

# Update 24: Pakistan - Imposes Mini Lockdowns in Major Cities as COVID-19 Cases Rise

- On November 10, 2020, Pakistani government imposed mini Lockdowns in major cities of Pakistan
- Authorities have imposed a mini lockdown in some areas of the capital, Islamabad, sealing off hot spots to contain the rising COVID-19 cases
- The government informed that the restrictions will remain in place until there is an improvement in the situation
- Similar mini lockdowns have also been imposed in southern port city of Karachi, the eastern city of Lahore and the garrison city of Rawalpindi and other cities
- Authorities informed that people are still ignoring social distancing rules, although authorities are fining those not wearing masks and violating social distancing rules
- Authorities also said that strict COVID-19 restrictions are inevitable given the rise in deaths and the positivity ratio
- As of now, the country reported 348,184 COVID-19 cases with 7,021 deaths (2% of total reported cases) and 320,065 recoveries (92% of total reported cases)
- Supply Wisdom is continuously monitoring the situation and will alert you to any relevant developments
- Please consult Ministry of National Health Services, Regulation and Coordination (<http://www.nhs.gov.pk/>) for the latest information on COVID-19 in Pakistan

## Source(s)

<https://mainichi.jp/english/articles/20201110/p2g/00m/0in/147000c>

<https://www.republicworld.com/world-news/pakistan-news/pakistan-imposes-mini-lockdowns-on-virus-hotspots.html>

<https://www.worldometers.info/coronavirus/country/Pakistan/>

## Targets Affected:

Pakistan

## Category(s):

Geo-Political Risk

## Event:

Coronavirus (COVID-19) Incident(s)

## Guidance

### *Actions to consider:*

- Consider implementing more detailed actions related to 'Lockdown/Emergency/Extension of Lockdown/Other Restrictions' and 'Increase in Positive Cases/Deaths' under the 'COVID-19: Actions to Consider' section below / next page

**Related Alerts****Oct. 28, 2020****Medium**

Update 23: Pakistan - Government to Reimpose Strict Measures as Second Wave of COVID-19 Begin

**Oct. 5, 2020****High**

Update 22: Azad Jammu and Kashmir, Pakistan - Decides to Reimpose Lockdown Amid Spike in COVID-19 Cases

**Sept. 1, 2020****Medium**

Update 21: Pakistan - Reports Lowest Daily Increase of 213 COVID-19 Cases, Raising National Total to 295,849

**Aug. 27, 2020****Immediate**

Update 20: Pakistan - Heavy Rainfall Disrupts Normal Life Adding Further Challenges to Ongoing COVID-19 Pandemic

**Aug. 7, 2020****Medium**

Update 19: Pakistan - Lifts COVID-19 Restrictions as Cases Drop

**July 28, 2020****High**

Update 18: Punjab, Pakistan - Imposes Lockdown for Ten Days to Contain COVID-19 During Religious Festival

**June 27, 2020****Medium**

Update 17: Pakistan - Reports Lowest Daily Increase of 2,775 COVID-19 Cases, Totaling 195,745

**June 21, 2020****Medium**

Update 16: Pakistan - Plans to Resume International Flights Starting June 21, 2020

June 17, 2020

High

Update 15: Pakistan - Initiates Sealing of High Risk Containment Zones Amid Increase in COVID-19 Cases

June 14, 2020

Medium

Update 14: Pakistan - Reports Highest Daily Increase of 6,825 COVID-19 Cases, Totaling 139,230

June 12, 2020

Medium

Update 13: Pakistan - GDP Expected to Decline by 0.4% in 2020, First Contraction in 68 Years Amid COVID-19 Pandemic

June 10, 2020

High

Update 12: Pakistan - World Health Organization Recommends Re-imposing 'Intermittent Lockdown' as COVID-19 Cases Increase

May 30, 2020

High

Update 11: Pakistan - Resumes International Flight Operations Despite Increase in COVID-19 Infections

May 18, 2020

Immediate

Update 10: Pakistan - Businesses to Remain Closed from May 22 Until May 27 During Festival Holidays to Contain COVID-19 Infections

May 15, 2020

High

Update 9: Pakistan - Resumes Domestic Flights from May 16, 2020 Amid COVID-19 Pandemic

May 13, 2020

Immediate

Update 8: Pakistan - Domestic Flights Suspended Until May 29; Warns of Reimposing Restrictions as COVID-19 Infections Increase

May 11, 2020

Immediate

Update 7: Pakistan - Extends Suspension of Domestic Flights Until May 13, 2020

May 7, 2020

High

Update 6: Pakistan - Eases COVID-19  
Restrictions from May 9, 2020

April 30, 2020

High

Update 5: Pakistan - Prepares to Ease  
COVID-19 Restrictions as Cases Fall  
Below Projections

April 27, 2020

Immediate

Update 4: Pakistan - Suspends  
International Flight Operations Until  
May 15, 2020

April 25, 2020

Immediate

Update 3: Pakistan - Extends COVID-  
19 Lockdown Until May 9, 2020

April 15, 2020

Immediate

Update 2: Pakistan - Extends  
Lockdown Until April 30, 2020

April 13, 2020

High

Update 1: Pakistan - Fears Recession  
as GDP Expected to Contract by 2.2%  
Amid COVID-19 Pandemic

April 8, 2020

Immediate

Pakistan - Reports 4,005 Confirmed  
COVID-19 Cases and 54 Related  
Deaths

# 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.