Latest situation of COVID-19 (as of 11 February 2022)

1325 cases tested positive for SARS-CoV-2 virus were reported in Hong Kong on 11 February 2022.

In the recent 7-day period from 5 to 11 February 2022, an average of 771.9 cases were reported per day, as compared with 115.9 cases per day reported in the previous 7-day period from 29 January to 4 February 2022 (Figure 1).

Daily number and 7-day moving average of reported cases (as of 11 February 2022) 1400 Daily number of cases 1200 -7-day moving avgerage of cases 1000 Number of cases 800 200 11/06 . 90/57 80/90 01/10 15/10 10/12 24/12 04/02 18/02 28/05 20/60 23/07 03/00 17/09 29/10 26/11 07/01 01/04 29/04 27/05 10/06 24/06 08/07 22/07 05/08 11/11 Date of reporting

Figure 1(i): Daily number and 7-day moving average of cases tested positive for SARS-CoV-2 virus

Note: Re-positive cases are excluded in Figure 1(i).

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Figure 1(ii): Daily number and 7-day moving average of cases tested positive for SARS-CoV-2 virus in the past 4 weeks

Note: Re-positive cases are excluded in Figure 1(ii).

Since 31 December 2019, the Centre for Health Protection (CHP) of the Department of Health has recorded a total of 20119 cases tested positive for SARS-CoV-2 virus. Among these cases, 14037 were discharged and 216 were fatal cases, and 5830 cases were still hospitalised or pending admission (Figure 2).

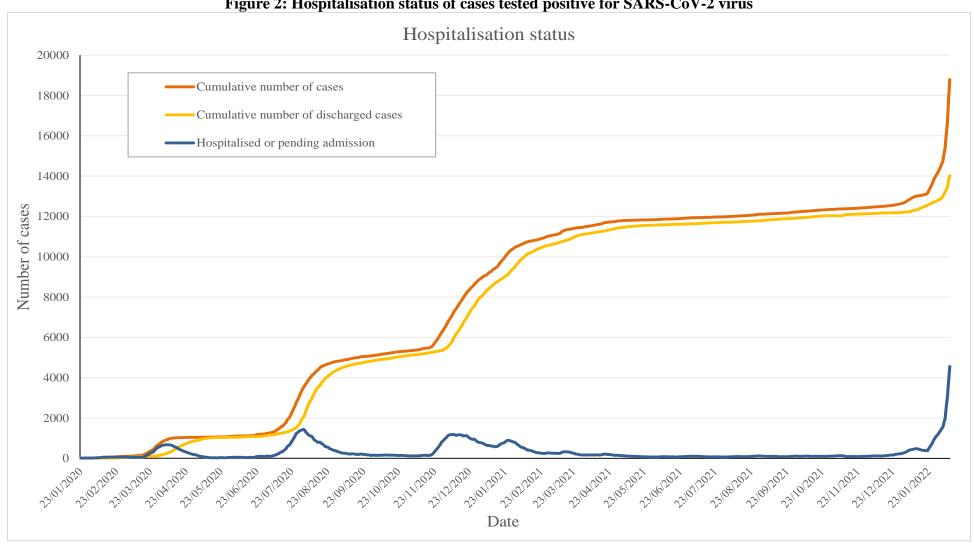


Figure 2: Hospitalisation status of cases tested positive for SARS-CoV-2 virus

Note: 216 confirmed cases were fatal cases.

Further analysis of these cases could be referred to the tables and figures below. Details of cases reported on or before 7 February 2022 are available at the COVID-19 thematic website (https://www.chp.gov.hk/files/xls/previous cases covid19 en.xlsx). Five cases were deleted on 3 September 2021 (https://www.info.gov.hk/gia/general/202109/03/P2021090300392.htm). One case was deleted on 29 January 2022 (https://www.info.gov.hk/gia/general/202201/29/P2022012900846.htm).

Table 1 shows the classification of cases reported since 31 December 2021.

Table 1: Number of cases tested positive for SARS-CoV-2 virus by classification

Reporting period	Imported case	Locally acquired case	Period total
Since 31/12/2021	632 (8.4%)	6856 (91.6%)	7488 (100.0%)
15/1/2022 - 21/1/2022	40 (42.1%)	55 (57.9%)	95 (100.0%)
22/1/2022 - 28/1/2022	116 (14.8%)	668 (85.2%)	784 (100.0%)
29/1/2022 - 4/2/2022	114 (14.1%)	697 (85.9%)	811 (100.0%)
5/2/2022 - 11/2/2022	32 (0.6%)	5372 (99.4%)	5404 (100.0%)

Among 6856 locally acquired cases since 31 December 2021, 60.2% were known to have been fully vaccinated#. (# refer to people who have completed the full course of vaccination according to the relevant vaccine developers or pharmaceutical companies)

Figure 3 (i) shows the epidemic curve of cases tested positive for SARS-CoV-2 virus reported since 31 December 2021.

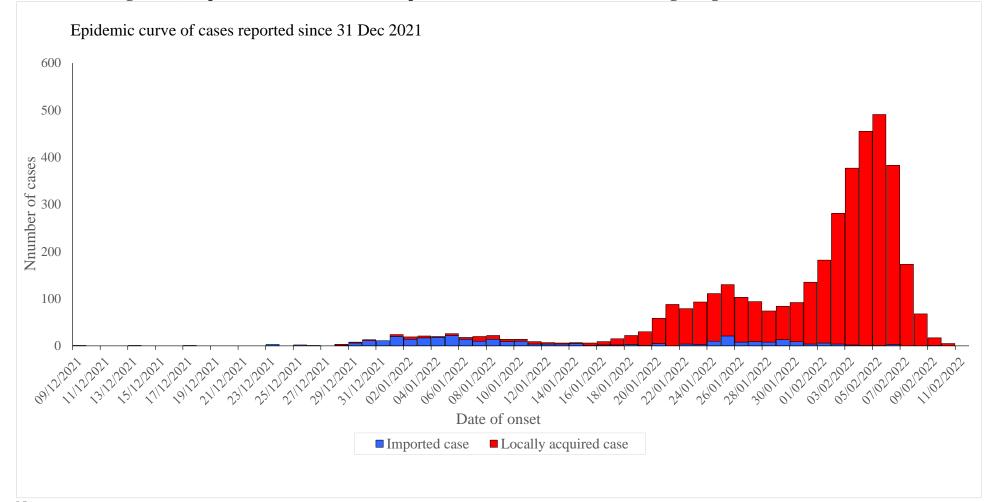


Figure 3 (i): Epidemic curve of cases tested positive for SARS-CoV-2 virus in Hong Kong since 31 December 2021

Note:

- 1. The classification and case status may be subject to changes when there is new information available.
- 2. Asymptomatic and re-positive cases are excluded in Figure 3(i).

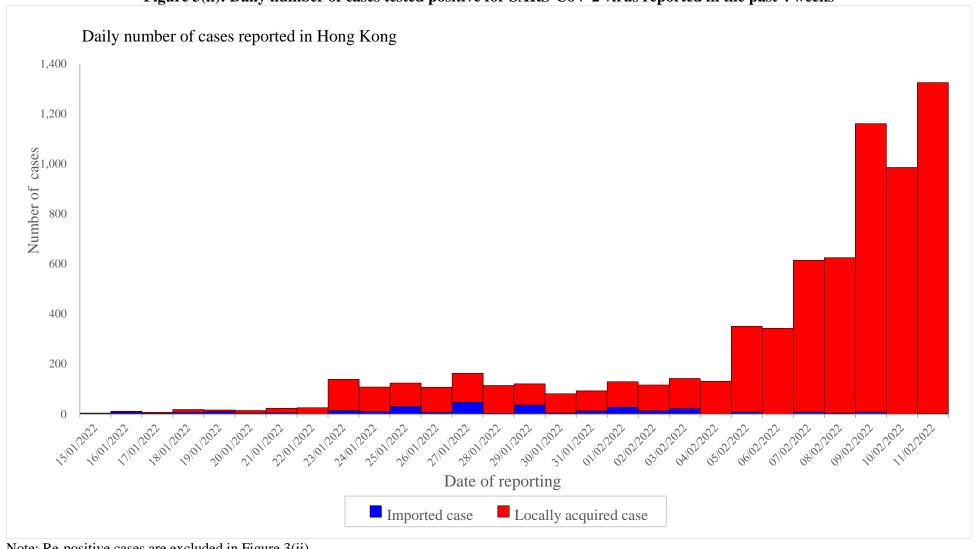


Figure 3(ii): Daily number of cases tested positive for SARS-CoV-2 virus reported in the past 4 weeks

Note: Re-positive cases are excluded in Figure 3(ii).

In the past four weeks, the following large clusters with new cases were reported in Hong Kong (Table 2).

Table 2: Large clusters (10 or more)* with newly tested positive cases reported in the past 4 weeks

Cluster	No. of new cases	Total no. of cases
Air crew (case 12611) related cluster	0	16
Air crew (case 12676) related cluster	0	52
Silka Seaview Hotel Hong Kong (12th floor)/	2	806
Tung Moon House/ Yat Kwai House related		
cluster		
Hamster-related cluster	0	86
Work related cluster at Yuen Long Plaza	1	38
Sham Shui Po church-related cluster	2	31

^{*}Including cases with epidemiological linkage

Figure 4(i) shows the countries/areas visited by the cases with travel history outside Hong Kong during the incubation period.

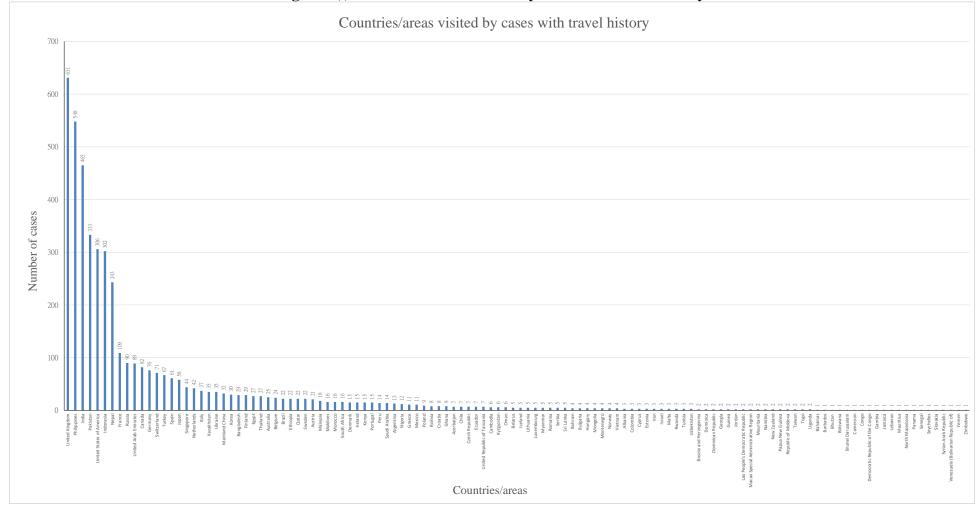


Figure 4(i): Countries/areas visited by cases with travel history

Note:

- 1. Some cases had visited more than one country/area.
- 2. Re-positive cases are excluded in Figure 4(i).

Figure 4(ii) shows the countries/areas visited by the cases reported in the past 4 weeks with travel history outside Hong Kong during the incubation period.

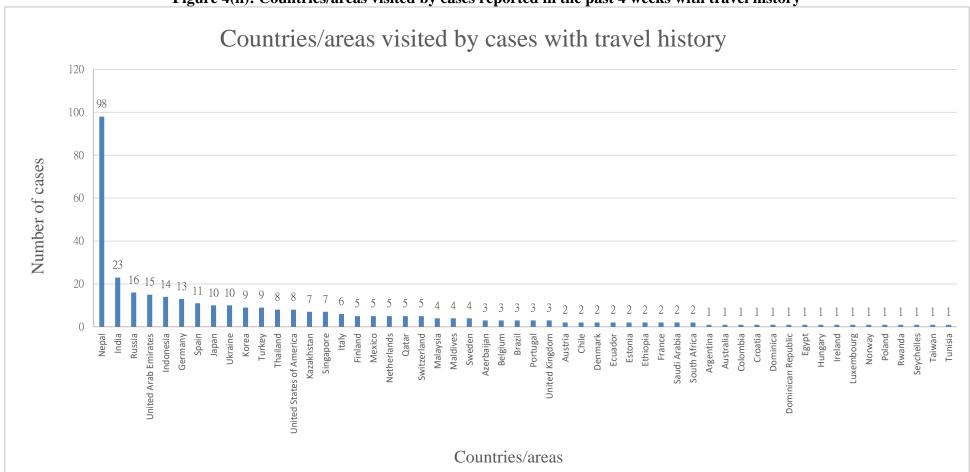


Figure 4(ii): Countries/areas visited by cases reported in the past 4 weeks with travel history

Note:

- 1. Some cases had visited more than one country/area.
- 2. Re-positive cases are excluded in Figure 4(ii).

Table 3 shows the mode of detection of cases tested positive for SARS-CoV-2 virus in Hong Kong.

Table 3: Mode of detection of cases tested positive for SARS-CoV-2 virus in Hong Kong

Category	Number of cases (percentage)	Number of cases (percentage)
	since 23 January 2020	in the past 4 weeks
(1) Cases fulfilling the reporting criteria of COVID-19	336 (1.7%)	0 (0.0%)
(2) Enhanced laboratory surveillance in public hospitals	827 (4.1%)	110 (1.6%)
(3) Enhanced surveillance at Accident and Emergency Departments / General Outpatient Clinics	3589 (17.8%)	1000 (14.1%)
(4) Diagnosis / Enhanced surveillance in private hospitals and clinics	1502 (7.5%)	159 (2.2%)
(5) Medical surveillance / contact tracing by Centre for Health Protection	5627 (28.0%)	1118 (15.8%)
(6) Enhanced surveillance for asymptomatic inbound travelers	2052 (10.2%)	139 (2.0%)
(7) Enhanced surveillance for persons with higher risk of exposure	27 (0.1%)	0 (0.0%)
(8) Private testing for the targeted groups*	99 (0.5%)	1 (0.0%)
(9) Universal Community Testing Programme	32 (0.2%)	0 (0.0%)
(10) Community testing centre^	3169 (15.8%)	1722 (24.3%)
(11) Others	11 (0.1%)	0 (0.0%)
(12) Pending	2838 (14.1%)	2838 (40.0%)
Total	20109 (100.0%)	7087 (100.0%)

Note: Re-positive cases are excluded in Table 3.

* https://www.info.gov.hk/gia/general/202009/19/P2020091900029.htm

[^] Including 1 case detected by temporary testing centre

Figure 5 shows the age and gender distribution of the cases. The ages ranged from 12 days to 104 years (median: 41 years). Male to Female ratio 0.9:1.

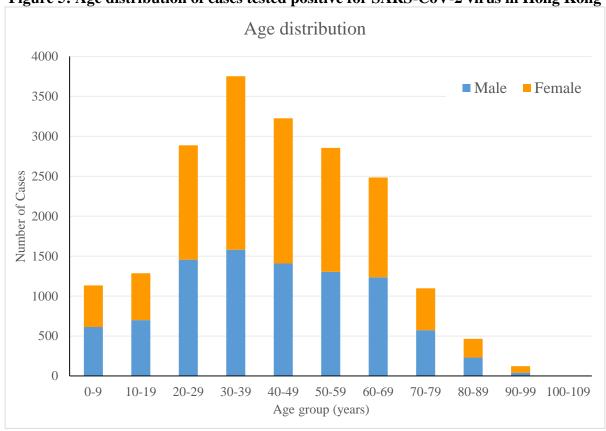


Figure 5: Age distribution of cases tested positive for SARS-CoV-2 virus in Hong Kong

Note: Re-positive cases are excluded in Figure 5.