

Update 30: Zimbabwe - Extends Lockdown by Two Weeks to Curb the Spread of COVID-19

- On February 15, 2021, the Zimbabwean president extended the national lockdown meant to curtail the spread of COVID-19 by another two weeks
- Month-long restrictions were first imposed in early January, and later prolonged until February 15, 2021
- He said schools will remain closed during the lockdown period, with all social gatherings banned
- Travel ban from one province to the other has also been maintained, while government offices will operate at 25% capacity
- The president said all private companies seeking resumption of work will be bound by law to test all their employees for COVID-19
- Judiciary will open for emergency cases only, with none allowed in the gallery
- As of now, the country has reported 35,222 confirmed COVID-19 cases with 1,410 deaths, 4.00% of total reported cases and 30,759 recoveries, 87.33% of total reported cases
- When compared to the overall population of the country, confirmed COVID-19 cases and fatality rate stands at 0.23% and 0.01%, respectively
- Supply Wisdom is continuously monitoring the situation and will alert you to any relevant developments
- Please consult Ministry of Health of Zimbabwe (<http://www.mohcc.gov.zw/>) for the latest information on COVID-19 in Zimbabwe

Source(s)

<https://www.aa.com.tr/en/africa/zimbabwe-extends-covid-19-lockdown-by-2-weeks/2145965>

<https://www.voazimbabwe.com/a/zimbabwe-sinopharm-lockdown-extension/5779147.html>

<https://www.businesslive.co.za/bd/world/africa/2021-02-15-zimbabwes-president-extends-lockdown-by-two-weeks/>

Targets Affected:

Zimbabwe

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' under the 'COVID-19: Actions to Consider' section below / next page

Related Alerts

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Update 29: Zimbabwe - Extends
Countrywide Lockdown Until February
15, 2021 Amid COVID-19 Pandemic

Jan. 23, 2021

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Update 28: Zimbabwe - Reduces
Business Operations Amid Second
Wave of COVID-19 Infections

Jan. 15, 2021

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Update 27: Zimbabwe - Records
Highest Death Toll Since March 2020

Jan. 12, 2021

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Update 26: Zimbabwe - Imposes New
Restrictions Amid Surge in COVID-19
Cases

Jan. 7, 2021

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Update 25: Zimbabwe - Imposes New
Restrictions Amid Surge in COVID-19
Cases

Jan. 6, 2021

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Update 24: Zimbabwe - Reports
Highest Daily Increase of 1,365
COVID-19 Cases in Last 24 Hours,
Raising National Total to 17,194

Jan. 3, 2021

High

Update 23: Zimbabwe - Imposes 30
Day Lockdown Restrictions Amid Rise
in COVID-19 Infections

Dec. 19, 2020

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Update 22: Zimbabwe - Cancels
Christmas Festivities as Second Wave
of COVID-19 Infection Hits the Country

Dec. 16, 2020

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Update 21: Zimbabwe - Plans to Quarantine Travelers without COVID-19 Free Certificates

Dec. 9, 2020

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Update 20: Zimbabwe - Reports YoY Inflation Rate of 401.66% in November 2020, Amid COVID-19 Pandemic

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Update 19: Zimbabwe - Tightens Restrictions Amid Surge in COVID-19 Cases

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Update 18: Zimbabwe - Government Set to Reopen Borders as Spread Rate of COVID-19 Cases Decline

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Update 17: Zimbabwe - Government Continues to Reopen Economy as Spread Rate of COVID-19 Cases Decline

Sept. 15, 2020

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Update 16: Zimbabwe - Government Gradually Reopens Economy as Rate of Increase in COVID-19 Cases Decline

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Update 15: Zimbabwe - Government Plans to Resume Domestic and International Flights as COVID-19 Regulations Continue to be Reduced

Aug. 20, 2020

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Update 14: Zimbabwe - Eases COVID-19 Curfew and Extends Business Hours

Aug. 16, 2020

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Update 13: Zimbabwe - Reports YoY Inflation Rate of 837.53% in July 2020, Amid COVID-19 Pandemic

July 22, 2020

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Update 12: Zimbabwe - Declares Indefinite Lockdown Amid Surge in COVID-19 Cases and Political Unrest

July 15, 2020

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Update 11: Zimbabwe - Halts Re-opening of Economy Amid Surge in COVID-19 Cases; Reports YoY Inflation Rate of 737.26% for June 2020

July 11, 2020

High

Update 10: Zimbabwe - President Warns Further Tightening of Lockdown Amid Spike in New COVID-19 Cases

June 23, 2020

Immediate

Update 9: Zimbabwe - Faces Dual Threat Amid Water-Borne Disease and COVID-19 Pandemic

June 17, 2020

High

Update 8: Zimbabwe - Records Annual Inflation Rate of 785%; COVID-19 Cases Rise to 387

June 13, 2020

Medium

Update 7: Zimbabwe - Extends Relaxation in COVID-19 Restrictions to Aid Economy

June 3, 2020

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Update 6: Harare, Zimbabwe - Tightens COVID-19 Lockdown Amid Increase in Cases

May 18, 2020

Immediate

Update 5: Zimbabwe - Extends COVID-19 Lockdown for an Indefinite Period

May 11, 2020

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Update 4: Zimbabwe - Announces New Banknotes to Curb Cash Shortages as Inflation Rate Increases to 926%

May 2, 2020

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April 20, 2020

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[Update 2: Zimbabwe - Extends COVID-19 Lockdown by Two Weeks; Reports Malaria Outbreak](#)

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[Update 1: Zimbabwe - COVID-19 Cases Rise to 13](#)

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[Zimbabwe - COVID-19 Cases Rise to Eleven](#)

Impact level Definitions

Impact Level	Definitions
Immediate	Certain - 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	Highly likely to occur in the near term (within 3 months) - 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	Likely to occur in the mid-term (within 3 to 6 months) - 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	Possible in the long-term (after 6 months) - 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.