



**COVID SITUATIONAL  
UPDATE  
BY COUNTRY**

**AS OF 14 September 2021**

# SINGAPORE BORDER CONTROL MEASURES

## For Singapore Residents and Long-term Pass Holders

To minimise the public health risks associated with the border reopening, travellers arriving in Singapore may be required to observe the relevant health control measures such as **Covid-19 tests** and **Self-Isolation and Segregation Measures**.

Singapore Citizens and Singapore Permanent Residents returning from all countries/regions may return to Singapore without seeking entry approval. However, prevailing travel health measures will apply depending on their travel history to various countries/regions before arriving in Singapore. Click [here](#) for more info.

There are reduced health measures for fully vaccinated travellers departing from Germany and Brunei under the Vaccinated Travel Lane **from 8 Sep 2021**. Click [here](#) for more information.

Short term visitors from the following countries/regions may apply to enter Singapore for any purpose of visit. – Brunei, Germany, Hong Kong, Macau, Mainland China and Taiwan.

To tackle the COVID-19 situation, many countries have imposed entry restrictions and border closures. Please refer to the [International Air Transport Association \(IATA\) Travel Centre website](#) when planning your travel routes. As the measures imposed could result in flight cancellations and reduction in flight frequency, you are advised to check with your airline or travel agency to ensure that your flight routes are still operating prior to departing for the airport.

- Check the [MFA website](#) for the latest travel advisories to other countries/regions
- Check with the immigration authority or embassy of the destination country/region on the relevant health requirements imposed on travellers from Singapore, such as Pre-Departure Tests to be taken

## Singapore Covid situation update as of 14 Sep 2021

Confirmed cases  
73,131

Recovered 68,600

Deaths 58

4.48M (78.5%) of population has been fully vaccinated to date.

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## Malaysia Covid situation update as of 14 Sep 2021

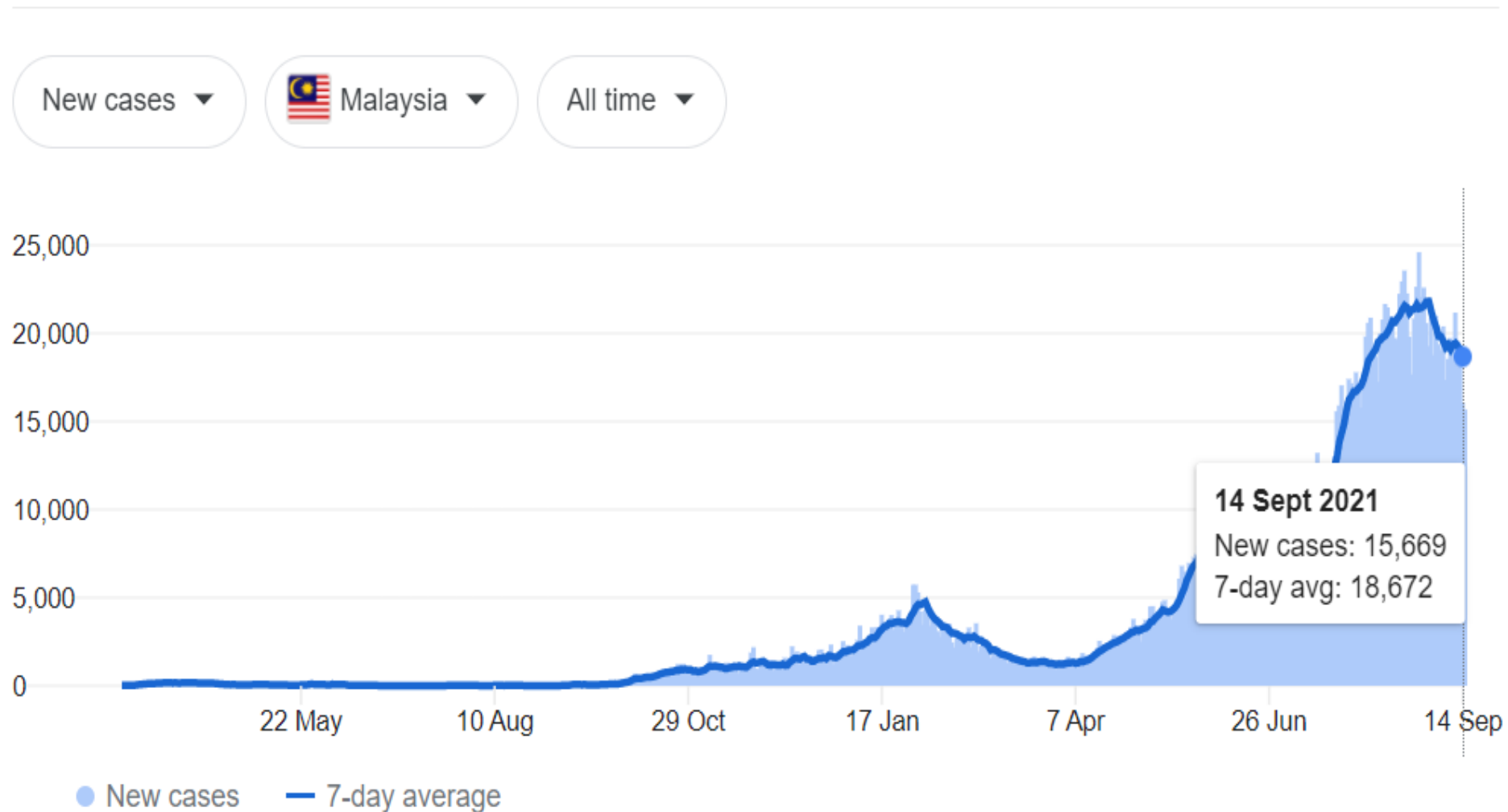
Confirmed cases 2.01M  
Recovered 1.78M  
Deaths 21,587

17.7M (55.3%) of population fully vaccinated to date.

- More economic sectors are now allowed to reopen as the Covid-19 lockdown move is no longer feasible amid fears that shutdowns can have more negative implications, including on the mental health of Malaysians.
- 74.7 per cent of Malaysia's adult population had been fully vaccinated, while 91.6 per cent has received at least the first dose of the Covid-19 vaccine.

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## Indonesia Covid situation update as of 14 Sep 2021

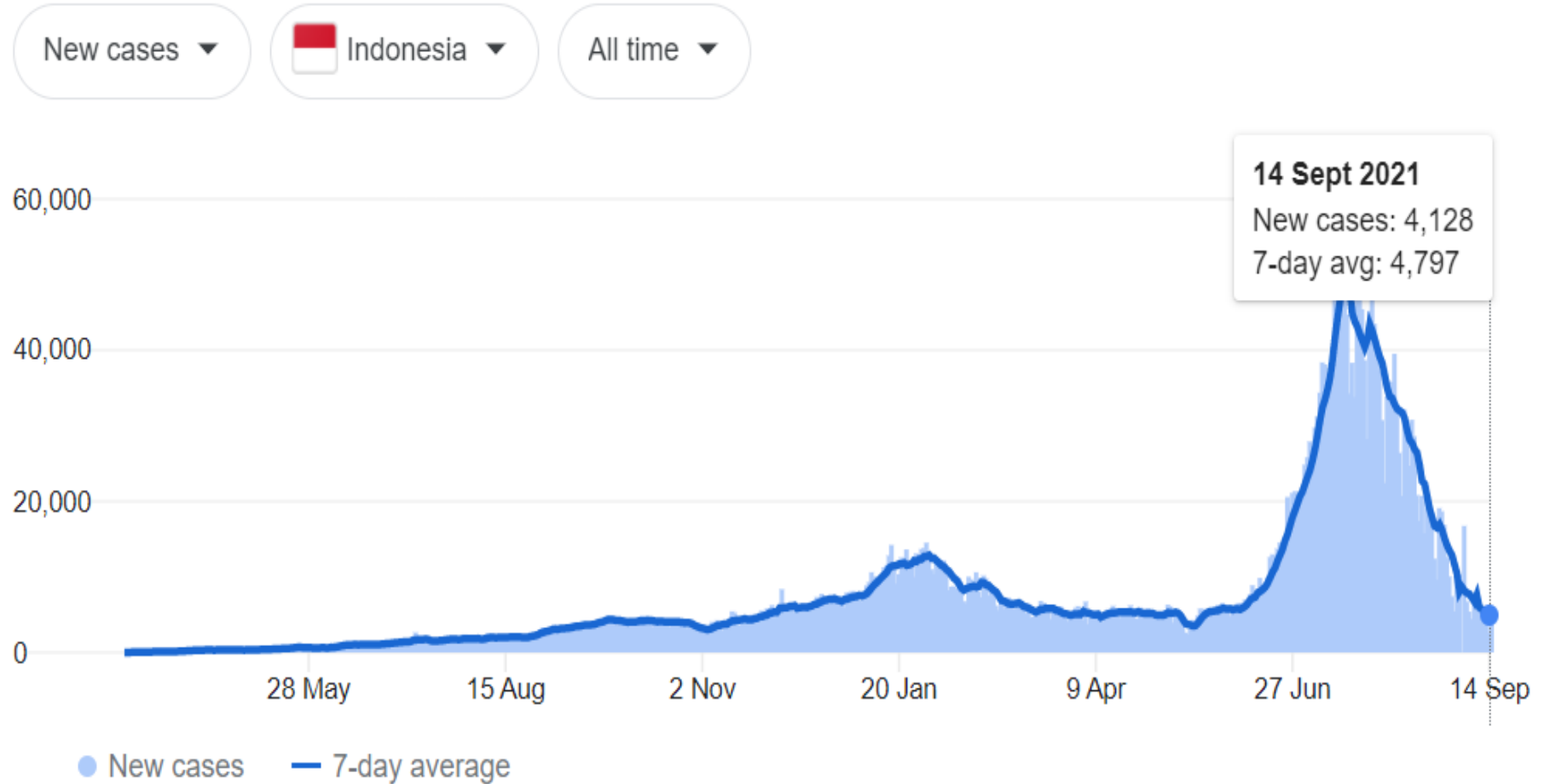
Confirmed cases 4.17M  
Recovered 3.95M  
Deaths 139K

42.6M (15.7%) of population fully vaccinated to date.

- Members of the public should take note that a temporary ban on the entry and transit by all foreign nationals is currently in force in Indonesia. Exemptions to this include diplomats on official business, holders of Indonesian residency cards, foreigners who are travelling for official business, humanitarian aid, essential work or other essential reasons.
- The Singapore - Indonesia Reciprocal Green Lane (RGL) is currently suspended until further notice.

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## Philippines Covid situation update as of 14 Sep 2021

Confirmed cases 2.27M  
Recovered 2.08M  
Deaths 35,529

17.3M (16%) people have been fully vaccinated to date.

- The Philippine government has extended COVID-19-related restrictions across the Philippines until at least Sept. 30. The country remains under Code Red Sublevel 2 on its code alert system, indicating ongoing local virus transmission with more cases than the government can address
- The Philippines is not currently open for tourism, consequently, all international flights to and from the country are allowed only for essential purposes. Additionally, the Philippines is now under curfew and an interstate travel ban is in place.

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## Timor Leste Covid situation update as of 14 Sep 2021

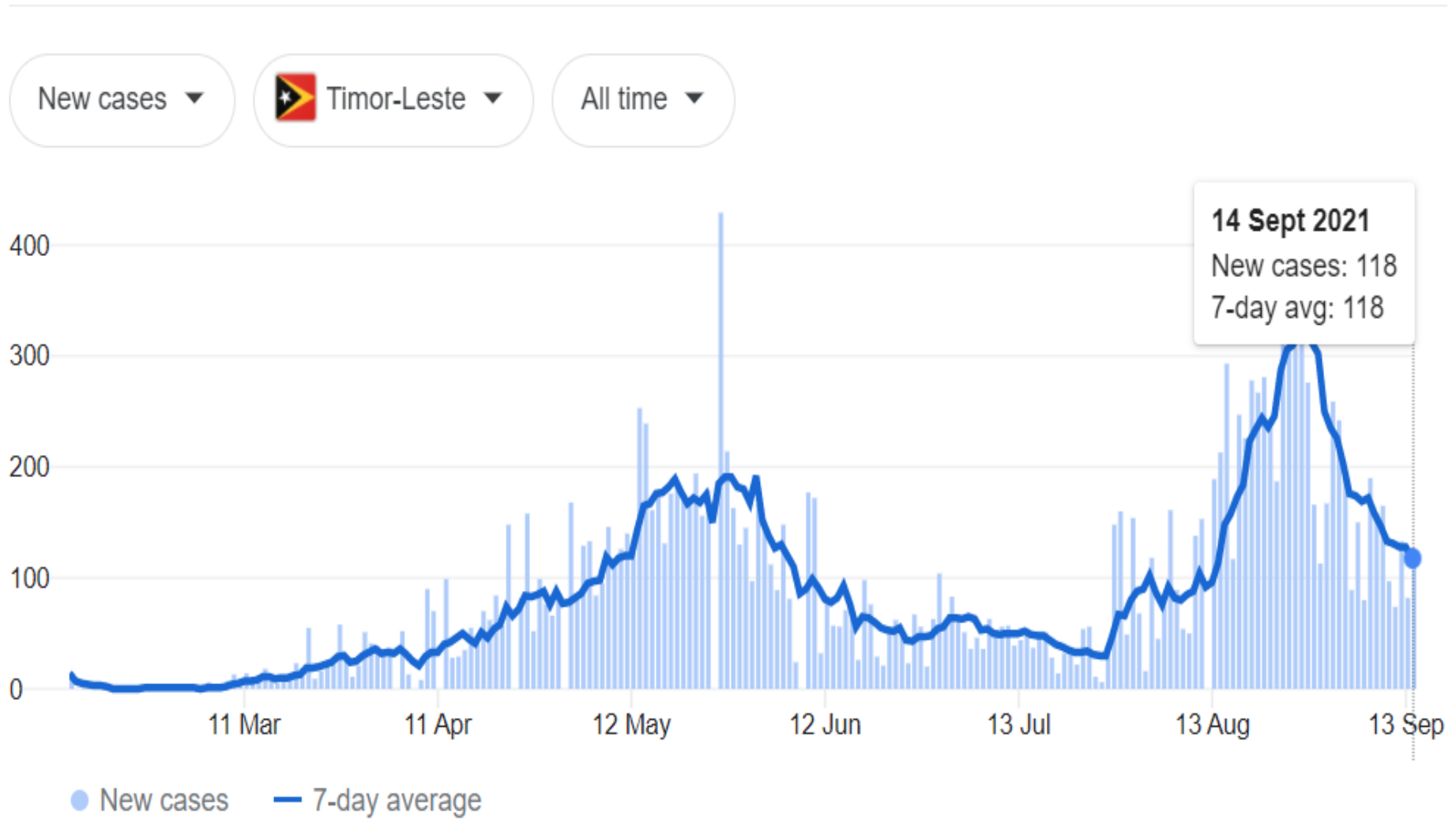
Confirmed cases 18,715  
Recovered 15,930  
Deaths 98

216K (**16.7%**) of population have been fully vaccinated to date.

- The Government of Timor-Leste has extended its State of Emergency until 29 September 2021. The government of Timor-Leste has lifted the lockdown in the capital city, Dili.
- During this period, airports, ports and land borders will remain closed as there continues to be a significant number of COVID infections in the country.
- To enter Timor-Leste you will need to be in possession of a valid negative COVID 19 (PCR) test. Those who have been fully vaccinated but have come from or passed through countries with a reported presence of the Delta variant of COVID-19 will need to complete a five-day quarantine.

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## Thailand Covid situation update as of 14 Sep 2021

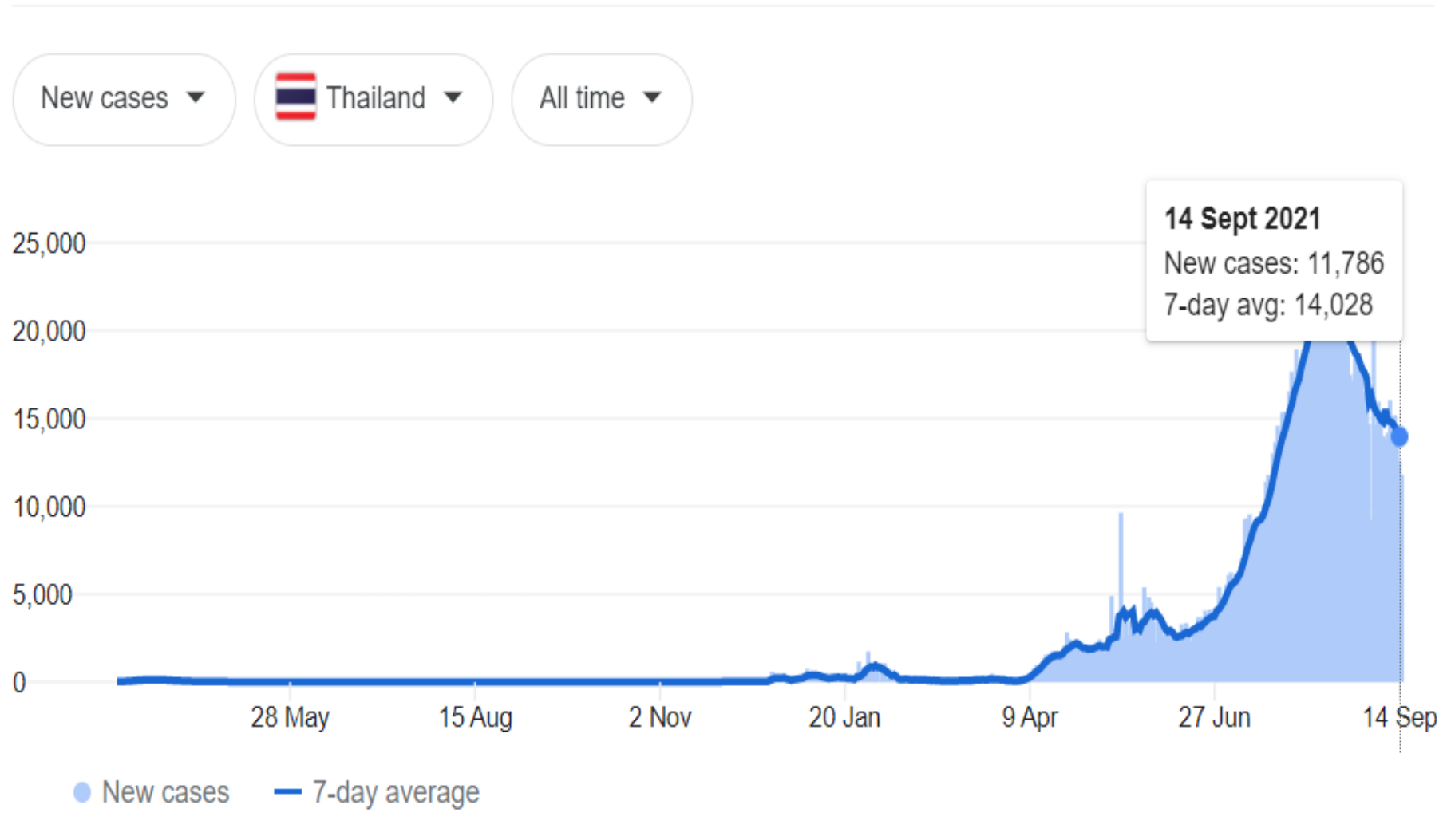
Confirmed cases 1.41M  
Recovered 1.28K  
Deaths 14,621

12.4M (17.7%) of population have been fully vaccinated to date.

- All travelers, Thai, and foreigners, will be required to undergo a 14-day quarantine regardless of nationality or vaccination status, except for those arriving under the Phuket and Samui Sandbox programs.
- For foreign travelers and Thai nationals coming to Thailand, a fit-to-fly certificate will no longer be required. Aside from the COE, flight and hotel bookings, and COVID Insurance, they are only required to provide the COVID-19 RT-PCR test that is taken and conducted within 72 hours before their international flight from their country of departure.
- The COE or Certificate of Entry is an official document issued to Thai nationals and Foreign nationals who are permitted to enter Thailand. It confirms that you meet the entry requirements as set by the Thai government and you are accepted to enter Thailand.

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## Vietnam Covid situation update as of 14 Sep 2021

Confirmed cases 635K

Recovered 412.6K

Death 15,936

5.62M (5.8%) of population have been fully vaccinated to date.

- Vietnam has suspended the entry of all foreigners since March 22, 2020, until further notice to limit the spread of COVID-19. The measure will not apply to diplomats, officials, foreign investors, experts, and skilled workers.
- Vietnam has cut the centralized quarantine period for fully vaccinated foreign arrivals to 7 days from the previous 14. Arrivals must also test negative for the virus within 72 hours before arrival and would then be required to self-monitor for another 7 days after the quarantine period.
- Commercial flights are yet to resume pending further instructions from government authorities.

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## Nepal Covid situation update as of 14 Sep 2021

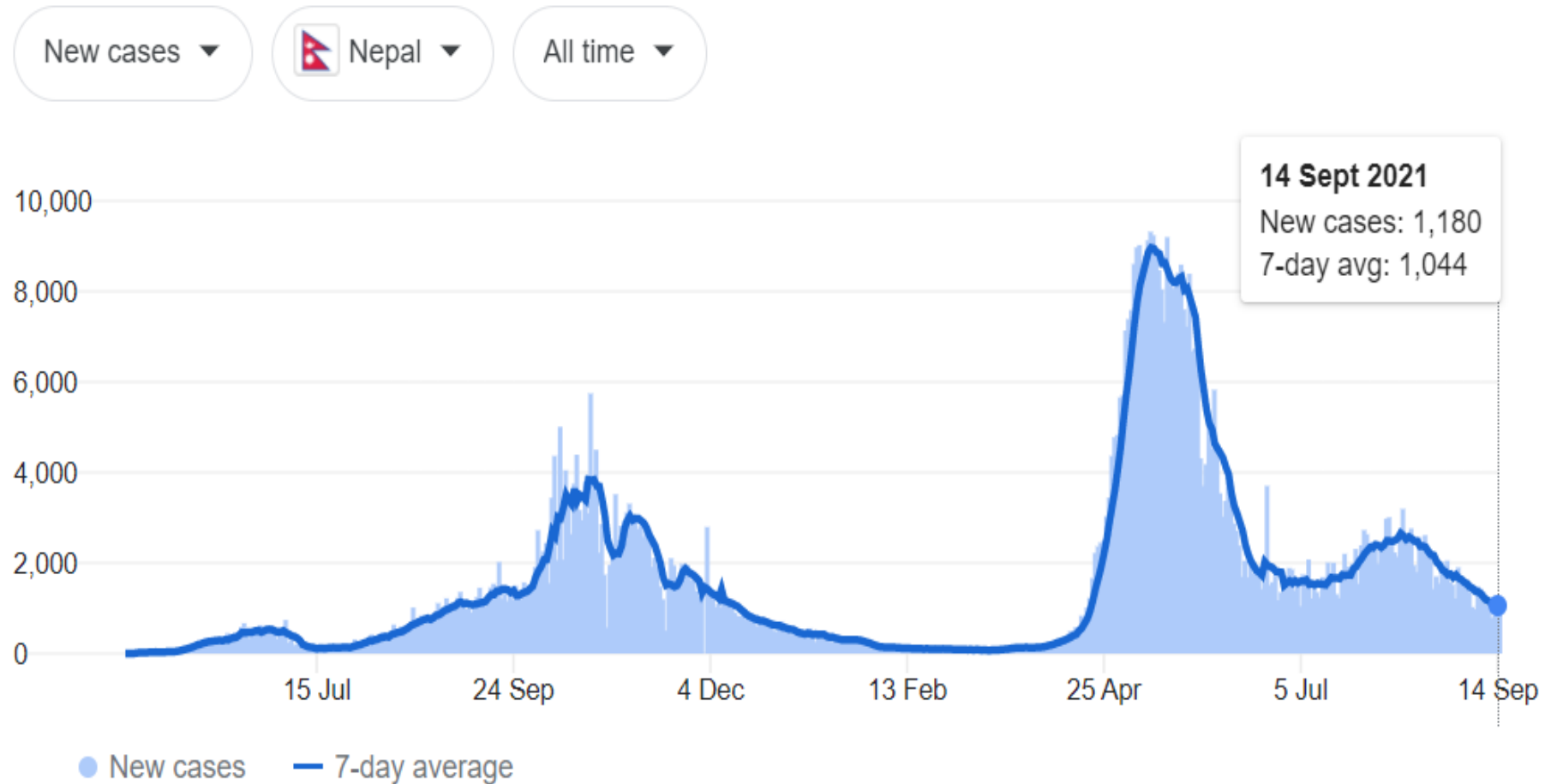
Confirmed cases 779K  
Recovered 743.5K  
Deaths 10,984

5.24M (**18.3%**) of the population have been fully vaccinated to date.

- As of 1 Sept the authorities in the Kathmandu Valley of Nepal decided to end the lockdown imposed since late April to check the second wave of the COVID-19 pandemic, though certain restrictions will be kept in place.
- The Kathmandu district also paved the way for schools to be reopened for the first time in four months, as the restrictive measures against public transport and shops had already been eased.

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## Myanmar Covid situation update as of 14 Sep 2021

Confirmed cases 437K  
Recovered 388.6K  
Deaths 16,693

1.8M (3.3%) of population have been fully vaccinated as at 21 Aug. No further updates.

- In view of the rapidly escalating clashes between protesters and the Myanmar security forces and increasing number of civilian casualties in Myanmar, Singaporeans are strongly advised to defer all travel to Myanmar at this time.
- Travelers should avoid all travel to Myanmar. Because of the current situation in Myanmar, even fully vaccinated travelers may be at risk for getting and spreading COVID-19 variants and should avoid all travel there.
- Flights to Myanmar are suspended until 30 September 2021.

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## Cambodia Covid situation update as of 14 Sep 2021

Confirmed cases 101K

Recovered 95.3K

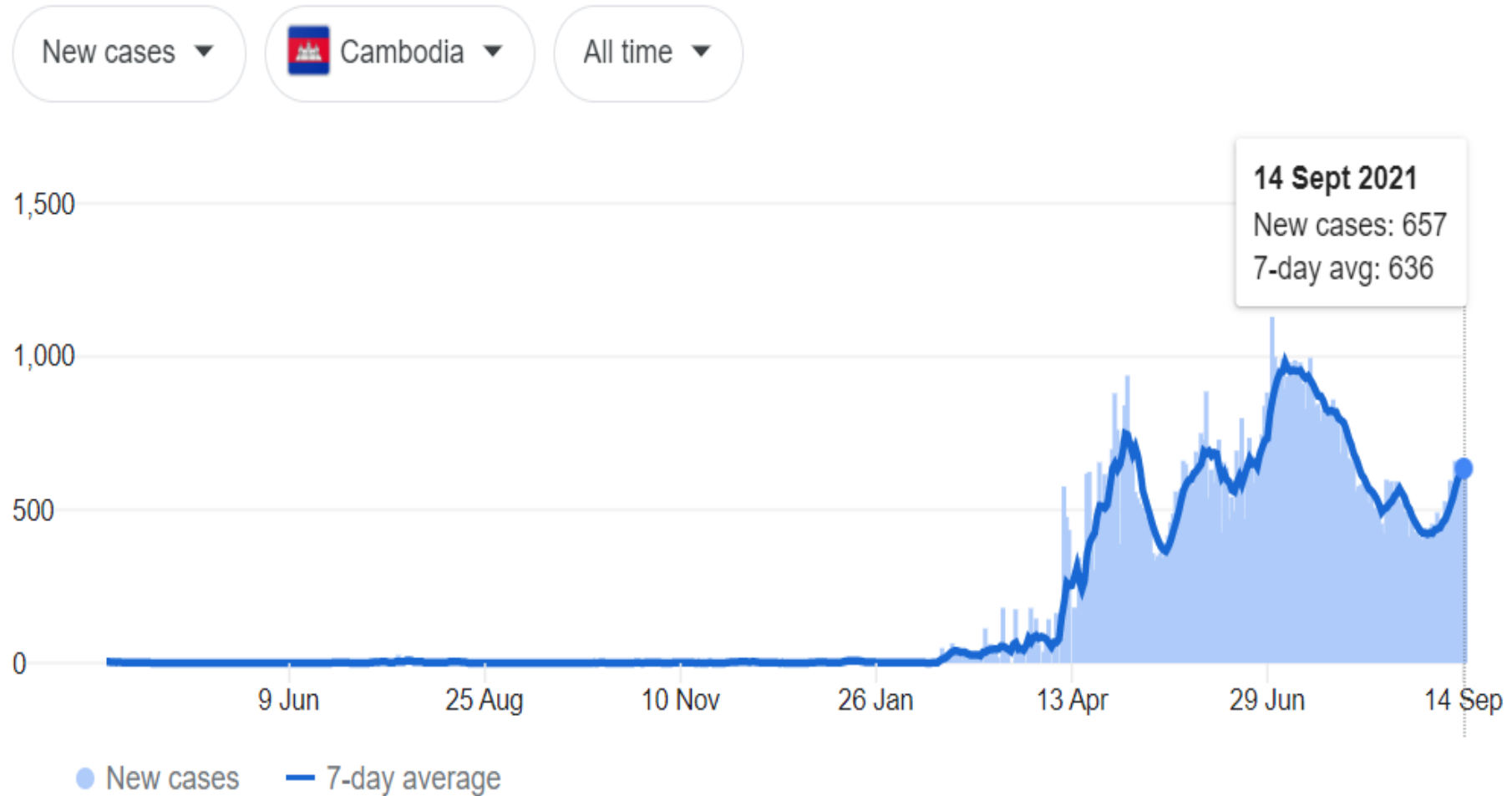
Deaths 2,058

9.76M (59.2%) of population have been fully vaccinated to date.

- Health officials in Cambodia are maintaining international travel controls aimed at preventing the spread of coronavirus disease (COVID-19) activity, while easing domestic businesses restrictions.
- Cambodian Embassies are only accepting applications for diplomatic, official, and sponsored business-linked visas, and are not issuing tourist or other visas to enter Cambodia.

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## India Covid situation update as of 14 Sep 2021

Confirmed cases 33.3M

Recovered 32.6M

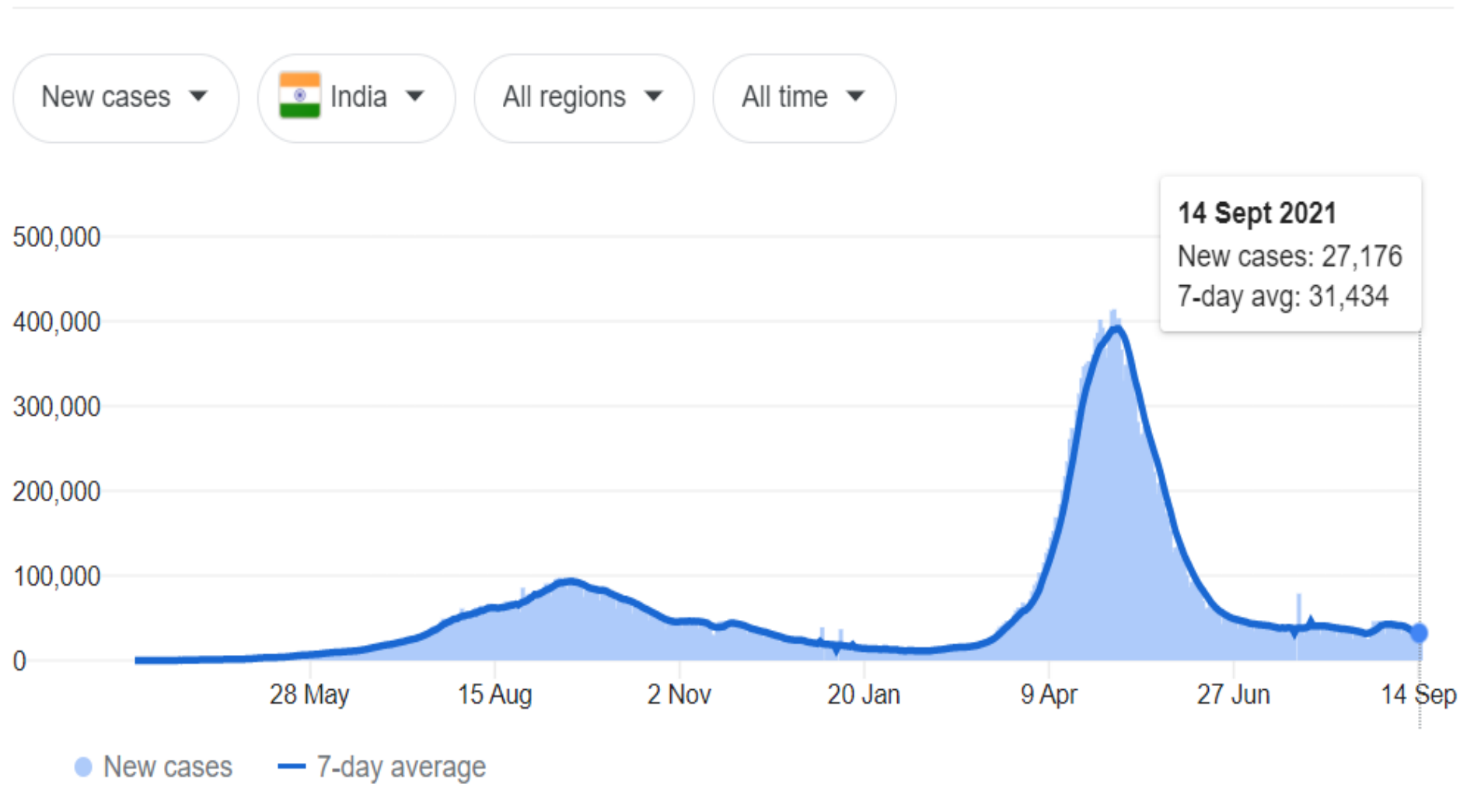
Deaths 443K

181M (13.3%) of population fully vaccinated to date.

- In view of the ongoing COVID-19 situation, international airline operations between India and Singapore remain suspended, except for international repatriation flights under India's Vande Bharat Mission.
- India is extending its ban on international flights till September 30, 2021

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## Sri Lanka Covid situation update as of 14 Sep 2021

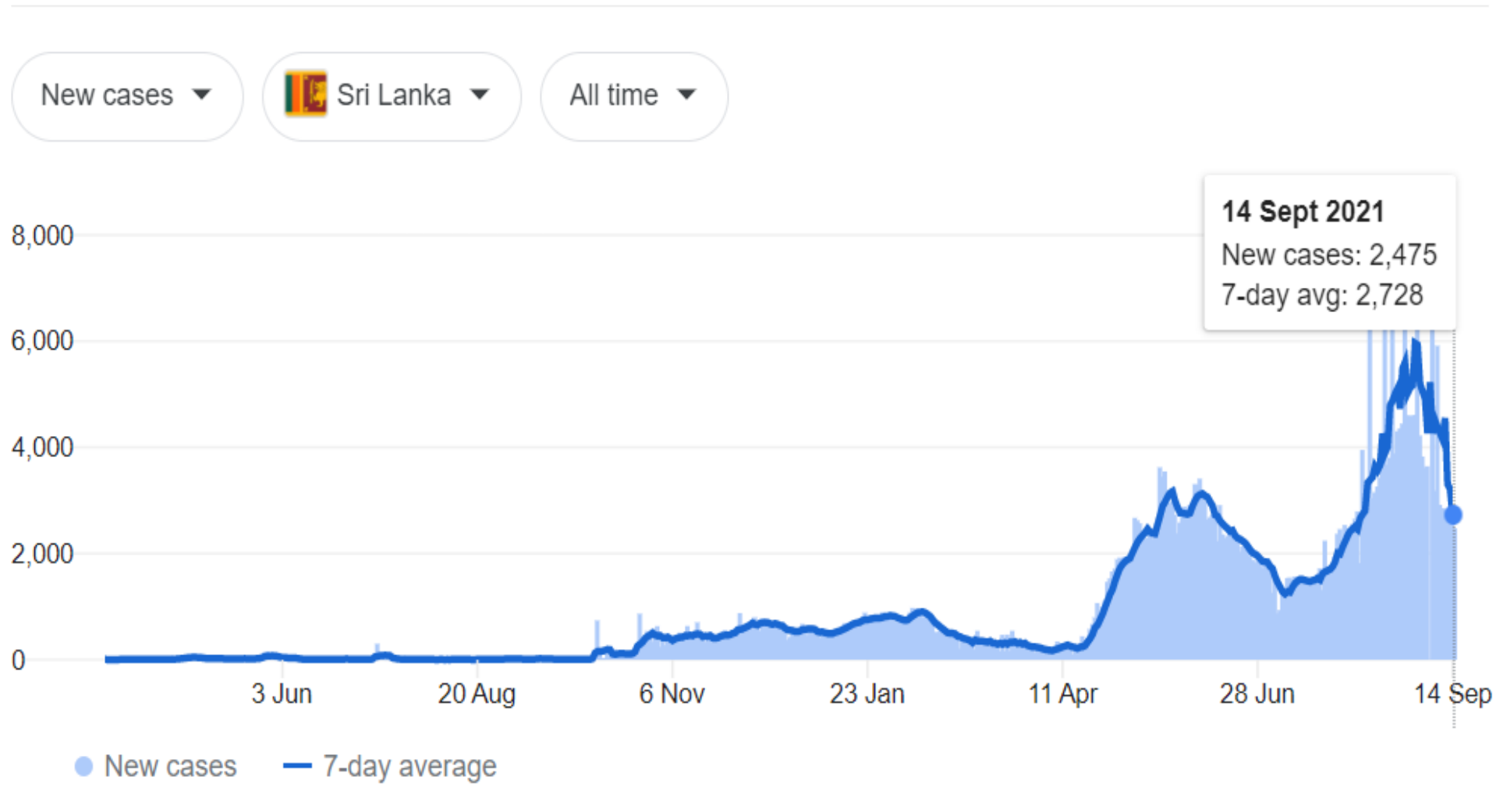
Confirmed cases 491K  
Recovered 427K  
Deaths 11,567

10.7M (49%) of population fully vaccinated to date.

- All foreign **tourists** are subject to a pre-arrival PCR test, with more testing required upon arrival. They must also stay at Covid-19 certified hotels. The pre-arrival PCR test requirement also applies to **tourists** who have received both doses of the vaccination.
- Commercial airlines are operating flights to and from Sri Lanka.
- Sri Lankan authorities further extended a nationwide quarantine curfew till 21 Sept to prevent further spread of the COVID-19.

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**EAST ASIA**

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## Mongolia Covid situation update as of 14 Sep 2021

Confirmed cases 261K  
Recovered 241K  
Deaths 1.056

2.12M (65.6%) of population fully vaccinated to date.

- Mongolia has imposed COVID-19 restrictions on some activities and businesses.
- Limited commercial international and charter flights operate, but domestic flights remain suspended.
- On arrival in Mongolia, one must present a negative COVID-19 (PCR) test result taken within 72 hours and then quarantine in a hotel for 7 days at your own expense, followed by a further seven days of self-isolation at home. Fully vaccinated persons are subject to a COVID-19 test upon arrival and self-isolation for 14 days
- Movement restrictions between Ulaanbaatar and the provinces are in place. Current restrictions are in place until 31 December.

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## Japan Covid situation update as of 14 Sep 2021

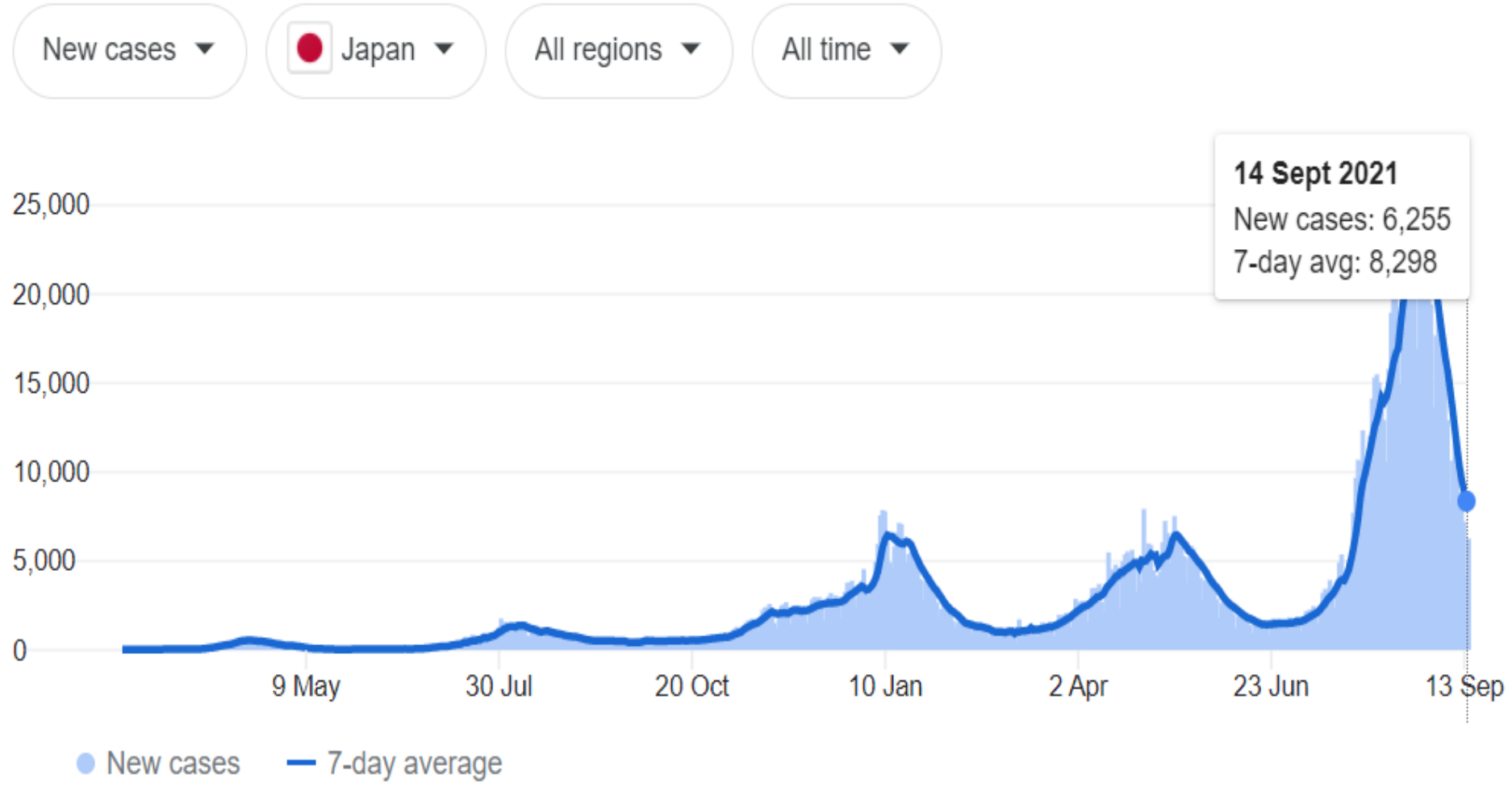
Confirmed cases 1.65M  
Recovered 1.53M  
Deaths 16,919

66M (52.3%) of population  
fully vaccinated to date.

- Japan's borders remain closed to international tourists, and there are no signs that the borders will be opened to considerable numbers of tourists in the near future.
- It is currently undecided when regular tourists will again be able to enter the country, but it is unlikely to happen before autumn 2021.
- Japan's vaccination efforts started on a small scale in mid February and considerably picked up speed from the second half of May. The government is aiming to provide all residents aged 12 and above with two doses of vaccine by October or November.

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## Mainland China Covid situation update as of 14 Sep 2021

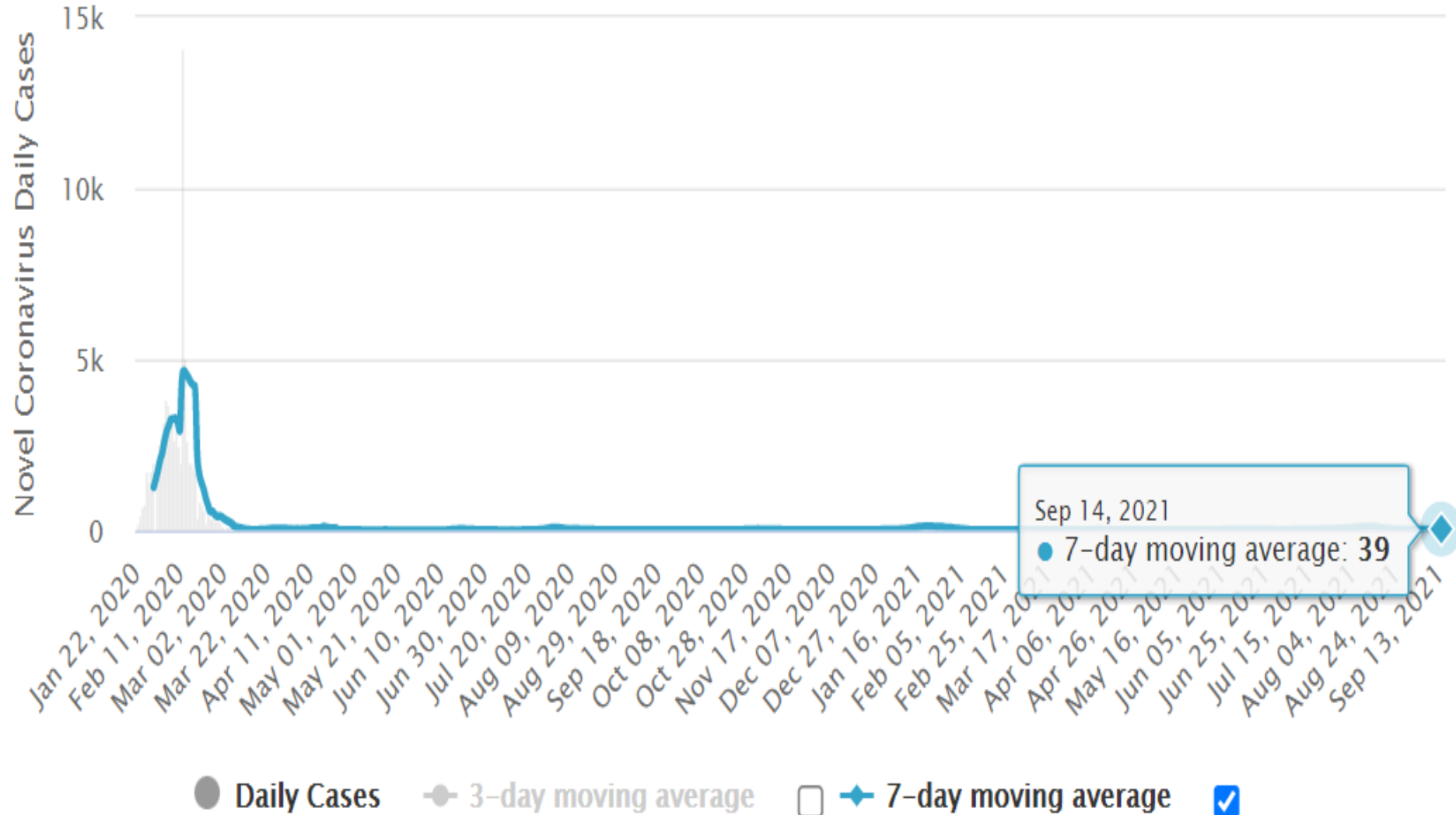
Confirmed cases 95,41  
Recovered 89,940  
Deaths 4,636 (as at 1 Feb)

889M of the population have been fully vaccinated to date.

- Singaporeans and residents of Singapore may travel to Mainland China, although travellers are still advised to check the entry requirements imposed by China and take the necessary precautionary measures.
- Travellers from Singapore to China are required to apply for a green health declaration code with the "HDC" mark from the PRC Embassy. They are also required to upload the vaccination records generated from Health Hub as well as their nucleic acid and N protein antibody test or IgM antibody test results

## Daily New Cases

Cases per Day  
Data as of 0:00 GMT+0



## Taiwan Covid situation update as of 14 Sep 2021

Confirmed cases 16,098

Recovered 15,108

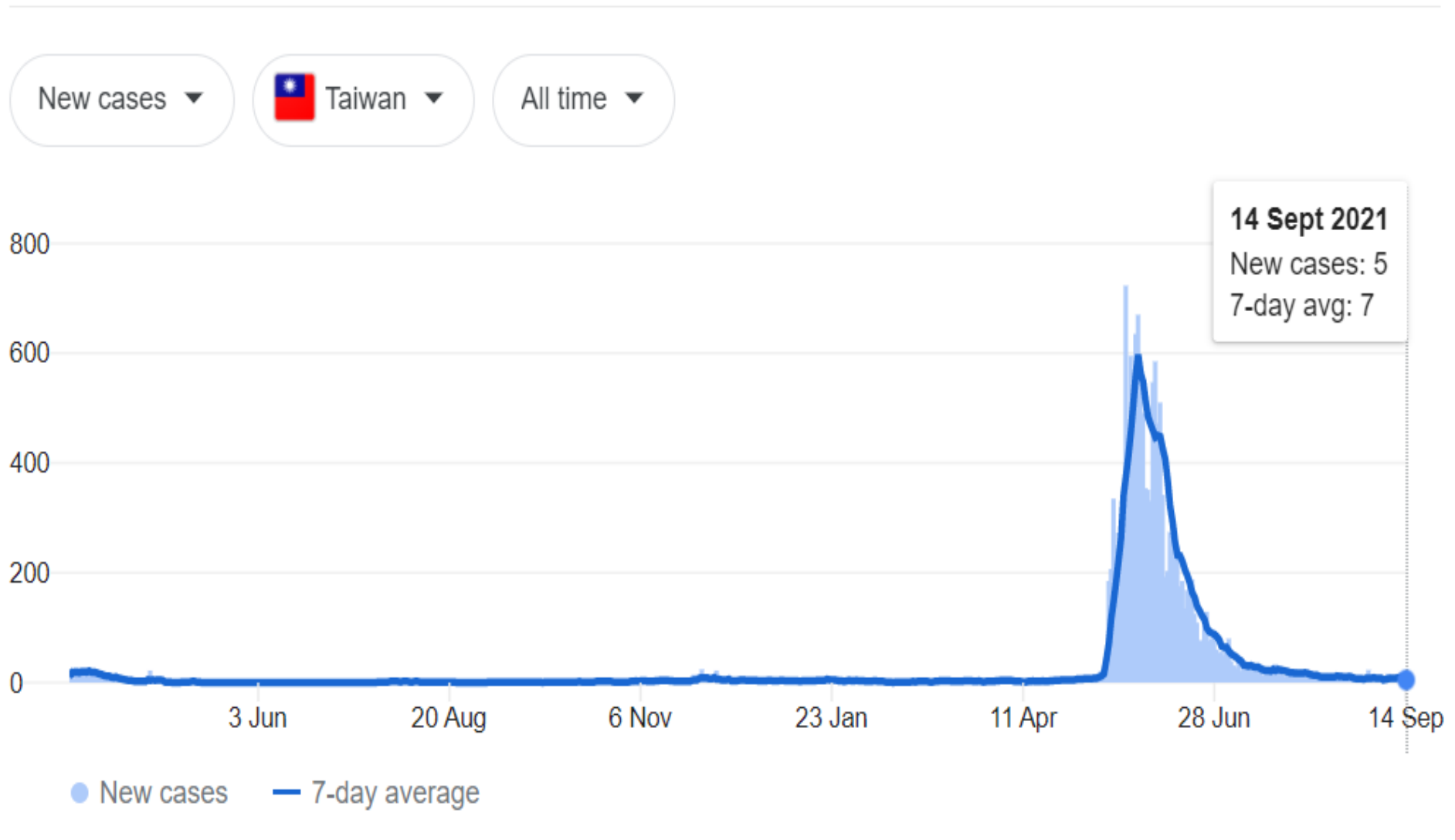
Deaths 839

1.06M (4.5%) of population have been fully vaccinated to date.

- Considering the recent escalation of COVID-19 cases internationally and within Taiwan, the Central Epidemic Command Center (CECC) announced that entry to Taiwan has been suspended for foreign nationals.
- Exceptions will be considered on a case-by-case basis for emergencies and on humanitarian grounds.

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## Hong Kong Covid situation update as of 14 Sep 2021

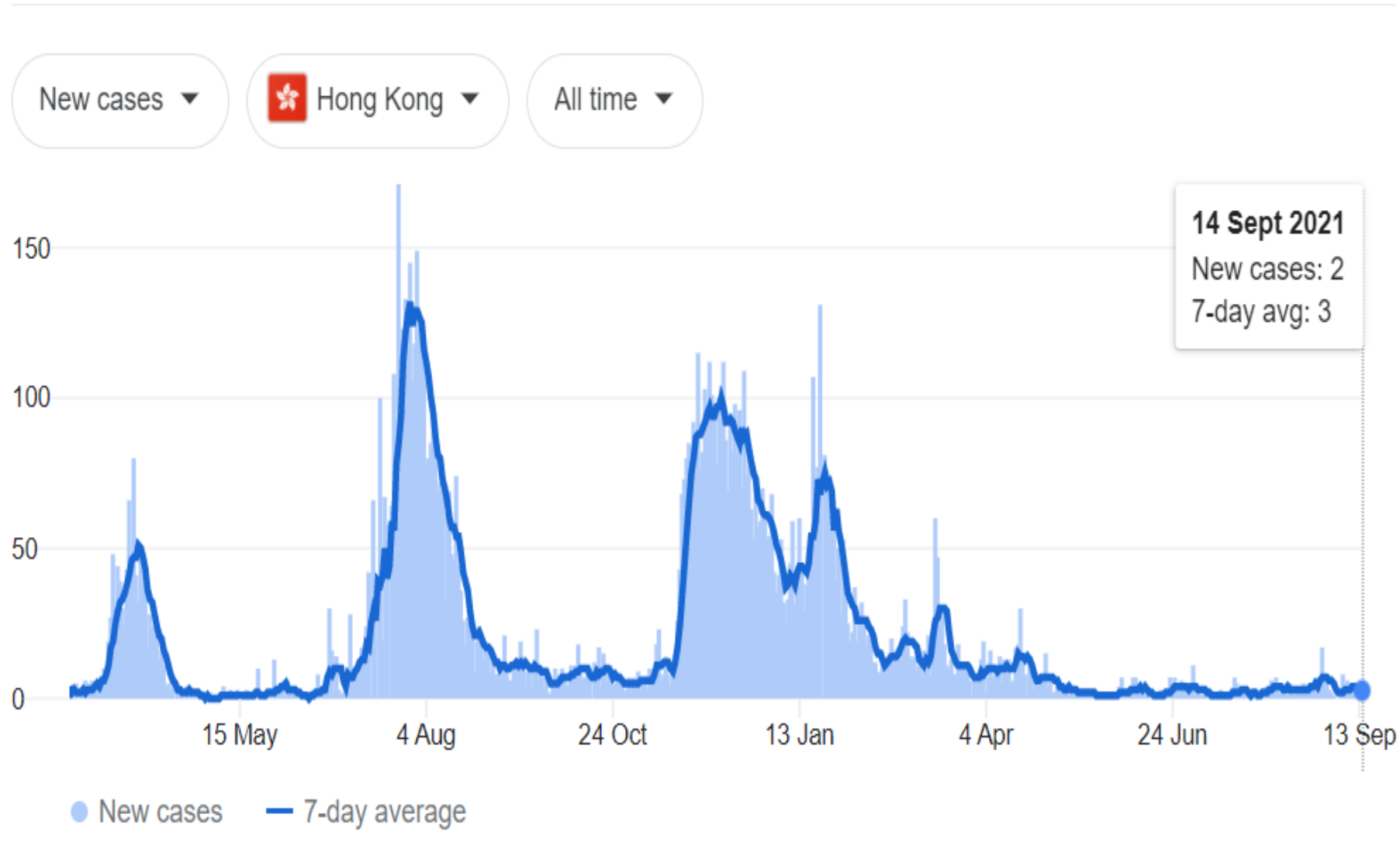
Confirmed cases 12,148  
Recovered 11,858  
Deaths 213

3.86M (51.4%) of total population have been fully vaccinated to date.

- Hong Kong residents and non-Hong Kong Residents who have been fully vaccinated will undergo compulsory quarantine for 14 days in a designated quarantine hotel. They will have to undergo four tests during compulsory quarantine and self-monitor for the subsequent seven days.
- Non-Hong Kong residents travelling from Singapore, and who have not been fully vaccinated, are not allowed to board flights for Hong Kong.

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# Summary as of 14 September 2021

Based on the current spread of Covid 19 in the various regions, we have made the following observations:

1. In Singapore, the rapid pace of new COVID-19 infections and a doubling of seriously ill patients in Singapore have raised unexpected hurdles to reopening plans although 81% of the population is fully vaccinated. Covid infections in Malaysia have climbed to over 18 thousand cases per day while in Indonesia, the cases have decreased significantly since the spike in July and are now averaging around 4 thousand cases per day. In the Philippines cases have sharply increased to an average of 20 thousand cases a day, the highest seen since the beginning of Covid-19 in the country, while in Timor Leste the case numbers have decreased to a daily average of about 118 cases in the past week. Except for Singapore and Malaysia, the vaccination rate in the other SEA countries remains low.
2. In Indochina, the spread is on a downward trend in Nepal with average daily cases slightly above 1000 this past week. However, case numbers are increasing Thailand, Vietnam and on a downward trend in Myanmar and Cambodia. Except for Cambodia which has a vaccination rate of about 30% of the population, the other countries in Indochina have very low vaccination rates for their populations.
3. In South Asia, the spread in India is plateauing at about 30 thousand cases per day this past week. However, in Sri Lanka the weekly average number of cases has exceeded 2,000 daily cases this week. Vaccination rate in India remains low for the large population. However, Sri Lanka has picked up the vaccination rate and is close to having vaccinated 50% of the population.
4. In East Asia, the spread in Mongolia is still high although on a slightly downward trend. Cases in Japan have decreased to an average daily of around 8 thousand this past week. However, in Taiwan and Hong Kong cases have plateaued to low numbers while in China, cases are escalating again in several regions. Except for Taiwan, the region is doing well in their vaccination exercise.
5. Covid vaccinations are proceeding well in many Asian countries. However, the Delta virus in many countries are causing an increase in cases again, resulting in stricter measures within some countries and restricted travel across countries.