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SUMMARY AND ANALYSIS

The coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic in the EASF region is spreading more rapidly with countries reporting 342 more cases. So far, a total of 1063 cases have been recorded which indicates a 128% increase in infections since the last report. The most affected countries in the EASF Region are Djibouti with 435 total cases, Kenya (225), and Rwanda (135). The Union of Comoros has yet to record any cases of infection.

The region has so far recorded 26 COVID-19 related deaths with Kenya reporting the highest number of deaths at 10 and Somalia and Sudan each recording 5 deaths. This represents 2.5% mortality rate of the total reported cases. The mortality rate remains low within the Member States.

The trend of recoveries in the region continues to be very positive at 211 recoveries as the isolation period of the initial quarantined persons comes to an end with tests and re-tests of the pandemic coming out negative. Djibouti has recorded the highest at 71, Rwanda (54) and Kenya (53). This represents 19.9% recovery rate of all total infected people and indicates a 102.9% increase in recoveries as compared to the last report.

Regional Trends

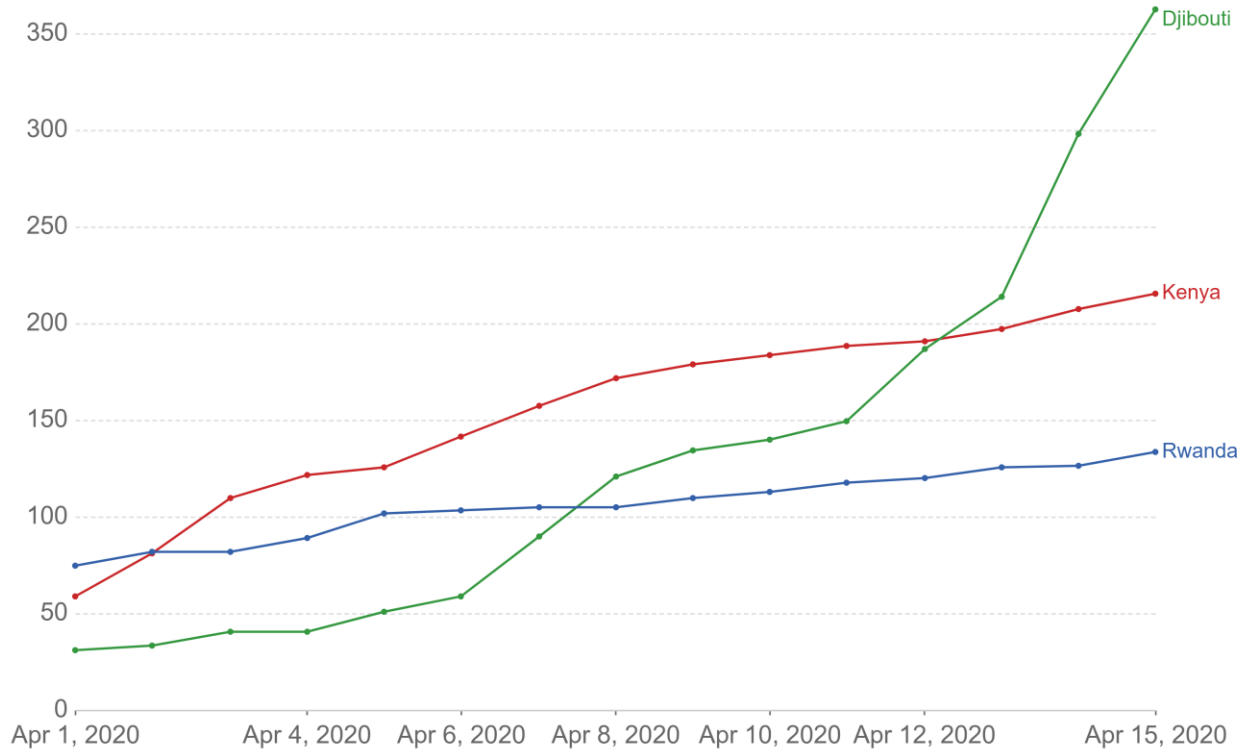
Table 1: Infection Cases per EASF Member State

Country	Cases	New Cases	%incr	Recoveries	Deaths
Burundi	5	0	0%	0	1
Comoros	0	0	0%	0	0
Djibouti	435	221	103.2%	71	2
Ethiopia	85	14	19.7%	15	3
Kenya	225	28	14.2%	53	10
Rwanda	135	9	7.14%	54	0
Seychelles	11	0	0%	0	0
Somalia	80	56	224%	2	5
Sudan	32	13	68.4%	4	5
Uganda	55	1	1.85%	12	0
TOTAL	1063	342	128%	211	26

Trend line 1: Category 1 - Countries with more than 100 cases

Confirmed COVID-19 cases

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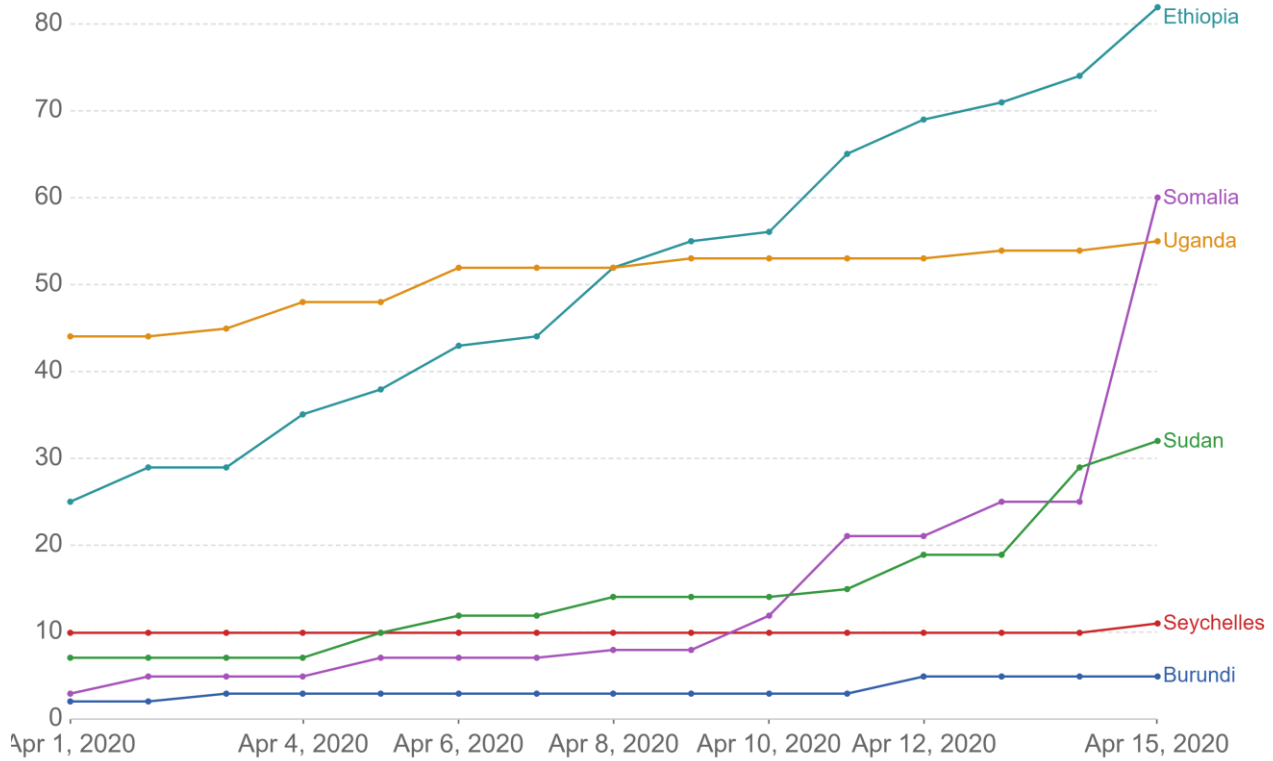


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Trend line 2: Category 2 - Countries with less than 100 cases

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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 **2,083,607** confirmed cases, **510,666** recoveries and **134,632** deaths from the COVID-19 Pandemic.

The top five countries that have recorded the highest number of cases globally include the United States with 644,089 cases, Spain (180,654), Italy (165,155), France (147,863) and Germany (134,753). The highest recovery rate has been reported in China with 77,892 cases, Germany (72,600), Spain (70,853), Iran (49,933) and USA (48,708). The countries that have recorded the highest death rates are USA (28,529), Italy (21,654), Spain (18,812), France (17,167) and UK (12,868).

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

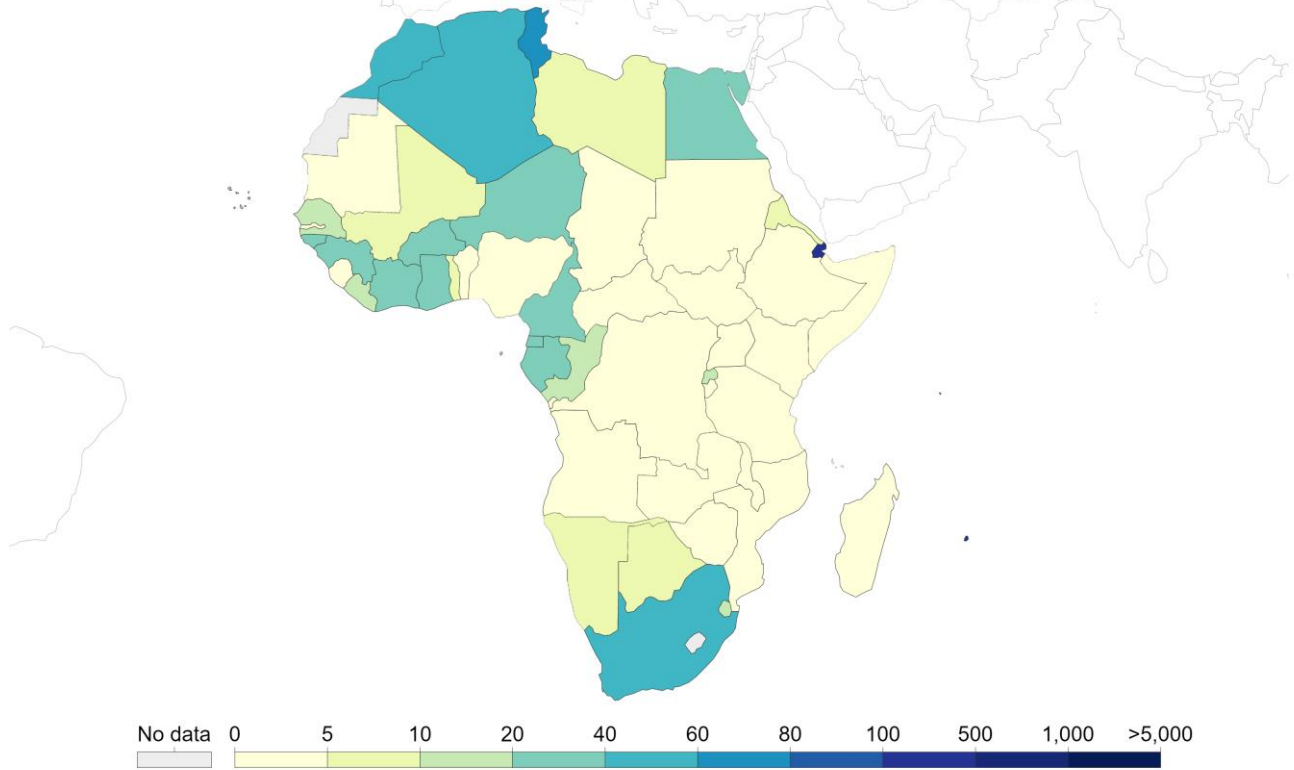
Description	Cases	%age incr./decr from 13/04
Currently Infected	2,083,607	12.4%
Mild Condition	1,387,165	-23.1%
Serious or Critical	51,144	0.6%
Recovered/Discharged	510,666	20.5%
Deaths	134,632	17.8%

*green represents increase to the positive, red represents a decrease to the negative

Figure 1: Africa's Map of total confirmed COVID-19 cases as at 15.08.2020

Confirmed COVID-19 cases per million people, Apr 15, 2020

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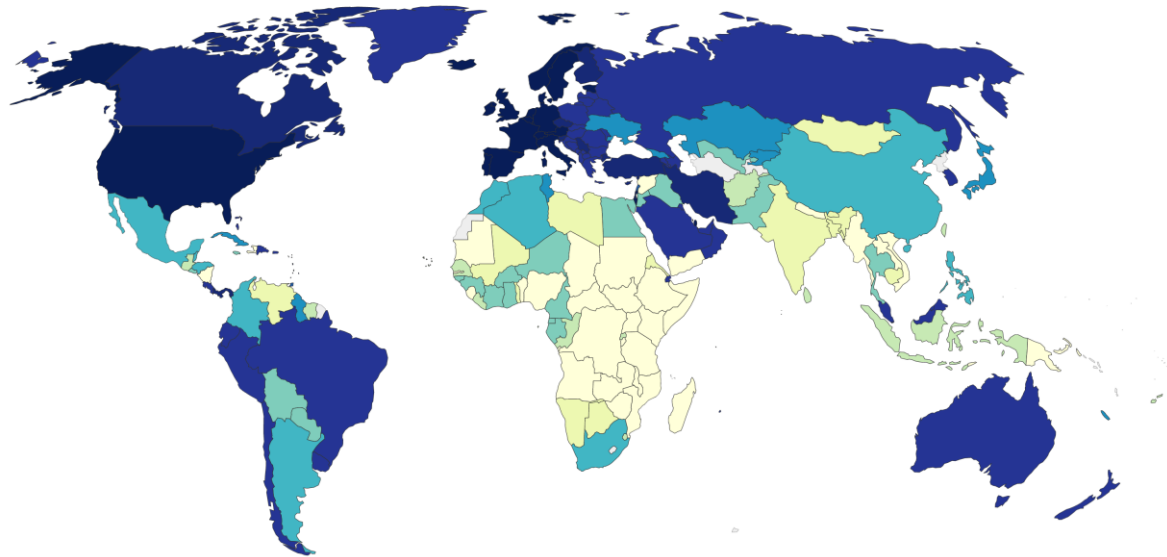


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Figure 2: Global Map of total confirmed COVID-19 cases as at 15.08.2020

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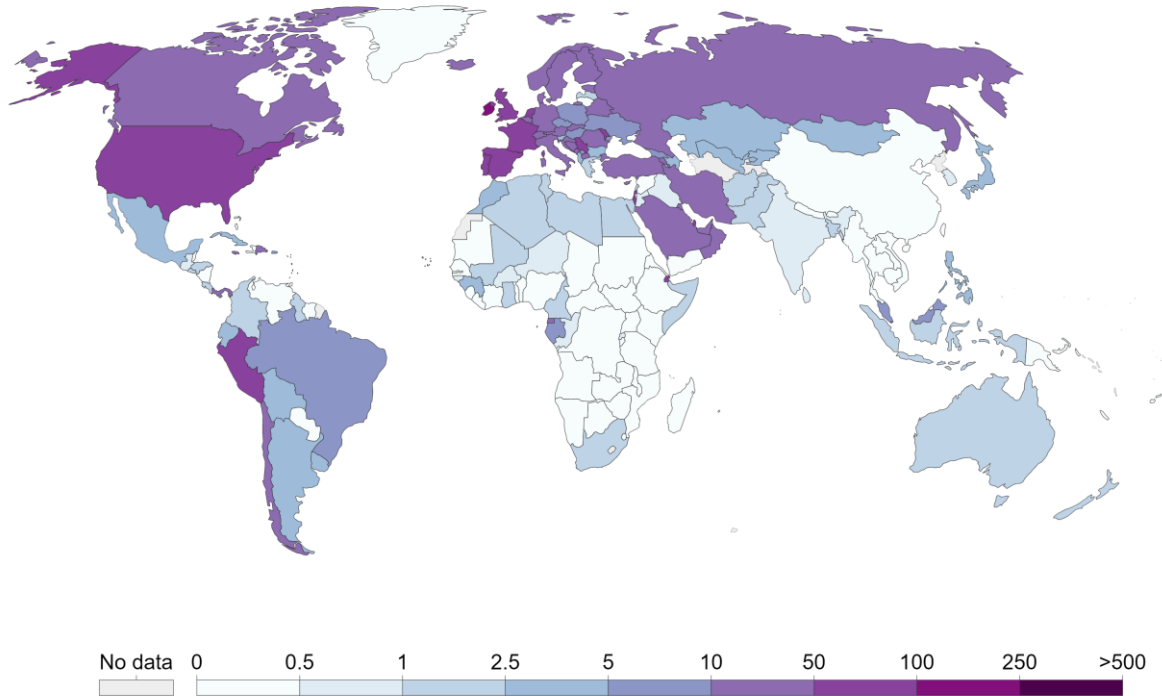


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Figure 3: Global Map of the daily new confirmed COVID-19 cases as at 15.08.2020

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