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The Outbreak of Covid-19 in Italy: Fighting the Pandemic

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Taking Action! Towards fighting Covid-19!

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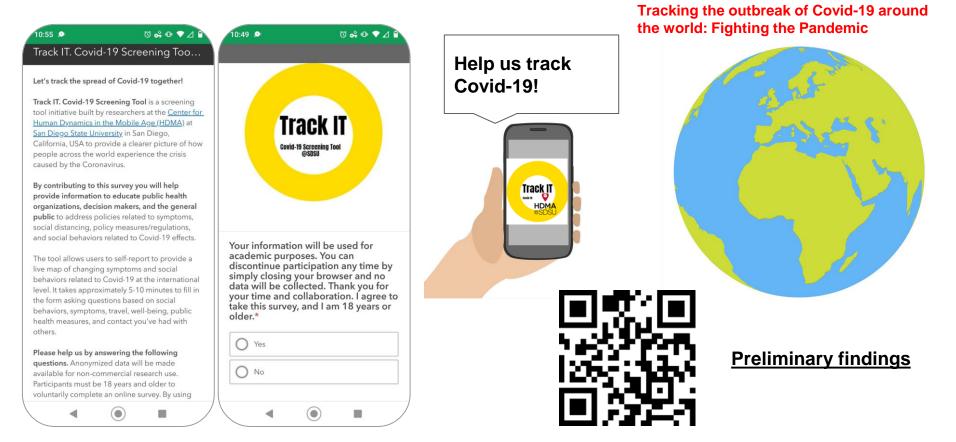


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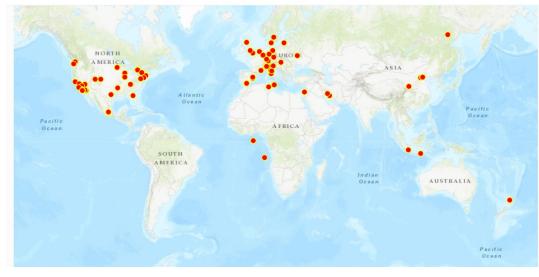


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Track IT. Covid-19 Screening Survey Tool @ SDSU



Preliminary findings:

- 207 participants from across the world
- International survey: https://arcg.is/1jCXqy
- Duration: 5-10 minute
- Covid-19 effects, behaviors, well-being, health, policy, trust, socio-economic and more.

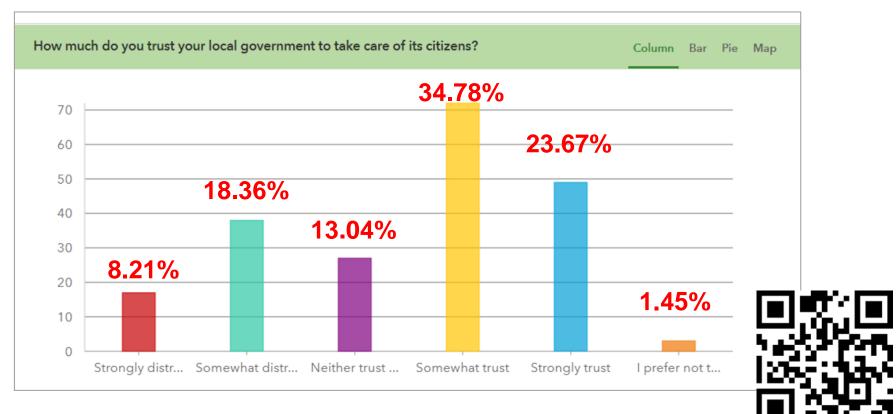


Take a picture of the QR Code to take the survey!



Policy, Trust, Transparency, Social Media

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O Too early	O Neither truthful nor untruthful	O The reaction is appropriate	TikTok	
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Well-being, health, behaviors, mobility, and more

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Monitoring Social Media Tweets during Covid: Sentiment Analysis for 10 Italian metropolitan cities

Exploring Sentiments, Covid-19 Cases, and Deaths Preliminary findings: North

Over 4 million Tweets!



Bologna Central

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Florence

Milan Venice

Turin

Rome

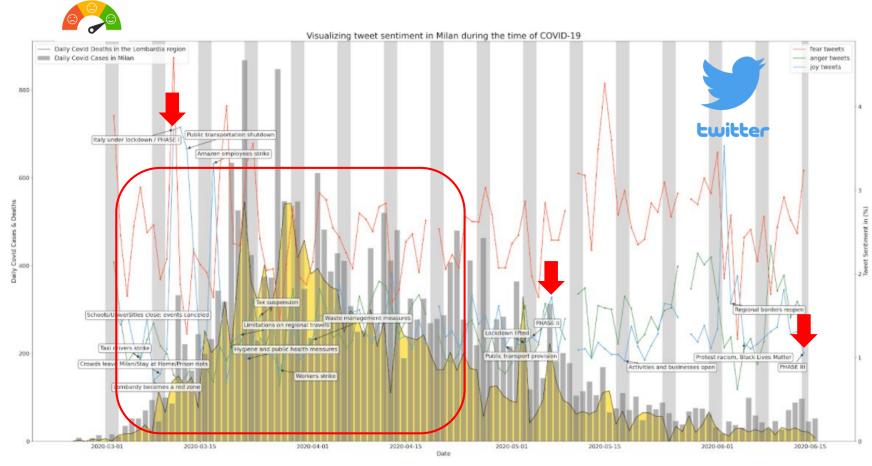
South

- Naples
- Bari

Islands

- Palermo
- Cagliari

Monitoring Milan's sentiments during Covid-19

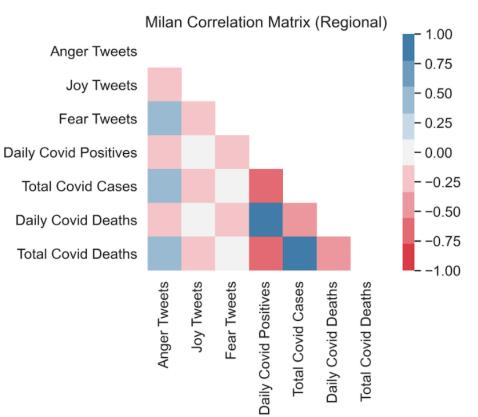


Monitoring Milan's Sentiments During Covid-19

Preliminary findings:

- Anger and Covid Cases
- Anger and Deaths
- Fear and Anger
- Covid Cases and Covid Deaths
 (Policy influences)





Smart Social Media Dashboard: 10 Italian Metropolitan Cities

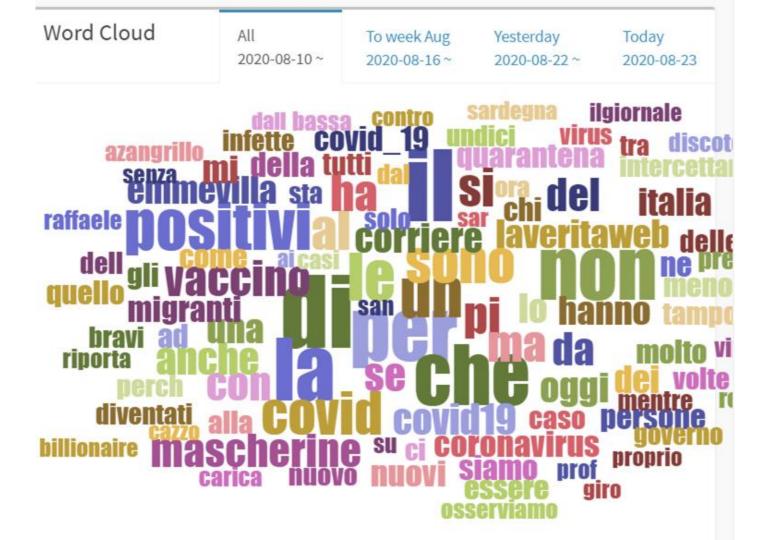
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Туре	Metropo litan city	Region	Area (km ²)	Population (n)	
North	Milan	Lombardy	1,575	3,190,340	
West	Turin	Piedmont	6,829	2,293,340	
North	Venice	Veneto	2,462	858,455	
East	Bologna	Emilia Romagna	3,702	1,005,831	
Central	Florence	Tuscany	3,514	1,007,435	
	Rome	Lazio	5,352	4,336,915	
South	Naples	Campania	1,171	3,128,702	
	Bari	Apulia	3,821	1,251,004	
Islands	Cagliari	Sardinia	1,248	431,302	
	Palermo	Sicily	5,009	1,276,525	

Smart Social Media **Dashboard**: Milan, Italy

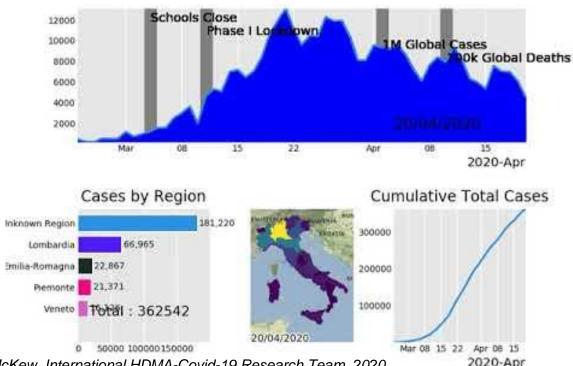


Developed by Dr. Calvin June, Dr. Jiue-An Yang, Dr. Su Yeon Han, and Chris Allen. Curator: Jaehee Park, 2020.



Covid-19 Confirmed Cases: Italy's Animated Statistics Over Time

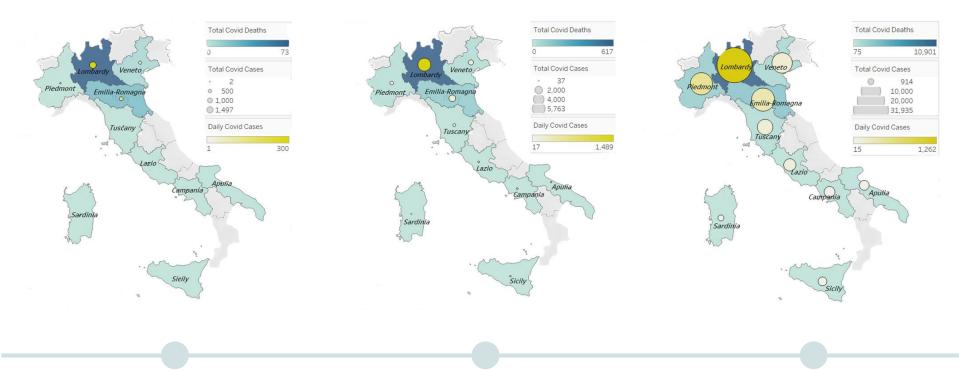
Italy COVID-19 Confirmed Cases up to 27/05/2020



Developed by Jack McKew, International HDMA-Covid-19 Research Team. 2020.

The Start of Covid-19 in Italy

Timeline of Covid-19 spread



Phase 0 - March 4th Code Red in the North Phase 1 - March 11th National lockdown Phase 1 - April 13th Phase 2 announced

Phase 0: the effects of Covid based on geography

Data as of March 4, 2020: Closure of activities and cancellation of mass events

	Daily Covid cases	Total Covid cases	Daily Covid deaths	Total Covid deaths	Hospitalized with symptoms	Intensive care	Home isolation	
Lombardy (North- West)	300	1,497	18	73	877	209	411	
Piedmont (North- West)	26	82	0	0	26	13	43	
Veneto (North-East)	53	345	3	6	76	23	246	
Emilia Romagna (North-East)	124	516	3	22	256	26	234	
Tuscany (Central)	19	37	0	0	15	2	20	
Lazio (Central)	16	27	0	0	15	3	9	
Campania (South)	1	31	0	0	11	0	20	
Apulia (South)	3	7	1	1	4	0	3	
Sardinia (Islands)	1	2	0	0	1	0	1	
Sicily (Islands)	11	16	0	0	5	0	11	

Phase 1.1: the effects of Covid based on geography

Data as of March 11, 2020: Beginning of lockdown

	Daily Covid cases	Total Covid cases	Daily Covid deaths	Total Covid deaths	Hospitalized with symptoms	Intensive care	Home isolation	
Lombardy (North- West)	1,489	5,763	149	617	3,852	560	1,351	\bigcap
Piedmont (North- West)	48	480	4	21	319	75	86	
Veneto (North-East)	167	940	3	29	262	68	610	
Emilia Romagna (North-East)	206	1,588	28	113	745	104	739	J
Tuscany (Central)	56	314	0	1	87	54	173	
Lazio (Central)	34	125	0	6	67	18	40	
Campania (South)	27	149	1	1	56	11	82	
Apulia (South)	18	71	2	5	38	4	29	
Sardinia (Islands)	17	37	0	0	10	0	27	
Sicily (Islands)	21	81	0	0	23	1	57	

Phase 1.2: the effects of Covid based on geography

Data as of April 13, 2020: Announcement of Phase 2

	Daily Covid cases	Total Covid cases	Daily Covid deaths	Total Covid deaths	Hospitalized with symptoms	Intensive care	Home isolation
Lombardy (North- West)	1,262	31,935	280	10,901	12,028	1,143	18,764
Piedmont (North- West)	474	12,765	97	1,826	3,344	379	9,042
Veneto (North-East)	174	10,766	26	882	1,427	245	9,094
Emilia Romagna (North-East)	342	13,818	51	2,615	3,490	331	9,997
Tuscany (Central)	155	6,257	23	518	992	225	5,040
Lazio (Central)	123	3,920	5	284	1,314	200	2,406
Campania (South)	66	3,062	6	248	606	80	2,376
Apulia (South)	76	2,512	7	267	600	71	1,841
Sardinia (Islands)	15	914	2	75	107	27	780
Sicily (Islands)	42	2,050	8	171	554	51	1,445

Red Zones (Northern Italy)

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VENICE

Lodi, Italy (Lombardy)

Venice, Italy (Veneto)

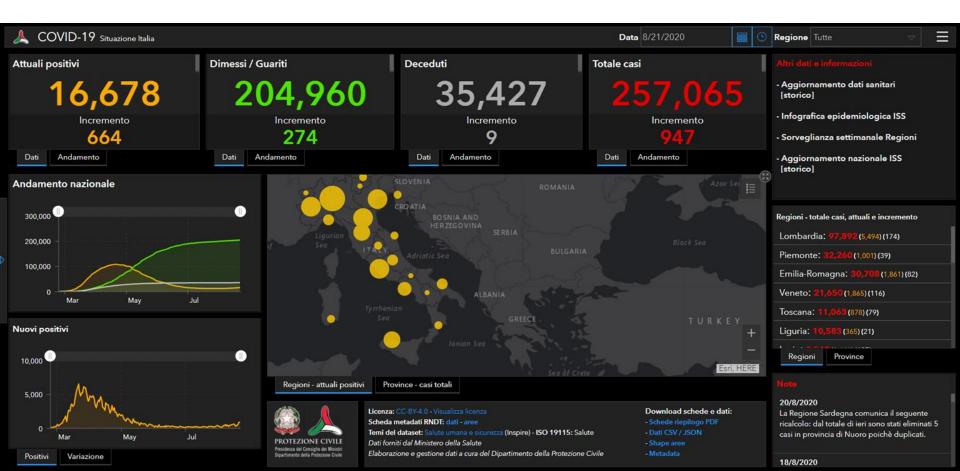
Brescia, Italy (Lombardy

- Lodi, Lombardy (Patient Zero)
- Venice (First Death: Feb 21, 2020, (78 year old)

ITALY

- Bergamo
 - Brescia
 - Milan

Italy Open Data Dashboard (Protezione Civile, 2020)



Prime minister Giuseppe Conte orders closure of all schools, major events, and sporting events due to Covid-19 (March 4, 2020)

Venice, Veneto

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Bergamo, Lombardy

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Claudio Furlan, La Presse via AP, 2020, Bergamo, Italy (Lombardy)

Clinicians and Nurses Paid a Very High Price in Italy

Paolo Miranda, 2020, Cremona, Italy (Lombardy)

Ghost Towns across Italy

Rome, Italy (Lazo): Before

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Rome, Italy (Lazo): After

Milan, Italy (Lombardy)

Policy Decree: #Stay at home, "#Io resto a casa"



Leaving home is only allowed to under-65 y.o. for essential activities.



Masks are mandatory in all public spaces and gloves are mandatory on public transports and in grocery stores.



All travels are suspended and public transport are reduced to minimum activity.



Education at all levels goes online.



Work goes online where possible; many workers are laid off or on forced-vacation.



Goods movement between the mainland and islands is disrupted.

Lockdown: Essential vs. Non-Essential Activities



Where:

- Grocery stores & food-related.
- Hospitals and pharmacies.
- Post offices, banks, and insurance companies.
- Production activities.
- Work places.*

<u>Who:</u>

• People under 65 years old

How:

- Auto certificate.
- Policy approval.
- Employer approval.

Lockdown: Tracking Movement Form

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DICHIARA SOTTO LA PROPRIA RESPONSABILITÀ

- Di essere a <u>conoscenza delle misure di contenimento del contagio</u> di cui all'art. 1, comma 1, del Decreto del Presidente del Consiglio dei Ministri del 9 marzo 2020 concernenti lo <u>spostamento delle persone fisiche all'interno di tutto il territorio nazionale</u>, <u>nonché delle sanzioni previste dall'art. 4, comma 1, del Decreto del Presidente del Consiglio dei Ministri dell' 8 marzo 2020 in caso di inottemperanza</u> (art. 650 C.P. salvo che il fatto non costituisca più grave reato);
- Che lo spostamento è determinato da:
 - comprovate esigenze lavorative;
 - situazioni di necessità;
 - motivi di salute;
 - o rientro presso il proprio domicilio, abitazione o residenza.

A questo riguardo, dichiara che (LAVORO PRESSO..., STO RIENTRANDO AL MIO DOMICILIO SITO IN...., DEVO EFFETTUARE UNA VISITA MEDICA... ALTRI MOTIVI PARTICOLARI.ETC...)

Data, ora e luog

Firma del dichi

- I am aware of the containment measures.
- My transfer concerns: work necessity; basic needs; health problems; home transfer.

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di dichiarazioni mendaci a pubblico ufficiale (art. 495 c.p.)

DICHIARA SOTTO LA PROPRIA RESPONSABILITÀ

- di non essere sottoposto alla misura della quarantena ovvero di non essere risultato positivo al COVID-19 (fatti salvi gli spostamenti disposti dalle Autorità sanitarie);
- che lo spostamento è iniziato da (indicare l'indirizzo da cui è iniziato) con destinazione
- di essere a conoscenza delle misure di contenimento del contagio vigenti alla data odierna ed adottate ai sensi degli artt. 1 e 2 del decreto legge 25 marzo 2020, n. 19. <u>concernenti le</u> limitazioni alle possibilità di spostamento delle persone fisiche all'interno di tutto il territorio nazionale:
- di essere a conoscenza delle ulteriori limitazioni disposte con provvedimenti dell Presidente della Regione (indicare la Regione di partenza) e del Presidente della Regione (indicare la Regione di arrivo) e che lo spostamento rientra in uno dei casi consentiti dai medesimi provvedimenti (indicare auale):
- di essere a conoscenza delle sanzioni previste dall'art. 4 del decreto legge 25 marzo 2020, n. 19;
- che lo spostamento è determinato da:
 - comprovate esigenze lavorative;
 - assoluta urgenza ("per trasferimenti in comune diverso", come previsto dall'art. 1, comma 1, lettera b) del Decreto del Presidente del Consiglio dei Ministri 22 marzo 2020);
 - situazione di necessità (per spostamenti all'interno dello stesso comune o che rivestono carattere di quotidianità o che, comunque, siano effettuati abitualmente in ragione della brevità delle distanze da percorrere);
 - motivi di salute.

A questo riguardo, dichiara che

devo effettuare una visita medica, urgente assistenza a congiunti o a persone con disabilità, o esecuzioni di interventi assistenziali in favore di persone in grave stato di necessità, obblighi di affidamento di minori, denunce di reati, reintro dall'estero, altri mottri paricolari, etc...).

Firma del dichiarante

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- I am not quarantined or positive to COVID-19.
- I am aware of the containment measures.
- I am aware of any further restriction.
- My transfer concerns: work necessity; urgent situations; basic needs; health problems.

Data, ora e luogo del controllo

Lockdown: Tracking Movement



Tracking devices:

- Drones.
 - Sensors detecting people presence.
- Video Cameras.
- Mobile apps.

@ France 24



Immuni takes care of you

If you've been in contact with a user who has subsequently tested positive for the virus, Immuni notifies you and gives you instructions to protect your health and the health of your loved ones.

@ Immuni

Penalties:

- Fines (€ 400-3,000).
- Jail (up to 6 months).

Social Response & Solidarity











Social Response & Solidarity







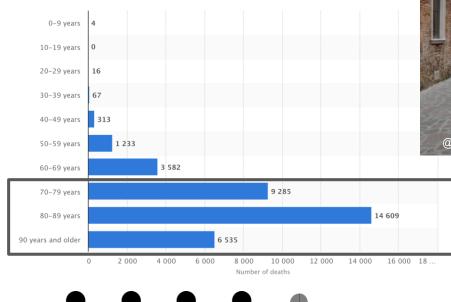


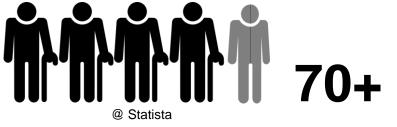


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Covid-19 victims: Who is the most affected?

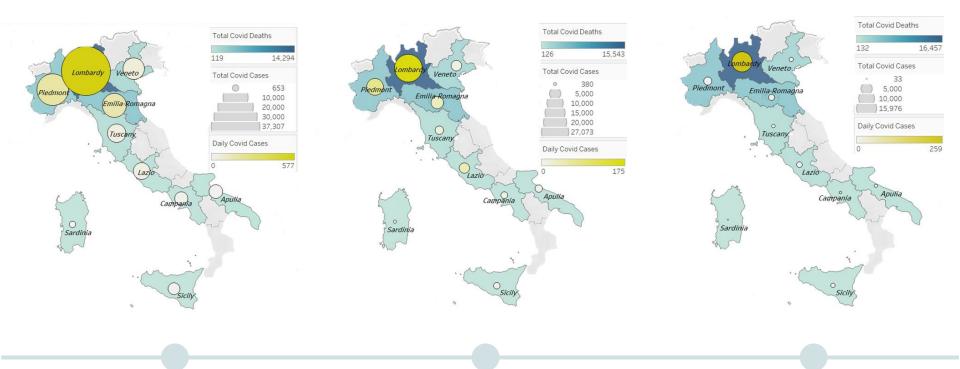






- 1/4 people are aged 65+.
- An entire generation is disappearing.
- Social and cultural identity.
- Insufficient access to technology and mass media.
- Isolation during emergencies.
- Elderly day centers situation.
- Saying goodbye to a loved one.

Timeline of Covid-19 spread



Phase 2 - May 4th Lockdown lifted Phase 2 - May 18th New measures Phase 3 - June 15th Borders and activities opened

Phase 2.1: the effects of Covid based on geography

Data as of May 4, 2020: Containment measures are eased

		Daily Covid cases	Total Covid cases	Daily Covid deaths	Total Covid deaths	Hospitalized with symptoms	Intensive care	Home isolation
	Lombardy (North- West)	577	37,307	63	14,294	6,414	532	30,361
	Piedmont (North- West)	192	15,562	34	3,186	2,391	161	13,010
	Veneto (North-East)	55	7,234	12	1,528	955	101	6,178
	Emilia Romagna (North-East)	159	8,984	24	3,666	1,968	199	6,817
	Tuscany (Central)	38	5,279	9	881	512	107	4,660
	Lazio (Central)	38	4,385	16	524	1,335	95	2,955
	Campania (South)	14	2,711	2	366	438	24	2,249
	Apulia (South)	9	2,945	5	429	397	39	2,509
	Sardinia (Islands)	0	653	0	119	91	9	533
	Sicily (Islands)	15	2,202	2	244	376	27	1,799

Phase 2.2: the effects of Covid based on geography

Data as of May 18, 2020: Activities resume

	Lombardy (North- West)	Daily Covid cases 175	Total Covid cases 27,073	Daily Covid deaths 24	Total Covid deaths 15,543	Hospitalized with symptoms 4,482	Intensive care 252	Home isolation 22,339
	Piedmont (North- West)	72	9,874	20	3,632	1,589	99	8,186
	Veneto (North-East)	9	4,004	9	1,803	263	22	3,719
	Emilia Romagna (North-East)	35	5,525	13	3,986	708	105	4,712
	Tuscany (Central)	13	2,573	5	989	197	66	2,310
	Lazio (Central)	39	3,826	6	628	1,137	73	2,616
	Campania (South)	11	1,673	3	399	342	17	1,314
	Apulia (South)	7	1,995	1	471	254	22	1,719
	Sardinia (Islands)	0	380	1	126	72	10	298
	Sicily (Islands)	7	1,539	0	267	137	13	1,389

Phase 3: the effects of Covid based on geography

Data as of June 15, 2020: All activities are resumed and national travel is allowed

		Daily Covid cases	Total Covid cases	Daily Covid deaths	Total Covid deaths	Hospitalized with symptoms	Intensive care	Home isolation
	Lombardy (North- West)	259	15,976	8	16,457	2,018	94	13,864
	Piedmont (North- West)	2	2,604	0	4,012	517	28	2,059
	Veneto (North-East)	1	755	0	1,978	38	1	716
	Emilia Romagna (North-East)	11	1,500	3	4,207	188	13	1,299
	Tuscany (Central)	8	489	3	1,088	31	16	442
	Lazio (Central)	3	1,292	3	811	304	37	951
	Campania (South)	4	289	0	430	58	2	229
	Apulia (South)	1	410	2	534	56	2	352
	Sardinia (Islands)	0	33	0	132	12	0	21
	Sicily (Islands)	1	805	1	280	30	4	771

Post-Lockdown: How life has changed



Leaving home is allowed if social distancing and nogatherings are respected.



Masks are mandatory in indoor spaces, on public transport, and at night.



Travels are allowed across regions and across borders. International travelers are allowed based on origin.



Hybrid in-class and online education will be resumed from September.



In-office work resumes; some activities permanently shifts to online; many workers have lost their jobs.



Goods movement resumes.

Post-Lockdown: Mobility















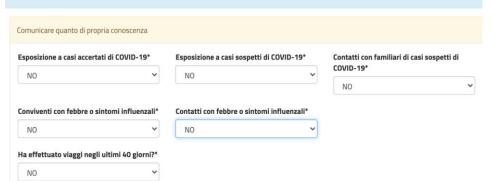
Post-Lockdown: Mobility

DATI ANAMNESTICI

Ha avuto negli ultimi 21 giorni uno o più di questi sintomi?

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Mal di testa*		Dolori muscolari e	e/o articolari*	Congestione nasale	e*	Nausea*	
NO	~	NO	~	NO	~	NO	~
Vomito*		Perdita di olfatto o gusto*		Congiuntivite*		Diarrea*	
NO	~	NO	~	NO	~	NO	~

DATI EPIDEMIOI OGICI



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HEALTH DECLARATION

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Please read carefully the following health requriments all passengers must fulfill:

- Passengers haven't been diagnosed with COVID-19 during the 14 days prior to flight and haven't had symptoms during the 8 days prior to flight (fever, newly developed cough, loss of taste or smell, shortness of breath).
- Passengers haven't been in close contact with a person who has COVID-19 (e.g. less than 2 metres for more than 15 minutes) and aren't required to be in quarantine by local or national regulation for a period that includes the date of the flight.

HEALTH DECLARATION

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Please note that all passengers must follow these rules at the airport:

Bring your own mask. You must 1 wear it at all times.

÷ Keep physical distancing of 1,5m during check-in and boarding.

> Review the updated hand baggage policy.

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Post-Lockdown: New social distance measures



Barriers & Government's preparedness



Shortage of medical supplies: maks, ventilator, medical wear.



Lack of communication: unclarity on ordinances and bans.



National v. regional legislation: separate decisions; lack of coordination; different health systems



Timing of closure: the virus was circulating since January.



Political divide: bureaucratic delays and conflicts.

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Learning from Italy's pandemic summary



- Italy's response to Covid-19 was characterized by 4 phases: Phase 0, Phase 1, Phase 2, Phase 3.
- Strengths: early closure of national and regional borders; masks and social distancing ordinance.
- Weaknesses: cross-region medical and political divide; non-essentials and tourism sector underwent a big economic crisis.
- Lessons learned: preparedness is not sufficient if policy decisions are not prompt and inclusive.







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