

Tuesday, September 01, 2020

Global Coronavirus Cases	ASEAN+3 Coronavirus Cases	Plus-3 Coronavirus Cases	ASEAN Coronavirus Cases
25,484,767 Total Cases	645,996 Total Cases	178,446 Total Cases	467,550 Total Cases
16,819,592 Recovered Cases (66.0%) 850,535 Deaths (3.3%)	509,078 Recovered Cases (78.8%) 17,575 Deaths (2.7%)	156,084 Recovered Cases (87.5%) 6,345 Deaths (3.6%)	352,994 Recovered Cases (75.5%) 11,230 Deaths (2.4%)
7,814,640 Active Cases (30.7%)	119,343 Active Cases (18.5%)	16,017 Active Cases (9.0%)	103,326 Active Cases (22.1%)

Statistics

- **Worldwide** confirmed cases stood at 25.5 million yesterday, after at least 261,000 new cases were recorded globally. Fatalities have surpassed 850,000.
- The **ASEAN+3 region** saw around 7,000 new cases yesterday, driven by new infections in the Philippines and Indonesia.
- Yesterday marked **China's 16th consecutive day without local transmission**. It recorded 10 more infections, down from the previous day's figure.
- **Korea's total confirmed cases surpassed 20,000 yesterday**, after it saw 235 additional infections, 13 of which were imported. Daily new cases have trended downward for the fifth straight day.
- **Indonesia** saw at least 2,700 new infections yesterday, slightly easing from the previous day's tally. Total confirmed cases stood close to 175,000, with more than 7,400 deaths.
- At least 3,400 new cases were recorded in the Philippines yesterday, along with 38 additional deaths. Total infections stood above 220,000, the highest in the region.

News

- Phase 3 clinical trials for AstraZeneca's vaccine candidate began yesterday. This late-stage process for the **British** multinational's vaccine, called AZD1222, is expected to involve approximately 30,000 adult volunteers at 80 sites in the **United States**.
- **Hong Kong** will resume face-to-face school classes in a phased manner beginning September 23. This will allow around 900,000 students to return to schools after at least four months of home-based learning. The government also rolled out its free universal testing program for COVID-19 today.
- Authorities in **the Philippines** are reportedly in talks with Chinese pharmaceutical company Sinovac Biotech regarding late-stage clinical trials for the latter's vaccine candidate, CoronaVac. Five hospitals, four in Metro Manila and one in Cebu, have now been proposed as potential implementation sites.

Overview of Confirmed COVID-19 Cases

Data as of 31/8/2020

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 (%) ²	Active Cases
Global	25,484,767		261,790			35,550	1.0	850,535	4,203	3.3	16,819,592	66.0	7,814,640
ASEAN+3	645,996		7,023			-1,082	1.1	17,575	129	2.7	509,078	78.8	119,343
Plus-3	178,446		692			-193	0.4	6,345	14	3.6	156,084	87.5	16,017
ASEAN	467,550		6,331			-889	1.4	11,230	115	2.4	352,994	75.5	103,326
China	85,058	61	10	0.0		-7	0.0	4,634	0	5.4	80,206	94.3	218
Hong Kong, China	4,810	630	9	1.2		-6	0.2	89	1	1.9	4,342	90.3	379
Japan	68,396	544	438	3.5		-167	0.6	1,298	13	1.9	56,338	82.4	10,760
Korea	20,182	388	235	4.5		-13	1.2	324	0	1.6	15,198	75.3	4,660
Indonesia	174,796	648	2,743	10.2		-115	1.6	7,417	74	4.2	125,959	72.1	41,420
Malaysia	9,340	281	6	0.2		-11	0.1	127	1	1.4	9,054	96.9	159
Philippines	220,819	2,007	3,423	31.1		-842	1.6	3,558	38	1.6	157,562	71.4	59,699
Singapore	56,812	9,964	41	7.2		-13	0.1	27	0	0.0	55,658	98.0	1,127
Thailand	3,417	50	6	0.1		6	0.2	58	0	1.7	3,274	95.8	85
Brunei Darussalam	144	319	0	0.0		0	0.0	3	0	2.1	139	96.5	2
Cambodia	274	16	1	0.1		1	0.4	0	0	0.0	266	97.1	8
Lao PDR	22	3	0	0.0		0	0.0	0	0	0.0	21	95.5	1
Myanmar	882	17	107	2.0		81	13.8	6	0	0.7	354	40.1	522
Vietnam	1,044	11	4	0.0		4	0.4	34	2	3.3	707	67.7	303
Belgium	85,236	7,401	194	16.8		-249	0.2	9,996	0	11.7	18,422	21.6	56,818
France	302,175	4,649	2,855	43.9		-7,810	1.0	30,495	25	10.1	73,537	24.3	198,143
Germany	244,802	2,950	1,497	18.0		1,027	0.6	9,303	3	3.8	216,795	88.6	18,704
Italy	269,214	4,470	996	16.5		-369	0.4	35,483	6	13.2	208,536	77.5	25,195
Netherlands	73,232	4,238	553	32.0		2	0.8	6,252	0	8.5	-	-	-
Spain	462,858	9,876	23,572	503.0		23,572	5.4	29,094	83	6.3	150,376	32.5	53,521
Switzerland	42,177	4,878	163	18.9		-129	0.4	2,006	1	4.8	36,100	85.6	4,071
United Kingdom	338,083	5,027	1,415	21.0		-337	0.4	46,791	3	13.8	-	-	-
Brazil	3,908,272	18,490	45,961	217.4		29,803	1.2	121,381	553	3.1	3,268,591	83.6	518,300
Canada	130,918	3,462	1,030	27.2		781	0.8	9,173	9	7.0	116,020	88.6	5,725
Chile	411,726	21,160	1,752	90.0		-213	0.4	11,289	45	2.7	383,879	93.2	16,558
Mexico	599,560	4,718	3,719	29.3		-410	0.6	64,414	256	10.7	496,222	82.8	38,924
Peru	647,166	19,716	7,731	235.5		-1,743	1.2	28,788	181	4.4	455,457	70.4	162,921
United States	5,994,803	18,108	33,692	101.8		-1,336	0.6	183,137	531	3.1	2,184,825	36.4	3,626,841
Australia	25,819	994	73	2.8		-3	0.3	657	5	2.5	21,348	82.7	3,814
India	3,691,166	2,695	69,921	51.1		-8,591	1.9	65,288	819	1.8	2,839,882	76.9	785,996
Iran	375,212	4,459	1,642	19.5		-112	0.4	21,571	109	5.7	323,233	86.1	30,408
Russia	992,402	6,769	4,932	33.6		35	0.5	17,128	83	1.7	807,339	81.4	167,935
Saudi Arabia	315,772	9,083	951	27.4		41	0.3	3,897	27	1.2	290,796	92.1	21,079
South Africa	627,041	10,500	1,985	33.2		-520	0.3	14,149	121	2.3	540,923	86.3	71,969

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/ Recovery rate is a proxy for the stage of the cycle.

