

# Coronavirus Disease (COVID-19) Daily Update: 10 June 2020



SOUTH AFRICAN TOURISM



## Situational analysis

Source: WHO data 9 June 2020

Region	Confirmed cases		Deaths	
	New	Total	New	Total
Globally	108 918	7 039 918	3 539	404 396
Africa	5 086	140 498	116	3 352
Americas	54 864	3 366 251	2 146	183 950
Eastern Med	17 185	658 614	311	14 913
Europe	16 801	2 303 361	551	184 671
Sout East Asia	13 922	378 118	406	10 376
Western Pacific	1 060	192 335	9	7 121



### Spread

- [The Supreme Court Justice in Brazil has instructed the country's administration to make its coronavirus data publicly available. Brazil has been pushing to reopen despite having a record of new daily case numbers.](#)
- [Coronavirus hospitalisations have risen sharply in several states in the United States of America following Memorial Day.](#)



## South Africa:

Date	Tests	Negative	Positive	Deaths	% +/- Tests	% test/Pop (58 780 000)	Fatality Rate (Deaths/Pos)	Recoveries	Recovery Rate % (Rec/Pos)
3 June	785 979	748 525	37 525	792	4,77	1,34	2,11	19 682	52
4 June	820 675	779 883	40 792	848	4,97	1,4	2,08	21 311	52
5 June	850 871	807 437	43 434	908	5,1	1,45	2,09	23 088	53
6 June	891 668	845 695	45 973	952	5,16	1,52	2,07	24 258	53
7 June	920 064	871 779	48 285	998	5,25	1,57	2,07	24 364	50
8 June	943 059	892 180	50 879	1 080	5,4	1,6	2,12	26 099	51
9 June	968 070	915 079	52 991	1 162	5,47	1,65	2,19	29 006	55

Visit: [www.sacoronavirus.co.za](http://www.sacoronavirus.co.za) for the latest updates. SA Tourism will make updates available on [www.southafrica.net](http://www.southafrica.net).

The number of cases has increased approximately 4.2% day-on-day with 8,4% daily positivity rate. The number of cases in the Eastern Cape and Gauteng have increased by more than 50% over the past seven days. However, deaths in the Eastern Cape is more than double that in GP with similar total confirmed cases, possibly indicating more undetected cases.

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### SOUTH AFRICA NEWS

#### TOURISM RELATED ARTICLES

- [Laying the ground for future travel SA Tourism CEO reveals industry preparations as travel and tourism activities gradually resume](#)
- [Business interrupted, but insurers don't want to pay Legal battles brewing as tourism and hospitality industry cries foul over Covid-19 claims](#)
- [Insurers reject business interruption claims by tourism sector The rejection has led to a dispute, and intervention by the Financial Sector Conduct Authority has been called for](#)
- [CHRIS GILMOUR: SA must be persuaded not to strangle fledgling tourism industry If inbound tourism only opens by February, there will most likely not be a travel industry left to speak of](#)
- [Tourism industry pleads for early lifting of travel restrictions The industry wants the Covid-19 travel restrictions to be lifted from September to allow it to benefit from the peak tourism season](#)
- [Lift travel ban earlier to save 1.2m jobs, tourism body pleads](#)
- [Tourism body pleads for international travel ban to be lifted to save more than a million jobs The Tourism Business Council of SA is pleading to government to lift restrictions on international travel earlier than planned. This is as a jobs bloodbath is expected in the tourism sector. 50% of tourism businesses could not cover debt repayments or fixed costs in March, Parliament was told](#)
- [MPs lash SA Express liquidators SA Expresses liquidators will be subpoenaed to appear before the Standing Committee of Public Accounts \(Scopa\), after the team failed to attend the scheduled briefing with members of Parliament \(MPs\) on Tuesday](#)
- [Unions set hopes on UAE investor to save SA Express The National Union of Metalworkers of South Africa and the South African Cabin Crew Association claim to have an investor from the United Arab Emirates potentially interested in buying a stake in SA Express](#)
- [African airlines could lose \\$2bn in the worst financial year in aviation history 2020 is expected to go down in history as the worst yet for aviation, says the head of IATA](#)
- [Tsogo Sun Gaming's annual profit hit by lockdown Tsogo Sun Gaming on Tuesday reported a marginal fall in annual core earnings and did not declare a final dividend, as it shuttered its casinos amid nationwide lockdowns to contain the spread of the Covid-19 pandemic](#)
- [South Africans stranded on cruise ships set to come home at last Over 250 South African crew members of cruise ships stranded at sea since March will, at last, complete their epic voyage by flying home this week, from the Netherlands](#)

## GENERAL COVID-19 RELATED ARTICLES

- [SA amends criteria for Covid-19 testing](#) In response to the global shortages of test kits for coronavirus, the Health Department has amended the criteria for testing to ensure there was targeted screening and testing
- [Post-lockdown SA: 5 lessons from our future](#) It would benefit us to take heed of early trial and error elsewhere as we find a way to manage the health-care crisis of Covid-19, alongside economic recovery
- [SA faces the worst economic contraction in a century, says World Bank](#) The base case prediction for the global economy is a contraction of 5.2% — and it could be as much as 8%
- [Cele worried by surge in number of deaths since lifting of ban on alcohol sales](#)

## GLOBAL NEWS

- The Chinese government will take a stake in Cathay Pacific and gain a presence on the airline's board as part of the recapitalization programme. Analysts warn about the influence that government's stakeholding will have on management going forward.
- [Paris will reopen the Eiffel Tower on 25 June and all visitors aged 11 and above will have to wear a face mask. This is the longest period that the landmark been closed since the war](#)
- [Accor Hotel Group is expecting United Arab Emirates and Saudi Arabia to lead the recovery in the Middle East](#)
- [Emirates Airlines is beginning to lay-off staff in a 'right-sizing' exercise and extending limited pay for some workers through to September](#)
- Some of the biggest restaurant chains in the United Kingdom are prepared to close sites or use insolvency procedures to push through rent cuts. Many of these restaurants were struggling before lockdown, so the pandemic has pushed them over the edge. The new bills being passed are also giving tenants the upper hand in negotiations, with certain leniencies now governed by law.
- [MGM Resorts have announced the opening of more of their properties in Las Vegas, but not all amenities will be available 100%](#)

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