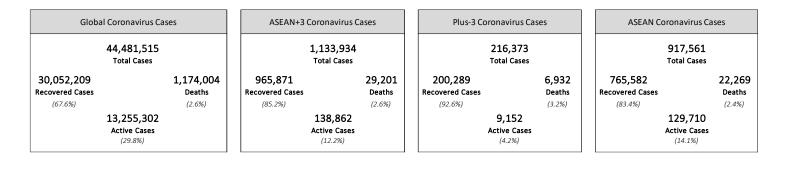


### Thursday, October 29, 2020



### Statistics

- **Worldwide** confirmed cases <u>surpassed 44 million</u>, with more than 1.174 million confirmed deaths.
- <u>9,189 new cases</u> were reported across the **ASEAN+3 region** yesterday.
- With 4,029 new cases, Indonesia passed the 400,000 mark for total confirmed cases.
- China confirmed 47 new cases, including 23 cases of local transmission in Xinjiang.
- India recorded an additional 49,881 cases and passed 8 million confirmed cases in total.
- Several countries in **Europe** <u>recorded new daily highs</u>, including Belgium, Germany, Italy, the Netherlands, Switzerland, and the United Kingdom.

#### News

- <u>Two of Europe's biggest economies will return to a partial lockdown</u>. In **France**, a four-week lockdown will begin on Friday, closing bars, restaurants, non-essential retailers and requiring people to stay home except for essential activities. **Germany** will impose a partial lockdown until end-November from Monday onwards with similar restrictions. Notably, schools will remain open and retailers will be allowed to stay open amid strict access limits.
- **Singapore** will <u>ease some restrictions for its foreign worker dormitory residents</u>, which were largely confined to their dorms since April as a large wave of infections spread through the dorms. Migrant workers who test negative for the virus will now be allowed to visit recreation centers to shop for groceries, remit money, get a haircut and dine with others.
- Lao PDR will <u>allow fast-track entry for visitors from China</u> from Sunday onwards, and from Vietnam a week later. Travellers will have to follow certain precautions, including a negative Covid-19 test. The opening is unilateral as Lao nationals continue to not be allowed to leave the country, though with some exceptions.



## **COVID Monitor**

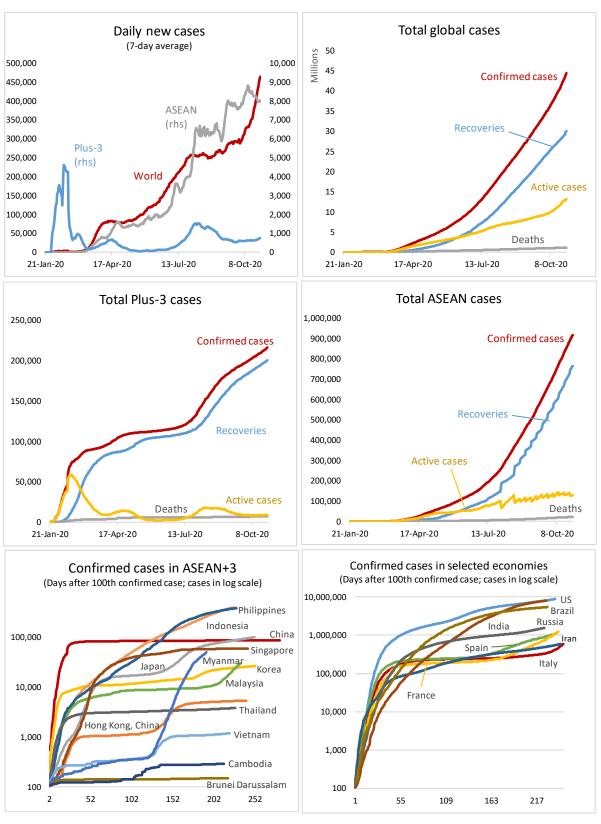
#### Overview of Confirmed COVID-19 Cases

Overview of Confirmed COVID-19 Cases Data as of 28/1														f 28/10/2020
Economy	Total Cases	Cases per 1M Population	New Cases	New Cases per 1M Pop.	New Cases (7-day avg) <sup>1</sup>	∆New Cases	∆% New Cases	Total Deaths	New Deaths	Fatality Rate (%)	Total Recovered	Recovery Rate (%)	Active Cases	Resolved cases (%) <sup>2</sup>
Global	44,481,515		530,429			64,758	1.2	1,174,004	7,256	2.6	30,052,209	67.6	13,255,302	70.2
ASEAN+3	1,133,934		9,189		~~~~	1,036	0.8	29,201	200	2.6	965,871	85.2	138,862	70.1
Plus-3	216,373		905		An m	. 112	0.4	6,932	6	3.2	200,289	92.6	9,152	87.8
ASEAN	917,561		8,284			924	0.9	22,269	194	2.4	765,582	83.4	129,710	86.8
China	85,915	C1	47	0.0	٨	. 5	0.1	4.624	0	5.4	80,940	04.2	241	00.0
China		61	47	0.0	/\		0.1	4,634		5.4		94.2	341	99.6
Hong Kong, China	5,310	695	2	0.3	~~~~	-3	0.0	105	0	2.0	5,063	95.3	142	97.3
Japan	98,877	786	731	5.8	$\sim\sim$	88	0.7	1,731	5	1.8	90,118	91.1	7,028	92.9
Korea	26,271	505	125	2.4		. 22	0.5	462	1	1.8	24,168	92.0	1,641	93.8
Indonesia	400,483	1,484	4,029	14.9		509	1.0	13,612	100	3.4	325,793	81.4	61,078	84.7
Malaysia	29,441	886	801	24.1		-34	2.8	246	8	0.8	19,072	64.8	10,123	65.6
Philippines	375,180	3,409	2,036	18.5		522	0.5	7,114	61	1.9	329,111	87.7	38,955	89.6
Singapore	57,987	10,170	7	1.2	M	0	0.0	28	0	0.0	57,890	99.8	69	99.9
Thailand	3,763	55	4	0.1		-9	0.1	59	0	1.6	3,570	94.9	134	96.4
Brunei Darussalam	148	328	0	0.0	_ <u>`</u>	. 0	0.0	3	0	2.0	143	96.6	2	98.6
Cambodia	290	17	0	0.0	_ <u>`_</u>	2	0.0	0	0	0.0	283	97.6	7	97.6
Lao PDR	24	3	0	0.0		. 0	0.0	0	0	0.0	22	91.7	2	91.7
Myanmar	49,072	919	1,406	26.3		-60	2.9	1172	25	2.4	28636	58.4	19,264	60.7
Vietnam	1,173	12	1	0.0	سالمسالب	2	0.1	35	0	3.0	1,062	90.5	76	93.5
Belgium	368,337	31,982	34,619	3,005.9		21,932	10.4	11,170	271	3.0	-	-	-	-
France	1,240,862	19,092	34,848	536.2		1,588	2.9	35,493	225	2.9		-	-	-
Germany	486,972	5,869	23,553	283.8	~ /	10,392	5.1	10,259	138	2.1	336,764	69.2	139,949	71.3
Italy	589,766	9,791	24,988	414.9		2,999	4.4	37,905	205	6.4	275,404	46.7	276,457	53.1
Netherlands	326,308	18,882	14,419	834.4		4,127	4.6	7,265	123	2.2	275,101	-	270,137	-
Spain	1,136,503	24,250	19,765	421.7		1,347	1.8	35,466	168	3.1	150,376	13.2	53,521	95.3
Switzerland	135,658	15,688	8,616	996.4		2,667	6.8	2,158	100	1.6	65,100	48.0	68,400	49.6
United Kingdom	945,378	14,057	27,803	413.4		4,918	3.0	46,791	400	4.9		48.0	- 08,400	49.0
onited kingdom	545,576	14,037	27,005	415.4		4,510	5.0	40,751	400	4.5				
Brazil	5,468,270	25,870	28,629	135.4		1,150	0.5	158,456	510	2.9	4,947,777	90.5	362,037	93.4
Canada	228,366	6,039	2,663	70.4	_~	-67	1.2	10,084	32	4.4	191,723	84.0	26,559	88.4
Argentina	1,130,533	24,819	13,924	305.7		-384	1.2	30,071	341	2.7	931,147	82.4	169,315	85.0
Mexico	906,863	7,135	5,595	44.0		-347	0.6	90,309	495	10.0	765,128	84.4	51,426	94.3
Peru	892,497	27,190	1,923	58.6		64	0.2	34,257	60	3.8	816,688	91.5	41,552	95.3
United States	8,786,763	26,542	78,689	237.7	_~~	4,454	0.9	226,770	985	2.6	3,518,140	40.0	5,041,853	42.6
Australia	27,565	1,061	12	0.5		-2	0.0	907	0	3.3	25,231	91.5	1,427	94.8
India			49,881	36.4	$\rightarrow$	2 · 5,988	0.0	907	517	3.3	7,315,989	91.5	1,427	94.8
	8,040,203	5,871												
Iran	588,648	6,995	6,824	81.1		-144	1.2	33,714	415	5.7	467,917	79.5	87,017	85.2
Russia	1,553,028	10,592	15,886	108.3	$\sim$	-456	1.0	26,752	343	1.7	1,164,915	75.0	361,361	76.7
Saudi Arabia	346,047	9,954	416	12.0	~~~~	. 17	0.1	5,348	19	1.5	332,550	96.1	8,149	97.6
South Africa	719,714	12,051	1,863	31.2		. 771	0.3	19,111	58	2.7	648,654	90.1	51,949	92.8

Source: Haver Analytics, sourced from John Hopkins University; AMRO staff calculations. Notes: New cases since previous day. *b*% 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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