

China virus death toll overtakes SARS

China's death toll from a new coronavirus has surpassed the number of fatalities from the SARS outbreak that affected the country in 2002-2003, according to Chinese media reports

CASES OF NEW CORONAVIRUS IN MAINLAND CHINA

1,000+ 100-999 10-99 1-9

As of Feb 3,
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COMPARISON OF NEW CORONAVIRUS AND SARS (mainland China)

Novel coronavirus
(2019-nCoV)
Dec 8, 2019-present

Mortality rate
2.1%

17,300+
cases (as of Feb 3)

361 deaths

SARS
(severe acute
respiratory syndrome)
Nov 2002-
Jul 2003

Mortality rate
6.5%

5,327
cases

348
deaths