

Introduction to epi-review

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- epireview - R package under active development
- one of the key outputs from the Pathogen Epidemiology Review Group
- intended as
 - a one-stop shop for
curated
epidemiological parameters for all priority pathogens
 - a 'living repository' that can be easily be updated over time
- ships with a flexible database schema that can be used to `roll your own' database

Features: load curated data

```
r$> marburg <- load_epidata('marburg')
```

```
Data loaded for marburg
```

```
r$> knitr::kable(head(marburg$articles))
```

id	first_author_surname	year_publication	article_label
:-----:-----:-----:-----:	:-----:-----:-----:-----:		
1aa88a18901c85ccfa6e26f1fc4cc3cb	Martini	1968	Martini 1968
bbaf446d6451f09a62498dd2eaeba694	Mathiot	1989	Mathiot 1989
2ad9000587d3800fbdab2d63d98cee72	Suzuki	1997	Suzuki 1997
16ee67946aa737c422fa0cd69d000ad9	Smith	1982	Smith 1982
a1134d5507213435867b532814c839c4	Johnson	1993	Johnson 1993
c2fda585d54e519964f100d5fb86a11a	Gear	1975	Gear 1975

```
r$> knitr::kable(head(marburg$params[, 3:7]))
```

parameter_type	parameter_value	parameter_unit	parameter_lower_bound	parameter_upper_bound
:-----:-----:-----:-----:	:-----:-----:-----:-----:			
Human delay - time symptom to careseeking	4	Days	NA	
Human delay - incubation period	NA	Days	7	
Human delay - time symptom to outcome	9	Days	NA	
Seroprevalence - IFA	NA	NA	NA	
Attack rate	21	Percentage (%)	NA	
Human delay - incubation period	NA	Days	4	

```
r$> █
```

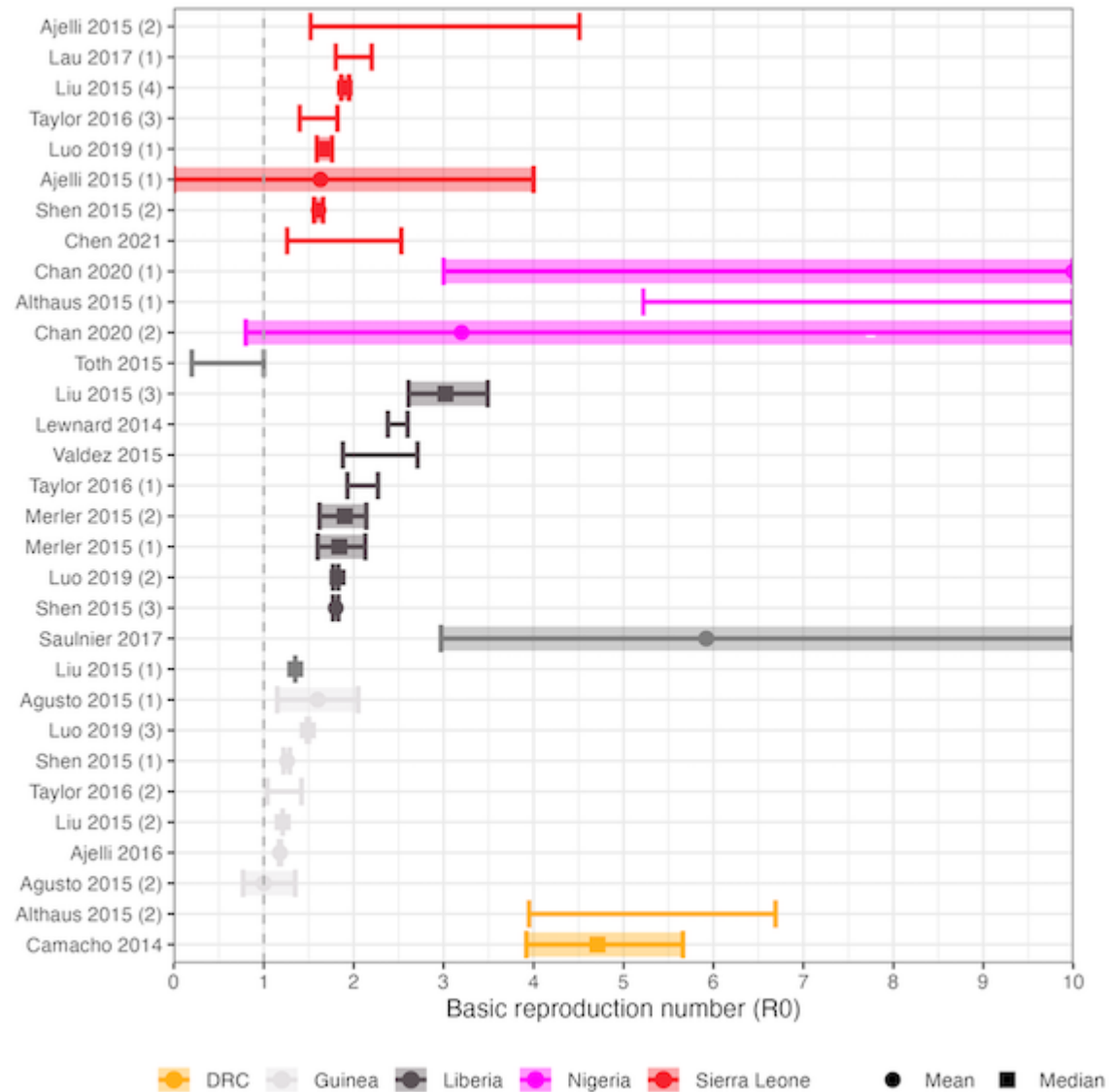
Features: filter data

```
r$>
r$> filter_cols(ebola$params, cols = 'article_qa_score', funs = ">", vals = '50')
# A tibble: 511 × 76
  id      parameter_data_id covidence_id pathogen parameter_type parameter_value exponent parameter_unit
  <chr>   <chr>              <int> <chr>      <chr>          <dbl>      <dbl> <chr>
1 3fcec... ad84262af2e94475...      30 Ebola v... Human delay -...      NA          0 Days
2 3fcec... f6a75a765034c39f...      30 Ebola v... Reproduction ...      NA          0 No units
3 3fcec... cc4b1927b74f5083...      30 Ebola v... Human delay -...      NA          0 Days
4 303ce... 07919213f2fdbf6d...      65 Ebola v... Reproduction ...      2.01         0 No units
5 4fc94... 877f0a1a8a355def...     104 Ebola v... Human delay -...      3.91         0 Days
6 4fc94... 50d1d9811e75ffbe...     104 Ebola v... Human delay -...      4.2          0 Days
7 4fc94... 516579f27e9805dc...     104 Ebola v... Severity - ca...     74.2         0 Percentage (%)
8 4fc94... 973cb2ce99eec1cb...     104 Ebola v... Risk factors      NA           0 NA
9 4fc94... a4565f450352666d...     104 Ebola v... Risk factors      NA           0 NA
10 54207... ea2a4be346093b2d...     163 Ebola v... Human delay -...      9            0 Days
# i 501 more rows
# i 67 more variables: parameter_upper_bound <dbl>, parameter_value_type <chr>, parameter_uncertainty_sin
# parameter_uncertainty_singe_type <chr>, parameter_uncertainty_lower_value <dbl>, parameter_uncertain
# parameter_uncertainty_type <chr>, cfr_ifr_numerator <int>, cfr_ifr_denominator <int>, distribution_ty
# distribution_par1_value <dbl>, distribution_par1_type <chr>, distribution_par1_uncertainty <lgl>,
# distribution_par2_value <dbl>, distribution_par2_type <chr>, distribution_par2_uncertainty <lgl>,
# method_from_supplement <lgl>, method_moment_value <chr>, cfr_ifr_method <chr>, method_r <chr>, ...
# i Use `print(n = ...)` to see more rows
r$> █
```

Features: visualise data

```
c$>  
  
c$> params <- filter_cols(params, "article_qa_score", funs = ">", vals = "50")  
  
c$> forest_plot_r0(params, col_by = "population_country", shape_by = "parameter_value_type")  
Warning messages:  
1: Removed 11 rows containing missing values (`geom_point()`).  
2: Removed 11 rows containing missing values (`geom_segment()`).  
  
c$> █
```

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Development Roadmap

- currently 'experimental' but a stable release with each new pathogen as our group works down the list of pathogens
 - Ebola and Lassa 'nearly done' - epireview stable release planned end of March
 - SARS-CoV-1 'in progress'
 - followed by Zika, Henipa, RFV, CCHF, and MERS-CoV (order may change)
- utilities to summarise and visualise data
- user-friendly interface to update data or add new pathogen
- smooth interoperability with other tools (epiverse)
- extensive documentation
- what else can we do to make this a useful tool for the community?