Some numbers:

- Ebola vs all the rest/other for an entire year:
  - ~250 deaths in 25 years
  - would count nearly per sec in the African experience. It would add up to perhaps 10,000 years on a scale of 184UY/yr for TB and 279235M/yr HIV, 455/yr malaria.

- 455 acute lower resp (includes flu). I am trying to get more numbers for flu.

- Richard says N.Y. Times, was about 582,000 people. Let's call that 1/100 of Africa.

Then the related £/£ burden would be 10 M/l compared to 1/3 for the other 1/10.5.

So it was not even the real one-
mortality that was scary. It was:

a) the open-ended possibility of spread and

b) 255 deaths among a few thousand contacts of the victims

that exhibited the potential.

At 1% mortality, including quite young, the year 1918 ended
of a 1918 flu. Dr. Todt's population would ~130 FY/years in a single year = 180 in 30.