COVID-19 Third Wave Prediction

1)Al-powered Algorithm released to detect the third wave in South Africa(News Article)

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Paper link - https://www.wits.ac.za/news/latest-news/research-news/2021/2021-03/ai-powered-algorithm-released-to-detect-the-third-wave-in-south-africa.html

Dashboard link- https://www.covid19sa.org/riskindex

Two independent algorithms used here:

- 1. SI Model
- 2. RNN (LSTM)

Both of these algorithms work independently and are updated on a daily basis. The existence of two independent algorithms adds robustness to the predictive capacity of the algorithms.

2)A third wave is imminent - can Al predict when?

Paper link: https://indiaai.gov.in/article/a-third-wave-is-imminent-can-ai-predict-when

• The SARS Effect on Data Driven Approaches to COVID19 Management

They used the Susceptible Exposed Infectious Removed (SEIR) model to derive the curve of the epidemic.

An Al model, trained on SARS data(2003-04), was used to then predict how the epidemic would forge its path ahead.

3)COVID-19 Outbreak in India by IIT Kanpur

Paper link -https://www.iitk.ac.in/new/covid-19-outbreak-in-india

SIR - Covid-19 Prediction Model - https://covid19-forecast.org/

using SIR model, they have constructed some scenarios of possible third wave using the epidemic parameters of the second wave.

SI Model Short Implementation - https://stackoverflow.com/questions/47366712/correct-implementation-of-si-sis-sir-models-python

Class Methods - https://ndlib.readthedocs.io/en/latest/reference/models/epidemics/Slm.html