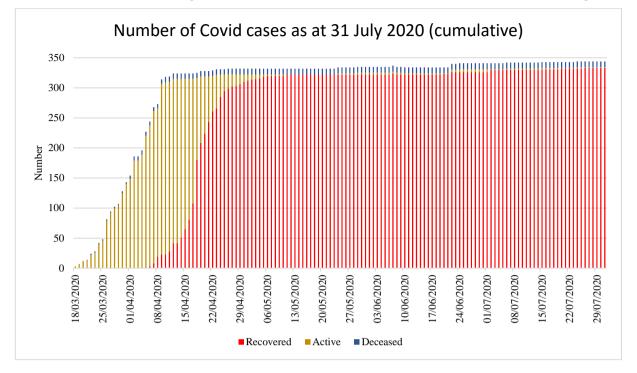
## HEALTH



# Mauritius curbs the spread of the virus to near Covid-free at end of July 2020

# Men are more vulnerable to COVID-19 than women

#### The incidence of COVID-19 is nearly twice as high among men than among women

	Male	Female	Total
Covid-19 cases (no.)	213	131	344
Incidence rate (per 100,000 population)	34.0	20.5	27.2

Based on data as at end July 2020

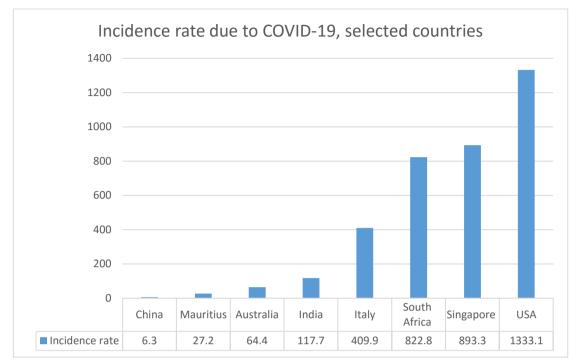
### Infected men are more likely to die of the virus than infected women

	Male	Female	Total
Deaths (no.)	9	1	10
Fatality rate (per 100 cases)	4.2	0.8	2.9

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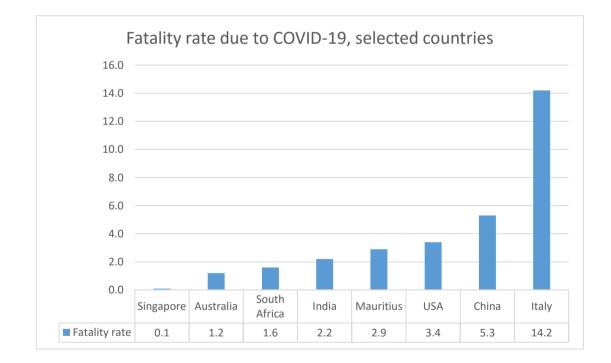
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# **Country comparison**



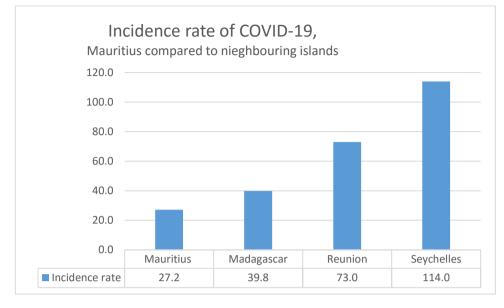
## Mauritius fares well compared to advanced countries ...

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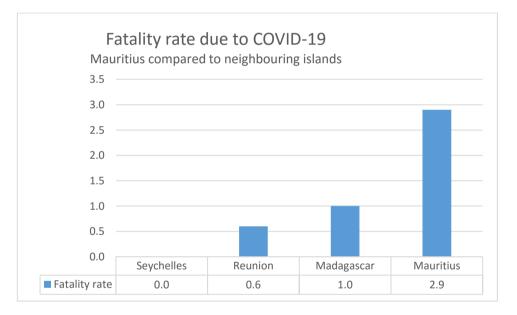


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#### ... but does not compare favourably with neighbouring islands with regards fatality rate



Based on data as at end July 2020



Based on data as at end July 2020

Source for Mauritius:

*COVID-19 data from Ministry of Health and Wellness as at 31 July 2020 and population data from Statistics Mauritius* 

Source for other countries:

*COVID-19 data from WHO accessed at* https://covid19.who.int/region/afro/country/re\_*and population data from Population Reference Bureau at* https://www.prb.org/international/geography/world\_*on 31 July 2020* 

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