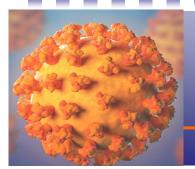
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The Special Topic Statistical Bulletin on COVID 19 in CARICOM Countries Issue 12, provides an update of the trajectory of COVID-19 in the CARICOM Region up to 12 June 2020. The Bulletin provides information on the pattern of the disease of the total number of confirmed cases, new cases and deaths for each country and the total for CARICOM. The data are preliminary and will be adjusted as more reliable data are made available. This Issue continues to explore graphically, the movement in the curves for the number of confirmed cases to deduce whether they are flattening or expanding upwards as a reflection of the transmission of the virus. The Section, What do we learn from the Data? is updated. The values from the Projections are compared with the actual values for 12 June. These projections may be far removed from the reality of the situations in countries and may not depict the actual outcomes. Limited data are available on Sex and by Mode of Transmission of the virus as shown in the Bulletin. Charts for a few more countries on the number of tests per 100,000 population are added. The Bulletin also repeats some of the key explanatory notes from previous issues, particularly as it relates to testing, which is a vital aspect of tracking the pandemic. The primary approach to sourcing the data continues to be web-scraping of information from official sources of countries. Please review the back issues for other key explanations about the data.

Situation at a Glance

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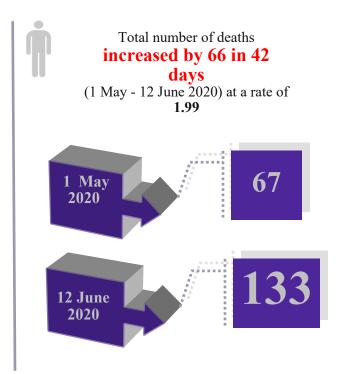


TABLE 1: SUMMARY ALL COUNTRIES -NUMBER OF CONFIRMED CASES, NEW CASES AND DEATHS - 1 MAY - 12 JUNE 2020

| Date | No. of Confirmed Cases | No. of New Cases | No. of Deaths |
|--------|------------------------|------------------|---------------|
| 01-May | 1231 | 18 | 67 |
| 02-May | 1268 | 37 | 67 |
| 03-May | 1278 | 10 | 69 |
| 04-May | 1294 | 16 | 71 |
| 05-May | 1319 | 25 | 72 |
| 06-May | 1331 | 12 | 74 |
| 07-May | 1350 | 19 | 74 |
| 08-May | 1376 | 26 | 74 |
| 09-May | 1405 | 29 | 74 |
| 10-May | 1421 | 16 | 74 |
| 11-May | 1465 | 44 | 78 |
| 12-May | 1502 | 37 | 79 |
| 13-May | 1516 | 14 | 81 |
| 14-May | 1542 | 26 | 82 |
| 15-May | 1589 | 47 | 84 |
| 16-May | 1634 | 45 | 84 |
| 17-May | 1684 | 50 | 84 |
| 18-May | 1794 | 110 | 84 |
| 19-May | 1893 | 99 | 85 |
| 20-May | 1966 | 73 | 86 |
| 21-May | 2050 | 84 | 86 |
| 22-May | 2142 | 92 | 89 |
| 23-May | 2236 | 94 | 89 |
| 24-May | 2299 | 63 | 90 |
| 25-May | 2404 | 105 | 92 |
| 26-May | 2529 | 125 | 96 |
| 27-May | 2655 | 126 | 98 |
| 28-May | 2814 | 159 | 99 |
| 29-May | 2946 | 132 | 100 |
| 30-May | 3098 | 152 | 101 |
| 31-May | 3395 | 297 | 107 |
| 01-Jun | 3689 | 294 | 110 |
| 02-Jun | 3804 | 115 | 111 |
| 03-Jun | 4111 | 307 | 115 |
| 04-Jun | 4257 | 146 | 117 |
| 05-Jun | 4375 | 118 | 117 |
| 06-Jun | 4571 | 196 | 117 |
| 07-Jun | 4744 | 173 | 117 |
| 08-Jun | 5022 | 278 | 119 |
| 09-Jun | 5247 | 225 | 122 |
| 10-Jun | 5386 | 139 | 124 |
| 11-Jun | 5558 | 172 | 126 |
| 12-Jun | 5728 | 170 | 133 |

Note: The Number of Confirmed Cases and the Number of Deaths are <u>cumulative values</u> while the Number of New Cases is not cumulative and reflects the <u>daily</u> number of cases. Please see Issue 10 for the explanation on how the cumulative values are derived. Please check previous Issues for data from 10-31 March 2020 and 1-30 April 2020.

What do we learn from the Data?

[as at 12 June 2020]

The number of confirmed cases moved from 4375 as at 5 June to <u>5728 cases on 12 June</u>. The number of deaths moved from 117 to <u>133</u>. There were <u>1353 new cases</u> (compared to 1428 cases for the previous period) and <u>16</u> new deaths.

Recoveries as at 12 June stood at 1208 and active cases at 4385 as compared to 1093 and 3161 respectively on 5 June.

Active Cases [Active Cases are Confirmed Cases less recoveries, less deaths and less persons who tested positive and who might have left the country];

- From 5 countries with no active as at 6 June there are now 6 countries with no active cases as at 12 June. The countries with no active cases are Anguilla, British Virgin Islands, Montserrat, St Kitts and Nevis, Turks and Caicos Islands and Trinidad and Tobago;
- Five (5) countries- Belize (2), Dominica (2), Grenada (1), Saint Lucia (1) and St Vincent and the Grenadines (2) now have 1-2 active cases as at 12 June;
- Three (3) countries—Antigua and Barbuda (3), Barbados (6), Bermuda (6) all have 6 or less active cases along with those countries that have 2 or less active cases;
- + The Bahamas (24) has less than 25 active cases;
- → Guyana (52), Cayman Islands (71) have under 100 active cases;
- **Suriname (175), Jamaica (187) and Haiti (3853)** have over 100 active cases.

Recoveries

- As implied earlier, there are *six* countries for which all active cases have recovered;
- Among the recoveries Jamaica had 417 recoveries as at 12 June, Bermuda had 127 recoveries, Cayman Islands, 115, Guyana, 95, Barbados, 83, The Bahamas, 68 and Haiti, 24. Trinidad and Tobago, with no active cases, had 109 recoveries.

Confirmed Cases

- → In absolute terms the countries with the highest numbers of Confirmed Cases are *Haiti*, 3941, *Jamaica* with 614, *Cayman Islands*, 187, *Suriname*, 187, *Guyana*, 159, *Bermuda*, 142, *Trinidad and Tobago*, 117, *The Bahamas* 103 and *Barbados*, 96;
- In rates per 100,000 population for countries with 25 plus cases, Cayman Islands has the highest rate with 284.14, Bermuda is second with 221.97 followed by Barbados with 34.96. Haiti with 34.54 and Suriname with 32.08. Montserrat (under 25 cases) has a rate of 220 (11 cases);
- The rate for Jamaica is 22.51; Guyana, 21.46 and St Vincent and the Grenadines, 24.32 [Please see Table 2 for rates for other countries].

Deaths

- → Haiti has the highest number of deaths with 64, an increase of 14 from 5 June, followed by Guyana with 12 and The Bahamas 11 deaths; Suriname was the only other country that contributed to new deaths during this reporting period with 2 new deaths with the total deaths for this country being 3;
- The number of deaths per 100,000 population is the highest in *Montserrat 20 (1)*; *Bermuda 14.07 (9)* and *British Virgin Islands 3.43 (1)*. The number of deaths per 100,000 population for Haiti is 0.56 (64);
- ↑ The Case Fatality Rate (number of deaths as a percentage of the number of confirmed cases) is the highest in the **British Virgin Islands** with 12.5 percent, followed by **Antigua and Barbuda** with 11.5 percent and **The Bahamas** with 10.7 percent. **Haiti** has a case fatality rate of 1.6 percent.

Testing- [Tracking the pandemic]

* Cayman Islands continues to have the best testing record with a rate of 26,175.7 tests per 100,000 population, (17,227 tests) followed by Bermuda, 13,404.1 (8,575 tests) and Barbados, 2,326 (6,388 tests); Cayman Islands has now conducted more tests than Jamaica that has undertaken 15,850 tests with a rate of 581.1 as at 12 June.

CHART 1: SUMMARY ALL COUNTRIES - NUMBER OF CONFIRMED CASES, NEW CASES AND DEATHS - 10 MARCH - 12 JUNE 2020

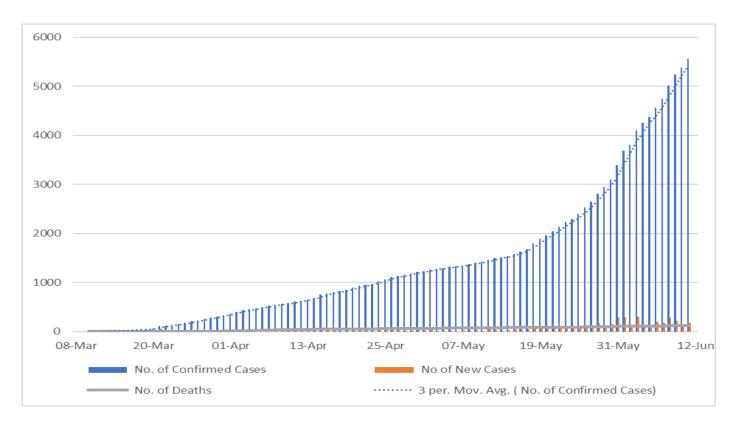
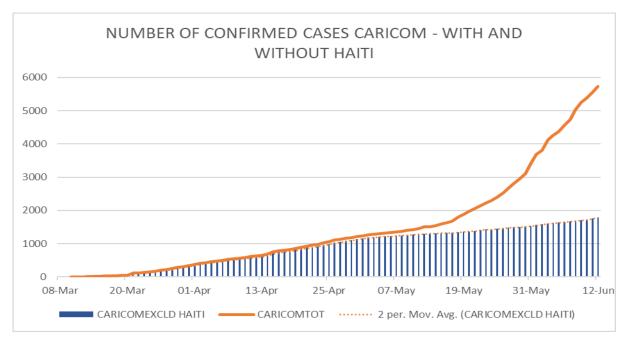


CHART 1A: NUMBER OF CONFIRMED CASES IN CARICOM— WITH AND WITHOUT HAITI AS AT 10 MARCH-12 JUNE 2020



Note: The number of confirmed cases moved from 4375 as at 5 June to 5728 as at 12 June while the number of deaths moved from 117 to 133. The number of confirmed cases from the previous period was adjusted by 1.

CHART 1B: SUMMARY ALL COUNTRIES - NUMBER OF NEW CASES - 10 MARCH - 12 JUNE 2020

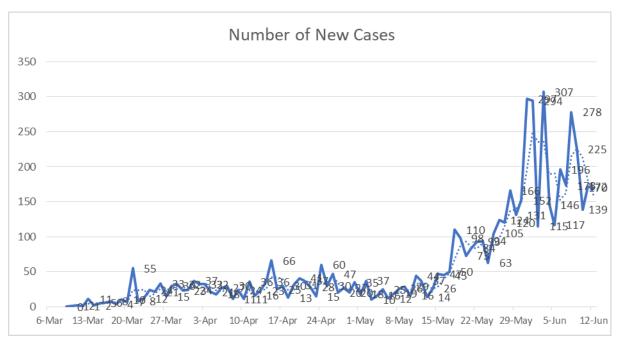
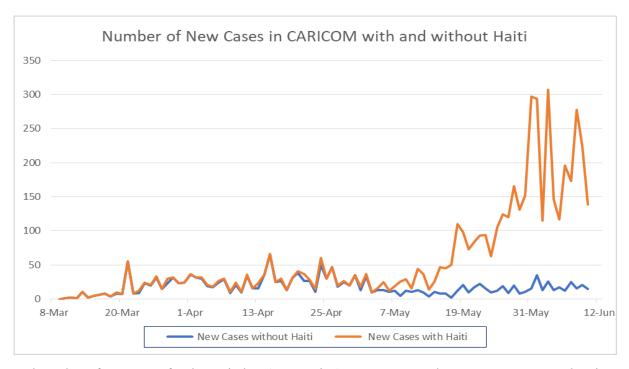


CHART 1C: SUMMARY ALL COUNTRIES - NUMBER OF NEW CASES - WITH AND WITHOUT HAITI - 10 MARCH - 12 JUNE 2020



Note: Total number of new cases for the period 6-12 June is 1353 as compared to 30 May-5 June when it was 1428. The number of new cases for the current reporting period was 75 less than the previous reporting period. Haiti contributed to 1201 of the new cases in this reporting period or 88.8 percent (90.8 percent for the previous period). Jamaica contributed to 19 new cases, Suriname, 96 and Cayman Islands, 23. The large number of new cases that have been contributed by Haiti is visible in Chart 1C.

CHART 1D: SUMMARY ALL COUNTRIES - NUMBER OF DEATHS - 10 MARCH - 12 JUNE 2020

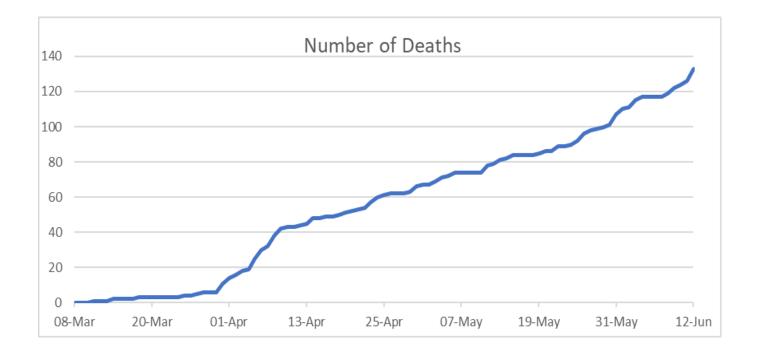
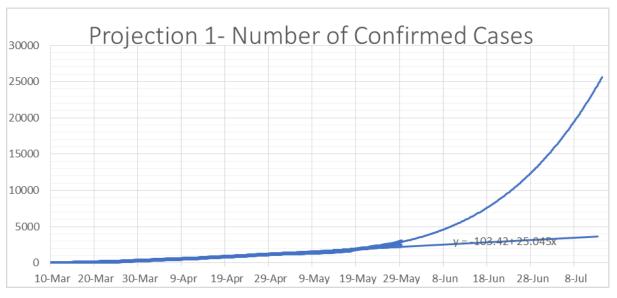
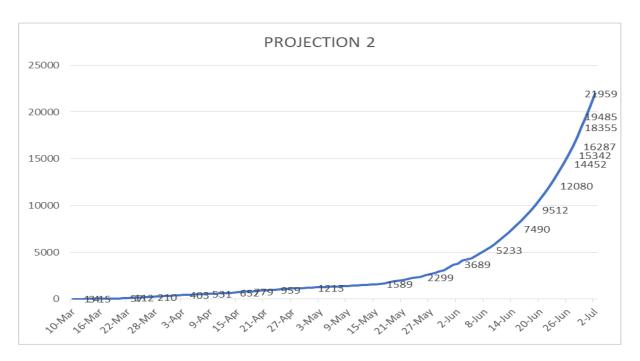


CHART 2: PROJECTION 1-ESTIMATED NUMBER OF CONFIRMED CASES EXTENDED TO 15 JULY 2020



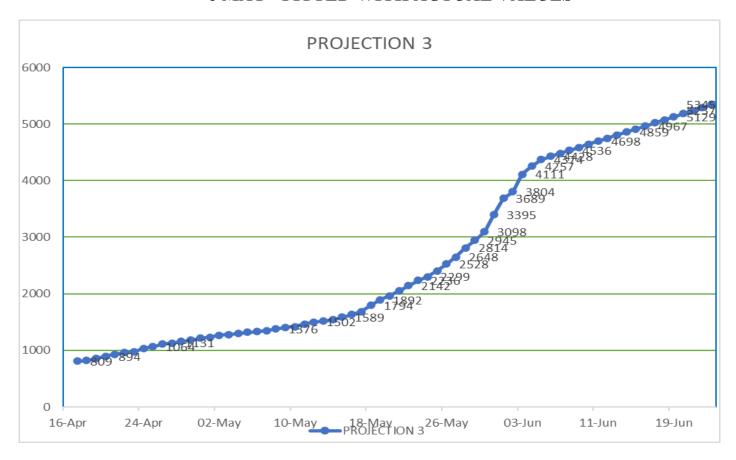
Note: For the non-linear trendline, the projected value for 12 June was 5300 cases as compared to the actual value of 5728. The projected value for 19 June is 8100. For the linear trendline, the projected value for 12 June was 2251 which is closer to 1728, the total number of cases excluding Haiti as at this date. The projected value for 19 June is 2426.

CHART 2A: UPDATED PROJECTION USING GROWTH RATES (30 MAY - 5 JUNE) OF THE NUMBER OF CONFIRMED CASES PROJECTED UP TO 2 JULY 2020



Note: The projected value as at **12 June was 6646** cases as compared to the actual value of **5728** cases. The projected value for **19 June** is **10098**.

CHART 2B: PROJECTION BASED ON 15 DAY DOUBLING PERIOD- UP TO 6 MAY- FITTED WITH ACTUAL VALUES



Note: This projection has been recalculated to reflect a 15-day doubling period. The projected value for **12 June** was **4752 cases** as compared to **5728**, which was the actual value. The actual number of confirmed cases has exceeded the projected value for the end of the next reporting period reflecting the rapid growth of the number of cases in Haiti.

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Total Confirmed

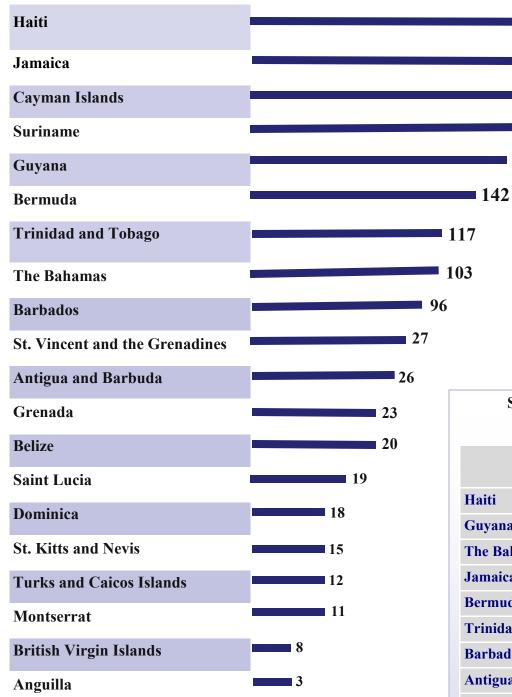
Cases: 5,728

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SUMMARY OF CONFIRMED CASES AS AT 12 JUNE 2020



Total Deaths: 133

Note: The number of confirmed cases in Haiti is close to 4000, more than 6 times the confirmed cases of Jamaica. Suriname is now in joint third place with Cayman Islands. Haiti with an additional 14 deaths and Suriname with 2 additional deaths are the countries that have contributed to the increase in deaths for the reporting period.

SUMMARY OF DEATHS AS AT 12 JUNE 2020

| Country | Number of Deaths |
|--------------------------|------------------|
| Haiti | 64 |
| Guyana | 12 |
| The Bahamas | 11 |
| Jamaica | 10 |
| Bermuda | 9 |
| Trinidad and Tobago | 8 |
| Barbados | 7 |
| Antigua and Barbuda | 3 |
| Suriname | 3 |
| Belize | 2 |
| British Virgin Islands | 1 |
| Cayman Islands | 1 |
| Montserrat | 1 |
| Turks and Caicos Islands | 1 |

TABLE 2: NUMBER OF CONFIRMED CASES PER 100,000 POPULATION IN CARICOM –SELECTED COUNTRIES– 01 MAY – 12 JUNE

| | DATE | | | | | | |
|-------------------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|---------------|--------|--------|
| | | | | | | | |
| COUNTRY | 01-May | 08-May | 15-May | 22-May | 29-May | 05-Jun | 12-Jun |
| CARICOM -ALL COUNTRIES | 6.78 | 7.57 | 8.75 | 11.79 | 16.22 | 24.08 | 31.53 |
| CARICOM EXCLD HAITI | 15.95 | 17.31 | 18.27 | 19.55 | 20.86 | 22.68 | 24.81 |
| ANTIGUA AND BARBUDA | 26.31 | 26.31 | 26.31 | 26.31 | 26.31 | 27.36 | 27.36 |
| THE BAHAMAS | 21.50 | 24.65 | 25.18 | 25.44 | 26.75 | 26.75 | 27.01 |
| BARBADOS | 29.49 | 30.22 | 30.95 | 32.77 | 33.50 | 33.50 | 34.96 |
| BERMUDA | 178.20 | 184.45 | 192.27 | 200.08 | 218.84 | 220.41 | 221.97 |
| CAYMAN ISLANDS | 112.44 | 123.08 | 142.83 | 196.01 | 214.24 | 249.19 | 284.14 |
| GUYANA | 11.07 | 12.55 | 15.65 | 17.14 | 20.24 | 20.65 | 21.46 |
| HAITI | 0.71 | 1.13 | 2.39 | 6.43 | 12.65 | 24.01 | 34.54 |
| JAMAICA | 15.84 | 17.97 | 18.74 | 19.94 | 21.08 | 21.81 | 22.51 |
| ST VINCENT AND THE GRENADINES | 14.41 | 15.32 | 15.32 | 16.22 | 23.42 | 23.42 | 24.32 |
| SURINAME | 1.72 | 1.72 | 1.72 | 1.89 | 2.06 | 15.44 | 32.08 |
| TRINIDAD & TOBAGO | 8.53 | 8.53 | 8.53 | 8.53 | 8.53 | 8.61 | 8.61 |

Note: Please check the **Explanatory Notes repeated in this Issue** for the use of rates per 100,000 population in comparing values across countries.

Of the countries with 25 or more confirmed cases, the top five countries for the number of confirmed cases per 100,000 population as at 12 June are: Cayman Islands (284.14), Bermuda (221.97), Barbados (34.96), Haiti (34.54) and Suriname (32.08). Montserrat (less than 11 confirmed cases) not shown in this table has the third highest rate with 220 cases per 100, 000 population. Haiti and Suriname now feature in the top 5 countries reflecting significant growth in the number of confirmed cases relative to the population of these countries.

The rate per 100,000 population for CARICOM all countries *is greater* than that for CARICOM excluding Haiti which reflects the relative increase in the number of confirmed cases with Haiti to the corresponding total population all countries as compared to without Haiti and the corresponding population figures

Information on the number of confirmed cases per 100, 000 population as at 12 June for those countries that are not shown can be requested. Please check previous Issues for rates for earlier periods.

CHART 3: NUMBER OF CONFIRMED CASES PER 100,000 POPULATION-CARICOM WITH AND WITHOUT HAITI 26 MARCH-12 JUNE

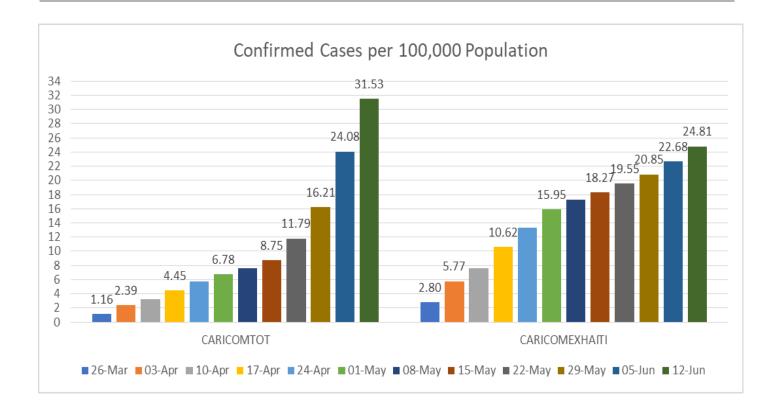


CHART 3A: NUMBER OF CONFIRMED CASES PER 100,000 POPULATION – SELECTED COUNTRIES 26 MARCH– 12 JUNE

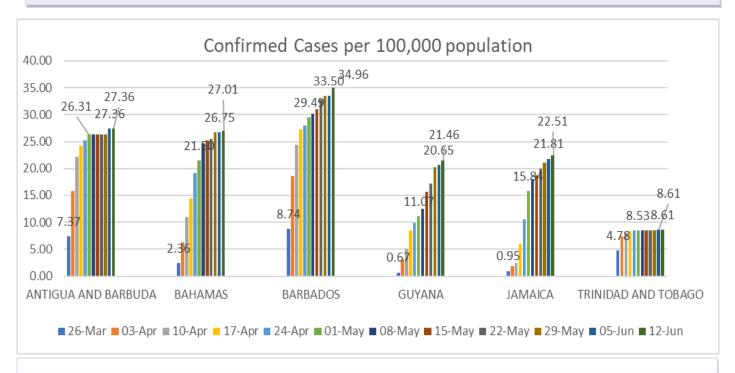
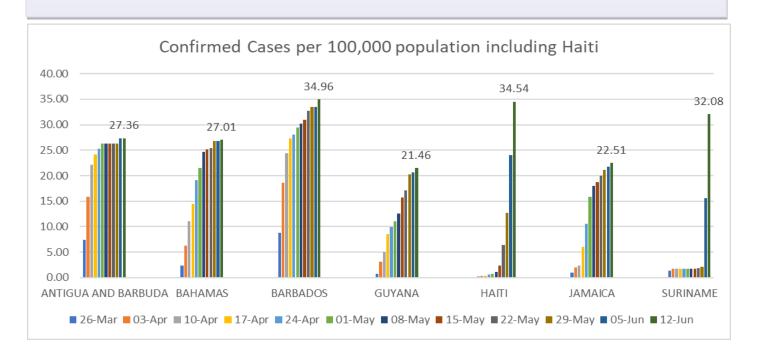


CHART 3B: NUMBER OF CONFIRMED CASES PER 100,000 POPULATION – SELECTED COUNTRIES (WITH HAITI) 26 MARCH– 12 JUNE



Note: The spikes in the number of confirmed cases per 100, 000 population that have occurred in Suriname and Haiti are reflected in Chart 3A.

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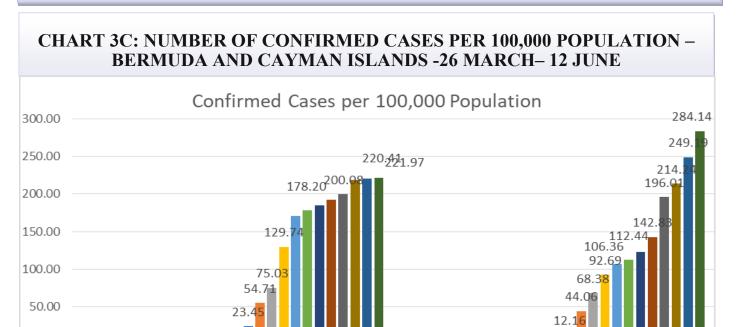


CHART 3D: NUMBER OF CONFIRMED CASES PER 100,000 POPULATION-HAITI - 26 MARCH- 12 JUNE

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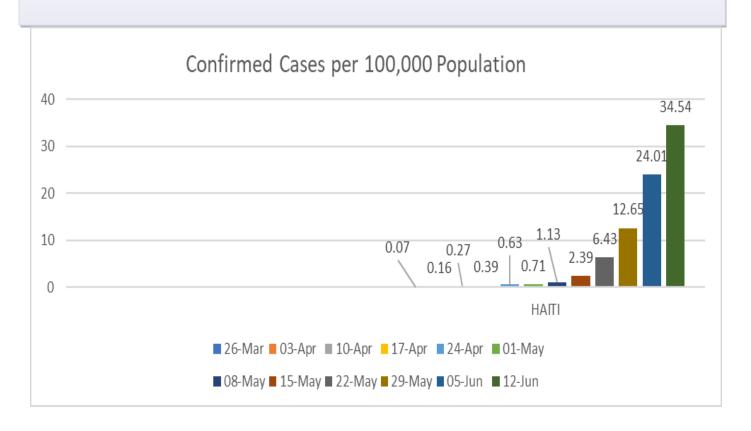


CHART 3E: NUMBER OF CONFIRMED CASES PER 100,000 POPULATION GUYANA, JAMAICA, TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO AND SURINAME 26 MARCH-12 JUNE

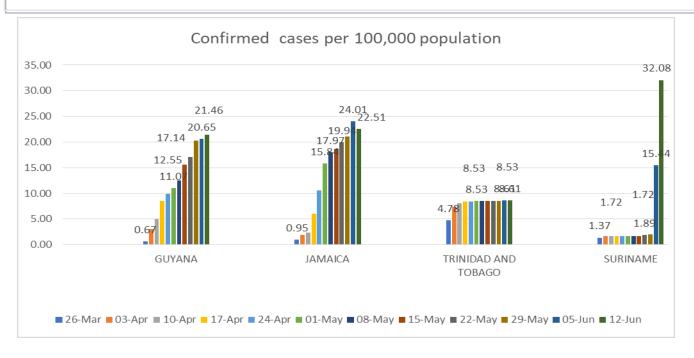


CHART 3F: NUMBER OF CONFIRMED CASES PER 100,000 POPULATION ANTIGUA AND BARBUDA, THE BAHAMAS, BARBADOS AND ST. VINCENT AND THE GRENADINES 26 MARCH- 12 JUNE

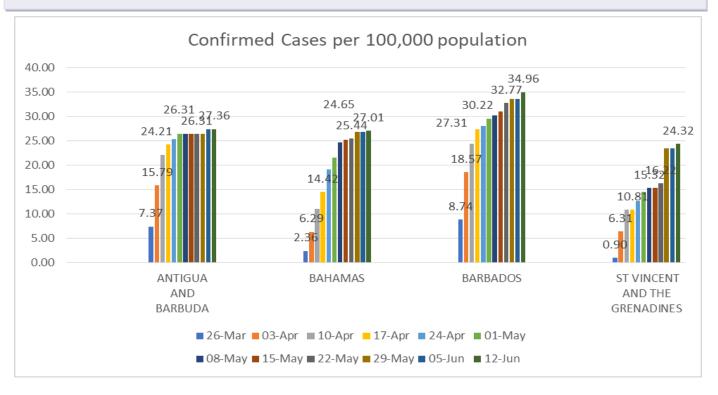


TABLE 3: NUMBER OF DEATHS PER 100,000 POPULATION 1 MAY – 12 JUNE

| | | | | DATE | | | |
|-----------------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|---------------|---------|---------|
| COUNTRY | 01-May | 08-May | 15-May | 22-May | 29-May | 05-June | 12-June |
| CARICOM ALL COUNTRIES | 0.37 | 0.41 | 0.46 | 0.49 | 0.55 | 0.64 | 0.73 |
| CARICOM EXCL. HAITI | 0.82 | 0.86 | 0.89 | 0.89 | 0.90 | 0.93 | 0.96 |
| ANTIGUA AND BARBUDA | 3.16 | 3.16 | 3.16 | 3.16 | 3.16 | 3.16 | 3.16 |
| THE BAHAMAS | 2.88 | 2.88 | 2.88 | 2.88 | 2.88 | 2.88 | 2.88 |
| BARBADOS | 2.55 | 2.55 | 2.55 | 2.55 | 2.55 | 2.55 | 2.55 |
| BERMUDA | 9.38 | 10.94 | 14.07 | 14.07 | 14.07 | 14.07 | 14.07 |
| BELIZE | 0.50 | 0.50 | 0.50 | 0.50 | 0.50 | 0.50 | 0.50 |
| BRITISH VIRGIN ISLANDS | 3.43 | 3.43 | 3.43 | 3.43 | 3.43 | 3.43 | 3.43 |
| CAYMAN ISLANDS | 1.52 | 1.52 | 1.52 | 1.52 | 1.52 | 1.52 | 1.52 |
| GUYANA | 1.21 | 1.35 | 1.35 | 1.35 | 1.48 | 1.62 | 1.62 |
| HAITI | 0.07 | 0.11 | 0.18 | 0.22 | 0.31 | 0.44 | 0.56 |
| JAMAICA | 0.29 | 0.33 | 0.33 | 0.33 | 0.33 | 0.37 | 0.37 |
| MONTSERRAT | 20.00 | 20.00 | 20.00 | 20.00 | 20.00 | 20.00 | 20.00 |
| SURINAME | 0.17 | 0.17 | 0.17 | 0.17 | 0.17 | 0.17 | 0.51 |
| TRINIDAD & TOBAGO | 0.59 | 0.59 | 0.59 | 0.59 | 0.59 | 0.59 | 0.59 |
| TURKS AND CAICOS ISLANDS | 2.42 | 2.42 | 2.42 | 2.42 | 2.42 | 2.42 | 2.42 |

Note: The number of deaths per 100,000 population is adjusted by the corresponding population of countries. Please check previous issues for rates for earlier periods.

TABLE 3A: DEATHS AS A PERCENTAGE OF THE NUMBER OF CONFIRMED CASES— CASE FATALITY RATES—1 MAY—12 JUNE

| | DEATH RATES TO CONFIRMED CASES | | | | | | | |
|-----------------------------|--------------------------------|--------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|--|
| COUNTRY | 01- May | 08-May | 15- May | 22- May | 29- May | 05- Jun | 12- Jun | |
| CARICOM ALL COUNTRIES | 5.4 | 5.4 | 5.3 | 4.2 | 3.4 | 2.7 | 2.3 | |
| | | | | | | | | |
| ANTIGUA AND BARBUDA | 12.0 | 12.0 | 12.0 | 12.0 | 12.0 | 11.5 | 11.5 | |
| THE BAHAMAS | 13.4 | 11.7 | 11.5 | 11.3 | 10.8 | 10.8 | 10.7 | |
| BARBADOS | 8.6 | 8.4 | 8.2 | 7.8 | 7.6 | 7.6 | 7.3 | |
| BERMUDA | 5.3 | 5.9 | 7.3 | 7.0 | 6.4 | 6.4 | 6.3 | |
| BELIZE | 11.1 | 11.1 | 11.1 | 11.1 | 11.1 | 10.5 | 10.5 | |
| BRITISH VIRGIN ISLANDS | 16.7 | 14.3 | 12.5 | 12.5 | 12.5 | 12.5 | 12.5 | |
| CAYMAN ISLANDS | 1.4 | 1.2 | 1.1 | 0.8 | 0.7 | 0.6 | 0.5 | |
| GUYANA | 11.0 | 10.8 | 8.6 | 7.9 | 7.3 | 7.8 | 7.5 | |
| HAITI | 9.9 | 9.3 | 7.3 | 3.4 | 2.4 | 1.8 | 1.6 | |
| JAMAICA | 1.9 | 1.8 | 1.8 | 1.7 | 1.6 | 1.7 | 1.6 | |
| MONTSERRAT | 9.1 | 9.1 | 9.1 | 9.1 | 9.1 | 9.1 | 9.1 | |
| SURINAME | 10.0 | 10.0 | 10.0 | 9.1 | 8.3 | 1.1 | 1.6 | |
| TRINIDAD & TOBAGO | 6.9 | 6.9 | 6.9 | 6.9 | 6.9 | 6.8 | 6.8 | |
| TURKS AND CAICOS ISLANDS | 8.3 | 8.3 | 8.3 | 8.3 | 8.3 | 8.3 | 8.3 | |

Note: The number of deaths to confirmed cases reflects a fatality rate that does not take the population size into consideration. Please check previous issues for values for earlier periods.

CHART 4: DEATHS AS A PERCENTAGE OF CONFIRMED CASES-ALL COUNTRIES-CASE FATALITY RATES AS AT 12 JUNE

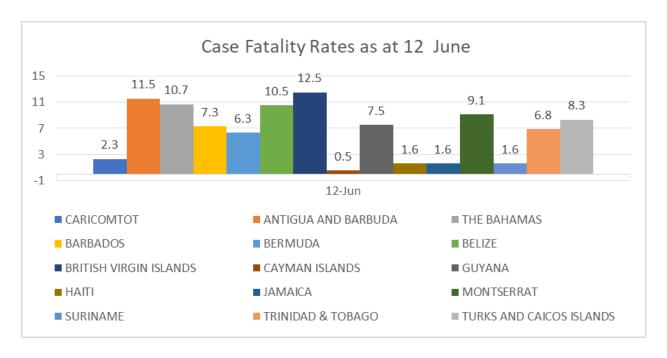


CHART 4A: DEATHS AS A PERCENTAGE OF CONFIRMED CASES-SELECTED COUNTRIES-CASE FATALITY RATES 26 MARCH—12 JUNE

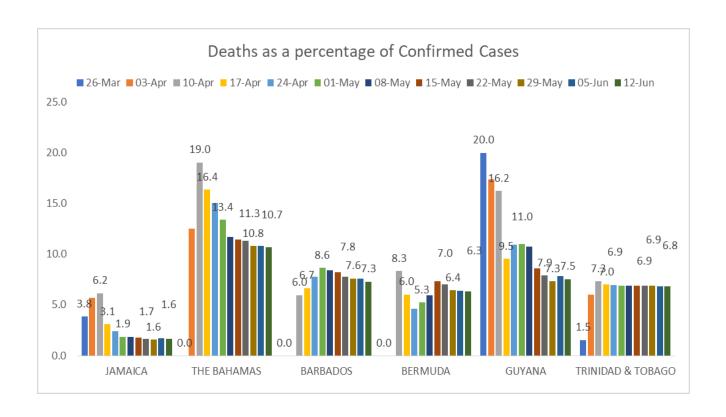
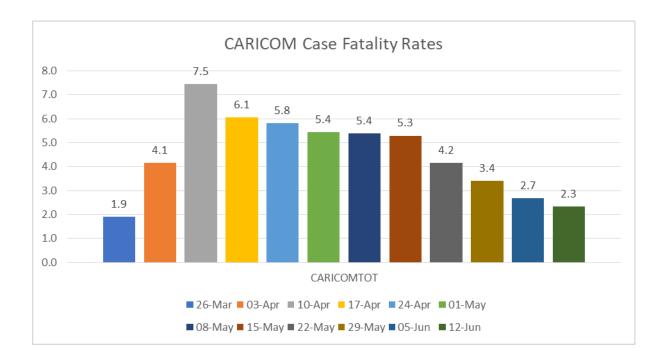
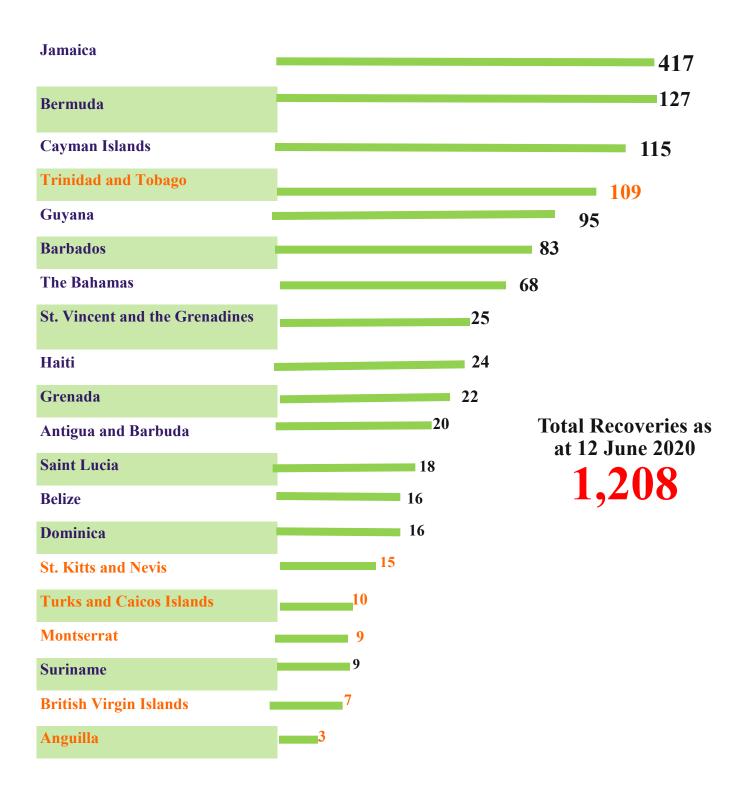


CHART 4B: CARICOM—ALL COUNTRIES- CASE FATALITY RATES 26 MARCH - 12 JUNE



SUMMARY OF RECOVERED CASES AS AT 12 JUNE 2020



FOR COUNTRIES SHOWN IN ORANGE, ALL ACTIVE CASES HAVE RECOVERED .

TABLE 4: ACTIVE CASES, RECOVERIES, NUMBER OF TESTS CONDUCTED AND HOSPITALISATIONS AS AT 12 JUNE 2020

| COUNTRY | CONFIRMED CASES | RECOVERIES | ACTIVE CASES | NO. OF TESTS | HOSPITALISATIONS |
|--------------------------------|-----------------|------------|-----------------|-----------------|------------------|
| Jamaica | 614 | 417 | 187 | 15850 | 30 |
| Bermuda | 142 | 127 | 6 | 8575 | 1 |
| Cayman Islands | 187 | 115 | 71 | 17227 | 0 |
| Trinidad and Tobago | 117 | 109 | 0 | 3493 | 0 |
| Guyana | 159 | 95 | 52 | 1927 | |
| Barbados | 96 | 83 | 6 | 6388 | |
| The Bahamas | 103 | 68 | 24 | 2252 | 1 |
| St. Vincent and the Grenadines | 27 | 25 | 2 | 646 | |
| Haiti | 3941 | 24 | 3853 | 8081 | 371 |
| Grenada | 23 | 22 | 1 | 661 | |
| Antigua and Barbuda | 26 | 20 | 3 | 488 | |
| Saint Lucia | 19 | 18 | 1 | 1312 | |
| Belize | 20 | 16 | 2 | 1776 | |
| Dominica | 18 | 16 | 2 | 534 | |
| St. Kitts and Nevis | 15 | 15 | 0 | 407 | 0 |
| Turks and Caicos Islands | 12 | 10 | 0 | 222 | 0 |
| Montserrat | 11 | 9 | 0 | 62 | 0 |
| Suriname | 187 | 9 | 175 | 1165 | 175 |
| British Virgin Islands | 8 | 7 | 0 | 185 | 0 |
| Anguilla | 3 | 3 | 0 | 41 | 0 |

Note: The table is sorted by descending order of recoveries.

All active cases in Anguilla, British Virgin Islands, Montserrat, St Kitts and Nevis, Turks and Caicos Islands and Trinidad and Tobago have recovered and no new cases have appeared in the reporting period for these countries.

Saint Lucia and Grenada have 1 active case each and Belize, Dominica and St Vincent and the Grenadines have 2 active cases each as at the end of the reporting period.

Suriname that at one point in time had all active cases recovered now has 175 active cases.

In the case of **Grenada** one person who was tested positive left the country without permission and this case is now counted as recovered by Grenada.

There were similar occurrences for Monserrat and Turks and Caicos Islands (as Grenada) but for these countries the case has been excluded in each instance.

Table 5: NUMBER OF TESTS AND RATE PER 100,000 POPULATION – AS AT 12 JUNE 2020

| COUNTRY | NO. OF TESTS | NO. OF TESTS PER 100,000 |
|-------------------------------|--------------|--------------------------|
| Anguilla | 41 | 273.3 |
| Antigua and Barbuda | 488 | 513.6 |
| Barbados | 6388 | 2326.0 |
| Belize | 1776 | 446.2 |
| Bermuda | 8575 | 13404.1 |
| British Virgin Islands | 185 | 634.6 |
| Cayman Islands | 17227 | 26175.7 |
| Dominica | 534 | 741.7 |
| Grenada | 661 | 593.0 |
| Guyana | 1927 | 260.1 |
| Haiti | 8081 | 70.8 |
| Jamaica | 15850 | 581.1 |
| Montserrat | 62 | 1240.0 |
| Saint Lucia | 1312 | 733.0 |
| St Kitts and Nevis | 407 | 767.9 |
| | | |
| St Vincent and the Grenadines | 646 | 582.0 |
| Suriname | 1165 | 199.8 |
| The Bahamas | 2252 | 590.6 |
| Trinidad and Tobago | 3493 | 257.0 |
| Turks and Caicos Islands | 222 | 537.5 |

Note: The top five countries based on the number of tests per 100,000 are: Cayman Islands, Bermuda, Barbados, Montserrat and St. Kitts and Nevis in that order.

It is not known whether these tests are a mix of Rapid Tests and PCR or Polymerase Chain Reaction testing. Wherever this is known, the Rapid Tests are removed from the total number of tests conducted.

It is also not known how frequent some countries are testing since the total numbers of tests for some countries are repeated over time.

CHART 5: NUMBER OF TESTS PER 100, 000 POPULATION - SELECTED COUNTRIES—BARBADOS, TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO, JAMAICA

18 APRIL - 12 JUNE 2020

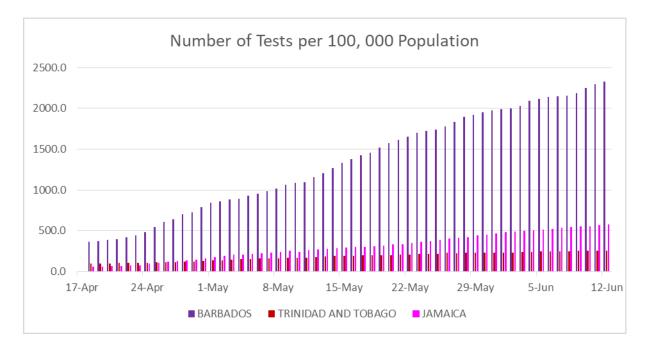


CHART 5A: NUMBER OF TESTS PER 100, 000 POPULATION- CAYMAN ISLANDS 27 APRIL— 12 JUNE 2020

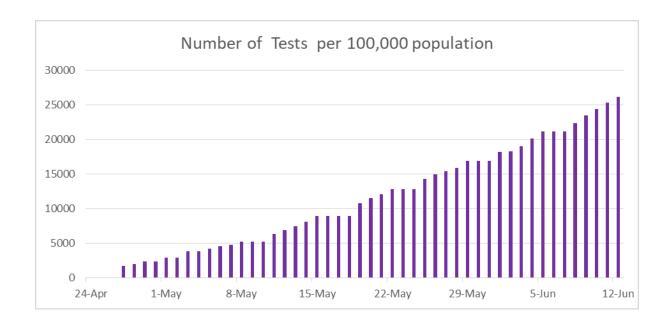


CHART 5B: NUMBER OF RECOVERIES - BARBADOS 18 APRIL - 12 JUNE 2020

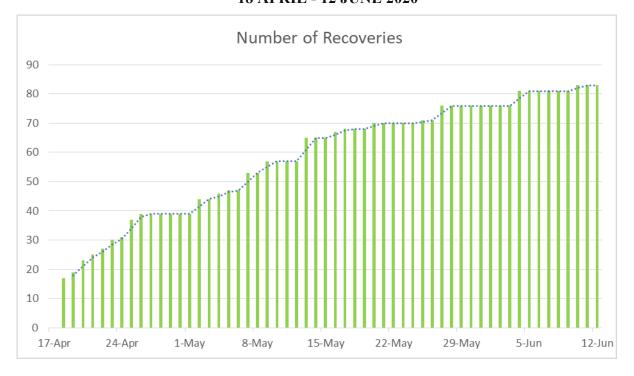


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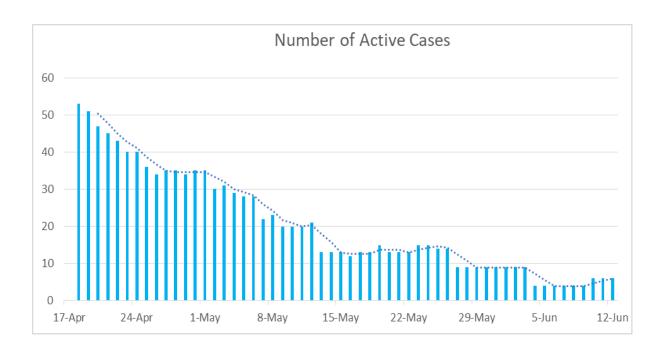


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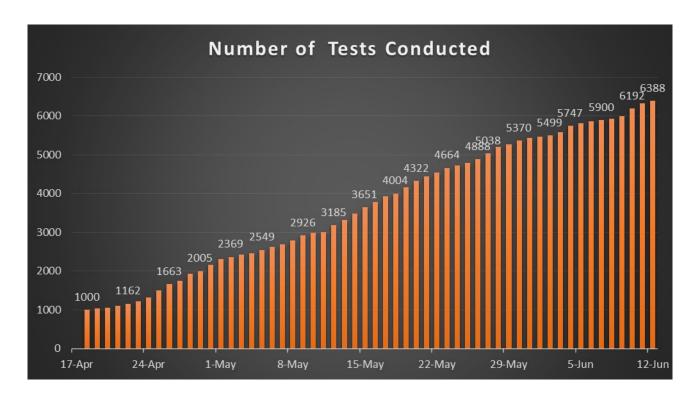


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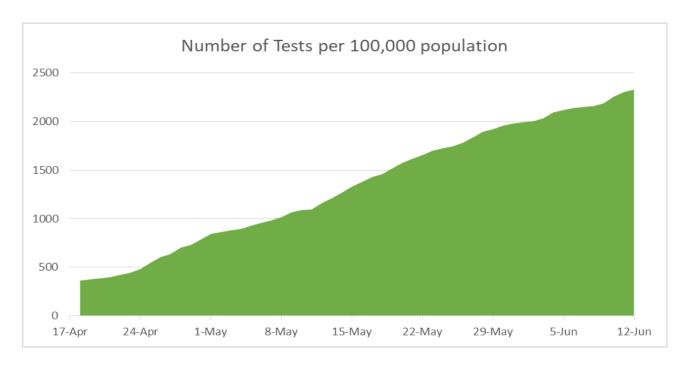


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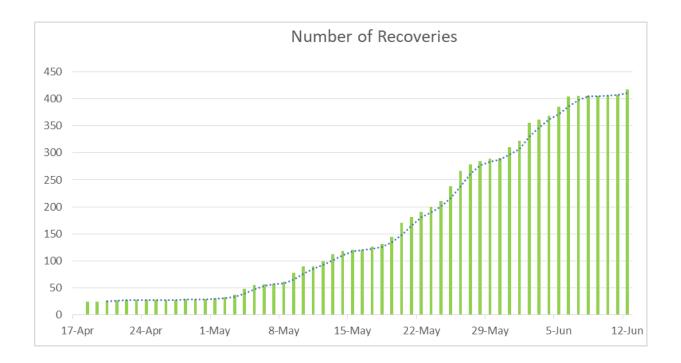


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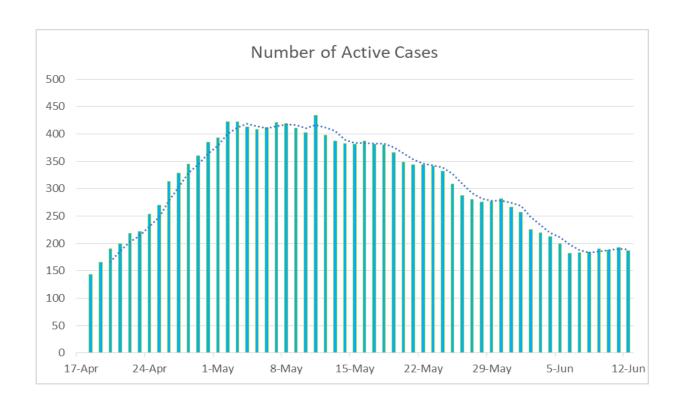


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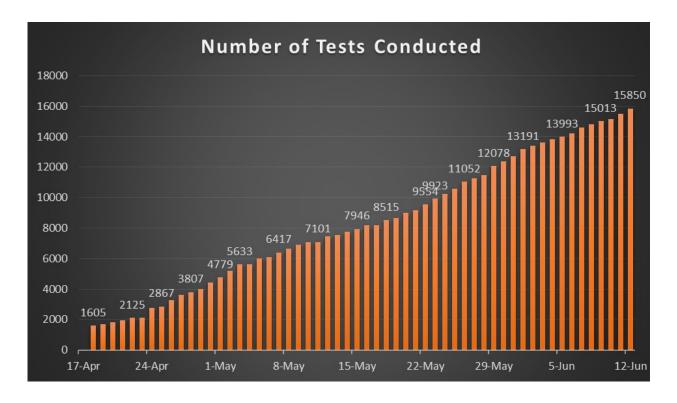


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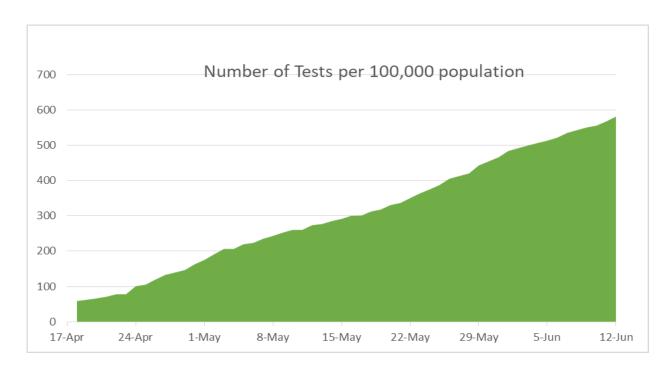


CHART 5J: NUMBER OF RECOVERIES - TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO 18 APRIL - 12 JUNE 2020

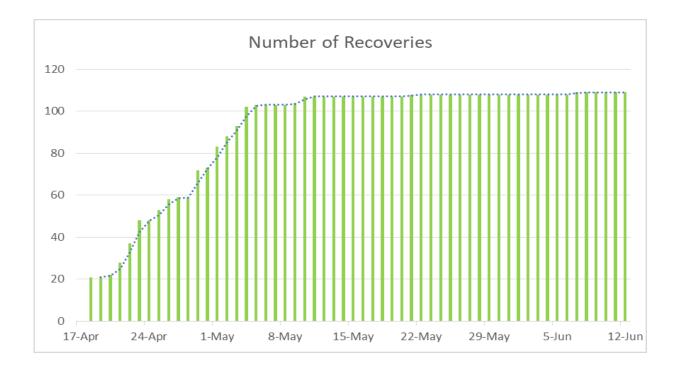


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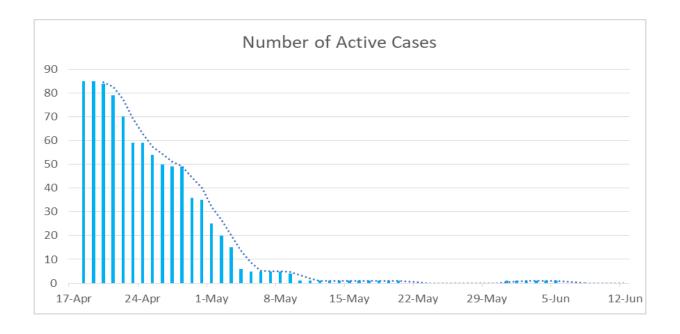


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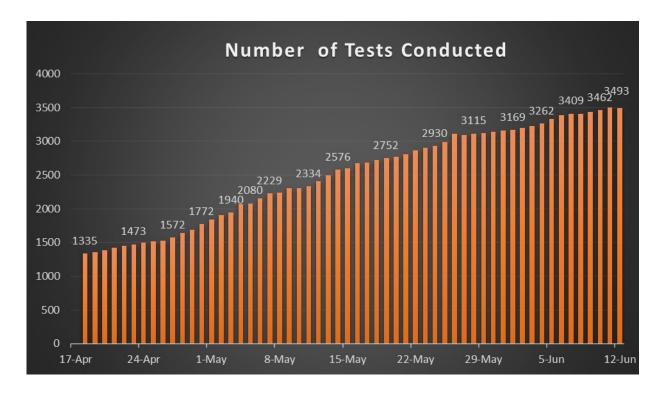


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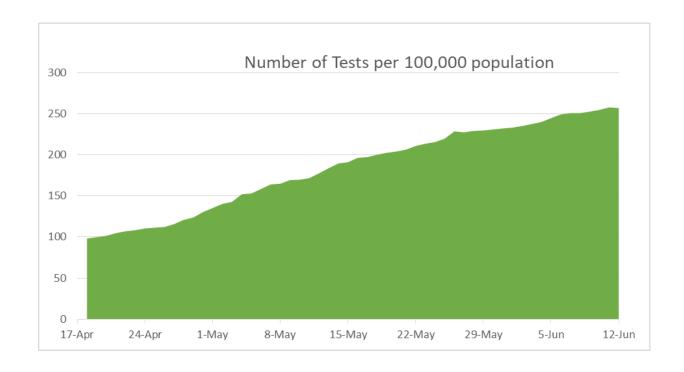


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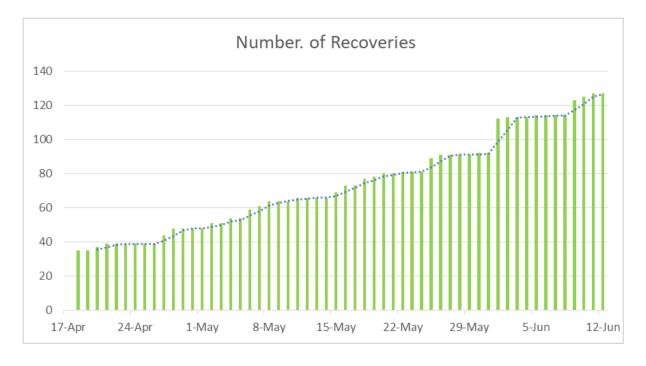


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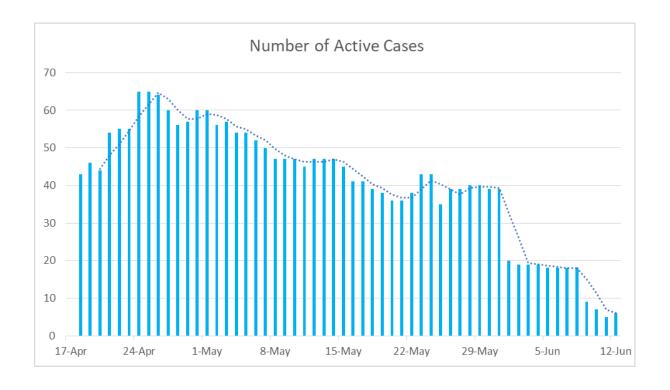


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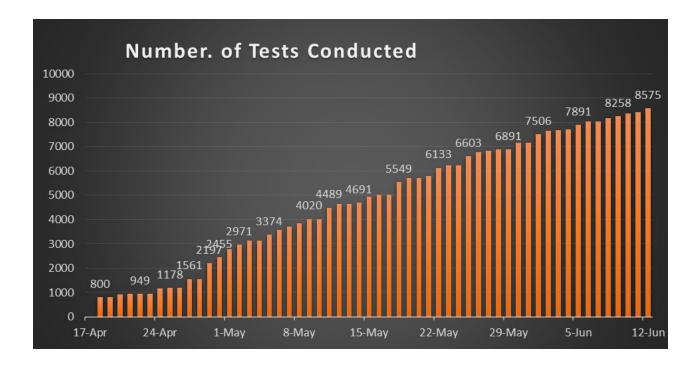


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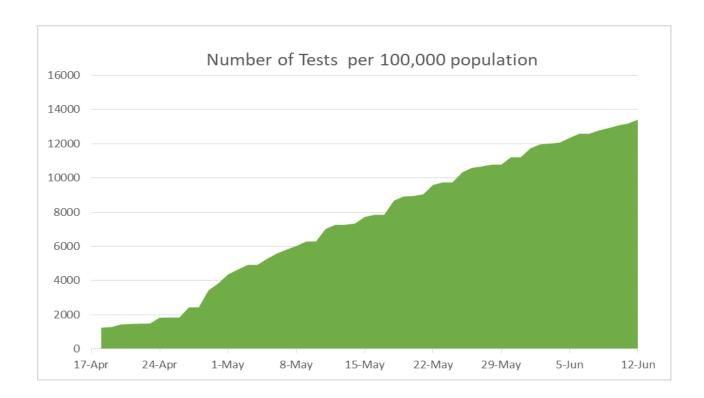


TABLE 6: APPROXIMATE MODE OF TRANSMISSION - SELECTED COUNTRIES AS AT 12 JUNE 2020

| Country | Imported Transmission | Local Transmission | Community Transmission | Under Investigation |
|--------------------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------|---------------------------|------------------------|
| | 0 | Local | | Investigation |
| Trinidad and Tobago | 85 | 24 | 1 | 7 |
| Guyana | 4 | 155 | 0 | 0 |
| Bermuda | 41 | 84 | 11 | 6 |
| Jamaica | 113 | 455 | 39 | 7 |
| St. Vincent and the Grenadines | 21 | 6 | - | - |
| Belize | 3 | 17 | | |

Note: There are differences in the classification of mode of transmission across countries. For example, Community Transmission, which according to international guidelines, reflects in part "Local Transmission with no epidemiological Link" is largely not used. In the case of Jamaica, approximately 236 cases in this category are linked to the workplace cluster and are placed under local transmission rather than Under Investigation. Please see Issue 2 for explanations on Mode of Transmission.

TABLE 7: CONFIRMED CASES BY SEX - SELECTED COUNTRIES AS AT 12 JUNE 2020

| Country | | | Not Stated |
|---------------------|------|------|------------|
| Jamaica | 259 | 355 | |
| Barbados | 44 | 52 | |
| Trinidad and Tobago | 46 | 63 | 8 |
| Bermuda | 61 | 81 | |
| Haiti | 2353 | 1588 | |
| Belize | 10 | 10 | |
| Cayman Islands | 101 | 86 | |

CHART 6: ANTIGUA AND BARBUDA

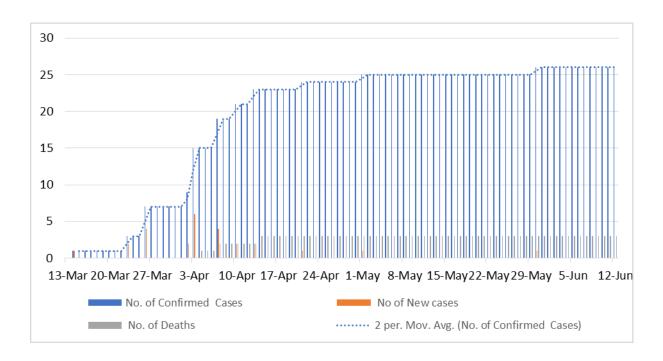
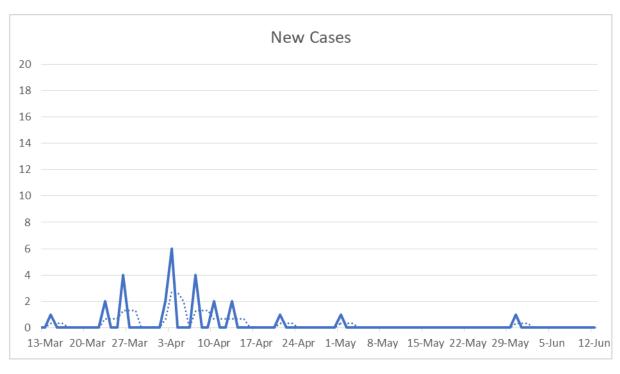


CHART 6A: ANTIGUA AND BARBUDA



Note: Antigua and Barbuda last new case was on **30 May** during the last reporting period. There were no new cases during **6-12 June**, the current reporting period. The number of confirmed cases remains at **26**.

CHART 7: THE BAHAMAS

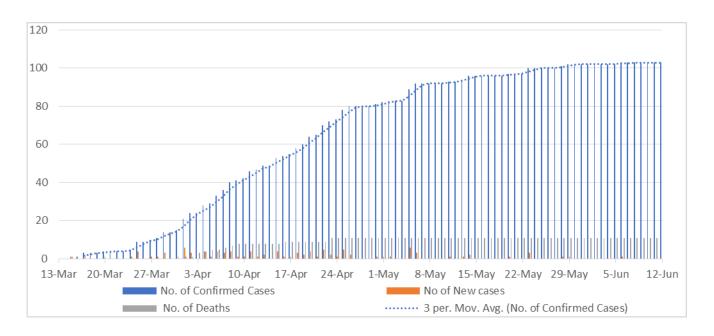
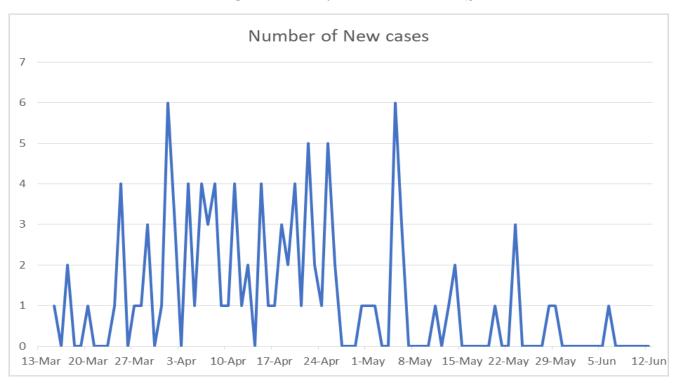


CHART 7A: THE BAHAMAS



Note: The Bahamas had one new case during 6-12 June after having no new cases during the week of 30 May –6 June. The number of confirmed cases stood at 103 as at 12 June.

CHART 7B: THE BAHAMAS

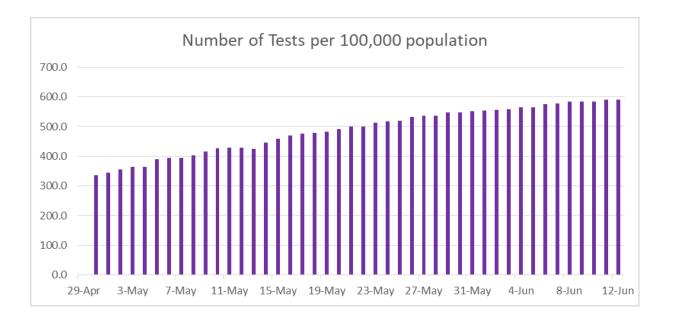


CHART 8: BARBADOS

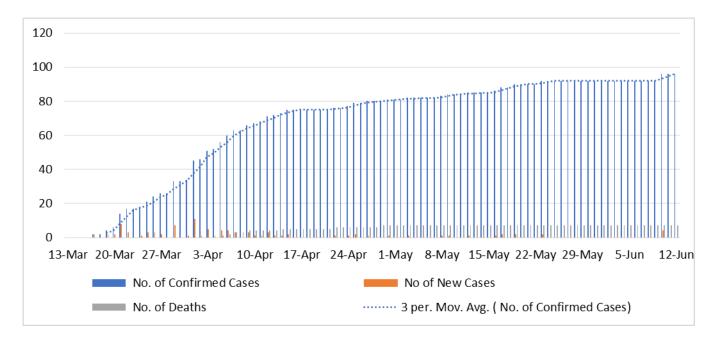
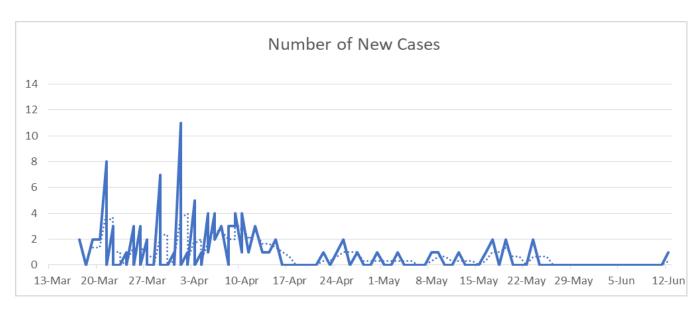


CHART 8A: BARBADOS



Note: Barbados had 4 new cases during the current reporting period 6-12 June after having no new cases during the previous reporting week, 30 May—5 June. The number of confirmed cases stood at 96, as at 12 June.

CHART 9: BELIZE

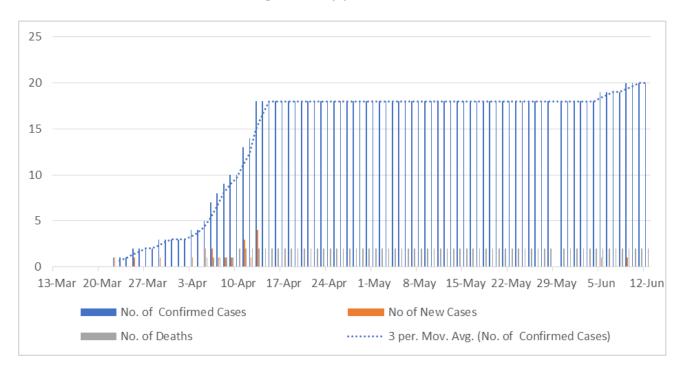
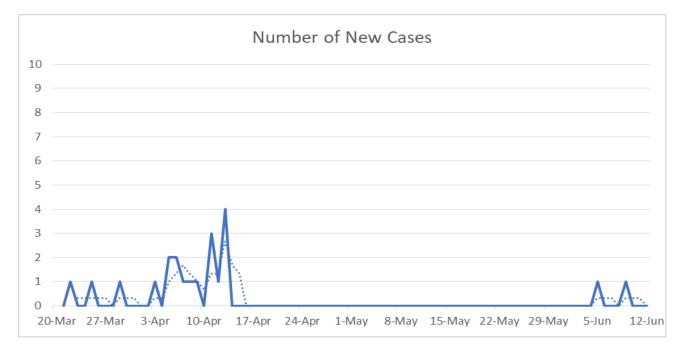


CHART 9A: BELIZE



Note: Belize experienced another new case during **6-12 June** after having a new case of COVID-19 on **5 June**. Prior to the new case on 5 June, the previous new case was on **13 April**, a period of **52** days without a case as at 4 June.

CHART 10: DOMINICA

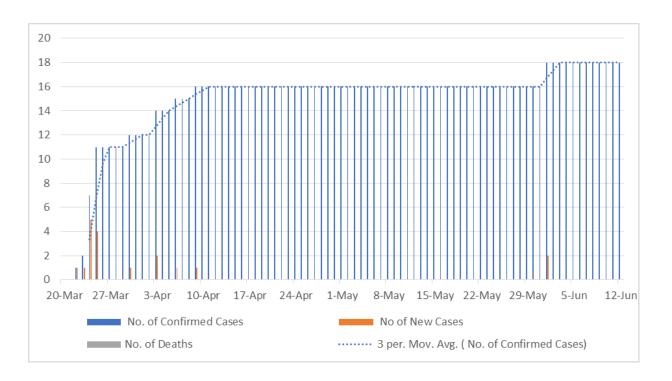
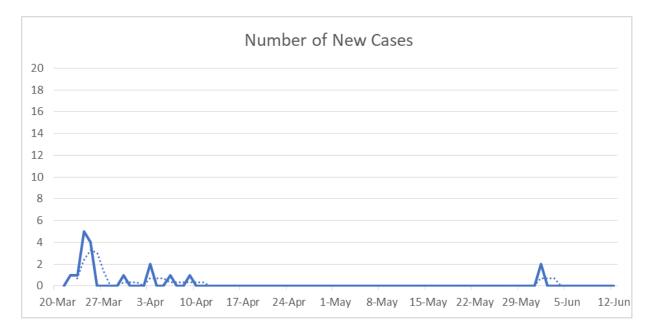


CHART 10A: DOMINICA



Note: Dominica had no new cases of COVID-19 during the current reporting period **6-12 June**. The last new case was on **1 June**. There was a long period without a case prior to 1 June dating back to **10 April**, a period of **50 days** as at 31 May.

CHART 11: GRENADA

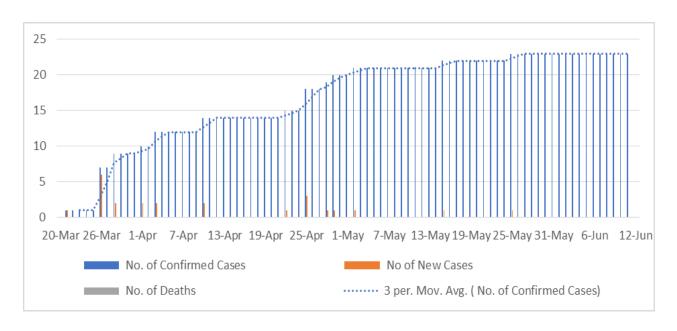
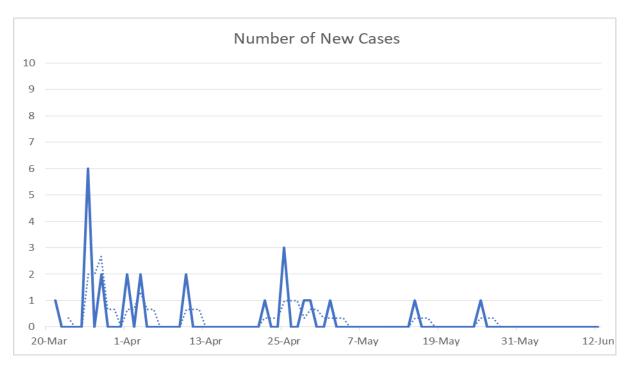


CHART 11A: GRENADA



Note: There were no new cases in Grenada from 6-12 June which was similar to the period 30 May—5 June. The last new case occurred on 25 May.

CHART 12: GUYANA

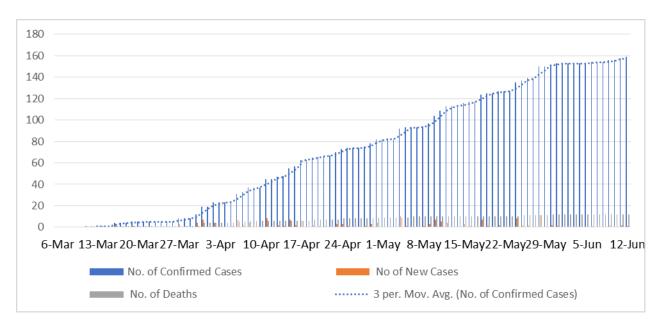
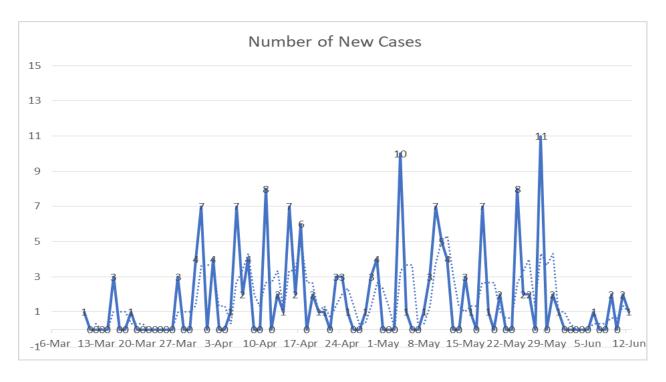


CHART 12A: GUYANA



Note: There were 6 new cases in Guyana during 6-12 June as compared to 5 during 30 May-5 June and 23 new cases during 23-29 May. The number of confirmed cases for Guyana increased to 159 as at 12 June.

CHART 12B: GUYANA

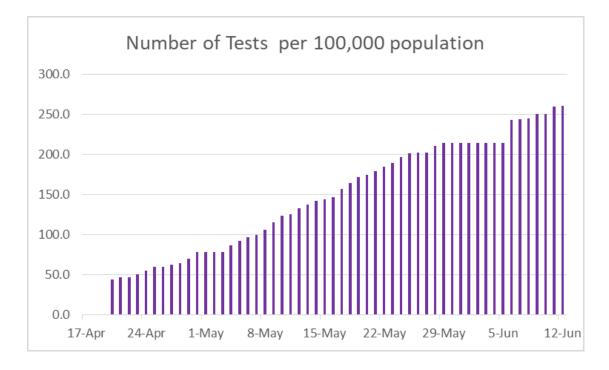


CHART 13: HAITI

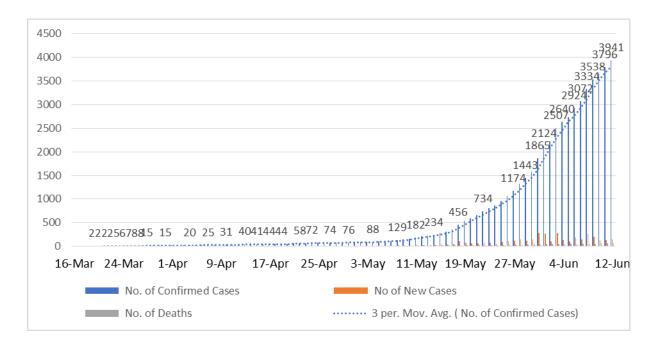
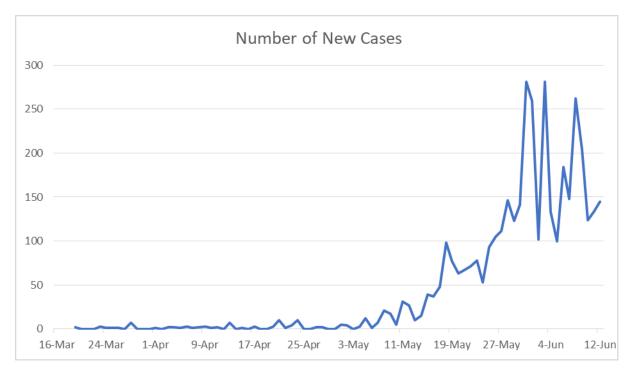


CHART 13A: HAITI



Note: There were 1201 new cases in Haiti during 6-12 June as compared to 1297 for the period 30 May—5 June, 709 for 23-29 May and 461 new cases from 16 -22 May. The 1201 new cases represented a reduction of 96 new cases from the last reporting period and also contributed to 88.8 percent of the total new cases for CARICOM which stood at 1353.

CHART 13B: HAITI

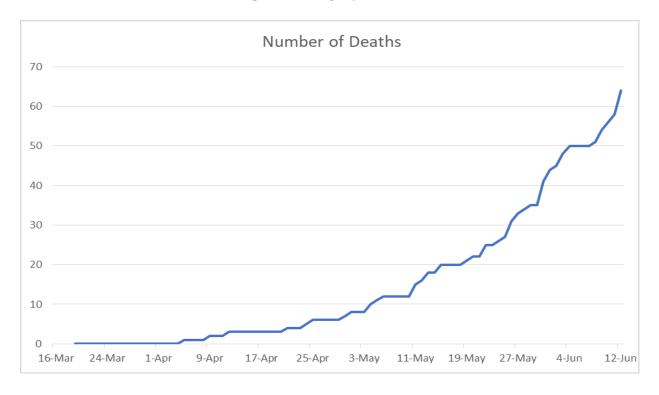


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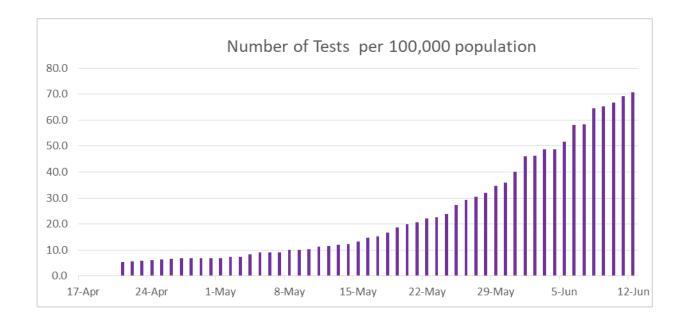


CHART 14: JAMAICA

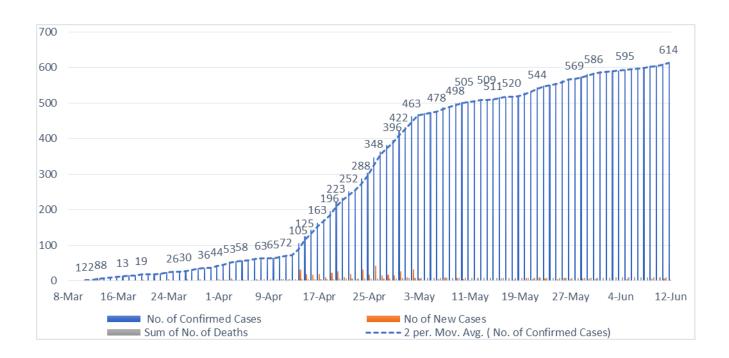
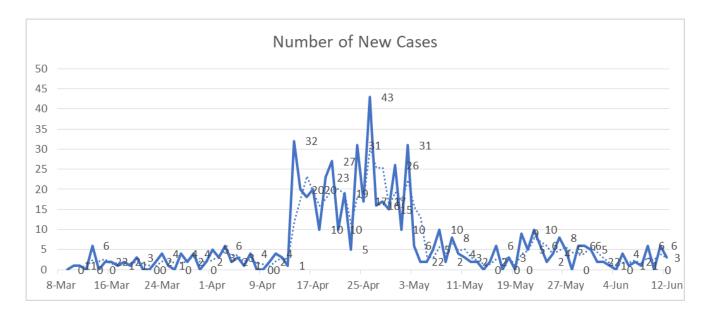


CHART 14A: JAMAICA



Note: Jamaica had 19 new cases during the current reporting period 6-12 June as compared to 20 new cases during the period 30 May-5 June, 31 new cases for the period 23-29 May, 33 new cases from 16-22 May and 21 cases for the period 9-15 May. The total number of confirmed cases stood at 614 as at 12 June.

CHART 15: MONTSERRAT

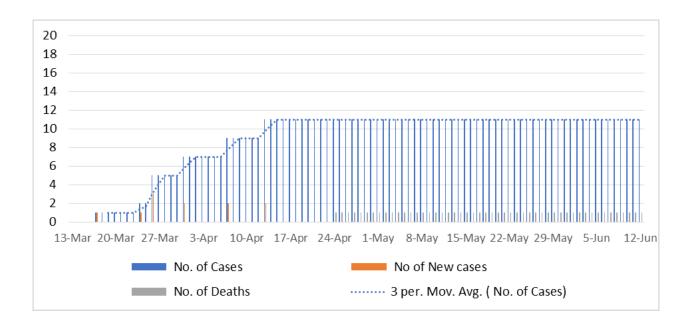
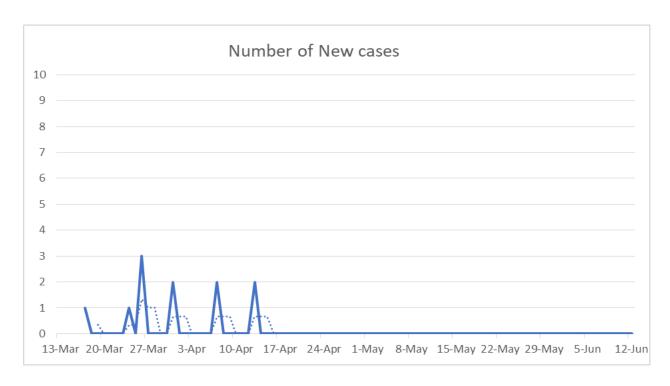


CHART 15A: MONTSERRAT



Note: There were no new cases in Montserrat since 13 April, a period of 60 days up to 12 June.

CHART 16: SAINT LUCIA

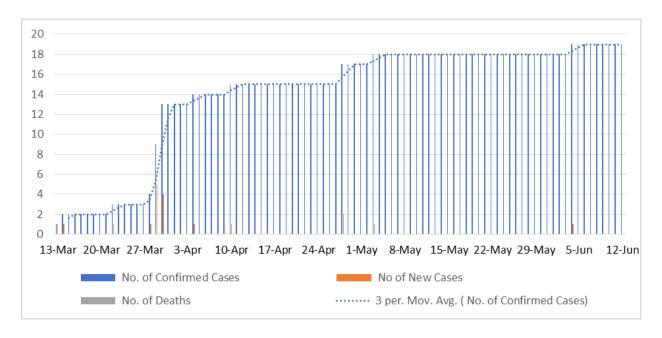
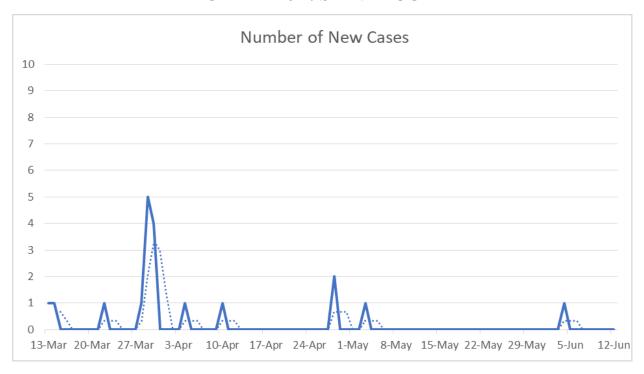


CHART 16A: SAINT LUCIA



Note: There were no new cases in Saint Lucia for the period 6-12 June. During the previous reporting period 30 May- 5 June, Saint Lucia had one new case on 4 June after a period of 31 days with no new case.

CHART 16B: SAINT LUCIA

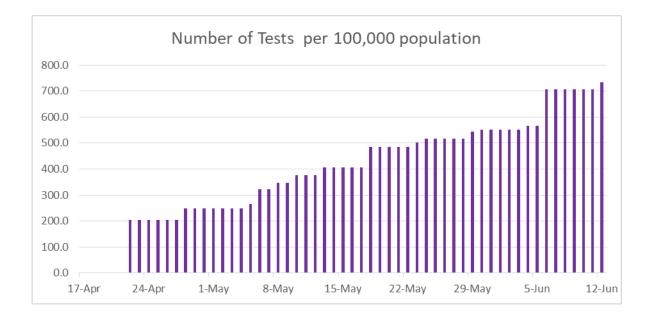


CHART 17: ST. KITTS AND NEVIS

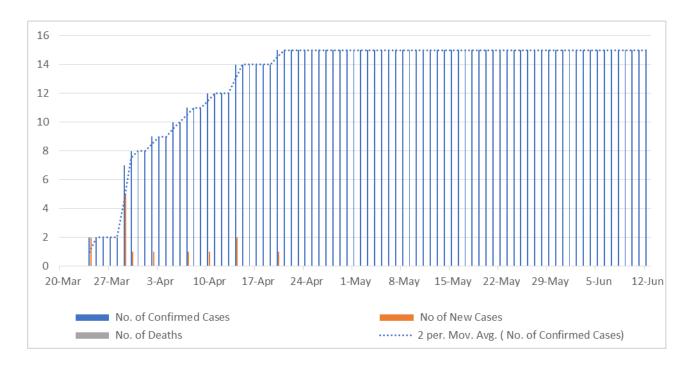
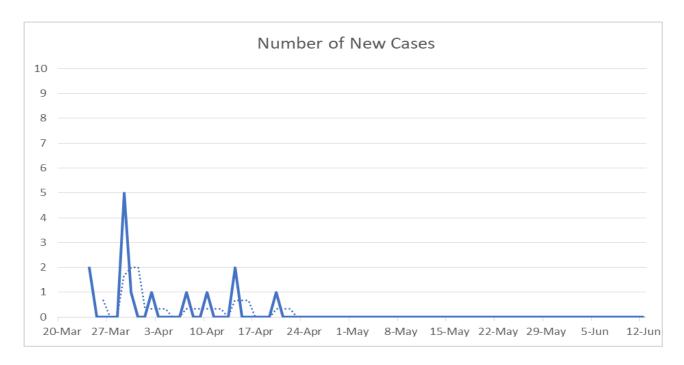


CHART 17A: ST. KITTS AND NEVIS



Note: The last confirmed case of COVID-19 in St Kitts and Nevis was on **20 April** a period of **53** days up to **12 June.**

CHART 18: ST. VINCENT AND THE GRENADINES

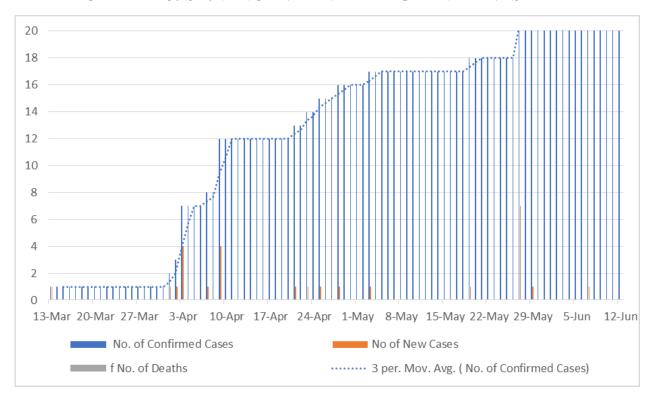
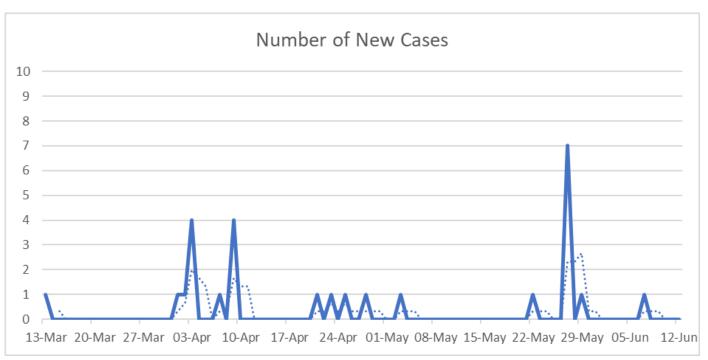


CHART 18A: ST. VINCENT AND THE GRENADINES



Note: There was one new case in St. Vincent and the Grenadines during 6-12 June after having no new cases during 30 May—5 June, and 8 new cases during 23-29 May. The new cases were primarily due to repatriated crew members (nationals) from a cruise liner.

CHART 18B: ST. VINCENT AND THE GRENADINES

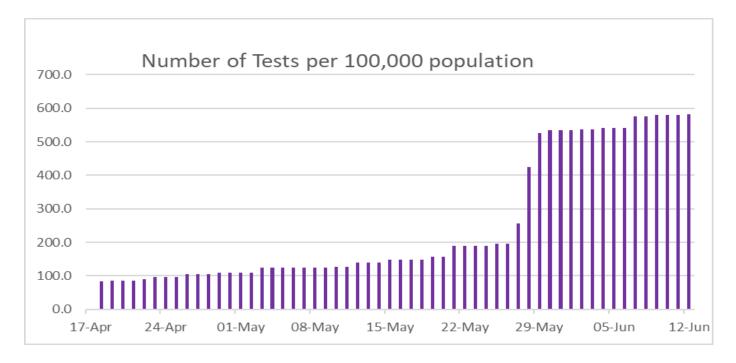


CHART 19: SURINAME

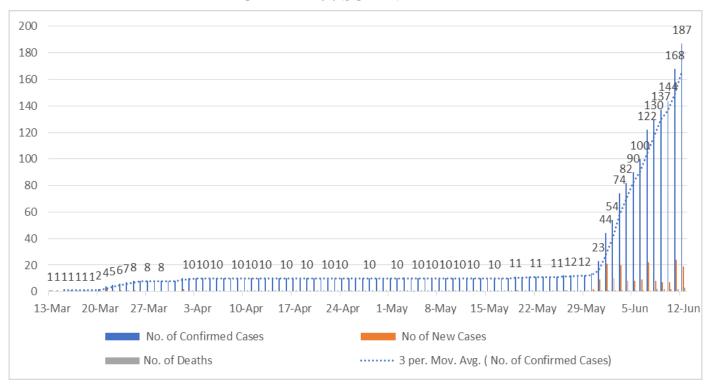
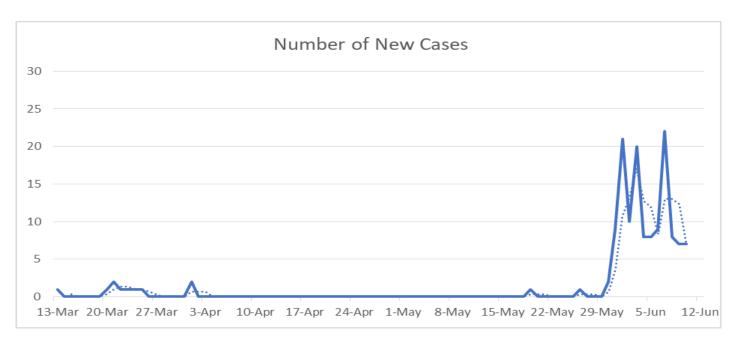


CHART 19A: SURINAME



Note: Suriname had 96 new cases from 6-12 June as compared to 78 new cases from 30 May—5 June. After a period of 47 days without a confirmed case, there was a new case on 19 May and another new case during 23-29 May. The number of confirmed cases for Suriname stood at 187 as at 12 June, after a long period at 10 cases.

CHART 20: TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO -TOTAL CONFIRMED CASES

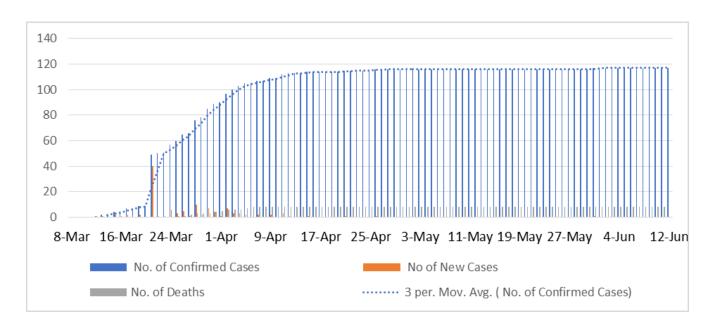
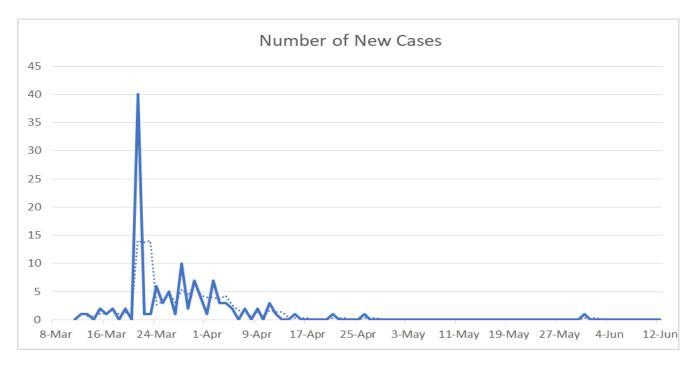


CHART 20A: TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO



Note: After **34 days** without a new case, Trinidad and Tobago experienced a new case on **31 May**. There were **no** new cases for the current reporting period **6-12 June**. The number of confirmed cases stood at **117** as at **12 June**.

CHART 20B: TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO - CRUISE PASSENGERS

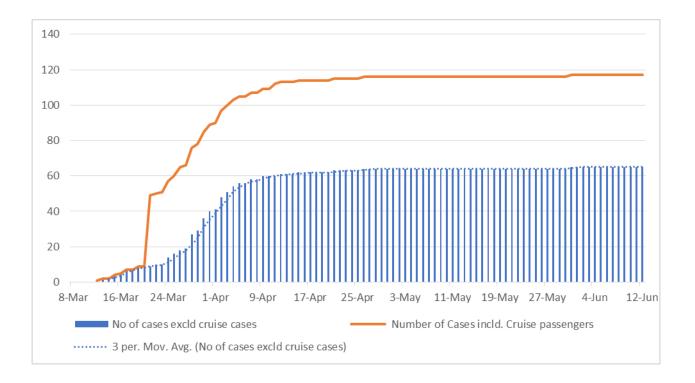
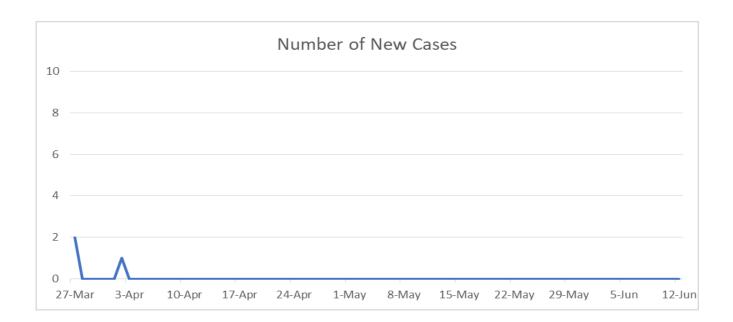


CHART 21: ANGUILLA



CHART 21A: ANGUILLA



Note: The last positive case of COVID-19 in Anguilla was 2 April, a period of 71 days up to 12 June.

CHART 22: BERMUDA

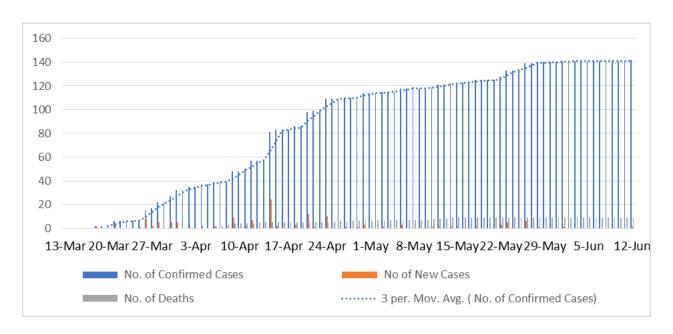
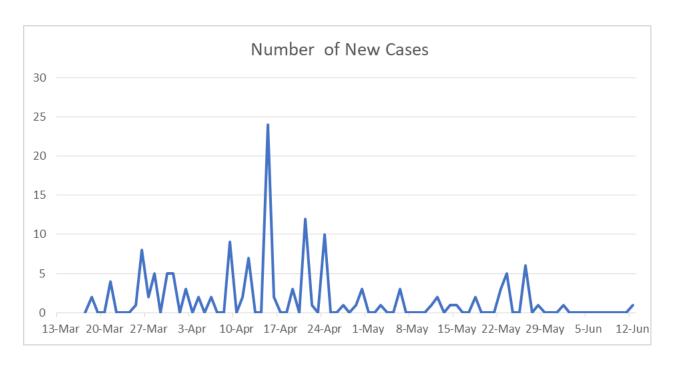


CHART 22A: BERMUDA



Note: Bermuda had **one** new case during the current reporting period **6-12 June**. There was also **one** new case during **30 May -5 June** and **12** new cases during 23-29 May . The number of confirmed cases for Bermuda stood at **142** as at **12 June**.

CHART 23: BRITISH VIRGIN ISLANDS

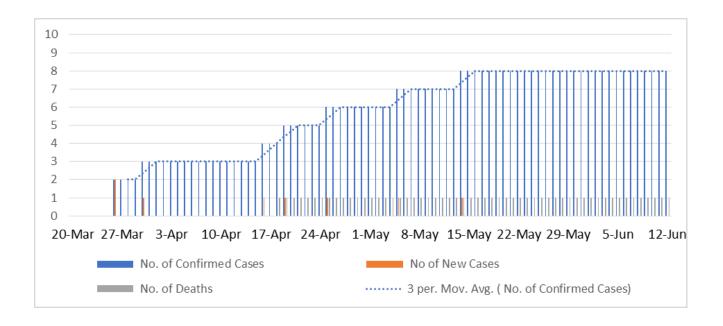
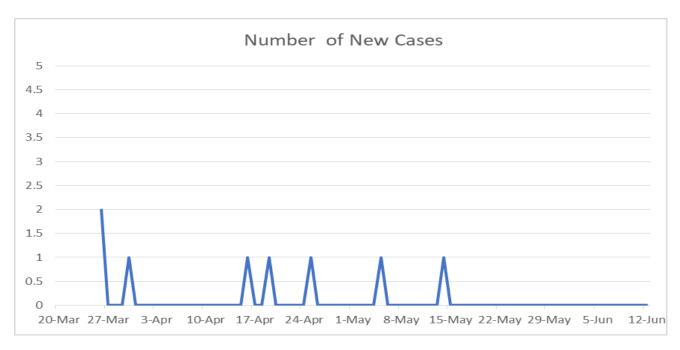


CHART 23A: BRITISH VIRGIN ISLANDS



Note: There were no new cases in the British Virgin Islands during 6-12 June following a same pattern for the period 30 May-5 June, the last positive case was on 14 May.

CHART 24: CAYMAN ISLANDS

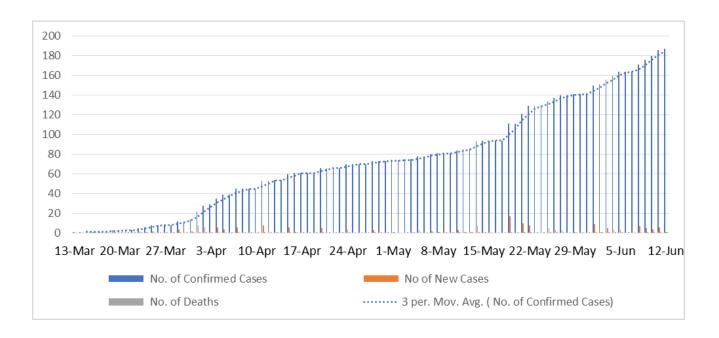
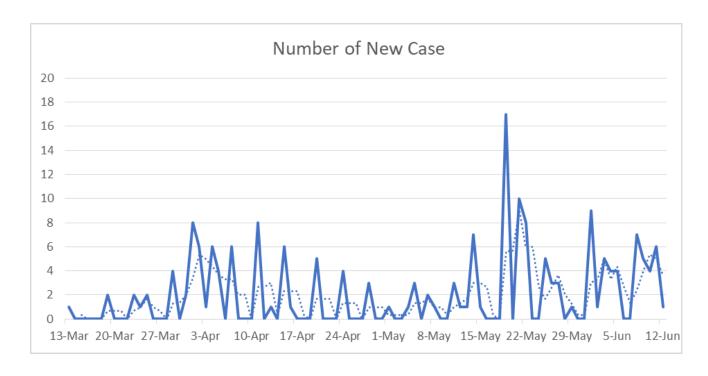


CHART 24A: CAYMAN ISLANDS



Note: There were 23 new cases in Cayman Islands during 6-12 June, the same as for the period 30 May-5 June. There were 12 new cases during 23-29 May, 35 new cases from 16-22 May and 13 new cases for the period 9-15 May. The number of confirmed cases stood at 187 as at 12 June.

CHART 25: TURKS AND CAICOS ISLANDS

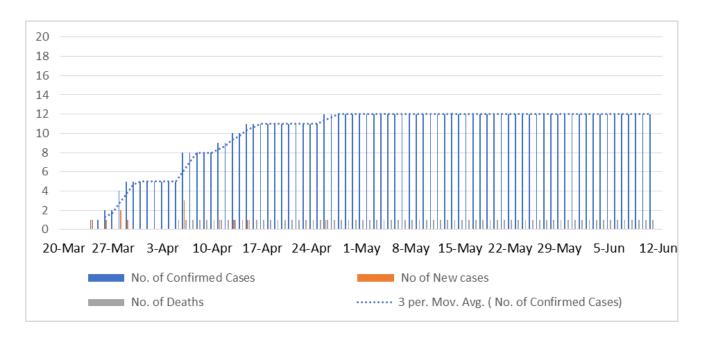
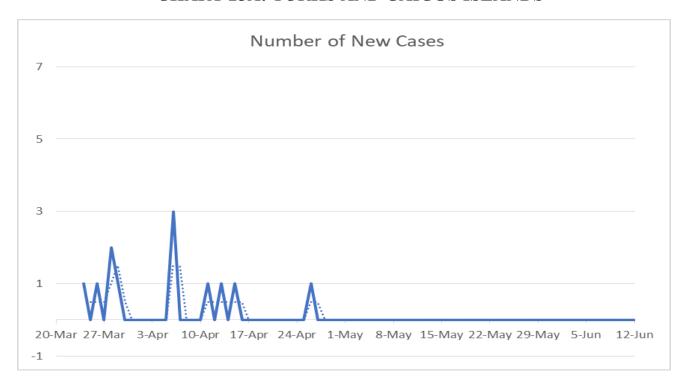


CHART 25A: TURKS AND CAICOS ISLANDS



Note: The last confirmed case in Turks and Caicos Islands was on 26 April, a period of 47 days as at 12 June.

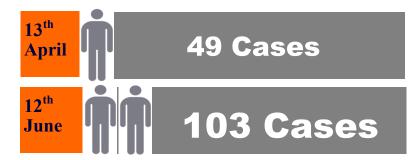
TABLE 8: TREND IN DOUBLING TIME -CARICOM AND SELECTED COUNTRIES

| COUNTRY | PERIOD | NO. OF CASES | NO. OF DAYS |
|---------------|-------------------|--------------|------------------|
| ALL COUNTRIES | 11 Apr 1 May | 613 1231 | 20 |
| | 14 Apr 8 May | 688 1376 | 24 |
| | 17 Apr 15 May | 809 1589 | 28 |
| | 25 Apr 22 May | 1064 2142 | 27 |
| With Haiti | 11 May 29 May | 1465 2946 | 18 |
| Without Haiti | 16 Apr 29 May | 738 1503 | 43 |
| With Haiti | 22 May 5 June | 2142 4375 | 14 |
| Without Haiti | 19 Apr 5 June | 809 1634 | 47 |
| With Haiti | 28 May 12 June | 2814 5728 | 15 Rate: 2.04 |
| Without Haiti | 22 Apr 12 June | 901 1787 | 51 Rate: 1.98 |
| Haiti | 15 Apr 1 May | 41 81 | 16 |
| | 23 Apr 8 May | 62 129 | 15 |
| | 8 May 15 May | 129 273 | 7 |
| | 17 May 22 May | 358 734 | 5 |
| | 22 May 29 May | 734 1443 | 7 |
| | 28 May 5 June | 1320 2740 | 8 |
| | 31 May 12 June | 1865 3941 | 12 Rate: 2.1 |
| Suriname | 1 June 5 June | 44 91 | 4 |
| | 5 June 12 June | 91 187 | 7 Rate: 2.1 |

DOUBLING OF CONFIRMED CASES IN SELECTED COUNTRIES

The Bahamas

Doubling (2.1) 60 days



Barbados

Approx. Doubling(2.1) 71 days



Guyana

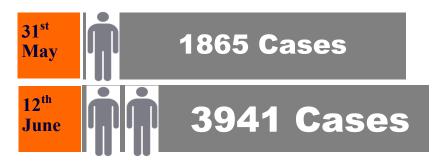
Approx. Doubling (2.04) 44 days

78 Cases

12th
June
159 Cases

Haiti

Doubling (2.1) - 12 days



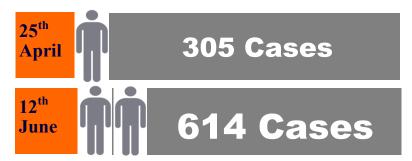
DOUBLING OF CONFIRMED CASES IN SELECTED COUNTRIES

Jamaica

Approx. Doubling (2.01) 48 days

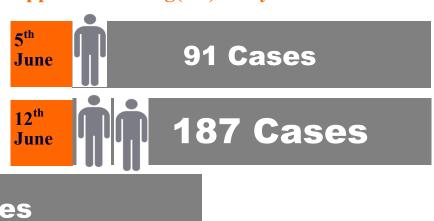
Trinidad and Tobago

Doubling (2.1) 80 days



Suriname

Approx. Doubling(2.1) 7 days





Bermuda

Approx. Doubling (1.8) - 58 days



DOUBLING OF CONFIRMED CASES IN SELECTED COUNTRIES

Cayman Islands

Approx. Doubling (2.01) 29 days

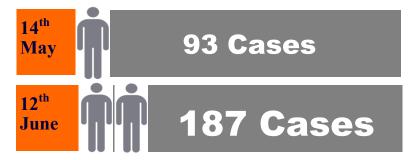


TABLE 9: EXPLANATIONS

| Key Term/Issues | Explanation |
|-----------------|---|
| Data on Testing | Testing for the occurrence of COVID-19 provides an understanding of the pandemic. It tells us how the virus is spreading. Testing should be able to tell us about the total number of cases or persons infected. However given the availability or lack thereof of equipment for testing and the establishment of protocols in many countries that invariably implies that persons should fulfil stated criteria to qualify to be tested, it is likely that the total number of cases are unknown. |
| | This data set on testing has increasingly become available for most CARICOM countries with some countries consistently reporting this information. A possible difference in the data is that the tests are performed in different testing laboratories across countries. In some cases testing is done for countries or validated by the Caribbean Public Health Agency (CARPHA) while in other cases they are conducted at national laboratories. Another difference is that tests may include repeated testing for confirmed cases to determine whether these persons have recovered. It is also possible that different types of tests are being reported. |
| | Why is data on testing needed? |
| | The simple answer is that without data on tests conducted on the COVID-19 we cannot possibly understand how the pandemic is progressing, and which contacts to trace and to quarantine. |
| Projections | The projections in this and previous Issues largely rely on using observed doubling rates, the rates of change of the latest period of data (prior to the estimation) or using fitted trend lines. No sophisticated modelling has been utilised. |
| | For example in the case of Chart 2, a linear projection is undertaken and the equation of that straight line is given as follows: |
| | y = -103.42 + 25.045 x |
| | Where y represents the number of confirmed cases and x the number of time periods from the commencement of the first case. |
| | Simply put, it is possible to use this equation to obtain predicted values. Assuming that it is necessary to calculate the number of predicted cases on the 29 th April as per the linear trend, the number of time periods (x- value) from the 10 March is roughly 50 so the predicted value works out as follows: |
| | $y_p = -103.42 + 25.045 \times 50 = 1252.25 -103.42 = 1148.83.$ |
| | The actual value for this same period is 1178 confirmed cases. |

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| Key Term/Issue | Explanation |
|---|---|
| Number of Cases per 100, 000 population | The number of cases per 100,000 population is calculated by dividing the number of cases by the total population, and then multiplying the result by a standard population size in this case 100,000. |
| | $Rate = \frac{No.of\ Confirmed\ Cases}{Total\ Population}\ x\ 100,000$ |
| | It is useful for comparing countries/regions of varying population sizes |
| | For very small values/small populations these rates may be unstable. |
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KEY REGIONAL AND INTERNATIONAL LINKS ON COVID-19

CARICOM Today: - https://today.caricom.org/covid19/regional/

Regional Statistics Programme (RSP): http://statistics.caricom.org/covid19 bulletin.html

UN DATA HUB:- https://covid-19-response.unstatshub.org/useful-links/international-organisations-resources/

CARPHA (Caribbean Public Health Agency) - https://carpha.org/What-We-Do/Public-Health/Novel-Coronavirus

Article: Tracking the Covid-19 Pandemic in CARICOM – Statistics of a Pandemic

https://today.caricom.org/2020/05/04/tracking-covid-19-pandemic-in-caricom/

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