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## Latest Dengue Data

### Number of Dengue cases

*It is important to note that day-to-day numbers fluctuates as they depend on the number of notification received. Therefore, weekly numbers are a better reflection of actual trends.*

#### No. of Reported Cases\*

14-May	15-May	16-May	17-May	18-May	19-May	20-May at 3.30pm
24	22	46	32	55	25	14

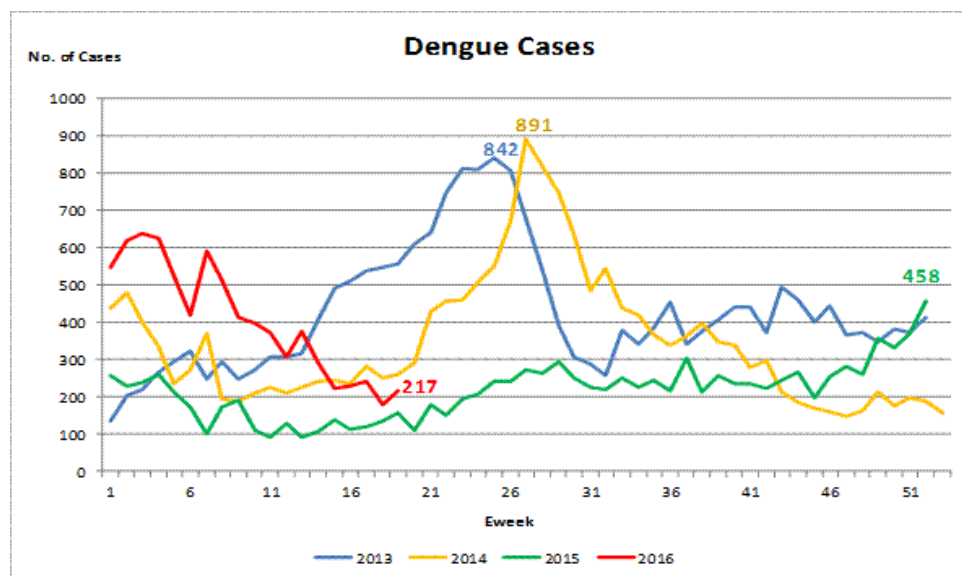
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#### No. of Reported Cases by E-week (from Sun 0000hrs to Sat 2359hrs)

E-week 14 (03-09Apr16)	E-week 15 (10-16Apr16)	E-week 16 (17-23Apr16)	E-week 17 (24-30Apr-16)	E-week 18 (01-07May16)	E-week 19 (08-14May16)	E-week 20 (15-20May16) at 3.30pm
291	224	229	242	180	217	194

Cumulative No. of cases for 2016 (First 19 weeks): 7720

*Compiled by Communicable Diseases Division, Ministry of Health*



**217** dengue cases were reported in the week ending 14 May 16, **37** cases more than in the previous week. We need to remain vigilant and continue to work as a community to keep dengue cases in check. The majority of mosquito breeding is still being found in homes, such as in domestic containers, flower pot plates and trays. There have also been four dengue deaths already this year, the same number as the whole of 2015. All stakeholders need to sustain prevention efforts as we enter the traditional dengue peak season. With effect from 14 March 2016, NEA has extended its enforcement regime to all residences found breeding mosquitoes, regardless whether they are within or outside dengue clusters, to ensure that all homeowners take immediate steps to remove and prevent mosquito breeding in their premises.

Source eradication of mosquito breeding habitats and spraying of insecticides to control the adult mosquito population remain key to dengue prevention, and we need to keep up with these efforts as we strive towards mitigating the forecast surge in cases in the coming months. NEA, together with the various agencies and other stakeholders represented on the Inter-Agency Dengue Task Force (IADTF), including Town Councils, have been checking and ridding our public areas and housing estates of potential mosquito breeding habitats.

NEA encourages everyone to join in the collective effort to help stop the dengue transmission cycle by doing the 5-step Mozzie Wipeout on alternate days. Those planning to go on vacation should mosquito-proof their homes before they travel. Those infected with dengue should also apply repellent as regularly as possible to prevent mosquitoes from biting and picking up the virus from them, and those showing symptoms suggestive of dengue, should see their GPs early to be diagnosed. All of us, including residents, contractors, and business owners, have a part to play in preventing dengue. The latest updates on the dengue situation can be found at the Stop Dengue Now Facebook page, [www.dengue.gov.sg](http://www.dengue.gov.sg) or the myENV app.

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