



Complementarity of information found in media reports across different countries and languages



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Technical details and publications:

<http://langtech.jrc.ec.europa.eu/>

Applications:

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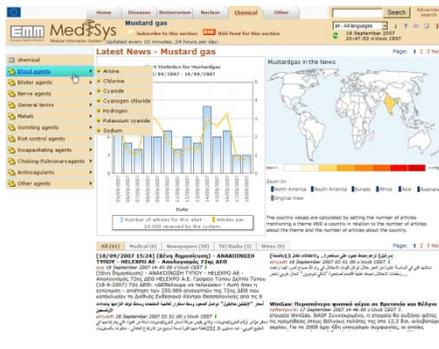
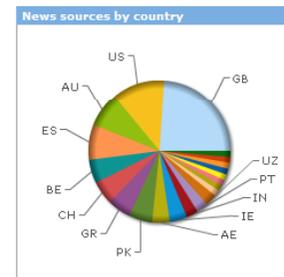
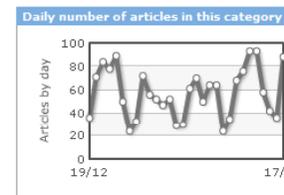
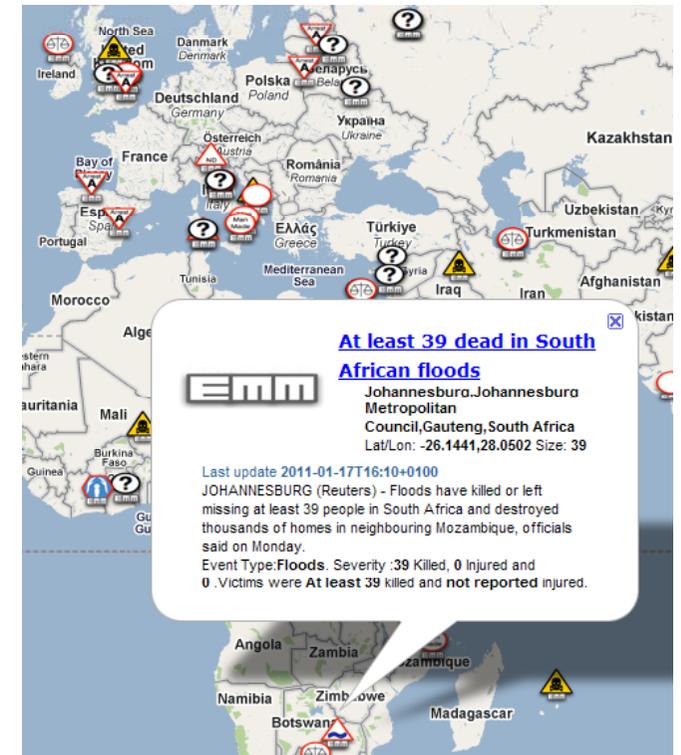
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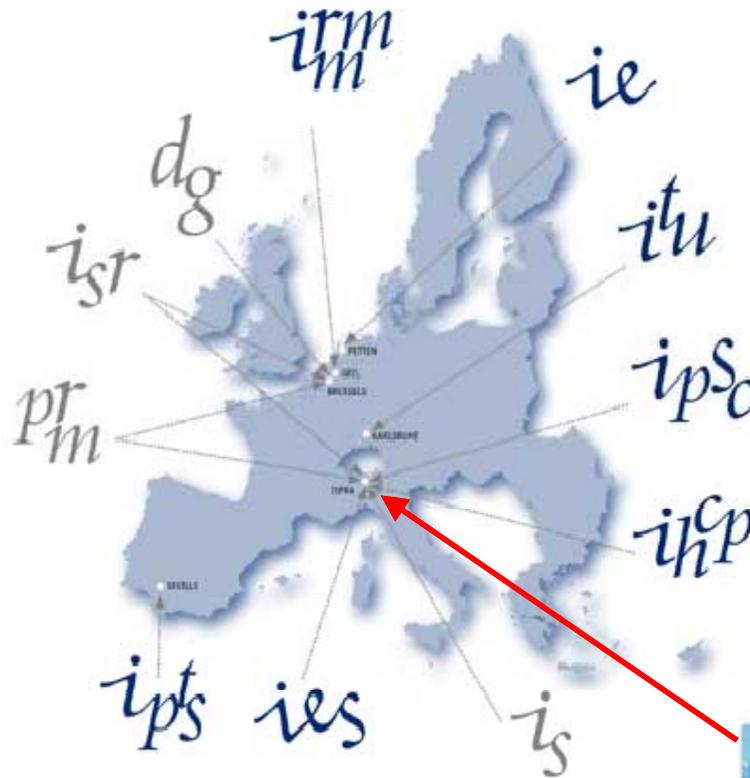
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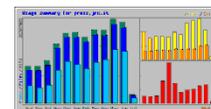
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- European Commission (scientific-technical arm of public administration)
- Non-commercial
- Multi-disciplinary / multilingual
- Relatively small team working on Language Technology and media monitoring



- **European Commission** (most DGs) and other EU Institutions
- **EU Agencies:**
 - e.g. Public Health (ECDC), **Food** Safety (EFSA), **Chemicals** Bureau (ECHA), etc.
- **EU Member State organisations:** e.g.
 - Public **Health**,
 - **law enforcement** authorities,
 - **parliaments**,
 - crisis management/**humanitarian**
- **International and extra-European organisations:** e.g.
 - various UN organisations
 - Centres for **Disease** Prevention and Control in the **US, Canada, China**, ...
- **The public:**
 - Ca. 20 - 30,000 anonymous **internet** users of publicly accessible EMM systems.
 - Combined between 1 and 2 Million hits per day





- ~ **2500 Sources** (world-wide, with focus on Europe)
 - ~ 2300 news sources (web portals)
 - ~ 200 specialist medical sites
 - ~ 20 commercial newswires
 - Specialist pay-for sources (LexisMed)
 - 24/7, updated every 10 minutes
- ~ **100,000 articles / day in ~ 50 languages**
- Converts dirty html with adverts, menus, html tags, 'related stories', etc. into clean and standardised UTF-8 encoded RSS format.
- Articles are fed into the various EMM applications:



Steinberger Ralf, Bruno Pouliquen & Erik van der Goot (2009). **An introduction to the Europe Media Monitor Family of Applications**. In: Fredric Gey, Noriko Kando & Jussi Karlgren (eds.): Information Access in a Multilingual World - Proceedings of the SIGIR 2009 Workshop (SIGIR-CLIR'2009), pp. 1-8. Boston, USA. 23 July 2009.

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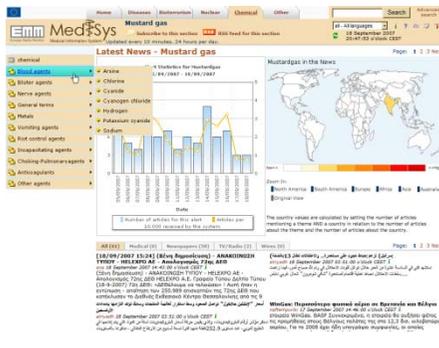
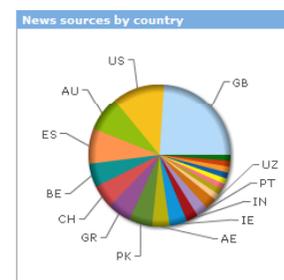
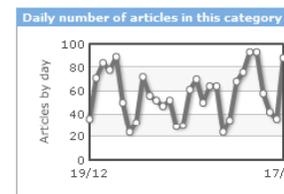
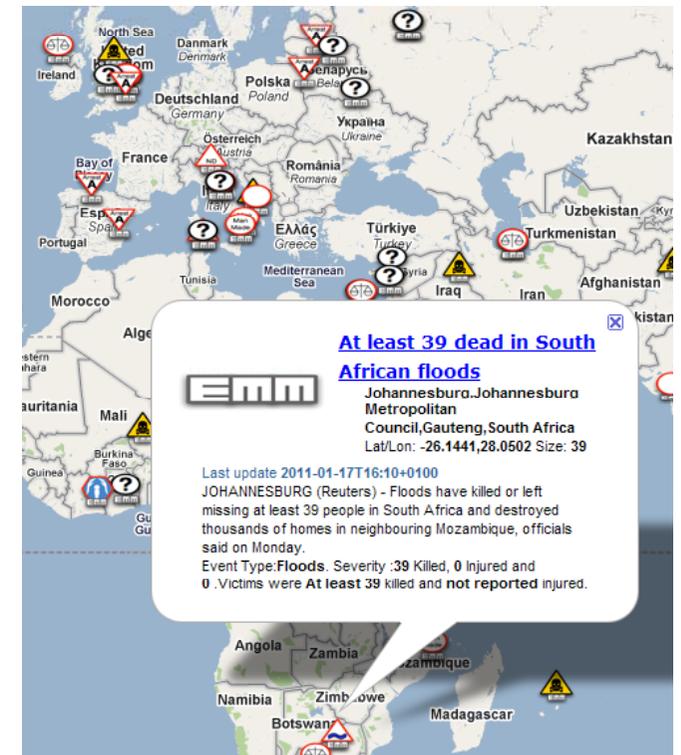
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Locations mentioned in MedISys medical articles across languages – **complementary coverage**



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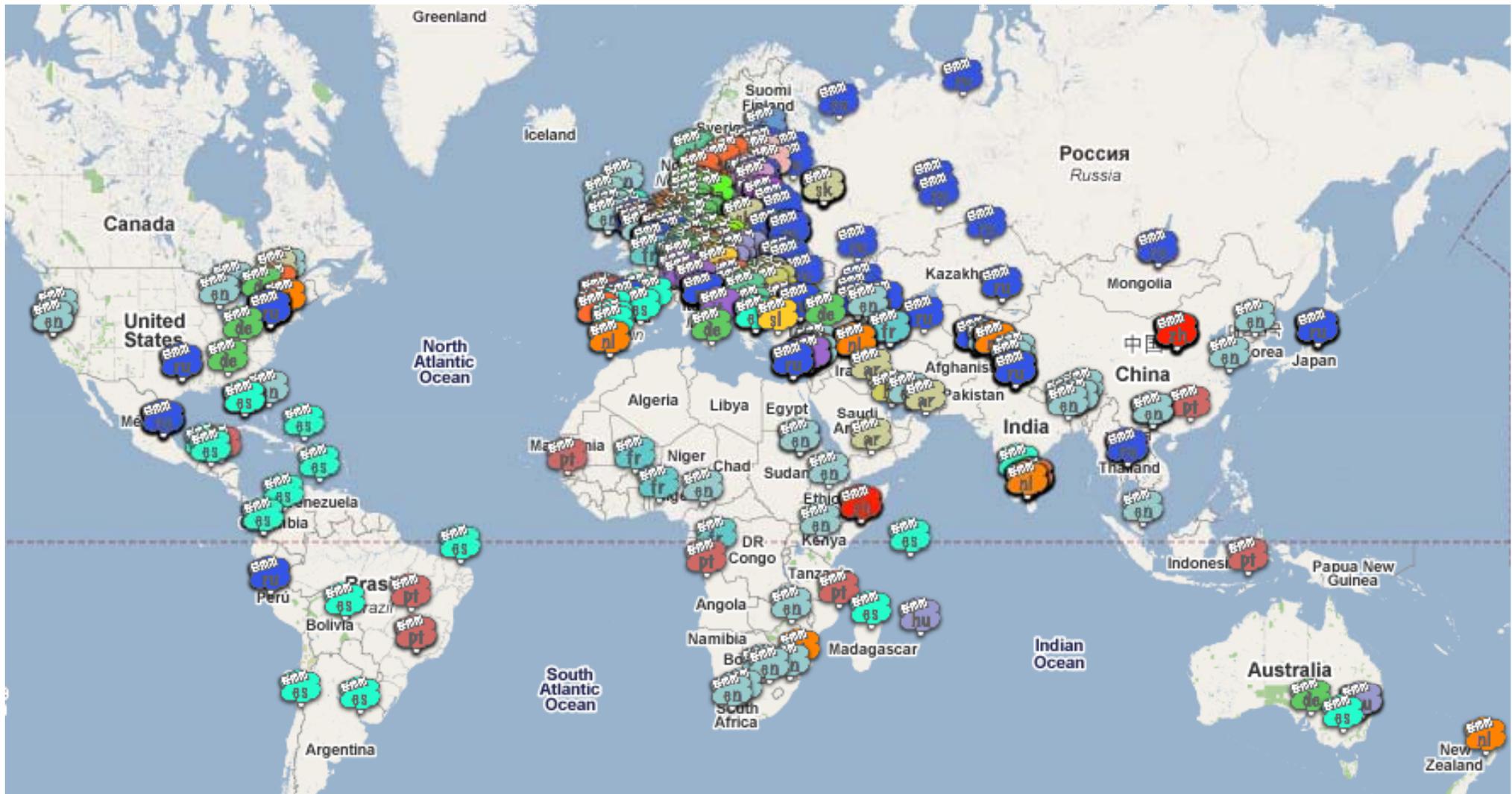




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Multilingual Web Workshop, Pisa, Italy, 4 April 2011

Display of latest geo-located news clusters





Co-occurrence relation between people produced on the basis of many languages is **less biased**.

- Associated People**
- Salman Bashir (1.9)
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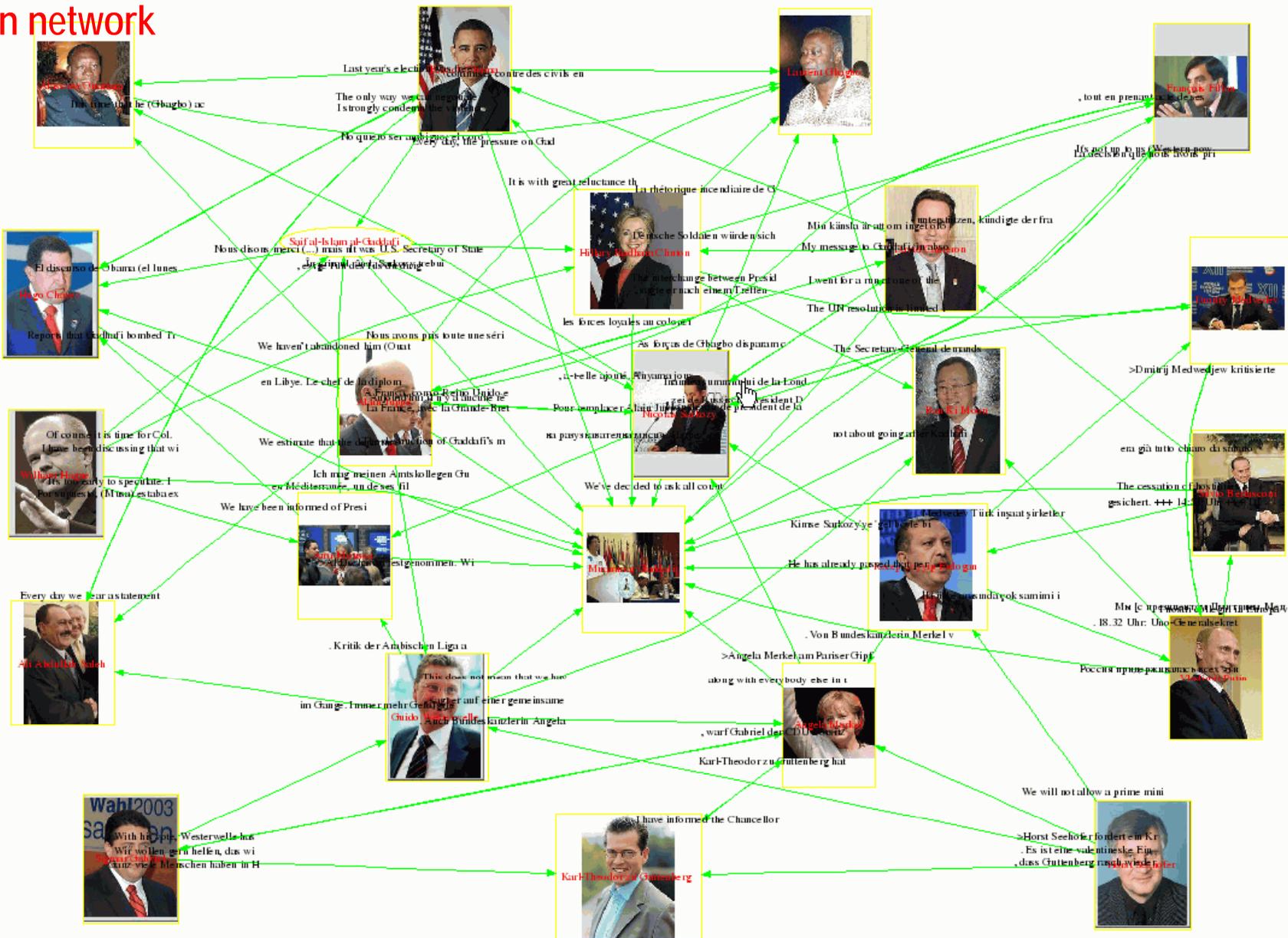
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Alexander Litvinenko

Information about this person was last updated on Dienstag, 20. März 2007.

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Alexander Litvinenko (Eu,nl)	russo (it,pt - 349)	
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Александр Литвиненко (ru)	russa (it,pt - 76)	
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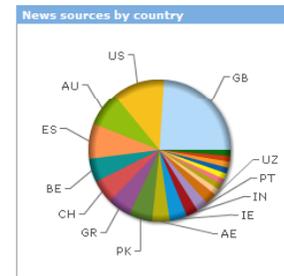
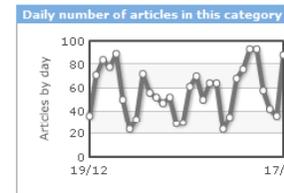
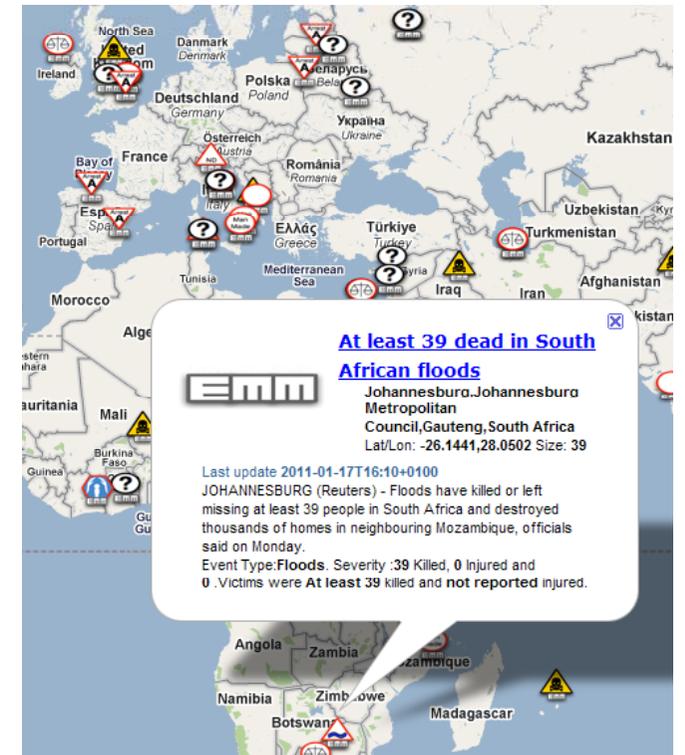
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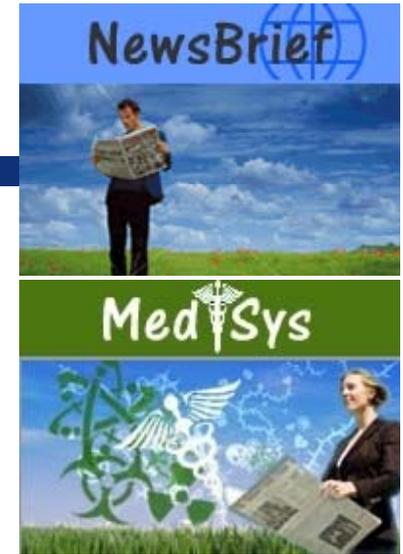
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Workers at Japan's damaged nuclear plant raced to pump out contaminated water suspected of sending radioactivity levels soaring as officials warned Monday that radiation seeping.....
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Nato has finally taken command of military operations in Libya, enabling the alliance to strike at Gaddafi forces, as reports say Sirte has been pounded by coalition jets....
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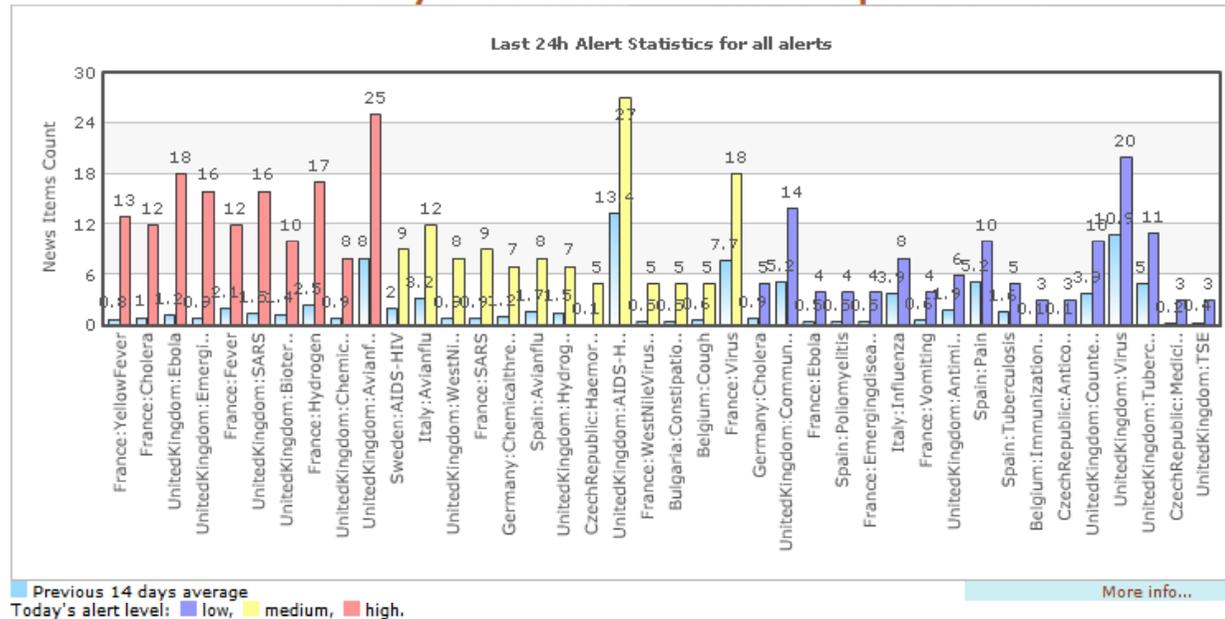
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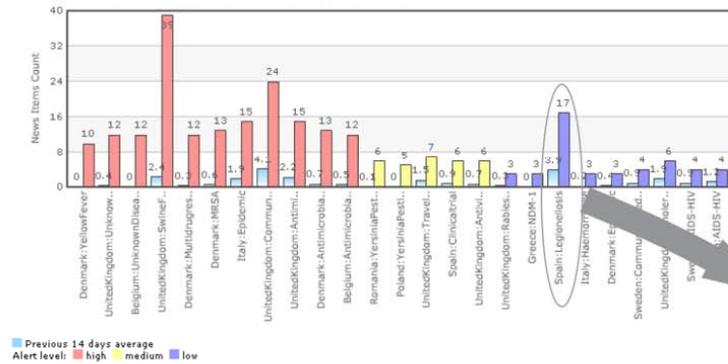
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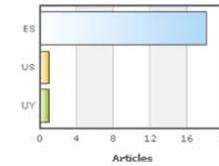


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Latest News - Spain, Legionellosis

Articles published more than 40 minutes ago

Detectan a dos personas más afectadas por el brote de legionella en Madrid

■ eldia Tuesday, October 26, 2010 7:53:00 PM CEST | info [en]

Nacional - Edición digital 18:10 La Consejería de Sanidad de la Comunidad de Madrid ha detectado dos afectados más de legionella en Madrid, lo que eleva a 29 el número de diagnosticados. Un total de seis de los enfermos que permanecían ingresados por el brote han sido dados de alta mientras que 21.....

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Dos nuevos casos elevan a 29 los afectados por legionela en Madrid

■ elpais Tuesday, October 26, 2010 4:43:00 PM CEST | info [en]

Dos nuevos casos de legionela elevan a 29 las personas afectadas por el brote de esta enfermedad en Madrid, dos de ellas fallecidas , según los últimos datos hechos públicos hoy por la consejería de Sanidad en un comunicado. El comunicado también informa de que de los afectados seis han sido dados de alta mientras que 21 permanecen ingresados....

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Dos nuevos casos de legionela elevan a 29 el número de afectados en Madrid

■ cadenaser Tuesday, October 26, 2010 2:14:00 PM CEST | info [en]

Según la actualización que ha hecho pública la Consejería de Sanidad de la Comunidad de Madrid, hasta el momento hay 21 personas ingresadas, tres continúan en la Unidad de Cuidados Intensivos (UCI) y seis han sido dados de alta y se encuentran ya en sus casas bajo medicación....

Dos nuevos casos de legionela elevan a 29 los afectados por el brote en Madrid

■ 20minutos Tuesday, October 26, 2010 11:30:00 AM CEST | info [en]

EP De ellas, 21 permanecen ingresadas y seis han sido dados de alta. De momento han fallecido dos personas diagnosticadas de legionela. Ya se han revisado 231 instalaciones, a pesar de que el resultado del cultivo de la bacteria no estará disponible hasta el día 29. Fallece una segunda persona debido al brote de legionela detectado....

Aumenta a 29 los infectados por legionela en Madrid

■ abc Tuesday, October 26, 2010 11:29:00 AM CEST | info [en]

La Consejería de Sanidad de la Comunidad de Madrid ha detectado dos personas más afectadas de legionella en la región, lo que eleva a 29 el número de diagnosticados de la enfermedad en la Comunidad de Madrid. En una entrevista en Telemadrid, recogida por Europa Press, el consejero de Sanidad de la.....

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■ elpais Tuesday, October 26, 2010 10:09:00 AM CEST | info [en]

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 WELLINGTON: New Zealand conservation officials on Friday euthanized 10 pilot whales, the only survivors of a 24-strong pod that became stranded in a mangrove swamp. The whales had been found earlier in the day trapped in the shallow water and mud in Parengarenga Harbor on North Island, with 14 already dead....

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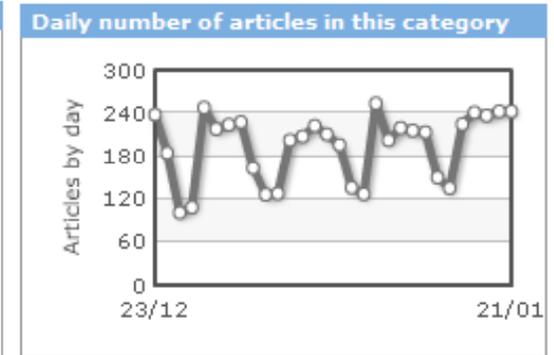
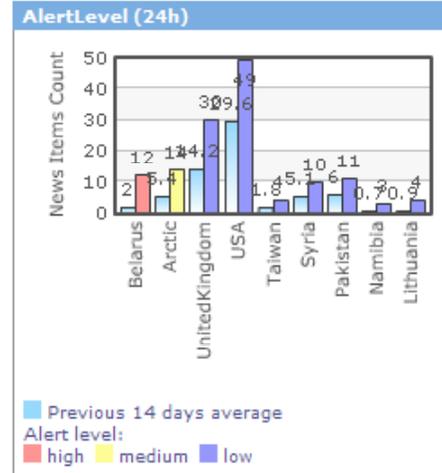
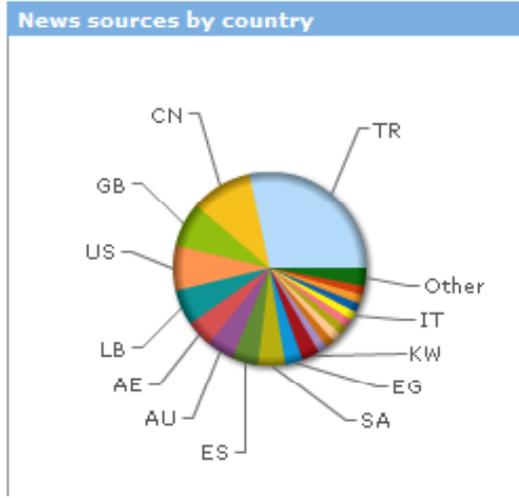
Renewable energy sector has lots of spark left, say Experts

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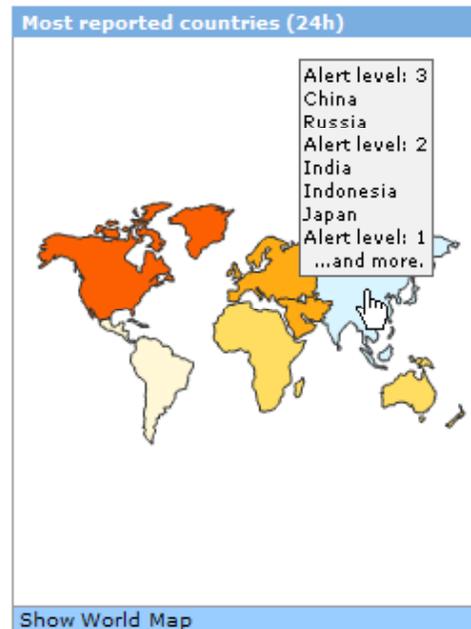
Fatih Birol said: "The main challenge from the economic crisis is over but full recovery is threatened by the lack of equilibrium between the cost and supply of oil," "High oil prices are a key risk to the fragile economic recovery among developed nations" khaleejtimes Friday, January 21, 2011 6:02:00 AM CET

Fatih Birol said: "Government subsidies of energy fuels leads to inefficiencies and waste through artificially high use," "Coupled with the current gas glut this poses a real threat to future investment in renewables. Having said this, energy policy reforms being formulated and implemented by the UAE government need to be commended" khaleejtimes Friday, January 21, 2011 6:02:00 AM CET

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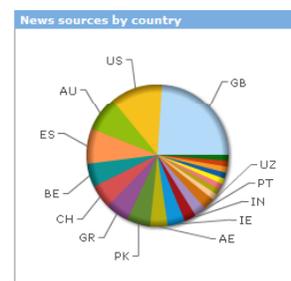
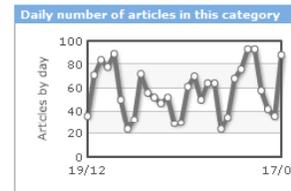
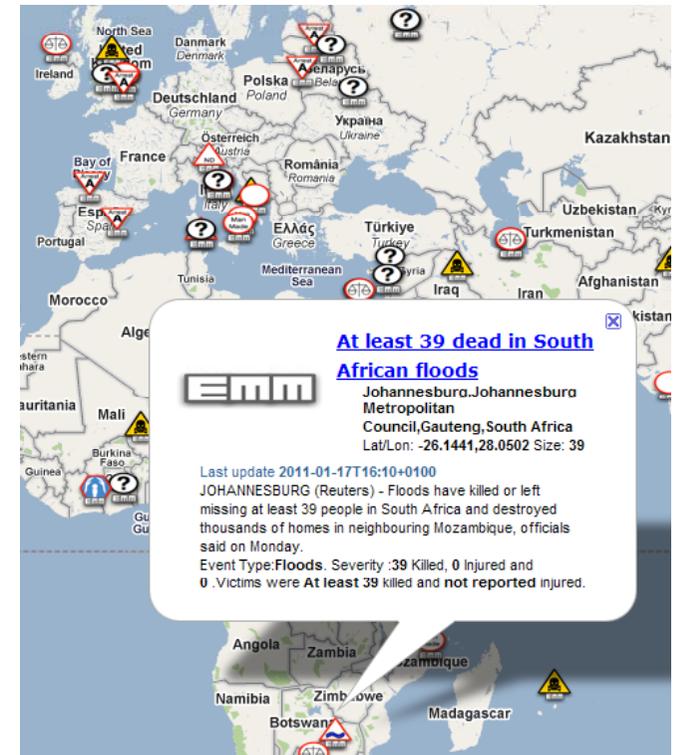
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Libyan rebels continue westward push [67] de es fr it nl ar bg da et fa no pl pt ro ru sl sv sw tr

Libyan rebels say they have entered town of Ras Lanuf after defeating pro-Gaddafi troops further east.
RTRadio 1:30:00 PM CEST

Workers evacuated from Fukushima plant [45] de es fr it nl da et pl pt sl sv

Japanese authorities evacuated workers from a reactor building they were working in after high doses of radiation were detected at the crippled Fukushima nuclear plant.
RTRadio 9:20:00 AM CEST

2 killed in Israeli airstrike as nation deploys new defense system [37] de es fr it nl ar bg pt sl sv

An Israeli airstrike in northern Gaza Sunday morning killed two Palestinians and injured three others, according to Israeli and Palestinian officials.
cnn 5:24:00 PM CEST

Syrian troops step up street patrols [29] de es fr it nl ar da fa no pt ru sl sv tr

Syria's army beefed up its presence in the southern city of Deraa, a

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Castro quits as president, state-run paper reports [72] de es fr it nl ar bg da

et fa no pl pt ro ru sl sv tr

Fidel Castro announced his resignation as president of Cuba and commander-in-chief of Cuba's military on Tuesday, according to a letter published by state-run newspaper Granma.
cnn 9:23:00 AM CET

گزارش تلویزیون فراتسه از کناره گیری فیدل کاسترو de en fr it nl
شبکه بین المللی فرانس 24 در برنامه ویژه ای به مناسبت کناره گیری فیدل کاسترو از قدرت در کوبا با تحلیلگر سیاسی خود به گفتگی پرداخت. ژان برنار کادیه تحلیلگر سیاسی این شبکه گفت دوره انتقالی پس از فیدل کاسترو در کوبا از مدتی پیش آغاز شده است. در 31 ژوئیه 2006 وی زمام قدرت را به برادرش راؤل کاسترو سپرد و...
iranpressnews 13:36:00 o'clock CET

Kuba: Fidel Castro gibt das Zepter ab en es fr it nl ar bg da et fa no pl pt ro ru sl sv tr

Der legendäre kubanische Staatschef verzichtet laut Online-Ausgabe der kommunistischen Parteizeitung auf die Führung des Landes.
Fidel Castro zrezygnował! de en es fr it nl
Przywódca kubański Fidel Castro po 49 latach rządów zrezygnował we wtorek z funkcji przewodniczącego Rady Państwa Kuby.

Fidel Castro går av de en es fr it nl

Partiav som pr styrtet stat...
Fidel Castro renuncia a la Presidencia del Consejo de Estado de en fr it nl et no pl pt ro sl sv tr

A Cuba, Fidel Castro renonce au pouvoir de en es it nl ar bg da et ru sl sv tr

Fidel Castro renunciou à presidência de Cuba de en es fr it nl
Anúncio no órgão oficial do Partido Comunista cubano Fidel Castro anunciou hoje que se retira da

Fidel Castro se retrage de la presedintia Cubei de en es fr it nl
Fidel Castro a anuntat, marti, ca renunta la presedintia Cubei, in editia electronica a cotidianului

Cuba, Fidel Castro rinuncia alla presidenza de en es fr nl ar bg da et ru sl sv tr

L'A Cubaanse president Fidel Castro afgetreden de en es fr it ar ro ru sl sv tr

کاسترو یرستقیل وپوش یدعو للتحول الیدمقراطی فی کوبا de en fr it nl

فی مؤتمر صحفی فی رواندا، إلی مساعده کوبا علی البدء بعملیة "انتقال دیمقراطیة"، وذلك إثر قرار الزعیم -- (CNN) هافانا، کوبا فیدل کاسترو، بالتحقی عن منصبه کرئیس للبلاد. وقال بوش: "إن علی المجتمع الدولي أن یعمل مع الشعب الكوبي للبدء بإقامة مؤسسات...
cnnarabic 01:21:00 م

Кастро се оттегли от президентския пост de en es fr it nl

Фидел Кастро обяви, че се отказва от президентския пост, съобщава АФП.

Fogh vil ikke savne Castro de en es fr it nl

"Polit REPLIK: Castro-aja lõpu algus de en es fr it nl
Üks 20. sajandi menukam vabadus-võitleja ja tuntum diktaator Fidel Castro kui Nõukogude "geronid", kelle jaoks tähendas lahkumine võimult ka võim kestab vähemalt esitsa edasi, sest esimeseks asendajaks peeti...
epl 23:17:00 CET

Fidel Castro se je odpovedal položaju kubanskega predsednika de en es fr it nl

Kubanski voditelj Fidel Castro je danes sporočil, da se odpoveduje položaju predsednika države. Kot je Castro še zapisal v sporočilu, objavljenem v spletni izdaji uradnega glasila Granma, se ne poteguje in

Värmbys skakade hand med Fidel Castro. de en es fr it nl

- Ja. Jag har inte tvättat högernäven sedan dess, 1983. Jag var på en stor sammandragning på Kuba med uppmaningen att USA skulle häva blockaden mot landet.
smp kl 19:51 CET

Фидель Кастро отказался от поста председателя Госсовета Кубы de en fr it nl

ГАВАНА, 19 февраля. /ИТАР-ТАСС/. Фидель Кастро отказался от поста главы государства и правительства - председателя Государственного совета Кубы. Об этом он сообщил в обращении к... дство

Bir dönemin sonu de en es fr it nl

Küba Komünist Partisi'nin yayın organı Granma'ya açıklama yapan Castro, devlet başkanlığına geri dönmeyeceğini belirtti. Fidel Castro 1959 yılından beri ülkeyi yönetiyordu. Ancak 2006'da geçirdiği ağır ameliyattan beri iktidar kolтуğundan uzak kaldı. Ülke yönetimine, ağabeyi Fidel Castro'ya vekalet eden Raul Castro bakıyordu.
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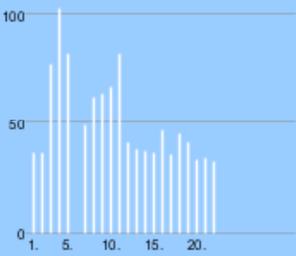
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Pakistan's new-look Supreme Court has, as expected, dismissed the last challenge to President Pervez Musharraf's re-election.
euronews-en 2:31:00 PM CET

Did Pakistan Face Rule? A Little Test Says No

Emergency rule 'destroying the judiciary'
BangkokPost 8:26:00 PM CET

Exiled ex-PM Sharif plots return to Pakistan
usaToday 10:58:00 PM CET

Pakistan Court Rules for Musharraf
ABCnews 2:43:00 PM CET

'Bush unembarrassed by Pakistan emergency'
dailytimesPK 12:28:00 AM CET

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Pakistan's Commonwealth suspension in sorrow, not anger: Britain (AFP)
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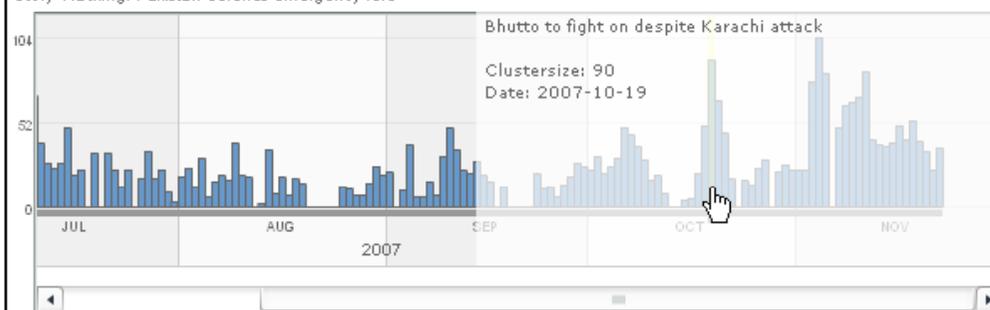
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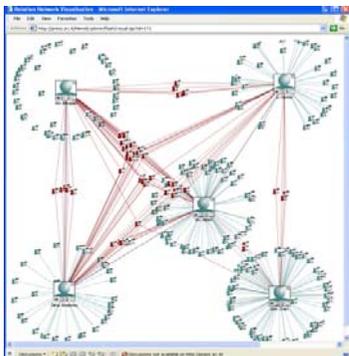
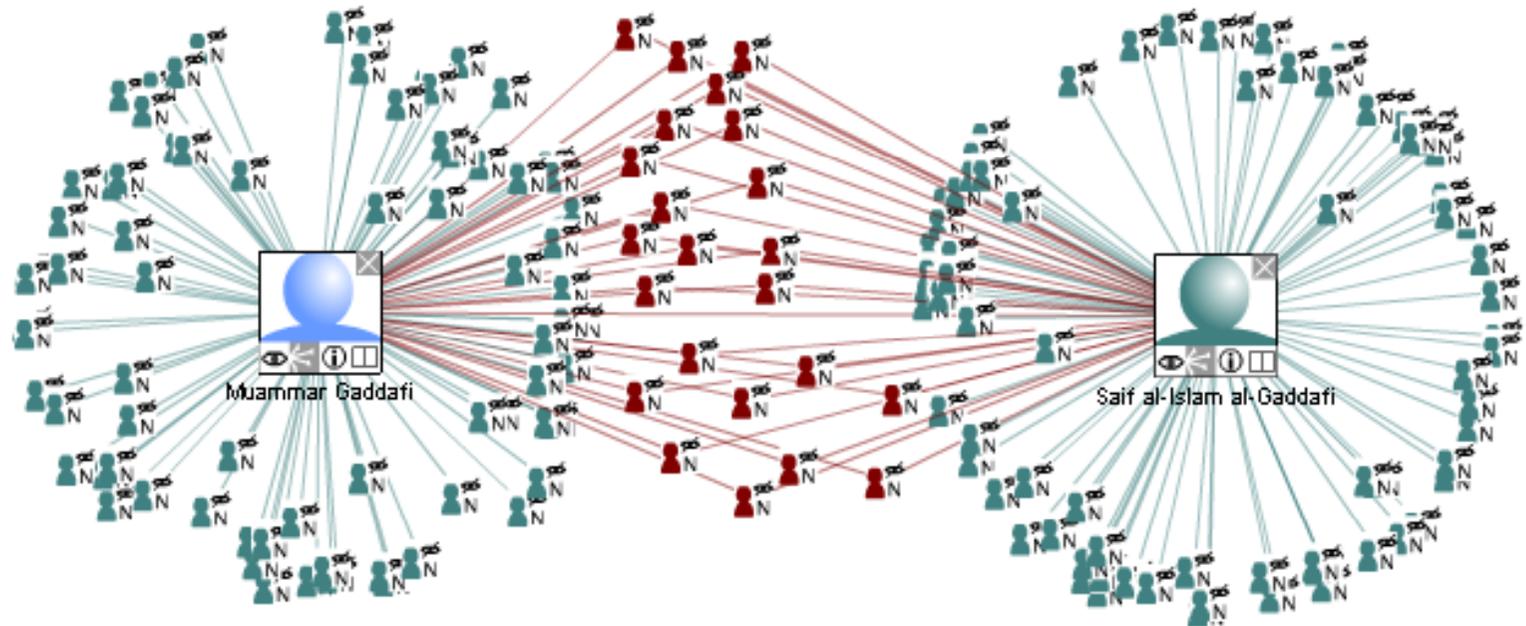
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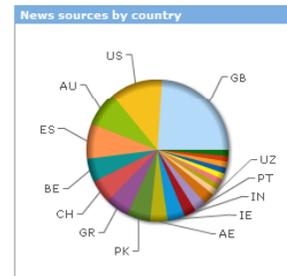
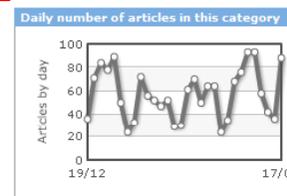
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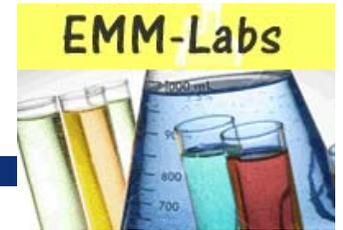
At least 39 dead in South African floods
Johannesburg Metropolitan Council, Gauteng, South Africa
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 JOHANNESBURG (Reuters) - Floods have killed or left missing at least 39 people in South Africa and destroyed thousands of homes in neighbouring Mozambique, officials said on Monday.
 Event Type:Floods. Severity :39 Killed, 0 Injured and 0 .Victims were At least 39 killed and not reported injured.



EMM MedSys interface showing search results for 'Mustard gas'. The interface includes a search bar, a list of results, and a map of the world with a highlighted region.

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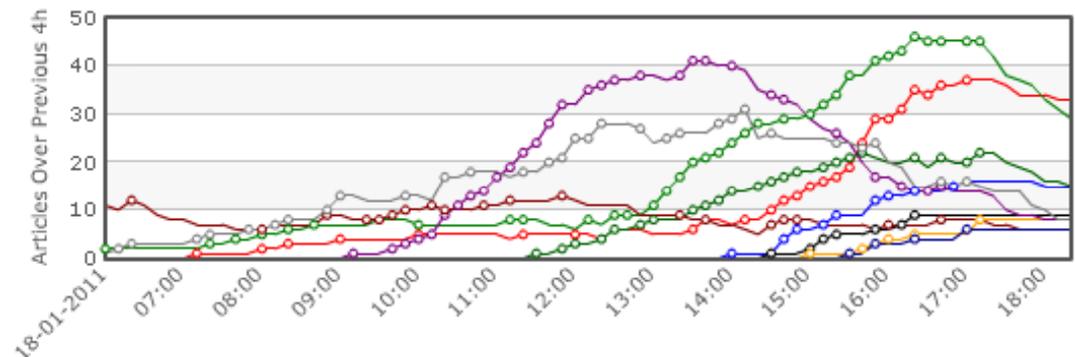
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- Near real-time: every 10 minutes,** EMM clusters the latest articles
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Baghdad car bombs kill at least 127

Event Type: **Terrorist Attack**
Severity: **127 killed 448 injured**
Weapons: **car bomb**
Place: **Baghdad**

Johannesburg: cinq suspects arrêtés pour le meurtre du curé français

Event Type: **Arrest**
Severity: **1 killed 0 injured**
Victims: **prêtre français/ Louis Blondel killed**
Place: **Johannesburg**

Police search for killer bus driver

Event Type: **Man-Made Disaster**
Severity: **1 killed 6 injured**
Victims: **passenger killed**
Place: **London**

Timor-Leste: Indonésios estão a fazer "cortina de fumo" sobre morte dos "5 de Balibó" - viúva (C/ÁUDIO)

Severity: **5 killed, 0 injured**
Victims: **jornalistas killed**
Place: **Timor-Leste.**

Car bomber strikes north Pakistan

ech-chorouk-en Tuesday, November 10, 2009 2:23:00 PM CET

A car bomb has exploded in Pakistani's northwestern town of Charsadda killing *at least 10 people....*

Bomb explodes in northwestern Pakistani town

yediotaharonot Tuesday, November 10, 2009 1:58:00 PM CET

A bomb exploded in the northwestern Pakistani town of Charsadda on Tuesday causing an *unknown number* of casualties, police said. "It was a bomb blast...."

10 killed in Pakistan bomb

RTERadio Tuesday, November 10, 2009 1:57:00 PM CET

A bomb has exploded in the north-western Pakistani town of Charsadda, killing *10 people....*

TYPE	Bombing
PLACE	Charsadda, Pakistan
TIME	Tuesday, November 10, 2009
DEAD COUNT	10
DEAD DESCRIPTION	<i>people</i>
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 **Three die as Egypt protests erupt**

Articles: , Last update: , Start:
Event Type: **Disorder/Protest/Mutiny**. Severity: **3** killed injured and kidnapped. Victims were **Three** killed and injured. Perpetrators were and the weapons used were .

Place: **Cairo**. [i](#)

Three die as Egypt protests erupt

Wednesday, January 26, 2011 6:30:00 AM CET | [info](#)

Egyptian police fired tear gas and rubber bullets and beat protesters to clear thousands of people from a central Cairo square after the biggest demonstrations in years against President Hosni Mubarak's authoritarian rule....

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 **Five dead as blast rips through bus**

Articles: , Last update: , Start:
Event Type: **Bombing**. Severity: **5** killed **13** injured and kidnapped. Victims were **Five** killed and **13** injured. Perpetrators were and the weapons used were .

Place: **Manila**. [i](#)

Five dead as blast rips through bus

Wednesday, January 26, 2011 6:30:00 AM CET | [info](#)

The death toll from a bus bombing in the Philippine capital has risen to five with 13 wounded as authorities suspect terrorists are to blame and step up security....

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 **Hamas takes back authorization for Abbas, PLO to negotiate with Israel**

Articles: , Last update: , Start:
Event Type: **Other**. Severity: killed injured and kidnapped. Victims were killed and injured. Perpetrators were and the weapons used were .

Place: **Jerusalem**. [i](#)

Hamas takes back authorization for Abbas, PLO to negotiate with Israel

Wednesday, January 26, 2011 6:30:00 AM CET | [info](#)

Hamas movement on Tuesday withdrew its authorization for Palestinian President Mahmoud Abbas and Palestine Liberation Organization (PLO) to negotiate with Israel on behalf of the Palestinians. "The authorization that Abbas got in the National Agreement Document is no longer existed and we will not....."

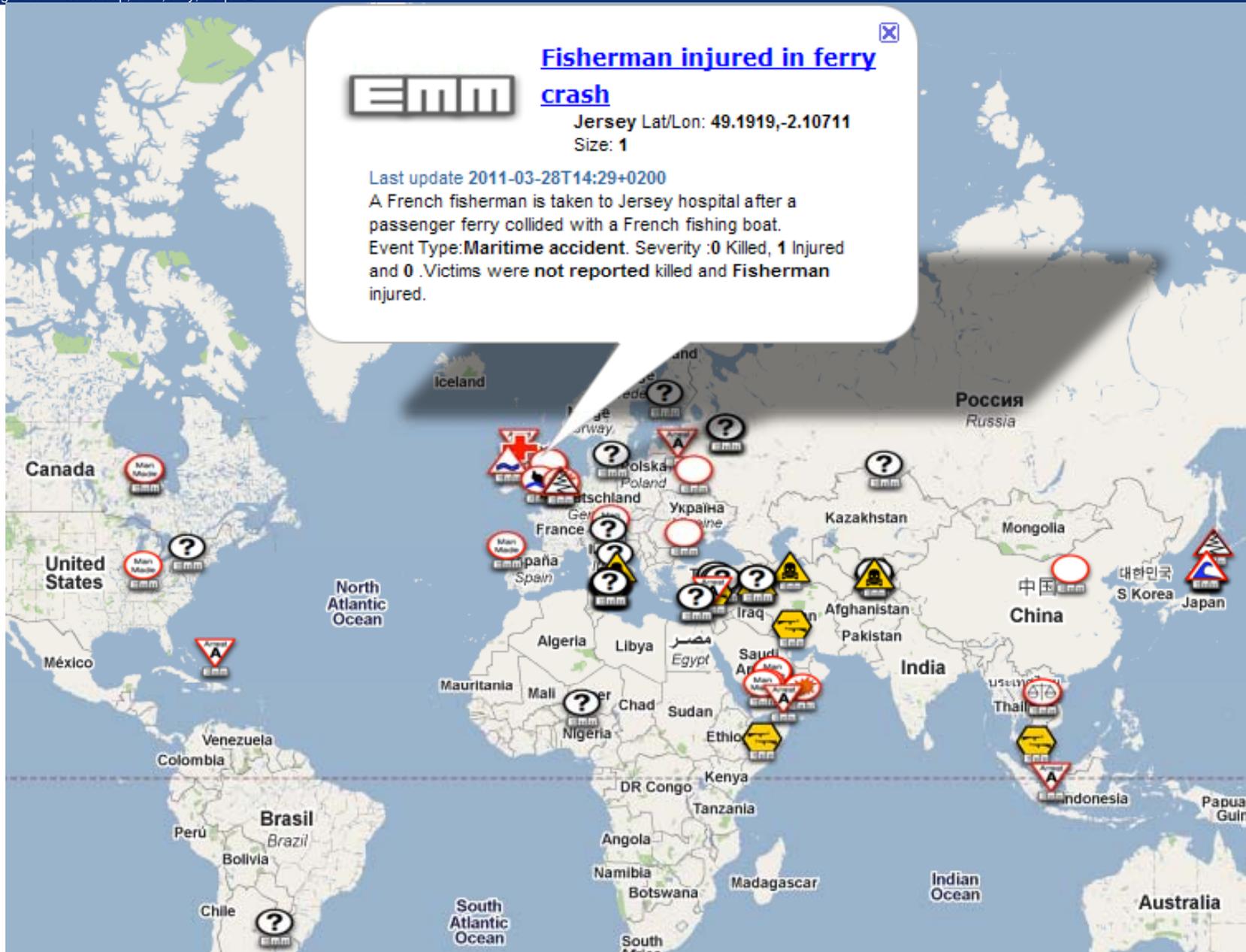
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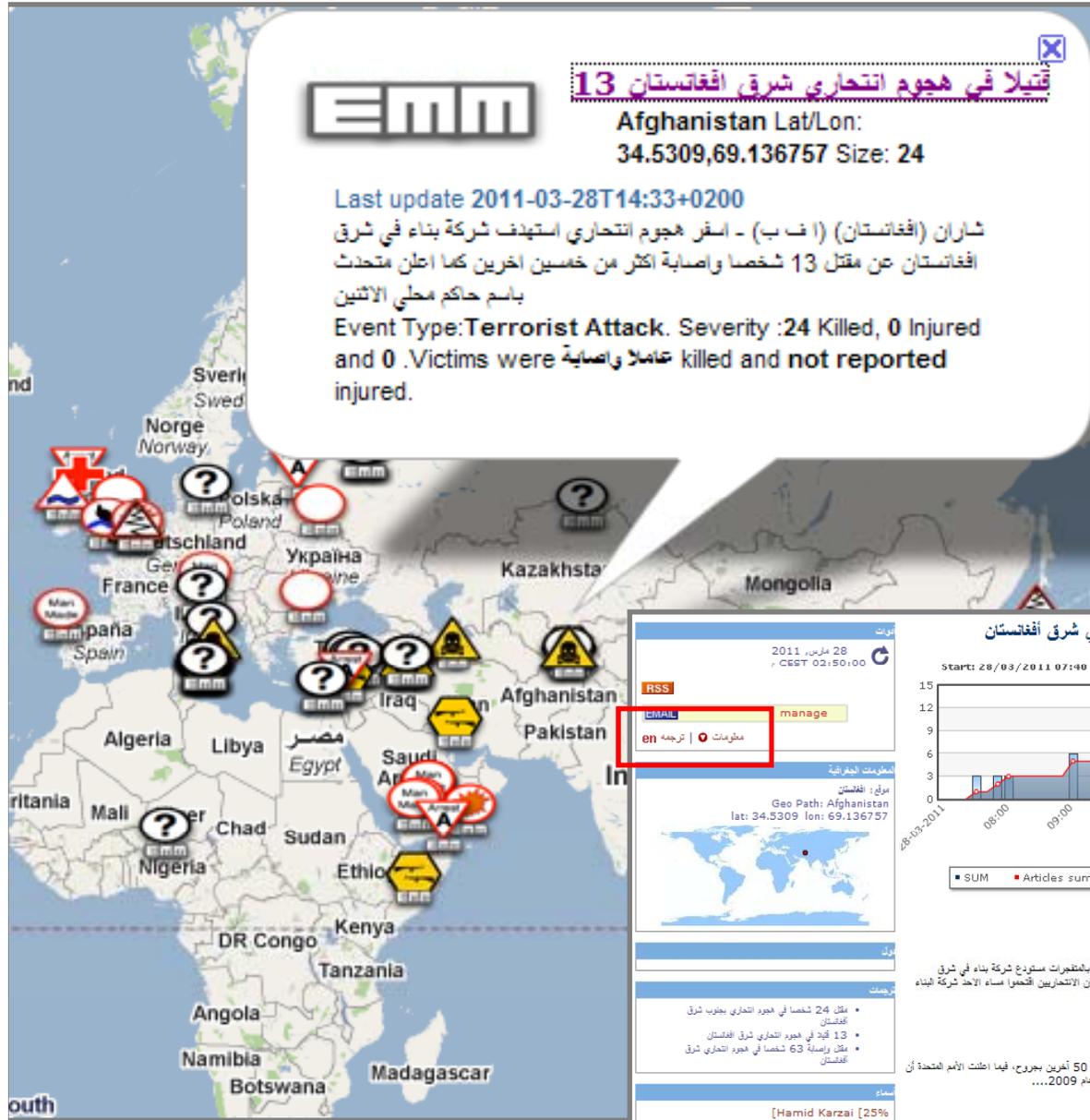
 **Hawker suspect publishes memoir**

Articles: , Last update: , Start:
Event Type: **Arrest**. Severity: **1** killed injured and kidnapped. Victims were **British woman** killed and injured. Perpetrators were and the weapons used were .

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قتيلا في هجوم انتحاري شرق أفغانستان 13

Afghanistan Lat/Lon: 34.5309,69.136757 Size: 24

Last update 2011-03-28T14:33+0200

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Event Type: Terrorist Attack. Severity :24 Killed, 0 Injured and 0 .Victims were **عاملا واصابة** killed and not reported injured.

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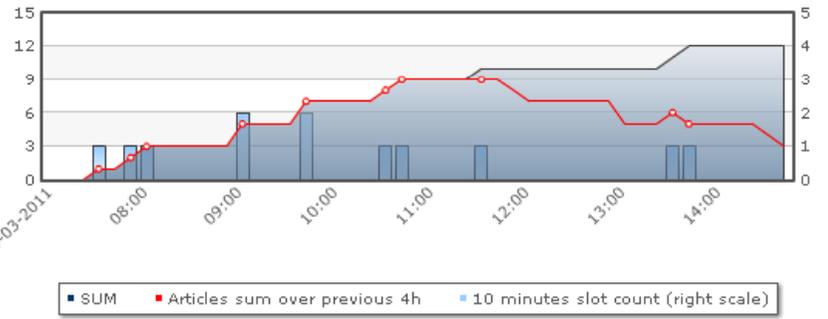
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13 قتيلا في هجوم انتحاري شرق أفغانستان
 28 مارس، 2011 10:44:00 CEST | معلومات en
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24 killed in a suicide attack in southeast Afghanistan
 Sharan (Afghanistan) - Afghan officials said Monday that three suicide bombers stormed through a bus loaded with explosives depot building company in eastern Afghanistan, killing 24 miners and injuring 59 others were injured. She said the Afghan Ministry of Interior that the two suicide bombers stormed on Sunday evening the construction company in Paktika province after they killed a security guard shot dead, and then blew up their bus.

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 شاران (أفغانستان) - أعلن مسؤولون أفغان الاثنين أن ثلاثة انتحاريين أقموا بواسطة حافلة محملة بالمفخرات مستودع شركة بناء في شرق أفغانستان، ما أدى إلى مقتل 24 عاملا واصابة 59 آخرين بجروح. وقالت وزارة الداخلية الأفغانية أن الانتحاريين أقموا مساء الأحد شركة البناء في ولاية پاكتيكا بعد أن قتلوا حارسا أمنيا بالرصاص، ثم فجروا حافلتهم....

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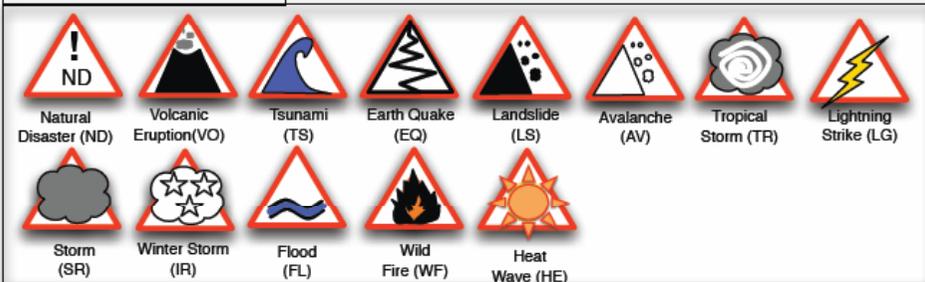
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Violent Crisis Event Types



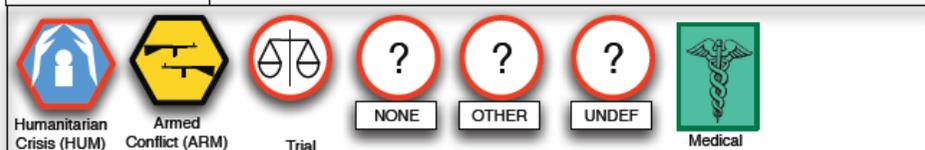
Natural Disaster Crisis Event Types



Man Made Disaster Crisis Event Types



Other Crisis Event Types



- JRC: Who we are – what we do – our customers.
- Europe Media Monitor (EMM) family of applications
 - Publicly accessible at <http://emm.newsbrief.eu/overview.html>
- Motivation for multilingual text processing
- How to get access to this complementary information
 - Multilingual category definitions and alerts
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- Ongoing work & Summary**

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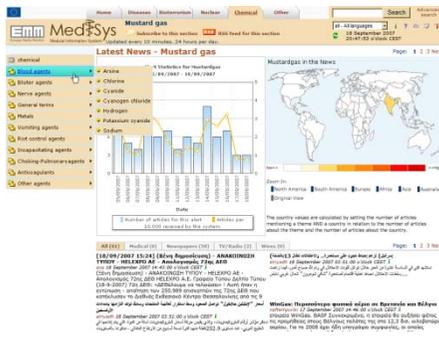
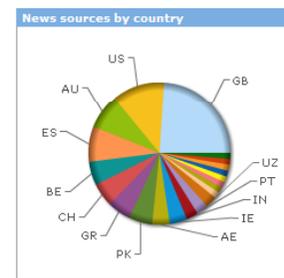
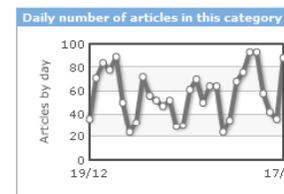
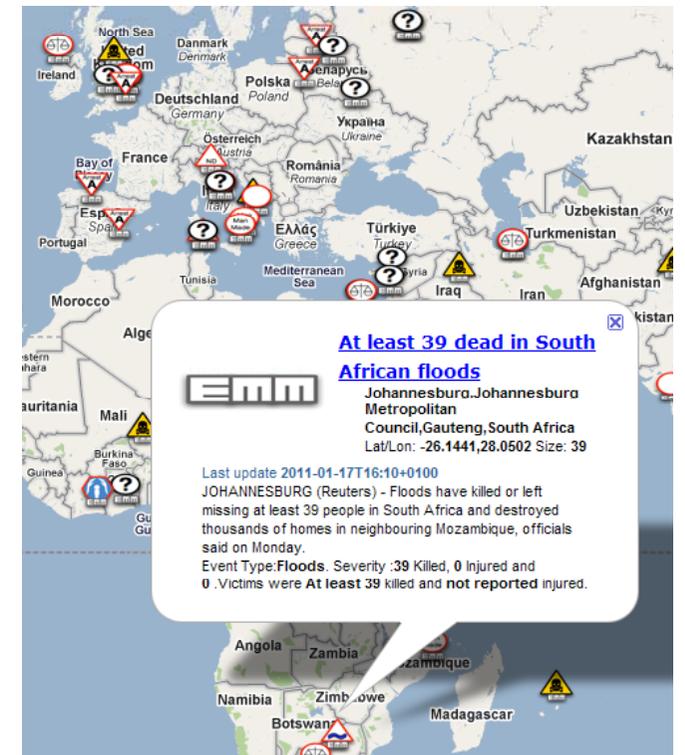
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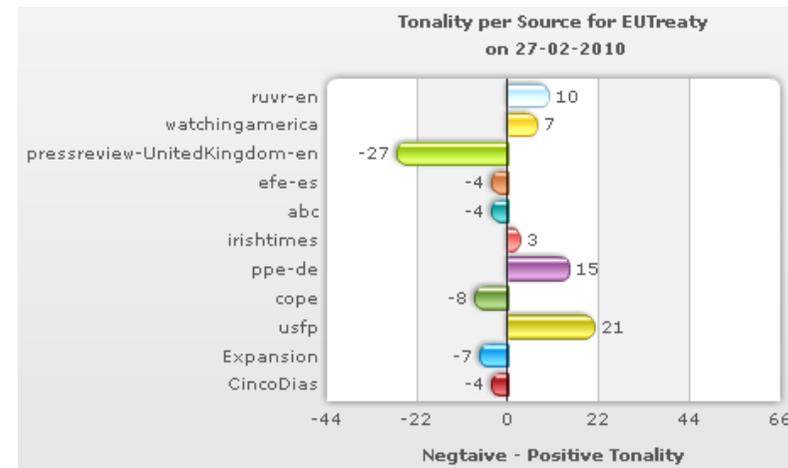
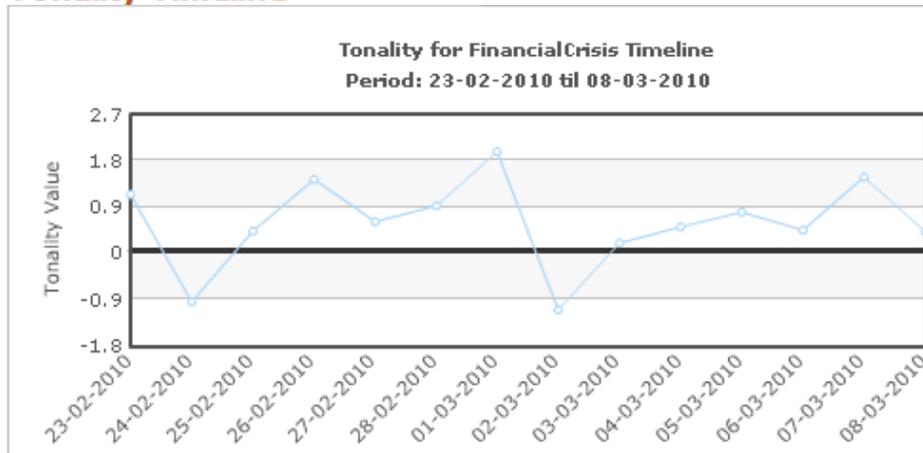
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- E.g. Detect opinions on
 - European Constitution; EU press releases;
 - Entities (persons, organisations, EU programmes and initiatives);
- Detect and display **opinion differences** across sources and across countries;
- Follow trends over time.

Tonality Timeline

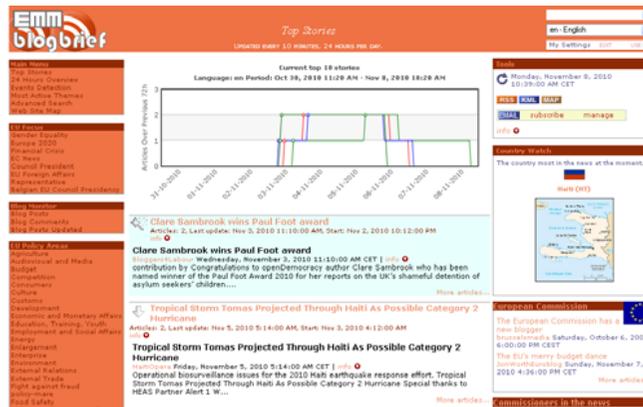


- **Facebook:**
Keyword searches on publicly available posts
e.g. search for *Chikungunya* on openbook.org

extract publicly available friend networks.

- **Twitter:**
Keyword searches on publicly available tweets
e.g. search for *Chikungunya* on twitter.com

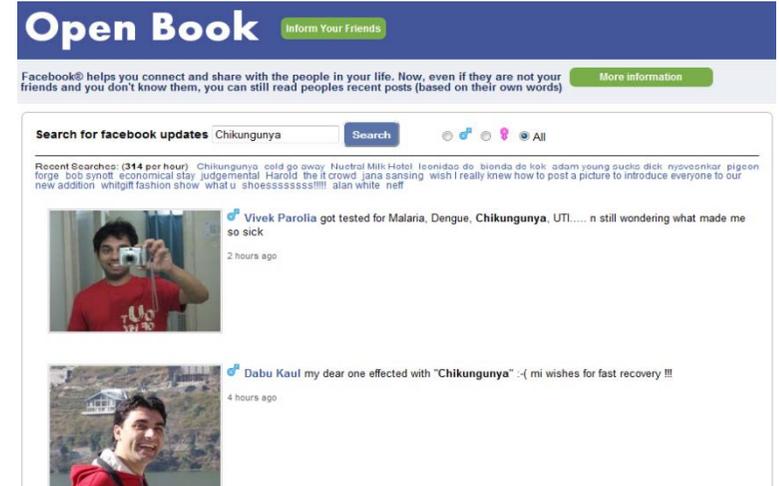
- **Blogs**



The screenshot shows the EMM blog interface. The main content area features several news items:

- Clare Sambrook wins Paul Foot award**: An article dated November 3, 2010, celebrating Clare Sambrook's win of the Paul Foot Award for her reporting on the UK's shameful detention of asylum seekers' children.
- Tropical Storm Tomas Projected Through Haiti As Possible Category 2 Hurricane**: An article dated November 5, 2010, reporting on the operational intelligence issues for the 2010 Haiti earthquake response effort.
- Tropical Storm Tomas Projected Through Haiti As Possible Category 2 Hurricane**: A second article dated November 5, 2010, providing further details on the storm's path and potential impact.

 The interface includes a search bar, a language selector (set to English), and a sidebar with various navigation links and categories.



The screenshot shows the 'Open Book' Facebook search interface. The search results for 'Chikungunya' include:

- A post by Vivek Parolia from 2 hours ago: 'Vivek Parolia got tested for Malaria, Dengue, Chikungunya, UTI..... n still wondering what made me so sick'.
- A post by Dabu Kaul from 4 hours ago: 'Dabu Kaul my dear one effected with "Chikungunya" :-{ mi wishes for fast recovery !!!'.

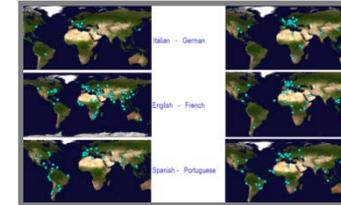
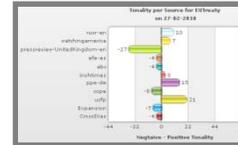
 The interface also features a search bar, a 'More information' link, and a list of recent searches.



The screenshot shows the Twitter search interface for 'Chikungunya'. It displays:

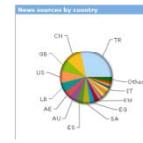
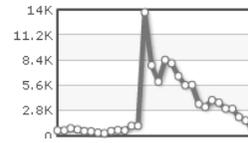
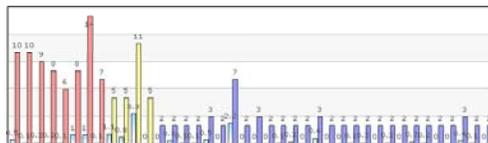
- Top Trending Topics**: #blackops, #fakglive, #freewiz, Force One, Outrageous Fortune, COD Black, Opera Mobile, RockMelt, Haider, Gaulie.
- Realtime results for Chikungunya**: A list of tweets including:
 - MongIFano: 'MongIFano @Lin5kan Question nih.. Eh orang kalo kegigit nyamuk chikungunya efeknya apa?, trus bisa sembuh kah?? .. arigato...'
 - diharizki: 'diharizki Ehh twny abis ini lanjut chikungunya RT @ranti_runtea: Ya ampunnn filariasis lagii????????!!!! STOP ..huhuhu..pak...'
 - REZEUSTA: 'REZEUSTA Abg gaya selangit - "Pengen pelihara anjing chikungunya deh biar kayak Paris Hilton" Aedes aegypti aja mbak,yg belang memang lebih enak!'
 - nhanhaRatna: 'nhanhaRatna (nhanhaRatna) gila bner kau ya haha RT @SteveCream: Wanita yang terkena penyakit Tirus Chikungunya (cont) http://t.gl/5a6ubk2'
 - nhanhaRatna: 'nhanhaRatna (nhanhaRatna) gila bner kau ya haha RT'.
- Search tip**: 'Use a minus sign immediately before any words you want excluded in results. Example: beer -not will find tweets containing "beer" but not "toot".'

- News content (and internet content in general) is complementary across languages.



- EMM gathers and processes multilingual news, etc.

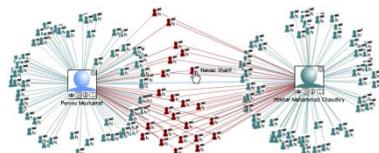
- Multilingual category definitions and alerts → alert and produce statistics



- Linking of related news across languages

Libyan rebels continue westward push [67] de es fr it nl ar bg da et fa no pl pt ro ru sl sv sw tr

- Multilingual information gathering on named entities



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- Multilingual event scenario template filling

TYPE	Bombing
PLACE	Charsadda, Pakistan
TIME	Tuesday, November 10, 2009
DEAD COUNT	10
DEAD DESCRIPTION	people
WOUNDED COUNT/DESC	
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PERPETRATOR	
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Thank You



Complementarity of information found in media reports across different countries and languages



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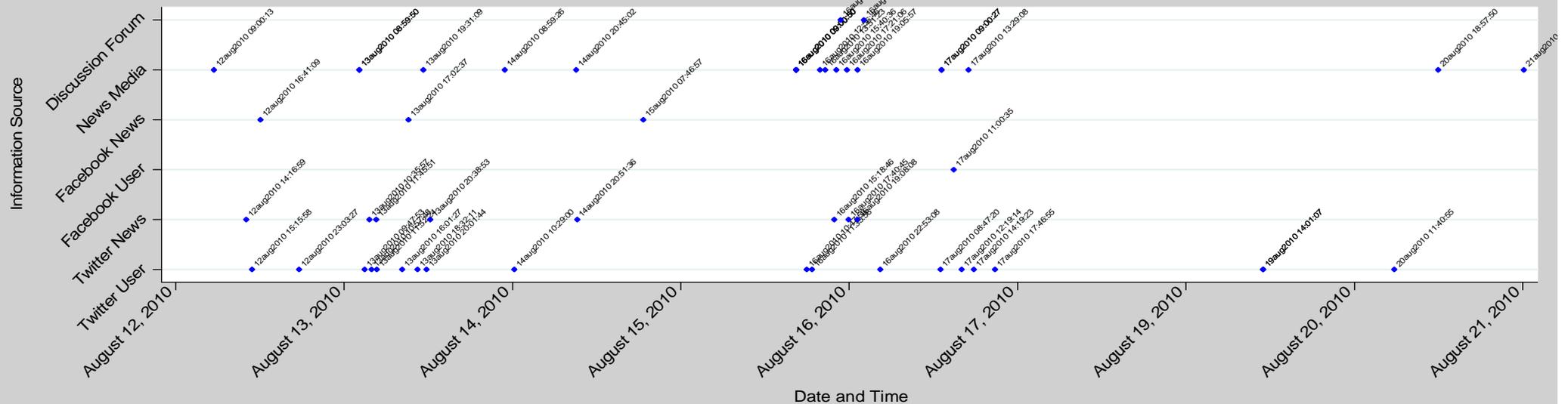
<http://langtech.jrc.ec.europa.eu/>

Applications:

<http://emm.newbrief.eu/overview.html>

- Case Study: Norovirus outbreak at Oldenburg University
- Compare data on a **Norovirus outbreak** from Facebook, Twitter, media and blogs
- Were social media faster than established methods for indicator-based surveillance of Norovirus?

Report on the Oldenburg Norovirus Outbreak, Information Source, Date and Time



Data from Edward Velasco, German *Robert Koch Institute*, FP7 project M-ECO