

Update 6: Thailand - Reports Highest Daily Rise of 21 COVID-19 Deaths in Last 24 Hours Since the Pandemic

- On May 2, 2021, Thailand recorded its highest daily COVID-19 death toll since start of the pandemic
- The country reported 1,940 new COVID-19 cases and 21 deaths in the last 24 hours
- As of May 1, 2021, a total of 739 new infections were detected in capital Bangkok, followed by 142 cases in Samut Prakan and 126 cases in Chonburi
- Thailand controlled the virus early in the pandemic through shutdowns and strict border controls
- A deadly third wave that begin in April, 2020 includes the highly transmissible B.1.1.7 variant and has accounted for about half of its total cases and deaths
- The new cases on May 2, 2021 took the national tally to 68,984 and 245 deaths
- Thailand has vaccinated nearly 1.5 M people so far, mostly medical workers and vulnerable people
- A mass vaccination programme is expected to start in June, 2021 with locally manufactured AstraZeneca doses
- Reported COVID-19 stats for Thailand:
 1. Confirmed Cases: 68,984
 2. Deaths: 245 (0.35%)
 3. Recoveries: 39,481 (57.23%)
 4. Vaccine Doses Administered: 1,095,230
 5. Fully Vaccinated: 381,848 (0.5%)
- Supply Wisdom will continue to monitor and issue alerts for any relevant developments

Source(s)

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Targets Affected:

Thailand

Category(s):

Geo-Political Risk

Event:

Coronavirus (COVID-19) Incident(s)

Guidance

Actions to consider:

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

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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.
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