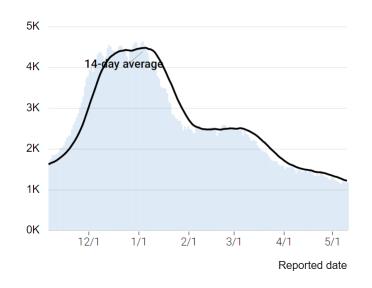
Testing Taskforce: New California COVID-19 cases, hospitalizations and deaths

14 day average Hospitalizations

1,182 COVID-19 hospitalized patients

10 more patients hospitalized from prior day total (0.9% increase)



Average test positivity past 7 days 5.0%, up 0.8% from last week 14 day average hospitalizations have declined to previous lows. 7 day average deaths remain at low levels.

7 day Average Deaths

101,854 total confirmed deaths

10 average deaths per day0.03 deaths per 100K (7-day average)

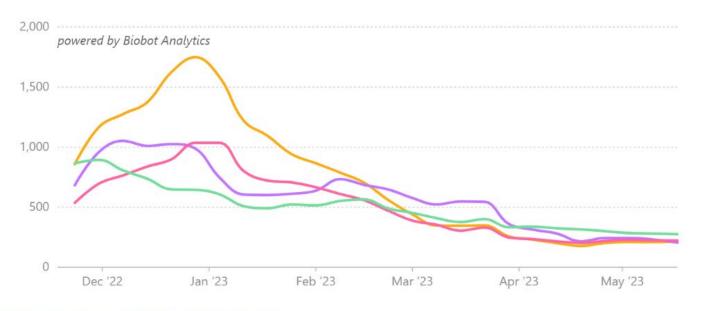


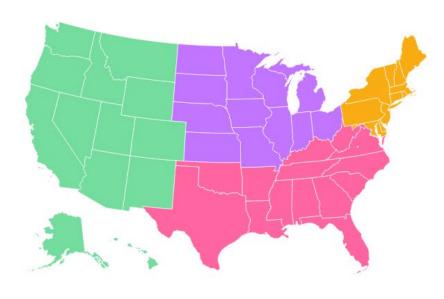
May 18 2023 with data as of May 16, 2023. https://covid19.ca.gov/state-dashboard/

Wastewater data

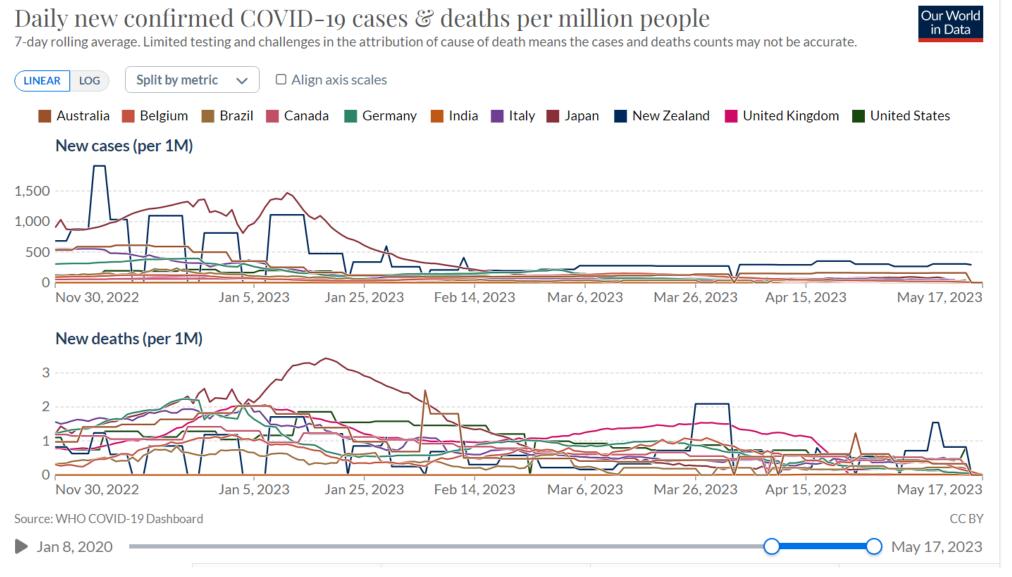








Source: Wastewater data from Biobot Analytics

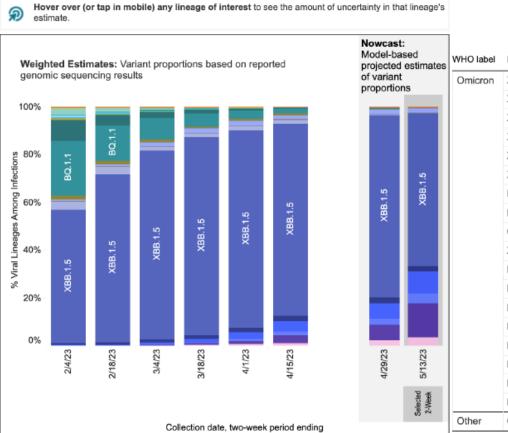


COVID-19 cases are low in many countries around the world. There has been a rise and fall in cases in India and Singapore coinciding with an increasing prevalence of XBB.1.16 and XBB.2.3. In the US cases are staying steady and relatively low.

Variant Update: CDC Nowcast Estimate

Weighted and Nowcast Estimates in United States for 2-Week Periods in 1/22/2023 – 5/13/2023

Nowcast Estimates in United States for 4/30/2023 – 5/13/2023



USA				
WHO label	Lineage #	US Class	%Total	95%PI
Omicron	XBB.1.5	VOC	64.0%	59.1-68.6%
	XBB.1.16	VOC	14.3%	11.1-18.1%
	XBB.1.9.1	VOC	9.2%	8.0-10.6%
	XBB.1.9.2	VOC	4.0%	3.2-5.1%
	XBB.2.3	VOC	3.5%	1.9-6.3%
	XBB.1.5.1	VOC	2.4%	1.9-3.0%
	FD.2	VOC	1.8%	0.8-4.0%
	BQ.1.1	VOC	0.3%	0.1-0.5%
	CH.1.1	VOC	0.2%	0.2-0.4%
	XBB	VOC	0.2%	0.1-0.4%
	BQ.1	VOC	0.0%	0.0-0.1%
	BN.1	VOC	0.0%	0.0-0.0%
	BA.5	VOC	0.0%	0.0-0.0%
	BA.2.12.1	VOC	0.0%	0.0-0.1%
	BA.2	VOC	0.0%	0.0-0.0%
	BA.2.75	VOC	0.0%	0.0-0.0%
	BF.7	VOC	0.0%	0.0-0.0%
	BA.5.2.6	VOC	0.0%	0.0-0.0%
Other	Other*		0.0%	0.0-0.0%

USA

XBB.1.16

- WHO variant under monitoring as of March 30th
- Lineage has rapidly increased in India followed by other Countries. Now rising in the US
- Leading countries (India and Singapore) are showing spike in cases

Compared to XBB.1.5

- XBB.1.16 has two S protein substitutions: E180V and T478R
- Relative effective reproduction number is ~1.2 fold greater
- Paxlovid still works

Other Lineages to watch

 XBB.2.3 – First found in the US and in India. Was growing rapidly in India and Singapore. Now growing rapidly in the US with growth advantage over other sublineages. It has a spike protein mutation that makes it easier to bind to cells – increases infectivity

Paxlovid Resistance Currently Not Seen

 Currently we are NOT seeing signs of mutations in SARS-CoV-2 likely to impact the effectiveness of Paxlovid

 We are monitoring the genomic sequencing data for known Paxlovid resistance mutations

60% ---2017-2018 50%

Figure 1. Percentage of Influenza Detections at Clinical Sentinel Laboratories, 2017–2023 Season to Date

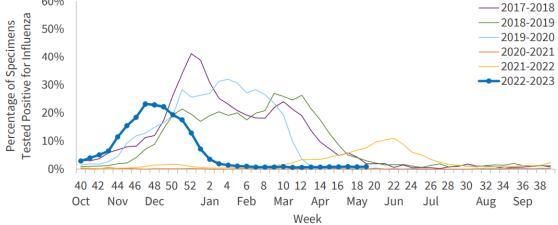


Figure 13. Percentage of RSV Detections at Clinical Sentinel Laboratories, 2017–2023 Season to Date

