
Supplementary information

Emergence and spread of a SARS-CoV-2 lineage A variant (A.23.1) with altered spike protein in Uganda

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Supplementary Table 1. Summary of replacements in the A.23.1 and 3 VOC lineages¹.

Lineage	nsp2	nsp3	nsp5	nsp6	nsp12	spike	ORF3a	ORF4 E	ORF8	ORF9 N
A.23.1		<u>nsp3_E95K</u>		<u>nsp6_M86I</u>		<u>S_R102I</u>			<u>ORF8_L84S</u>	<u>N_S202N</u>
A.23.1				<u>nsp6_L98F</u>		<u>S_F157L</u>			<u>ORF8_E92K</u>	<u>N_Q418H</u>
A.23.1				<u>nsp6_M183I</u>		<u>S_V367F</u>				
A.23.1						<u>S_Q613H</u>				
A.23.1						<u>S_P681R</u>				
B.1.1.7		<u>nsp3_T183I</u>		<u>nsp6_del_11288_11296</u>	nsp12_P323L	<u>S_N501Y</u>			<u>ORF8_Q27*</u>	<u>N_D3L</u>
B.1.1.7		<u>nsp3_A890D</u>				<u>S_A570D</u>			<u>ORF8_R52I</u>	<u>N_G204R</u>
B.1.1.7		<u>nsp3_I1412T</u>				<u>S_D614G</u>			<u>ORF8_Y73C</u>	<u>N_R203K</u>
B.1.1.7						<u>S_P681H</u>				<u>N_S235F</u>
B.1.1.7						<u>S_T716I</u>				
B.1.1.7						<u>S_S982A</u>				
B.1.1.7						<u>S_D1118H</u>				
B.1.1.7						<u>S_del_21765_21770</u>				
B.1.1.7						<u>S_del_21991_21993</u>				
B.1.351	<u>nsp2_T85I</u>	<u>nsp3_K837N</u>	<u>nsp5_K90R</u>	<u>nsp6_del_11288_11296</u>	nsp12_P323L	<u>S_D80A</u>	<u>ORF3a_Q57H</u>	<u>E_P71L</u>		<u>N_T205I</u>
B.1.351						<u>S_D215G</u>				
B.1.351						<u>S_K417N</u>				
B.1.351						<u>S_E484K</u>				
B.1.351						<u>S_N501Y</u>				
B.1.351						<u>S_D614G</u>				
B.1.351						<u>S_A701V</u>				
B.1.351						<u>S_non_cod_del_22281_22289</u>				
B.1.281.1		<u>nsp3_S370L</u>		<u>nsp6_del_11288_11296</u>	nsp12_P323L	<u>S_L18F</u>	<u>ORF3a_S253P</u>	<u>ORF8_E92K</u>	<u>N_P80R</u>	
B.1.281.1		<u>nsp3_K977Q</u>				<u>S_T20N</u>				<u>N_R203K</u>
B.1.281.1						<u>S_P26S</u>				<u>N_G204R</u>
B.1.281.1						<u>S_D138Y</u>				
B.1.281.1						<u>S_R190S</u>				
B.1.281.1						<u>S_K417T</u>				
B.1.281.1						<u>S_E484K</u>				
B.1.281.1						<u>S_N501Y</u>				
B.1.281.1						<u>S_D614G</u>				
B.1.281.1						<u>S_H655Y</u>				
B.1.281.1						<u>S_T102I</u>				
B.1.281.1						<u>S_V1176F</u>				

1. Representative sets of each lineage (either all available gap-free full genomes (B.1.351 and B.1.281.1) or all genomes gap-free full genomes annotated as B.1.1.7 were analyzed using CoV-GLUE (2) to identify frequent amino acid replacements associated with each lineage.

Supplementary Table 2. Uganda SARS-CoV-2 cases and genome metrics¹.

District	Total_cases	Perc_cases	Genome_count	Perc_genomes
Kampala	16398	56.25578922	150	44.37869822
Wakiso	2907	9.97289787	17	5.029585799
Luwero	739	2.535249923	4	1.183431953
Amuru	728	2.497512779	21	6.213017751
Mbarara	664	2.277951216	1	0.295857988
Tororo	594	2.037805757	10	2.958579882
Masaka	589	2.02065251	4	1.183431953
Kasese	541	1.855981337	0	0
Jinja	533	1.828536142	7	2.071005917
Gulu	459	1.574668085	7	2.071005917
Kabarole	343	1.176712752	0	0
Moroto	338	1.159559505	5	1.479289941
Mukono	318	1.090946516	0	0
Mbale	312	1.07036262	5	1.479289941
Buikwe	298	1.022333528	1	0.295857988
Kiryandongo	276	0.94685924	0	0
Pader	254	0.871384953	0	0
Kitgum	253	0.867954304	31	9.171597633
Soroti	232	0.795910666	6	1.775147929
Kabale	232	0.795910666	0	0
Lira	185	0.634670143	1	0.295857988
Arua	152	0.521458712	6	1.775147929
Kyotera	141	0.483721568	0	0
Butaleja	134	0.459707023	2	0.591715976
Namisindwa	133	0.456276373	3	0.887573964
Kikuube	110	0.377371436	0	0

1. Percentage of total cases reported at the end of January 2021. Only districts reporting 10 or more cases in the period were included. For the same districts, the percentage of total genomes obtained are listed.

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