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MALAYSIA CALLS FOR STRONGER COLLABORATIVE EFFORTS TOWARDS INCLUSIVE AND SUSTAINABLE ECONOMIC RECOVERY AT THE APEC ECONOMIC LEADERS' WEEK (AELW) 2021

The Malaysian delegation scheduled to attend the virtual APEC Economic Leaders' Week (AELW) 2021, which starts from 8th to 12th November 2021, will call for stronger collaborative efforts among APEC economies in espousing sustainable and inclusive recovery, to ensure a future-ready region.

As the spotlight of post-recovery efforts tends to concentrate on the economic and health forefront, Malaysia will also share her views on the importance expediting the adoption of digitalisation, innovation and sustainability to create more opportunities for the APEC community.

With economic recovery efforts as the overarching theme for APEC this year, this call to action is key for the region to realise the aspiration of achieving an inclusive, sustainable, and prosperous region for all, underscoring Putrajaya Vision 2040 on shared prosperity that was adopted last year.

With the view to accelerate regional recovery, Malaysia will be emphasising our unwavering commitment and solidarity to rebuild the region with vigorous and unrelenting efforts in pursuing economic recovery and safeguarding the public health of our people.

This year's AELW will be the second virtual AELW after Malaysia's successful APEC chairmanship last year. The AELW serves as a declamatory avenue for APEC Ministers to exchange their views and perspectives on the current and future topics in APEC while steering the APEC Senior Officials to continue working towards the betterment of the region - socially and economically.

The AELW will commence with the convening of the APEC Ministerial Meeting (AMM). YB Dato' Seri Mohamed Azmin Ali, Senior Minister and Minister of International Trade and Industry, together with YB Dato' Kamarudin Jaffar, Deputy Minister of Foreign Affairs will jointly head the Malaysian delegation at the AMM, which will consist of two sessions. In these sessions, Ministers are scheduled to deliberate on how best trade could accelerate economic recovery as well as best efforts towards attaining economic and technical cooperation for a sustainable future.

New Zealand as the Chair of APEC this year, will be organising the 2-day virtual AMM for Ministers to undertake deeper deliberation on these topics. The AMM will be co- chaired by The Honourable Damien O'Connor, Minister for Trade and Export Growth and The Honourable Nanaia Mahuta, Minister of Foreign Affairs.

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The AMM will also feature experts and prominent speakers including Dr. Ngozi Okonjo-Iweala, Director-General of the World Trade Organisation (WTO), Prime Minister of the Republic of Fiji, Frank Bainimarama, Chair of the Pacific Islands Forum (PIF), and Ms. Patricia Espinosa, Executive-Secretary of the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change (UNFCCC). The speakers will be providing their perspectives and insights on the state of play in their respective organisations with regard to economic recovery in the region while providing guidance to APEC economies in the related fields.

With the participation of APEC Trade Ministers and Foreign Ministers across eight time zones, the AMM will be set as a preceding meeting to the pinnacle APEC meeting of the year, APEC Economic Leaders' Meeting (AELM), scheduled on 12th November 2021. Prime Minister, the Honourable Dato' Sri Ismail Sabri bin Yaakob will be leading Malaysia at the AELM.

At the end of the AMM, the Ministers are expected to adopt the 32nd APEC Ministerial Meeting Joint Ministerial Statement 2021 that will pave the way for regional recovery efforts in line with the priorities set by New Zealand as the APEC host for 2021 with the overarching theme of recovery via agile and robust economic and trade policies, increasing inclusion and sustainability, and enhancing innovation and digitalisation.

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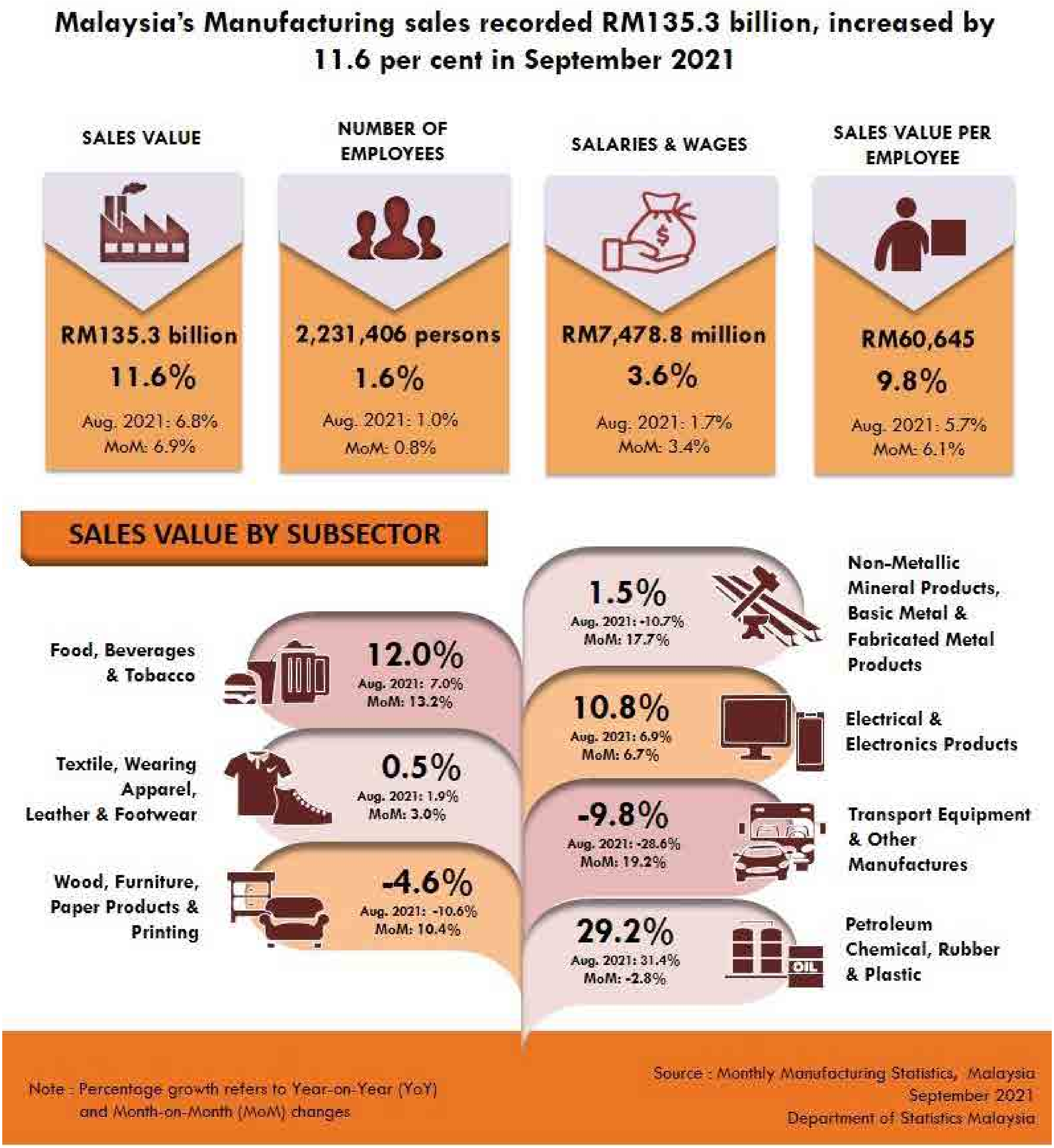
MONTHLY MANUFACTURING, SEP 2021

Malaysia's Manufacturing sales in September 2021 stood at RM135.3 billion, grew 11.6 per cent as compared to RM121.2 billion reported a year ago (Chart 1). On month-on-month growth, the sales value went up by 6.9 per cent (RM8.8 billion) while in a seasonally adjusted terms, the sales value increased by 6.3 per cent. The year-on-year increase in September 2021 was driven by Petroleum, Chemical, Rubber & Plastic Products (29.2%), Food, Beverages & Tobacco Products (12.0%) and Electrical & Electronics Products (10.8%).



Malaysia's Manufacturing sales recorded RM135.3 billion, increased by 11.6 per cent in September 2021

SALES VALUE	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES	SALARIES & WAGES	SALES VALUE PER EMPLOYEE
RM135.3 billion	2,231,406 persons	RM7,478.8 million	RM60,645
11.6%	1.6%	3.6%	9.8%
Aug. 2021: 6.8%	Aug. 2021: 1.0%	Aug. 2021: 1.7%	Aug. 2021: 5.7%
MoM: 6.9%	MoM: 0.8%	MoM: 3.4%	MoM: 6.1%

SALES VALUE BY SUBSECTOR

Food, Beverages & Tobacco	12.0%	Aug. 2021: 7.0%	MoM: 13.2%
Textile, Wearing Apparel, Leather & Footwear	0.5%	Aug. 2021: 1.9%	MoM: 3.0%
Wood, Furniture, Paper Products & Printing	-4.6%	Aug. 2021: -10.6%	MoM: 10.4%
Non-Metallic Mineral Products, Basic Metal & Fabricated Metal Products	1.5%	Aug. 2021: -10.7%	MoM: 17.7%
Electrical & Electronics Products	10.8%	Aug. 2021: 6.9%	MoM: 6.7%
Transport Equipment & Other Manufactures	-9.8%	Aug. 2021: -28.6%	MoM: 19.2%
Petroleum Chemical, Rubber & Plastic	29.2%	Aug. 2021: 31.4%	MoM: -2.8%

Note : Percentage growth refers to Year-on-Year (YoY) and Month-on-Month (MoM) changes

Source : Monthly Manufacturing Statistics, Malaysia September 2021
Department of Statistics Malaysia

INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION INDEX (IPI), SEP 2021

Malaysia's Industrial Production Index (IPI) rebounded to 2.5 per cent in September 2021

IPI
2.5%
Aug. 2021 : -0.7%
MoM : 3.7%

MINING
-3.0%
Aug. 2021 : -4.2%
MoM : -2.9%

MANUFACTURING
4.0%
Aug. 2021 : 0.6%
MoM : 5.5%

ELECTRICITY
0.4%
Aug. 2021 : -4.8%
MoM : 1.6%

MANUFACTURING

Textiles, Wearing Apparel, Leather Products & Footwear
-0.6%
Aug. 2021 : -3.7%
MoM : 16.1%

Wood Products, Furniture, Paper Products & Printing
-5.2%
Aug. 2021 : -11.0%
MoM : 15.1%

Petroleum, Chemical, Rubber & Plastic Products
6.1%
Aug. 2021 : 14.0%
MoM : -4.7%

Non-metallic Mineral Products, Basic Metal & Fabricated Metal Products
-2.9%
Aug. 2021 : -13.0%
MoM : 13.0%

Electrical & Electronics Products
12.3%
Aug. 2021 : 9.7%
MoM : 5.9%

Transport Equipment & Other Manufactures
-12.7%
Aug. 2021 : -34.3%
MoM : 24.9%

Food, Beverages & Tobacco
2.1%
Aug. 2021 : -6.6%
MoM : 9.6%

MINING

Crude Oil & Condensate
-7.7%
Aug. 2021 : -11.0%
MoM : -1.1%

Natural Gas
1.0%
Aug. 2021 : 1.6%
MoM : -4.2%

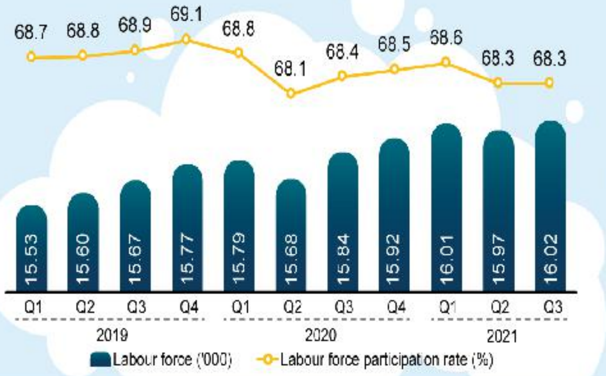
Note:
Percentage refers to the change in Month-on-Month (MoM) and Year-on-Year (YoY)

Source:
Index of Industrial Production Malaysia, September 2021
Department of Statistics Malaysia

LABOUR FORCE, Q3 2021

The number of labour force increased by **0.3 per cent** quarter-on-quarter to **16.02 million** persons after posted decreases in the second quarter of 2021

LABOUR FORCE AND LABOUR FORCE PARTICIPATION RATE, MALAYSIA, Q1 2019 - Q3 2021



Q3 2021
16.02 MILLION
Q2 2021
15.97 MILLION

▲ 0.3
LABOUR FORCE

Q3 2021
68.3%
Q2 2021
68.3%

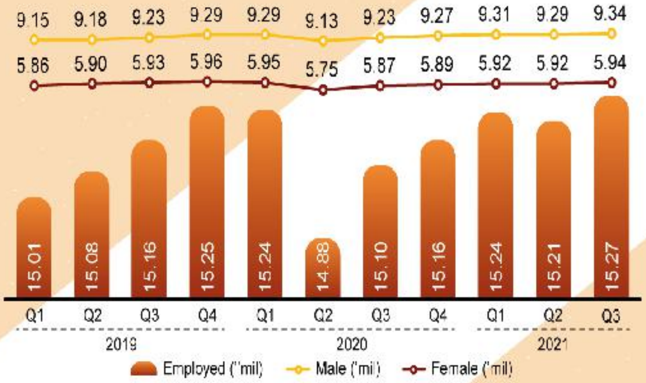
LABOUR FORCE PARTICIPATION RATE

EMPLOYED

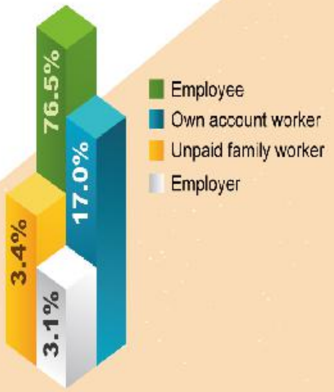
Q3 2021
15.27 MILLION
Q2 2021
15.21 MILLION

▲ 0.4
EMPLOYED

EMPLOYED PERSON BY SEX, MALAYSIA, Q1 2019 - Q3 2021

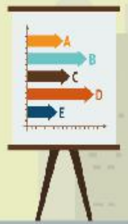


EMPLOYED PERSON BY EMPLOYMENT STATUS, MALAYSIA, Q3 2021



UNEMPLOYMENT

UNEMPLOYED PERSONS AND UNEMPLOYMENT RATE MALAYSIA, Q1 2019 - Q3 2021



Q3 2021
746.2 THOUSAND
Q2 2021
764.9 THOUSAND

▼ -2.4
UNEMPLOYMENT

Q3 2021
4.7%
Q2 2021
4.8%

UNEMPLOYMENT RATE

OUTSIDE LABOUR FORCE **7.43 MILLION** ▲ 0.1

① Note: ▲▼ Quarter on quarter (%)

Source: Labour Force Survey, Department of Statistics Malaysia

LABOUR FORCE, SEPTEMBER 2021

Unemployment rate continued its downward trend in September 2021 to 4.5 per cent registering 729.6 thousand unemployed persons

LABOUR FORCE

Sep 2021
16.19 million
Aug 2021
16.13 million

▲ 1.6%
▲ 0.4%

EMPLOYED

Sep 2021
15.46 million
Aug 2021
15.38 million

▲ 1.8%
▲ 0.6%

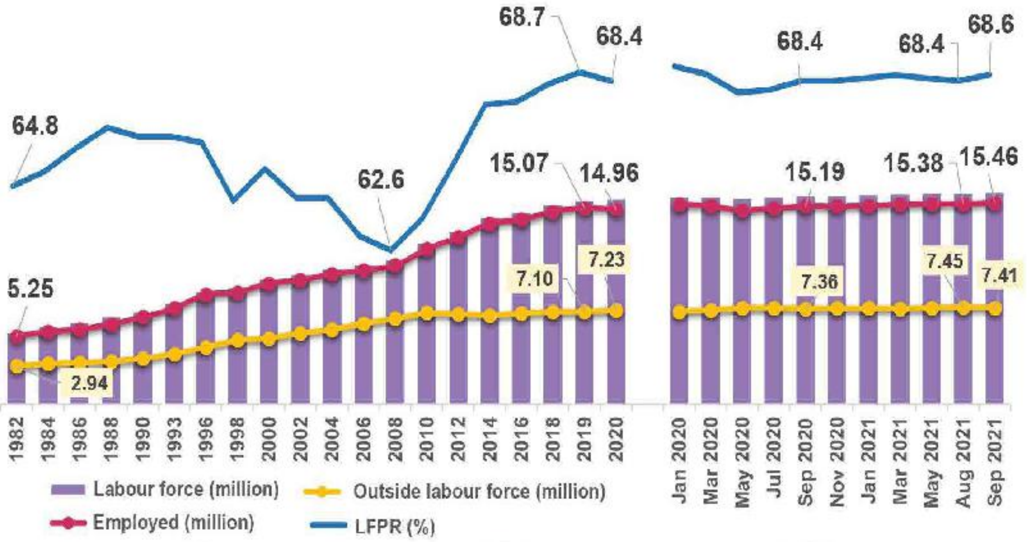
UNEMPLOYED

Sep 2021
729.6 thousand
Aug 2021
748.8 thousand

▼ 1.1%
▼ 2.6%

%	Percentage change (year-on-year)
%	Percentage change (month-on-month)
pp	Percentage point

Labour Force, Employed and Outside Labour Force, 1982 - 2020 and January 2020 - September 2021



OUTSIDE LABOUR FORCE

Sep 2021
7.41 million
Aug 2021
7.45 million

▲ 0.6%
▼ 0.6%

LABOUR FORCE PARTICIPATION RATE (LFPR)

Sep 2021
68.6%
Aug 2021
68.4%

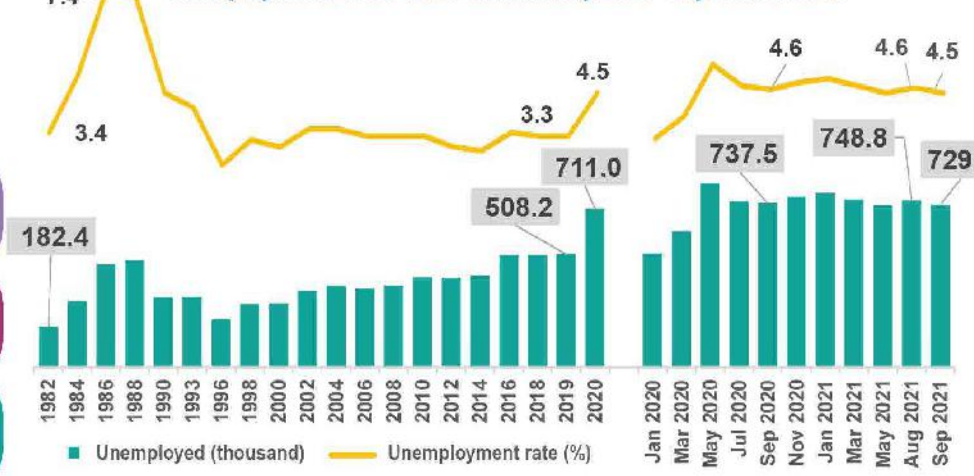
▲ 0.2pp
▲ 0.2pp

UNEMPLOYMENT RATE

Sep 2021
4.5%
Aug 2021
4.6%

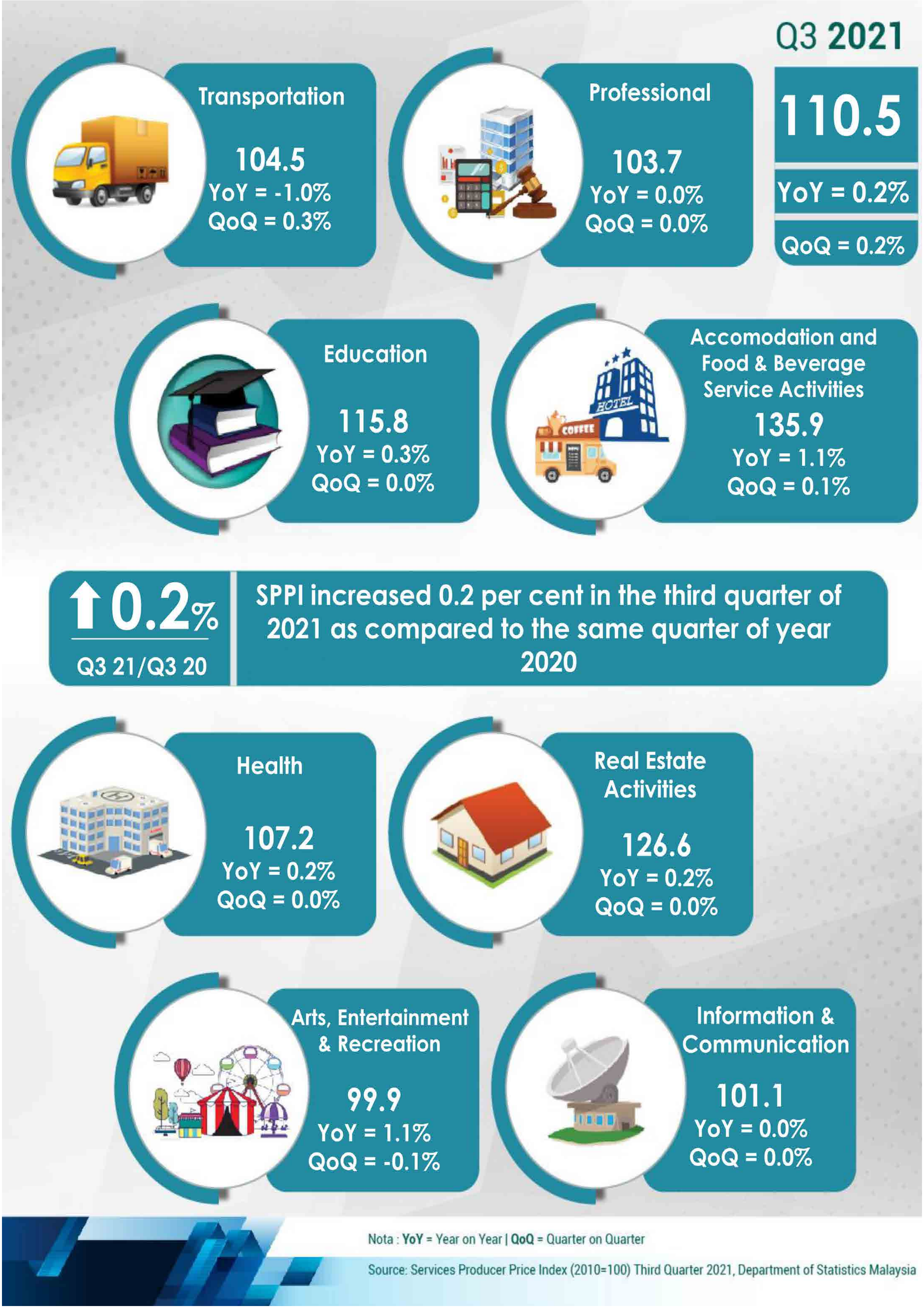
▼ 0.1pp
▼ 0.1pp

Unemployment, 1982 - 2020 and January 2020 - September 2021



Source: Labour Force Survey, Department of Statistics Malaysia

SERVICES PRODUCER PRICE INDEX (SPPI), Q3 2021



Q3 2021

110.5
YoY = 0.2%
QoQ = 0.2%

Transportation
104.5
YoY = -1.0%
QoQ = 0.3%

Professional
103.7
YoY = 0.0%
QoQ = 0.0%

Education
115.8
YoY = 0.3%
QoQ = 0.0%

Accomodation and Food & Beverage Service Activities
135.9
YoY = 1.1%
QoQ = 0.1%

↑0.2%
Q3 21/Q3 20

SPPI increased 0.2 per cent in the third quarter of 2021 as compared to the same quarter of year 2020

Health
107.2
YoY = 0.2%
QoQ = 0.0%

Real Estate Activities
126.6
YoY = 0.2%
QoQ = 0.0%

Arts, Entertainment & Recreation
99.9
YoY = 1.1%
QoQ = -0.1%

Information & Communication
101.1
YoY = 0.0%
QoQ = 0.0%

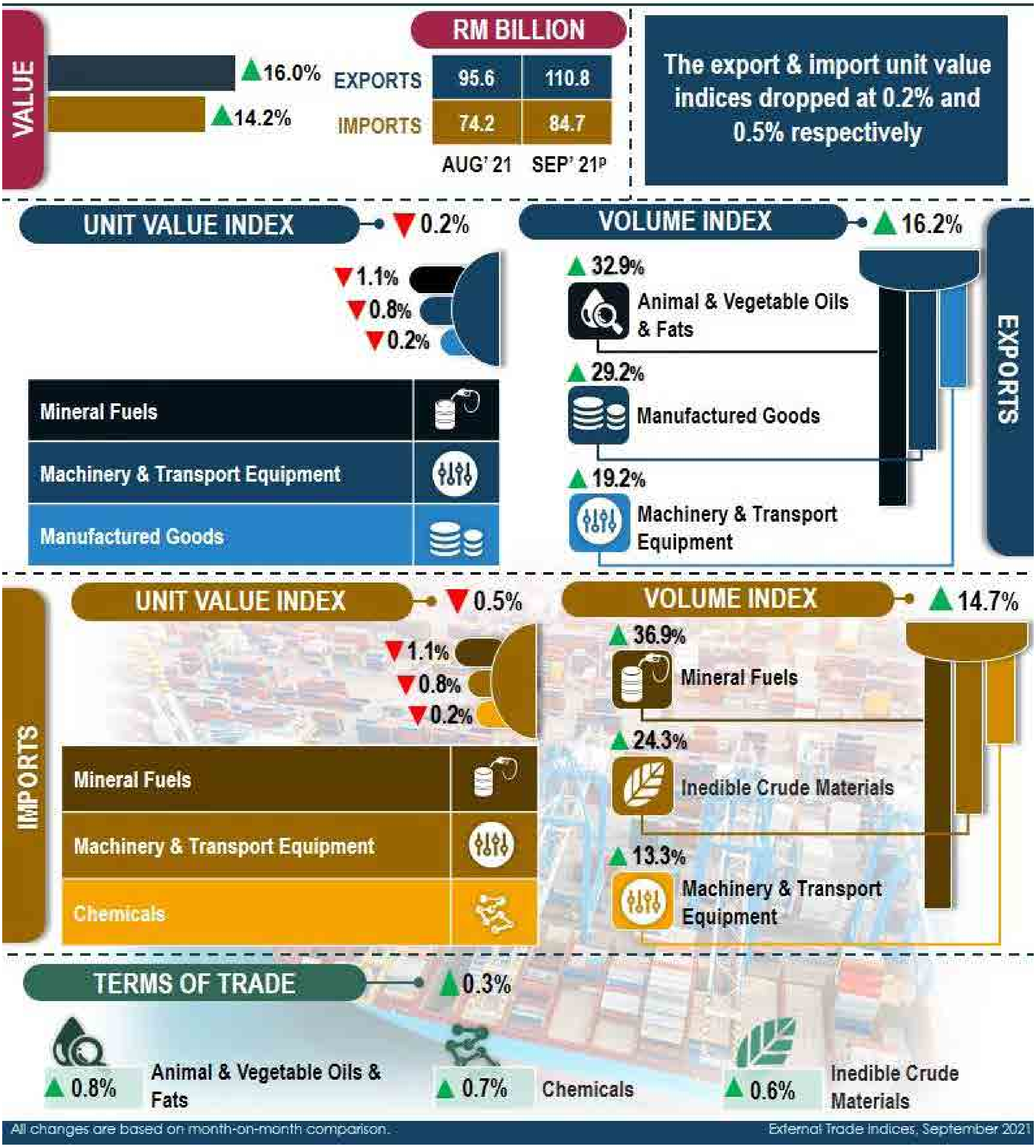
Nota : **YoY** = Year on Year | **QoQ** = Quarter on Quarter

Source: Services Producer Price Index (2010=100) Third Quarter 2021, Department of Statistics Malaysia

EXTERNAL TRADE INDICES, SEPTEMBER 2021

The export volume index soared by 16.2 per cent in September 2021, in line with the rise in Malaysia's export value as compared with the previous month. The increment was refected by the increases in the index of animal & vegetable oils & fats (+32.9%), manufactured goods (+29.2%) and machinery & transport equipment (+19.2%).

The import volume index grew 14.7 per cent in September 2021 as compared to the previous month. The upward trend in the import volume index was in accordance with the increase in Malaysia's import value, attributed to the growths in the index of mineral fuels (+36.9%), inedible crude materials (+24.3%) and machinery & transport equipment (+13.3%).



VALUE

▲16.0% EXPORTS

▲14.2% IMPORTS

RM BILLION	AUG' 21	SEP' 21P
EXPORTS	95.6	110.8
IMPORTS	74.2	84.7

The export & import unit value indices dropped at 0.2% and 0.5% respectively

EXPORTS

UNIT VALUE INDEX ▼0.2%

- ▼1.1% Mineral Fuels
- ▼0.8% Machinery & Transport Equipment
- ▼0.2% Manufactured Goods

VOLUME INDEX ▲16.2%

- ▲32.9% Animal & Vegetable Oils & Fats
- ▲29.2% Manufactured Goods
- ▲19.2% Machinery & Transport Equipment

IMPORTS

UNIT VALUE INDEX ▼0.5%

- ▼1.1% Mineral Fuels
- ▼0.8% Machinery & Transport Equipment
- ▼0.2% Chemicals

VOLUME INDEX ▲14.7%

- ▲36.9% Mineral Fuels
- ▲24.3% Inedible Crude Materials
- ▲13.3% Machinery & Transport Equipment

TERMS OF TRADE ▲0.3%

- ▲0.8% Animal & Vegetable Oils & Fats
- ▲0.7% Chemicals
- ▲0.6% Inedible Crude Materials

All changes are based on month-on-month comparison.

External Trade Indices, September 2021

WORLD LARGEST EXPORTERS OF COPPER POWDERS, OF LAMELLAR STRUCTURE, AND FLAKES OF COPPER (EXCLUDING GRAINS OF COPPER AND SPANGLES OF HEADING 8308)

In 2020, Malaysia's export of World largest exporter of Copper powders, of lamellar structure, and flakes of copper (excluding grains of copper and spangles of heading 8308) recorded US$ 496.8 million which was 87.2% share of the world exports.

Notes:
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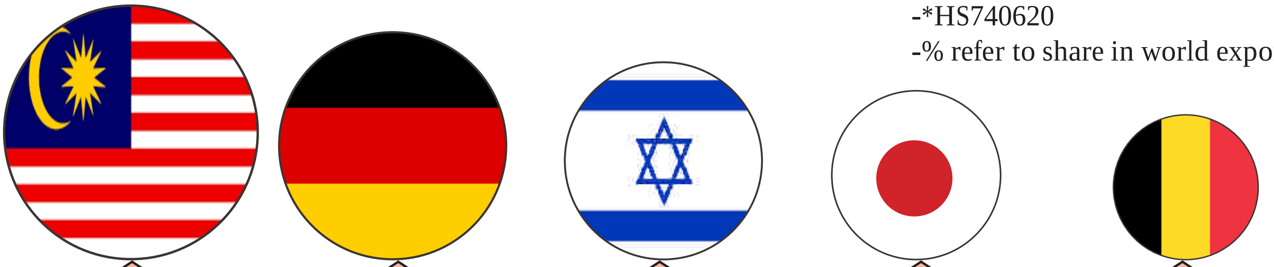
-% refer to share in world exports



1	Malaysia	US$ 496.8m	87.2%
2	Germany	US$ 37.8m	6.3%
3	Israel	US$ 12.0m	2.0%
4	Japan	US$ 7.2m	1.2%
5	Belgium	US$ 6.0m	1.0%

MALAYSIA'S TOP EXPORT DESTINATIONS

1	P.R. China	US$ 379.78m
2	Japan	US$ 37.17m
3	R.O.Korea	US$ 34.53m
4	India	US$ 12.11m
5	Chinese Taipei	US$ 11.17m

Source: https://www.trademap.org/index.aspx

SDG GOALS REPORT, 2021 (Goal 13)

13 CLIMATE ACTION

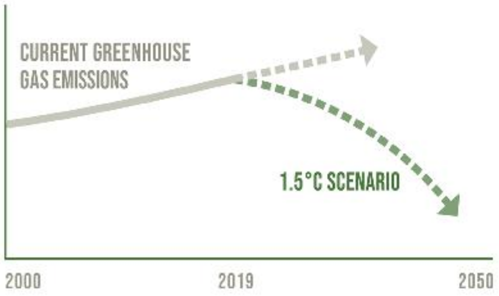
TAKE URGENT ACTION TO COMBAT CLIMATE CHANGE AND ITS IMPACTS

THE CLIMATE CRISIS CONTINUES, LARGELY UNABATED

2020 GLOBAL AVERAGE TEMPERATURE AT 1.2°C ABOVE PRE-INDUSTRIAL BASELINE

WOEFULLY OFF TRACK TO STAY AT OR BELOW 1.5°C AS CALLED FOR IN THE PARIS AGREEMENT

RISING GREENHOUSE GAS EMISSIONS REQUIRE SHIFTING ECONOMIES TOWARDS CARBON NEUTRALITY



CLIMATE FINANCE INCREASED

BY 10% FROM 2015-2016 TO 2017-2018, REACHING AN ANNUAL AVERAGE OF $48.7 BILLION

125 OF 154 DEVELOPING COUNTRIES ARE FORMULATING AND IMPLEMENTING NATIONAL CLIMATE ADAPTATION PLANS

HIGHEST PRIORITY AREAS INCLUDE

- FOOD SECURITY AND PRODUCTION
- TERRESTRIAL AND WETLAND ECOSYSTEMS
- FRESHWATER RESOURCES
- HUMAN HEALTH
- KEY ECONOMIC SECTORS AND SERVICES

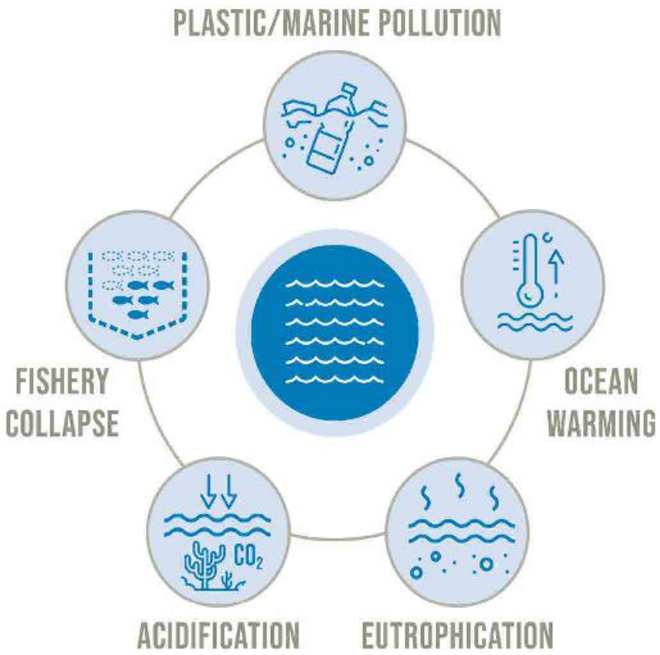
Source: SDG Report 2021, UNIDO

SDG GOALS REPORT, 2021 (Goal 14)

14 LIFE BELOW WATER

CONSERVE AND SUSTAINABLY USE THE OCEANS, SEA AND MARINE RESOURCES FOR SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT

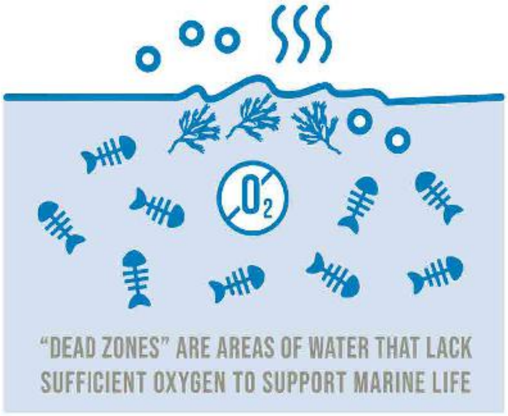
THE SUSTAINABILITY OF OUR OCEANS IS UNDER SEVERE THREAT



OVER 3 BILLION PEOPLE RELY ON OCEANS FOR THEIR LIVELIHOODS

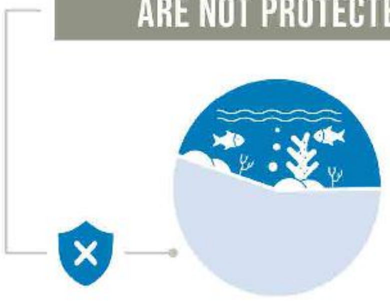
DEAD ZONES

ARE **RISING** AT AN ALARMING RATE, FROM **400** IN 2008 TO **700** IN 2019



“DEAD ZONES” ARE AREAS OF WATER THAT LACK SUFFICIENT OXYGEN TO SUPPORT MARINE LIFE

OVER HALF OF **MARINE KEY BIODIVERSITY AREAS** ARE NOT PROTECTED



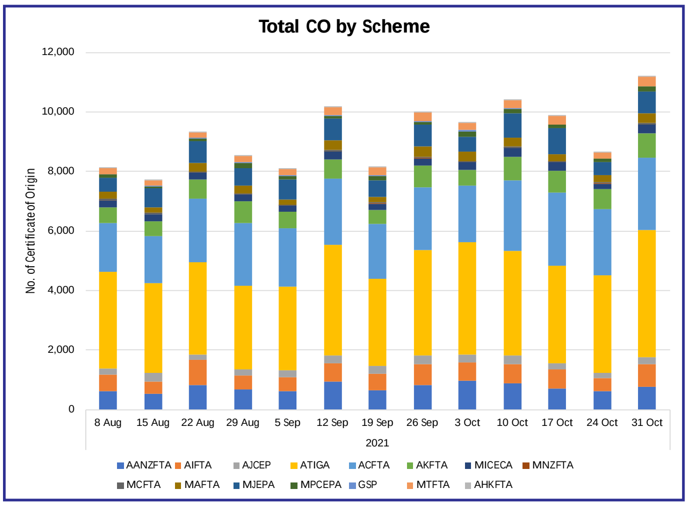
ABOUT HALF OF COUNTRIES WORLDWIDE HAVE ADOPTED SPECIFIC INITIATIVES TO SUPPORT **SMALL-SCALE FISHERS**

ON AVERAGE, ONLY **1.2%** OF **NATIONAL RESEARCH BUDGETS** ARE ALLOCATED FOR OCEAN SCIENCE

Source: SDG Report 2021, UNIDO

Number and FOB Value of PCO as at 31 October 2021
Weekly / Monthly/ Annually

Weekly Total Scheme



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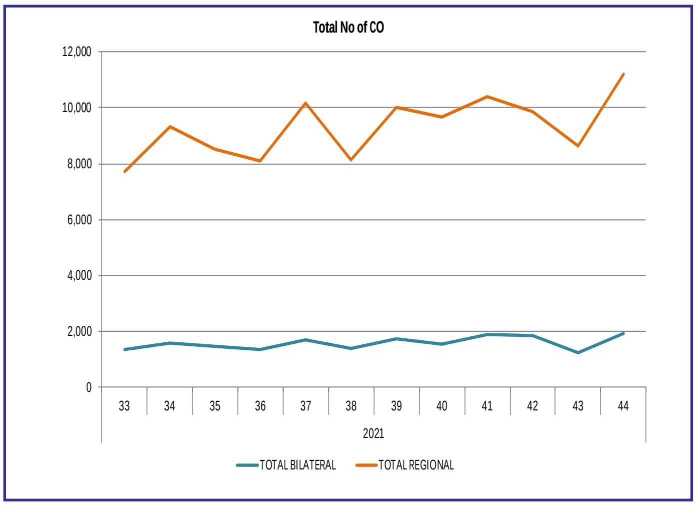

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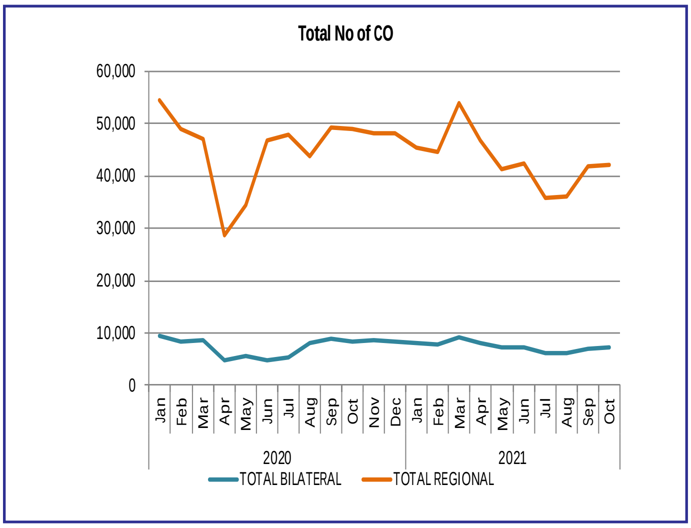
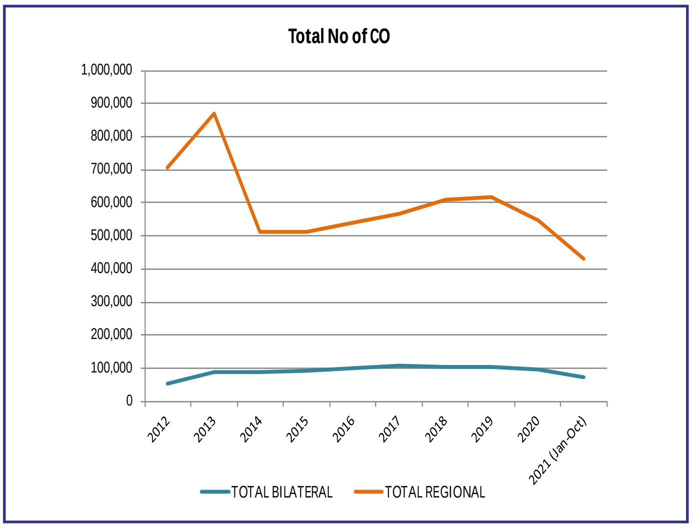


Annually

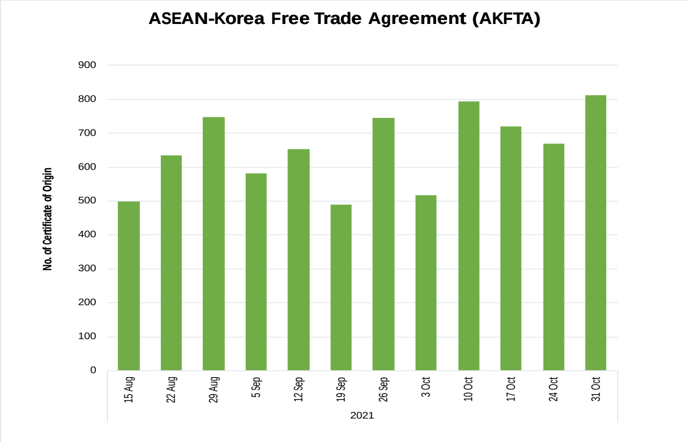


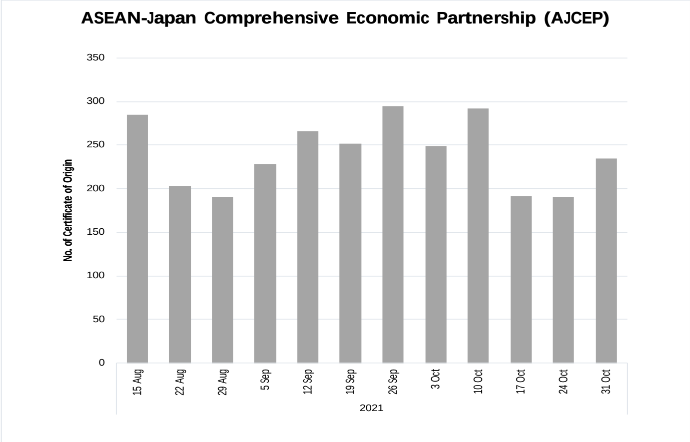
Note: *Provisional Data
Source: Ministry of International Trade and Industry, Malaysia

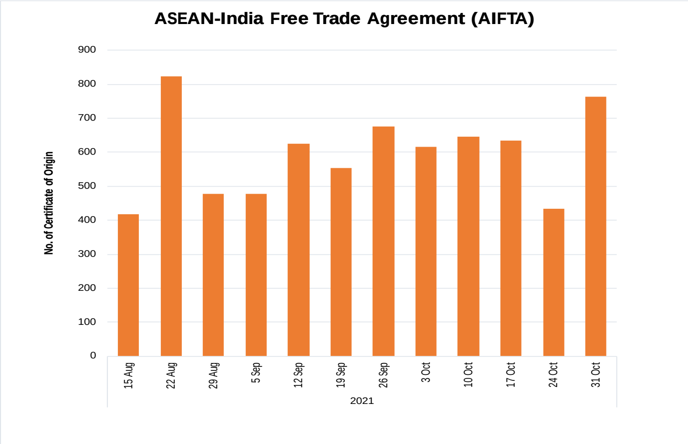
Regional FTA
Number of Preferential Certificates of Origin (PCOs) as at 31 October 2021


ASEAN Trade in Goods Agreement (ATIGA)


ASEAN-China Free Trade Agreement (ACFTA)

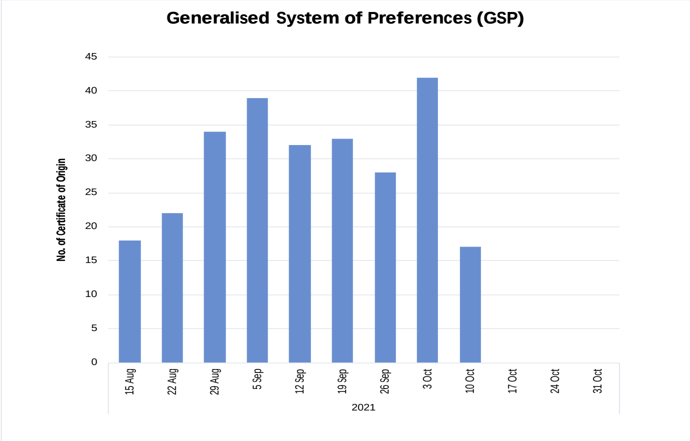

ASEAN-Korea Free Trade Agreement (AKFTA)


ASEAN-Japan Comprehensive Economic Partnership (AJCEP)


ASEAN-India Free Trade Agreement (AIFTA)


ASEAN-Australia-New Zealand Free Trade Agreement (AANZFTA)


ASEAN-Hong Kong, China Free Trade Agreement (AHKFTA)


Generalised System of Preferences (GSP)

Note: The preference giving countries under the GSP scheme are Liechtenstein, the Russian Federation, Japan, Switzerland, Belarus, Kazakhstan, Norway and Cambodia

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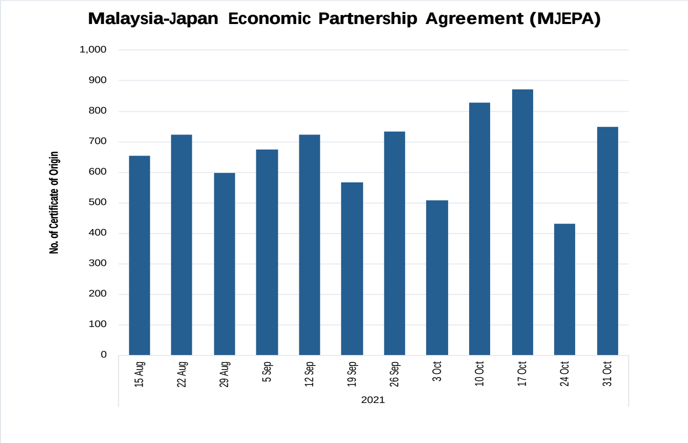
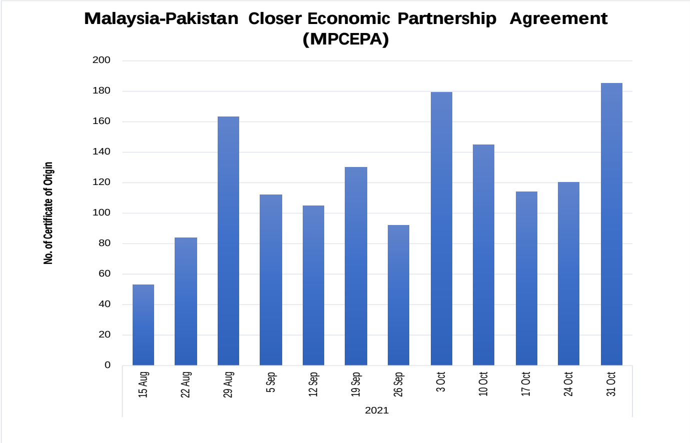
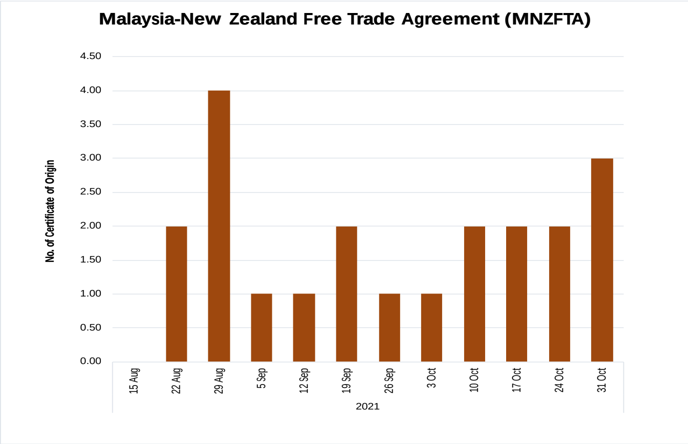
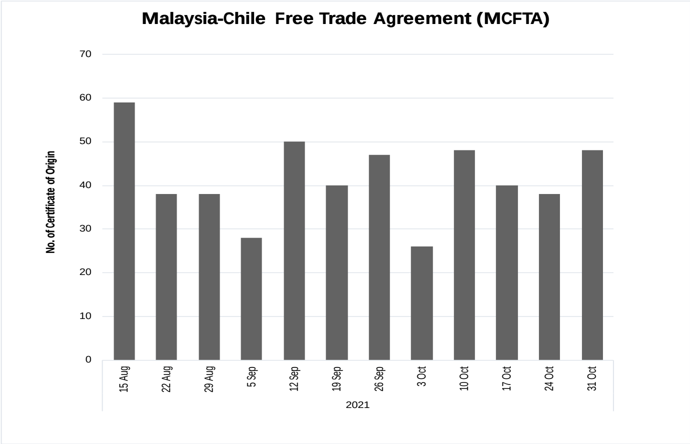
Source: Ministry of International Trade and Industry, Malaysia

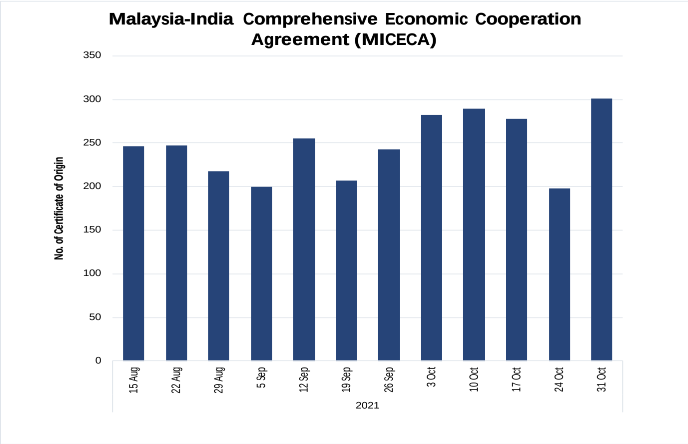
Bilateral FTA
Number of Preferential Certificates of Origin (PCOs) as at 31 October 2021

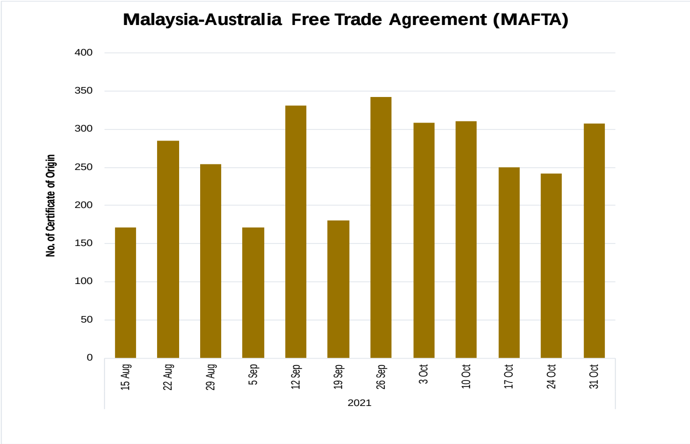

Malaysia-Japan Economic Partnership Agreement (MJEPA)

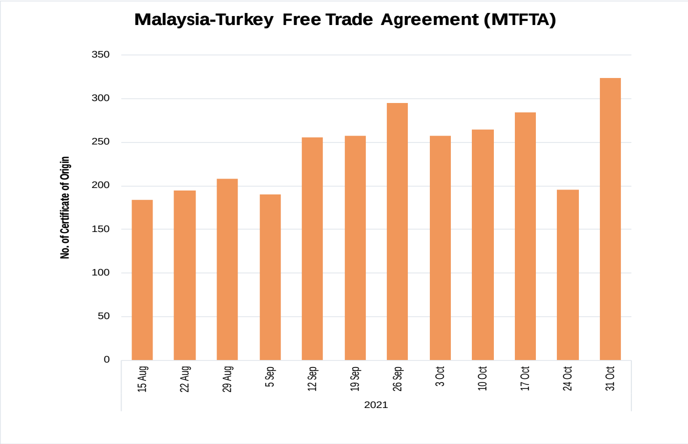

Malaysia-Pakistan Closer Economic Partnership Agreement (MPCEPA)


Malaysia-New Zealand Free Trade Agreement (MNZFTA)


Malaysia-Chile Free Trade Agreement (MCFTA)


Malaysia-India Comprehensive Economic Cooperation Agreement (MICECA)


Malaysia-Australia Free Trade Agreement (MAFTA)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Malaysian Ringgit Exchange Rate with Selected Countries, January 2020 - October 2021

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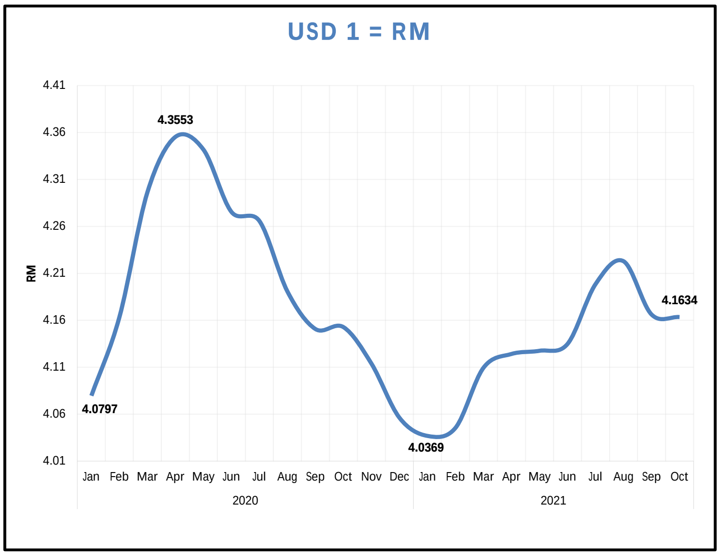

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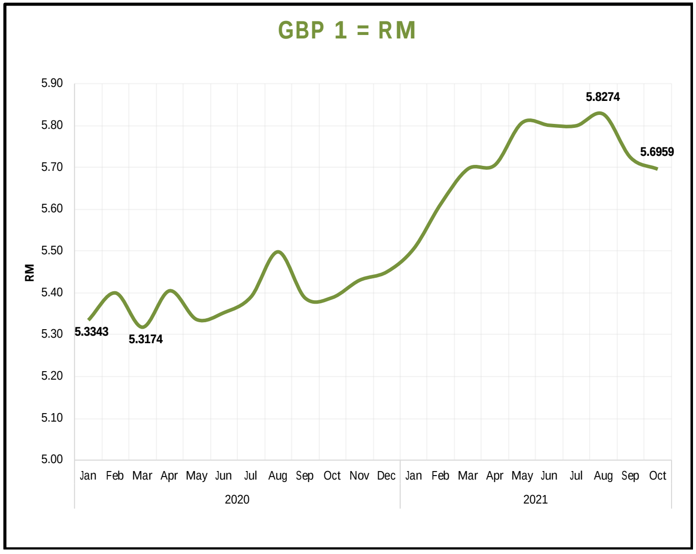

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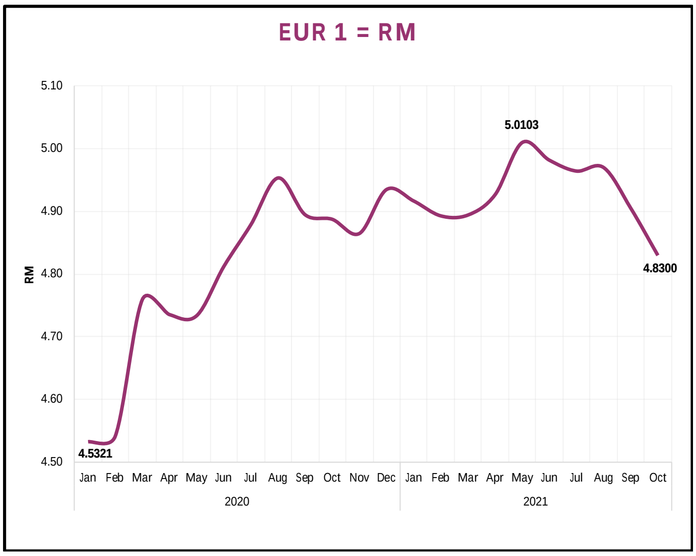

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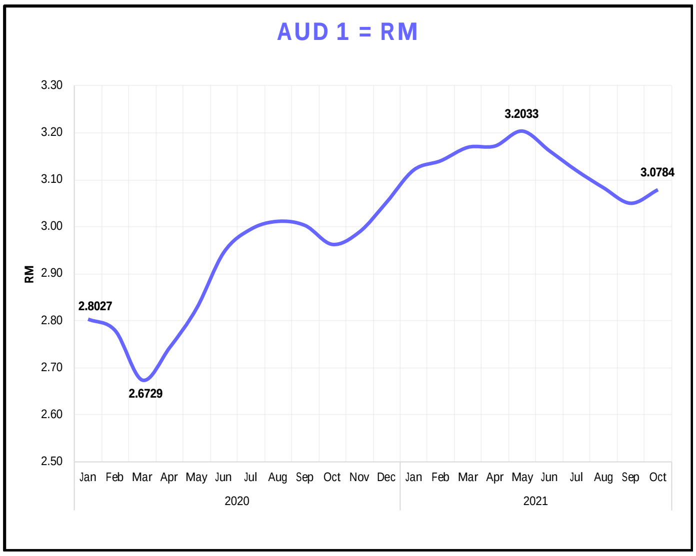

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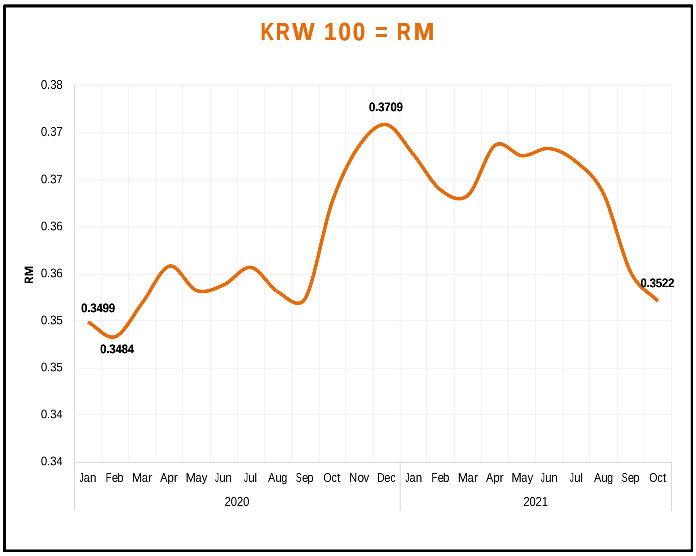

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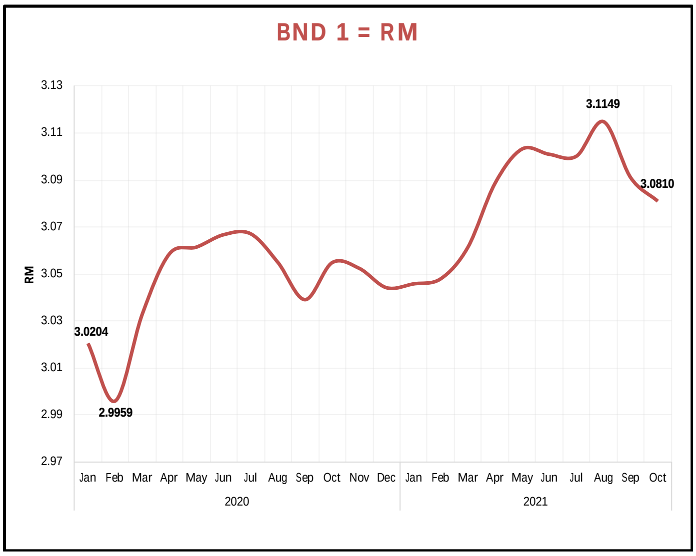


Source : Bank Negara Malaysia

Commodity Prices

CRUDE PETROLEUM (BRENT) -per bbl-

▼1.9%*
US$82.7
5 Nov 2021

Highest 2020/2021
22 Oct 2021 : US$85.5
03 Jan 2020 : US$68.6

15 Jan 2021 : US$55.1
24 Apr 2020 : US$21.4
Lowest 2020/2021

Average Price 2020 [i] : US$43.5

CRUDE PALM OIL -per MT-

▼1.3%*
US$1,284.5
5 Nov 2021

Highest 2020/2021
29 Oct 2021 : US$1,302.0
24 Dec 2020 : US$944.2

18 Jun 2021 : US$844.6
8 May 2020 : US$473.0
Lowest 2020/2021

Average Price 2020[i] : US$668.3

RUBBER SMR 20 -per MT-

▼5.7%*
US$1,684.0
5 Nov 2021

Average Price 2020 [i] : US$1,333.4

COCOA SMC 2 -per MT-

▼7.8%*
US$1,424.5
5 Nov 2021

Average Price 2020 [i] : US$1,576.6

SUGAR -per lbs-

▲3.5%*
US$19.9
5 Nov 2021

Average Price 2020 [i] : US¢12.9

COAL -per MT-

▼36.3%*
US$148.3
5 Nov 2021

Average Price 2020 [i] : US$47.7

SCRAP IRON HMS -per MT-

⊜ %*
US$508.0
(high)

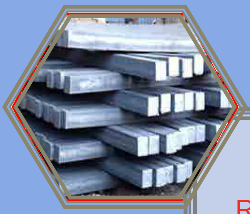
⊜ %*
US$500.0
(low)

5 Nov 2021

Average Price 2020 [i] : US$307.9 (high)
Average Price 2020 [i] : US$284.7 (low)

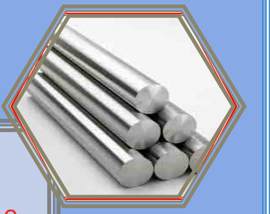
Domestic Prices

5 Nov 2021



Billets
(per MT)
RM2,750- RM2,900

Steel Bars
(per MT)
RM3,150 – RM3,300



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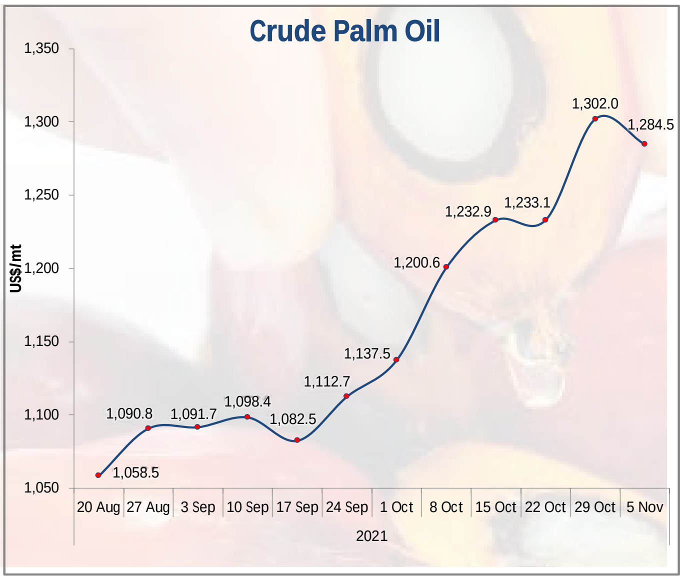
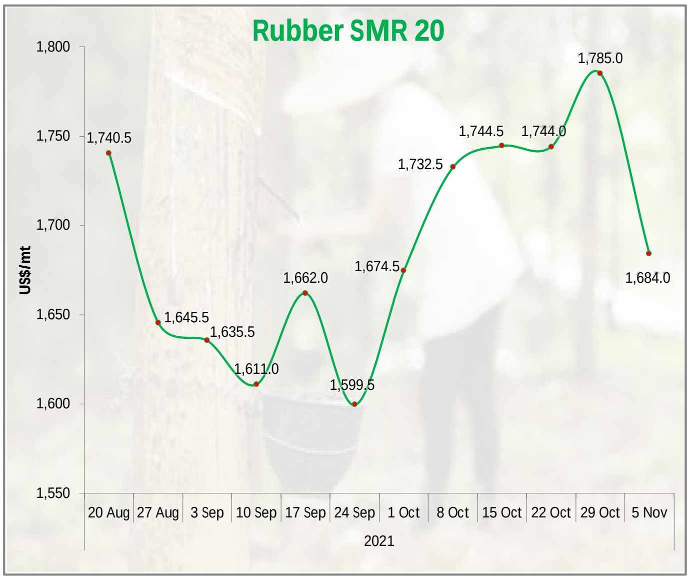
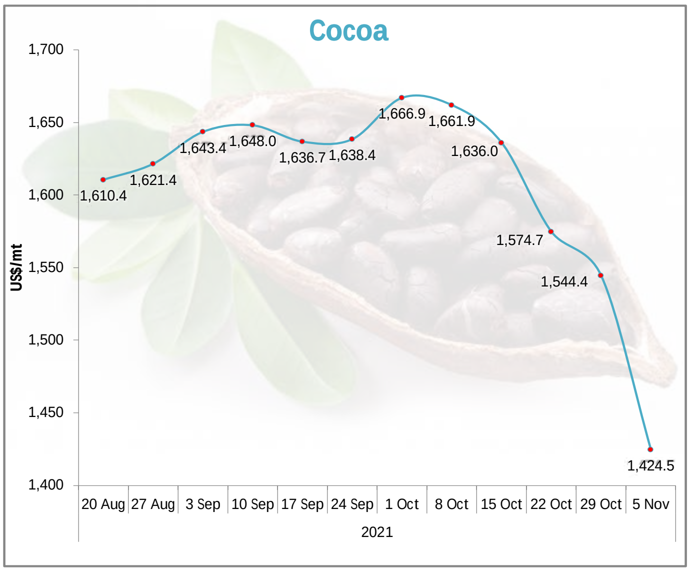
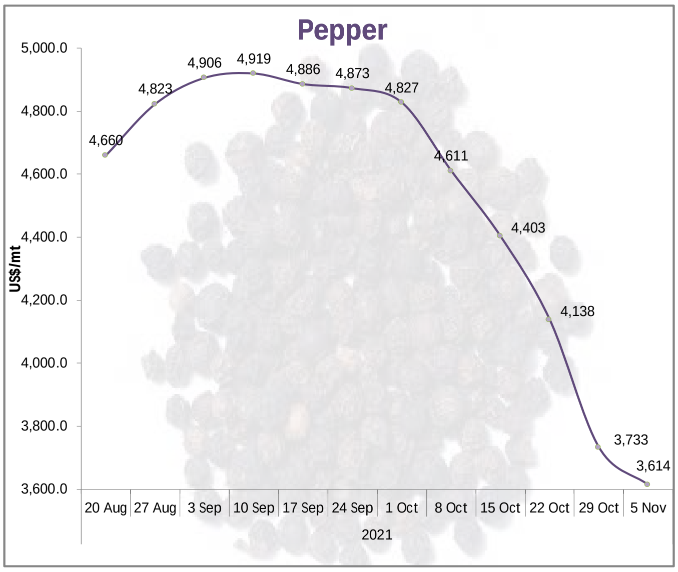
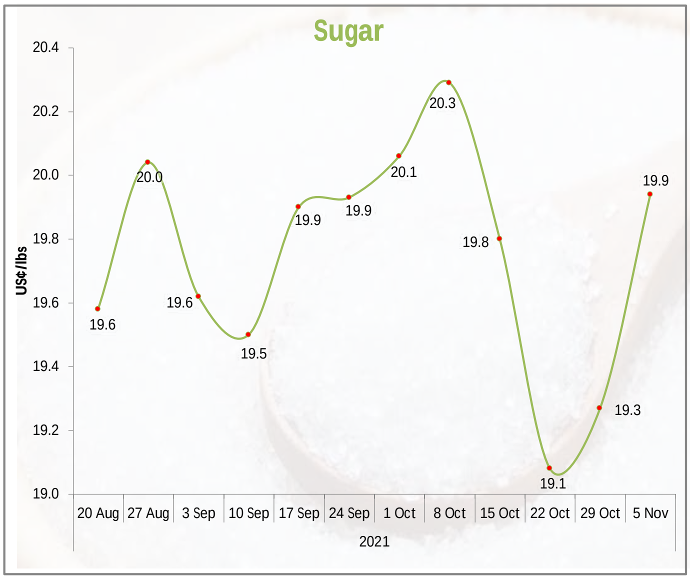
Commodity Price Trends

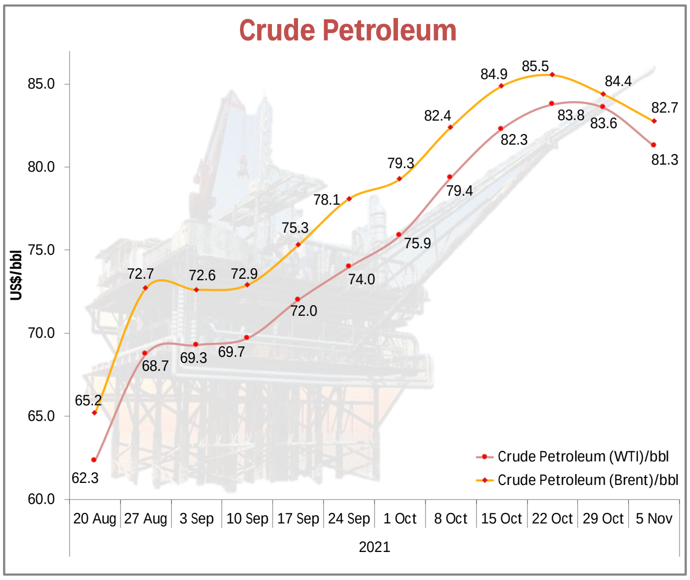












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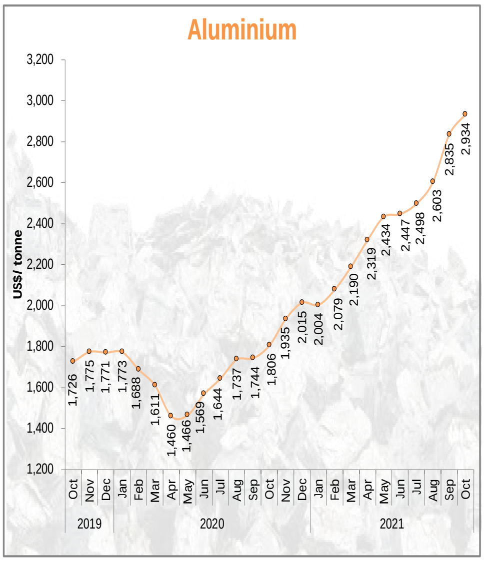

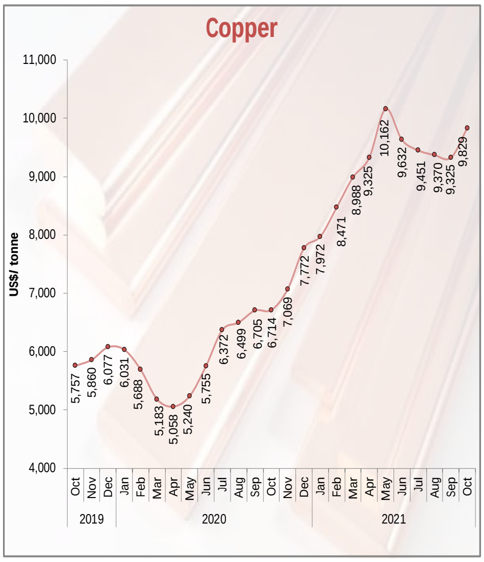

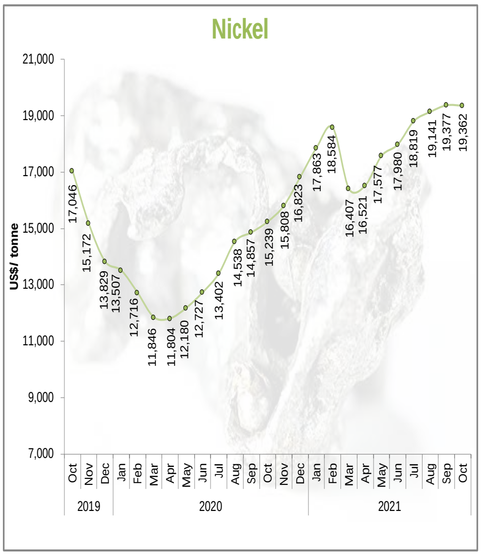

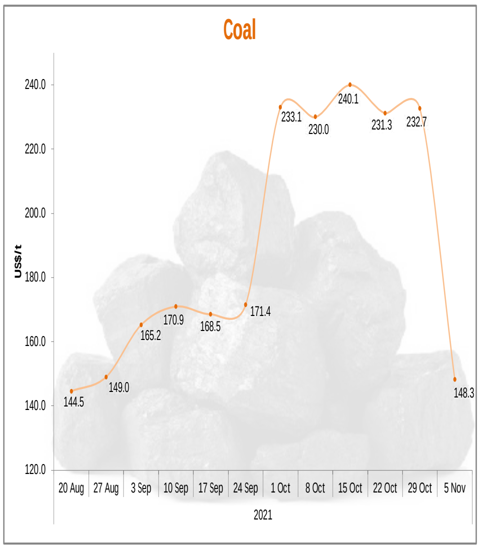

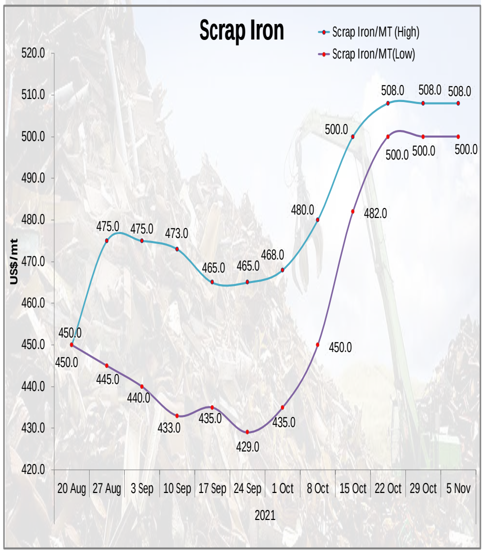

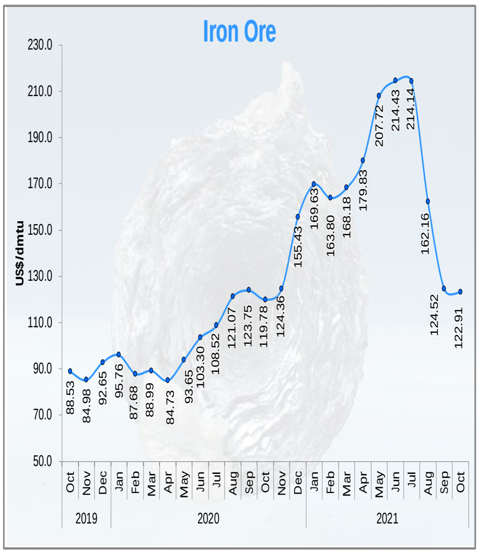

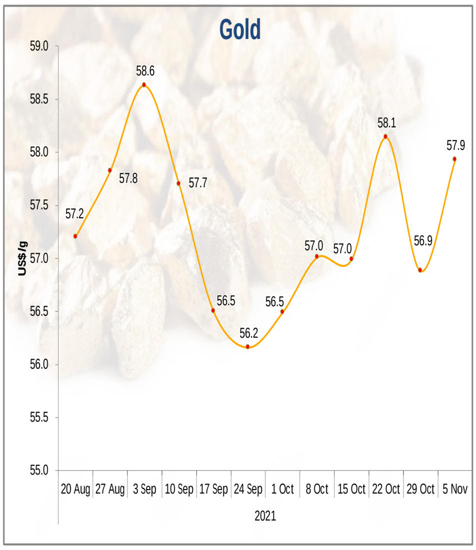

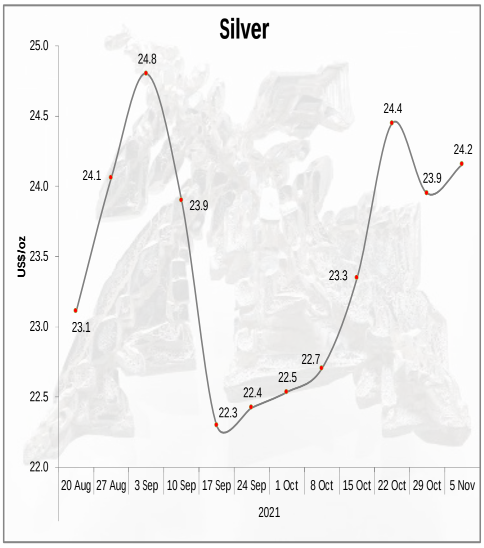

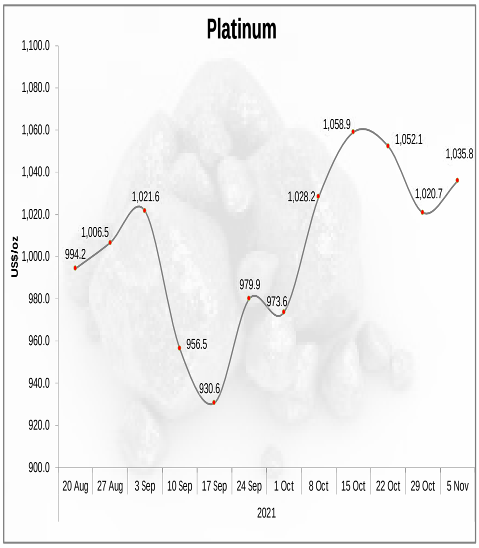

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INDUSTRY4WRD RELATED INCENTIVES

Having the extra capital allows SMEs to flourish and prosper. Find the suitable fund for your company.

01 LOANS

Soft Loan Scheme for Automation and Modernisation (SLSAM)

- targets manufacturing sectors
- 4.0% interest rate per annum for SMEs
- www.midf.com.my

Industry Digitalisation Transformation Fund (IDTF)

- targeted sectors: AI, Robotics, Automation etc.
- provides a 2% interest rate subsidy
- www.bpmb.com.my

Coming Soon!

1. Intervention Fund*
   - 70:30 matching grant up to RM500,000.
2. Industry4WRD DISF*
   - 60:40 matching grant

*participation in Industry4WRD RA is a prerequisite to apply

02 GRANTS

Domestic Investment Strategic Fund (DISF)

- 50:50 matching grant to companies adopting Industry 4.0 enabling technologies
- targets manufacturing and services sectors
- www.mida.gov.my

Digital Transformation Acceleration Program (DTAP) Pilot Grant

- 1:1 matching grant
- targets large corporate and mid-tier companies in Malaysia
- assists companies to tap on the expertise of Digital Transformation Labs (DTL)
- www.mdec.my

Automation Capital Allowance (Automation CA)

For Labour Intensive Industries:

- Automation CA of 200% on the first RM4 million expenditure incurred within 5 years

For other industries:

- Automation CA of 200% on the first RM2 million expenditure incurred within 5 years
- www.mida.gov.my

For more information, kindly click the following links:
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ALL YOU NEED TO KNOW

Industry4WRD

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INDUSTRY4WRD READINESS ASSESSMENT

Get your firm assessed. Be ready for Industry 4.0.

All you need to know about Industry4WRD RA

What is it?

Trained assessors will help you to understand your readiness for Industry 4.0 and make recommendations on where to start your transformation.

Who is eligible?

- ✓ Manufacturing and its related services sector
- ✓ Incorporated under the Companies Act (1965/2016)/ Registration of Business Act (1956)
- ✓ Hold a valid license
- ✓ In operation for more than 3 years

What are the benefits?

- To identify areas of improvement in terms of people, process and technology.
- Receive comprehensive readiness report.
- Be entitled to apply for financial incentives.

Incentives for RA

- 500 SMEs will be selected for free assessment.
- Others will get tax exemption on RA fees up to RM27k.

Enquiries

- General: i4.0@miti.gov.my
- RA: industry4wrd@mpc.gov.my

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Process Flow

A FEW SIMPLE STEPS

Readiness Assessment

1. APPLY NOW! Apply online at www.miti.gov.my/industry4wrd
2. Evaluation by Committees
3. Onsite Assessment
4. Receive RA Report

Business Intervention

5. Develop Intervention Proposal
6. Apply for Financial Incentives
7. Implement the Intervention Plan

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NATIONAL RECOVERY PLAN (PPN)

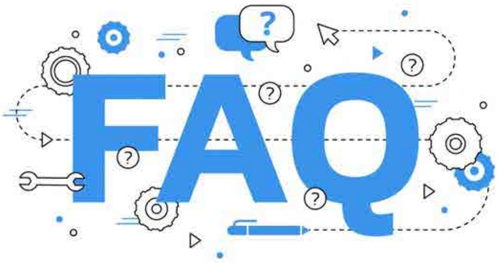
1. PPN MEDIA RELEASE

2. ALL THE CONTACTS YOU NEED

3. REGISTRATION FOR BUSINESS OPERATION

4. PPN SOPs

5. FAQ & ENQUIRY



DOING BUSINESS @ COVID

ALL YOU NEED TO KNOW

ANNOUNCEMENT

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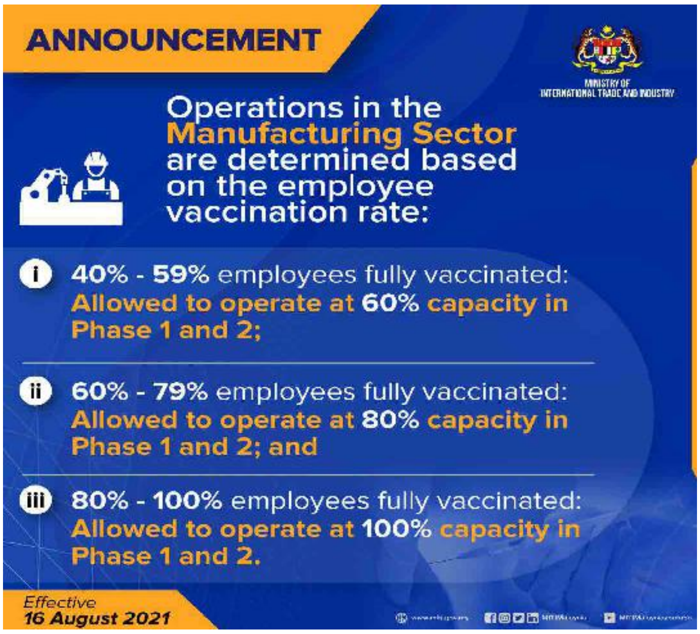
LATEST DEVELOPMENT FOR THE MANUFACTURING SECTOR:

i Manufacturing companies that are **not listed as essential services** **Phase 1 and 2 of NRP areas**	**ALLOWED TO OPERATE** based on the rate of **fully vaccinated** workers
ii Manufacturing companies **listed as essential services** **Phase 1, 2 and 3 of NRP areas**	**ALLOWED TO INCREASE CAPACITY** based on the rate of **fully vaccinated** workers

Effective
16 August 2021



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Operations in the Manufacturing Sector are determined based on the employee vaccination rate:

i **40% - 59%** employees fully vaccinated: **Allowed to operate at 60% capacity in Phase 1 and 2;**

ii **60% - 79%** employees fully vaccinated: **Allowed to operate at 80% capacity in Phase 1 and 2; and**

iii **80% - 100%** employees fully vaccinated: **Allowed to operate at 100% capacity in Phase 1 and 2.**

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Companies in the manufacturing and construction sector are required to **declare the rate of their fully vaccinated employees** in the **(CIMS) 3.0 system** (notification.miti.gov.my)

Upon declaration, the company may directly download the latest approval letter to operate.

Note:
*Verification of the employee vaccination rates will be done through the **COVID-19 Immunisation Task Force (CITF) under the Ministry of Science, Technology and Innovation (MOSTI)**. Periodic verification visits will also be carried out by enforcement personnel on manufacturing companies.*

16 August 2021

KEMENTERIAN PERDAGANGAN ANTARABANGSA DAN INDUSTRI

Adakah MITI meluluskan semua permohonan syarikat sepanjang PKP 3.0?

Tidak.

MITI hanya memproses dan meluluskan permohonan bagi sektor pembuatan.

13 Jun 2021

KEMENTERIAN PERDAGANGAN ANTARABANGSA DAN INDUSTRI

Siapa yang meluluskan permohonan syarikat-syarikat yang bukan di dalam sektor pembuatan?

Terdapat 18 Kementerian dan Agensi lain yang diberi akses kepada CIMS untuk menguruskan permohonan sektor masing-masing.

13 Jun 2021

KEMENTERIAN PERDAGANGAN ANTARABANGSA DAN INDUSTRI

Bagaimana saya nak tahu sektor bagi perniagaan saya serta Kementerian yang perlu saya hubungi?

Kami telah menyediakan satu direktori lengkap dengan senarai sektor mengikut Kementerian dan Agensi serta nombor untuk dihubungi. Direktori boleh dimuat turun di www.miti.gov.my

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PIKAS

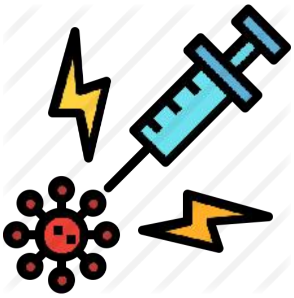
(PROGRAM IMMUNISASI KERJASAMA AWAM DAN SWASTA)

1. PIKAS MEDIA RELEASE

2. TERMS AND CONDITIONS

3. REGISTRATION

4. LIST OF PIKAS PPV



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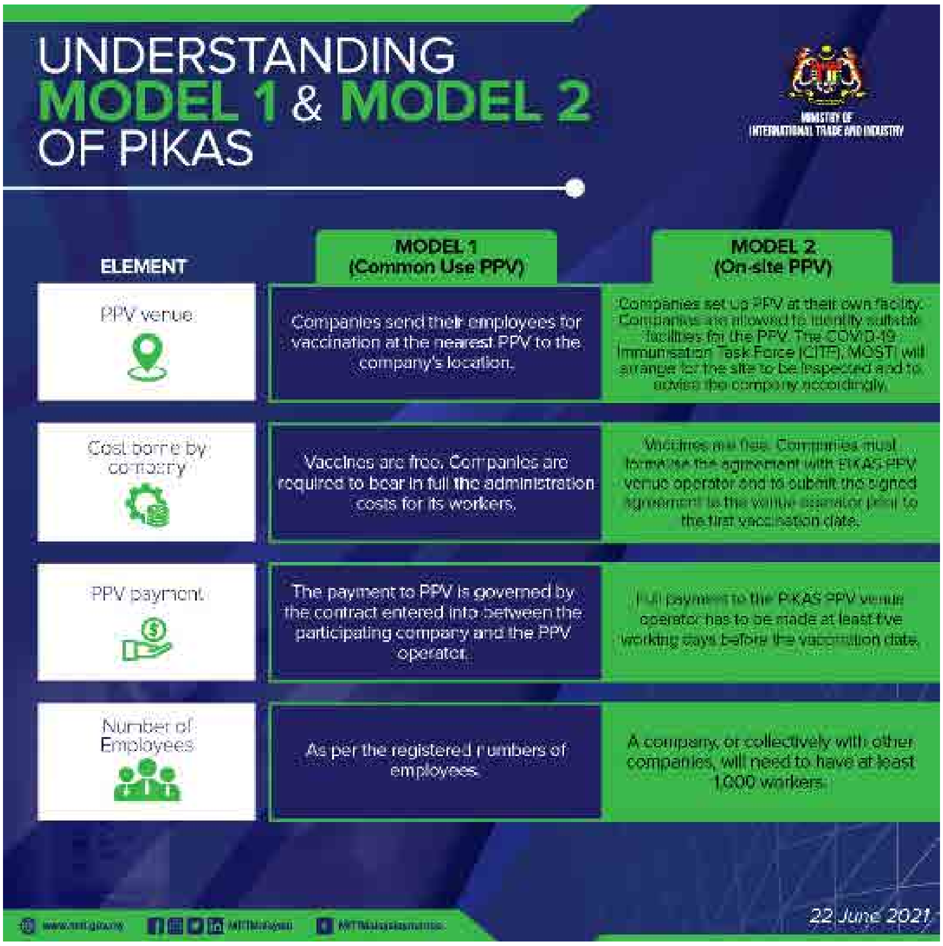

UNDERSTANDING MODEL 1 & MODEL 2 OF PIKAS

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ELEMENT	MODEL 1 (Common Use PPV)	MODEL 2 (On-site PPV)
PPV venue	Companies send their employees for vaccination at the nearest PPV to the company's location.	Companies set up PPV at their own facility. Companies are allowed to identify suitable facilities for the PPV. The COVID-19 Immunisation Task Force (CITF), MOSTI will arrange for the site to be inspected and to advise the company accordingly.
Cost borne by company	Vaccines are free. Companies are required to bear in full the administration costs for its workers.	Vaccines are free. Companies must formalise the agreement with PIKAS PPV venue operator and to submit the signed agreement to the venue operator prior to the first vaccination date.
PPV payment	The payment to PPV is governed by the contract entered into between the participating company and the PPV operator.	Full payment to the PIKAS PPV venue operator has to be made at least five working days before the vaccination date.
Number of Employees	As per the registered numbers of employees.	A company, or collectively with other companies, will need to have at least 1,000 workers.

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PROGRAM IMUNISASI INDUSTRI COVID-19 KERJASAMA AWAM-SWASTA (PIKAS)

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PIKAS Vaccination Cost (per dose per worker)

No.	Item	PPV	*On-site*
①	Vaccine	Free	Free
②	Vaccine administration cost to ProtectHealth	RM15.00	RM15.00
③	PPV venue host	RM30.00	Depends on the on-site venue preparation cost which will differ based on the size, layout and other costs to set up the venue.
	Total (per dose per worker)	RM45.00	RM15 + PPV preparation cost

Note: The estimated cost is not inclusive of tax.

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9.00 am to 5.00 pm
(Monday to Friday)

- **covid19hotline@miti.gov.my**
  (for general enquiries on the Manufacturing Sector and its Related Services)
- **covid19aduan@miti.gov.my**
  (for reports/complaints on SOPs non-compliance)
- **cims@marii.my**
  (for technical issues on CIMS 3.O)

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A SERIES OF SESSION FOR THE PRIVATE SECTOR

When? Once a month

Where? MITI Tower Kuala Lumpur or MITI Regional Offices

Information on the benefits of Free Trade Agreements (FTAs) and current updates

Introduction on Preferential Certificates of Origin (PCO) application procedures

For more information, please contact :

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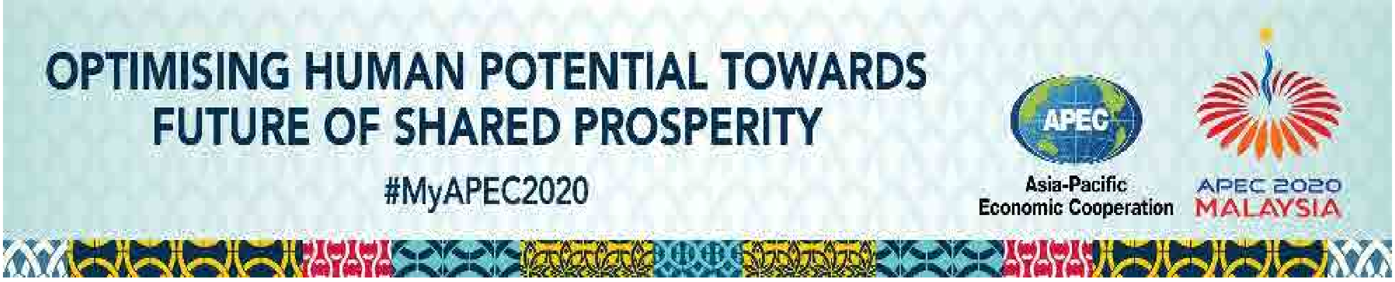

OPTIMISING HUMAN POTENTIAL TOWARDS FUTURE OF SHARED PROSPERITY

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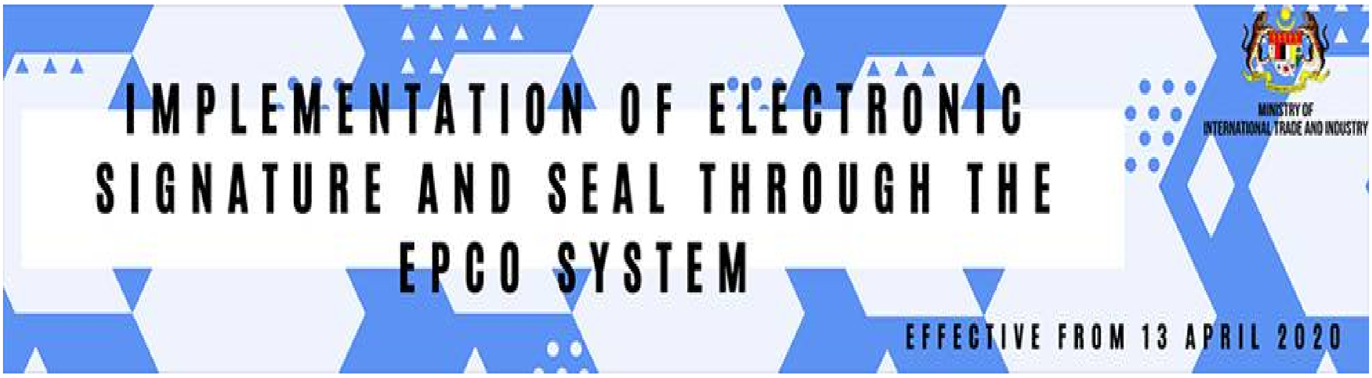

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IMPLEMENTATION OF ELECTRONIC SIGNATURE AND SEAL THROUGH THE EPCO SYSTEM

EFFECTIVE FROM 13 APRIL 2020

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HOW COMPANY CAN CHECK

THE STATUS OF ATIGA E-FORM D TRANSACTIONS IN THE ELECTRONIC PREFERENTIAL CERTIFICATE OF ORIGIN (EPCO) SYSTEM

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