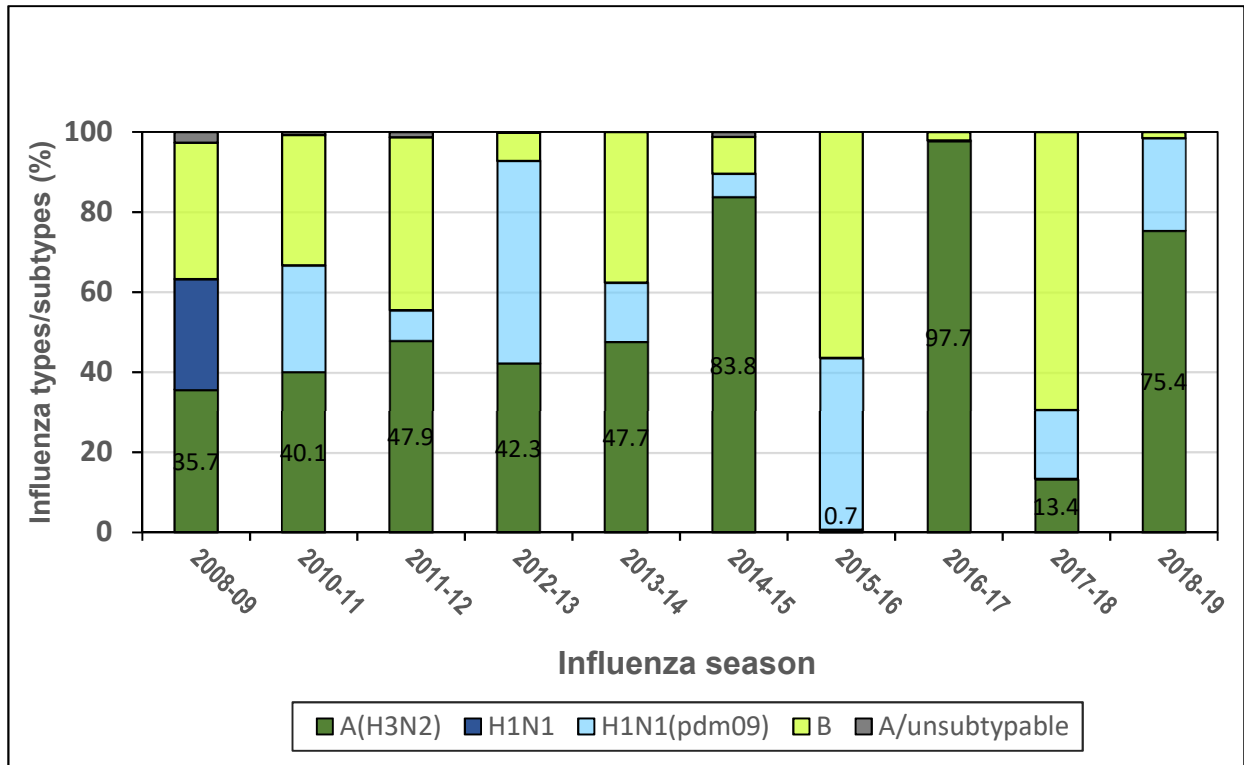




# Supplementary material for the article “Predominance of a drifted influenza A(H3N2) clade and its association with influenza vaccine effectiveness variations by age, influenza season 2018-2019”



**Figure S1.** Percentage of influenza-positive samples by type and subtype of all influenza-positive samples obtained from ILI patients presenting to sentinel clinics, by season, Israel 2008-2019 (pandemic influenza season 2009-2010 is excluded). Percentage of influenza A(H3N2) are indicated within the relevant season bars.

**Table S1.** Details of influenza A(H3N2) haemagglutinin sequences used in the phylogenetic analysis, 2018-2019 season, Israel.

Virus isolate	Sequence source	Accession number	Country	Originating laboratory
A/Singapore/INFIMH-0019/2016	GISAID EpiFlu	EPI239803	Singapore	Ministry of Health, National Public Health Laboratory, Singapore
A/Switzerland/9715293/2013	GISAID EpiFlu	EPI530687	Switzerland	Hopital Cantonal Universitaire de Geneves, Switzerland
A/Kansas/14/2017	GISAID EpiFlu	EPI292575	United States	Kansas Department of Health and Environment, Kansas, United States
A/Wisconsin/85/2016	GISAID EpiFlu	EPI857055	United States	Wisconsin State Laboratory of Hygiene, Virology Unit, Wisconsin, United States
A/Hawaii/54/2016	GISAID EpiFlu	EPI814213	United States	State of Hawaii Department of Health Medical Microbiology Branch, Hawaii, United States
A/Bolzano/7/2016	GISAID EpiFlu	EPI773595	Italy	Istituto Superiore di Sanità, Roma, Rome, Italy
A/Illinois/07/2016	GISAID EpiFlu	EPI752842	United States	Illinois Department of Public Health-Chicago, United States
A/Nebraska/04/2014	GISAID EpiFlu	EPI520356	United States	Nebraska Public Health Lab, Nebraska, United States
A/Wisconsin/20/2015	GISAID EpiFlu	EPI201644	United States	Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Atlanta, Georgia, United States
A/Michigan/15/2014	GISAID EpiFlu	EPI171757	United States	Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Atlanta, Georgia, United States
A/Hong Kong/4801/2014	GISAID EpiFlu	EPI539574	China	Government Virus Unit, Hong Kong (SAR)
A/Samara/73/2013	GISAID EpiFlu	EPI460558	Russian Federation	WHO National Influenza Centre, Russian Federation
A/Texas/50/2012	GISAID EpiFlu	EPI377499	United States	Texas Department of State Health Services-Laboratory, Austin, United States
A/Victoria/361/2011	GISAID EpiFlu	EPI349103	Australia	A Melbourne Pathology, Victoria Pde, Australia
A/Perth/16/2009	GISAID EpiFlu	EP1210071	Australia	WHO Collaborating Centre for Reference and Research on Influenza, Melbourne, Australia
A/Wyoming/3/03	GISAID EpiFlu	EPI385944	United States	Not available
A/England/538/2018	GISAID EpiFlu	EPI312041	United Kingdom	Microbiology Services Colindale, Public Health England, London, United Kingdom

**Table S2.** Hemagglutinin (HA) amino acid (AA) substitutions observed in the dominant influenza A(H3N2) 3C.3a clade viruses in Israel, 2018-2019 as compared with the cell-grown influenza A/Singapore/0019/2016-like virus. Yellow cells represent AA substitutions that are common to all viruses; purple cells represent AA substitutions that were found in the majority of viruses; green cells AA substitutions that were found in the minority of viruses. Dots denote AAs that match the influenza A(H3N2) vaccine virus sequence.

Clade																									
HA subunit	HA1																			HA2					
AA position	7	9	53	91	121	128	135	138	144	159	160	162	171	193	260	261	290	311	326	77	149	150	155	160	
Antigenic site					B				A				B		D		B		E		C				
A/Singapore/0019/2016	3C.2a1	D	S	D	S	K	T	T	A	S	Y	T	P	K	F	I	R	N	H	K	V	I	E	E	N
A/Israel/T-400/2018	3c.3a	.	.	.	N	N	A	.	S	K	S	K	.	N	S	.	Q	T	Q	R	I	M	G	G	T
A/Israel/R-407/2018	3c.3a	.	.	.	N	N	A	.	S	K	S	K	.	N	S	V	Q	.	Q	R	I	M	G	G	T
A/Israel/T-737/2019	3C.3a	.	.	.	N	N	A	.	S	K	S	K	.	N	S	.	Q	.	Q	R	I	M	G	G	T
A/Israel/T-476/2018	3c.3a	.	.	.	N	N	A	K	S	K	S	K	.	N	S	.	Q	.	Q	R	I	M	G	G	T
A/Israel/T-757/2019	3c.3a	.	.	.	N	N	A	.	S	K	S	K	.	N	S	.	Q	.	Q	R	I	M	G	G	T
A/Israel/T-810/2019	3c.3a	.	.	N	N	N	A	.	S	K	S	K	.	N	S	V	Q	.	Q	R	I	M	G	G	T
A/Israel/T-814/2019	3c.3a	.	.	.	N	N	A	.	S	K	S	K	.	N	S	.	Q	.	Q	R	I	M	G	G	T
A/Israel/T-815/2019	3c.3a	.	.	.	N	N	A	.	S	K	S	K	.	N	S	V	Q	.	Q	R	I	M	G	G	T
A/Israel/T-822/2019	3c.3a	.	.	.	N	N	A	.	S	K	S	K	.	N	S	.	Q	.	Q	R	I	M	G	G	T
A/Israel/T-826/2019	3c.3a	.	.	.	N	N	A	.	S	K	S	K	.	N	S	.	Q	.	Q	R	I	M	G	G	.
A/Israel/T-847/2019	3c.3a	.	.	.	N	N	A	.	S	K	S	K	.	N	S	V	Q	.	Q	R	I	M	G	G	T
A/Israel/T-850/2019	3c.3a	.	.	.	N	N	A	.	S	K	S	K	Q	N	S	.	Q	.	Q	R	I	M	G	G	.
A/Israel/T-853/2019	3c.3a	.	.	.	N	N	A	.	S	K	S	K	.	N	S	V	Q	.	Q	R	I	M	G	G	T
A/Israel/T-855/2019	3c.3a	.	.	.	N	N	A	.	S	K	S	K	.	N	S	.	Q	.	Q	R	I	M	G	G	.
A/Israel/T-857/2019	3c.3a	.	.	.	N	N	A	.	S	K	S	K	.	N	S	.	Q	.	Q	R	I	M	G	G	.
A/Israel/T-883/2019	3c.3a	.	G	.	N	N	A	.	S	K	S	K	.	N	S	.	Q	.	Q	R	I	M	G	G	T
A/Israel/T-887/2019	3c.3a	G	.	.	N	N	A	.	S	K	S	K	.	N	S	V	Q	.	Q	R	I	M	G	G	T
A/Israel/T-903/2019	3c.3a	.	.	N	N	N	A	.	S	K	S	K	.	N	S	.	Q	.	Q	R	I	M	G	G	T