

## CPSC 349: Front-End Web Engineering - Fall 2020

### COVID-19 Project, due: 349-01 – 8 Dec, 349-02 – 11 Dec at start of class

Given the current state of events, many websites have been created to summarize the statistics, trends, and predictions of the COVID-19 virus, showing data at the country, state, and county levels, using a **combination of maps, tables, graphs (linear and logarithmic scatter plots, bar charts and tree graphs)** comparing the spread from region to region.

**Your team's task is to use client-side JavaScript, forms, ReactJS, React frameworks, and Firebase to build a COVID-19 website. You may use any additional third-party Web Service APIs, libraries, or modules, provided you comply with the terms of their licenses.**

Students will work in teams of 3-4 members, with one member serving as the Team Leader. The choice of Covid-19 website to create is up to the individual team; it will not be assigned. It will, however, require approval from the instructor.

**To help you decide on a design, the most popular COVID-19 sites are shown in this document.**

**All of these sites pull their data** from a relatively small number of International, national, and state sites. **The top data sources are: BNO, 1point3acres, worldometers.info, the Covid tracking project, CDC, ECDC, WHO.** Detailed links for these sites are shown at the end of this document.

**All of these sites heavily use tables and graphs. The top 6 React CHART FRAMEWORKS** all have a wide variety of examples on their sites, with code.

**nivo rocks:** <https://nivo.rocks/#/> (wide variety of data visualization components, built on React)

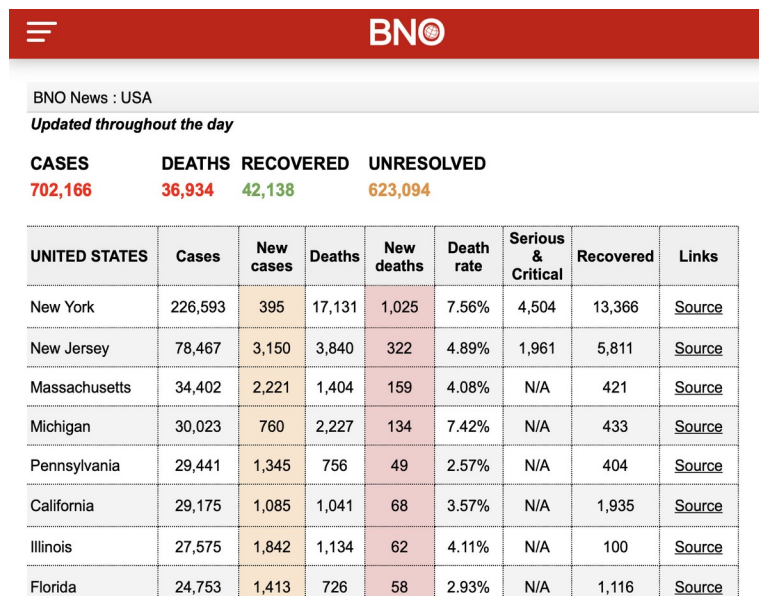
**React-Vis:** <https://uber.github.io/react-vis/> (Uber's large, composable charting library)

**Victory:** <https://formidable.com/open-source/victory/> (range of modular charting components)

**Recharts:** <https://recharts.org/en-US> (super simple, well-built, React composable charting library)

**ChartJS:** <https://www.chartjs.org/> (simple, flexible, JS charting library for developers)  
repackaged as React-chartjs-2: <https://github.com/jerairrest/react-chartjs-2>

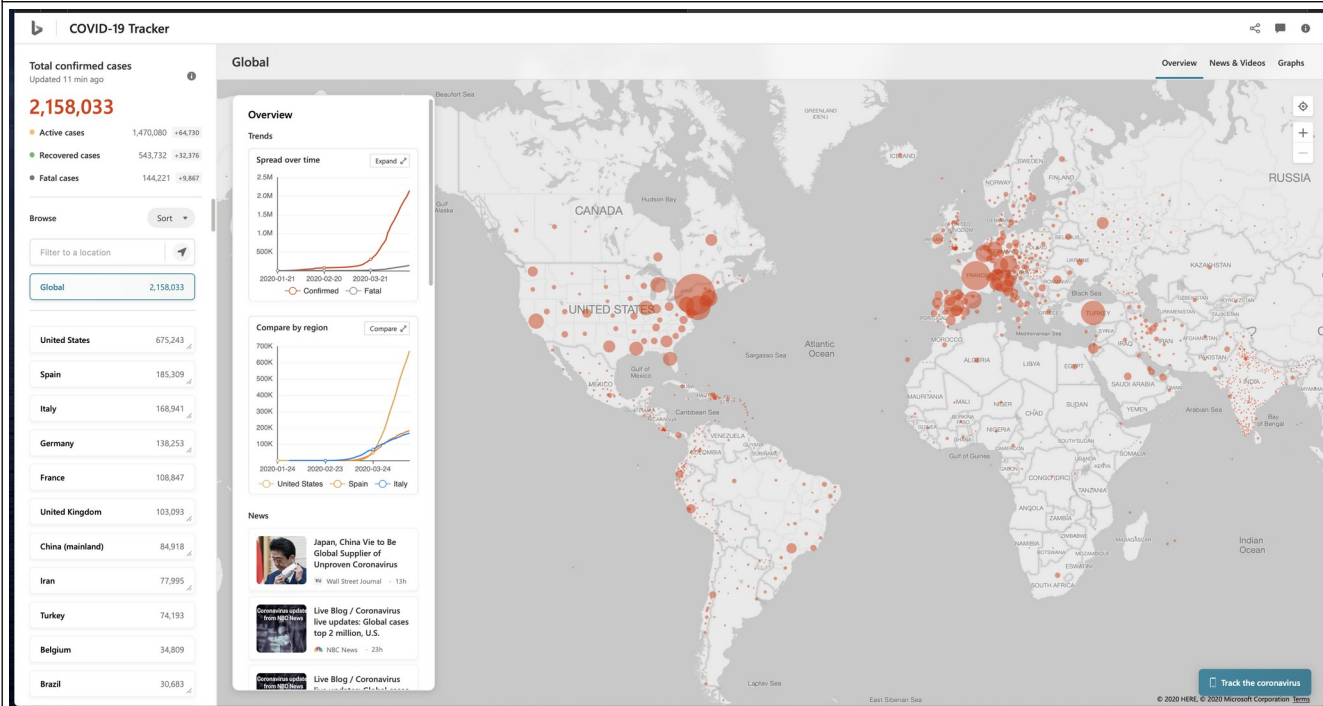
**canvasJS:** <https://canvasjs.com/react-charts/>



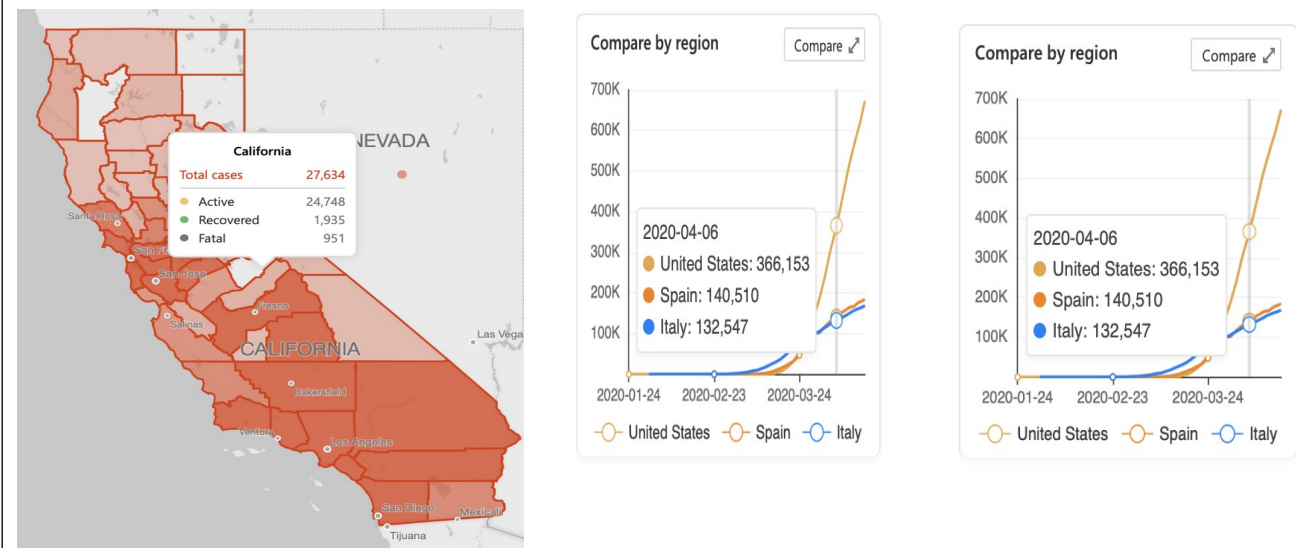
UNITED STATES	Cases	New cases	Deaths	New deaths	Death rate	Serious & Critical	Recovered	Links
New York	226,593	395	17,131	1,025	7.56%	4,504	13,366	<a href="#">Source</a>
New Jersey	78,467	3,150	3,840	322	4.89%	1,961	5,811	<a href="#">Source</a>
Massachusetts	34,402	2,221	1,404	159	4.08%	N/A	421	<a href="#">Source</a>
Michigan	30,023	760	2,227	134	7.42%	N/A	433	<a href="#">Source</a>
Pennsylvania	29,441	1,345	756	49	2.57%	N/A	404	<a href="#">Source</a>
California	29,175	1,085	1,041	68	3.57%	N/A	1,935	<a href="#">Source</a>
Illinois	27,575	1,842	1,134	62	4.11%	N/A	100	<a href="#">Source</a>
Florida	24,753	1,413	726	58	2.93%	N/A	1,116	<a href="#">Source</a>

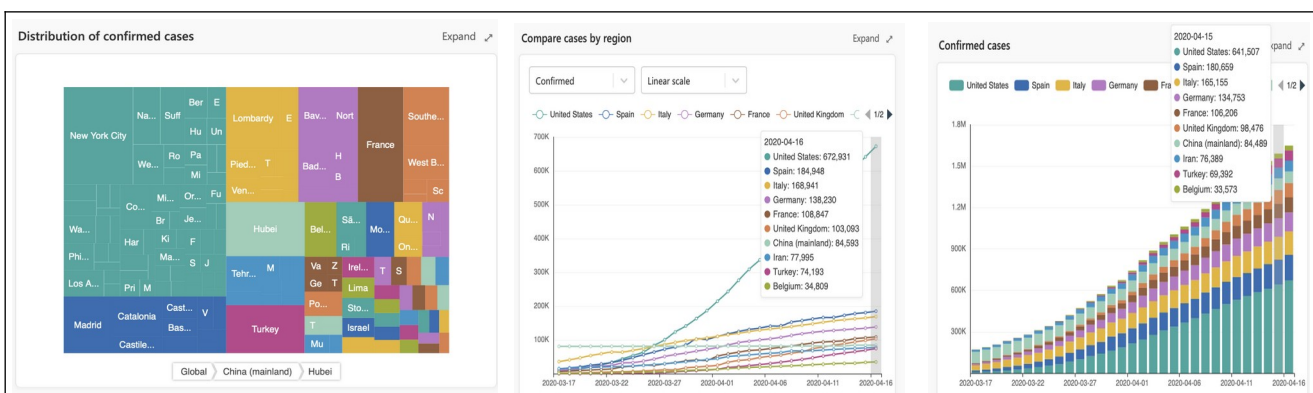
**Data links on this site drill down**

Bing COVID-19 tracker: Tracks local and global coronavirus cases. <https://www.bing.com/covid>  
Includes drill-down by country, state, and county (US examples)

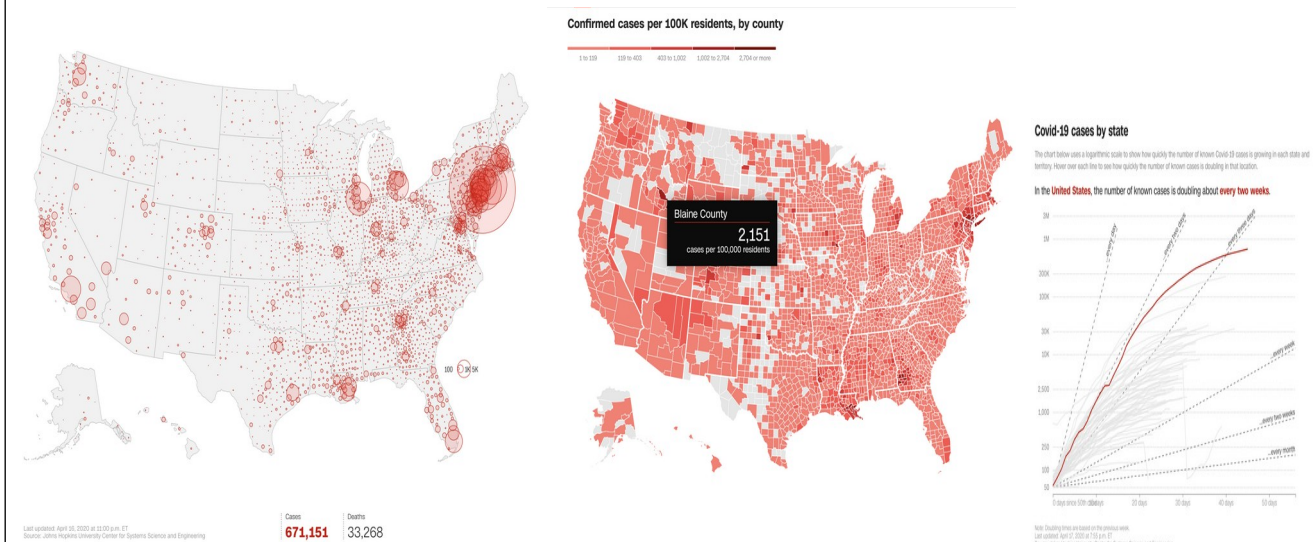


More examples from <https://www.bing.com/covid>





**Tracking Covid-19 cases in the US:** <https://www.cnn.com/interactive/2020/health/coronavirus-us-maps-and-cases/> State by state, and county by county. (First graph is a tree graph.)



<https://coronavirus.thebaselab.com>





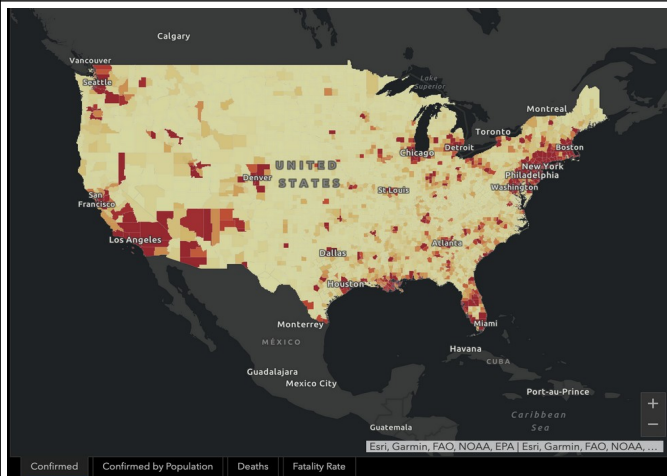


Note the startling speed of spread: <https://www.nbcnewyork.com/news/national-international/map-watch-the-coronavirus-cases-spread-across-the-world/2303276/>

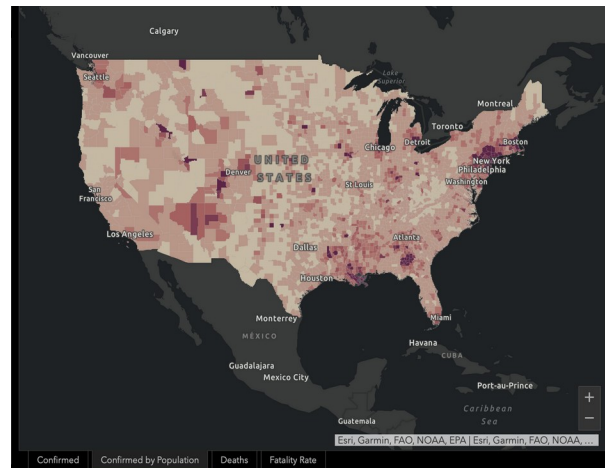


From johnhopkins (most websites get their data from here, which in turn gets its data from the Centers for Disease Control (CDC), and the World Health Organization (WHO)).

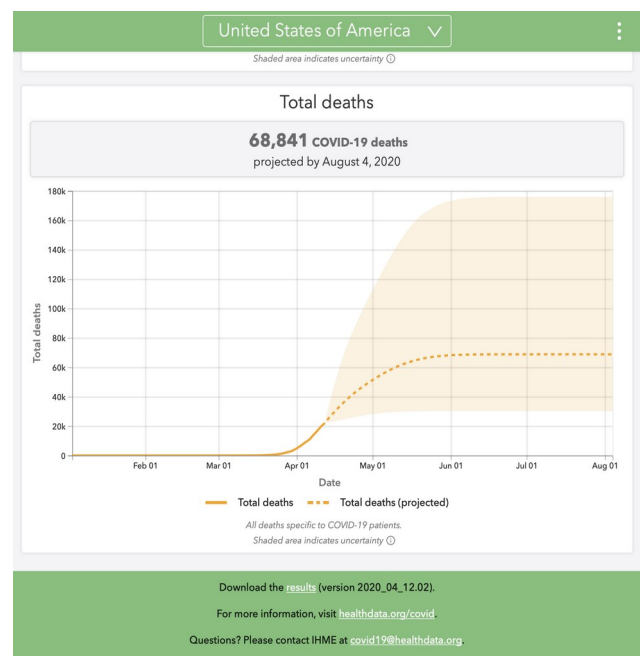
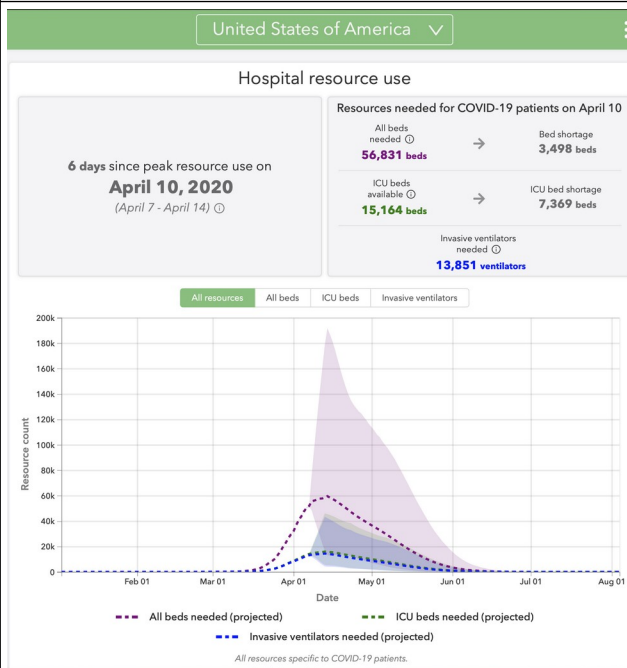
<https://coronavirus.jhu.edu/us-map>



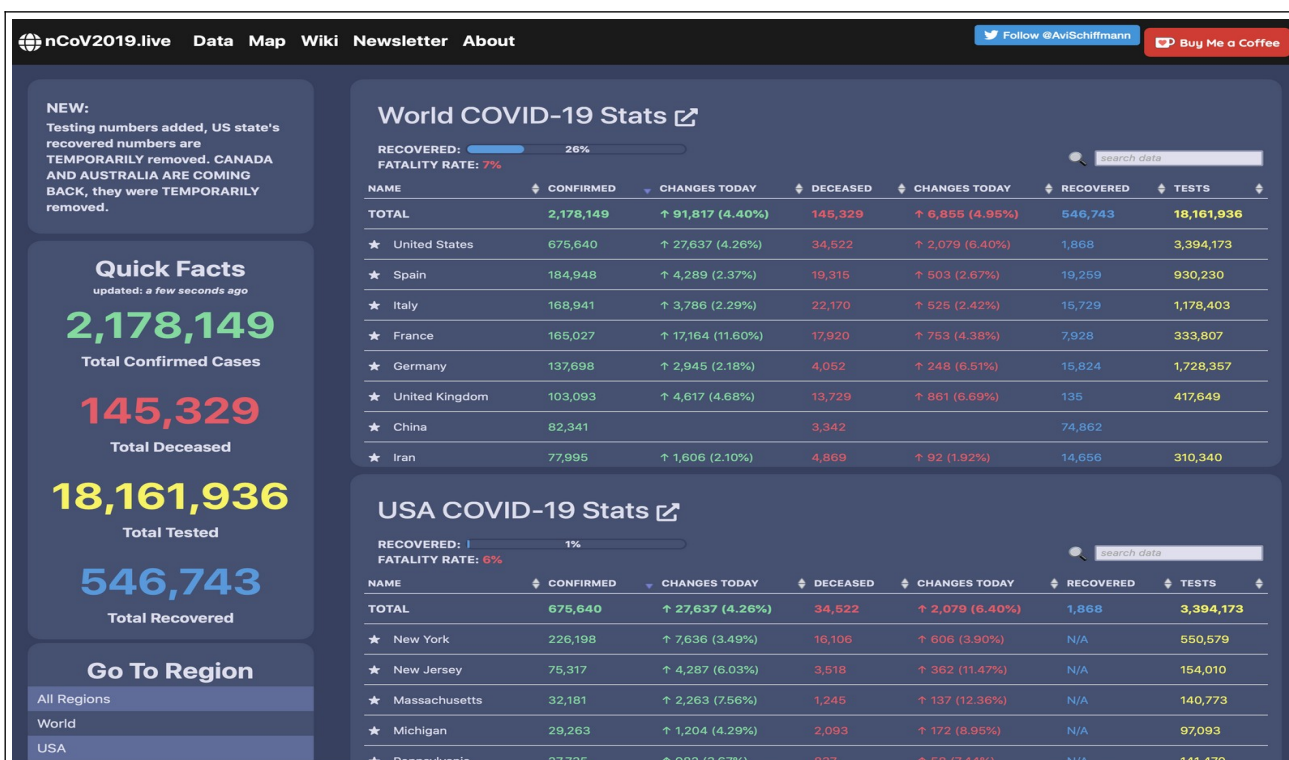
Total confirmed cases by county



Adjusted by population



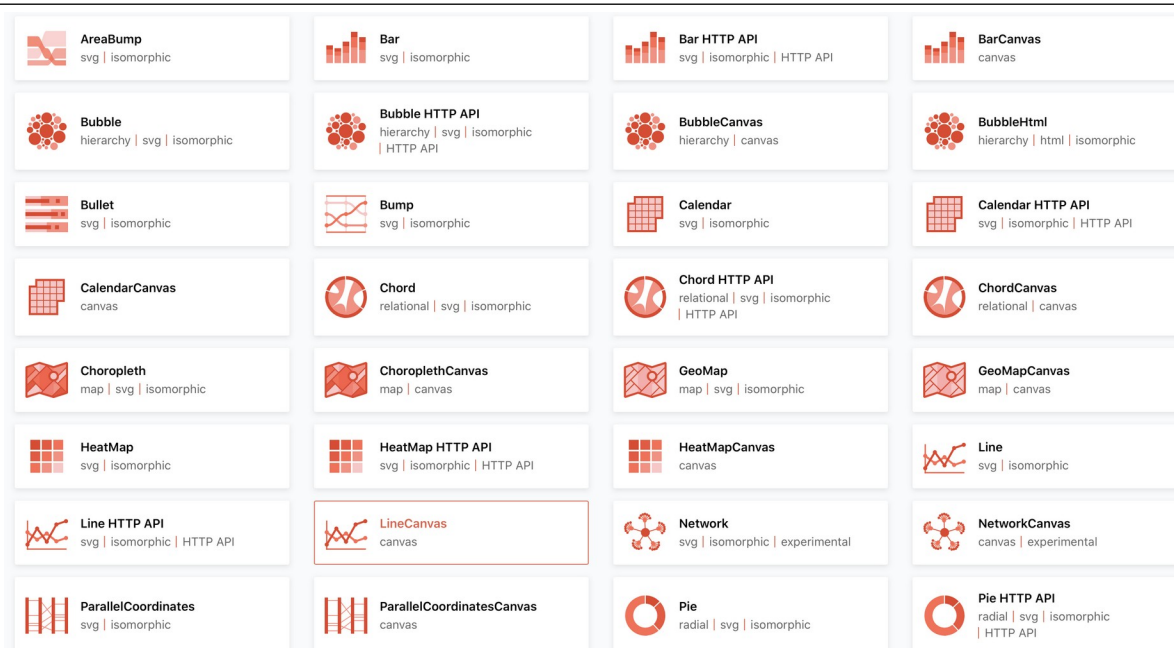
From the Institute for Health Metrics and Evaluation (Univ. of Washington site supported by Microsoft). <https://covid19.healthdata.org/united-states-of-america>



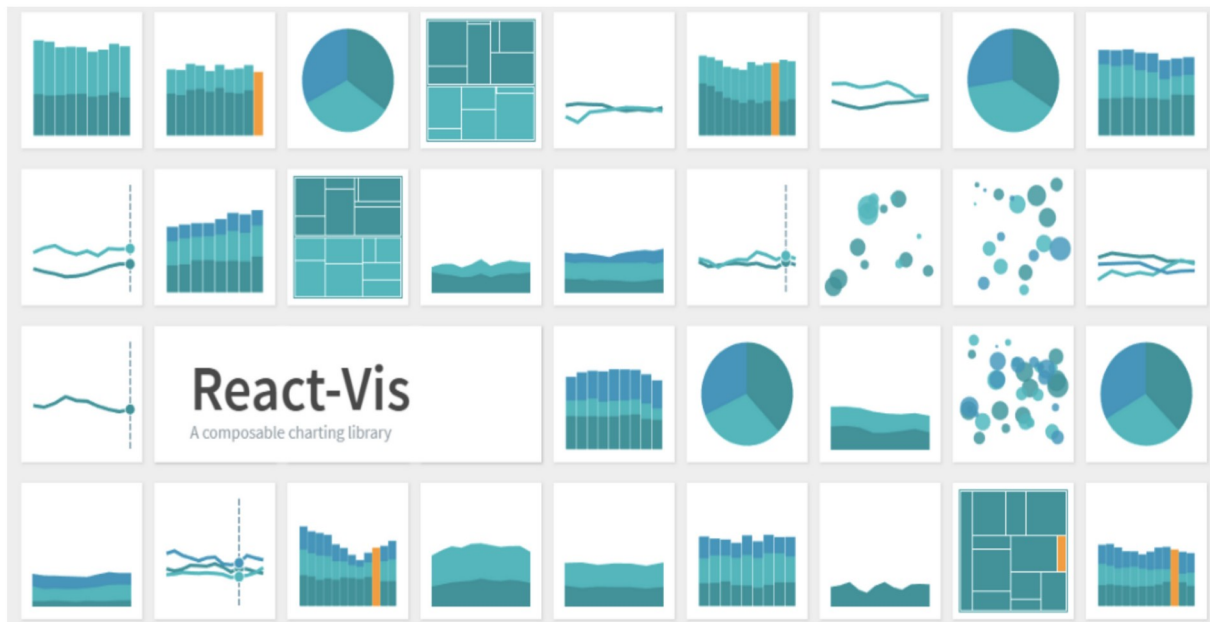
From a high school student's site in the state of Washington.

Sources: <https://bnonews.com/index.php/2020/01/tracking-coronavirus-u-s-data/>  
<https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/cases-updates/cases-in-us.html>

## Examples from the Top 5 React Graphing Frameworks



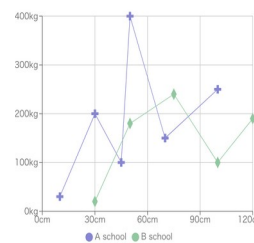
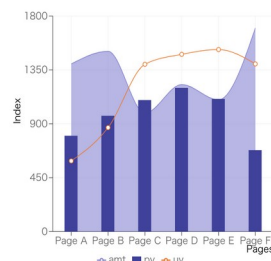
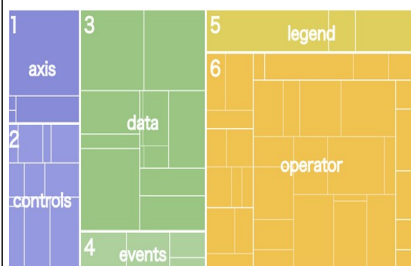
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**React-Vis:** <https://uber.github.io/react-vis/>

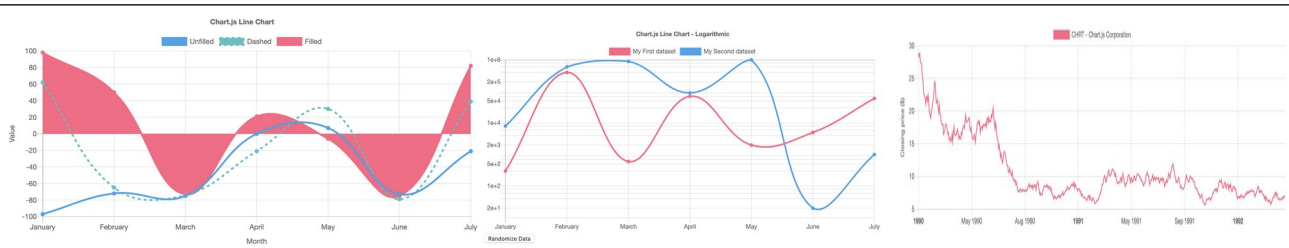


**Victory**



**Recharts:** <https://recharts.org/>





**ChartJS:** <https://www.chartjs.org/>

#### Column and Bar Charts

Contains Column, Bar, Stacked Column, Stacked Column 100%, Range Column, Stacked Bar, Stacked Bar 100%, Range Bar and Waterfall Charts.



**canvasJS:** <https://canvasjs.com/react-charts/>

#### DATA SOURCES used by the most popular Covid-19 sites.

**BNO:** <https://bnonews.com/index.php/2020/01/tracking-coronavirus-u-s-data/>

**1point3acres:** <https://coronavirus.1point3acres.com>

**worldometers.info:** <https://www.worldometers.info/coronavirus/>

**the COVID tracking project:** <https://covidtracking.com/data>

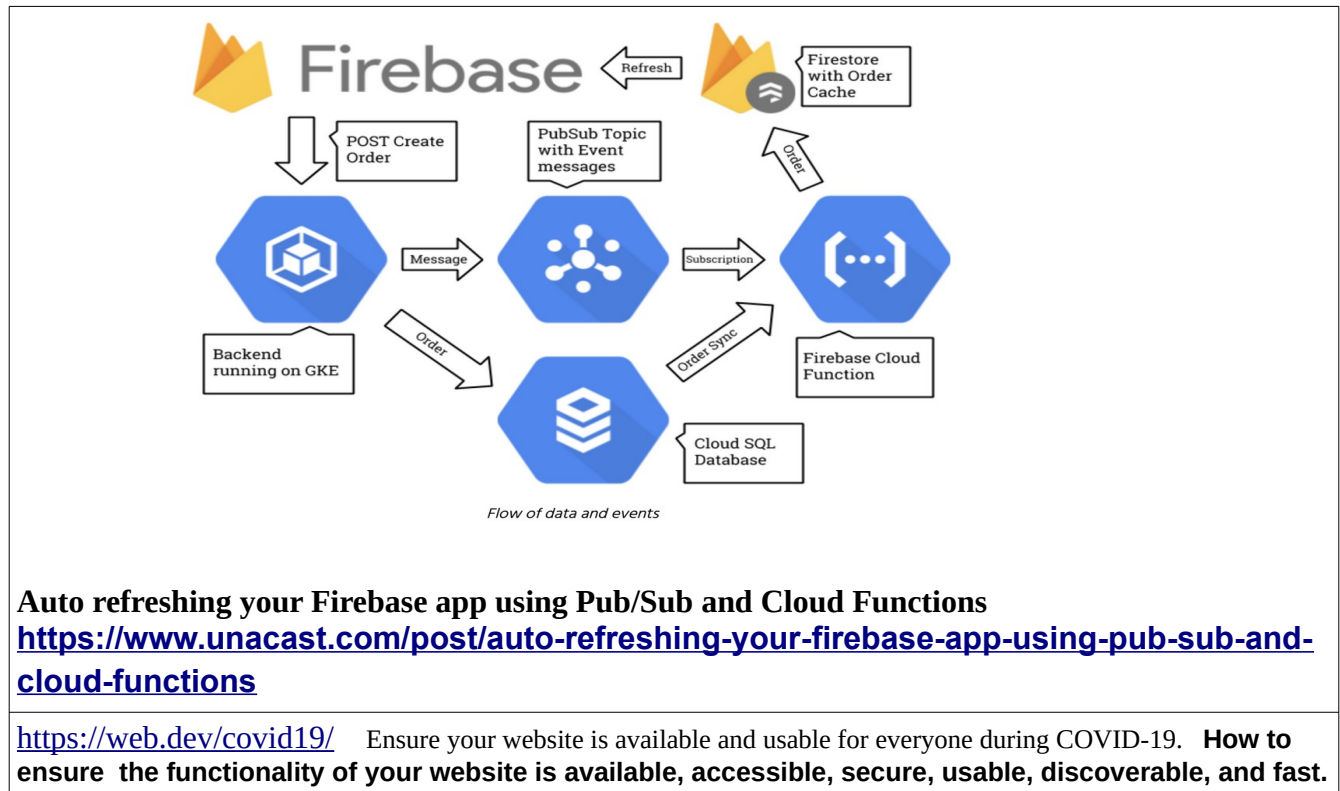
**CDC:** [https://urldefense.proofpoint.com/v2/url?u=https-3A\\_\\_www.cdc.gov\\_coronavirus\\_2019-2Dncov\\_index.html&d=DwMFaQ&c=n6-cguzQvX\\_tUlrZOS\\_4Og&r=ZNGvwmzlj8kMBY6JiOVCuA&m=I4tRzMk97krELxTIEBHo8DfBIHceLgA3njBSxpFaSkY&s=h6lhY9XL94FOKx6QJnNFE7oopNAN8i\\_x1i6glDHWTD0&e=](https://urldefense.proofpoint.com/v2/url?u=https-3A__www.cdc.gov_coronavirus_2019-2Dncov_index.html&d=DwMFaQ&c=n6-cguzQvX_tUlrZOS_4Og&r=ZNGvwmzlj8kMBY6JiOVCuA&m=I4tRzMk97krELxTIEBHo8DfBIHceLgA3njBSxpFaSkY&s=h6lhY9XL94FOKx6QJnNFE7oopNAN8i_x1i6glDHWTD0&e=)

**ECDC:** <https://www.ecdc.europa.eu/en/geographical-distribution-2019-ncov-cases>

**WHO:** [https://urldefense.proofpoint.com/v2/url?u=https-3A\\_\\_www.who.int\\_emergencies\\_diseases\\_novel-2Dcoronavirus-2D2019\\_situation-2Dreports&d=DwMFaQ&c=n6-cguzQvX\\_tUlrZOS\\_4Og&r=ZNGvwmzlj8kMBY6JiOVCuA&m=I4tRzMk97krELxTIEBHo8DfBIHceLgA3njBSxpFaSkY&s=Kqo9h3kYNxWfxMkTXGNLn2mEPiaPYMNXyv6MBhwWxrQ&e=](https://urldefense.proofpoint.com/v2/url?u=https-3A__www.who.int_emergencies_diseases_novel-2Dcoronavirus-2D2019_situation-2Dreports&d=DwMFaQ&c=n6-cguzQvX_tUlrZOS_4Og&r=ZNGvwmzlj8kMBY6JiOVCuA&m=I4tRzMk97krELxTIEBHo8DfBIHceLgA3njBSxpFaSkY&s=Kqo9h3kYNxWfxMkTXGNLn2mEPiaPYMNXyv6MBhwWxrQ&e=)



## Firestore articles you may want to read



### Functionality: Projects must...

Use ReactJS and one or more ReactJS frameworks

Use Firebase as the backend

Connect to at least one datasource for showing your statistics

Create a COVID-19 website that shows

- Cumulative confirmed, active, recovered, and died cases
- Current state of the spread of the virus in a table, ranked in descending order
  - **By country**, and/or
  - **By states or provinces within a country**, and/or
  - **By counties**, and/or
  - **By zip codes** (mail codes)
- Current state in a graph which updates as the user selects a geographic region
- Recent changes from the previous day, and/or a history of changes in a graph
- Prediction/rate of change (e.g., doubling every 2 days, or halving every 4 days)
- Predicted actual cases (not just confirmed – e.g., a possible number is between confirmed \* 10 to deaths \* 1000). For example, 40,000 confirmed / 900 deaths -> 400,000 to 900,000 actual
- Provide updates of your statistics throughout the day (at least once/day)

For debugging, allow your data to be downloaded and compared against the sources

## **Teams (max four members per team)**

You Teams typically divide up into different functionalities: API communication, UI design such as page layout using HTML, CSS, and ReactJS frameworks for Bootstrap, Graphing, ReactJS custom components, Firebase development, and so on. You may discuss your project and the technologies you are using with other teams, but each team must build its own application and submit its own work.

## **Working with members of your team**

Each student on the team will receive the same grade. If you run into issues with your teammates, it is your responsibility to attempt to resolve them. Failing that (if you cannot contact them), bring the problem to my attention as soon as possible -- do not wait until the due date.

**Presentations** Since we cannot meet in person, each group will produce a 10-15 minute video of their work. Each of the other groups will meet virtually to watch the other groups, and to grade them using the below categories. It is recommended that each member of your group participate in your group presentation. It should first go through the functionality of the main parts of the website, followed by the data sources and frameworks used, and finally by details of implementation you want other groups to see.

**Grading Your project will be judged according to the rubric on the next page, and by other teams, with up to 3 points each for each of the following categories, for a total of up to 30%.**

**Scoring will be submitted online, through a poll**

- 1) Quality of the presentation / teamwork
- 2) Quality of documentation describing your data sources and update speed
- 3) ReactJS charts and graphs functionality (how is data displayed – tree graph?)
- 4) ReactJS table functionality (display of statistics in tables, sortable ?)
- 5) Project regional data functionality (country, state, county, zip code)
- 6) Project data update (how often is the data updated)
- 7) Use of Firebase
- 8) Code quality
- 9) Innovation
- 10) Overall web design

## **Submission**

Upload the code and documentation for this project to a new public GitHub repository.

To complete your submission, **print the next two sheets, fill out the spaces on the first sheet, and submit both sheets** to the professor in class by presentation day. Failure to follow the instructions exactly will incur a 10% penalty on the grade for this assignment.

**CPSC-349 COVID-19 Project Submission,  
due: 349-01 – 8 Dec, 349-02 – 11 Dec at start of class**

**Team Name:**

**Team Members:**

**Repository** \_\_\_\_\_ **.github.io**

Verify each of the following items and place a checkmark in the correct column. Each item incorrectly marked will incur a 5% penalty on the grade for this assignment

Completed	Not Completed	COVID-19 website
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Created a COVID-19 website that shows the spread of the virus in regional, geographic information (*must* use a map)
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Showed regional information by at least two of the following: <b>by country, and/or by state, and/or by county, and/or by zip code</b>
		Has map showing current confirmed, active, recovered, and fatal cases by at least two of the following: <b>by country, by state, by county, and/or by zip code</b>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Has tables showing current confirmed, active, recovered, and fatal cases by region, including changes from the previous data</b>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Has tables showing cumulative stats by region</b>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Has graphs showing current confirmed, cumulative, and daily stats by region
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Has graphs showing projected <b>actual</b> statistics per region (e.g., 10x confirmed cases, or 1000x confirmed deaths). For example, if it reports 52,000 confirmed cases and 930 deaths, actual statistics are between 520,000 and 930,000 cases.
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Shows current state in a graph which updates as the user selects a region
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Shows changes from the previous day in a graph
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Shows graph of a history of changes by region in the past 14+ days
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Graphs or tables showing prediction/rate of change of various regions (e.g., doubling every 2 days, or halving every 4 days)
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Predicts actual cases (not just confirmed – e.g., 10x confirmed to 1000x fatalities, e.g., 40,000 confirmed / 900 deaths -> 400k to 900k actual)
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Provide updates of your statistics throughout the day (at least once/hour)
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Uses Firebase for storing data for performance
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Shows (on website) links to sources of data, and authors of site
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Project directory <b>pushed to new GitHub repository</b> listed above

**Comments on your submission**

**Fill out and print this page, and submit it on the day this project is due.**