

Emergency packages to fight Covid-19 shock

Countries and regions around the world, including Singapore, have rolled out emergency packages totalling trillions of dollars to keep their economies afloat.

Country /region	Stimulus amount (\$\$)	Estimated % of GDP	
United States	2.9 trillion	10%	
Germany	1.7 trillion	32%	
Japan*	757 billion	10%	
Britain	632 billion	19%	
China*	618 billion	-	
Australia	165 billion	10%	
Malaysia	89 billion	18%	
Singapore	55 billion	11%	
Thailand	22.8 billion	3%	
Hong Kong	22.4 billion	4%	
South Korea	13.7 billion	0.6%	
Indonesia	11.6 billion	0.9%	
Taiwan	2.9 billion	0.3%	

NOTE: • Japan: Of which S\$732 billion aid is under consideration, as reported by Nikkei on March 25 • China: Pledged as of March 26, as reported by Reuters

Sources: AFP, REUTERS, BLOOMBERG, NIKKEI, BBC, THE GUARDIAN STRAITS TIMES GRAPHICS