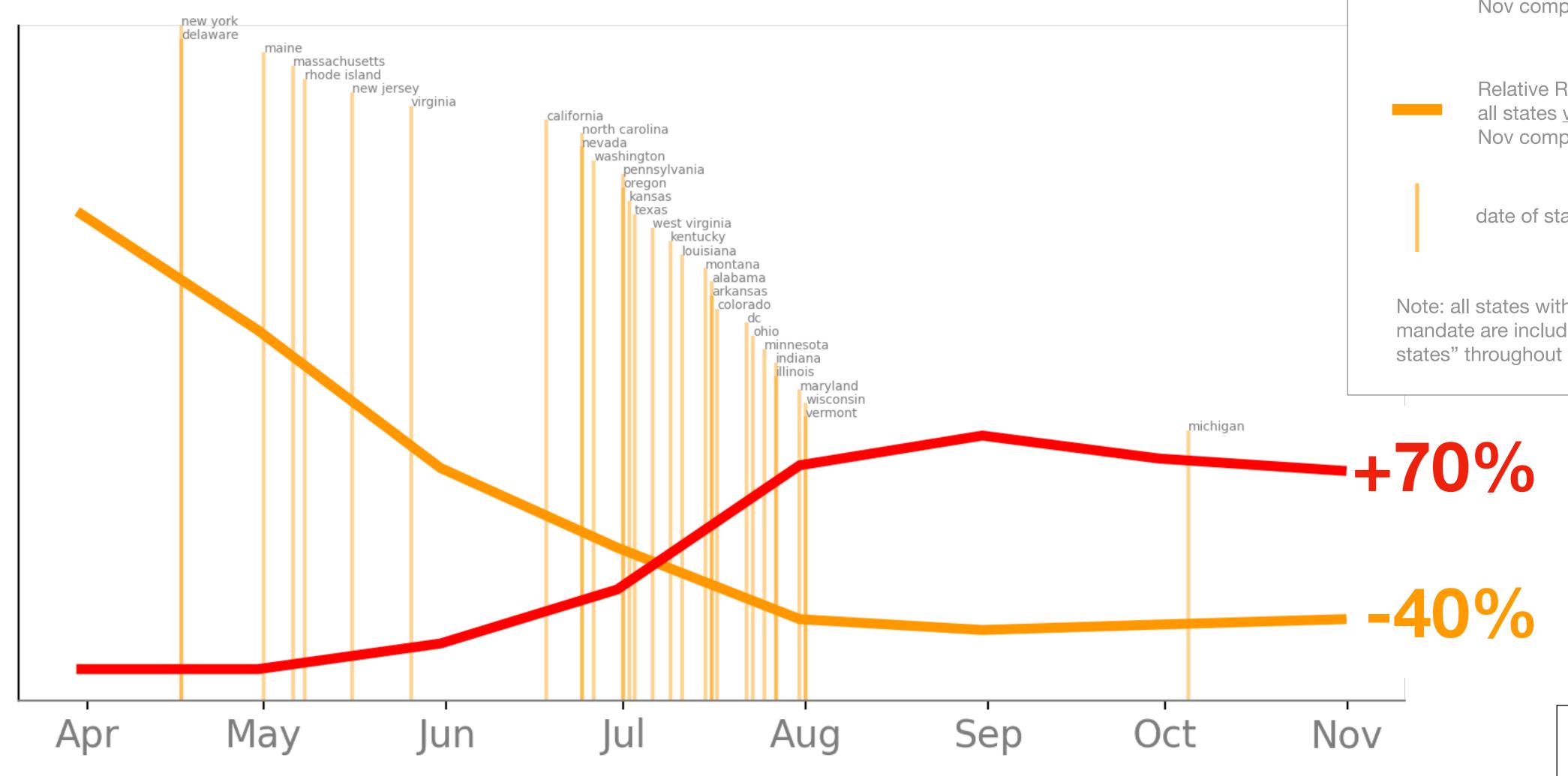
Residents of states without mask mandates were 70% more likely to die of Covid-19 in October



Data: Johns Hopkins CSSE (https://github.com/CSSEGISandData/COVID-19/raw/master/csse covid 19 data/csse covid 19 time series/time series covid19 deaths US.csv), AARP (https://www.aarp.org/health/healthy-living/info-2020/states-mask-mandates-coronavirus.html)

Relative Risk Methodology: Principles of Epidemiology in Public Health Practice, Third Edition An Introduction to Applied Epidemiology and Biostatistics (https://www.cdc.gov/csels/dsepd/ss1978/lesson3/section5.html)

Legend

Relative Risk of covid death,
all states <u>without</u> mask mandates as of 1
Nov compared to mask-mandate states

Relative Risk of covid death,
all states <u>with</u> mask mandates as of 1
Nov compared to no-mandate states

date of state mask mandate

Note: all states with an eventual mask mandate are included in "mask mandate states" throughout the chart

Relative Risk of **Covid Death** in states with no mask mandate vs. states with mask mandates

Relative Risk of Covid Death in states with mask mandates vs. states without mask mandate

Why, Who, & How:

