

ANALYZING THE IMPACT OF COVID 19 USING THE COVID 19 PACKAGE IN R

INTRODUCTION

This report analyzes the impact of COVID-19 using the COVID19 package in R. The objective is to explore temporal trends, identify peak periods, and compare patterns in confirmed cases and deaths to better understand how the pandemic evolved over time.

Data Source and Tools

- **Data Source:** COVID19 R package
- **Variables:** Confirmed cases, deaths
- **Tools:** RStudio, R Markdown, ggplot2, dplyr

LOADING LIBRARY

```
library(COVID19)
```

```
## Warning: package 'COVID19' was built under R version 4.5.2
```

```
library(tidyverse)
```

```
## Warning: package 'tidyverse' was built under R version 4.5.2
```

```
## Warning: package 'ggplot2' was built under R version 4.5.2
```

```
## Warning: package 'dplyr' was built under R version 4.5.2
```

```
## Warning: package 'lubridate' was built under R version 4.5.2
```

```
## — Attaching core tidyverse packages ————— tidyverse 2.0.0 —
## ✓ dplyr      1.1.4      ✓ readr      2.1.5
## ✓ forcats    1.0.0      ✓ stringr    1.5.1
## ✓ ggplot2    4.0.1      ✓ tibble     3.3.0
## ✓ lubridate  1.9.4      ✓ tidyr      1.3.1
## ✓ purrr      1.0.4
## — Conflicts ————— tidyverse_conflicts() —
## ✗ dplyr::filter() masks stats::filter()
## ✗ dplyr::lag()     masks stats::lag()
## i Use the conflicted package (<http://conflicted.r-lib.org/>) to force all conflicts to be
come errors
```

```
library(lubridate)
```

```
"COVID19" %in% installed.packages()[, "Package"]
```

```
## [1] TRUE
```

```
"tidyverse" %in% installed.packages()[, "Package"]
```

```
## [1] TRUE
```

```
"lubridate" %in% installed.packages()[, "Package"]
```

```
## [1] TRUE
```

Data Overview

An initial inspection of the dataset was performed to understand its structure and key variables.

```
covid_global <- covid19()
```

```
## We have invested a lot of time and effort in creating COVID-19 Data
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##   10.1038/s41597-022-01245-1
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##
## To hide this message use 'verbose = FALSE'.
```

```
head(covid_global)
```

```

##      id      date confirmed deaths recovered tests vaccines
## 1 8320791a 2020-03-13      2     NA         NA <NA>      <NA>
## 2 8320791a 2020-03-14      2     NA         NA <NA>      <NA>
## 3 8320791a 2020-03-15      2     NA         NA <NA>      <NA>
## 4 8320791a 2020-03-16      2     NA         NA <NA>      <NA>
## 5 8320791a 2020-03-17      8     NA         NA <NA>      <NA>
## 6 8320791a 2020-03-18      9     NA         NA <NA>      <NA>
##  people_vaccinated people_fully_vaccinated hosp icu vent school_closing
## 1      NA                     NA  NA  NA  NA  NA      NA
## 2      NA                     NA  NA  NA  NA  NA      NA
## 3      NA                     NA  NA  NA  NA  NA      NA
## 4      NA                     NA  NA  NA  NA  NA      NA
## 5      NA                     NA  NA  NA  NA  NA      NA
## 6      NA                     NA  NA  NA  NA  NA      NA
##  workplace_closing cancel_events gatherings_restrictions transport_closing
## 1      NA      NA                     NA      NA
## 2      NA      NA                     NA      NA
## 3      NA      NA                     NA      NA
## 4      NA      NA                     NA      NA
## 5      NA      NA                     NA      NA
## 6      NA      NA                     NA      NA
##  stay_home_restrictions internal_movement_restrictions
## 1      NA                     NA
## 2      NA                     NA
## 3      NA                     NA
## 4      NA                     NA
## 5      NA                     NA
## 6      NA                     NA
##  international_movement_restrictions information_campaigns testing_policy
## 1      NA                     NA      NA
## 2      NA                     NA      NA
## 3      NA                     NA      NA
## 4      NA                     NA      NA
## 5      NA                     NA      NA
## 6      NA                     NA      NA
##  contact_tracing facial_coverings vaccination_policy elderly_people_protection
## 1      NA      NA                     NA      NA
## 2      NA      NA                     NA      NA
## 3      NA      NA                     NA      NA
## 4      NA      NA                     NA      NA
## 5      NA      NA                     NA      NA
## 6      NA      NA                     NA      NA
##  government_response_index stringency_index containment_health_index
## 1      NA                     NA      NA
## 2      NA                     NA      NA
## 3      NA                     NA      NA
## 4      NA                     NA      NA
## 5      NA                     NA      NA
## 6      NA                     NA      NA
##  economic_support_index administrative_area_level administrative_area_level_1
## 1      NA                     1      Grand Princess
## 2      NA                     1      Grand Princess
## 3      NA                     1      Grand Princess
## 4      NA                     1      Grand Princess
## 5      NA                     1      Grand Princess

```

```
## 6          NA          1          Grand Princess
## administrative_area_level_2 administrative_area_level_3 latitude longitude
## 1          NA          NA          NA          NA
## 2          NA          NA          NA          NA
## 3          NA          NA          NA          NA
## 4          NA          NA          NA          NA
## 5          NA          NA          NA          NA
## 6          NA          NA          NA          NA
## population iso_alpha_3 iso_alpha_2 iso_numeric iso_currency key_local
## 1      3533      <NA>      <NA>      NA      <NA>      NA
## 2      3533      <NA>      <NA>      NA      <NA>      NA
## 3      3533      <NA>      <NA>      NA      <NA>      NA
## 4      3533      <NA>      <NA>      NA      <NA>      NA
## 5      3533      <NA>      <NA>      NA      <NA>      NA
## 6      3533      <NA>      <NA>      NA      <NA>      NA
## key_google_mobility key_apple_mobility key_jhu_csse key_nuts key_gadm
## 1      <NA>      <NA>      <NA>      NA      <NA>
## 2      <NA>      <NA>      <NA>      NA      <NA>
## 3      <NA>      <NA>      <NA>      NA      <NA>
## 4      <NA>      <NA>      <NA>      NA      <NA>
## 5      <NA>      <NA>      <NA>      NA      <NA>
## 6      <NA>      <NA>      <NA>      NA      <NA>
```

Italy-specific data

```
covid_italy <- covid19(country = "Italy")
```

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```

```
head(covid_italy)
```

```

##      id      date confirmed deaths recovered tests vaccines
## 1 03dcf038 2020-02-24      229      7          1  4324      <NA>
## 2 03dcf038 2020-02-25      322     10          1  8623      <NA>
## 3 03dcf038 2020-02-26      400     12          3  9587      <NA>
## 4 03dcf038 2020-02-27      650     17         45 12014      <NA>
## 5 03dcf038 2020-02-28      888     21         46 15695      <NA>
## 6 03dcf038 2020-02-29     1128     29         50 18661      <NA>
##  people_vaccinated people_fully_vaccinated hosp icu vent school_closing
## 1              NA              NA 127 26  NA              -3
## 2              NA              NA 150 35  NA              -3
## 3              NA              NA 164 36  NA              -3
## 4              NA              NA 304 56  NA              -3
## 5              NA              NA 409 64  NA              -3
## 6              NA              NA 506 105 NA              -3
##  workplace_closing cancel_events gatherings_restrictions transport_closing
## 1              -3              -2              -4              0
## 2              -3              -2              -4              0
## 3              -3              -2              -4              0
## 4              -3              -2              -4              0
## 5              -3              -2              -4              0
## 6              -3              -2              -4              0
##  stay_home_restrictions internal_movement_restrictions
## 1              -2              -1
## 2              -2              -1
## 3              -2              -1
## 4              -2              -1
## 5              -2              -1
## 6              -2              -1
##  international_movement_restrictions information_campaigns testing_policy
## 1              3              2              1
## 2              3              2              1
## 3              3              2              2
## 4              3              2              2
## 5              3              2              2
## 6              3              2              2
##  contact_tracing facial_coverings vaccination_policy elderly_people_protection
## 1              2              0              0              -3
## 2              2              0              0              -3
## 3              2              0              0              -3
## 4              2              0              0              -3
## 5              2              0              0              -3
## 6              2              0              0              -3
##  government_response_index stringency_index containment_health_index
## 1              49.74              64.35              56.85
## 2              49.74              64.35              56.85
## 3              51.82              64.35              59.23
## 4              51.82              64.35              59.23
## 5              51.82              64.35              59.23
## 6              51.82              64.35              59.23
##  economic_support_index administrative_area_level administrative_area_level_1
## 1              0              1              Italy
## 2              0              1              Italy
## 3              0              1              Italy
## 4              0              1              Italy
## 5              0              1              Italy

```

```
## 6      0      1      Italy
## administrative_area_level_2 administrative_area_level_3 latitude longitude
## 1      NA      NA      43      12
## 2      NA      NA      43      12
## 3      NA      NA      43      12
## 4      NA      NA      43      12
## 5      NA      NA      43      12
## 6      NA      NA      43      12
## population iso_alpha_3 iso_alpha_2 iso_numeric iso_currency key_local
## 1 60421760      ITA      IT      380      EUR      NA
## 2 60421760      ITA      IT      380      EUR      NA
## 3 60421760      ITA      IT      380      EUR      NA
## 4 60421760      ITA      IT      380      EUR      NA
## 5 60421760      ITA      IT      380      EUR      NA
## 6 60421760      ITA      IT      380      EUR      NA
## key_google_mobility key_apple_mobility key_jhu_csse key_nuts key_gadm
## 1 ChIJA9KNRIL-1BIRb15jJFz1LOI      Italy      IT      NA      ITA
## 2 ChIJA9KNRIL-1BIRb15jJFz1LOI      Italy      IT      NA      ITA
## 3 ChIJA9KNRIL-1BIRb15jJFz1LOI      Italy      IT      NA      ITA
## 4 ChIJA9KNRIL-1BIRb15jJFz1LOI      Italy      IT      NA      ITA
## 5 ChIJA9KNRIL-1BIRb15jJFz1LOI      Italy      IT      NA      ITA
## 6 ChIJA9KNRIL-1BIRb15jJFz1LOI      Italy      IT      NA      ITA
```

Region_level data for italy

```
covid_italy_regions <- covid19(country = "Italy", level = 2)
```

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```

```
head(covid_italy_regions)
```

```

##      id      date confirmed deaths recovered tests vaccines
## 1 07945170 2020-02-24      0      0      0    58      NA
## 2 07945170 2020-02-25      0      0      0    89      NA
## 3 07945170 2020-02-26      0      0      0   114      NA
## 4 07945170 2020-02-27      0      0      0   141      NA
## 5 07945170 2020-02-28      0      0      0   169      NA
## 6 07945170 2020-02-29      0      0      0   189      NA
##  people_vaccinated people_fully_vaccinated hosp icu vent school_closing
## 1      NA      NA      NA      0      0      NA      -3
## 2      NA      NA      NA      0      0      NA      -3
## 3      NA      NA      NA      0      0      NA      -3
## 4      NA      NA      NA      0      0      NA      -3
## 5      NA      NA      NA      0      0      NA      -3
## 6      NA      NA      NA      0      0      NA      -3
##  workplace_closing cancel_events gatherings_restrictions transport_closing
## 1      -3      -2      -4      0
## 2      -3      -2      -4      0
## 3      -3      -2      -4      0
## 4      -3      -2      -4      0
## 5      -3      -2      -4      0
## 6      -3      -2      -4      0
##  stay_home_restrictions internal_movement_restrictions
## 1      -2      -1
## 2      -2      -1
## 3      -2      -1
## 4      -2      -1
## 5      -2      -1
## 6      -2      -1
##  international_movement_restrictions information_campaigns testing_policy
## 1      3      2      1
## 2      3      2      1
## 3      3      2      2
## 4      3      2      2
## 5      3      2      2
## 6      3      2      2
##  contact_tracing facial_coverings vaccination_policy elderly_people_protection
## 1      2      0      0      -3
## 2      2      0      0      -3
## 3      2      0      0      -3
## 4      2      0      0      -3
## 5      2      0      0      -3
## 6      2      0      0      -3
##  government_response_index stringency_index containment_health_index
## 1     -49.74     -64.35     -56.85
## 2     -49.74     -64.35     -56.85
## 3     -51.82     -64.35     -59.23
## 4     -51.82     -64.35     -59.23
## 5     -51.82     -64.35     -59.23
## 6     -51.82     -64.35     -59.23
##  economic_support_index administrative_area_level administrative_area_level_1
## 1      0      2      Italy
## 2      0      2      Italy
## 3      0      2      Italy
## 4      0      2      Italy
## 5      0      2      Italy

```

```
## 6      0      2      Italy
## administrative_area_level_2 administrative_area_level_3 latitude longitude
## 1 Friuli Venezia Giulia <NA> 46.14675 13.29992
## 2 Friuli Venezia Giulia <NA> 46.14675 13.29992
## 3 Friuli Venezia Giulia <NA> 46.14675 13.29992
## 4 Friuli Venezia Giulia <NA> 46.14675 13.29992
## 5 Friuli Venezia Giulia <NA> 46.14675 13.29992
## 6 Friuli Venezia Giulia <NA> 46.14675 13.29992
## population iso_alpha_3 iso_alpha_2 iso_numeric iso_currency key_local
## 1 1215538 ITA IT 380 EUR 06
## 2 1215538 ITA IT 380 EUR 06
## 3 1215538 ITA IT 380 EUR 06
## 4 1215538 ITA IT 380 EUR 06
## 5 1215538 ITA IT 380 EUR 06
## 6 1215538 ITA IT 380 EUR 06
## key_google_mobility key_apple_mobility
## 1 ChIJ67q-XqQzekcRgHyQFYcJBwE Autonomous Region Friuli-Venezia Giulia
## 2 ChIJ67q-XqQzekcRgHyQFYcJBwE Autonomous Region Friuli-Venezia Giulia
## 3 ChIJ67q-XqQzekcRgHyQFYcJBwE Autonomous Region Friuli-Venezia Giulia
## 4 ChIJ67q-XqQzekcRgHyQFYcJBwE Autonomous Region Friuli-Venezia Giulia
## 5 ChIJ67q-XqQzekcRgHyQFYcJBwE Autonomous Region Friuli-Venezia Giulia
## 6 ChIJ67q-XqQzekcRgHyQFYcJBwE Autonomous Region Friuli-Venezia Giulia
## key_jhu_csse key_nuts key_gadm
## 1 ITH4 ITH4 ITA.7_1
## 2 ITH4 ITH4 ITA.7_1
## 3 ITH4 ITH4 ITA.7_1
## 4 ITH4 ITH4 ITA.7_1
## 5 ITH4 ITH4 ITA.7_1
## 6 ITH4 ITH4 ITA.7_1
```

Data Cleaning and Pre-processing

This section describes the steps taken to prepare the COVID-19 dataset for analysis. Data cleaning is essential to ensure accuracy, consistency, and reliability of the results.

Convert date column

The date variable was converted to Date format to enable proper time-series analysis and chronological plotting.

```
covid_italy <- covid_italy %>%
  mutate(date = as.Date(date))
```

Handle missing values

Missing values in key variables were addressed to avoid computational errors and biased results. Any missing observations in confirmed cases, deaths, and recoveries were replaced with zero.


```
covid_italy <- covid_italy %>%  
  replace_na(list(  
    confirmed = 0,  
    deaths = 0,  
    recovered = 0  
  ))
```

Check Structure

The structure and summary statistics of the cleaned dataset were examined to verify that variables were correctly formatted and values were within expected ranges.

```
str(covid_italy)
```

```
## 'data.frame': 1697 obs. of 47 variables:
## $ id : chr "03dcf038" "03dcf038" "03dcf038" "03dcf038"
...
## $ date : Date, format: "2020-02-24" "2020-02-25" ...
## $ confirmed : int 229 322 400 650 888 1128 1694 2036 2502 3089
...
## $ deaths : int 7 10 12 17 21 29 34 52 79 107 ...
## $ recovered : int 1 1 3 45 46 50 83 149 160 276 ...
## $ tests : integer64 4324 8623 9587 12014 15695 18661 21127 23
345 ...
## $ vaccines : integer64 NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
## $ people_vaccinated : int NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
## $ people_fully_vaccinated : int NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
## $ hosp : int 127 150 164 304 409 506 779 908 1263 1641 ...
## $ icu : int 26 35 36 56 64 105 140 166 229 295 ...
## $ vent : int NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
## $ school_closing : int -3 -3 -3 -3 -3 -3 -3 -3 -3 -3 ...
## $ workplace_closing : int -3 -3 -3 -3 -3 -3 -3 -3 -3 -3 ...
## $ cancel_events : int -2 -2 -2 -2 -2 -2 -2 -2 -2 2 ...
## $ gatherings_restrictions : int -4 -4 -4 -4 -4 -4 -4 -4 -4 -4 ...
## $ transport_closing : int 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 ...
## $ stay_home_restrictions : int -2 -2 -2 -2 -2 -2 -2 -2 -2 -2 ...
## $ internal_movement_restrictions : int -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -2 -2 -2 ...
## $ international_movement_restrictions : int 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 ...
## $ information_campaigns : int 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 ...
## $ testing_policy : int 1 1 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 ...
## $ contact_tracing : int 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 ...
## $ facial_coverings : int 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 ...
## $ vaccination_policy : int 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 ...
## $ elderly_people_protection : int -3 -3 -3 -3 -3 -3 -3 -3 -3 -3 ...
## $ government_response_index : num 49.7 49.7 51.8 51.8 51.8 ...
## $ stringency_index : num 64.3 64.3 64.3 64.3 64.3 ...
## $ containment_health_index : num 56.9 56.9 59.2 59.2 59.2 ...
## $ economic_support_index : num 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 ...
## $ administrative_area_level : int 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 ...
## $ administrative_area_level_1 : chr "Italy" "Italy" "Italy" "Italy" ...
## $ administrative_area_level_2 : logi NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
## $ administrative_area_level_3 : logi NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
## $ latitude : num 43 43 43 43 43 43 43 43 43 43 ...
## $ longitude : num 12 12 12 12 12 12 12 12 12 12 ...
## $ population : int 60421760 60421760 60421760 60421760 60421760
60421760 60421760 60421760 60421760 60421760 ...
## $ iso_alpha_3 : chr "ITA" "ITA" "ITA" "ITA" ...
## $ iso_alpha_2 : chr "IT" "IT" "IT" "IT" ...
## $ iso_numeric : int 380 380 380 380 380 380 380 380 380 380 ...
## $ iso_currency : chr "EUR" "EUR" "EUR" "EUR" ...
## $ key_local : logi NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
## $ key_google_mobility : chr "ChIJA9KNRIL-1BIRb15jJFz1LOI" "ChIJA9KNRIL-1B
IRb15jJFz1LOI" "ChIJA9KNRIL-1BIRb15jJFz1LOI" "ChIJA9KNRIL-1BIRb15jJFz1LOI" ...
## $ key_apple_mobility : chr "Italy" "Italy" "Italy" "Italy" ...
## $ key_jhu_csse : chr "IT" "IT" "IT" "IT" ...
## $ key_nuts : logi NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
## $ key_gadm : chr "ITA" "ITA" "ITA" "ITA" ...
```

```
summary(covid_italy)
```

```

##      id              date      confirmed      deaths
## Length:1697      Min.   :2020-02-24  Min.   :      229  Min.   :      7
## Class :character  1st Qu.:2021-04-23  1st Qu.: 3935703  1st Qu.:118699
## Mode  :character  Median :2022-06-21  Median :17959329 Median :167842
##                               Mean   :2022-06-21  Mean   :15073189 Mean   :142496
##                               3rd Qu.:2023-08-19  3rd Qu.:25933956 3rd Qu.:191182
##                               Max.   :2024-10-16  Max.   :26927813 Max.   :197931
##
##      recovered      tests      vaccines      people_vaccinated
## Min.   :      1      Min.   :    4324      Min.   :    7191      Min.   :    7191
## 1st Qu.: 3351461      1st Qu.: 56565755      1st Qu.: 81145083      1st Qu.:43974156
## Median :17191557      Median :224629636      Median :137861570      Median :50868106
## Mean   :14560193      Mean   :172029526      Mean   :108187421      Mean   :42458936
## 3rd Qu.:25625820      3rd Qu.:274638086      3rd Qu.:144498266      3rd Qu.:50933118
## Max.   :26509811      Max.   :283626833      Max.   :144608839      Max.   :50936719
##                               NA's   :      659      NA's   :659
## people_fully_vaccinated      hosp      icu      vent
## Min.   :      32      Min.   :   127      Min.   :   17.0      Min.   : NA
## 1st Qu.:40170894      1st Qu.:   2003      1st Qu.:   80.0      1st Qu.: NA
## Median :49949074      Median :   4283      Median :   234.0      Median : NA
## Mean   :40080682      Mean   :   8032      Mean   :   669.1      Mean   :NaN
## 3rd Qu.:50019983      3rd Qu.:   9760      3rd Qu.:   570.0      3rd Qu.: NA
## Max.   :50023978      Max.   :  38507      Max.   :  4068.0      Max.   : NA
## NA's   :659                               NA's   :1697
## school_closing      workplace_closing      cancel_events      gatherings_restrictions
## Min.   : -3.0000      Min.   : -3.000      Min.   : -2.00      Min.   : -4.000
## 1st Qu.:  0.0000      1st Qu.:  2.000      1st Qu.:  0.00      1st Qu.:  0.000
## Median :  1.0000      Median :  2.000      Median :  2.00      Median :  1.000
## Mean   :  0.9395      Mean   :  1.256      Mean   :  1.17      Mean   :  1.443
## 3rd Qu.:  2.0000      3rd Qu.:  2.000      3rd Qu.:  2.00      3rd Qu.:  4.000
## Max.   :  3.0000      Max.   :  3.000      Max.   :  2.00      Max.   :  4.000
## NA's   :655          NA's   :655          NA's   :655          NA's   :655
## transport_closing      stay_home_restrictions      internal_movement_restrictions
## Min.   : -1.0000      Min.   : -2.0000      Min.   : -2.0000
## 1st Qu.:  0.0000      1st Qu.: -2.0000      1st Qu.: -2.0000
## Median :  1.0000      Median : -1.0000      Median :  0.0000
## Mean   :  0.8205      Mean   : -0.5374      Mean   : -0.5912
## 3rd Qu.:  2.0000      3rd Qu.:  1.0000      3rd Qu.:  0.0000
## Max.   :  2.0000      Max.   :  2.0000      Max.   :  2.0000
## NA's   :655          NA's   :655          NA's   :655
## international_movement_restrictions      information_campaigns      testing_policy
## Min.   :  0.000      Min.   :  2      Min.   :  1.000
## 1st Qu.:  2.000      1st Qu.:  2      1st Qu.:  2.000
## Median :  3.000      Median :  2      Median :  3.000
## Mean   :  2.299      Mean   :  2      Mean   :  2.693
## 3rd Qu.:  3.000      3rd Qu.:  2      3rd Qu.:  3.000
## Max.   :  3.000      Max.   :  2      Max.   :  3.000
## NA's   :655          NA's   :655          NA's   :655
## contact_tracing      facial_coverings      vaccination_policy      elderly_people_protection
## Min.   :  2      Min.   : -4.000      Min.   :  0.000      Min.   : -3.000
## 1st Qu.:  2      1st Qu.: -4.000      1st Qu.:  0.000      1st Qu.:  2.000
## Median :  2      Median : -3.000      Median :  5.000      Median :  3.000
## Mean   :  2      Mean   : -1.265      Mean   :  3.119      Mean   :  2.669
## 3rd Qu.:  2      3rd Qu.:  2.000      3rd Qu.:  5.000      3rd Qu.:  3.000
## Max.   :  2      Max.   :  3.000      Max.   :  5.000      Max.   :  3.000

```

```

## NA's :655 NA's :655 NA's :655 NA's :655
## government_response_index stringency_index containment_health_index
## Min. :41.67 Min. :18.52 Min. :44.05
## 1st Qu.:61.85 1st Qu.:53.70 1st Qu.:62.50
## Median :73.44 Median :68.98 Median :73.21
## Mean :67.41 Mean :60.46 Mean :68.20
## 3rd Qu.:79.43 3rd Qu.:75.46 3rd Qu.:80.06
## Max. :82.97 Max. :93.52 Max. :85.42
## NA's :655 NA's :655 NA's :655
## economic_support_index administrative_area_level administrative_area_level_1
## Min. : 0.00 Min. :1 Length:1697
## 1st Qu.:50.00 1st Qu.:1 Class :character
## Median :75.00 Median :1 Mode :character
## Mean :61.88 Mean :1
## 3rd Qu.:75.00 3rd Qu.:1
## Max. :75.00 Max. :1
## NA's :655
## administrative_area_level_2 administrative_area_level_3 latitude
## Mode:logical Mode:logical Min. :43
## NA's:1697 NA's:1697 1st Qu.:43
## Median :43
## Mean :43
## 3rd Qu.:43
## Max. :43
##
## longitude population iso_alpha_3 iso_alpha_2
## Min. :12 Min. :60421760 Length:1697 Length:1697
## 1st Qu.:12 1st Qu.:60421760 Class :character Class :character
## Median :12 Median :60421760 Mode :character Mode :character
## Mean :12 Mean :60421760
## 3rd Qu.:12 3rd Qu.:60421760
## Max. :12 Max. :60421760
##
## iso_numeric iso_currency key_local key_google_mobility
## Min. :380 Length:1697 Mode:logical Length:1697
## 1st Qu.:380 Class :character NA's:1697 Class :character
## Median :380 Mode :character Mode :character
## Mean :380
## 3rd Qu.:380
## Max. :380
##
## key_apple_mobility key_jhu_csse key_nuts key_gadm
## Length:1697 Length:1697 Mode:logical Length:1697
## Class :character Class :character NA's:1697 Class :character
## Mode :character Mode :character Mode :character
##
##
##
##

```

DESCRIPTIVE STATISTICS

Summary statistics for italy

Summary of Pre-processing Steps

- ✓ Date variables formatted correctly
- ✓ Missing values handled consistently
- ✓ Dataset structure validated

Outcome: The dataset is now clean, reliable, and suitable for descriptive, temporal, and comparative COVID-19 analyses.

```
summary(covid_italy %>%  
  select(where(is.numeric)))
```

```

## confirmed deaths recovered tests
## Min. : 229 Min. : 7 Min. : 1 Min. : 4324
## 1st Qu.: 3935703 1st Qu.:118699 1st Qu.: 3351461 1st Qu.: 56565755
## Median :17959329 Median :167842 Median :17191557 Median :224629636
## Mean :15073189 Mean :142496 Mean :14560193 Mean :172029526
## 3rd Qu.:25933956 3rd Qu.:191182 3rd Qu.:25625820 3rd Qu.:274638086
## Max. :26927813 Max. :197931 Max. :26509811 Max. :283626833
##
## vaccines people_vaccinated people_fully_vaccinated hosp
## Min. : 7191 Min. : 7191 Min. : 32 Min. : 127
## 1st Qu.: 81145083 1st Qu.:43974156 1st Qu.:40170894 1st Qu.: 2003
## Median :137861570 Median :50868106 Median :49949074 Median : 4283
## Mean :108187421 Mean :42458936 Mean :40080682 Mean : 8032
## 3rd Qu.:144498266 3rd Qu.:50933118 3rd Qu.:50019983 3rd Qu.: 9760
## Max. :144608839 Max. :50936719 Max. :50023978 Max. :38507
## NA's : 659 NA's :659 NA's :659
## icu vent school_closing workplace_closing
## Min. : 17.0 Min. : NA Min. : -3.0000 Min. : -3.000
## 1st Qu.: 80.0 1st Qu.: NA 1st Qu.: 0.0000 1st Qu.: 2.000
## Median : 234.0 Median : NA Median : 1.0000 Median : 2.000
## Mean : 669.1 Mean : NaN Mean : 0.9395 Mean : 1.256
## 3rd Qu.: 570.0 3rd Qu.: NA 3rd Qu.: 2.0000 3rd Qu.: 2.000
## Max. :4068.0 Max. : NA Max. : 3.0000 Max. : 3.000
## NA's :1697 NA's :655 NA's :655
## cancel_events gatherings_restrictions transport_closing
## Min. : -2.00 Min. : -4.000 Min. : -1.0000
## 1st Qu.: 0.00 1st Qu.: 0.000 1st Qu.: 0.0000
## Median : 2.00 Median : 1.000 Median : 1.0000
## Mean : 1.17 Mean : 1.443 Mean : 0.8205
## 3rd Qu.: 2.00 3rd Qu.: 4.000 3rd Qu.: 2.0000
## Max. : 2.00 Max. : 4.000 Max. : 2.0000
## NA's :655 NA's :655 NA's :655
## stay_home_restrictions internal_movement_restrictions
## Min. : -2.0000 Min. : -2.0000
## 1st Qu.: -2.0000 1st Qu.: -2.0000
## Median : -1.0000 Median : 0.0000
## Mean : -0.5374 Mean : -0.5912
## 3rd Qu.: 1.0000 3rd Qu.: 0.0000
## Max. : 2.0000 Max. : 2.0000
## NA's :655 NA's :655
## international_movement_restrictions information_campaigns testing_policy
## Min. : 0.000 Min. : 2 Min. : 1.000
## 1st Qu.: 2.000 1st Qu.: 2 1st Qu.: 2.000
## Median : 3.000 Median : 2 Median : 3.000
## Mean : 2.299 Mean : 2 Mean : 2.693
## 3rd Qu.: 3.000 3rd Qu.: 2 3rd Qu.: 3.000
## Max. : 3.000 Max. : 2 Max. : 3.000
## NA's :655 NA's :655 NA's :655
## contact_tracing facial_coverings vaccination_policy elderly_people_protection
## Min. : 2 Min. : -4.000 Min. : 0.000 Min. : -3.000
## 1st Qu.: 2 1st Qu.: -4.000 1st Qu.: 0.000 1st Qu.: 2.000
## Median : 2 Median : -3.000 Median : 5.000 Median : 3.000
## Mean : 2 Mean : -1.265 Mean : 3.119 Mean : 2.669
## 3rd Qu.: 2 3rd Qu.: 2.000 3rd Qu.: 5.000 3rd Qu.: 3.000
## Max. : 2 Max. : 3.000 Max. : 5.000 Max. : 3.000

```

```
## NA's :655 NA's :655 NA's :655 NA's :655
## government_response_index stringency_index containment_health_index
## Min. :41.67 Min. :18.52 Min. :44.05
## 1st Qu.:61.85 1st Qu.:53.70 1st Qu.:62.50
## Median :73.44 Median :68.98 Median :73.21
## Mean :67.41 Mean :60.46 Mean :68.20
## 3rd Qu.:79.43 3rd Qu.:75.46 3rd Qu.:80.06
## Max. :82.97 Max. :93.52 Max. :85.42
## NA's :655 NA's :655 NA's :655
## economic_support_index administrative_area_level latitude longitude
## Min. : 0.00 Min. :1 Min. :43 Min. :12
## 1st Qu.:50.00 1st Qu.:1 1st Qu.:43 1st Qu.:12
## Median :75.00 Median :1 Median :43 Median :12
## Mean :61.88 Mean :1 Mean :43 Mean :12
## 3rd Qu.:75.00 3rd Qu.:1 3rd Qu.:43 3rd Qu.:12
## Max. :75.00 Max. :1 Max. :43 Max. :12
## NA's :655
## population iso_numeric
## Min. :60421760 Min. :380
## 1st Qu.:60421760 1st Qu.:380
## Median :60421760 Median :380
## Mean :60421760 Mean :380
## 3rd Qu.:60421760 3rd Qu.:380
## Max. :60421760 Max. :380
##
```

Total cases,deaths, recoveries

This section summarizes the overall impact of COVID-19 in Italy by calculating the cumulative totals of confirmed cases, deaths, and recoveries.

```
covid_italy %>%
  summarise(
    total_cases = max(confirmed),
    total_deaths = max(deaths),
    total_recovered = max(recovered)
  )
```

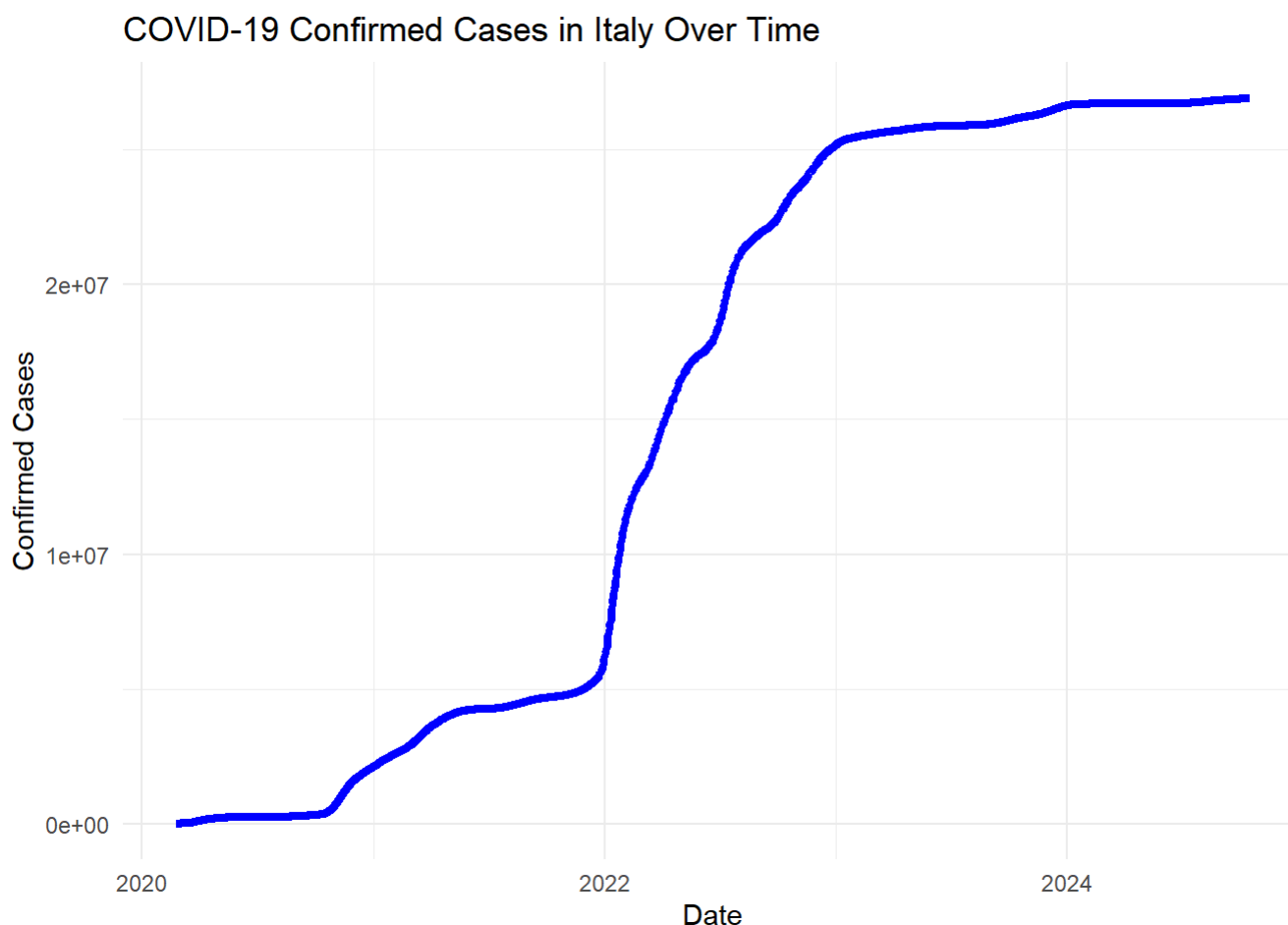
```
## total_cases total_deaths total_recovered
## 1 26927813 197931 26509811
```

Temporal trends(Time-Series Analysis)

Daily confirmed cases over time(italy)

This time-series plot illustrates how confirmed COVID-19 cases in Italy evolved over time.


```
print(ggplot(covid_italy, aes(x = date, y = confirmed)) +  
  geom_line(color = "blue",linewidth = 1.5) +  
  labs(  
    title = "COVID-19 Confirmed Cases in Italy Over Time",  
    x = "Date",  
    y = "Confirmed Cases"  
  ) +  
  theme_minimal())
```



REPORT ON COVID-19 CONFIRMED CASES

The curve shows a continuous upward trajectory, reflecting the cumulative nature of confirmed cases.

An initial slow increase is observed in early 2020, corresponding to the early phase of the pandemic.

A sharp and steep rise occurs around late 2021 to early 2022, indicating a period of intense transmission.

Following this surge, the curve begins to flatten, suggesting a reduction in the rate of new infections.

From 2023 onwards, the growth becomes more gradual, indicating improved control of the pandemic.

COMPARATIVE ANALYSIS

Country-Level Comparison: Italy vs France

This section compares confirmed COVID-19 cases between Italy and France to assess differences in pandemic progression.

```
library(dplyr)

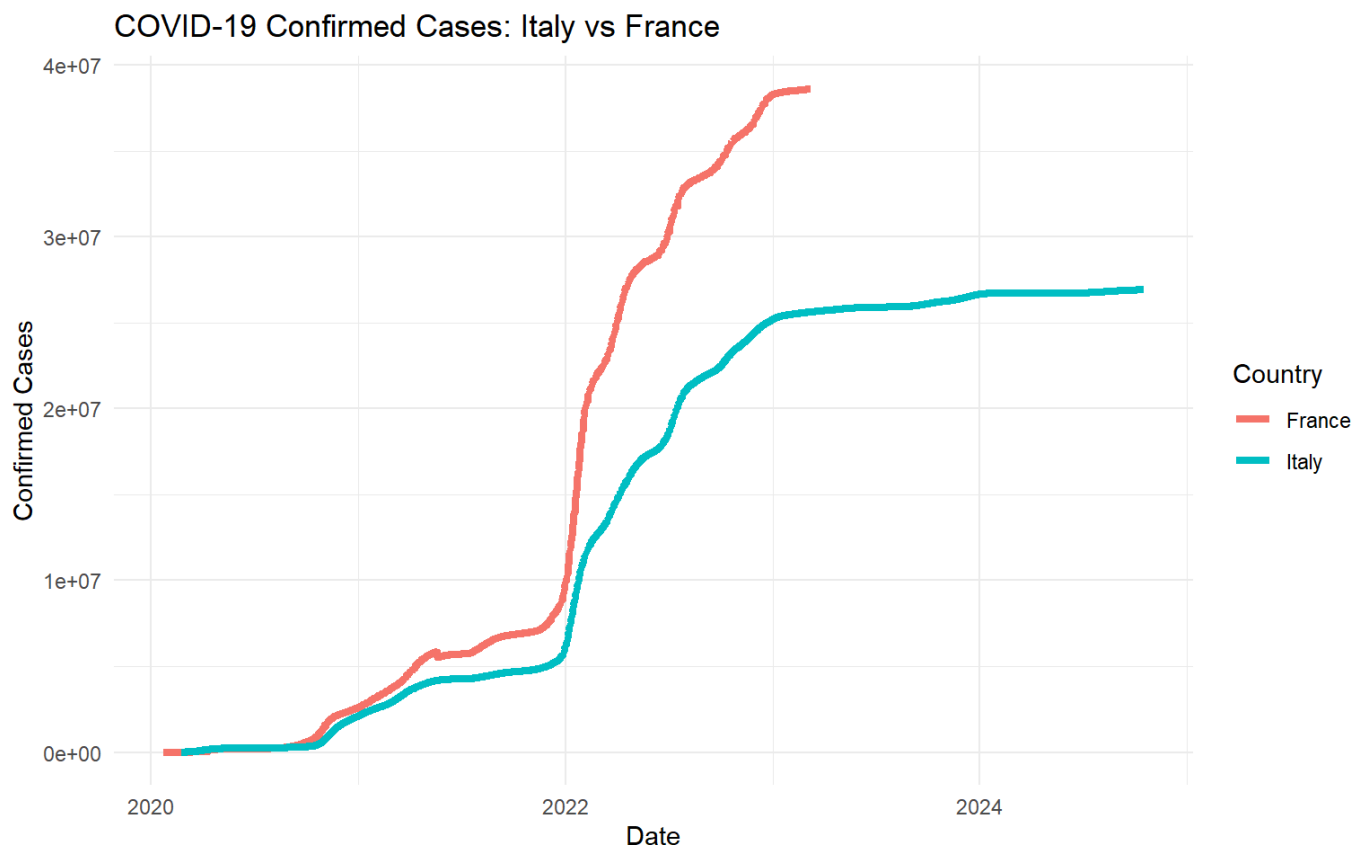
covid_compare <- covid_global %>%
  filter(
    administrative_area_level_1 %in% c("Italy", "France")
  )
```

```
covid_compare$date <- as.Date(covid_compare$date)
```

```
ggplot(
  covid_compare,
  aes(
    x = as.Date(date),
    y = confirmed,
    color = administrative_area_level_1
  )
) +
  geom_line(linewidth = 1.5 ) +
  labs(
    title = "COVID-19 Confirmed Cases: Italy vs France",
    x = "Date",
    y = "Confirmed Cases",
    color = "Country",

  ) +
  theme_minimal()
```

```
## Warning: Removed 125 rows containing missing values or values outside the scale range
## (`geom_line()`).
```



REPORT ON COVID 19 CONFIRMED CASES ITALY VS FRANCE Both Italy and France exhibit a steady increase in confirmed cases over time, consistent with cumulative reporting.

An initial slow growth phase is observed during early 2020.

A sharp rise in cases occurs around late 2021 to early 2022 in both countries, indicating major pandemic waves.

France shows a steeper increase during this period, reaching a higher cumulative total than Italy.

After 2022, both curves begin to flatten, suggesting a reduction in the rate of new infections.

Interpretation

Both countries exhibit similar temporal patterns, including multiple waves of infection. However, differences in peak magnitudes and timing suggest variations in national responses, population dynamics, and health system capacities.

```
unique(covid_compare$administrative_area_level_1)
```

```
## [1] "France" "Italy"
```

```
#covid_global <- covid19()
#unique(covid_global$administrative_area_level_1)
```

Comparing REGIONS IN ITALY

Inspecting the dataset and listing unique regions ensures that regional-level data are correctly structured and available for comparison.

```
head(covid_italy_regions)
```

```

##      id      date confirmed deaths recovered tests vaccines
## 1 07945170 2020-02-24      0      0      0    58      NA
## 2 07945170 2020-02-25      0      0      0    89      NA
## 3 07945170 2020-02-26      0      0      0   114      NA
## 4 07945170 2020-02-27      0      0      0   141      NA
## 5 07945170 2020-02-28      0      0      0   169      NA
## 6 07945170 2020-02-29      0      0      0   189      NA
##  people_vaccinated people_fully_vaccinated hosp icu vent school_closing
## 1      NA      NA      NA      0      0      NA      -3
## 2      NA      NA      NA      0      0      NA      -3
## 3      NA      NA      NA      0      0      NA      -3
## 4      NA      NA      NA      0      0      NA      -3
## 5      NA      NA      NA      0      0      NA      -3
## 6      NA      NA      NA      0      0      NA      -3
##  workplace_closing cancel_events gatherings_restrictions transport_closing
## 1      -3      -2      -4      0
## 2      -3      -2      -4      0
## 3      -3      -2      -4      0
## 4      -3      -2      -4      0
## 5      -3      -2      -4      0
## 6      -3      -2      -4      0
##  stay_home_restrictions internal_movement_restrictions
## 1      -2      -1
## 2      -2      -1
## 3      -2      -1
## 4      -2      -1
## 5      -2      -1
## 6      -2      -1
##  international_movement_restrictions information_campaigns testing_policy
## 1      3      2      1
## 2      3      2      1
## 3      3      2      2
## 4      3      2      2
## 5      3      2      2
## 6      3      2      2
##  contact_tracing facial_coverings vaccination_policy elderly_people_protection
## 1      2      0      0      -3
## 2      2      0      0      -3
## 3      2      0      0      -3
## 4      2      0      0      -3
## 5      2      0      0      -3
## 6      2      0      0      -3
##  government_response_index stringency_index containment_health_index
## 1     -49.74     -64.35     -56.85
## 2     -49.74     -64.35     -56.85
## 3     -51.82     -64.35     -59.23
## 4     -51.82     -64.35     -59.23
## 5     -51.82     -64.35     -59.23
## 6     -51.82     -64.35     -59.23
##  economic_support_index administrative_area_level administrative_area_level_1
## 1      0      2      Italy
## 2      0      2      Italy
## 3      0      2      Italy
## 4      0      2      Italy
## 5      0      2      Italy

```

```
## 6      0      2      Italy
## administrative_area_level_2 administrative_area_level_3 latitude longitude
## 1 Friuli Venezia Giulia <NA> 46.14675 13.29992
## 2 Friuli Venezia Giulia <NA> 46.14675 13.29992
## 3 Friuli Venezia Giulia <NA> 46.14675 13.29992
## 4 Friuli Venezia Giulia <NA> 46.14675 13.29992
## 5 Friuli Venezia Giulia <NA> 46.14675 13.29992
## 6 Friuli Venezia Giulia <NA> 46.14675 13.29992
## population iso_alpha_3 iso_alpha_2 iso_numeric iso_currency key_local
## 1 1215538 ITA IT 380 EUR 06
## 2 1215538 ITA IT 380 EUR 06
## 3 1215538 ITA IT 380 EUR 06
## 4 1215538 ITA IT 380 EUR 06
## 5 1215538 ITA IT 380 EUR 06
## 6 1215538 ITA IT 380 EUR 06
## key_google_mobility key_apple_mobility
## 1 ChIJ67q-XqQzekcRgHyQFYcJBwE Autonomous Region Friuli-Venezia Giulia
## 2 ChIJ67q-XqQzekcRgHyQFYcJBwE Autonomous Region Friuli-Venezia Giulia
## 3 ChIJ67q-XqQzekcRgHyQFYcJBwE Autonomous Region Friuli-Venezia Giulia
## 4 ChIJ67q-XqQzekcRgHyQFYcJBwE Autonomous Region Friuli-Venezia Giulia
## 5 ChIJ67q-XqQzekcRgHyQFYcJBwE Autonomous Region Friuli-Venezia Giulia
## 6 ChIJ67q-XqQzekcRgHyQFYcJBwE Autonomous Region Friuli-Venezia Giulia
## key_jhu_csse key_nuts key_gadm
## 1 ITH4 ITH4 ITA.7_1
## 2 ITH4 ITH4 ITA.7_1
## 3 ITH4 ITH4 ITA.7_1
## 4 ITH4 ITH4 ITA.7_1
## 5 ITH4 ITH4 ITA.7_1
## 6 ITH4 ITH4 ITA.7_1
```

Which regions are available

```
unique(covid_italy_regions$administrative_area_level_2)
```

```
## [1] "Friuli Venezia Giulia" "P.A. Bolzano" "Molise"
## [4] "Campania" "Veneto" "Basilicata"
## [7] "Lazio" "Lombardia" "P.A. Trento"
## [10] "Piemonte" "Valle d'Aosta" "Sicilia"
## [13] "Marche" "Calabria" "Liguria"
## [16] "Umbria" "Emilia-Romagna" "Abruzzo"
## [19] "Puglia" "Toscana" "Sardegna"
```

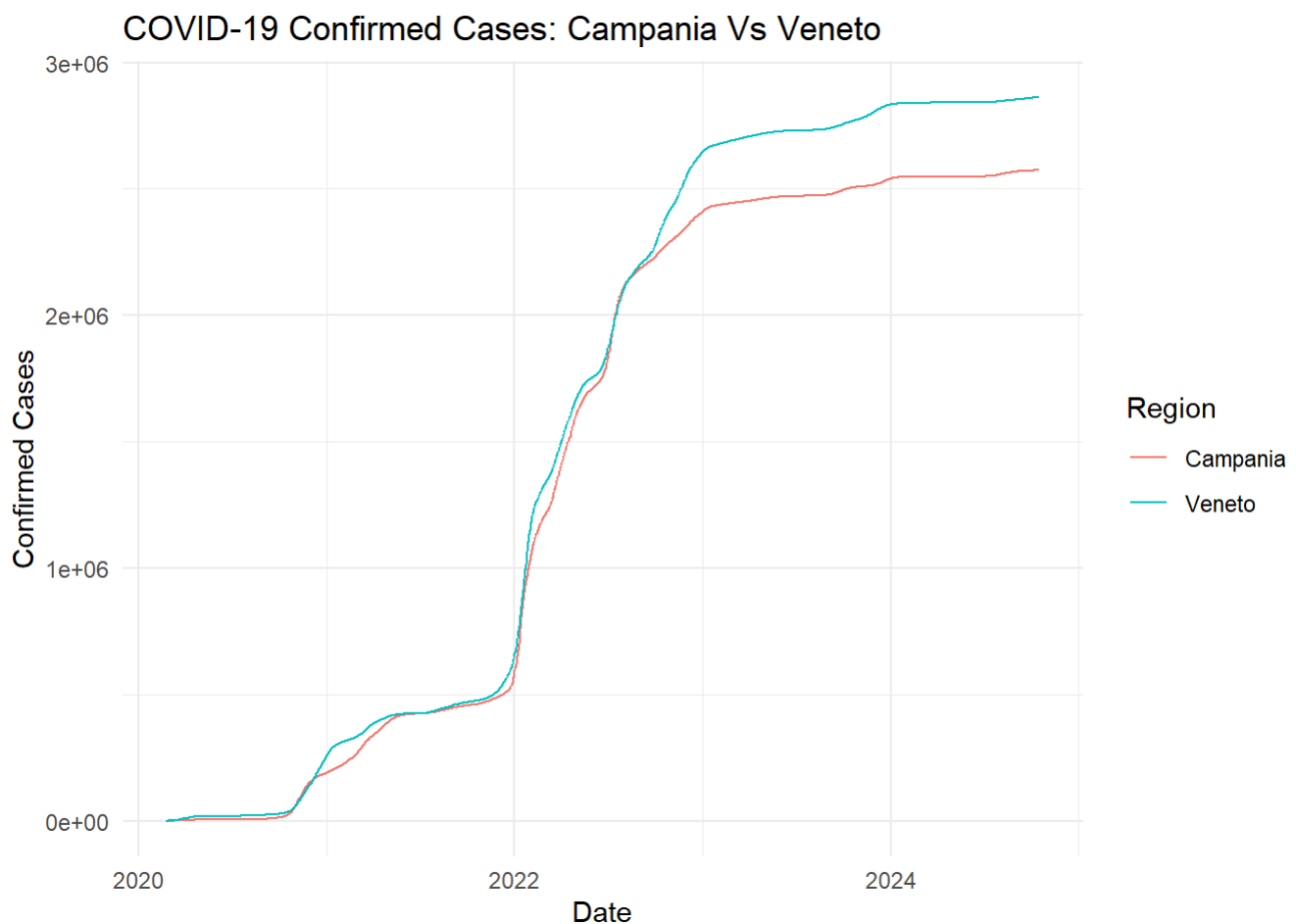
```
selected_regions=c("Campania","Veneto")
```

Filter data to those two regions

```
covid_regions_compare=covid_italy_regions%>%
  filter(administrative_area_level_2%in%selected_regions)%>%
  mutate(date=as.Date(date))
```

Line Plot(Region Comparison)

```
ggplot(  
  covid_regions_compare,  
  aes(  
    x=date,  
    y=confirmed,  
    color=administrative_area_level_2  
  ))+  
  geom_line()+  
  labs(  
    title = "COVID-19 Confirmed Cases: Campania Vs Veneto",  
    x="Date",  
    y="Confirmed Cases",  
    color="Region"  
  )+  
  theme_minimal()
```



REPORT ON COVID-19 CONFIRMED CASES CAMPANIA VS VENETO Both regions exhibit a steady cumulative increase in confirmed cases throughout the study period.

An initial slow growth phase is visible during early 2020, followed by multiple waves of accelerated transmission.

A pronounced surge around late 2021 to early 2022 is observed in both regions, corresponding to major pandemic waves.

After this surge, the curves begin to flatten, indicating a slowdown in the rate of new infections.

Confirmed cases vs recovery cases Germany

```
covid_germany=covid19(country = "Germany")%>%  
  mutate(date=as.Date(date))
```

```
## We have invested a lot of time and effort in creating COVID-19 Data  
## Hub, please cite the following when using it:  
##  
##   Guidotti, E., Ardia, D., (2020), "COVID-19 Data Hub", Journal of Open  
##   Source Software 5(51):2376, doi: 10.21105/joss.02376  
##  
## The implementation details and the latest version of the data are  
## described in:  
##  
##   Guidotti, E., (2022), "A worldwide epidemiological database for  
##   COVID-19 at fine-grained spatial resolution", Sci Data 9(1):112, doi:  
##   10.1038/s41597-022-01245-1  
## To print citations in BibTeX format use:  
##   > print(citation('COVID19'), bibtex=TRUE)  
##  
## To hide this message use 'verbose = FALSE'.
```

```
head(covid_germany)
```



```

##      id      date confirmed deaths recovered tests vaccines
## 1 42079406 2020-01-02      1      0      1 <NA>      <NA>
## 2 42079406 2020-01-23      2      0      2 <NA>      <NA>
## 3 42079406 2020-01-27     NA     NA     NA <NA>      <NA>
## 4 42079406 2020-01-28      4      0      4 <NA>      <NA>
## 5 42079406 2020-01-29      6      0      6 <NA>      <NA>
## 6 42079406 2020-01-30     NA     NA     NA <NA>      <NA>
##  people_vaccinated people_fully_vaccinated hosp icu vent school_closing
## 1      NA      NA      NA      NA      NA      NA      0
## 2      NA      NA      NA      NA      NA      NA      0
## 3      NA      NA      NA      NA      NA      NA      0
## 4      NA      NA      NA      NA      NA      NA      0
## 5      NA      NA      NA      NA      NA      NA      0
## 6      NA      NA      NA      NA      NA      NA      0
##  workplace_closing cancel_events gatherings_restrictions transport_closing
## 1      0      0      0      0      0
## 2      0      0      0      0      0
## 3      0      0      0      0      0
## 4      0      0      0      0      0
## 5      0      0      0      0      0
## 6      0      0      0      0      0
##  stay_home_restrictions internal_movement_restrictions
## 1      0      0
## 2      0      0
## 3      0      0
## 4      0      0
## 5      0      0
## 6      0      0
##  international_movement_restrictions information_campaigns testing_policy
## 1      0      0      0
## 2      0      0      0
## 3      0      1      1
## 4      0      1      1
## 5      0      1      1
## 6      0      1      1
##  contact_tracing facial_coverings vaccination_policy elderly_people_protection
## 1      0      0      0      0
## 2      2      0      0      0
## 3      2      0      0      0
## 4      2      0      0      0
## 5      2      0      0      0
## 6      2      0      0      0
##  government_response_index stringency_index containment_health_index
## 1      0.00      0.00      0.00
## 2      6.25      0.00      7.14
## 3     11.46      5.56     13.10
## 4     11.46      5.56     13.10
## 5     11.46      5.56     13.10
## 6     11.46      5.56     13.10
##  economic_support_index administrative_area_level administrative_area_level_1
## 1      0      1      Germany
## 2      0      1      Germany
## 3      0      1      Germany
## 4      0      1      Germany
## 5      0      1      Germany

```

```
## 6      0      1      Germany
## administrative_area_level_2 administrative_area_level_3 latitude longitude
## 1      NA      NA      51      9
## 2      NA      NA      51      9
## 3      NA      NA      51      9
## 4      NA      NA      51      9
## 5      NA      NA      51      9
## 6      NA      NA      51      9
## population iso_alpha_3 iso_alpha_2 iso_numeric iso_currency key_local
## 1 82905782 DEU DE 276 EUR NA
## 2 82905782 DEU DE 276 EUR NA
## 3 82905782 DEU DE 276 EUR NA
## 4 82905782 DEU DE 276 EUR NA
## 5 82905782 DEU DE 276 EUR NA
## 6 82905782 DEU DE 276 EUR NA
## key_google_mobility key_apple_mobility key_jhu_csse key_nuts key_gadm
## 1 ChIJa76xwh5ymkcRW-WRjmtD6HU Germany DE NA DEU
## 2 ChIJa76xwh5ymkcRW-WRjmtD6HU Germany DE NA DEU
## 3 ChIJa76xwh5ymkcRW-WRjmtD6HU Germany DE NA DEU
## 4 ChIJa76xwh5ymkcRW-WRjmtD6HU Germany DE NA DEU
## 5 ChIJa76xwh5ymkcRW-WRjmtD6HU Germany DE NA DEU
## 6 ChIJa76xwh5ymkcRW-WRjmtD6HU Germany DE NA DEU
```

```
sum(is.na(covid_germany$confirmed))
```

```
## [1] 12
```

```
nrow(covid_germany)
```

```
## [1] 1138
```

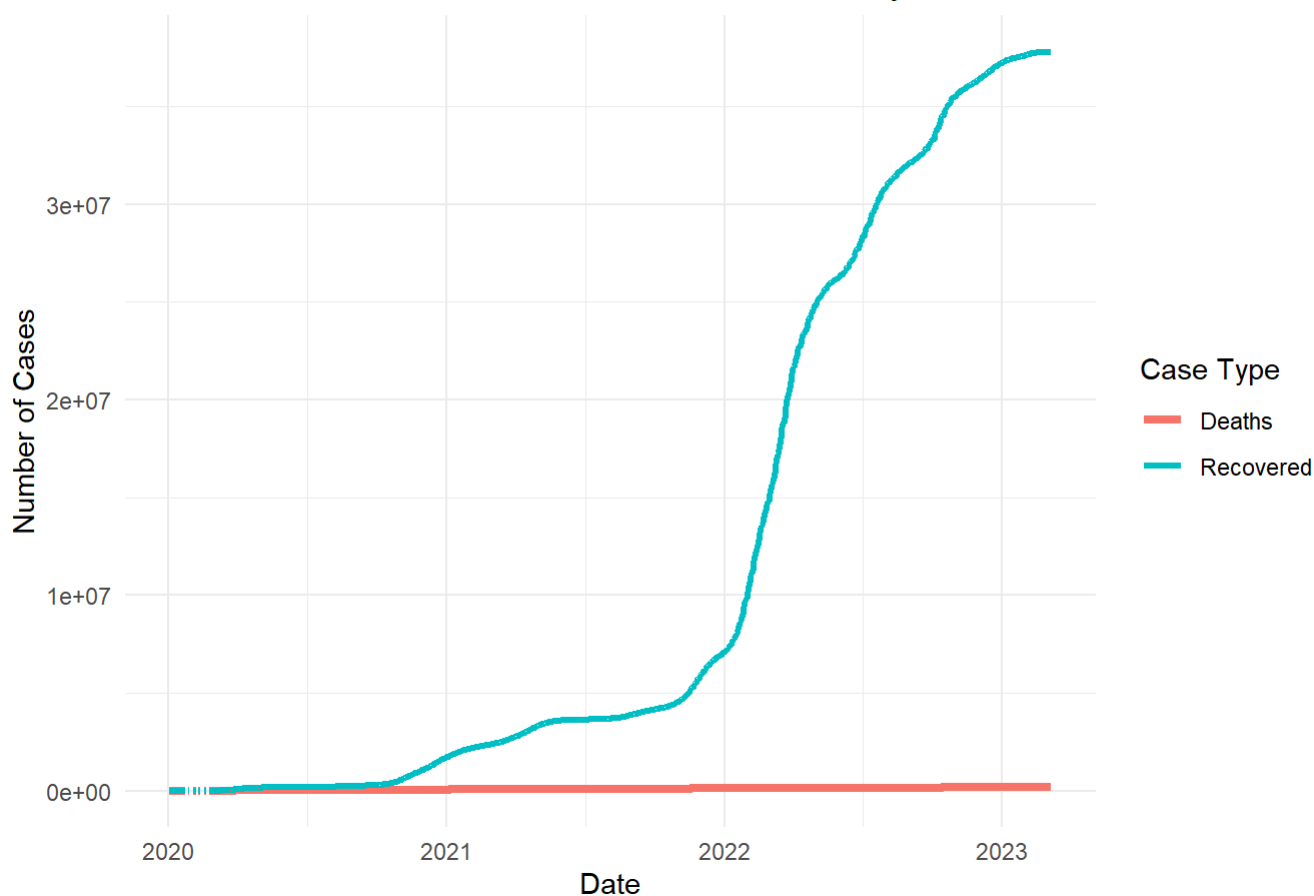
```
sum(is.na(covid_germany$deaths))
```

```
## [1] 12
```

```
ggplot(
  covid_germany,
  aes(date)) +
  geom_line(aes(y=deaths,color="Deaths"),linewidth = 1.5) +
  geom_line(aes(y=recovered,color="Recovered"),linewidth = 1.2) +
  labs(
    title="COVID-19 Recovered vs Deaths cases in Germany",
    x="Date",
    y="Number of Cases",
    color="Case Type"
  ) +
  theme_minimal()
```

```
## Warning: Removed 1 row containing missing values or values outside the scale range
## (`geom_line()`).
## Removed 1 row containing missing values or values outside the scale range
## (`geom_line()`).
```

COVID-19 Recovered vs Deaths cases in Germany



REPORT ON COVID 19 RECOVERED VS DEATH CASES IN GERMANY The substantial gap between recovered and death cases indicates that the majority of infected individuals in Germany recovered from COVID-19. The rapid increase in recoveries during later periods suggests improvements in clinical treatment, vaccination coverage, and overall healthcare response. The relatively flat death curve reflects a lower fatality rate, especially in later stages of the pandemic.

Geographical Distribution

```
library(dplyr)
library(maps)
```

```
## Warning: package 'maps' was built under R version 4.5.2
```

```
##
## Attaching package: 'maps'
```

```
## The following object is masked from 'package:purrr':
##
## map
```

```
library(ggplot2)
```

Load COVID-19 Global Data

```
head(covid_global)
```

```

##      id      date confirmed deaths recovered tests vaccines
## 1 8320791a 2020-03-13      2     NA      NA <NA>      <NA>
## 2 8320791a 2020-03-14      2     NA      NA <NA>      <NA>
## 3 8320791a 2020-03-15      2     NA      NA <NA>      <NA>
## 4 8320791a 2020-03-16      2     NA      NA <NA>      <NA>
## 5 8320791a 2020-03-17      8     NA      NA <NA>      <NA>
## 6 8320791a 2020-03-18      9     NA      NA <NA>      <NA>
##  people_vaccinated people_fully_vaccinated hosp icu vent school_closing
## 1      NA      NA      NA      NA      NA      NA
## 2      NA      NA      NA      NA      NA      NA
## 3      NA      NA      NA      NA      NA      NA
## 4      NA      NA      NA      NA      NA      NA
## 5      NA      NA      NA      NA      NA      NA
## 6      NA      NA      NA      NA      NA      NA
##  workplace_closing cancel_events gatherings_restrictions transport_closing
## 1      NA      NA      NA      NA      NA
## 2      NA      NA      NA      NA      NA
## 3      NA      NA      NA      NA      NA
## 4      NA      NA      NA      NA      NA
## 5      NA      NA      NA      NA      NA
## 6      NA      NA      NA      NA      NA
##  stay_home_restrictions internal_movement_restrictions
## 1      NA      NA
## 2      NA      NA
## 3      NA      NA
## 4      NA      NA
## 5      NA      NA
## 6      NA      NA
##  international_movement_restrictions information_campaigns testing_policy
## 1      NA      NA      NA
## 2      NA      NA      NA
## 3      NA      NA      NA
## 4      NA      NA      NA
## 5      NA      NA      NA
## 6      NA      NA      NA
##  contact_tracing facial_coverings vaccination_policy elderly_people_protection
## 1      NA      NA      NA      NA
## 2      NA      NA      NA      NA
## 3      NA      NA      NA      NA
## 4      NA      NA      NA      NA
## 5      NA      NA      NA      NA
## 6      NA      NA      NA      NA
##  government_response_index stringency_index containment_health_index
## 1      NA      NA      NA
## 2      NA      NA      NA
## 3      NA      NA      NA
## 4      NA      NA      NA
## 5      NA      NA      NA
## 6      NA      NA      NA
##  economic_support_index administrative_area_level administrative_area_level_1
## 1      NA      1      Grand Princess
## 2      NA      1      Grand Princess
## 3      NA      1      Grand Princess
## 4      NA      1      Grand Princess
## 5      NA      1      Grand Princess

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## 6      NA      1      Grand Princess
## administrative_area_level_2 administrative_area_level_3 latitude longitude
## 1      NA      NA      NA      NA
## 2      NA      NA      NA      NA
## 3      NA      NA      NA      NA
## 4      NA      NA      NA      NA
## 5      NA      NA      NA      NA
## 6      NA      NA      NA      NA
## population iso_alpha_3 iso_alpha_2 iso_numeric iso_currency key_local
## 1      3533      <NA>      <NA>      NA      <NA>      NA
## 2      3533      <NA>      <NA>      NA      <NA>      NA
## 3      3533      <NA>      <NA>      NA      <NA>      NA
## 4      3533      <NA>      <NA>      NA      <NA>      NA
## 5      3533      <NA>      <NA>      NA      <NA>      NA
## 6      3533      <NA>      <NA>      NA      <NA>      NA
## key_google_mobility key_apple_mobility key_jhu_csse key_nuts key_gadm
## 1      <NA>      <NA>      <NA>      NA      <NA>
## 2      <NA>      <NA>      <NA>      NA      <NA>
## 3      <NA>      <NA>      <NA>      NA      <NA>
## 4      <NA>      <NA>      <NA>      NA      <NA>
## 5      <NA>      <NA>      <NA>      NA      <NA>
## 6      <NA>      <NA>      <NA>      NA      <NA>
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Total Confirmed cases per country

```
library(dplyr)
covid_summary <- covid_global %>%
  group_by(administrative_area_level_1) %>%
  summarise(
    total_cases = ifelse(
      all(is.na(confirmed)),
      NA,
      max(confirmed, na.rm = TRUE)
    ),
    .groups = "drop"
  ) %>%
  rename(country=administrative_area_level_1)

covid_summary
```

```
## # A tibble: 236 × 2
##   country      total_cases
##   <chr>          <int>
## 1 Afghanistan    209451
## 2 Albania        334457
## 3 Algeria        270697
## 4 American Samoa    8321
## 5 Andorra        47890
## 6 Angola         105288
## 7 Anguilla        3904
## 8 Antigua and Barbuda 9106
## 9 Argentina     10044957
## 10 Armenia       447308
## # i 226 more rows
```

Remove Areas with no data

```
covid_summary <- covid_summary %>%
  filter(!is.na(total_cases))
```

Get World Map Data

```
world <- map_data("world")
head(world)
```

```
##       long      lat group order region subregion
## 1 -69.89912 12.45200     1     1  Aruba      <NA>
## 2 -69.89571 12.42300     1     2  Aruba      <NA>
## 3 -69.94219 12.43853     1     3  Aruba      <NA>
## 4 -70.00415 12.50049     1     4  Aruba      <NA>
## 5 -70.06612 12.54697     1     5  Aruba      <NA>
## 6 -70.05088 12.59707     1     6  Aruba      <NA>
```

```
map_data <- left_join(
  world,
  covid_summary,
  by = c("region" = "country")
)
```

Merge COVID DATA WITH MAP DATA

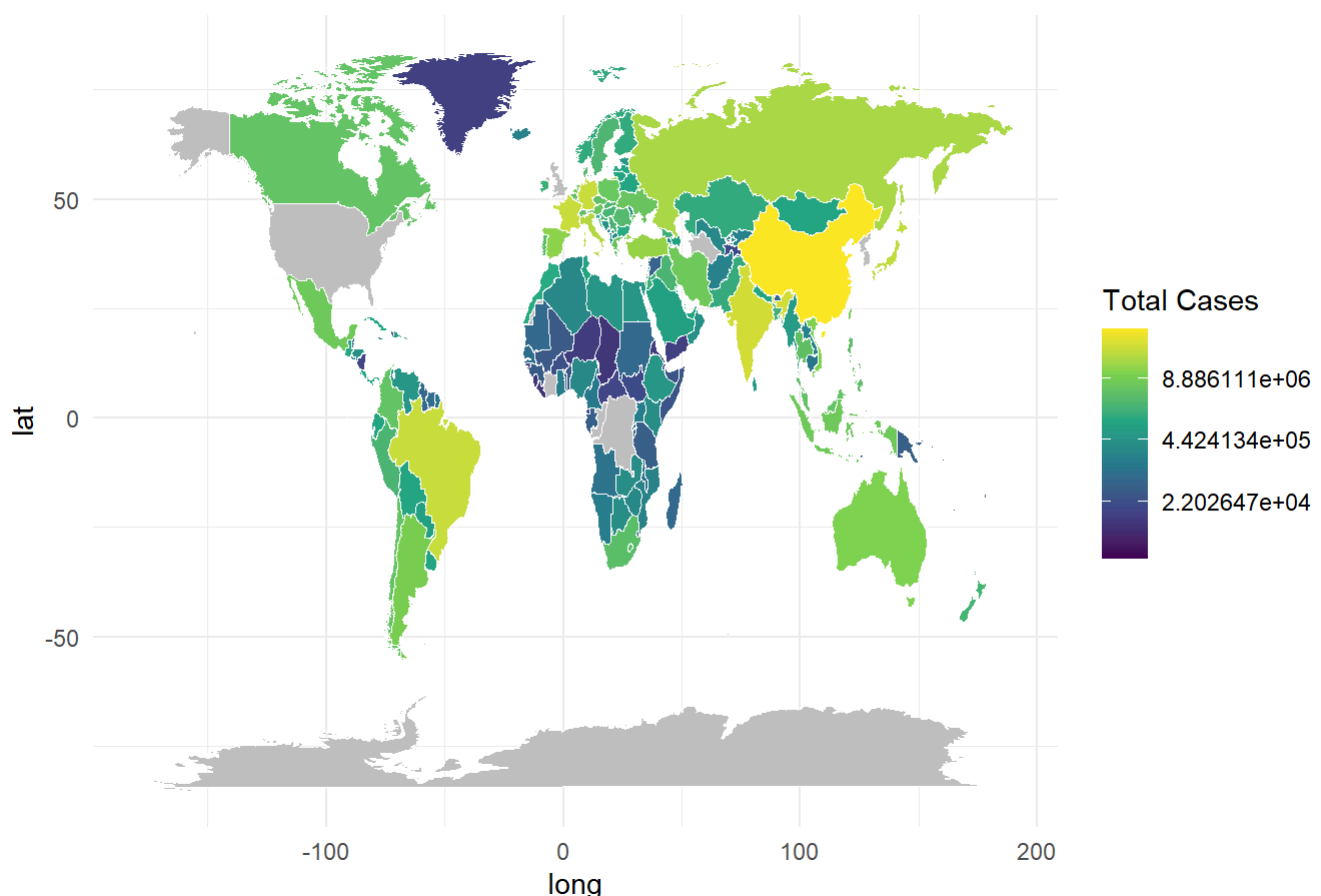
```
map_data <- left_join(
  world,
  covid_summary,
  by = c("region" = "country")
)
```

Geographical Distribution

```
ggplot(map_data, aes(long, lat, group = group, fill = total_cases)) +
  geom_polygon(color = "white", size = 0.1) +
  scale_fill_viridis_c(
    na.value = "grey",
    trans = "log",
    name = "Total Cases"
  ) +
  theme_minimal() +
  labs(
    title = "Global Distribution of COVID-19 Cases"
  )
```

```
## Warning: Using `size` aesthetic for lines was deprecated in ggplot2 3.4.0.
## i Please use `linewidth` instead.
## This warning is displayed once per session.
## Call `lifecycle::last_lifecycle_warnings()` to see where this warning was
## generated.
```

Global Distribution of COVID-19 Cases



REPORT ON GLOBAL DISTRIBUTION OF COVID 19 CASES Observed Patterns

High case concentrations are observed in North America, Europe, South Asia, and parts of South America.

Countries with large populations and extensive testing capacity show higher cumulative case counts.

Several regions in Africa and smaller island nations display lower reported case numbers.

The use of a logarithmic color scale enhances visibility across countries with very different case magnitudes.

INTERPRETATION

The uneven color distribution highlights the global heterogeneity of the COVID-19 pandemic. Differences in reported cases may reflect not only transmission intensity but also population size, testing strategies, healthcare infrastructure, and reporting practices. Regions with lighter colors may not necessarily have lower transmission but could reflect underreporting or limited testing capacity.