

Total Confirmed Cases and Deaths

| Worldwide | ASEAN+3 | Plus-3 | ASEAN |
|----------------------|---------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| 213,167,989 Cases | 11,167,672 Cases | 1,692,989 Cases | 9,474,683 Cases |
| 4,451,812 Deaths | 233,186 Deaths | 22,808 Deaths | 210,378 Deaths |

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

Recent Developments

Global News

- In **Australia**, authorities in New South Wales are urging unvaccinated people to go for jobs to avoid hospitalizations, especially as parts of its health system are now under “severe pressure.” At least 900 new infections were reported in the state today, a daily record, and all linked to the delta variant.
- **New Zealand** yesterday saw its highest daily increase in infections since April 2020, with 41 new cases. Auckland, the country’s largest city, accounted for the majority of yesterday’s new cases, while the rest are linked to capital Wellington.

Regional News

- **Japan** is set to expand its state of emergency to eight additional prefectures, bringing the total under the rule to 21. The decision, expected to be formally approved today, will place the additional areas under restrictions starting this Friday until September 12. Four other prefectures will also be placed under its quasi-state of emergency.
- **Indonesia** has begun easing restrictions in several regions yesterday, as daily new cases continue to decline from the peak last seen in July 2021. Restaurants can now operate up to 25 percent capacity, while shopping centers can do so up to 50 percent. Export-oriented companies may operate at full capacity, but these will be shut for 5 days if new clusters emerge in company facilities.

Vaccine News

- The **US** Food and Drug Administration has granted full approval to the **Pfizer-BioNTech** vaccine, around 9 months since the latter received its emergency-use authorization. Health officials are hoping this action would reduce some vaccine hesitancy among the unvaccinated.
- The **World Health Organization** stressed that booster shots should be delayed and priority be given to raising vaccine coverage in economies where only 1–2 percent of the population has been inoculated. Doses intended as booster shots are better donated to economies where large groups have yet to receive their initial jabs.

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

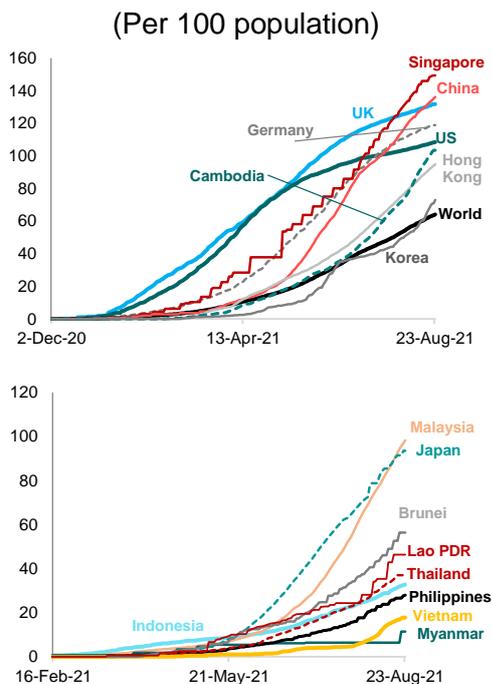
| Economy | Total Cases ('000) | Cases per 1M Population | New Cases ¹ | New Cases ¹ since 2020 ² | New Cases per 1M Pop. ¹ | ΔNew Cases ¹ | Δ% New Cases ¹ | Total Deaths | New Deaths ¹ | Fatality Rate (%) |
|-------------------|--------------------|-------------------------|------------------------|--|------------------------------------|-------------------------|---------------------------|--------------|-------------------------|-------------------|
| Global | 213,168 | | 653,161 | | | -204 | 0.3 | 4,451,812 | 9,932 | 2.1 |
| ASEAN+3 | 11,168 | | 111,445 | | | -1,475 | 1.0 | 233,186 | 2,467 | 2.1 |
| Plus-3 | 1,693 | | 24,895 | | | 4,774 | 1.6 | 22,808 | 41 | 1.3 |
| ASEAN | 9,475 | | 86,550 | | | -6,249 | 0.9 | 210,378 | 2,426 | 2.2 |
| China | 95 | 67 | 30 | | 0 | -30 | 0.0 | 4,636 | 0 | 4.9 |
| Hong Kong, China | 12 | 1,581 | 4 | | 1 | 1 | 0.0 | 212 | 0 | 1.8 |
| Japan | 1,345 | 10,693 | 23,036 | | 183 | 4,756 | 1.8 | 15,723 | 32 | 1.2 |
| Korea | 241 | 4,638 | 1,826 | | 35 | 47 | 0.8 | 2,237 | 8 | 0.9 |
| Indonesia | 4,008 | 14,852 | 16,527 | | 61 | -8,282 | 0.4 | 128,252 | 1,177 | 3.2 |
| Malaysia | 1,594 | 47,970 | 21,333 | | 642 | 690 | 1.4 | 14,553 | 211 | 0.9 |
| Philippines | 1,870 | 16,991 | 14,859 | | 135 | 2,071 | 0.8 | 32,264 | 257 | 1.7 |
| Singapore | 67 | 11,696 | 59 | | 10 | -5 | 0.1 | 50 | 1 | 0.1 |
| Thailand | 1,084 | 15,937 | 19,358 | | 285 | -2,426 | 1.9 | 9,788 | 259 | 0.9 |
| Brunei Darussalam | 1.87 | 4,153 | 146 | | 323 | 87 | 11.9 | 3 | 0 | 0.2 |
| Cambodia | 90.11 | 5,382 | 501 | | 30 | -27 | 0.6 | 1,821 | 15 | 2.0 |
| Lao PDR | 12.96 | 1,783 | 330 | | 45 | 77 | 2.8 | 11 | 0 | 0.1 |
| Myanmar | 378.38 | 7,089 | 2,584 | | 48 | -663 | 0.7 | 14,622 | 143 | 3.9 |
| Vietnam | 369.27 | 3,830 | 10,852 | | 113 | 2,229 | 3.3 | 9,014 | 363 | 2.4 |
| Australia | 47 | 1,799 | 850 | | 33 | 365 | 2.0 | 986 | 2 | 2.1 |
| Brazil | 20,615 | 97,527 | 28,383 | | 134 | -694 | 0.1 | 575,742 | 735 | 2.8 |
| France | 6,517 | 100,271 | 19,755 | | 304 | -1,110 | 0.3 | 112,251 | 95 | 1.7 |
| Germany | 3,898 | 46,980 | 8,724 | | 105 | 3,886 | 0.2 | 92,067 | 20 | 2.4 |
| India | 32,475 | 23,712 | 26,988 | | 20 | -8,633 | 0.1 | 435,110 | 370 | 1.3 |
| United Kingdom | 6,586 | 97,929 | 37,706 | | 561 | 8,463 | 0.6 | 132,174 | 146 | 2.0 |
| United States | 37,894 | 114,465 | 149,946 | | 453 | 13,351 | 1.2 | 627,840 | 1,080 | 1.7 |

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

1/ Values show the 7-day average.

2/ Since January 31, 2020.

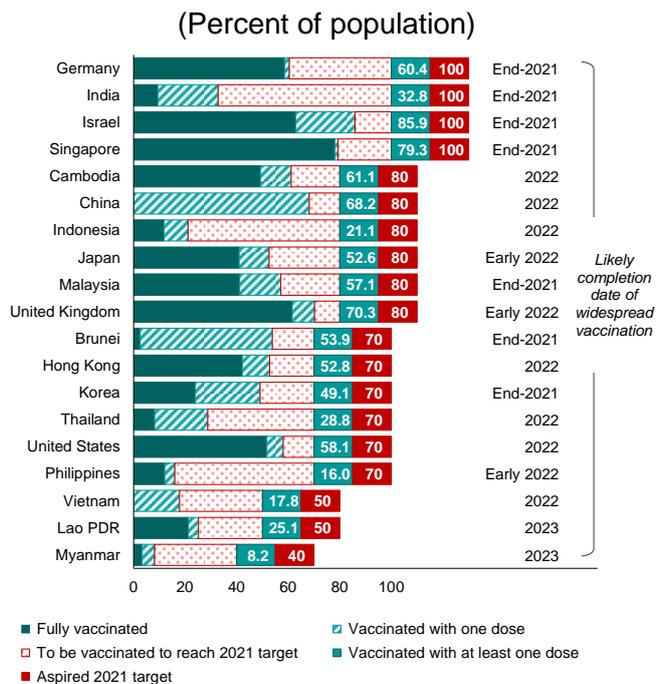
ASEAN+3 and Selected Economies: Total Vaccines Administered



Source: Haver Analytics, sourced from Our World in Data; and AMRO staff calculations.

Note: Single vaccination doses only. This does not measure the number of people vaccinated, as two doses are required with most available vaccines. Data is reported at irregular intervals; numbers show latest available.

ASEAN+3 and Selected Economies: Vaccinations and Aspired Population Coverage



Sources: Our World in Data via Haver Analytics; various media sources; Economist Intelligence Unit; and AMRO staff estimates and calculations.

Note: Percent of population vaccinated shows total administered doses divided by two to reflect the two-dose regime of most vaccines—it does not necessarily reflect the actual number of fully vaccinated people. Aspired 2021 targets and completion dates of widespread vaccination are goals, forecasts, or estimates.