

COVID Monitor

Friday, June 03, 2022

Data as of June 02, 2022

Cumulative New Cases and Deaths

Worldwide	ASEAN+3	Plus-3	ASEAN		
530,889,596 Cases	60,320,756 Cases	28,461,220 Cases	31,859,536 Cases		
6,296,221	420,302	69,513	350,789		
Deaths	Deaths	Deaths	Deaths		

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

Recent Developments

Global News

- Official statistics showed that about 2 million people in the United Kingdom, or around 3 percent of the population, <u>have reported experiencing "long COVID."</u> Fatigue, shortness of breath, and muscle aches are the most common symptoms.
- India saw <u>at least 3,700 new cases yesterday, driven by a surge in infections—mostly asymptomatic—in financial capital Mumbai</u>. Authorities link the recent trend—the highest in nearly a month—to "mild Omicron" sub-variants.
- **Portugal** has seen a <u>fresh spike in new cases this week, mostly linked to the BA.5 Omicron sub-variant</u>. The economy's seven-day incidence rate—or new infections per 100,000 people—is currently the highest in Europe.

Regional News

- **Singapore** could face another wave in July or August, according to a seminar yesterday by the health ministry, driven by the BA.4 and BA.5 Omicron sub-variants. High vaccination coverage and existing mask-on rules, however, can help avoid the severity that was seen during the original Omicron wave.
- In **Hong Kong**, those who test positive for certain sub-variants of Omicron—particularly BA.2.12.1, BA.4, or BA.5—will be quarantined in a centralized facility, along with their close contacts.
- Korea will be <u>lifting its quarantine requirements for non-vaccinated foreign arrivals</u> <u>starting Wednesday next week, June 8</u>. The required negative PCR test prior to entry, and within 72 hours upon arrival, will remain in place.

Vaccine News

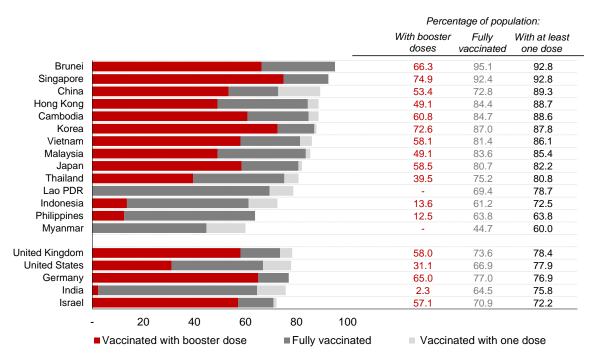
- **Pfizer** and **BioNTech** completed their filings to <u>US regulators seeking authorization for their vaccine in children under 5 years old.</u> Data showed that 3 lower-dose shots of their vaccine generated a strong immune response in kids as young as 6 months.
- Trial data showed that a vaccine candidate from China's Walvax Biotechnology—which uses mRNA technology—triggered a stronger antibody response against Omicron as a booster dose, when compared to a third jab of the Sinovac vaccine.

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

Economy	Total Cases	Cases per 1M Population	New Cases ¹	New Cases ¹	New Cases per 1M Pop. ¹	ΔNew Cases ¹	Δ% New Cases ¹	Total Deaths	New Deaths ¹	Fatality Rate (%)
Global	530,890	горијацоп	476,881	since 2020 ²	рег им Рор.	-26,719	0.1	6,296,221	1,399	1.2
ASEAN+3	60,321		45,313			-19,157	0.1	420,302	90	0.7
Plus-3	28,461		34,525			-19,157	0.1	69,513	50 50	0.7
ASEAN	31,860		10,788			-1,930	0.1	350,789	40	1.1
ASEAN	31,000		10,700			-1,930	0.0	330,769	40	1.1
China	224	160	52	1^	0	-100	0.0	5,226	0	2.3
Hong Kong, China	1,214	158,964	336		44	101	0.0	9,380	1	0.8
Japan	8,881	70,624	21,487		171	-10,116	0.2	30,678	31	0.3
Korea	18,142	348,506	12,650		243	-7,112	0.1	24,229	18	0.1
Indonesia	6,056	22,440	282		1	22	0.0	156,600	6	2.6
Malaysia	4,510	135,763	1,591	^		-357	0.0	35,680	3	0.8
Philippines	3,691	33,541	176		2	-18	0.0	60,458	0	1.6
Singapore	1,311	229,852	3,486	\	611	-446	0.3	1,389	1	0.1
Thailand	4,461	65,581	3,721	^	55	-1,013	0.1	30,113	29	0.7
Brunei Darussalam	149	331,124	263		584	19	0.2	223	0	0.1
Cambodia	136	8,139	0	^L	0	0	0.0	3,056	0	2.2
Lao PDR	210	28,908	22		3	-18	0.0	756	0	0.4
Myanmar	613	11,491	14	_~~	0	3	0.0	19,434	0	3.2
Vietnam	10,723	111,223	1,232	t	13	-123	0.0	43,080	0	0.4
Australia	7,378	284,043	31,531	<u>_</u>	1,211	-10,374	0.4	8,662	42	0.1
Brazil	31,101	147,137	31,540	برسد	149	6,024	0.1	666,930	96	2.1
France	29,449	453,109	118,612			104,625	0.4	147,304	349	0.5
Germany	26,452	318,789	35,926	^	433	6,987	0.1	139,313	76	0.5
India	43,165	31,517	2,431		2	187	0.0	524,641	15	1.2
United Kingdom	22,493	334,448	30,904		460	24,533	0.1	179,413	144	0.8
United States	83,782	253,080	93,852	<u></u>	283	-10,519	1.2	1,003,109	552	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)



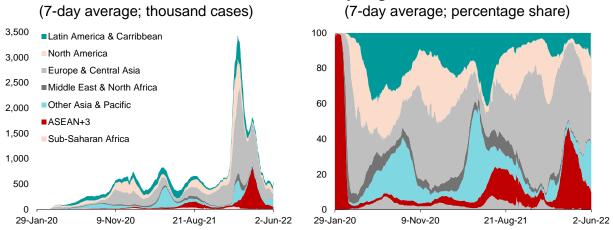
Sources: Our World in Data via Haver Analytics; and AMRO staff calculations.

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.

^{1/} Values show the 7-day average.

^{2/} Since January 31, 2020.

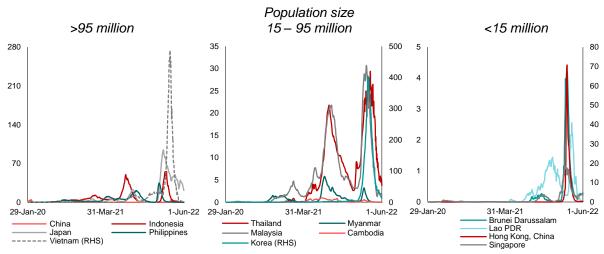
World: New Cases by Region



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

ASEAN+3: Daily New Cases by Size of Population

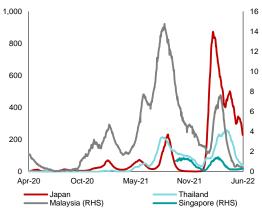
(7-day average; thousand cases)



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).