

# **COVID Monitor**

Friday, July 08, 2022 Data as of July 07, 2022

#### **Cumulative New Cases and Deaths**

Worldwide	ASEAN+3	Plus-3	ASEAN		
<b>553,462,629</b> Cases	<b>61,828,016</b>	<b>29,494,600</b>	<b>32,333,416</b>		
	Cases	Cases	Cases		
<b>6,347,388</b> Deaths	<b>422,427</b>	<b>70,613</b>	<b>351,814</b>		
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Source: Haver Analytics, sourced from Johns Hopkins University; and AMRO staff calculations.

#### **Recent Developments**

#### **Global News**

- The World Health Organization is tracking a new Omicron sub-lineage, referred to as BA.2.75, which is becoming more common in India. Reportedly first detected in India last May, it now accounts for nearly a quarter of the country's recent sequences.
- A senior official of the European Medicines Agency warned that a new wave is sweeping across Europe, driven by Omicron sub-variants. The <u>increase in</u> <u>transmission among older age groups is "starting to translate into severe disease," and</u> those aged 60–79 are recommended to get a second booster.

#### **Regional News**

- In **China**, the city of Xi'an was <u>partially shut down last Wednesday</u>, <u>after it reported the economy's first outbreak related to Omicron sub-variant BA.5</u>. Restrictions will be in place for 7 days. In Shanghai, karaoke bars have also been ordered to close.
- Hong Kong yesterday <u>suspended a rule that banned individual flights for bringing in passengers infected with COVID-19</u>. All arrivals will still need to spend at least a week in hotel quarantine and comply with testing requirements.
- Amid a rise in community cases, Singapore health authorities announced yesterday
  that there will be <u>caps on the number of visitors to hospitals and residential care
  homes, starting July 7 to August 3</u>. Visits will also be limited to 30 minutes.

#### **Vaccine News**

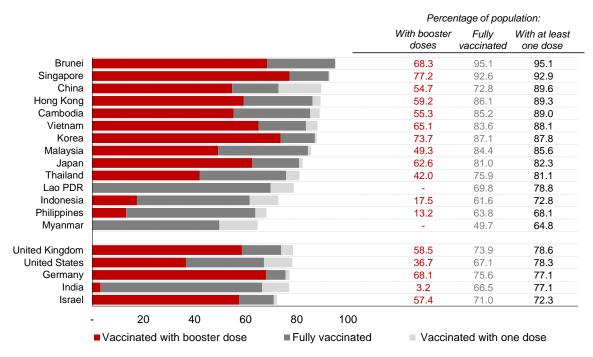
- Australia is expanding its rollout of the fourth dose of COVID-19 vaccines to those aged 30 and above starting Monday, July 11. The second booster dose is currently restricted to the 65-and-above age group, or to those with serious illness.
- **Israel** approved the vaccination of children aged 6 months to 5 years last Wednesday. Priority is given to those with chronic illness or undergoing medical treatment.
- Earlier this week, the **US** Food and Drug Administration has <u>authorized state-licensed</u> <u>pharmacists to prescribe Pfizer's antiviral drug, Paxlovid, to eligible patients</u> to help improve access to timely treatment.

#### ASEAN+3 and Selected Economies: COVID-19 Cases and Deaths

Economy	Total Cases	Cases per 1M Population	New Cases <sup>1</sup>	New Cases <sup>1</sup>	New Cases	ΔNew Cases <sup>1</sup>	Δ% New Cases <sup>1</sup>	Total Deaths	New Deaths <sup>1</sup>	Fatality
Global	553,463	Population	846,359	since 2020 <sup>2</sup>	per 1M Pop. <sup>1</sup>	103,672	0.2	6,347,388	1,656	Rate (%)
ASEAN+3	61,828		67,419			23,381	0.2	422,427	53	0.7
Plus-3	29,495		48,188			20,775	0.1	70,613	22	0.7
ASEAN	32,333		19,231			2,606	0.2	351,814	31	1.1
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China	226	161	103	1	0	69	0.0	5,226	0	2.3
Hong Kong, China	1,262	165,307	2,332	1	305	405	0.2	9,407	1	0.7
Japan	9,535	75,819	31,136	^	248	13,666	0.3	31,375	14	0.3
Korea	18,471	354,833	14,616		281	6,636	0.1	24,605	7	0.1
Indonesia	6,104	22,617	2,156		8	208	0.0	156,776	6	2.6
Malaysia	4,586	138,055	2,895	^	87	580	0.1	35,795	4	8.0
Philippines	3,713	33,743	1,246		11	404	0.0	60,458	0	1.6
Singapore	1,506	264,107	8,839	\	1,550	1,194	0.6	1,426	2	0.1
Thailand	4,541	66,763	2,241	^	33	-6	0.0	30,798	19	0.7
Brunei Darussalam		379,217	1,018		2,258	251	0.6	225	0	0.1
Cambodia	136	8,143	5		0	3	0.0	3,056	0	2.2
Lao PDR	210	28,949	7		1	-3	0.0	757	0	0.4
Myanmar	614	11,497	14	_~~~	0	5	0.0	19,434	0	3.2
Vietnam	10,752	111,529	810	t	8	-29	0.0	43,089	0	0.4
Australia	8,420	324,145	36,429		1,102	5,151	0.4	10,225	42	0.1
Brazil	32,760	154,983	57,387	برسب	271	925	0.2	673,073	237	2.1
France	31,098	478,473	125,886	<u>~</u>		34,844	0.4	146,615	57	0.5
Germany	28,926	348,607	90,341	^	1,000	2,886	0.3	141,758	81	0.5
India	43,567	31,811	13,929		10	-1,348	0.0	525,305	24	1.2
United Kingdom	23,086	343,267	52,300		778	31,730	0.2	181,398	153	8.0
United States	87,506	264,328	106,228	<u></u>	321	1,196	0.1	1,015,099	391	1.2

Source: Haver Analytics, sourced from Johns Hopkins University; and AMRO staff calculations.

# ASEAN+3 and Selected Economies: Vaccination Coverage Status (Percent of population)



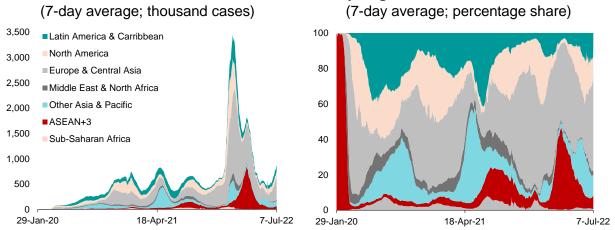
Sources: Our World in Data via Haver Analytics; and AMRO staff calculations.

Note: Percent of fully vaccinated population shows the number of people who received all doses prescribed by the vaccination protocol (e.g. one dose of a single-dose vaccine, or two doses of a two-dose vaccine). In the event of discrepancy between data from Our World in Data and national authorities, data from national authorities take precedence.

<sup>1/</sup> Values show the 7-day average.

<sup>2/</sup> Since January 31, 2020.

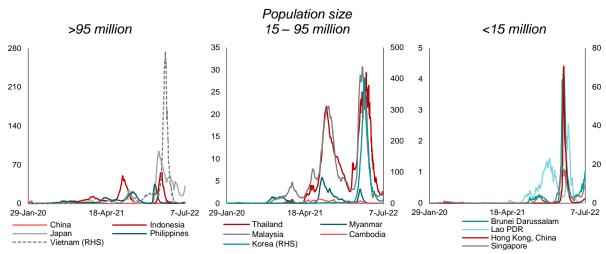
### World: New Cases by Region



Source: Haver Analytics, sourced from Johns Hopkins University; and AMRO staff calculations.

### ASEAN+3: Daily New Cases by Size of Population

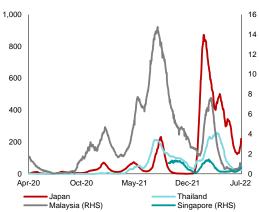
(7-day average; thousand cases)



Source: Haver Analytics, sourced from Johns Hopkins University; and AMRO staff calculations. Note: For ease of comparability, ASEAN+3 economies are grouped by population size.

## Selected ASEAN+3: COVID-19 Hospitalizations

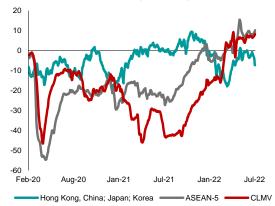
(Thousand persons)



Sources: Haver Analytics, sourced from national authorities.

# Selected ASEAN+3: Aggregate Non-Residentials Mobility

(Percentage change from baseline; 5-day moving average)



Sources: Haver Analytics, sourced from Google COVID-19 Community Mobility reports; and AMRO staff calculations. Note: Baseline refers to the median value of the corresponding day in the period Jan 3–Feb 6, 2020. "Non-residentials" refer to the aggregated mobility data for places such as groceries and pharmacies, retail and recreation facilities, transit station and workplaces. ASEAN-5 = Indonesia, Malaysia, the Philippines, Thailand, and Singapore. CLMV = Cambodia, Lao PDR, Myanmar, and Vietnam (Vietnam data only up to October 21, 2021).