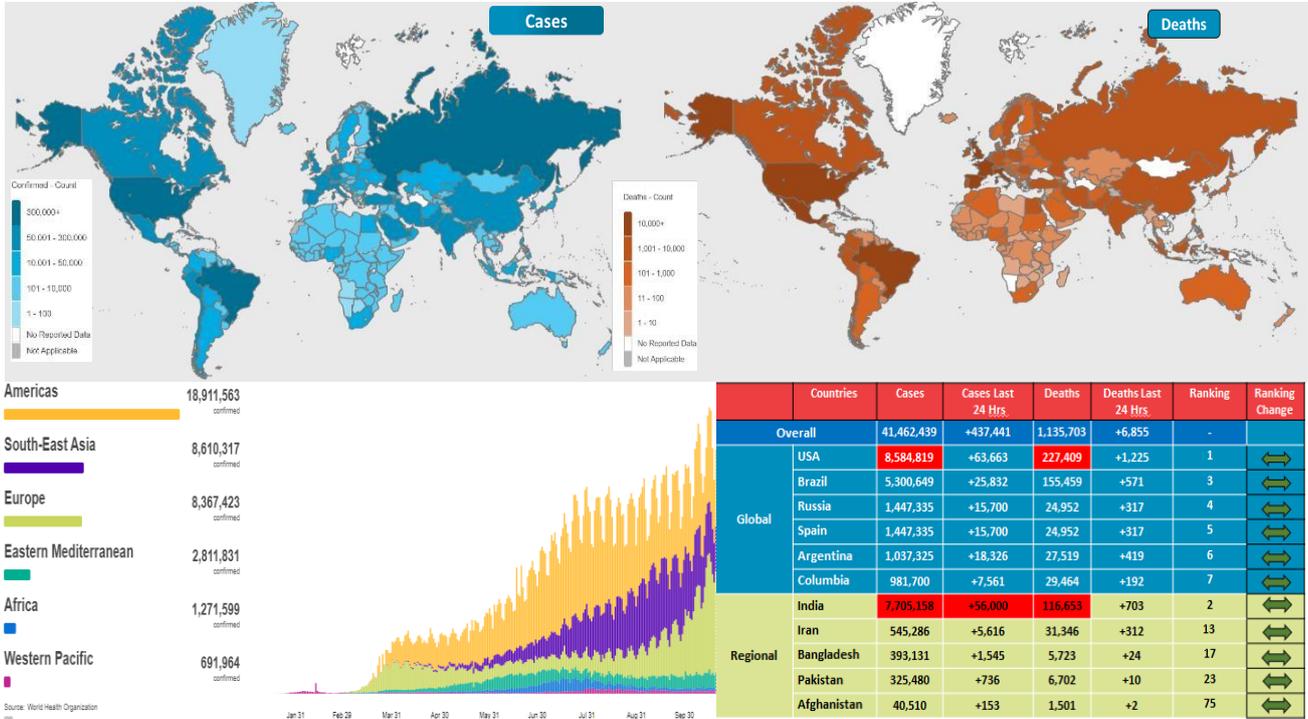




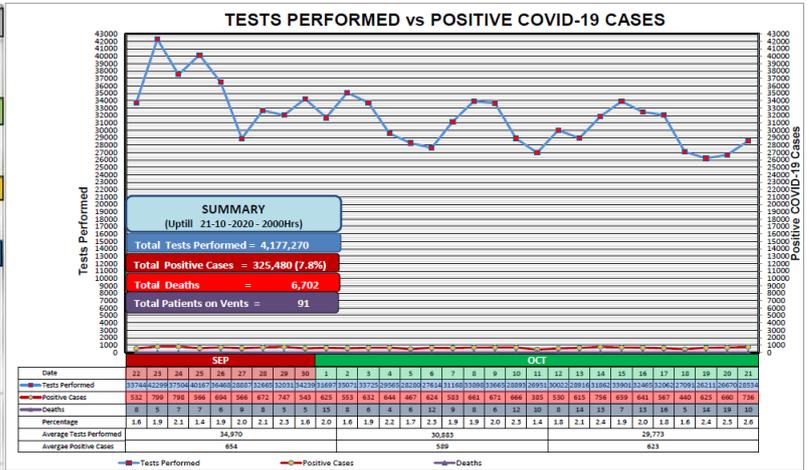
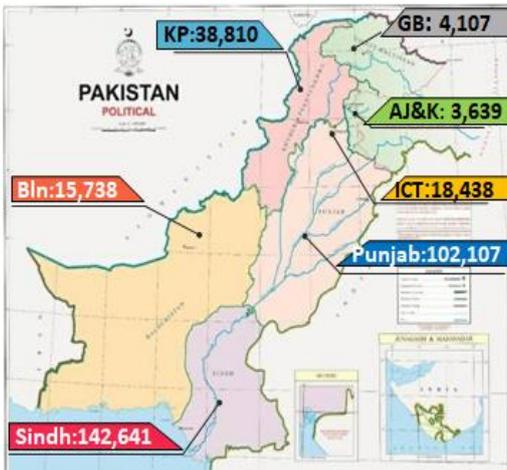
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Global Update



Pakistan COVID Update



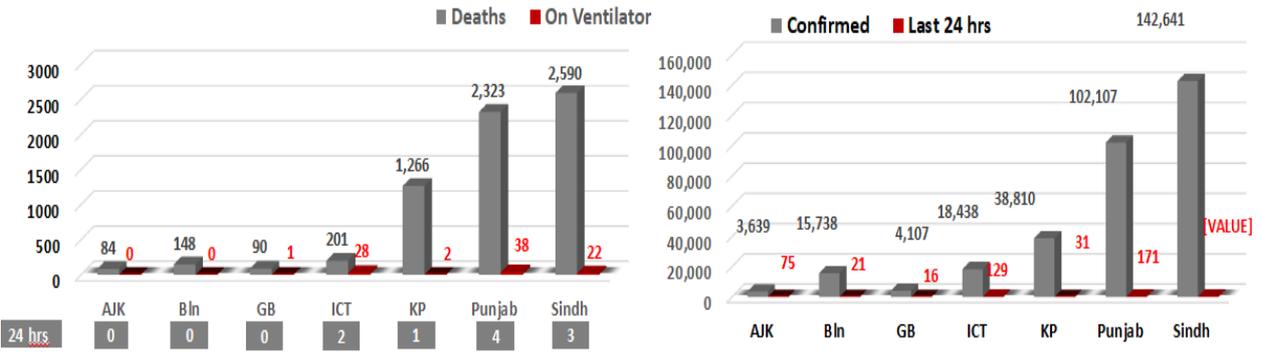
Province-Wise COVID Cases

Cases Vs Recovery

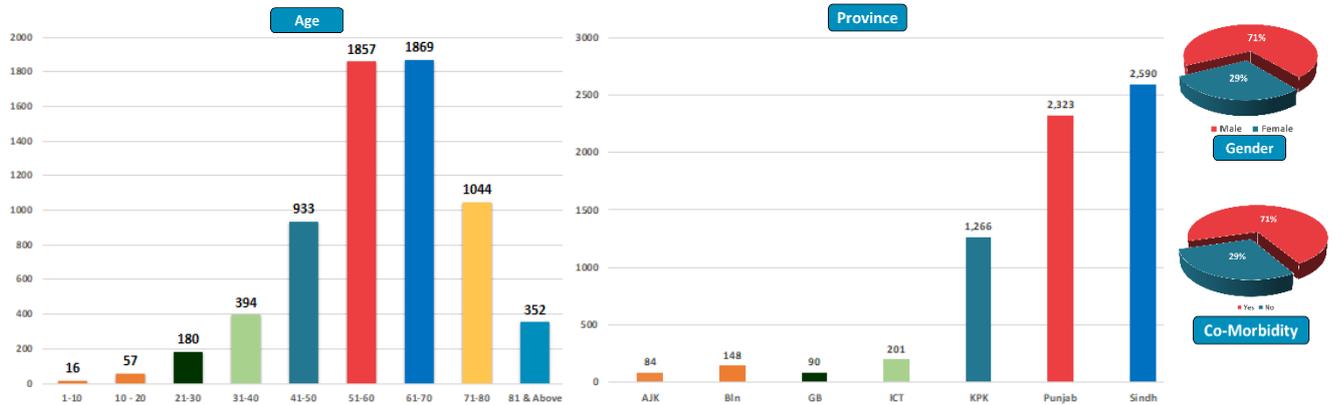
Provinces	Lab Tests		Lab Confirmed Cases		
	Total Tests Conducted In Last 24 Hours	Total Tests Conducted till date	Previous	Last 24 hours	Cumulative
AJK	706	58,462	3,564	75	3,639
Balochistan	1,072	123,062	15,717	21	15,738
Gilgit Baltistan	409	41,316	4,091	16	4,107
ICT	4,406	453,331	18,309	129	18,438
KP	4,459	452,023	38,779	31	38,810
Punjab	9,639	1,493,502	101,936	171	102,107
Sindh	7,843	1,555,574	142,348	293	142,641
Total	28,534	4,177,270	324,744	736	325,480



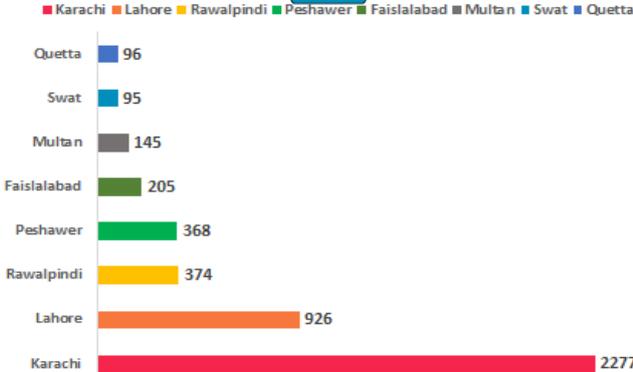
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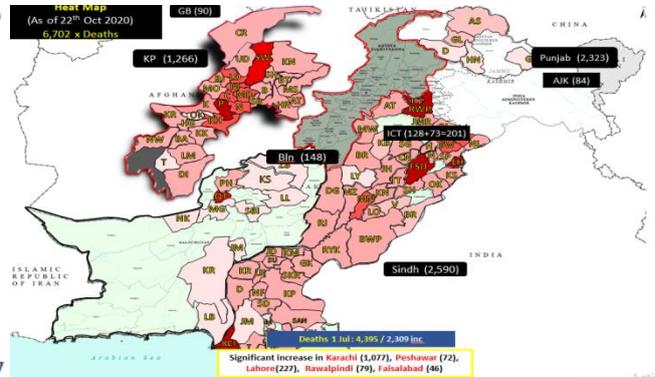
Death Analysis



Deaths

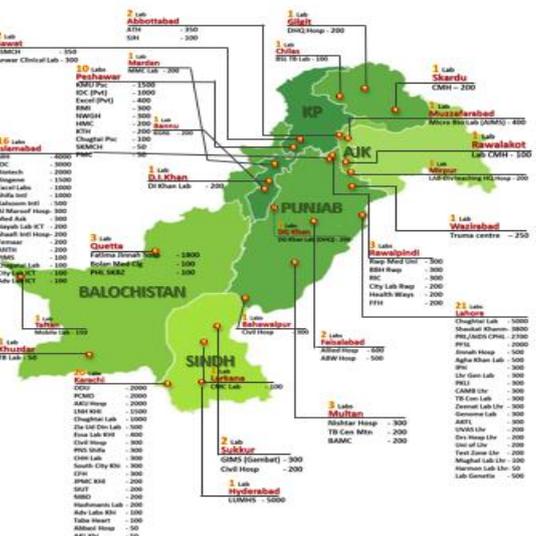
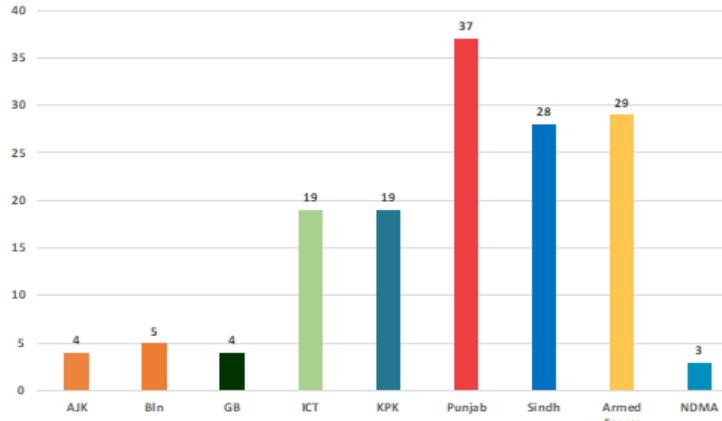


Heat Map



Testing Facility

- Total Functioning Labs in Pakistan - 148
- Total Testing Capacity - 73,432
- Testing Conducted Last 24 hrs - 28,534



1. International

- a. British scientist on the government's advisory committee has said that **COVID will be around for "evermore"** as it is unlikely it will be eradicated, although a vaccine would help improve the situation.
- b. A senior Belgian virologist has said Belgium could be **returning to full lockdown** if there is no reversal of the surge in COVID-19 infections and hospital admissions.
- c. Swiss health minister has said **coronavirus case counts and hospitalizations were doubling every week** and Switzerland has gone from one of the least-affected countries in Europe to one of the worst-hit in just three weeks.
- d. **Russia has recorded 15,700 new coronavirus infections**, as well as a daily record high of 317 deaths.
- e. Russia is **not planning to impose any further lockdowns** to contain the pandemic.
- f. A city in China's Zhejiang province has said it will offer **experimental coronavirus vaccines to its residents**, as China broadens an emergency use programme to people in non-priority groups.
- g. **A fast and cheap paper-based coronavirus test** will soon be available across India, with scientists hopeful it will help turn the tide on the pandemic in one of the world's worst-hit nation.
- h. 125,000 domestic pilgrims **performed Umrah** since Sept 27, no COVID-19 case reported.
- i. Hong Kong's Cathay Pacific Airways Ltd said it would **slash 5,900 jobs** and end its regional Cathay Dragon brand.

2. National

- a. **PM has said that provision of quality health facilities to the masses is the top priority of the government.**
- b. Prime Minister Imran Khan has said that Pakistan's **economy was heading in the right direction** as country's current account balance recorded a surplus of \$73million.
- c. **SAPM Dr Faisal urges people to observe precautions to avoid restrictions** on social and economic activity.