

COVID-19 vaccine expiry forecast for 2021 and 2022

Airfinity analysis and forecasts on expiry of doses

September 20th

Analysis from 6th September report



Available supply per month, split into booster allocation for eligible and willing adults & teens and remaining supply of +SRA authorised vaccines only

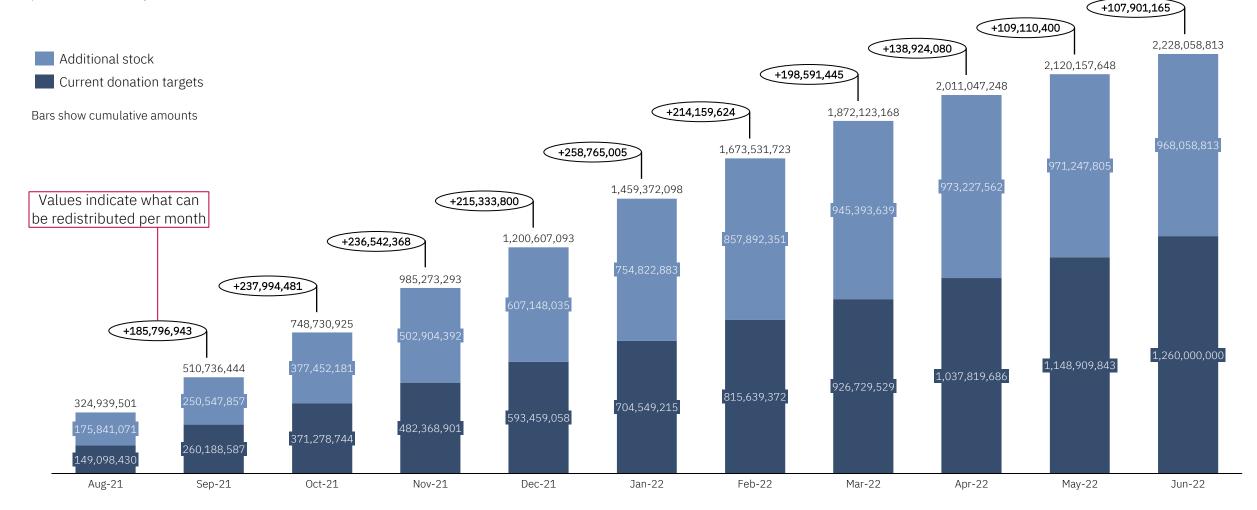


^{*}Vaccine availability analysis is not exclusive of already-pledged doses; this is shown in cumulative stock graph, and is broken down per country in appendix +SRA authorised vaccines only: only vaccines approved by a Stringent Regulatory Authority are included (+ Novavax)

G7 countries can achieve higher impact and easier distribution by initiating redistribution gradually



Monthly redistribution potential from G7, with current planned donations and additional available stock



G7 could waste 241M doses by end of 2021 without immediate redistribution



Number of doses that will expire from G7 & EU supply after boosters and pledge donations are fulfilled

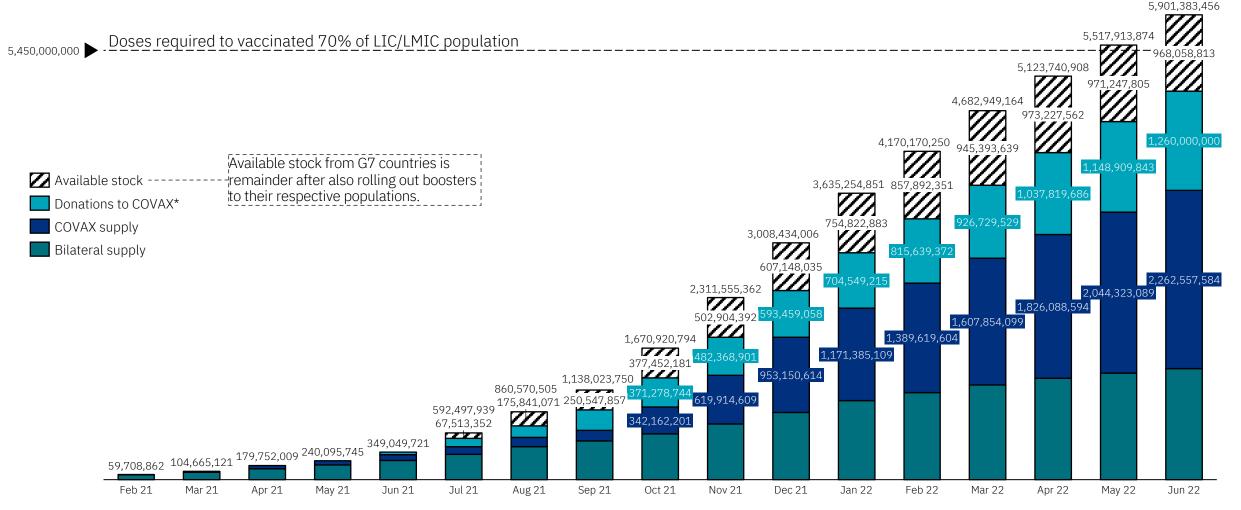


Available stock from G7 could allow LIC/LMIC to have supply for 70 pct by May 2022



Potential supply to AMC countries from COVAX and bilateral supply, with donations from G7 and additional available stock

With currently agreed supply from COVAX & G7 pledged donations and bilateral deals LIC/LMICs collectively will not have enough doses to fully vaccinate 70% of their population. However, if additional supply – that would otherwise expire – from the G7 were donated to LIC/LMICs they could have sufficient doses for 70% of their populations by May 2022. This may then take some time to rollout, and vaccinating 70% may occur some time after this.

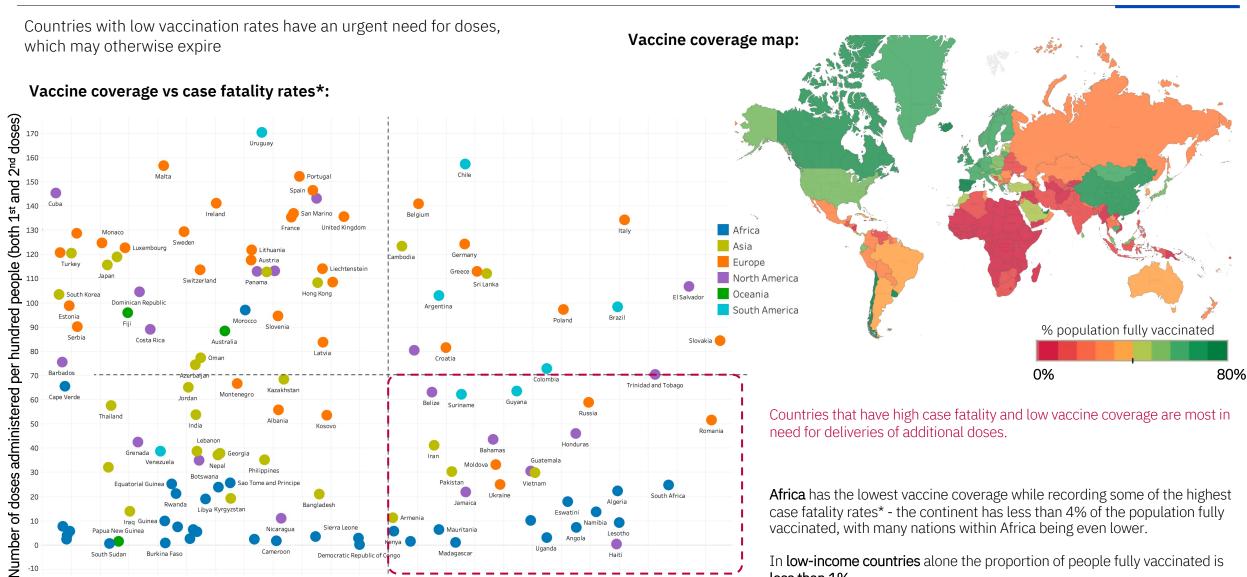


^{*}Forecasted donations to COVAX from G7 countries based on announcements to deliver 1 billion doses by mid-2022

Highest impact in regions with low vaccine coverage and high case fatality rates







Case fatality rate

Democratic Republic of Congo

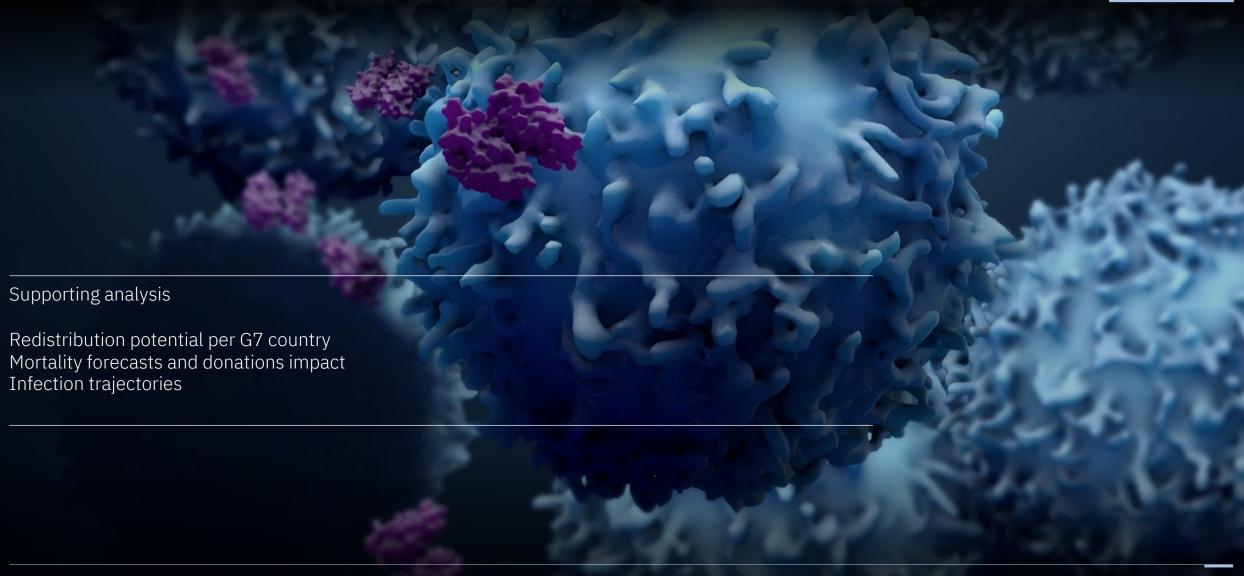
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vaccinated, with many nations within Africa being even lower.

less than 1%.

In **low-income countries** alone the proportion of people fully vaccinated is

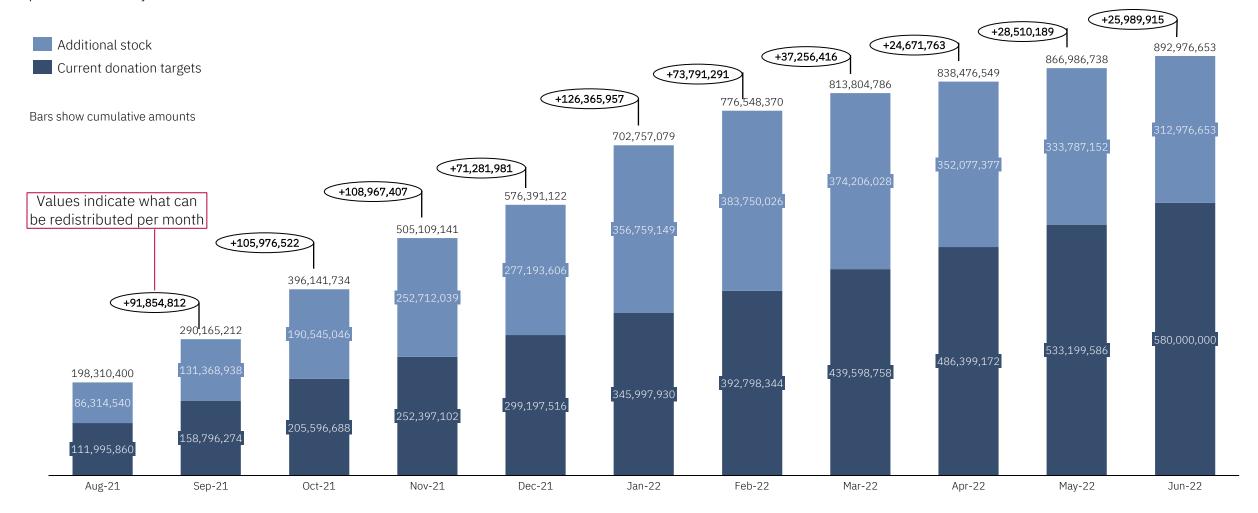




United States



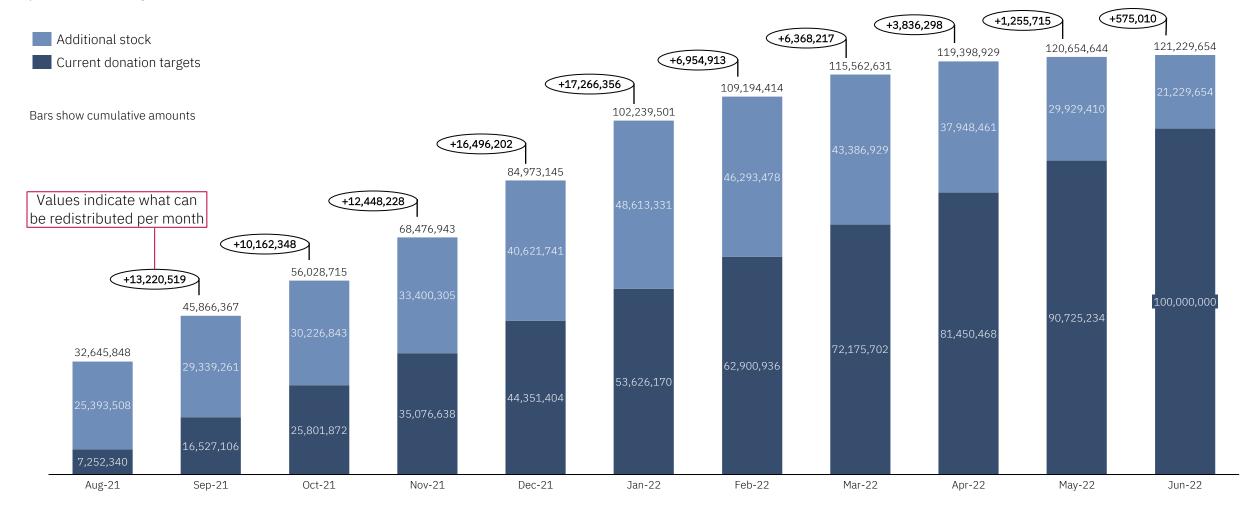
Monthly redistribution potential from the United States, with current planned donations and additional available stock



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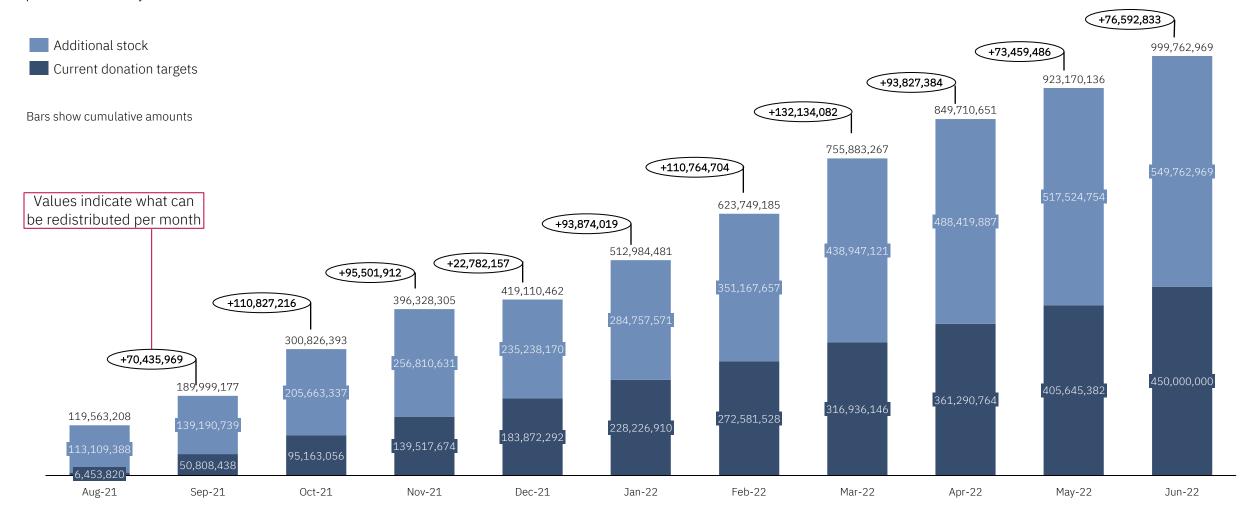
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European Union



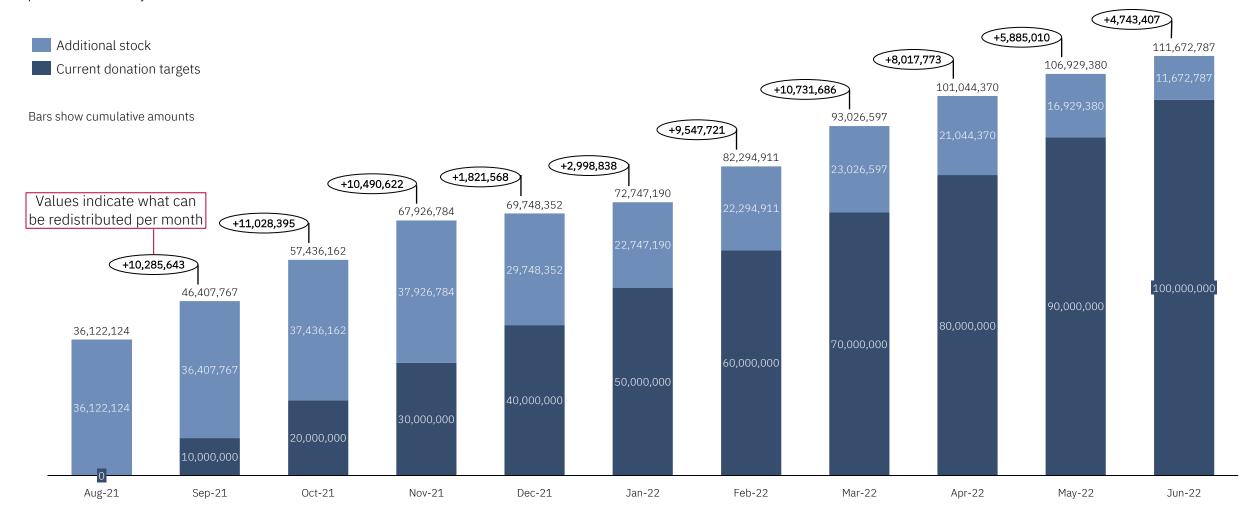
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Canada





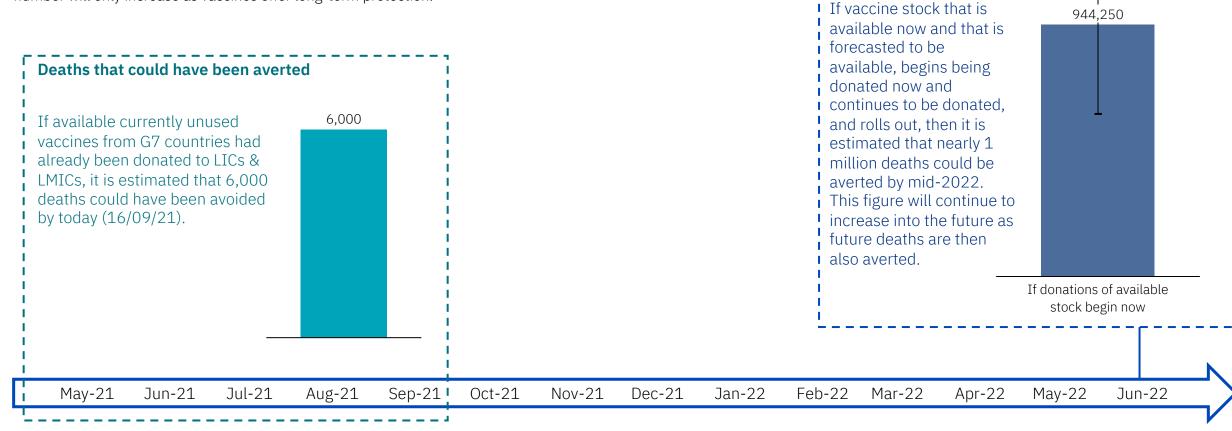


A large number of deaths will be averted by faster vaccine re-distribution, exact number uncertain



Estimates on deaths averted as of today and forecasted to mid-2022

Timeline estimates how many deaths could have already been avoided, had available unused doses already been donated and rolled out in July and August in low-income countries; it is estimated that 6,000 deaths may have been averted from available vaccines. Further analysis estimates the number of deaths that could potentially be averted by mid-2022 if available doses begin distribution as of today, and are rolled out in LICs & LMICs. This number will only increase as vaccines offer long-term protection.



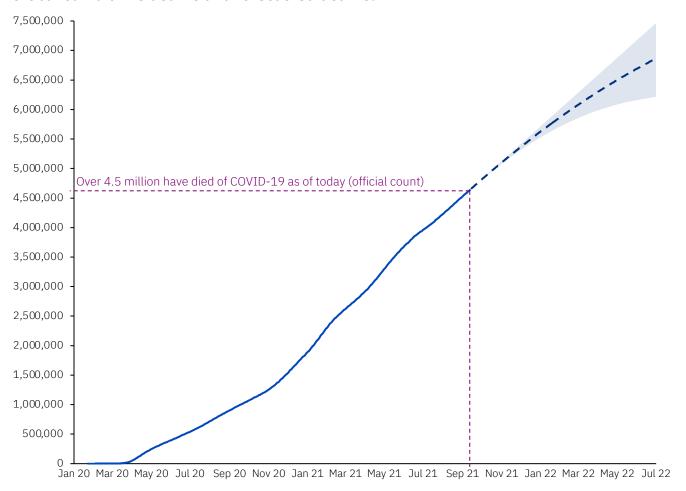
Today estimate assumes two dose vaccine schedule in Jul 21 and Aug 21, 15% shrinkage. Being vaccinated reduces susceptible population leading to a lower infection rate, which is multiplied by IFR to estimate deaths averted

Mid 2022 estimates build upon Hogan et al., Within-country age-based prioritisation, global allocation, and public health impact of a vaccine against SARS-CoV-2: A mathematical modelling analysis. Vaccine. Volume 39. Issue 22. 2021.

Potential future deaths that can be prevented



Global cumulative deaths and forecasted deaths:



Officially recorded deaths

Forecasted deaths

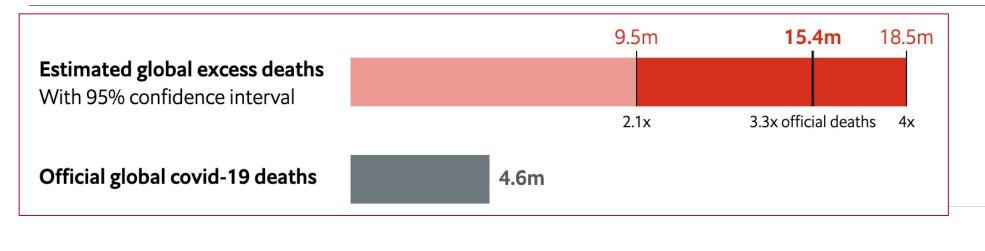
The number of total COVID deaths has continued to increase throughout the pandemic, with global rates increasing in 2021 as more transmissible variants have spread. Deaths are forecasted to continue rising, however, the rate of growth depends on infections rates, but largely on how quickly vaccines are rolled out globally. If effective vaccines are rolled out quickly then the deaths rate could drop significantly in coming months.

It is estimated that the official death count massively underestimates actual deaths caused by COVID-19, particularly in lower income countries, where reporting systems are worse. It is estimated that actual deaths could be 3x higher.

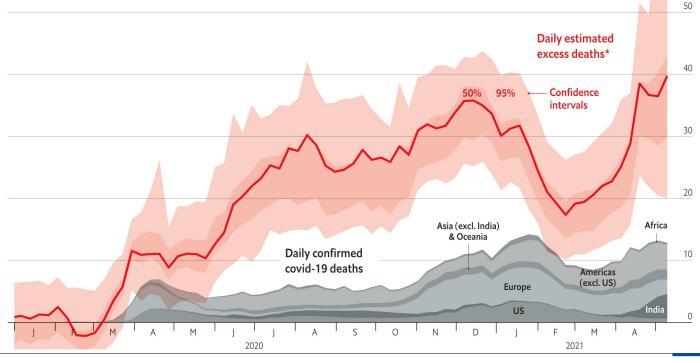
Actual COVID deaths could be 3x higher than the official count







Global estimated daily deaths* vs confirmed COVID-19 deaths: (1000's)



*Deaths relative to expected deaths in a normal year

Source: The Economist, Sondre Ulvund Solstad

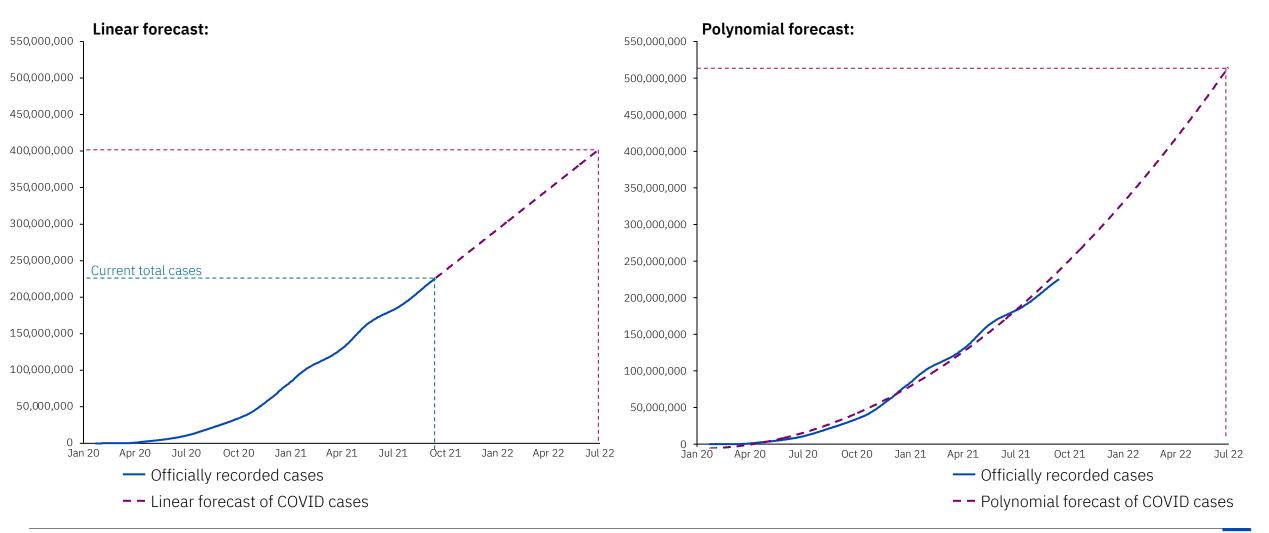
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Cases likely to exceed 400M by mid-2022





So far, nearly 225M cases have been officially recorded globally. If total cases continue rise at the current rate, we could record 400M a total of cases by mid-2022. The rate of infections, however, appears to have increased with more transmissible variants spreading globally; fitting a polynomial forecast to cases shows that there could be over 500M recorded cases by mid-2022. The rollout of vaccines widely will help slow the spread of infections.



Storage temperatures, shelf lives, and efficacies of vaccines to determine suitability for different countries



With current efficacy numbers, a separate analysis by Airfinity shows between 100,000 and 225,000 lives could be saved per 100 million doses donated*

Vaccine	Storage temperature	Shelf life	Non-cold storage shelf life
Pfizer/BioNTech	-80°C	6 months	Up to 1 month at refrigerator temperatures: 2°C-8°C (36°F-46°F)
Moderna	-20°C	7 months	Up to 1 month at refrigerator temperatures: 2°C-8°C (36°F-46°F)
AstraZeneca	Refrigerator temperatures: 2°C-8°C	6 months	Up to 6 hours at room temperature 9°C-25°C (47°F-77°F) (once removed from 2-8°C storage)
Novavax	Refrigerator temperatures: 2°C-8°C	6 months	Unknown
J&J	Refrigerator temperatures: 2°C-8°C	6 months	Up to 2 hours at room temperature 9°C-25°C (47°F-77°F)

^{*}There are high levels of uncertainty to the numbers of lives saved, with main driver also being infection rates that are difficult to accurately predict. A deep dive can be provided on request.



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