

# Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID19)

## Situation Report – 130

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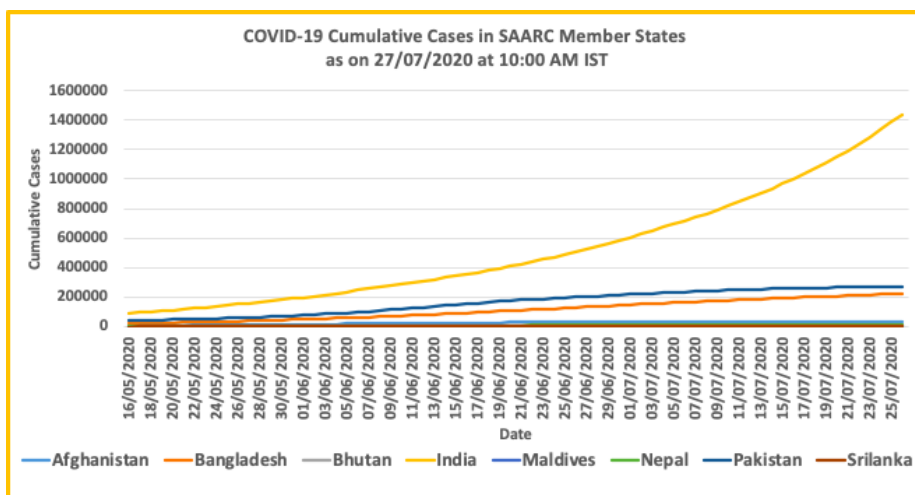
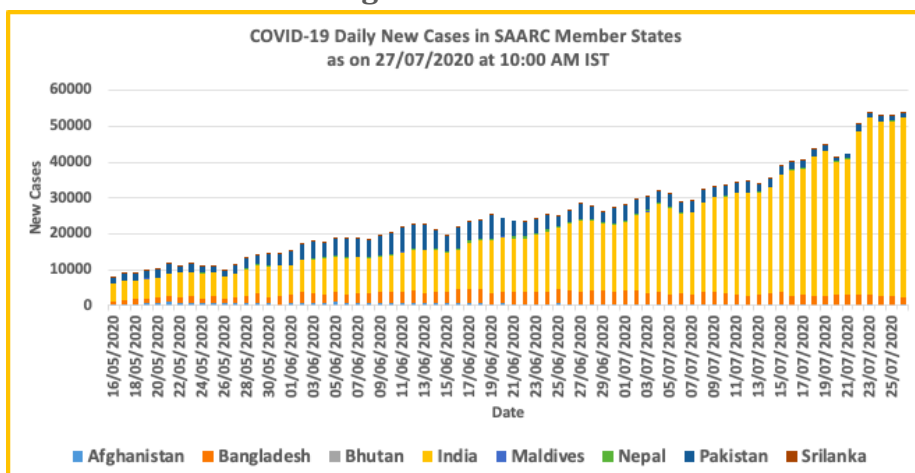
SAARC Disaster Management Centre (IU)

### COVID-19 cases in the SAARC Member States

Country	Total Cases	Total Deaths	Recovered
Afghanistan	36,157	1259	25,180
Bangladesh	223,453	2928	123,882
Bhutan	95	0	85
India	14,35,453	32,771	917,567
Maldives	3302	15	2528
Nepal	18,613	44	13,128
Pakistan	274,289	5842	241,026
Sri Lanka	2782	11	2106
<b>Total</b>	<b>19,94,144</b>	<b>42,870</b>	<b>13,25,502</b>

- As of 26<sup>th</sup> July 2020- 15,785,641 people have been affected by COVID-19 worldwide. About 640,016 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 19,94,144 cases, a total of 42,870 deaths in the region, and 13,25,502 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 26.07.2020 at 16:31),

Institute of Epidemiology, Disease Control and Research, Govt. of Bangladesh (as on 26.07.2020)

Ministry of Health, Royal Govt. of Bhutan (as on 26.07.2020)

Ministry of Health & Family Welfare, Govt. of India (as on 27.07.2020 at 08:00 AM)

Ministry of Health, Republic of Maldives (as on 27 July 2020 -00:17)

Ministry of Home Affairs, NDRRMA, Govt. of Nepal (26 July 2020, 20:37)

COVID19 Portal, Govt. of Pakistan (27 July, 2020 - 09:33 am)

Epidemiology Unit, Ministry of Health, Govt. of Sri Lanka (as on 08:30 PM, 26.07.2020)



- Under Vande Bharat Mission, eighth batch of stranded Indian citizens left Kabul to Delhi yesterday. Travel of some members of the Hindu and Sikh Community, interested in moving to India, was also facilitated. *(Source: @IndianEmbKabul)*
  
- India: Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi will launch high throughput COVID-19 testing facilities on 27<sup>th</sup> July via video conferencing.
  - These facilities will ramp up testing capacity in the country and help in strengthening early detection and treatment, thus assisting in controlling the spread of the pandemic.
  - These three high-throughput testing facilities have been set up strategically at ICMR-National Institute of Cancer Prevention and Research, Noida; ICMR-National Institute for Research in Reproductive Health, Mumbai; and ICMR-National Institute of Cholera and Enteric Diseases, Kolkata, and will be able to test over 10,000 samples in a day.
  - The labs are enabled to test diseases other than COVID as well, post the pandemic. *(Source: pib.gov.in)*