

Cumulative New Cases and Deaths

| Worldwide | ASEAN+3 | Plus-3 | ASEAN |
|----------------------|---------------------|--------------------|---------------------|
| 354,717,844 Cases | 19,322,276 Cases | 3,089,170 Cases | 16,233,105 Cases |
| 5,604,293 Deaths | 342,348 Deaths | 29,961 Deaths | 312,387 Deaths |

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

Recent Developments

Global News

- Fully vaccinated travelers arriving in **Britain** no longer will have to take a COVID-19 test starting from February 11. Individuals without a booster jab and those younger than 18 will be treated as fully vaccinated.
- **India's** daily cases fell below 300,000 for the first time in six days. The government has reassured the public that curfews will be eased as soon as possible.

Regional News

- **Korea** reported 7,125 daily cases in the last 7 days, a record high, due to the omicron variant. Residents are urged to stay home during the upcoming Lunar New Year holiday.
- The **Beijing** 2022 Winter Olympics has eased its COVID-19 measures, including reducing the time period of being deemed as a close contact from 14 to seven days.
- **Hong Kong** will reduce the number of civil servants working in office effective today, as it seeks to stem the weekend surge in infections.
- **China** and **Vietnam** have requested millions of workers to forgo trips home during the upcoming Lunar New Year holiday over fears that mass travel will spark COVID-19 outbreaks and force factory closures in both economies.
- **Indonesia** has opened up Batam and Bintan islands to fully vaccinated Singapore travelers, in a bid to restart its tourism sector.

Vaccine News

- Pfizer prefers to develop an annual COVID-19 vaccine to booster doses every four to five months. The company could be ready to file for approval for a redesigned vaccine to fight Omicron, and mass produce it, as soon as March 2022.
- An **Israeli** government advisory panel has recommended offering a fourth COVID-19 vaccine dose to all adults at least five months after their third dose or recovery from a COVID-19 infection.

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

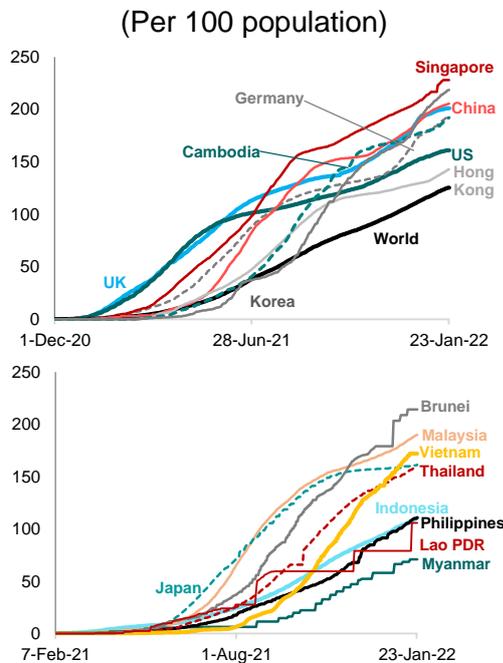
| Economy | Total Cases ('000) | Cases per 1M Population | New Cases ¹ | New Cases ¹ since 2020 ² | New Cases per 1M Pop. ¹ | ΔNew Cases ¹ | Δ% New Cases ¹ | Total Deaths | New Deaths ¹ | Fatality Rate (%) |
|-------------------|--------------------|-------------------------|------------------------|--|------------------------------------|-------------------------|---------------------------|--------------|-------------------------|-------------------|
| Global | 354,718 | | 3,378,093 | | | 478,873 | 1.0 | 5,604,293 | 8,117 | 1.6 |
| ASEAN+3 | 19,322 | | 122,255 | | | 38,198 | 0.6 | 342,348 | 353 | 1.8 |
| Plus-3 | 3,089 | | 52,663 | | | 29,414 | 1.8 | 29,961 | 43 | 1.0 |
| ASEAN | 16,233 | | 69,592 | | | 8,784 | 0.4 | 312,387 | 310 | 1.9 |
| China | 106 | 75 | 64 | | 0 | -120 | 0.1 | 4,636 | 0 | 4.4 |
| Hong Kong, China | 13 | 1,716 | 34 | | 4 | 23 | 0.3 | 213 | 0 | 1.6 |
| Japan | 2,220 | 17,656 | 45,440 | | 361 | 26,617 | 2.2 | 18,524 | 13 | 0.8 |
| Korea | 750 | 14,407 | 7,125 | | 137 | 2,894 | 1.0 | 6,588 | 30 | 0.9 |
| Indonesia | 4,289 | 15,894 | 2,412 | | 9 | 1,587 | 0.1 | 144,227 | 8 | 3.4 |
| Malaysia | 2,836 | 85,372 | 3,639 | | 110 | 520 | 0.1 | 31,902 | 13 | 1.1 |
| Philippines | 3,442 | 31,280 | 28,526 | | 259 | -6,309 | 0.9 | 53,519 | 84 | 1.6 |
| Singapore | 317 | 55,555 | 3,394 | | 595 | 2,449 | 1.1 | 848 | 1 | 0.3 |
| Thailand | 2,391 | 35,159 | 11,820 | | 174 | 7,372 | 0.5 | 22,057 | 17 | 0.9 |
| Brunei Darussalam | 16.15 | 35,805 | 35 | | 78 | 3 | 0.2 | 98 | 0 | 0.6 |
| Cambodia | 121.07 | 7,232 | 34 | | 2 | 7 | 0.0 | 3,015 | 0 | 2.5 |
| Lao PDR | 130.29 | 17,932 | 709 | | 98 | -122 | 0.6 | 527 | 4 | 0.4 |
| Myanmar | 534.16 | 10,007 | 131 | | 2 | -23 | 0.0 | 19,310 | 1 | 3.6 |
| Vietnam | 2,155.78 | 22,361 | 18,891 | | 196 | 3,298 | 0.9 | 36,884 | 182 | 1.7 |
| Australia | 2,287 | 88,051 | 59,538 | | 2,292 | -44,929 | 2.9 | 3,230 | 65 | 0.1 |
| Brazil | 24,142 | 114,214 | 150,360 | | 711 | 75,160 | 0.6 | 623,636 | 308 | 2.6 |
| France | 16,447 | 253,052 | 353,648 | | 5,441 | 66,772 | 2.4 | 126,358 | 243 | 0.8 |
| Germany | 8,910 | 107,373 | 115,049 | | 1,387 | 38,793 | 1.4 | 116,967 | 160 | 1.3 |
| India | 39,579 | 28,899 | 280,039 | | 204 | 31,114 | 0.7 | 489,937 | 454 | 1.2 |
| United Kingdom | 16,063 | 238,837 | 108,229 | | 1,609 | 9,929 | 0.7 | 154,430 | 336 | 1.0 |
| United States | 71,217 | 215,123 | 726,692 | | 2,195 | 35,522 | 1.2 | 864,400 | 2,284 | 1.2 |

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

1/ Values show the 7-day average.

2/ Since January 31, 2020.

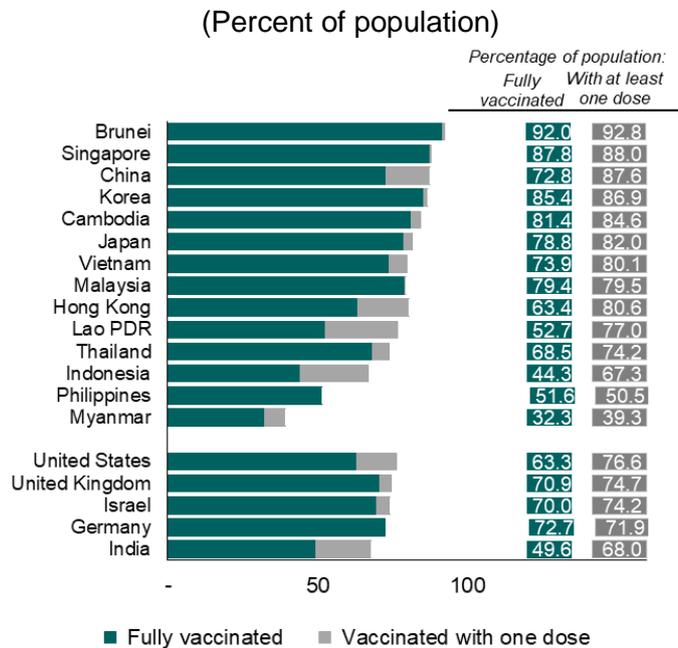
ASEAN+3 and Selected Economies: Cumulative Vaccines Administered



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: Vaccination Progress



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).