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1	Two-stage lot quality assurance sampling framework for monitoring and evaluation of neglected tropical diseases, allowing for imperfect diagnostics and spatial heterogeneity. <i>PLoS Neglected Tropical Diseases</i> , 2022, 16, e0010353.	3.0	8
2	Guiding policy towards zero leprosy: Challenges for modelling & economic evaluation. <i>Indian Journal of Medical Research</i> , 2022, 155, 7.	1.0	0
3	No increased HIV risk in general population near sex work sites: A nationally representative cross-sectional study in Zimbabwe. <i>Tropical Medicine and International Health</i> , 2022, 27, 696-704.	2.3	1
4	Appropriateness of the current parasitological control target for hookworm morbidity: A statistical analysis of individual-level data. <i>PLoS Neglected Tropical Diseases</i> , 2022, 16, e0010279.	3.0	2
5	A Randomized Controlled Trial to Investigate Safety and Variability of Egg Excretion After Repeated Controlled Human Hookworm Infection. <i>Journal of Infectious Diseases</i> , 2021, 223, 905-913.	4.0	11
6	Delays in lymphatic filariasis elimination programmes due to COVID-19, and possible mitigation strategies. <i>Transactions of the Royal Society of Tropical Medicine and Hygiene</i> , 2021, 115, 261-268.	1.8	15
7	What does the COVID-19 pandemic mean for the next decade of onchocerciasis control and elimination?. <i>Transactions of the Royal Society of Tropical Medicine and Hygiene</i> , 2021, 115, 269-280.	1.8	25
8	Modelling the impact of COVID-19-related programme interruptions on visceral leishmaniasis in India. <i>Transactions of the Royal Society of Tropical Medicine and Hygiene</i> , 2021, 115, 229-235.	1.8	17
9	Achieving herd immunity against COVID-19 at the country level by the exit strategy of a phased lift of control. <i>Scientific Reports</i> , 2021, 11, 4445.	3.3	22
10	Number of people requiring post-exposure prophylaxis to end leprosy: A modeling study. <i>PLoS Neglected Tropical Diseases</i> , 2021, 15, e0009146.	3.0	9
11	Evaluating the potential impact of interruptions to neglected tropical disease programmes due to COVID-19. <i>Transactions of the Royal Society of Tropical Medicine and Hygiene</i> , 2021, 115, 201-204.	1.8	15
12	Geospatial epidemiology of leprosy in northwest Bangladesh: a 20-year retrospective observational study. <i>Infectious Diseases of Poverty</i> , 2021, 10, 36.	3.7	6
13	Deworming women of reproductive age during adolescence and pregnancy: what is the impact on morbidity from soil-transmitted helminths infection?. <i>Parasites and Vectors</i> , 2021, 14, 220.	2.5	2
14	Control and Elimination of Schistosomiasis as a Public Health Problem: Thresholds Fail to Differentiate Schistosomiasis Morbidity Prevalence in Children. <i>Open Forum Infectious Diseases</i> , 2021, 8, ofab179.	0.9	7
15	The impact of mass drug administration expansion to low onchocerciasis prevalence settings in case of connected villages. <i>PLoS Neglected Tropical Diseases</i> , 2021, 15, e0009011.	3.0	6
16	Associations between infection intensity categories and morbidity prevalence in school-age children are much stronger for <i>Schistosoma haematobium</i> than for <i>S. mansoni</i> . <i>PLoS Neglected Tropical Diseases</i> , 2021, 15, e0009444.	3.0	14
17	Urogenital schistosomiasis infection prevalence targets to determine elimination as a public health problem based on microhematuria prevalence in school-age children. <i>PLoS Neglected Tropical Diseases</i> , 2021, 15, e0009451.	3.0	5
18	Antibody and Antigen Prevalence as Indicators of Ongoing Transmission or Elimination of Visceral Leishmaniasis: A Modeling Study. <i>Clinical Infectious Diseases</i> , 2021, 72, S180-S187.	5.8	7

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19	Scaling-Down Mass Ivermectin Treatment for Onchocerciasis Elimination: Modeling the Impact of the Geographical Unit for Decision Making. <i>Clinical Infectious Diseases</i> , 2021, 72, S165-S171.	5.8	8
20	How does onchocerciasis-related skin and eye disease in Africa depend on cumulative exposure to infection and mass treatment?. <i>PLoS Neglected Tropical Diseases</i> , 2021, 15, e0009489.	3.0	6
21	Impact of Key Assumptions About the Population Biology of Soil-Transmitted Helminths on the Sustainable Control of Morbidity. <i>Clinical Infectious Diseases</i> , 2021, 72, S188-S194.	5.8	3
22	Incidence and geographical distribution of canine leishmaniosis in 2016â€”2017 in Spain and France. <i>Veterinary Parasitology: Regional Studies and Reports</i> , 2021, 25, 100613.	0.5	3
23	The burden of skin disease and eye disease due to onchocerciasis in countries formerly under the African Programme for Onchocerciasis Control mandate for 1990, 2020, and 2030. <i>PLoS Neglected Tropical Diseases</i> , 2021, 15, e0009604.	3.0	17
24	Uncertainty quantification and sensitivity analysis of COVID-19 exit strategies in an individual-based transmission model. <i>PLoS Computational Biology</i> , 2021, 17, e1009355.	3.2	8
25	Feasibility of Onchocerciasis Elimination Using a “Test-and-not-treat” Strategy in <i>Loa loa</i> Co-endemic Areas. <i>Clinical Infectious Diseases</i> , 2021, 72, e1047-e1055.	5.8	6
26	Modelling the impact of COVID-19-related control programme interruptions on progress towards the WHO 2030 target for soil-transmitted helminths. <i>Transactions of the Royal Society of Tropical Medicine and Hygiene</i> , 2021, 115, 253-260.	1.8	13
27	Passive case detection for canine visceral leishmaniasis control in urban Brazil: Determinants of population uptake. <i>PLoS Neglected Tropical Diseases</i> , 2021, 15, e0009818.	3.0	0
28	Understanding MRSA clonal competition within a UK hospital; the possible importance of density dependence. <i>Epidemics</i> , 2021, 37, 100511.	3.0	3
29	Impact of Different Sampling Schemes for Decision Making in Soil-Transmitted Helminthiasis Control Programs. <i>Journal of Infectious Diseases</i> , 2020, 221, S531-S538.	4.0	10
30	Outbreak of COVID-19 and SARS in mainland China: a comparative study based on national surveillance data. <i>BMJ Open</i> , 2020, 10, e043411.	1.9	9
31	Sensitive diagnostic tools and targeted drug administration strategies are needed to eliminate schistosomiasis. <i>Lancet Infectious Diseases</i> , The, 2020, 20, e165-e172.	9.1	27
32	The potential impact of human visceral leishmaniasis vaccines on population incidence. <i>PLoS Neglected Tropical Diseases</i> , 2020, 14, e0008468.	3.0	12
33	An open-label phase 1/2a trial of a genetically modified rodent malaria parasite for immunization against <i>Plasmodium falciparum</i> malaria. <i>Science Translational Medicine</i> , 2020, 12, .	12.4	28
34	Elimination or Resurgence: Modelling Lymphatic Filariasis After Reaching the 1% Microfilaremia Prevalence Threshold. <i>Journal of Infectious Diseases</i> , 2020, 221, S503-S509.	4.0	15
35	Standardisation of lymphatic filariasis microfilaraemia prevalence estimates based on different diagnostic methods: a systematic review and meta-analysis. <i>Parasites and Vectors</i> , 2020, 13, 302.	2.5	5
36	Structural Uncertainty in Onchocerciasis Transmission Models Influences the Estimation of Elimination Thresholds and Selection of Age Groups for Seromonitoring. <i>Journal of Infectious Diseases</i> , 2020, 221, S510-S518.	4.0	19

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37	Mapping and characterising areas with high levels of HIV transmission in sub-Saharan Africa: A geospatial analysis of national survey data. <i>PLoS Medicine</i> , 2020, 17, e1003042.	8.4	34
38	Impact of Changes in Detection Effort on Control of Visceral Leishmaniasis in the Indian Subcontinent. <i>Journal of Infectious Diseases</i> , 2020, 221, S546-S553.	4.0	14
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48	Progress towards lymphatic filariasis elimination in Ghana from 2000-2016: Analysis of microfilaria prevalence data from 430 communities. <i>PLoS Neglected Tropical Diseases</i> , 2019, 13, e0007115.	3.0	10
49	Sampling strategies for monitoring and evaluation of morbidity targets for soil-transmitted helminths. <i>PLoS Neglected Tropical Diseases</i> , 2019, 13, e0007514.	3.0	15
50	Post-Kala-Azar Dermal Leishmaniasis as a Reservoir for Visceral Leishmaniasis Transmission. <i>Trends in Parasitology</i> , 2019, 35, 590-592.	3.3	40
51	Guidance for programmatic management of latent tuberculosis infection in the European Union/European Economic Area. <i>European Respiratory Journal</i> , 2019, 53, 1802077.	6.7	28
52	New Insights Into the Kinetics and Variability of Egg Excretion in Controlled Human Hookworm Infections. <i>Journal of Infectious Diseases</i> , 2019, 220, 1044-1048.	4.0	13
53	Economy, migrant labour and sex work. <i>Aids</i> , 2019, 33, 123-131.	2.2	9
54	Predictive Value of Ov16 Antibody Prevalence in Different Subpopulations for Elimination of African Onchocerciasis. <i>American Journal of Epidemiology</i> , 2019, 188, 1723-1732.	3.4	22

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55	Screening for Latent Tuberculosis (TB) Infection in Low TB Incidence Countries. <i>Clinical Infectious Diseases</i> , 2019, 70, 716-717.	5.8	1
56	Investigating the Effectiveness of Current and Modified World Health Organization Guidelines for the Control of Soil-Transmitted Helminth Infections. <i>Clinical Infectious Diseases</i> , 2018, 66, S253-S259.	5.8	67
57	The effect of assortative mixing on stability of low helminth transmission levels and on the impact of mass drug administration: Model explorations for onchocerciasis. <i>PLoS Neglected Tropical Diseases</i> , 2018, 12, e0006624.	3.0	15
58	Predicted short and long-term impact of deworming and water, hygiene, and sanitation on transmission of soil-transmitted helminths. <i>PLoS Neglected Tropical Diseases</i> , 2018, 12, e0006758.	3.0	40
59	Visceral leishmaniasis: Spatiotemporal heterogeneity and drivers underlying the hotspots in Muzaffarpur, Bihar, India. <i>PLoS Neglected Tropical Diseases</i> , 2018, 12, e0006888.	3.0	25
60	The impact of individual and environmental interventions on income inequalities in sports participation: explorations with an agent-based model. <i>International Journal of Behavioral Nutrition and Physical Activity</i> , 2018, 15, 107.	4.6	12
61	Quantifying the value of surveillance data for improving model predictions of lymphatic filariasis elimination. <i>PLoS Neglected Tropical Diseases</i> , 2018, 12, e0006674.	3.0	11
62	Burden of onchocerciasis-associated epilepsy: first estimates and research priorities. <i>Infectious Diseases of Poverty</i> , 2018, 7, 101.	3.7	34
63	The health impact of human papillomavirus vaccination in the situation of primary human papillomavirus screening: A mathematical modeling study. <i>PLoS ONE</i> , 2018, 13, e0202924.	2.5	7
64	Are Alternative Strategies Required to Accelerate the Global Elimination of Lymphatic Filariasis? Insights From Mathematical Models. <i>Clinical Infectious Diseases</i> , 2018, 66, S260-S266.	5.8	27
65	Policy Recommendations From Transmission Modeling for the Elimination of Visceral Leishmaniasis in the Indian Subcontinent. <i>Clinical Infectious Diseases</i> , 2018, 66, S301-S308.	5.8	34
66	Minimum requirements and optimal testing strategies of a diagnostic test for leprosy as a tool towards zero transmission: A modeling study. <i>PLoS Neglected Tropical Diseases</i> , 2018, 12, e0006529.	3.0	17
67	How Can Onchocerciasis Elimination in Africa Be Accelerated? Modeling the Impact of Increased Ivermectin Treatment Frequency and Complementary Vector Control. <i>Clinical Infectious Diseases</i> , 2018, 66, S267-S274.	5.8	55
68	Socioeconomic benefit to individuals of achieving 2020 targets for four neglected tropical diseases controlled/eliminated by innovative and intensified disease management: Human African trypanosomiasis, leprosy, visceral leishmaniasis, Chagas disease. <i>PLoS Neglected Tropical Diseases</i> , 2018, 12, e0006250.	3.0	29
69	The role of smoking in social networks on smoking cessation and relapse among adults: A longitudinal study. <i>Preventive Medicine</i> , 2017, 99, 105-110.	3.4	61
70	Forecasting the new case detection rate of leprosy in four states of Brazil: A comparison of modelling approaches. <i>Epidemics</i> , 2017, 18, 92-100.	3.0	15
71	Modelling the elimination of river blindness using long-term epidemiological and programmatic data from Mali and Senegal. <i>Epidemics</i> , 2017, 18, 4-15.	3.0	48
72	Elimination of visceral leishmaniasis in the Indian subcontinent: a comparison of predictions from three transmission models. <i>Epidemics</i> , 2017, 18, 67-80.	3.0	49

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73	Comparison and validation of two mathematical models for the impact of mass drug administration on <i>Ascaris lumbricoides</i> and hookworm infection. <i>Epidemics</i> , 2017, 18, 38-47.	3.0	31
74	Rapid increase of scrub typhus incidence in Guangzhou, southern China, 2006–2014. <i>BMC Infectious Diseases</i> , 2017, 17, 13.	2.9	32
75	Evidence for scaling up HIV treatment in sub-Saharan Africa: A call for incorporating health system constraints. <i>PLoS Medicine</i> , 2017, 14, e1002240.	8.4	42
76	The Socioeconomic Benefit to Individuals of Achieving the 2020 Targets for Five Preventive Chemotherapy Neglected Tropical Diseases. <i>PLoS Neglected Tropical Diseases</i> , 2017, 11, e0005289.	3.0	39
77	Modelling Anti-Ov16 IgG4 Antibody Prevalence as an Indicator for Evaluation and Decision Making in Onchocerciasis Elimination Programmes. <i>PLoS Neglected Tropical Diseases</i> , 2017, 11, e0005314.	3.0	37
78	The Power of Malaria Vaccine Trials Using Controlled Human Malaria Infection. <i>PLoS Computational Biology</i> , 2017, 13, e1005255.	3.2	19
79	Concerted Efforts to Control or Eliminate Neglected Tropical Diseases: How Much Health Will Be Gained?. <i>PLoS Neglected Tropical Diseases</i> , 2016, 10, e0004386.	3.0	45
80	Between-Country Inequalities in the Neglected Tropical Disease Burden in 1990 and 2010, with Projections for 2020. <i>PLoS Neglected Tropical Diseases</i> , 2016, 10, e0004560.	3.0	50
81	Population-level impact, herd immunity, and elimination after human papillomavirus vaccination: a systematic review and meta-analysis of predictions from transmission-dynamic models. <i>Lancet Public Health</i> , The, 2016, 1, e8-e17.	10.0	210
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84	Understanding the transmission dynamics of <i>Leishmania donovani</i> to provide robust evidence for interventions to eliminate visceral leishmaniasis in Bihar, India. <i>Parasites and Vectors</i> , 2016, 9, 25.	2.5	55
85	Forecasting Human African Trypanosomiasis Prevalences from Population Screening Data Using Continuous Time Models. <i>PLoS Computational Biology</i> , 2016, 12, e1005103.	3.2	13
86	Leprosy New Case Detection Trends and the Future Effect of Preventive Interventions in Pará State, Brazil: A Modelling Study. <i>PLoS Neglected Tropical Diseases</i> , 2016, 10, e0004507.	3.0	27
87	Determinants of recent HIV testing among male sex workers and other men who have sex with men in Shenzhen, China: a cross-sectional study. <i>Sexual Health</i> , 2015, 12, 565.	0.9	5
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92	Required duration of mass ivermectin treatment for onchocerciasis elimination in Africa: a comparative modelling analysis. <i>Parasites and Vectors</i> , 2015, 8, 552.	2.5	94
93	Highly Pathogenic Avian Influenza H5N1 in Mainland China. <i>International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health</i> , 2015, 12, 5026-5045.	2.6	22
94	The Role of Acquired Immunity in the Spread of Human Papillomavirus (HPV): Explorations with a Microsimulation Model. <i>PLoS ONE</i> , 2015, 10, e0116618.	2.5	17
95	Mathematical Modelling of Leprosy and Its Control. <i>Advances in Parasitology</i> , 2015, 87, 33-51.	3.2	25
96	Modelling Lymphatic Filariasis Transmission and Control: Modelling Frameworks, Lessons Learned and Future Directions. <i>Advances in Parasitology</i> , 2015, 87, 249-291.	3.2	28
97	Uniting mathematics and biology for control of visceral leishmaniasis. <i>Trends in Parasitology</i> , 2015, 31, 251-259.	3.3	33
98	Reducing Income Inequalities in Food Consumption. <i>American Journal of Preventive Medicine</i> , 2015, 49, 605-613.	3.0	25
99	The estimated impact of natural immunity on the effectiveness of human papillomavirus vaccination. <i>Vaccine</i> , 2015, 33, 5357-5364.	3.8	7
100	African Program for Onchocerciasis Control 1995-2010: Impact of Annual Ivermectin Mass Treatment on Off-Target Infectious Diseases. <i>PLoS Neglected Tropical Diseases</i> , 2015, 9, e0004051.	3.0	32
101	Elimination of African Onchocerciasis: Modeling the Impact of Increasing the Frequency of Ivermectin Mass Treatment. <i>PLoS ONE</i> , 2014, 9, e115886.	2.5	59
102	African Programme for Onchocerciasis Control 1995-2015: Updated Health Impact Estimates Based on New Disability Weights. <i>PLoS Neglected Tropical Diseases</i> , 2014, 8, e2759.	3.0	45
103	The Rise and Fall of HIV in High-Prevalence Countries: A Challenge for Mathematical Modeling. <i>PLoS Computational Biology</i> , 2014, 10, e1003459.	3.2	22
104	Epidemiologic Features and Environmental Risk Factors of Severe Fever with Thrombocytopenia Syndrome, Xinyang, China. <i>PLoS Neglected Tropical Diseases</i> , 2014, 8, e2820.	3.0	76
105	Distribution and risk factors of hand, foot, and mouth disease in Changchun, northeastern China. <i>Science Bulletin</i> , 2014, 59, 533-538.	1.7	7
106	Health benefits, costs, and cost-effectiveness of earlier eligibility for adult antiretroviral therapy and expanded treatment coverage: a combined analysis of 12 mathematical models. <i>The Lancet Global Health</i> , 2014, 2, e23-e34.	6.3	188
107	Onchocerciasis: The Pre-control Association between Prevalence of Palpable Nodules and Skin Microfilariae. <i>PLoS Neglected Tropical Diseases</i> , 2013, 7, e2168.	3.0	33
108	African Programme for Onchocerciasis Control 1995-2015: Model-Estimated Health Impact and Cost. <i>PLoS Neglected Tropical Diseases</i> , 2013, 7, e2032.	3.0	105

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109	The severe acute respiratory syndrome epidemic in mainland China dissected. <i>Gastroenterology Insights</i> , 2011, 3, e2.	1.2	10
110	Health Seeking Behaviour and Utilization of Health Facilities for Schistosomiasis-Related Symptoms in Ghana. <i>PLoS Neglected Tropical Diseases</i> , 2010, 4, e867.	3.0	41
111	The SARS epidemic in mainland China: bringing together all epidemiological data. <i>Tropical Medicine and International Health</i> , 2009, 14, 4-13.	2.3	51
112	Case fatality of SARS in mainland China and associated risk factors. <i>Tropical Medicine and International Health</i> , 2009, 14, 21-27.	2.3	52
113	Risk factors for SARS infection among hospital healthcare workers in Beijing: a case control study. <i>Tropical Medicine and International Health</i> , 2009, 14, 52-59.	2.3	71
114	The impact of public health control measures during the SARS epidemic in mainland China. <i>Tropical Medicine and International Health</i> , 2009, 14, 101-104.	2.3	31
115	Documenting the SARS epidemic in mainland China. <i>Tropical Medicine and International Health</i> , 2009, 14, 1-3.	2.3	8
116	LYMFASIM, a simulation model for predicting the impact of lymphatic filariasis control: quantification for African villages. <i>Parasitology</i> , 2008, 135, 1583-1598.	1.5	50
117	Quantitative evaluation of integrated schistosomiasis control: the example of passive case finding in Ghana. <i>Tropical Medicine and International Health</i> , 2004, 9, A16-A21.	2.3	18
118	TESTING VACCINES IN HUMAN EXPERIMENTAL MALARIA: STATISTICAL ANALYSIS OF PARASITEMIA MEASURED BY A QUANTITATIVE REAL-TIME POLYMERASE CHAIN REACTION. <i>American Journal of Tropical Medicine and Hygiene</i> , 2004, 71, 196-201.	1.4	65
119	DIAGNOSIS OF URINARY SCHISTOSOMIASIS: A NOVEL APPROACH TO COMPARE BLADDER PATHOLOGY MEASURED BY ULTRASOUND AND THREE METHODS FOR HEMATURIA DETECTION. <i>American Journal of Tropical Medicine and Hygiene</i> , 2004, 71, 98-106.	1.4	24
120	Diagnosis of urinary schistosomiasis: a novel approach to compare bladder pathology measured by ultrasound and three methods for hematuria detection. <i>American Journal of Tropical Medicine and Hygiene</i> , 2004, 71, 98-106.	1.4	13
121	Quantification of clinical morbidity associated with schistosome infection in sub-Saharan Africa. <i>Acta Tropica</i> , 2003, 86, 125-139.	2.0	818
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