

Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID19)

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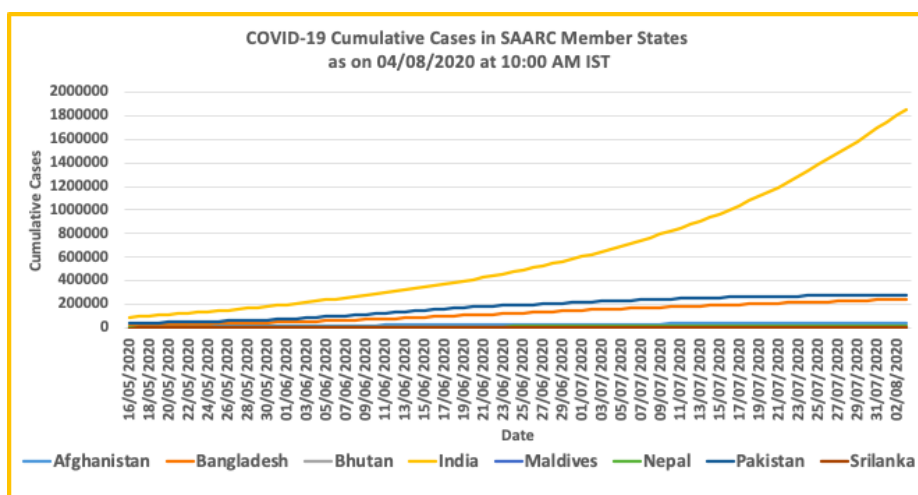
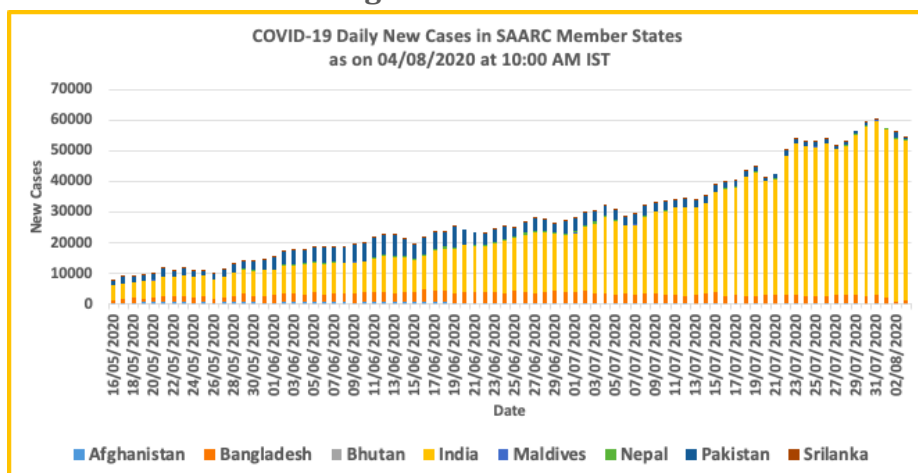
SAARC Disaster Management Centre (IU)

COVID-19 cases in the SAARC Member States

Country	Total Cases	Total Deaths	Recovered
Afghanistan	36,710	1283	25,509
Bangladesh	242,102	3184	137,905
Bhutan	103	0	90
India	18,55,746	38,938	12,30,509
Maldives	4293	18	2670
Nepal	20,750	57	14,961
Pakistan	280,461	5999	249,397
Sri Lanka	2828	11	2517
Total	244,42,993	49,490	16,63,558

- As of 3rd August 2020- 17,918,582 people have been affected by COVID-19 worldwide. About 686,703 lives have been lost. (Source: WHO)
- SAARC region comprises of over 21% of the world's population which remains vulnerable towards COVID-19. The Member States have reported 24,42,993 cases, a total of 49,490 deaths in the region, and 16,63,558 recovered cases.
- Based on the day wise data of COVID-19 cases in the SAARC Member States, time-series graphs below show the trend of daily cases and cumulative figures:

Regional Situation



Source (in order of countries):

WHO Eastern Mediterranean Regional Office (as reported on 03.08.2020 at 16:31),

Institute of Epidemiology, Disease Control and Research, Govt. of Bangladesh (as on 03.08.2020)

Ministry of Health, Royal Govt. of Bhutan (as on 03.08.2020)

Ministry of Health & Family Welfare, Govt. of India (as on 04.08.2020 at 08:00 AM)

Ministry of Health, Republic of Maldives (as on 04 Aug 2020 -01:00)

Ministry of Home Affairs, NDRRMA, Govt. of Nepal (03 Aug 2020, 19:24)

COVID19 Portal, Govt. of Pakistan (04 Aug, 2020 - 09:35 am)

Epidemiology Unit, Ministry of Health, Govt. of Sri Lanka (as on 08:30 PM, 03.08.2020)



- National Security Advisor of Afghanistan met with Indian Ambassador and discussed issues of mutual interest. Indian Ambassador spoke of India's continued help for Afghanistan against COVID-19, and NSA lauded India's support, affirming Afghanistan's strong commitment to the bilateral partnership. *(Source: @NSCAfghan)*
- India:
 - The Drugs Controller General of India (DCGI) has given approval to Serum Institute of India, Pune to conduct Phase II+III clinical trials of Oxford University-Astra Zeneca COVID-19 vaccine (COVISHIELD) in India. This will hasten the development of the COVID-19 vaccine.
 - India crosses a milestone, conducts more than 2 crore COVID tests. *(Source: pib.gov.in)*