

Total Confirmed Cases and Deaths

Worldwide	ASEAN+3	Plus-3	ASEAN
160,833,004 Cases	4,539,562 Cases	900,263 Cases	3,639,299 Cases
3,340,394 Deaths	90,255 Deaths	17,988 Deaths	72,267 Deaths

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

Recent Developments

Global News

- In the **United States**, the CDC has issued new guidelines specifying that fully vaccinated people will not need to wear masks anymore in most settings outdoors and indoors. They will also not need to physically distance anymore in most place.
- The Pacific nation **Nauru** is the first country in the world to have vaccinated all adults with at least one shot of a COVID-19 vaccine. Within one month, 7,392 people received a first AstraZeneca shot supplied by COVAX—108 percent of the adult population, including all foreign residents. The second shot is expected to start mid-June. Nauru is one of the few countries worldwide without any reported infections.

Regional News

- Amid rising cases, **Singapore** will tighten its restrictions from Sunday to June 13. Dine-in in restaurants will not be allowed, the maximum size of social gatherings will be limited to two, and work-from-home will be the default option.
- The planned travel bubble between Hong Kong and Singapore, due to open on May 26, is likely to be postponed again amid rising cases in Singapore.
- **Japan** will extend its state of emergency to three more prefectures, Hokkaido, Okayama and Hiroshima. The state of emergency will begin on Sunday and run until at least May 31.
- **China** reported its first cases of local transmission in more than three weeks. Two cases were detected in Anhui Province.

Vaccine News

- Nanocovax, Vietnam's first coronavirus vaccine candidate, is moving to the third and final stage of trials. The Phase 3 trial will enroll 10,000 people in Vietnam and is expected to be completed in August or September.
- In a study among more than 25,000 health care workers in Indonesia, China's Sinovac vaccine was found to be very effective. As soon as 7 days after the second dose, the vaccine was 100% effective against death and 96% effective against hospitalisation. Workers were tracked for 28 days after their second jab.

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	160,833		680,325			-112,570	0.4	3,340,394	12,039	2.1
ASEAN+3	4,540		25,745			2,050	0.6	90,255	451	2.0
Plus-3	900		7,058			1,652	0.8	17,988	102	2.0
ASEAN	3,639		18,687			398	0.5	72,267	349	2.0
China	91	65	11		0	-1	0.0	4,636	0	5.1
Hong Kong, China	12	1,548	3		0	-1	0.0	210	0	1.8
Japan	667	5,306	6,425		51	1,612	1.0	11,249	98	1.7
Korea	130	2,505	619		12	43	0.5	1,893	5	1.5
Indonesia	1,732	6,417	4,907		18	-13	0.3	47,716	174	2.8
Malaysia	458	13,789	4,307		130	1,021	1.0	1,788	25	0.4
Philippines	1,125	10,221	6,365		58	-983	0.6	18,821	119	1.7
Singapore	61	10,777	24		4	0	0.0	31	0	0.1
Thailand	94	1,379	2,426		36	535	2.9	518	26	0.6
Brunei Darussalam	0.23	514	1		1	0	0.2	3	0	1.3
Cambodia	21.14	1,263	503		30	-209	2.6	142	4	0.7
Lao PDR	1.48	204	44		6	-29	3.3	1	0	0.1
Myanmar	143.00	2,679	19		0	8	0.0	3,212	0	2.2
Vietnam	3.74	39	93		1	67	2.8	35	0	0.9
Australia	30	1,153	9		0	-4	0.0	910	0	3.0
Brazil	15,434	73,017	61,489		291	2,506	0.4	430,417	1,924	2.8
France	5,790	89,079	15,694		241	-3,172	0.3	106,481	195	1.8
Germany	3,578	43,122	10,779		130	-5,169	0.3	85,853	204	2.4
India	24,047	17,558	365,030		267	-24,773	1.6	262,317	4,033	1.1
United Kingdom	4,460	66,321	4,550		68	2,506	0.1	127,912	47	2.9
United States	32,705	98,792	35,199		106	-9,480	1.2	581,898	623	1.8

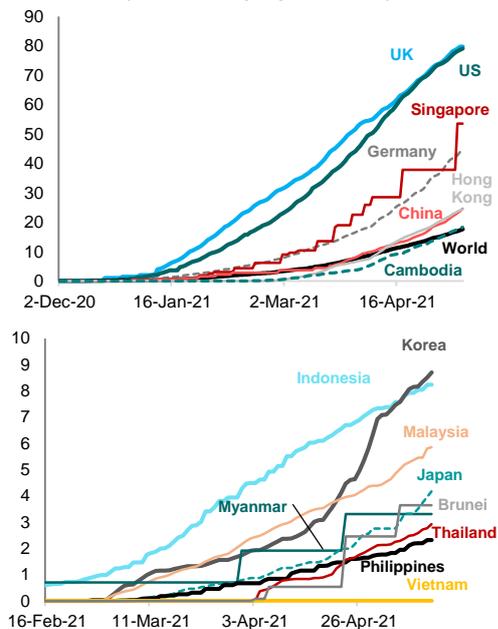
Source: Haver Analytics, sourced from Johns Hopkins University; and AMRO staff calculations.

1/ Values show the 7-day average.

2/ Since January 31, 2020.

ASEAN+3 and Selected Economies: Total Vaccines Administered

(Per 100 population)

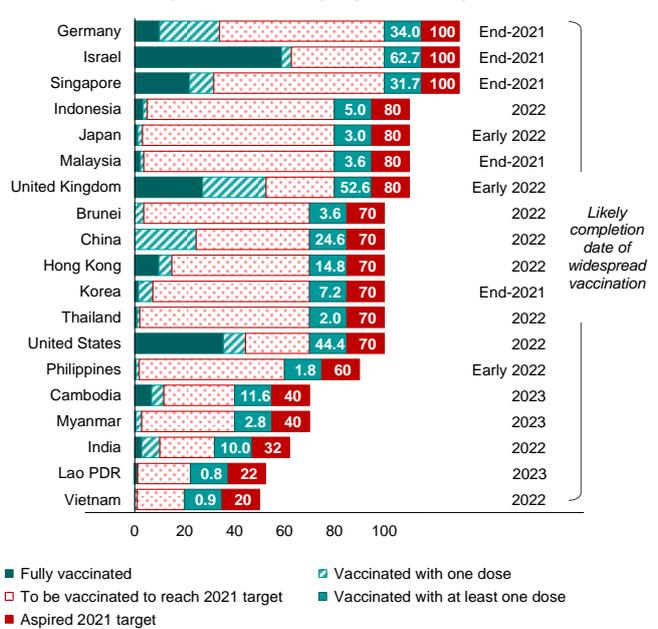


Source: Haver Analytics, sourced from Our World in Data; and AMRO staff calculations.

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

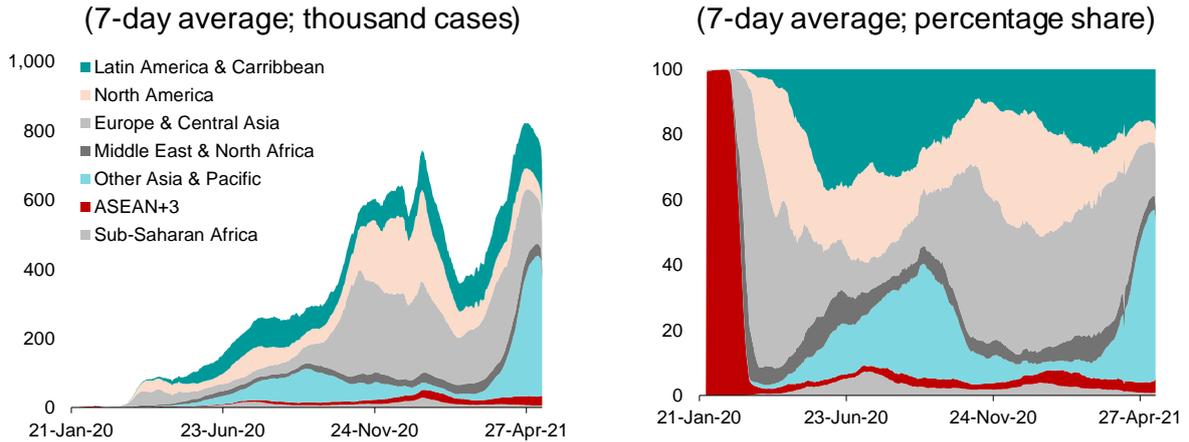
(Percent of population)



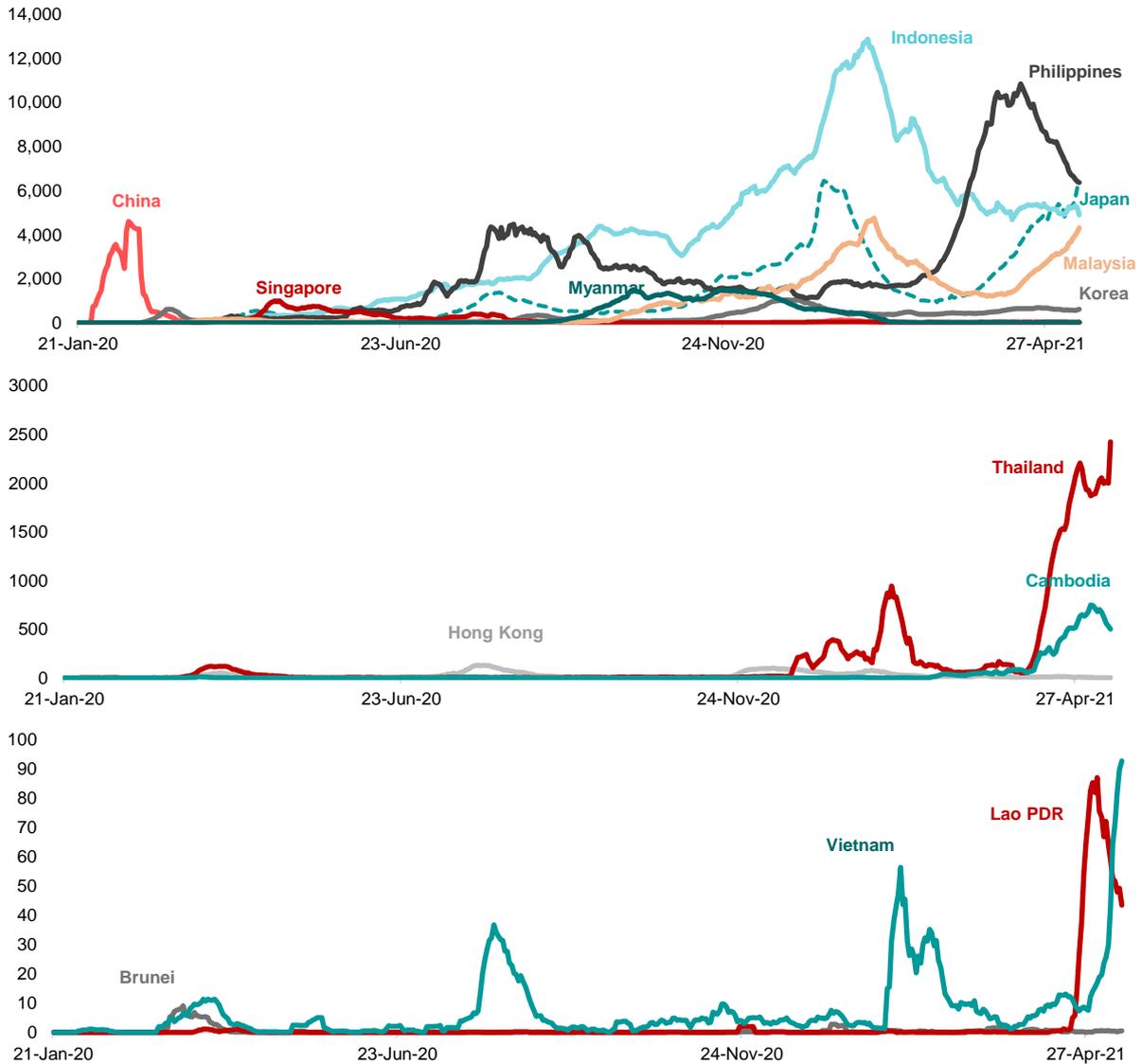
Sources: Our World in Data via Haver Analytics; various media sources; Economist Intelligence Unit; and AMRO staff estimates and calculations.

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.

World: Confirmed Cases by Region



ASEAN+3: Daily Confirmed Cases (7-day average)



ASEAN+3 and Selected Economies: Covid Cycle and Healthcare Indicators

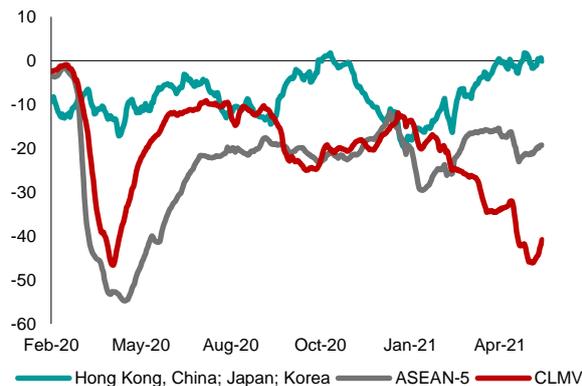
	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY	Daily new cases (7-day average)	Hospital Beds to Active Cases	Hospital Bed Density (Beds per 1,000)
China					11 ↓	19,133.9	4.2
Hong Kong, China					3 ↓	—	—
Japan					6,425 ↑	21.8	13.4
Korea					619 ↑	75.9	11.5
Indonesia					4,907 ↓	3.4	1.2
Malaysia					4,307 ↑	1.6	1.9
Philippines					6,365 ↓	0.9	0.5
Singapore					24 ↑	35.2	2.4
Thailand					2,426 ↑	2.5	2.1
Brunei Darussalam					1 →	141.8	2.7
Cambodia					503 ↓	1.2	0.8
Lao PDR					44 ↓	10.1	1.5
Myanmar					19 ↑	6.2	0.9
Vietnam					93 ↓	302.3	2.6
Australia					9 ↓	17.7	3.8
Brazil					61,489 ↑	0.4	2.2
France					15,694 ↓	0.7	6.5
Germany					10,779 ↓	2.7	8.3
India					365,030 ↓	0.2	0.7
United Kingdom					4,550 ↓	4.0	2.8
United States					35,199 ↓	1.0	2.9

Legend: First (Red), First-mid (Orange), Mid (Yellow), Late (Light Green), End (Dark Green), Reappearance/Minor outbreak (Grey)

Sources: Haver Analytics, sourced from John Hopkins University; World Health Organization; and AMRO staff calculations.
 Note: Based on Hinojales, Oeking, and Ong. 2020. "Where are We in the Covid Cycle?" AMRO Analytical Note, Singapore, April 27, and Oeking. 2021. "Crushing Waves: Diving into the Covid Cycle" AMRO Analytical Note, Singapore, February 4.

Selected ASEAN+3: Aggregate Non-Residentials Mobility

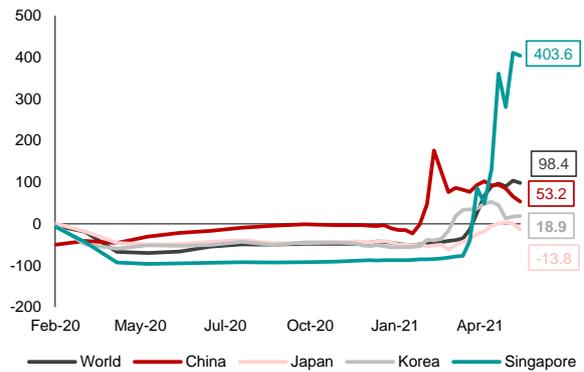
(Percentage change from baseline; 5-day moving average)



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-residential" 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.

World and Selected ASEAN+3: Weekly Scheduled Flight Seats

(Percent year-over-year)



Sources: Official Aviation Guide; and AMRO staff calculations.
 Note: Scheduled seat capacity data until November 2020 are on monthly basis, and on weekly basis thereafter.