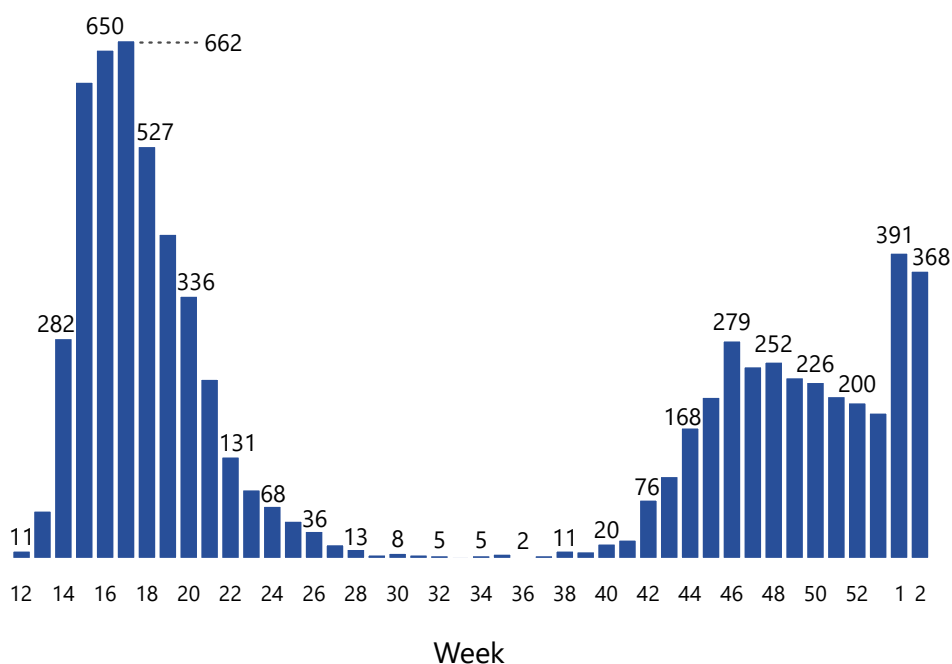


Deaths involving coronavirus (COVID-19) up to 17th January 2021 Summary

As of 17th January 2021 7448 deaths had been registered which mentioned COVID-19

The highest number of COVID-19 deaths were registered in week 17 (20th to 26th April). Deaths fell slightly in week 2 but as week 1 figures included postponed registrations from earlier weeks, it may not be a true decrease.

Deaths per week involving COVID-19



Deaths began to increase in mid- December

Trends based on date of registration are more timely but can be unreliable at times of year when registration offices are closed due to public holidays. Registrations drop due to office closures and increase sharply when backlogs are cleared. The trend based on date of occurrence gives a clearer picture and shows that, after falling in mid-November deaths began to increase again in mid-December.

Trends in deaths involving COVID-19 by dates of occurrence and registration

