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SUMMARY AND ANALYSIS

The EASF region has reported 1,477 more corona virus (COVID-19) cases as compared to the last report, the highest so far. A total of 7,287 have been reported in the region, which makes up 8.4% of the 87,140 total continents infections.

The most affected countries in the EASF Region are Sudan with 2,591 total cases, Somalia (1,401) and Djibouti (1,401). The Republic of Comoros and Seychelles have recorded no new cases of Corona virus since the last report. It is to be noted that the 11 cases that have been reported from the Republic of Seychelles, have all recovered.

The region has so far recorded an increase of 26 deaths since the last report bringing the total to 222 COVID-19 related deaths with Sudan reporting the highest number of deaths at 105, Somalia with 56 and Kenya 50. This represents 3% mortality rate of the total reported cases. The mortality rate in the region remains low as compared to the global mortality rate which stands at 14% of total cases reported.

The trend of recoveries in the region continues to be very positive at 2,114 recoveries. Djibouti has recorded the highest at 972, Kenya (336) and Sudan (247). This represents 29% recovery rate of all total infected people.

Regional Trends

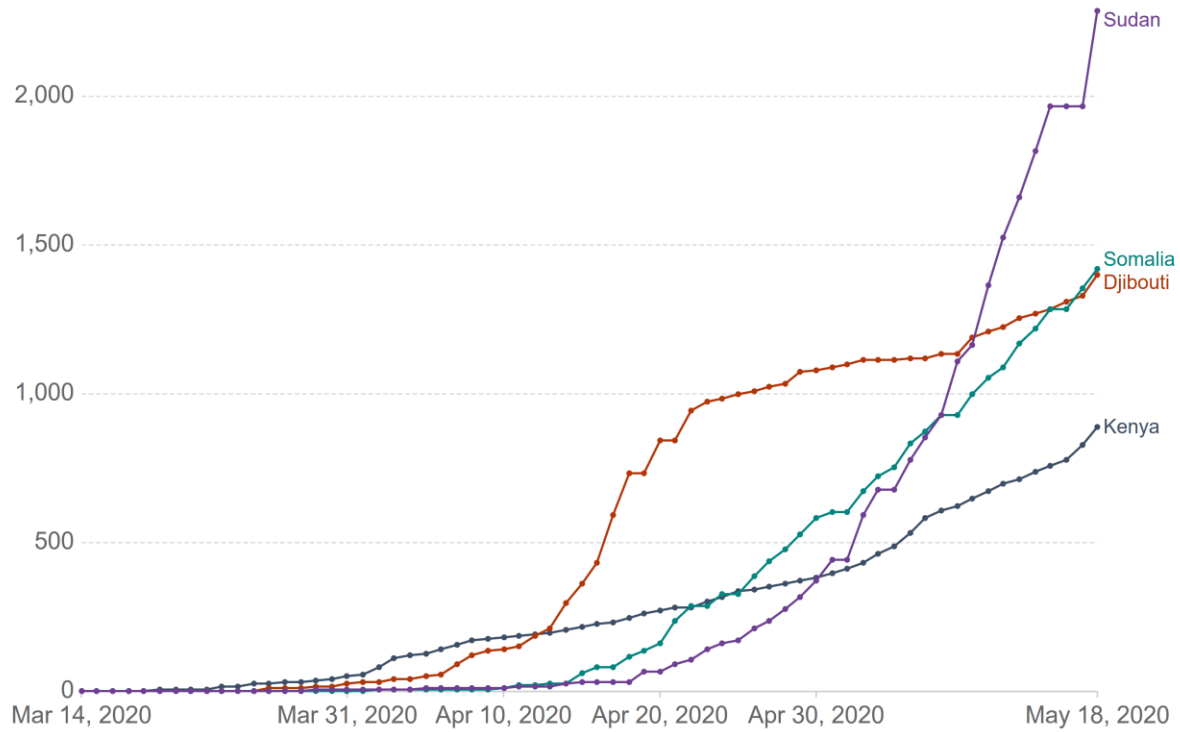
Table 1: Infection Cases per EASF Member State

Country	Cases	New Cases	%incr.	Recoveries	Deaths
Burundi	42	15	55.6%	20	1
Comoros	17	0	0%	0	1
Djibouti	1,401	133	10.5%	972	4
Ethiopia	352	80	29.4%	116	5
Kenya	912	154	20.3%	336	50
Rwanda	292	5	1.8%	197	0
Seychelles	11	0	0%	11	0
Somalia	1,421	202	16.6%	152	56
Sudan	2,591	773	42.5%	247	105
Uganda	248	109	50%	63	0
TOTAL	7,287	1,477	25.6%	2,114	222

Trend line 1: Category 1 - Countries with more than 500 cases

Total confirmed COVID-19 cases

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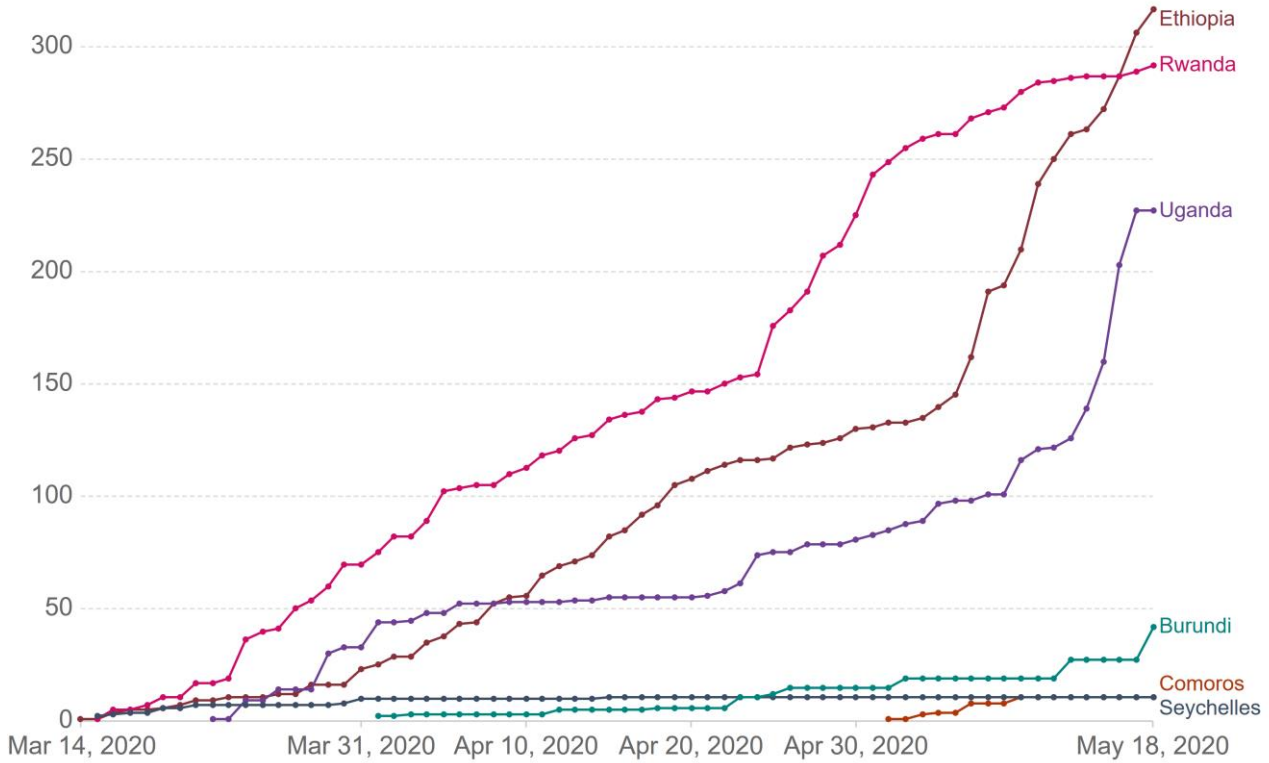
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Trend line 2: Category 2 - Countries with less than 500 cases

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Global Trends

The coronavirus COVID-19 is affecting 210 countries and territories around the world and 2 international conveyances. There global trends indicate that there are currently **4,841,065** confirmed cases, **1,875,337** recoveries and **317,372** deaths from the COVID-19 Pandemic.

The top five countries that have recorded the highest number of cases globally include the United States with 1,532,344 cases, Spain (277,719), Russia (290,678), Brazil (244,052) and UK (243,694). The highest recovery rate has been reported in USA with 347,114 cases, Spain (195,145), Germany (154,600), Italy (125,176) and Turkey (109,196). The countries that have recorded the highest death rates are USA (91,078), UK (34,636), Italy (31,908), France (28,108) and Spain (27,650)

Table 2: A breakdown of the Global Infection of COVID- 19

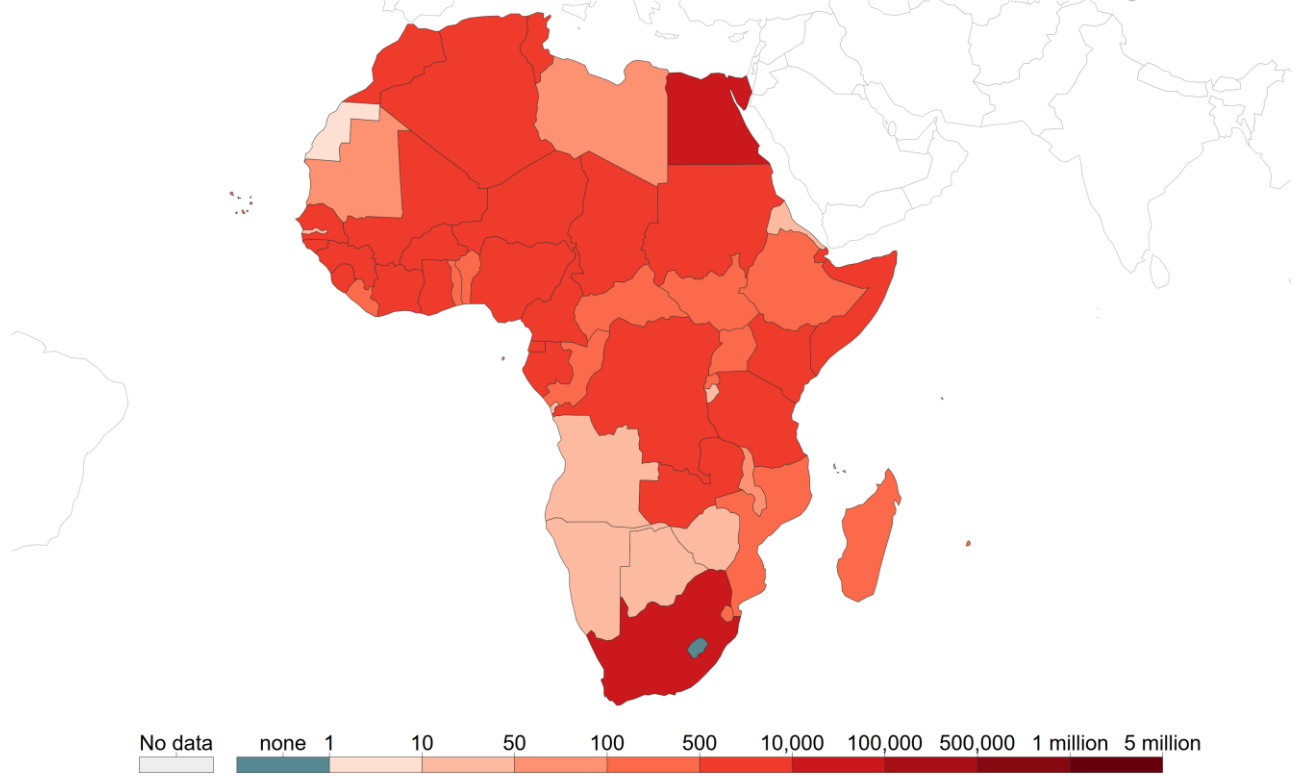
Description	Cases	%age incr/decr from 14/05
Currently Infected	4,841,065	8.4%
Mild Condition	2,603,956	6.6%
Serious or Critical	44,400	-3.0%
Recovered/Discharged	1,875,337	11.7%
Deaths	317,372	6%

NB: Percentage in red indicates a decrease from the previous report while those in red indicate an increase from the previous report

Figure 1: Africa's Map of total confirmed COVID-19 cases

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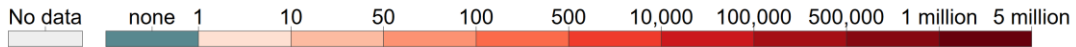
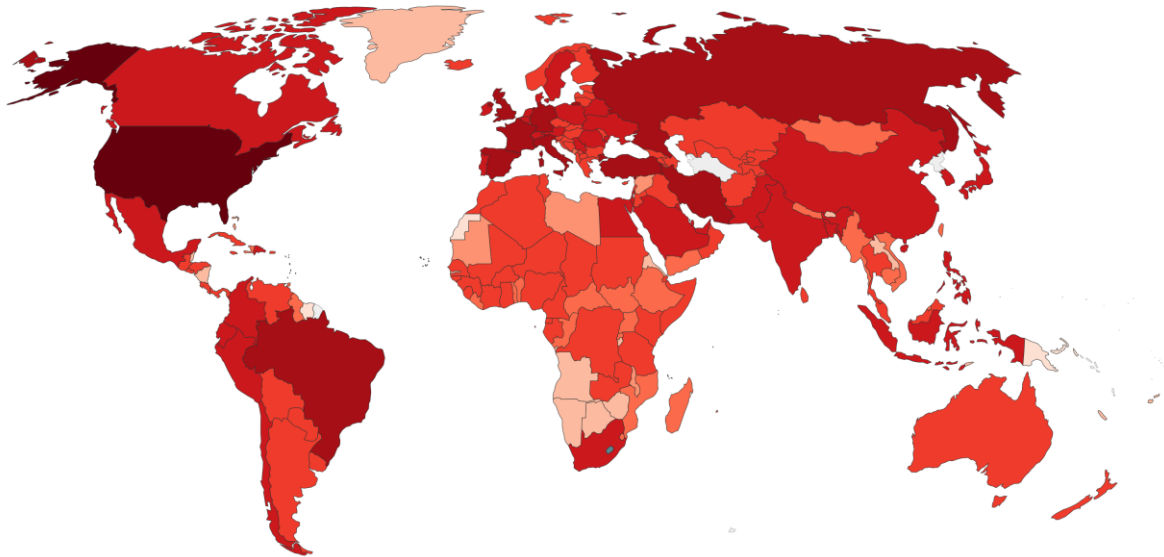


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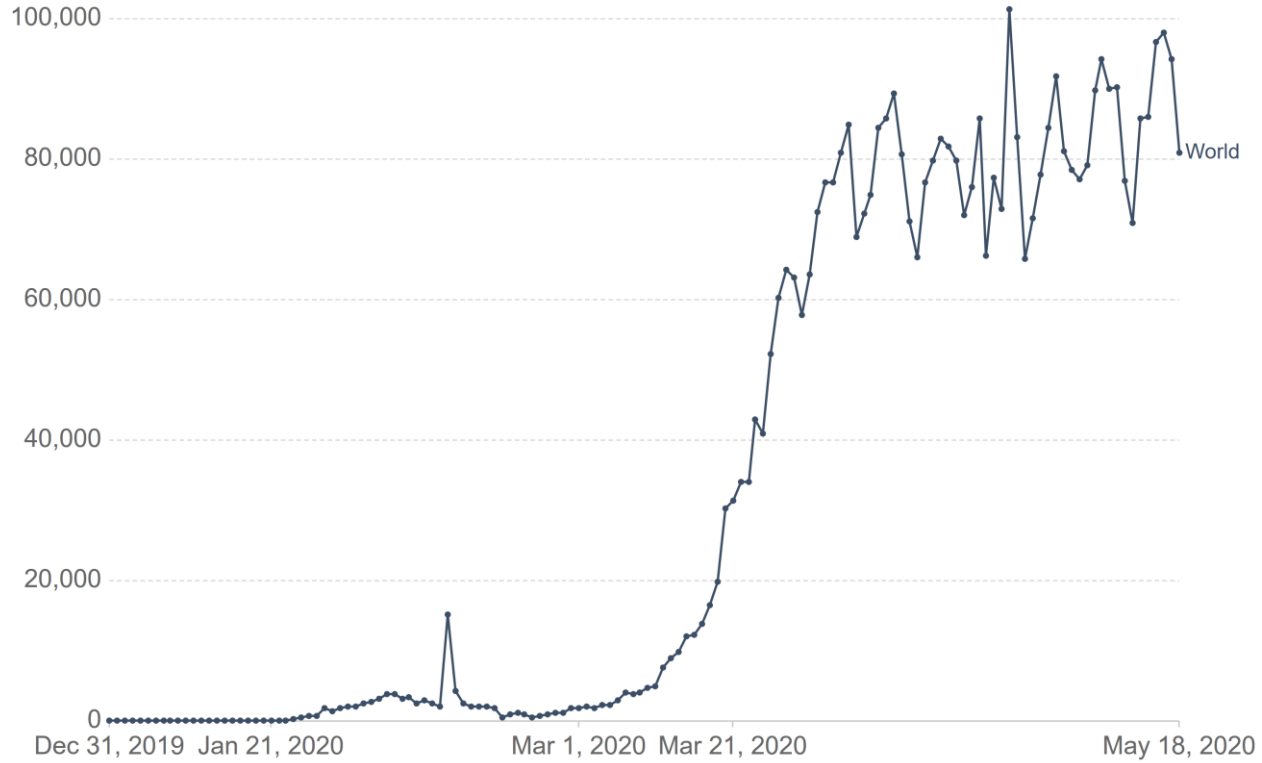


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Figure 3: Global Map of the daily new confirmed COVID-19 cases

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