

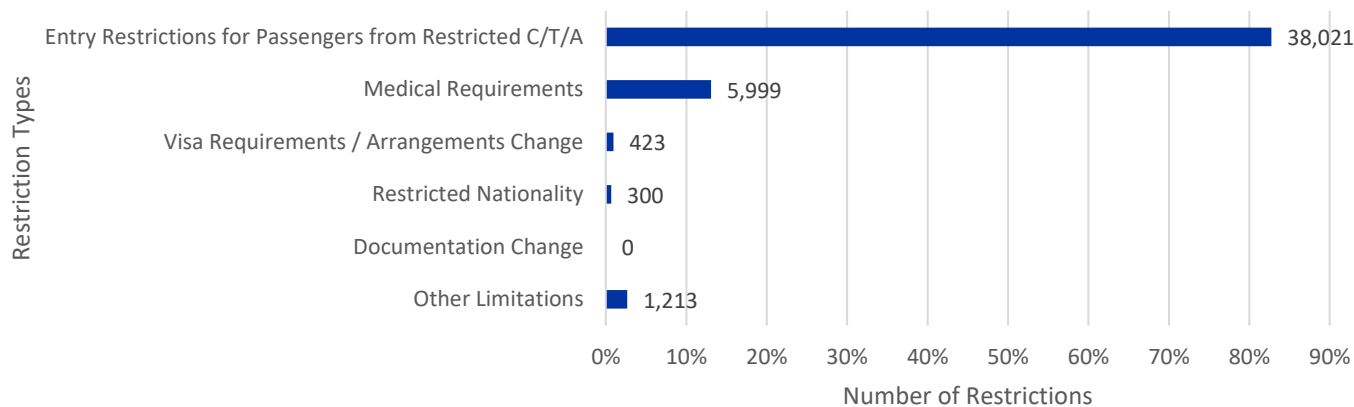
### Overview:

With COVID-19 cases reported by more than 200 countries, territories and areas across the world as of 8th of April 2020, a comparable number (196) have imposed COVID-19 related mobility restrictions and measures as of the same date. The total number of the different types of mobility restrictions and measures issued by Governments and authorities reached 45,956 on 8th of April 2020 showing a marginal increase of nearly one per cent when compared to the 45,427 measures issued as of 6th April 2020. After reporting sharp decrease of newly confirmed cases since mid-February and with average number of 40 new cases daily over the past week, the People's Republic of China lifted the internal restrictions on mobility in the Wuhan Province after more than two months of lockdown. Mobility across the country will now be based on a three-code system: the green code allows residents free movement, yellow is for quarantine and red is for supervised quarantine. Conversely, in France, after reporting a surge in the number of mortalities, authorities introduced more stringent measures in the city of Paris banning the movement of its residents between 10 am to 7 pm in addition to the existing lockdown. Amidst risks of COVID-19 and rising number of cases reported, the Russian Federation will temporarily close the land border with the People's Republic of China. According to the World Health Organization, as of 7th April 2020, the number of cases in fifty two countries, territories and areas in Africa has surpassed 10,000. In response, various combinations of measures have been applied, forty three have shut all their borders, in seven all international air traffic has been suspended, eighteen imposed full national lockdowns, thirteen introduced lockdowns on parts of their territory and twenty-three issued night-time curfews to curb the spread of COVID-19. Exemptions from mobility restrictions to allow for the entry of humanitarian and medical workers as well as the repatriation of third country nationals were announced by Jordan. Pakistan also issued entry exceptions for diplomatic and special flights of national carriers subject to special approval from the competent authority for transporting stranded passengers. India sent essential life-saving medicines to Sri Lanka in support of their COVID-19 response and Turkey sent medical aid such as masks, test kits and protective overalls to Serbia, Montenegro, North Macedonia, Bosnia and Herzegovina, and Kosovo (UNSCR 1244).

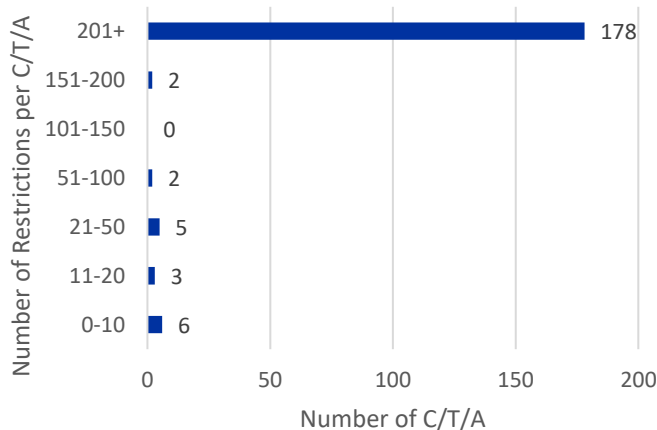
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## Numbers at a glance

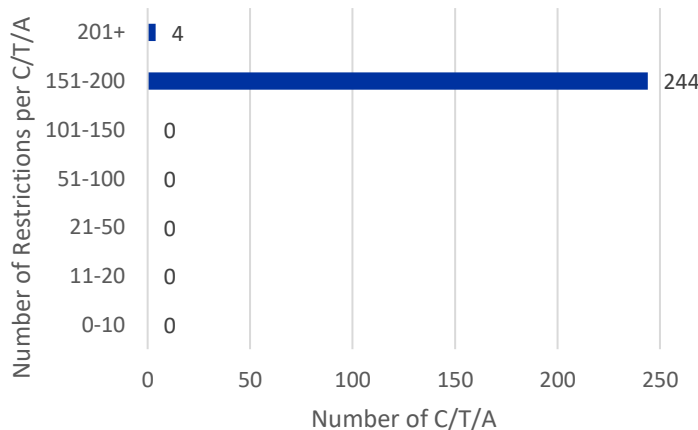
### Most Common Imposed Restriction Types



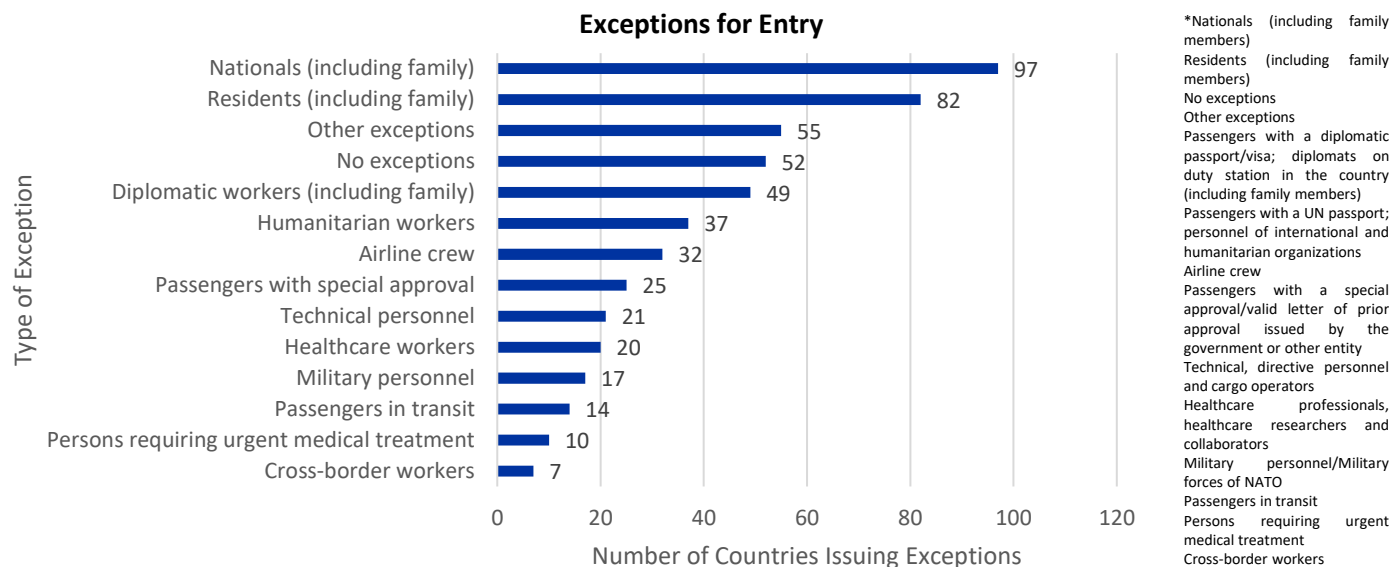
### Number of Countries/ Territories/ Areas Imposing Restrictions



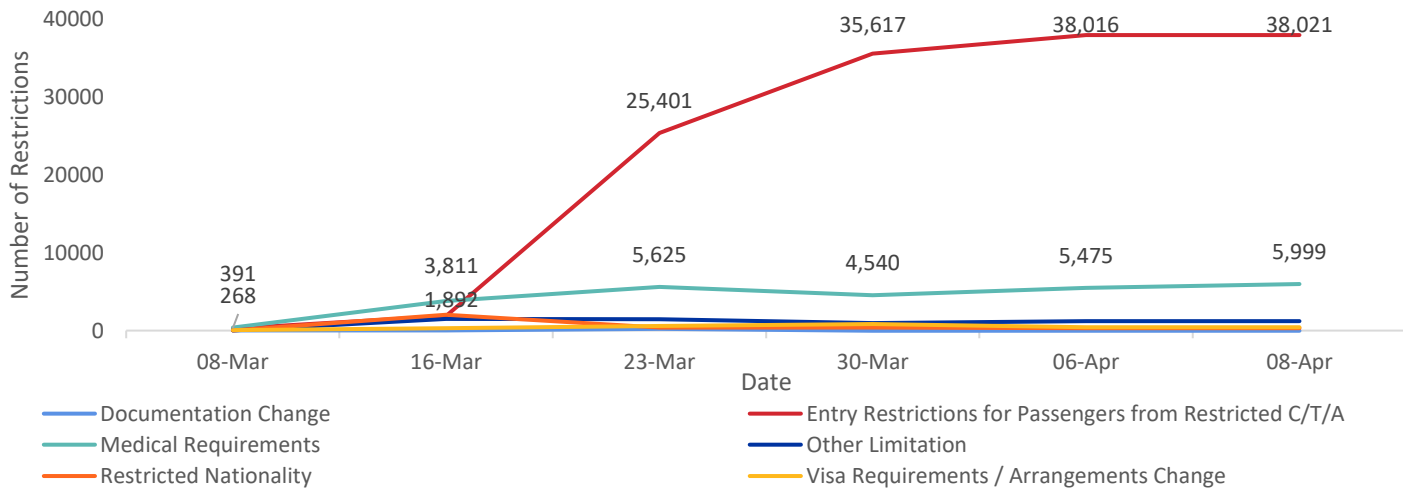
### Number of Countries/ Territories/ Areas with Restrictions Imposed upon them



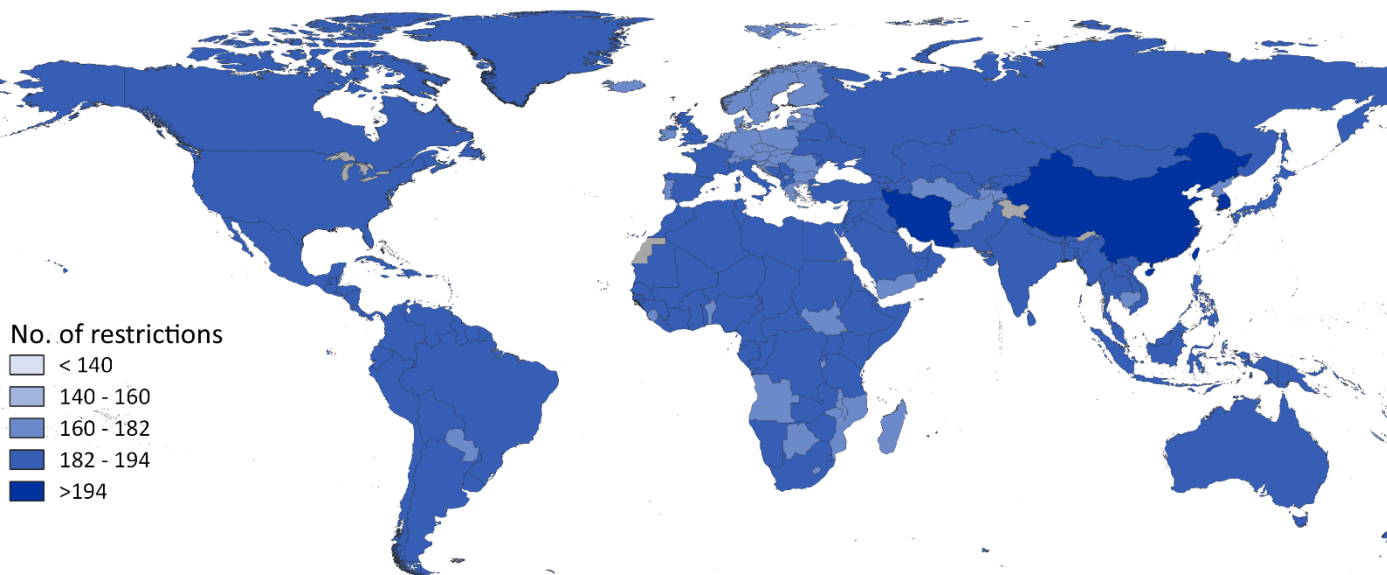
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### Measures Imposed by Countries/ Territories/ Areas, by Type and Date



### Restriction Received by Country



## Key Highlights

- Puerto Rico issued restrictions/measures for the first time, this includes mandatory quarantine for all passengers for 14 days upon entry.
- In total, 10 new extensions of total airport closures were issued by Anguilla (until 20th April 2020), Chile (until 10th April 2020), Kazakhstan (until 15th April 2020), Jordan (until 27th April 2020), Kenya (until 5th May 2020), Pakistan (until 11th April 2002), Seychelles (until 30th April 2020), South Africa (until 16th April 2020), Thailand (until 18th April 2020) and Peru (indefinitely).
- Bulgaria added new restrictions banning the entry of all passengers arriving from Italy, Spain, France, the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, Germany, the Netherlands, Switzerland, Austria, Belgium, Iceland, Liechtenstein and Luxembourg. However, Bulgaria did issue exceptions for the entry of medics, social workers, transport crews, government officials and seasonal farm workers.
- While passenger entry to Israel continues to remain banned at all airports, authorities introduced a mandatory quarantine for returning nationals and residents for a period of 14 days at a government-designated facility.
- Singapore repatriated 224 of its nationals from Egypt, 211 of which were students of the Al Azhar University in Cairo. The returnees will undergo mandatory 14 days quarantine at dedicated facilities. Similarly, Kenya's national carrier, Kenyan Airways, announced courtesy one-way tickets to Nairobi for Kenyan nationals stranded abroad.
- Princess Cruises reported that 545 passengers on the ship Coral Princess disembarked at the Port of Miami, United States of America on 5th April 2020 and 139 disembarked on 6th April 2020. Currently, 274 passengers are still on board.
- With 2,738 confirmed COVID-19 cases, Indonesia has imposed lockdown measures, including the closure of workplaces and schools, as well as limits on religious events and cultural activities, until 19th April 2020. These measures complement the declared state of emergency proclaimed earlier this month.

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