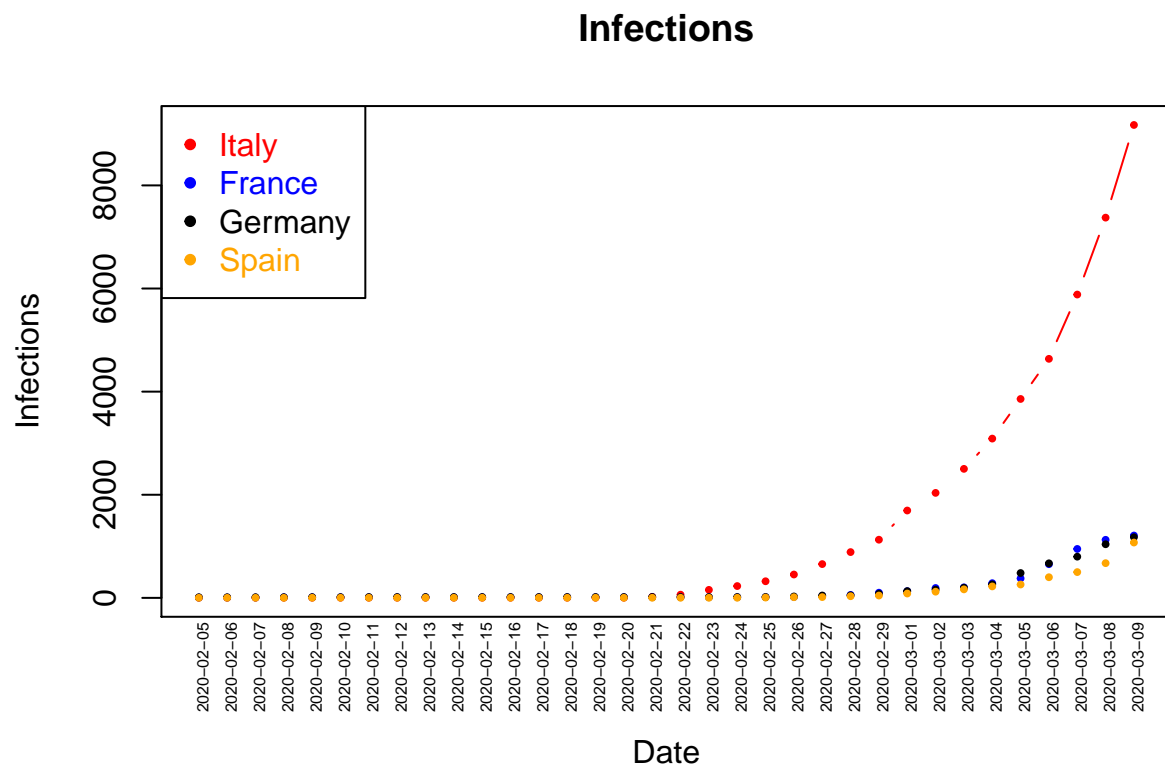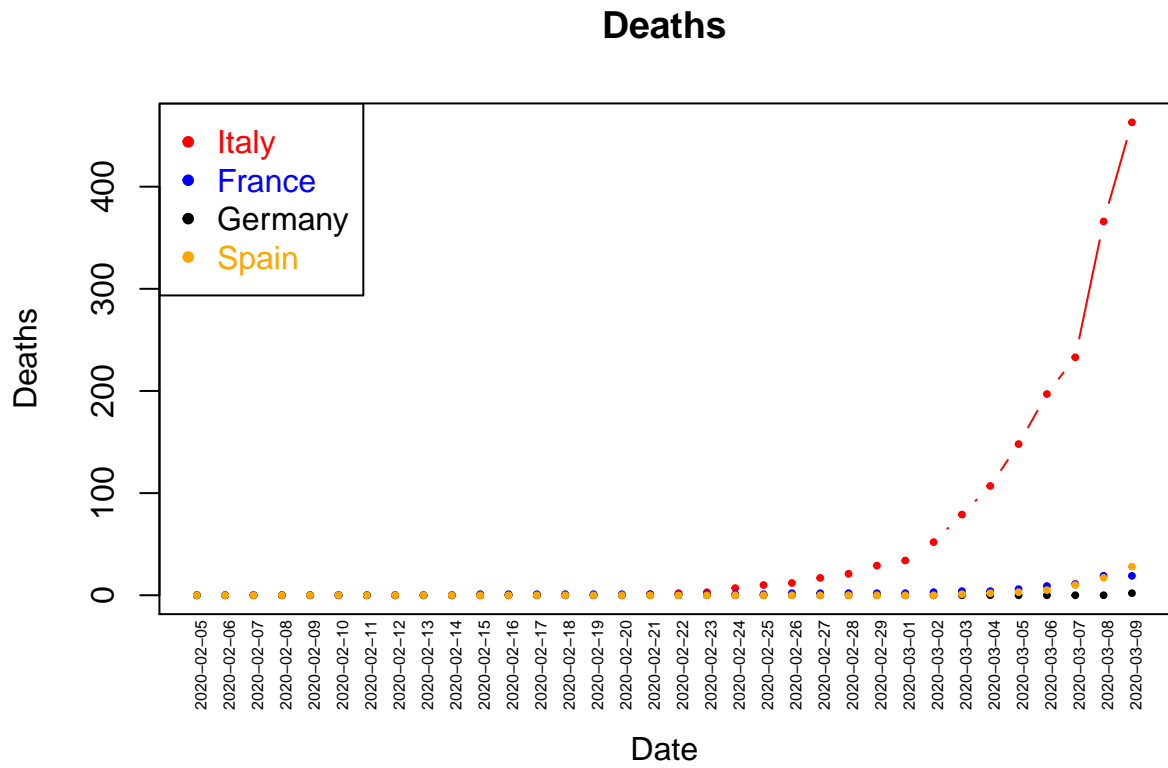# Comparison of Coronavirus infection and deaths per country: how far behind Italy are we?

Introduction

The goal of this script is to compare the chronology of infection/death caused per country and use Italy to predict the situation in other countries, notably in France.

Let's compare the contagion and death curves between countries.

Infections

Deaths

France and Italy have (roughly) the same number of inhabitants, so the absolute numbers of cases can be directly compared. France seems to be X days behind Italy. If we delay Italy by X days, how do the curves compare between countries?