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## WHAT IS THE SITUATION IN ETHIOPIA

- ◆ Public Health Emergency Operations Centre for coordination
- ◆ Over 4,000 travelers from COVID-19 affected countries screened at the Point of Entry
- ◆ A total of 77 alerts reported, 20 samples collected, 18 tested negative and 1 pending
- ◆ In country laboratory confirmation of COVID-19 established
- ◆ Prepared 2 isolation centers for management of cases

### Key upcoming activities

- ◆ Develop joint and agency Business Continuity Plans
- ◆ Simulation exercise
- ◆ Strengthen resource mobilization efforts
- ◆ Cascade regional Rapid Response Team training

## WHAT IS THE SITUATION GLOBALLY

- ◆ **80,239** total confirmed cases
- ◆ **909** new confirmed cases in the last 24 hours
- ◆ **15** out of **35** countries other than China reported new confirmed cases (**391**) in the last 24 hours

### China

- ◆ **77,780** confirmed cases; **2,670** deaths
- ◆ **518** new confirmed cases in the last 24 hours

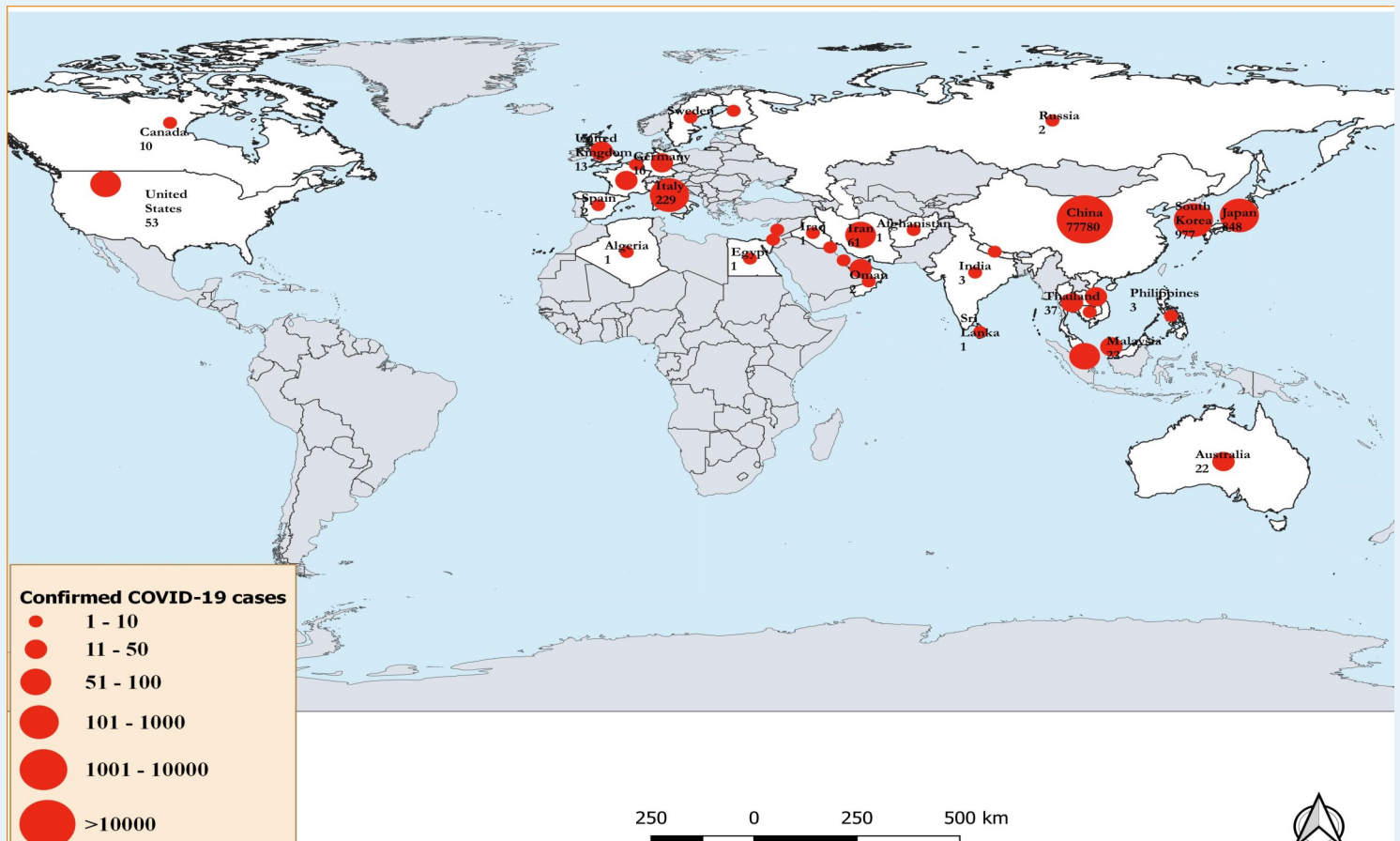
### Outside of China

- ◆ **2,459** confirmed cases; **35** deaths

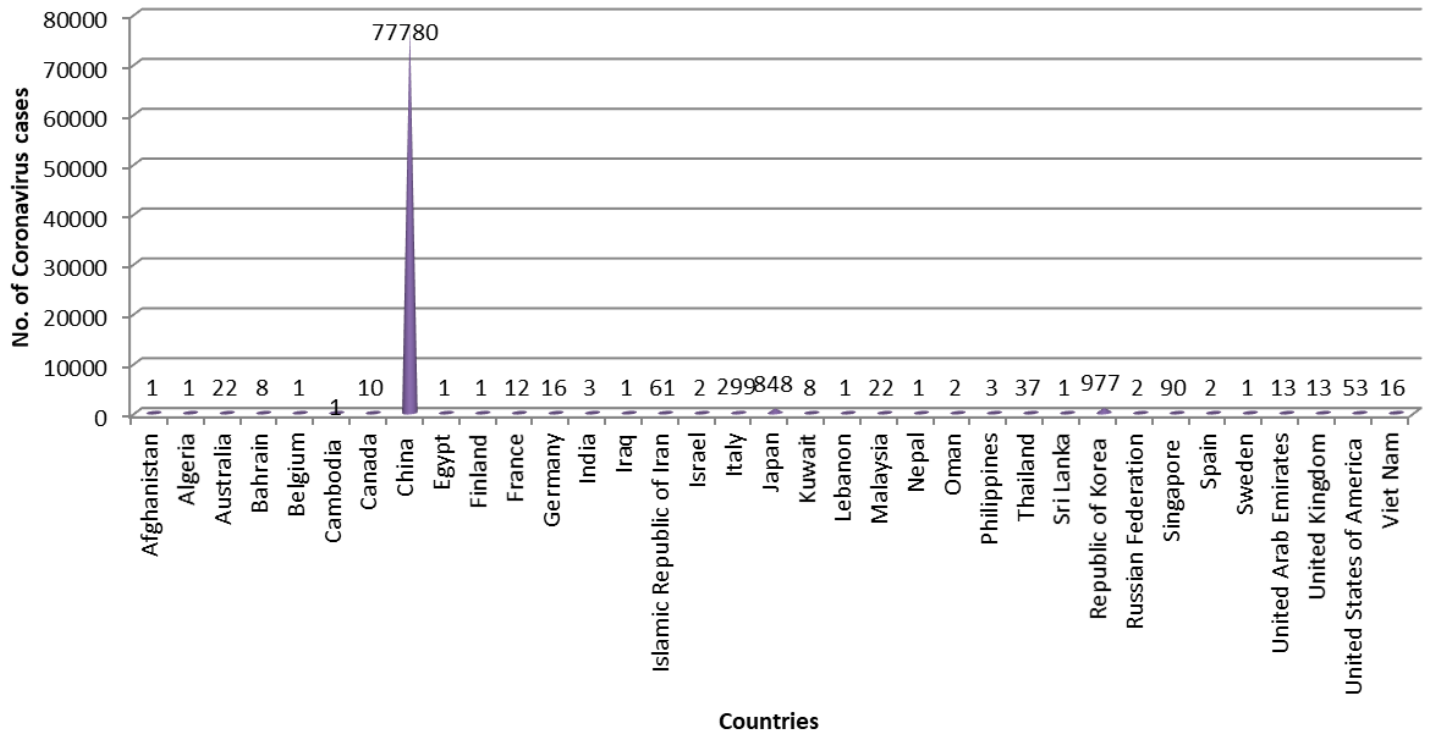
### WHO Risk Assessment

Ethiopia : **High**; Regional level : **High**  
China : **Very High**; Global level : **High**

Fig.1: Map of Countries reporting COVID-19 cases as of February 25, 2020



**Fig. 2: Number of confirmed COVID-19 cases as of February 25, 2020**



- ◆ As of February 25, 2020, a total of 80,239 confirmed cases were reported and 96.9% (77,780) of the confirmed cases are from China.
- ◆ The 848 confirmed cases in Japan include 691 cases on the International conveyance (Diamond Princess).

**Note:** The reported cases are as of February 25, 2020

### Challenges

- ◆ Follow up of the travelers especially the non-symptomatic
- ◆ Funding gap for COVID-19 contingency plan and scale up (approximately \$14)
- ◆ Isolation facilities need supplies, lifesaving equipment and staffing

### Recommendations

- ✦ Frequently clean hands by using alcohol-based hand rub or soap and water
- ✦ When coughing and sneezing cover mouth and nose with flexed elbow or tissue and wash hands;
- ✦ Avoid close contact with anyone who has fever and cough
- ✦ The consumption of raw or undercooked animal products should be avoided.
- ✦ If you have fever, cough and difficulty breathing seek medical care early and share previous travel history with your health care provider
- ✦ When visiting live markets in areas currently experiencing cases of novel coronavirus, avoid direct unprotected contact with live animals and surfaces in contact with animals;
- ✦ Cook your food and especially meat thoroughly.
- ✦ Call the UN clinic on telephone number **+251929908433** If you have been in China within the past 14 days and you feel unwell