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# Coronavirus (COVID-19): daily data for Scotland

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This is updated each day to provide the latest available data on COVID-19 in Scotland.

## Scottish numbers: 20 October 2020


### Summary

- 1,456 new cases of COVID-19 reported; this is 19.9%\* of newly tested individuals\*\*
- 15 new reported death(s) of people who have tested positive (noting that Register Offices are now generally closed at weekends)
- 69 people were in intensive care yesterday with recently confirmed COVID-19
- 824 people were in hospital yesterday with recently confirmed COVID-19
- 14,107 new tests for COVID-19 that reported results - 11.4% of these were positive\*\*

\* We have reviewed the use of this percentage, and plan to focus in future on percent of tests that are positive. Please see [this article](#) for details.

\*\* These figures may be affected by weekend delays in test results being processed.

### Local area data

- Public Health Scotland's [interactive dashboard](#)  now provides a map showing the number of cases in local areas, as well as trends for local authorities and NHS boards

### Full breakdown

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