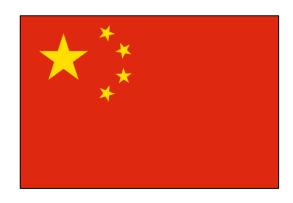
Coronavirus economic impact & trends in East Asia:

an overview

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Coronavirus in East Asia : different situations & reactions

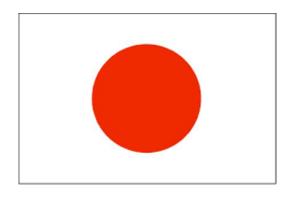


First country to notify the WHO about a new virus (December 2019)

Strict lockdown from the end of January to mid-March

Big impact on the domestic economy

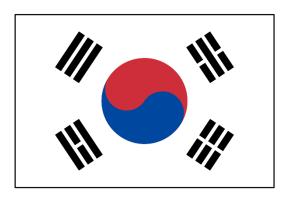




A first wave in January, mostly contained
A second wave from the end of March

No lockdown but « State of emergency » from mid-April to last week

Middle impact of the domestic economy

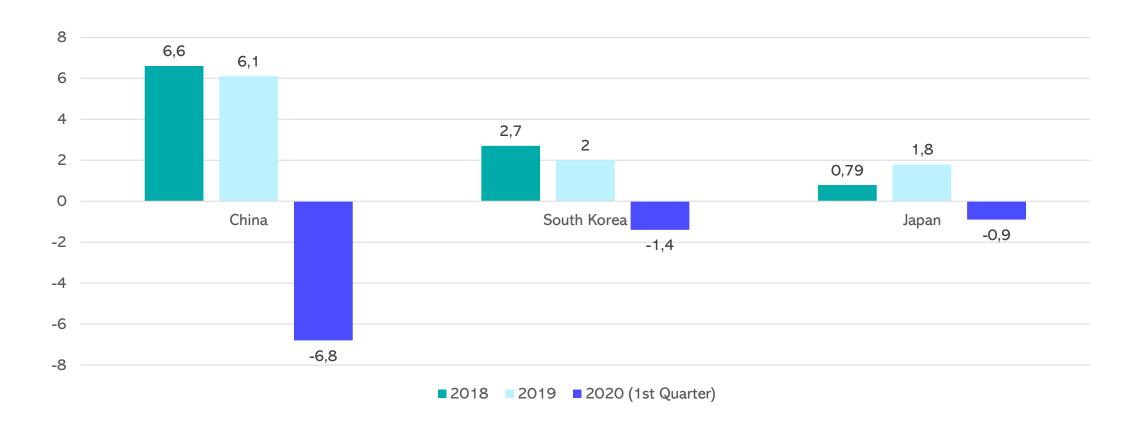


Affected by the virus in February

Epidemic control program: no lockdown but widespread testing and tracing instead

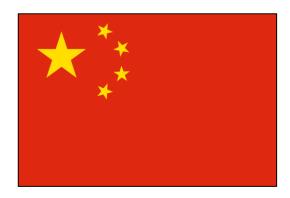
Lighter impact on the domestic economy

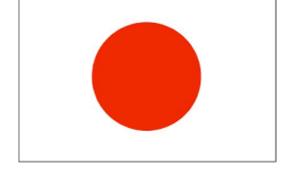
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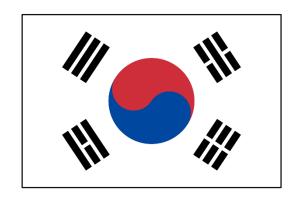




Traveling for business to East Asia from Europe







Detailed afterwards

 Entry ban for all EU citizens (Except if exceptional circumstances)

- visa (visa exemption lifted)
- invitation from a Korean company
- A negative Covid19 test before the application to the visa
- At the arrival in Korea:
 - New covid test
 - Download a specific App to keep the autorithies updated about your health
 - 14 days quarantine



A focus on South Korea

- Limited negative impact on middle & upper middle class
 - Korean market is expected to stay a target for fine food companies
- Korean Green New Deal :
 - Opportunities in renewable energy
 - Expected opportunities in greenbuilding

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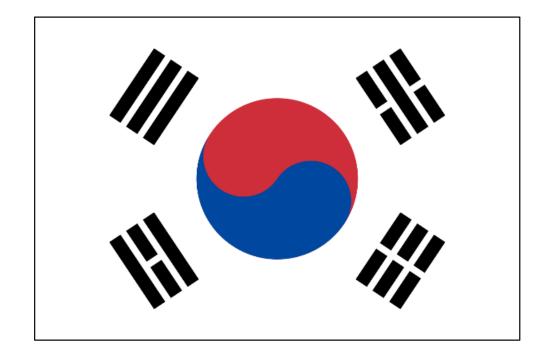
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A focus on Japan

- Tourism-related industries are impacted (eateries & accomodation)
 - 40 millions foreign tourists in 2020
 - Olympics games 2020
- Coranvirus crisis & japanese tradition :
 - Traditionnal corporate organisation, not « remote-working friendly »
 - Fax in 2020

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