SARS-COV-2 VARIANTS IN RISK ASSESSMENT POSITION AS OF 09 FEBRUARY 2021 PHE

Last horizon scan	Signals currently under monitoring and investigation	Signals escalating to Variant Technical Group	Variants under investigation	Variants escalating to NERVTAG	Variants of concern
Cluster detection 08-02-2021 Mutation Scan	B.1.429 (California)	B.1 (UK1188) with E484K cluster	VUI 202101/01 P2 (Brazil)		VOC202012/01 , B.1.1.7 (UK)
09-02-2021 International Scan 09-02-2021			VUI 202102/01 A.23.1 with E484K (UK) focus Liverpool		VOC202012/02 , B.1.351 (South Africa)
Signals investigated at last scan: 4					VOC202101/02 P1 (Japan ex Brazil)
Note: Signals of					VOC 202102/02 B.1.1.7 with E484K (UK) focus Bristol/SW.
individual mutations and new clusters excluded until defined variant identified					