

COVID-19 Weekly Epidemiological Update

Data as received by WHO from national authorities, as of 27 December 2020, 10 am CET For the latest data and information on COVID-19, please see:

- WHO COVID-19 Dashboard
- <u>WHO COVID-19 Weekly Operational Update</u>

Global epidemiological situation

Globally in the past week, over 4 million new cases were reported. Although this is a 12% decrease compared to the previous week, this and other short-term trends in data should be interpreted with caution over the end-of-year holiday season, as numbers may be influenced by presentation, testing and reporting delays. New deaths decreased by 8% to 72 730 (Figure 1, Table 1). The Region of the Americas accounts for 48% of all new cases and 42% of all new deaths globally. While new cases and deaths remained high in the European Region, which accounted for 37% and 42% respectively, both decreased compared to the previous week. New cases and deaths declined in South-East Asia and Eastern Mediterranean regions. In the African Region, while both new cases and deaths remained low compared to other regions, there was a 20% increase in new cases and 37% in new deaths. In the Western Pacific Region, new cases increased by 13% and new deaths increased by 4%.

As of 27 December there have been over 79.2 million cases and over 1.7 million deaths reported since the start of the pandemic.

A variant of SARS-CoV-2 has been detected in South Africa through retrospective genomic analyses of the virus. Initial analysis indicates that the variant, known as 501Y.V2, may spread more readily between people. Investigations are ongoing to determine if it is associated with any change in the severity of infection, antibody response or vaccine efficacy.

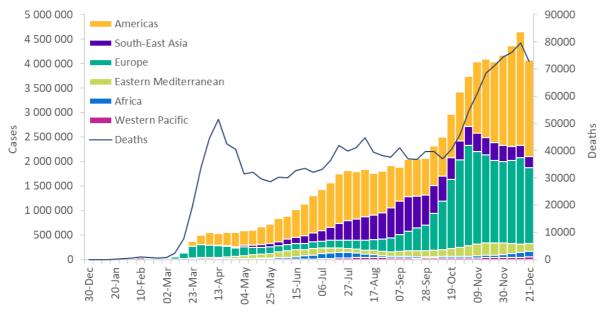


Figure 1: COVID-19 cases reported weekly by WHO Region, and global deaths, as of 27 December 2020**

Reported week commencing

In the past week, the five countries reporting the highest number of cases were the United States of America (with over 1.3 million cases, a 19% decrease from the previous week), Brazil (over 285 000 cases, a 12% decrease), the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland (over 251 000 cases, a 45% increase), Russian Federation (over 201 000 cases, a 3% increase) and India (over 156 000 cases, a 10% decrease).

Additional Region-specific information can be found below: <u>African Region</u>, <u>Region of the Americas</u>, <u>Eastern</u> <u>Mediterranean Region</u>, <u>European Region</u>, <u>South-East Asia Region</u>, and <u>Western Pacific Region</u>.

WHO Region	New cases in last 7 days (%)	Change in new cases in last 7 days *	Cumulative cases (%)	New deaths in last 7 days (%)	Change in new deaths in last 7 days *	Cumulative deaths (%)
Americas	1 965 774 (48%)	-15%	34 403 371 (43%)	31 142 (42%)	-3%	840 247 (47%)
Europe	1 545 682 (37%)	-12%	25 271 220 (31%)	31 005 (42%)	-15%	554 716 (31%)
South-East Asia	231 978 (5%)	-6%	11 842 422 (14%)	3 911 (5%)	-1%	180 737 (10%)
Eastern Mediterranean	157 595 (3%)	-9%	4 823 157 (6%)	3 482 (4%)	-10%	119 004 (6%)
Africa	114 530 (2%)	20%	1 831 227 (2%)	2 558 (3%)	37%	40 299 (2%)
Western Pacific	53 073 (1%)	13%	1 059 751 (1%)	663 (0%)	4%	19 558 (1%)
Global	4 068 632 (100%)	-12%	79 231 893 (100%)	72 761 (100%)	-8%	1 754 574 (100%)

Table 1. Newly reported and cumulative COVID-19 confirmed cases and deaths, by WHO Region, as of 27 December 2020^{**}

*Percent change in the number of newly confirmed cases/deaths in past seven days, compared to seven days prior. Regional percentages rounded to the nearest whole number, global totals may not equal 100%.

**For all figures included in this report please see data, table and figure notes

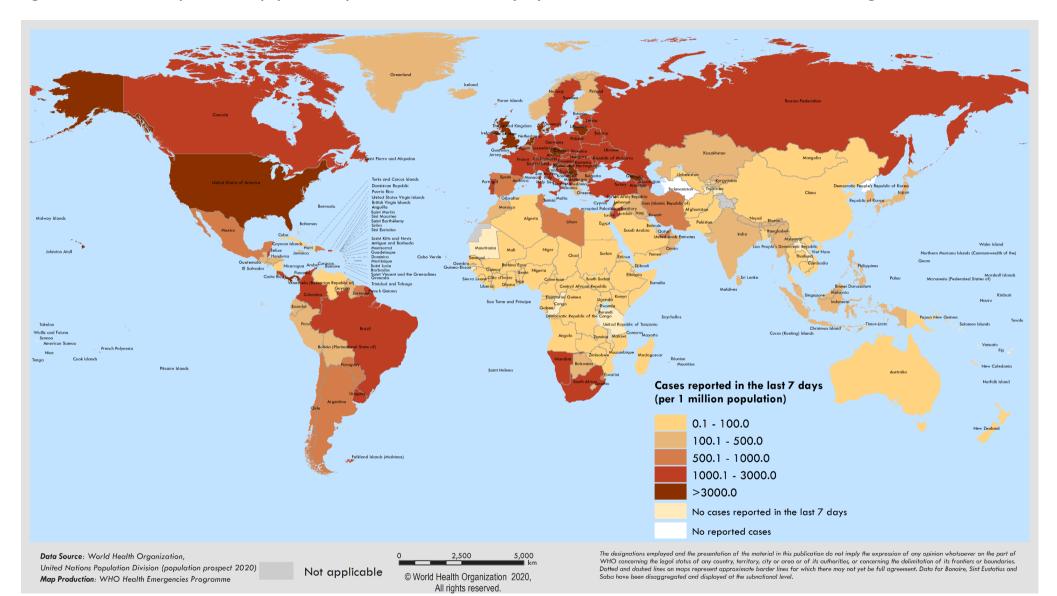


Figure 2. COVID-19 cases per 1 million population reported in the last seven days by countries, territories and areas, 21 December through 27 December 2020**

**See data, table and figure notes

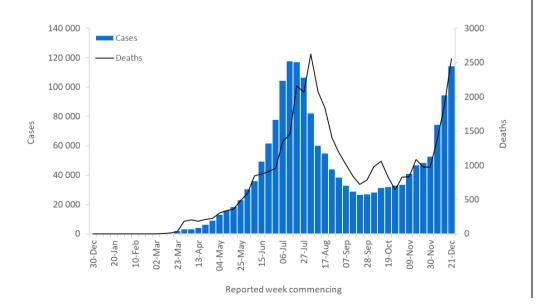
Situation by WHO Region

African Region

In the past week, over 114 000 new cases were reported in the African Region, a 20% increase compared to the previous week, and over 2500 deaths, a 37% increase over the previous week. South Africa continues to account for the greatest proportion (72%) of new weekly cases in the Region. In the past week, the highest number of new cases were reported from South Africa (82 434 new cases; 1390 new cases per 1 million population), Nigeria (5643 new cases; 27 new cases per 1 million), Algeria (3076 new cases, 70 new cases per 1 million) and Namibia (2961 new cases, 1165 new cases per 1 million). The highest numbers of new deaths were reported from South Africa (1982 new deaths; 33 new deaths per 1 million), the Democratic Republic of the Congo (197 new deaths; 2 new deaths per 1 million) and Algeria (63 new deaths; 1 new death per 1 million).

Region of the Americas

In the Region of the Americas, the number of new weekly cases was over 1 965 000 and 31 142 new deaths, which represent 15% and 3% decreases over the previous week, respectively. The United States of America accounted for 68% of all new cases in the Region. The highest new case and deaths counts were reported in the United States of America (1 334 155 new cases, 4031 new cases per 1 million), Brazil (285 582 new cases; 1344 new cases per 1 million) and Colombia (92 635 new cases, 1821 new cases per 1 million). The highest numbers of new deaths were reported from the United States of America (16 864 new deaths; 51 new deaths per 1 million), Brazil (2838 new deaths; 23 new deaths per 1 million) and Mexico (4588 new deaths; 36 new deaths per 1 million).

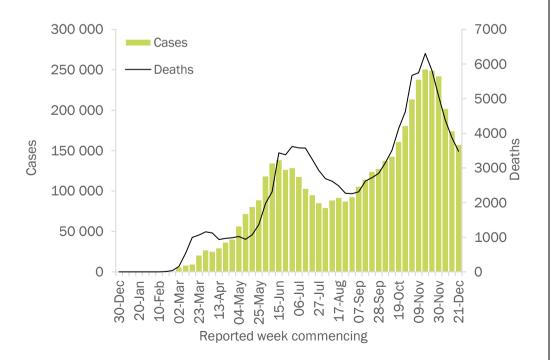


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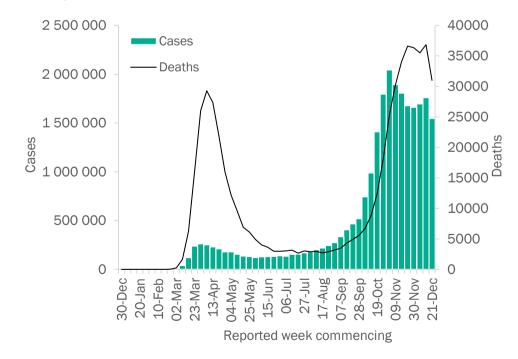
Eastern Mediterranean Region

The Eastern Mediterranean Region reported over 157 000 new cases and over 3400 new deaths, reflecting a reduction of 9% and 10%, respectively compared to the previous week. Cases and deaths in the Region decreased for the fifth consecutive week. The highest number of new cases were reported from the Islamic Republic of Iran (42 891 new cases, 511 new cases per 1 million), Morocco (15 336 new cases, 415 new cases per 1 million) and Pakistan (14 809 new cases, 67 new cases per 1 million). These three countries accounted for the most new cases in the previous two weeks. The highest number of new deaths were reported from the Islamic Republic of Iran (1126 new deaths; 13 new deaths per 1 million), Pakistan (566 new deaths; 3 new deaths per 1 million) and Tunisia (300 new deaths; 25 new deaths per 1 million).



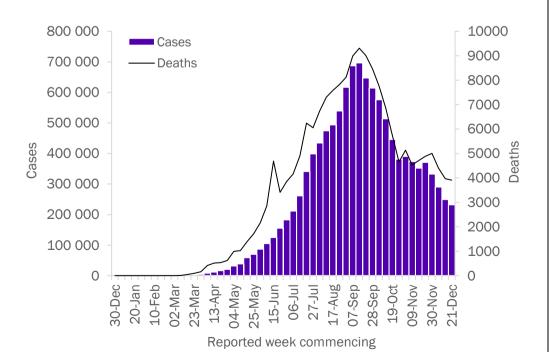
European Region

The number of new cases in the European Region remains high with over 1.5 million reported in the past week. However, the number of new cases has declined over the past week, decreasing by 12%, while deaths decreased by 15% to 31 000 new deaths. Despite the observed reductions, the European Region continues to account for the second highest number of new cases and deaths globally (37% and 42% respectively). Last week, the countries reporting the highest number of new cases were the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland (251 786 new cases, 3709 new cases per 1 million), the Russian Federation (201 871 new cases; 1383 new cases per 1 million). The highest number of deaths were reported from the same countries, namely Russian Federation (3920 new deaths; 27 new deaths per 1 million), Germany (3729 new deaths; 45 new deaths per 1 million) and the United Kingdom (3330 new deaths; 49 new deaths per 1 million).



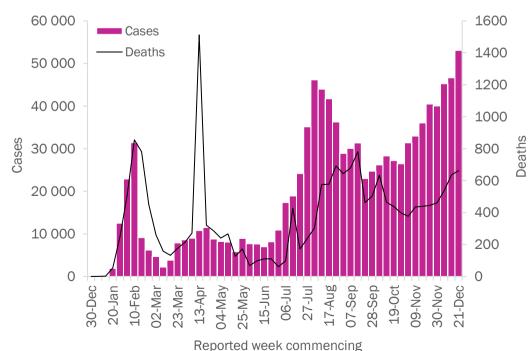
South-East Asia Region

In the South-East Asia Region, nearly 232 000 new cases were reported last week, a decrease of 6% compared to the previous week, while new deaths were nearly 4000, a slight decrease of 1%. There has been an overall decline in both cases and deaths since the peak in the week beginning 7 September. The countries reporting the highest number of both new cases and new deaths in the past week were India (156 627 new cases; 113 new cases per 1 million; 2145 new deaths; 2 new deaths per 1 million), Indonesia (48 889 new cases; 179 new cases per 1 million; 1335 new deaths; 5 new deaths per 1 million) and Bangladesh (8539 new cases; 52 new cases per 1 million; 186 new deaths; 1 new death per 1 million).



Western Pacific Region

In the Western Pacific Region, new cases (13%) and deaths (4%) continued to increase, a trend which has been seen over the past eight weeks. The Region reported over 53 000 new cases and nearly 700 new deaths. The highest new cases were reported in Japan (21 432 new cases; 169 new cases per 1 million), Malaysia (11 931 new cases; 369 new cases per 1 million) and the Philippines (10 961 new cases; 100 new cases per 1 million). The countries reporting the highest number of new deaths this week were Japan (340 new deaths; 3 new deaths per 1 million), the Philippines (156 new deaths; 1 new death per 1 million) and the Republic of Korea (134 new deaths; 3 new deaths per 1 million).



Reporting Country/Territory/Area ⁱ	New cases in last 7 days	Cumulative cases	Cumulative cases per 1 million population	New deaths in last 7 days	Cumulative deaths	Cumulative deaths per 1 million population	Transmission classification ⁱⁱ
Africa	114 530	1 831 227	1 632	2 558	40 299	36	
South Africa	82 434	994 911	16 775	1 982	26 521	447	Community transmission
Nigeria	5 643	83 576	405	29	1 247	6	Community transmission
Algeria	3 076	97 857	2 232	63	2 722	62	Community transmission
Namibia	2 961	21 398	8 421	16	187	74	Community transmission
Ethiopia	2 919	122 413	1 065	55	1 901	17	Community transmission
Uganda	2 861	33 563	734	15	245	5	Community transmission
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Burkina Faso	1 301	6 255	299	3	77	4	Community transmission
Democratic Republic of the Congo	1 070	16 280	182	197	566	6	Community transmission
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Zambia	1 051	19 671	1 070	9	382	21	Community transmission
Senegal	853	18 523	1 106	26	387	23	Community transmission
Zimbabwe	812	12 963	872	23	341	23	Community transmission
Botswana	749	13 622	5 793	0	38	16	Community transmission
Mozambique	685	18 162	581	12	159	5	Community transmission
Ghana	633	54 286	1 747	2	333	11	Community transmission
Rwanda	585	7 817	604	13	72	6	Clusters of cases
Angola	523	17 149	522	13	399	12	Community transmission
Niger	442	2 803	116	7	89	4	Community transmission
Cameroon	428	26 277	990	0	448	17	Community transmission
Mali	410	6 574	325	29	249	12	Community transmission
Côte d'Ivoire	309	22 081	837	0	133	5	Community transmission
Lesotho	292	2 577	1 203	6	50	23	Community transmission
Eritrea	238	992	280	1	1	0	Sporadic cases
Malawi	190	6 343	332	1	188	10	Community transmission
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Table 2. COVID-19 confirmed cases and deaths reported in the last seven days by countries, territories and areas, and WHO Region, as of 27 December 2020**

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Reporting Country/Territory/Area ⁱ	New cases in last 7 days	Cumulative cases	Cumulative cases per 1 million population	New deaths in last 7 days	Cumulative deaths	Cumulative deaths per 1 million population	Transmission classification ⁱⁱ
Mexico	70 697	1 372 243	10 643	4 588	121 837	945	Community transmission
Canada	43 952	539 298	14 289	741	14 781	392	Community transmission
Argentina	43 180	1 574 554	34 839	750	42 422	939	Community transmission
Panama	20 350	226 660	52 531	252	3 756	870	Community transmission
Chile	15 040	598 394	31 303	303	16 404	858	Community transmission
Peru	11 786	1 005 546	30 497	399	37 368	1 133	Community transmission
Dominican Republic	6 876	165 940	15 297	22	2 404	222	Community transmission
Paraguay	5 592	103 888	14 565	104	2 154	302	Community transmission
Costa Rica	5 518	162 990	31 996	90	2 086	409	Community transmission
Bolivia (Plurinational State of)	4 441	153 590	13 158	50	9 083	778	Community transmission
Uruguay	3 898	15 848	4 562	34	143	41	Community transmission
Ecuador	3 354	209 274	11 862	42	13 990	793	Community transmission
Guatemala	2 576	135 171	7 545	139	4 763	266	Community transmission
Honduras	2 447	118 659	11 980	38	3 061	309	Community transmission
Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of)	2 208	111 603	3 925	31	1 010	36	Community transmission
El Salvador	1 424	44 619	6 879	55	1 297	200	Community transmission
Cuba	1 014	11 038	975	4	141	12	Clusters of cases
Belize	561	10 490	26 381	13	228	573	Community transmission
Jamaica	549	12 684	4 283	9	294	99	Community transmission
Suriname	421	5 880	10 023	2	119	203	Sporadic cases
Guyana	213	6 289	7 996	3	162	206	Clusters of cases
Haiti	172	9 846	863	1	235	21	Community transmission
Trinidad and Tobago	142	7 097	5 071	2	125	89	Community transmission
Bahamas	55	7 788	19 804	5	169	430	Clusters of cases
Nicaragua	42	4 790	723	1	164	25	Community transmission
Barbados	40	347	1 207	0	7	24	Clusters of cases
Saint Lucia	25	305	1 661	0	5	27	Sporadic cases
Grenada	22	116	1 031	0	0	0	Sporadic cases

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Dominica	8	96	1 334	0	0	0	Clusters of cases
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	8	108	973	0	0	0	Sporadic cases
Antigua and Barbuda	3	155	1 583	0	5	51	Sporadic cases
Saint Kitts and Nevis	0	30	564	0	0	0	Sporadic cases
Territories ⁱⁱⁱ							
Puerto Rico	5 232	72 443	25 322	90	1 432	501	Community transmission
Martinique	438	6 072	16 181	0	42	112	Community transmission
French Guiana	404	12 773	42 765	0	71	238	Community transmission
Curaçao	228	4 051	24 687	1	12	73	Community transmission
Aruba	104	5 228	48 967	0	47	440	Community transmission
Sint Maarten	76	1 370	31 948	0	26	606	Community transmission
United States Virgin Islands	69	1 979	18 951	0	23	220	Community transmission
Guadeloupe	63	8 620	21 543	0	155	387	Community transmission
Turks and Caicos Islands	55	844	21 799	0	6	155	Clusters of cases
Bermuda	45	561	9 009	0	9	145	Clusters of cases
Saint Martin	38	986	25 505	0	12	310	Community transmission
British Virgin Islands	7	93	3 076	0	1	33	Clusters of cases
Cayman Islands	7	318	4 839	0	2	30	Sporadic cases
Saint Barthélemy	7	189	19 120	0	0	0	Sporadic cases
Falkland Islands (Malvinas)	6	29	8 326	0	0	0	No cases
Bonaire, Sint Eustatius and Saba	5	182	6 941	0	3	114	
Anguilla	2	12	800	0	0	0	Sporadic cases
Saint Pierre and Miquelon	2	16	2 761	0	0	0	Sporadic cases
Montserrat	0	13	2 601	0	1	200	No cases
Eastern Mediterranean	157 595	4 823 157	6 600	3 482	119 004	163	
Iran (Islamic Republic of)	42 891	1 194 963	14 227	1 126	54 574	650	Community transmission
Morocco	15 336	430 562	11 665	295	7 204	195	Clusters of cases

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Saudi Arabia 1 218 362 066 10 400 64 6 176 177	Sporadic cases
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Syrian Arab Republic 882 10 932 625 68 669 38 Control	ommunity transmission
Sudan 216 23 316 532 7 1 468 33 Corr	ommunity transmission
Somalia 28 4 690 295 3 127 8	Sporadic cases
Djibouti 24 5 805 5 876 0 61 62	Clusters of cases
Yemen 5 2 096 70 0 607 20	Sporadic cases
Territories ⁱⁱⁱ	
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Russian Federation 201 871 3 050 248 20 901 3 920 54 778 375	Clusters of cases
Germany 146 849 1 640 858 19 584 3 729 29 778 355	Clusters of cases
Turkey 129 088 1 319 035 15 640 1 773 19 624 233 Corr	ommunity transmission
Italy 100 676 2 038 759 33 720 3 173 71 620 1 185	
France 89 093 2 507 532 38 416 2 154 62 197 953 Con	Clusters of cases

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Netherlands	77 582	754 171	44 014	520	10 974	640	Community transmission
Ukraine	61 541	1 025 989	23 460	1 189	17 774	406	Community transmission
Poland	55 099	1 257 799	33 234	1 721	27 118	717	Community transmission
Czechia	46 459	670 599	62 620	713	11 044	1 031	Community transmission
Spain	36 436	1 854 951	39 674	384	49 824	1 066	Community transmission
Serbia	26 839	323 367	46 436	351	2 983	428	Community transmission
Romania	25 816	613 760	31 904	812	15 108	785	Community transmission
Portugal	22 209	392 996	38 541	493	6 556	643	Clusters of cases
Sweden	21 038	396 048	39 216	69	8 279	820	Community transmission
Switzerland	20 636	426 199	49 245	461	6 508	752	Community transmission
Denmark	19 561	151 167	26 098	134	1 153	199	Community transmission
Lithuania	18 239	130 598	47 974	235	1 254	461	Community transmission
Slovakia	16 187	167 523	30 684	218	1 773	325	Clusters of cases
Azerbaijan	14 065	213 192	21 027	279	2 454	242	Clusters of cases
Austria	13 730	348 359	38 679	625	5 752	639	Community transmission
Belarus	13 343	184 922	19 570	60	1 376	146	Community transmission
Hungary	13 071	316 060	32 717	948	9 047	937	Community transmission
Georgia	12 967	221 605	55 552	283	2 377	596	Community transmission
Israel	12 342	383 715	44 332	63	3 138	363	Community transmission
Belgium	11 959	638 874	55 125	491	19 192	1 656	Community transmission
Croatia	9 968	204 930	49 919	494	3 671	894	Community transmission
Slovenia	9 167	114 192	54 928	128	2 530	1 217	Clusters of cases
Ireland	6 618	85 394	17 294	46	2 200	446	Community transmission
Republic of Moldova	6 418	140 996	34 952	156	2 883	715	Community transmission
Bulgaria	6 355	197 384	28 407	572	7 123	1 025	Clusters of cases
Latvia	5 522	35 819	18 990	88	515	273	Clusters of cases
Greece	4 629	135 114	12 963	451	4 553	437	Community transmission
Kazakhstan	4 566	196 216	10 450	0	2 669	142	Clusters of cases

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Armenia	4 009	157 147	53 032	138	2 763	932	Community transmission
Bosnia and Herzegovina	3 806	109 330	33 324	298	3 923	1 196	Community transmission
Estonia	3 598	25 392	19 142	30	204	154	Clusters of cases
North Macedonia	3 476	81 425	39 083	153	2 427	1 165	Community transmission
Albania	3 213	55 755	19 374	69	1 143	397	Clusters of cases
Montenegro	2 483	46 740	74 419	41	667	1 062	Clusters of cases
Norway	2 157	44 932	8 288	17	421	78	Clusters of cases
Cyprus	1 915	19 391	16 061	22	111	92	Clusters of cases
Luxembourg	1 709	45 776	73 127	30	470	751	Community transmission
Finland	1 502	34 084	6 152	35	524	95	Community transmission
Kyrgyzstan	1 251	80 373	12 319	18	1 348	207	Clusters of cases
Uzbekistan	945	76 751	2 293	1	613	18	Clusters of cases
Malta	620	12 241	27 723	19	206	467	Clusters of cases
Liechtenstein	273	1 998	52 390	4	26	682	Sporadic cases
Andorra	246	7 806	101 029	3	83	1 074	Community transmission
San Marino	157	2 264	66 710	2	57	1 680	Community transmission
Monaco	74	797	20 309	0	3	76	Sporadic cases
Iceland	62	5 683	16 654	0	28	82	Community transmission
Holy See	0	26	32 138	0	0	0	Sporadic cases
Tajikistan	0	13 182	1 382	0	89	9	Pending
Territories ⁱⁱⁱ							
Козоvо	1 723	50 362	27 071	57	1 295	696	Community transmission
Gibraltar	350	1 534	45 531	0	6	178	Clusters of cases
Jersey	349	2 583	23 741	5	41	377	Community transmission
Faroe Islands	25	571	11 685	0	0	0	Sporadic cases
Greenland	7	26	458	0	0	0	No cases
Guernsey	6	297	4 700	0	13	206	Community transmission
Isle of Man	1	374	4 398	0	25	294	No cases

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South-East Asia	231 978	11 842 422	5 859	3 911	180 737	89	
India	156 627	10 187 850	7 382	2 145	147 622	107	Clusters of cases
Indonesia	48 889	706 837	2 584	1 335	20 994	77	Community transmission
Bangladesh	8 539	508 099	3 085	186	7 428	45	Community transmission
Myanmar	7 082	121 280	2 229	181	2 579	47	Clusters of cases
Nepal	4 516	257 700	8 844	42	1 819	62	Clusters of cases
Sri Lanka	4 331	40 380	1 886	22	187	9	Clusters of cases
Thailand	1 689	6 020	86	0	60	1	Clusters of cases
Bhutan	151	597	774	0	0	0	Clusters of cases
Maldives	144	13 618	25 193	0	48	89	Clusters of cases
Timor-Leste	10	41	31	0	0	0	Sporadic cases
Western Pacific	53 073	1 059 751	539	663	19 558	10	
Japan	21 432	217 312	1 718	340	3 213	25	Clusters of cases
Malaysia	11 931	103 900	3 210	18	451	14	Clusters of cases
Philippines	10 961	469 005	4 280	156	9 067	83	Community transmission
Republic of Korea	7 211	56 872	1 109	134	808	16	Clusters of cases
China	608	96 324	65	7	4 777	3	Clusters of cases
Australia	168	28 296	1 110	0	908	36	Sporadic cases
Mongolia	129	1 082	330	0	0	0	Clusters of cases
Singapore	116	58 519	10 003	0	29	5	Sporadic cases
Viet Nam	29	1 440	15	0	35	0	Clusters of cases
New Zealand	28	1 788	371	0	25	5	Clusters of cases
Papua New Guinea	20	780	87	1	9	1	Community transmission
Cambodia	2	364	22	0	0	0	Sporadic cases
Brunei Darussalam	0	152	347	0	3	7	No cases
Fiji	0	46	51	0	2	2	Sporadic cases
Lao People's Democratic Republic	0	41	6	0	0	0	Sporadic cases
Solomon Islands	0	17	25	0	0	0	Sporadic cases

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Territories ⁱⁱⁱ							
French Polynesia	368	16 550	58 916	5	108	384	Sporadic cases
Guam	63	7 094	42 032	2	121	717	Clusters of cases
Northern Mariana Islands (Commonwealth of the)	6	122	2 120	0	2	35	Pending
New Caledonia	1	38	133	0	0	0	Sporadic cases
Marshall Islands	0	4	68	0	0	0	Sporadic cases
Vanuatu	0	1	3	0	0	0	No cases
Wallis and Futuna	0	4	356	0	0	0	Sporadic cases
Global	4 068 632	79 231 893	10 165	72 761	1 754 574	225	

**See data, table and figure notes

Technical guidance and other resources

- Technical guidance
- WHO Coronavirus Disease (COVID-19) Dashboard
- Weekly COVID-19 Operational Updates
- WHO COVID-19 case definitions
- COVID-19 Supply Chain Inter-Agency Coordination Cell Weekly Situational Update
- <u>Research and Development</u>
- Online courses on COVID-19 in official UN languages and in additional national languages
- <u>The Strategic Preparedness and Response Plan</u> (SPRP) outlining the support the international community can
 provide to all countries to prepare and respond to the virus
- Updates from WHO regions
- <u>African Region</u>

- Region of the Americas

South-East Asia Region

- Eastern Mediterranean Region
- Western Pacific Region

Recommendations and advice for the public

Protect yourself

European Region

- <u>Questions and answers</u>
- Travel advice
- EPI-WIN: tailored information for individuals, organizations and communities

Data, table and figure notes

Data presented are based on official laboratory-confirmed COVID-19 case and deaths reported to WHO by country/territories/areas, largely based upon WHO <u>case definitions</u> and <u>surveillance guidance</u>. While steps are taken to ensure accuracy and reliability, all data are subject to continuous verification and change, and caution must be taken when interpreting these data as several factors influence the counts presented, with variable underestimation of true case and death incidence, and variable delays to reflecting these data at global level. Case detection, inclusion criteria, testing strategies, reporting practices, and data cut-off and lag times differ between countries/territories/areas. A small number of countries/territories/areas report combined probable and laboratory-confirmed cases. Differences are to be expected between information products published by WHO, national public health authorities, and other sources. Due to public health authorities conducting data reconciliation exercises which remove large numbers of cases or deaths from their total counts, negative numbers may be displayed in the new cases/deaths columns as appropriate. When additional details become available that allow the subtractions to be suitably apportioned to previous days, graphics will be updated accordingly. See the log of major changes and errata for details. Prior situation reports will not be edited; see <u>covid19.who.int</u> for the most up-to-date data.

Global totals include 745 cases and 13 deaths reported from international conveyances.

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^[1] All references to Kosovo should be understood to be in the context of the United Nations Security Council resolution 1244 (1999). In the map, number of cases of Serbia and Kosovo (UNSCR 1244, 1999) have been aggregated for visualization purposes.

ⁱ Excludes countries, territories, and areas that have never reported a confirmed COVID-19 case.

ⁱⁱ Transmission classification is based on a process of country/territory/area self-reporting. Classifications are reviewed on a weekly basis and may be revised as new information becomes available. Differing degrees of transmission may be present within countries/territories/areas. For further information, please see: Considerations for implementing and adjusting public health and social measures in the context of COVID-19:

- No (active) cases: No new cases detected for at least 28 days (two times the maximum incubation period), in the presence of a robust surveillance system. This implies a near-zero risk of infection for the general population.
- Imported / Sporadic cases: Cases detected in the past 14 days are all imported, sporadic (e.g. laboratory acquired or zoonotic) or are all linked to imported/sporadic cases, and there are no clear signals of further locally acquired transmission. This implies minimal risk of infection for the general population.
- Clusters of cases: Cases detected in the past 14 days are predominantly limited to well-defined clusters that are not directly linked to imported cases, but which are all linked by time, geographic location and common exposures. It is assumed that there are a number of unidentified cases in the area. This implies a low risk of infection to others in the wider community if exposure to these clusters is avoided.
- Community transmission: Which encompasses a range of levels from low to very high incidence, as described below and informed by a series of indicators described in the aforementioned guidance. As these subcategorization are not currently collated at the global level, but rather intended for use by national and sub-national public health authorities for local decision-making, community transmission has not been disaggregated in this information product.
 - CT1: Low incidence of locally acquired, widely dispersed cases detected in the past 14 days, with many of the cases not linked to specific clusters; transmission may be focused in certain population sub-groups. Low risk of infection for the general population.
 - CT2: Moderate incidence of locally acquired, widely dispersed cases detected in the past 14 days; transmission less focused in certain population sub-groups. Moderate risk of infection for the general population.
 - CT3: High incidence of locally acquired, widely dispersed cases in the past 14 days; transmission widespread and not focused in population sub-groups. High risk of infection for the general population.
 - CT4: Very high incidence of locally acquired, widely dispersed cases in the past 14 days. Very high risk of infection for the general population.
- Pending: transmission classification has not been reported to WHO.

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