February 2026 sponsor update on Mike Honey's GitHub projects   Published

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Hi Sponsors!

Here's the February newsletter summarising what I have been up to across my GitHub projects, for my GitHub Sponsors. Your support (no matter how big or small) has helped fund and encourage me in this work.

If you see anything below that piques your interest, please don't hesitate to ask more questions or dig into the interactive dataviz projects yourself.

Please share my work across your networks and encourage others to join you in sponsoring my projects.

[AIHW-principal-diagnosis](#)

- I launched a new dataviz project, consuming the AIHW's datacubes on the Principal Diagnosis for Hospital Separations. Here's [my intro thread for that project](#)

[covid-19-genomes](#)

- Weekly updates of the data from GISAID and Nextclade continued.

[sars-cov-2-genomes](#)

- Weekly updates of the data from GISAID and Nextclade continued.
- There has been no recent data shared from any state in Australia besides NSW & WA, as [I highlighted on this post.](#)

[covid-19-au-vaccinations](#)

- I added a "NNDSS by Year, Cumulative" page to compare the growth rates of various diseases by year. I used it to highlight the quick start in Measles cases in Australia for 2026, most recently on [this post](#)

- Daily scheduled updates of the data from covidlive.com.au and the associated project scraping the NNDSS data continued
- Monthly updates of the data from ABS (Mortality) continued

covid-19-world-vaccinations

- Daily scheduled updates of the data from OWID, the WHO and HMD continued
- I found my results for the excess deaths analysis pages in this dataviz were very similar to a recent scientific paper on the subject: Global Assessment of COVID-19 Mortality Displacement From 2020 to 2024. I posted about that on this thread

I shared content and analysis from the above projects across various social media channels:

- Mastodon (Aus.Social): https://aus.social/@mike_honey
- BlueSky: https://bsky.app/profile/mikehoney.bsky.social
- Insta: https://www.instagram.com/mike_honey__/
- Threads: https://www.threads.net/@mike_honey__
- Reddit: https://www.reddit.com/user/mike_honey/submitted/
- YouTube: https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCNeIxLSC010bulYuwDFBaYg/
- TikTok: https://www.tiktok.com/@mike_honey

I've withdrawn from posting on X/Twitter now.
That's it for last month; getting back into the swing of things!

Sincere thanks
Mike Honey