



2030 IN SIGHT Progress Data

Country Summary



Select country

Papua New Guinea

- Sight loss
- Effective coverage
- Elevate
- Integrate
- Activate

Demographics

Oceania
GBD Region

Southeast Asia, East Asia and...
GBD Super Region

10M
Population (UN, 2022)

\$2,673
GDP per capita (current US\$, 2021)

0.558
HDI (2021)

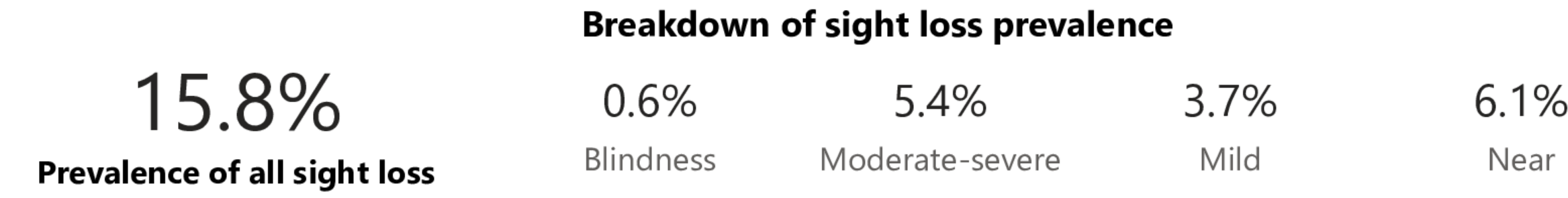
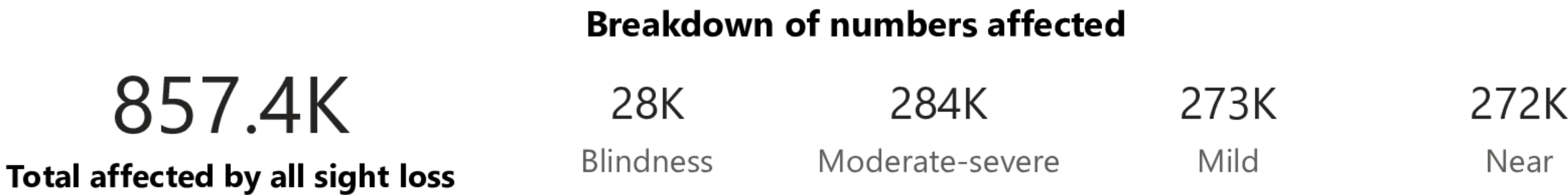
medium
HDI level

65
Life expectancy, years (both sexes, 2021)

169
Gender Inequality Index (GII) rank, 2021

Sight loss

These data for sight loss comes from the modelled estimates by the Vision Loss Expert Group (VLEG) in 2020, incorporating data from 512 studies in 112 countries. **Select the filter below right for more data.** For more detail and data, access [the current Vision Atlas](#).

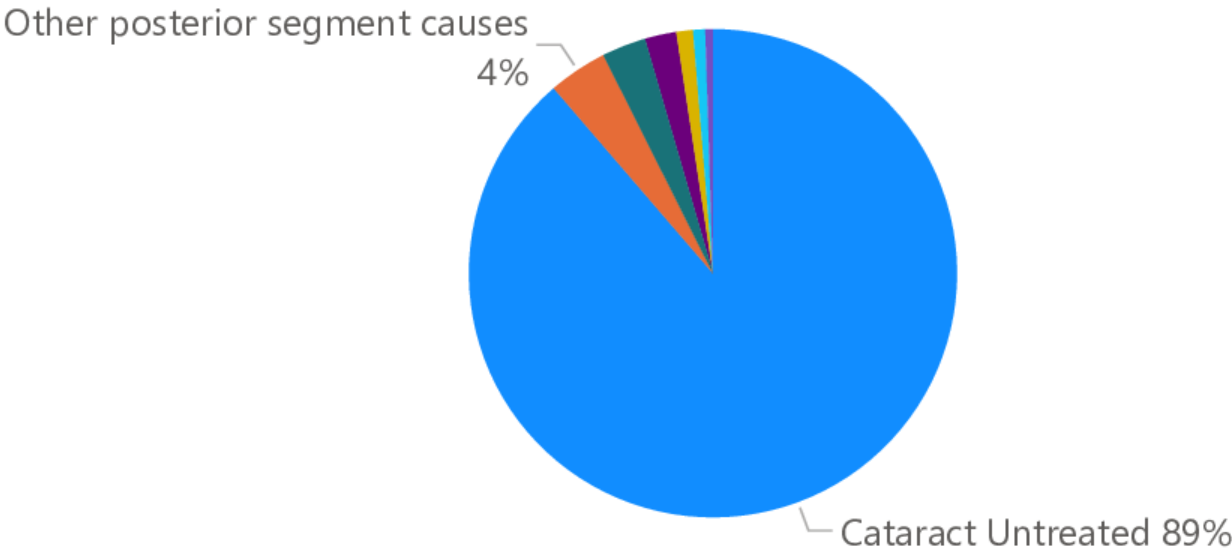


Source: [Bourne et al., 2021](#)

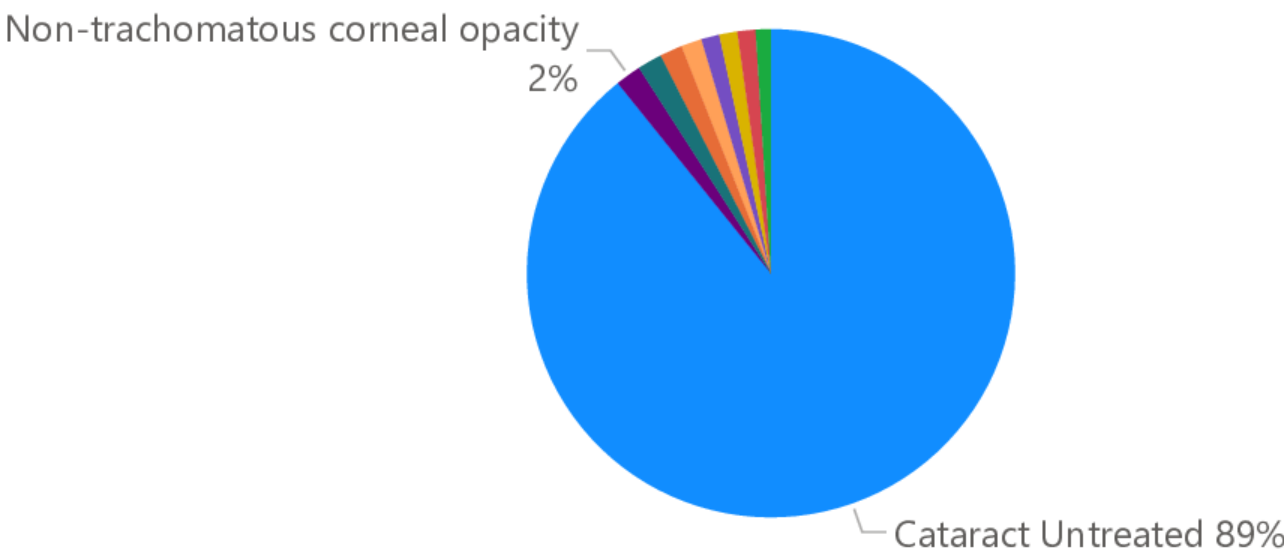
Cause data

Cause data, for distance sight loss only, are gathered from national [RAAB surveys](#) or national [Blindness and Vision Impairment surveys](#) where available. **If the areas are blank below, no data is available from this country yet.**

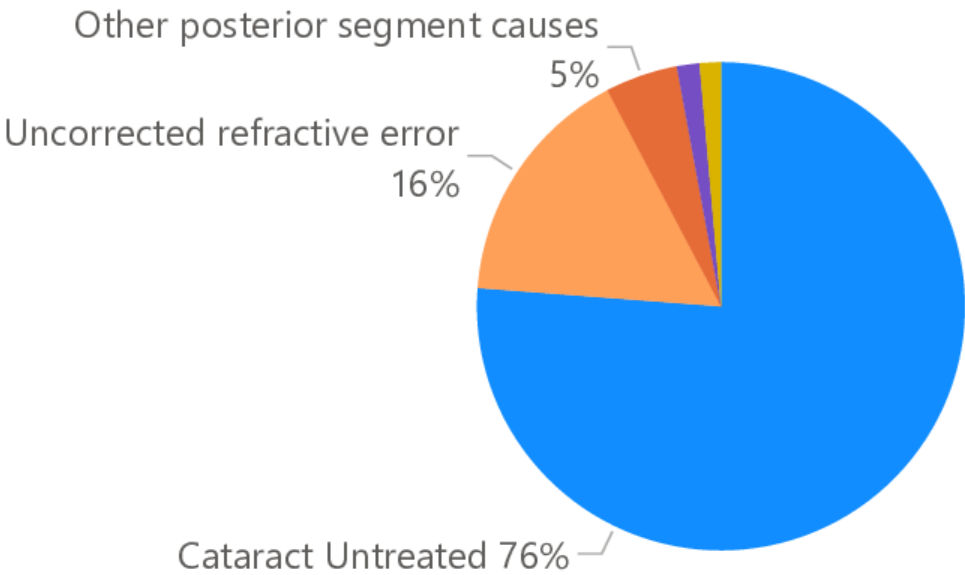
Blindness by Cause



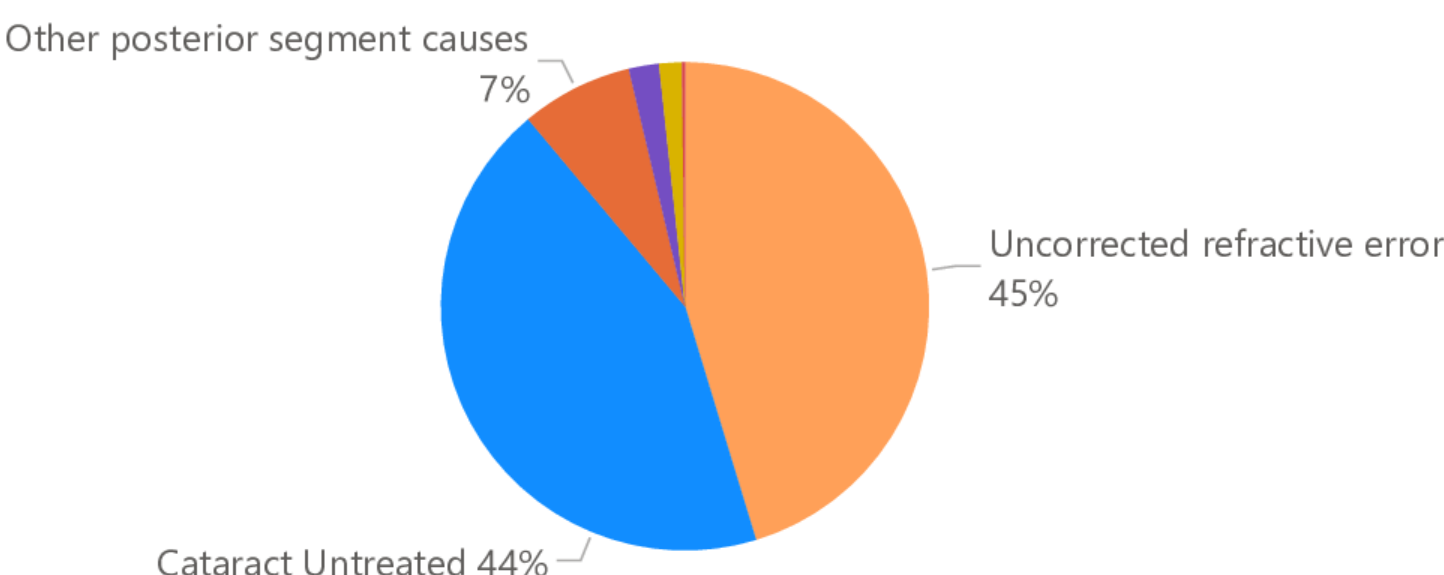
Severe VI by Cause



Moderate VI by Cause



Early (Mild) VI by Cause



Endemic diseases

Source: WHO ([trachoma](#), [onchocerciasis](#))

Known to require interventions
Trachoma status, 2022

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Onchocerciasis status, 2021

Productivity loss due to poor vision per year

Source: [Eckert et al., 2022](#)

Productivity loss was defined as the cost of vision loss based on loss of minimum wage incurred by people aged 50–64 years with blindness or MSVI in 2020.

