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## RESEARCH UPDATES

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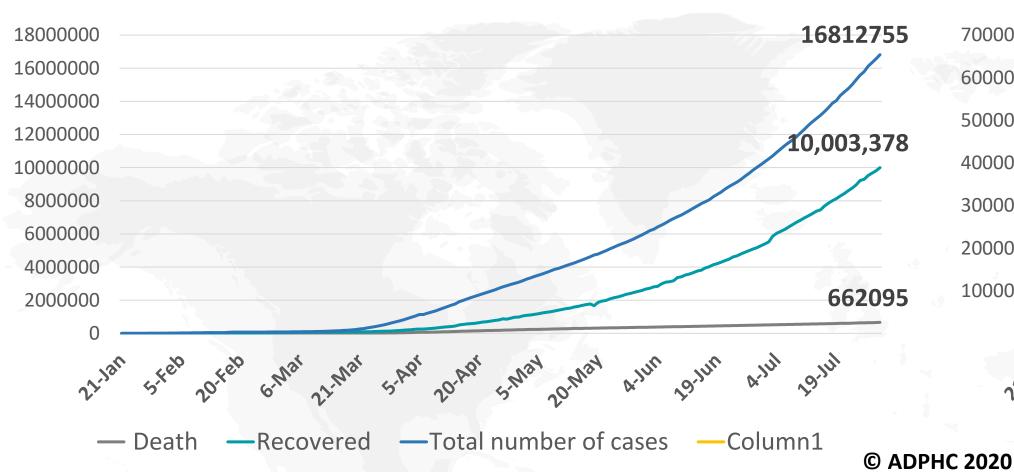


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Figure 1: Total Number of Infected, Recovered and Death Cases

Figure 3: Total Number of Death Due to COVID-19 (China and result of the world)



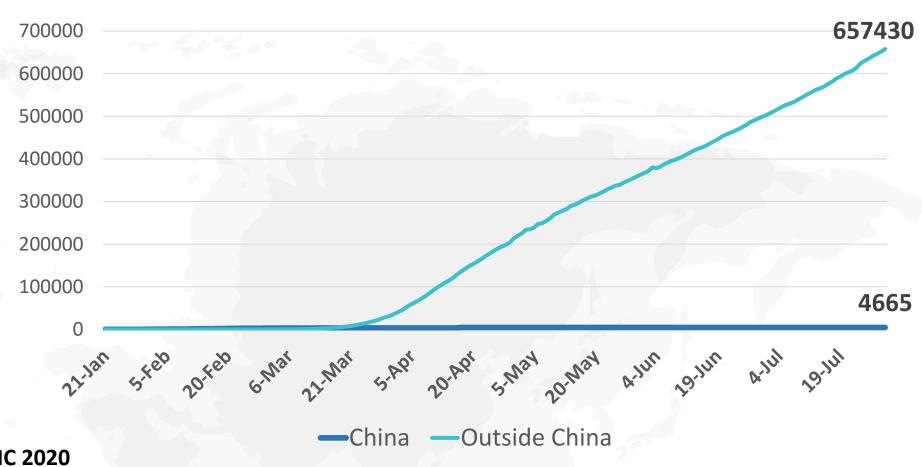


Figure 2: Daily New Infected COVID-19 Cases (China and rest of the world)

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Figure 4: Global Daily New Deaths Due to COVID-19 (China and rest of the world)

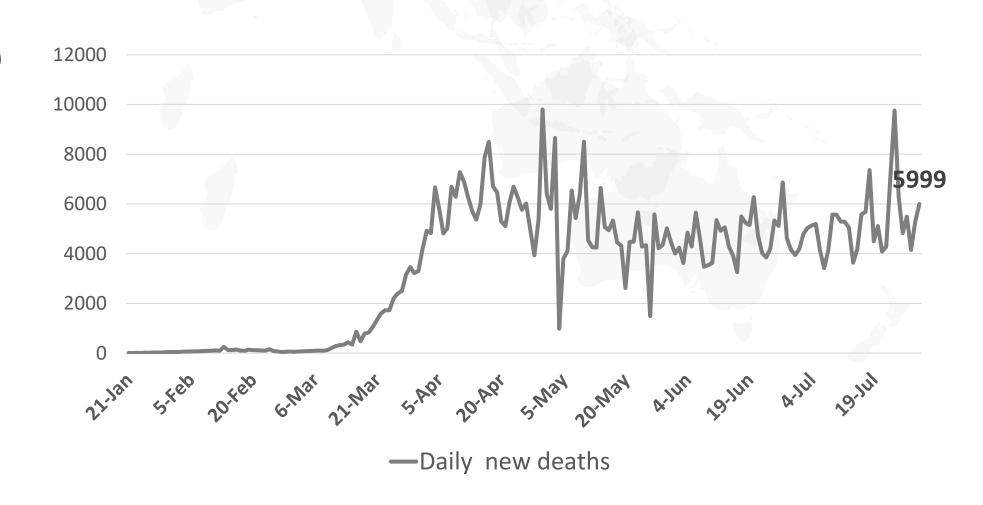
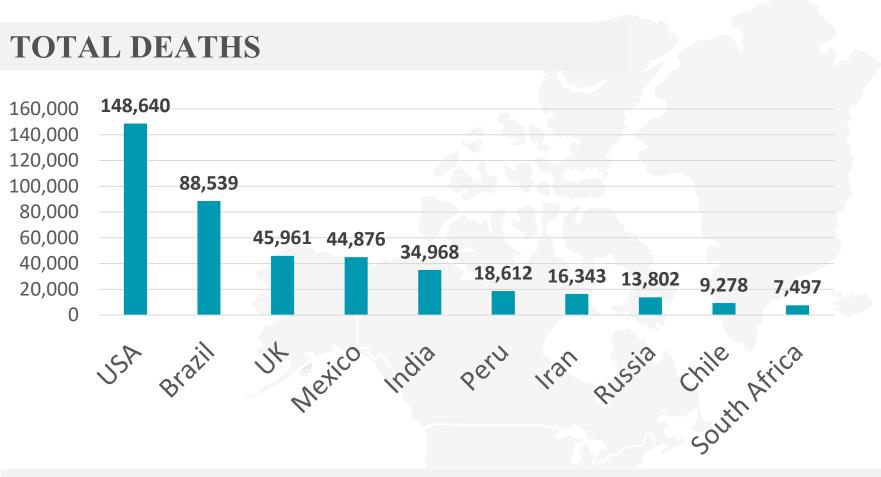
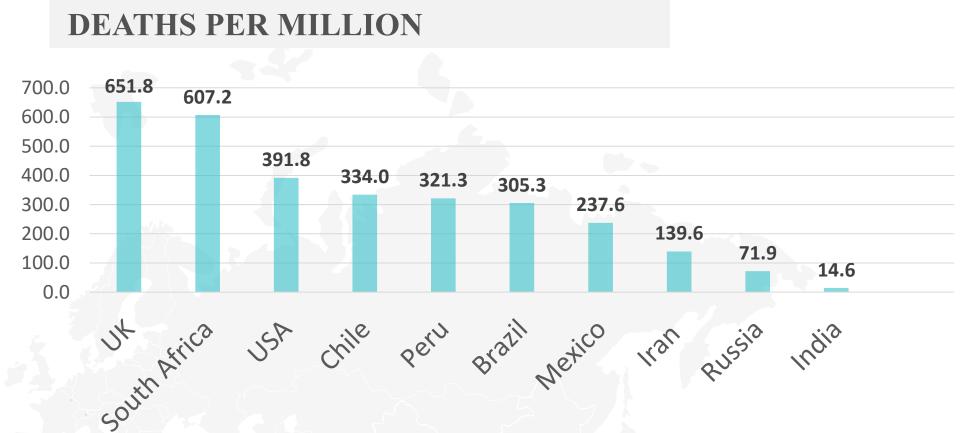




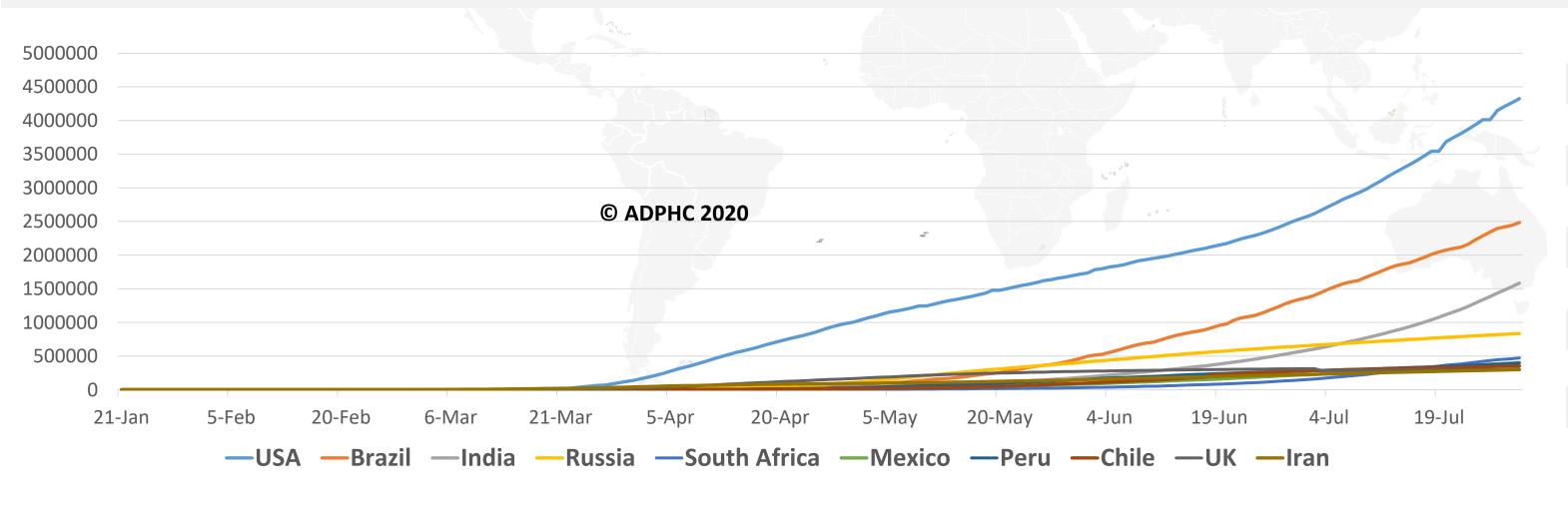


Figure 5: Top 10 Countries in the Total Number of Cases Due to COVID-19





### TOTAL INFECTED CASES



USA	4,323,160
Brazil	2,483,191
India	1,583,792
Russi	834,499
South Africa	471,123
Peru	402,697
Mexico	395,005
Chile	351,575
UK	301,459
Iran	298,909



## FROM 21 JAN TO 30 JUL 2020



### Figure 6: COVID-19 Status in the UAE (Federal Competitiveness and Statistics Authority Dashboard)



### **Daily Tests**

50,376.7 Average Tests509.3 per 100k population0.6% Positive Rate



### **Daily Cases**

325.1 Average Cases

3.3 per 100k population



### **Daily Recovered**

402.1 Average Recovered

**4.1** per 100k population



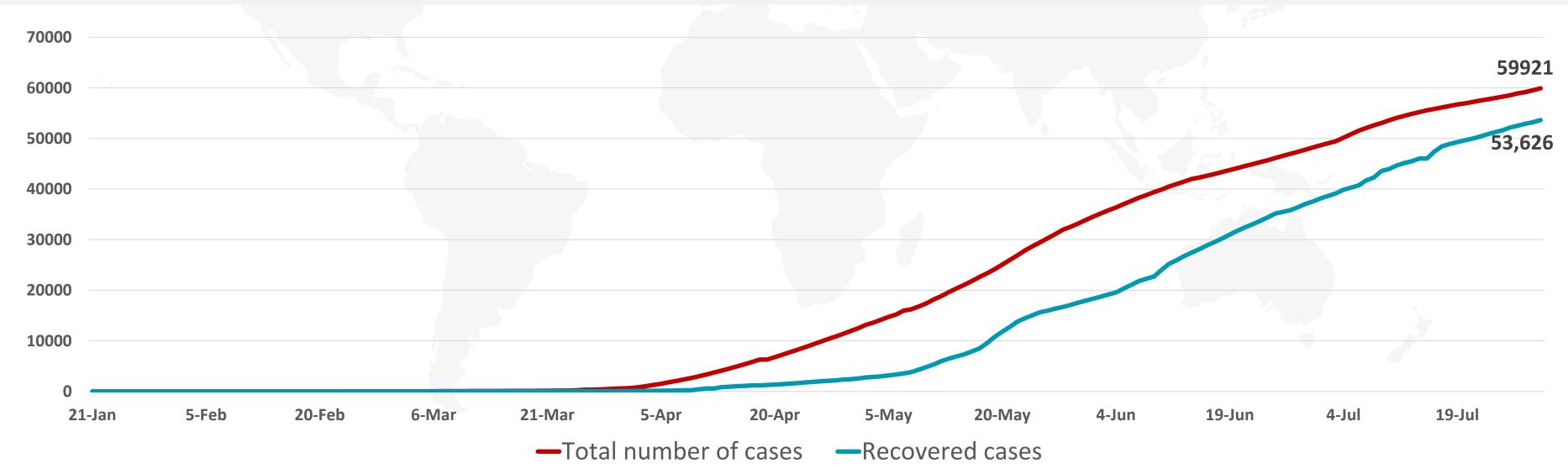
### **Daily Deaths**

1.1 Average Deaths

**0.0** per 100k population

0.4% Case Fatality Rate

### TOTAL NUMBER OF INFECTED AND RECOVERED CASES DUE TO COVID-19 REPORTED BY THE UAE

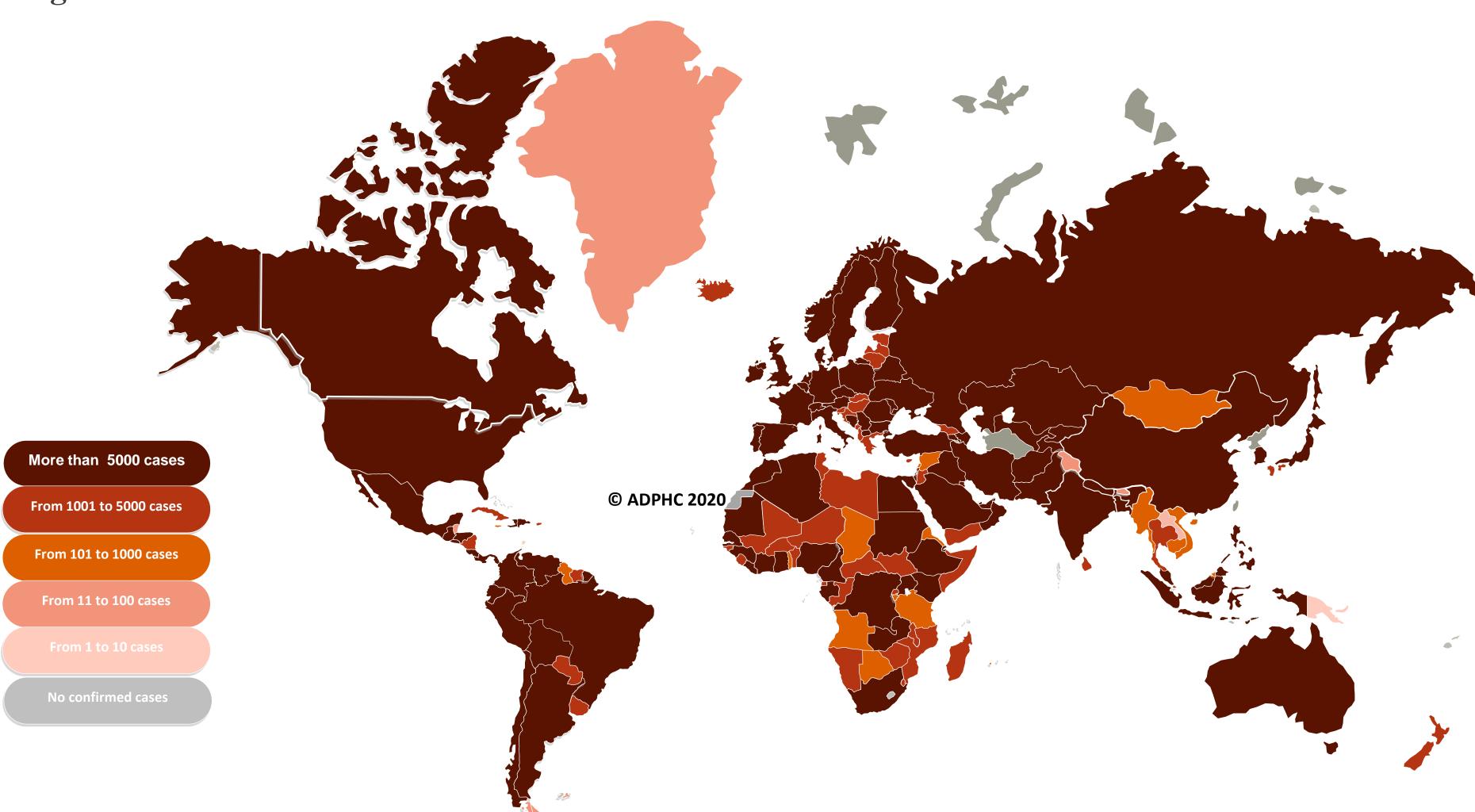




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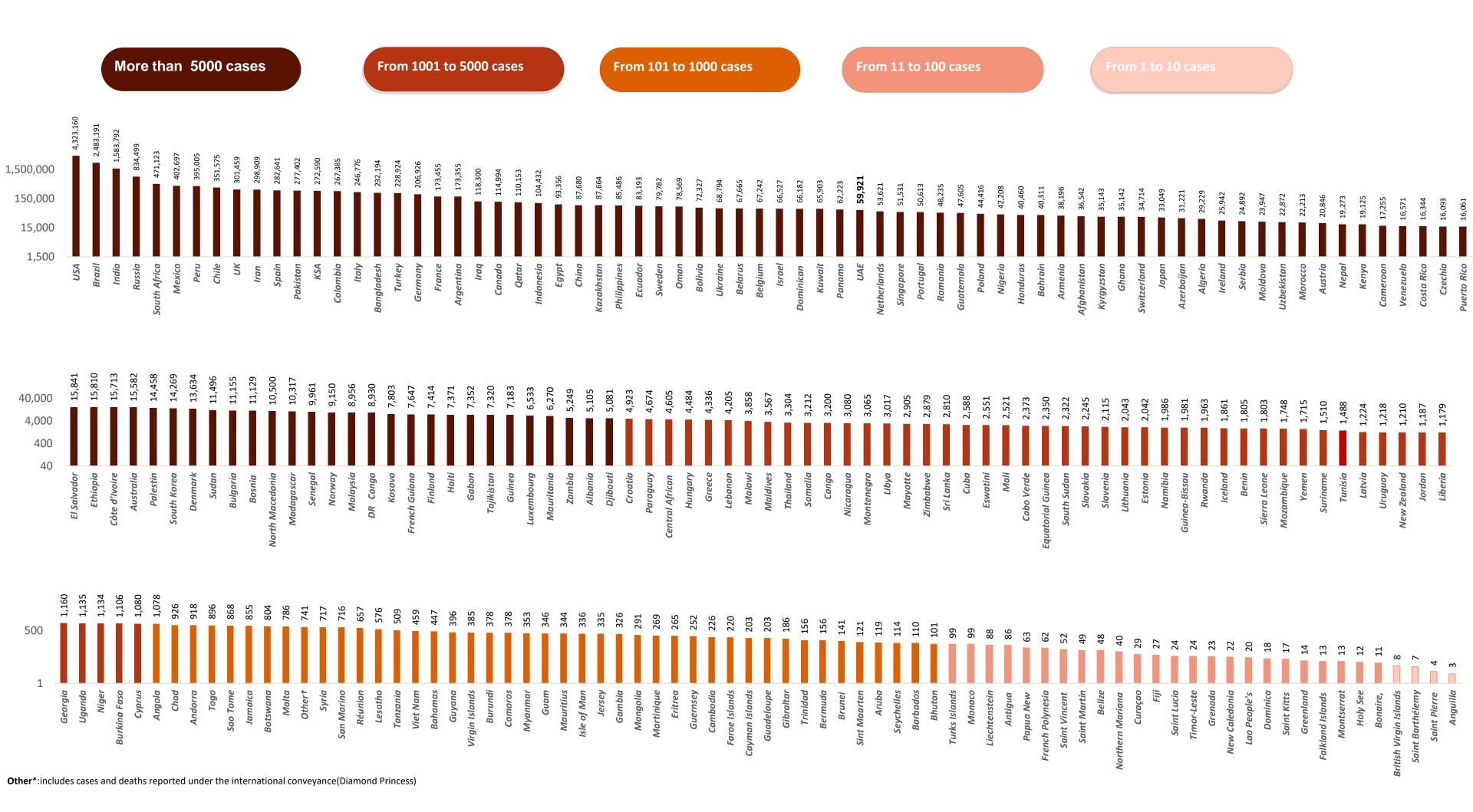
Figure 7A: Global Distribution of COVID-19 Cases







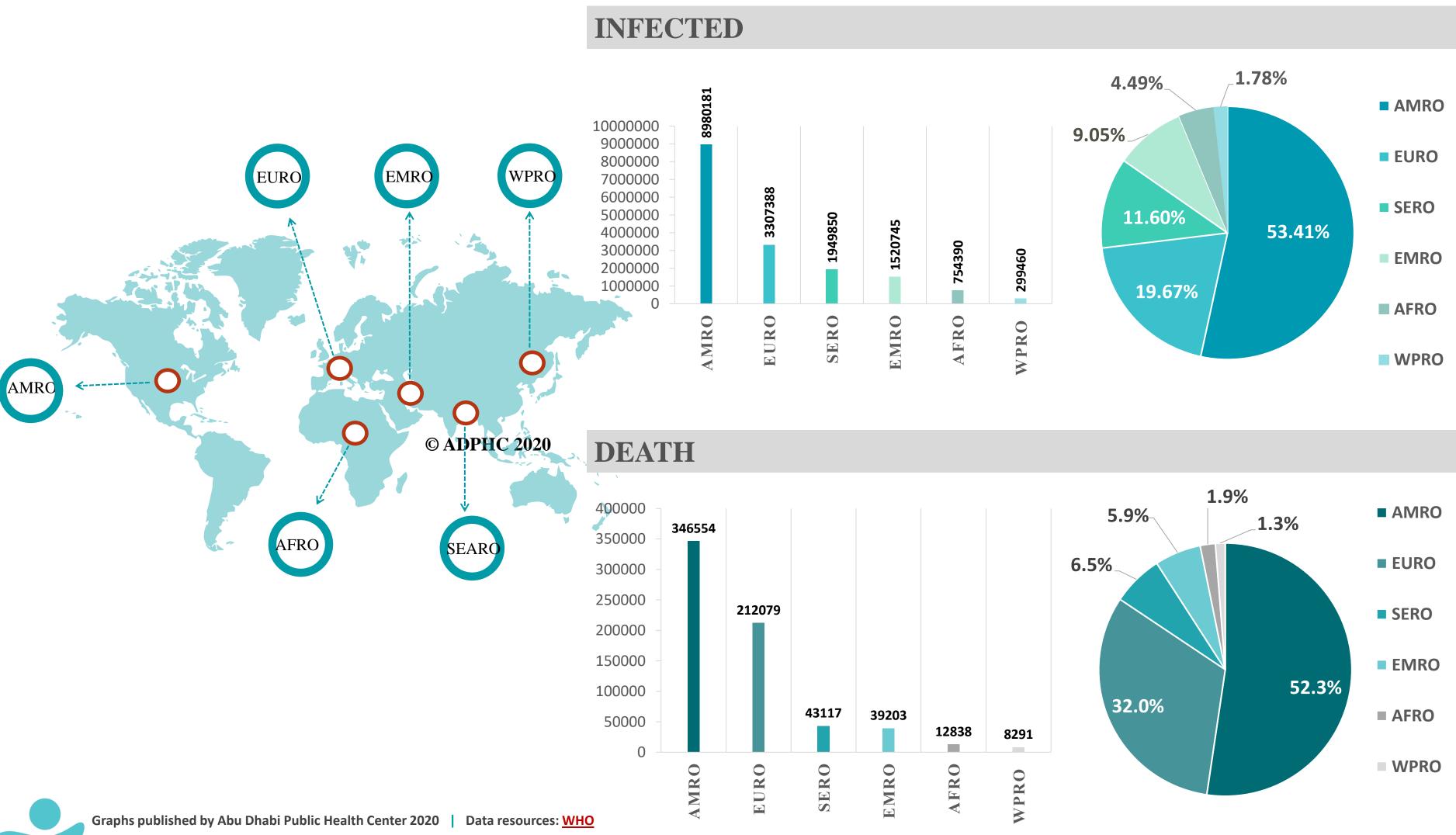
## Figure 7B: Bar Chart Illustrates the Global Distribution of COVID19 Cases



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Figure 8: Global Distribution of COVID-19 Cases per Region

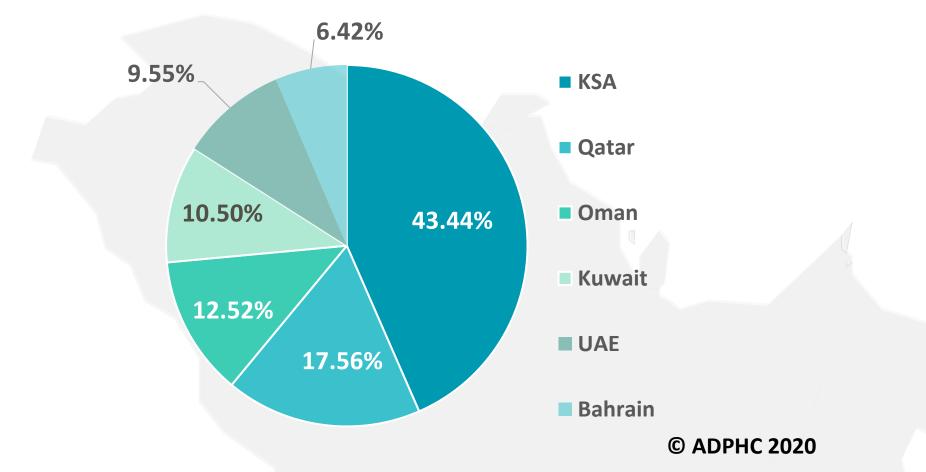


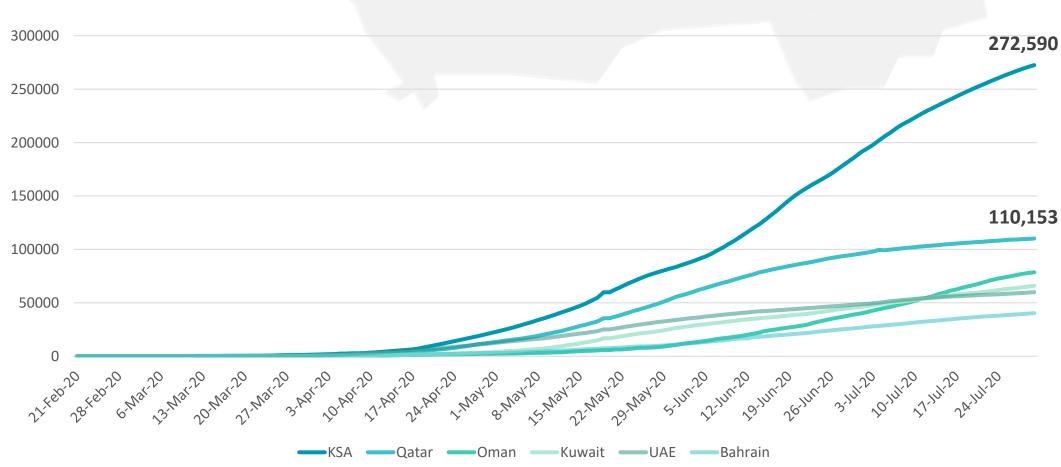
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## Figure 9: Comparative Analysis of the Distribution of COVID-19 Cases in GCC Countries

#### TOTAL NUMBER OF INFECTED CASES



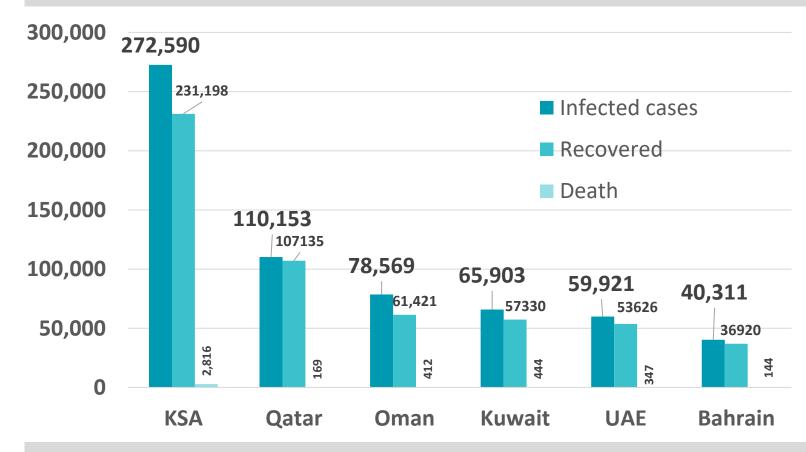


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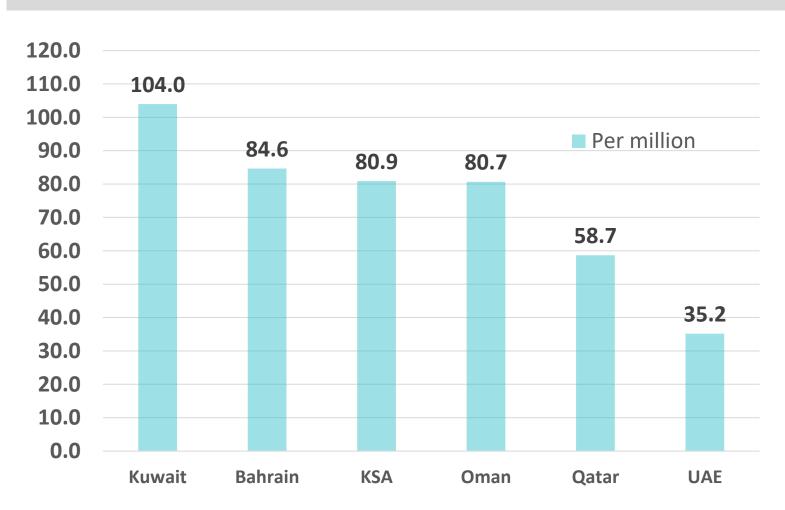
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## TOTAL NUMBER OF INFECTED, RECOVERED AND DEATHS



#### **DEATH PER MILLION**

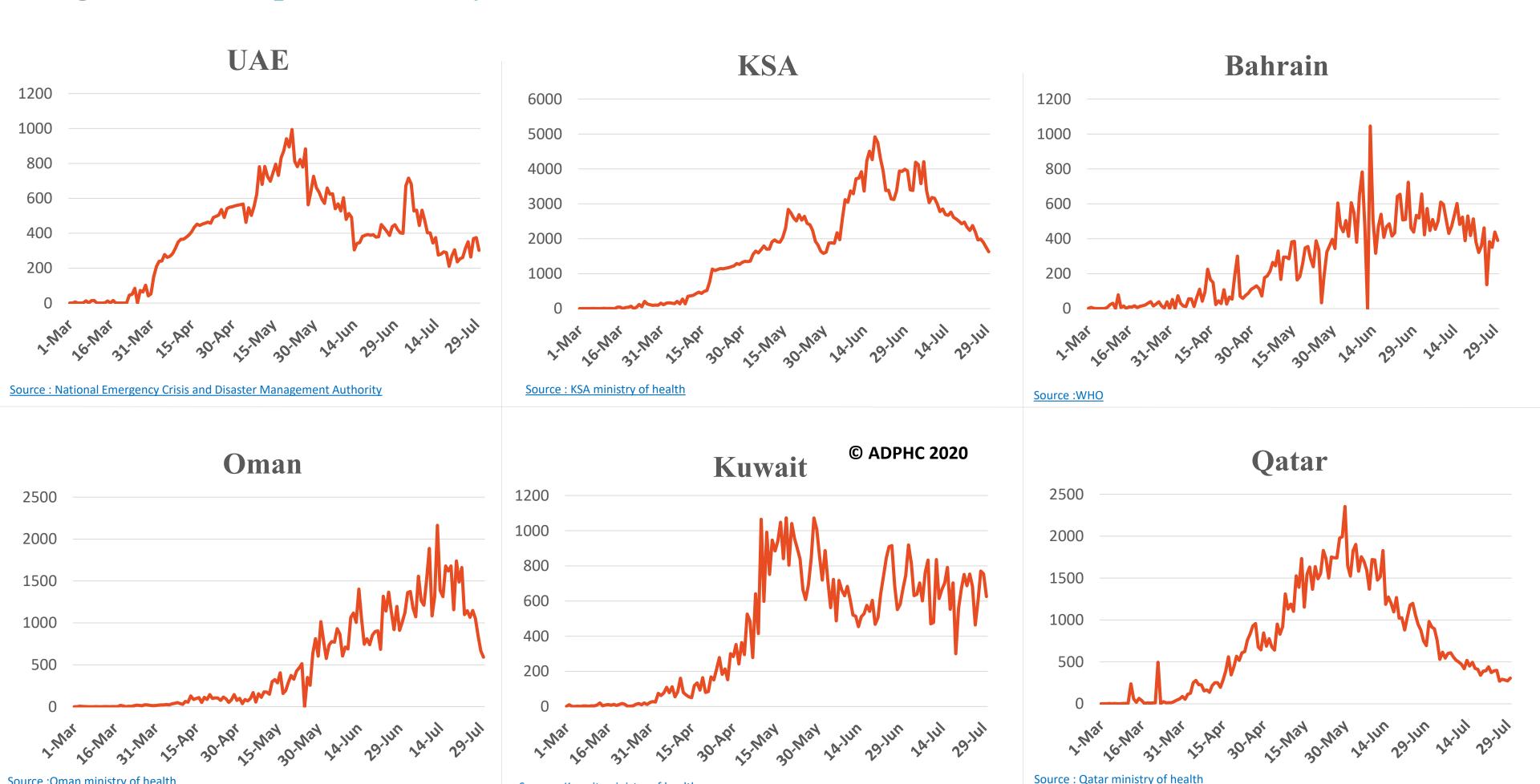


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Figure 10: Comparative Analysis of the Distribution of COVID-19 New Cases in GCC Countries





Source: Oman ministry of health

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Source: Kuwait ministry of health



Figure 11: Comparative Analysis of the Distribution of COVID-19 Newly Recovered Cases in GCC Countries

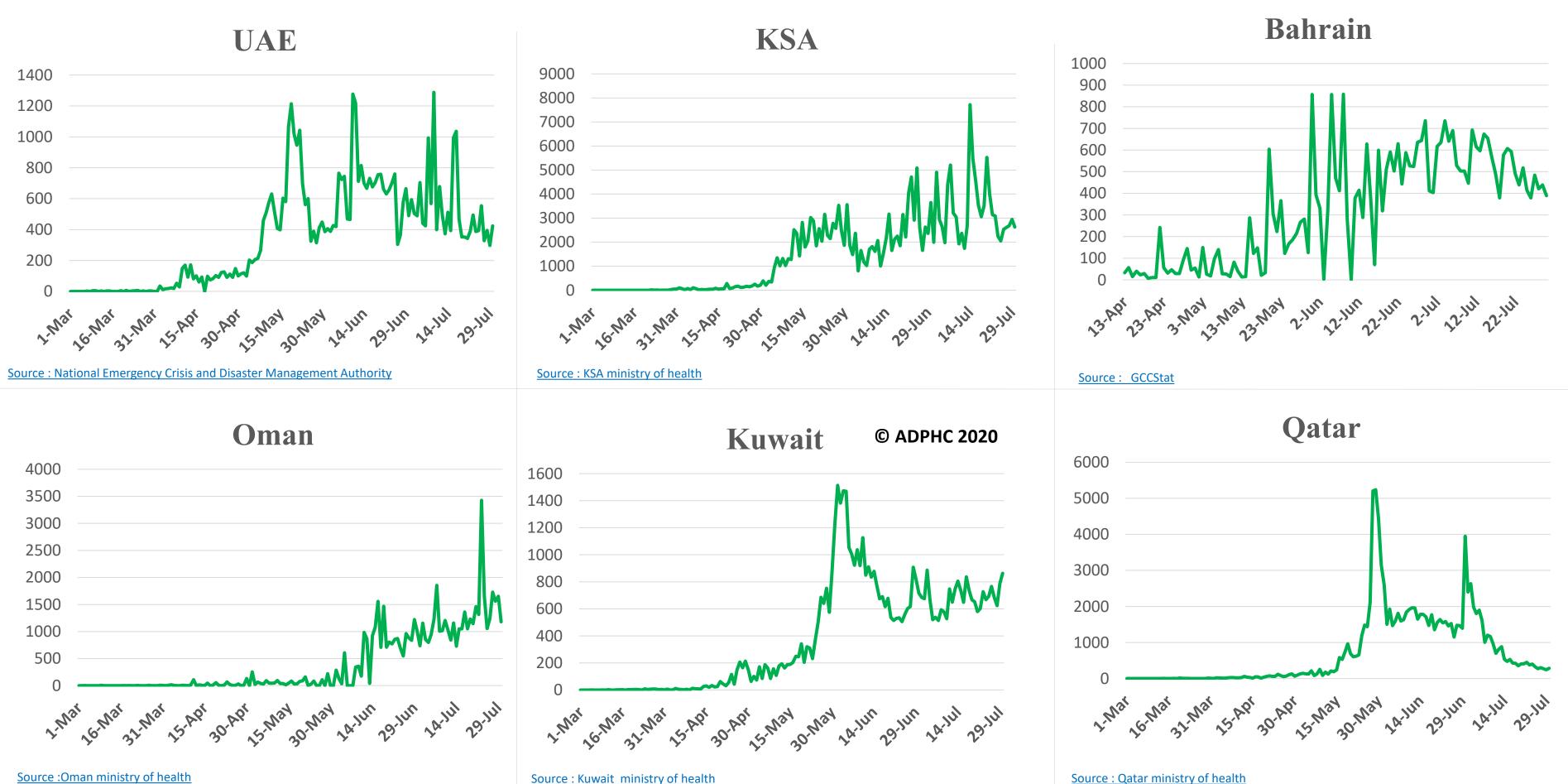
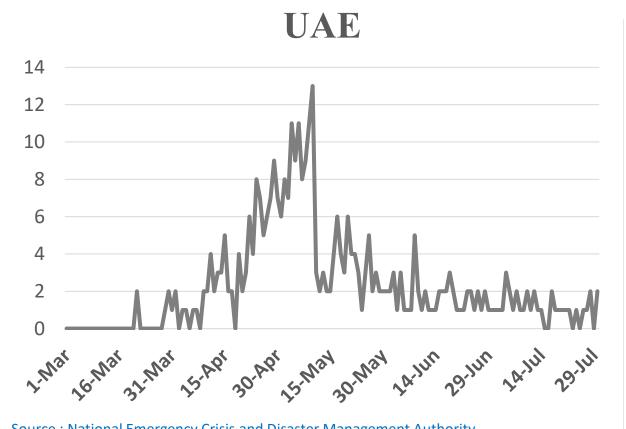
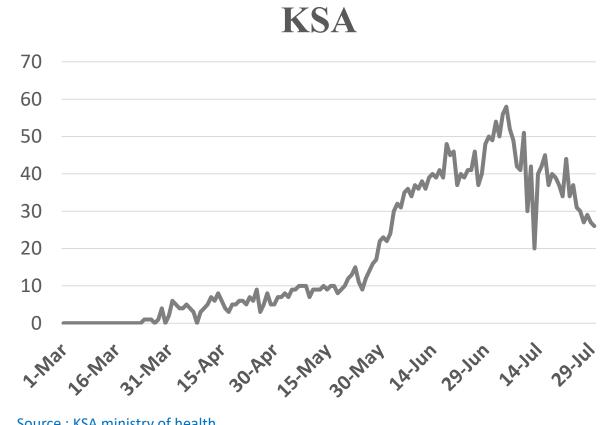


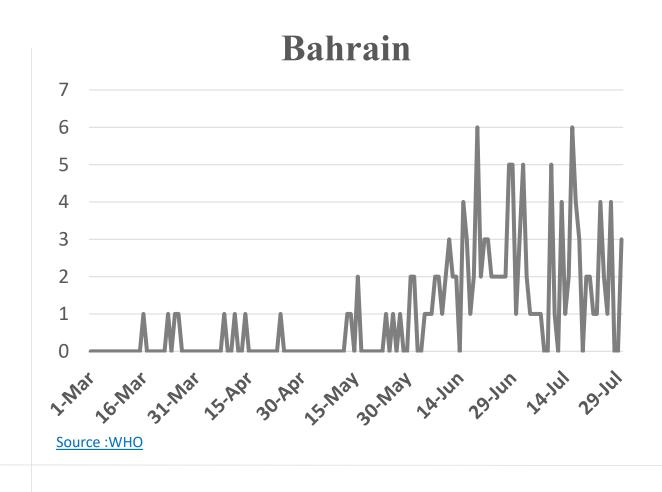


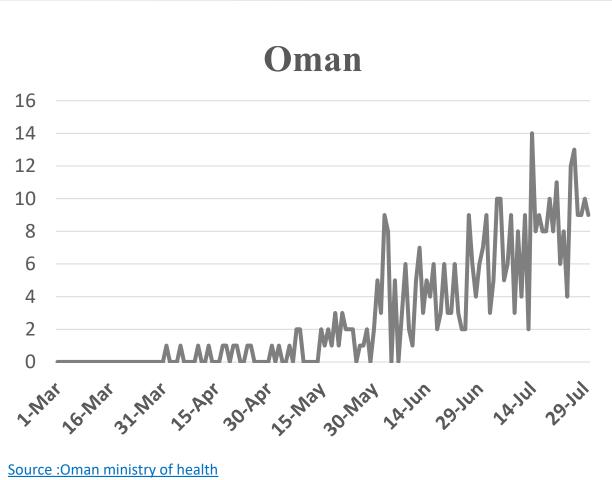


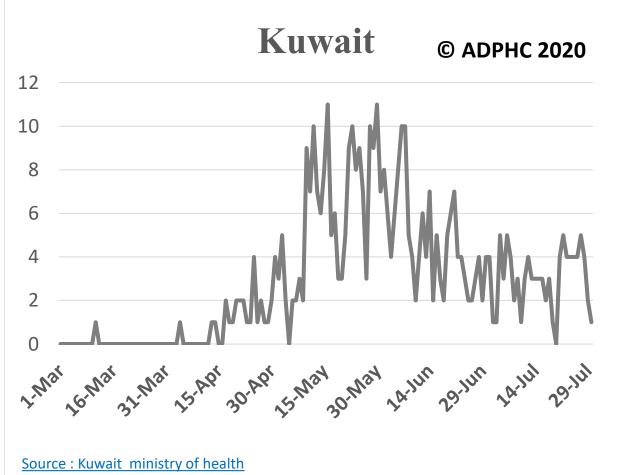
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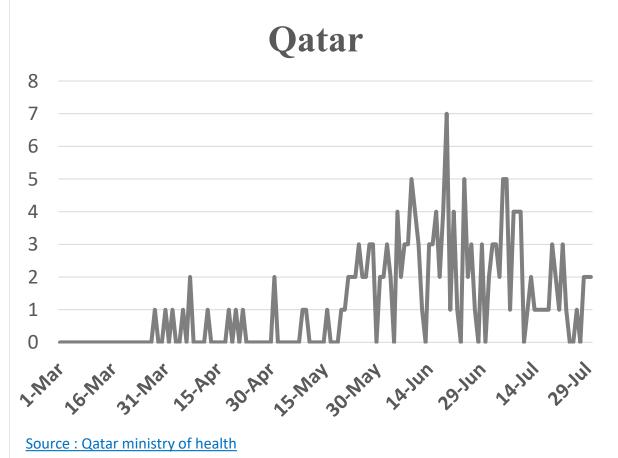












## VACCINE TRIALS (1/2)



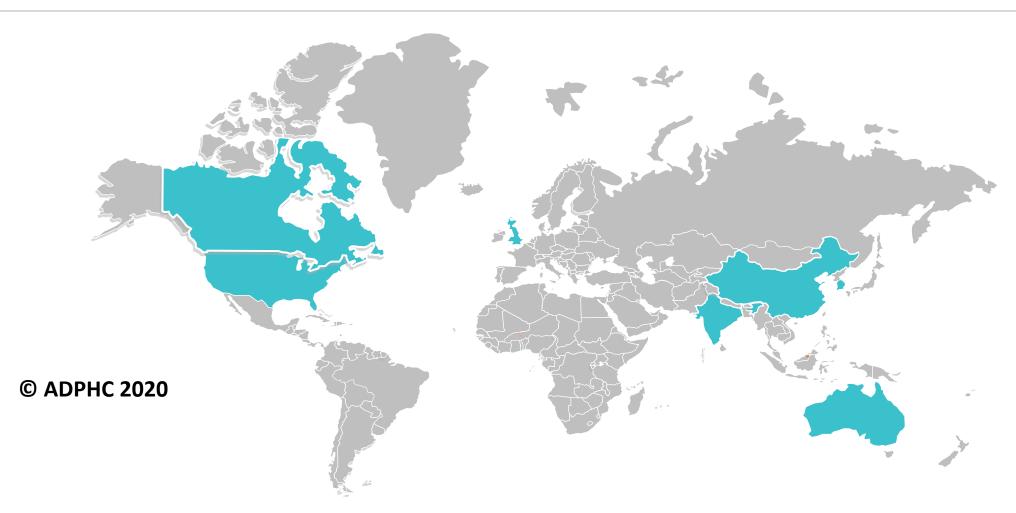
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Phase 1

Phase 2

Phase 3

Approved



#### Whole virus vaccines

## **Vaccine Type:** Live, Attenuated Virus

**Pros:** Provides long-lasting protection.

#### Cons:

- Not suitable for weakened immune systems.
- Need to be refrigerated. Requires large quantities, takes time.



Pros: Suitable for weakened immune systems.

#### Cons:

- Less immune response.
- Requires large quantities, takes time.

Company: Sinovac, Sinopharm

**Country:** China

**Protein Subunit** 

**Vaccine Type:** 

Pros: Can be produced more quickly than live vaccines.

#### Cons:

- Less immune response.
- Can't be scaled up quickly.

Company: Novavax, University of

Queensland

Country: USA, Australia



## Vaccine Type:

Virus-Like Particles

#### **Pros:**

Vaccines that target part of a virus

- Stronger immune response.
- Faster production.

#### Cons:

Stability and purification increases production time / Larger production is hard.

**Company:** Medicago **Country:** Canada



## VACCINE TRIALS (2/2)



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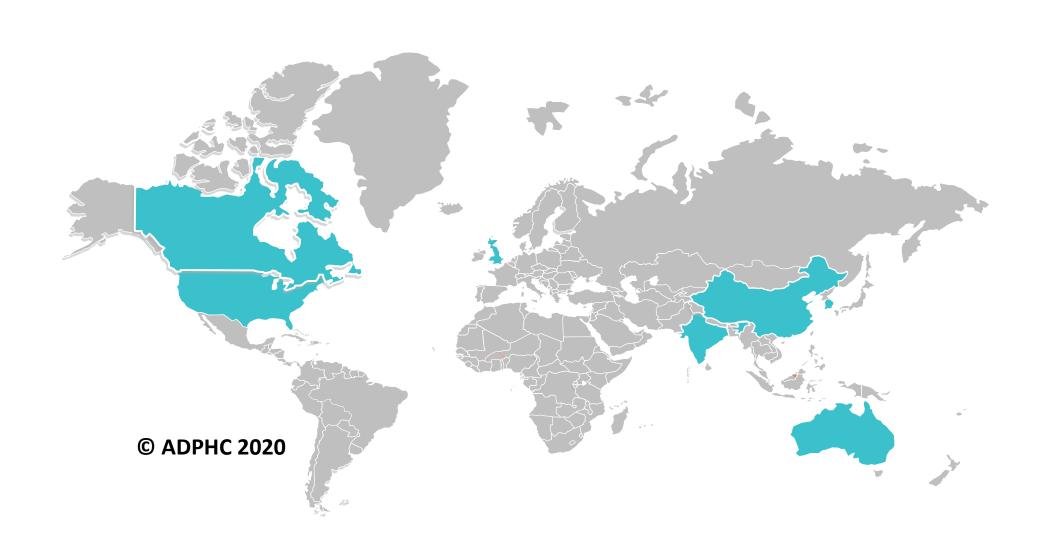
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### Vaccines that target part of a virus



### **Vaccine Type:**

Non-Replicating Viral Vector

#### **Pros:**

- Powerful immune response
- Don't have to be stored at very low temperatures.

#### Cons:

People exposed to the viral vector may be resistant/ Harder to scale-up.

**Company:** University of

Oxford/AstraZeneca, CanSino Biologics

Country: UK, China



Vaccine Type:
Replicating Viral Vector

#### **Pros:**

Mimics a real infection and has stronger immune response/ requires small quantity.

#### Cons:

Requires more testing /stored at cool temperatures.



## **Vaccine Type:**

**RNA** 

#### **Pros:**

- No virus is needed to make the vaccine
- Less production time

#### Cons:

- Less immune response
- Require adjuvants

Company: Moderna/NIAID, Arcturus/Duke-

**Country:** USA/Singapore



## Vaccine Type:

#### **Pros:**

Quick and inexpensive / Shelf stable and easy to switch to different gene/virus

#### Cons:

- Less immune response
- Require adjuvants for a good response

Company: Cadila Healthcare, Genexine

Consortium

Country: India, South Korea



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