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Weekly Data Flash on Covid-19 in Africa1:

The situation as of Sunday, November 7, 2021

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Highlights of the Covid-19 Situation in Africa for the Week Ending November 7, 2021

Vaccinations: Status Update

- In the week ending November 7, 2021, over 224.2 million new Covid-19 vaccinations were administered globally, leading to an accumulated total of over 7.2 billion since the start of the program. In terms of the geographical distribution, China accounts for 32.0% of the total number of Covid-19 vaccinations administered to date, followed by India at 14.9% and the USA at 5.9%.
- The number of African countries with data on Covid-19 vaccinations stands at 51. As of November 7, 2021, a total of 201,117,336¹ vaccinations had been administered in Africa, which represents 2.8% of total global vaccinations. Morocco accounts for 23.8% of the vaccinations carried out in Africa to date, followed by Egypt (14.4%) and South Africa (11.1%).

Covid-19 Testing in Africa

- As of Sunday, November 7, 2021, over 79.9 million tests for Covid-19 had been administered in Africa, of which more than 0.8 million were reported this week. Nine countries collectively account for 66.3% of the tests conducted in Africa as of November 7, 2021 namely, South Africa (23.4%), Morocco (12.7%), Egypt (6.7%), Ethiopia (4.7%), Nigeria (4.2%), Rwanda (4.0%), Tunisia (3.9%), Kenya (3.4%) and Zambia (3.3%).
- The average number of tests per 1 million people in Africa as of November 7, 2021 stands at 59,695, which is an increase of 1.0% compared to last week. Botswana continues to lead on this indicator with 777,597 tests per 1 million people, followed by Cabo Verde (656,852), Gabon (603,917), Eswatini (335,892), South Africa (315,709), Namibia (298,796) and Mauritius (282,777).

Confirmed, New and Active Global Covid-19 Cases

- Globally, the total number of confirmed Covid-19 cases since the start of the pandemic reached 249,866,040, of which 90.5% have recovered. The majority of cases (31.9%) occurred in Asia, followed by Europe (26.5%), North America (22.7%), South America (15.4%) and Africa (3.4%).
- The number of new cases reported globally in the review week amounted to 3,167,113, indicating a 3.7% increase compared to the new cases recorded in the preceding week.
- The number of global deaths due to Covid-19 reached 5,049,008, of which 49,398 were recorded in the week ending November 7, 2021; this was 4.3% lower than the number of deaths

¹ The vaccination figures indicate the total number of vaccines administered regardless of how many doses one received.

recorded in the previous week. The number of global active cases increased by 357,506 cases in the week under review making a total of 18,700,867 as of November 7, 2021.

• Africa makes 3.4% of the total global cases, 4.3% of deaths, 3.5% of recovered cases and 2.1% of active cases as of November 7, 2021, as detailed below.

Confirmed, New and Active Covid-19 Cases in Africa

- As of November 7, 2021, the total number of confirmed cases in Africa reached 8,531,815², 69.3% of which were in seven countries, namely South Africa (34.3%), Morocco (11.1%), Tunisia (8.4%), Ethiopia (4.3%), Libya (4.2%), Egypt (4.0%) and Kenya (3.0%). The five countries with the lowest total number of reported cases were São Tomé & Príncipe, Comoros, Chad, Liberia, and Guinea-Bissau, with cases ranging between 3,729 in São Tomé & Príncipe and 6,150 in Guinea-Bissau, collectively accounting for 0.3% of the confirmed cases in Africa. Considering population size, Seychelles, Botswana, Cabo Verde, Tunisia and Libya are the five countries with the highest number of confirmed cases per million people with rates ranging from 224,062 in Seychelles to 51,579 in Libya.
- In the week under review, a total of 32,158 new cases were reported in Africa, which is a 0.5% decline compared to the previous week. These new cases in Africa account for 1.0% of the weekly new cases recorded globally. The North Africa region accounted for 40.2% of the weekly new cases in Africa, followed by Southern Africa (30.2%), East Africa (12.4%), Central Africa (10.6%) and West Africa (6.6%).
- The total number of active cases in Africa declined by 14,747 cases to 389,661 in the week under review. Currently, ten countries collectively account for 80.7% of the active cases in Africa, namely Algeria (15.1%), Rwanda (13.6%), Libya (12.6%), Egypt (9.0%), Uganda (6.8%), Cameroon (5.7%), Burundi (5.0%), Ethiopia (4.5%), South Africa (4.2%) and Mauritius (4.2%).
- From a regional perspective, Southern Africa, North Africa and West Africa recorded consecutive declines in active cases for more than two months. East Africa also recorded a decline in active cases in the last five weeks.

Deaths and the Case Fatality Rates in Africa

• As of November 7, 2021, a total of 219,492 deaths had been reported in Africa since the start of the pandemic, of which 51.4% were in Southern Africa, 32.4% in North Africa, 10.1% in East Africa, 4.4% in West Africa and 1.7% in Central Africa. The five countries with the highest number of reported deaths due to Covid-19 since the start of the pandemic are South Africa, Tunisia, Egypt, Morocco and Ethiopia, ranging between 89,332 in South Africa and 6,542 in Ethiopia. A total of 1,195 new deaths were reported in Africa in the week under review, which is a decline of 8.7% compared to the preceding week.

²Sudan has not released new data for the past two weeks.

• The case fatality rate (CFR), i.e. deaths per confirmed cases for Africa, stands at 2.6%, which is higher than the global CFR rate of 2.0%. Regionally, West Africa has the lowest CFR at 1.5%, followed by Central Africa at 1.6%, East Africa at 2.2%, North Africa at 2.7% and Southern Africa at 2.8%. As of November 7, 2021, nineteen African countries recorded CFRs higher than the African average with the highest in Sudan at 7.7%, followed by Egypt (5.7%), Somalia (5.7%), Liberia (4.9%), Malawi (3.7%), Mali (3.5%), Zimbabwe (3.5%), Tunisia (3.5%), Comoros (3.4%), Chad (3.4%), The Gambia (3.4%), Niger (3.4%), South Africa (3.1%), Lesotho (3.0%), Algeria (2.9%), Namibia (2.8%), Tanzania (2.8%), Eswatini (2.7%) and Angola (2.7%).

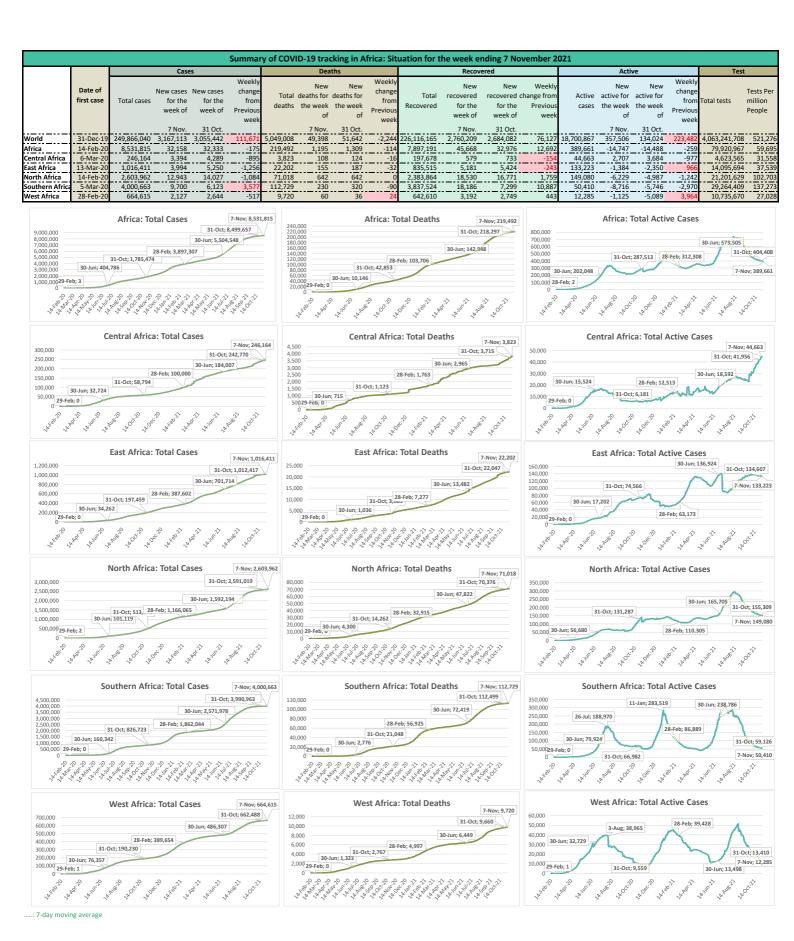
Recovery Rates in Africa

• As of November 7, 2021, the number of recovered cases in Africa reached 7,897,191, representing 92.6% of its total confirmed cases³. Regionally, the recovery rates stand at 96.7% for West Africa, 95.9% for Southern Africa, 91.5% for North Africa, 82.2% for East Africa and 80.3% for Central Africa. In the week under review, 45,668 newly recovered cases were reported.

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³ Burundi has not been publishing new data on recovered cases and deaths since 6 January 21.

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			New	New			Total of va	accinations		% o	f population vaccinated
	Total	% of population	vaccinations	vaccinations	Weekly						
	vaccinations	vaccinated	for the week	for the week	change	China			2,322,102,000	U.A.E.	2:
			of	of		India		1,085,110,159	9	Israel	176.5
orld	7,264,260,953	93.2	7 Nov.	31 Oct. 178,474,774	45,761,253	U.S.A	430,927,6	24		Seychelles	172.7
orld FRICA	201,117,336	15.0	224,236,027 11,506,250	10,311,651	1,194,599	Brazil	281,483,924			China	166.1
Algeria	11,224,643	26.1	75,923	67,981	7,942	AFRICA	201,117,336			U.K.	158.8
Angola	6,647,925	20.2	483,706	503,134	-19,428	Germany	113,066,234			Canada	157.2
Benin	310,321	2.6	32,707	24,916	7,791	U.K.	1 06,133,911			France	148.7
Botswana	1,028,674	43.7	84,759	61,084	23,675	France	99,705,202			Mauritius	139.7
Burkina Faso	661,796	3.2	39,446	325,119	-285,673	Canada	59,089,278			Germany	136.0
Cabo Verde	511,628	92.0	7,194	21,488	-14,294	Morocco	47,867,990			Saudi Arabia	135.1
Cameroon	503,850	1.9	487	12,759	-12,272	Saudi Arabia	46,288,357			Brazil	133.4
Central African Rep	422,182	8.7	36,625	0	36,625	Egypt	28,934,095			U.S.A	131.3
Chad	226,843	1.4	2,663	24,664	-22,001	South Africa	122,381,951			Morocco	129.7
Comoros	452,612	52.0	44,820	0	44,820	U.A.E.	21,351,766			Cabo Verde	92.0
Congo DRC	148,684	0.2	950	2,754	-1,804	Israel	15,982,864			Tunisia	80.3
Côto d'Ivoiro	509,251	9.2	99,235	129 202	99,235	Algeria	11,224,643			India	79.4
Côte d'Ivoire	3,232,947	12.3	88,904 0	138,302	-49,398	Tunisia	9,494,334			Comoros	52.0
Djibouti Favot	92,097 28,934,095	9.3	— <u>-</u>	1 706 822	2 1/12 //21	Nigeria	8,822,719			Sao Tome	49.5
Egypt Equatorial Guinea	433,182	28.3 30.9	3,850,263 5,076	1,706,832 3,453	2,143,431 1,623	Angola	6,647,925			Rwanda	46.3
Eswatini	279,406	24.1	5,883	2,880	3,003	Mozambique	6,585,750			Botswana	43.7
Ethiopia	4,984,473	4.3	399,508	482,011	-82,503	Zimbabwe	6,017,688			Zimbabwe	40.5
Gabon	232,538	10.4	9,230	5,702	3,528	1					
Gambia, The	265,620	11.0	10,675	13,655	-2,980	Rwanda	6,000,758			South Africa	37.7
Ghana	3,102,396	10.0	122,630	252,229	-129,599	Kenya	5,624,230			Mauritania	35.0
Guinea	2,363,785	18.0	90,305	149,090	-58,785	Ethiopia	4,984,473			Equatorial Guinea	30.9
Guinea Bissau	181,713	9.2	53,777	6,435	47,342	Uganda	3,604,659			Libya	29.4
Kenya	5,624,230	10.5	398,102	323,356	74,746	Côte d'Ivoire	3,232,947			Egypt	28.3
Lesotho	383,341	17.9	0	0	0	Ghana	3,102,396			Namibia	27.9
Liberia	438,563	8.7	29,549	59,177	-29,628	Guinea	2,363,785			Algeria	26.1
Libya	2,020,518	29.4	119,687	91,466	28,221	Sudan	- 2,111,141			Eswatini	24.1
Madagascar	197,001	0.7	0	0	0	Libya	2,020,518			Mozambique	21.1
Malawi	1,285,264	6.7	26,394	49,335	-22,941	Senegal	1,961,144			Angola	20.2
Mali	596,435	2.9	11,211	451	10,760	Mauritius	1,776,981			Guinea	18.0
Mauritania	1,625,803	35.0	69,558	255,414	-185,856	Mauritania	1,625,803				17.9
Mauritius	1,776,981	139.7	6,238	45,046	-38,808	Togo	1,375,481			Togo	16.6
Morocco	47,867,990	129.7	715,062	1,903,406	-1,188,344	Malawi	1,285,264				15.0
Mozambique	6,585,750	21.1	1,804,457	981,908	822,549	Botswana	1,028,674			Côte d'Ivoire	
Namibia	708,735	27.9	51,140	73,214	-22,074	Niger	896,106				11.7
Niger	896,106	3.7 4.3	0 241,445	92,960	-92,960 -150,996	Zambia	- 871,881				
Nigeria	8,822,719			392,441		1					11.0
Rwanda	6,000,758	46.3 49.5	373,332 0	232,633	140,699	Namibia	708,735				1 0.5
Sao Tome	108,515 1,961,144	11.7		4,795 0	-4,795	Somalia	681,532				10.4
Senegal Seychelles	169,886	172.7	3,365	7,129	-3,764	Burkina Faso	661,796				10.0
Sierra Leone	617,851	7.7	221,655	7,123	221,655	Sierra Leone	617,851			Djibouti	
Somalia	681,532	4.3	26,670	19,040	7,630	Mali	596,435			Guinea Bissau	9.2
South Africa	22,381,951	37.7	1,059,955	1,121,765	-61,810	Cabo Verde	511,628			Congo Rep	9.2
South Sudan	140,418	1.3	10,667	6,862	3,805	Congo Rep	509,251			Central African Rep	■ 8.7
Sudan	2,111,141	4.8	0	0	0	Cameroon	503,850			Liberia	■ 8.7
Годо	1,375,481	16.6	0	88,327	-88,327	Comoros	452,612			Uganda	■ 7.9
Tunisia	9,494,334	80.3	354,227	392,244	-38,017	Liberia	438,563			Sierra Leone	
Uganda	3,604,659	7.9	335,091	279,061	56,030	Equatorial	. 433,182			Malawi	■ 6.7
Zambia	871,881	4.7	0	0	0	Central					■ 4.8
Zimbabwe	6,017,688	40.5	103,679	87,133	16,546	Lesotho	383,341			Zambia	
nericas						Benin	310,321				4.3
Brazil	281,483,924	133.4	8,810,728	4,473,326	4,337,402	Eswatini	279,406			Somalia	
Canada	59,089,278	157.2	534,527	406,104	128,423	Gambia, The	265,620				
J.S.A	430,927,624	131.3	10,269,941	7,012,205	3,257,736	1				Nigeria	
sia						Gabon	232,538			Niger	
China	2,322,102,000	166.1	53,740,000	27,812,000		Chad	226,843				1 3.2
India	1,085,110,159	79.4	26,620,726	35,398,883	-8,778,157	Madagascar	197,001				1 2.9
rope	00.705.000	440.7	052.742	062.262	140.000	Guinea Bissau	181,713			Benin	1 2.6
France	99,705,202	148.7	852,712	963,380	-110,668	Seychelles	169,886			Cameroon	1.9
Germany	113,066,234	136.0	1,177,870	1,103,066	74,804	Congo DRC	148,684			Chad	1.4
Israel	15,982,864	176.5	82,496	65,227	17,269	South Sudan	140,418			South Sudan	1.3
U.K.	106,133,911	158.8	4,027,401	6,879,981	-2,852,580	Sao Tome	108,515			Madagascar	0.7
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Saudi Arabia U.A.E.	46,288,357 21,351,766	135.1 218.5	646,824 276,531	375,107 174,745	271,717 101,786	l					

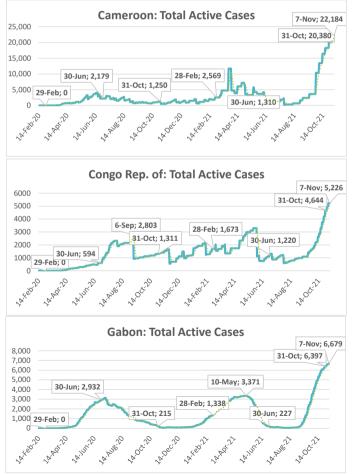


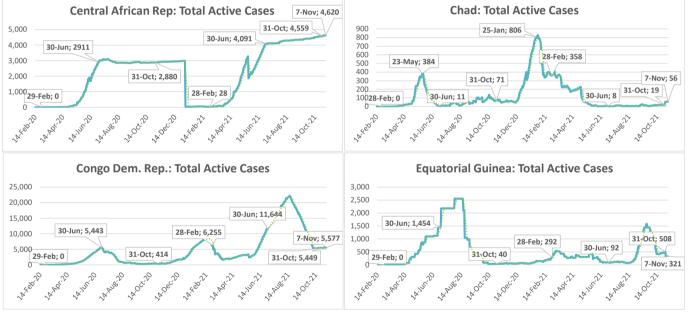
Central Africa	

Highlights of the Covid-19 Situation in Central Africa for the Week Ending November 7, 2021

- As of Sunday, November 7, 2021, the number of reported total cases in the Central Africa region reached 246,164. The region reported 3,394 new cases during the week, which is a 20.9% decline compared to the preceding week. The total number of deaths reported since the start of the pandemic reached 3,823, of which 108 were new deaths during the week. The number of total recovered cases reached 197,678, of which 0.3% were newly recovered cases during the week. The total number of active cases stands at 44,663, indicating an increase of 2,707 cases during the week. The weekly increase in the number of active cases in the region is mainly attributable to Cameroon.
- Cameroon accounted for 42.4% of the total cases reported in the region since the start of the pandemic and 54.5% of the new cases reported during the week. Chad has recorded the lowest number of total cases in the Central region since the start of the pandemic at 5,107.
- The average case fatality rate (CFR) for the region stands at 1.6%. The highest CFR in the region was reported in Chad at 3.4% and the lowest in Gabon at 0.7%.

	Summary of COVID-19 tracking in Central Africa: Situation for the week ending 7 November 2021																		
		Cas	es		Deaths				Recovered				Active				Test		
	Date of first case	Total cases	New cases for the week of	New cases for the week of	Weekly change		New deaths for the week of		Weekly change from Previous week	Recovered :	New recovered for the week to of	New recovered of for the week of	Weekly hange from Previous week	Active		New active for the week of	Weekly change from Previous week	Total tests	Tests Per million People
		L	7 Nov.	31 Oct.			7 Nov.	31 Oct.			7 Nov.	31 Oct.			7 Nov.	31 Oct.			
Central Africa	6-Mar-20	246,164	3,394	4,289	-895	3,823	108	124	-16	197,678	579	733	-154	44,663	2,707	3,684	-977	4,623,565	31,558
Cameroon	6-Mar-20	104,348	1,849	2,210	-361	1,731	45	86	-41	80,433	0	0	0	22,184	1,804	1,837	-33	2,116,378	79,725
Central African Rep.	15-Mar-20	11,579	61	0	61	100	0	0	0	6,859	0	0	0	4,620	61	49	12	69,713	14,434
Chad	19-Mar-20	5,107	40	0	40	175	1	0	1	4,876	2	0	2	56	37	0	37	171,194	10,422
Congo Rep. of	15-Mar-20	17,944	621	915	-294	297	39	19	20	12,421	0	0	0	5,226	582	877	-295	260,067	47,130
Congo Dem. Rep.	10-Mar-20	57,605	135	38	97	1,098	7	0	7	50,930	0	0	0	5,577	128	161	-33	416,445	4,650
Equatorial Guinea	14-Mar-20	13,407	39	202	-163	168	1	4	-3	12,918	225	154	71	321	-187	43	-230	245,610	175,062
Gabon	12-Mar-20	36,174	649	924	-275	254	15	15	0	29,241	352	579	-227	6,679	282	717	-435	1,344,158	603,917





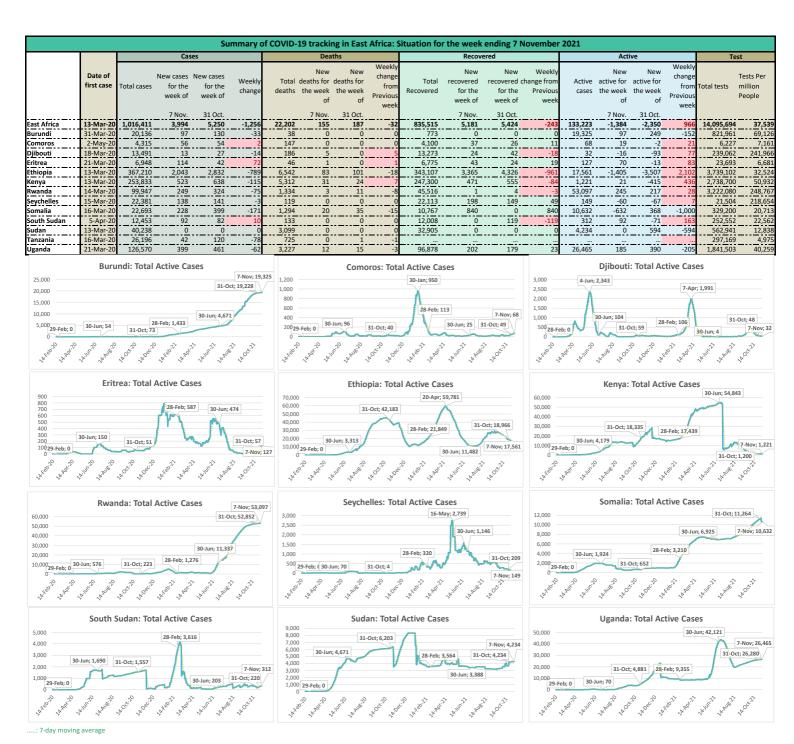
East Africa

Highlights of the Covid-19 Situation in East Africa for the Week Ending November 7, 2021

- As of Sunday, November 7, 2021, the number of total cases in the East Africa region reached 1,016,411. The region reported 3,994 new cases in the week, which is a 23.9% decline compared to the preceding week. The total number of deaths reported reached 22,202, of which 155 were new deaths during the week. The number of total recovered cases reached 835,515¹, of which 0.6% were newly recovered cases during the week. The total number of active cases stands at 133,223, indicating a decline of 1,384 cases in the week. The weekly decline in the number of active cases in the region is mainly attributable to Ethiopia.
- Ethiopia accounted for 36.1% of the total cases reported in the region since the start of the pandemic and 51.2% of the new cases reported in the region during the week. Comoros has reported the lowest number of total cases in the region since the start of the pandemic at 4,315.
- The average case fatality rate (CFR) for the region stands at 2.2%. The highest CFR in the region was reported in Sudan at 7.7% and the lowest in Seychelles at 0.5%.

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¹ Burundi has not been publishing new data on recovered cases and deaths since 6 January 21, hence is excluded from CFR comparison.

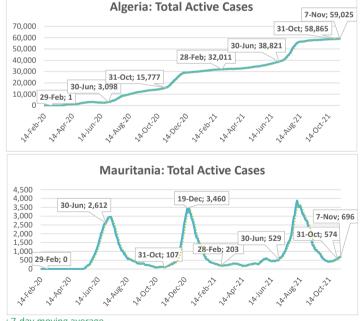


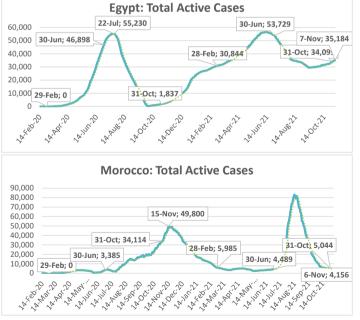
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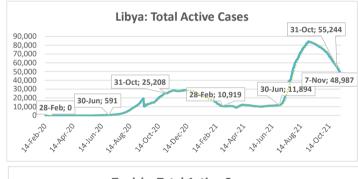
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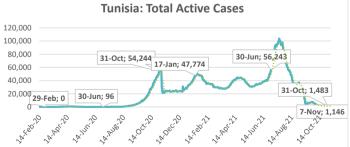
- As of Sunday, November 7, 2021, the number of total cases in the North Africa region reached 2,603,962. The region reported 12,943 new cases in the week, which is a 7.7% decline compared to the preceding week. The total number of deaths reported reached 71,018, of which 642 were new deaths during the week. The number of total recovered cases reached 2,383,864, of which 0.8% were newly recovered cases during the week. The total number of active cases stands at 149,080, indicating a decline of 6,229 cases during the week. The weekly decline in the number of active cases in the region is mainly attributable to Libya.
- Morocco accounted for 36.4% of the total cases reported in the region since the start of the pandemic, while Egypt accounted for 50.0% of the new cases in the region during the week. Mauritania has reported the lowest number of total cases in the region since the start of the pandemic which have accumulated to a total of 37,703.
- The average case fatality rate (CFR) for the region currently stands at 2.7%. The highest CFR in the region was recorded in Egypt at 5.7% and the lowest in Libya at 1.4%.

	Summary of COVID-19 tracking in North Africa: Situation for the week ending 7 November 2021																		
			Case	es		Deaths				Recovered				Active				Test	
	Date of first case	Total cases	New cases for the week of	New cases for the week of	Weekly change		New deaths for the week of		Weekly change from Previous week	Total Recovered f	New recovered or the week f of	New recovered of for the week of	Weekly hange from Previous week	Active			Weekly change from Previous week	Total tests	Tests Per million People
L		l	7 Nov.	31 Oct.			7 Nov.	31 Oct.			7 Nov.	31 Oct.			7 Nov.	31 Oct.			
North Africa	14-Feb-20	2,603,962	12,943	14,027	-1,084	71,018	642	642	0	2,383,864	18,530	16,771	1,759	149,080	-6,229	-4,987	-1,242	21,201,629	102,703
Algeria	26-Feb-20	207,156	704	630	74	5,945	25	30	-5	142,186	519	472	47	59,025	160	81	79	230,861	5,265
Egypt	14-Feb-20	337,485	6,468	6,398	70	19,076	425	366	59	283,225	4,958	4,260	698	35,184	1,085	684	401	5,381,274	52,585
Libya	25-Mar-20	360,914	3,576	3,712	-136	5,207	108	93	15	306,720	9,725	8,825	900	48,987	-6,257	-5,125	-1,132	1,817,317	264,480
Mauritania	14-Mar-20	37,703	383	365	18	801	4	5	-1	36,206	257	279	-22	696	122	50	72	488,283	105,015
Morocco	5-Mar-20	947,396	1,251	1,868	-617	14,713	45	56	-11	928,641	2,208	2,206	2	4,042	-1,002	-522	-480	10,186,270	275,972
Tunisia	5-Mar-20	713,308	561	1,054	-493	25,276	35	92	-57	686,886	863	729	134	1,146	-337	-155	-182	3,097,624	262,097





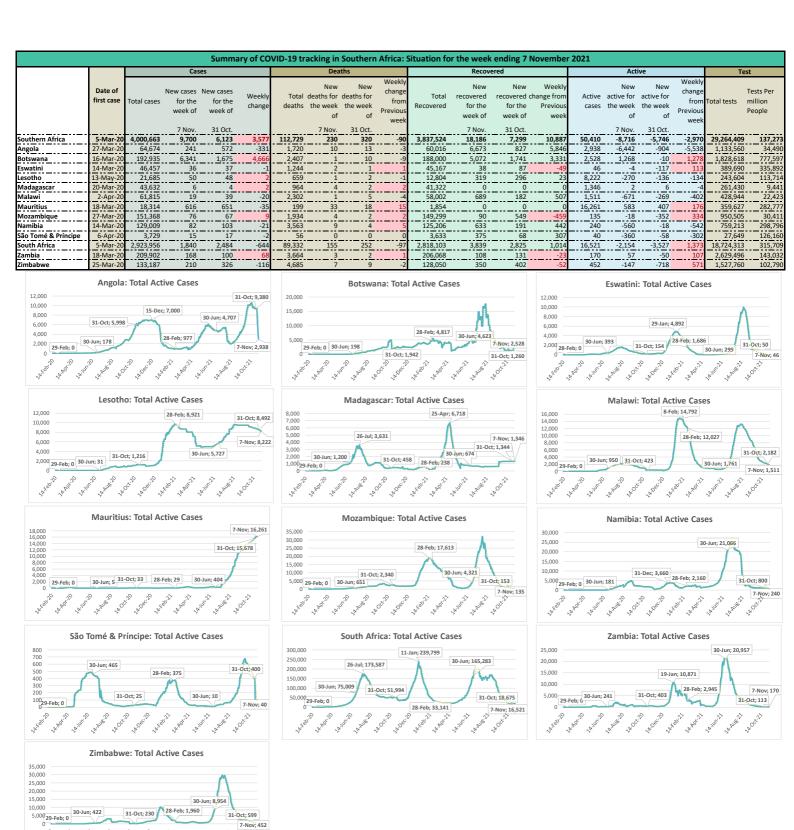




Southern Africa

Highlights of the Covid-19 Situation in Southern Africa for the Week Ending November 7, 2021

- As of Sunday, November 7, 2021, the number of total cases in the Southern Africa region reached 4,000,663. The region reported 9,700 new cases in the week, which is a 58.4% increase compared to the preceding week. The total number of deaths reported reached 112,729, of which 230 were new deaths during the week. The total number of recovered cases reached 3,837,524, of which 0.5% were newly recovered cases during the week. The total number of active cases stands at 50,410, indicating a decline of 8,716 cases in the week. The weekly decline in the number of active cases in the region is mainly attributable to Angola followed by South Africa.
- South Africa accounted for 73.1% of the total cases reported in the region since the start of the pandemic, while Botswana accounted for 65.4% of the new cases in the region during the week. São Tomé & Príncipe has the lowest number of total cases reported in the region at 3,729.
- The average case fatality rate (CFR) for the region stands at 2.8%. The highest CFR in the region was reported in Malawi at 3.7% and the lowest in Mauritius at 1.1%.



West Africa	

Highlights of the Covid-19 Situation in West Africa for the Week Ending November 7, 2021

- As of Sunday, November 7, 2021, the number of total cases in the West Africa region reached 664,615. The region reported 2,127 new cases during the week, which is a 19.6% decline compared to the new cases reported in the preceding week. The total number of deaths reported reached 9,720, of which 60 were new deaths during the week. The number of total recovered cases reached 642,610, of which 0.5% were newly recovered cases during the week. The total number of active cases stands at 12,285, indicating a decline of 1,125 cases in the week. The weekly decline in the number of active cases in the region is attributable to Nigeria, Ghana, Togo, Guinea-Bissau and Côte d'Ivoire
- Nigeria accounted for 32.0% of the total cases reported in the West region since the start of the pandemic and 35.4% of the new cases in the region during the week. Liberia has the lowest number of total cases in the region since the start of the pandemic with a total of 5,815.
- The average case fatality rate (CFR) for the region stands at 1.5%. The highest CFR in the region was reported in Liberia at 4.9% and the lowest in Benin at 0.6%.

