

Worldwide Occurrence and Impact of Human Trichinellosis, 1986–2009

Technical Appendix

Section A. Total cases and incidence of human *Trichinella* infections by country and World Health Organization region, 1986–2009*

Region/Country	Period	No. cases	Average incidence (range/dates)†	References
African Region				
		28		
Ethiopia	1986	8	0.02	Kefenie et al., 1988
	1990	20	0.04	Kefenie and Bero, 1992
Region of the Americas				
		7,179		
Canada	1987–2009	257	21.3 for Kewatin region (1989–1995)	Heinzig, 1996 Schellenberg et al., 2003 Ancelle et al., 2006 Gaulin et al., 2006 Houzé et al., 2009 Serhir et al., 2001 Møller et al., 2005 McIntyre et al., 2007
USA	1987–2007	652	0.016 (0.01–0.04/1987–1990) 0.014 (0.001–0.03/1991–1996) 0.005 (0.004–0.005/1997–2001) 0.004 (0.001–0.002/2002–2007)	McAuley et al., 1991 Moorhead et al., 1999 Roy et al., 2003 Kennedy et al., 2009 Smith et al., 2004 Nelson et al., 2003 Madariaga et al., 2007 Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, 1987 Landry et al., 1992 Petri et al., 1988 Graves et al., 1996 McAuley et al., 1992 Dworkin et al., 1996
Mexico	1986–2001	351	0.25 for State of Mexico (1986–1997)	Ortega-Pierres et al., 2000
Argentina	1990–2005	5,221	1.48 (1990–1999)	Chapa-Ruiz et al., 2001 Bolpe and Boffi, 2001 Nunez et al., 2008 Rossi et al., 2007
Chile	1991–2004	698	0.36 (1996–2000) 0.2 (2000)	Schenone et al., 2002 Morales et al., 1999 García et al., 2005
Eastern Mediterranean Region				
		50		
Iran	2007	6	0.008	Kia et al., 2008
Lebanon	1995	44	1.25	Haim et al., 1997
European Region				
		56,912		
Belarus	1986–1989	16	0.08 0.55	Ivanov et al., 1990 Skripova and Kovchur, 1994
Bosnia-Herzegovina	1993–2003	1,600	4.1 (0.1–8.0)	Cuperlovic et al., 2005
Bulgaria	1990–2006	4,108	2.9 (0.3–7.4/1990–1999) 2.4 (0.7–4.0/2000–2006)	Kurdova-Mintcheva et al., 2009 Petkova et al., 2008

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Croatia	1994–1999	1,350	4.8 (2.1–12.3)	Aleraj, 2008
	2000–2009	760	1.7 (0.02–3.9)	Croatia National Institute of Public Health, 2010 Marinculic et al., 2001 Vojnikovic et al., 2001 Puljiz et al., 2005 Cvitovic et al., 2007 Venus et al., 2008
Czech Republic	1986–2009	31	0.01	National Reference Laboratory for Tissue Helminthosis, 2010 Epshtein, 2010
Estonia	1986–2009	91	0.2 (0.0–2.9)	Dupouy-Camet et al., 2010
France	1986–1989	11	0.005 (0.0–0.02)	Durant et al., 1991
	1990–1999	1,158	0.19 (0.0–0.95)	Roumier et al., 1992 Soulé, 1992
	2000–2009	34	0.006 (0.0–0.02)	Ancelle et al., 1994 Gari-Toussaint et al., 1994 Soulé, 1994 Basset et al., 1995 Bernard et al., 1995 Laurichesse et al., 1997 Maillot et al., 1997 Ancelle et al., 1998 Dupouy-Camet et al., 1998 Haeghebaert et al., 1998 Hemery and Haeghebaert, 1999 Ranque et al., 2000 Gari-Toussaint et al., 2004 Gari-Toussaint et al., 2005 Ancelle et al., 2006 De Bruyne et al., 2006 Gaillard et al., 2007 Ivanov et al., 1990 Anonymous, 2010 Robert Koch Institute, 2010 Nothdurft et al., 1995 Littmann et al., 2006 Nockler et al., 2007 Jansen et al., 2008 Boutsini, 2009 Glatz et al., 2010
Georgia	1988	3	0.05	
Germany	1986–1989	19	0.005 (0.003–0.007)	
	1990–1999	105	0.009 (0.0–0.01)	
	2000–2009	61	0.005 (0.0–0.01)	
Greece	2009	1	0.008	
Hungary	1986–1989	74	0.18 (0.08–0.32)	
	1990–1999	27	0.027	
	2000–2009	57	0.057 (0.0–0.13)	
Ireland	2007	2	0.04	McHugh et al., 2007
Israel	2002	30	0.5	Hefer et al., 2004
	2004	200	3.0	Marva et al., 2005
Italy	1986–1989	448	0.19 (0.0–0.7)	E. Pozio, unpub. data
	1990–1999	649	0.01 (0.0–0.9)	Pozio et al., 1986 Pozio et al., 1987 Di Bari et al., 1990 Frongillo et al., 1992 Pozio et al., 1993 Pagni et al., 1994 Pozio et al., 1998 Pozio et al., 2001 Pozio and Marucci, 2003 Pozio et al., 2006 Pozio et al., 2009 Witschi, 2010
	2000–2009	84	0.01 (0.0–0.07)	
Kyrgyzstan	1996	10	0.2	
Latvia	1986–1989	22	0.20 (0.07–0.34)	NRL of Latvia Dr. G. Deksnis
	1990–1999	345	1.37 (0.60–3.40)	
	2000–2009	269	1.13 (0.20–3.80)	
Lithuania	1990–2004	3,705	6.6 (0.6–21.8)	Bartuliene et al., 2005
	1989	75	2.0	Rockiene, 1996
	2005–2009	199	1.2 (0.4–3.4)	EpiNorth, 2010 Malakauskas, 2002 Bartuliene et al., 2009 Hristovski et al., 1992
Macedonia	1992	6	0.3	

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Poland	1986–1991	955	0.4 (0.05–0.8)	Adonajlo, 1988–1993
	1992	219	0.6	Koncki, 1994
	1993–1999	1,085	0.4 (0.05–1.5)	Seroka, 1995–2001
	2000–2001	88	0.1	Przybylska, 2002–2003
	2002–2007	737	0.3 (0.1–0.7)	Sadkowska-Todys and Golab, 2005–2009
Romania	1986–1989	2,621	2.9 (1.7–3.9)	Neghina et al., 2010a
	1990–1999	20,059	8.57 (4.1–16.1)	Blaga et al., 2007
	2000–2007	5,884	3.3 (1.8–5.9)	Neghina et al., 2009a Neghina et al., 2009b Nemet et al., 2009 Neghina et al., 2010b
Russia	1996–2002	971	0.48 (0.3–0.6)	Ozeretskovskaya et al., 2005
Serbia	1994–2003	5,210	5.05 (1.8–7.8)	Cuperlovic et al., 2005 Cuperlovic et al., 2001 Djordjevic et al., 2003
Slovakia	1986–1992	83	0.22 (0.0–0.64)	Dubinský et al., 1993
	1998	336	6.2	Dubinský et al., 2001
	2001	11	0.2	Reiterova et al., 2007
	2008	10	0.2	Paraličová et al., 2009
Slovenia	1989	200	10.5	Brglez, 1996
	1995	2	0.1	Saletinger et al., 2007
	2006	1	0.05	
Spain	1986–1989	233	0.15 (0.0–0.3)	Anonymous, 2010
	1990–1999	607	0.13 (0.02–0.40)	Anonymous, 1986
	2000–2009	404	0.08 (0.0–0.25)	Anonymous, 1987 Benitez et al., 1987 Anonymous, 1988 de la Torre et al., 1989 Serrano et al., 1989 Anonymous, 1990 Cobo et al., 1991 Mangas Gallardo and Tello Anchueta, 1994 de la Cruz de Julián et al., 1994 Anonymous, 1995 Tiberio et al., 1995 Tiberio et al., 1997 Rodríguez-Osorio et al., 1999 Martínez Corral et al., 2000 Lopez Hernandez et al., 2001 Cortés Blanco et al., 2002 Gomez Garcia et al., 2003 Herraez Garcia et al., 2003 Gallardo et al., 2007 Arevalo et al., 2009 Lupinc et al., 2003 J.C. Lozano-Becerra, pers. comm. Heper et al., 2005 Akkoc et al., 2009 Milne et al., 2001
Switzerland	1994	3	0.04	Ukraine Ministry of Health, 2010
Turkey	2003	7	0.01	
	2004	418	0.59	
United Kingdom	1999	7	0.01	
Ukraine	1986–1989	147	0.06 (0.04–0.10)	
	1990–1999	955	0.18 (0.09–0.3)	
	2000–2009	108	0.018 (0.0–0.08)	
South-East Asia Region		219		
Thailand	1993–2007	216	0.35	Limsuwan and Siriprasert 1994 Charkrit, 1998 Jongwutiwes et al., 1998 Watt et al., 2000 Chotmongkul et al., 2005 Khumjui et al., 2008
India	1996–2002	3	0.0003	Alipuria et al., 1996 Handa et al., 2000 Mohan et al., 2002
Western Pacific Region		1,344		

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People's Republic of China	1995–2009	1,137	Yunan, 1.0 Henan, 0.001 Tibet, 1.74 Sichuan, 0.028 Hubei, 0.03 (2000–2003)	Cui et al., 1997 Lo et al., 2009 Wang and Cui, 2001 Xu et al., 1995 Gong et al., 2008 Ye et al., 2003 Ci et al., 2003
Japan	1999–2005	4	NA	Kusuhara et al., 1999 Shiota et al., 1999 Nakamura et al., 2003 Yoshikawa et al., 2005
South Korea	1999–2003	8	0.016	Sohn et al., 2003 Kim et al., 2003 Lee et al., 1999
Laos	2004–2006	123	2.09	Sayasone et al., 2006 Taybouavone et al., 2009 Suwansrinen et al., 2007 Barennes et al., 2008
Singapore	1998	25	0.64	Kurup et al., 2000
Vietnam	2001–2004	47	0.058	Taylor et al., 2009 De et al., 2006

*Human trichinellosis infections acquired in countries different from those where the disease was developed and diagnosed were not included in this table. NA, insufficient data for incidence calculation.

†Incidence/10⁵ person-years. The incidence period is reported because the data may have been obtained over a period briefer than the interval on which total cases are based. For some countries, incidence was not reported and was calculated from data available in the report referenced.

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Country where the infection was developed and diagnosed	Country where infection was acquired	Period	No. clinical cases	References
Austria	Yugoslavia	2000–2006	10	Austrian Ministry of Health Report, 1986–2009
Czech Republic	Poland	1992–2006	2	National Reference Laboratory for Tissue Helminthosis
	Ukraine		2	
	France		1	
Denmark	Poland	2007	12	Stensvold et al., 2007
France	Algeria	1986	5	Michel et al., 1986
	Turkey	1994–1995	3	Dupouy-Camet et al., 1998
	Kenya		2	
	Greenland	1995	2	Nozais et al., 1996
	Laos	1991	1	Ancelle et al., 2006
	Yugoslavia	1996	1	
	Croatia	1999	1	
	Cameroon	1999	1	
	Spain	2001	1	
	Canada	2004	1	
	Thailand	2004	1	
	Laos	2005	3	
	Canada	2005	8	
	Algeria	2004	1	Nezri et al., 2006
	Laos	2007	1	Dupouy-Camet et al., 2008
Senegal	2009	5	Dupouy-Camet et al., 2009	
Belgium	Canada	2009	1	Houzé et al., 2009
People's Republic of China (Hong Kong Special Administrative Region)			1	
France			4	
Germany			1	
Germany	Poland	2007	3	Schmiedel and Kramme, 2007
Italy	Romania	2008	4	Angheben et al., 2008
Netherlands	Yugoslavia	1992	3	T. Kortbeek, pers. comm.
	Montenegro	1999	5	Pinelli et al., 2004
Total			86	

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Section D. Summary of sex and age data on persons with trichinellosis cases, by World Health Organization region, 1986 to 2009

Region/Country	% Males (total no. cases)*	Age, y, of infected persons (no. cases)	References
<hr/>			
African Region			
Ethiopia	100 (28)	Range: 23–25 (3) Mean: 24 (3)	Kefenie et al., 1988 Kefenie and Bero, 1992
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Region of the Americas			
Canada	62.1 (150)	Range: 21–67 (85) Mean: 34.4 (65)	MacLean et al., 1992 Greenbloom et al., 1997 Schellenberger et al., 2003 Serhir et al., 2001 Ancelle et al., 2006
USA	57.5 (632)	Range: 1–87 (412) Mean: 42.0 (126) Median: 37.1 (232)	McAuley et al. 1991 McAuley et al., 1992 Dworkin et al., 1996 Moorhead et al., 1999 Roy et al., 2003 Kennedy et al., 2009
Mexico	35 (59)	Range: 25–44 (59)	Hernández et al., 1992
Chile	60 (667)	Range: 5–70 (667)	Zamorano et al., 1994 Schenone et al., 2002
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Eastern Mediterranean Region			
Lebanon	54 (44)	Range: 10–70 (44) Mean: 33 (44)	Haim et al., 1997
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European Region			
Bulgaria	49 (228)	Range: 1–70 (228)	Petkova et al., 2008
Croatia	57 (200)	Range: 3–67 (200) Mean: 35 (200)	Cvitovic et al., 2007 Venus et al., 2008
Czech Republic	41.9 (31)	Range: 9–68 (31) Mean: 35.9 (31)	National Reference Laboratory for Tissue Helminthosis
France	51.4 (586)	Range: 1–84 (581) Mean: 43.8 (581)	Durant et al., 1991 Roumier et al., 1992 Laurichesse et al., 1997 Bernard et al., 1995 Ancelle et al., 1998 Ranque et al., 2000 Gari-Toussaint et al., 2004 Ancelle et al., 2006 Gaillard et al., 2007 Dupouy-Camet et al., 2003 Dupouy-Camet et al., 2005 Dupouy-Camet et al., 2010
Germany	51.9 (104)	Range: 1–73 (101) Mean: 34.8 (101)	Jansen et al., 2008 Nothdurft et al., 1995 Schmiedel and Kramme, 2007 Nockler et al., 2007
Israel	100 (26)	Mean 32 (26)	Marva et al., 2005
Italy	50.3 (382)	Range: 1–90 (368) Mean: 36.7 (368)	Pozio et al., 1986 Pozio et al., 1988 Frongillo et al., 1992 Pozio et al., 1993 Tamburrini et al., 2001 Neghina et al., 2009
Romania	53.2 (521)	Range: 1– >60 (521) Mean: 31.4 (521)	
Slovakia	63.6 (11)	Range: 16–80 (21) Mean: 40.5 (21)	Reiterová et al., 2007 Paraličová et al., 2009

Spain	57.5 (237)	Range: 2–86 (140) Mean: 40.7 (177)	Benitez et al., 1987 Serrano et al., 1989 Cobo et al., 1991 de la Cruz de Julián et al., 1994 Rodríguez-Osorio et al., 1999 López Hernández et al., 2001 Cortés Blanco et al., 2002 Herráez Garcia et al., 2003 Akkoc et al., 2009
Turkey	52.6 (418)	Range: 1.5–73 (418) Mean: 31.1 (418)	
South-East Asia Region			
Thailand	71 (165)	Range: 7–70 (210) Mean: 35.6 (208) Median: 34.5 (140)	Limsuwan and Siripraesert, 1994 Jongwutiwes et al., 1998 Charkrit, 1998 Khumjui et al., 2008 Kusolsuk et al., 2010
Western Pacific Region			
China	58.2 (802)	Range: 1–90 (482)	Xu et al., 1995 Cui et al., 1997 Wang et al., 1997 Ye et al., 2003 Luo et al., 2004
Laos	47% (111)	Range: 5–69 (111) Median: 34 (21) Mean: 30.4 (90)	Sayasone et al., 2006 Barennes et al., 2008
Singapore	56% (25)	Mean: 22.5 (25)	Kurup et al., 2000
Vietnam	92% (42)	Range: 20–60 (42) Mean: 45.4 (42)	De et al., 2000

*Data are from those reports which presented adequate sex and age data of no fewer than 10 cases during 1986–2009.

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