

PENINGKATAN KAPASITI BEROPERASI UNTUK MEMBANGUN SEMULA EKONOMI



Penularan wabak COVID-19 telah memberi kesan kepada kesihatan rakyat dan juga ekonomi negara. Kerajaan telah mengambil langkah-langkah proaktif khususnya pelaksanaan Perintah Kawalan Pergerakan (PKP) bagi membendung penularan wabak ini. Usaha memerangi COVID-19 belum berjaya sepenuhnya tetapi kita telah dapat melandaikan keluk (curve) ke tahap yang terkawal. Namun, kita tidak seharusnya alpa dan akan terus berusaha sedaya upaya untuk menjamin kesihatan dan keselamatan rakyat.

Kerajaan juga bertanggungjawab untuk memulihkan ekonomi termasuk melindungi mata pencarian rakyat. Usaha ini adalah untuk membina semula ekonomi yang mampan, berdaya saing, mengembalikan keyakinan pelabur serta menjamin pekerjaan.

Pada 23 April 2020, YAB Perdana Menteri telah mengumumkan bahawa kes-kes COVID-19 telah menurun dengan ketara susulan dari usaha berterusan pihak Kerajaan membendung penularan wabak COVID-19. Bagi memastikan pencapaian yang positif ini berterusan, Kerajaan telah melanjutkan tempoh PKP sehingga 12 Mei 2020. Dengan pelanjutan ini, Kerajaan sedang mengkaji kaedah memulihkan ekonomi secara berperingkat. Ini merangkumi pembukaan beberapa sektor dan sub-sektor ekonomi tambahan tertakluk kepada pematuhan syarat-syarat yang ketat bagi memastikan syarikat terus beroperasi dan pekerja berada dalam persekitaran yang selamat.

Sehubungan ini, Mesyuarat Majlis Tindakan Ekonomi (EAC) yang bersidang semalam (27 April 2020) telah membincangkan kedudukan terkini ekonomi dan kewangan negara, kelangsungan perniagaan dan kesejahteraan rakyat. Mesyuarat telah meneliti

kajian dan cadangan yang dibentangkan oleh Kementerian Kewangan, Kementerian Perdagangan Antarabangsa dan Industri (MITI), Bank Negara Malaysia (BNM) dan Khazanah Nasional.

Kementerian Kesihatan Malaysia (KKM) yang diwakili oleh Menteri Kesihatan dan Ketua Pengarah Kesihatan turut membentangkan pandangan dan maklum balas di atas perkara yang dibincangkan. Perbincangan tertumpu kepada keperluan untuk memulakan semula (restarting and reviving) rantai bekalan ekonomi secara menyeluruh yang dapat membantu perniagaan untuk meneruskan operasi sepenuhnya, membina semula stok yang terjejas serta membolehkan penyampaian perkhidmatan dan barangan yang efisien kepada pelanggan.

Keputusan mesyuarat EAC telah dibentangkan dalam mesyuarat Majlis Keselamatan Negara yang bersidang pada pagi ini (28 April 2020) dan dipengerusikan oleh YAB Perdana Menteri serta turut dihadiri oleh semua Menteri-Menteri Besar dan Ketua-Ketua Menteri. Menyedari keperluan mendesak untuk menangani krisis ekonomi semasa, Kerajaan bersetuju supaya sektor-sektor ekonomi yang telah dibenarkan beroperasi pada PKP Tahap 1, 2 dan 3 meningkatkan kapasiti beroperasi sepenuhnya dan dibenarkan beroperasi tanpa sekatan masa mengikut keperluan industri masing-masing.

Pihak syarikat di dalam sektor yang dibenarkan ini WAJIB mematuhi syarat-syarat Prosidur Operasi Standard (SOP) yang telah ditetapkan bagi sektor masing-masing. Kegagalan syarikat mematuhi SOP akan menyebabkan kebenaran beroperasi dibatalkan serta merta dan dikenakan tindakan undang-undang.

Kebenaran ini berkuatkuasa mulai esok (29 April 2020). Pihak syarikat yang telah diluluskan untuk beroperasi tidak lagi perlu memohon kepada MITI untuk mendapatkan kebenaran.

Inisiatif ini akan memberi anjakan kepada pemulihan sistem rantai bekalan barangan dan perkhidmatan untuk memenuhi permintaan domestik dan luar negara. Ini tentunya akan memberi impak positif kepada pendapatan syarikat khususnya Perusahaan Kecil dan Sederhana.

Sementara Kerajaan memberikan kelonggaran ini, rakyat dan pemilik perusahaan perlu memulakan “kebiasaan baharu” dengan mematuhi penjarakan sosial di tempat kerja, kebersihan diri dan garis panduan kawalan kesihatan.

YB Dato' Seri Mohamed Azmin Ali
Menteri Kanan
Menteri Perdagangan Antarabangsa & Industri (MITI)
Selasa, 28 April 2020

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX MARCH 2020



CPI March 2020

fell **0.2%**

as compared to March 2019

March 2020

-0.2%

February 2020

1.3%

Housing, Water,
Electricity, Gas
& Other Fuels



1.6%

Feb 2020 : 1.6%

Communication



1.5%

Feb 2020 : 1.5%

Health



1.4%

Feb 2020 : 1.3%

Education



1.3%

Feb 2020 : 1.3%

Food &
Non-Alcoholic
Beverages



1.2%

Feb 2020 : 0.8%

Restaurants &
Hotels



0.9%

Feb 2020 : 1.1%

Furnishings, Household
Equipment & Routine
Household Maintenance



0.8%

Feb 2020 : 1.0%

Recreation
Services &
Culture



0.7%

Feb 2020 : 0.7%

Alcoholic
Beverages &
Tobacco



0.3%

Feb 2020 : 0.2%

Clothing &
Footwear



-1.3%

Feb 2020 : -1.1%

Transport



-8.9%

Feb 2020 : 2.4%

Miscellaneous
Goods &
Services



2.6%

Feb 2020 : 2.5%

Changes of 552 items by Goods & Services Category

Durable
Goods

53
items



Semi-Durable
Goods

64
items



Non-Durable
Goods

296
items



Services

139
items



Top 3 states with the highest CPI



Selangor &
W.P. Putrajaya

0.3%



W.P.
Kuala Lumpur

0.2%



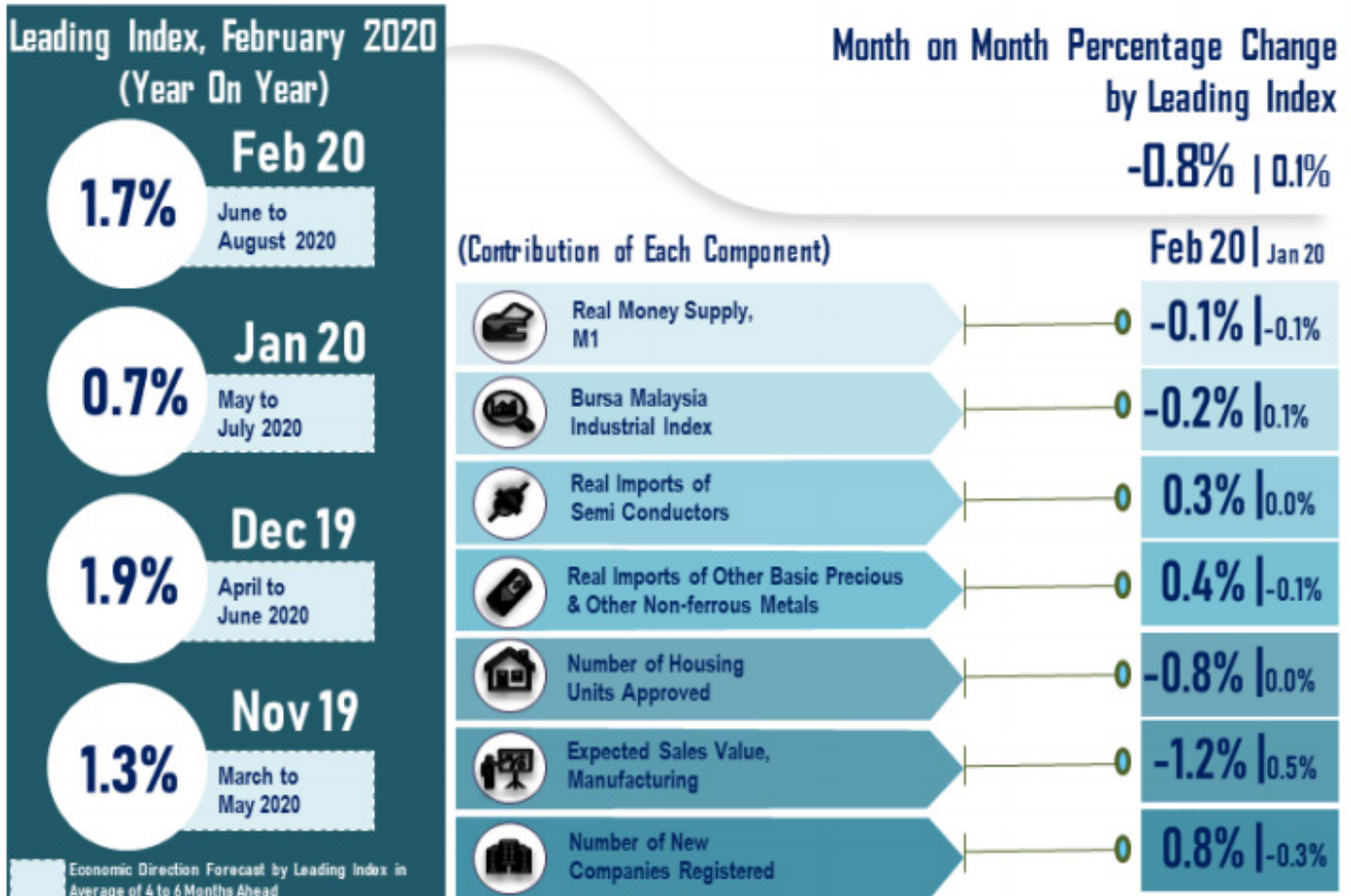
Pulau Pinang

0.1%

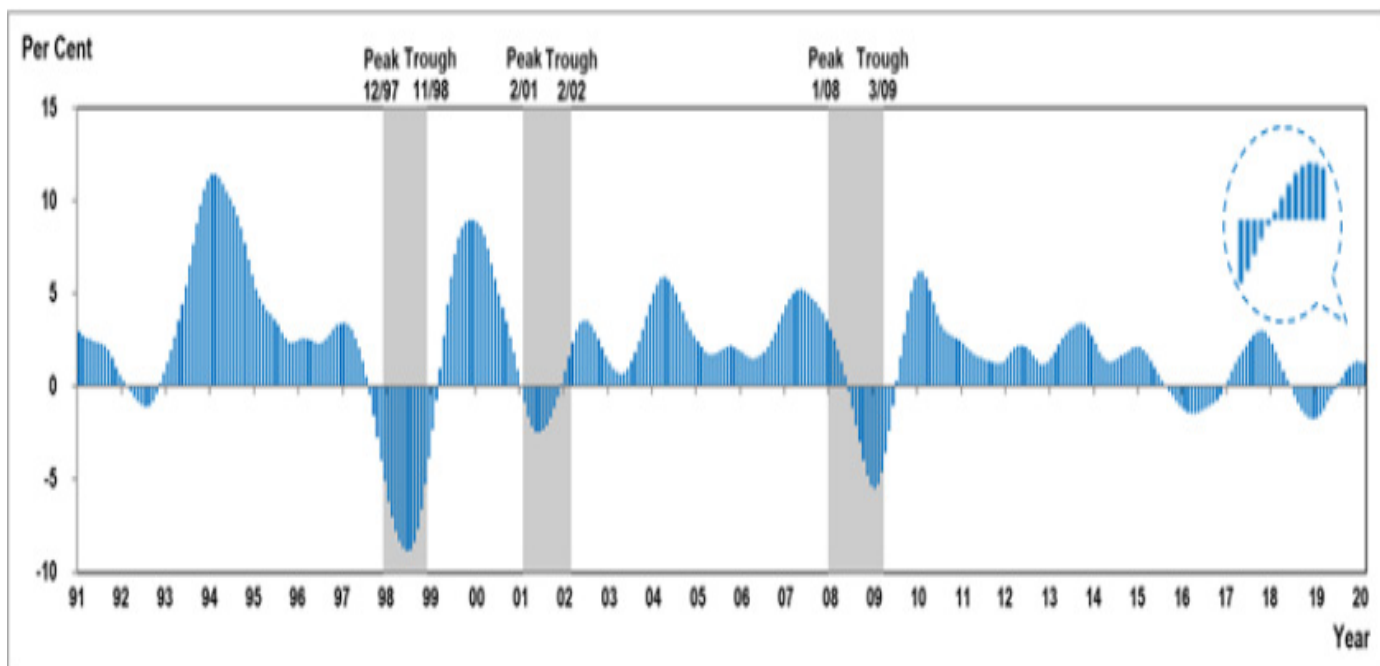
Source: Department of Statistics, Malaysia

MALAYSIAN ECONOMIC INDICATORS: LEADING, COINCIDENT & LAGGING INDEXES FEBRUARY 2020

A softer economic momentum with a high degree of uncertainty in the near future



Annual growth rate of Leading Index (smoothed) and Business Cycle (grey shaded areas), January 1991 to February 2020

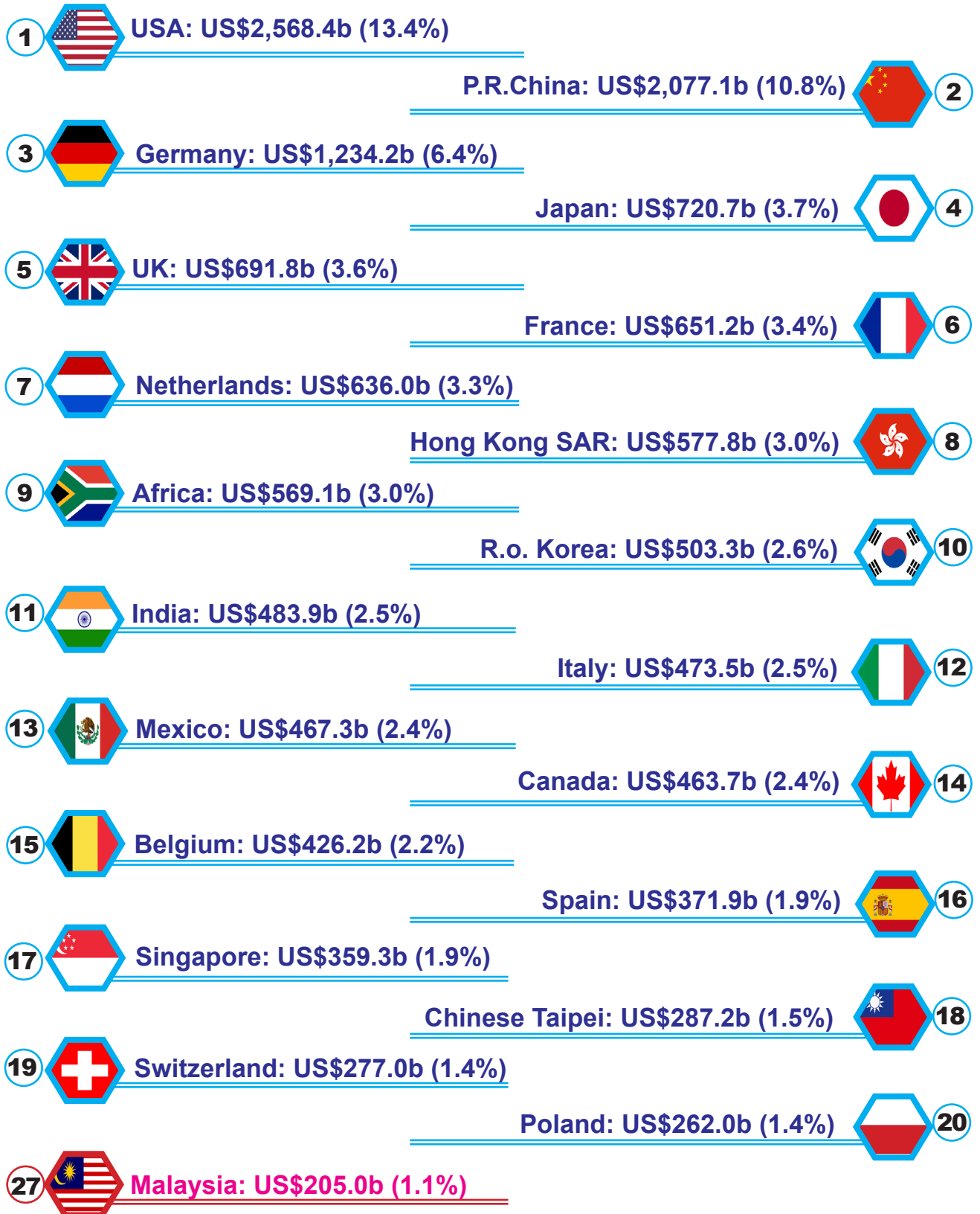


Source: Department of Statistics, Malaysia

Malaysia Statistics

TOP 20 WORLD IMPORT SOURCES

Global Imports: US\$19.22 trillion



Malaysia's was a fourth importers among ASEAN members after Singapore, Viet Nam and Thailand in 2019

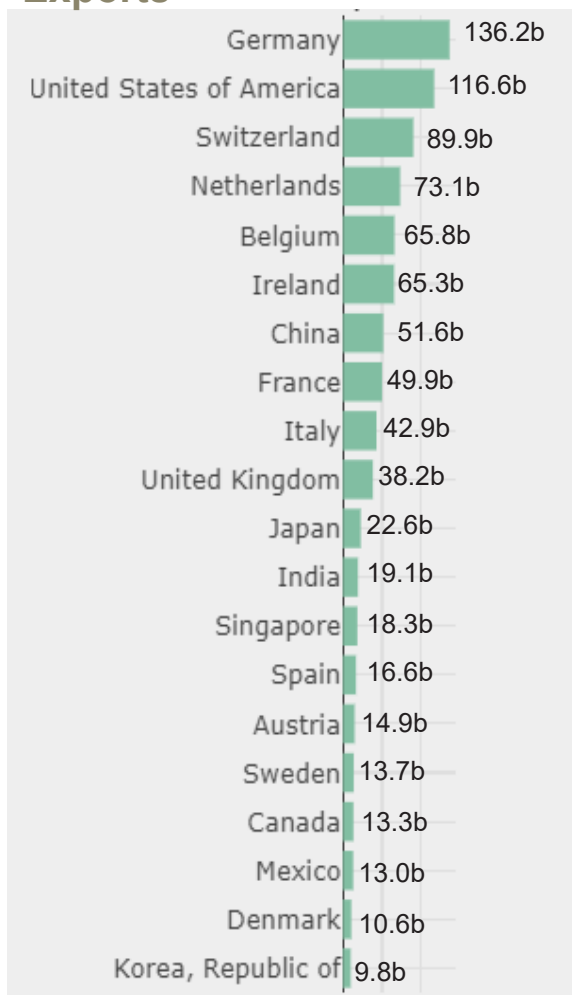
Note: Percentage share refers to share to total exports

Source: WTO online database

TRADE IN MEDICAL GOODS* IN THE CONTEXT OF TACKLING COVID-19

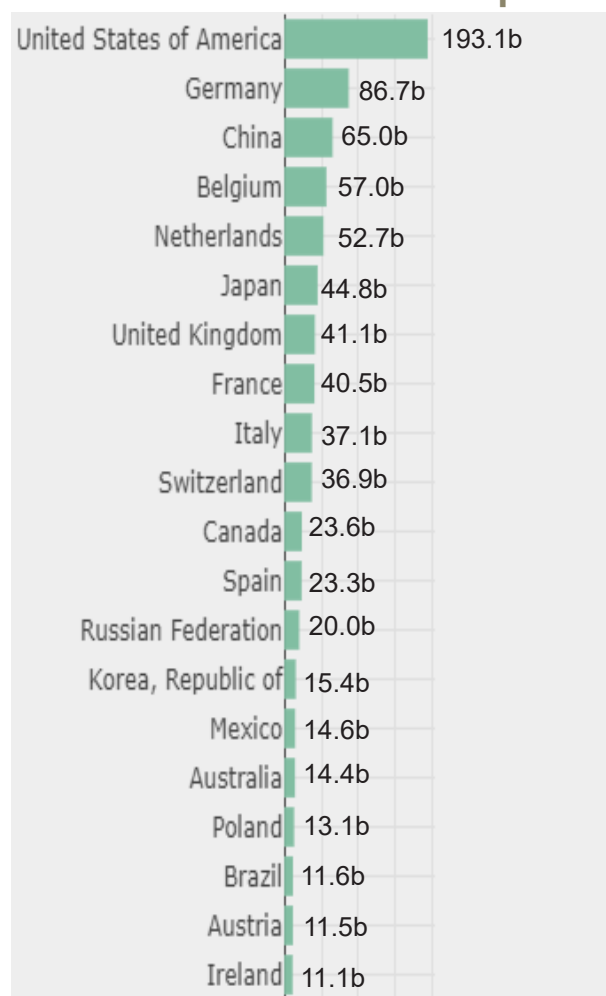
Top 20 WTO members plus Malaysia's export and import 2019 (us\$)

Exports



Malaysia (9.3b)

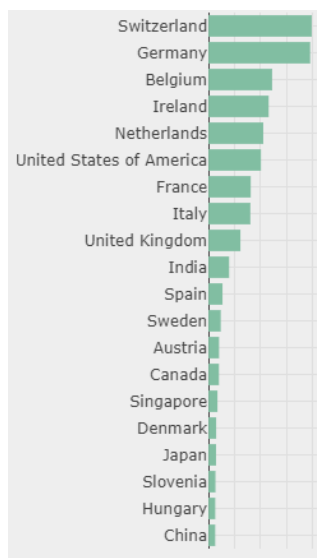
Imports



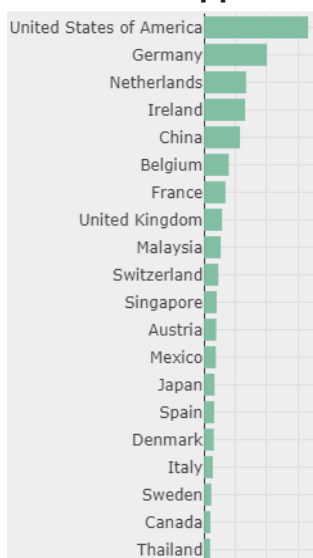
Malaysia (4.5b)

Top 20 WTO members export 2019 of:

Medicines



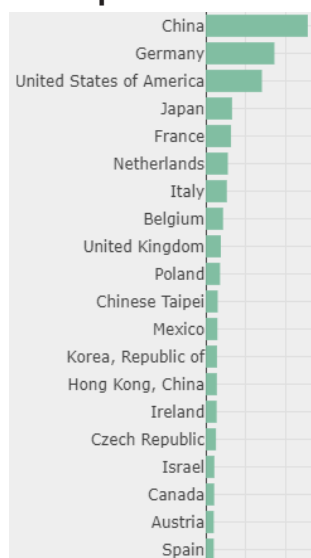
Medical supplies



Medical equipment



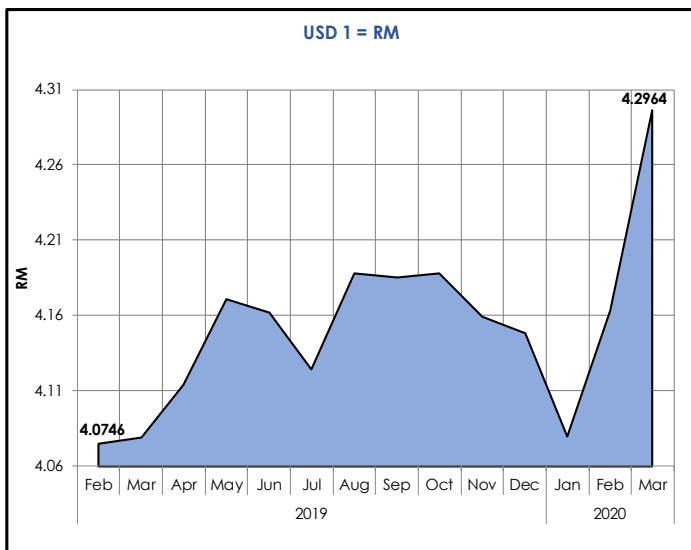
Personal protective products



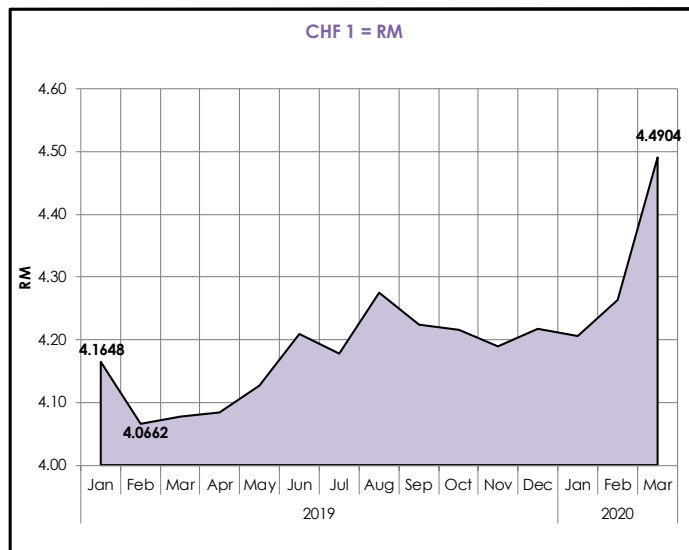
Note: *Medical goods includes medicine, medical supplies, medical equipment and personal protective products
Source: WTO reports (<https://medtrade.herokuapp.com/>)

Malaysian Ringgit Exchange Rate with Selected Countries, January 2019 - March 2020

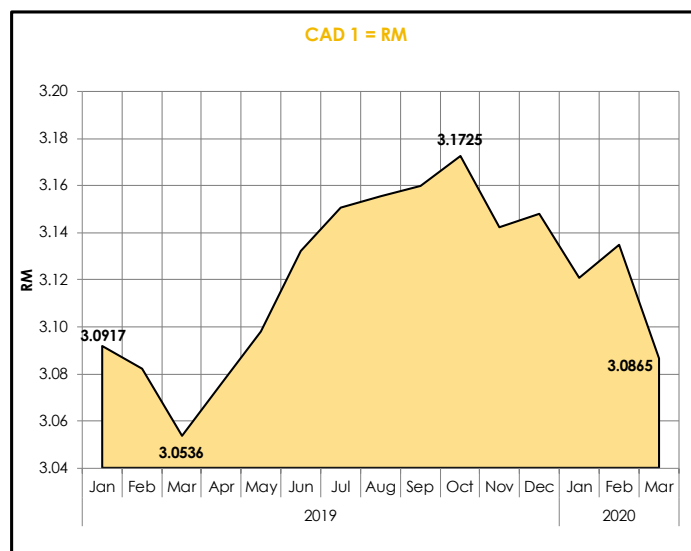
US Dollar



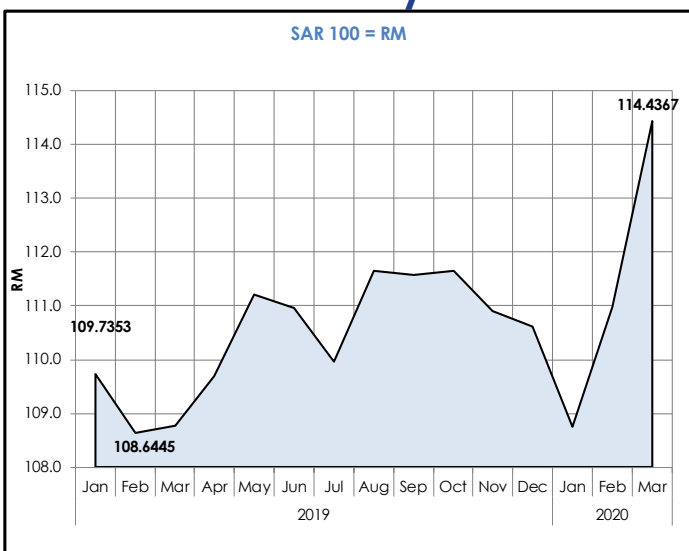
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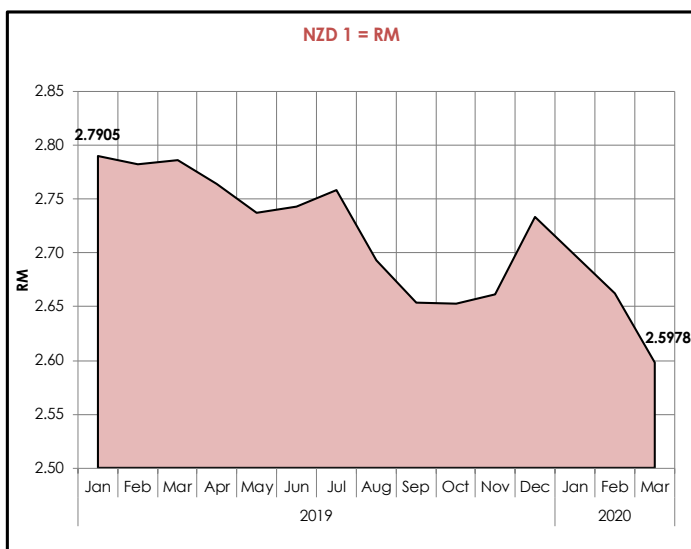
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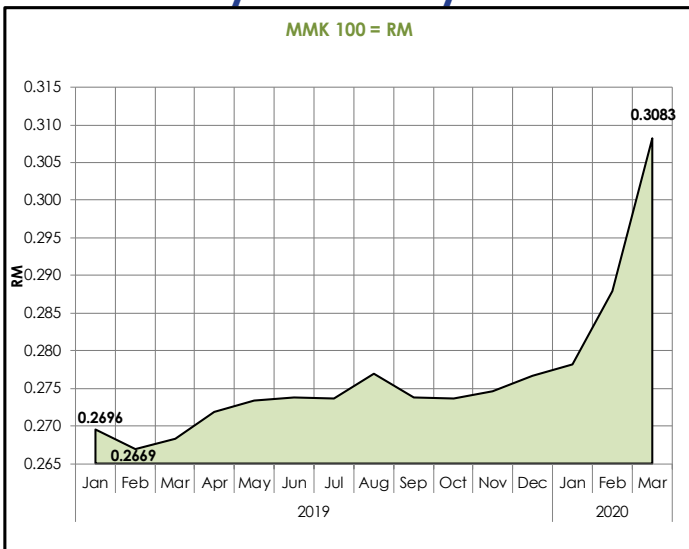
Saudi Riyal



New Zealand Dollar



Myanmar Kyat



Source : Bank Negara Malaysia

Commodity Prices

CRUDE PETROLEUM (BRENT) -per bbl-



▼ **23.6%***
US\$21.4
24 April 2020

Average Price 2019ⁱ: US\$64.2

Highest
2019/2020

03 Jan 2020 : US\$68.6
17 May 2019 : US\$72.2

24 April 2020 : US\$21.4
09 Aug 2019 : US\$54.5

Lowest
2019/2020

CRUDE PALM OIL -per MT-



▼ **5.8%***
US\$494.5
24 April 2020

Average Price 2019ⁱ: US\$557.1

Highest
2019/2020

10 Jan 2020 : US\$761.9
27 Dec 2019 : US\$794.5

24 Apr 2020 : US\$494.5
26 Jul 2019 : US\$488.5

Lowest
2019/2020

RUBBER SMR 20 -per MT-



▼ **1.8%***
US\$1,112.0
24 April 2020

Average Price 2019ⁱ: US\$1,414.6

COCOA SMC 2 -per MT-



▲ **5.3%***
US\$1,741.1
24 April 2020

Average Price 2019ⁱ: US\$1,592.4

SUGAR -per lbs-



▼ **6.4%***
US¢9.8
24 April 2020

Average Price 2019ⁱ: US¢12.4

COAL -per MT-



⊖ **%***
US\$34.1
24 April 2020

Average Price 2019ⁱ: US\$56.5

SCRAP IRON HMS -per MT-



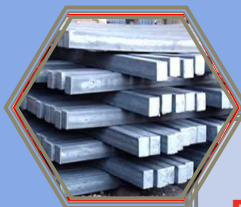
⊖ **%*** ⊖ **%***
US\$275.0 US\$255.0
(high) (low)
24 April 2020

Average Price 2019ⁱ: US\$316.9 (high)

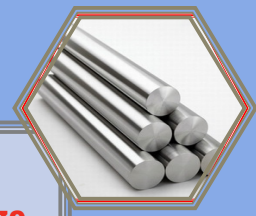
Average Price 2019ⁱ: US\$291.6 (low)

Domestic Prices

13 March 2020



Billets
(per MT)
RM1,750 - RM1,800



Steel Bars
(per MT)
RM2,020 - RM2,170

Note: No transaction in sales or purchase of billets and steel bars at 20 March due to MCO.

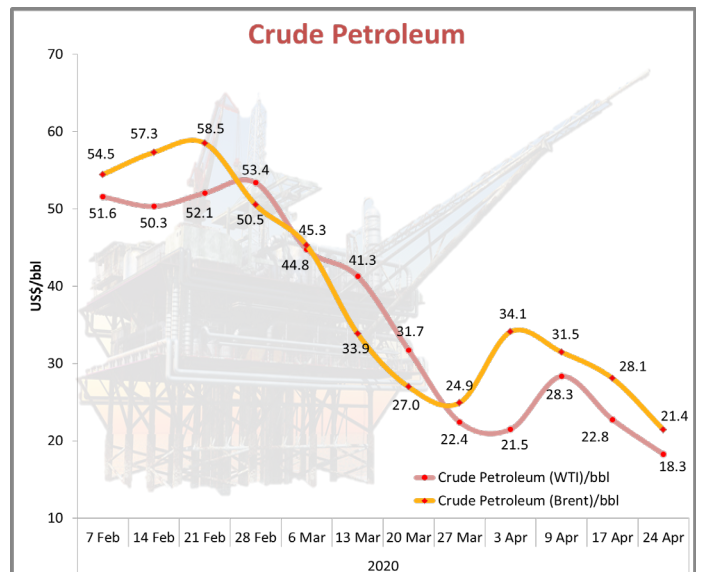
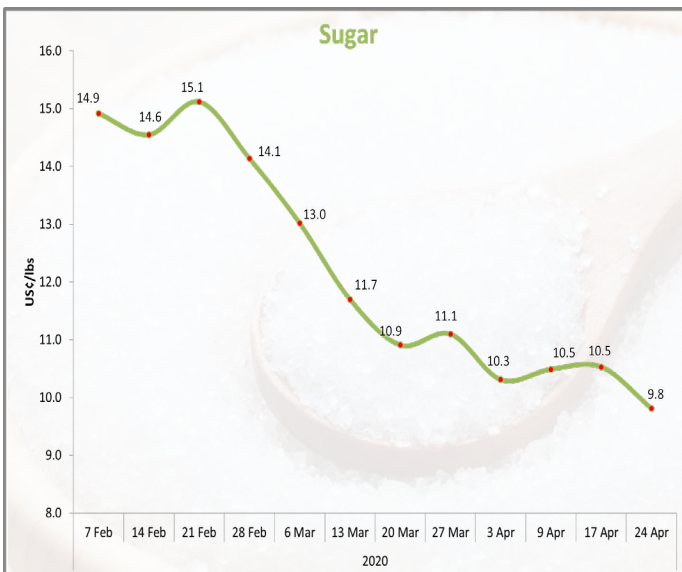
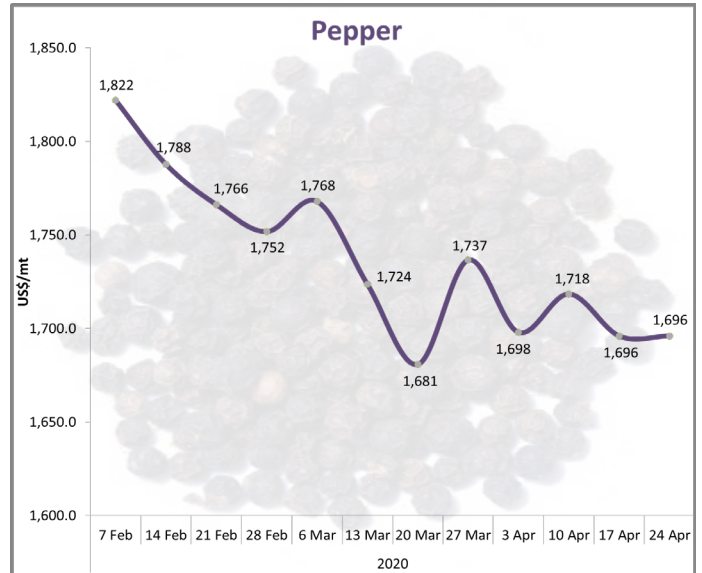
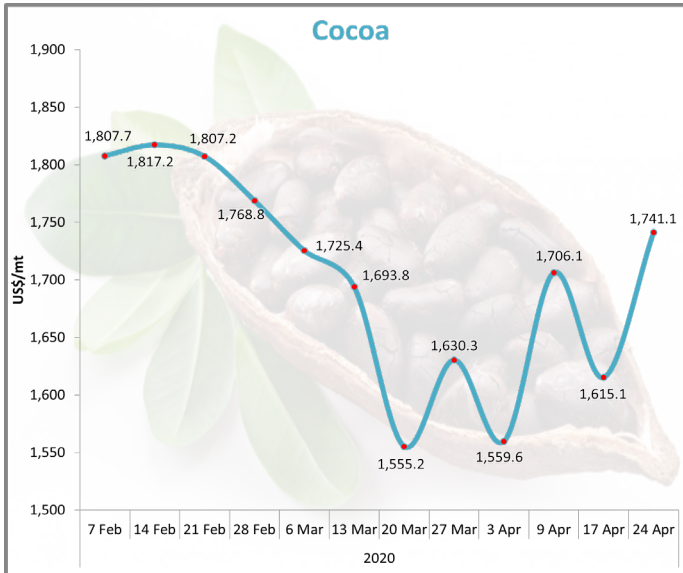
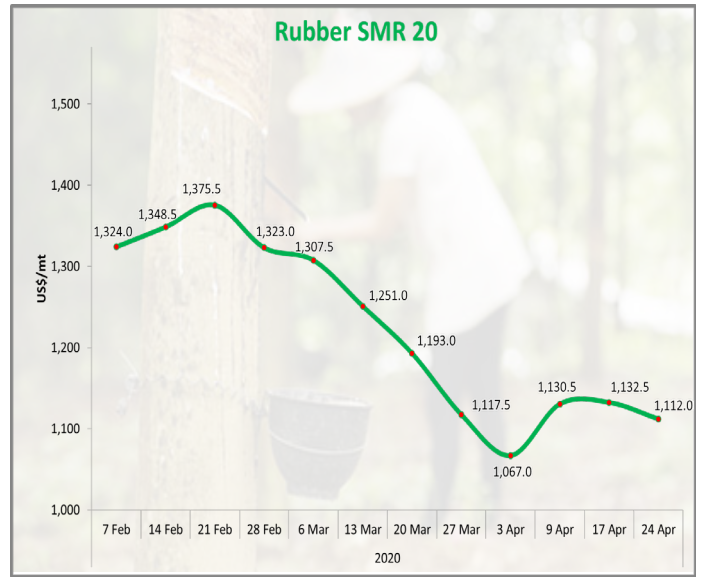
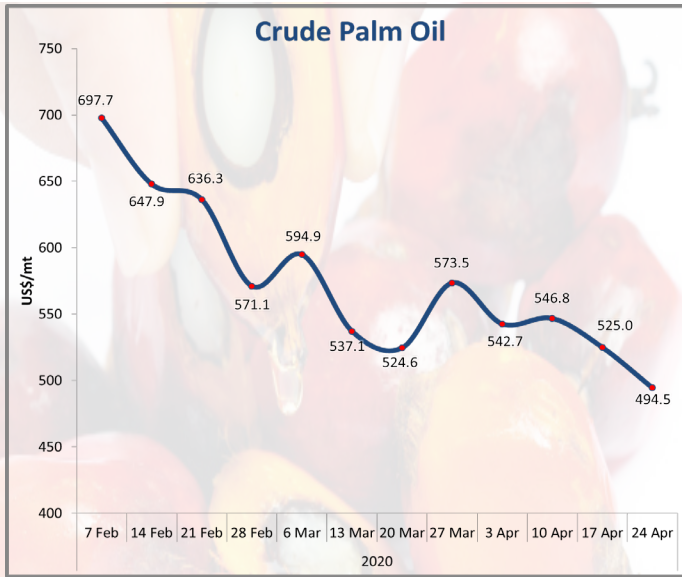
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* Refer to % change from the previous week's price

i Average price in the year except otherwise indicated

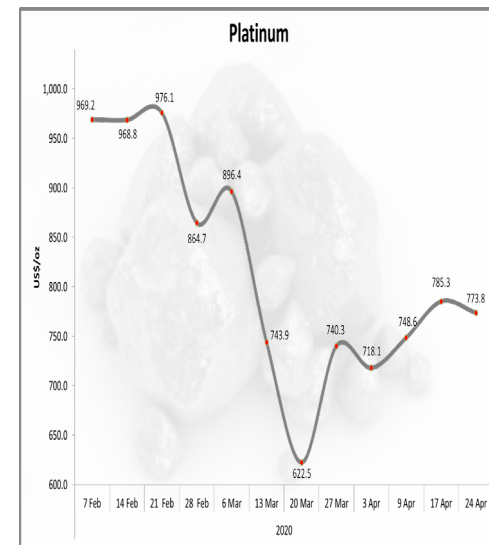
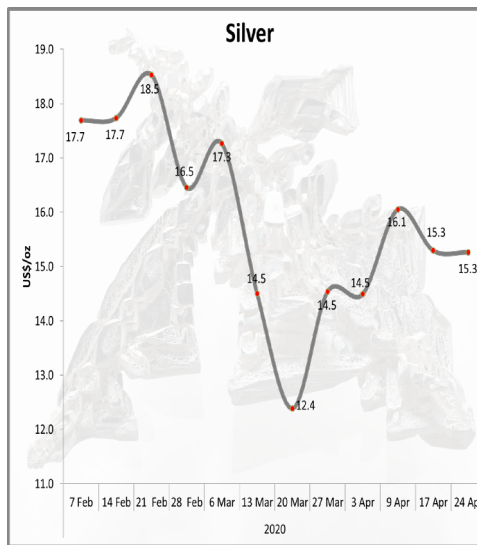
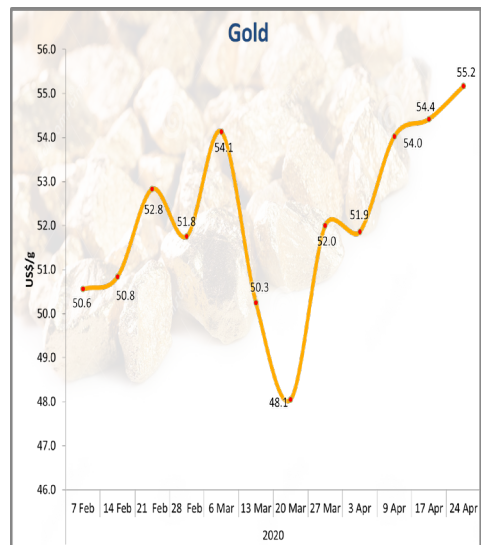
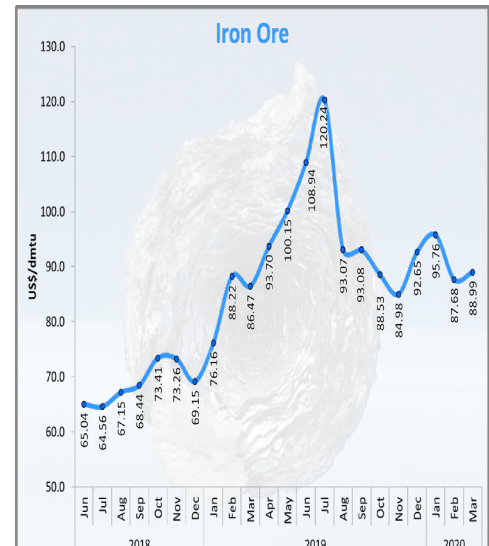
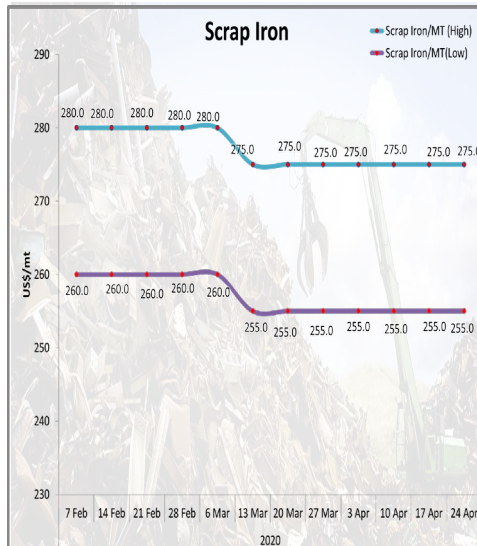
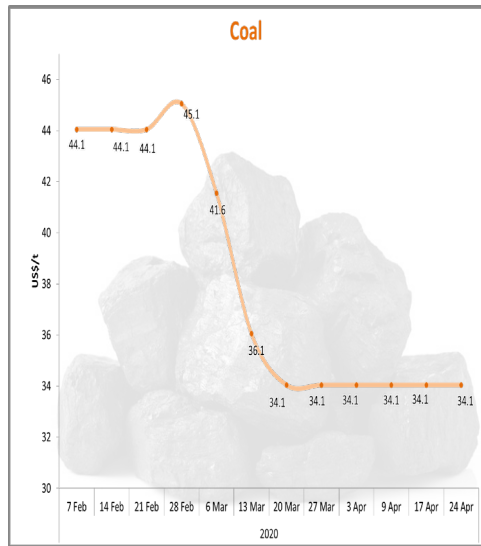
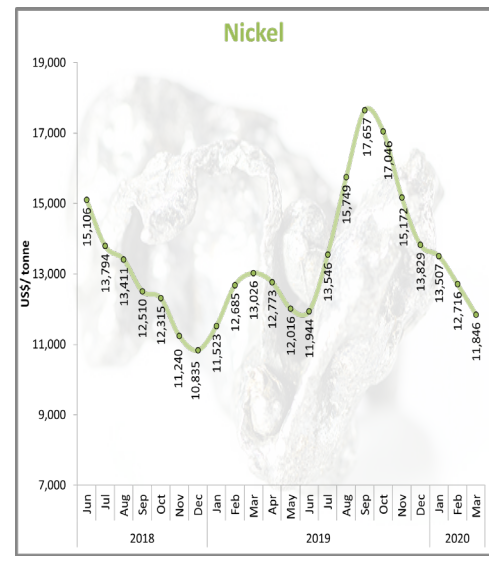
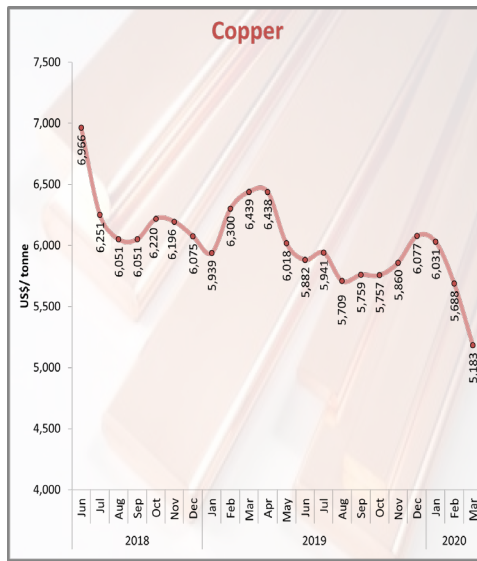
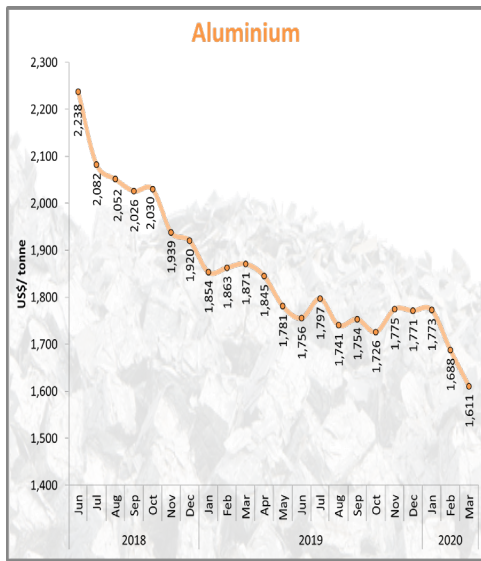
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Commodity Price Trends



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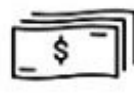
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NOTIFICATION ON IMPLEMENTATION OF PRODUCT SPECIFIC RULES (PSR) FOR ASEAN-AUSTRALIA-NEW ZEALAND FREE TRADE AGREEMENT (AANZFTA) IN HS 2017

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EFFECTIVE DATE

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UTILISATION OF ASEAN TRADE IN GOODS AGREEMENT (ATIGA) E-FORM D DURING THE MOVEMENT CONTROL ORDER PERIOD FROM 18 TO 31 MARCH 2020



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NOTIFICATION ON IMPLEMENTATION OF PRODUCT SPECIFIC RULES (PSR) IN HS 2017 FOR ASEAN-KOREA FREE TRADE AREA (AKFTA)



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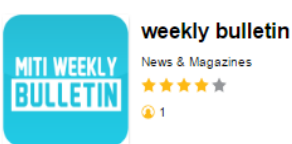
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