Data Science Nigeria activities on COVID-19 Project Update

VODAN Engagement meeting

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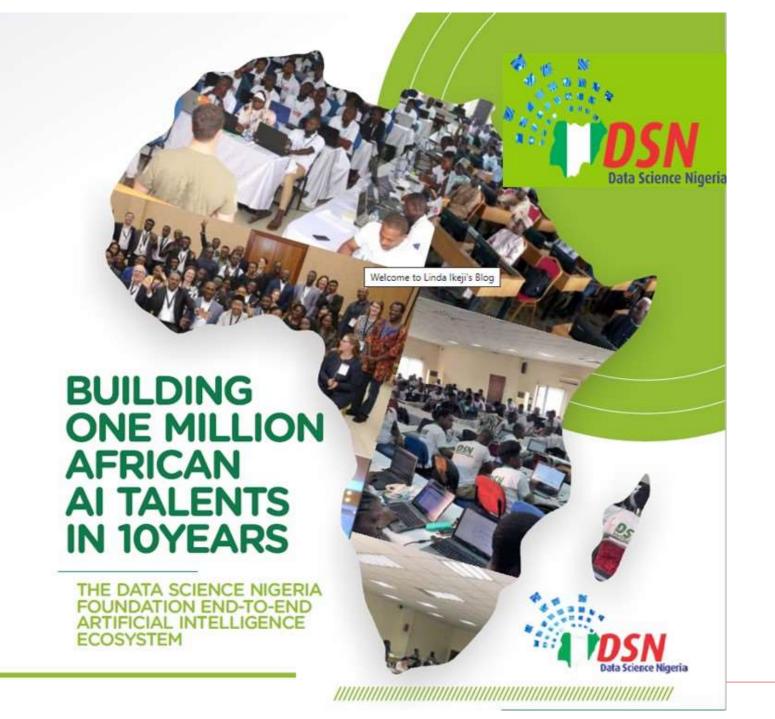
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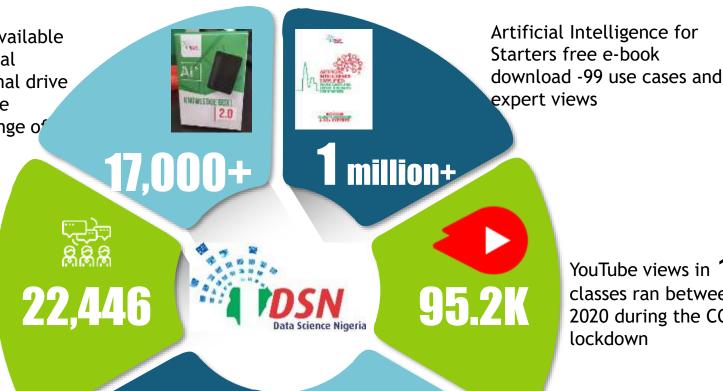
World Economic Forum Review of Data Science Nigeria

https://www.weforum.org/agenda/2020/06/4-ways-african-governments-can-bridge-the-digital-skills-gap-for-a-post-covid-economic-recovery/



Al learning videos - publicly available contents from top international universities- curated in external drive and distributed free across the country to address the challenge of poor internet

Online participants in Data Science courses from registration to at least one class.



YouTube views in 18 online classes ran between March - May 2020 during the COVID-19 lockdown

YouTube views of the 100 Days of Machine Learning from Beginner to expert level classes

271,807

Hours of face-to-face free classes in Data Science and Machine learning applications organised in different states of Nigeria

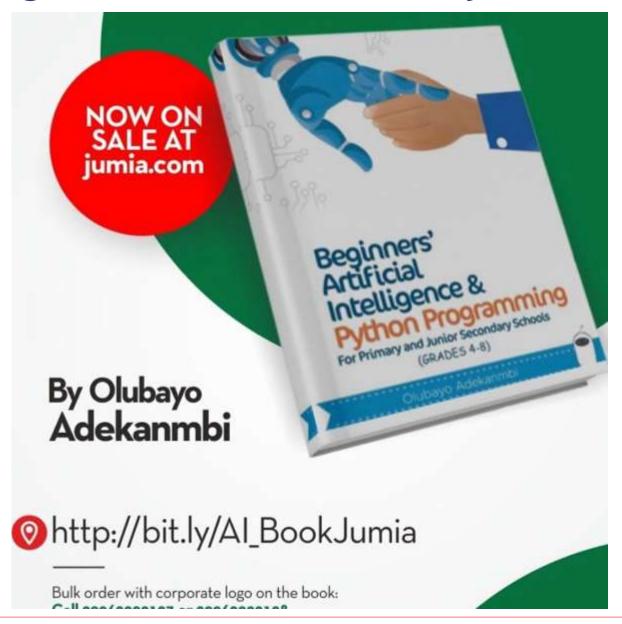
Data Science Nigeria has 30 unique platforms to deliver data science learning face to face, online, offline and hands-on and with impact on hundreds of thousands

Segments	Face to Face	Online	Offline Content	Hands-on
Beginners	Al Wednesdays (Intro Python/ML)Al Invasion		Al for Starters ebook	Industry Use Case Discussion sessions
Kids/Teens	Pre-University Intro Python/MLAI Summer School for Kids	Weekly AI Slack Discussion Channels	 Python and Machine Learning for Grades 5- 9 	
Intermediates to Experts	Deep Learning NigeriaAl Bootcamp	 100 Days of Machine/Deep Learning via YouTube Al Mentorship Al Dial-in Masterclass 	Al Knowledge Box	 DataHack Data Scientists On Demand On-project Internship
University Students	 AI+ Clubs Intercampus Machine Learning Competition AI+ Researchers Forum 			Al MiniLabs and Tools
Professionals/C-level Executives/ Government agencies	Business Analytics for ProfessionalsAI for ExecutivesAI Summit		 Ai+ Professional meet-up 	

First Artificial Intelligence Book for Primary and

Secondary School





MACHINE LEARNING: How Machine Learns from Patterns





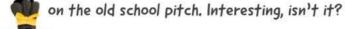
In this chapter, we are going to learn about:

- ✓ Patterns in Al.
- ✓ How Al uses patterns to make prediction.
- ✓ How Al learns from pattern and the past.

Join me to explore the wonderful world of patterns and predictions, that is, learning from what has happened before to predict what will happen in the future.



I can think of a pattern now! I remember that each time Grade 5 and Grade 6 play football, there is a pattern of who wins — and I think I know why! Grade 5 football team always win when they plays with their main goalkeeper, Adaeze, and only when the match is held





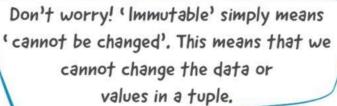


What is a tuple?

A tuple is like a list. It is a data structure where we can store values and data. But unlike a list, a tuple is immutable.



Immutable? What on earth does 'immutable' mean?







Ok, so that's what makes them different to lists. We can change the data or values in a list, but we cannot change the data or values in a tuple.



International Conference on Learning Representations (ICLR 2020)

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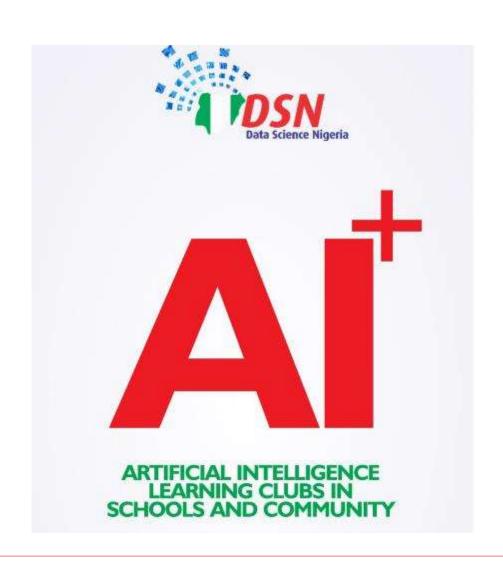


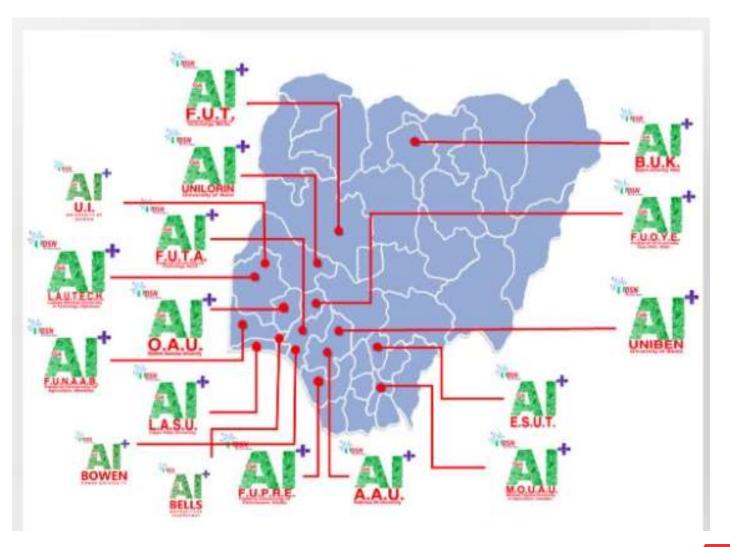




AI + Clubs on campuses: 17 universities and 23 cities







The Hub runs daily FREE classes for all categories of learners





https://goo.al/Valivo



THURSDAY
PRE-UNIVERSITY INTRO
PYTHON/ML CLASS
10 WEEKS | JULY 17 | 10-1PM

FRIDAY
AI4GOOD LAB
FOCUSED ON SDGS
JULY 5 | 12-2PM

SATURDAY-BUSINESS ANALYTICS FOR PROFESSIONALS 5 WEEKS | JULY 6 | 9AM-12

AI.Everyday

Daily Learning at our new AI Hub in Yaba

Monday – Pre-University Intro Python/ML Class (10-1pm) 10 weeks

Tuesday – Deep Learning/Fast.ai Masterclass (3-5pm) 14 weeks

Wednesday- Introductory Python (12-2pm) 8 weeks

• Wednesday- Beginners Class In Machine Learning (3-5pm) 8 weeks

Thursday - Pre-University Intro Python/ML Class (10-1pm) 10 weeks

Friday - Al4Good Lab focused on SDGs (12-2pm) E.g AgroAl research

• Saturday- Business Analytics for Professionals (9am-12) for 5 weeks

From June 3

From June 11
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From June 19

From June 3

From July 5

From July 6















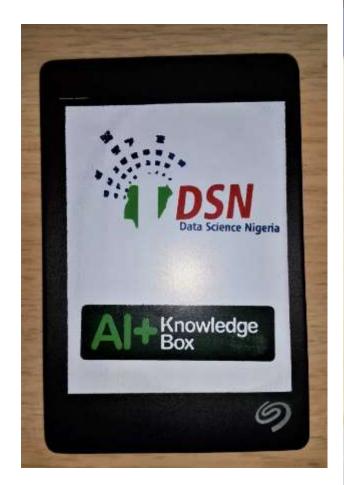


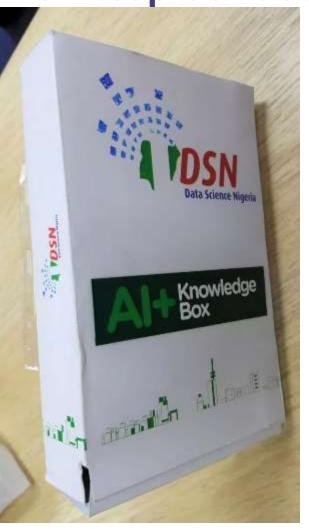




We democratised the learning with first-of-its-kind AI+ Knowledge Box - a USB of over 17,000 publicly available videos from top schools and conferences







- The AI box is 2 Terabyte external drive with 10,141 Learning videos, which has been professionally downloaded from diverse AI learning platforms of top international Artificial Intelligence universities, leading global Machine Learning researchers and first-rated AI conferences across the world.
- The selected videos are free and publicly available content, which were catalogued by knowledge level, interest, specialisation and domain of application.
- Frontally addresses the challenges of internet cost, electricity limitation and poor download speed. Any self-driven learner can now be well equipped with the most robust knowledge at the same level as the best experts who practice AI in top schools and research labs in the US, UK and Canada.

Companies We Have Trained























































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A one-day masterclass to demystify the whole concept of Artificial Intelligence for executives, business leaders and strategic decision-makers.



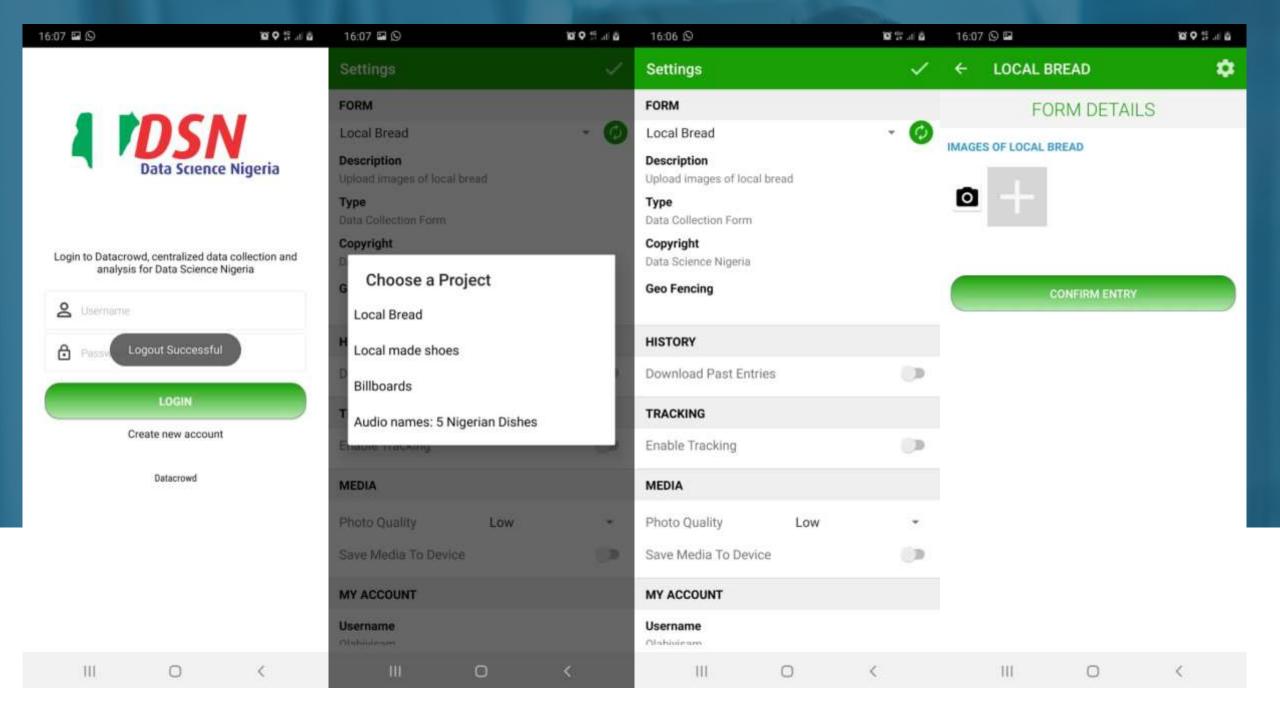






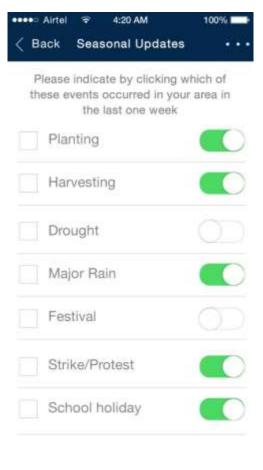
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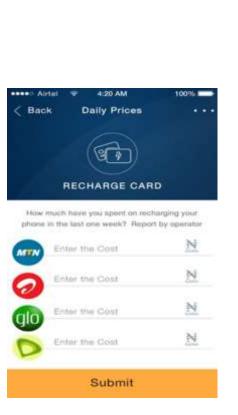
Leveraging the community to collect, share and utilise data

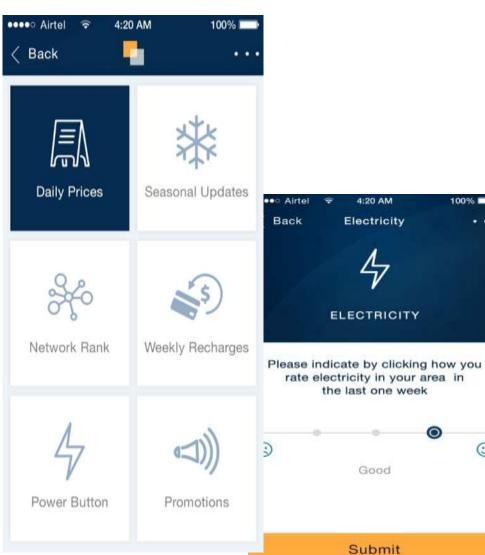












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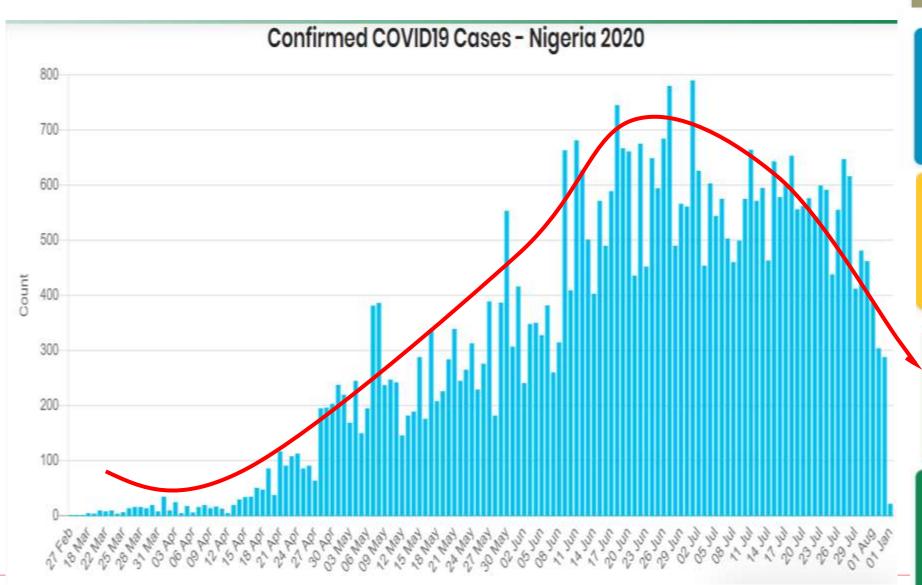
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COVID-19 in Nigeria



** 287,532

Confirmed Cases 44,129 **Active Cases** Death 896

Discharged Cases

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20,663

COVID19 Rumour Analysis

INFO-DEMICS white paper on COVID-19 and Policy implications



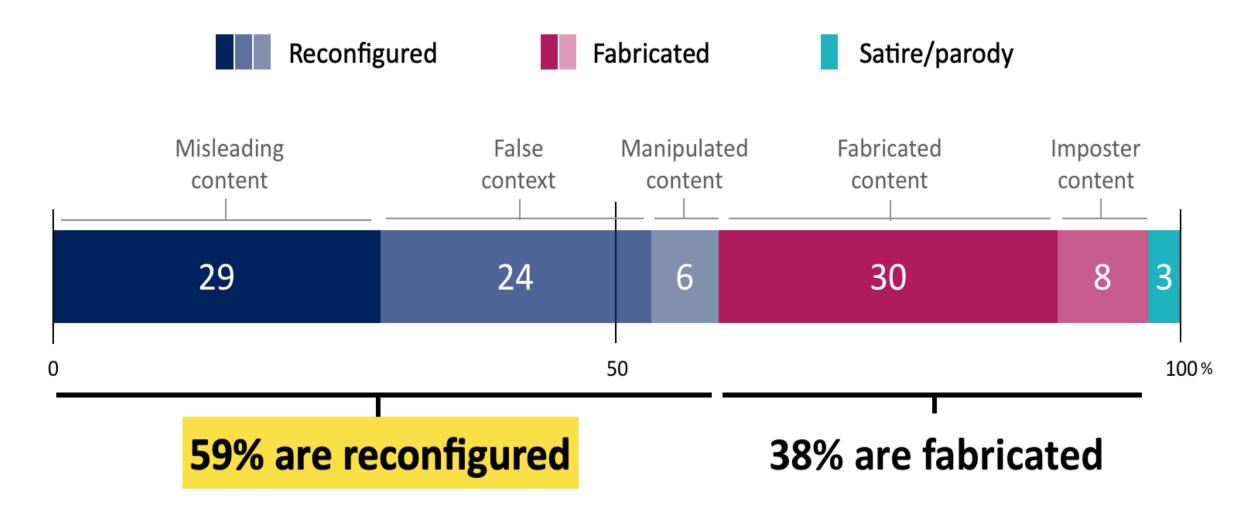
»Peer-to-peer pattern of misinformation, disinformation and rumour construct

» Help us to understand the pattern and nature of these information by sharing examples of the messages you have received lately

» Survey: https://bit.ly/COVID19_Infos

» Detailed Video: http://bit.ly/Task_Completion

Message Typologies and Transmission Rate



Adapting the work by Reuters Institute, Oxford University

https://reutersinstitute.politics.ox.ac.uk/types-sources-and-claims-covid-19-misinformation

Message Impact Analysis



Factual information



Incomplete or biased information

Humorous content:



Misinformation/disinformation:



Claims management



Channel

Frequency

Insight

Response

Non-compliance with public health recommendations

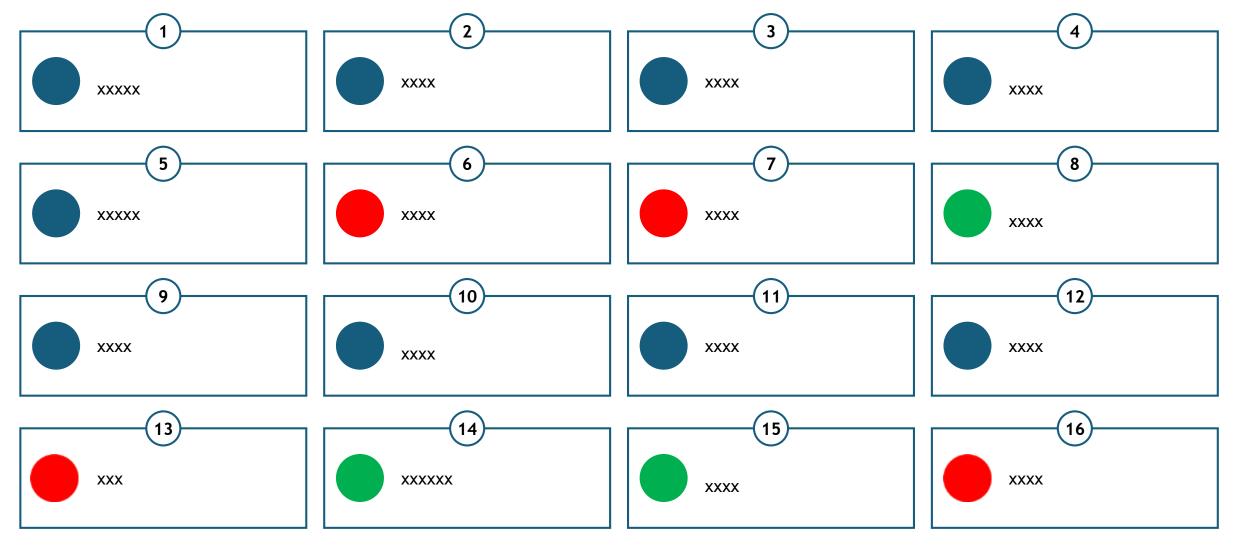
Perpetuating political conflict and racial discrimination

Psychosocial effects

Broader societal effects

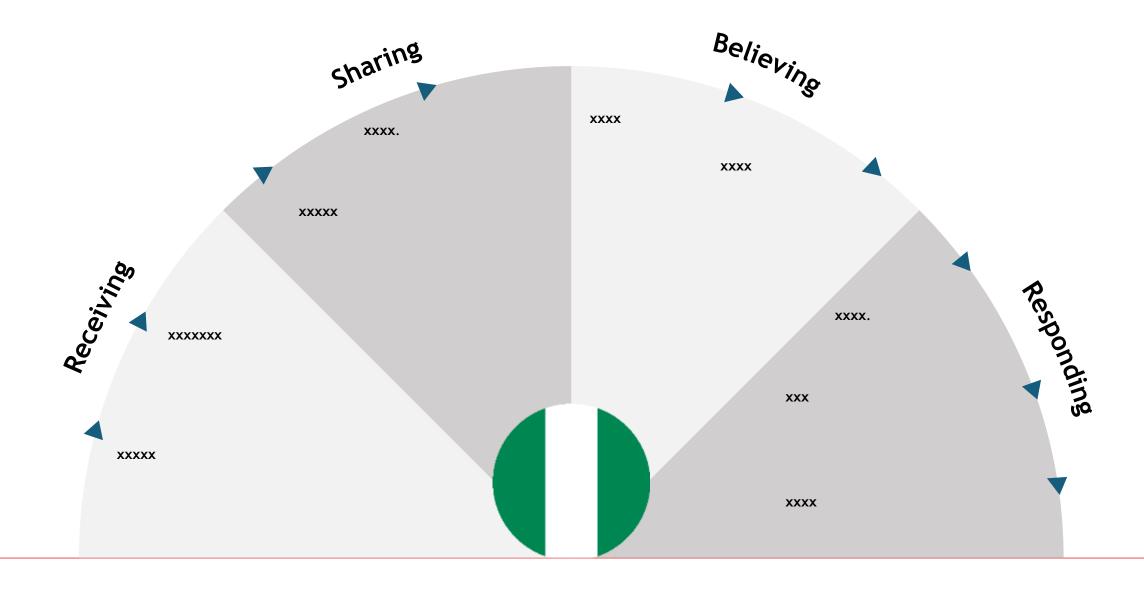
Message Type Analysis





Sources, Claims and Responses - Modeling Nigeria's Infodemic





Message Examples /1



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ces & ur face. Above all wash ur hands regularly & apply alcohol
corona virus nor any form of injection from WHO, world health org, be very careful because this virus is a man made virus ta
g the virus itself to Africans in d name of the vaccine. if u hear and doesn't let ur brother know, u have failed to protect a life
touching your face & high-contact surfaces to prevent coronavirus spread#TakeResponsibility
ather together. Stay at home to protect yourself and others
infected because of the test result but they are not feeling any pain or do not have Corona symptoms. Come in this class
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Message Examples /2



Every day we are there:

- 1. Take Vit C-1000
- 2. Vitamin E
- 3. 10:00 11:00 sunlight for 15-20 minutes.
- 4. Egg one item
- 5. Take a rest / get a 7-8 hour min
- 6. Drink 1.5 L of water daily and every meal should be warm (not cold).

That's what we do at the hospital.

This is to tell all of us that the pH for the coronary virus varies from 5.5 to 8.5

What we need to do, to defeat the coronary virus, is to consume more alkaline foods above the virus's pH level.

Whatsapp

Some of them are:

- * Lemon 9.9 pH
- * Lime 8.2 pH
- * Avocados 15.6 pH
- * Garlic 13.2 pH *
- * Mango 8.7pH
- * Tangerine 8.5pH
- * Pineapple 12.7 pH
- * Dandelion 22.7 pH
- * Orange 9.2 pH

How did you know you had a coronavirus?

Message Examples /3



	VITAL INFORMATION TO THE PUBLIC:
Whatsapp	According to a chines professor Tangyouzhi he has advised the public to start using Fohow Sanqing Oral, Fohow Tea, Fohow Meigui paste and Fohow Oral Liquid
	For Prevention of Corona virus.
SMS	Avoid gatherings & physical contact. Practice social distancing by leaving 2 metres distance from others to prevent coronavirus spread. Take Responsibility!
Others	Cover your nose and mouth with a bent elbow or tissue when you sneeze or cough,"
SMS	Prevent coronavirus by cleaning all surfaces frequently. High-contact surfaces include door handles, stair rails and tables. Take Responsibility!
SMS	Take responsibility!
SIVIS	Wash your hands frequently with soap under running water. Avoid touching your face &high contact surfaces to prevent. Corona virus spread. #takeresponsinity.
	Lagos State Government has announced that 17 hospitals have been exposed to covid-19 patients. The following hospitals have been exposed to Covid-19 cases in Lagos, Nigeria.
	1. St Edwards Hospital, Ajah
	2. Premier Specialist, VI
	3. Vedic Lifecare, Lekki
	4. The Point Hospital, Surulere
	5. Chosen Church Hospital, Ijesha
	6. Ikorodu General Hospital, Ikorodu
	7. Alimosho General Hospital
	8. Ultra Care Hospital, VI
Whataana	9. St Nicholas Hospital, Lagos Island
Whatsapp	10. Reddington Hospital, Lekki
	11. Southern Shore Hospital, Chevron-Lekki
	12. Paelon Memorial, Ikeja
	13. Choice Opticals
	14. First Cardiology Consultants, Ikoyi
	15. County Hospitals, Ogba
	These are the ones we know about. As there is serious local transmission we cannot ascertain how many other private hospitals have been visited by covid-19 patients. Please advise anyone you know with c



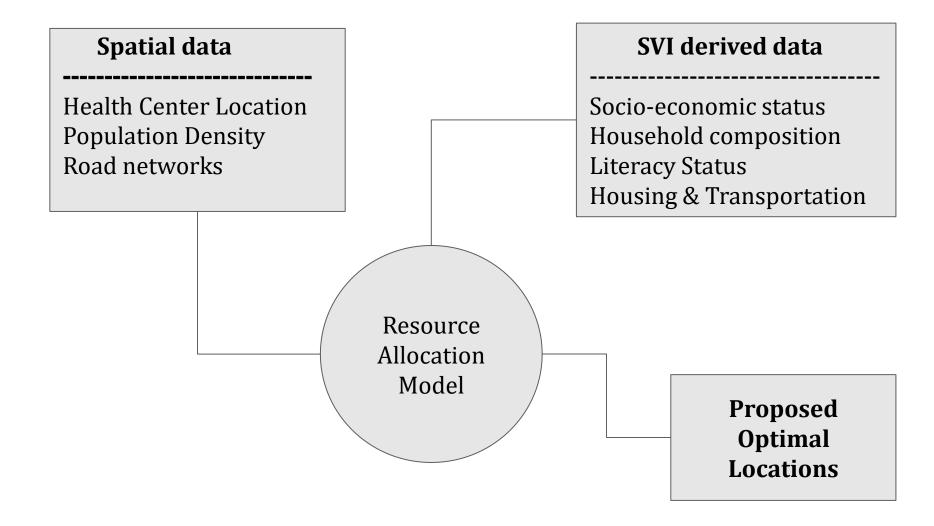
Optimizing Health Facilities Allocation for COVID-19 Management in Lagos State, Nigeria

Our Approach in solving the problem



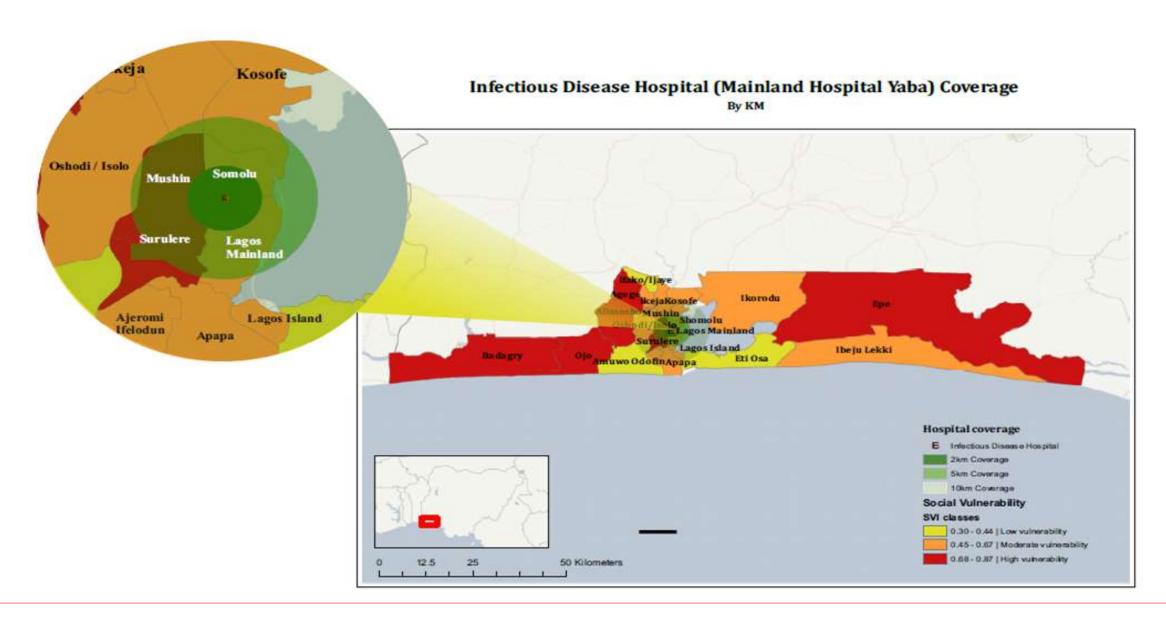
Applying

- → Geospatial data analysis,
- → SVI Metric,
- → Health Facilities management & resource allocation algorithm..



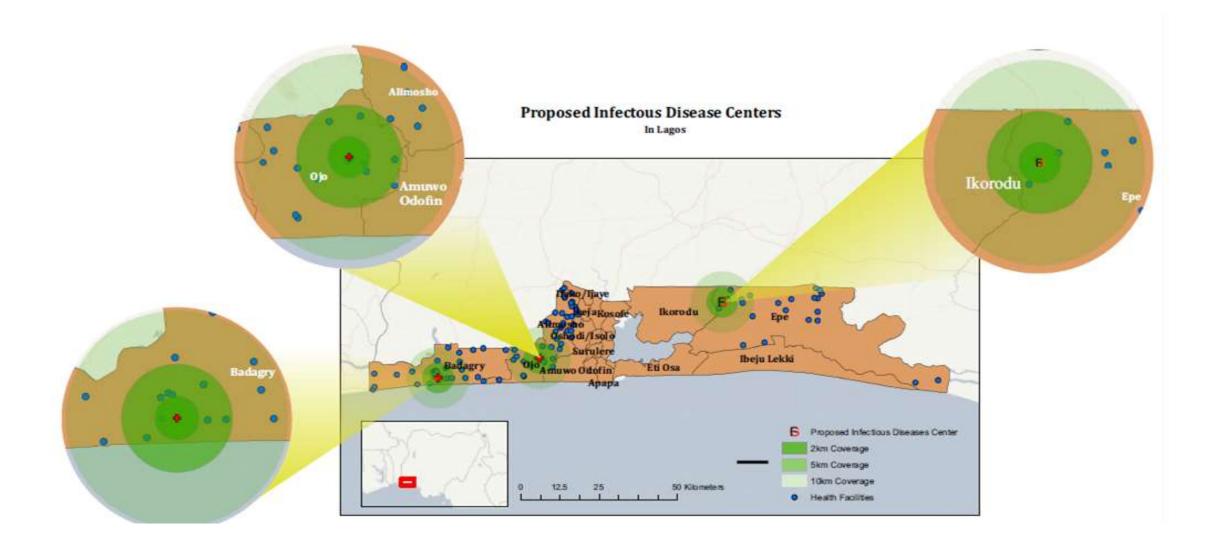
Specialized Hospital Coverage





Proposed health facility location





Proposed Health Centers in Lagos State, Nigeria



Using the SVI, distribution of hospitals and coverage area, we propose some government-owned health centers around Lagos state that would aid curbing the effect of outbreaks in the highly vulnerable areas. We also give the closest alternatives to the proposed locations including their coordinates.

Proposed Center	Coordinates (Lat,Long)	Alternative Centers	Coordinates (Lat,Long)
General Hospital Badagry	(6.4136, 2.8977)	Marina Primary Health Centre Ajara Flagship Health Care Center French Village Health Center	(6.4133, 2.8857) (6.4346, 2.8905) (6.4330, 2.8947)
149 Battalion Medical Reception Stat	(6.4716, 3.1886)	Kemberi Primary Health Center Lasu Health Centre Okokomaiko Primary Health Care Board	(6.4671, 3.1871) (6.4653, 3.2016) (6.4707, 3.1911)
Agbowa General Hospital	(6.6372, 3.7146)	Agbowa Primary Health Centre Owu Primary Health Center Ado Ikosi Primary Health Center	(6.6401, 3.7121) (6.4346, 2.8905) (6.6182, 3.7055)



Is COVID-19 pattern different from SARS and Ebola virus?



Comparative exploratory data analysis (EDA) of infectious disease outbreak by our in-house team at Data Science Nigeria. It explores the fatality and survival pattern in a dynamic visualization

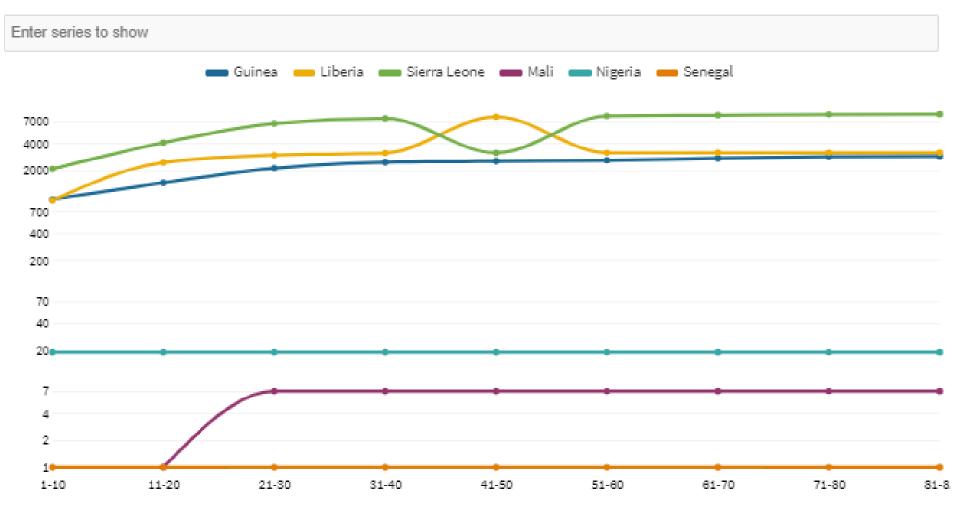
Check it out at https://bit.ly/COVID19_EDA.



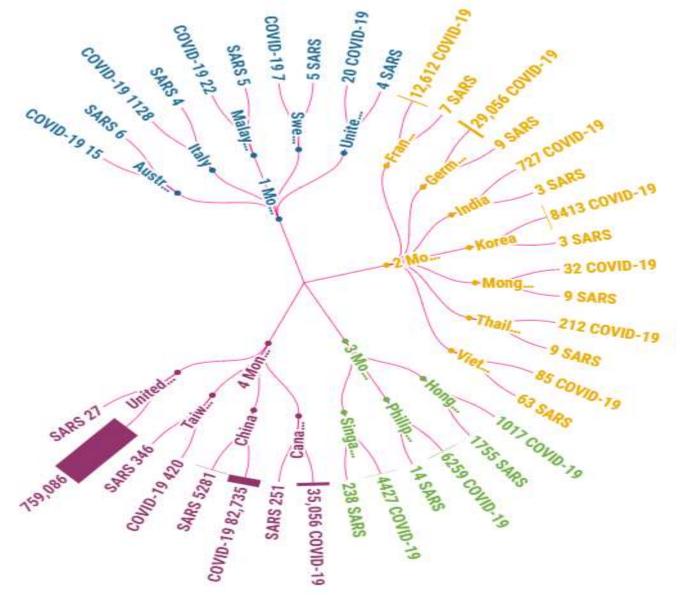




Trend analysis of confirmed Ebola cases in the first 10 to 85 days in affected African countries







Comparison of SARS and COVID-19 cases in affected countries within 1 to 4 month

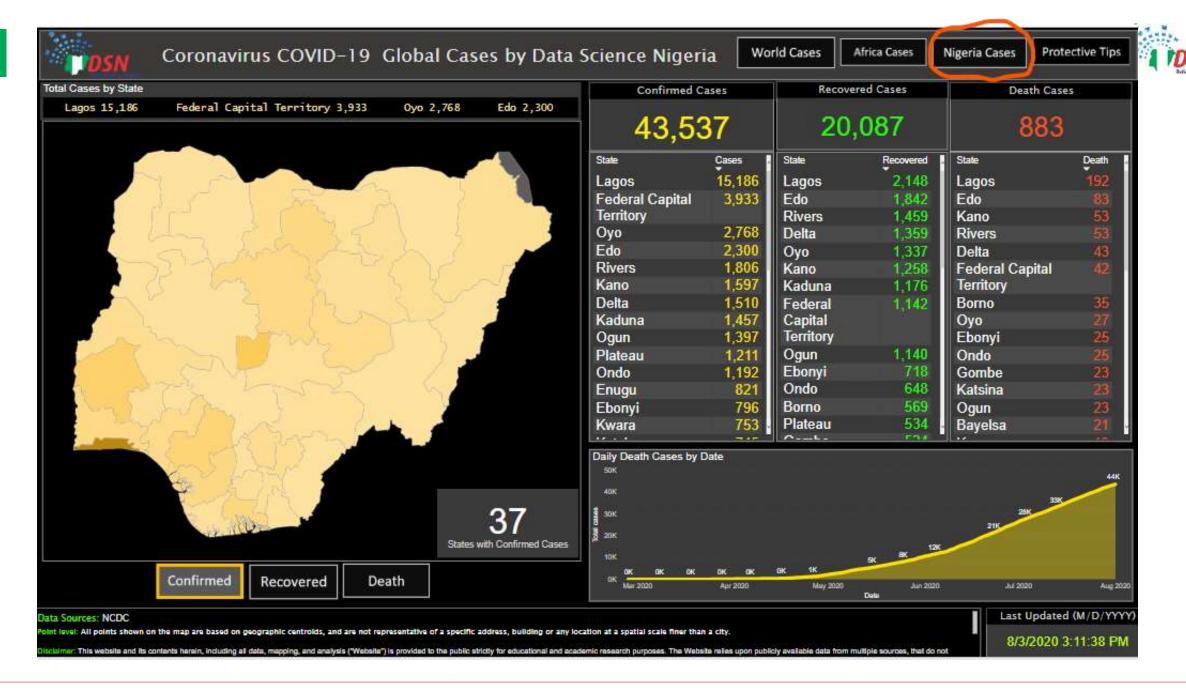


COVID-19 Dashboard and Preventive Tips

Development of dashboard for tracking COVID-19



In response to the COVID-19 outbreak, our technical delivery team developed a real-time interactive dashboard to track the COVID-19 cases around the world. The dashboard is available at bit.ly/coronaViz2



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World Cases

Africa Cases

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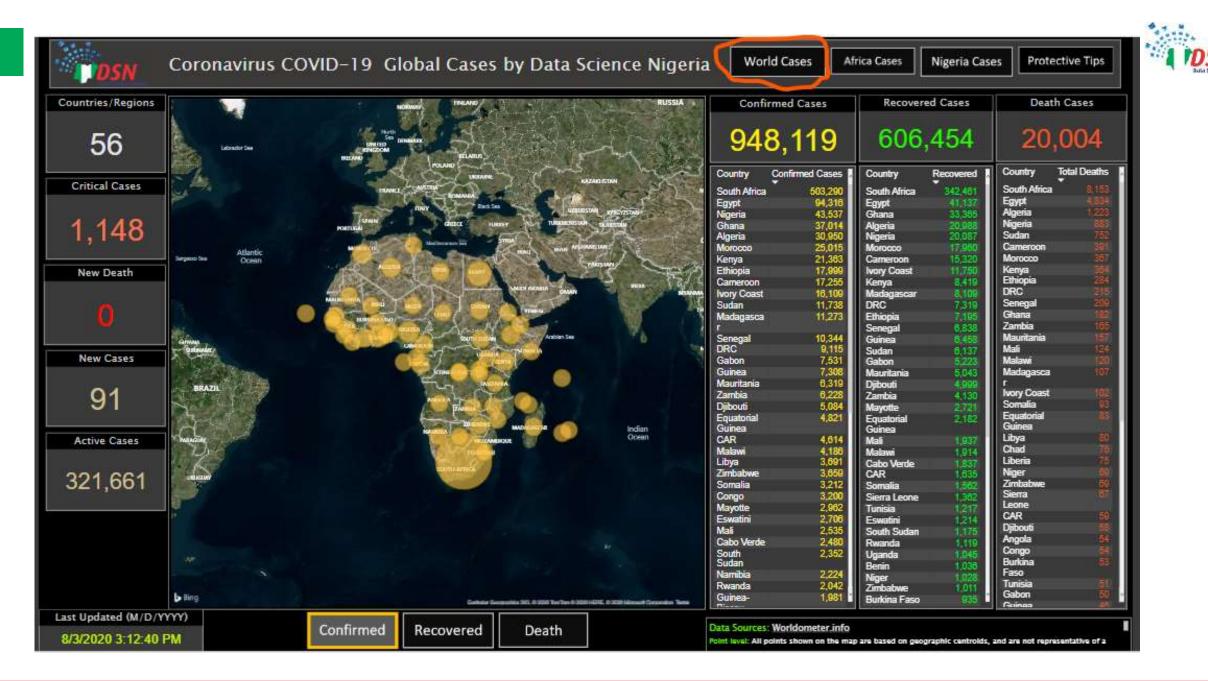
Nigeria Cases

Protective Tips





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Protective Tips

FACT



COVID-19 is still affecting mostly people in China with some outbreaks in other countries. Most people who become infected experience mild illness and recover, but it can be more severe for others. Take care of your health and protect others by doing the following:

Wash your hands frequently

Regularly and thoroughly clean your hands with an alcohol-based hand rub or wash them with soap and water. Why? Washing your hands with soap and water or using alcohol-based hand rub kills viruses that may be on your hands.

2. Maintain social distancing

Maintain at least 1 metre (3 feet) distance between yourself and anyone who is coughing or sneezing.

Why? When someone coughs or sneezes they spray small liquid droplets from their nose or mouth which may contain virus. If you are too close, you can breathe in the droplets, including the COVID-19 virus if the person coughing has the disease.

3. Avoid touching eyes, nose and mouth

Why? Hands touch many surfaces and can pick up viruses. Once contaminated, hands can transfer the virus to your eyes, nose or mouth. From there, the virus can enter your body and can make you sick.

4. Practice respiratory hygiene

Make sure you, and the people around you, follow good respiratory hygiene. This means covering your mouth and nose with your bent elbow or tissue when you cough or sneeze. Then dispose of the used tissue immediately.

Why? Droplets spread virus. By following good respiratory hygiene you protect the people around you from viruses such as cold. flu and COVID-19.

5. If you have fever, cough and difficulty breathing, seek medical care early

Stay home if you feel unwell. If you have a fever, cough and difficulty breathing, seek medical attention and call in advance. Follow the directions of your local health authority.

Why? National and local authorities will have the most up to date information on the situation in your area. Calling in advance will allow your health care provider to quickly direct you to the right health facility. This will also protect you and help prevent spread of viruses and other infections.

6. Stay informed and follow advice given by your healthcare provider

Stay informed on the latest developments about COVID-19. Follow advice given by your healthcare provider, your national and local public health authority or your employer on how to protect yourself and others from COVID-19.

Why? National and local authorities will have the most up to date information on whether COVID-19 is spreading in your area. They are best placed to advise on what people in your area should be doing to protect themselves.

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days (depending on the type of surface), it is very unlikely that the virus will persist on a surface after being moved travelled, and temperatures. If you think a surface may be contaminated, use a disinfectant to clean it. After touching it, clean your hands with an alcohol-based hand rub or wash them with scop and water.

(2) Well stem #Coronavirus

To date there has been so information our

The new coronavirus is a respiratory virus

which spreads primarily through droplets

sneares, or through droplets of saliva or

generated when an infected person coughs or

To protect yourself, clean your kands frequently with an alcohol-based hand rub or wash them

with soap and water. Also, avoid close contact

with anyone who is coughing and sneezing.

could be transmitted by manquitoes.

The new coronavirus cannot be transmitted through goods manufactured in China or any country reporting COVID-19 cases



FACT The new coronavirus CANNOT be transmitted through mosquito bites



Can pets at home

spread the new

coronavirus

(2019-nC0V)?

(a) was some #Coronavirus

discharge from the nose.

At present, there is no evidence that

can be infected with the new coconsvirus. However, it is always a good idea to wresh your hands with snap and water after contact with puts. This protects you against various common bacteria such as E. coli and Salmonella that can pass between pets and humans.

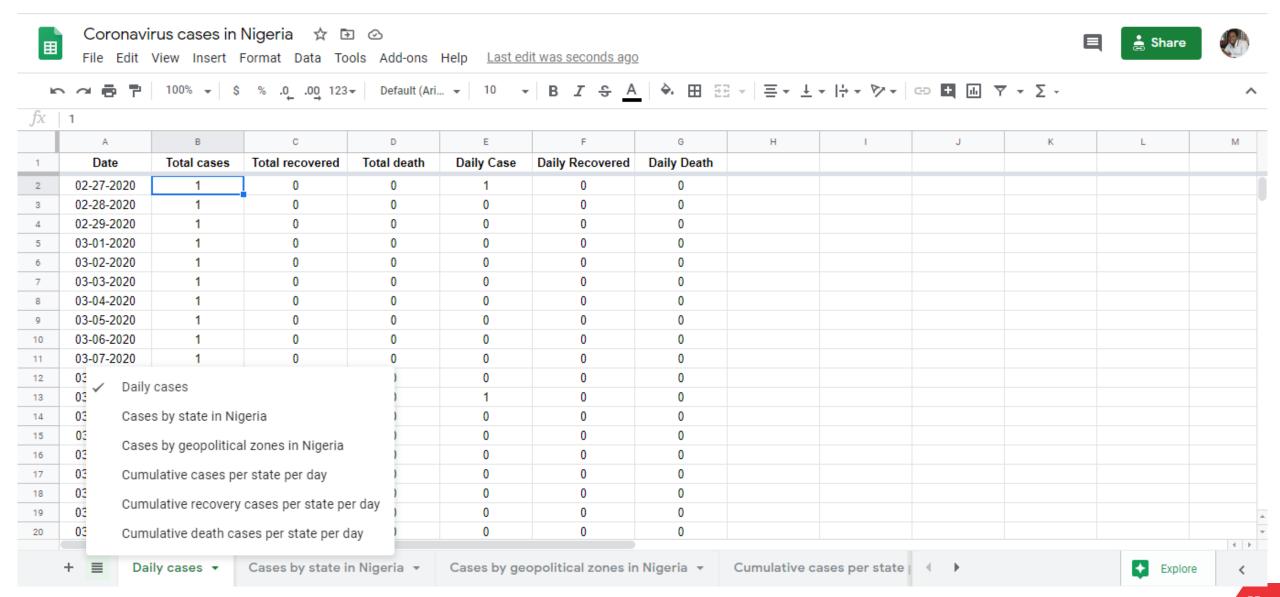


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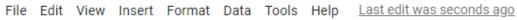








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2	State	Geo political zone	Latitude	Longitude	Female	Male	Total	No. of Cases (Lab Confirmed)	No. of Cases (on admission)	No. Discharged	No. of Deaths	21
3	Abia	South East	5.532003041	7.486002487	2,117,742	1,965,828	4,083,570	582	106	471	5	
4	Adamawa	North East	10.2703408	13.2700321	1,834,828	1,771,877	3,606,705	164	69	85	10	
5	Akwa Ibom	South South	5.007996056	7.849998524	1,801,535	1,684,078	3,485,613	221	64	150	7	
6	Anambra	South East	6.210433572	7.06999711	2,192,738	2,036,023	4,228,761	135	48	75	12	
7	Bauchi	North East	11.68040977	10.19001339	3,140,988	3,038,042	6,179,030	560	27	520	13	
8	Bayelsa	South South	4.7719	6.0699	560,865	539,087	1,099,952	339	39	279	21	
9	Benue	North Central	7.190399596	8.129984089	2,286,249	2,161,538	4,447,787	356	285	64	7	
10	Borno	North East	10.62042279	12.18999467	2,883,631	2,692,682	5,576,313	613	9	569	35	
11	Cross River	South South	4.960406513	8.330023558	1,554,583	1,414,947	2,969,530	58	35	19	4	
12	Delta	South South	5.890427265	5.680004434	1,880,125	1,785,026	3,665,151	1,510	108	1,359	43	
13	Ebonyi	South East	6.178	7.9593	1,438,935	1,332,597	2,771,532	808	49	733	26	
14	Edo	South South	6.340477314	5.620008096	2,057,366	1,963,003	4,020,369	2,311	335	1,892	84	
15	Ekiti	South West	7.630372741	5.219980834	1,049,887	1,023,826	2,073,713	152	83	67	2	
16	Enugu	South East	6.867034321	7.383362995	1,482,946	1,371,914	2,854,860	821	378	425	18	
17	Gombe	North East	10.29044293	11.16995357	1,473,771	1,387,304	2,861,075	612	61	528	23	
18	lmo	South East	5.492997053	7.026003588	3,670,761	3,480,781	7,151,542	469	324	136	9	
19	Jigawa	North West	11.7991891	9.350334607	2,906,401	2,792,478	5,698,879	322	3	308	11	

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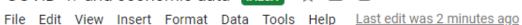


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2	State	Geo political zone	2019 Budget (bn)	2020 Initial budget (bn) presented	2020 Revised budget (bn) due to COVID-19	FAAC 2019 (bn)	IGR 2019 (bn)	Total revenue available in 2019 (bn)	Tota
3	Abia	South East	140.21	136.6	102.7	52.04	14.77	66.81	
4	Adamawa	North East	244	183.3	139.308	48.34	9.70	58.04	
5	Akwa Ibom	South South	672.98	597.73	366	171.98	32.29	204.27	
6	Anambra	South East	157.1	137.1	112.8	53.89	26.37	80.26	
7	Bauchi	North East	198.85	167.2	128	52.36	11.70	64.05	
8	Bayelsa	South South	299	242.18	183.15	140.13	16.34	156.47	
9	Benue	North Central	199.7	189	119	54.34	17.85	72.19	
10	Borno	North East	144.7	146.8	0	61.71	8.18	69.89	
11	Cross River	South South	1,040	1100	147.1	36.31	22.60	58.91	
12	Delta	South South	390.3	395.5	279. 8	219.28	64.68	283.96	
13	Ebonyi	South East	188.4	178.4	131.8	44.63	7.46	52.08	
14	Edo	South South	183.74	179.2	128.8	64.68	29.48	94.16	
15	Ekiti	South West	129.9	124.5	91.1	41.29	8.55	49.83	
16	Enugu	South East	109.2	169.56	146.4	51.98	31.07	83.05	
17	Gombe	North East	122.4	130.83	107.4	41.02	6.80	47.82	
18	lmo	South East	250.51	197.6	108.3	56.09	16.10	72.18	
19	Jigawa	North West	160.14	152.92	124	58.86	12.93	71.78	











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2	State	Geo political zone	Total revenue available in 2018 (bn)	Primary	Secondary	Tertiary	Total	Primary	Secondary	Tertiary	Total	Total facilities
3	Abia	South East	70.16	936	138	6	1080	4	2		6	76
4	Adamawa	North East	55.72	1672	20	4	1696				0	
5	Akwa Ibom	South South	226.58	547	10	3	560				0	
6	Anambra	South East	74.56	979	151	17	1147	5	1		6	89
7	Bauchi	North East	63.71	1246	23	3	1272				0	
8	Bayelsa	South South	166.74	264	3	2	269	1			1	2
9	Benue	North Central	66.66	1791	52	10	1853				0	
10	Borno	North East	69.80	736	8	15	759				0	
11	Cross River	South South	54.51	1245	26	3	1274	5			5	91
12	Delta	South South	272.07	531	3		534	1			1	
13	Ebonyi	South East	51.10	927	59	11	997	21	8		29	135
14	Edo	South South	97.60	453	22	5	480				0	5
15	Ekiti	South West	45.79	461	48	3	512	2	1		3	15
16	Enugu	South East	75.25	909	99	17	1025	13	4		17	131
17	Gombe	North East	51.15	722	34	5	761	1			1	9
18	lmo	South East	69.07	879	108	10	997	10	1		11	73
19	Jigawa	North West	69.57	648	2	6	656				0	

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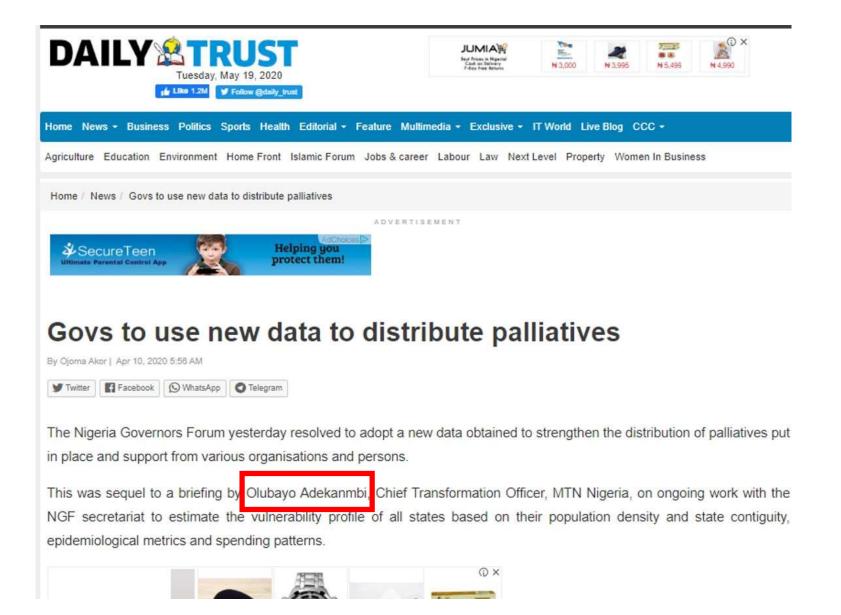




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states.

The governors also resolved to adopt a new data on vulnerability profile of all states to strengthen the distribution of palliatives put in place and support from various organisations and persons.

This, according to the communiqué, followed an update from Olubayo Adekanmbi, Chief Transformation Officer, MTNNigeria, on ongoing work with the NGF Secretariat to estimate the vulnerability profile of all

"The vulnerability profile of all States based on their population age risk, international travel profile, population density and state contiguity, epidemiological metrics and spending patterns," it stated.

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"Operators will be resident in the ECCs to process distress calls and contact relevant ERAs.

"Finally, following an update from Olubayo Adekanmbi, Chief Transformation Officer, MTN Nigeria on ongoing work with the NGF Secretariat to estimate the vulnerability profile of all states based on their populations, age risk, international travel profile, population density and state contiguity, epidemiological metrics and spending pat terns, Governors resolved to adopt the new data to strengthen the distribution of palliatives put in place and support from various organisations and persons."













Both have reiterated the importance of cancelling all deductions and deferring or restructuring all commercial debt service payments on the Federal Government and Central Bank of Nigeria (CBN)-owned debts.

The agreement with MTN Nigeria was reached Sunday at the meeting held to deliberate on the COVID-19 pandemic in the country.

The approval was given by the governors after the Forum received a presentation from Mazen Mroue, chief operating officer and Olubayo Adekanmbi, thief transformation officer, MTN Nigeria, on the ongoing collaboration with the NGF Secretariat to profile States vulnerability to the spread of the coronavirus based on parameters such as population age and density, travel history, location, income level.

In a communique signed by Governor Kayode Fayemi, chairman, Nigeria Governors' Forum, members also emphasized the necessity for stronger collaboration with States because they are best positioned to administer palliatives to mitigate the impact of the crisis, including the distribution of food and essential materials to households to help them cope with the expected loss of income and livelihoods.



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