



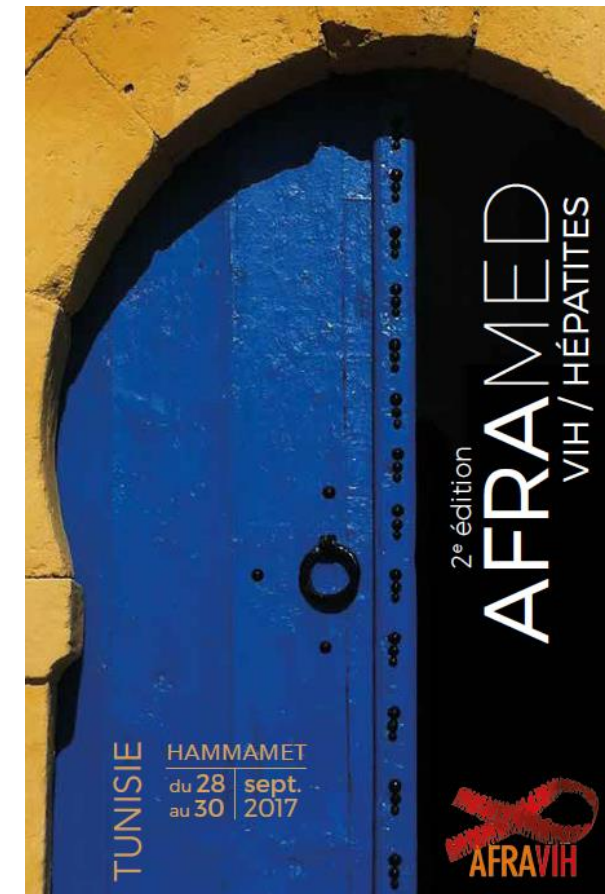
Hépatites Virales B et C Tendances Epidémiologiques (au-delà de la prévalence...)

Hammamet, 29.09.2017

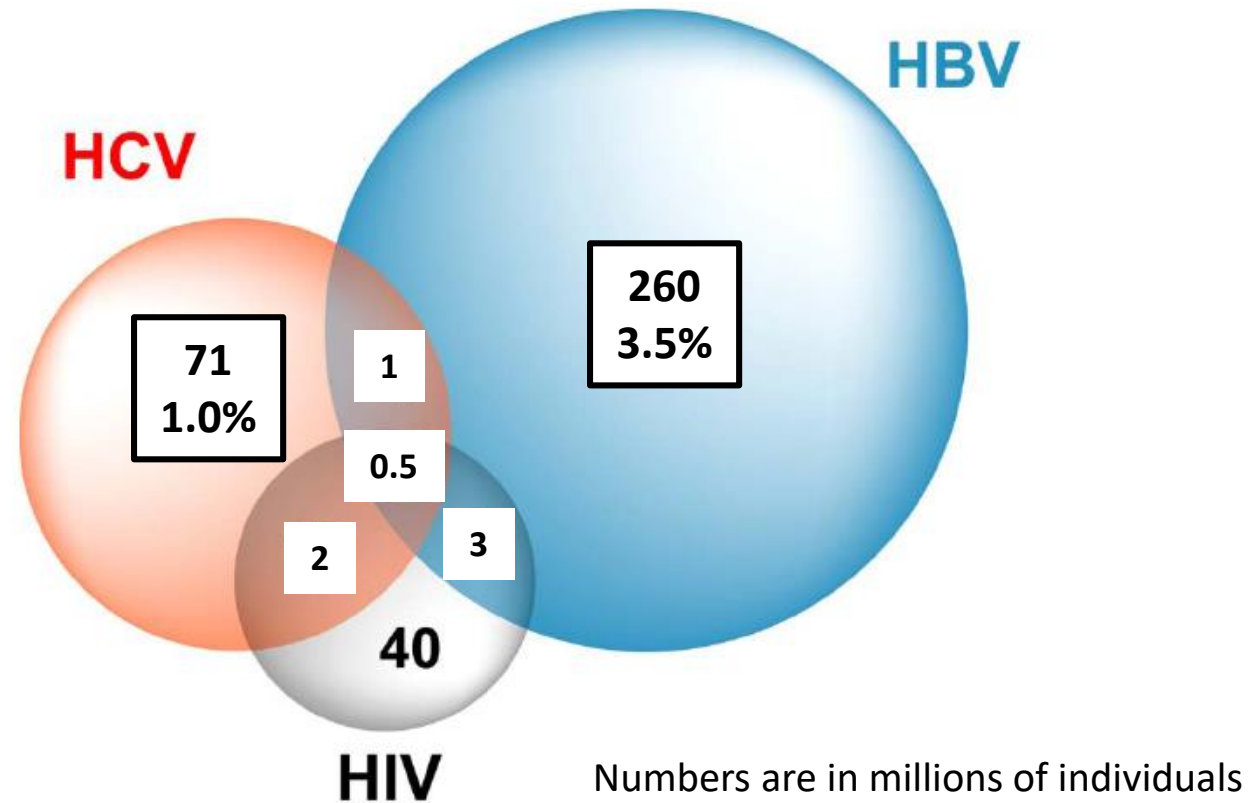
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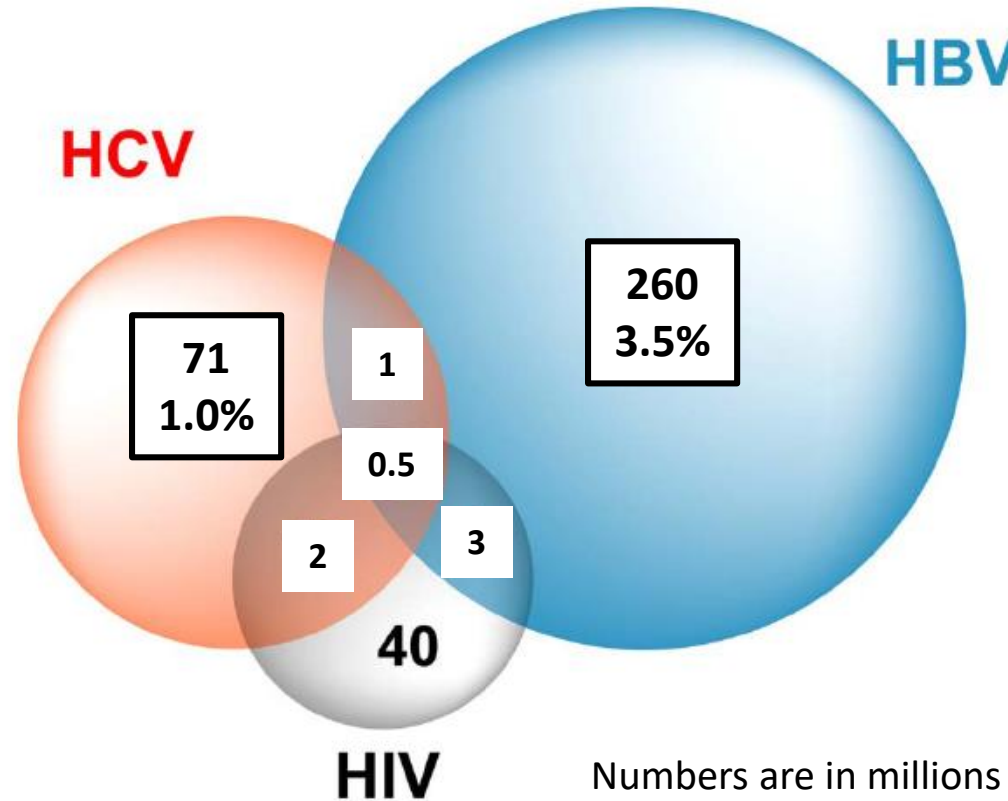
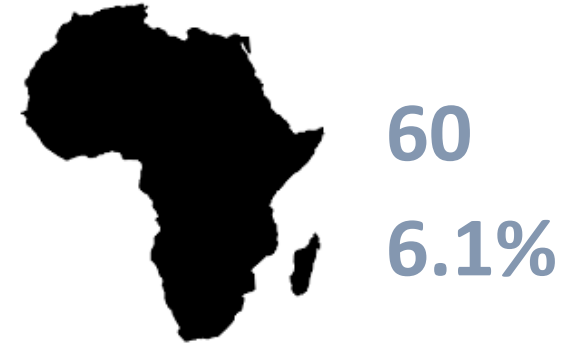
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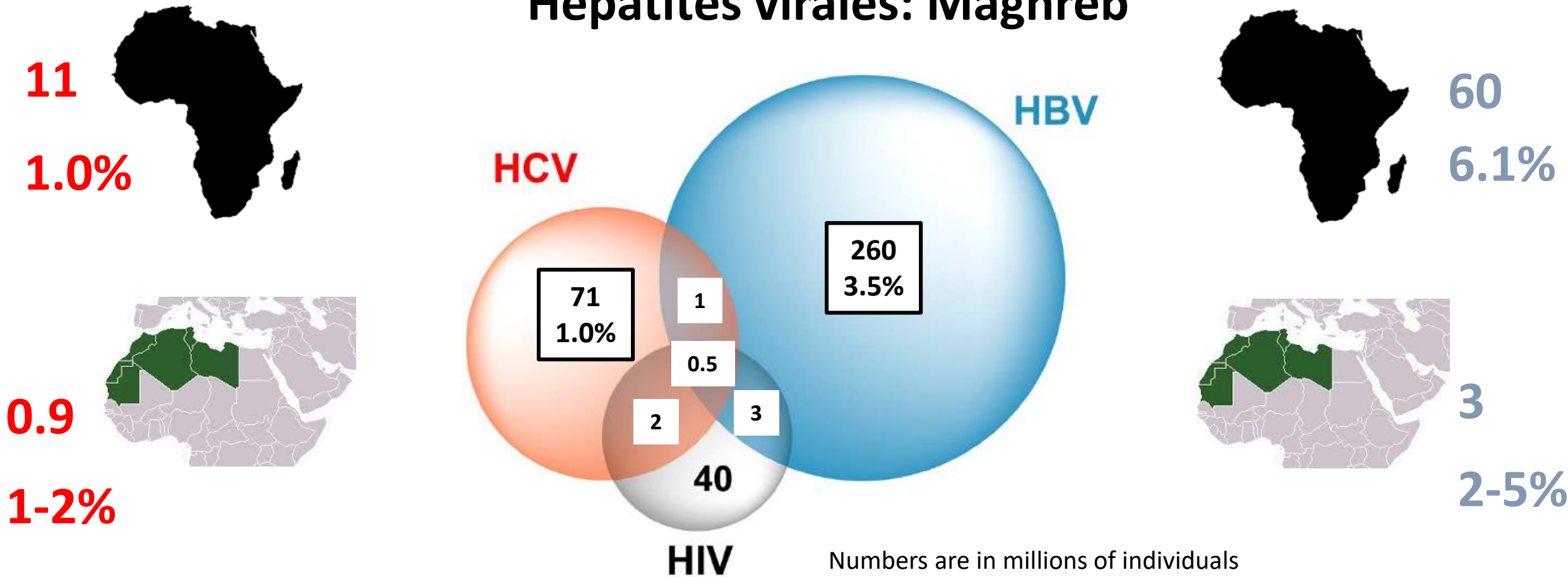
Hépatites virales: Global



Hépatites virales: Afrique

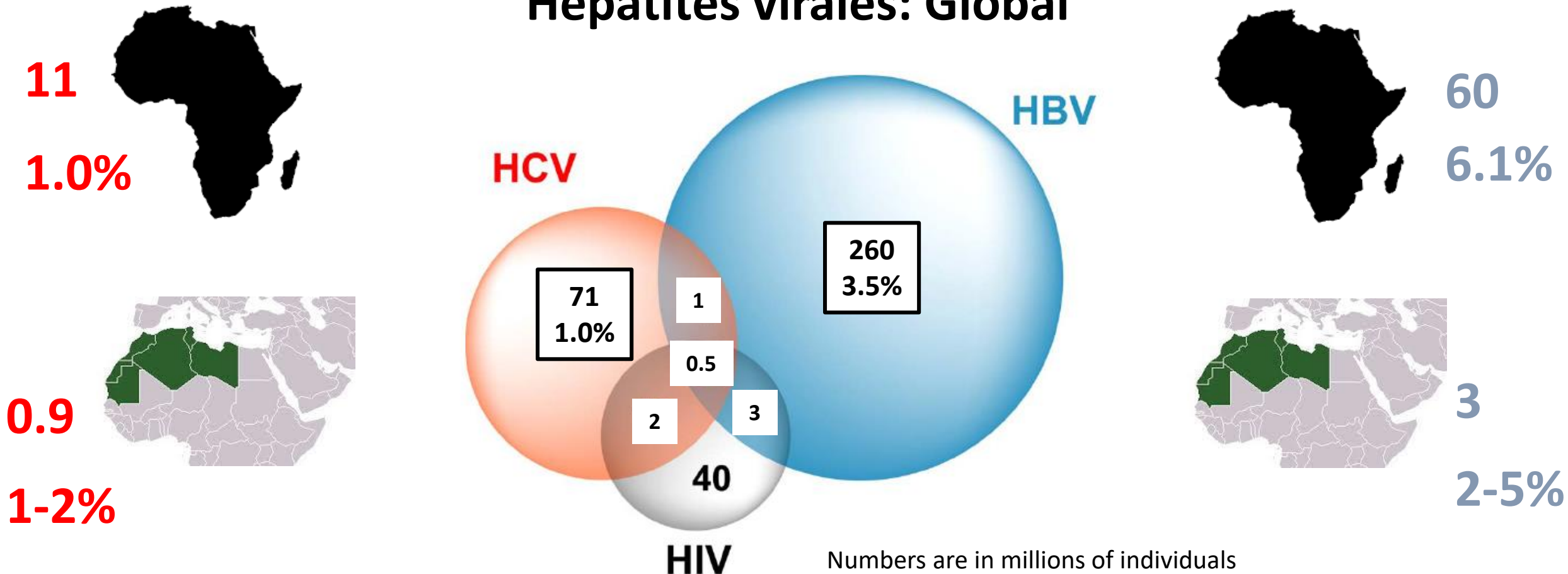


Hépatites virales: Maghreb



Global Hepatitis Report, WHO 2017
 Ezzikouri et al. *J Med Virol* 2013
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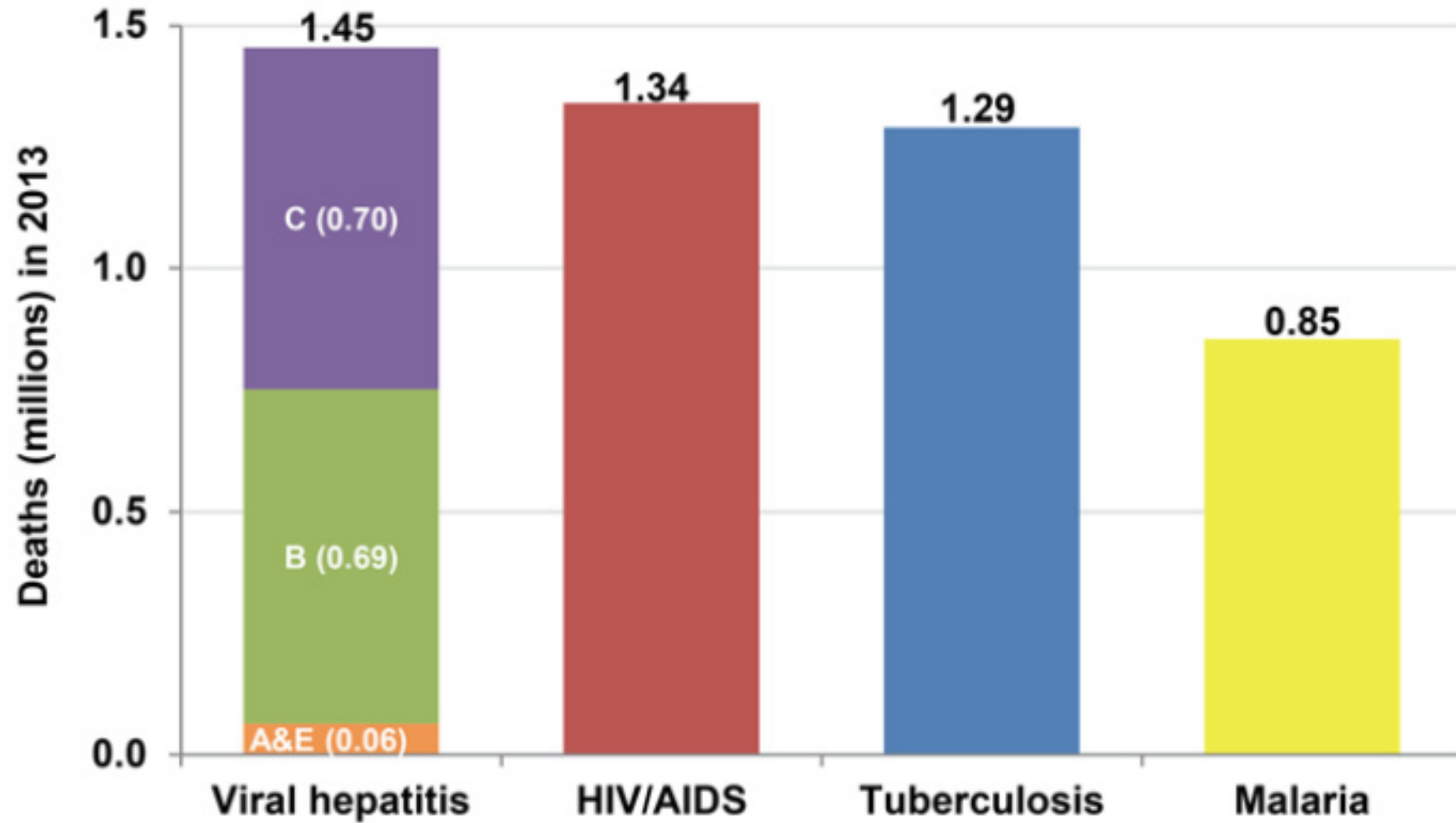


- Qui?
- Confirmation pour tous?

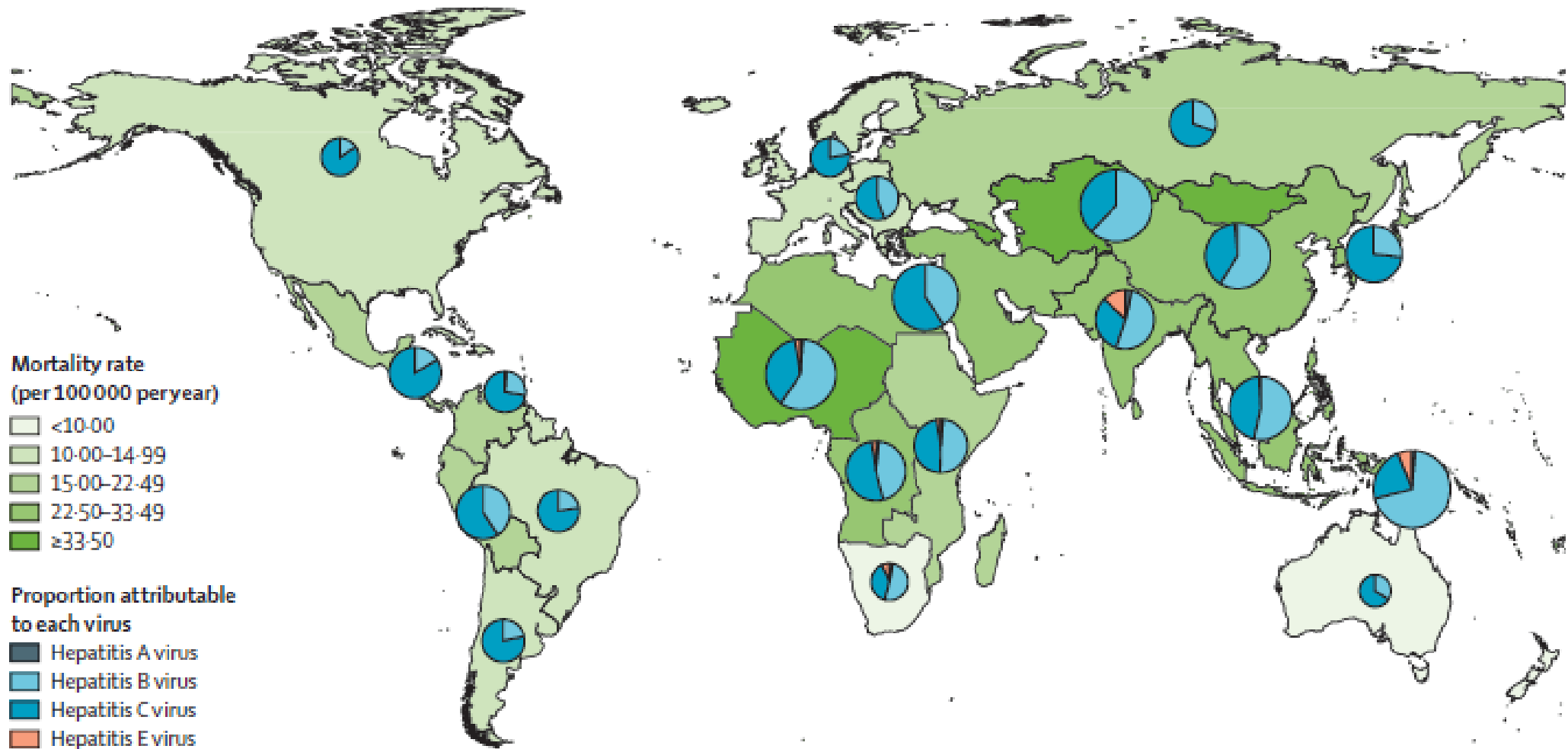
Prévalence
Diagnostic
Challenges

- Combien?
- Dépistage pour tous?

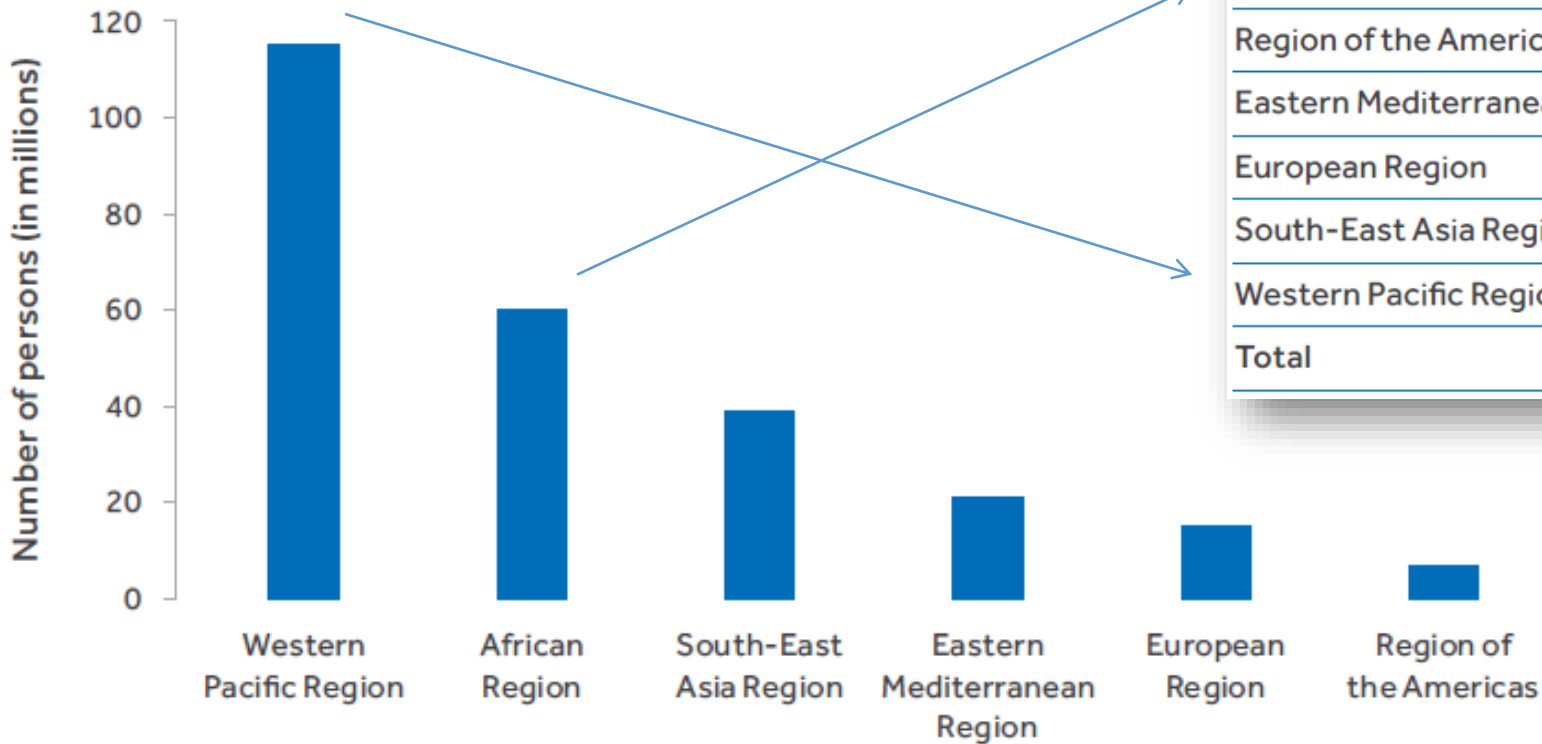
La mortalité liée aux hépatites virales est élevée



Distribution de la mortalité liée au VHB et VHC



Epidemie VHB généralisée en Afrique



WHO region	Estimates of the prevalence of HBV infection (%)		
	Uncertainty interval (95%)		
	Best	Lower	Higher
African Region	6.1	4.6	8.5
Region of the Americas	0.7	0.4	1.6
Eastern Mediterranean Region	3.3	2.6	4.3
European Region	1.6	1.2	2.6
South-East Asia Region	2.0	1.5	4.0
Western Pacific Region	6.2	5.1	7.6
Total	3.5	2.7	5.0

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WHO TO TEST FOR CHRONIC HBV INFECTION

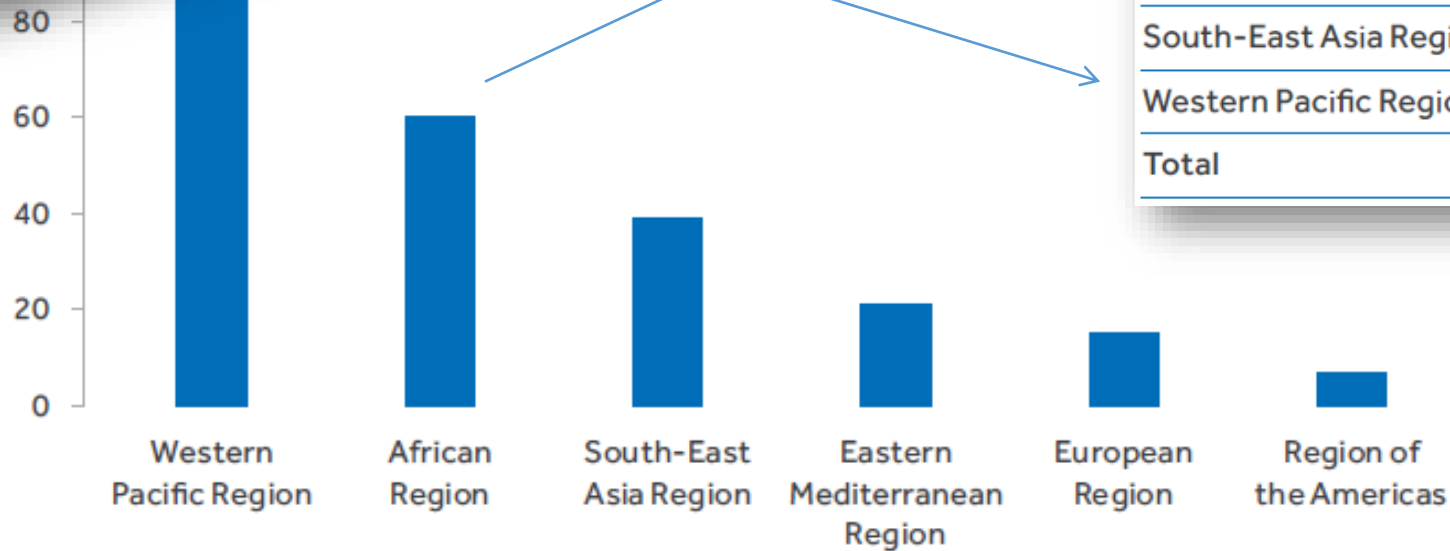
Testing approach and population

General population testing

Recommendations*

1. In settings with a $\geq 2\%$ or $\geq 5\%$ ¹ HBsAg seroprevalence in the general population, it is recommended that all adults have routine access to and be offered HBsAg serological testing with linkage to prevention, care and treatment services.

Number of persons (in mill.)



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Transmission et histoire naturelle du VHB: Europe vs. Afrique



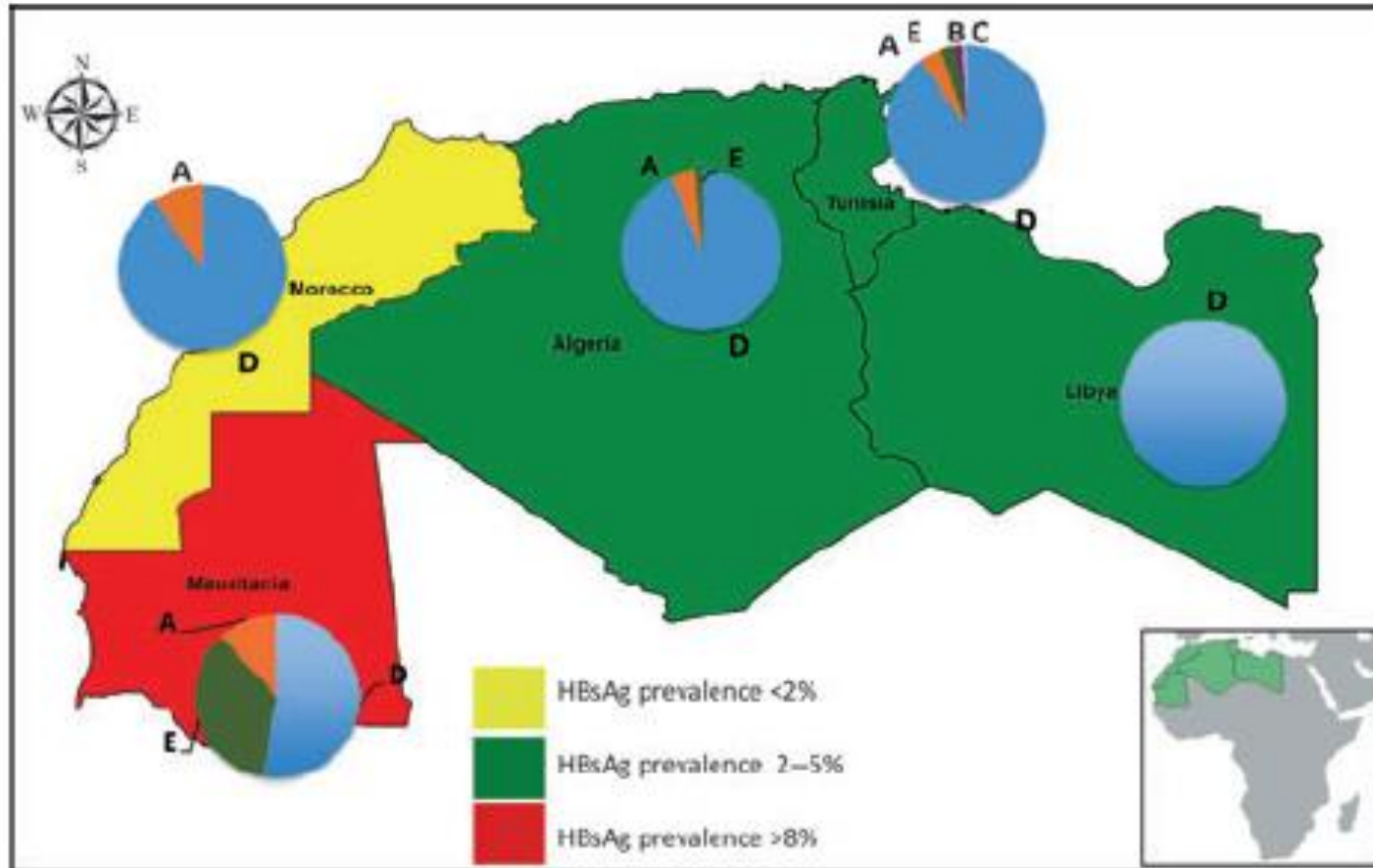
5%

Chronic infection



50-90%

Prévalence AgHBs et génotypes au Maghreb

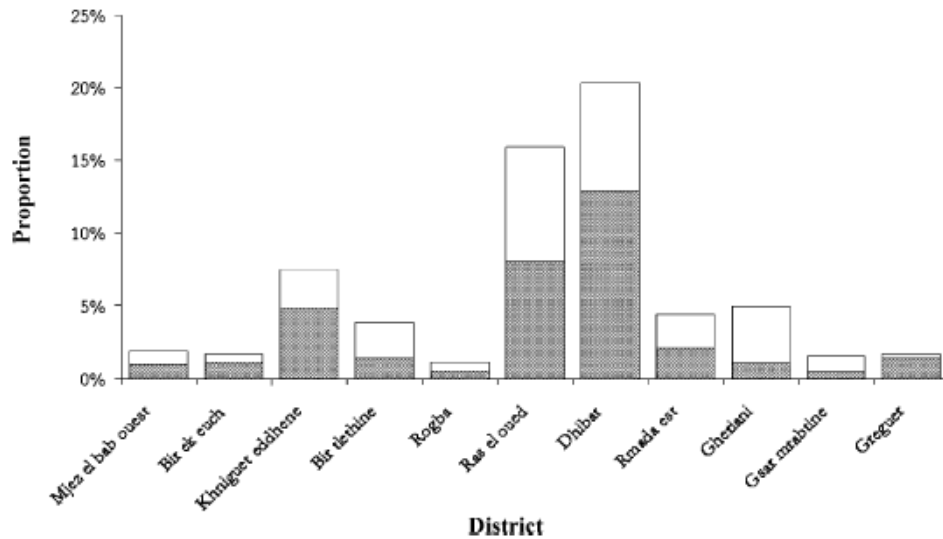


	Algeria	Libya	Mauritania	Morocco	Tunisia
General population	2.6	2.2	18.5	1.8	4.9
Blood Donors	1	3	15.6	1	5
Pregnant Women	1.6	1.5	13.2	1.3	3.5
Haemodialysis	9	NA	NA	2	8



Heterogeneity of hepatitis B transmission in Tunisia: Risk factors for infection and chronic carriage before the introduction of a universal vaccine program[☆]

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RF in siblings

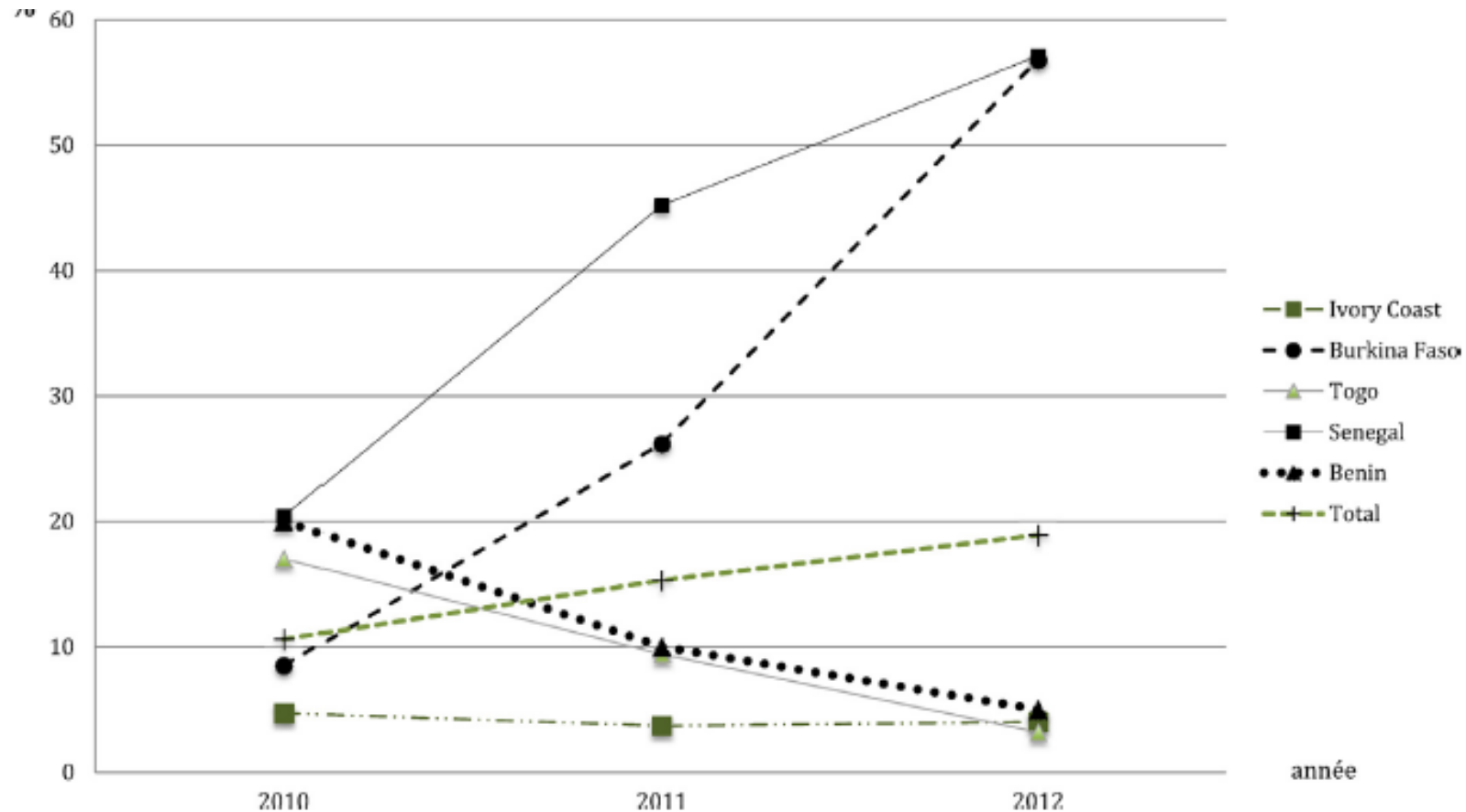
Factors	AOR ^a	95% CI
HBsAg (positive/negative), N = 2892		
HBV chronic carrier mother	10.64	[6.23–17.82]
HBV chronic carrier brother/sisters(s)	13.61	[8.78–21.07]
HBV chronic carrier father	6.00	[3.56–10.13]
Gender (male/female)	1.68	[1.10–2.57]
HBsAg (positive/negative), N = 5830		
Needles in the PCC (yes/no)	1.85	[1.24–2.77]
Sewage (yes/no)	0.08	[0.02–0.31]
Scarification practices in the family	2.36	[1.60–3.00]
Gender (male/female)	1.53	[1.23–1.90]

Individual RF

Problème majeur: dépistage!

Indicator	Regional estimates						Global	Targets required for elimination	
	African Region	Region of the Americas	Eastern Mediterranean Region	European Region	South-East Asia Region	Western Pacific Region	2015 baseline	2020	2030
% HBV-infected diagnosed	0.3%	10%	2%	13%	3%	2%	9%	30%	90%

Testing uptake among >2,000 HIV-infected patients from 6 countries in West Africa

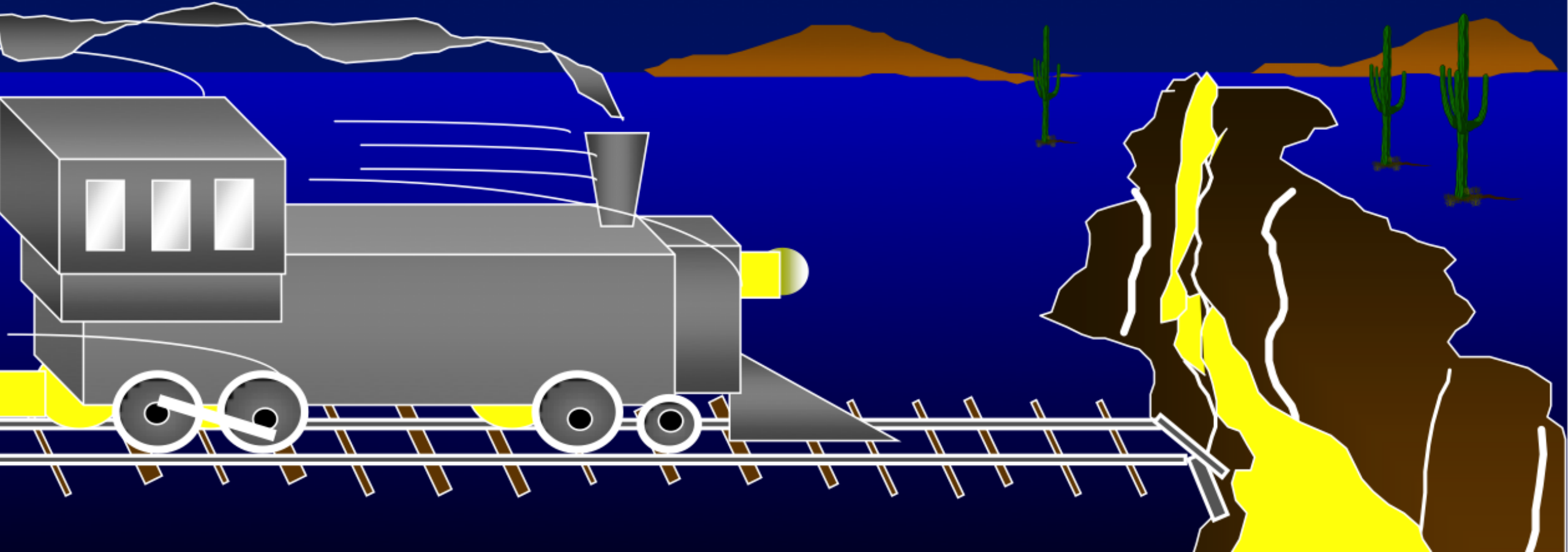


The HBV train

HBV DNA and immune response = engine

ALT/Histological Activity Index (inflammation) = train speed

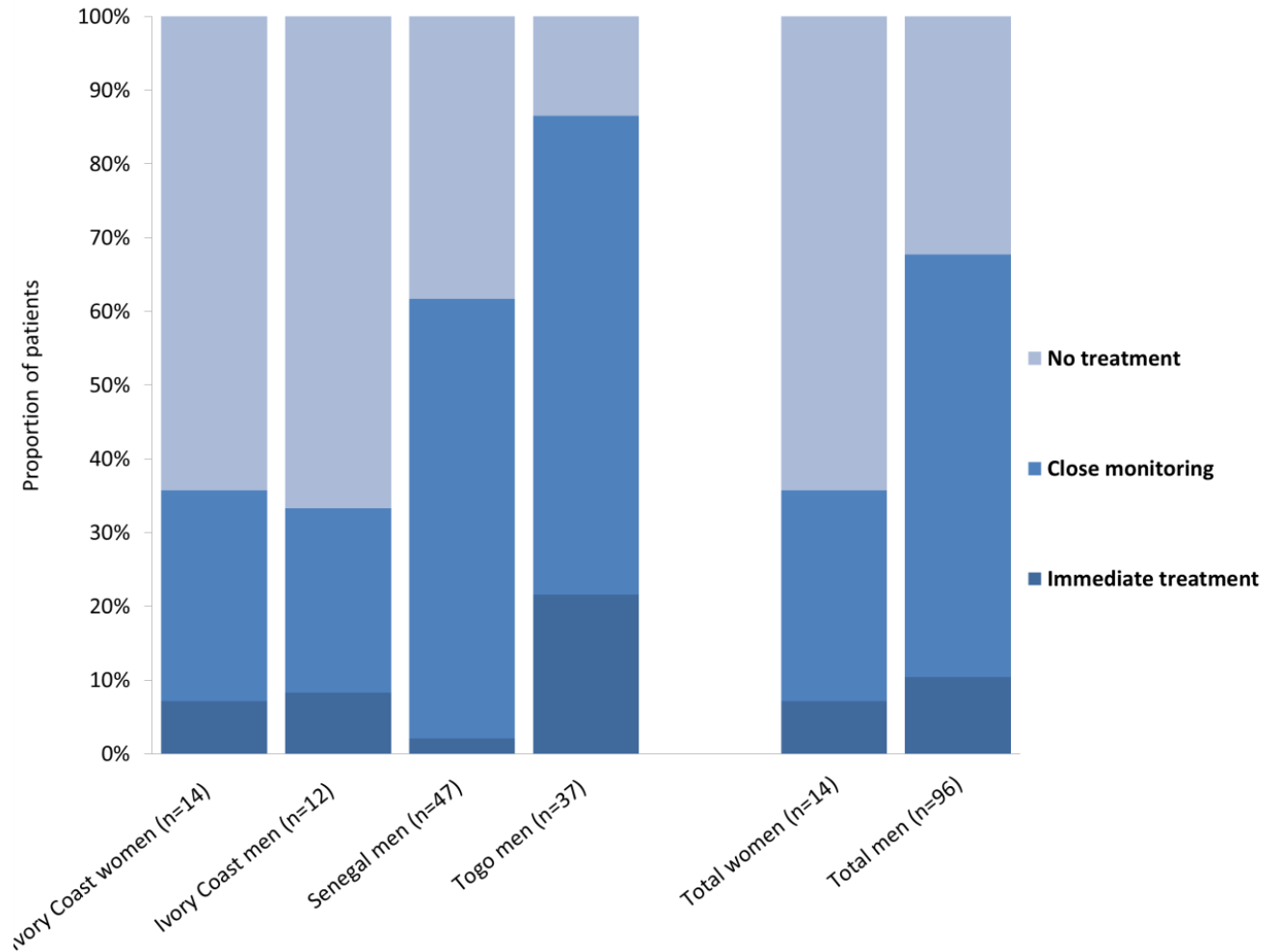
Fibrosis stage = distance from canyon



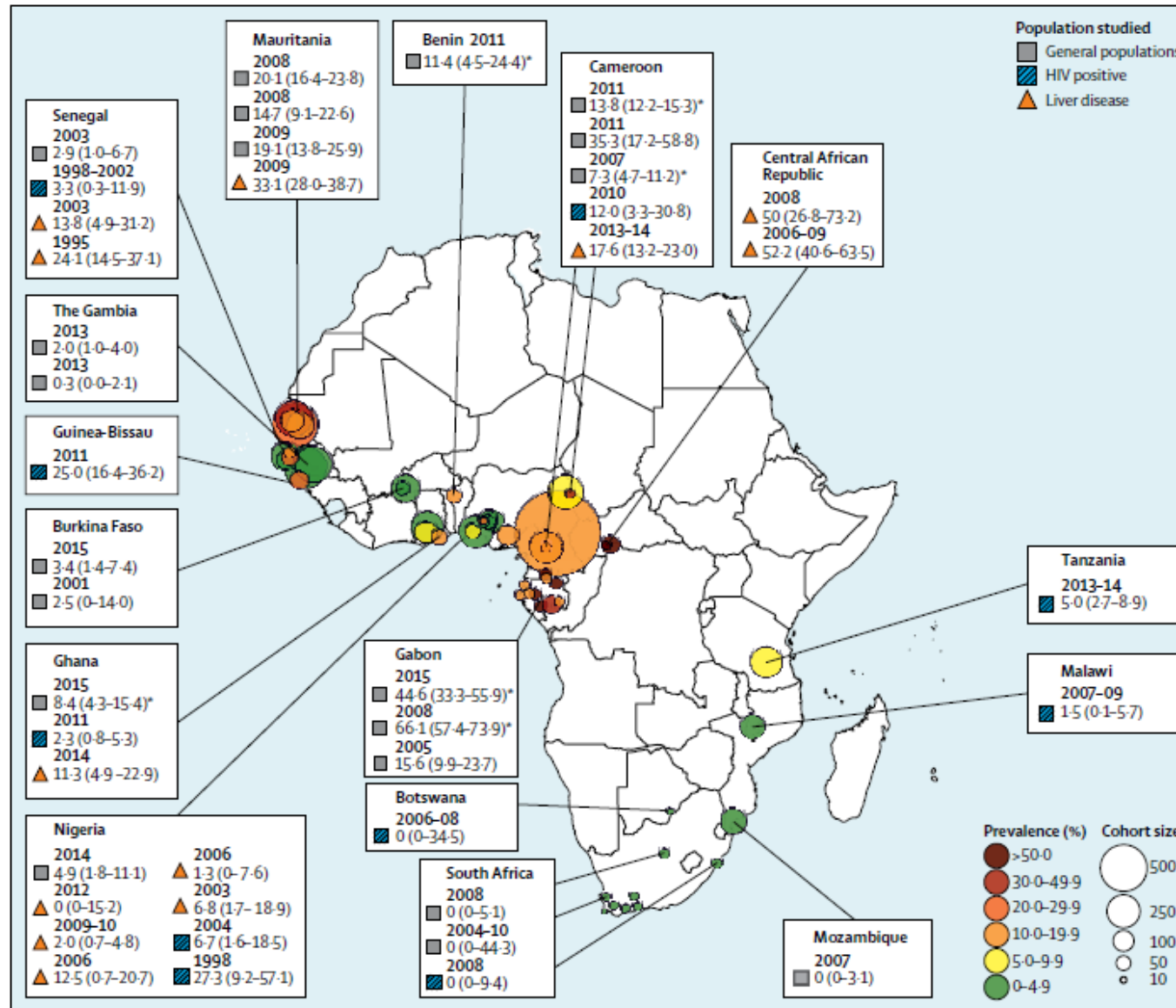
Eligibilité au traitement VHB au sein de populations vulnérables en Afrique de l'Ouest



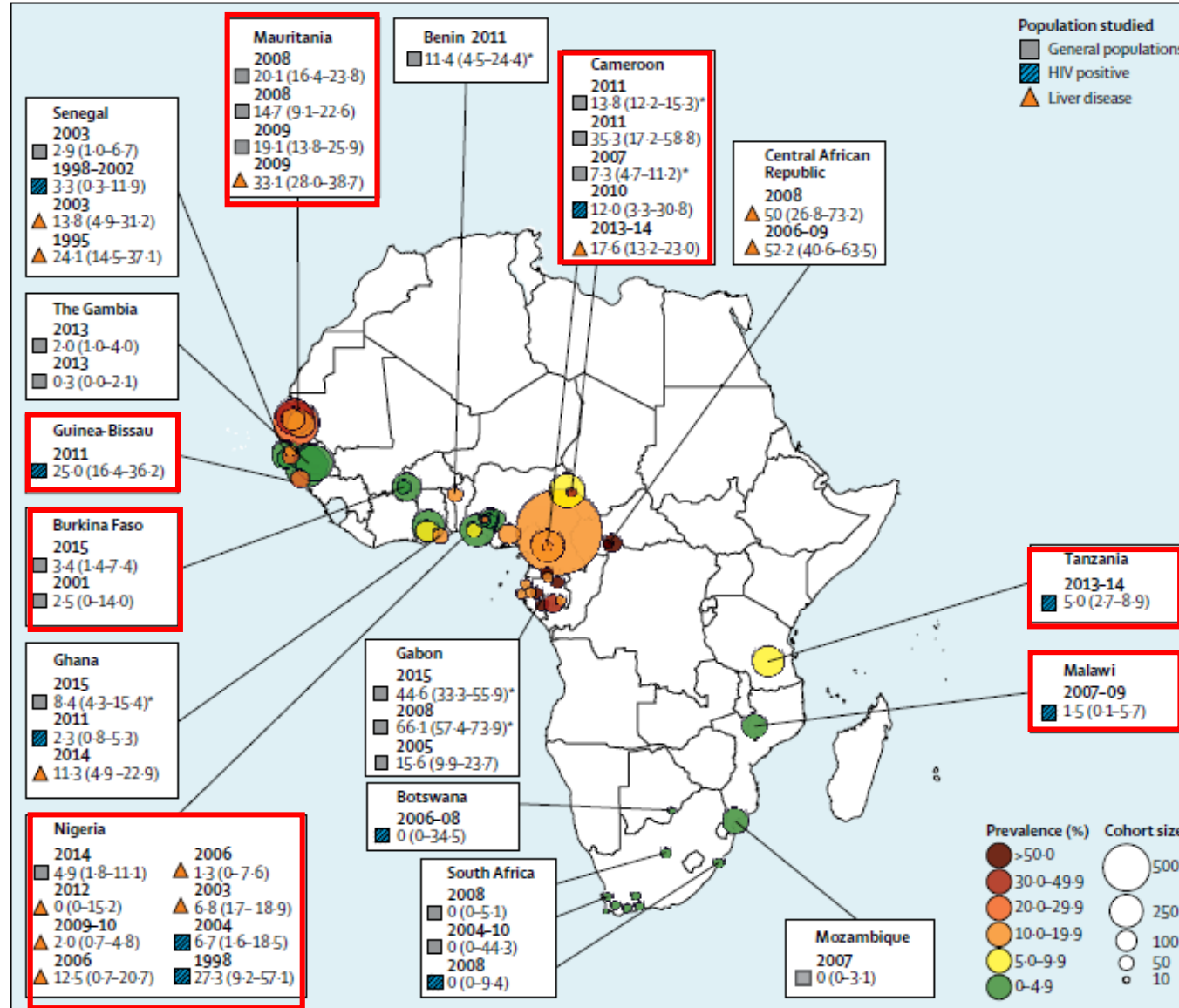
680 prison inmates
HIV: 3%
HBV: 13%
HCV: 0.5%
Severe fibrosis: 3%



Prévalence VHD variable: 30 études en Afrique






Prévalence VHD: seules 8 études avec confirmation virologique




Prévalence VHD: **seules 8 études avec confirmation virologique**

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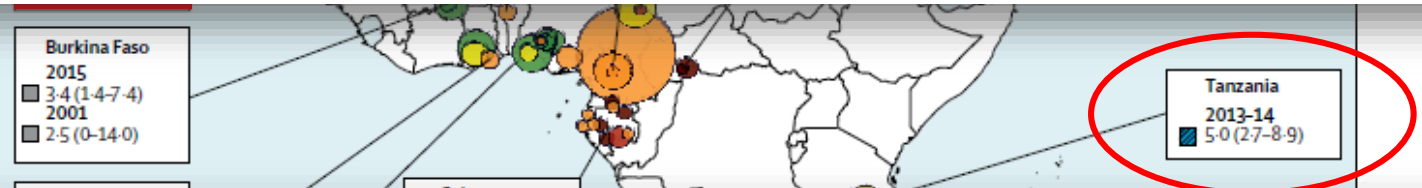
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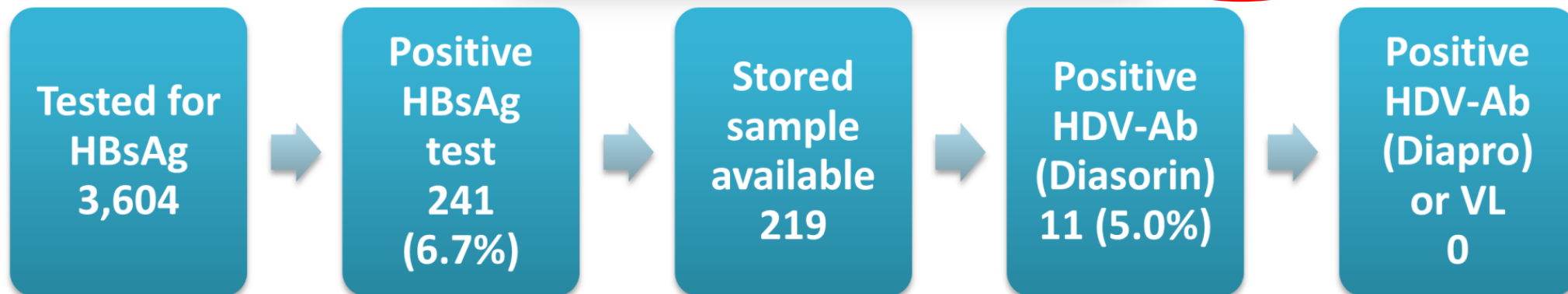
Short Communication

Absence of hepatitis delta infection in a large rural HIV cohort in Tanzania 

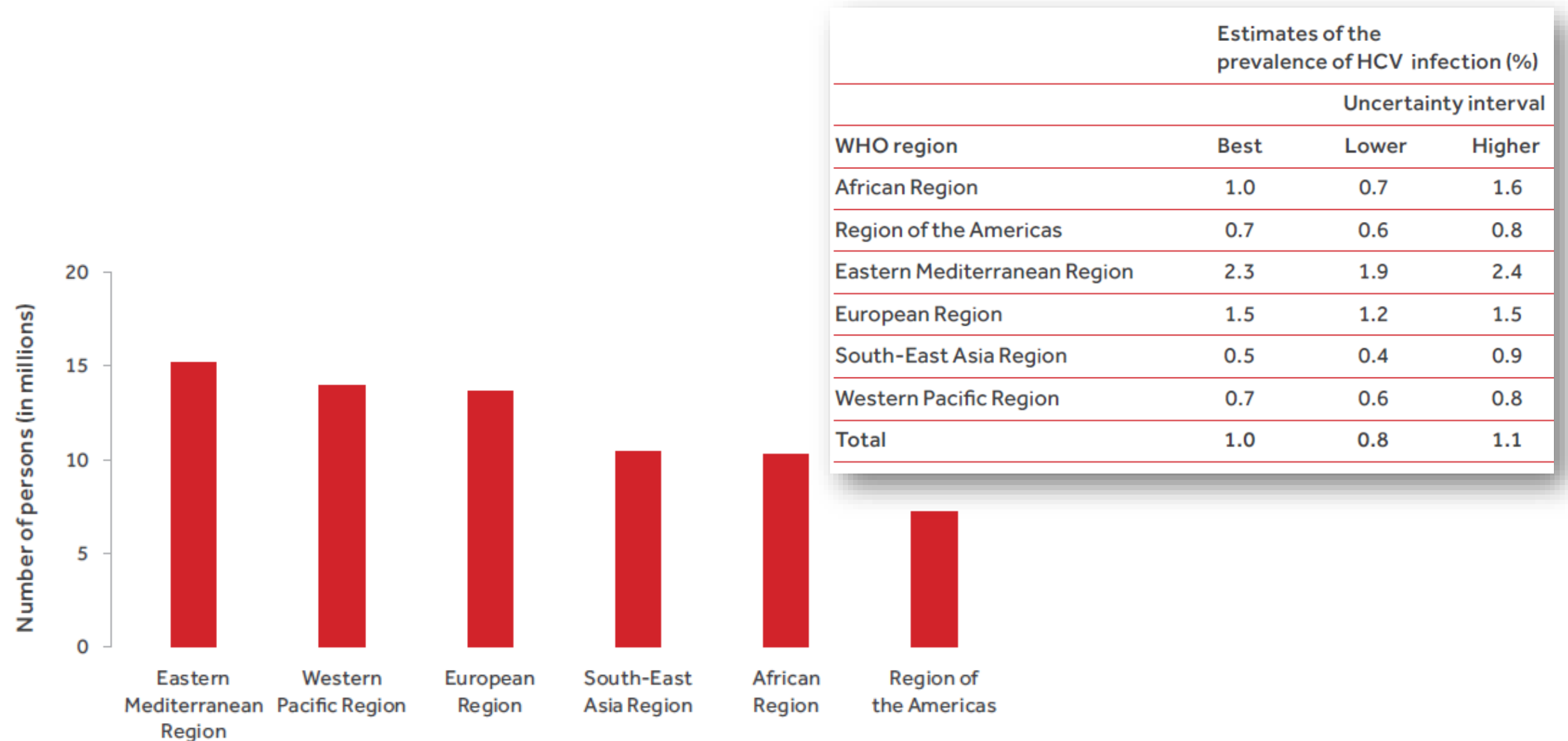
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Country	Year	Prevalence (95% CI)
Burkina Faso	2015	3.4 (1.4-7.4)
Burkina Faso	2001	2.5 (0-14.0)
Tanzania	2013-14	5.0 (2.7-8.9)



Epidémies VHC localisées en Afrique



Epidemies VHC localisées en Afrique

WHO TO TEST FOR CHRONIC HCV INFECTION

Testing approach and population	Recommendations*
Focused testing in most affected populations	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> In all settings (and regardless of whether delivered through facility- or community-based testing), it is recommended that serological testing for HCV antibody (anti-HCV)¹ be offered with linkage to prevention, care and treatment services to the following individuals: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Adults and adolescents from populations most affected by HCV infection² (i.e. who are either part of a population with high HCV seroprevalence or who have a history of exposure and/or high-risk behaviours for HCV infection); Adults, adolescents and children with a clinical suspicion of chronic viral hepatitis³ (i.e. symptoms, signs, laboratory markers).

Number of persons (in millions)

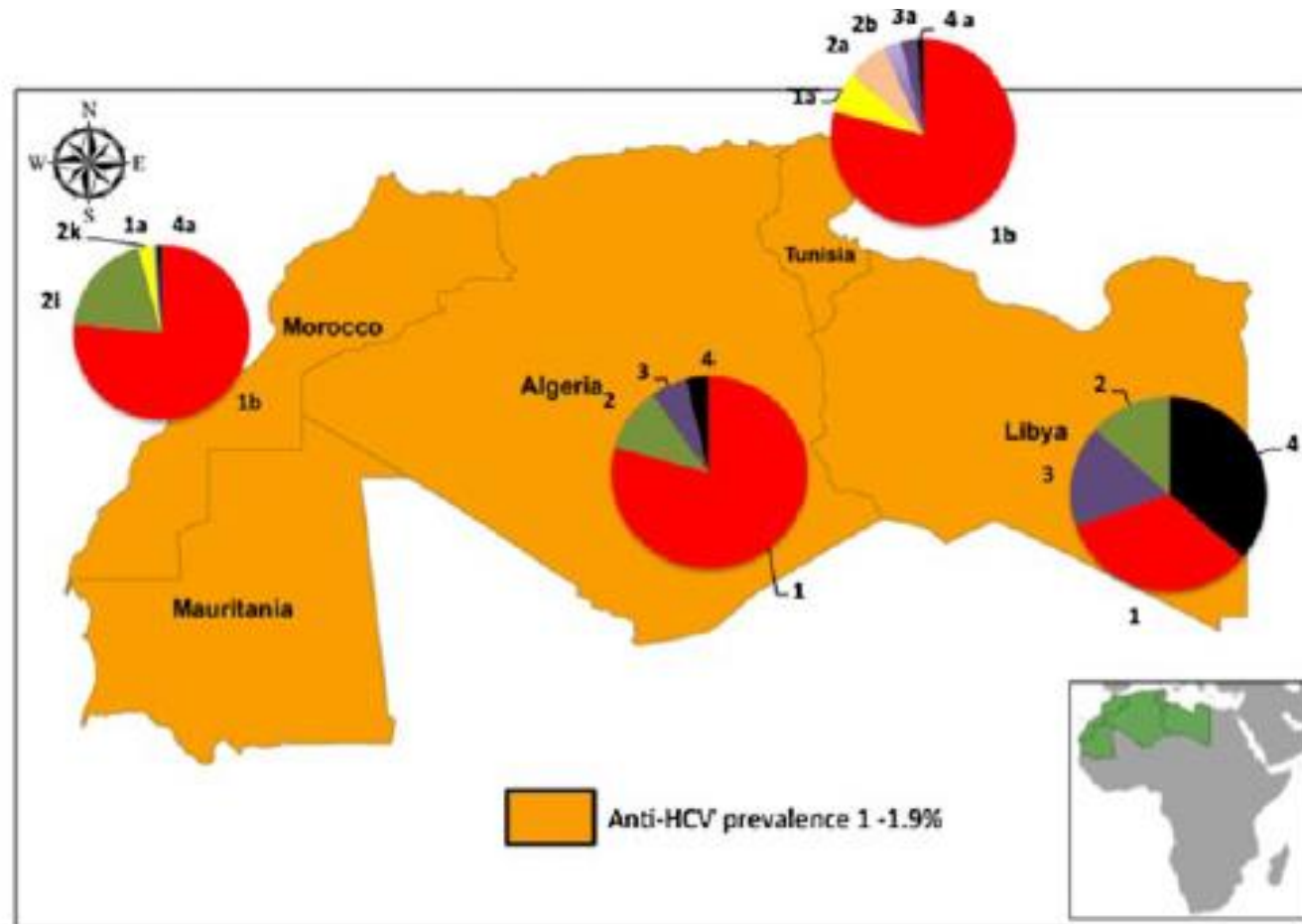
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Eastern Mediterranean Region Western Pacific Region European Region South-East Asia Region African Region Region of the Americas

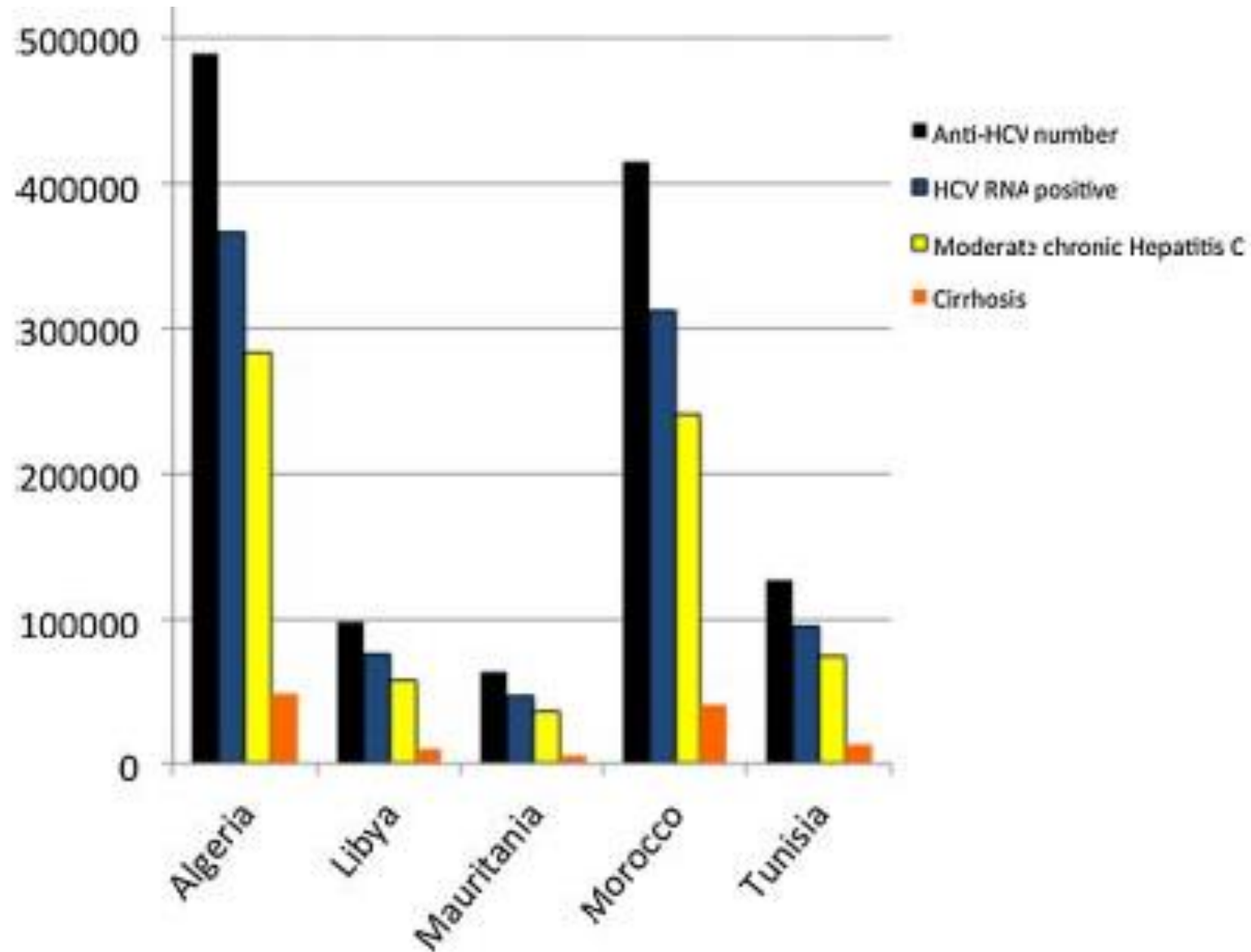
	Estimates of the prevalence of HCV infection (%)		
	Best	Lower	Higher
World	1.0	0.7	1.6
Americas	0.7	0.6	0.8
Mediterranean Region	2.3	1.9	2.4
European Region	1.5	1.2	1.5
South-East Asia Region	0.5	0.4	0.9
Western Pacific Region	0.7	0.6	0.8
Total	1.0	0.8	1.1

Prévalence anti-VHC et génotypes au Maghreb

	Algeria	Libya	Mauritania	Morocco	Tunisia
General population	1.4	1.5	1.9	1.3	1.2
Blood donors	0.42	1.2	1.1	0.62	0.56
Pregnant women	0.24	2.3	10.69	1	0.5
Haemodialysis	39	20.5	68	48.6	20



Cascade VHC au Maghreb



Facteurs de risque VHC au Maghreb

Étude originale

Cahiers Santé 2004 ; 14 : 211-6

Risque infectieux lié au sang chez les coiffeurs-barbiers traditionnels et leurs clients au Maroc

150 barbiers: 5% anti-VHC+

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Prevalence of antibodies to human immunodeficiency virus, hepatitis B, and hepatitis C in prisoners in Libya

Age group (years)	HBsAg positive		P	Anti-HCV		P
	Libyan* (%)	Non-Libyan (%)		Libyan (%)	Non-Libyan (%)	
16-25	21 (0.3)	44 (0.7)	<0.05	66 (1.1)	18 (0.3)	<0.05
26-40	154 (2.5)	122 (2)	<0.05	1060 (17.3)	78 (1.3)	<0.05
>40	32 (0.6)	38 (0.6)	<0.05	180 (2.9)	59 (0.9)	<0.05

Libyan J Med 2012,

Available online at www.sciencedirect.com



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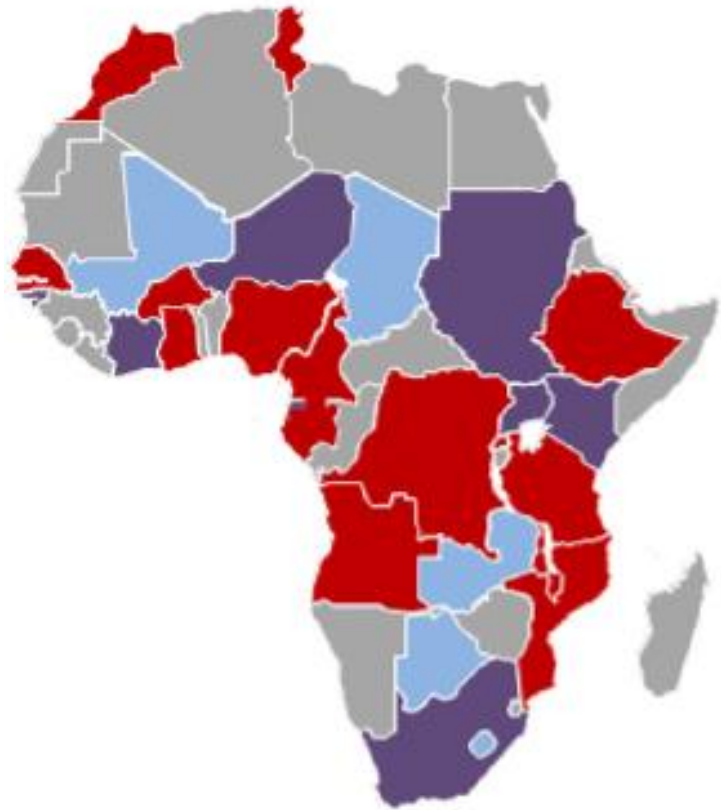
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Infections par des virus transmissibles par le sang chez des hémophiles en Tunisie

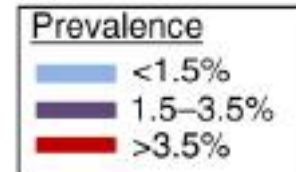
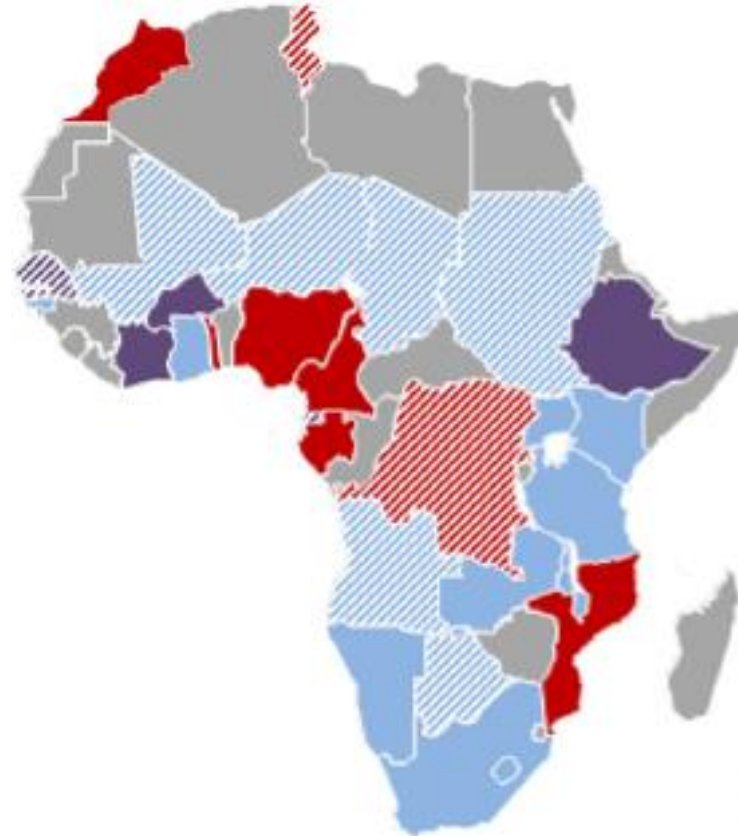
		Prévalences		
		Nombre positifs/Nombre sérums testés (%)		
		Globales	Chez les sujets nés avant 1985	chez les sujets nés après 1985
VHB	AgHBs (+)/AcHBc (+)	5/70 (7,1 %)	5/32 (15,6 %)	0/38 (0 %)
	AgHBs (-)/AcHBc (+)	32/70 (45,7 %)	18/32 (56,2 %)	14/38 (36,8 %)
	Total VHB (+)	37/70 (52,9 %)	24/32 (75 %)	13/38 (34,2 %)
VHC		35/70 (50,0 %)	25/32 (78,1 %)	10/38 (37,0 %)

Prévalence VIH/VHC: peut-on se fier aux Ac?

Méta-analyse de 108,000 patients VIH de 152 études dans 35 pays



HCVab-pos.: 8.5% (95% CI: 6.9-10.1)



RNA-pos.: 2.0% (95% CI: 1.5-2.6)

Challenges diagnostiques VHC

High Frequency of False-Positive
Hepatitis C Virus Enzyme-Linked
Immunosorbent Assay in Rakai,
Uganda

1,000 patients tested

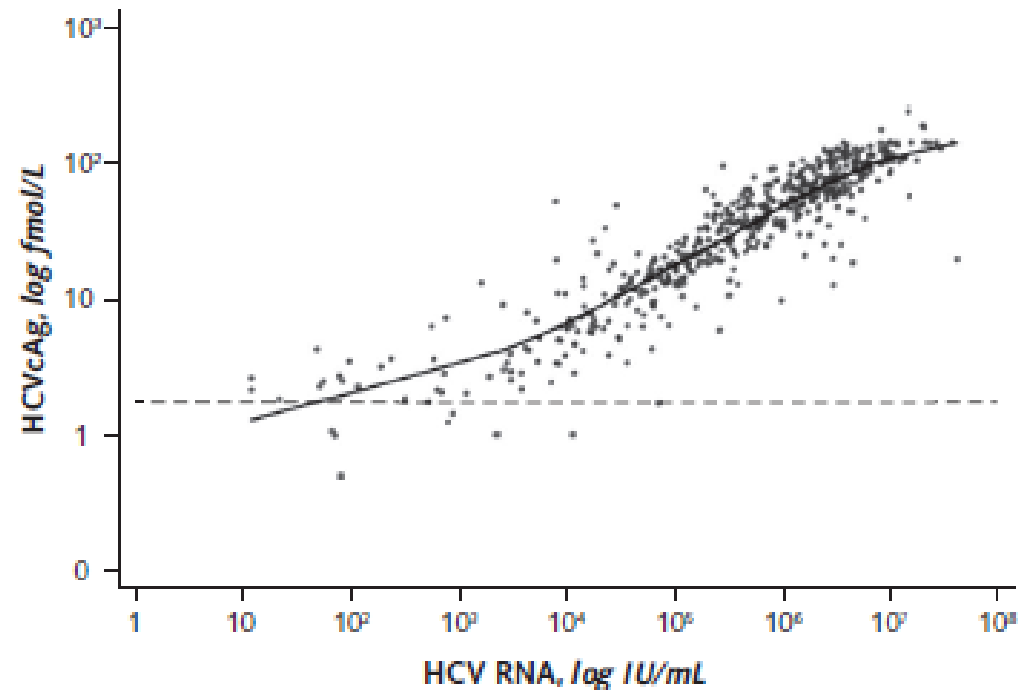
- 76 anti-HCV pos.
- 0 HCV RNA pos.

Table 1. Factors Associated With Positive Hepatitis C Virus Enzyme-Linked Immunosorbent Assay

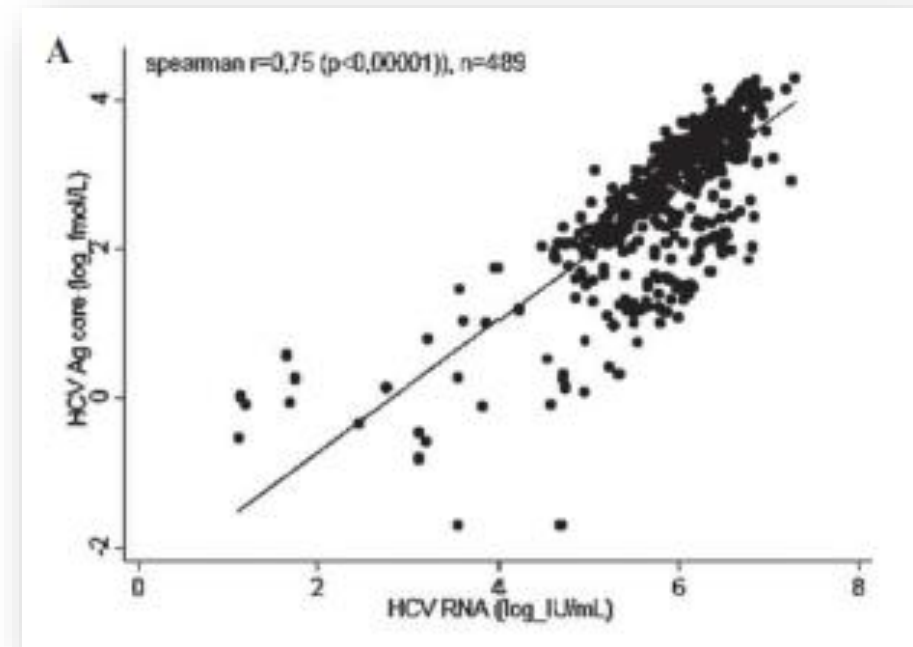
Factor	% HCV ELISA Positive (No.)	OR (95% CI)	P Value	Adjusted OR (95% CI)	P Value
Age, y					
<30	18.42 (14/191)	1		1	
30–34	13.16 (10/220)	0.60 (.26–1.39)	.234	0.61 (.26–1.42)	.255
35–39	18.42 (14/192)	0.99 (.46–2.15)	.989	0.99 (.46–2.17)	.989
40–44	23.68 (18/167)	1.53 (.73–3.17)	.257	1.57 (.75–3.30)	.235
45–49	17.11 (13/152)	1.18 (.54–2.60)	.676	1.20 (.54–2.66)	.653
≥50	9.21 (7/78)	1.25 (.48–3.22)	.649	1.39 (.53–3.67)	.505
Sex					
Female	6.87 (46/670)	1		1	
Male	9.09 (30/330)	1.36 (.84–2.19)	.213	1.23 (.754–2.02)	.404
HIV status					
Negative	9.00 (45/500)	1		1	
Positive	6.20 (31/500)	0.67 (.42–1.08)	.097	0.61 (.37–1.00)	.049
Schistosoma Ab					
Negative	6.58 (58/882)	1		1	
Positive	15.38 (18/117)	2.58 (1.46–4.56)	.001	2.80 (1.57–5.01)	.001

HCV core antigen: solution miracle?

Index Test	HCV Antibody Status	Studies, <i>n</i>	Samples, <i>n</i>	Sensitivity (95% CI), %	Specificity (95% CI), %
Abbott ARCHITECT HCV Ag					
By bivariate meta-analysis	All	23	12 670	93.4 (90.1-96.5)	98.8 (97.4-99.5)

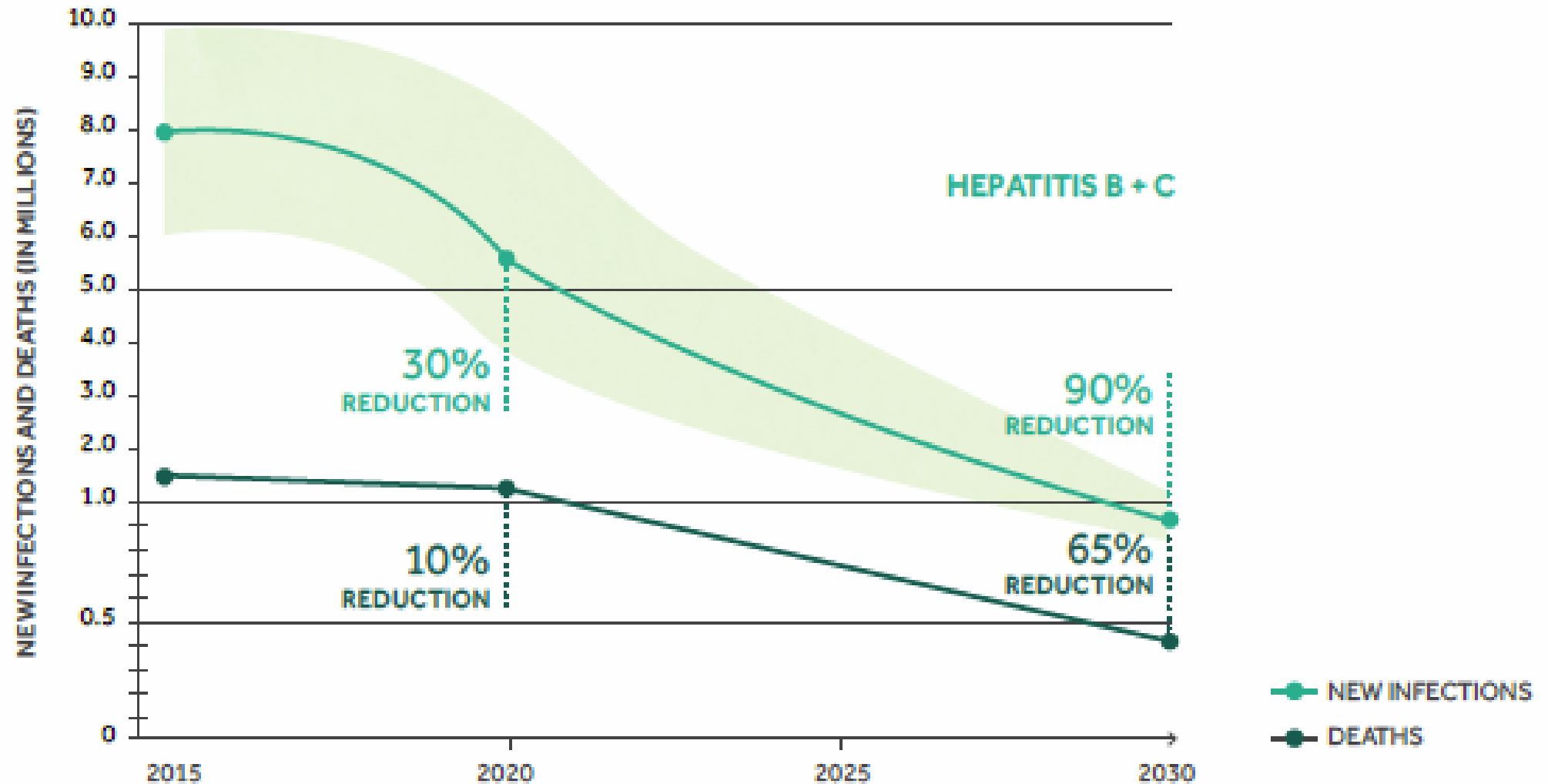


Freiman et al. *Ann Intern Med* 2016

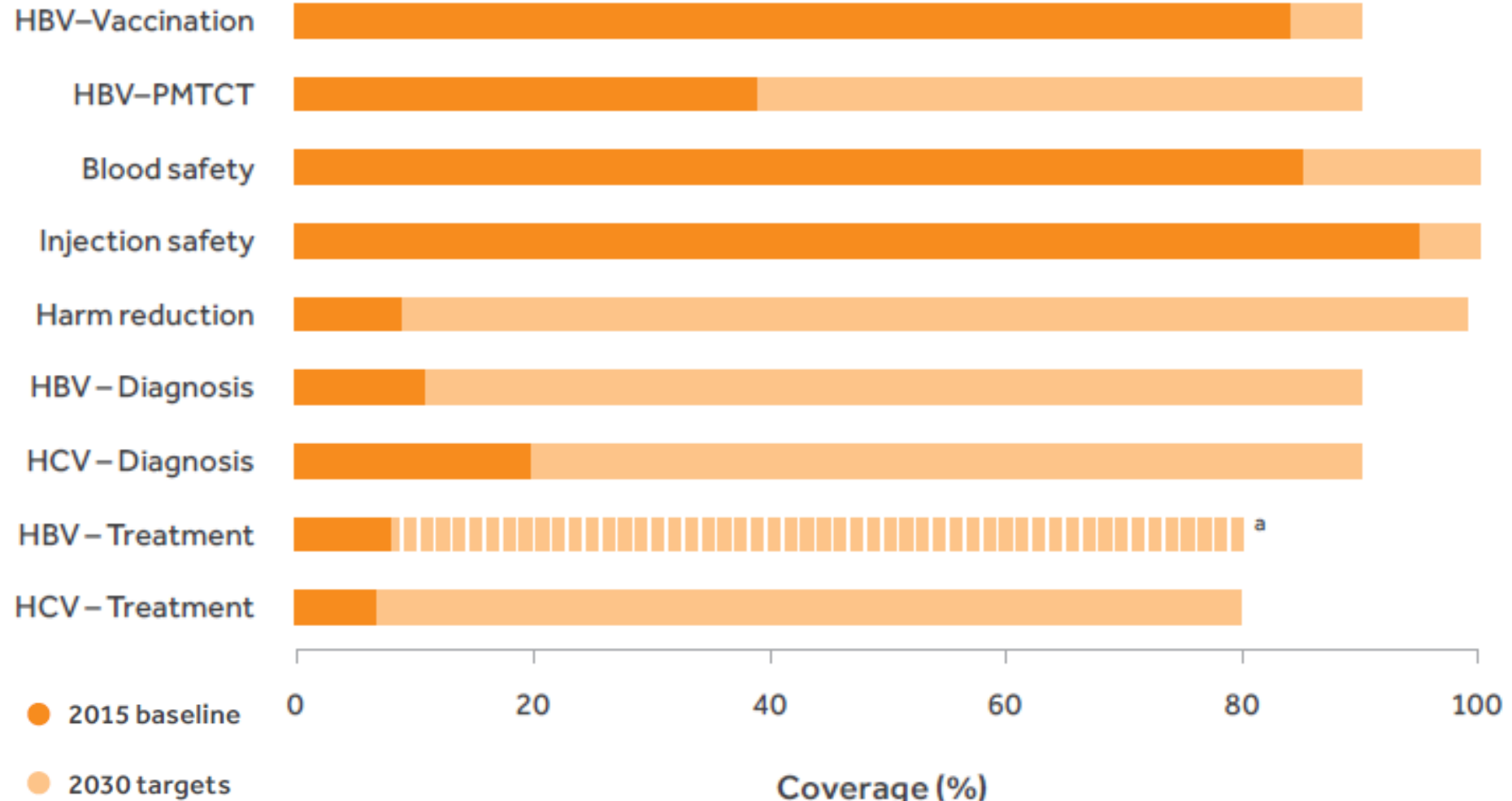


Duchesne et al. *J Int AIDS Soc* 2017

WHA 2016 (GHSS): Call for elimination of viral hepatitis as a public health threat by 2030



Targets for the elimination of viral hepatitis by 2030



Conclusions

- 1-5% des personnes vivant en Afrique sont infectées par le VHC et 2-12% par le VHB
- L'épidémiologie des infections VHB et VHC au Maghreb semble complexe mais reste peu connue
- L'accès au dépistage et aux autres méthodes diagnostiques sont un obstacle majeur à l'élimination des hépatites virales dans les pays à ressources limitées
- La planification de stratégies d'élimination des hépatites virales doit être basée sur des études approfondies, au delà des estimations générales de prévalence.

Merci pour votre attention

