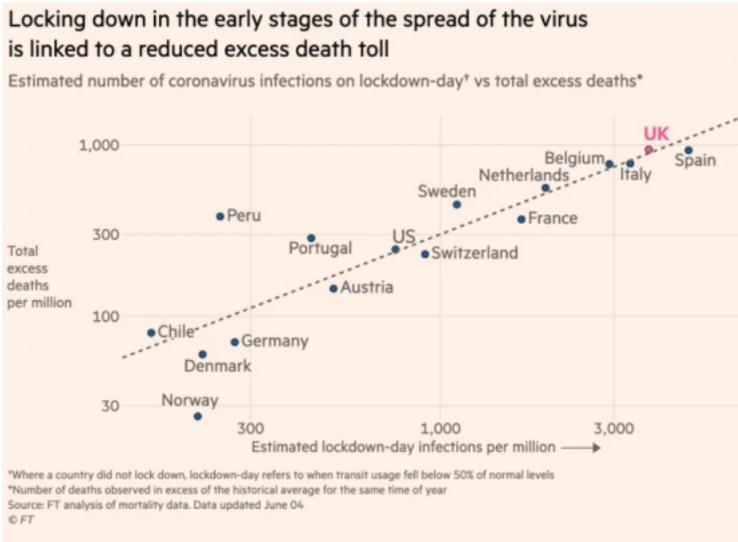


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Martin Wolf [had this chart in the FT last night](#):



I think we can safely pin the case for Johnson's negligence on that chart alone.

We locked down too late.

And as Martin Wolf was also arguing, we're unlocking too early.

Making one mistake on timing was bad enough, and profoundly costly. Making two is unforgivable.