

## Supplementary appendix

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## **Appendix**

## Table. Summary of publicly available COVID-19 patient line list data

Source	Available data elements	Parameters that can be estimated		
Data clearing houses or secondary repositories				
Data Platform of Shanghai Observer – collated from multiple sources including official websites of various Health Commissions, social media (Weibo and WeChat) and news (CCTV, Xinhua and People's Daily etc.) http://data.shobserver.com/www/index.html#/home	Age, sex, date of symptom onset, date of first medical consultation or admission, date of discharge, date of death, travel history, links to confirmed cases	Incubation period, time between symptom onset and admission, reproductive number		
Laboratory for the Modeling of Biological and Socio-technical Systems (MOBS) – collated from multiple sources including official websites of Health Commission, social media (Weibo and WeChat) https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/e/2P ACX- 1vQU0SIALScXx8VXDX7yKNKWWPKE1YjFlWc6V TEVSN45CklWWf-uWmprQlyLtoPDA18tX9cFDr-aQ9S6/pubhtml	Age, sex, date of symptom onset, date of first medical consultation or admission, date of discharge, date of death, travel history, links to confirmed cases	Incubation period, time between symptom onset and admission, reproductive number		
MIDAS COVID-19 Repository https://midasnetwork.us/midas-covid-19- repository-now-public/	Age, sex, date of symptom onset, date of report	Incubation period, time between symptom onset and admission, reproductive number		

(Data collated by Imperial College, London,					
National Institutes of Health Fogarty					
International Center and University of Oxford					
and other institutes)					
,	Official websites or social media accounts of various Health Commissions at the provincial and municipal levels in mainland				
China*					
Beijing	Age, sex, date of symptom onset, date of	Time between onset and first			
https://www.weibo.com/beijingshiweishengju	first medical consultation, no. of confirmed	medical consultation,			
(information available on Weibo posts	cases with travel history each day, date of	reproductive number			
between Jan 17, and Jan 30, 2020)	confirmation				
Shanghai (detailed information only available	Age, sex, travel history, links to confirmed	Reproductive number			
for some of the confirmed cases)	cases, first symptoms, date of symptom				
http://wsjkw.sh.gov.cn/	onset, date of confirmation				
https://www.weibo.com/shanghaicity					
Shenzhen, Zhuhai, Guangdong Province	Age, sex, travel history (with details), links	Incubation period, serial interval			
http://wjw.sz.gov.cn/	to confirmed cases (with details),	(from infector-infectee pairs),			
http://wsjkj.zhuhai.gov.cn/	residential district, possible date of	time between symptom onset and			
https://h5-	exposure (for some cases), first symptoms,	admission, reproductive number			
health.tengmed.com/h5/feiyan?cityCode=4403	date of symptom onset, date of admission,				
00&channel=gzh&sessionid=1581671158&subs	date of confirmation, date of discharge				
cene=0&scene=126&clicktime=1581671171					
Wenzhou, Lishui, Taizhou, Ningbo, Hangzhou,	Age, sex, travel history (with details for	Incubation period (Lishui), time			
Shaoxing, Quzhou, Zhejiang Province	Lishui), links to confirmed cases, residential	between symptom onset and			
http://wjw.wenzhou.gov.cn/	district, first symptoms, date of symptom	admission (Lishui), reproductive			
http://wsjsw.lishui.gov.cn/	onset, date of confirmation, date of	number			
http://wsjkw.zjtz.gov.cn/index.php	discharge (for Lishui)				
http://wjw.ningbo.gov.cn/					
http://wsjkw.hangzhou.gov.cn/					
http://sxws.sx.gov.cn/					
http://wjw.qz.gov.cn/					

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Taizhou, Nantong, Huai'an, Suqian, Xuzhou,	Age, sex, travel history (with details for	Time between symptom onset
Zhenjiang, Jiangsu Province	Zhenjiang), links to confirmed cases (with	and admission, reproductive
http://wjw.taizhou.gov.cn/	details for Zhenjiang), residential district,	number
http://wjw.nantong.gov.cn/	first symptoms, date of symptom onset,	
http://wjw.huaian.gov.cn/	date of confirmation, date of admission	
http://wsj.suqian.gov.cn/		
http://ws.xz.gov.cn/wsj/		
http://wjw.zhenjiang.gov.cn/		
Official websites of health authorities outside m	nainland China*	
Singapore	Age, sex, travel history (with details), links	Incubation period, serial interval
https://www.moh.gov.sg/covid-19	to confirmed cases (with details),	(from infector-infectee pairs),
	residential district, possible date of	time between symptom onset and
	exposure (for some cases), first symptoms,	admission, reproductive number
	date of symptom onset, date of admission,	
	date of confirmation	
Hong Kong SAR, China	Age, sex, travel history (with details), links	Incubation period, serial interval
https://www.chp.gov.hk/en/index.html	to confirmed cases (with details),	(from infector-infectee pairs),
	residential district, possible date of	time between symptom onset and
	exposure (for some cases), first symptoms,	admission, reproductive number
	date of symptom onset, date of admission,	
	date of confirmation, date of discharge	
Macau SAR, China	Age, sex, travel history (with details), links	Incubation period, serial interval
https://www.ssm.gov.mo/portal/	to confirmed cases (with details),	(from infector-infectee pairs),
	residential district, possible date of	time between symptom onset and
	exposure (for some cases), first symptoms,	admission, reproductive number
	date of symptom onset, date of admission,	
	date of confirmation, date of discharge	
South Korea	Age, sex, travel history, links to confirmed	Reproductive number
http://www.cdc.go.kr/cdc_eng/	cases, date of confirmation	

(Information can be collated from press		
releases)		
Vietnam	Age, sex, travel history, links to confirmed	Reproductive number
https://ncov.moh.gov.vn/	cases, residential district, date of	
(Information can be collated from press	confirmation	
releases)		

<sup>\*</sup> Cities in a few provinces (e.g. Sichuan, Shandong, Anhui etc. in additional to the provinces shown in the list) provide detailed information of confirmed cases on the official websites of Health Commission.