

# Update 3: Syria - Reports 40 New COVID-19 Cases in the Last 24 Hours, Totaling 3,731; Plans to Resumes Damascus International Airport Starting October 1, 2020

- Syria recorded 40 new COVID-19 cases and three deaths in the last 24 hours
- So far, a total of 918 people have recovered from the disease
- Syrian government stated that Damascus International Airport will resume its operations starting October 1, 2020
- As of now, Syria has reported 3,731 COVID-19 confirmed cases and 168 related deaths (5% of total reported cases)
- Supply Wisdom is continuously monitoring the situation and will alert you to any relevant developments
- Please consult Syrian Ministry of Health (<http://www.moh.gov.sy>) for latest information on COVID-19 in Syria

## Source(s)

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## Targets Affected:

Syria

## Category(s):

Infrastructure Risk - Geo-Political Risk

## Event:

Coronavirus (COVID-19) Incident(s)

## Guidance

### *Actions to consider:*

- Consider implementing suggested actions related to 'Increase in Positive Cases/Deaths' and 'Business Recovery/Lifting Restrictions' under the 'COVID-19: Actions to Consider' section below / next page

## Related Alerts

Aug. 24, 2020

Immediate

Update 2: Damascus, Syria - Possible  
Terror Attack on Gas Pipeline Causes  
Total Blackout Adding Further  
Challenges to Ongoing COVID-19  
Pandemic

May 24, 2020

Immediate

Update 1: Syria - Reports Largest  
Single Day Jump in COVID-19 Cases,  
Totaling 70

May 11, 2020

High

Syria - Eases COVID-19 Lockdown  
Measures; Reopens Small Businesses  
and Religious Establishments

# Impact level Definitions

Impact Level	Definitions
Immediate	<b>Certain</b> - Supply Wisdom recommends considering prompt action. Examples of Immediate level alert events may include bankruptcy filings, data breaches, unexpected curfews, strikes, power black-outs, major geo-political events etc.
High	<b>Highly likely to occur in the near term (within 3 months)</b> - Supply Wisdom recommends being in a state of readiness to take quick action. Examples of High level alert events may include withdrawal of rating by ratings agencies, hostile takeover, multiple cyber-attacks, new business policies causing significant hardship etc.
Medium	<b>Likely to occur in the mid-term (within 3 to 6 months)</b> - Supply Wisdom recommends reviewing current mitigation steps and being ready to take proactive actions if and when situation deteriorates further. Examples of Medium level alert events may include unplanned C-level exits, suppliers caught in bribery cases, economy slipping into recession.
Low	<b>Possible in the long-term (after 6 months)</b> - Supply Wisdom recommends taking proactive action if situation does not resolve. Examples of Low level alert events may include lawsuits filed against suppliers, client losses, air pollution alerts issued by country's local authorities, unexpected holidays announced for the location etc.
Informational	The event is pertinent information but does not have a risk element associated with it. Examples of Info level alert events may include launch of new solutions, partnerships signed, industry outlook, positive changes in government policies, announcements regarding launch of software parks/ free trade zones/special economic zones etc.