

Region of the Americas Update

3 PM WDC. 28 January 2022

Last 24 hours *

- 1,224,995** Additional cases
- 5,670** Additional deaths
- 11.9%** Relative increase in cases
- 33.8%** Relative increase in deaths
- 42** Countries/territories reporting new cases
- 30** Countries/territories reporting new deaths

Highest numbers of cases & deaths in the last 24 hrs.*

Cases (≥ 1,000)		Deaths (≥ 100)	
United States	636,821	United States	2,674
Brazil	228,954	Mexico	1,027
Mexico	97,777	Brazil	672
Argentina	77,729	Argentina	333
Peru	50,044	Colombia	273
Chile	29,829	Canada	181
Canada	18,497	Peru	171
Colombia	17,663		
Ecuador	9,615		
Uruguay	9,566		
Panama	8,268		
Costa Rica	6,969		

Region of the Americas

133,629,145 cases

2,495,358 deaths

56 countries/areas/territories affected.

Global

365,419,875 cases

5,637,186 deaths

236 countries/areas/territories affected.

COVID-19 – Highlights

The maps represent the percentage of population with completed COVID-19 vaccine schedule by country as of January 26, 2022 (left) and country-specific mortality rates for EW 02-03, 2022 (right).

In **North America**, Canada reported highest rates for vaccination schedule completion (over 75% of population), followed by the United States and Mexico. Mortality rates were highest in the United States (between 50-100 deaths per million people), followed by Canada (between 25-50 deaths per million people) and Mexico (between 5-25 deaths per million people).

In **Central America**, mortality rates were relatively low in most countries (under 50 deaths per million people), while vaccination schedule completion was moderate to high, except for Guatemala where it was the lowest in the sub-region.

In **South America**, high vaccination schedule completion with moderate and low mortality was seen most countries, except for Paraguay (low vaccination schedule completion, moderate mortality), Colombia (moderate vaccination schedule completion, moderate mortality), and Bolivia (low vaccination schedule completion and high mortality).

For the **Caribbean**, in Cuba and the Dominican Republic we observed a moderately high level of vaccination schedule completion coupled with relatively low mortality rates. On the other hand, Puerto Rico and Trinidad and Tobago reported high to moderate level of vaccination schedule completion along with high mortality rates.

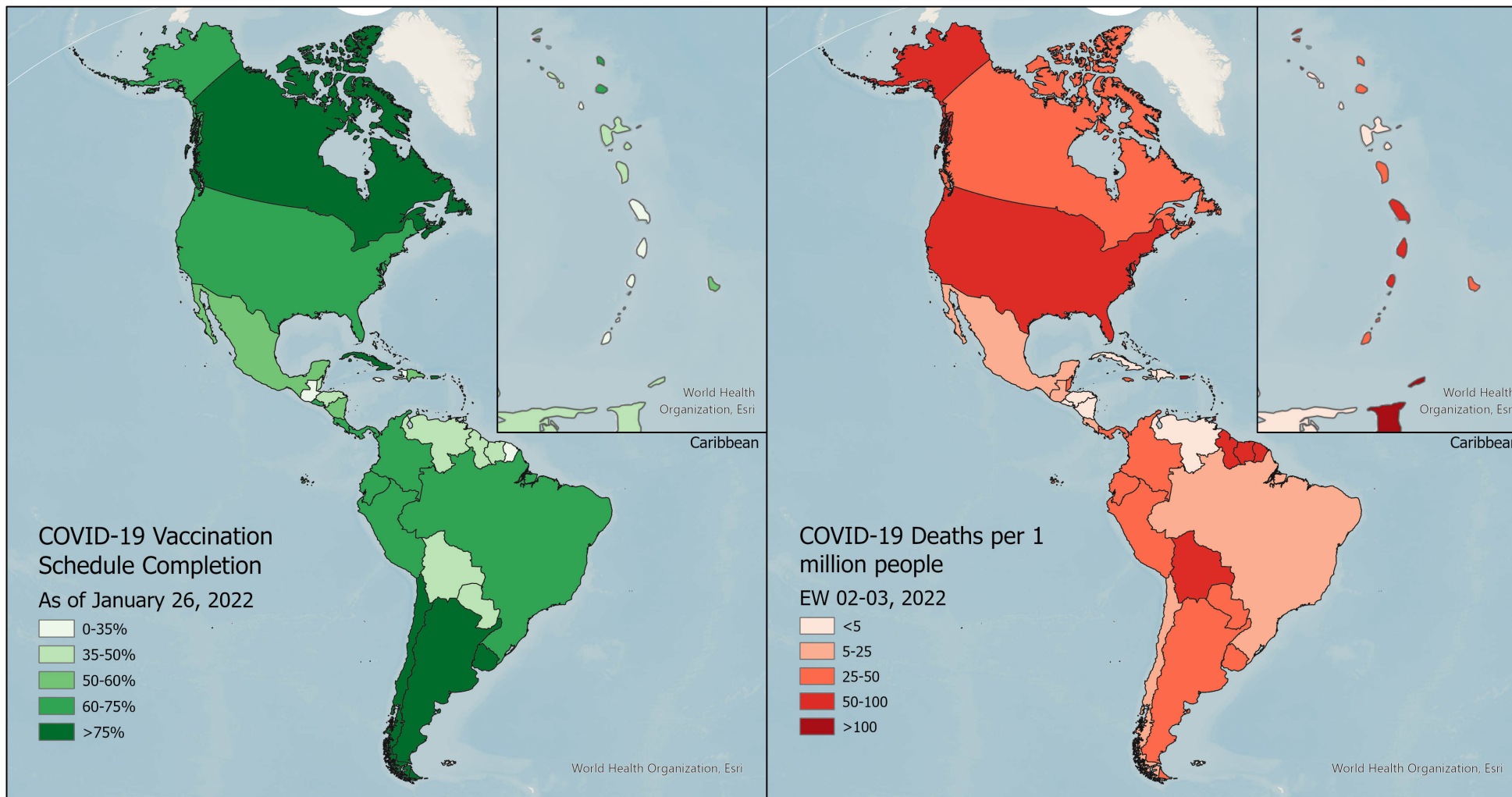
Total cases, deaths & CFR (%) among PAHO countries/territories with ≥ 300,000 cumulative cases.

Country/Territory	Cases	Deaths	CFR (%)
United States of America	73,010,190	872,453	1.2%
Brazil	24,764,838	625,085	2.5%
Argentina	8,207,752	120,352	1.5%
Colombia	5,816,462	133,292	2.3%
Mexico	4,828,446	304,803	6.3%
Peru	3,120,401	204,940	6.6%
Canada	2,998,329	33,373	1.1%
Chile	2,075,703	39,620	1.9%
Cuba	1,036,783	8,388	0.8%
Bolivia	841,757	20,824	2.5%
Ecuador	707,224	34,442	4.9%
Guatemala	681,308	16,317	2.4%
Panama	678,128	7,656	1.1%
Costa Rica	675,178	7,521	1.1%
Uruguay	631,019	6,389	1.0%
Paraguay	559,906	17,176	3.1%
Dominican Republic	551,528	4,298	0.8%
Venezuela	477,022	5,425	1.1%
Puerto Rico	453,669	3,809	0.8%
Honduras	391,874	10,504	2.7%

*Numbers may vary due to differences in reporting times.

Starting the weekend of 26 June 2021, the PAHO COVID-19 daily situation reports will no longer be published on Saturdays and Sundays. The reports will continue to be published during the workweek – Monday through Friday – at the regularly scheduled time, with the exception of any official holidays observed by PAHO in Washington, DC

Map 1: Percentage of population with completed COVID-19 vaccine schedule by country as of January 26, 2022 (left) and country-specific mortality rates for EW 02-03, 2022 (right).



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COVID-19 situation reported by countries and territories in the Americas, as of 28 January 2022

Updated as of 3 PM

Sub-Region	Country/Territory	Cases			Deaths		
		7 Day MA* Trend	Cummulative	7day % change	7 Day MA* Trend	Cummulative	7day % change
North America	Canada		2,998,329	-28%		33,373	12%
	Mexico		4,828,446	-22%		304,803	31%
	United States of America (the)		73,010,190	-21%		872,453	27%
	Subtotal		80,836,965			1,210,629	
Central America	Belize		49,794	-5%		624	140%
	Costa Rica		675,178	20%		7,521	100%
	El Salvador		127,012	522%		3,877	100%
	Guatemala		681,308	12%		16,317	21%
	Honduras		391,874	-7%		10,504	84%
	Nicaragua		13,681	-39%		220	0%
	Panama		678,128	-16%		7,656	15%
Subtotal		2,616,975			46,719		
South America	Argentina		8,207,752	-19%		120,352	54%
	Bolivia (the Plurinational State of)		841,757	-44%		20,824	-20%
	Brazil		24,764,838	53%		625,085	73%
	Chile		2,075,703	85%		39,620	23%
	Colombia		5,816,462	-25%		133,292	66%
	Ecuador		707,224	-24%		34,442	81%
	Paraguay		559,906	9%		17,176	31%
	Peru		3,120,401	11%		204,940	75%
	Uruguay		631,019	3%		6,389	92%
	Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of)		477,022	13%		5,425	36%
Subtotal		47,202,084			1,207,545		
Caribbean and Atlantic Ocean Islands	Anguilla		2,324	-7%		8	0%
	Antigua and Barbuda		6,524	25%		127	150%
	Aruba		32,718	-59%		193	100%
	Bahamas (the)		32,282	-82%		731	-29%
	Barbados		42,122	5%		277	-40%
	Bermuda		10,552	-36%		116	100%
	Bonaire		6,326	-14%		26	-100%
	Cayman Islands		13,788	-97%		15	-100%
	Cuba		1,036,783	-6%		8,388	67%
	Curacao		36,722	-58%		225	36%
	Dominica		8,727	-59%		51	0%
	Dominican Republic (the)		551,528	-50%		4,298	46%
	Falkland Islands (the)		89	200%		0	0%
	French Guiana		75,242	-56%		371	-20%
Grenada		12,090	-34%		210	67%	
Guadeloupe		90,749	-100%		844	-100%	
Guyana		58,604	-32%		1,156	50%	
Haiti		29,123	-24%		784	-67%	
Jamaica		123,047	-39%		2,635	31%	
Martinique		85,984	9%		827	-43%	
Montserrat		161	-64%		1	0%	
Puerto Rico		453,669	-38%		3,809	13%	
Saba		199	-94%		0	0%	
Saint Barthelemy		3,218	-100%		4	0%	
Saint Kitts and Nevis		5,393	-56%		33	0%	
Saint Lucia		20,417	-25%		326	100%	
Saint Martin		8,913	-100%		41	-100%	
Saint Pierre and Miquelon		628	4%		0	0%	
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines		7,886	-409%		93	0%	
Sint Eustatius		325	-17%		1	-100%	
Sint Maarten		9,229	-63%		79	0%	
Suriname		72,548	-42%		1,256	12%	
Trinidad and Tobago		108,892	-4%		3,358	-16%	
Turks and Caicos		5,678	-67%		34	-50%	
Virgin Islands (UK)		5,839	-52%		49	-60%	
Virgin Islands (US)		14,802	-15%		99	67%	
Subtotal		2,973,121			30,465		
Total			133,629,145			2,495,358	

* 7 Day Moving Average

Legend

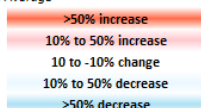


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NOTES: Case and death counts may include both confirmed and probable classifications depending on the reporting Member State.

- Antibody tests, including rapid diagnostic tests (RDTs) based on antibody detection, are not recommended for use by PAHO/WHO in clinical diagnosis. Antigen-detecting RDTs may be used following the WHO 6 October 2021 Guidance, available at: <https://bit.ly/3EK44fn>.
- Data is updated on a weekly basis for the British Virgin Islands, Guadeloupe, Martinique, Nicaragua, Saint Barthelemy, Saint Martin, and Saint Pierre and Miquelon.
- As of 28 January 2020, the previously aggregated Bonaire, Saba and Sint Eustatius are now being presented separately in the table.
- *A dispute exists between the Governments of Argentina and the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland concerning sovereignty over the Falkland Islands (the) (Malvinas)

Argentina: On 14 March 2021, due to daylight savings time observed in Eastern Standard Time zone, the Argentina data is no longer published by 3:00PM EST same day and is henceforth included in the following day table. Between 22 February and 14 March 2021, the data had corresponded to the same date.

Bahamas: According to the latest Bahamas Ministry of Health (MoH) publication, there are a total of 42 additional deaths under investigation, available at: <https://bit.ly/3wh84Aq>.

Ecuador: According to a 6 September Ecuador Ministry of Public Health press release, only cases confirmed by RT-PCR will be reported; previously, cases who tested positive by either RT-PCR or RDTs were reported, resulting in the exclusion of 8,956 cases. Available at: <https://bit.ly/3h2EWEA> ,,,

El Salvador: Cumulative cases and deaths as published by the Government of El Salvador: <https://covid19.gob.sv/>. The government presents a retroactively adjusted epidemiological curve of daily cases on the same dashboard.

Saint Vincent and the Grenadines: Aggregated case total as reported by The Saint Vincent and Grenadines Ministry of Health, Wellness and the Environment; In light of recent information that the MoH now considers antigen positive cases as COVID-19 cases, data has been revised to reflect the total COVID-19 cases diagnosed by both tests since 5 January 2022. To date, 6,668 were positive by RT-PCR and 1,218 were positive by antigen tests. Available at: <https://bit.ly/3fW1hFF>

Jamaica: According to the latest Jamaica Ministry of Health and Wellness press release, there are a total of 391 additional deaths under investigation, available at: <https://bit.ly/3qAwlJo>

Mexico: On 1 June 2021, the Mexico Ministry of Health reported 4,272 deaths in 24 hours. Of these, 3,924 were reported in 2020 and the remaining were reported in 2021. Available at: <https://bit.ly/3pfdMA8>

Nicaragua: Please note there are discrepancies with the data published by the Citizen's Observatory COVID-19 Nicaragua as of 15 December 2021. Available at: <https://bit.ly/3pw7ZVR>

Peru: Aggregated case total as reported by the Peru MoH; latest disaggregated data available is 882,590 by RT-PCR + 993,178 by antigen tests + 955,884 by other RDTs. Antibody tests, including RDTs based on antibody detection, are not recommended for use by PAHO/WHO in clinical diagnosis. Antigen-detecting RDTs may be used following the WHO 11 September 2020 Guidance, available at: <https://bit.ly/3fJVKTM>. On 31 May 2021, the Government of Peru announced that, after revision, the death toll was 180,764 deaths as of 22 May 2021, available at: <https://bit.ly/3fYGj8V>. The number of cumulative deaths reported prior to the revision, on 30 May, was 69,342, available at: <https://bit.ly/3pkar2U>.

Puerto Rico: Aggregated case total as reported by the Puerto Rico Department of Health (DoH); 257,022 were positive by RT-PCR and 196,647 were positive by antigen tests; previously, cases who tested positive by either RT-PCR or serological RDTs were reported, resulting in the exclusion of 33,965 cases. Available at: <https://bit.ly/3AXY7KU>

United States of America: Case and death counts include both confirmed and probable classifications, as published on the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (US CDC) website on 28-January. Excludes American Samoa, Federated States of Micronesia, Guam, Commonwealth of the Northern Marianas, Puerto Rico, Palau, Republic of Marshall Islands and the United States Virgin Islands. Case and death counts may differ from other US CDC data sources because these are provisional counts which are subject to change, including updates to data reported previously, adjustments can occur. Sources: <https://bit.ly/2RSpap5> and <https://bit.ly/2RVi2n6>.

Uruguay: According to the latest Uruguay Ministry of Public Health report, the total notes 24 positive cases reported in the last 24 hours were excluded from the total. Available at: <https://bit.ly/3IQ3ZsX>.

DATA ADJUSTMENTS: Differences in the total number of cases and/or deaths and respective % increases reflect the following adjustment(s):

ISO3_CODE	Adjusted Date	Cases	Deaths
BRB	2022-01-27	42122	
HTI	2022-01-25	29053	
HTI	2022-01-26	29123	
ECU	2022-01-27	697609	34420