GCC **COVID-19 Dashboard**













Coronavirus Cases - Global



Confirmed Cases

2,403,963

Deaths

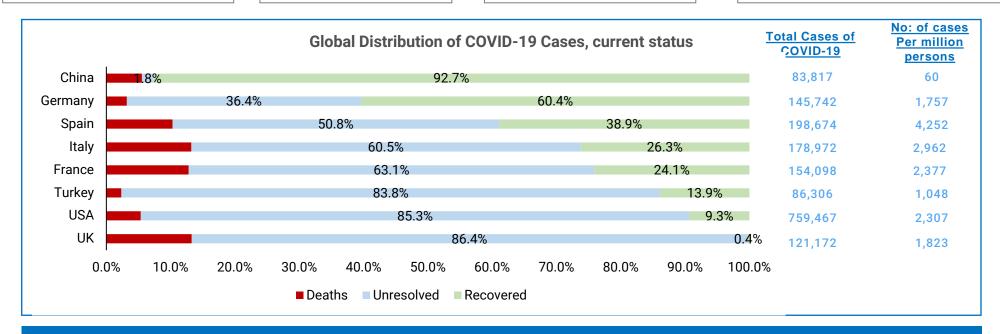
165,227

Recovered

616,583

of Covid-19 Test*

17,475,988



- US oil price plunges to 20-year low as coronavirus hits demand
- Trump exempts coronavirus-hit businesses from import tariffs
- McKinsey predicts near doubling of unemployment in Europe due to the pandemic
- OPEC cuts oil demand view again as market faces 'historic shock' due to the coronavirus outbreak
- China Records First Ever Contraction in Quarterly GDP on Coronavirus







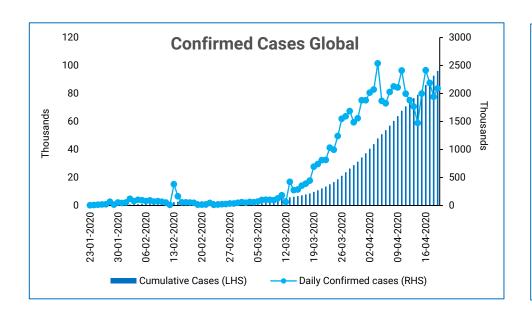


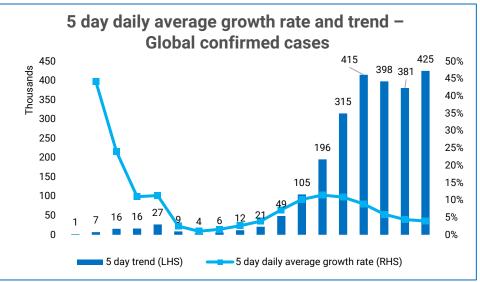


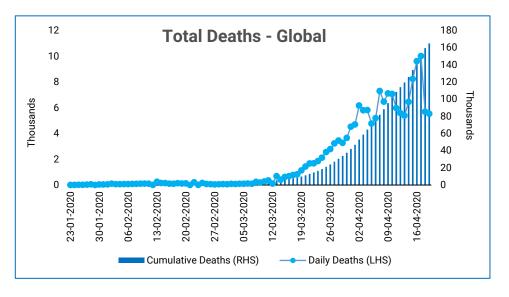


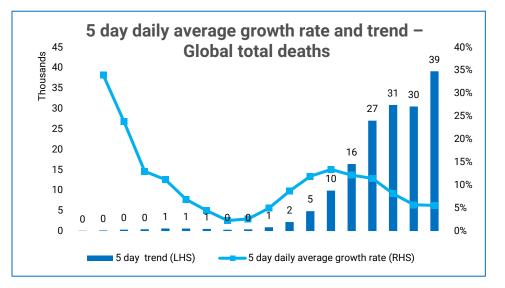
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Coronavirus Cases in GCC

April 20, 2020



Confirmed Cases

26,653

Deaths

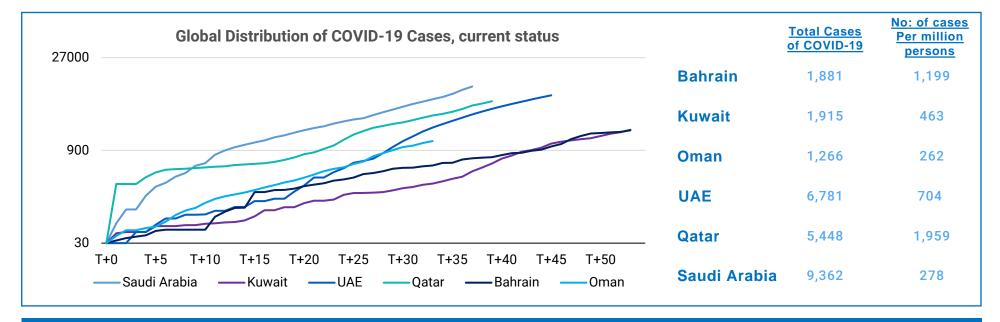
166

Recovered

4,502

of Covid-19 Test*

581,270



- UAE bourses lead GCC recovery; market cap grows by Dh76 billion
- IMF warns of Middle East debt amid COVID-19 battle
- G20 agrees to suspend debt payments of poor nations
- G20 Finance Ministers to meet April 15 for urgent actions against COVID-19













Coronavirus Cases in Saudi Arabia

April 20, 2020



Confirmed Cases

9,362

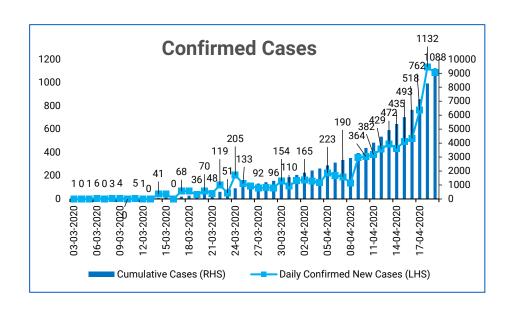
Deaths

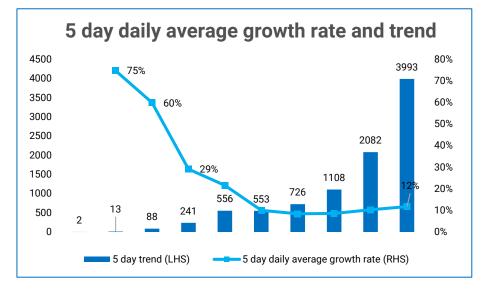
Recovered

1,398

of Covid-19 Test*

180,000





- Saudi Arabia to impose unified system for movement permits during curfew
- Daily cases in KSA more than double since field testing began
- Saudi Arabia faces coronavirus crisis with strong reserves, low debt- Minister
- Saudi Arabia announces \$533m action plan to support local food security and production.













Coronavirus Cases in Kuwait

April 20, 2020

Confirmed Cases

1,915

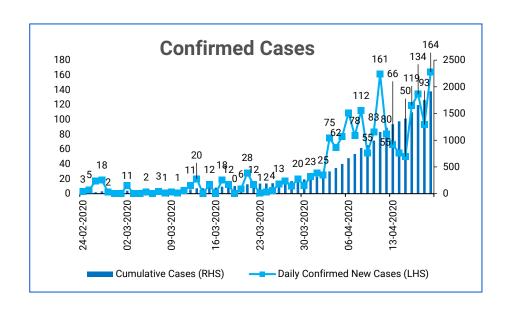
Deaths

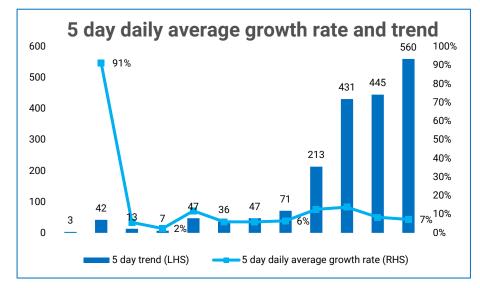
Recovered

305

of Covid-19 Test*

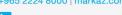
17,000





- Kuwaiti central bank tells lenders to postpone customer dues for six months
- GCC member states approved a Kuwaiti proposal to set up a single Gulf food security network
- MOI grants temporary residence for expiring visas for 3 months.
- Grand repatriation plan for Kuwaitis begins April 19: PM











Coronavirus Cases in **UAE**

April 20, 2020

Confirmed Cases

6,781

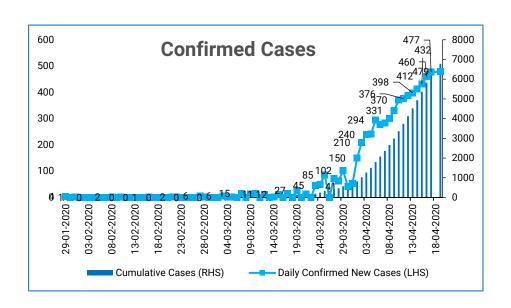
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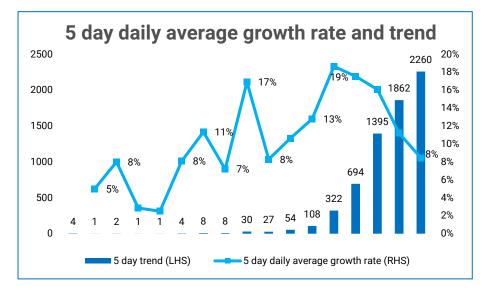
Recovered

1,286

of Covid-19 Test*

220,000





- UAE central bank urges lenders to utilise \$70bln economy support package
- UAE launches Covid-19 tracing app 'TraceCovid'
- Dubai tightens lockdown restrictions; grocery, pharmacy permits once in 3 days to contain the spread of the virus.
- · Abu Dhabi Government ties up with banks to expand SME financing













Coronavirus Cases in Qatar

April 20, 2020



Confirmed Cases

5,448

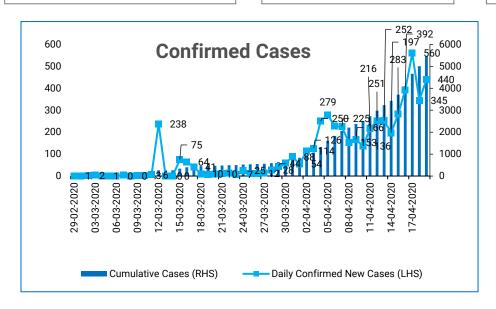
Deaths

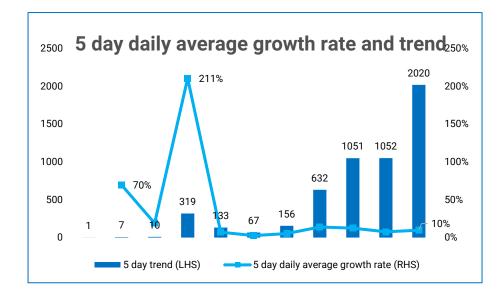
Recovered

518

of Covid-19 Test*

62,538





- Google Cloud joined the remote work initiative launched by the Communications Regulatory Authority (CRA) to help people in Qatar work remotely from home easily and securely
- Qatar setting up massive emergency department in Industrial Area
- Cabinet extends Covid-19 precautionary measures for two weeks
- Qatar Financial Centre (QFC) announced new support measures to offer relief to the 900 plus firms registered on its platform









Coronavirus Cases in Bahrain

April 20, 2020



Confirmed Cases

1,881

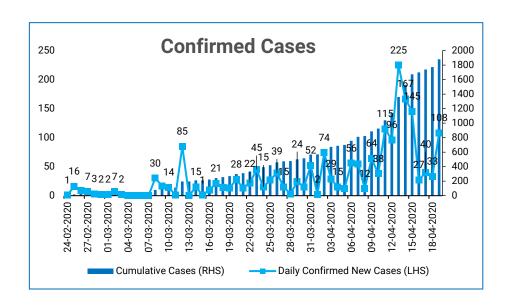
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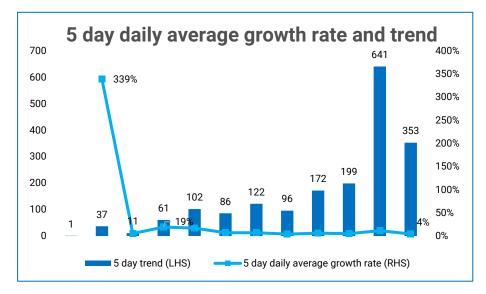
Recovered

762

of Covid-19 Test*

86,732





- Shura Council approves government-drafted Public Security Voluntary Law
- BENEFIT, the Kingdom's leading company in electronic financial transactions, announced a significant increase in the number of transactions and payments through BenefitPay
- Bahrain sets up field Intensive Care Unit at the Bahrain Defence Force Hospital in Riffa
- Ombudsman office launched mobile application, Whatsapp for communication with the public.













Coronavirus Cases in Oman

April 20, 2020

Confirmed Cases

1,266

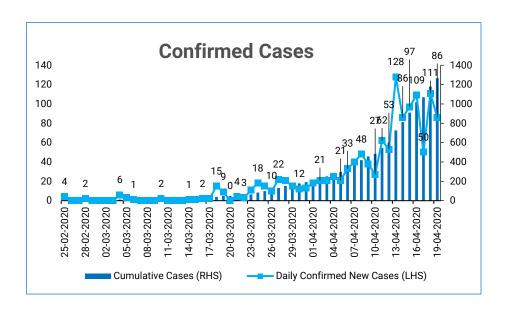
Deaths

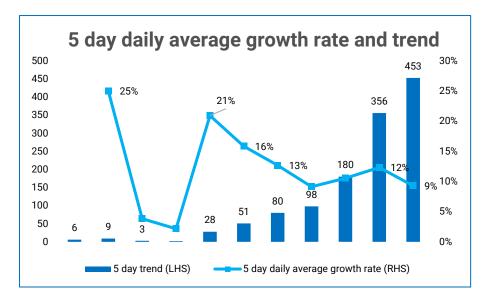
Recovered

233

of Covid-19 Test*

15,000





- Oman reduces state budget by \$1.3bln after cuts
- Oman to see 500 cases a day during virus outbreak peak'-Minister of Health
- Government offers facilitation package to the private sector
- The Public Authority for Small and Medium Enterprises, Riyada, discussed challenges looming ahead for SMEs in view of COVID-19 pandemic.











