

DATA VISUALIZATION DURING A PANDEMIC

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Communicating COVID-19 Complexity Through Data Visualization



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DAILY CIVILIAN STATISTICAL INTERACTION



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New cases and deaths

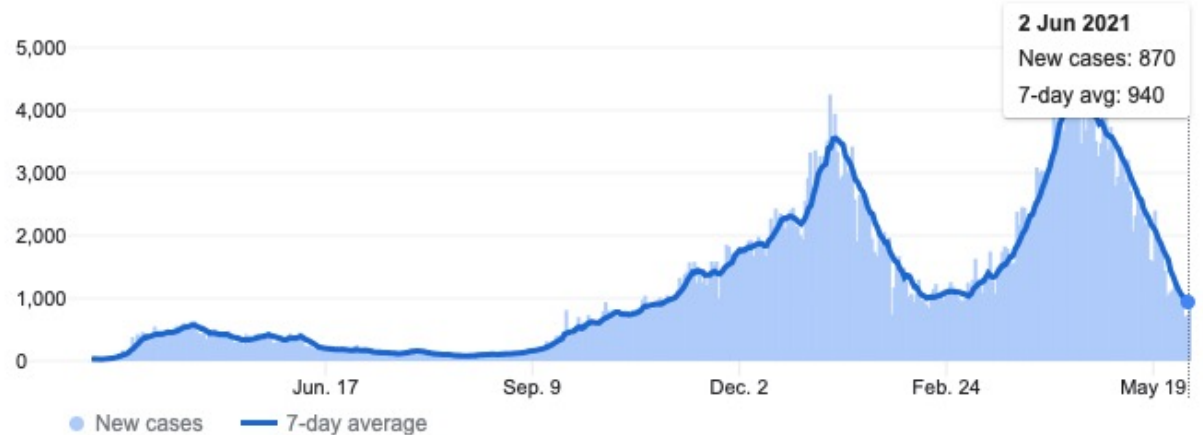
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New cases

Canada

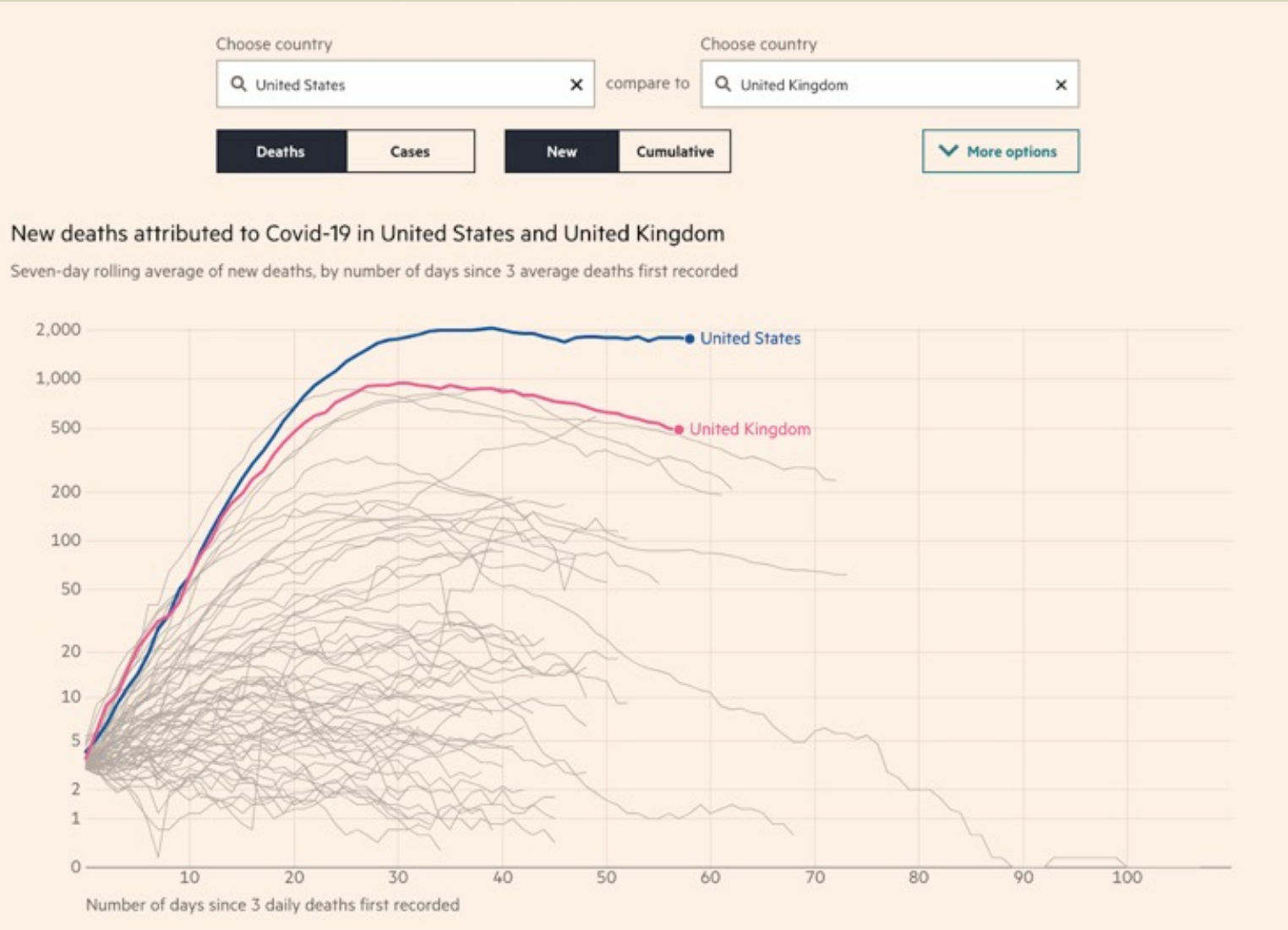
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All time



Each day shows new cases reported since the previous day · [About this data](#)

COMMUNICATING TO CONVINC



An interactive version allows comparison between countries, and provides information on how cases and deaths are counted, the difference between scales, and data sources.

Join Team of Past Players

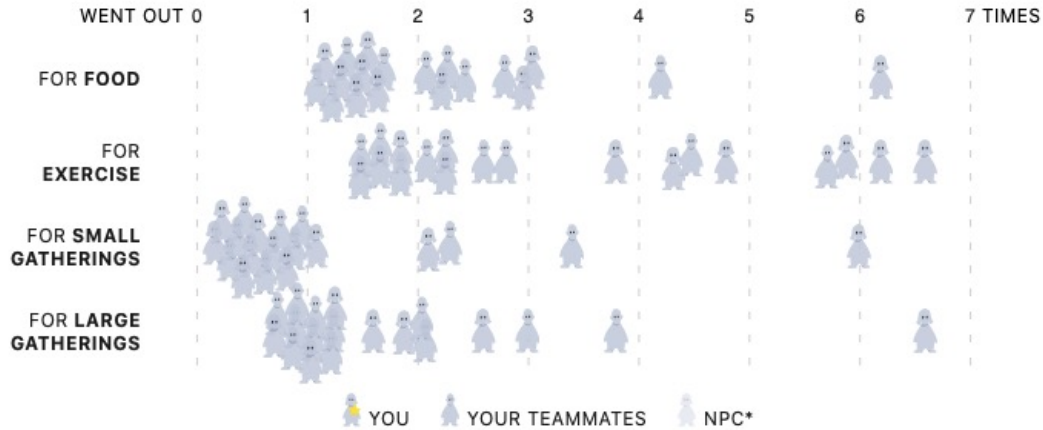
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Create Your Own Team

You will play alongside 19 other real people.

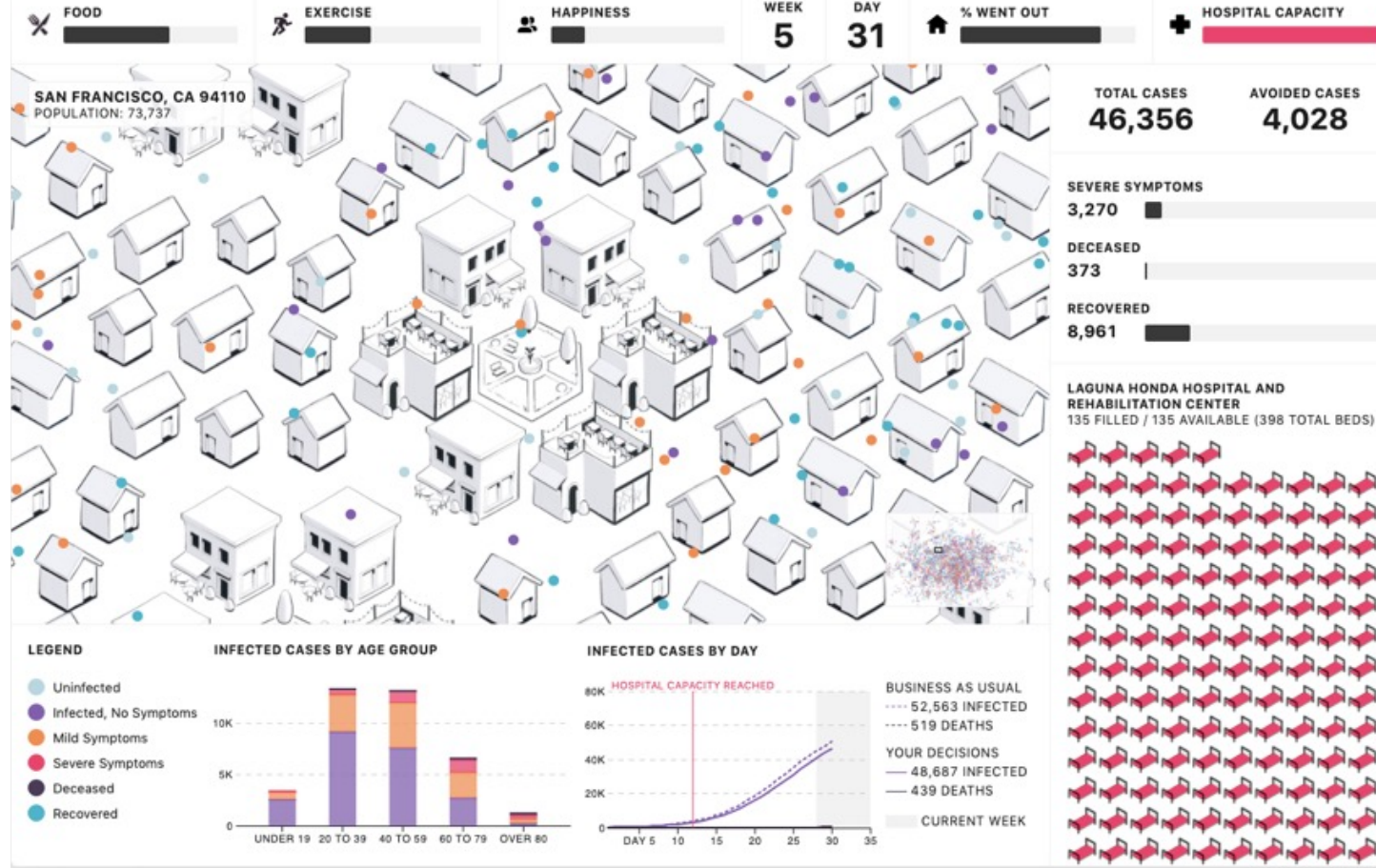
Team name: 5 to 32 characters, letters, numbers and dashes only.

YOUR TEAM'S OUTINGS BY ACTIVITY, AVERAGED ACROSS 5 WEEKS



*for teams with less than 20 people, NPCs will fill in and go about business as usual.

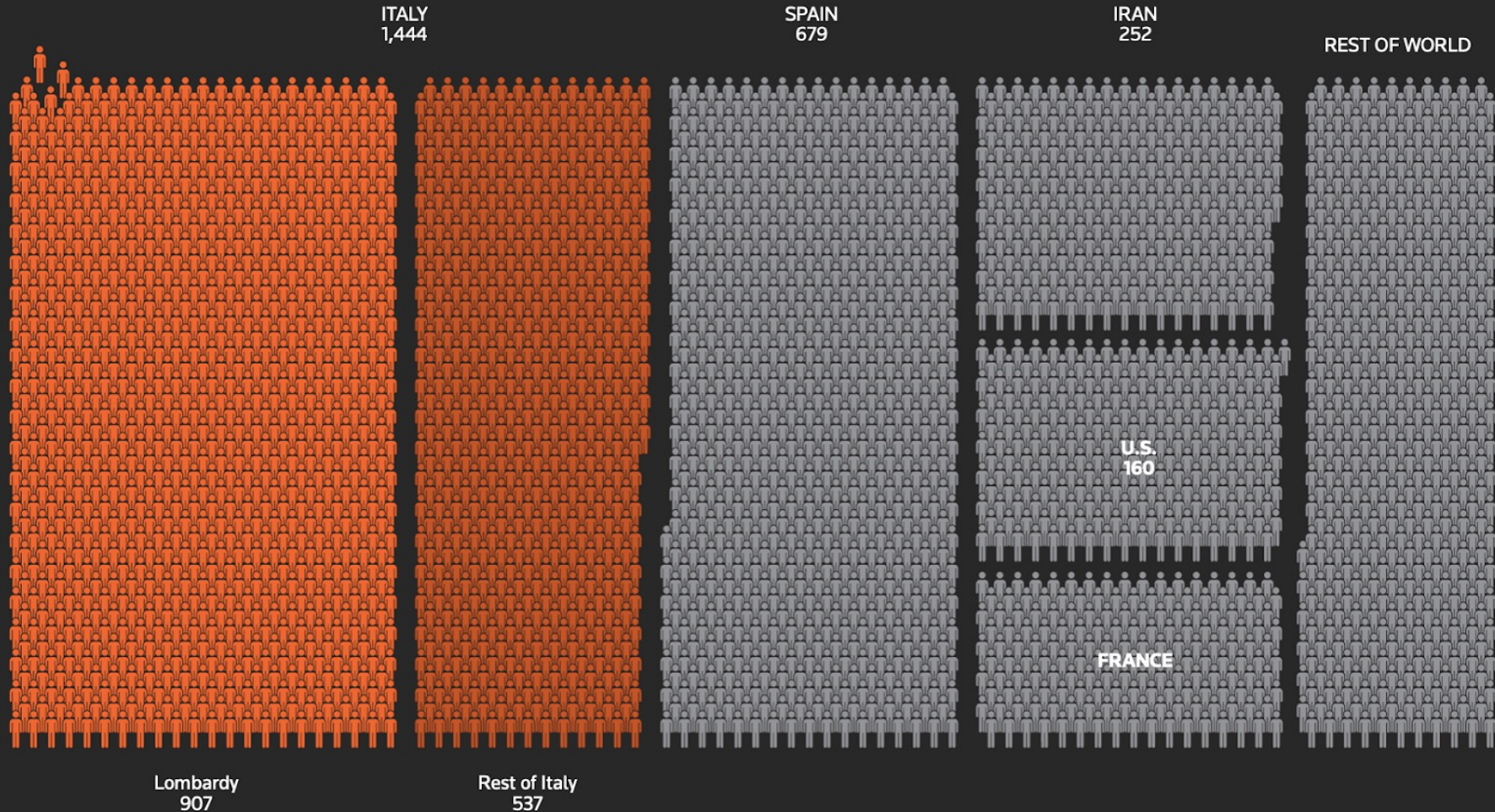
Your collective decisions will determine how many lives are lost or saved.
Together, your goal is to save as many lives as possible.



DATA INTERACTION : PEOPLE OF THE PANDEMIC

Deaths over the weekend

Mar. 21-22



“VIZ”
RESPONSIBLY

The Reuter’s Graphics team’s data driven reporting attempts to bring the human side of the data to the forefront, reminding us that case and death numbers represent people.