

Monday, December 28, 2020

Global Coronavirus Cases		ASEAN+3 Coronavirus Cases		Plus-3 Coronavirus Cases		ASEAN Coronavirus Cases	
<b>80,783,674</b> Total Cases		<b>1,851,574</b> Total Cases		<b>374,678</b> Total Cases		<b>1,476,896</b> Total Cases	
<b>47,656,692</b> Recovered Cases (59.0%)	<b>1,764,863</b> Deaths (2.2%)	<b>1,585,545</b> Recovered Cases (85.6%)	<b>42,216</b> Deaths (2.3%)	<b>311,177</b> Recovered Cases (83.1%)	<b>8,690</b> Deaths (2.3%)	<b>1,274,368</b> Recovered Cases (86.3%)	<b>33,526</b> Deaths (2.3%)
<b>31,362,120</b> Active Cases (38.8%)		<b>223,813</b> Active Cases (12.1%)		<b>54,811</b> Active Cases (14.6%)		<b>169,002</b> Active Cases (11.4%)	

## Statistics

- **Worldwide** confirmed cases surpassed 80 million with more than 1.76 million confirmed deaths.
- Between Thursday and Saturday, the **ASEAN+3 region** saw its three highest jumps in daily cases since the start of the pandemic, with more than 16,000 cases a day.
- **Japan** reported a record increase of almost 4,000 cases on Saturday, following two days of previous highs with around 3,800 cases.
- **Korea** recorded 1,237 new cases on Thursday, its highest-ever daily increase. Daily new cases have since fallen to 808 yesterday.

## News

- Several regional economies have found cases of the more transmissible coronavirus variant from the UK, including **Korea, Japan, and Singapore**.
- In an effort to prevent the spreading of the new variant, **Hong Kong** has extended its compulsory quarantine on arrival to 21 days for all visitors outside China.
- As of today, **Singapore** is moving to Phase 3 of its reopening plan. Group sizes will be allowed to increase from five to eight, and capacity limits for malls, attractions, and places of worship will ease.
- After some locally transmitted cases in Beijing's Shunyi district, some restrictions have been tightened in addition to extensive testing and contact tracing.
- After the Pfizer/BioNTech vaccine received authorization in the **European Union** last week, COVID-19 vaccinations have been launched across the EU.

## Overview of Confirmed COVID-19 Cases

Data as of 27/12/2020

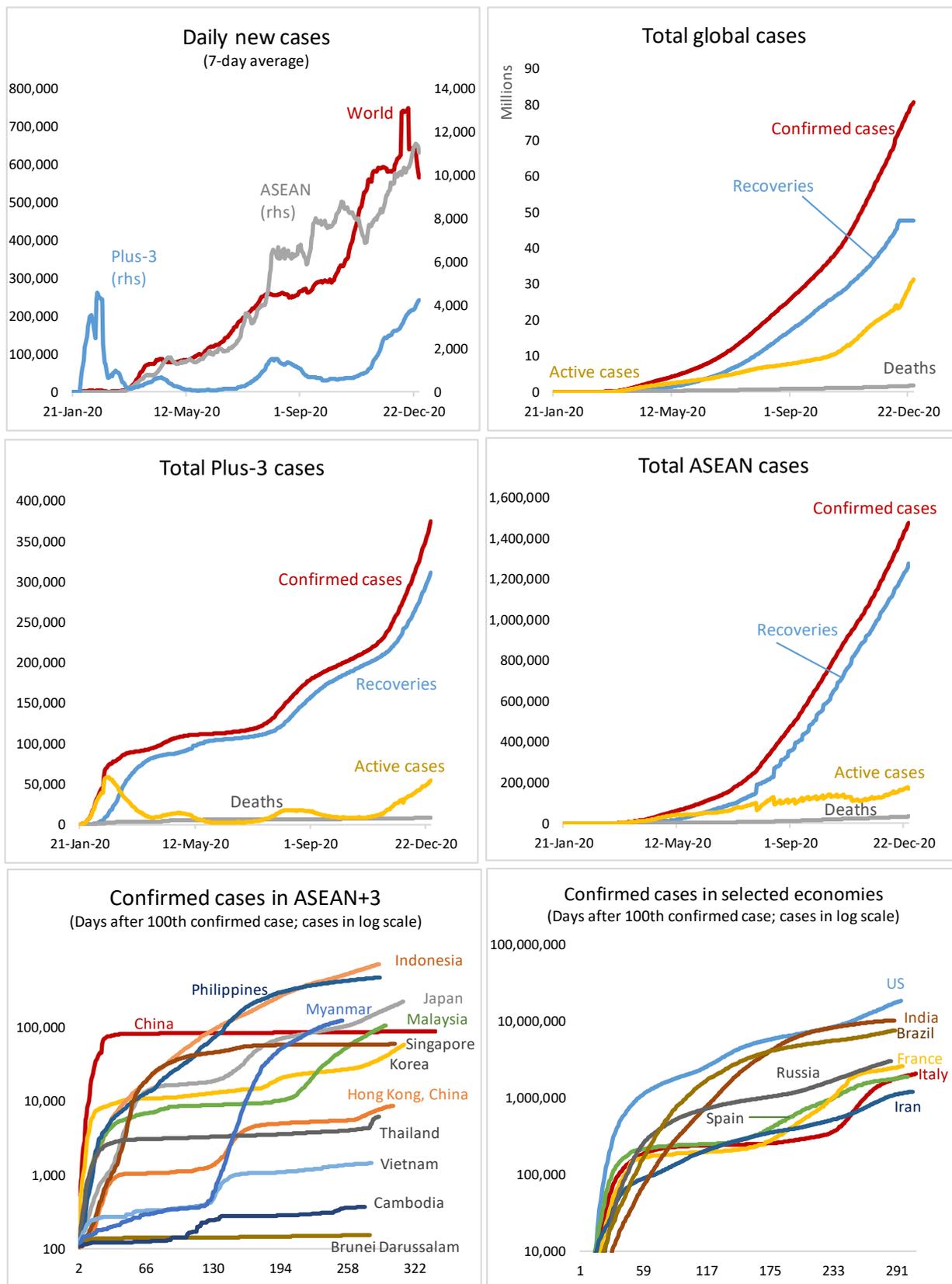
Economy	Total Cases	Cases per 1M Population	New Cases	New Cases per 1M Pop.	New Cases (7-day avg) <sup>1</sup>	ΔNew Cases	Δ% New Cases	Total Deaths	New Deaths	Fatality Rate (%)	Total Recovered	Recovery Rate (%)	Active Cases	Resolved cases (%) <sup>2</sup>
Global	80,783,674		432,076			-79,316	0.5	1,764,863	7,206	2.2	47,656,692	59.0	31,362,120	61.2
ASEAN+3	1,851,574		13,079			-3,192	0.7	42,216	358	2.3	1,585,545	85.6	223,813	61.1
Plus-3	374,678		3,844			-1,099	1.0	8,690	50	2.3	311,177	83.1	54,811	87.9
ASEAN	1,476,896		9,235			-2,093	0.6	33,526	308	2.3	1,274,368	86.3	169,002	87.3
China	86,976	62	21	0.0		-1	0.0	4,634	0	5.3	81,995	94.3	347	99.6
Hong Kong, China	8,610	1,128	70	9.2		11	0.8	137	1	1.6	7,474	86.8	999	88.4
Japan	221,412	1,761	2,945	23.4		-947	1.3	3,100	38	1.4	182,440	82.4	35,872	83.8
Korea	57,680	1,108	808	15.5		-162	1.4	819	11	1.4	39,268	68.1	17,593	69.5
Indonesia	713,365	2,643	6,528	24.2		-212	0.9	21,237	243	3.0	583,676	81.8	108,452	84.8
Malaysia	105,096	3,164	1,196	36.0		-1,139	1.2	452	1	0.4	84,411	80.3	20,233	80.7
Philippines	469,886	4,270	881	8.0		-523	0.2	9,109	42	1.9	438,678	93.4	22,099	95.3
Singapore	58,524	10,264	5	0.9		-5	0.0	29	0	0.0	58,370	99.7	125	99.8
Thailand	6,141	90	18	0.3		-85	0.3	60	0	1.0	4,161	67.8	1,920	68.7
Brunei Darussalam	152	337	0	0.0		0	0.0	3	0	2.0	149	98.0	0	100.0
Cambodia	364	22	0	0.0		-1	0.0	0	0	0.0	360	98.9	4	98.9
Lao PDR	41	6	0	0.0		0	0.0	0	0	0.0	37	90.2	4	90.2
Myanmar	121,886	2,283	606	11.4		-128	0.5	2,601	22	2.1	103,223	84.7	16,062	86.8
Vietnam	1,441	15	1	0.0		0	0.1	35	0	2.4	1,303	90.4	103	92.9
Belgium	638,877	55,473	847	73.5		63	0.1	19,200	42	3.0	-	-	-	-
France	2,556,621	39,336	8,233	126.7		5,203	0.3	62,382	173	2.4	-	-	-	-
Germany	1,658,639	19,989	12,399	149.4		-1,105	0.8	30,297	351	1.8	1,272,032	76.7	356,310	78.5
Italy	2,047,696	33,996	8,937	148.4		-1,468	0.4	71,925	305	3.5	1,394,011	68.1	581,760	71.6
Netherlands	774,009	44,790	20,104	1,163.4		10,256	2.7	11,090	120	1.4	-	-	-	-
Spain	1,854,951	39,580	-	-		-	-	49,824	0	2.7	150,376	8.1	53,521	97.1
Switzerland	428,197	49,520	-	-		-	-	7,210	17	1.7	317,600	74.2	103,387	75.9
United Kingdom	2,295,228	34,127	39,223	583.2		4,530	1.7	70,860	455	3.1	-	-	-	-
Brazil	7,484,285	35,407	18,479	87.4		1,233	0.2	191,139	344	2.6	6,677,235	89.2	615,911	91.8
Canada	550,582	14,560	9,641	255.0		7,441	1.8	14,929	160	2.7	461,134	83.8	74,519	86.5
Argentina	1,583,297	34,759	5,030	110.4		1,317	0.3	42,650	149	2.7	1,407,926	88.9	132,721	91.6
Mexico	1,383,434	10,885	6,217	48.9		1,243	0.5	122,426	400	8.8	1,038,766	75.1	222,242	83.9
Peru	1,005,546	30,634	-	0.0		-1,564	-	37,368	0	3.7	943,637	93.8	24,541	97.6
United States	19,134,977	57,801	150,094	453.4		-159,222	0.8	333,118	1,209	1.7	-	-	-	-
Australia	28,337	1,091	29	1.1		18	0.1	909	1	3.2	25,733	90.8	1,695	94.0
India	10,207,871	7,453	20,021	14.6		1,289	0.2	147,901	279	1.4	9,782,669	95.8	277,301	97.3
Iran	1,200,465	14,266	5,502	65.4		-258	0.5	54,693	119	4.6	951,860	79.3	193,912	83.8
Russia	3,019,972	20,598	27,849	189.9		-984	0.9	54,080	541	1.8	2,426,094	80.3	539,798	82.1
Saudi Arabia	362,220	10,419	154	4.4		-9	0.0	6,185	9	1.7	353,179	97.5	2,856	99.2
South Africa	1,004,413	16,819	9,502	159.1		-2,050	1.0	26,735	214	2.7	844,874	84.1	132,804	86.8

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

Notes: New cases since previous day. Δ% refers to percentage change since previous day. Fatality rate measured as deaths per confirmed infections.

<sup>1/</sup> Since January 31, 2020.

<sup>2/</sup> Resolved cases (i.e. non-active cases) to total cases; serves as a proxy for the stage of the cycle.



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