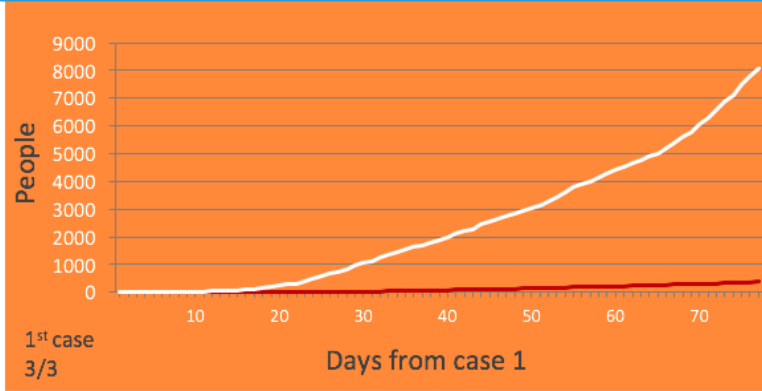


### ARGENTINE HEALTH SITUATION UPDATE



**8068** Total confirmed cases in Argentina: 8068 (+263)

**Total death toll: 374 (+8)**

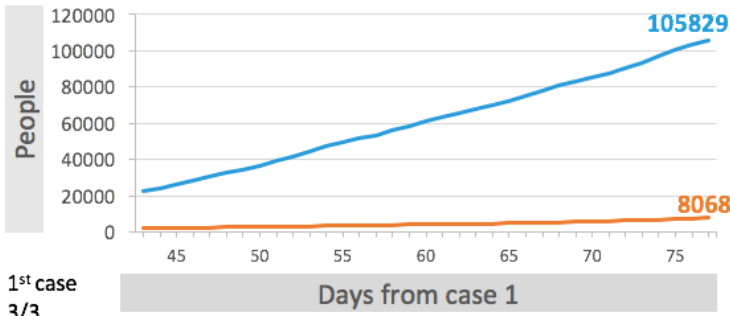
Patients admitted to ICU: **159**

**374** Community circulation of the virus.

77 days after the 1st case

Last week case evolution		
date	cases	death toll
12/5	244	12
13/5	285	4
14/5	316	23
15/5	255	9
16/5	345	10
17/5	326	3
18/5	263	8

### TESTING

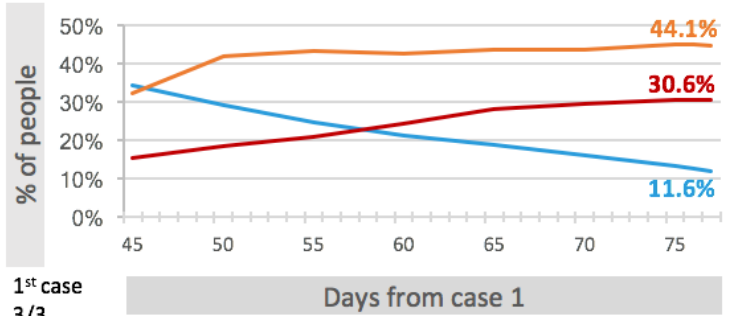


**Total tests: 105829**

**Total confirmed: 8068**

Graph as from 100 confirmed cases

### ORIGIN OF CONFIRMED CASES



**Imported cases: 11.6%**

**Close contact: 44.1%**

**Community circulation: 30.6%**

Graph as from 100 confirmed cases

### AVERAGE AGE

Average age of infected people.



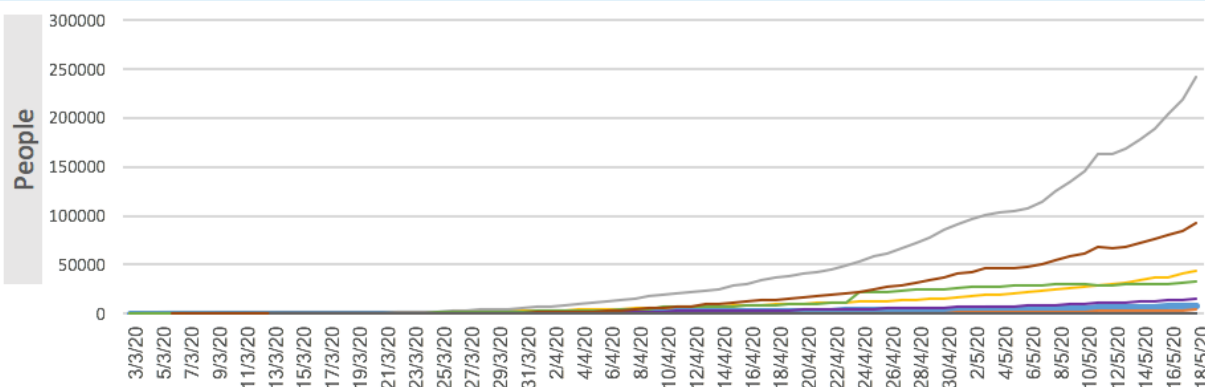
Average age of deceased persons.



### MEN : WOMEN RATIO



### EVOLUTION IN COUNTRIES OF THE REGION



Country	Confirmed cases
ARGENTINA	8068
BOLIVIA	4088
BRASIL	241080
CHILE	43781
COLOMBIA	15574
ECUADOR	33182
PARAGUAY	786
PERU	92273
URUGUAY	734



### LATEST MEASURES BY THE ARGENTINE GOVERNMENT

- The Argentine Congress resumed its activities with virtual sessions for the Senators and Representatives Chambers. The "Telemedicine and Digital Prescription" project by Representative Pablo Yedlin, Chair of the Health Commission of the Chamber of Representatives, will be discussed.
- Alberto Fernández announced that Argentine scientists from the National Scientific and Technical Research Council (CONICET) created a rapid molecular diagnostic test to detect COVID, which was approved by the regulatory entity (ANMAT).

### MOST-ADDRESSED TOPICS IN MEDIA

- [Limiting transport before reversing flexibilizations \(Clarín\)](#)
- [Rubinstein: To win the battle you have to leave the trench \(LN\)](#)
- [9 definitions of the pandemic, by philosopher Byung-Chul Han \(Infobae\)](#)
- [The government reinforces house-to-house controls in the Buenos Aires Metropolitan Area \(AMBA\) \(Télam\)](#)
- [Dr. Cahn: "We are getting ready for more serious events" \(C5N\)](#)
- [Alberto F: "We need to get through this nightmare to get everything up and running" \(Rivadavia\)](#)
- [Alberto Abad: Argentina and the virus, how can we look ahead \(Perfil\)](#)
- [Eduardo López: "Presymptomatic patients infect more than asymptomatic ones" \(TV Pública\)](#)
- [Longobardi interviews Rosendo Fraga \(Radio Mitre\)](#)
- [Controversy regarding the 'CUIDAR' app \(Telenoche\)](#)
- [Larreta: "The vast majority of people follow guidelines" \(A24\)](#)

### MOST-QUOTED SPOKESPERSONS

- [Alberto Fernández](#) (President of the Argentine Republic)
- [Carla Vizzotti](#) (Secretary of Healthcare Access, Ministry of Health)
- [Omar Sued](#) (President of the Argentine Society of Infectious Diseases)

### HEALTHCARE WORKERS UPDATE\*

**Confirmed cases: 863**  
(36% are between 30 and 39 years old)

**Recovered: 260**

**Death toll: 9**  
(8 had underlying conditions)

**Case fatality rate: 1 %**

\* Source: May 6 Report

### PROPRIETARY CONTENT OF CAEME:

[Covid-19 and hypertension: treatment cannot be interrupted](#)