

# HarryG COVID-19 Dashboard

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Cum Cases		Daily Cases	
1 592 626	2 256	▲	
Still Active +Cases	Cum Cases p mill PoP	Cum Deaths p mill PoP	
24 737 ▲	26 598	992	
Deaths Avg	Ages Median	Deaths Min Age	Deaths Max Age
62,3	57,8	0,2	105

## RSA COVID-19 DASHBOARD

07 May 2021

Cum Deaths Daily

59 382 72 ▼

Cases Deaths CFR Hospitalised

Female : 57,8% 52,2% 3,12% 55,8%

Male : 42,2% 47,8% 3,92% 44,2%

27-Apr

Daily Still in Hospital % of Reported Cum Cases who Died (CFR)

5061 ▲

3,73% ▶

% of RSA PoP who have died to date:  
Reported Incl Excess

0,10% 0,15%

## Cum Recoveries:

1 513 202 95,0% ▼

## Vaccinations:

Total	Yesterday	Avg
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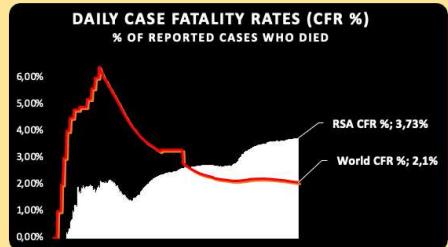
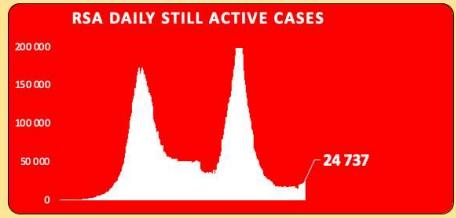
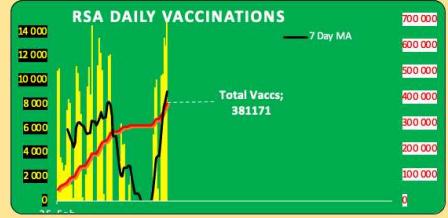
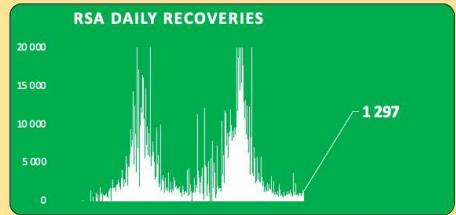
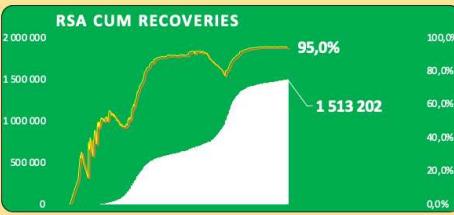
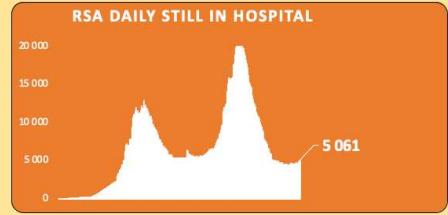
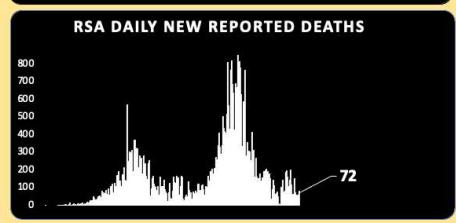
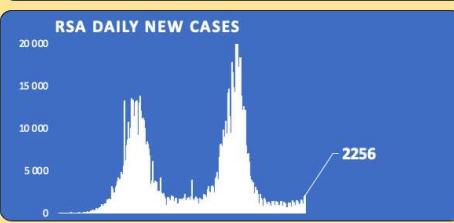
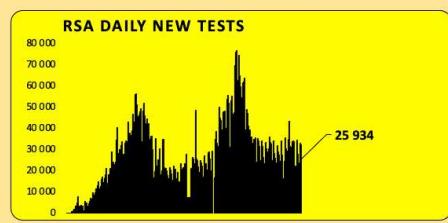
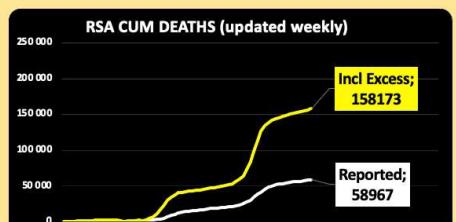
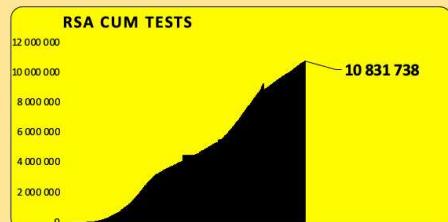
381 171 ▲ 15 070 ▲ 5 222 ▲

% of RSA PoP  
2 dose Vaccs & % Vacs + Recovered 2,87%

Cum Tests Daily Tests

10 831 738 25 934 ▼

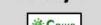
Daily Test Positivity Rate: 8,7% ▲



## RSA Rt #

Four days ago : .98  
Three days ago : .98  
Two days ago : 1.00  
Yesterday : 1.00

Today : 1.04



An R<sub>0</sub> below 1 suggests that the number of cases is shrinking, possibly allowing societies to open back up. An R<sub>0</sub> above 1 indicates that the number of cases is growing, perhaps necessitating renewed lockdowns or other measures.

Cum per 100k PoP:  
Cases 2726  
Deaths 102

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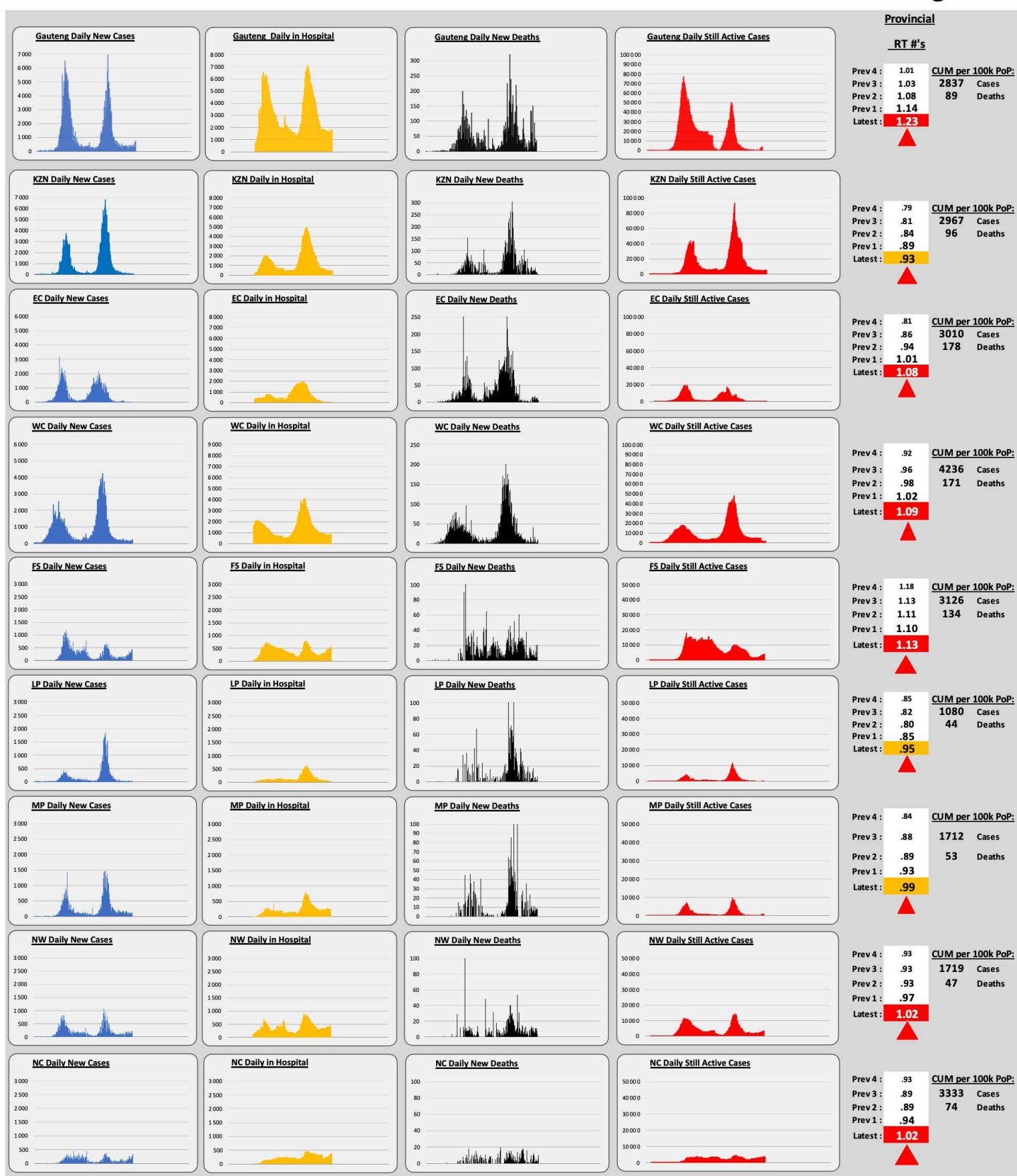
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# RSA Provinces detailed daily Data and Trends Jan 2020 to Dec 2021

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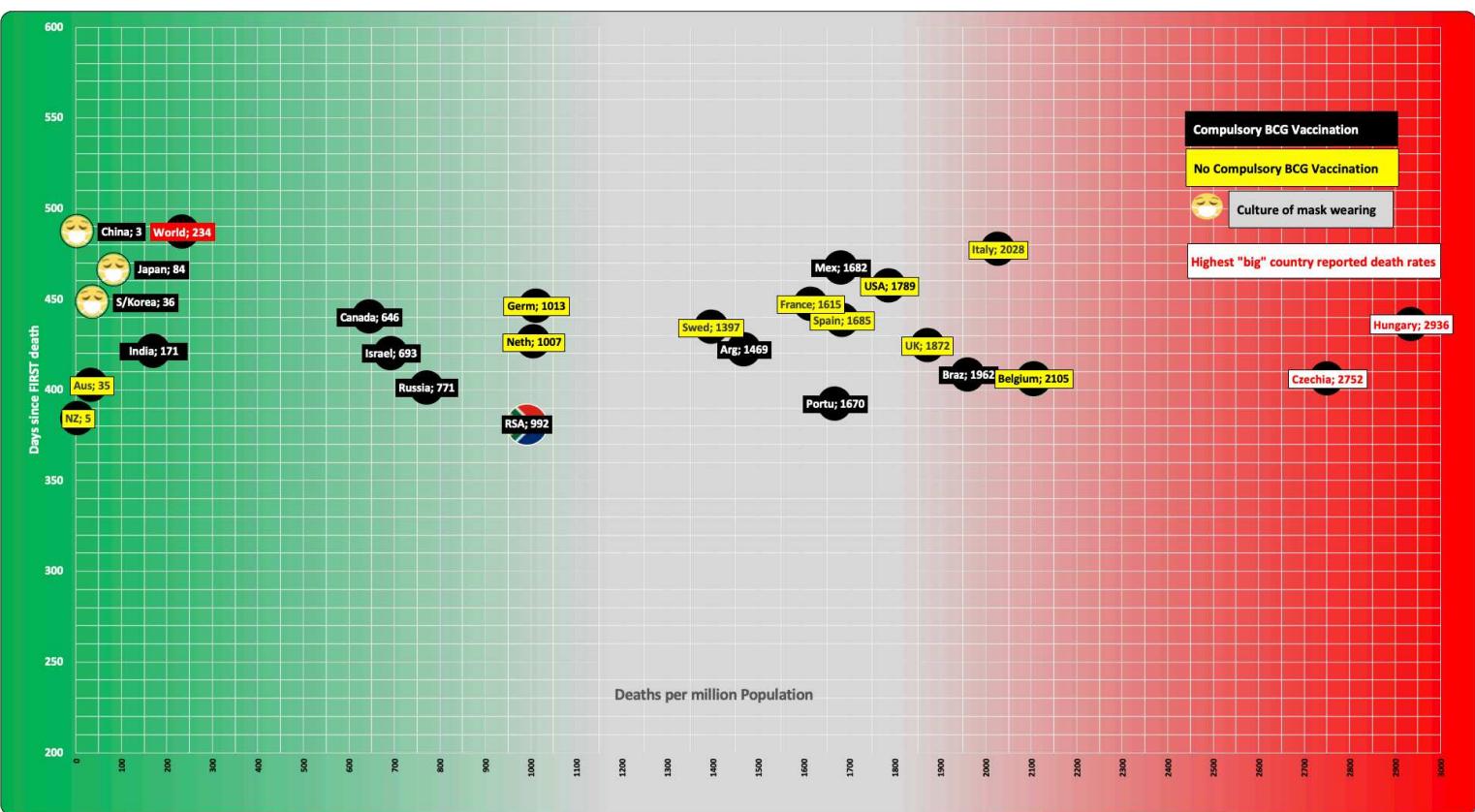
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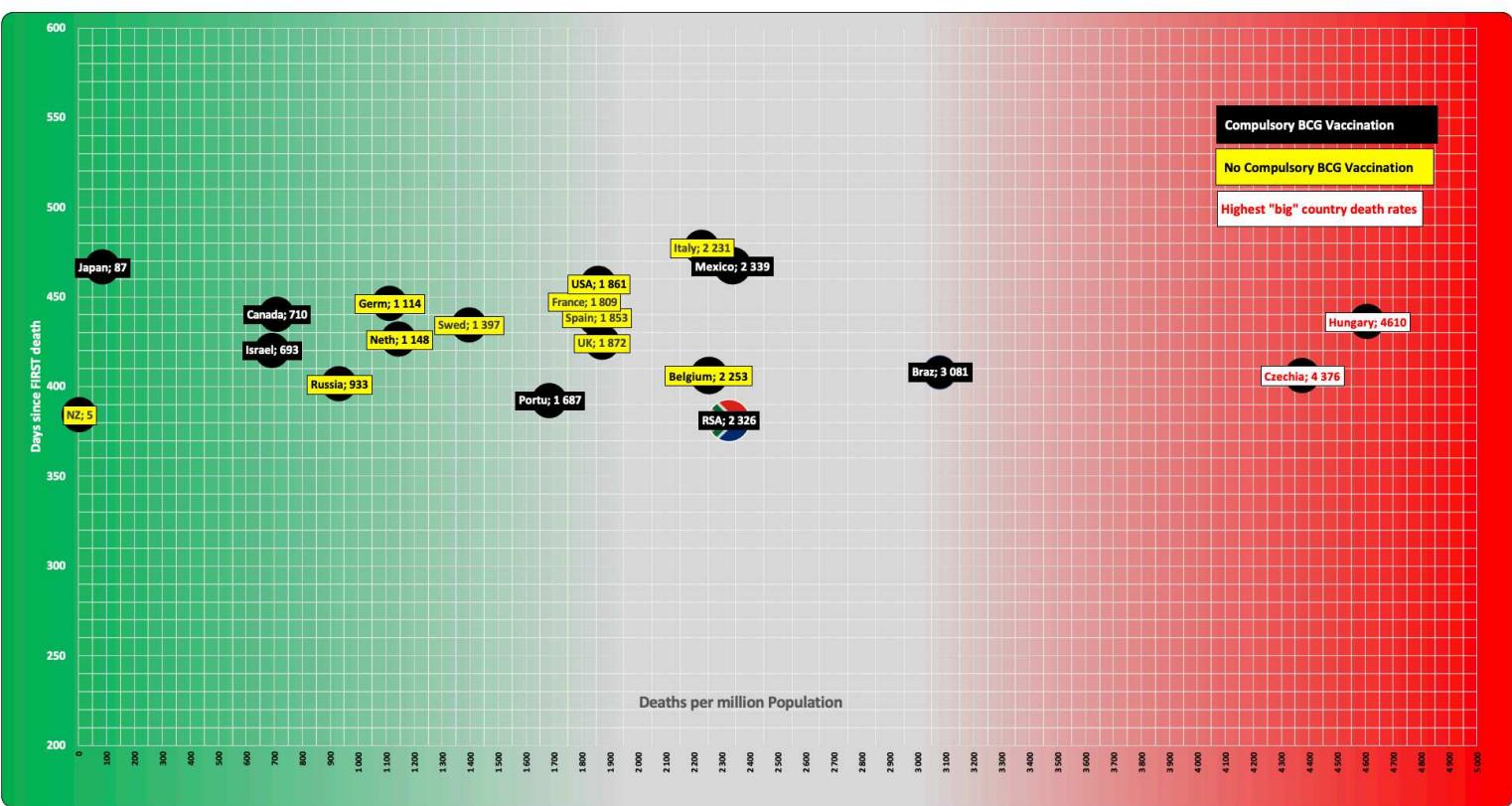
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## Selected Countries' Reported Deaths per mill PoP

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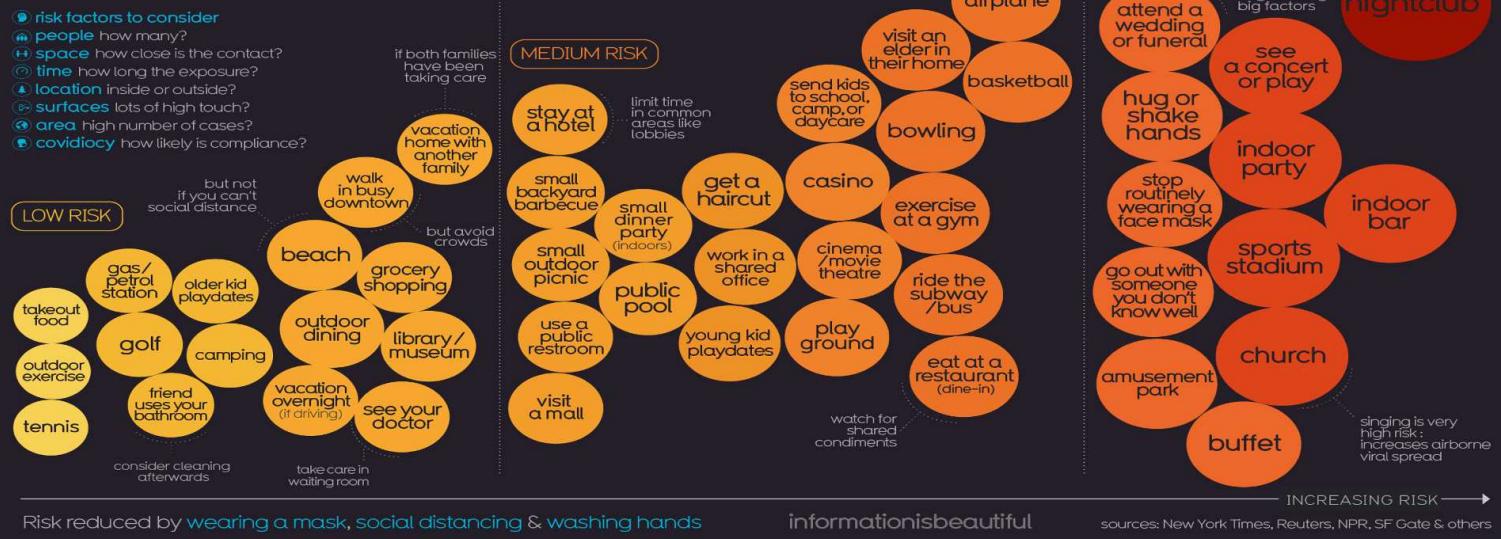


## Selected Countries' Deaths incl Excess Deaths per mill PoP (where data available)

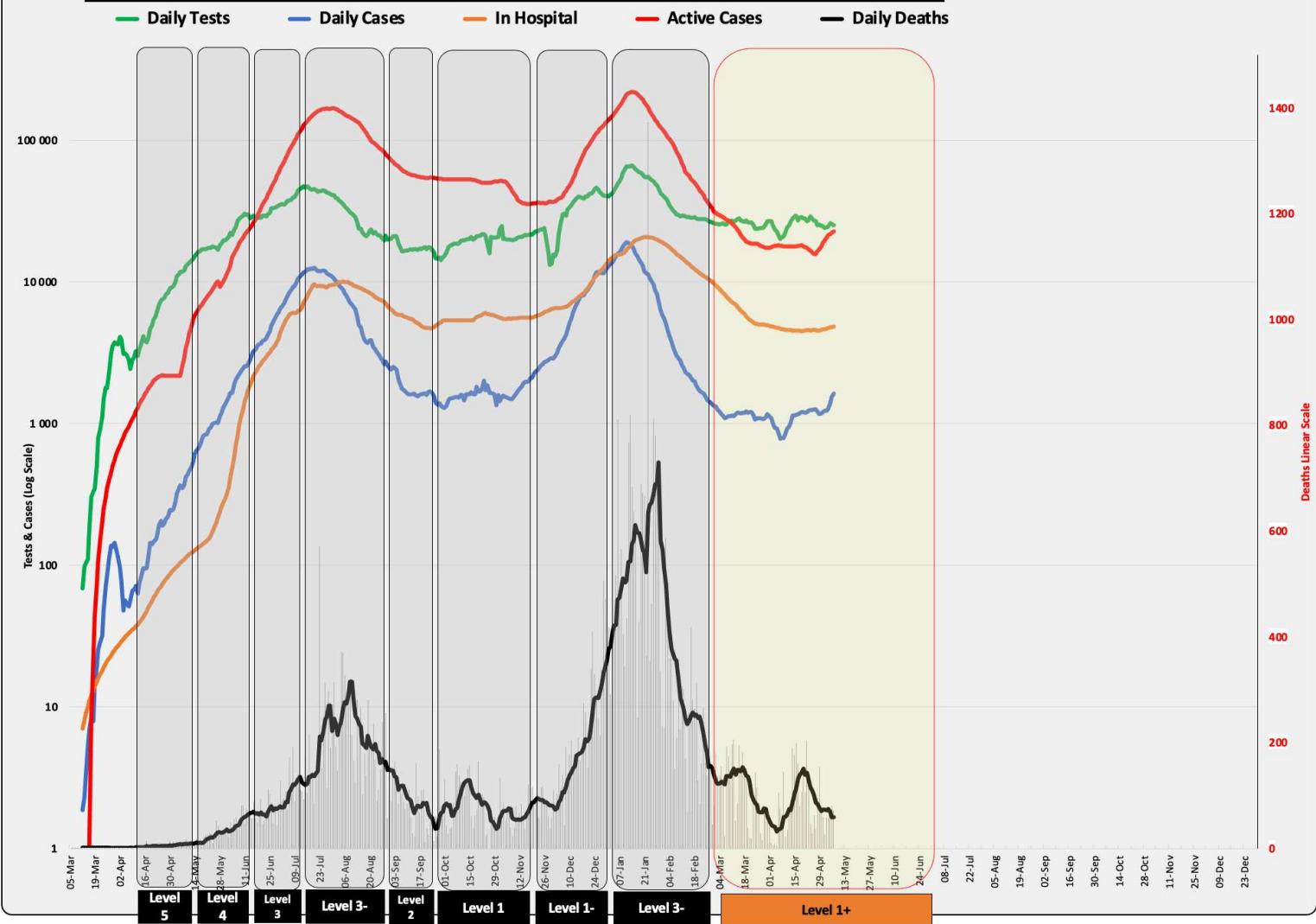


## Coronavirus Riskiest Activities

According to 500+ epidemiologists & health professionals



## RSA Daily Testing v Daily Cases v Daily Deaths 7 Day MA

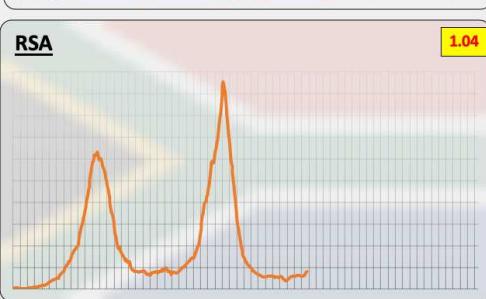
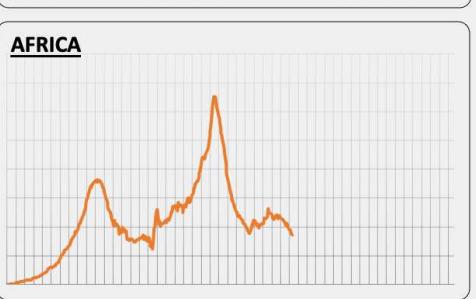
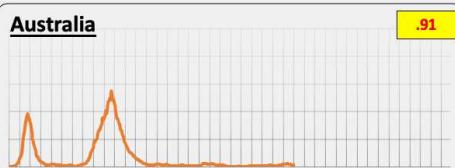
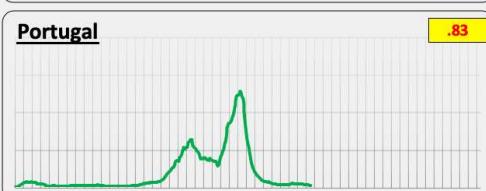
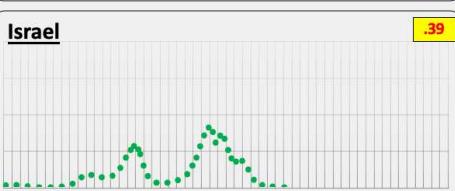
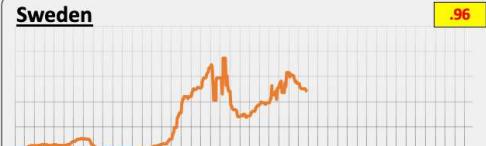
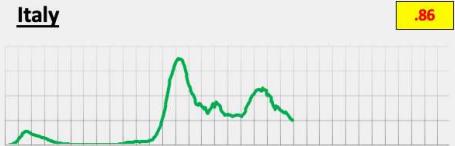
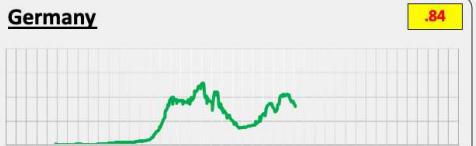
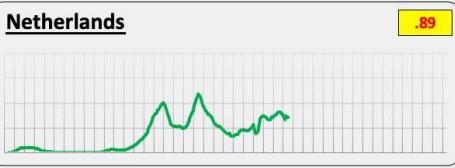
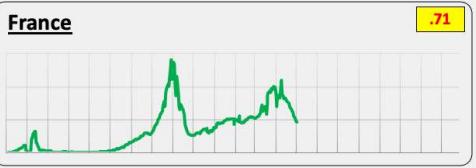
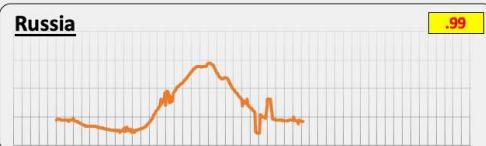
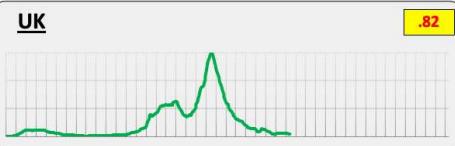
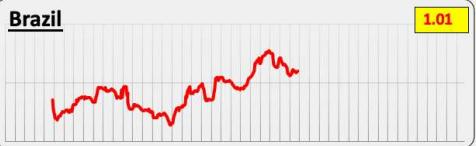
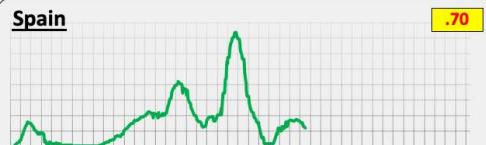
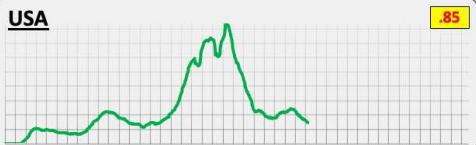


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## World Daily Reported New Cases 7 Day MA

7 Day MA Rising with Rt > 1  
7 Day MA Stable with Rt < 1  
7 Day MA Declining with Rt < 0.9  
Latest Rt #'s 



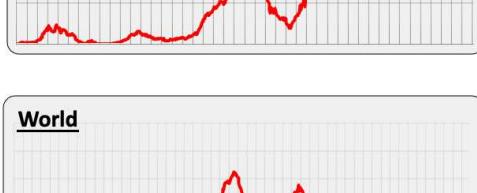
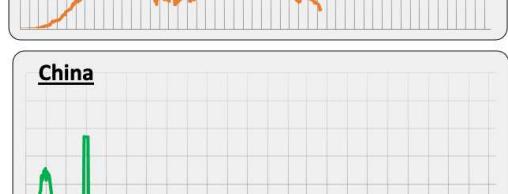
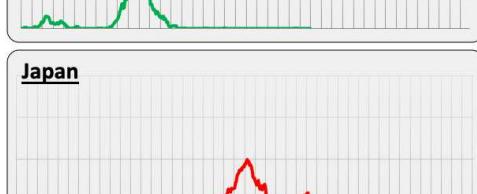
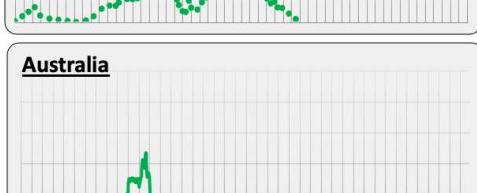
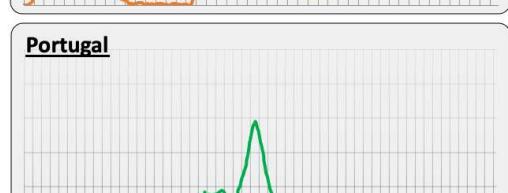
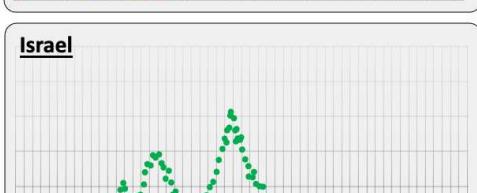
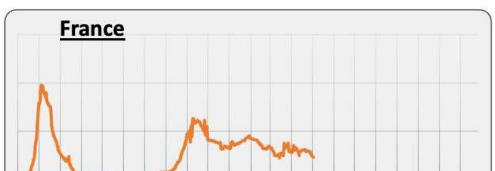
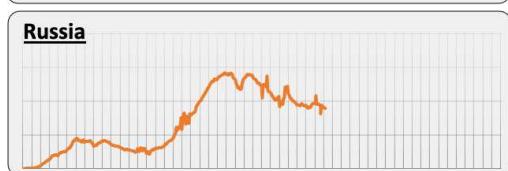
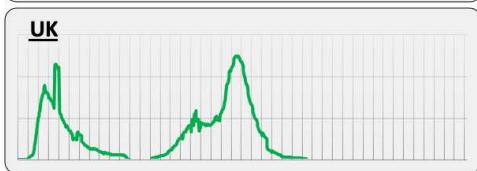
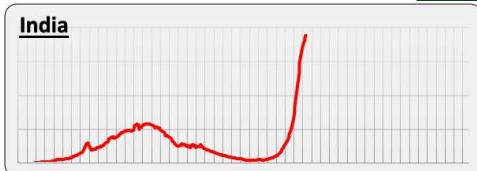
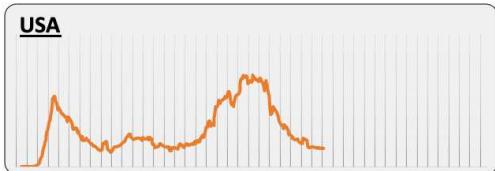
## World Daily Reported Deaths 7 Day MA

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7 Day MA Rising

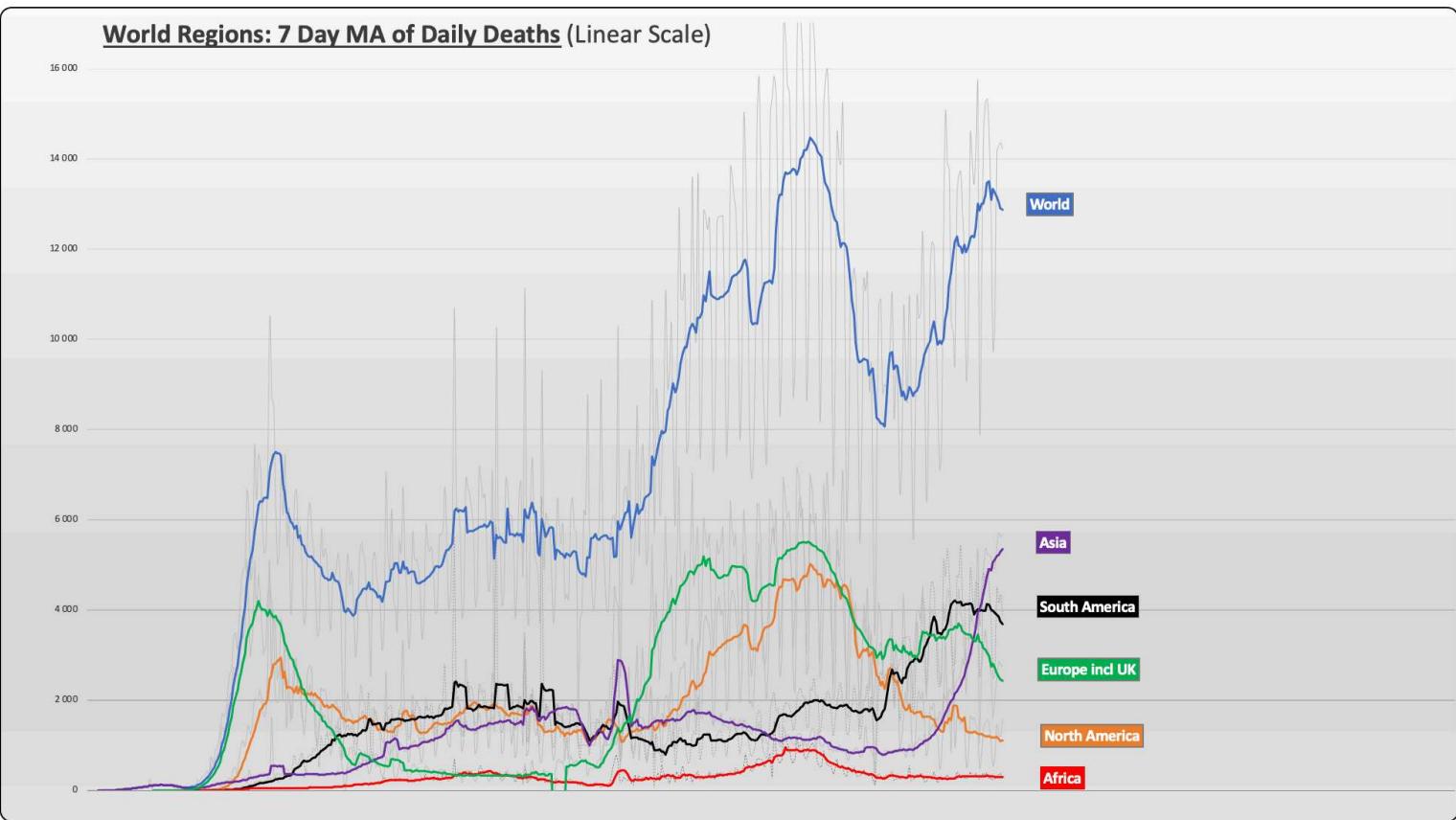
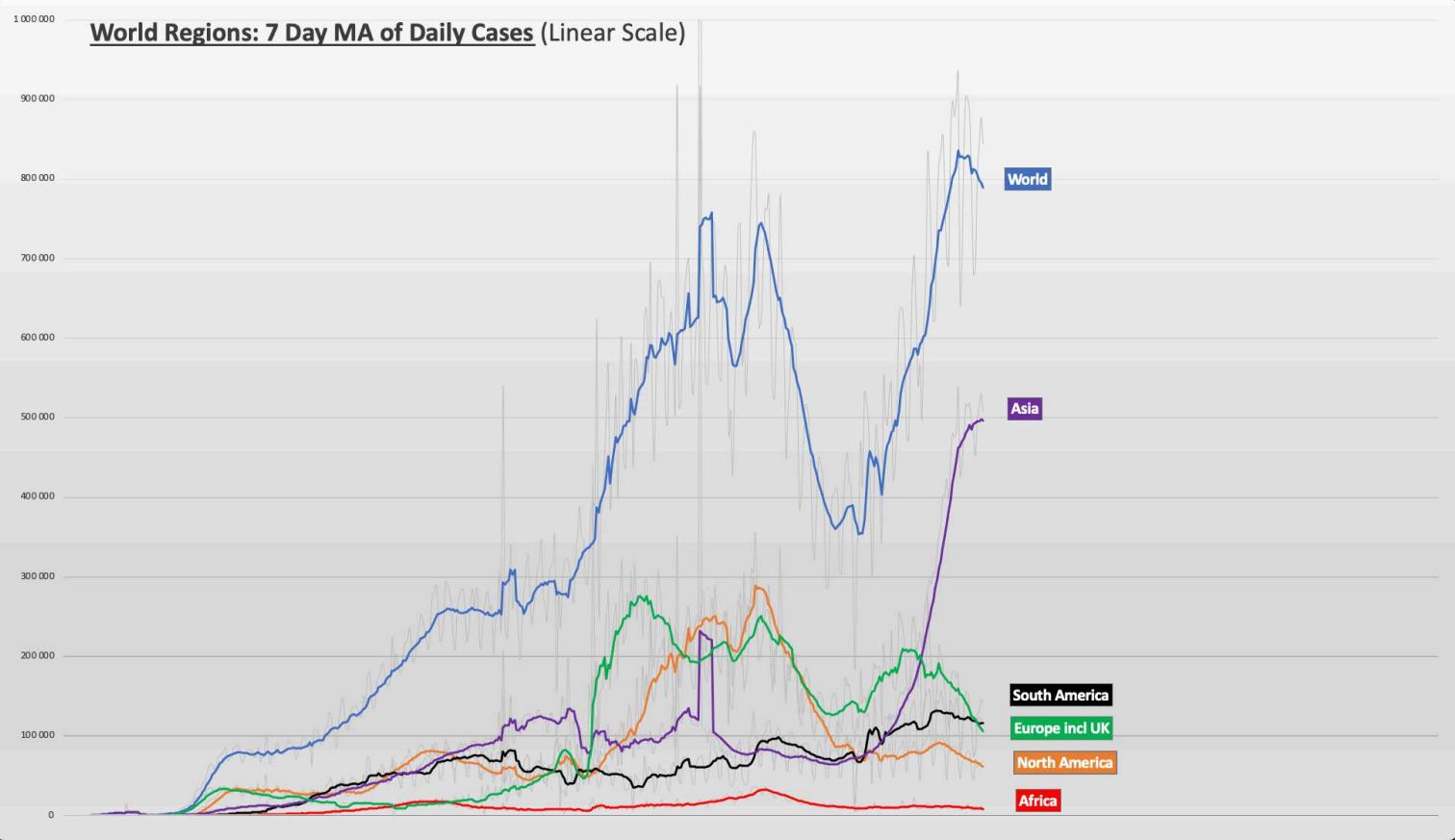
7 Day MA Declining but still high

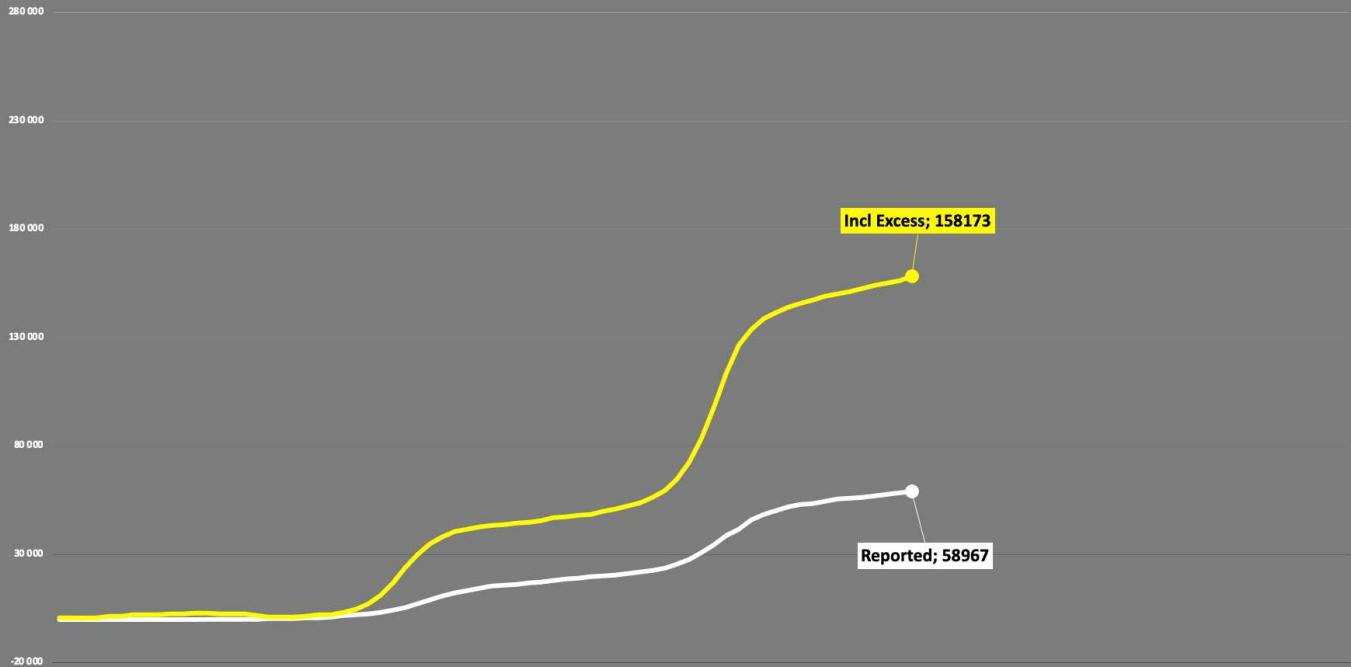
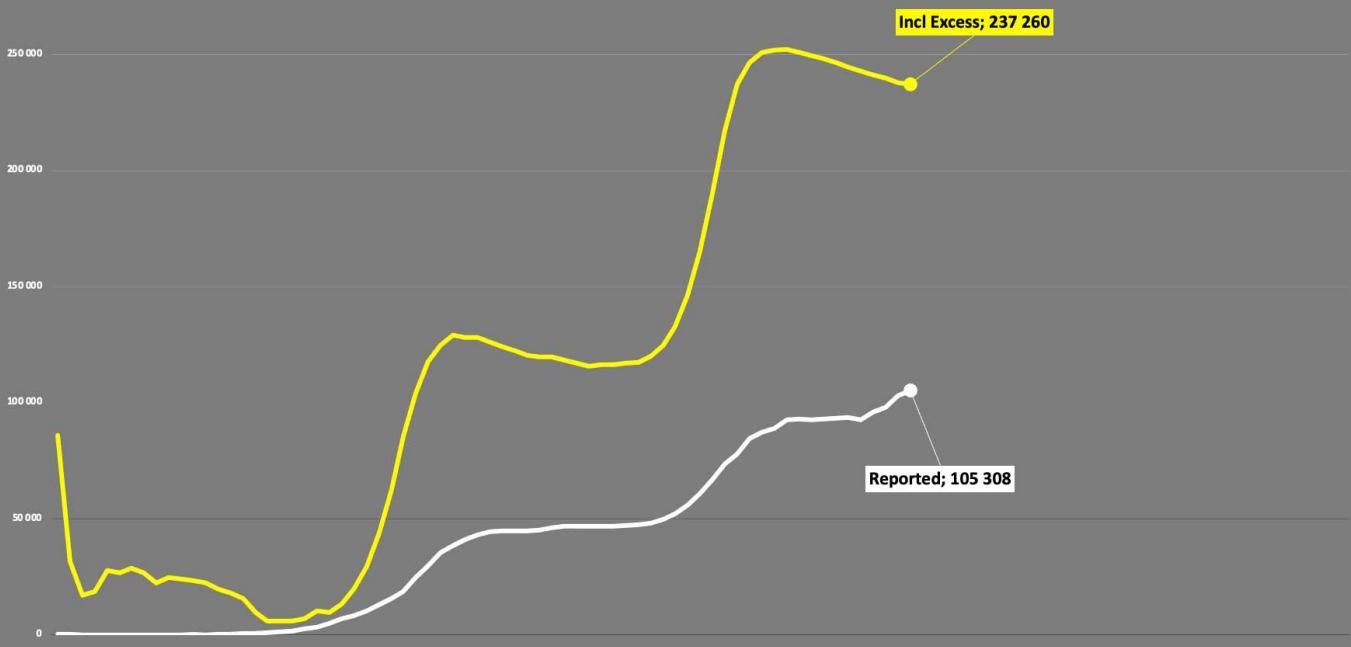
7 Day MA Low and stable



## **7 Day Moving Average of Daily Reported Deaths & Cases by World Region**

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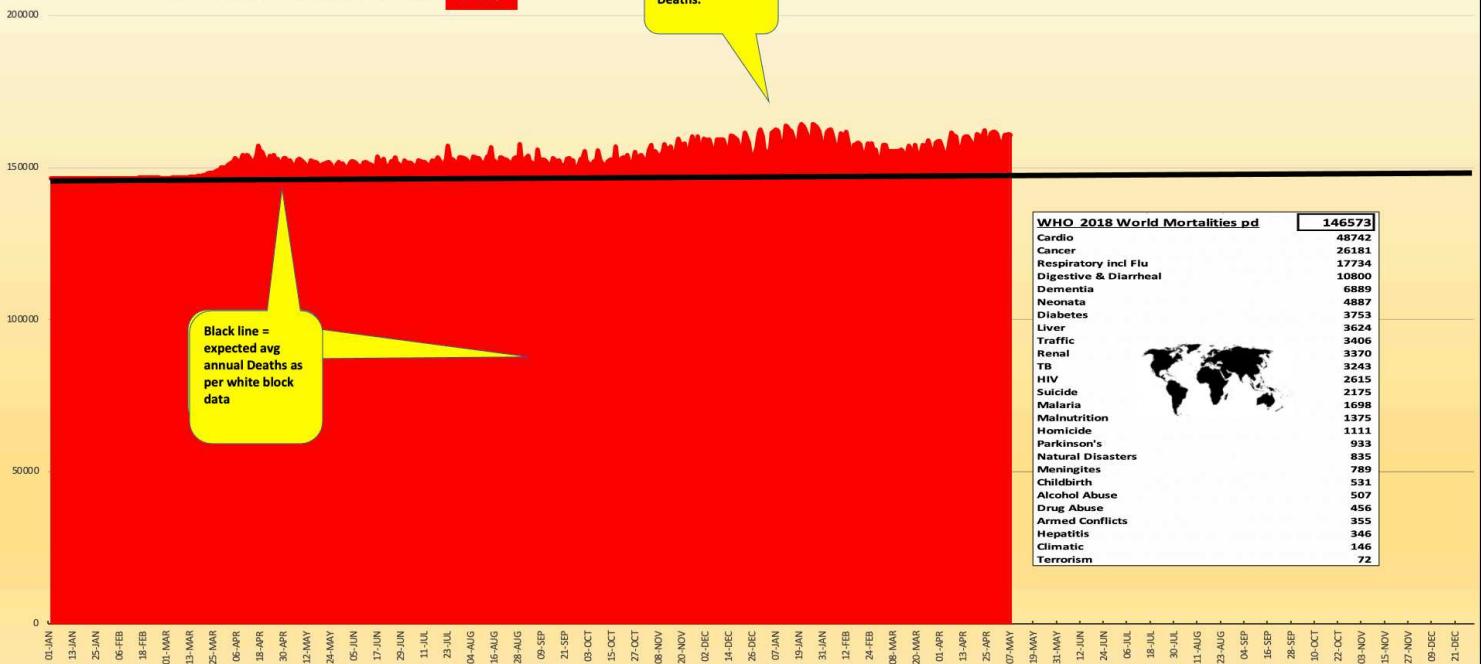


**RSA CUM DEATHS (updated weekly)**Assuming 80% of Excess Deaths are Covid related.**RSA CUM DEATHS PROJECTED TO end 2021 (updated weekly)**Assuming 80% of Excess Deaths are Covid related.

## Avg "normal" DAILY WORLD Mortalities v COVID Reported Daily Deaths (Linear Scales)

Avg Daily Covid Deaths 2020 to date: **6813**  
 Highest Daily Covid Deaths 2020 to date: **17654**  
 Latest Daily Covid Deaths 2020 to date: **14218**

Red line =  
Reported Covid  
Deaths.



The two graphs WORLD (above) and RSA (below) attempt to put the number of Covid Deaths into some sort of perspective graphically.  
The big RED blocks below the black lines are TOTAL Daily Avg Deaths from ALL causes.

The RED area/lines on top of the red blocks are the INCREMENTAL Actual Daily Deaths due to Covid as officially reported.  
The BLUE line in the bottom RSA graph shows the SAMRC Excess Deaths weekly numbers.

## Avg "normal" DAILY RSA Mortalities v COVID Daily Deaths (Linear Scales)

Avg Daily Covid Deaths since 1st Death 2020 to date: **106**  
 Highest Daily Covid Deaths 2020 to date: **1374**  
 Latest Daily Covid Deaths 2020 to date: **72**

Weekly Excess  
Deaths at  
30 April

Black line =  
expected avg  
daily Deaths as  
per white block

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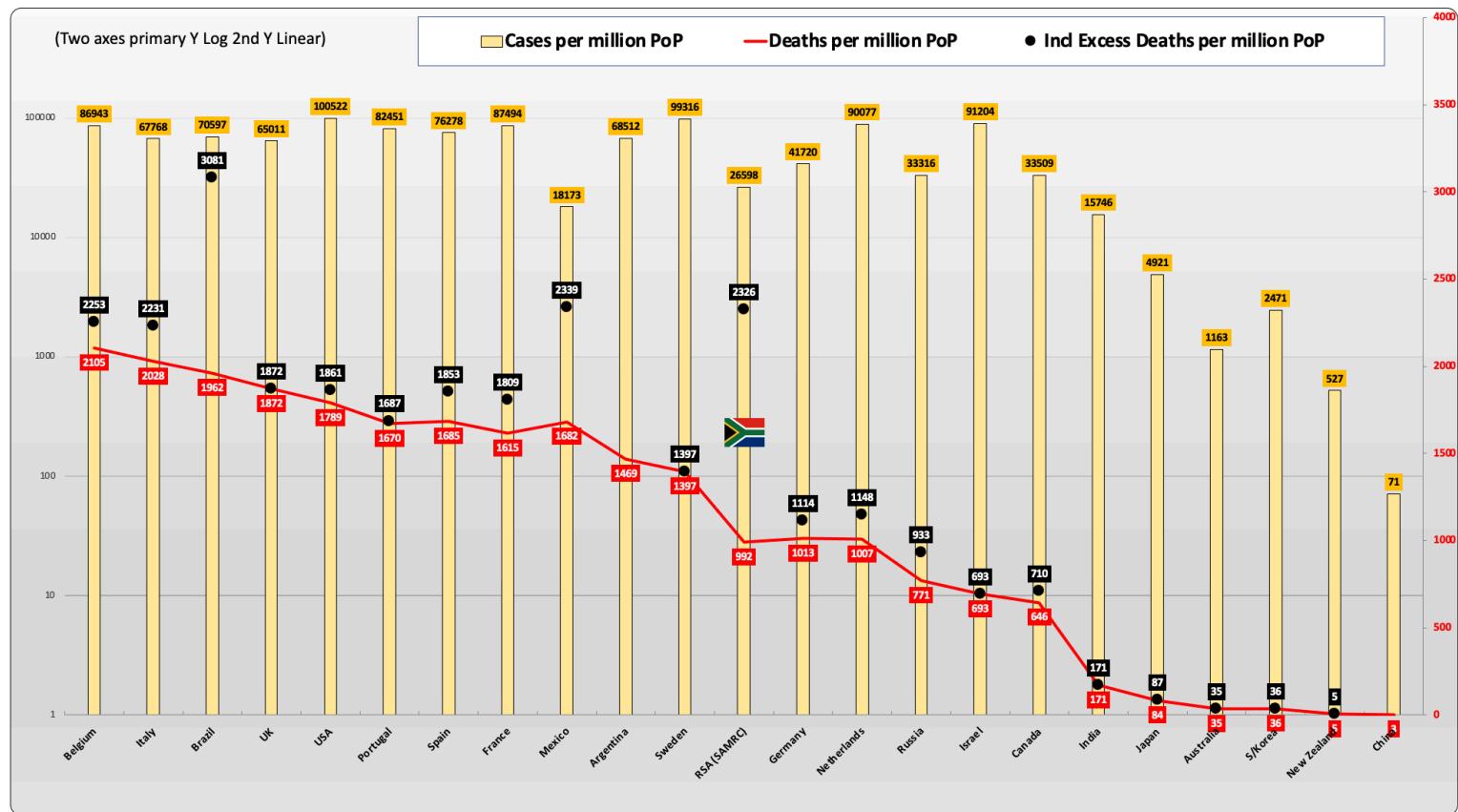
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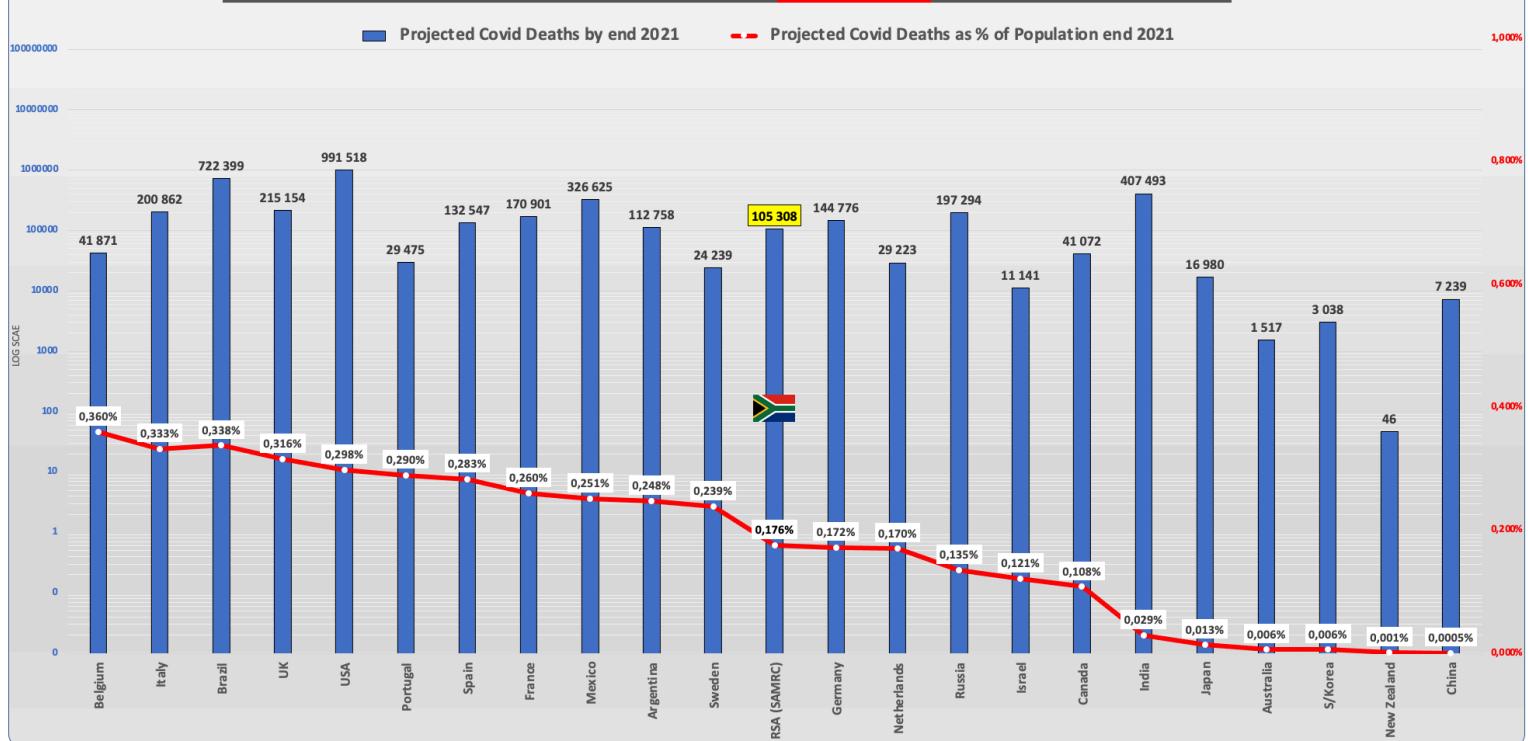
StatSA 2017 RSA Mortalities per day	1229
Natural Causes	543
Unnatural Causes	140
Cancer	95
Pneumonia incl Flu	88
TB	79
Diabetes	69
Cancers	61
HIV	50
Hypertensive	55
Other Viral	46

## Selected Countries' Current Reported Cases, Reported Deaths & Excess Deaths

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## Projected Deaths by end 2021 per country and % Deaths of Country Populations at current officially reported Deaths Numbers



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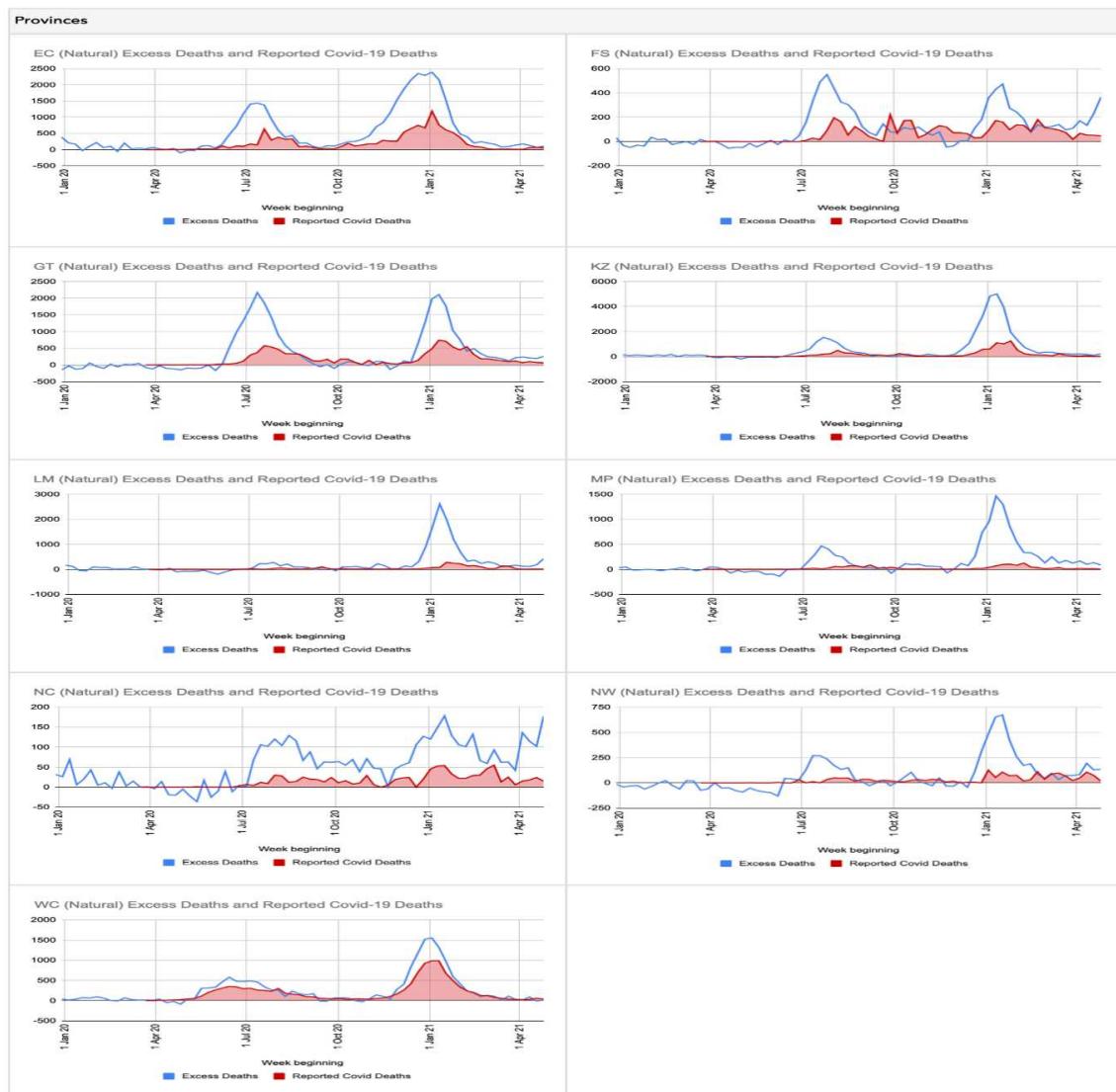
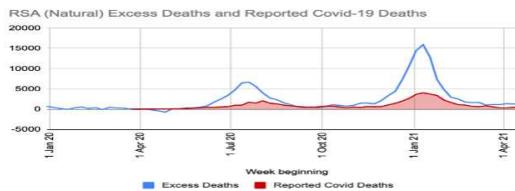
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## RSA Excess Deaths as per SA Medical Research Council

as at: 30 April 2021

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One approach to aid understanding of the emerging COVID-19 mortality is to compare the estimated weekly excess deaths with the number of COVID-19 deaths reported by the Minister of Health as shown in the figure below. This comparison is hampered to some degree by the fact that the excess deaths are classified by week in which the death occurred; the reported COVID-19 deaths are classified by date the numbers are reported to the Department. If all excess natural deaths were due to COVID-19, and all COVID-19 deaths were perfectly identified and reported, the two series would be identical. The number of estimated excess deaths has begun to decrease, consistent with the trend in the number of confirmed COVID-19 deaths. Although more data are needed on the underlying causes of death, this observation is strongly supportive that a significant proportion of the current excess mortality being observed in South Africa is likely to be attributable to COVID-19.



The red lines are weekly Covid deaths as reported by Dept of Health.  
 The blue lines are total Natural Deaths as reported by Dept of Home Affairs.  
 The gaps are the socalled "Excess Deaths" which can largely be ascribed to Covid, either directly (home/rural deaths) and/or indirectly (limited access to hospitals).

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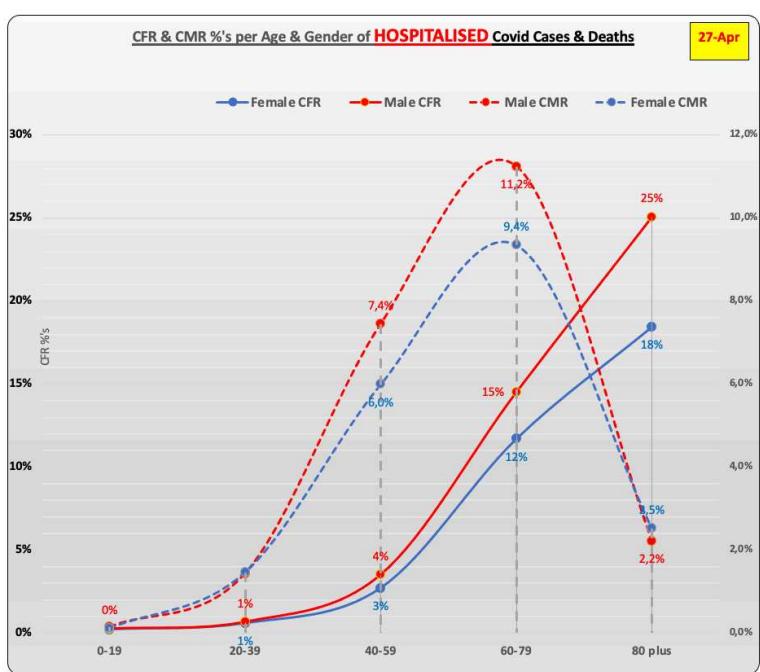
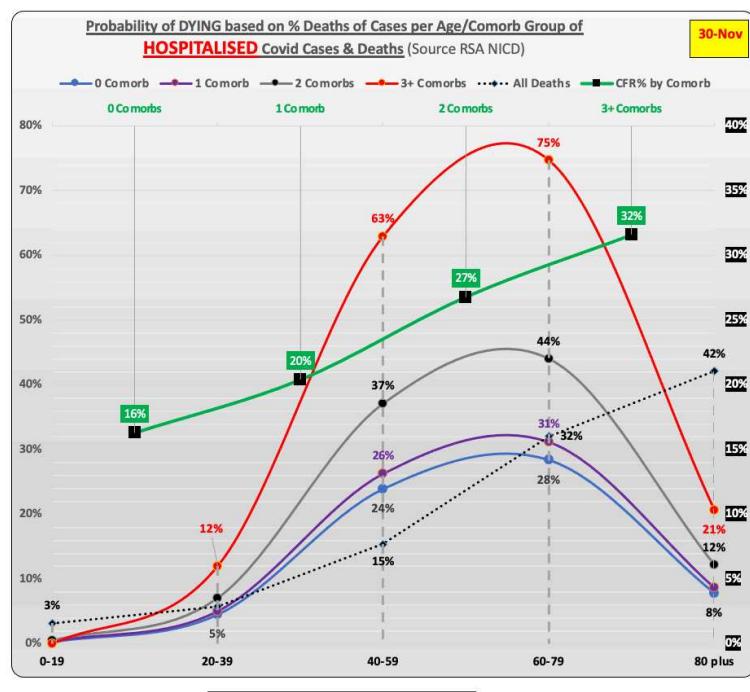
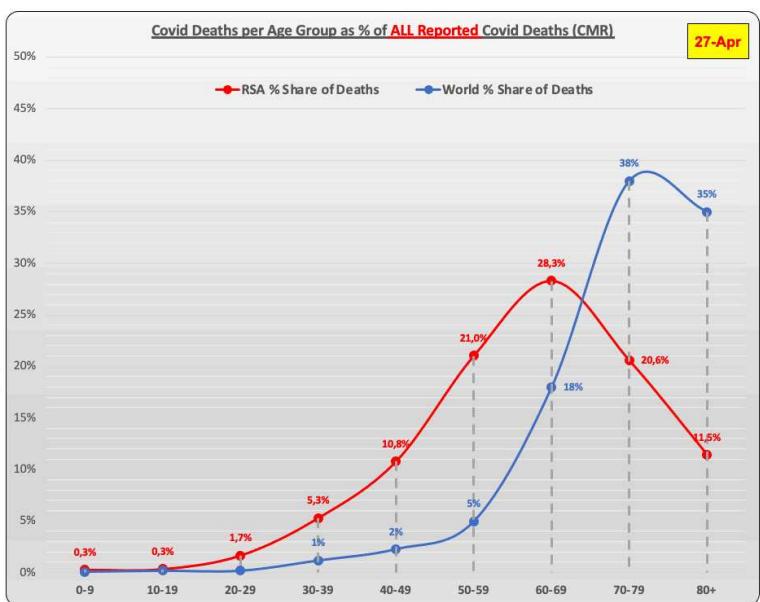
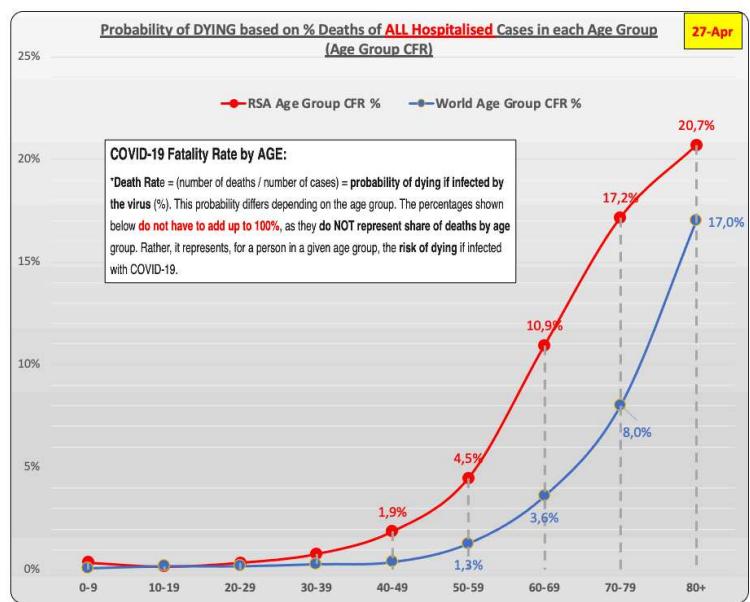
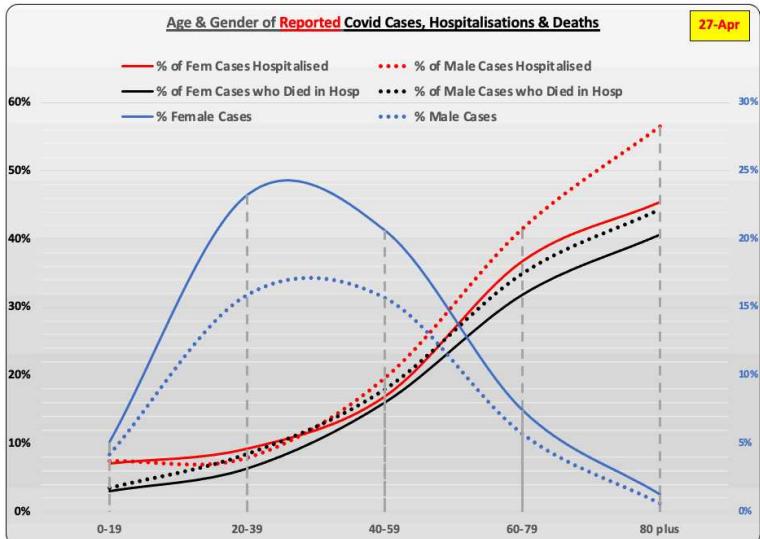
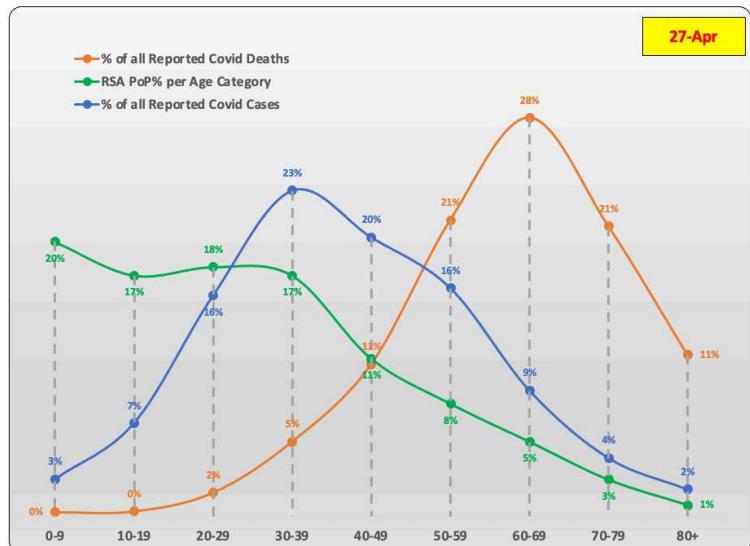
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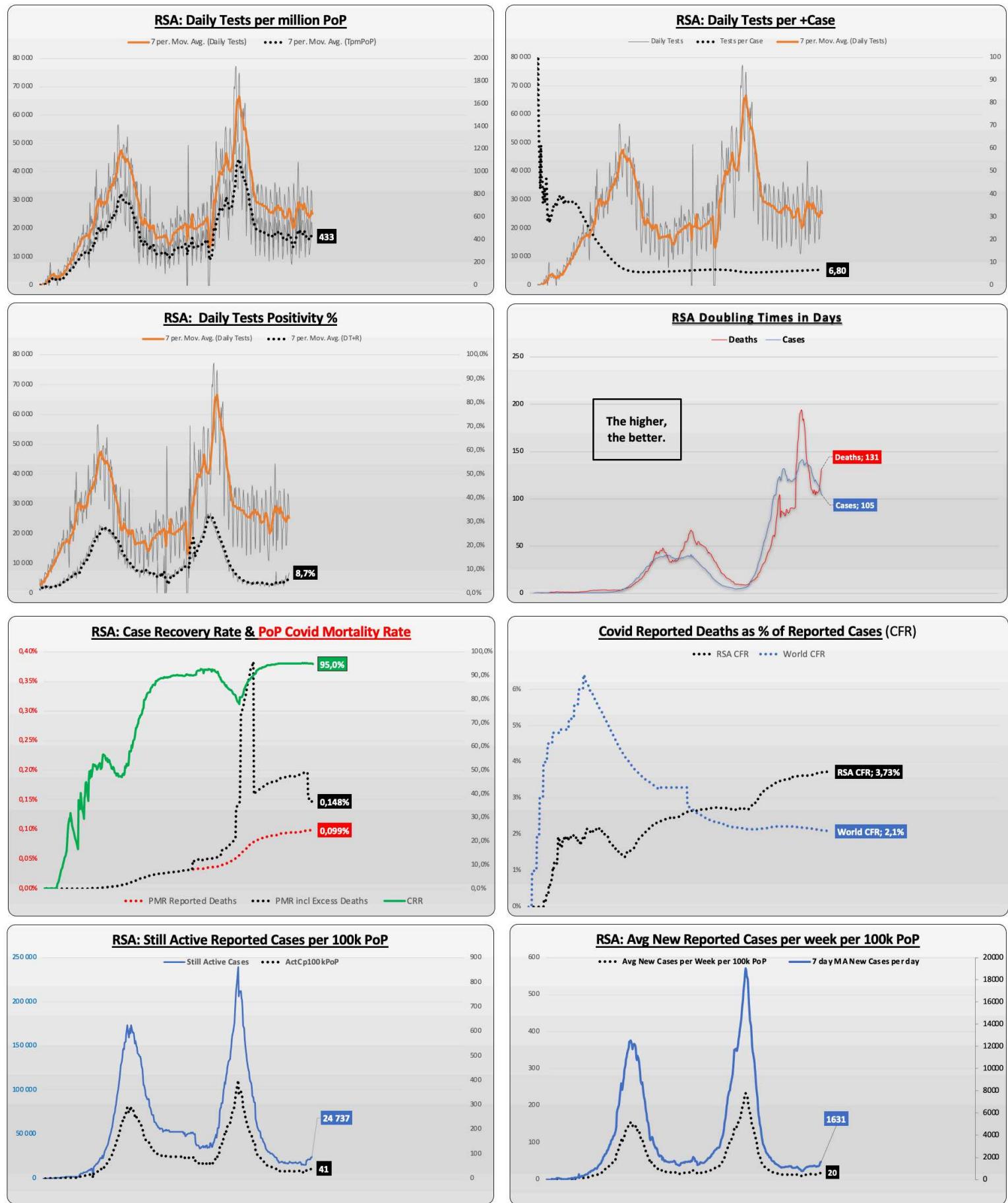
# RSA Age & Gender Stats

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## RSA Key Ratios & Comparators (all graphs from Jan 2020)

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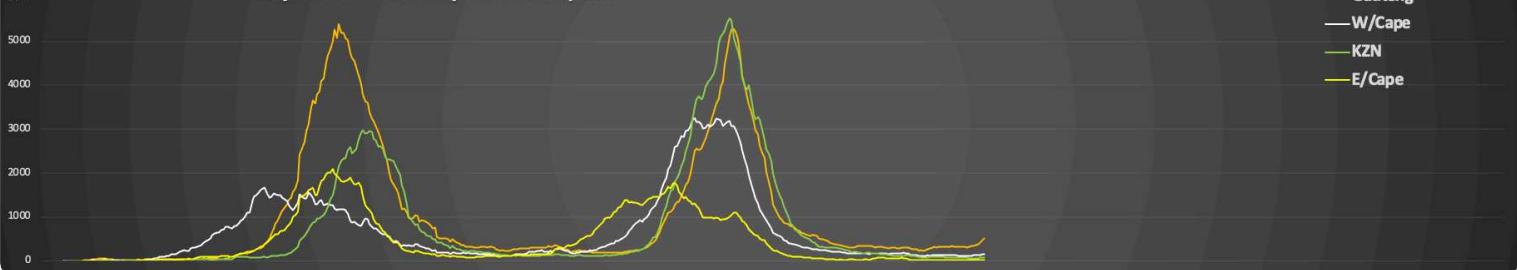
# RSA & Provinces Key Data Sets

All linear scales

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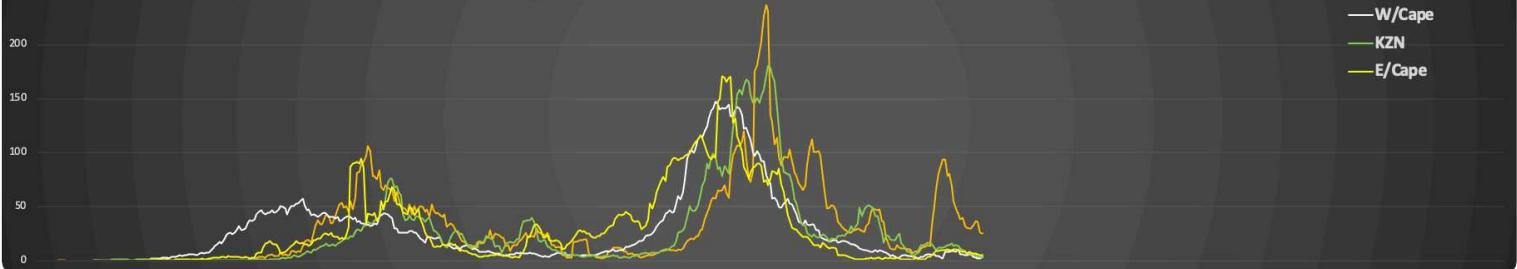
Major Provinces Daily Cases 7 Day MA

- Gauteng
- W/Cape
- KZN
- E/Cape



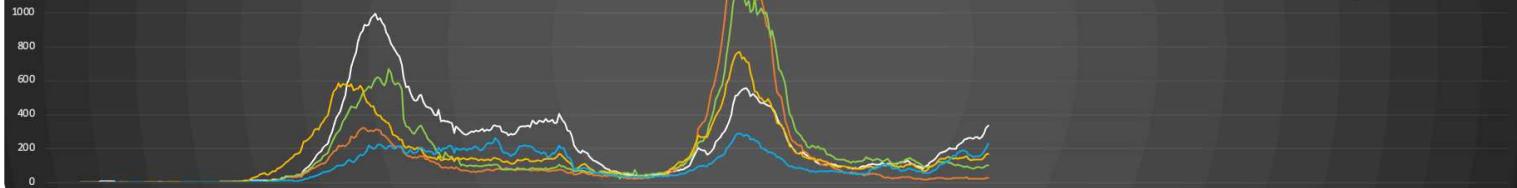
Major Provinces Daily Deaths 7 Day MA

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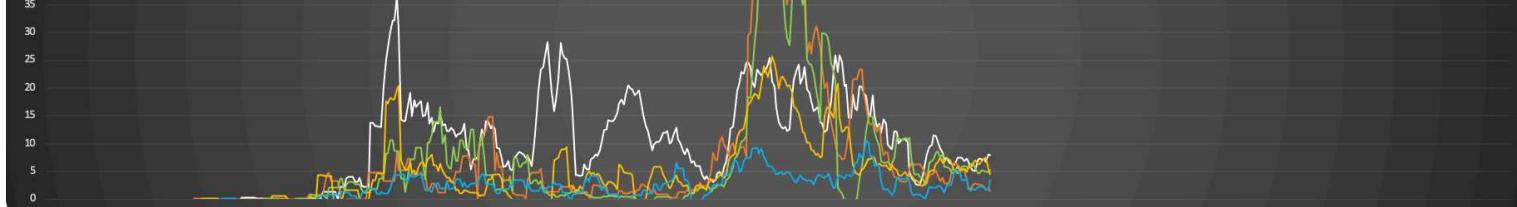
Smaller Provinces Daily Cases 7 Day MA

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- NC



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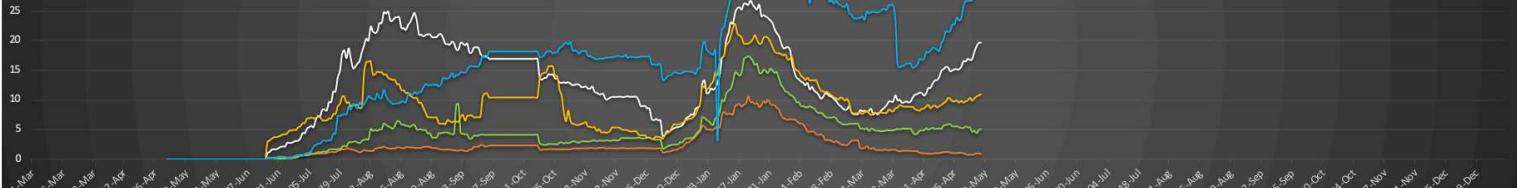
Major Provinces: Daily In Hospital per 100k PoP

- GP
- WC
- KZN
- EC



Smaller Provinces: Daily In Hospital per 100k PoP

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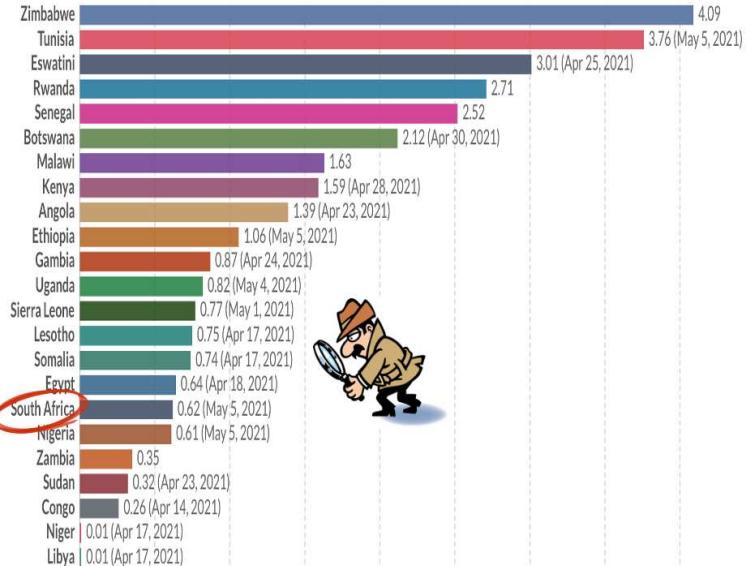
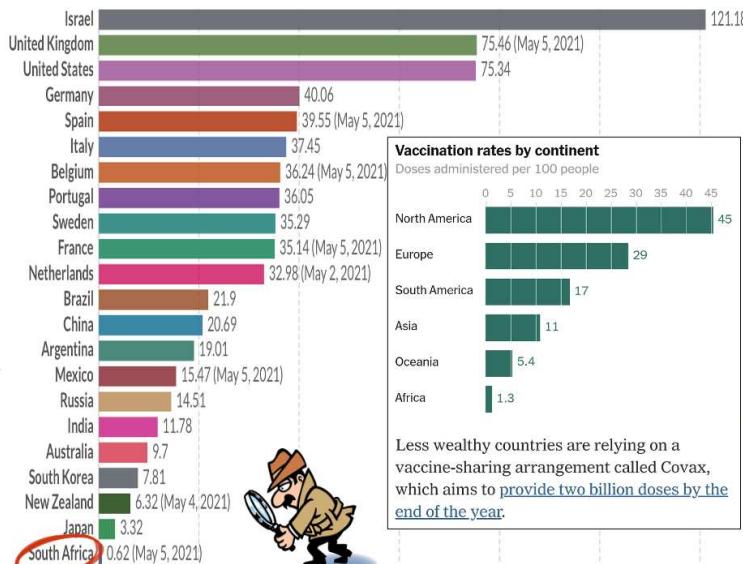
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# Vaccination Data

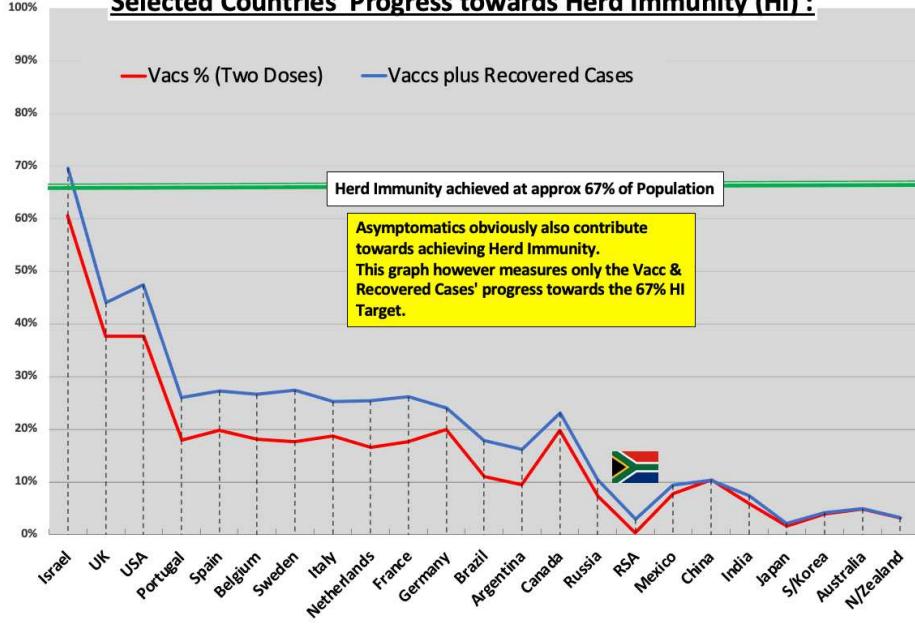
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## Selected countries who publish their VAC data : Vaccs per 100 Population (# >100 means into 2nd doses)



## Selected Countries' Progress towards Herd Immunity (HI) :



How long will it take for RSA to achieve Herd Immunity Target at current rate of Vaccination ?

Vaccs to date: 381 171 (single dose) Avg Vaccs per day : 5 222

Herd Immunity Target : 40 400 000 approx 67% of RSA adult PoP  
Revised up by Govt from 41m to 40.4m on 7 May 2021

21,2 Years



Excludes the contribution to Herd Immunity by Recovered and Asymptomatic Cases.

# South Africa's vaccination plan

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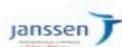
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Pfizer BioNTech requires two doses



Johnson & Johnson requires one dose



= Sisonke Trial

= National Rollout

## VACCINATION ROLLOUT

**28 April 2021**

The Sisonke study, which uses the Johnson & Johnson vaccine, resumed after a two-week pause. The health department calls the study Phase 1A of the vaccine roll-out. By 6 May 366 101 of the 500 000 health workers in the trial had been vaccinated.

### +60 year olds and health workers

Phase 2 starts on May 17. This phase will run concurrently with Phase 1B, which will cover health workers who were not vaccinated by the Sisonke study. Phase 2 will start with people over 60, which is estimated to be a population of five million. The oldest people, who have registered on the EVDS\*, will generally get vaccinated first.

\*Go to [vaccine.enroll.gov.za](http://vaccine.enroll.gov.za) to register

### +40 year olds

From July, people over 40 will be included in Phase 2 of the vaccination roll-out, as well as people in congregate settings such as old-age homes (1.1 million people are estimated to reside in congregate settings)

### Everyone over 18 years of age

In November, everyone else (those 18 years and older) will get their turn to get vaccinated in Phase 3 of the roll-out. This will be about 22.6 million people.

### February 2022

The target, at this stage, is to have all people of 18 years and older vaccinated by February 2022. The health department says this will be up to 40.4 million people.

2021

Apr

May

Jun

Jul

Nov

Dec



## PLANNED VACCINE DELIVERIES

### 2 May 2021 Pfizer

The first batch of 325,260 doses of Pfizer-BioNTech vaccine arrived in South Africa. This two-shot vaccine will be used to start vaccinating the remaining 700,000 health workers not covered by the Sisonke trial, as well as people over 60.

### May to June 2021 Pfizer

Health Minister Zweli Mkhize says 5.9 million doses from Pfizer will arrive in weekly shipments of 325,260 doses until 30 May. For the five weeks after that 636,480 doses will be delivered weekly. Another 1.4 million doses of Pfizer-BioNTech vaccine are expected from Covax.

### Mid-May to June 2021 J&J

1.1 million paid-for Johnson & Johnson vaccines are expected to arrive in mid-May, then two deliveries of 900,000 doses each are expected by the end of June. This is dependent on when Aspen releases the jabs. The health department says the shots have been made, but can be released only once a safety verification process by international regulatory authorities has been completed. \*\*

### July to December 2021 Pfizer

In Parliament on 28 April, Mkhize said by the end of June another 2 million doses of Pfizer-BioNTech are expected and another 8 million are expected by the end of September. The president omitted these doses in parliament on 6 May.

28.2 million Johnson & Johnson doses are expected between July and the end of the year. **J&J**

### Total Vaccines by end of 2021

**J&J** Johnson & Johnson = 31.2 million \*\*  
(mainly for use in rural districts)  
**Pfizer** Pfizer-BioNTech = 31.4 million (for use in metros)

\*\* The Health Department's presentation to Parliament 28 April stated 3 million Johnson & Johnson shots would be delivered in Q2 2021. In previous statements the department has indicated that 2.9 million shots will be delivered in that period. This timeline is based on the most recent information available on 6 May. We will update the timelines and re-circulate them when the information changes.

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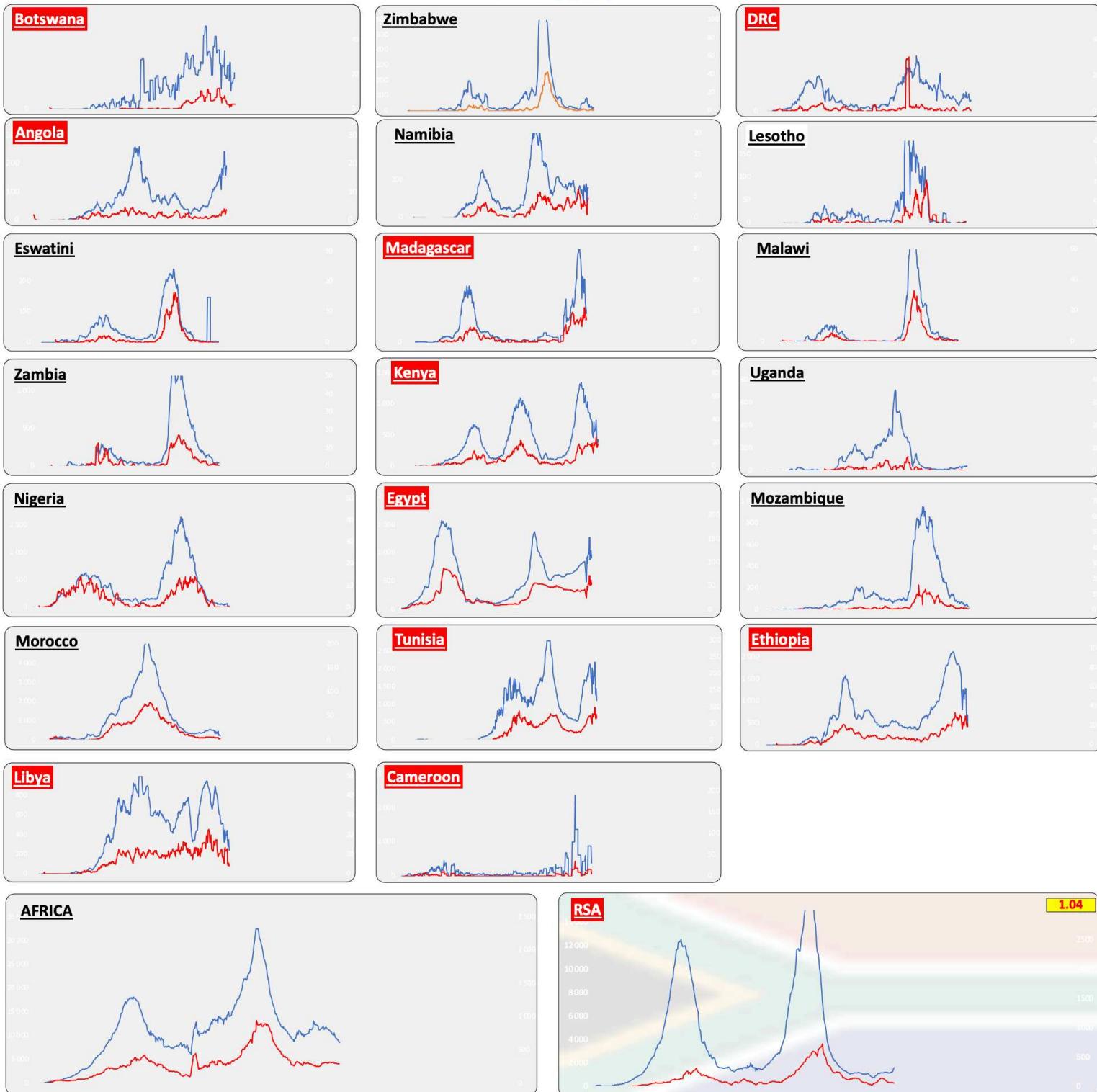
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  Noteworthy: Regular data shows adverse trends

(Jan 2020 to Present)

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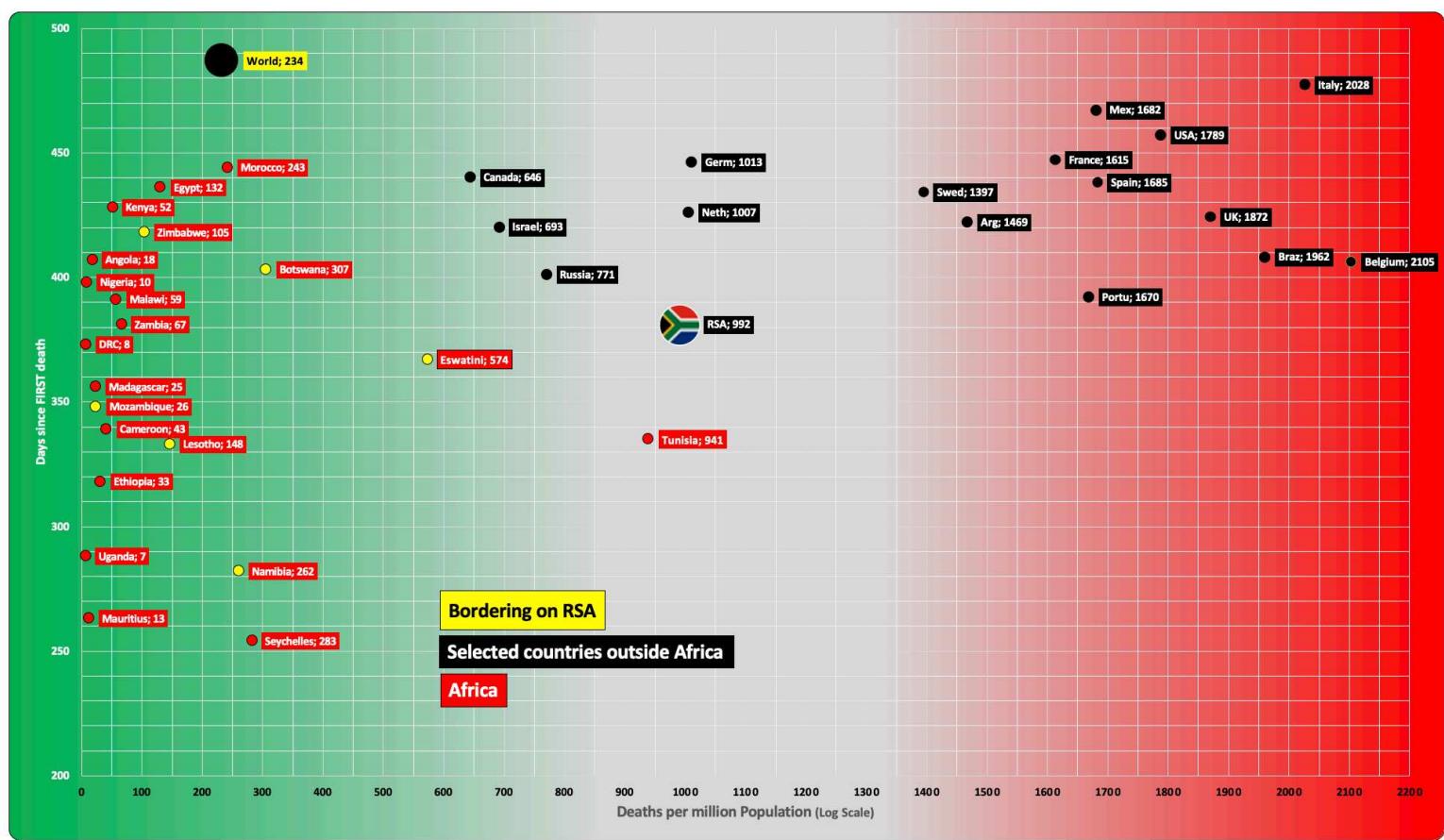
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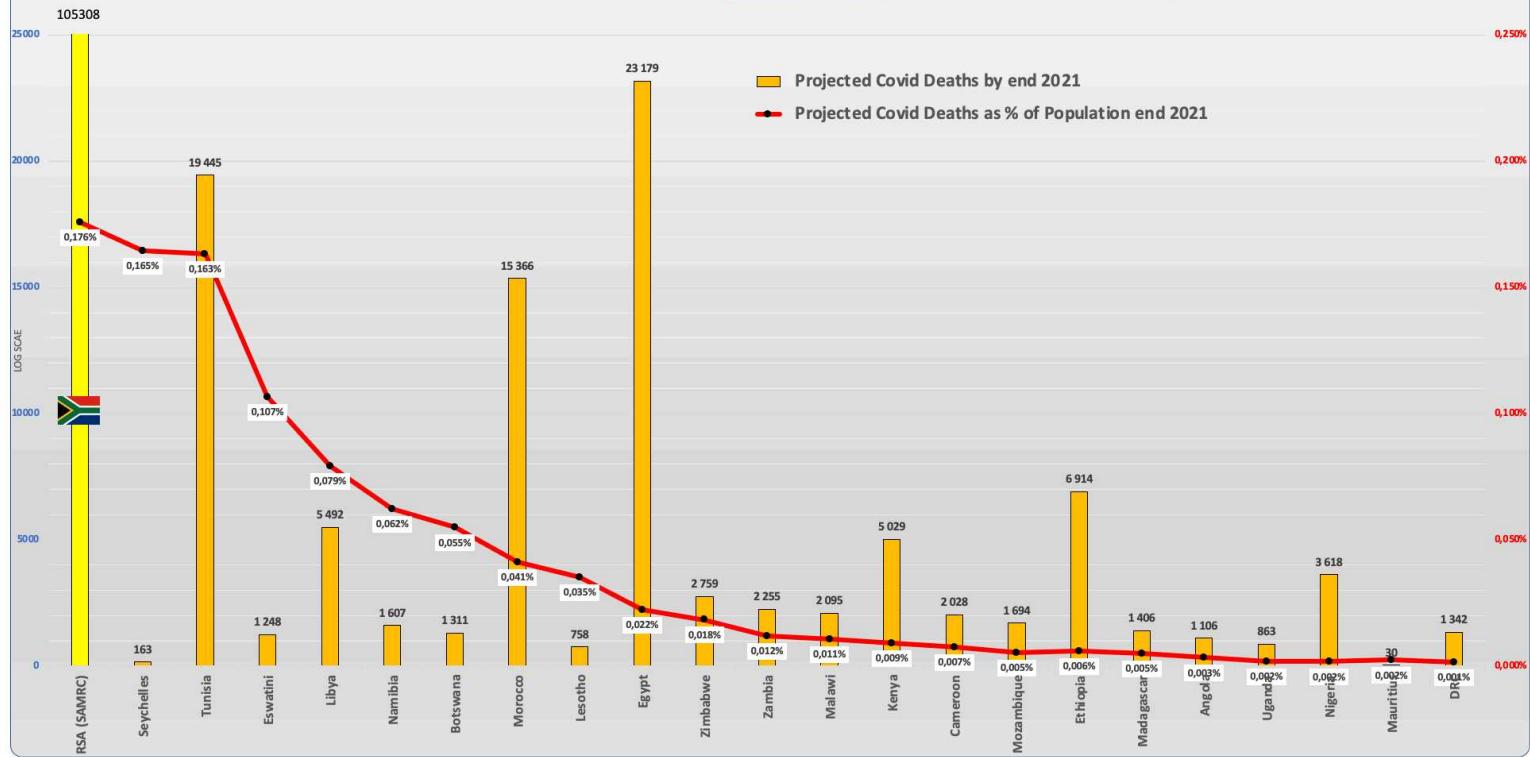
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## Africa v Selected other Countries' **Reported** Deaths per mill PoP

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## Projected Deaths by end 2021 per country and % Deaths of Populations at current officially reported Death Numbers



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## Some food for thought.....

A thought-provoking quote by a doctor in India:  
"Social distancing is a privilege. It means you live  
in a house large enough to practice it. Hand  
washing is a privilege too. It means you have  
access to running water. Hand sanitizers are a  
privilege. It means you have money to buy them.  
Lockdowns are a privilege. It means you can afford  
to be at home. A disease spread by the rich as  
they flew around the globe will now kill millions of  
the poor."

#soberingperspective

