COVID Monitor

Wednesday, September 23, 2020

Global Coronavirus Cases		ASEAN+3 Coronavirus Cases		Plus-3 Coronavirus Cases		ASEAN Coronavirus Cases	
31,517,087 Total Cases		**818,023** Total Cases		**193,342** Total Cases		**624,681** Total Cases	
21,624,434 Recovered Cases *(68.6%)*	969,578 Deaths *(3.1%)*	665,550 Recovered Cases *(81.4%)*	21,900 Deaths *(2.7%)*	177,093 Recovered Cases *(91.6%)*	6,644 Deaths *(3.4%)*	488,457 Recovered Cases *(78.2%)*	15,256 Deaths *(2.4%)*
8,923,075 Active Cases *(28.3%)*		130,573 Active Cases *(16.0%)*		9,605 Active Cases *(5.0%)*		120,968 Active Cases *(19.4%)*	

Statistics

- **Worldwide** confirmed cases stood at 31.5 million yesterday, while total fatalities neared 970,000.
- Around 6,700 new infections were reported across the **ASEAN+3 region** yesterday.
- Daily new cases in **Myanmar** reached at least 200 yesterday, pushing its total confirmed cases to nearly 7,000. Total fatalities increased to 116.
- **Korea** saw at least 100 new infections yesterday, higher than the previous day's tally. Yesterday's figure halted the easing trend in daily infections that was seen in the previous five days. Its total case tally has now surpassed 23,200.
- New infections in **the Philippines** eased to nearly 1,600 yesterday, the lowest daily figure in two weeks, while it also recorded 50 additional deaths. This brought its total confirmed cases to above 291,000.
- **Indonesia** yesterday recorded 160 additional deaths, a new high, bringing its total fatalities to nearly 9,900. New daily infections also topped 4,000 yesterday, though slightly lower than the previous day's figure.

News

- **Japan**ese multinational Fujifilm Holdings yesterday said that a late-stage study of its antiviral drug, Avigan, showed promising results—it reduced recovery times for COVID-19 patients with non-severe symptoms, compared with a control group. The company is reportedly aiming to file for regulatory approval of Avigan, by as early as October this year.
- **Hong Kong**'s Disneyland has announced that it will reopen on Friday, September 25, although only with limited admissions. The park will be accommodating a reduced number of visitors, and operate for only five days a week, alongside the implementation of social distancing measures. All visitors will be required to wear masks.

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Overview of Confirmed COVID-19 Cases

Data as of 22/9/2020

Economy	Total Cases	Cases per 1M Population	New Cases	New Cases per 1M Pop.	New Cases (7-day avg)[1]	ΔNew Cases	Δ% New Cases	Total Deaths	New Deaths	Fatality Rate (%)	Total Recovered	Recovery Rate (%)	Active Cases	Resolved cases (%)[2]
Global	31,517,087		196,207			-102,701	0.6	969,578	4,832	3.1	21,624,434	68.6	8,923,075	71.7
ASEAN+3	818,023		6,703			-2,071	0.8	21,900	227	2.7	665,550	81.4	130,573	71.6
Plus-3	193,342		439			46	0.2	6,644	1	3.4	177,093	91.6	9,605	84.0
ASEAN	624,681		6,264			-2,117	1.0	15,256	226	2.4	488,457	78.2	120,968	82.2
China	85,307	61	10	0.0		4	0.0	4,634	0	5.4	80,500	94.4	173	99.8
Hong Kong, China	5,046	661	8	1.0		2	0.2	103	0	2.0	4,729	93.7	214	95.8
Japan	79,773	634	311	2.5		-9	0.4	1,519	1	1.9	71,214	89.3	7,040	91.2
Korea	23,216	446	110	2.1		49	0.5	388	0	1.7	20,650	88.9	2,178	90.6
Indonesia	252,923	937	4,071	15.1		-105	1.6	9,837	160	3.9	184,298	72.9	58,788	76.8
Malaysia	10,358	312	82	2.5		25	0.8	130	0	1.3	9,563	92.3	665	93.6
Philippines	291,789	2,652	1,599	14.5		-1,848	0.6	5,049	50	1.7	230,643	79.0	56,097	80.8
Singapore	57,627	10,106	21	3.7		-9	0.0	27	0	0.0	57,262	99.4	338	99.4
Thailand	3,514	52	3	0.0		-2	0.1	59	0	1.7	3,345	95.2	110	96.9
Brunei Darussalam	145	322	0	0.0		0	0.0	3	0	2.1	142	97.9	0	100.0
Cambodia	275	16	0	0.0		0	0.0	0	0	0.0	274	99.6	1	99.6
Lao PDR	23	3	0	0.0		0	0.0	0	0	0.0	22	95.7	1	95.7
Myanmar	6959	130	488	9.1		-178	7.5	116	16	1.7	1951	28.0	4,892	29.7
Vietnam	1,068	11	0	0.0		0	0.0	35	0	3.3	957	89.6	76	92.9
Belgium	105,226	9,137	1,834	159.2		737	1.8	9,996	0	9.5	19,039	18.1	76,191	27.6
France	483,956	7,446	9,982	153.6		-19,014	2.1	31,252	78	6.5	77,757	16.1	374,947	22.5
Germany	277,412	3,343	1,852	22.3		257	0.7	9,405	15	3.4	244,693	88.2	23,314	91.6
Italy	300,897	4,996	1,391	23.1		41	0.5	35,738	14	11.9	219,670	73.0	45,489	84.9
Netherlands	102,844	5,951	2,353	136.2		79	2.3	6,338	11	6.2	-	-	-	-
Spain	682,267	14,558	10,799	230.4		-20,629	1.6	30,904	241	4.5	150,376	22.0	53,521	92.2
Switzerland	50,664	5,859	286	33.1		-809	0.6	2,054	4	4.1	42,100	83.1	6,510	87.2
United Kingdom	406,058	6,038	4,936	73.4		558	1.2	46,791	74	11.5	-	-	-	-
Brazil	4,591,364	21,721	33,324	157.7		19,913	0.7	138,105	833	3.0	4,016,831	87.5	436,428	90.5
Canada	148,855	3,937	1,272	33.6		-561	0.9	9,286	7	6.2	128,890	86.6	10,679	92.8
Argentina	652,174	14,317	12,027	264.0		3,245	1.9	13,952	470	2.1	517,228	79.3	120,994	81.4
Mexico	705,263	5,549	4,683	36.8		1,766	0.7	74,348	651	10.5	598,953	84.9	31,962	95.5
Peru	768,895	23,425	0	0.0		-6,030	0.0	31,369	0	4.1	607,837	79.1	129,689	83.1
United States	6,850,085	20,692	39,162	118.3		-12,196	0.6	200,115	915	2.9	2,646,959	38.6	4,003,011	41.6
Australia	26,972	1,038	30	1.2		0	0.1	859	5	3.2	24,329	90.2	1,784	93.4
India	5,646,010	4,123	83,347	60.9		8,264	1.5	88,935	0	1.6	4,497,867	79.7	1,059,208	81.2
Iran	429,193	5,100	3,712	44.1		371	0.9	24,656	178	5.7	363,737	84.7	40,800	90.5
Russia	1,111,157	7,579	6,109	41.7		19	0.6	19,575	155	1.8	914,923	82.3	176,659	84.1
Saudi Arabia	330,798	9,516	552	15.9		60	0.2	4,542	30	1.4	312,684	94.5	13,572	95.9
South Africa	663,282	11,107	1,346	22.5		621	0.2	16,118	126	2.4	592,904	89.4	54,260	91.8

Source: Haver Analytics, sourced from John Hopkins University; AMRO staff calculations.
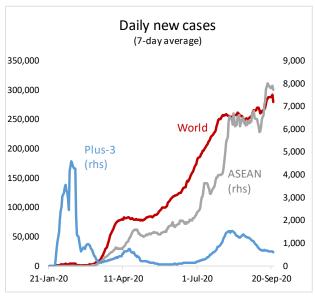
Notes: New cases since previous day. Δ% refers to percentage change since previous day. Fatality rate measured as deaths per confirmed infections.
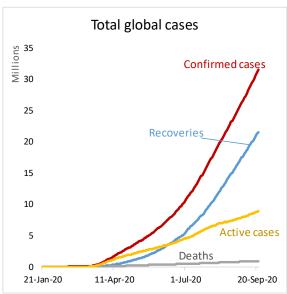
1/ Since January 31, 2020.

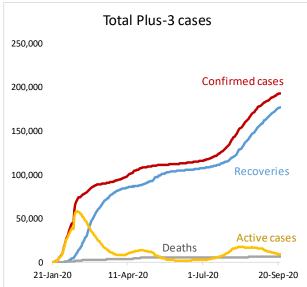2/ Resolved cases (i.e. non-active cases) to total cases; serves as a proxy for the stage of the cycle.
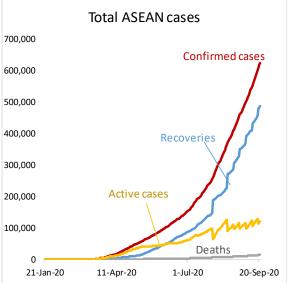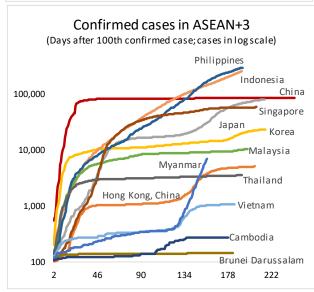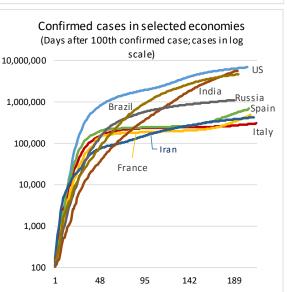
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Daily new cases
(7-day average)

World, Plus-3 (rhs), ASEAN (rhs)

Total global cases

Confirmed cases, Recoveries, Active cases, Deaths

Total Plus-3 cases

Confirmed cases, Recoveries, Active cases, Deaths

Total ASEAN cases

Confirmed cases, Recoveries, Active cases, Deaths

Confirmed cases in ASEAN+3
(Days after 100th confirmed case; cases in log scale)

Philippines, Indonesia, China, Singapore, Japan, Korea, Malaysia, Myanmar, Thailand, Hong Kong, China, Vietnam, Cambodia, Brunei Darussalam

Confirmed cases in selected economies
(Days after 100th confirmed case; cases in log scale)

US, India, Russia, Spain, Brazil, Iran, France, Italy

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