

Covid19graphics 7

19 May 2020

COVID-19 Prevention Tips



WASH

Wash your hands frequently using soap for at least 20 seconds or sanitise them using alcohol-based handrub.



COVER

Use tissues when you cough or sneeze and dispose them immediately in a closed bin. Use flexed-elbow if tissue is unavailable.



AVOID

Avoid touching your mouth, eyes and nose, especially after contact with any surface.



DISTANCE

Practice social distancing by not shaking hands, hugging, etc.

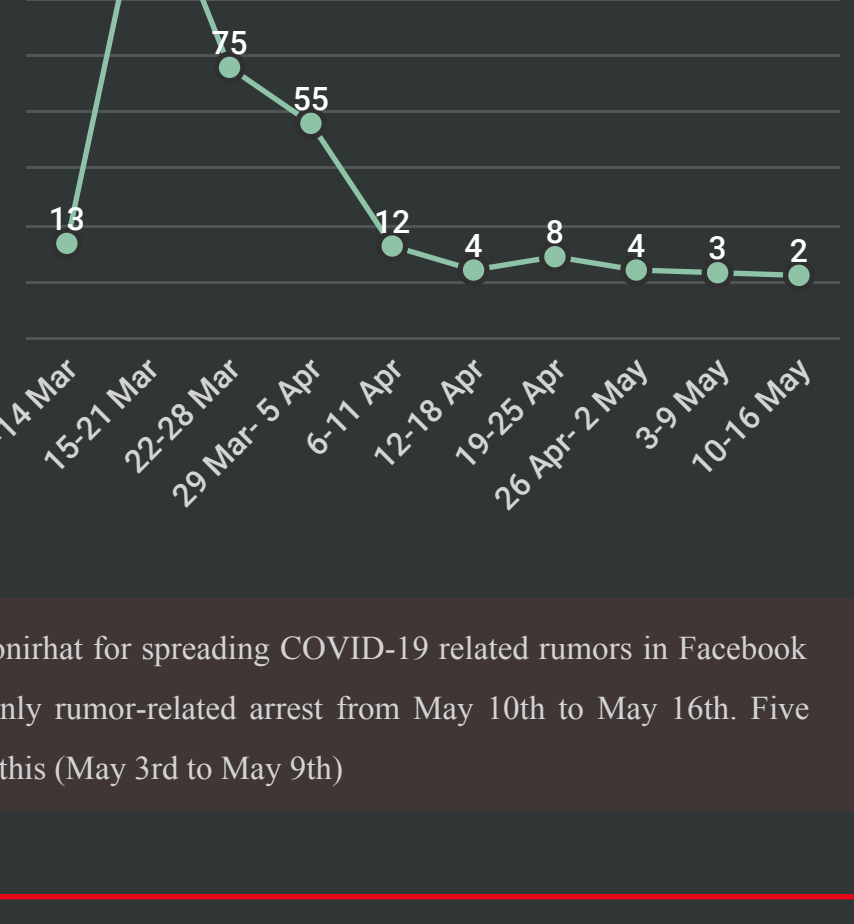


ISOLATE

Stay at home if you become ill and help prevent its spread.

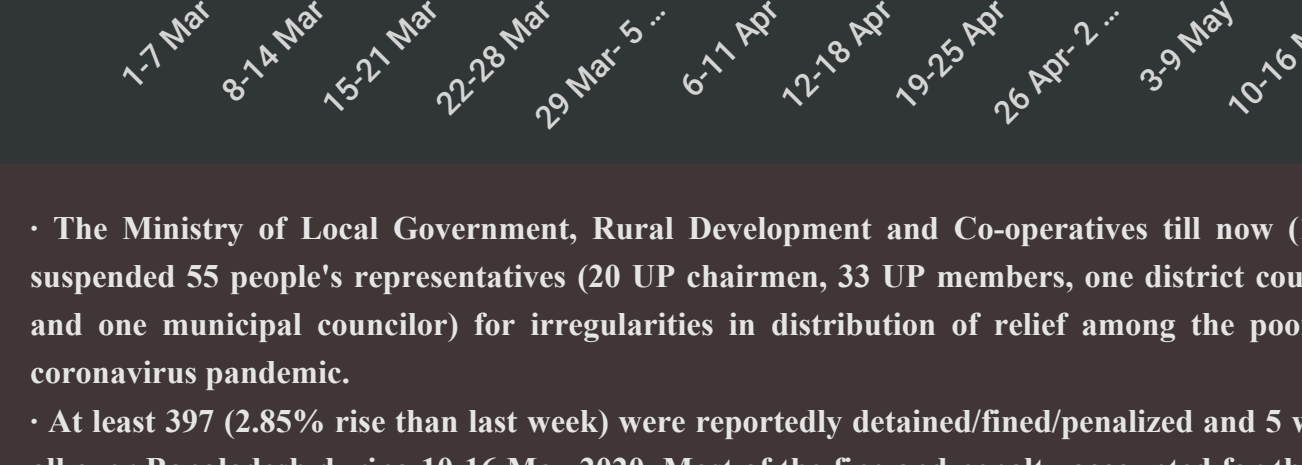
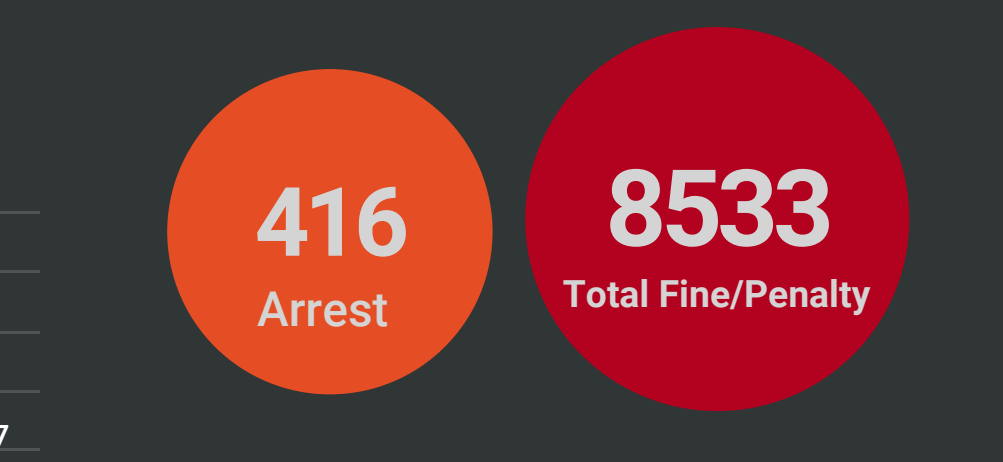
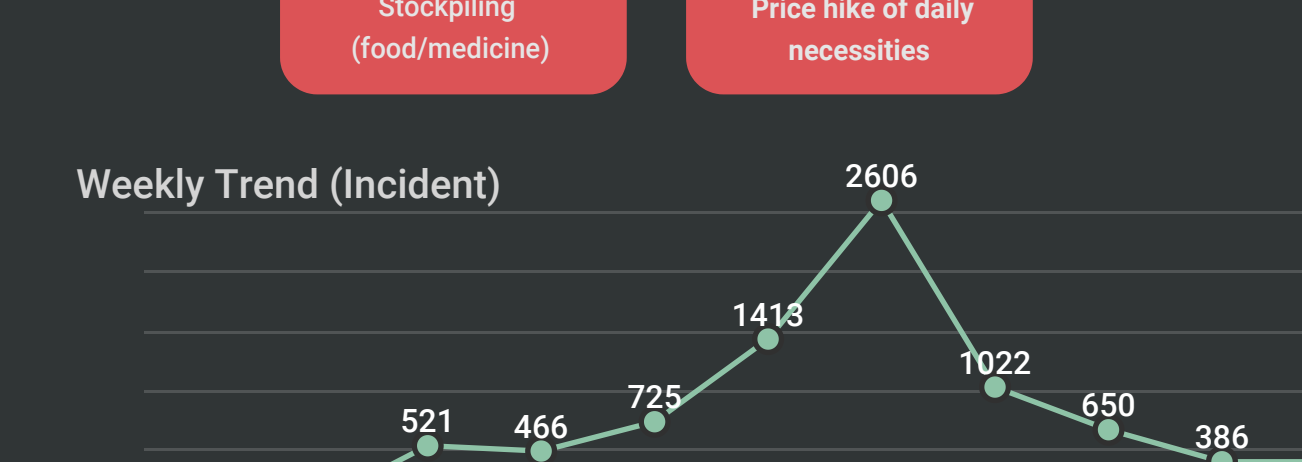
Covid-19 Related Incident Mapping in Bangladesh

Update: 1 March- 16 May 2020



Rumors

*Weekly Trend: A college teacher was arrested from Lalmonirhat for spreading COVID-19 related rumors in Facebook under 'Digital Security Act' in Bangladesh which is the only rumor-related arrest from May 10th to May 16th. Five individuals were arrested for similar act in the week prior to this (May 3rd to May 9th)



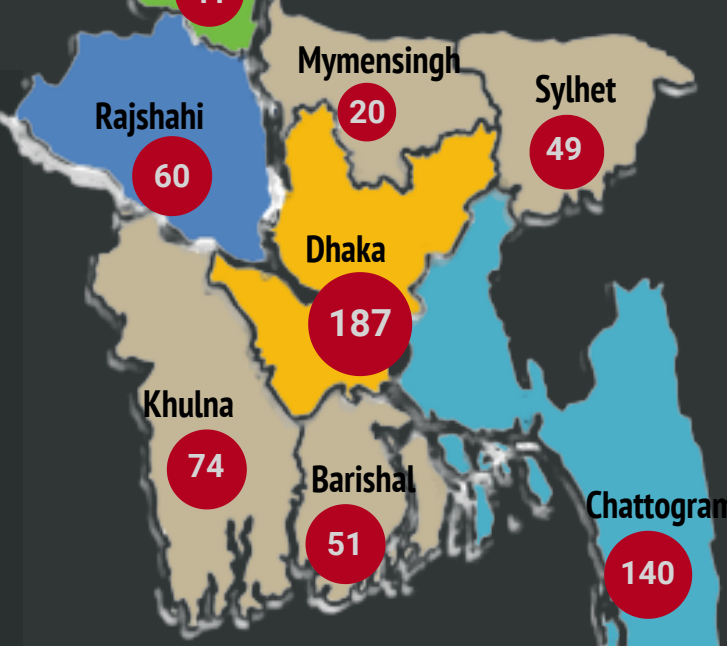
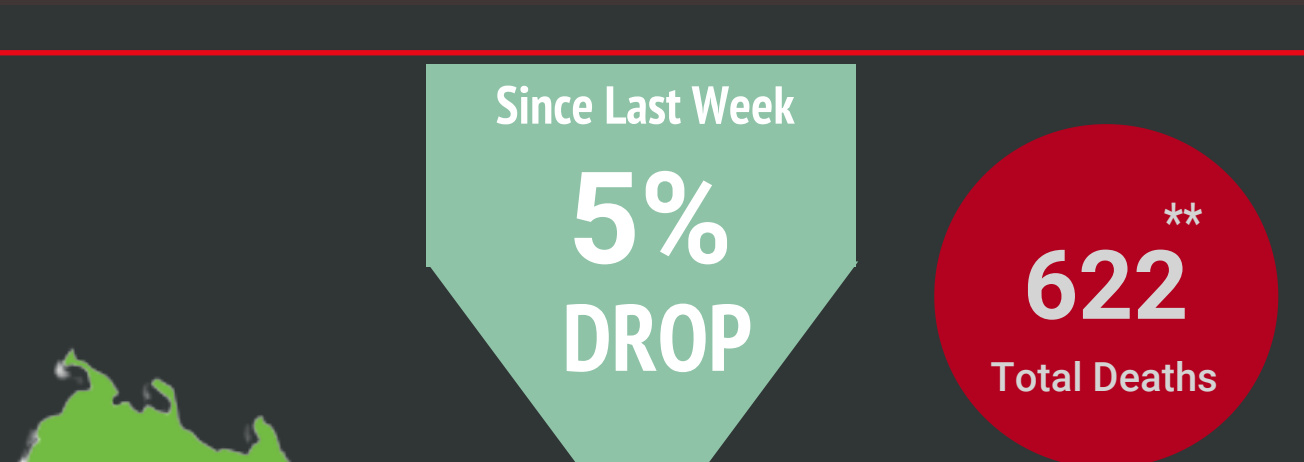
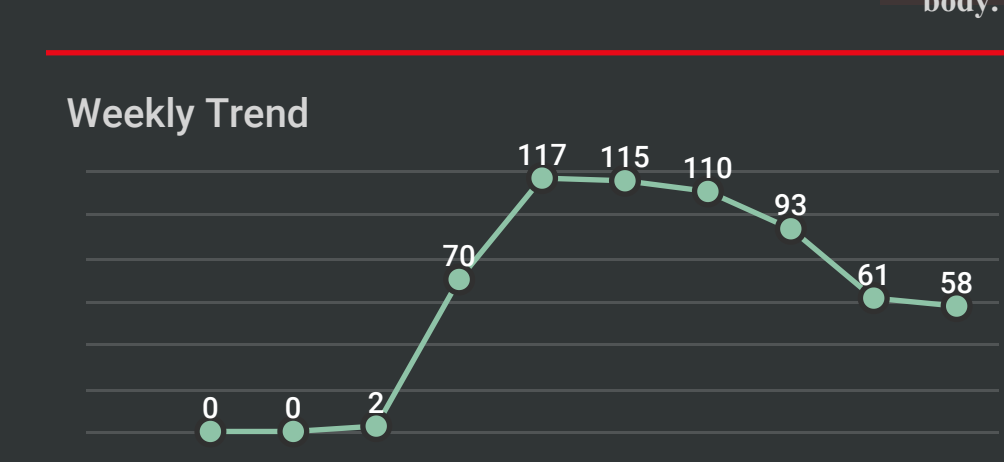
The Ministry of Local Government, Rural Development and Co-operatives till now (13 May) has suspended 55 people's representatives (20 UP chairmen, 33 UP members, one district council member and one municipal councillor) for irregularities in distribution of relief among the poor amidst the coronavirus pandemic.
At least 397 (2.85% rise than last week) were reportedly detained/fined/penalized and 5 were arrested all over Bangladesh during 10-16 May 2020. Most of the fine and penalty accounted for the violation of health and safety regulations amid the limited shopping before Eid-ul-Fitr.

Fine/ Penalty/ Punishment



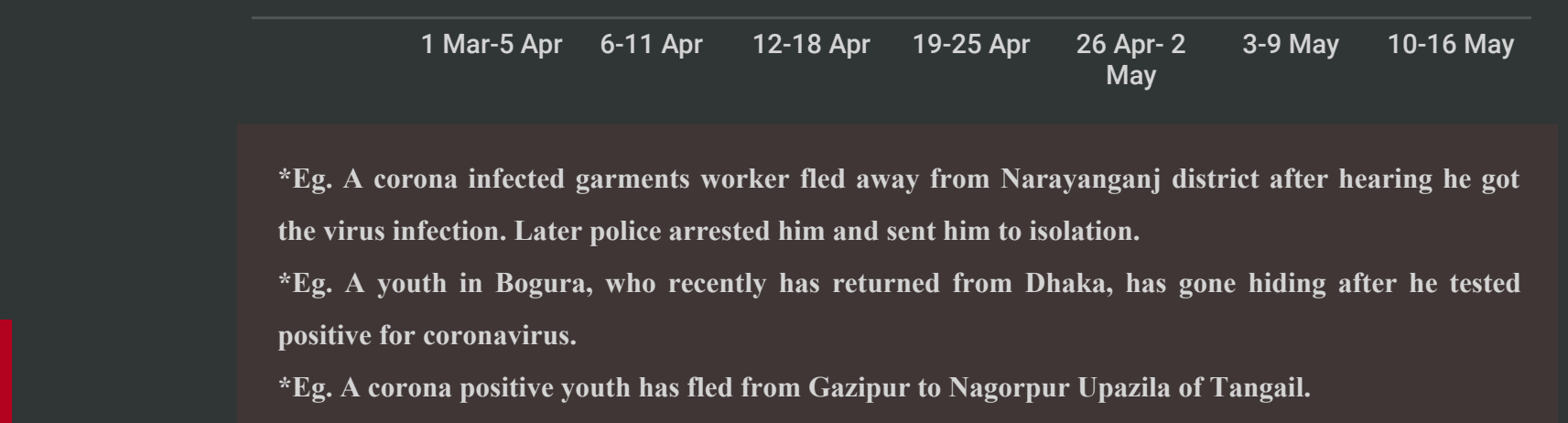
Verbal Abuse/ Social Stigma

*Weekly Trend: The number of incidents in which hospitals and doctors denied to treat non-COVID patients and patients with similar symptoms (fever, cold) is on the rise. There were at least nine incidents in which patients were denied treatment from May 10th to May 16th.
*Eg. An additional secretary of Food Ministry, resident of Swarupkati union of Pirojpur district, died from other Kidney diseases, rejected by many hospitals suspecting him as a COVID-19 patient, at Kurmitola General Hospital in Dhaka capital city. See at The Daily Prothom Alo, 10 May 2020, pg-4
*Eg. A man named Mizanur Rahman abruptly died in a transport of Ahad transportation and the bus staffs thought he died of COVID-19 and left the deceased along with her elderly mother in the highway in Joypurhat and fled away.
*Eg. An unidentified man died in Hill of Dinajpur with corona symptoms. The body was lying on the road for a long time after the death. No one approached in fear of Corona. Police later recovered the body.

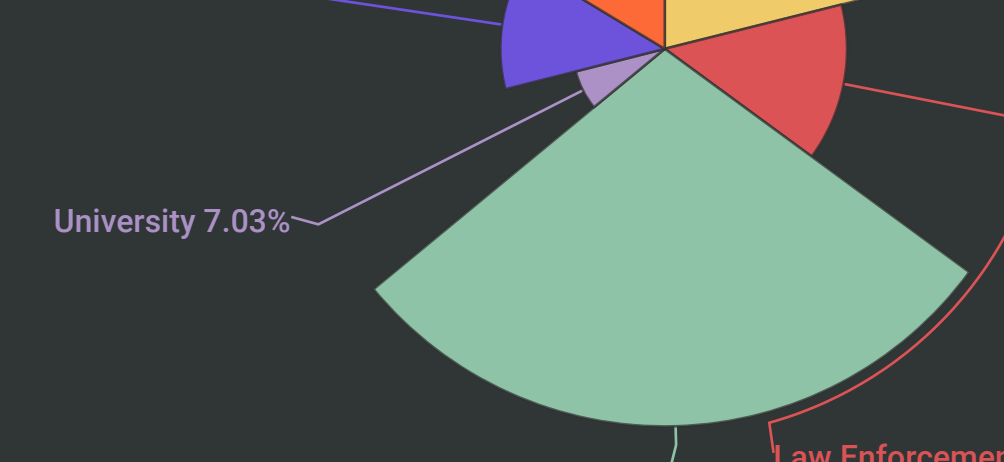


** Please note that several duplications in the information retrieved from the secondary sources were identified. After re-tracing each case, the duplications were removed. Again, the current data suggests the reported 'COVID-like symptoms' but they may not be related to COVID-19.
*** Please note that they may not be related to COVID-19 because these are reported with symptoms which has similarity and published in the newspapers. According to one report published in the Dhaka Tribune on 21 April 2020, 85% of 'Covid-like symptoms' were found negative. See, <https://www.dhakatribune.com/bangladesh/2020/04/21/only-10-of-patients-who-died-with-coronavirus-like-symptoms-tested-covid-19-positive?>

Paranoia

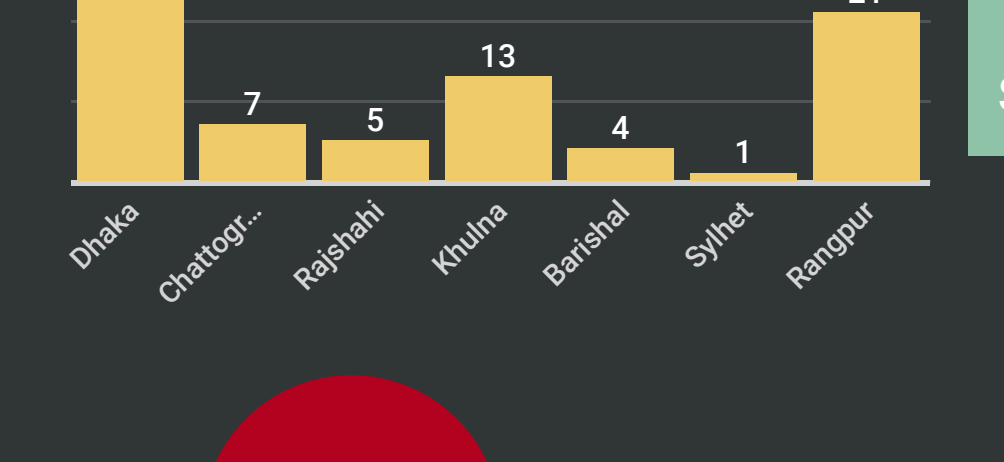


Resilience



*Eg. Shahjalal University of Science and Technology established a coronavirus detection laboratory by their funding.
*Eg. Bashundhara Group, one of the leading business giants in Bangladesh, provided 25,000 masks and 3,000 Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) gowns to Bangladesh Ansar and Village Defence Party to fight against COVID-19 at the Ansar and VDP headquarters of Dhaka capital city.
*Eg. The Bangladesh Army has taken an exceptional initiative called 'One Minute Market' to stand by the distressed people in the Corona situation in Chattogram.
*Eg. Kashem-Nur Foundation distributed necessary food items for after among 20,000 helpless families in Chattogram.

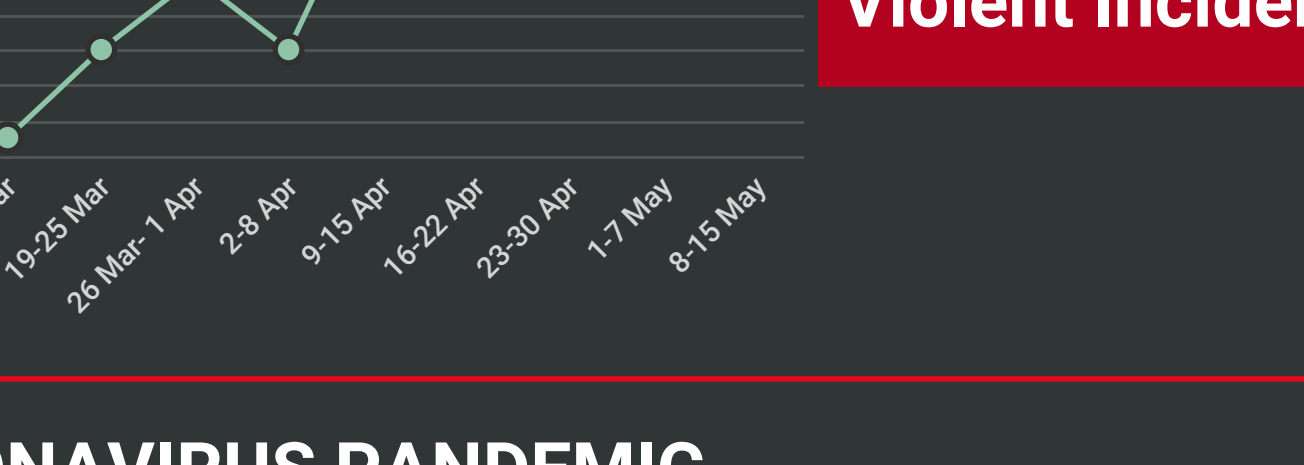
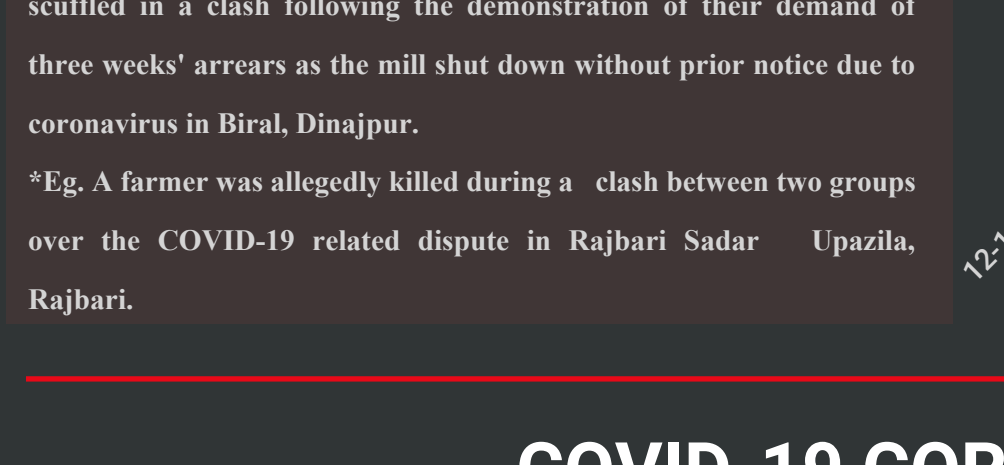
Protests Associated with COVID-19 (26 April -16 May)



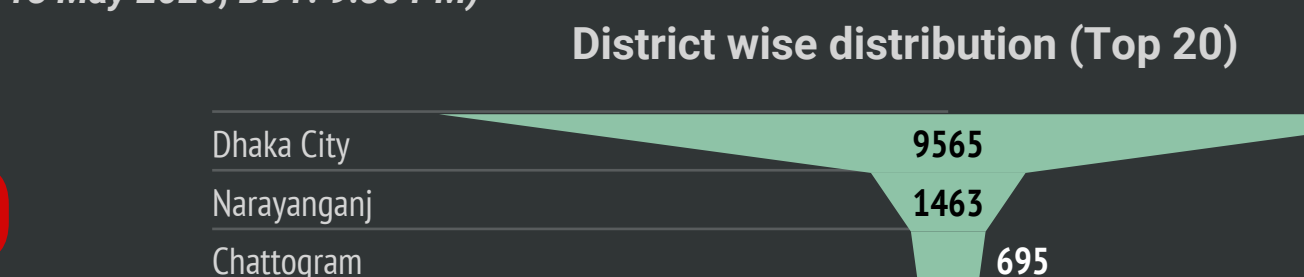
*Weekly Trend: The number of protests (33) from various actors ranging from garments workers to transportation workers increased sharply in this week (May 10th to May 16th) from the previous week (31, May 3rd to May 9th). Especially, the garments workers protested in number of areas for due salary and Eid bonus. Also, there were two protests over lockdown rules, one by transportation workers and another by shopkeepers, and first of its kind in Bangladesh.
*Eg. In Gazipur, garments workers staged a demonstration and blocked a road, vandalizing equipment inside the garment factory, demanding their wages for their due wages. Garments authority sent the workers back home assuring that their salaries would be paid within three days.
*Eg. Hundreds of transport workers have staged a blockade at the Panchagarh-Dhaka Highway demanding to resume the movement of vehicles which has remained stopped due to the lockdown as they were starving since they were jobless and not getting any relief.

Protest

Violent Incident Related with COVID-19 (1 March -15 May 2020)

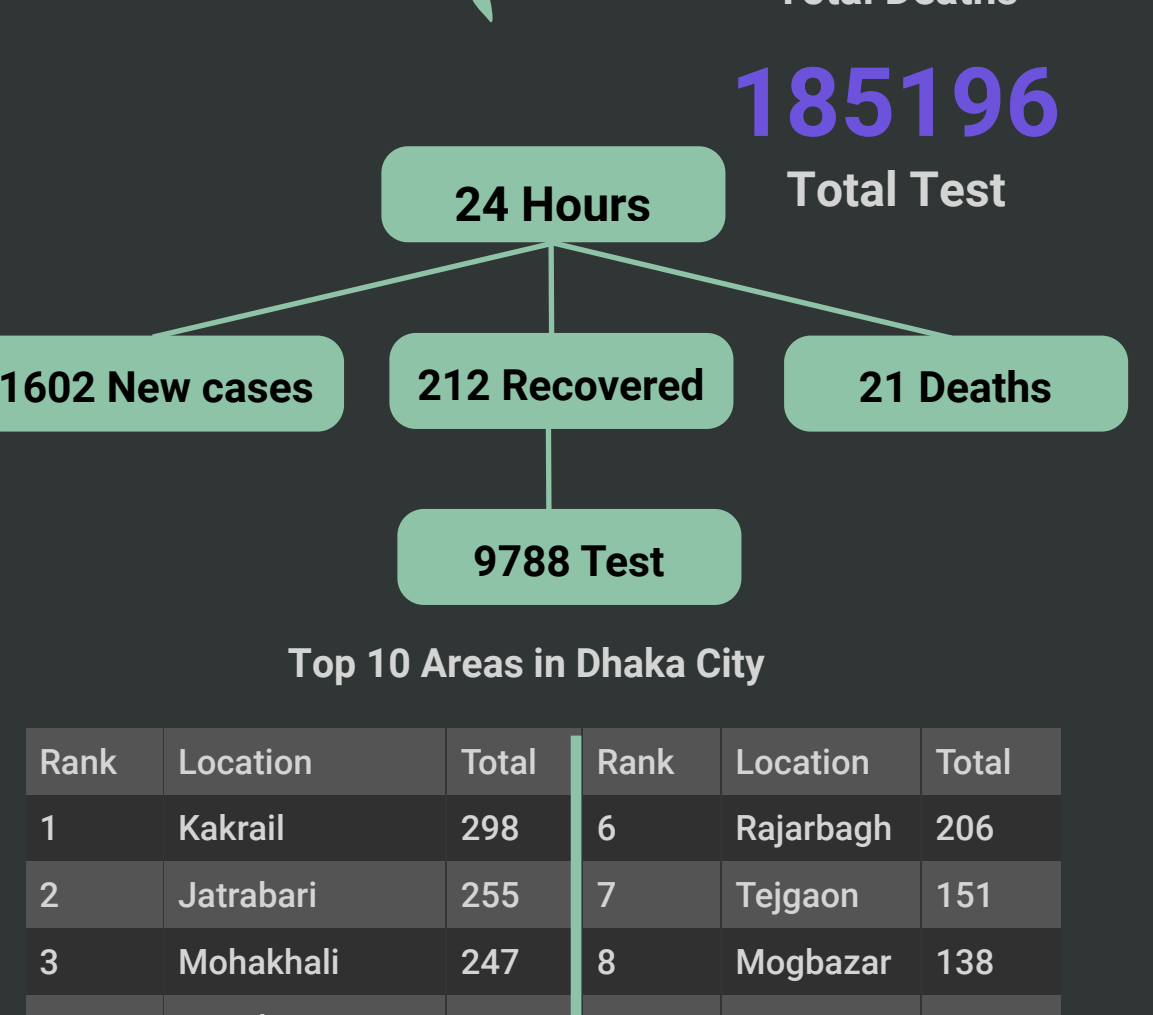


*Eg. A young man was killed in a fight between the dwellers of two localities over a man talking with people who were in quarantine in a school.
*Eg. One died and five others were injured as workers and police scuffled in a clash following the demonstration of their demand of three weeks' arrears as the mill shut down without prior notice due to coronavirus in Biral, Dinajpur.
*Eg. A farmer was allegedly killed during a clash between two groups over the COVID-19 related dispute in Rajbari Sadar Upazila, Rajbari.



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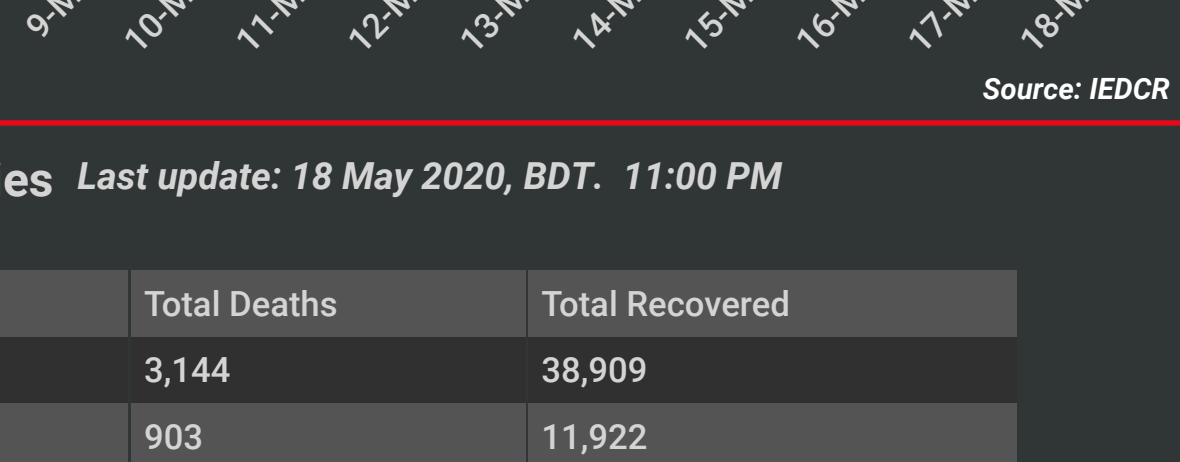


District wise distribution (Top 20)

Dhaka City	9565
Narayanganj	1463
Chattogram	695
Gazipur	527
Munshigonj	329
Cumilla	298
Mymensingh	295
Dhaka (District)	290
Rangpur	272
Kishoreganj	207
Cox's bazar	185
Narshingdi	174
Jamalpur	120
Noakhali	113
Hobiganj	111
Jessore	108
Netrokona	108
Laksmipur	89
Chuadanga	87
Gopalganj	83

Top 10 Areas in Dhaka City

Rank	Location	Total	Rank	Location	Total
1	Kakrail	298	6	Rajarbagh	206
2	Jatrabari	255	7	Tejgaon	151
3	Mohakhali	247	8	Mogbazar	138
4	Mugda	220	9	Uttara	134
5	Mohammadpur	218	10	Lalbagh	124



South Asian Countries

Country	Total Confirmed cases	Total Deaths	Total Recovered
India	97,577	3,144	38,909
Pakistan	42,125	903	11,922
Sri Lanka	981	9	559
Nepal	357	2	36
Bhutan	21	0	5
Afghanistan	7,072	173	801
Myanmar	187	6	97

Top Ten Countries

World Wide	4,748,356 Total Confirmed	1,747,639 Total Recovered	315,822 Total Deaths
USA	1490195	Russia	290678
Spain	230698	Italy	225435
UK	244995	France	179693
Turkey	149435	Germany	176551
Brazil	244052	Iran	122492