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Content:

Geocoded info on anopheline inventory. See key below.

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KEMRI-Wellcome Trust assembled the data and distributed it on Dataverse.

Inspiration:

- Where have malarial mosquito populations grown or decreased?
- Can you predict mosquito population growth trends?
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