# Confronting the COVID-19 pandemic in Brazil

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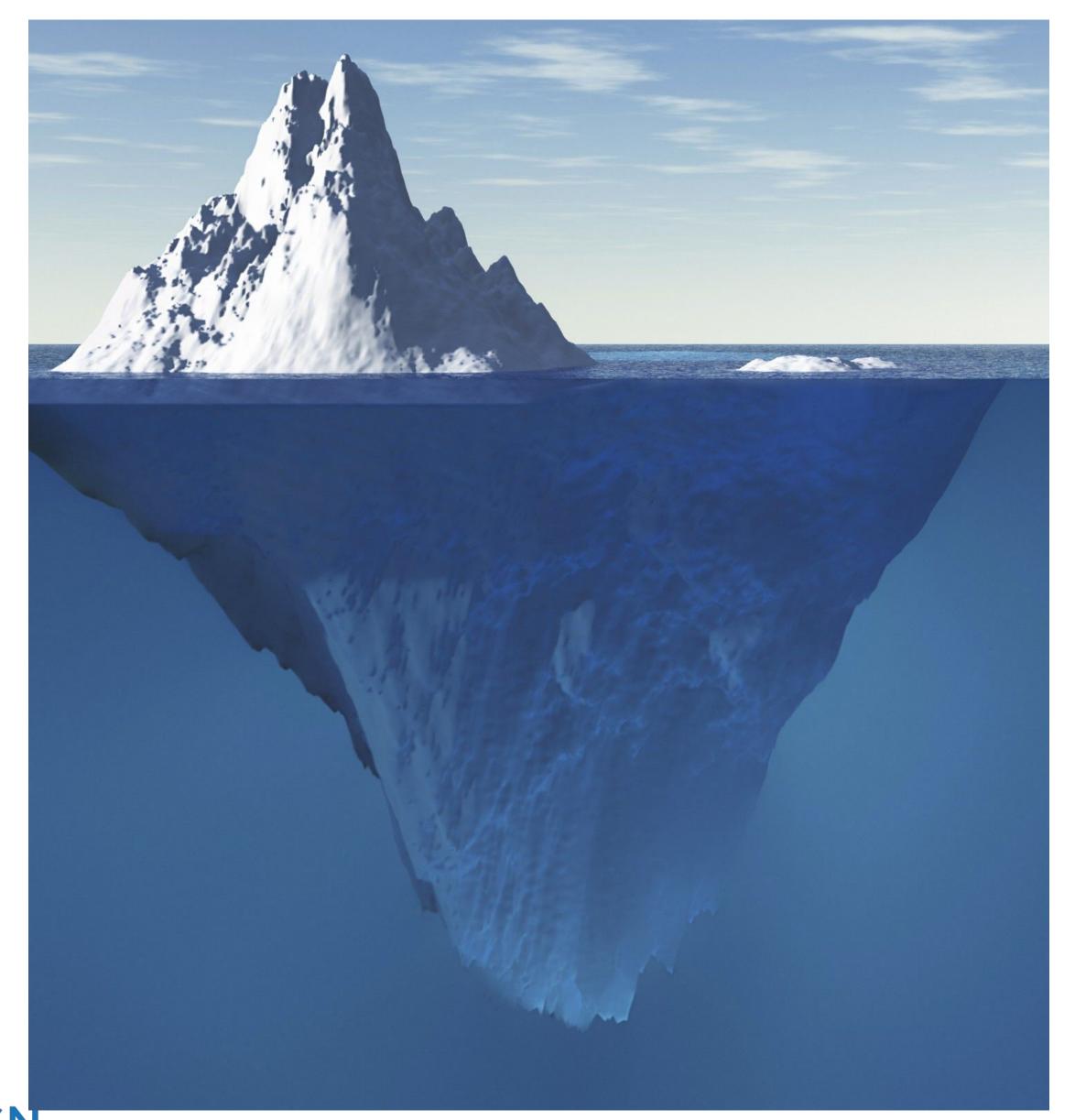
## STATUS OF THE EPIDEMIC

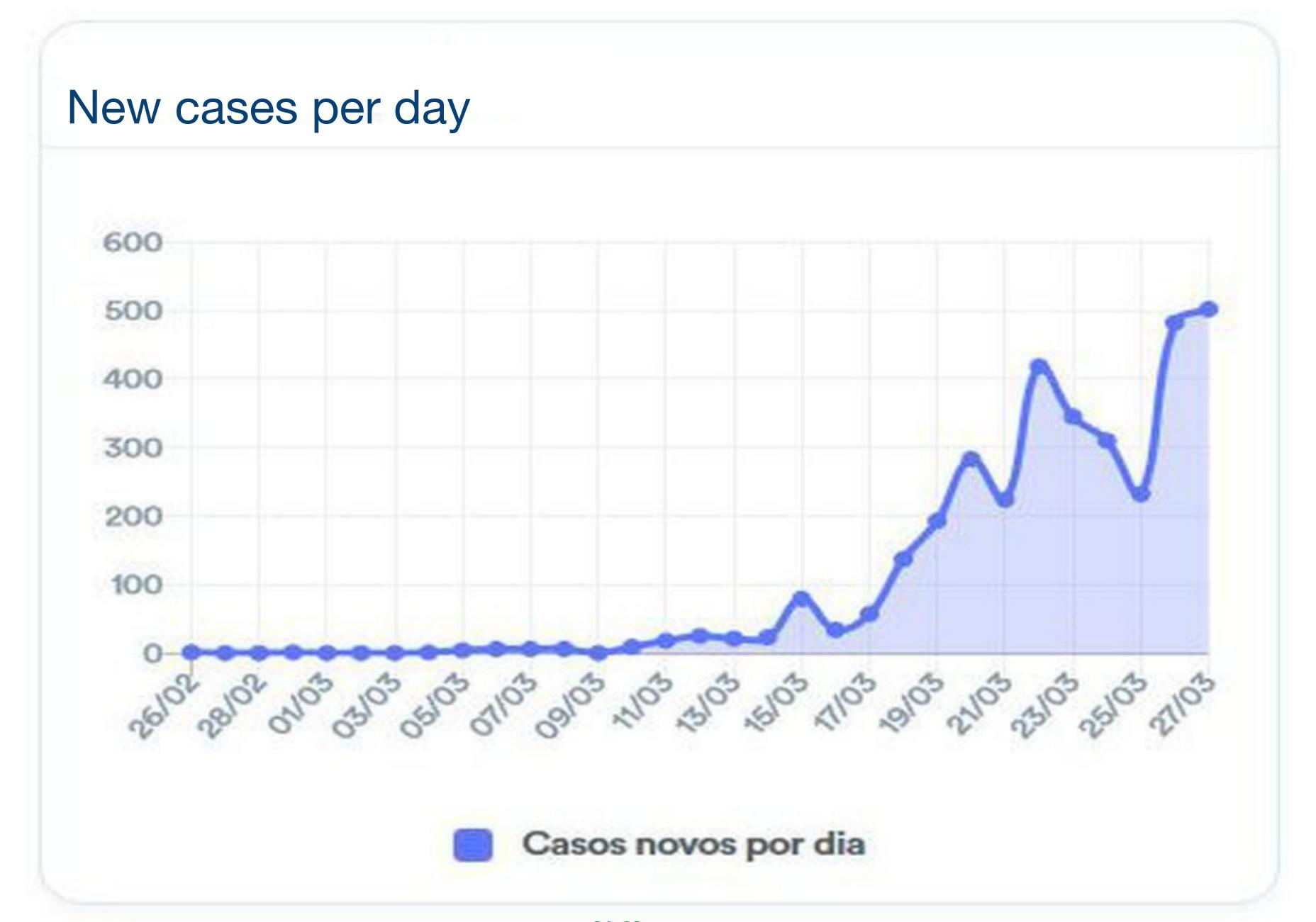
Confirmed cases: 4256

Deaths: 136

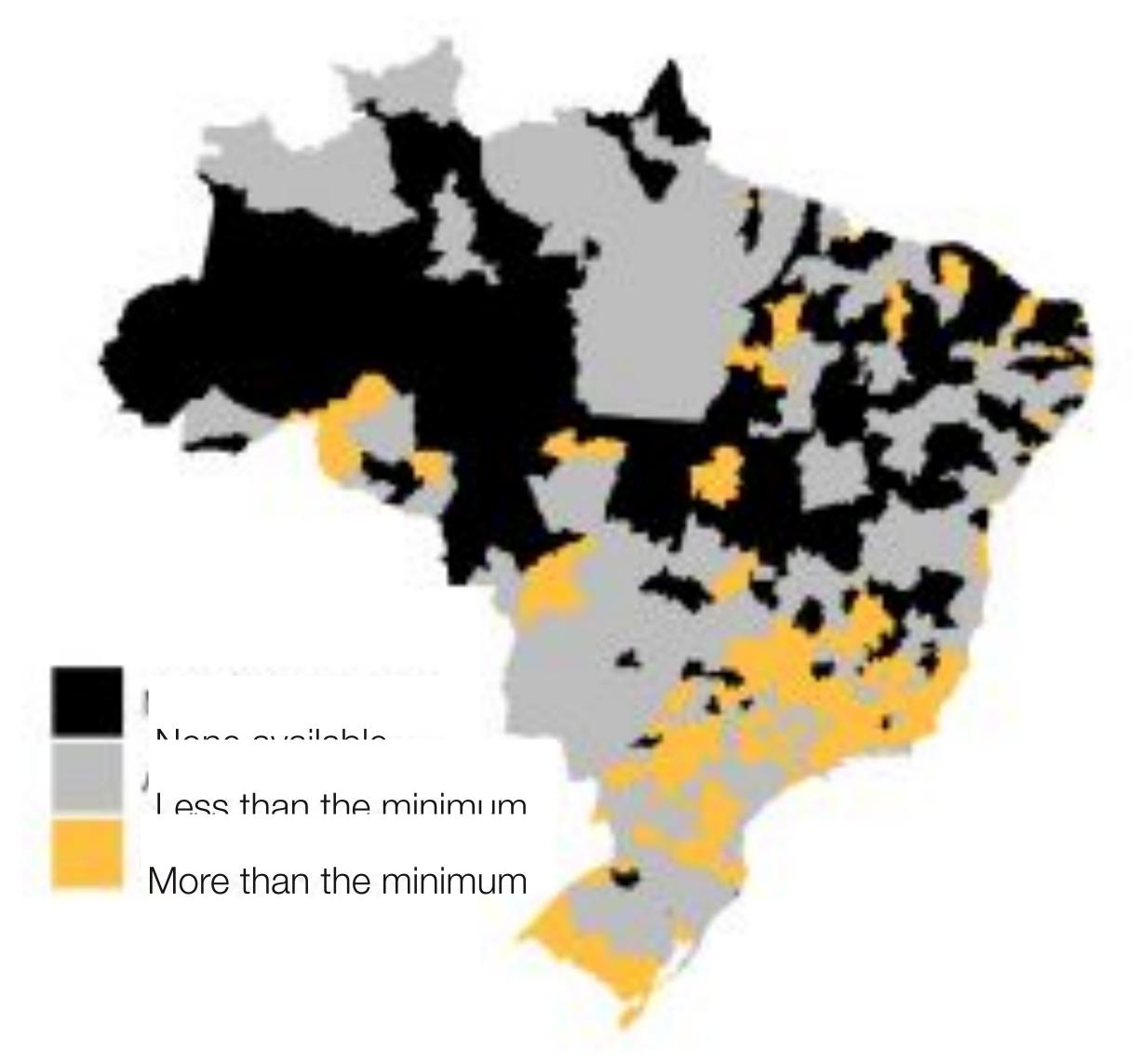
Mortality rate: 3,2%

It is estimated that reported cases in Brazil represent approximately only 11% of the total. (LSHTM)

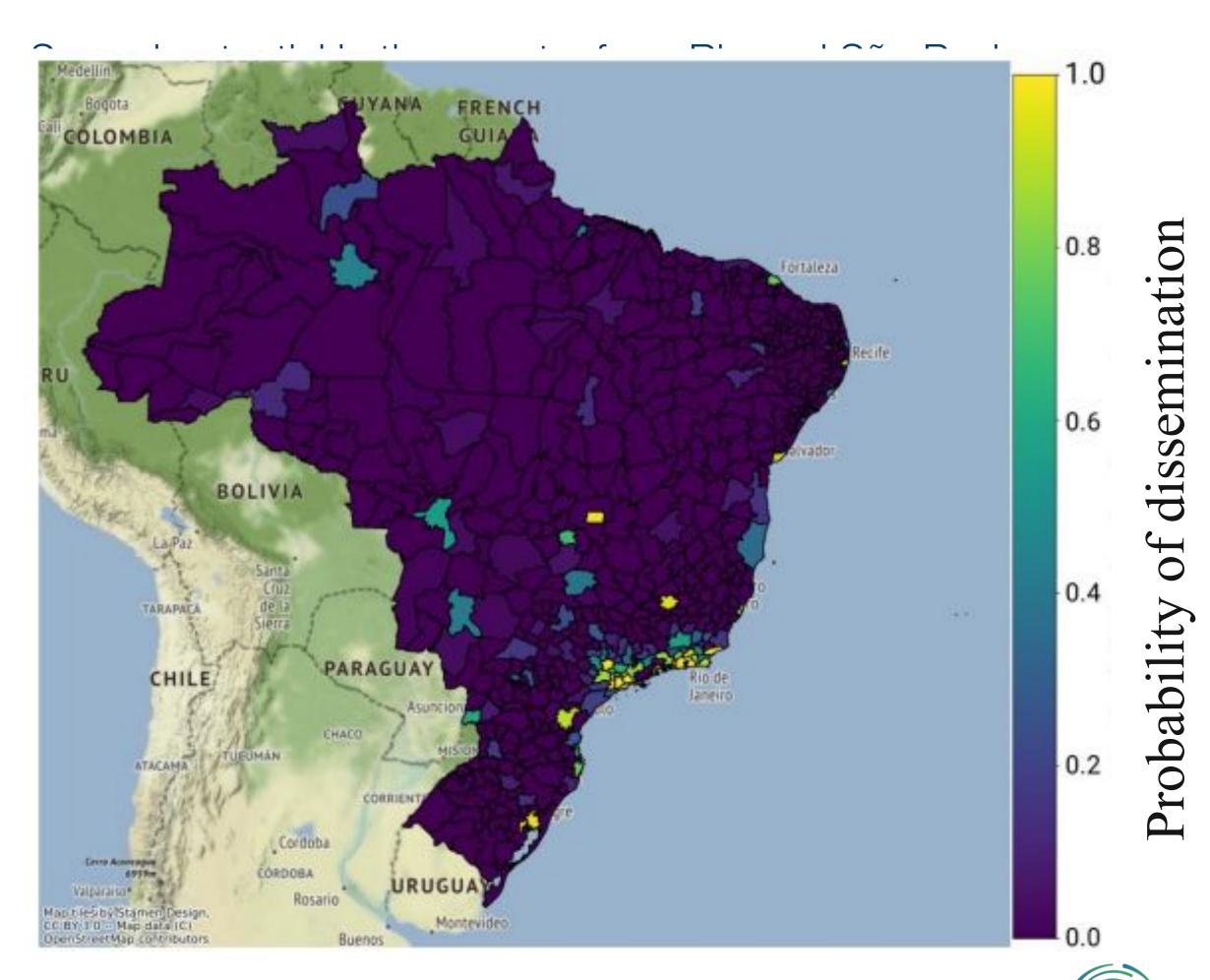




# ICU Beds in the SUS per 100 thousand users



## COVID-19 SPREAD RISK ESTIMATES



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ABDORNOS

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PARAGUAY

URUGUAY

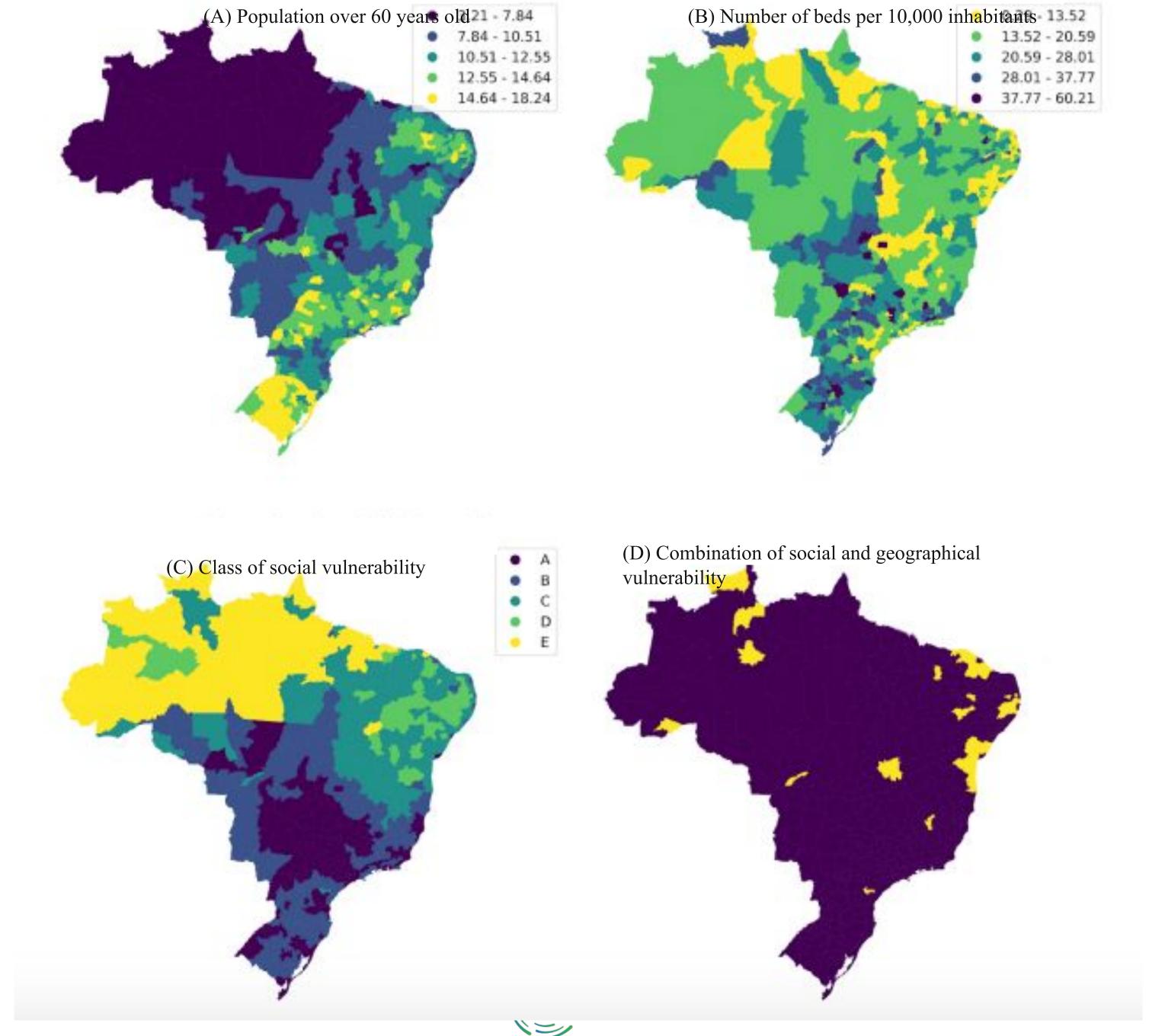
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Spread potential in the country in a second wave after

0.8

SDSN Source avaliae março

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### CHALLENGES

#### General

- Pandemic as a Natural Disaster with a high impact in health, with social and economic disruption
- It is global event with a combination of problem complexity, local and regional characteristics, short and long-term health, social and economic effects, and decisions made under pressure based in partial information;

#### Brasil

- The State of Sao Paulo have 36% of the cases and is the epicenter of Brazil, followed by Rio de Janeiro, but other less prepared states already have show signs of the pandemic,
- 80% of the population depend on the public health system (SUS), which was already facing financial challenges,
- Expected 200% shortage of ICU, in the case of 20% of population infected, and 5% need intensive care for 5 days.
- Urban peripheries and North and Northeast States concentrate social and economic vulnerable populations
- Social distancing and case self-quarentine are a challenge for the vulnerable populations that already face challenges in access to water and sanitation, adequate housing and urban planning



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