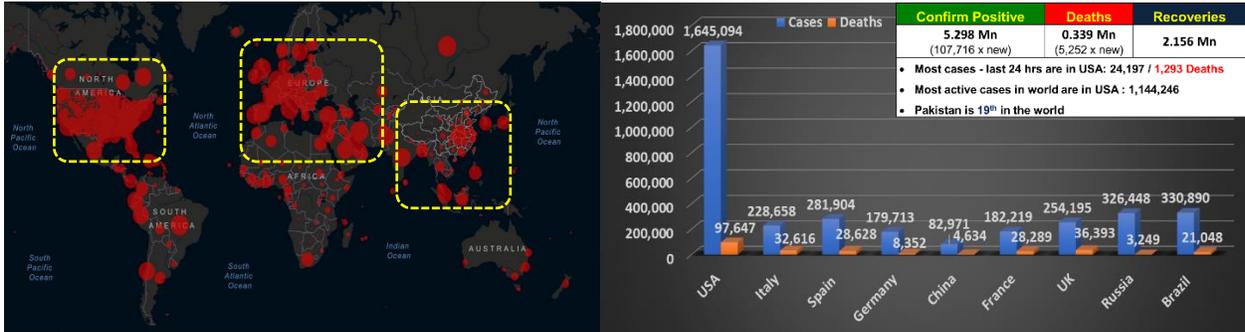




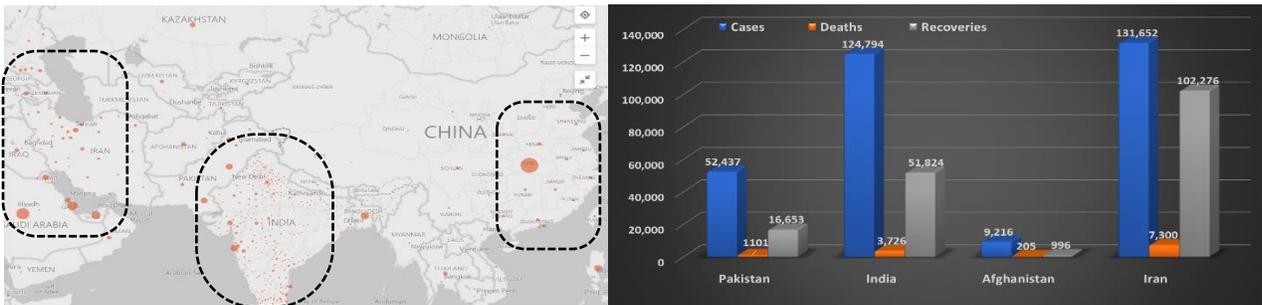
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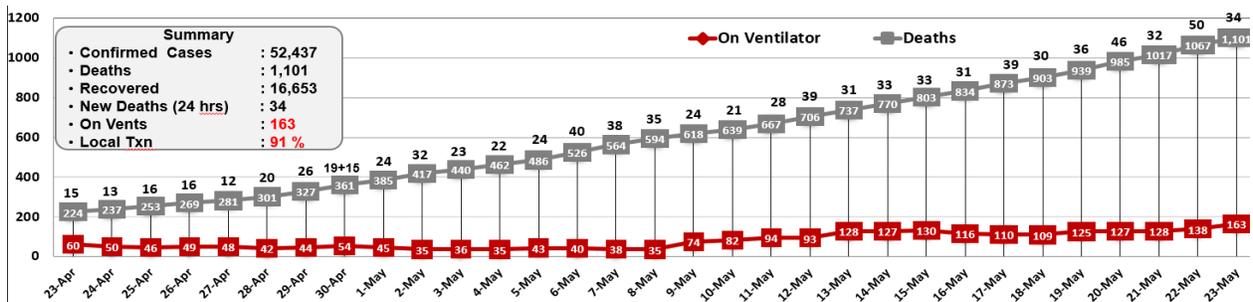
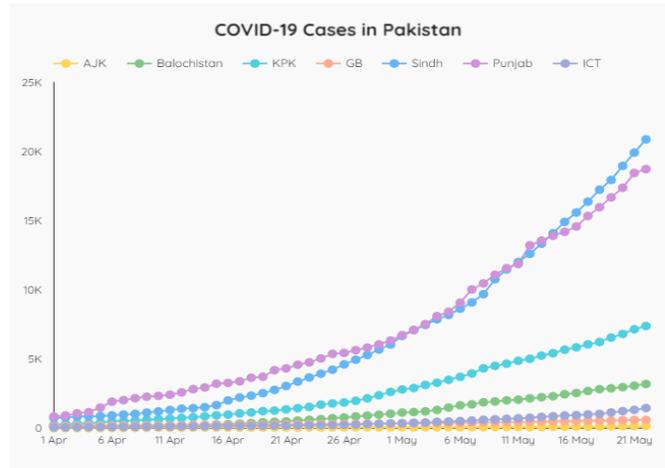
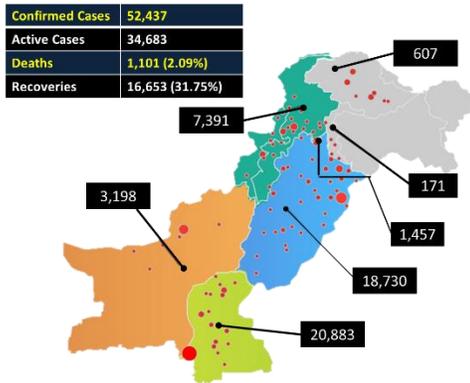
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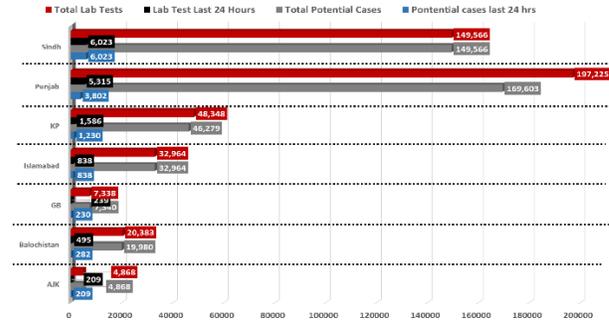
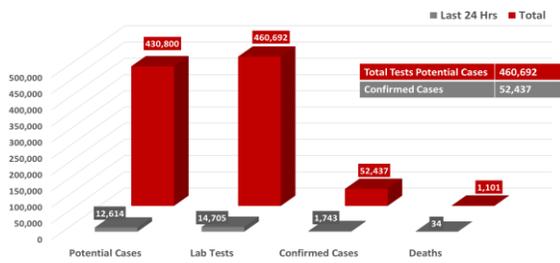
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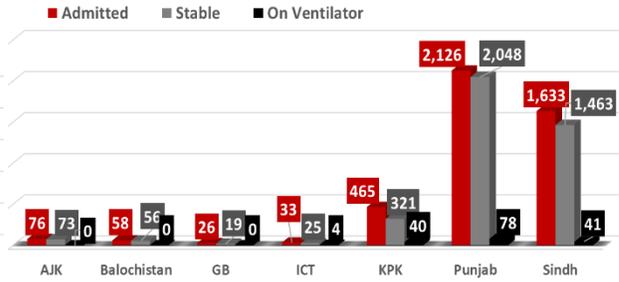
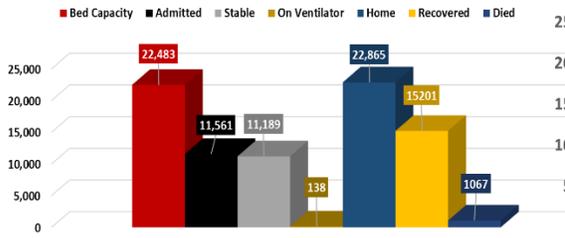
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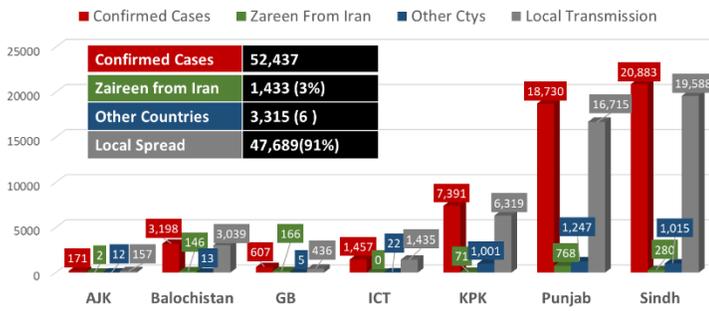
#### 4. Summary of Potential Cases / Lab Tests



#### 5. Clinical Status of COVID Cases

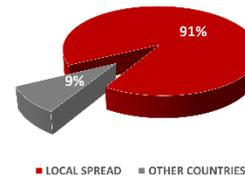


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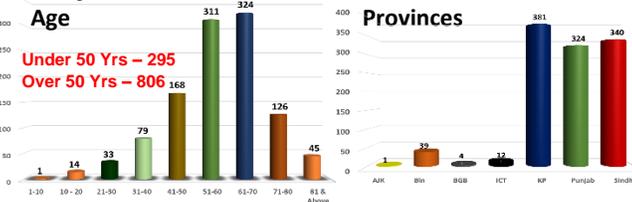


Confirmed Cases	52,437
Zaireen from Iran	1,433 (3%)
Other Countries	3,315 (6)
Local Spread	47,689 (91%)

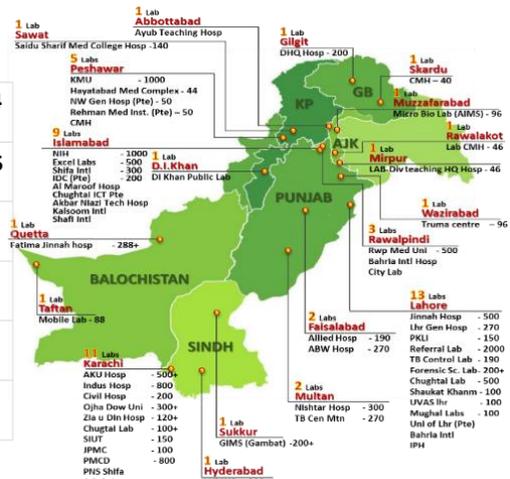
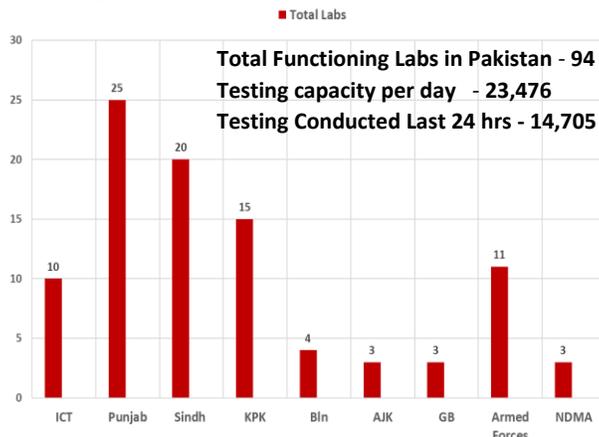
##### Local Spread



#### 7. Analysis of Death Cases – 1,101 Deaths



#### 8. Testing Facilities



## 9. International

- a. Saudi Arabian and UAE officials said that **Mosques will remain closed** for prayers on Eid Al-Fitr.
- b. **China has revised its annual economic growth target** as its economy has been reduced by 6.8% due to COVID economic fallout.
- c. **Pakistan has donated surgical masks and PPEs** to US Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA).
- d. Technology companies are developing **their own contact tracing systems to help in preventing COVID outbreak** as countries begin to ease lockdown.
- e. Iran appeals to people **not to travel for Eid holiday** to avoid COVID-19 spike.
- f. German Chancellor urged that **poorest countries need more help in addition to debt moratorium.**
- g. **WHO member states agreed to launch investigation into its COVID response**, after Trump threatened to quit agency and branded it a puppet of China.
- h. **Britain has announced to procure 10 Mn antibody tests kits** from Roche and Abbott pharmaceutical companies.
- i. US president has said that **US will not shutdown if there is a second wave of COVID pandemic.**
- j. **World bank has approved 500 Mn USD aid for African and Middle East countries** to contain Locusts swarms.
- k. Research carried out by IrsiCaixa Aids Research Institute and Catalan Health Ministry (Spain) have claimed that **people who had light or asymptomatic COVID infection may not be immune to reinfection.**
- l. India has reported **largest number of COVID cases in single day (6000).**
- m. Iranian health officials have said that around **10,000 health workers have been infected by COVID.**
- n. British health care workers are taking part in a global clinical trial to test the effectiveness of **anti-malarial drugs chloroquine and hydroxychloroquine** against COVID.

10. **National**

- a. SAPM on Health Dr Zafar Mirza has warned that the **COVID situation could further worsen if people do not follow precautionary measures.**
- b. Interior Minister Ijaz Shah has urged people to follow the government's SOPs **during Eid congregations** to prevent spread of COVID.
- c. The Chinese Embassy provides **food packages to Afghan refugees in different parts of Pakistan with assistance from Pakistani government** under framework of China-Pakistan-Afghanistan trilateral cooperation.
- d. Textile enterprises have demanded **restoration of textile industry along with restoration of zero-rated sales tax status**, as sales have declined 65 % to 404 Mn USD for the month of April.
- e. **PIA has announced 10% discount for doctors and paramedical staff across the country** who have been working in hospitals in COVID outbreak.
- f. Pakistan recorded its **highest number of COVID deaths (50) in a single day** raising the tally to 1067.