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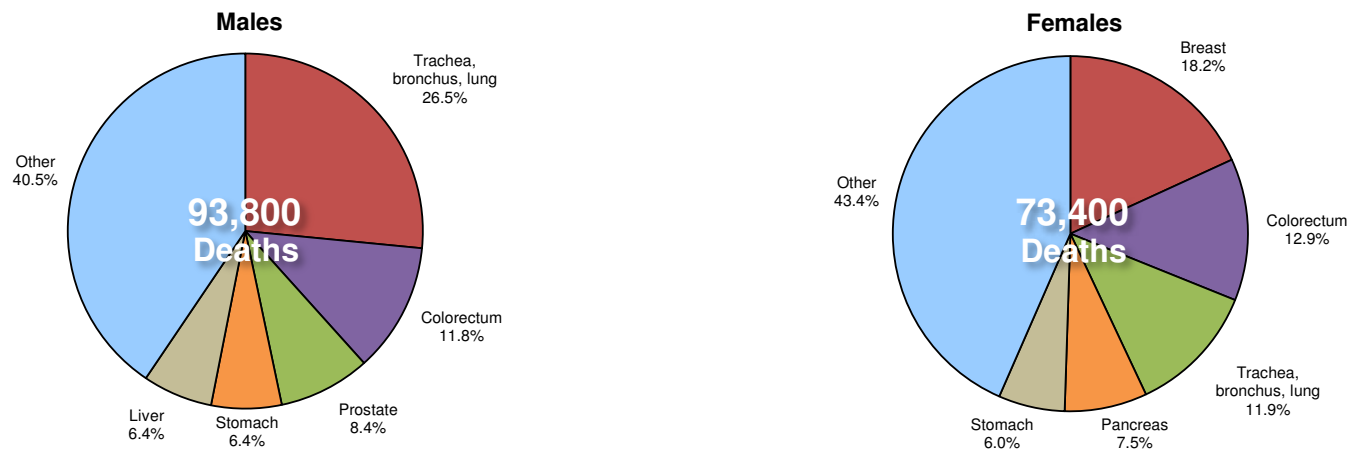
Total population: 60,885,000

Income group: High

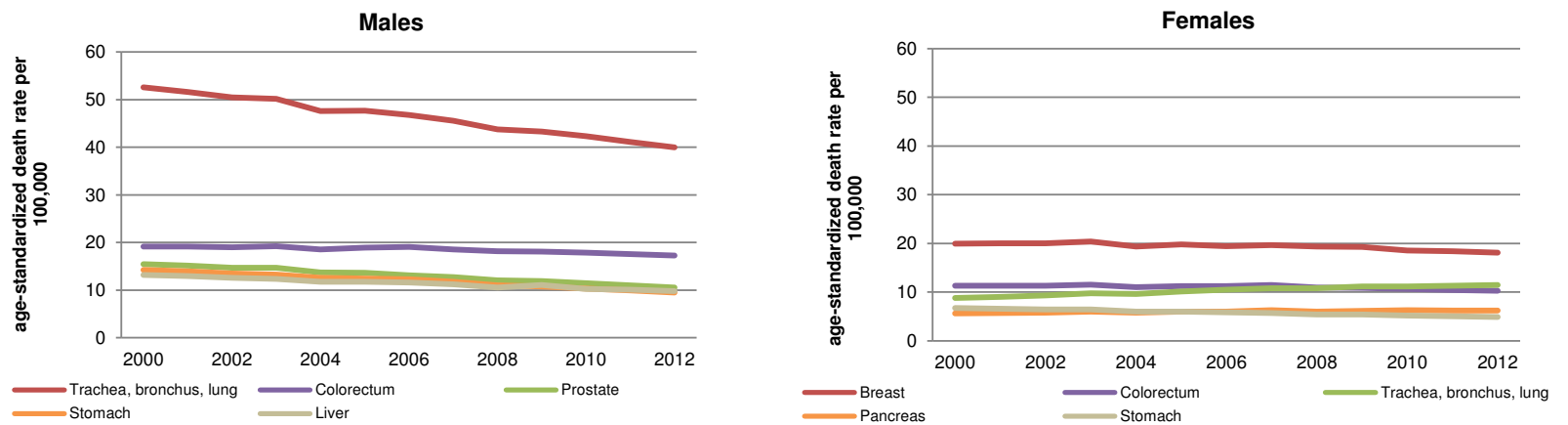
Total deaths: 573,000

Life expectancy at birth: Total:83 Males:80 Females:85

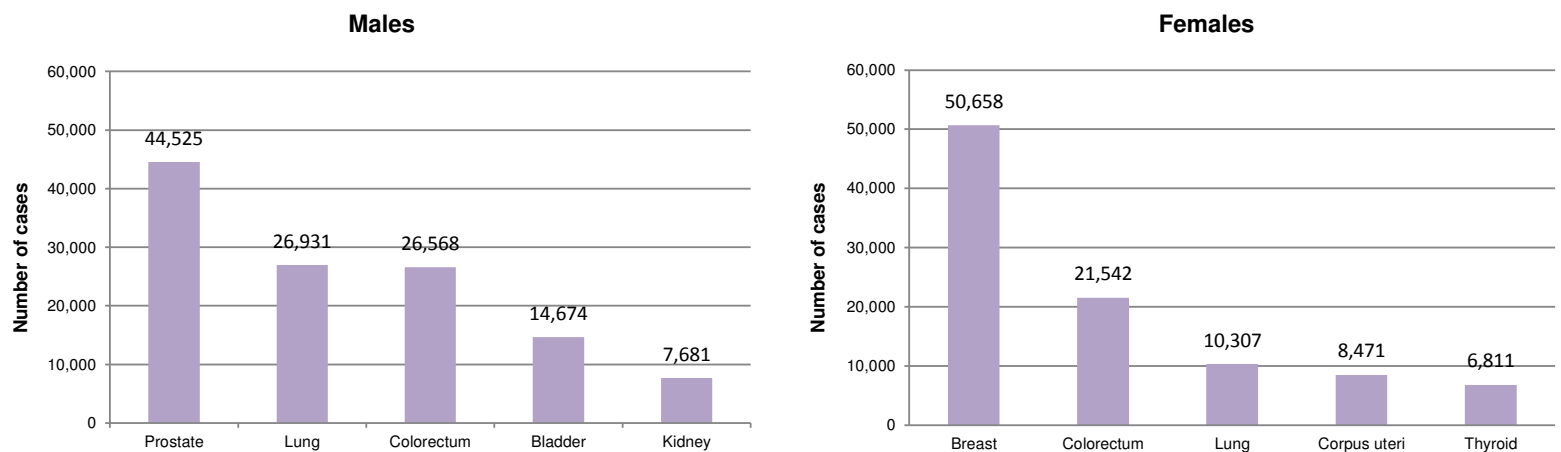
## Cancer Mortality Profile



## Age-Standardized Cancer Mortality Trends



## Cancer Incidence



## Adult Risk Factors

|  | Males | Females | Total |
|--|-------|---------|-------|
| Current tobacco smoking (2011)   | 31.2% | 18.4%   | 24.6% |
| Total alcohol per capita consumption, in litres of pure alcohol (2010) | 9.7   | 3.9     | 6.7   |
| Physical inactivity (2010)   | 30.0% | 41.3%   | 35.9% |
| Obesity (2014)   | 22.5% | 24.8%   | 23.7% |
| Household solid fuel use (2012)  | -     | -       | 0.0%  |

## Cancer Plans, Monitoring and Surveillance

|   |                  |
|---|------------------|
| Has an operational cancer policy/strategy/action plan | Yes              |
| Has a cancer registry                                 | Yes              |
| Scope   | Population-based |
| Coverage  | Subnational      |
| Last year of data                                     | 2010             |

## Cancer Primary Prevention Policies

### Tobacco control

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| Has an operational policy, strategy or action plan to reduce the burden of tobacco use | Yes  |
| Smoke-free legislation   | Data not categorized   |
| Tobacco dependence treatment   | NRT and/or some cessation services (at least one of which is cost-covered)   |
| Warning labels   | Medium size warnings missing some appropriate characteristics OR large warnings missing many appropriate characteristics           |
| Bans on advertising, promotion and sponsorship   | Ban on national television, radio and print media as well as on some but not all other forms of direct and/or indirect advertising |
| Tobacco taxes  | >75% of retail price is tax*   |

### Overweight and obesity prevention and control

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| Has an operational policy, strategy or action plan for reducing overweight/obesity | Yes |
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### Physical inactivity prevention and control

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| Has an operational policy, strategy or action plan to reduce physical inactivity and/or promote physical activity | Yes |
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### Harmful use of alcohol prevention and control

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| Has an operational policy, strategy or action plan to reduce the harmful use of alcohol | Yes |
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### National immunization

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|---|--------------------------------------|
| Human Papillomavirus vaccination schedule | 12 years, +1-2 months, +6 months     |
| Hepatitis B vaccination schedule          | 3 months, +5-6 months, +11-13 months |
| Hepatitis B vaccination coverage, infants | 97%                                  |

## Cancer Screening and Early Detection

### Cervical cancer

|                                 |   |
|---------------------------------|---|
| Cervical cytology (PAP)         | Generally available at the public primary health care level |
| Acetic acid visualization (VIA) | Generally available at the public primary health care level |

### Breast cancer

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| Breast palpation / clinical breast exam (CBE) | Generally available at the public primary health care level |
| Mammogram                                     | Generally available at the public primary health care level |

### Colorectal cancer

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| Faecal occult blood test or faecal immunological test | Generally available at the public primary health care level |
| Bowel cancer screening by exam or colonoscopy         | Generally available at the public primary health care level |

## Cancer Treatment and Palliative Care

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| Radiotherapy   | Generally available in the public health system |
| Total high energy teletherapy units / million inhabitants                | 6.4   |
| Number of radiotherapy centres   | 171   |
| Number of radiation oncologists  | 1218  |
| Chemotherapy (medicines not specified)                                   | Generally available in the public health system |
| Oral morphine (formulation not specified)                                | Generally available in the public health system |
| Non-methadone morphine equivalent consumption per cancer death (mg)      | 24,286.7  |
| Community/home care for people with advanced stage cancer and other NCDs | Generally available                             |

\* Indicates highest possible level of achievement