

# Parameters And State Estimates Of Sex Based Covid-19 Model Using Kenya Data, Nonlinear Least Square And Interpolating Polynomials

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**Abstract-** COVID-19 spread in Kenya has been growing at a very high rate in the recent past. According to the Kenya's ministry of health, the confirmed COVID-19 infections as of 19<sup>th</sup> July 2020 was 13,353 with recorded 5,122 recoveries and 234 deaths. Based on quarantine data, there is media speculation about COVID-19 manifesting gender dimension, however, no studies have been carried out to establish the gender-based dimension in the community. This paper aimed at: formulating gender based Mathematical model, estimate gender-based disease burden in the community using quarantine data and using estimated parameters and states to predict dynamics of the disease in the quarantine centers. Mathematical compartment model was developed using characteristic and status of disease. Daily number of infectious and exposed in the community was estimated using interpolating polynomials. Nonlinear least square was used to fit observed data in the developed model. Prediction of the initial value problem was carried out using MATLAB inbuilt ode solver. Daily estimate of states in Figures 8 and 9 confirms that COVID-19 is also burdening more males in the community than females. Simulation using MATLAB indicated that the number of individuals who will remain constantly infected after disease induced deaths and recoveries ranges between (567 – 219) and (363 – 116) for males and females respectively. Future studies should focus on Mathematical model analysis and predictions of disease burden in the community.

**Index Terms-** COVID-19, Quarantine data, nonlinear least square, interpolating polynomials, Predictions.

## I. INTRODUCTION

In late December 2019, there occurred an outbreak of a pneumonia-like illness in the Hubei province of Wuhan, China. The disease was caused by a novel coronavirus and spread rapidly throughout China and across the world. The disease, which was later named officially by World Health Organization (WHO) as COVID-19 (Corona Virus Disease, 2019), had in the early days of detection been referred to as "2019 novel coronavirus" abbreviated as 2019-nCoV, and subsequently referred to as "severe acute respiratory syndrome coronavirus 2" abbreviated as SARS-CoV-2 (Zheng, Ma, Zhang, & Xie, 2020) (Velavan & Meyer, 2020) (Cascella, Rajnik, Cuomo, Dulebohn, & Napoli,

2020). COVID-19 is reported to have been initially transmitted from animals to humans on Huanan seafood market in Wuhan (Velavan & Meyer, 2020).

Since the first infections of COVID-19 were directly linked to Huanan Seafood Wholesale Market's exposure, animal-to-human transmission of the virus was presumed to be the main mechanism. However, subsequent cases were not linked to this transmission mechanism but rather, human-to-human transmission of the virus was happening, and at a very high rate (Cascella, Rajnik, Cuomo, Dulebohn, & Napoli, 2020) (U.S. Department of Labor, 2020) (Abiad, Arao, & Dagli, 2020). The transmission occurs through respiratory droplets from coughing, sneezing, or talking. People can also get COVID-19 by touching surfaces or objects that have the COVID-19 causing virus on them and then touching their mouths and/or nose, or even possibly touching their eyes (U.S. Department of Labor, 2020) (Centers for Disease Control and Prevention and Others, 2020).

According to WHO, viral diseases continue to emerge and pose a great challenge in the healthcare system. Since 2000, several viral epidemics such as the severe acute respiratory syndrome coronavirus (SARS-CoV) reported in 2002, H1N1 influenza reported in 2009, the Middle East respiratory syndrome coronavirus (MERS-CoV) reported in 2012, have been recorded (Cascella, Rajnik, Cuomo, Dulebohn, & Napoli, 2020).

As of 19<sup>th</sup> July 2020, confirmed COVID-19 infections across the world was 14,640,244 with recorded 8,729,761 recoveries and 612,377 deaths. In Kenya, the confirmed COVID-19 infections were 13,353 with recorded 5,122 recoveries and 234 deaths (Worldometer, 2020). The world's recovery and death rates as of 19<sup>th</sup> July 2020 were approximately 59.6% and 4.2% respectively, as compared to Kenya's recovery and death rates of 38.4% and 1.8% respectively, as of 19<sup>th</sup> July 2020. The increased number of confirmed COVID-19 cases, continuing daily deaths, fear, stigma, cost of medication, slow economic growth, among others, makes prevention and control to be extremely important. Given the fragile health system in Kenya, COVID-19 pandemic can potentially paralyze the health system at the expense of primary healthcare requirements. In fact, some healthcare centers such as Pumwani Maternity hospital in Nairobi have already been temporarily closed.

According to the currently available information, COVID-19 mainly invades alveolar epithelial cells which results into respiratory symptoms. The symptoms are known to be more

severe in patients with cardiovascular diseases (CVDs) hence increased risk of death to such patients. Thus, having an understanding of the damage caused by COVID-19 to the cardiovascular system is of great importance to enable treatment of the patients to be timely and effective in order to reduce the mortality rate (Zheng, Ma, Zhang, & Xie, 2020).

There are symptomatic (showing symptoms of illness) and asymptomatic (showing no symptoms) patients. The proportion of COVID-19 infected individuals who remain asymptomatic is yet to be established. Clinical manifestations of COVID-19 in symptomatic patients usually start within 7 days of infection. The symptoms include fever, cough, nasal congestion, sore throat, fatigue, headache, dyspnea (difficulty in breathing), loss of taste and/or smell, diarrhea, and vomiting.

Usually, Pneumonia would occur within 14 to 21 days of a COVID-19 symptomatic infection (Velavan & Meyer, 2020) (Cascella, Rajnik, Cuomo, Dulebohn, & Napoli, 2020) (U.S. Department of Labor, 2020).

This study relies heavily on interpolating polynomials and nonlinear least square methods to fit the observed data in the developed model. Prime purpose of the two methods is to approximate nonlinear data model with a linear model to be able to estimate some unknown parameters of interest. To avoid distraction from the current focus on the study of gender-based COVID-19 infection in Kenya, detailed discussion on interpolating polynomials and nonlinear least square methods is hereby avoided. However, interested readers are directed to (Philips, 2003) (Robin, 1972) (Zippel, 1990) (Erdos & Turan, 1940), among others, for more information on interpolating polynomials and (Jr, Gay, & Walsh, 1981) (Wu, 1981) (Golub &

Pereyra, 2003) (Gill & Murray, 1978) (Johnson & Frasier, 1985), among others, for more information on nonlinear least squares (NLS).

## II. METHODS

We used population based compartmental model depending on status of infection and sex. We considered a closed community where the vital dynamics of births, immigration, emigration, and natural death were assumed to be not significant.

The total population  $N(t)$  was classified into two categories based on sex,  $N_M(t)$  being total population of males and  $N_F(t)$  being total population of females. Males were categorized as  $S_M(t)$  being susceptible males,  $L_M(t)$  being males exposed to Covid-19 but in latency state,  $I_M(t)$  being COVID-19 infectious males in community and  $Q_M(t)$  being either infectious or exposed males in quarantine centers. Females were categorized as  $S_F(t)$  being susceptible females,  $L_F(t)$  being females exposed to Covid-19 but in latency state,  $I_F(t)$  being COVID-19 infectious Females in community and  $Q_F(t)$  being either infectious or exposed females in quarantine centers.  $\beta$  is the infection rate,  $\omega_1$  and  $\omega_2$  are COVID-19 recovery rates for  $Q_M$  and  $Q_F$  respectively,  $\gamma_1$  and  $\gamma_2$  are COVID-19 progression rates from  $L_M$  and  $L_F$  to  $I_M$  and  $I_F$  respectively,  $\delta_1$  and  $\delta_2$  are COVID-19 enlisting rates to  $Q_M$  and  $Q_F$  respectively,  $\theta_{M1}$  and  $\theta_{F1}$  are COVID-19 induced death rates for  $I_M$  and  $I_F$  respectively and  $\theta_{M2}$  and  $\theta_{F2}$  are COVID-19 induced death rates for  $Q_M$  and  $Q_F$  respectively.

### Model Equations:

$$\frac{dS_M}{dt} = \theta_1 Q_M - (1 - \epsilon_M) \lambda S_M \tag{1}$$

$$\frac{dL_M}{dt} = (1 - \epsilon_M) \lambda S_M - (\omega_1 + h_m \gamma_1) L_M \tag{2}$$

$$\frac{dI_M}{dt} = \omega_1 L_M - ((1 - h_m) \gamma_1 + \delta_{M1}) I_M \tag{3}$$

$$\frac{dQ_M}{dt} = (1 - h_m) \gamma_1 I_M + h_m \gamma_1 I_M - (\theta_1 + \delta_{M2}) Q_M \tag{4}$$

$$\frac{dS_F}{dt} = \theta_2 Q_F - (1 - \epsilon_F) \lambda S_F \tag{5}$$

$$\frac{dL_F}{dt} = (1 - \epsilon_F) \lambda S_F - (\omega_2 + h_f \gamma_2) L_F \tag{6}$$

$$\frac{dI_F}{dt} = \omega_2 L_F - ((1 - h_f) \gamma_2 + \delta_{F1}) I_F \tag{7}$$

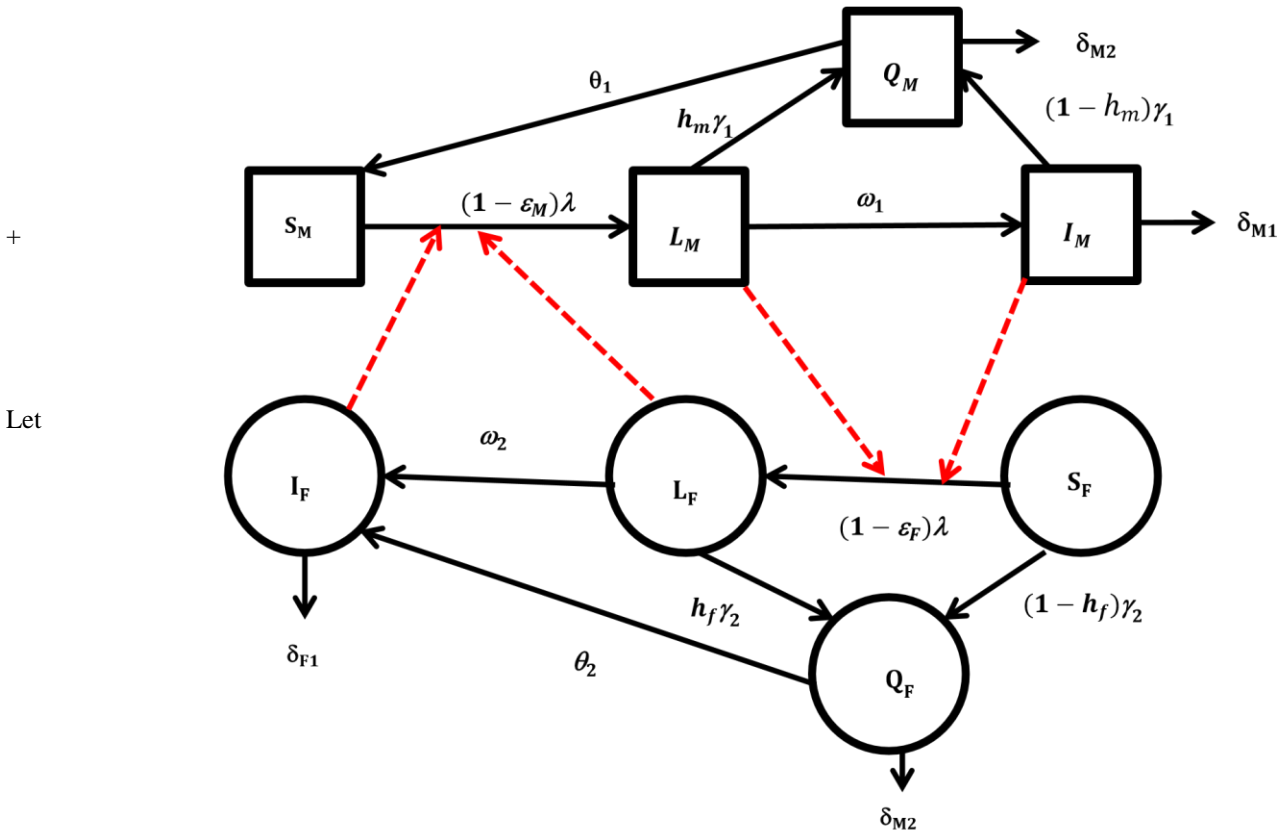
$$\frac{dQ_F}{dt} = (1 - h_f) \gamma_2 I_F + h_f \gamma_2 I_F - (\theta_2 + \delta_{F2}) Q_F \tag{8}$$

$$\beta = \beta \left( \frac{L_M + \eta_1 I_M}{N_M} + \frac{\eta_2 L_F + \eta_3 I_F}{N_F} \right)$$

$$0 \leq h_m, h_f, \omega_1, \omega_2, \delta_1, \delta_2 \leq 1,$$

$$N_M + N_F = N$$

$$S_M + L_M + I_M + Q_M = \Psi N; S_F + L_F + I_F + Q_F = (1 - \Psi) N$$



**Rescaling the Model**

$$s_m = \frac{S_M}{N_M}; l_m = \frac{L_M}{N_M}; i_m = \frac{I_M}{N_M}; q_m = \frac{Q_M}{N_M}; l_f = \frac{L_F}{N_F}; i_f = \frac{I_F}{N_F}; q_f = \frac{Q_F}{N_F}; s_m = \frac{S_M}{N_M}; t = t; \lambda =$$

$$\psi = \psi(l_m + l_m + l_f + i_f)$$

$$s_m = \psi - l_m - i_m - q_m; s_f = 1 - \psi - l_f - i_f - q_f$$

$$\frac{dl_m}{dt} = (1 - \epsilon_M)\beta(l_m + \eta_1 i_m + \eta_2 l_f + \eta_3 i_f)(\psi - l_m - i_m - q_m) - (\omega_1 + h_m\gamma_1)l_m \quad (9)$$

$$\frac{di_m}{dt} = \omega_1 l_m - ((1 - h_m)\gamma_1 + \delta_{M1})i_m \quad (10)$$

$$\frac{dq_m}{dt} = (1 - h_m)\gamma_1 i_m + h_m\gamma_1 l_m - (\theta_1 + \delta_{M2})q_m \quad (11)$$

$$\frac{dl_f}{dt} = (1 - \epsilon_F)\beta(l_m + \eta_1 i_m + \eta_2 l_f + \eta_3 i_f)(1 - \psi - l_f - i_f - q_f) - (\omega_2 + h_f\gamma_2)l_f \quad (12)$$

$$\frac{di_f}{dt} = \omega_2 l_f - ((1 - h_f)\gamma_2 + \delta_{F1})i_f \quad (13)$$

$$\frac{dq_f}{dt} = (1 - h_f)\gamma_2 i_f + h_f\gamma_2 l_f - (\theta_2 + \delta_{F2})q_f \quad (14)$$

The initial conditions of the model were:

$$l_m(0) \geq 0; i_m(0) \geq 0; q_m(0) \geq 0; l_f(0) \geq 0; i_f(0) \geq 0; q_f(0) \geq 0$$

**Feasible region of the Quarantine equations**

**Theorem**

The quarantine equations for males and Females lie in the positive region of the real domain **Proof**

Consider equation  $\frac{dq_m}{dt} = (1 - h_m)\gamma_1 i_m + h_m\gamma_1 l_m - (\theta_1 + \delta_{M2})q_m$ . Clearly the term

$$(1 - h_m)\gamma_1 i_m + h_m\gamma_1 l_m \geq 0. \text{ Ignoring the positive term, we obtain } \frac{dq_m}{dt} \geq -(\theta_1 + \delta_{M2})q_m.$$

On integration  $(t) \geq q(0)e^{-(\theta_1 + \delta_{M2})t} \geq 0$ . Similarly,  $(t) \geq q(0)e^{-(\theta_2 + \delta_{F2})t} \geq 0$ . Hence the theorem is proved.

**Ministry of Health data from 18/4/2020 to 19/7/2020 (Table 3)**

Our study assumed that any case that Government is aware of is considered to be in quarantine. Therefore, all the data from Ministry of Health is a quarantine data.

The recovery rates and death rates were obtained and calculated using data from ministry of Health in table 3 as follows:

$$\text{Death rate} = \frac{\text{Total Deaths}}{\text{Total infected}}; \text{Recovery rate} = \frac{\text{Total Recoveries}}{\text{Total infected}}$$

Date 18/4/2020 was considered as initial condition of the data (at  $t = 0$ ), that is, Day zero and Date 19/7/2020 was considered as last date of the data (at  $t = 89$ ), that is, Day 89. Some days were omitted in Appendix 1 due to insufficiency of sex-based data. Using raw data from ministry of health, we obtained the following graphical presentations.

Figure 1: Males and Females in Quarantine      Figure 2: Consolidated Death Rates

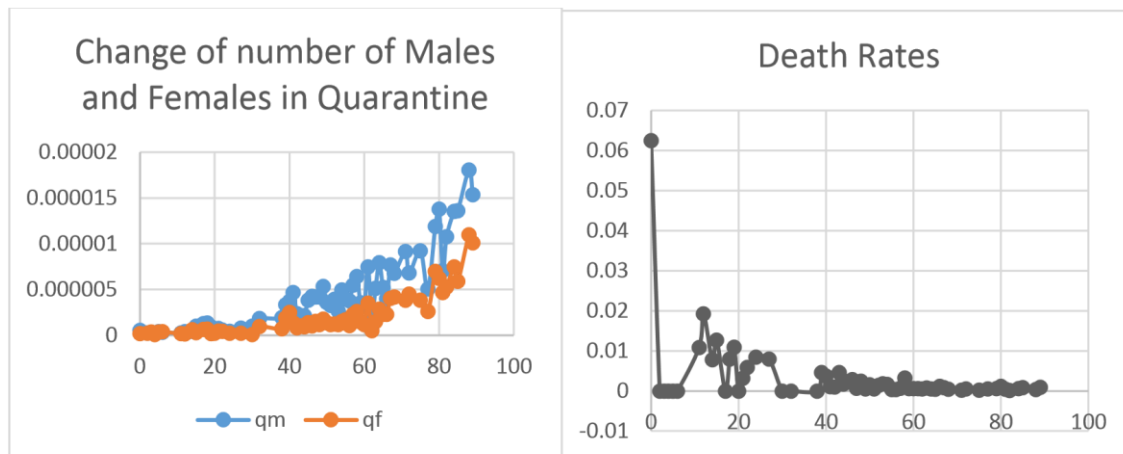
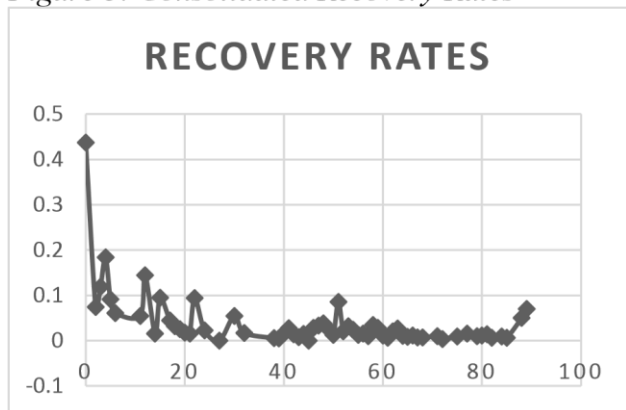


Figure 3: Consolidated Recovery Rates



The descriptive results from figure 1 indicates that numbers of Males in quarantine is relatively higher than the number of females and it is continuing to rise with time. The consolidated maximum recovery rates and death rates for the 89 days are 0.4375 and 0.0625, respectively. The consolidated minimum recovery rates and death rates for the 89 days are both zero. The consolidated average recovery rates and death rates for the 89 days are 0.038204375 and 0.003294081, respectively.

**Parametrization of Model**

Consider males in Quarantine:

$$\frac{dq_m}{dt} = (1 - h_m)\gamma_1 i_m + h_m\gamma_1 l_m - (\theta_1 + \delta_{M2})q_m$$

$$\frac{d}{dt} \left( \ln \frac{q_m(t)}{q_m(0)} \right) = (1 - h_m)\gamma_1 \frac{i_m}{q_m(t)} + h_m\gamma_1 \frac{l_m}{q_m(t)} - (\theta_1 + \delta_{M2}) \tag{15}$$

Fitting data of  $(t)$  from figure 1 to a polynomial using MATLAB software, we obtain

$$\ln \frac{q_m(t)}{q_m(0)} \cong 3.8 \times 10^{-7}t^4 - 6.6 \times 10^{-5}t^3 + 0.0035 \times t^2 - 0.0077t - 0.48$$

4th degree: norm of residuals = 2.8892

Then

$$\frac{d}{dt} \left( \ln \frac{q_m(t)}{q_m(0)} \right) \cong 4 \times 3.8 \times 10^{-7}t^3 - 3 \times 6.6 \times 10^{-5}t^2 + 2 \times 0.0035t - 0.0077$$

Consider Females in Quarantine:

$$\frac{dq_f}{dt} = (1 - h_f)\gamma_2 i_f + h_f \gamma_2 l_f - (\theta_2 + \delta_{F2})q_f, \text{ then}$$

$$\frac{d}{dt} \left( \ln \frac{q_f(t)}{q_f(0)} \right) = (1 - h_f)\gamma_2 \frac{i_f(t)}{q_f(t)} + h_f \gamma_2 \frac{l_f(t)}{q_f(t)} - (\theta_2 + \delta_{F2}) \quad (16)$$

Fitting data of (t) from figure 1 to a polynomial using MATLAB software, we obtain

$$\ln \frac{q_f(t)}{q_f(0)} \cong 2.4 \times 10^{-7}t^4 - 4.3 \times 10^{-5}t^3 + 0.0026t^2 - 0.017t + 0.27$$

4th degree: norm of residuals = 4.0487. Then

$$\frac{d}{dt} \left( \ln \frac{q_m(t)}{q_m(0)} \right) \cong 4 \times 2.4 \times 10^{-7}t^3 - 3 \times 4.3 \times 10^{-5}t^2 + 2 \times 0.0026t - 0.017$$

### Parameterization Conditions and Assumptions

- i. The proportion of Males in consolidated recovery rates and death rates was assumed to be higher than their Female counter parts. This was based on premise that the number males in quarantine is higher than the Females.  $\square_{M2} \geq \square_{F2}$ ;  $\square_1 \geq \square_2$ .
- ii. The enlisting rates of Infectious or individuals in latency state is assumed to be a nonnegative proper fraction. That is  $0 \leq \square_1 \leq 1$ ;  $0 \leq \square_2 \leq 1$ .
- iii. The data was fitted on condition that individuals in community in Latency state are always greater or equal to those in infectious state. That is  $l_m \geq i_m$  and  $l_f \geq i_f$ .

### III. RESULTS

Equation (15) was fitted in observed data using nonlinear least square method to estimate the state variables  $l_m$  and  $i_m$  and parameters  $h_m$  and  $\square_1$ . Equation (16) was fitted in observed data using nonlinear least square method to estimate the state variables  $l_f$  and  $i_f$  and parameters  $h_f$  and  $\square_2$ . The daily estimates of parameters and state variables were summarized in Appendix 1 and Appendix 2. Note E in the Appendix 1 and Appendix 2 stand for powers of base 10. The total sum least square of the estimates for equation 15 and equation 16 were obtained as  $1.9366 \times 10^{-9}$  and  $9.83278 \times 10^{-5}$ .

The graphical presentations were obtained below.

Figure 4: Fitting data of Males to Model

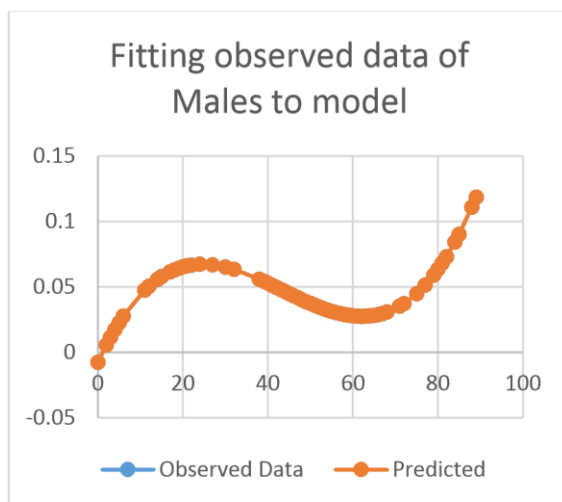
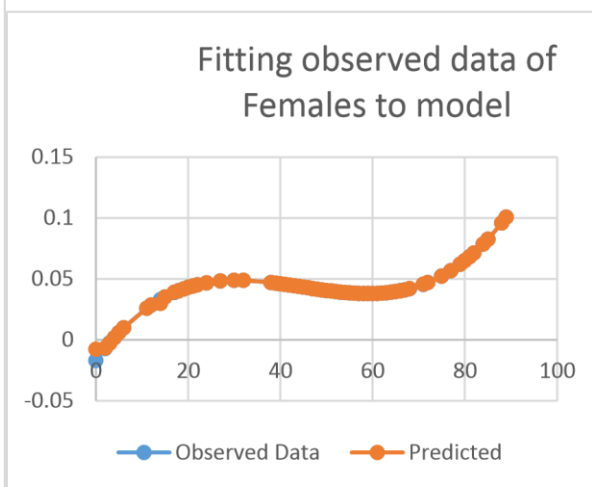


Figure 5: Fitting data of Females to Model



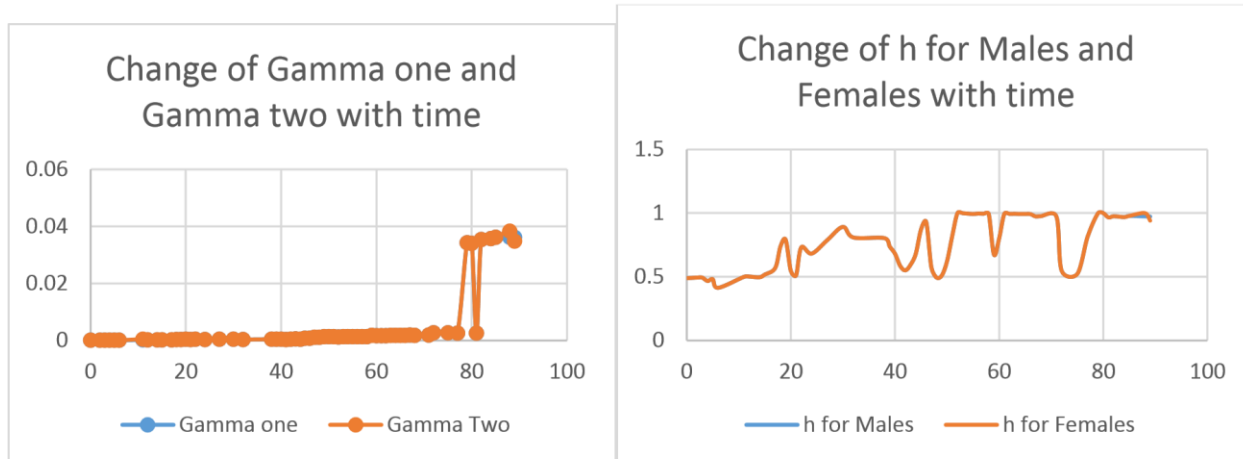
The results indicated that model fitted well to the data with varying estimates of parameters and

state variables.

**Parameter Estimates**

The daily estimates of enlisting of Males and Females to quarantine centers was for 89 days as presented graphically below. Figure 6: Rate of enlisting of Males and Females to Quarantine centers Figure 7: Proportion of

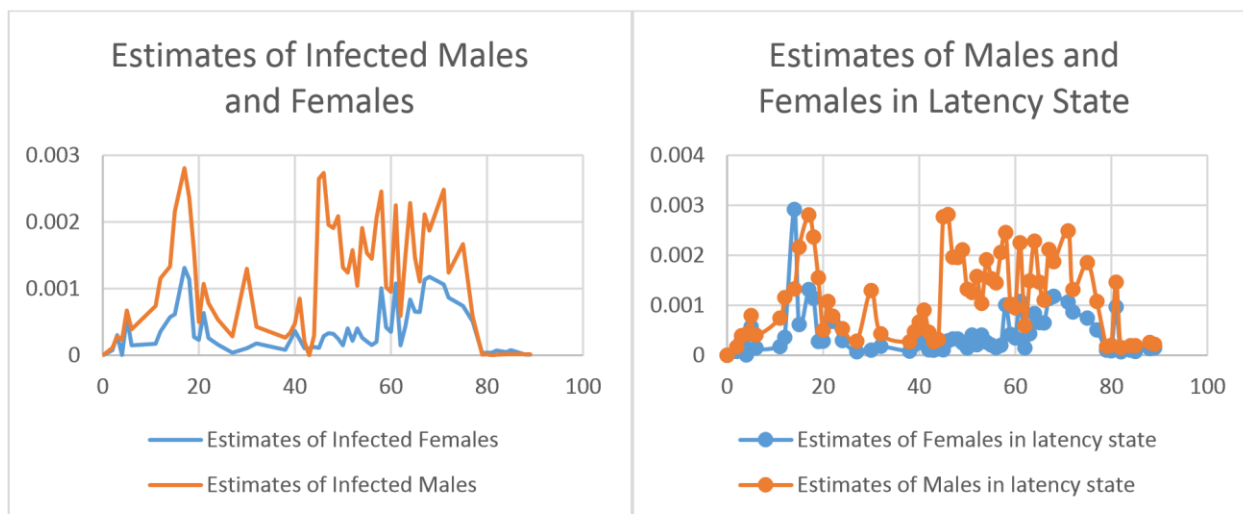
enlisting individuals in Infectious and Latency state from Community



The result indicated similarity in rate of enlisting both genders to quarantine centers and in proportions of infectious and latent individuals drawn from community.

**State Estimates**

The daily estimates of infected Males and Females to quarantine centers was for 89 days as presented graphically below. Figure 8: Estimates of infected Males and Females in The Community Figure 9: Estimates of individuals (Males and Females) in Latency state in the community

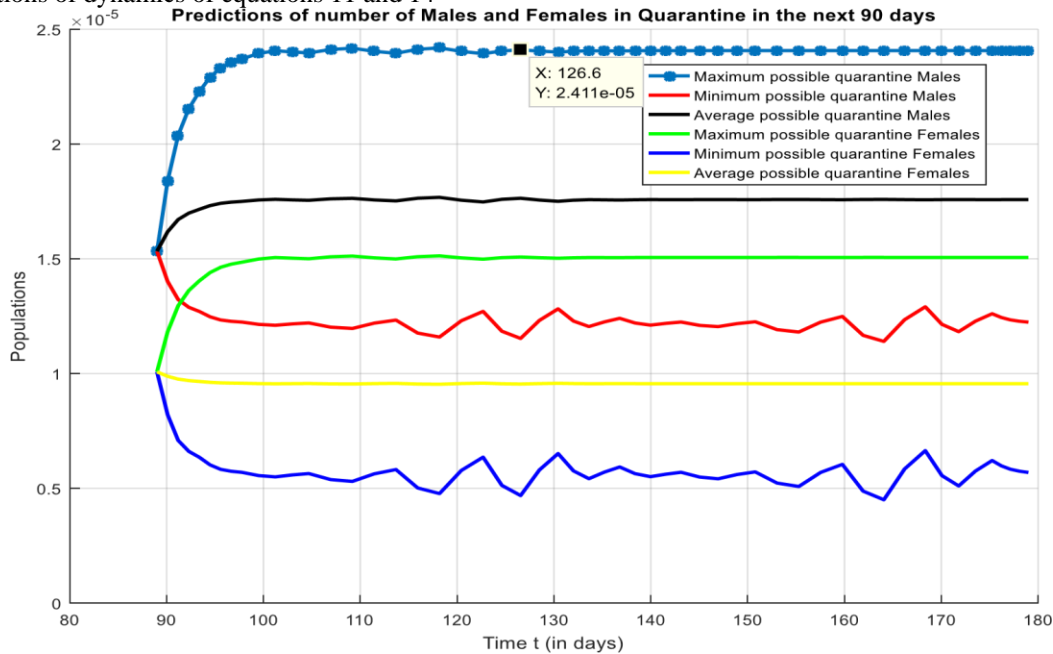


The results in Figure 8 indicates the number of infected males in the community has been higher than those of Females in 89 days. The maximum, Average and Minimum proportion of infected Males in the community were: 0.001313988, 0.000367992 and 1.66565E-07. The maximum, Average and Minimum proportion of infected Females in the community were: 0.002808409, 0.00108494 and 0. The maximum, Average and Minimum proportion of latent Males in the community were: 0.002818108, 0.001167956 and 5.09596E-07. The maximum, Average and Minimum proportion of latent Females in the community were: 0.002921332, 0.000437533 and 1.66565E-07.

#### IV. 4. DISCUSSION

Our study used the estimates of the last five days (84th to 89th day) to predict the dynamics of the individuals in quarantine. The tables 1 and 2 is the summary of the parameters and state variables from 84th to 89th day obtained from tables 4 and 5. The best combination of values in table 1 and table 2 were used to simulate maximum and minimum possible number of males and Females in quarantine and their averages. Date 19/7/2020 (day 89) was used as initial condition of the model where  $q_m$  and  $q_f$  were  $1.53304 \times 10^{-5}$  and  $1.00772 \times 10^{-5}$  respectively. Matlab inbuilt ode solver was used to simulate the dynamics of equations 11 and 14 to obtain figure 10.

Figure 10: Predictions of dynamics of equations 11 and 14



The results obtained in Figure 10 indicated maximum possible males and Females in Quarantine would be  $2.406 \times 10^{-5}$  (567 Males) and  $1.509 \times 10^{-5}$  (363 Females) would remain in quarantine after death and recovery by 120th day and 107th day respectively. The minimum possible males and Females in Quarantine would be  $1.233 \times 10^{-5}$  (291 Males) and  $4.774 \times 10^{-6}$  (116 Females) would remain in quarantine after death and recovery by 114th day and 119th respectively. The average Males and Females in Quarantine would be  $1.747 \times 10^{-5}$  (412 Males) and  $9.567 \times 10^{-6}$  (230 Females) would remain in quarantine after death and recovery by 97th day and 132th day.

#### V. 5. CONCLUSION

COVID-19 Sex based model was formulated using first order ordinary differential equations and equations (1)-(14) obtained. Quarantine data from Ministry of health was used to estimate daily number of infected and latent individuals in the Kenya community and result summarized in Figures 8 and 9. The estimates indicates that Males are bearing more COVID-19 burden in the community. Figure 6 indicates the Government effort in enlisting individuals to Quarantine centers is not gender biased. Simulation indicates that the number of Males and Females who will remain constantly infected after disease induced death and recoveries ranges (567 – 219) and (363 – 116) for Males and females, respectively.

Future studies should consider Mathematical analysis of the model to determine well posed of the system, determine

reproduction number and use it to determine stability of steady states. Although this study consider prediction of males and females in quarantine, future studies should strive to predict dynamics of the infectious and exposed in the community.

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**Table 1: Summary of Maximum, Minimum and average values of parameters and state variables of equation 11**

Males Parameter/ State	$h_m$	$\beta_1$	$i_m$	$l_m$	$\beta_1$	$\beta_{M2}$
Maximum	0.977659799	0.036172672	1.83252E-05	0.000255616	0.425503313	0.014006078
Minimum	0.968475945	0.035417709	1.08633E-05	0.000155295	0.37407492	0.001469557
Average	0.973637214	0.035931195	1.44432E-05	0.000202967	0.398302753	0.006358554

**Table 2: Summary of Maximum, Minimum and average values of parameters and state variables of equation 14**

Females Parameter/ State	$h_f$	$\beta_2$	$i_f$	$l_f$	$\beta_2$	$\beta_{F2}$
Maximum	0.99998268	0.038368687	7.99106E-05	0.000147418	0.425503313	0.014006078
Minimum	0.941087668	0.034880943	1.00764E-05	7.38167E-05	0.37407492	0.001469557
Average	0.972429689	0.036118515	4.52846E-05	0.000108868	0.398302753	0.006358554

**Table 3: Data from Ministry of Health**

DATE	CUMMULATIVE INFECTIONS	MALES	FEMALES	RECOVERIES	DEATHS
18/4/2020	16	12	4	7	1



20/4/2020	27	6	5	2	0
21/4/2020	42	7	8	5	0
22/4/2020	49	5	2	9	0
23/4/2020	66	9	8	6	0
24/4/2020	82	7	9	5	0
29/4/2020	92	6	4	5	1
30/4/2020	104	9	3	15	2
2/5/2020	128	10	14	2	1
3/5/2020	158	23	7	15	2
5/5/2020	203	30	15	9	0
6/5/2020	250	31	16	8	2
7/5/2020	275	21	4	7	3
8/5/2020	283	9	5	5	0
9/5/2020	317	17	11	5	1
10/5/2020	340	13	10	32	2
12/5/2020	355	10	5	8	3
15/5/2020	378	18	5	0	3
18/5/2020	403	23	2	22	0
20/5/2020	469	43	23	8	0
26/5/2020	531	45	17	3	0
27/5/2020	654	78	45	3	3
28/5/2020	801	87	60	13	3
30/5/2020	944	110	33	26	1
31/5/2020	1018	55	19	14	1
1/6/2020	1077	35	24	8	5
2/6/2020	1149	50	22	17	2
3/6/2020	1272	90	33		3
4/6/2020	1396	100	24	39	4
5/6/2020	1530	98	36	51	1

6/6/2020	1656	98	28	63	4
7/6/2020	1823	125	42	46	1
9/6/2020	1950	84	33	24	3
10/6/2020	2055	77	28	175	1
11/6/2020	2176	92	29	44	3
12/6/2020	2256	62	28	72	4
13/6/2020	2418	116	36	57	4
15/6/2020	2551	93	40	33	1
16/6/2020	2634	88	25	40	1
17/6/2020	2868	129	55	27	2
18/6/2020	3081	151	62	106	10
19/6/2020	3198	83	34	91	2
20/6/2020	3302	76	28	36	2
21/6/2020	3562	176	84	21	2
22/6/2020	3621	47	12	73	2
23/6/2020	3776	120	35	102	3
24/6/2020	4030	186	68	41	2
25/6/2020	4208	123	55	34	2
26/6/2020	4357	94	55	48	5
27/6/2020	4635	181	97	31	4
28/6/2020	4894	159	100	35	2
1/7/2020	5201	215	92	50	1
2/7/2020	5469	160	108	20	3
5/7/2020	5778	217	92	51	1
7/7/2020	5961	119	62	90	3
9/7/2020	6408	280	167	64	4
10/7/2020	6881	324	149	76	8
11/7/2020	7159	166	112	99	3
12/7/2020	7538	253	126	49	1

14/7/2020	8035	318	179	71	5
15/7/2020	8496	320	141	51	7
18/7/2020	9184	425	263	457	3
19/7/2020	9787	361	242	682	9

**Table 4: Fitting observed data of Males to model**

DATE	$h_m$	$\beta_1$	im	lm	$\beta_1$	$\beta M2$	Observed Data	Predicted	Least square error
18/4/2020	0.488747	6.19E-05	6.1E-07	5.1E-07	3.36E-05	0.00773472	-0.0077	-0.007700192	3.70406E-14
20/4/2020	0.493534	6.85E-05	0.00011	0.00017	0.016081	0.015993678	0.00552016	0.005519862	8.90375E-14
21/4/2020	0.493055	6.53E-05	0.000286	0.000393	0.031477	0.031337593	0.01155904	0.011558274	5.86039E-13
22/4/2020	0.466684	0.0001	0.000235	0.000423	0.129064	0.006119853	0.01722928	0.017222792	4.20937E-11
23/4/2020	0.480887	8.37E-05	0.000676	0.000797	0.069238	0.069045191	0.02254	0.022538959	1.08341E-12
24/4/2020	0.41276	2.05E-05	0.000392	0.000408	1.49E-07	0	0.02750032	0.02750032	1.58611E-30
29/4/2020	0.499327	0.000171	0.000743	0.000743	0.396754	0.055878202	0.04736512	0.047365592	2.23033E-13
30/4/2020	0.501563	0.000165	0.001155	0.001155	0.370528	0.078823883	0.05041456	0.050420667	3.72934E-11
2/5/2020	0.496804	0.000159	0.001332	0.001332	0.346965	0.097210432	0.05566288	0.055679116	2.63606E-10
3/5/2020	0.517008	0.000226	0.002161	0.002161	0.40613	0.036110751	0.05788	0.057867581	1.54221E-10
5/5/2020	0.5687	0.000227	0.002808	0.002808	0.102356	0.335731832	0.06154576	0.061531009	2.17604E-10
6/5/2020	0.736864	0.000278	0.002367	0.002367	0.396244	0.040658781	0.06301264	0.063015555	8.49863E-12
7/5/2020	0.791606	0.000287	0.001553	0.001553	0.340026	0.096004054	0.06424768	0.064243604	1.66132E-11
8/5/2020	0.546083	0.000381	0.000502	0.000502	0.186508	0.248234089	0.06526	0.065257563	5.93848E-12
9/5/2020	0.509886	0.000336	0.001076	0.001076	0.403688	0.030436007	0.06605872	0.066045571	1.729E-10
10/5/2020	0.730805	0.000351	0.000786	0.000786	0.363814	0.069522495	0.06665296	0.066655252	5.25383E-12
12/5/2020	0.681564	0.000343	0.000537	0.000537	0.319285	0.047367401	0.06726448	0.067265607	1.26931E-12
15/5/2020	0.787789	0.000357	0.000283	0.000283	0.060569	0.004630034	0.06687616	0.066875029	1.27963E-12
18/5/2020	0.891906	0.000379	0.0013	0.0013	0.02914	0.410771912	0.06514	0.065139998	2.62398E-18
20/5/2020	0.808357	0.000305	0.000427	0.000433	0.008723	0	0.06335536	0.063323954	9.86354E-10

26/5/2020	0.803273	0.000414	0.000265	0.000273	0.002946	0.000143937	0.05579344	0.055792694	5.57135E-13
27/5/2020	0.736221	0.000444	0.00034	0.000475	0.002294	0.002293523	0.05430688	0.054306837	1.813E-15
28/5/2020	0.681230	0.00038	0.000477	0.000672	0.008115	0.001872655	0.05278	0.052779929	5.10804E-15
30/5/2020	0.585296	0.000348	0.000852	0.000905	0.013983	0.000529975	0.05122192	0.051219944	3.90408E-12
31/5/2020	0.550058	0.000383	0.000205	0.000465	0.006948	0.000491522	0.04964176	0.049637896	1.49293E-11
1/6/2020	0.594458	0.000494	0	0.000274	0.003697	0.002314559	0.04804864	0.048049343	4.93717E-13
2/6/2020	0.681061	0.000375	0.000302	0.000313	0.007398	0.000870322	0.04645168	0.046451683	1.11007E-17
3/6/2020	0.871891	0.000693	0.002652	0.002771	0.44294	0.01226411	0.04486	0.044860437	1.90832E-13
4/6/2020	0.929868	0.000755	0.002735	0.002818	0.437706	0.019068357	0.04328272	0.043283104	1.47174E-13
5/6/2020	0.571332	0.001061	0.00196	0.001964	0.453131	0.0051929	0.04172896	0.041729491	2.81642E-13
6/6/2020	0.492386	0.001076	0.00191	0.001959	0.435606	0.024195562	0.04020784	0.040208157	1.00577E-13
7/6/2020	0.509936	0.001264	0.002089	0.002109	0.456374	0.004825331	0.03872848	0.038729087	3.68464E-13
9/6/2020	0.621852	0.00135	0.001321	0.001322	0.445428	0.017285838	0.0373	0.037300446	1.9857E-13
10/6/2020	0.820974	0.001304	0.001244	0.001256	0.459382	0.004737127	0.03593152	0.035931628	1.15982E-14
11/6/2020	0.999927	0.001239	0.001576	0.001576	0.439604	0.025703238	0.03463216	0.034632451	8.46071E-14
12/6/2020	0.999288	0.001263	0.001043	0.001043	0.423779	0.04279385	0.03341104	0.03341106	3.83762E-16
13/6/2020	0.996079	0.001289	0.001911	0.001911	0.441408	0.026339435	0.03227728	0.032277196	7.03961E-15
15/6/2020	0.992868	0.001288	0.001533	0.001533	0.460836	0.007956536	0.03124	0.031240208	4.32944E-14
16/6/2020	0.996330	0.001283	0.001451	0.001451	0.463722	0.00588737	0.03030832	0.030308273	2.21037E-15
17/6/2020	0.994880	0.001338	0.002059	0.002059	0.455239	0.015253326	0.02949136	0.029491441	6.62677E-15
18/6/2020	0.994065	0.001304	0.002459	0.002459	0.445964	0.02523591	0.02879824	0.028798315	5.68324E-15
19/6/2020	0.674396	0.001722	0.001023	0.001023	0.463169	0.008582968	0.02823808	0.028237957	1.51485E-14
20/6/2020	0.800357	0.001696	0.000951	0.000951	0.461659	0.010506146	0.02782	0.027819855	2.0926E-14
21/6/2020	0.994620	0.001659	0.002253	0.002253	0.464721	0.00769502	0.02755312	0.027552919	4.03814E-14
22/6/2020	0.993610	0.001684	0.000592	0.000592	0.455738	0.016827261	0.02744656	0.027446365	3.80463E-14
23/6/2020	0.994601	0.001713	0.001487	0.001487	0.462677	0.009793123	0.02750944	0.027509289	2.27635E-14
24/6/2020	0.992762	0.001729	0.002284	0.002284	0.467372	0.004857098	0.02775088	0.027750738	2.23509E-14

25/6/2020	0.993111	0.001782	0.001466	0.001466	0.464894	0.006896163	0.02818	0.02817985	2.24993E-14
26/6/2020	0.992194	0.001804	0.001106	0.001106	0.451269	0.019927556	0.02880592	0.028805775	2.10219E-14
27/6/2020	0.973889	0.001816	0.002117	0.002117	0.456501	0.013866433	0.02963776	0.029637616	2.07275E-14
28/6/2020	0.975624	0.001804	0.001872	0.001872	0.4642	0.005156142	0.03068464	0.030684646	3.2043E-17
1/7/2020	0.973629	0.001834	0.00249	0.00249	0.462987	0.001781288	0.03520672	0.035206733	1.7496E-16
2/7/2020	0.547724	0.002647	0.001242	0.001317	0.447981	0.014837115	0.03720496	0.037204905	2.98385E-15
5/7/2020	0.520967	0.002612	0.001669	0.001852	0.453481	0.001760747	0.0448	0.04479983	2.89878E-14
7/7/2020	0.815013	0.002564	0.000587	0.001076	0.440263	0.008412738	0.05128816	0.051288243	6.94855E-15
9/7/2020	0.999429	0.034255	1.2E-05	0.000174	0.435062	0.005894106	0.05900128	0.059001301	4.45023E-16
10/7/2020	1	0.034065	1.38E-05	0.000202	0.424201	0.01226859	0.06334	0.063339852	2.19301E-14
11/7/2020	0.965606	0.002491	0	0.001466	0.426367	0.005623704	0.06801232	0.068012363	1.89032E-15
12/7/2020	0.974942	0.035418	1.09E-05	0.000155	0.425503	0.001469557	0.07302736	0.073027409	2.3841E-15
14/7/2020	0.968476	0.035753	1.37E-05	0.000195	0.409169	0.006705169	0.08412208	0.084122227	2.16309E-14
15/7/2020	0.977660	0.036173	1.38E-05	0.000192	0.395774	0.014006078	0.09022	0.090220002	4.58107E-18
18/7/2020	0.974333	0.036165	1.83E-05	0.000256	0.386992	0.002182598	0.11082544	0.110825423	2.75904E-16
19/7/2020	0.972776	0.036148	1.56E-05	0.000218	0.374075	0.007429378	0.11849488	0.118494923	1.82794E-15

**Table 5: Fitting observed data of females to model**

DATE	$h_f$	$\hat{z}_2$	if	lf	$\hat{z}_2$	$\hat{F}2$	Observed Data	Predict ed	Least square error
18/4/2020	0.488747124	6.19227E-05	1.67E-07	1.67E-07	3.35334E-05	0.007734718	-0.017	-7.71E-03	8.63723E-05
20/4/2020	0.493533957	6.84923E-05	7.68676E-05	7.68676E-05	0.016081046	0.015993678	-0.00710832	-6.79E-03	1.02603E-07
21/4/2020	0.493054606	6.52633E-05	0.000304772	0.000304772	0.031476405	0.031337593	-0.00253508	-3.11E-03	3.26046E-07
22/4/2020	0.466683987	0.000100212	6.60128E-06	6.60128E-06	0	0.006119876	0.00179744	1.82E-03	6.67794E-10
23/4/2020	0.480863161	8.37416E-05	0.000573409	0.000573409	0.069238067	0.069045191	0.005895	5.86E-03	1.23843E-09
24/4/2020	0.412760263	2.43057E-05	0.000150902	0.000150902	0	0	0.00976336	9.79E-03	5.46455E-10
29/4/2020	0.499327645	0.000452835	0.000175919	1.76E-04	0.396753687	0.055878202	0.02586876	2.58E-02	9.59804E-10

30/4/2020	0.501561976	0.000165694	0.000358776	0.000361725	0.37052813	0.078823883	0.02848288	2.85E-02	2.25429E-11
2/5/2020	0.495859289	0.000159002	5.74E-04	2.92E-03	0.346965165	0.097210432	0.03315024	2.98E-02	1.13755E-05
3/5/2020	0.516956381	0.000226003	0.000615798	0.000615798	0.406129597	0.036110751	0.035215	3.52E-02	4.43003E-13
5/5/2020	0.568608537	0.000226843	0.001313988	0.001313988	0.102355792	0.335731832	0.03883548	3.91E-02	7.79429E-08
6/5/2020	0.736771713	0.00027857	0.001141234	0.001141234	0.396244087	0.040658781	0.04040272	4.03E-02	2.04333E-08
7/5/2020	0.791636819	0.000286466	0.0002778	0.0002778	0.340025797	0.096004054	0.04181564	4.17E-02	5.04011E-09
8/5/2020	0.546082745	0.000380572	0.000234735	0.000283582	0.186508169	0.248234089	0.04308	4.31E-02	3.76001E-14
9/5/2020	0.509885911	0.000335508	0.000637338	0.000668123	0.403688239	0.030436007	0.04420156	4.42E-02	5.88061E-15
10/5/2020	0.730804835	0.000351269	0.000260153	0.00068039	0.363814124	0.069522495	0.04518608	4.52E-02	1.28393E-14
12/5/2020	0.681563631	0.000343097	0.000158251	0.000294158	0.319285279	0.047367401	0.04676704	4.68E-02	3.97701E-14
15/5/2020	0.787788694	0.000356809	4.12692E-05	7.29187E-05	0.060568726	0.004630034	0.04825468	4.83E-02	5.25445E-14
18/5/2020	0.891905946	0.000379467	0.000107263	0.000107263	0.029139644	0.410771912	0.04882	4.88E-02	6.30928E-13
20/5/2020	0.808356992	0.000304759	0.000180653	0.000180653	0.008723447	0	0.04876128	4.88E-02	9.93749E-16
26/5/2020	0.803273116	0.000414138	8.56216E-05	8.56216E-05	0.002945695	0.000143937	0.04700112	4.70E-02	1.37459E-15
27/5/2020	0.736221054	0.000443846	0.000215839	0.000215839	0.002293523	0.002293523	0.04653724	4.65E-02	3.06792E-16
28/5/2020	0.681229946	0.000380307	0.000368078	0.000368078	0.008114735	0.001872655	0.04604	4.60E-02	3.0525E-18
30/5/2020	0.585295644	0.000347768	0.000237193	0.000237193	0.013983158	0.000529975	0.04551516	4.55E-02	6.18921E-16
31/5/2020	0.55005808	0.000382627	0.000108366	0.000108366	0.006947515	0.000491522	0.04496848	4.50E-02	3.05777E-16
1/6/2020	0.594457873	0.00049374	0.00010205	0.00010205	0.003696871	0.002314559	0.04440572	4.44E-02	2.55774E-17
2/6/2020	0.681060821	0.000375346	0.000127162	0.000127162	0.007397697	0.000870322	0.04383264	4.38E-02	4.7555E-17
3/6/2020	0.871873486	0.000693438	0.000109883	0.000109883	0	0.012195122	0.043255	4.33E-02	4.62965E-17
4/6/2020	0.929892907	0.000755096	0.00028902	0.00028902	0.157258065	0.018434672	0.04267856	4.27E-02	4.26227E-17
5/6/2020	0.571350221	0.001060608	0.000332157	0.000332157	0.190298507	0.002595599	0.04210908	4.21E-02	7.34556E-17
6/6/2020	0.492394727	0.00107582	0.000325922	0.000325922	0.25	0.009174453	0.04155232	4.16E-02	2.75308E-17
7/6/2020	0.509947825	0.001264234	0.00024925	0.00024925	0.137724551	0.001434566	0.04101404	4.10E-02	3.05794E-17
9/6/2020	0.621854624	0.001350012	0.000150724	0.000150724	0.094488189	0.013087113	0.0405	4.05E-02	2.17046E-16
10/6/2020	0.82094347	0.001304444	0.000405787	0.000405787	0.413970735	0	0.04001596	4.00E-02	9.43201E-15

11/6/2020	0.99976499	0.001239045	0.000216748	0.000216748	0.181818182	0.0010071	0.03956768	3.96E-02	4.51484E-15
12/6/2020	0.999288238	0.001262605	0.000406393	0.000406393	0.4	0.000920901	0.03916092	3.92E-02	1.75019E-20
13/6/2020	0.996079063	0.001288648	0.000265605	0.000265605	0.1875	0.002019463	0.03880144	3.88E-02	1.29659E-16
15/6/2020	0.99286829	0.0012879	0.000210233	0.000210233	0.12406015	0	0.038495	3.85E-02	8.85949E-17
16/6/2020	0.996333259	0.001287828	0.000154106	0.000154106	0.15037594	0.002017514	0.03824736	3.82E-02	6.7164E-16
17/6/2020	0.994888108	0.001330498	0.000202035	0.000202035	0.073369565	0.005935894	0.03806428	3.81E-02	7.1194E-17
18/6/2020	0.994064594	0.00130362	0.001008348	0.001008348	0.445964478	0.02523591	0.03795152	3.80E-02	1.53347E-15
19/6/2020	0.674396434	0.001722437	0.000418932	0.000418932	0.463168518	0.008582968	0.03791484	3.79E-02	1.49504E-15
20/6/2020	0.8003572	0.001696047	0.000350687	0.000350687	0.461659107	0.010506146	0.03796	3.80E-02	2.27303E-14
21/6/2020	0.994627954	0.001658791	0.001076498	0.001076498	0.464720713	0.00769502	0.03809276	3.81E-02	1.52796E-15
22/6/2020	0.993618122	0.0016845	0.00015155	0.00015155	0.455737785	0.016827261	0.03831888	3.83E-02	1.658E-14
23/6/2020	0.994601495	0.00171293	0.000434846	0.000434846	0.462677086	0.009793123	0.03864412	3.86E-02	1.54792E-09
24/6/2020	0.992762159	0.001728784	0.000837522	0.000837522	0.467371769	0.004857098	0.03907424	3.91E-02	9.99161E-10
25/6/2020	0.993111157	0.001781557	0.000657405	0.000657405	0.464894291	0.006896163	0.039615	3.96E-02	4.34195E-10
26/6/2020	0.992194331	0.001803921	0.000649338	0.000649338	0.451268759	0.019927556	0.04027216	4.03E-02	3.49016E-10
27/6/2020	0.973888928	0.001815727	0.001137302	0.001137302	0.456501326	0.013866433	0.04105148	4.09E-02	2.91447E-08
28/6/2020	0.975623737	0.001803501	0.001180625	0.001180625	0.464200128	0.005156142	0.04195872	4.20E-02	4.18487E-10
1/7/2020	0.973628923	0.001833591	0.001066346	0.001066346	0.46298662	0.001781288	0.04550556	4.56E-02	1.05461E-08
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5/7/2020	0.521348172	0.002612941	0.000744216	0.000744216	0.453481143	0.001760747	0.052375	5.24E-02	4.50233E-10
7/7/2020	0.815302861	0.002564537	0.000508877	0.000508877	0.44026266	0.008412738	0.05683068	5.68E-02	4.93642E-10
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