000

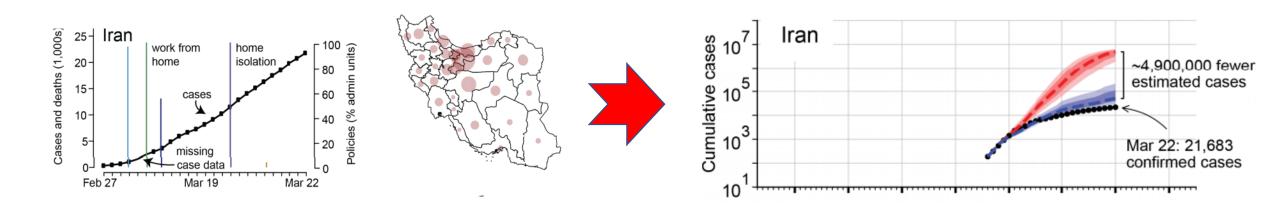
The infection fatality rate of COVID-19 inferred from seroprevalence data (Preprint – 8 June 2020) John P.A. Ioannidis <u>https://doi.org/10.1101/2020.05.13.20101253</u>

Infection fatality rates (IFR):

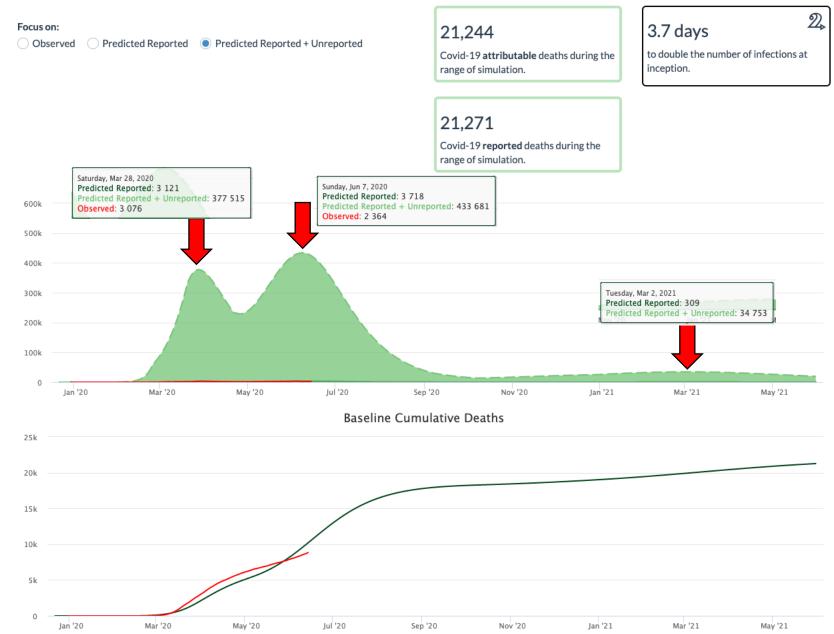
- Overall: 0.02% to 0.86% (Median 0.25%)
- Among people <70 years old: 0.01% to 0.23% (Median 0.04%)

The effect of large-scale anti-contagion **nature** policies on the COVID-19 pandemic Published: 08 June 2020

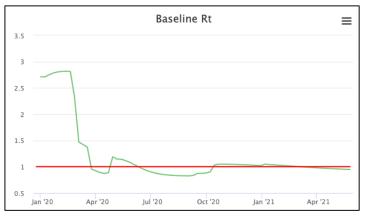
- Ongoing anti-contagion policies have already substantially reduced the number of COVID-19 infections observed in the world today. In Iran till 22 March, 2020:
 - 5 million confirmed cases averted
 - 54 million total infections averted



Baseline (Simulation till first of June 2021)



Herd Immunity?



Uncertainties and assumptions

- •COVID-19 is a novel disease knowledge on transmission dynamics is still being discovered
- •Models are therefore based on assumptions and unknown information about the disease.
- •Model inputs and outputs will change as we learn more about the disease and the impact of interventions on the disease
- •Uncertainty is even bigger if the epidemic is still at early stage in a country or population
- •Options will change once better serology, treatments, vaccines become widely available

Conclusion

- Iran's non-pharmaceutical interventions strategy that started as early as Feb 24 might have prevented 28 million infections and about 15,000 deaths
- However the interventions were not long and rigid enough to prevent from the second and third wave of the epidemic.
- Slower and more gradual release of interventions is required to prevent future waves of the epidemic.

Thank you for listening 😳

