COVID-19 Confirmed Cases and Cumulative Mortality Predictions as of May 4, 2020

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Summary of the situation:

- Europe reached 1.51 million confirmed cases today with a 1.6% growth rate, compared with 1.7% yesterday. The decay of the after-peak trajectory continues slowly, as shown from the small estimated parameter "a" (=0.18) in the generalized Richards model. It is also important to understand that confirmed infections undershoot actual infections by a very large margin (see Supplements to COVID-19 Confirmed Cases Prediction: April 15, 2020¹). Figure 1 allows us to suggest that the distributions of final confirmed cases/deaths in West European countries have converged, while Southern hemisphere and developing Northern countries have not.
- The US reached 1.16 million total confirmed cases today, with a 2.2% growth rate, compared with 2.7% yesterday. Both the confirmed cases and mortality curve in the USA seem to have reached the inflection point². Similar to Europe, the decay of after-peak trajectory is expected to be slow, likely linked to the patients on ventilators that continue to die for several weeks. See [1] for further analysis on US test numbers and confirmed case numbers.
- Austria, Switzerland, Spain, France, Germany, Israel, Italy, Ireland, Portugal, Turkey, Netherlands and Belgium (green in Table 1) are the countries with most mature outbreaks with strong signs that inflection points have been passed. They all have an outbreak progress larger than 80% in medium scenario, and also converged distribution of final confirmed cases and deaths, except for Ireland.
- Japan, the UK, the US and Sweden are less matured with outbreak progress in the range 60-80% in medium scenario. They may continue to follow the generalized exponential model, resulting in high uncertainties. However, the UK and the US have their distributions of final confirmed cases and deaths converged. The non-convergence of Japan is mainly due to a jump on April 23 due to change of reporting standard. The UK also changed the reporting standard of death statistics to include some deaths from care homes on 29 April. There are grounds to believe that both care home and community deaths are currently under reported in the UK.
- Saudi Arabia and Canada have developed signs of reaching their inflections points with the outbreak progress just over 50%, while the remaining countries (Belarus, Russia, Brazil, Chile, India, Mexico, Peru and Pakistan) are still far from the inflection point. All of them have uncertain future projections, as shown by their non-converged or highly dispersed ensemble distributions of final confirmed cases (Figure 1). However, in terms of per capita deaths, India, Peru, Saudi Arabia, Mexico, Pakistan, Chile, Russia, Brazil, Belarus and Japan do not yet have significant epidemics compared to West European countries. For Southern Hemisphere countries, this may due to their early stage of the outbreak.
- Our predictions for confirmed cases yesterday are correct in all matured countries, while mostly underestimates in immature countries including Brazil, Russia, Peru, India, Saudi Arabia, Mexico, Pakistan, Chile, and Belarus. (see figure 2).

 $^{{}^1}https://ethz.ch/content/dam/ethz/special-interest/mtec/chair-of-entrepreneurial-risks-dam/documents/Covid-19/Covid-Supplements-15April2020.pdf$

²On a logistic curve, the inflection point indicates where the curvature changes its sign. As we model the total number of confirmed cases, it is equal to the peak of the daily increase curve, after which the daily number of cases is decreasing. If the inflection point has been passed, the worst of the outbreak is over.

Method:

This report updates predictions for the number of COVID-19 confirmed cases and deaths at four time horizons (1-day, 5-day, 10-day and end of the outbreak) and for various countries/regions, based on a phenomenological approach detailed in [1]. We employ 4 versions of the generalized logistic growth equation to model the total number of confirmed cases and deaths, resulting in a positive, medium and negative scenario for the final expected number of cases/deaths as explained in the last page. Note that, for countries/regions at early growth stages, the predictions for long-term horizon (10-day and end of the outbreak) are highly uncertain and will vary a lot as the situation changes. The predicted ranges overlap and, as time passes, we anticipate our methodology to zero in on more reliable numbers. The data is neither normalized by population nor time-shifted for the calibrations.

Data source: European Centre for Disease Prevention and Control (ECDC) [2] updated every day at 1pm CET, reflecting data collected up to 6:00 and 10:00 CET. Thus the daily data in some countries is one day delayed compared to other online live sources.

Key Figures & Tables:

- -In Table 1, we report the latest confirmed cases per million population and the estimated outbreak progress in the positive and medium scenario (today's confirmed cases divided by the estimated total final confirmed case in positive and medium scenarios).
- -In Table 2 and Table 3, we report the prediction results of confirmed cases (Table 2) and deaths (Table 3) in each selected country/region at four time horizons (1-day, 5-day, 10-day and end of the outbreak) in three scenarios. The detailed fitting results for each country/region are plotted in the figures at the end of this report.
- -In Figure 1, we present a distribution of the estimated final total confirmed cases and deaths per million population based on the positive and medium scenario.
- -In Figure 2, we show the 1-day prediction error of yesterday's report.
- At the end of this report, we present two figures for each country, where the total number of confirmed cases/deaths are in the upper panel (log scale), the daily confirmed cases / deaths in the middle panel, and the daily growth rate of confirmed cases / deaths in the lower panel (log scale), respectively. The empirical data is marked by the empty circles. The blue, red, purple and green lines in the upper, middle and lower left panels show the fits with the Logistic Growth Model, Generalized Richards Model (GRM), Generalized Growth Model (GGM) and Generalized Logistic Model (GLM) respectively.

Comment: We need to emphasize that reported confirmed cases are a leading indicator that is subject to a large number of extraneous variables such as sampling rate³, sample targeting and reliability of testing. See note at end of this report. The real number of cases in the population is likely to be many multiples higher than those computed from confirmed tests.

 3 For instance, The UK is experiencing issues with raising the testing rate linked to a global shortage of certain key reagents and swabs. From April 1^{st} , all testing is to be targeted at health sector staff and this will obviously bias future data compared with past data.

Table 1. Current confirmed cases per million population and estimated outbreak progress in positive and medium scenarios (today's confirmed cases divided by the estimated total final confirmed cases in positive and medium scenario). The ranking is in terms of outbreak progress in medium scenario. Numbers in brackets are 80% confidence intervals. As positive scenarios predict a smaller final number of total infected cases, the outbreak progress is thus larger in the positive scenario. Note that the estimated final confirmed numbers tend to underestimate the final results, thus the estimated outbreak progress serves both as a lower bound for future developments and as a guide of the dynamics of the evolution of the epidemics. The estimated final case fatality rate in medium scenario is reported in the 5th column⁴. The number of tests per million population and confirmed cases per test are presented in the last two columns based on the information from Wikipedia [3].

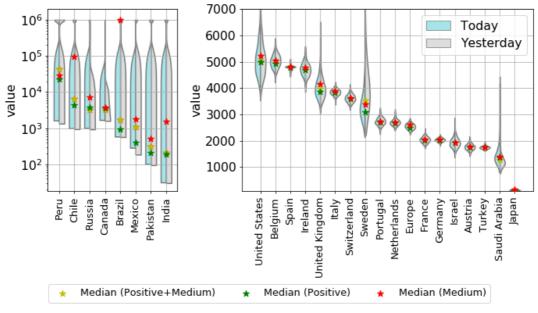
	Confirmed per Million Population (May-04)	Outbreak Progress in Positive Scenario	Outbreak Progress in Medium Scenario	Estimated Final Case Fatality Rate in Medium Scenario	Tests per Million Population (update date in brackets)	Confirmed Cases per Test (update date in brackets)
Austria	1763	99.8% (94.0%, 100.0%)	99.6% (93.0%, 100.0%)	4.6%	31347 (May 04)	5.6% (May 04)
Spain	4654	97.3% (94.3%, 100.0%)	96.7% (96.5%, 97.1%)	13.3%	28792 (Apr 27)	15.6% (Apr 27)
Switzerland	3502	97.4% (92.3%, 100.0%)	96.6% (91.9%, 100.0%)	6.3%	32697 (May 03)	10.6% (May 03)
Germany	1968	97.0% (92.1%, 100.0%)	96.3% (92.7%, 100.0%)	5.0%	30632 (Apr 27)	6.1% (Apr 27)
France	1960	96.3% (89.5%, 100.0%)	96.1% (89.5%, 100.0%)	19.2%	8880 (Apr 21)	19.3% (Apr 21)
Israel	1824	95.0% (83.9%, 100.0%)	94.9% (84.0%, 100.0%)	2.0%	44750 (May 04)	3.9% (May 04)
Ireland	4431	94.4% (87.7%, 100.0%)	92.8% (87.1%, 98.8%)	7.3%	31099 (Apr 28)	12.8% (Apr 28)
Portugal	2459	90.6% (85.2%, 97.1%)	90.0% (83.9%, 95.7%)	5.2%	41535 (May 02)	5.9% (May 02)
Italy	3487	91.2% (87.8%, 95.1%)	89.8% (86.7%, 93.0%)	14.0%	35682 (May 03)	9.7% (May 03)
Turkey	1531	87.8% (84.7%, 90.8%)	87.5% (84.3%, 91.3%)	3.1%	14084 (May 04)	10.8% (May 04)
Netherlands	2355	88.3% (84.2%, 92.4%)	86.8% (82.2%, 91.7%)	13.4%	12964 (May 02)	17.6% (May 02)
Belgium	4369	88.5% (83.2%, 93.5%)	86.4% (80.6%, 91.9%)	14.6%	23520 (May 03)	18.3% (May 03)
Japan	119	92.7% (87.5%, 97.9%)	79.6% (74.1%, 85.4%)	Not reliable	1439 (May 02)	8.0% (May 02)
Europe	2028	80.9% (76.9%, 85.0%)	77.3% (74.1%, 81.1%)	8.7%	NA	NA

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⁴ Note that Case fatality rate (CFR) is different from infected fatality rate (IFR). There are two serious problems with the estimation that one should keep in mind for further interpretation. First, tests are not representative of the whole population and, depending on countries, are targeted to those who exhibit symptoms, which then makes the number of confirmed cases smaller than it is in reality, which thus makes the CFR larger. The second problem is that there are multiple pieces of evidence that the real number of infections is many times larger than reported, perhaps by a factor of 10 or more, which would then make the IFR much lower than the CFR by the corresponding factor.

United States	3540	71.1% (59.4%, 81.2%)	67.8% (56.8%, 80.3%)	4.9%	21497 (May 03)	16.1% (May 03)
United Kingdom	2806	72.4% (64.7%, 79.1%)	67.6% (59.9%, 77.2%)	12.9%	19122 (May 04)	14.4% (May 04)
Sweden	2192	71.1% (48.4%, 87.2%)	64.9% (52.5%, 74.5%)	9.5%	11542 (Apr 28)	15.9% (Apr 28)
Saudi Arabia	802	58.0% (45.1%, 68.1%)	57.6% (40.6%, 80.0%)	Not reliable	NA	NA
Belarus	1761	52.7% (25.2%, 82.2%)	48.9% (22.4%, 62.3%)	Not reliable	16203 (Apr 27)	6.8% (Apr 27)
Canada	1605	43.7% (17.4%, 62.2%)	43.3% (20.0%, 84.2%)	4.6%	24261 (May 03)	6.2% (May 03)
Pakistan	95	Not reliable	Not reliable	Not reliable	981 (May 03)	9.0% (May 03)
Russia	932	25.1% (7.3%, 82.8%)	Not reliable	Not reliable	29325 (May 03)	2.9% (May 03)
Mexico	186	46.9% (37.1%, 55.2%)	Not reliable	Not reliable	598 (May 01)	25.4% (May 01)
Peru	1436	Not reliable	Not reliable	Not reliable	11744 (May 04)	11.9% (May 04)
India	31	16.4% (7.5%, 83.5%)	Not reliable	Not reliable	819 (May 04)	3.8% (May 04)
Chile	1050	23.5% (9.3%, 88.9%)	Not reliable	Not reliable	10456 (May 02)	8.5% (May 02)
Brazil	483	51.0% (34.2%, 64.9%)	Not reliable	Not reliable	630 (Apr 20)	29.2% (Apr 20)
Iran	1191	Not reliable	Not reliable	7.2%	5197 (Apr 27)	20.9% (Apr 27)





Ensemble Distribution of Final Deaths per Million Population

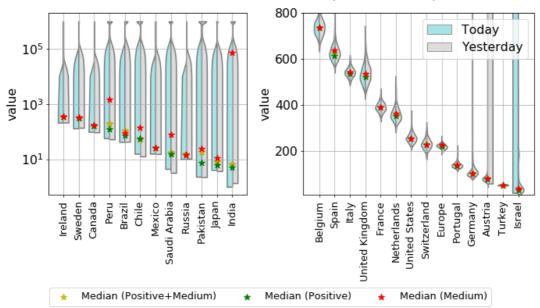


Figure 1. Violin plot of the distributions of the final total number of confirmed cases (upper panel) and deaths (lower panel) per million derived by combining the distributions of the positive and medium scenarios ⁵. The left side of each violin in cyan is today's distribution, while the right side of each violin in grey is yesterday's distribution. The model setup in the negative scenario does not incorporate a maximum saturation number and thus cannot be used. The yellow star indicates the median prediction for the combined distribution, while the green and red stars indicate the median of the positive and of the medium scenarios respectively. Note that, where we have >1 million infections or deaths per 1 million of population, the results are deemed to be unreliable (Table 2 & 3).

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⁵ Different countries have different standards and processes for reporting deaths, some reporting all deaths and some reporting a fraction. Thus, the ranking shown here is likely quite misleading. For instance, we have information that we need to roughly double UK numbers, which would put it a bad place, for instance compared with Sweden with no lock down.

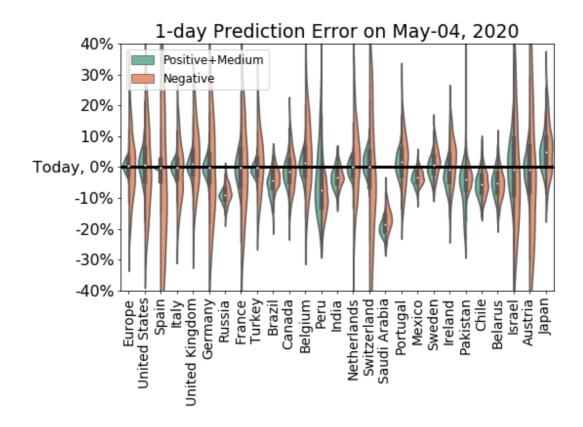


Figure 2. One-day prediction error of the forecast performed yesterday (May 3) for the total number of confirmed cases for the 13 countries/regions. The horizontal line corresponds to today's empirical data. We show the full distribution of errors for each of the two scenarios.

Table 2. Predictions for the number of confirmed cases at four time horizons (1-day, 5-day, 10-day and end of the outbreak) and for various countries/regions. The values in parentheses are 80% prediction intervals based on 500 simulations using a negative binomial error structure. In Today's validation column, today's empirical data is presented below yesterday's 1-day predictive interval. "Not reliable" is declared if more than 10% of the simulations produce extreme numbers (larger than total population). All numbers are in thousands.

Country	Scenario*	Today's validation	5-May	9-May	14-May	Final Total Confirmed
	Positive	(1470, 1570)	1550	1620	1680	1870
	rositive	1510	(1490, 1600)	(1560, 1670)	(1620, 1740)	(1780, 1970)
Europe	Medium	(1480, 1550)	1540	1620	1690	1960
Europe	Mediaiii	1510	(1510, 1580)	(1580, 1660)	(1650, 1740)	(1870, 2040)
	Nogativo	(1300, 1760)	1550	1700	1910	Not Reliable
	Negative	1510	(1290, 1800)	(1430, 1980)	(1610, 2250)	NOT Reliable
	Positive	(1090, 1270)	1200	1280	1370	1630
	Positive	1160	(1110, 1290)	(1180, 1380)	(1250, 1470)	(1430, 1950)
United	Medium	(1110, 1230)	1190	1280	1360	1710
States		1160	(1130, 1250)	(1210, 1340)	(1280, 1440)	(1440, 2040)
	Negative	(924, 1410)	1190	1350	1550	Not Reliable
		1160	(935, 1460)	(1070, 1650)	(1230, 1930)	
	Positive	(211, 224)	218	220	222	224
	rositive	217	(212, 225)	(213, 227)	(215, 229)	(217, 231)
Spain	Medium	(216, 217)	217	219	222	225
Spain	Mediaiii	217	(216, 217)	(219, 220)	(221, 222)	(224, 225)
	Negative	(139, 306)	200	225	257	Not Reliable
	Negative	217	(133, 297)	(150, 332)	(168, 384)	NOT IVEITABLE
	Positive	(204, 219)	213	217	221	231
Italy	rositive	211	(205, 220)	(209, 225)	(213, 229)	(222, 240)
	Medium	(204, 216)	212	217	221	235

	1	211	(206, 218)	(211, 223)	(215, 228)	(227, 243)
	Negative	(181, 238)	208	225	248	Not Reliable
	ivegative	211	(184, 236)	(199, 256)	(218, 282)	
	Positive	(178, 197)	192	205	219	258
United		187 (180, 194)	(183, 202) 191	(195, 217) 206	(208, 233) 222	(236, 288) 276
Kingdom	Medium	180, 194)	(185, 199)	(198, 214)	(211, 231)	(242, 311)
Kiliguoiii		(165, 222)	197	223	259	
	Negative	187	(170, 228)	(192, 259)	(220, 300)	Not Reliable
	Positive	(156, 171)	164	165	167	168
	rositive	163	(156, 172)	(158, 173)	(159, 175)	(160, 177)
Germany	Medium	(157, 169)	163	166	167	169
•		163	(157, 169)	(159, 171) 176	(161, 173)	(163, 176)
	Negative	(124, 202) 163	161 (125, 200)	(138, 219)	198 (153, 248)	Not Reliable
		(126, 135)	141	177	227	537
	Positive	135	(137, 146)	(159, 187)	(162, 252)	(163, 1830)
Russia	Medium	(126, 133)	142	183	243	Not Deliable
Russia	Medium	135	(137, 147)	(174, 192)	(221, 265)	Not Reliable
	Negative	(126, 139)	143	187	256	Not Reliable
		135	(137, 148)	(179, 195)	(243, 270)	426
	Positive	(122, 141) 131	131 (122, 141)	133 (123, 143)	134 (124, 144)	136 (126, 147)
		(122, 140)	131	133	134	137
France	Medium	131	(123, 140)	(124, 142)	(125, 144)	(127, 147)
	Negative	(102, 160)	131	143	160	Not Reliable
	Negative	131	(105, 163)	(116, 179)	(129, 202)	NOT Reliable
	Positive	(122, 129)	127	132	137	144
		126	(123, 130)	(128, 136)	(133, 141)	(139, 149)
Turkey	Medium	(122, 129) 126	127	132 (128, 136)	137	144 (138, 150)
	Negative	(111, 146)	(123, 130) 129	146	(132, 140) 168	(136, 130)
		126	(111, 150)	(124, 170)	(141, 195)	Not Reliable
	Dooitius	(87.7, 98.5)	98.5	121	146	198
	Positive	101	(93, 104)	(113, 130)	(132, 164)	(156, 295)
Brazil	Medium	(92.5, 102)	103	130	172	Not Reliable
		101	(97.8, 108)	(123, 137)	(156, 183)	
	Negative	(93.7, 103) 101	104 (98.7, 109)	132 (126, 138)	174 (166, 185)	Not Reliable
		(55.3, 62.1)	61.4	68.3	76.7	136
	Positive	59.5	(57.6, 65.5)	(63.8, 73.2)	(70.7, 83.3)	(95.6, 342)
Canada	Medium	(55.5, 61.5)	61.2	67.5	75	138
Canada	iviedium	59.5	(58.2, 64.8)	(63.6, 71.6)	(67.6, 81.1)	(70.7, 297)
	Negative	(53.9, 64.9)	61.6	70.1	81.6	Not Reliable
	J	59.5	(56, 67.9)	(63.7, 77.4)	(74.2, 90.4)	F.C. 4
	Positive	(47.7, 53.1) 49.9	50.6 (48, 53.4)	52.2 (49.6, 55.2)	53.6 (50.9, 56.7)	56.4 (53.4, 60)
		(47.5, 52.4)	50.4	52.2	53.9	57.8
Belgium	Medium	49.9	(48, 52.9)	(49.6, 54.8)	(51.1, 56.7)	(54.3, 61.9)
	Negative	(43.8, 60.5)	51.3	56.7	63.3	Not Reliable
	ivegative	49.9	(43.3, 60.3)	(47.8, 66.8)	(53.5, 75.5)	Not Kellable
	Positive	(43.4, 59.4)	47.2	60.6	77.8	Not Reliable
		45.9 (40, 49.3)	(43.3, 52.8) 53.6	(53.2, 67.5) 68.1	(63.4, 95.2) 89.9	
Peru	Medium	(40, 49.3) 45.9	(47.1, 61.1)	(58.7, 77.3)	89.9 (70.2, 106)	Not Reliable
		(40.2, 49)	47.8	62.2	83.1	
	Negative	45.9	(43.1, 52.9)	(55.8, 69.5)	(72.7, 96.5)	Not Reliable
	Positive	(39.2, 43)	43.5	52.9	66.4	259
,	1 OSILIVE	42.5	(41.7, 45.5)	(49, 55.9)	(50.7, 71.6)	(51, 564)
India	Medium	(39.2, 43.1)	43.7	53.7	68.1	Not Reliable
		42.5	(41.8, 45.7)	(51.1, 56.4)	(62.7, 72.4)	
	Negative	(39.5, 43.2)	43.9	54.5	70	Not Reliable

		42.5	(42.1, 45.9)	(52.1, 57.1)	(66.3, 74)	
	Positive	(39.5, 42.5)	41.3	42.5	43.6	46
	1 0311140	40.6	(39.8, 42.9)	(40.9, 44.2)	(41.9, 45.4)	(43.9, 48.2)
Netherlands	Medium	(39.2, 42.3) 40.6	41.1 (39.6, 42.7)	42.4 (40.8, 44.1)	43.6	46.7 (44.2, 49.3)
. Total Citation		(36.1, 49.2)	43.1	47	(41.9, 45.4) 52.3	, , ,
	Negative	40.6	(36.2, 50.9)	(39.5 <i>,</i> 55.7)	(43.7, 61.7)	Not Reliable
	Positive	(28.7, 31.8)	30.2	30.4	30.5	30.6
		29.8	(28.7, 31.9)	(28.8, 32.1)	(28.9, 32.2)	(29, 32.3)
Switzerland	Medium	(29, 31.8) 29.8	30.4 (29, 31.9)	30.6 (29.1, 32.1)	30.7 (29.2, 32.2)	30.9 (29.4, 32.4)
		(20.3, 38.8)	28.7	31.3	34.5	
	Negative	29.8	(20.8, 38.4)	(22.7, 41.7)	(25.2, 46.3)	Not Reliable
	Positive	(24.5, 26.7)	27.2	32.2	37.3	46.6
		27	(26.1, 28.3)	(30.6, 34)	(34.5, 40.7)	(39.6, 59.9)
Saudi Arabia	Medium	(24.5, 26.7) 27	27.2 (26.1, 28.5)	32 (30, 33.9)	37 (32.5, 40.6)	46.9 (33.8, 66.5)
		(25.6, 28.7)	28.6	36.3	47.7	
	Negative	27	(27.1, 30.4)	(34.3, 38.3)	(44.7, 50.7)	Not Reliable
	Positive	(24.1, 27)	25.7	26.3	26.8	27.9
		25.3	(24.2, 27.2)	(24.8, 27.9)	(25.3, 28.5)	(26, 29.7)
Portugal	Medium	(24.3, 26.9) 25.3	25.7 (24.3, 27.3)	26.3 (24.9, 28)	26.9 (25.4, 28.6)	28.1 (26.4, 30.1)
		(22.8, 28.7)	25.6	28	31.1	
	Negative	25.3	(22.3, 29.1)	(24.6, 31.9)	(27.2, 35.7)	Not Reliable
	Positive	(21.8, 23.4)	23.5	29.1	35.4	50
		23.5	(22.7, 24.3)	(27.7, 30.3)	(32.9, 38)	(42.5, 63.3)
Mexico	Medium	(21.9, 23.4) 23.5	24 (23.3, 24.8)	30.5 (29.4, 31.8)	40.1 (37.2, 42.7)	Not Reliable
	A1	(22, 23.5)	24.2	31.1	41.6	N. I. D. II. I. I.
	Negative	23.5	(23.4, 25)	(30, 32.1)	(40, 43.3)	Not Reliable
	Positive	(21.2, 23.2)	22.5	24.2	26	31.4
		22.3	(21.3, 23.5)	(22.8, 25.5)	(24.1, 27.8) 26.4	(25.6, 46.1)
Sweden	Medium	(21.2, 23.3) 22.3	(21.2, 23.5)	24.2 (22.9, 25.5)	26.4 (24.7, 27.8)	34.4 (30, 42.5)
	NI	(21.4, 24.2)	23	25.8	29.4	
	Negative	22.3	(21.5, 24.6)	(24.1, 27.5)	(27.5, 31.5)	Not Reliable
	Positive	(19.4, 21.8)	21.2	21.8	22.3	22.8
		21.5 (20, 22.4)	(19.8, 22.5) 21.6	(20.5, 23.2)	(20.9, 23.7) 22.7	(21.3, 24.5)
Ireland	Medium	21.5	(20.3, 22.8)	(20.9, 23.6)	(21.4, 24.1)	(21.8, 24.7)
	Mogativo	(19.8, 24.3)	22.2	24.9	28.5	Not Reliable
	Negative	21.5	(20.2, 25)	(22.5, 27.8)	(25.5, 31.6)	NOT Kellable
	Positive	(16.8, 22.3)	20.2	24.8	30.1	Not Reliable
		20.2 (19.7, 21.6)	(18.2, 23.6) 21.8	(21.5, 29) 26.7	(24.9, 37.6) 33.8	
Pakistan	Medium	20.2	(20.8, 22.8)	(25.1, 28.2)	(30.1, 37.1)	Not Reliable
	Negative	(19.6, 21.8)	21.7	27	35	Not Reliable
	Negative	20.2	(20.7, 22.8)	(25.6, 28.6)	(32.3, 38.1)	
	Positive	(17.5, 19.6) 19.7	19.4	22.8	27 (22, 30.5)	83.5 (22.1, 212)
		(17.6, 19.6)	(18.4, 20.7) 19.5	(21, 24.6) 23.2	28.4	
Chile	Medium	19.7	(18.3, 20.6)	(21.7, 24.6)	(25.9, 30.4)	Not Reliable
	Negative	(17.5, 19.7)	19.6	23.4	29	Not Reliable
		19.7	(18.4, 20.8)	(22.1, 24.9)	(27.1, 30.9)	
	Positive	(16.6, 18.7) 16.7	18.5 (17.4, 19.6)	21.4 (19.5, 23.1)	24.7 (20.1, 27.6)	31.7 (20.3, 66.4)
D '	N.4 - 11	(16.5, 18.7)	18.5	21.8	25.2	34.2
Belarus	Medium	16.7	(17.5, 19.6)	(20.3, 23.4)	(22.8, 28.5)	(26.8, 74.6)
	Negative	(16.6, 18.9)	18.7	23.1	29.2	Not Reliable
lara el	_	16.7	(17.5, 19.9)	(21.7, 24.7)	(27.3, 31.6)	
Israel	Positive	(14.5, 18.3)	16.3	16.6	16.8	17.1

		16.2	(14.7, 18.4)	(14.9, 18.7)	(15.1, 18.9)	(15.3, 19.3)
	Medium	(14.7, 18.5) 16.2	16.5 (14.5, 18.4)	16.7 (14.7, 18.6)	16.8 (14.9, 18.9)	17.1 (15, 19.3)
	Negative	(12.2, 21.9) 16.2	16.1 (11.7, 21.1)	17.8 (12.9, 23.3)	19.9 (14.3, 26.4)	Not Reliable
	Positive	(14.5, 16.7) 15.6	15.6 (14.2, 17.2)	15.6 (14.2, 17.2)	15.6 (14.2, 17.2)	15.6 (14.2, 17.2)
Austria	Medium	(14.1, 17) 15.6	15.6 (14.5, 16.8)	15.6 (14.6, 16.8)	15.7 (14.6, 16.8)	15.7 (14.6, 16.8)
	Negative	(10.6, 21.1) 15.6	15.1 (10.6, 21.2)	16.5 (11.6, 22.8)	18.2 (12.8, 25.2)	Not Reliable
	Positive	(14.5, 16) 15.1	15.5 (14.7, 16.3)	15.8 (15.1, 16.7)	16.1 (15.3, 17)	16.2 (15.4, 17.2)
Japan	Medium	(15.2, 17.3) 15.1	16.4 (15.3, 17.4)	17.1 (16, 18.2)	17.8 (16.7, 19)	18.9 (17.6, 20.3)
	Negative	(14.4, 17.9) 15.1	16.1 (14.3, 17.8)	18 (16, 20.1)	20.6 (18.3, 23.2)	Not Reliable
	Positive	(91.5, 99) 97.4	96.1 (92.3, 99.8)	97.8 (93.9, 102)	99.3 (95.3, 103)	102 (97.6, 107)
Iran	Medium	(90.1, 98.2) 97.4	95.1 (91.5, 99.1)	97.1 (93.3, 101)	98.8 (94.9, 103)	103 (98.2, 108)
	Negative	(84.4, 116) 97.4	100 (84, 118)	108 (90.7, 128)	119 (99.4, 140)	Not Reliable

Table 3. Predictions for the number of total deaths at four time horizons (1-day, 5-day, 10-day and end of the outbreak) and for various countries/regions, based on the Generalised Richards model [1]. The values in parentheses are 80% prediction intervals based on 500 simulations using a negative binomial error structure. "Not reliable" is declared if more than 10% of the simulations produce extreme numbers (larger than total population). All numbers are in thousands. Note that it is emerging that there can be a large variation in reporting standard between countries. In the UK, it is made clear that reported deaths are for hospital deaths only and do not include deaths in the community. Similarly, data for Belgium is allegedly being revised to account for community deaths.

Country	Scenario*	Today's validation	5-May	9-May	14-May	Final Total Confirmed
	Positive	(137, 150)	147	152	157	166
	Positive	144	(142, 151)	(147, 157)	(151, 162)	(159, 172)
Europe	Medium	(135, 150)	145	151	157	170
Luiope	Mediaiii	144	(141, 150)	(147, 156)	(152, 162)	(163, 177)
	Negative	(112, 183)	150	168	191	Not Reliable
	ivegative	144	(120, 185)	(133, 206)	(151, 237)	NOT Nellable
	Positive	(64, 71.7)	69.3	73.6	77.4	83.3
	FOSILIVE	67.7	(65.2, 73.5)	(69, 78.2)	(72.4, 82.6)	(76.2, 90.8)
United	Medium	(63.9, 71.5)	68.6	73.1	77.1	83.9
States	Medium	67.7	(65.3, 72.5)	(69.4, 77.2)	(72.7, 81.8)	(77.1, 94.3)
	Negative	(61.1, 79.4)	71.6	82.4	96.4	Not Reliable
		67.7	(62.3, 82.4)	(71.7, 94.7)	(83.1, 113)	
	Positive	(25, 27)	25.9	26.6	27.3	28.8
	rositive	25.3	(25, 26.9)	(25.7, 27.6)	(26.3, 28.4)	(27.5, 30.3)
Spain	Medium	(26.5, 30.6)	28.4	28.9	29.3	29.9
Spaili	Medium	25.3	(26.7, 30.3)	(27.1, 30.9)	(27.4, 31.4)	(27.9, 32.4)
	Negative	(23.6, 28.2)	25.1	27.6	31	Not Reliable
	ivegative	25.3	(22.8, 27.9)	(25.1, 30.8)	(28.2, 34.5)	NOT Nellable
	Positive	(28, 30.2)	29.3	30	30.7	32.4
	Positive	28.9	(28.1, 30.4)	(28.8, 31.1)	(29.5, 31.9)	(30.9, 33.9)
Italy	Medium	(28.1, 29.9)	29.1	29.9	30.7	32.9
Italy	ivieuluiii	28.9	(28.4, 30.1)	(29.1, 31)	(29.8, 31.8)	(31.8, 34.4)
	Negative	(25.8, 33)	29.3	31.8	34.8	Not Reliable
	ivegative	28.9	(25.5, 33.6)	(27.5, 36.5)	(30.1, 40.3)	NOT VEHABLE

	Positive	(26.9, 30.6) 28.4	29 (27.3, 30.8)	30.5 (28.7, 32.6)	31.9 (29.9, 34.2)	34.7 (31.8, 38.1)
United Kingdom	Medium	(27.4, 30.3) 28.4	29.1 (27.5, 30.5)	30.7 (29.1, 32.4)	32.2 (30.4, 34.1)	35.6 (32.5, 39.2)
MIIGUUIII	Negative	(25.7, 33)	29.6 (25.9, 33.4)	33.6 (29.4, 37.7)	38.6 (33.7, 44.2)	Not Reliable
	Positive	(6.43, 7.46) 6.69	6.97	7.34	7.71	8.45
Germany	Medium	(6.49, 7.39)	(6.47, 7.43) 6.96	(6.79, 7.87) 7.36	(7, 8.37) 7.73	(7.36, 10.1) 8.49
	Negative	6.69 (6.19, 8.01)	(6.45, 7.48)	(6.78, 7.94) 8.07	(7.07, 8.41)	(7.53, 9.78) Not Reliable
	Positive	6.69 (1.22, 1.41)	(6.14, 8.14)	(6.92, 9.28) 1.58	(7.88, 10.7)	2.08
Russia	Medium	1.28 (1.21, 1.34)	(1.25, 1.39) 1.34	(1.48, 1.69) 1.6	(1.66, 2.02) 1.82	(1.84, 2.99)
riassia	Negative	1.28 (1.21, 1.35)	(1.25, 1.44) 1.34	(1.47, 1.74) 1.73	(1.63, 2.06) 2.29	(1.78, 2.68) Not Reliable
	Positive	1.28 (23.3, 26.7)	(1.26, 1.42) 25.1	(1.61, 1.83) 25.5	(2.1, 2.48) 25.8	26.1
_		24.9 (23.4, 26.4)	(23.5, 26.9) 25.1	(23.9, 27.3) 25.5	(24.1, 27.5) 25.8	(24.4, 28) 26.2
France	Medium	24.9 (19.2, 31.6)	(23.6, 26.8) 25.1	(24.1, 27.2) 28	(24.4, 27.6) 32.4	(24.8, 28)
	Negative	24.9 (3.46, 3.7)	(19.1, 32.7)	(21.5, 36.4)	(24.2, 42)	Not Reliable 4.29
	Positive	3.4	(3.51, 3.76)	(3.71, 3.99)	(3.87, 4.19)	(4.08, 4.5)
Turkey	Medium	(3.32, 3.46)	3.45 (3.36, 3.52)	3.7 (3.6, 3.77)	3.92 (3.81, 4.03)	4.4 (4.21, 4.63)
	Negative	(3.23, 3.65) 3.4	3.49 (3.25, 3.73)	3.96 (3.69, 4.24)	4.56 (4.25, 4.89)	Not Reliable
	Positive	(6.69, 7.74) 7.02	7.29 (6.8, 7.81)	8.9 (8.09, 9.85)	10.7 (9.26, 12.9)	14.9 (11.1, 30.3)
Brazil	Medium	(6.48, 7.37) 7.02	7.12 (6.58, 7.61)	8.81 (7.99, 9.62)	10.9 (9.31, 12.8)	Not Reliable
	Negative	(6.52, 7.44) 7.02	7.29 (6.83, 7.8)	9.33 (8.73, 9.96)	12.4 (11.4, 13.4)	Not Reliable
	Positive	(3.42, 3.96) 3.68	3.8 (3.54, 4.07)	4.28 (3.9, 4.68)	4.77 (4.08, 5.41)	5.96 (4.16, 11.1)
Canada	Medium	(3.42, 4.01) 3.68	3.81 (3.54, 4.11)	4.37 (3.99, 4.76)	4.96 (4.41, 5.57)	6.26 (5.01, 9.88)
	Negative	(3.33, 4.23)	3.9 (3.42, 4.42)	4.74 (4.15, 5.37)	5.88 (5.15, 6.84)	Not Reliable
	Positive	(7.41, 8.19)	7.88	8.09	8.24	8.41
Belgium	Medium	7.84 (7.37, 8.19)	(7.49, 8.29) 7.84	(7.68, 8.49) 8.06	(7.82, 8.67) 8.22	(7.96, 8.88)
	Negative	7.84 (6.81, 9.28)	(7.43, 8.26) 7.98	(7.63, 8.47) 8.96	(7.79, 8.67) 10.2	(7.93, 8.93) Not Reliable
	Positive	7.84 (1.21, 1.4)	(6.92, 9.19) 1.39	(7.72, 10.3) 1.78	(8.69, 11.9) 2.27	Not Reliable
Peru	Medium	1.29 (1.17, 1.34)	(1.29, 1.49) 1.34	(1.61, 1.95) 1.74	(1.96, 2.78) 2.33	Not Reliable
reiu	Negative	1.29 (1.17, 1.35)	(1.26, 1.43) 1.35	(1.61, 1.86) 1.77	(2.02, 2.59) 2.42	Not Reliable
		1.29 (1.3, 1.59)	(1.26, 1.43) 1.4	(1.66, 1.89) 1.69	(2.23, 2.63) 2.07	6.61
	Positive	1.37 (1.25, 1.43)	(1.32, 1.49) 1.41	(1.52, 1.85) 1.74	(1.56, 2.4)	(1.57, 15.3)
India	Medium	1.37 (1.26, 1.44)	(1.33, 1.51)	(1.61, 1.87) 1.75	(1.95, 2.41) 2.24	Not Reliable
	Negative	1.37	(1.33, 1.52)	(1.64, 1.88)	(2.08, 2.43)	Not Reliable
Netherlands	Positive	(4.76, 5.38) 5.06	5.14 (4.85, 5.45)	5.37 (5.05, 5.69)	5.58 (5.24, 5.93)	6.11 (5.64, 6.69)

	Medium	(4.79, 5.35) 5.06	5.15 (4.87, 5.42)	5.39 (5.09, 5.69)	5.61 (5.28, 5.96)	6.25 (5.66, 6.97)
	Negative	(4.56, 5.7) 5.06	5.19 (4.59, 5.75)	5.73 (5.08, 6.39)	6.44 (5.69, 7.21)	Not Reliable
	Positive	(1.65, 1.95) 1.78	1.81 (1.64, 1.97)	1.85 (1.67, 2.02)	1.88 (1.7, 2.05)	1.95 (1.75, 2.18)
Switzerland	Medium	(1.66, 2.08)	1.88 (1.68, 2.11)	1.91 (1.69, 2.14)	1.93 (1.72, 2.17)	1.96 (1.73, 2.21)
	Negative	(1.49, 2.07) 1.78	1.8 (1.42, 2.18)	1.97 (1.56, 2.39)	2.18 (1.74, 2.69)	Not Reliable
	Positive	(0.17, 0.199) 0.184	0.192 (0.176, 0.206)	0.215 (0.196, 0.234)	0.241 (0.215, 0.269)	Not Reliable
Saudi Arabia	Medium	(0.159, 6.02) 0.184	0.315 (0.175, 6.02)	0.346 (0.191, 6.04)	0.386 (0.207, 6.06)	Not Reliable
	Negative	(0.17, 0.198) 0.184	0.192 (0.177, 0.208)	0.219 (0.201, 0.237)	0.253 (0.229, 0.278)	Not Reliable
	Positive	(0.995, 1.08)	1.05	1.12	1.19	1.41
Portugal	Medium	1.04 (1.14, 1.29)	(1.01, 1.1)	(1.07, 1.16)	(1.14, 1.24)	(1.3, 1.57)
	Negative	1.04 (0.989, 1.09)	(1.17, 1.32) 1.06	(1.22, 1.38)	(1.26, 1.44)	(1.35, 1.59) Not Reliable
	Positive	1.04 (1.93, 2.38)	(1, 1.12)	(1.1, 1.24)	(1.23, 1.39)	3.25
Mexico	Medium	2.15 (1.9, 2.34)	(2, 2.45)	(2.27, 2.92)	(2.46, 3.49)	(2.62, 4.93)
	Negative	2.15 (1.94, 2.35)	(2, 2.4)	(2.3, 2.85)	(2.5, 3.46)	(2.66, 5.89) Not Reliable
	Positive	(2.06, 4.05)	(2.03, 2.45)	(2.55, 3.08)	(3.25, 4.08)	3.16
Sweden	Medium	2.68 (2.02, 3.53)	(2.07, 3.8)	(2.15, 4.15)	(2.21, 4.46)	(2.26, 5.28)
	Negative	2.68 (1.97, 3.56)	(2.03, 3.46)	(2.17, 3.63)	(2.27, 4) 3.62	(2.37, 7.8) Not Reliable
	Positive	2.68 (1.14, 1.46)	(1.96, 3.5)	(2.26, 4.04)	(2.63, 4.95)	1.68
Ireland	Medium	1.3 (1.09, 1.38)	(1.2, 1.53)	(1.29, 1.69)	(1.35, 1.83)	(1.41, 2.08)
	Negative	1.3 (1.15, 1.48)	(1.16, 1.47)	(1.25, 1.63)	(1.32, 1.81)	(1.38, 2.41) Not Reliable
	Positive	1.3 (0.448, 0.506)	(1.26, 1.6) 0.55	(1.48, 1.89) 0.666	(1.77, 2.32) 0.827	Not Reliable
Pakistan	Medium	0.462 (0.435, 0.659)	(0.449, 0.728) 0.499	(0.529, 0.85) 0.613	(0.598, 1.05) 0.767	Not Reliable
	Negative	0.462 (0.445, 0.507)	(0.467, 0.532) 0.498	(0.566, 0.664) 0.621	(0.665, 0.875) 0.798	Not Reliable
	Positive	0.462 (0.263, 0.445)	(0.467, 0.53) 0.359	(0.578, 0.668) 0.405	(0.724, 0.883) 0.468	Not Reliable
Chile	Medium	0.26 (0.231, 0.277)	(0.293, 0.504) 0.268	(0.326, 0.553) 0.309	(0.361, 0.61) 0.36	Not Reliable
GG	Negative	0.26 (0.233, 0.275)	(0.245, 0.292) 0.266	(0.279, 0.336) 0.31	(0.319, 0.395) 0.367	Not Reliable
	Positive	0.26 (0.211, 0.271)	(0.243, 0.29) 0.241	(0.282, 0.337) 0.251	(0.334, 0.402) 0.26	0.278
Israel	Medium	0.232 (0.21, 1.55)	(0.211, 0.269) 0.306	(0.219, 0.28) 0.315	(0.227, 0.293) 0.321	(0.239, 0.384) 0.333
131 ac1	Negative	0.232 (0.216, 0.276)	(0.217, 1.52) 0.246	(0.222, 1.54) 0.276	(0.224, 1.55) 0.316	(0.226, 1.61) Not Reliable
	Positive	0.232 (0.532, 0.693)	(0.217, 0.28) 0.614	(0.241, 0.316) 0.634	(0.273, 0.364) 0.656	0.713
Austria		0.598 (0.576, 0.819)	(0.537, 0.686) 0.674	(0.556, 0.715) 0.69	(0.573, 0.75) 0.702	(0.596, 0.885) 0.721
	Medium	0.598	(0.579, 0.81)	(0.589, 0.827)	(0.595, 0.853)	(0.606, 0.892)

	Negative	(0.519, 0.718)	0.612	0.674	0.752	Not Reliable
	- J	0.598	(0.506, 0.729)	(0.56, 0.801)	(0.62, 0.892)	
	Positive	(0.441, 0.619)	0.543	0.622	0.689	0.788
	rositive	0.51	(0.462, 0.633)	(0.531, 0.734)	(0.583, 0.856)	(0.636, 1.24)
lanan	Madium	(0.488, 0.665)	0.593	0.705	0.84	Not Reliable
Japan	Medium	0.51	(0.5, 0.697)	(0.589, 0.826)	(0.678, 1.05)	NOT KEIIADIE
	Negative	(0.471, 0.649)	0.57	0.708	0.911	Not Reliable
		0.51	(0.484, 0.666)	(0.598, 0.832)	(0.743, 1.11)	
	Positive	(6.15, 6.67)	6.45	6.61	6.77	7.22
	Positive	6.2	(6.21, 6.69)	(6.37, 6.88)	(6.52, 7.06)	(6.89, 7.58)
lmon	Medium	(6.17, 6.66)	6.44	6.61	6.78	7.35
Iran	Medium	6.2	(6.23, 6.67)	(6.39, 6.85)	(6.55, 7.03)	(7, 7.68)
	Negative	(5.68, 6.94)	6.34	6.82	7.44	Net Deliele
	Negative	6.2	(5.75, 7.1)	(6.19, 7.64)	(6.72, 8.32)	Not Reliable

* Note:

-The scenarios are based on the final total confirmed numbers. On April 11, 2020, we introduced the Generalized Richards Model in addition to our existing three models: Generalized Logistic Model, Logistic Model and Generalized Growth model (see [1] for their presentation). We remove the lowest mean predicted final total confirmed number K among the four models (which is classical statistical method ensuring robustness). Then, the model with the second lowest mean predicted final total confirmed number K is classified as the positive scenario, and the third lowest one is classified as the medium scenario. The negative scenario is based on the Generalized Growth model, which should only describe the early stage of the epidemic outbreak and is therefore least reliable for countries in the more mature stage.

-Trajectories from Iran have largely deviated from a typical logistic type growth (S curve), and can't be properly described by our models. Although we still report its calibration results in Table 1, they should not be taken as reliable in all scenarios and time horizons. This is probably a result of unreliable reported data from Iran.

Limitations of using the statistics of reported confirmed number

It is important to understand what our prediction models show. The predictions are based on cases identified on the basis of testing and they therefore predict the numbers of future positive tests. Relating positive test results to real levels of infection is subject to a large number of biases. It is a fact that the real number of infections is far higher than those recorded in positive tests since only a tiny fraction of any population has been tested. It is also the case that, in most countries, testing is biased towards those who think they are infected. The first bias, therefore, will underestimate the real number of infections while the second bias will tend to overestimate since it is biased towards those who think they are ill.

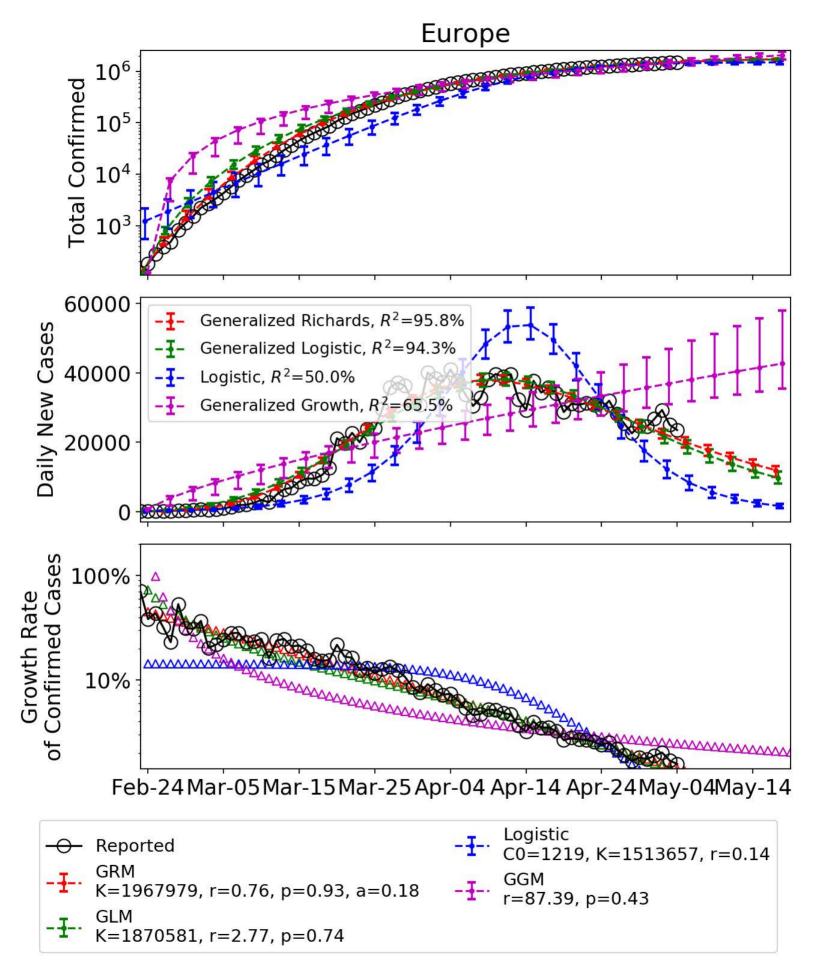
There are further complications. Depending on the testing protocols used, in some instances false positive results have been obtained. In other words, someone without the disease tested positive, probably because they were infected with some other coronavirus. And in other cases, false negative results were obtained, as was the case with the early testing deployed in the USA. One final complication is the fact that tests are conducted sequentially over time. They do not represent a snapshot of a day in time. Many of those tested early, giving a negative result, may today get a positive result. And many, who tested positive early on, may today be cured. We anticipate that, over time, our methodology will improve and will provide a more accurate picture of the true levels of infection and where they are headed.

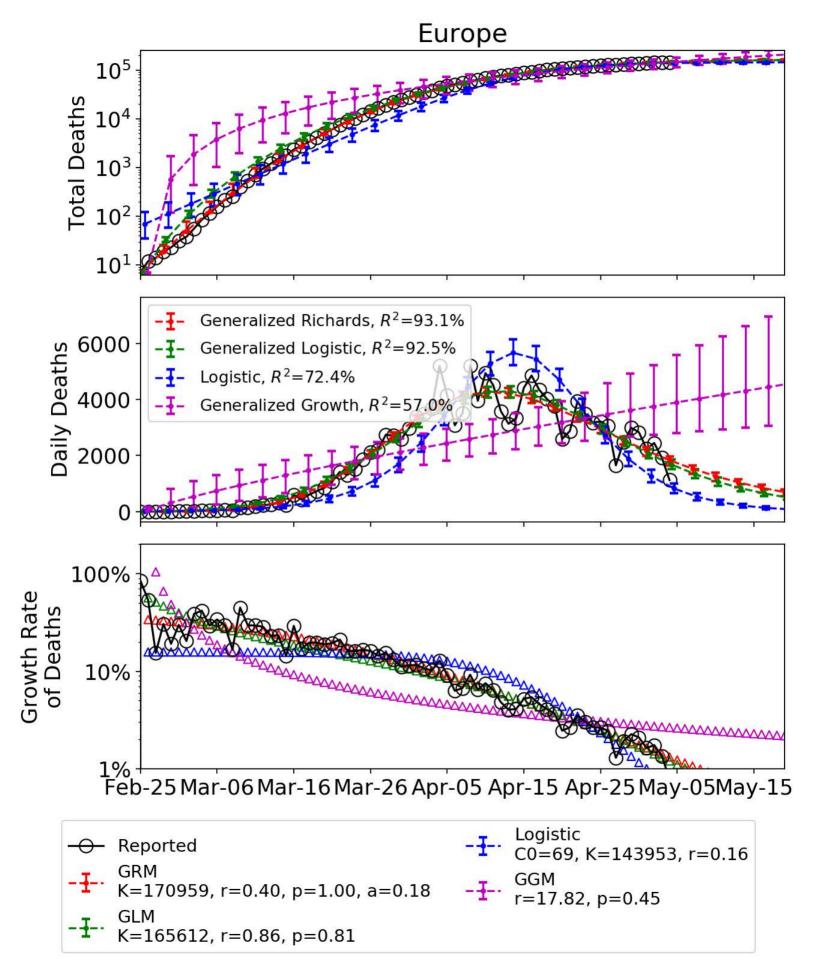
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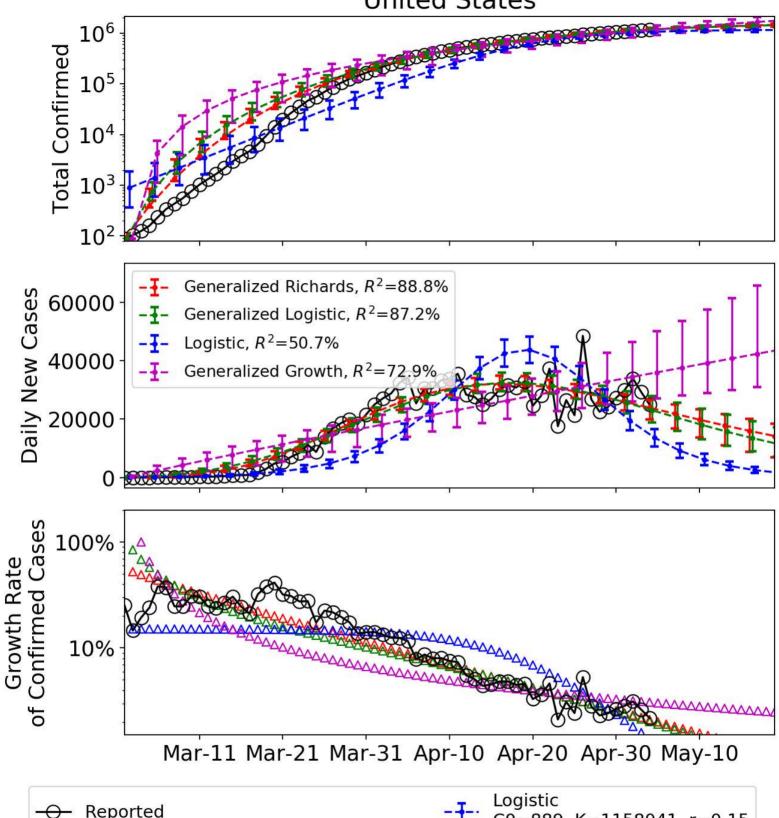
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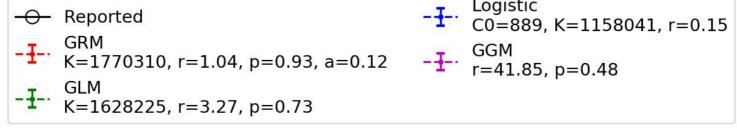
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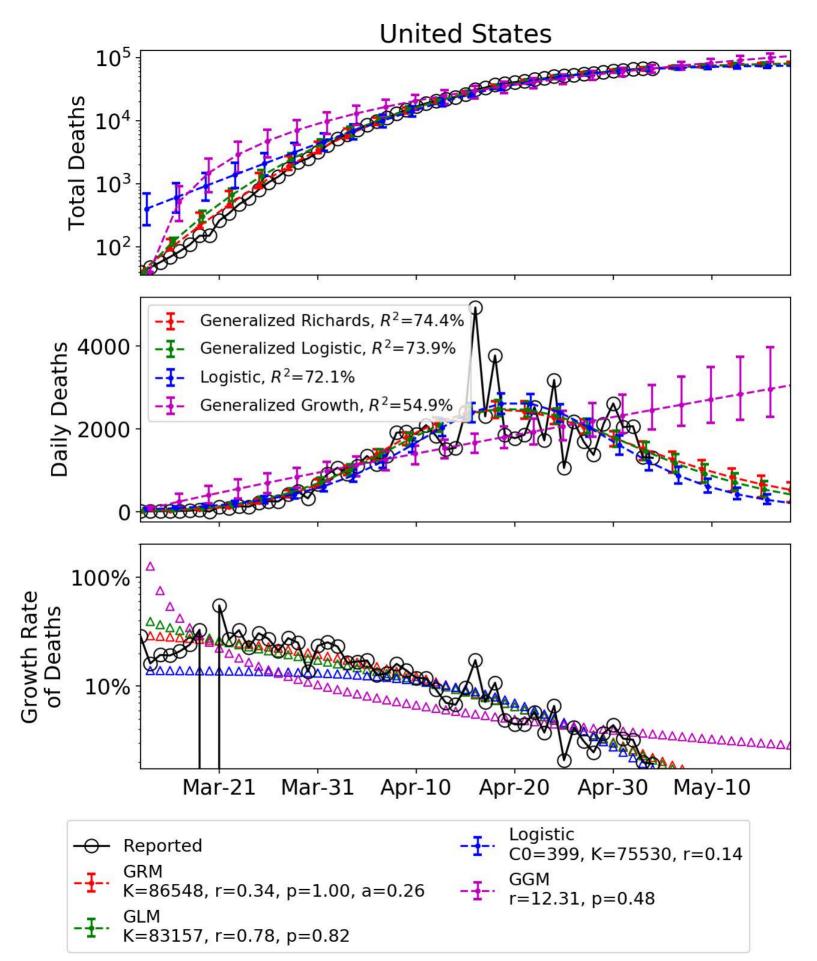


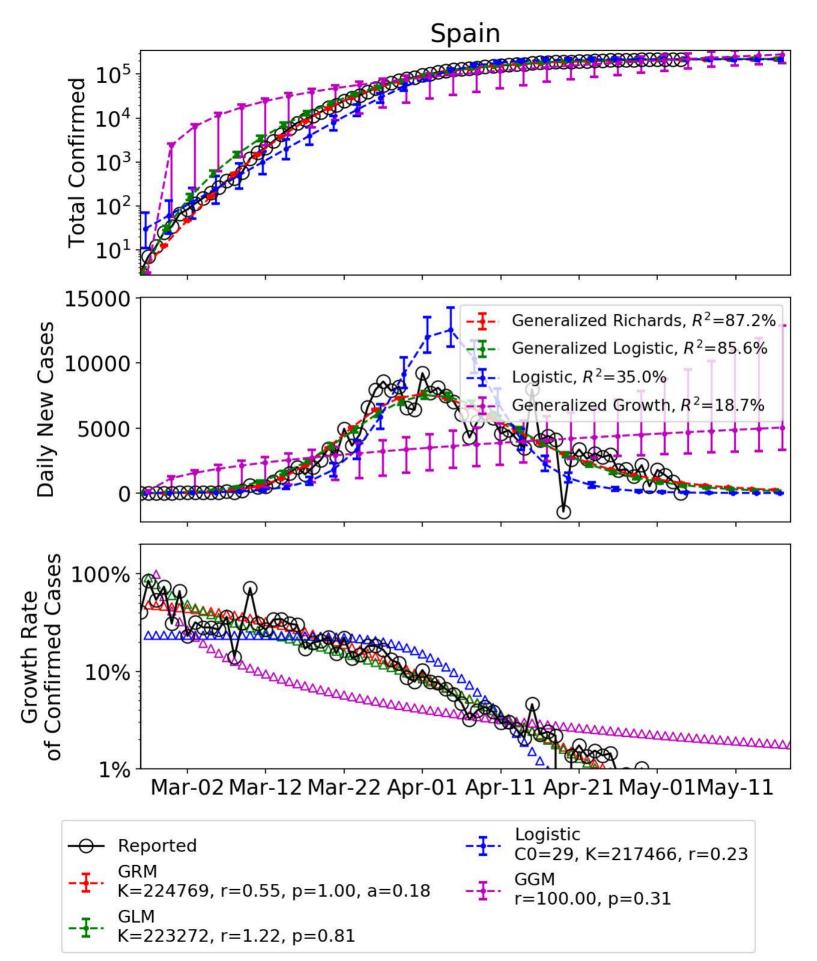


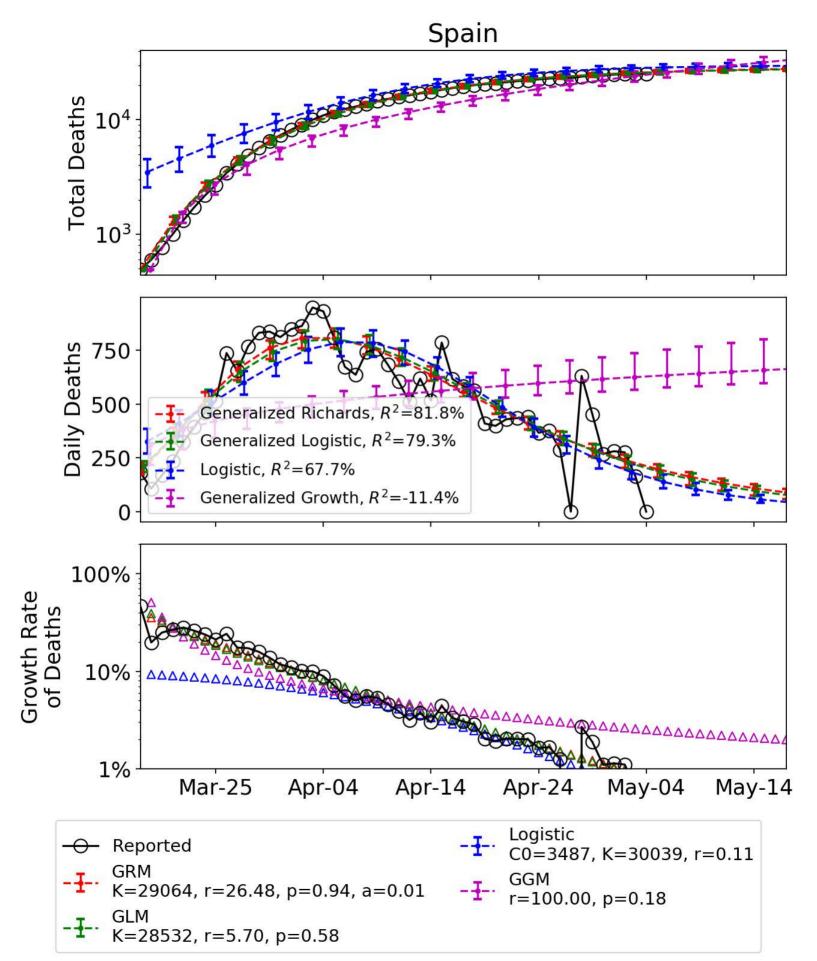
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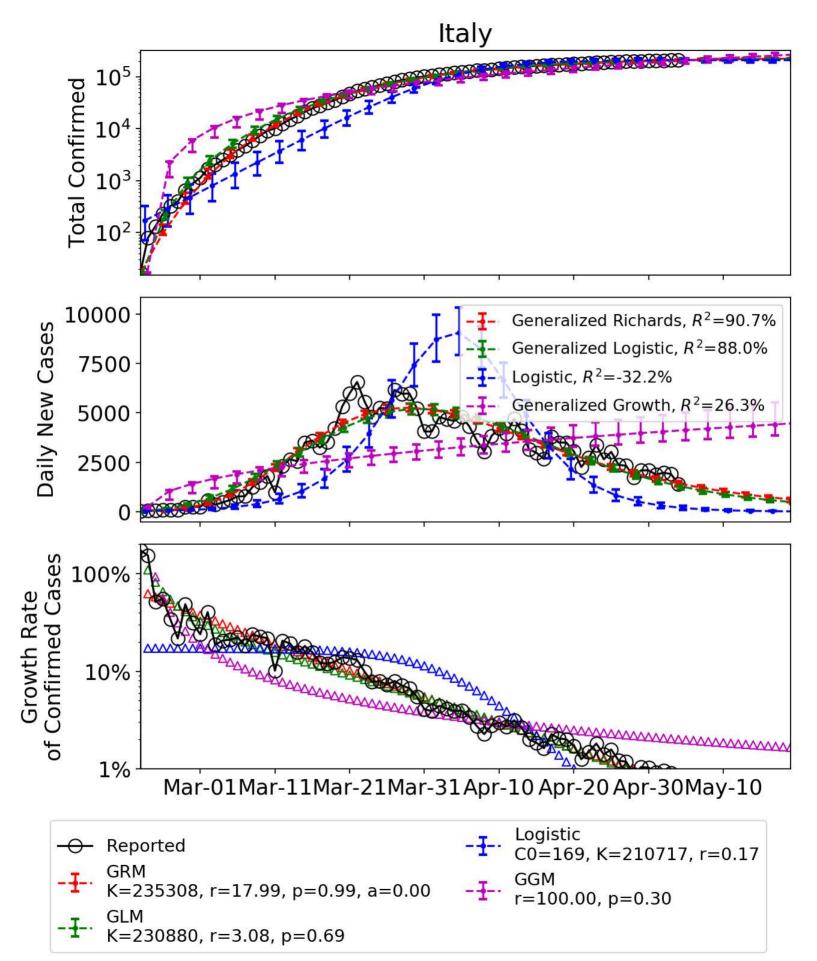


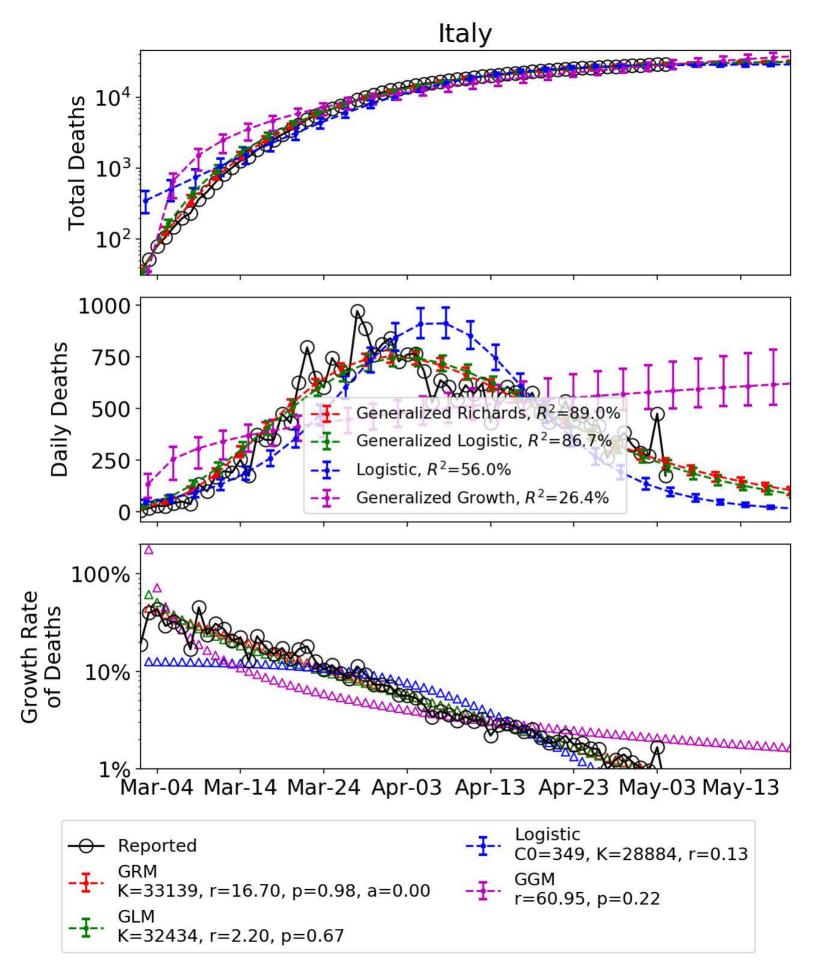




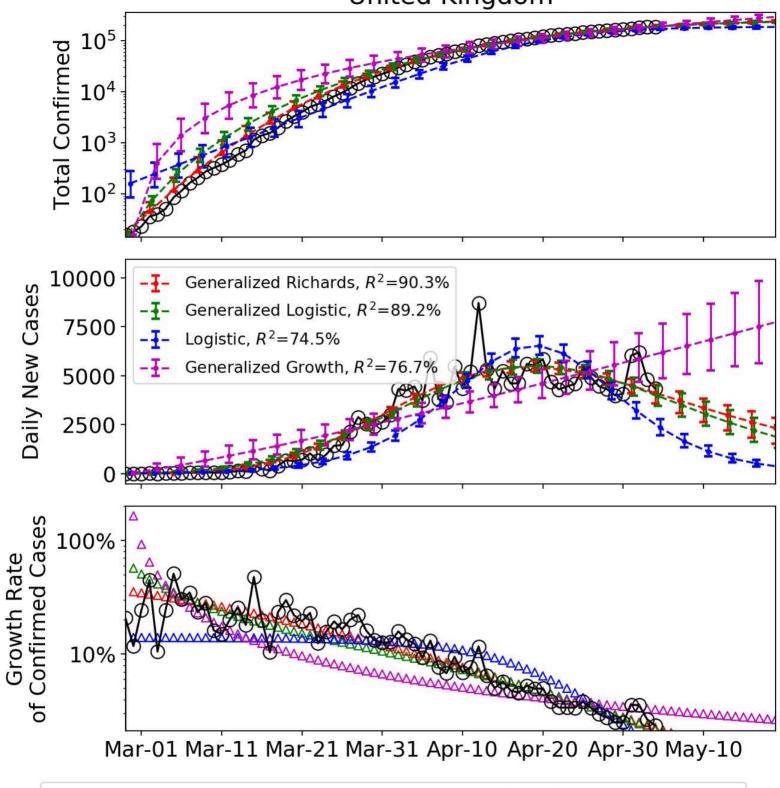








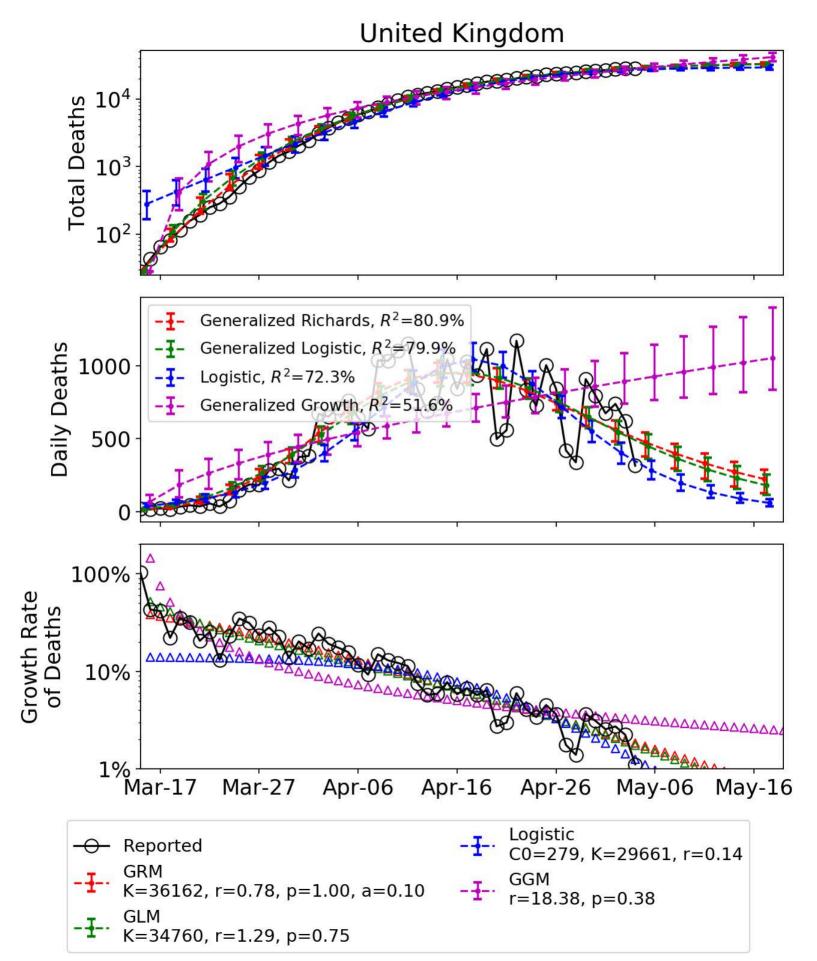
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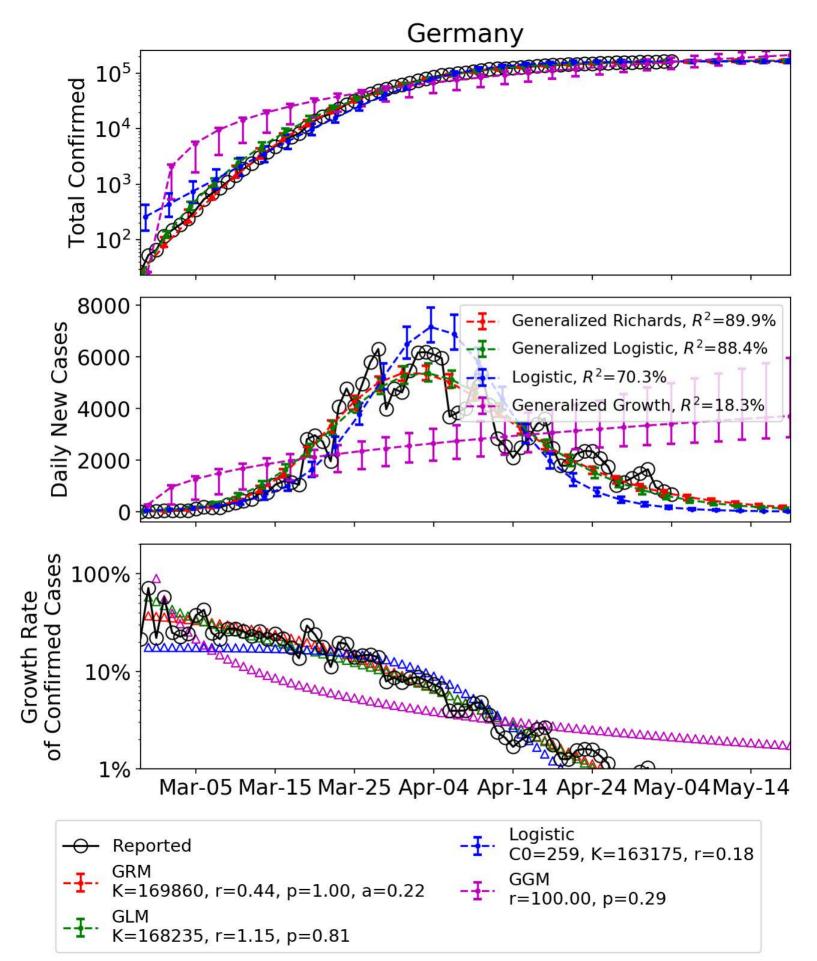


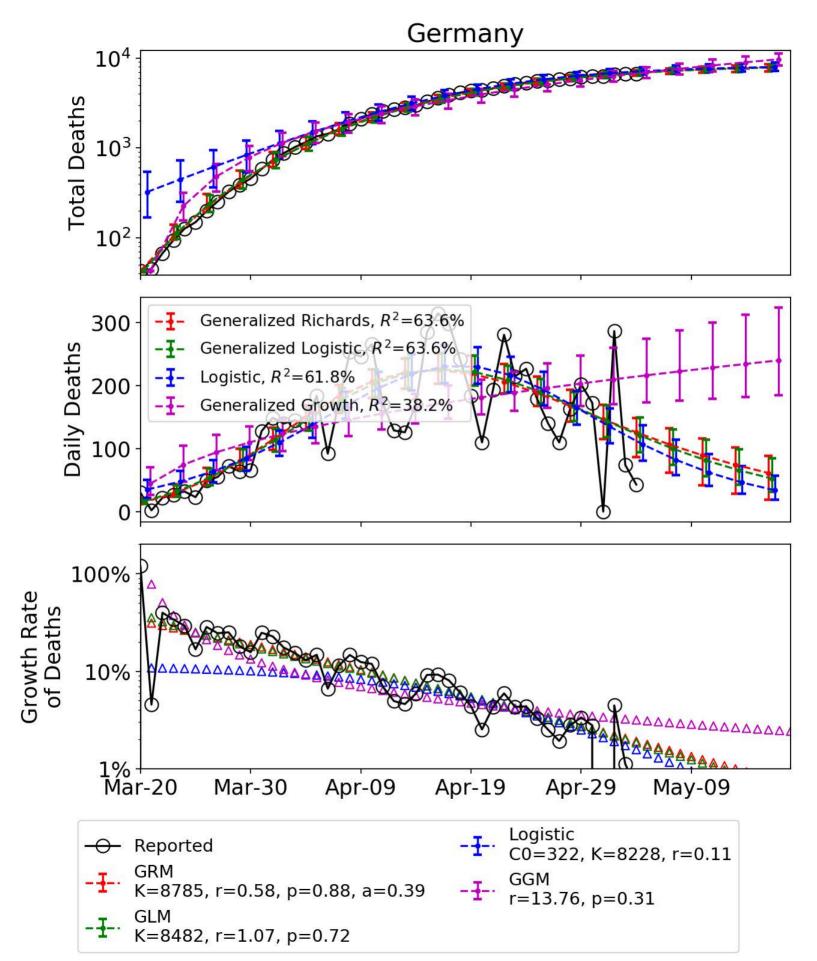
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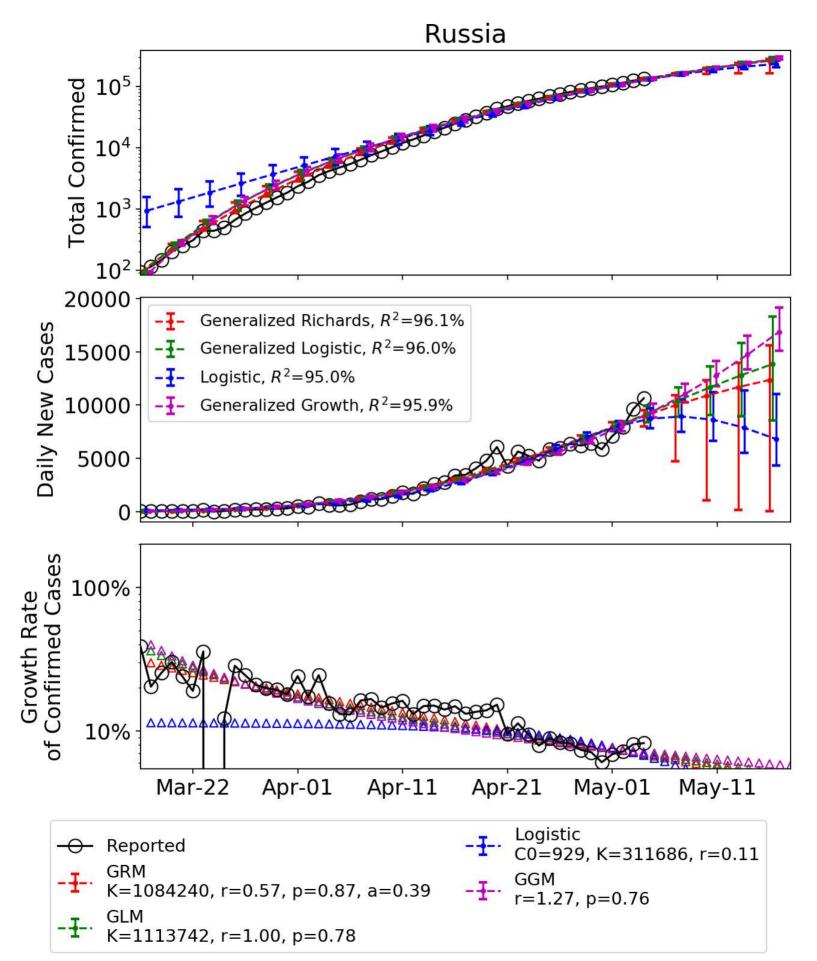
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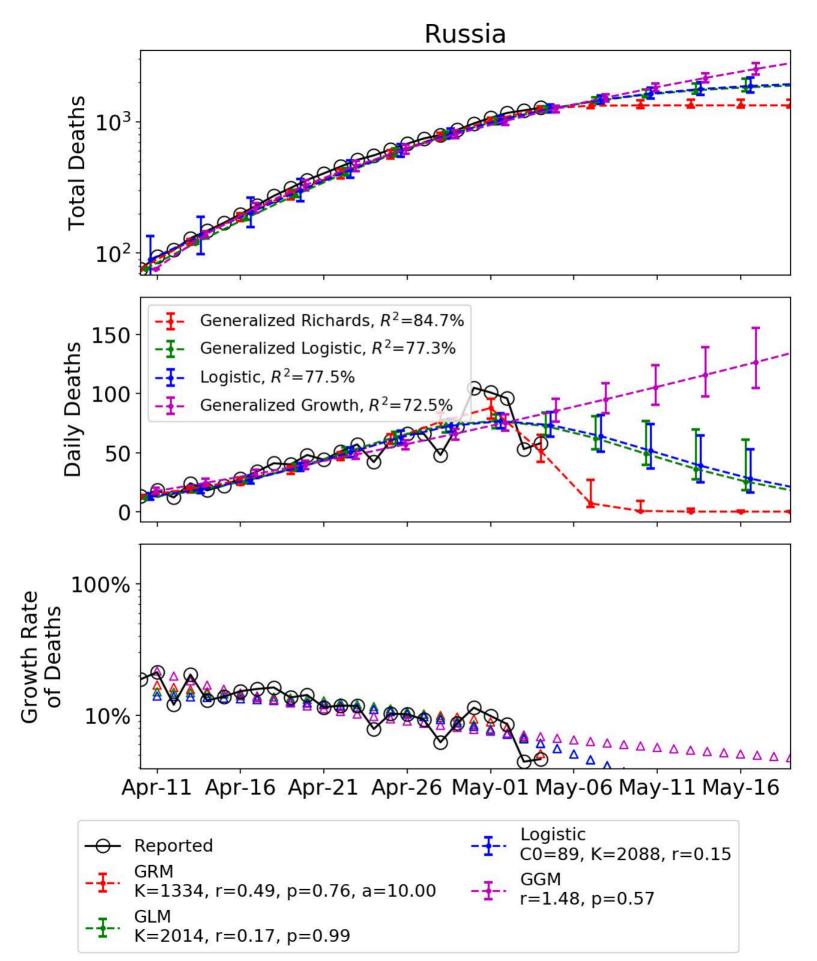
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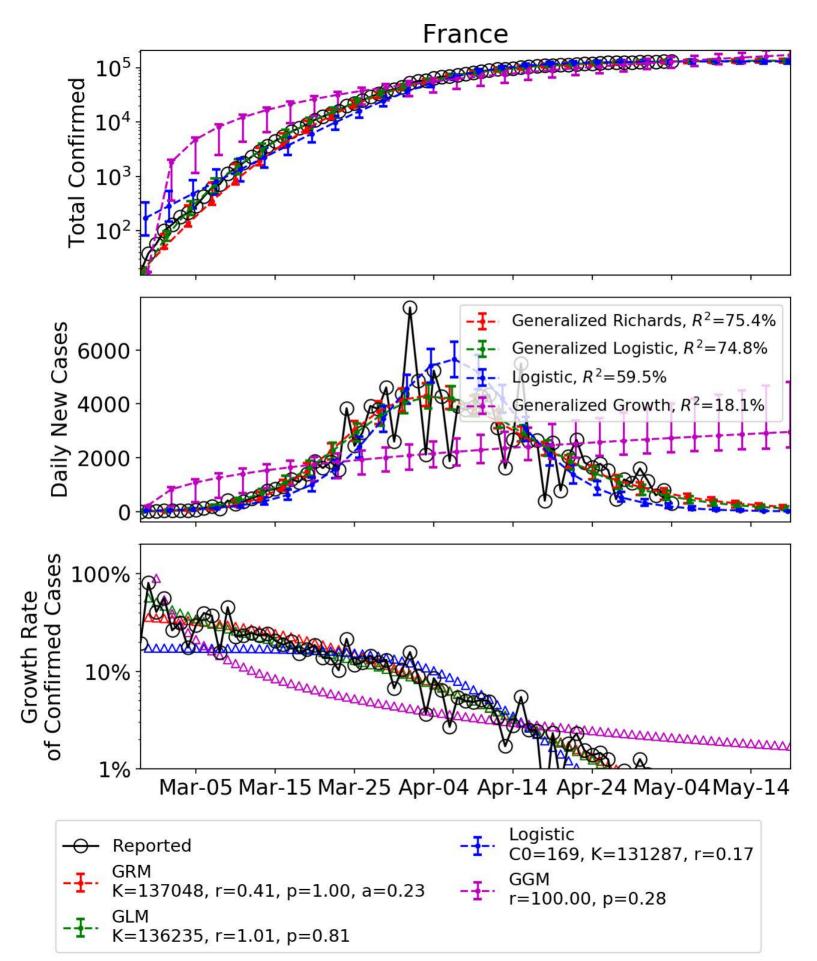


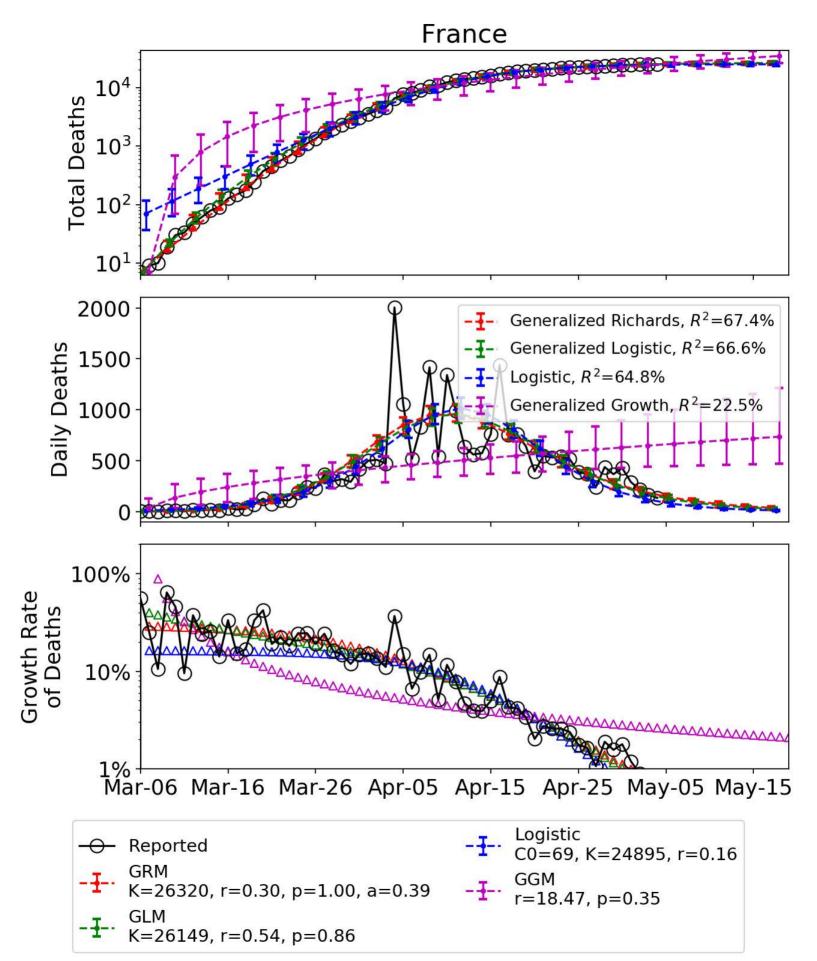


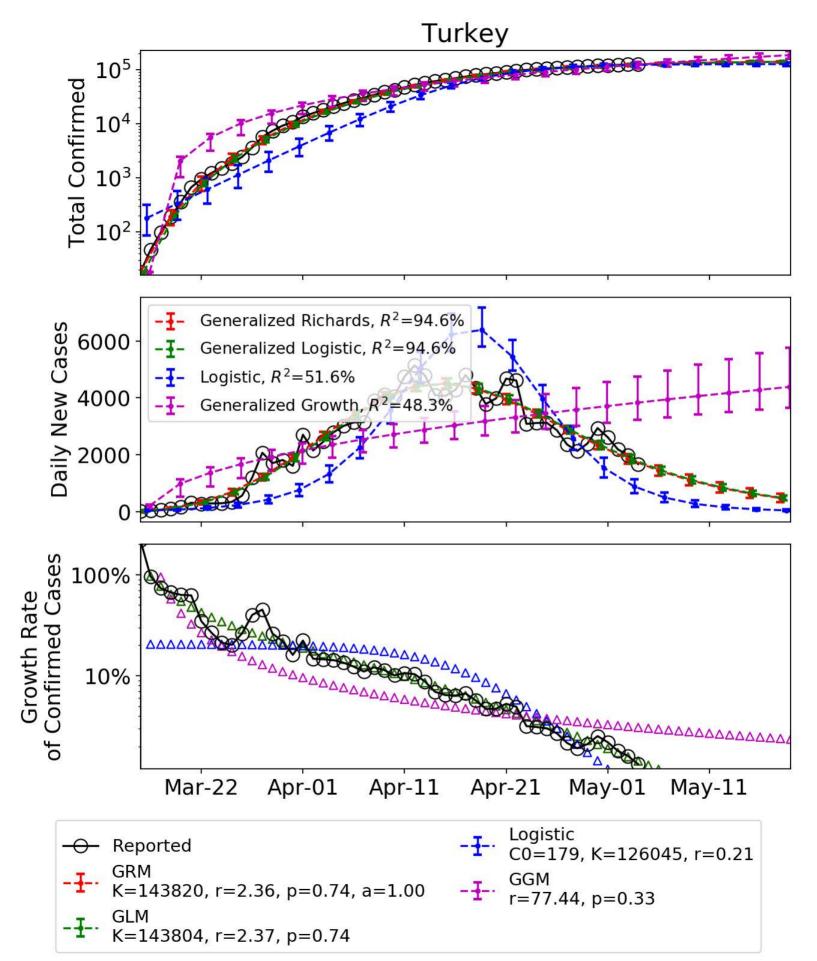


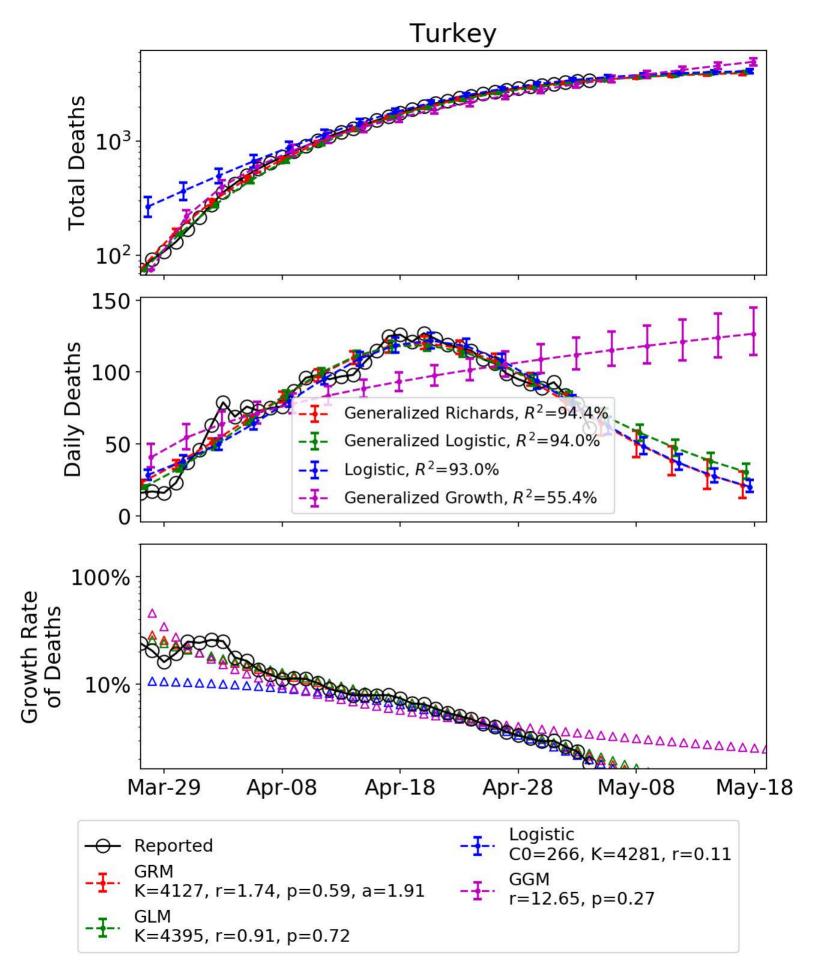




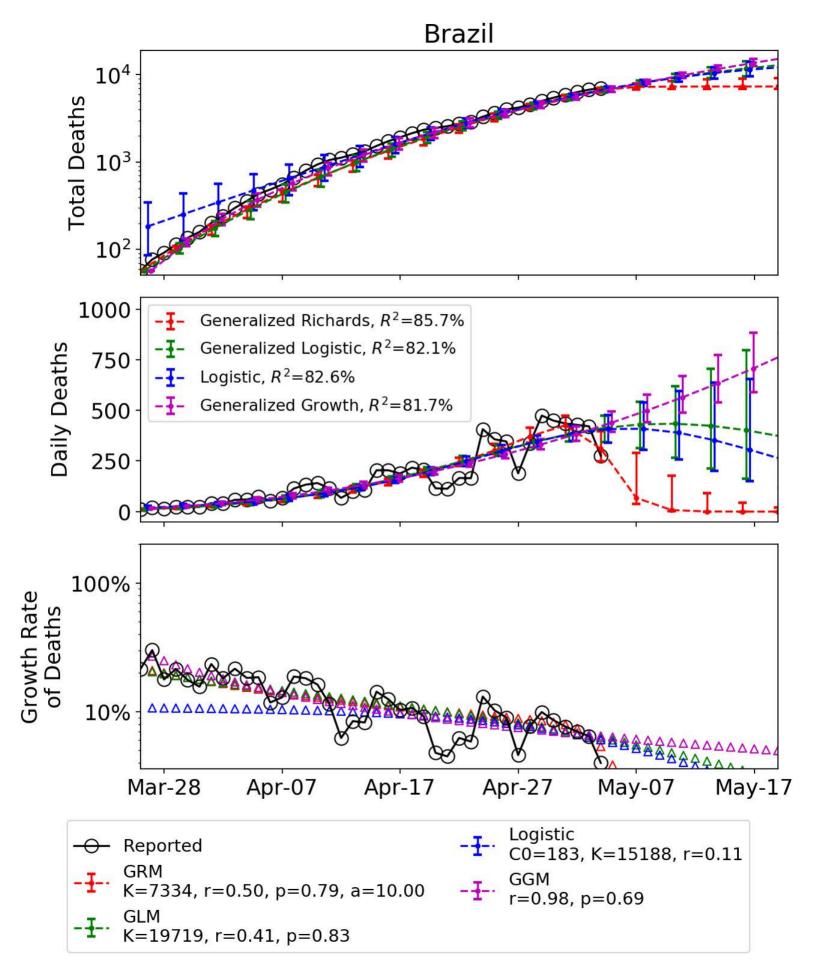


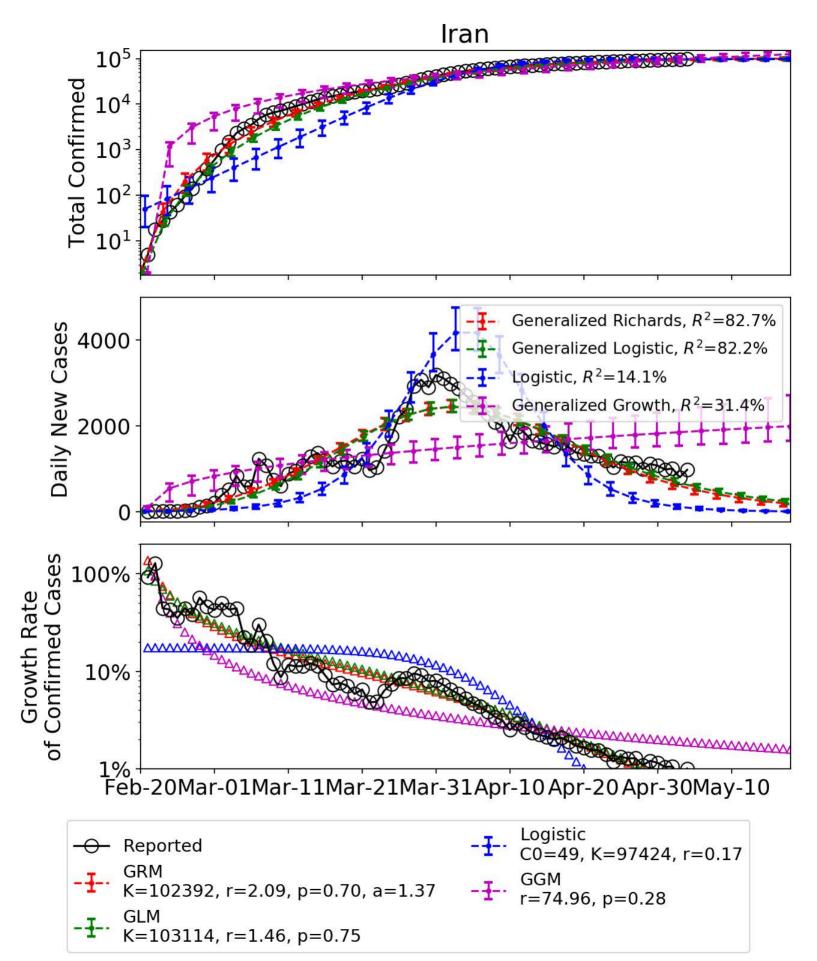


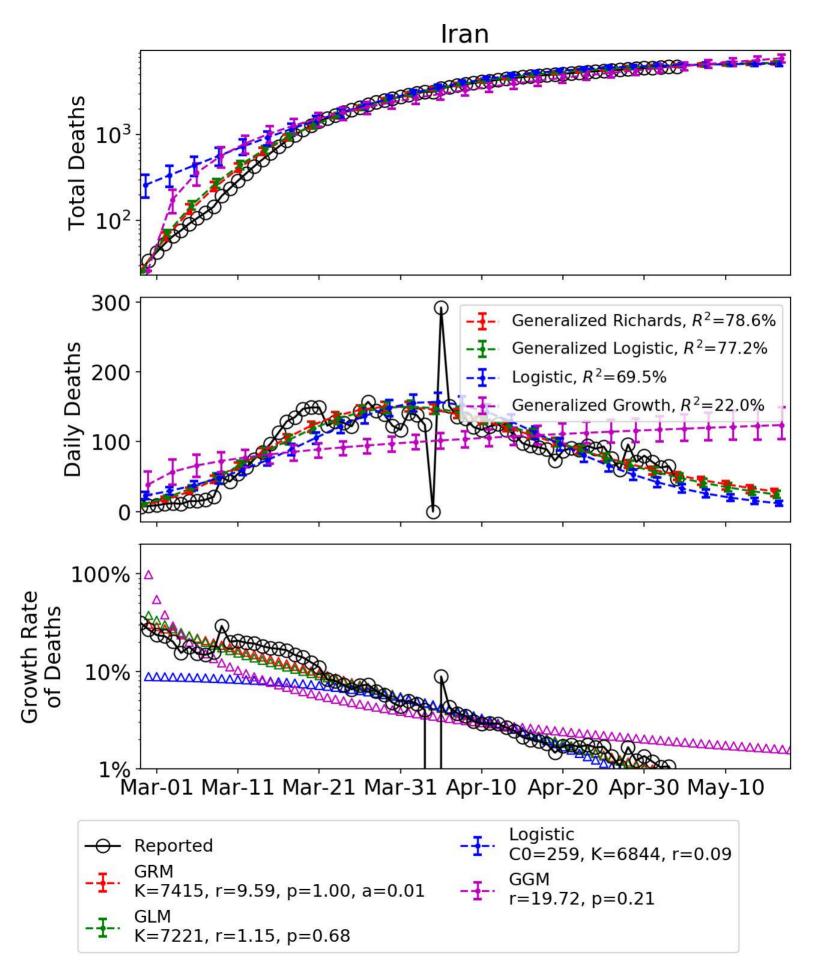


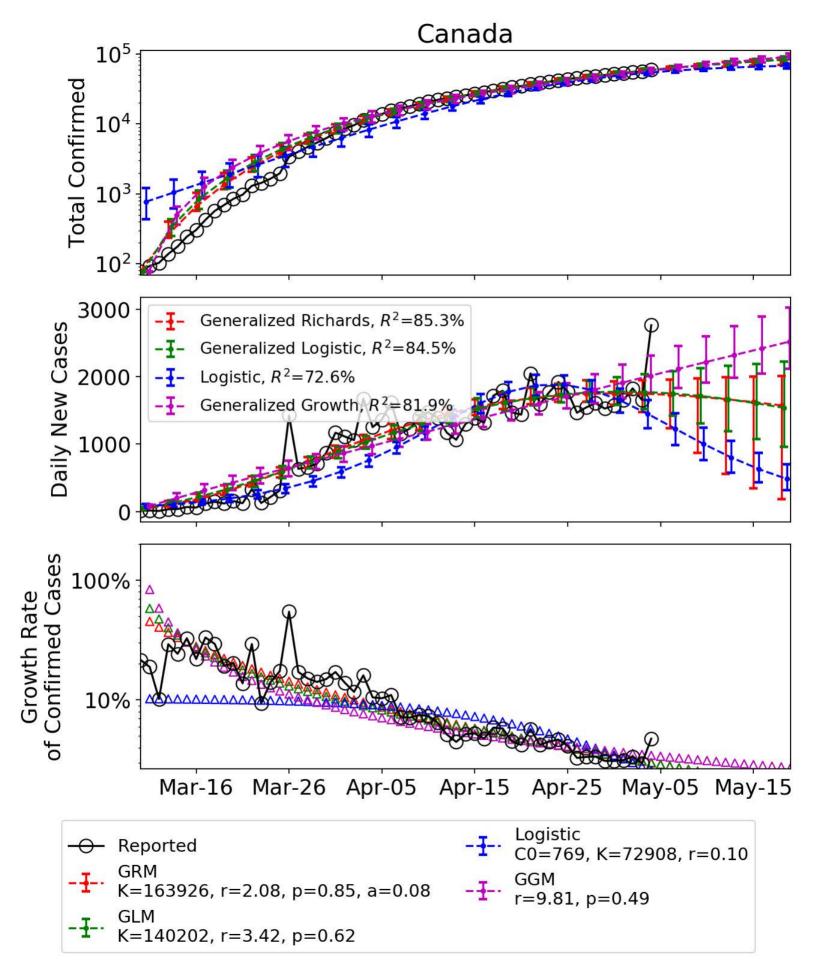


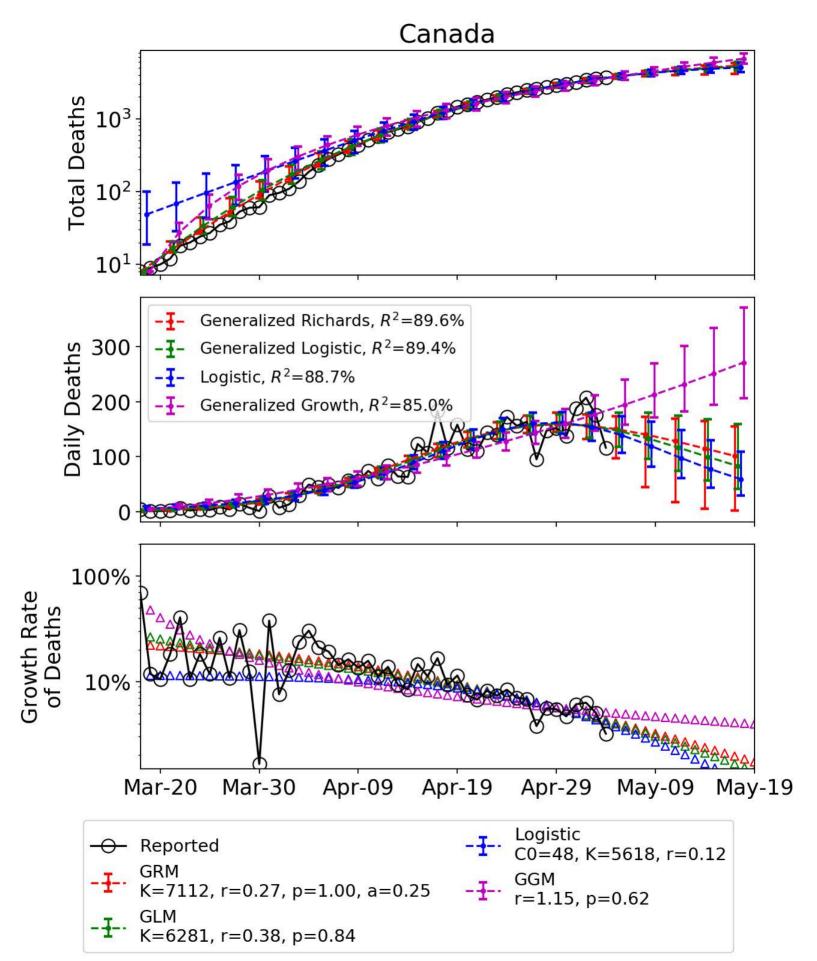
Brazil 10⁵ **Total Confirmed** 10^{4} 10³ 10^{2} Generalized Richards, $R^2=91.8\%$ Daily New Cases Generalized Logistic, R^2 =89.9% 10000 Logistic, R^2 =89.3% Generalized Growth, R^2 =89.9% 5000 100% **Growth Rate** 10% Apr-06 Apr-16 Apr-26 May-06 May-16 Mar-17 Mar-27 Logistic Reported C0=339, K=199120, r=0.12 GGM K=105906, r=0.73, p=0.80, a=10.00 r=1.18, p=0.74 K=33966169643, r=1.18, p=0.74

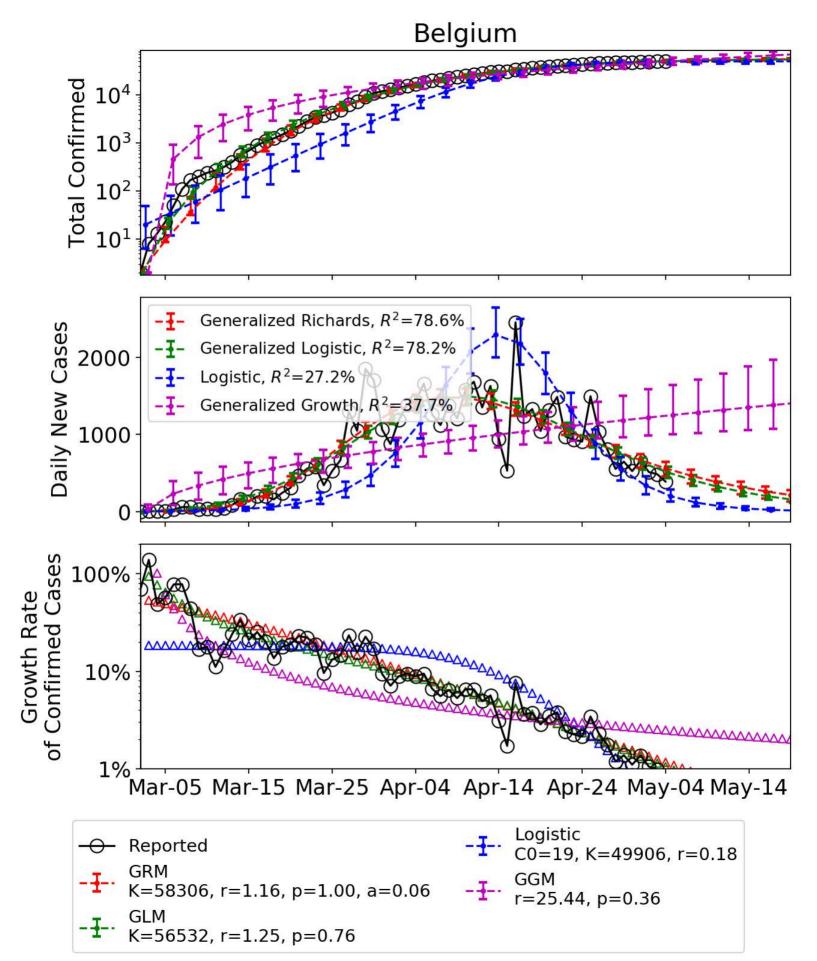


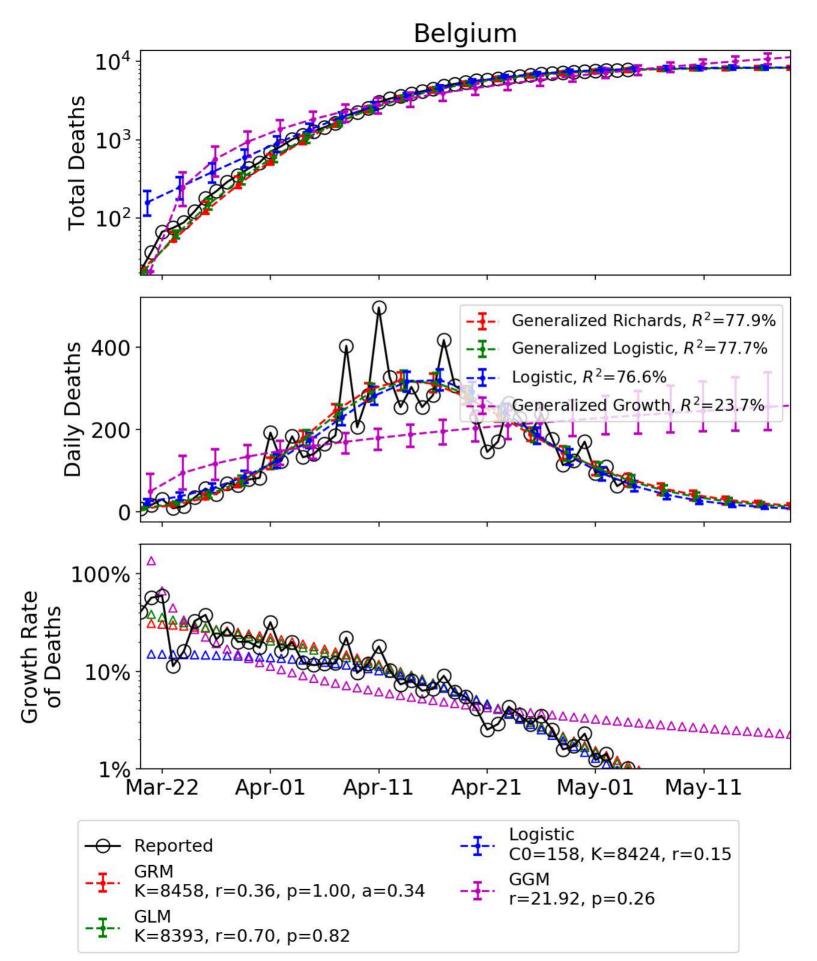


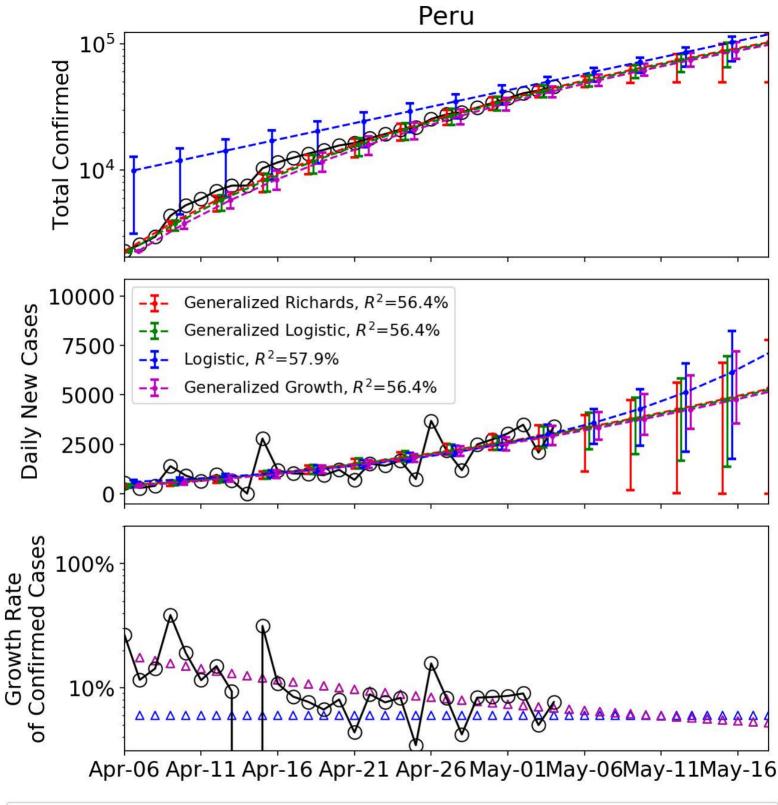




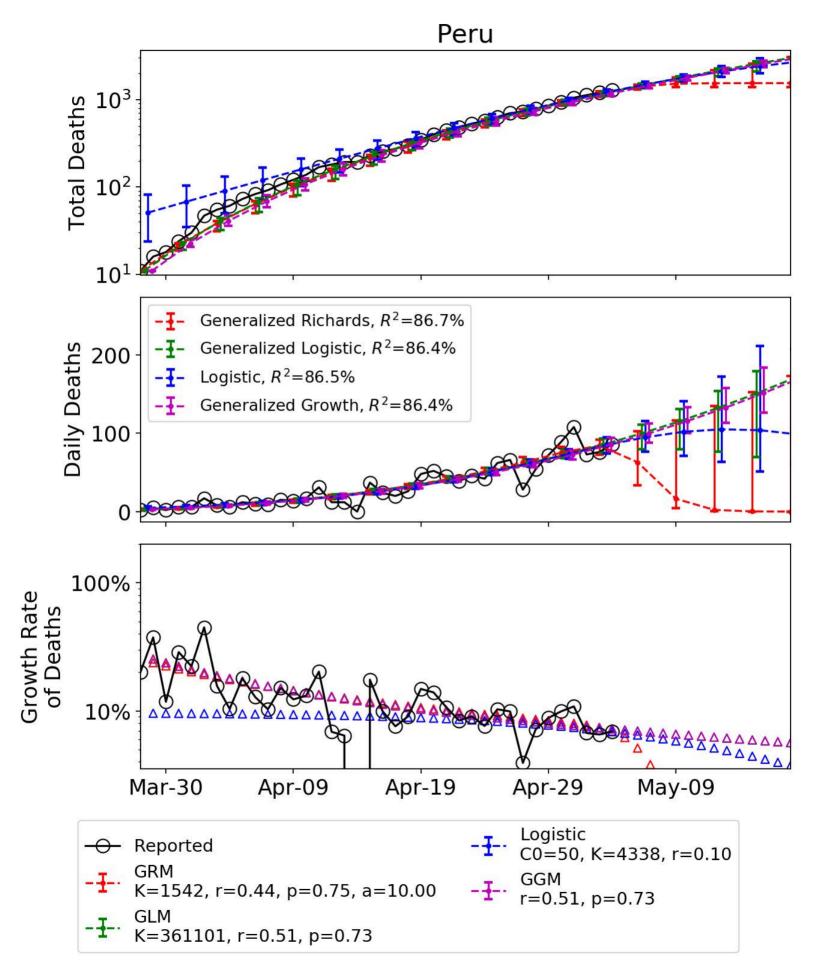


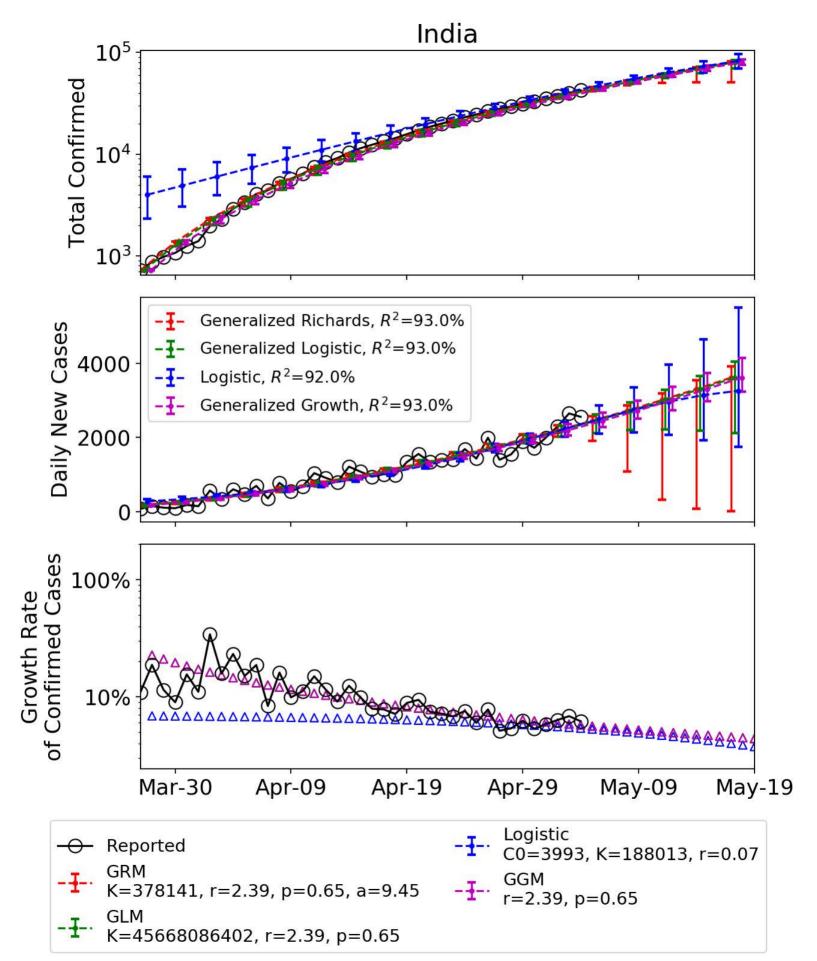


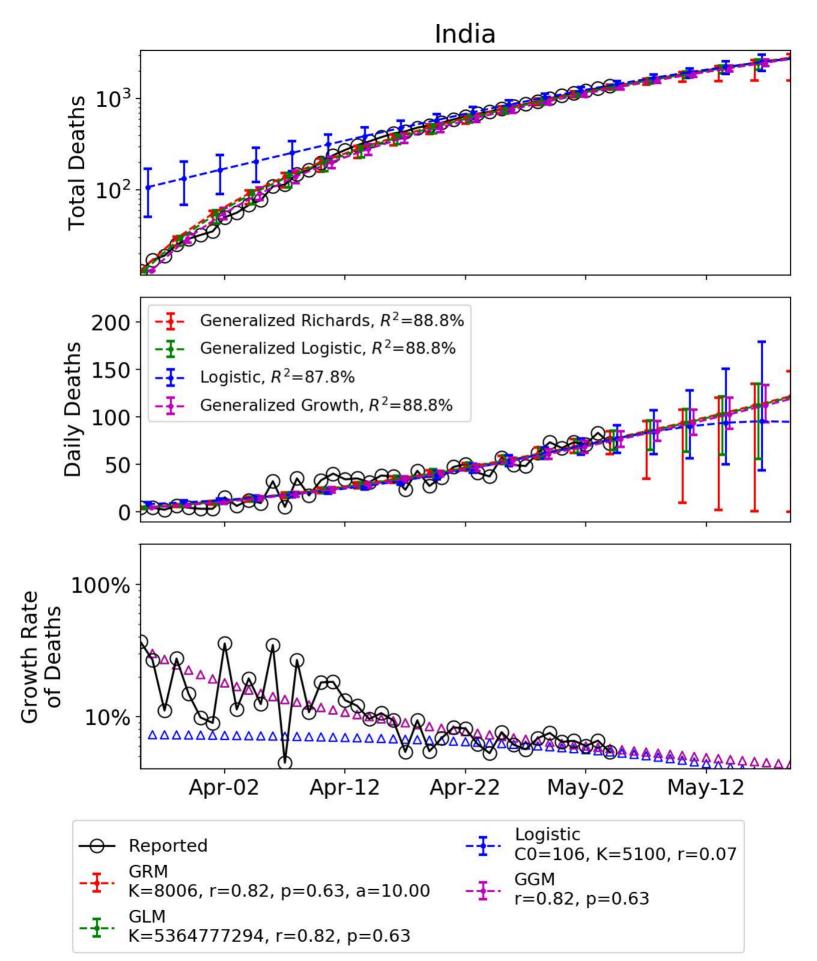








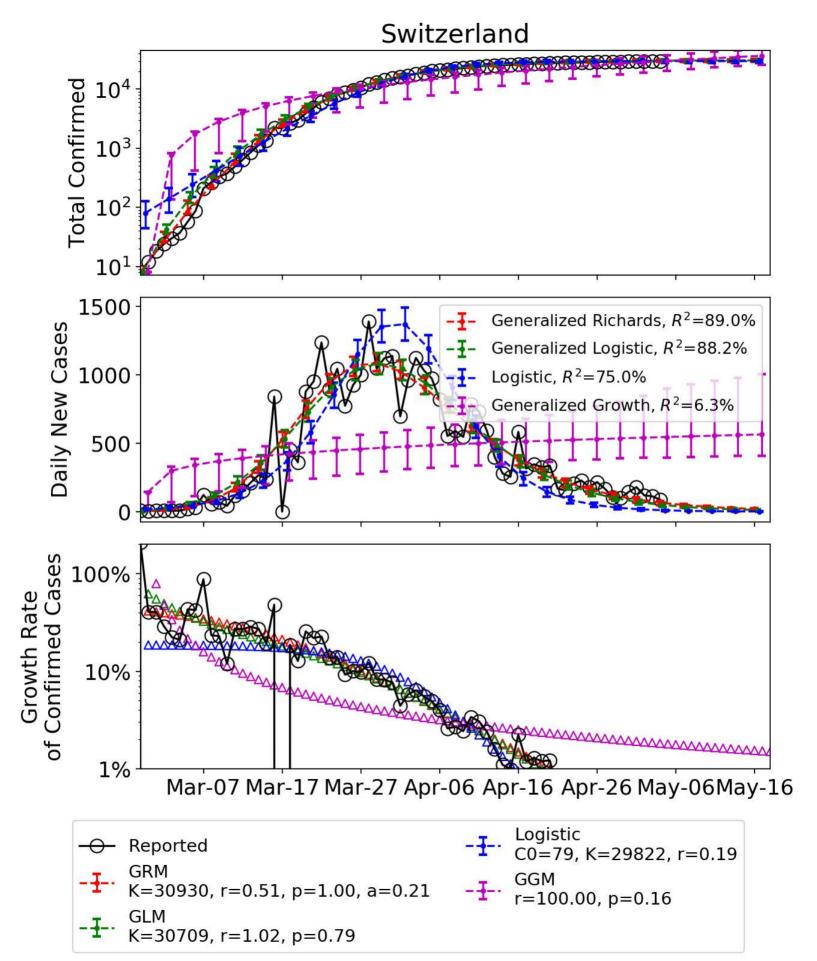




Netherlands 10^{4} **Fotal Confirmed** 10^{3} 10² 10¹ 10° 2000 Generalized Richards, R^2 =88.6% Daily New Cases Generalized Logistic, R²=88.8% 1500 Logistic, $R^2 = 25.5\%$ Generalized Growth, $R^2 = 40.7\%$ 1000 500 100% **Growth Rate** 10% Téb-28 Mar-09 Mar-19 Mar-29 Apr-08 Apr-18 Apr-28 May-08May-18 Logistic Reported C0=19, K=40571, r=0.18 K=46894, r=0.85, p=0.83, a=0.51r=26.73, p=0.34

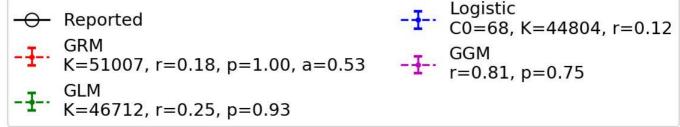
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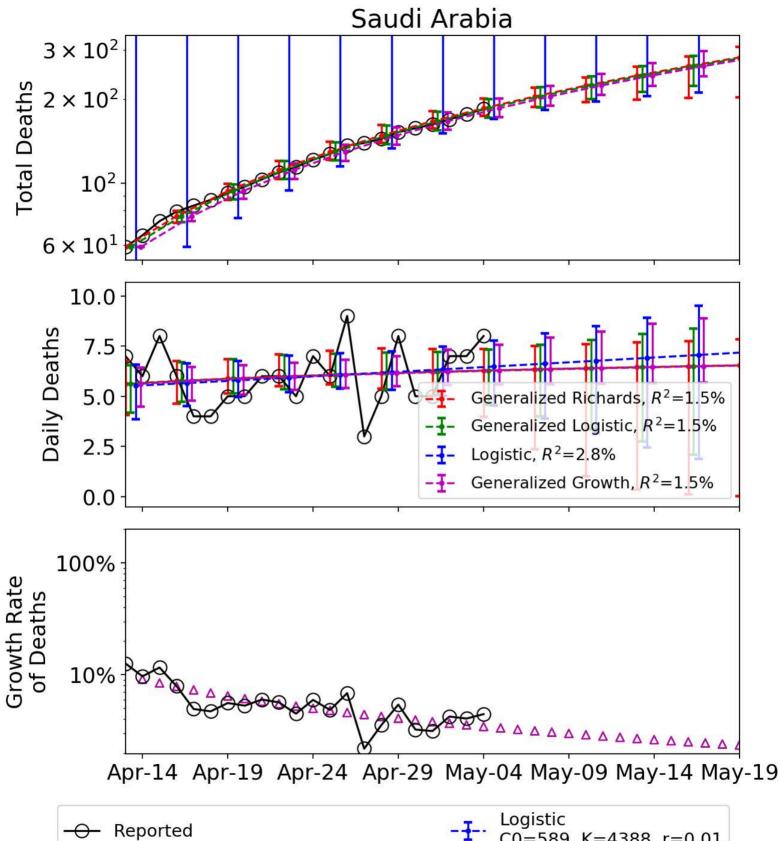
Netherlands **Total Deaths** 10³ 10² Generalized Richards, $R^2 = 67.4\%$ 200 Daily Deaths Generalized Logistic, R^2 =66.0% Logistic, $R^2 = 50.3\%$ Generalized Growth, $R^2 = 30.0\%$ 100 100% Growth Rate of Deaths 10% Apr-06 Apr-16 May-06 Mar-27 Apr-26 May-16 Logistic Reported C0=119, K=5097, r=0.13 **GGM** K=6374, r=14.16, p=0.94, a=0.01r=16.58, p=0.24 K=6134, r=1.76, p=0.63

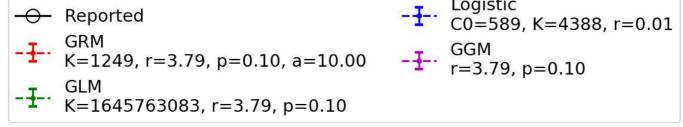


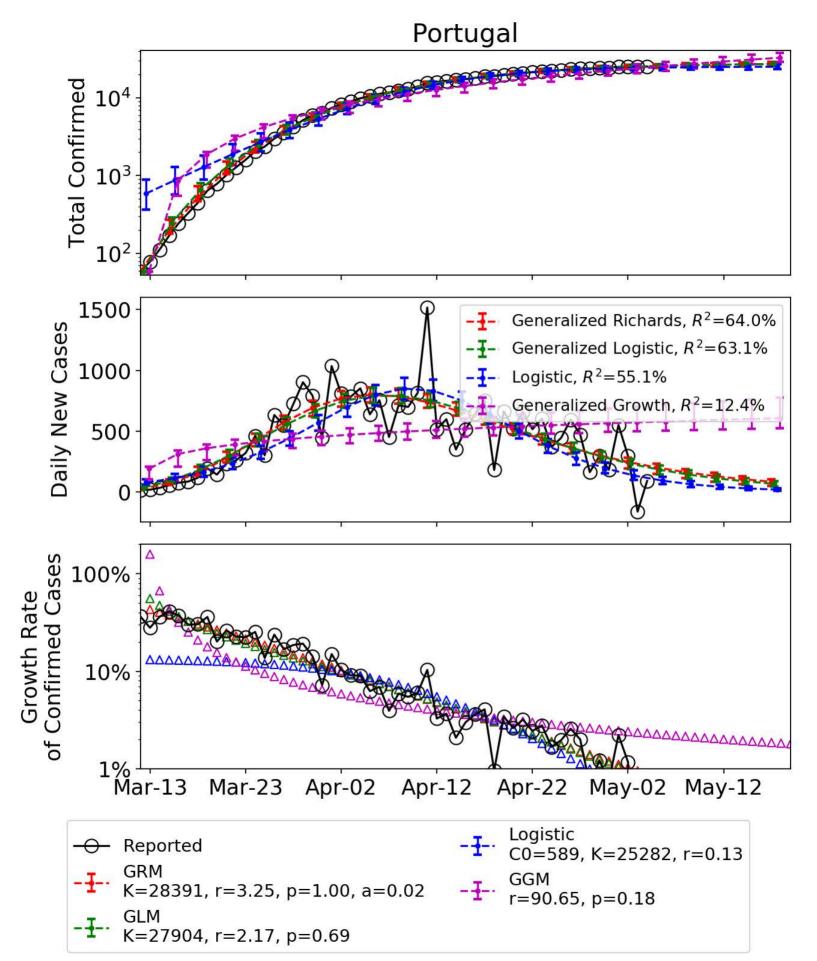
Switzerland 10³ **Total Deaths** 10² 80 Generalized Richards, R^2 =64.0% Generalized Logistic, R^2 =63.1% Daily Deaths 60 Logistic, $R^2 = 58.2\%$ Generalized Growth, $R^2 = 6.4\%$ 40 20 100% Growth Rate of Deaths 10% 1% Mar-25 Apr-04 Apr-14 Apr-24 May-04 May-14 Logistic Reported C0=116, K=1970, r=0.12 **GGM** K=1969, r=1.61, p=1.00, a=0.05 r=15.83, p=0.13 K=1940, r=1.03, p=0.68

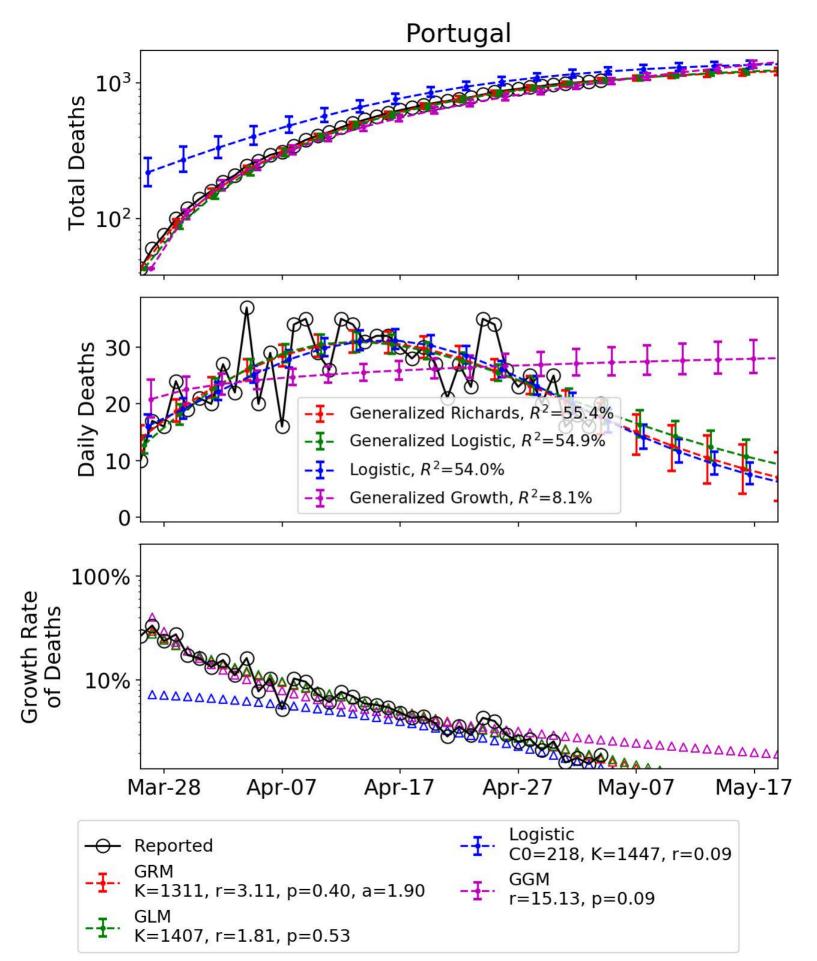
Saudi Arabia **Total Confirmed** 10^{4} 10^{3} 10² 3000 Generalized Richards, R^2 =96.7% Daily New Cases Generalized Logistic, R^2 =96.7% 2000 Logistic, $R^2 = 96.7\%$ Generalized Growth, $R^2 = 94.0\%$ 1000 100% **Growth Rate** 10% Apr-02 Apr-12 Apr-22 Mar-13 Mar-23 May-02 May-12 Logistic

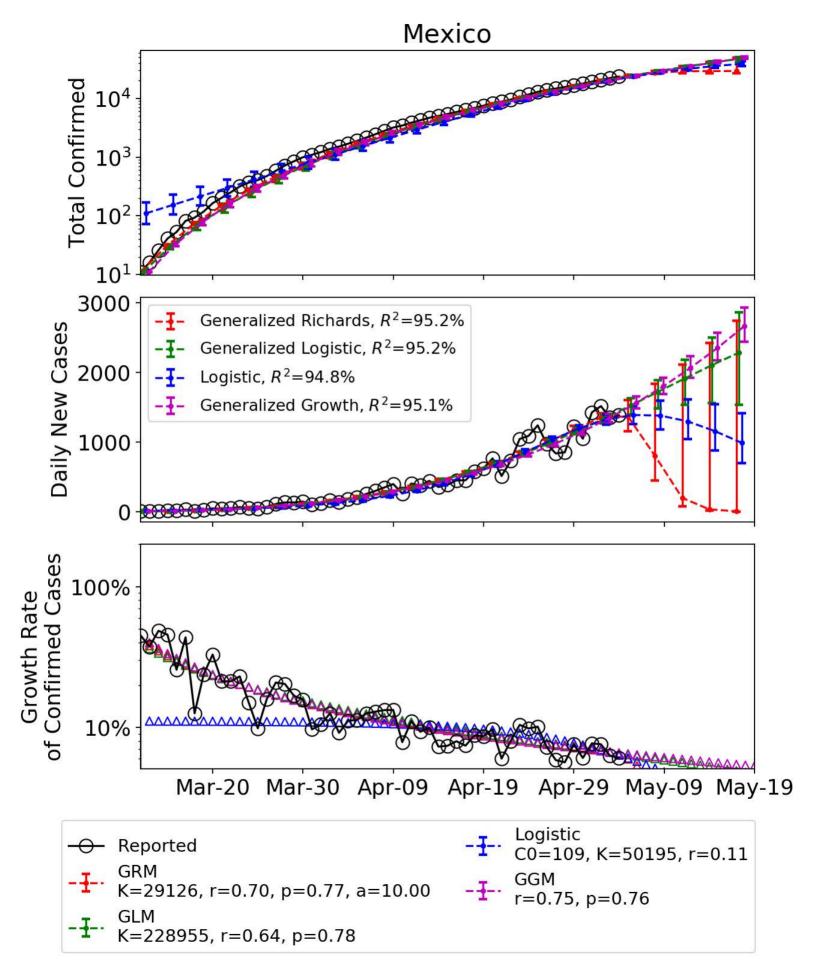






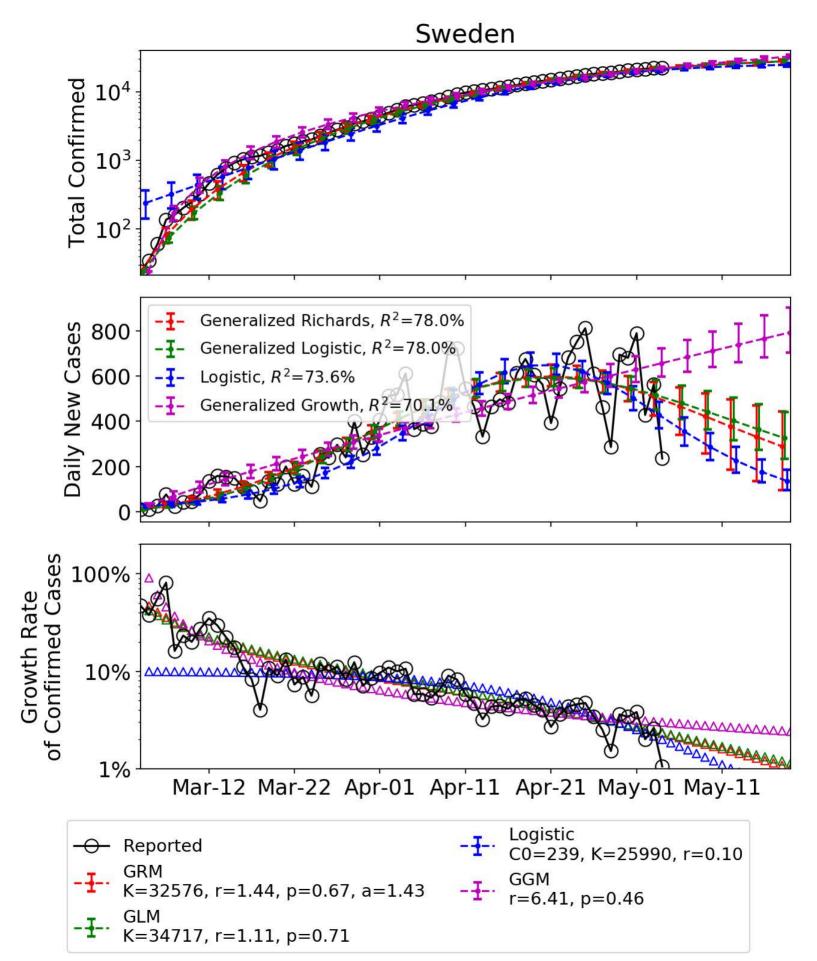




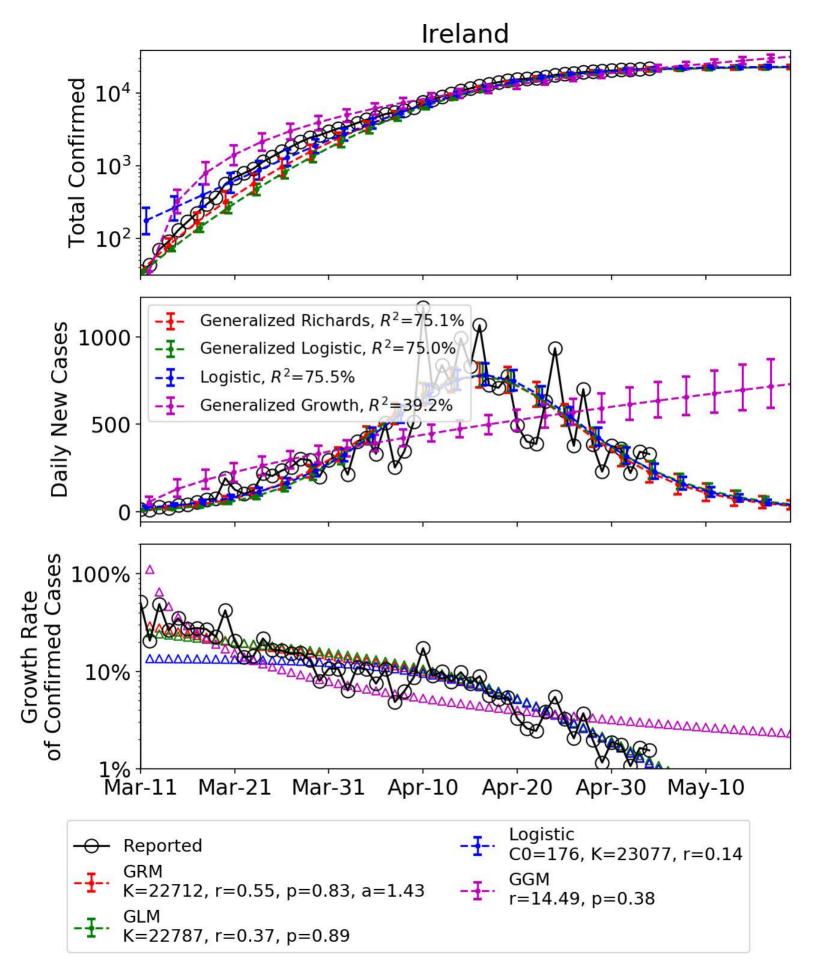


Mexico **Total Deaths** 10³ 10² Generalized Richards, $R^2 = 67.9\%$ 200 Daily Deaths Generalized Logistic, R^2 =66.8% Logistic, $R^2 = 67.1\%$ Generalized Growth, $R^2 = 62.6\%$ 100 100% Growth Rate of Deaths 10% Apr-20 Apr-30 Apr-10 May-10 Logistic Reported C0=68, K=3261, r=0.14 GGM r=1.60, p=0.57 K=2304, r=0.87, p=0.68, a=9.48

K=3326, r=0.27, p=0.91

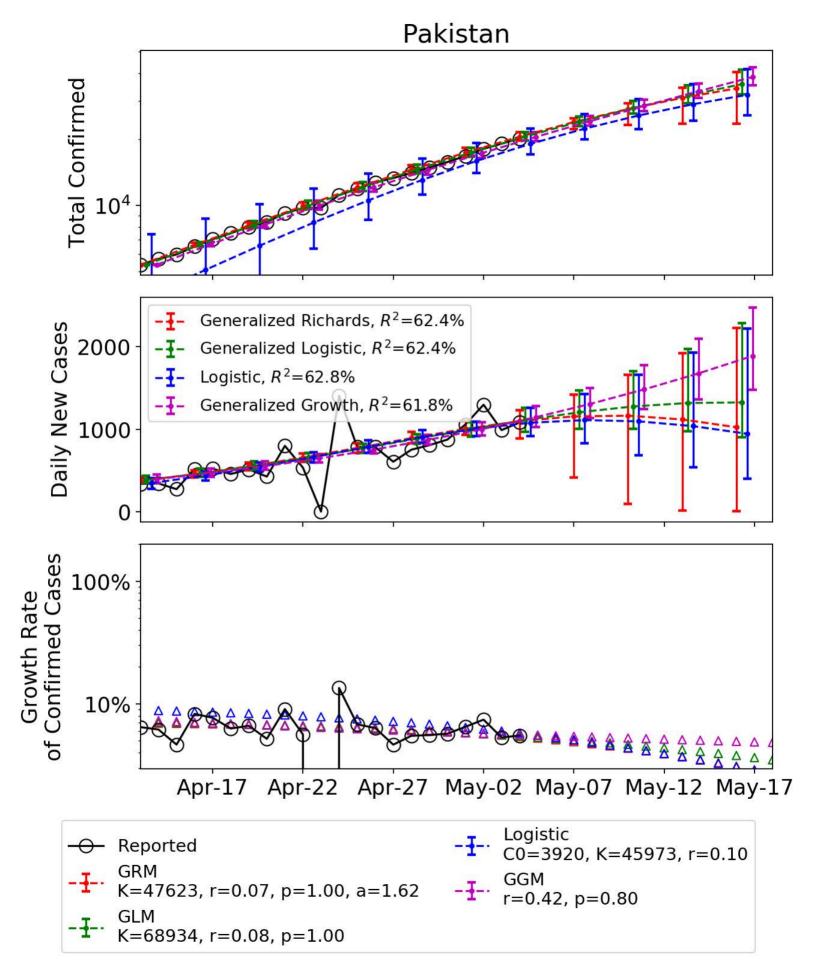


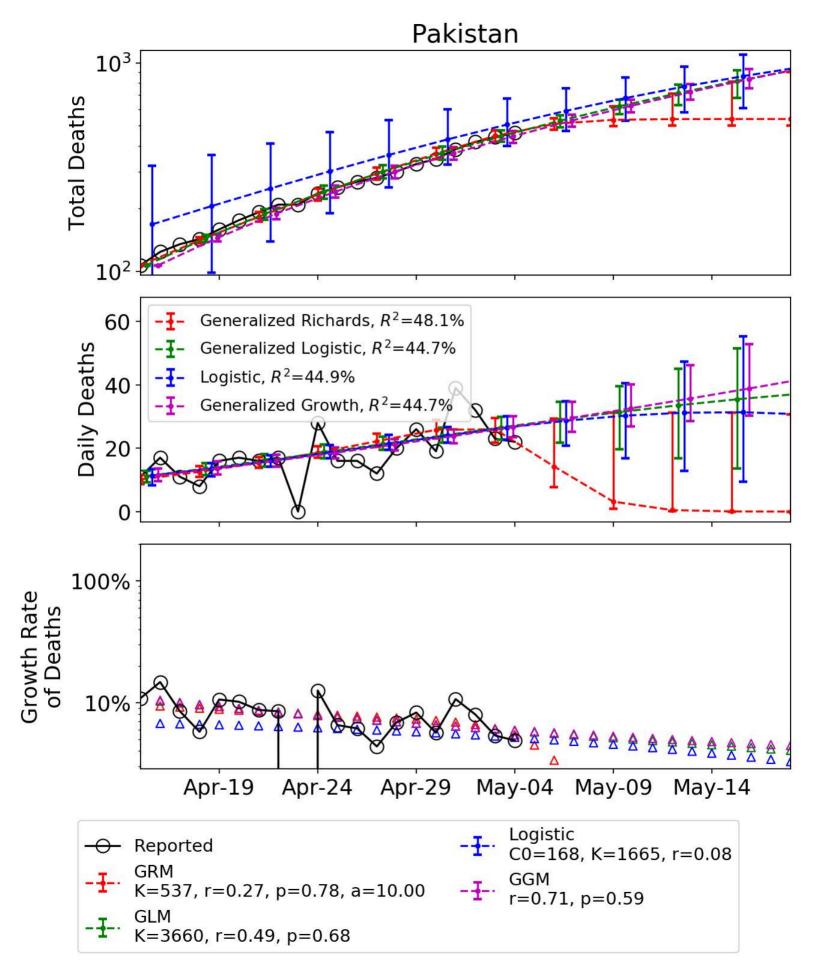
Sweden **Total Deaths** 10³ 10^2 200 Generalized Richards, $R^2=31.5\%$ Generalized Logistic, $R^2 = 30.0\%$ Daily Deaths 150 Logistic, $R^2 = 30.5\%$ Generalized Growth, $R^2 = 17.1\%$ 100 50 100% Growth Rate of Deaths 10% 1% Apr-01 Apr-11 Apr-21 May-01 May-11 Logistic Reported C0=133, K=3250, r=0.12 **GGM** K=2898, r=2.05, p=0.54, a=4.26 r=8.65, p=0.30 K=3284, r=0.59, p=0.78

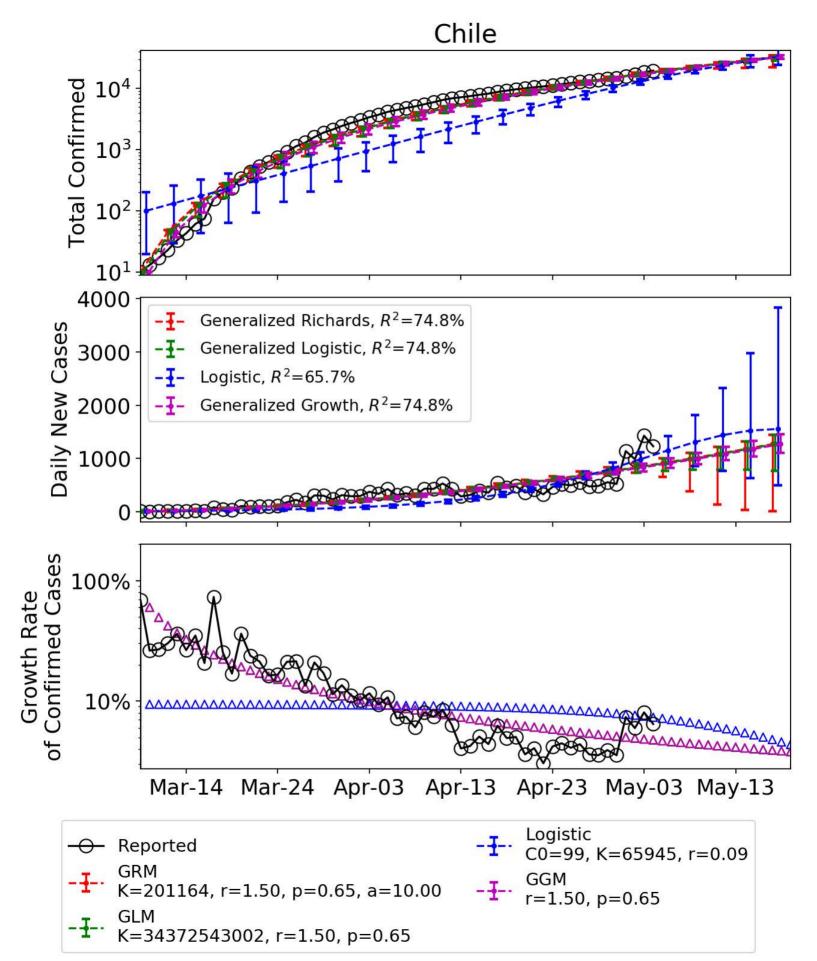


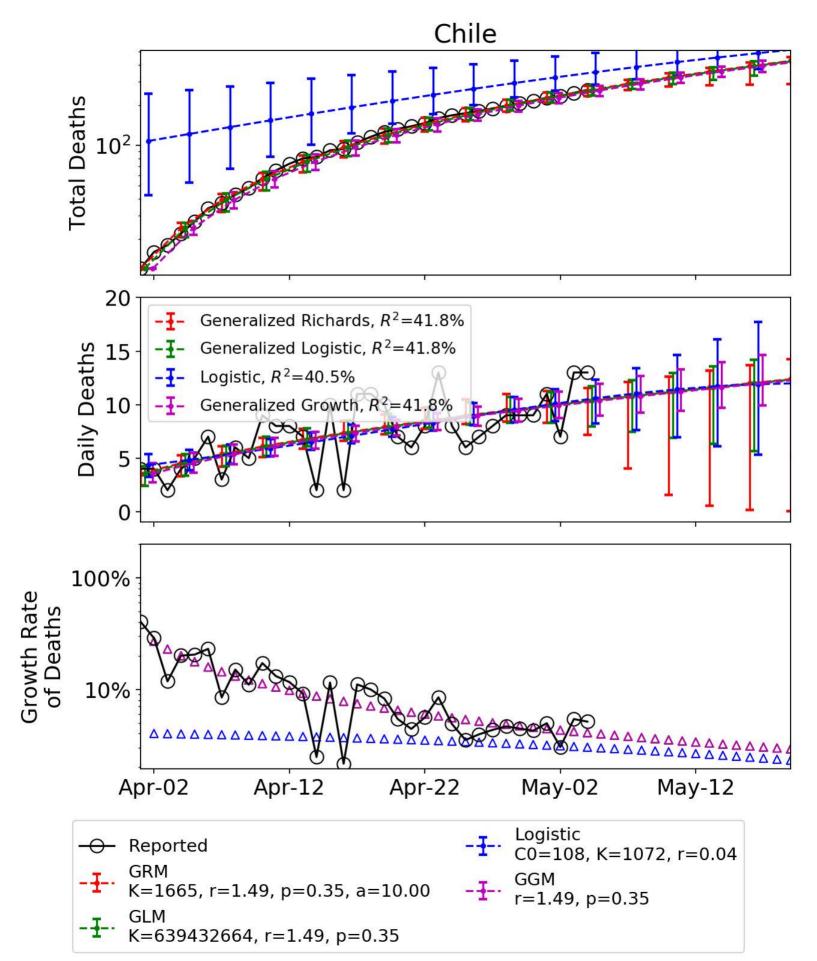
Ireland 10³ **Total Deaths** 10² 10¹ Generalized Richards, $R^2=29.3\%$ 200 Daily Deaths Generalized Logistic, R^2 =27.2% Logistic, $R^2 = 27.8\%$ Generalized Growth, $R^2 = 23.3\%$ 100 100% Growth Rate of Deaths 10% Apr-01 Apr-11 Apr-21 May-01 May-11 Logistic Reported C0=21, K=1682, r=0.13 GGM K=1354, r=0.70, p=0.68, a=5.71 r=1.83, p=0.48

K=1685, r=0.34, p=0.86

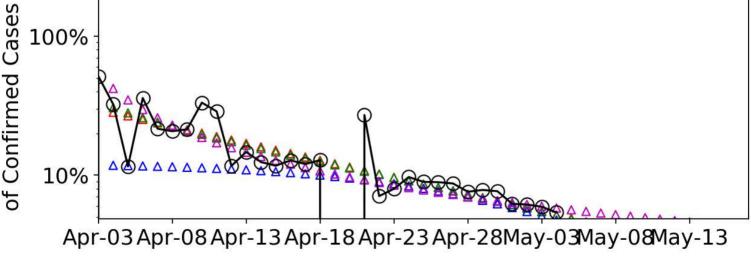








Belarus Generalized Richards, $R^2 = 75.1\%$ Generalized Logistic, $R^2 = 75.1\%$ Logistic, $R^2 = 74.5\%$ Generalized Growth, $R^2 = 72.4\%$



Total Confirmed

 10^{4}

10³

1500

1000

500

100%

Daily New Cases

Growth Rate

