



MINISTRY OF INTERNATIONAL TRADE AND INDUSTRY

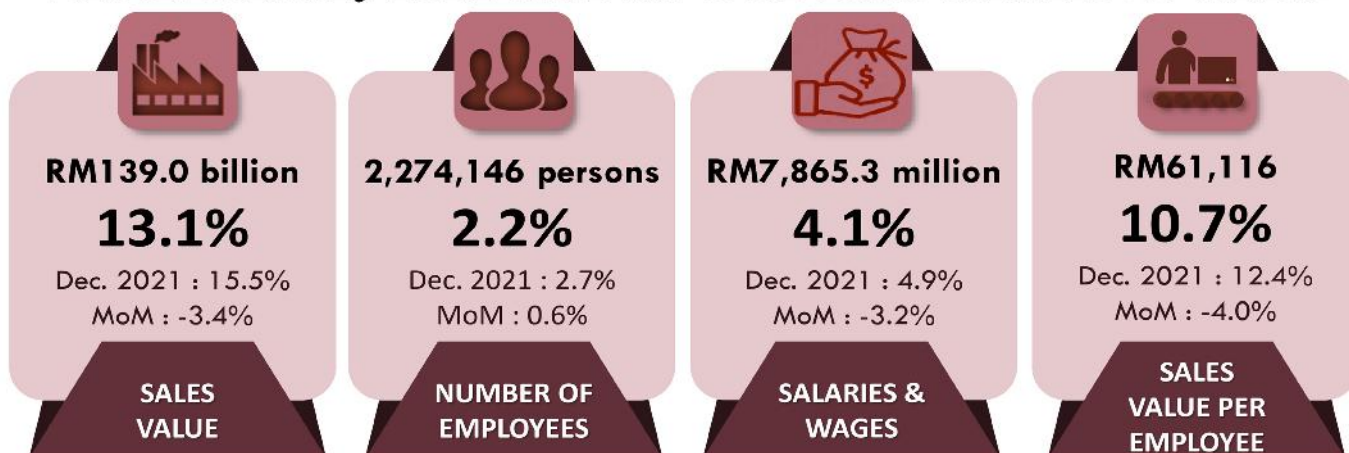
Weekly BULLETIN

VOLUME 681

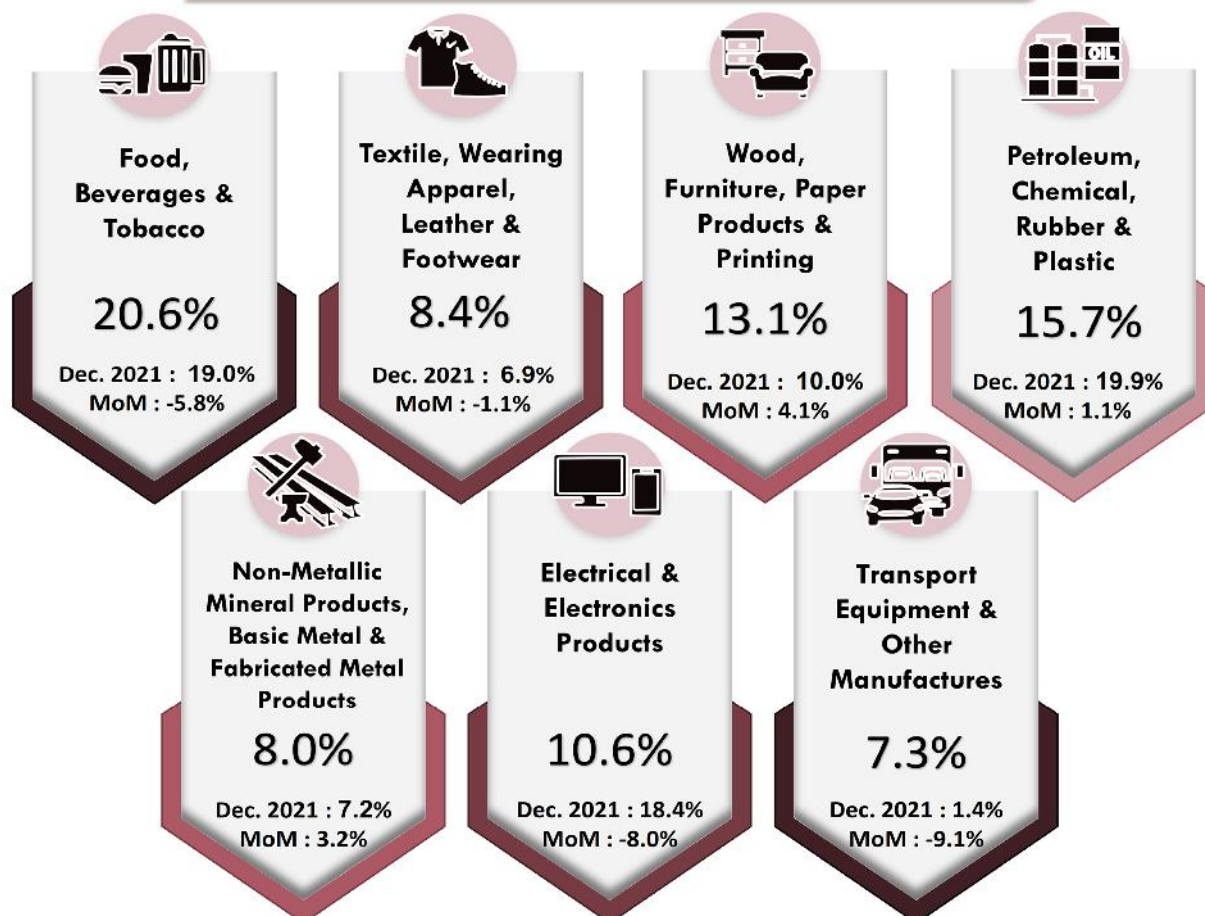
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MONTHLY MANUFACTURING, JAN 2022

Malaysia's Manufacturing sales value expanded by 13.1 per cent in January 2022 with the total value of RM139.0 billion



SALES VALUE BY SUBSECTOR



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

Source : Monthly Manufacturing Statistics, Malaysia
January 2022
Department of Statistics Malaysia

INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION INDEX, JAN 2022

Malaysia's Industrial Production Index (IPI) remained positive in January 2022 with a growth of 4.3 per cent



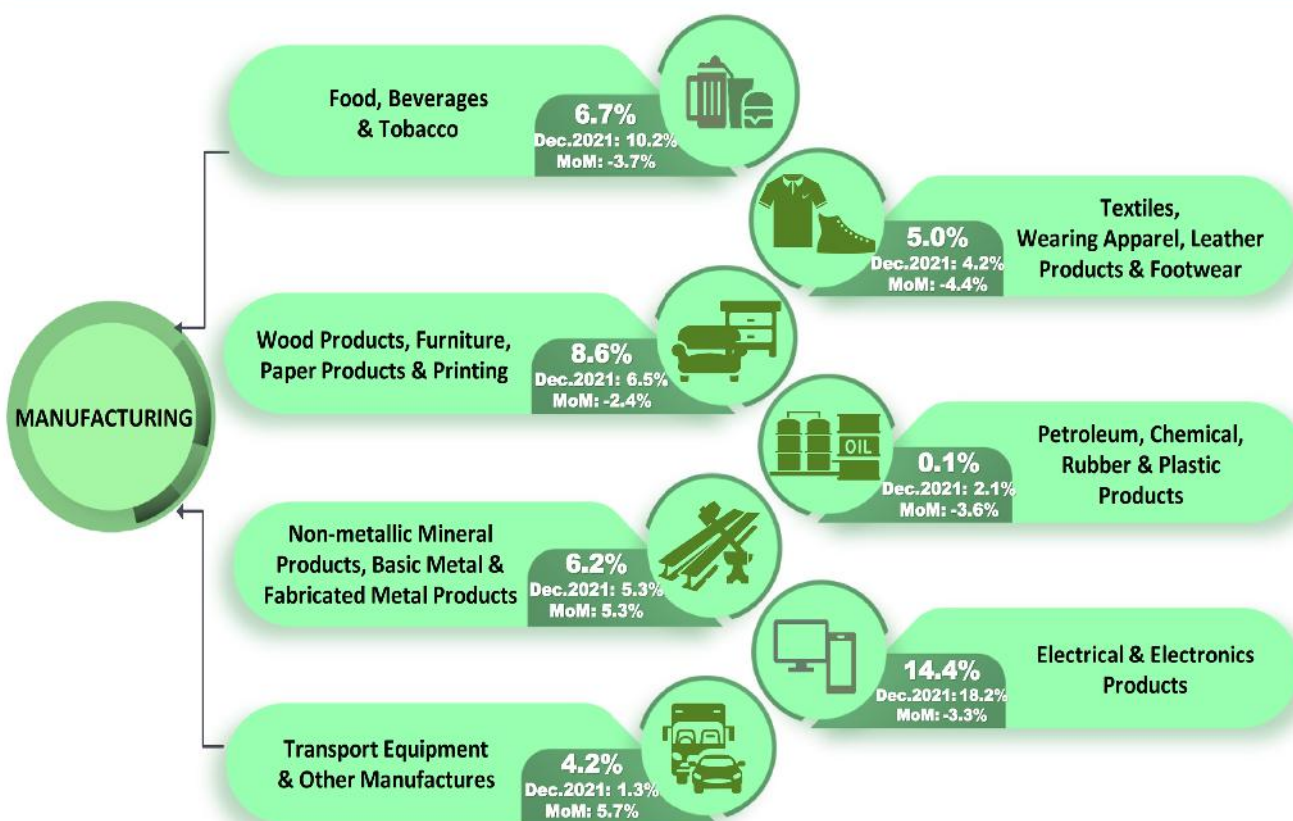
IPI: 4.3%
Dec. 2021: 5.9%
MoM: -1.2%

Mining: -5.1%
Dec. 2021: -2.6%
MoM: -0.02%

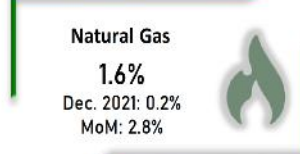


Manufacturing: 6.8%
Dec. 2021: 8.4%
MoM: -1.7%

Electricity: 7.7%
Dec. 2021: 4.7%
MoM: 0.6%



MINING

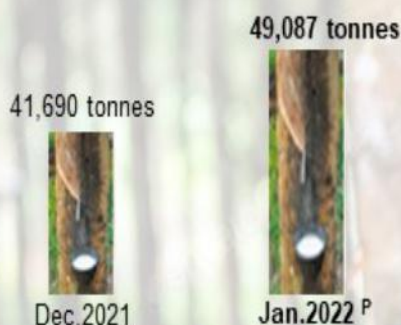


Note :
Percentage refers to the change in
Month-on-month (MoM) And Year-on-year (YoY)

Source:
Index Of Industrial Production Malaysia, January 2022
Department Of Statistics Malaysia

RUBBER STATISTICS, JAN 2022

PRODUCTION
(tonnes) ↑ 17.7%



AVERAGE PRICE
(sen/kg)

↑ 3.0%

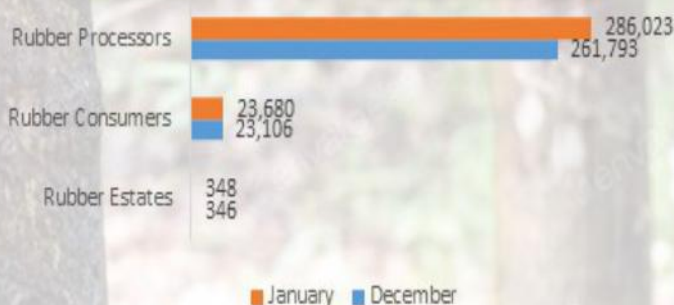
S.M.R. 20
January 2022: 734.05
December 2021: 713.00

↑ 6.0%

Concentrate latex
January 2022: 572.08
December 2021: 539.45

STOCKS

Jan. 2022 P: 310,052 tonnes ↑ 8.7%
Dec. 2021: 285,245 tonnes



IMPORTS

Jan. 2022 P: 142,255 tonnes ↑ 25.0%
Dec. 2021: 113,776 tonnes



P Preliminary

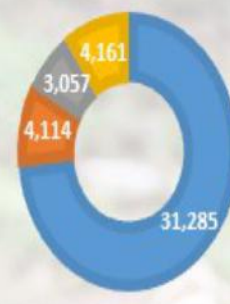
MONTHLY RUBBER STATISTICS JANUARY 2022

DOMESTIC CONSUMPTION

Jan. 2022 P: 43,189 tonnes ↑ 1.3%
Dec. 2021: 42,618 tonnes



JANUARY 2022



DECEMBER 2021

EXPORTS

Jan. 2022 P: 51,158 tonnes ↑ 11.3%
Dec. 2021: 45,982 tonnes



Sources: Monthly Rubber Statistics, Malaysia, January 2022

DISTRIBUTIVE TRADE, JAN 2022



SALES VALUE

RM120.5b

JAN. 2022: 7.7%

DEC. 2021: 3.6%

VOLUME INDEX

135.5 points

JAN. 2022: 3.6%

DEC. 2021: 0.8%

WHOLESALE
TRADEJan. 2022: RM58.6b
5.7%Dec. 2021: RM57.6b
4.1%Jan. 2022
1.5%Dec. 2021
0.7%RETAIL
TRADEJan. 2022: RM49.0b
7.3%Dec. 2021: RM48.5b
3.5%Jan. 2022
3.0%Dec. 2021
0.5%MOTOR
VEHICLESJan. 2022: RM12.9b
19.4%Dec. 2021: RM14.6b
2.2%Jan. 2022
16.3%Dec. 2021
2.5%Seasonally
Adjusted Volume
Index (Monthly)DEC.
2021
0.1%JAN.
2022
1.1%MAIN GROUPS
(SALES VALUE)Other Specialised
Wholesale

Dec. 2021: 2.3% | Jan. 2022: 5.2%

Wholesale of Household
Goods

Dec. 2021: 1.7% | Jan. 2022: 1.9%

Wholesale of Food,
Beverages & Tobacco

Dec. 2021: 8.1% | Jan. 2022: 9.5%

Retail Sale in Non-
specialised Stores

Dec. 2021: 6.0% | Jan. 2022: 10.1%

Retail Sale of Other Goods
in Specialised Stores

Dec. 2021: -3.1% | Jan. 2022: 1.2%

Retail Sale of Other
Household Equipment in
Specialised Stores

Dec. 2021: 2.4% | Jan. 2022: 7.1%



Sale of Motor Vehicles

Dec. 2021: -4.5% | Jan. 2022: 20.1%

Sale of Motor Vehicles
Parts & Accessories

Dec. 2021: 5.1% | Jan. 2022: 24.5%

Maintenance & Repair of
Motor Vehicles

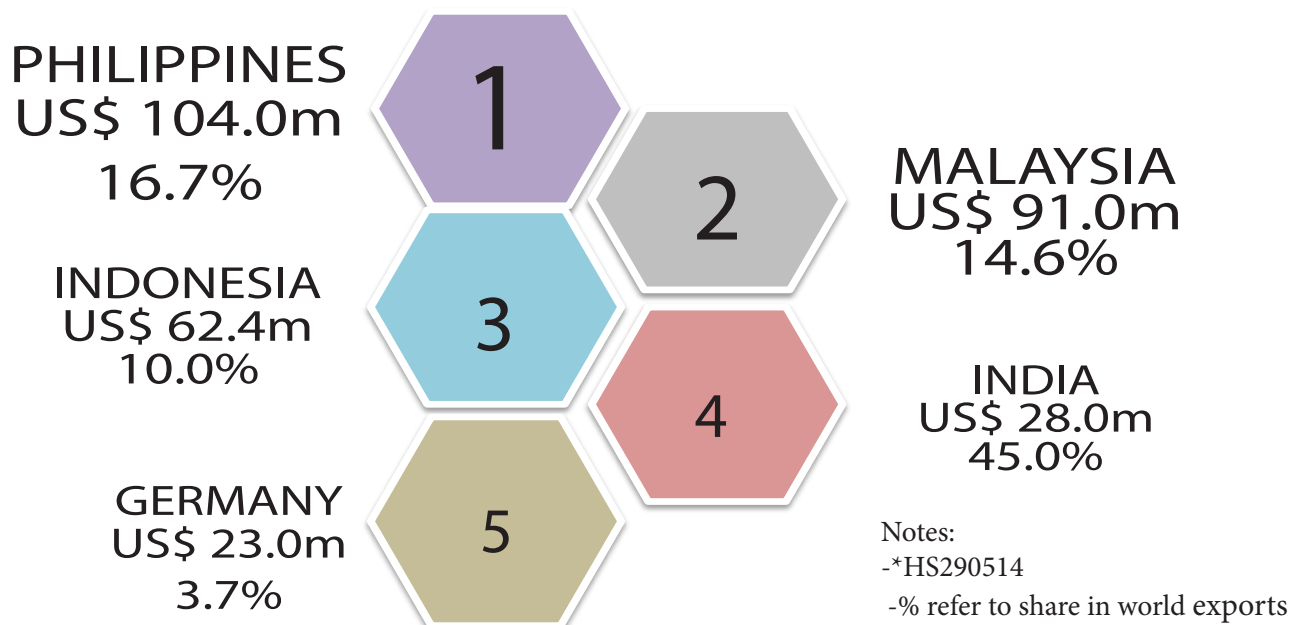
Dec. 2021: 4.3% | Jan. 2022: 26.8%

Percentage change: Year-on-Year

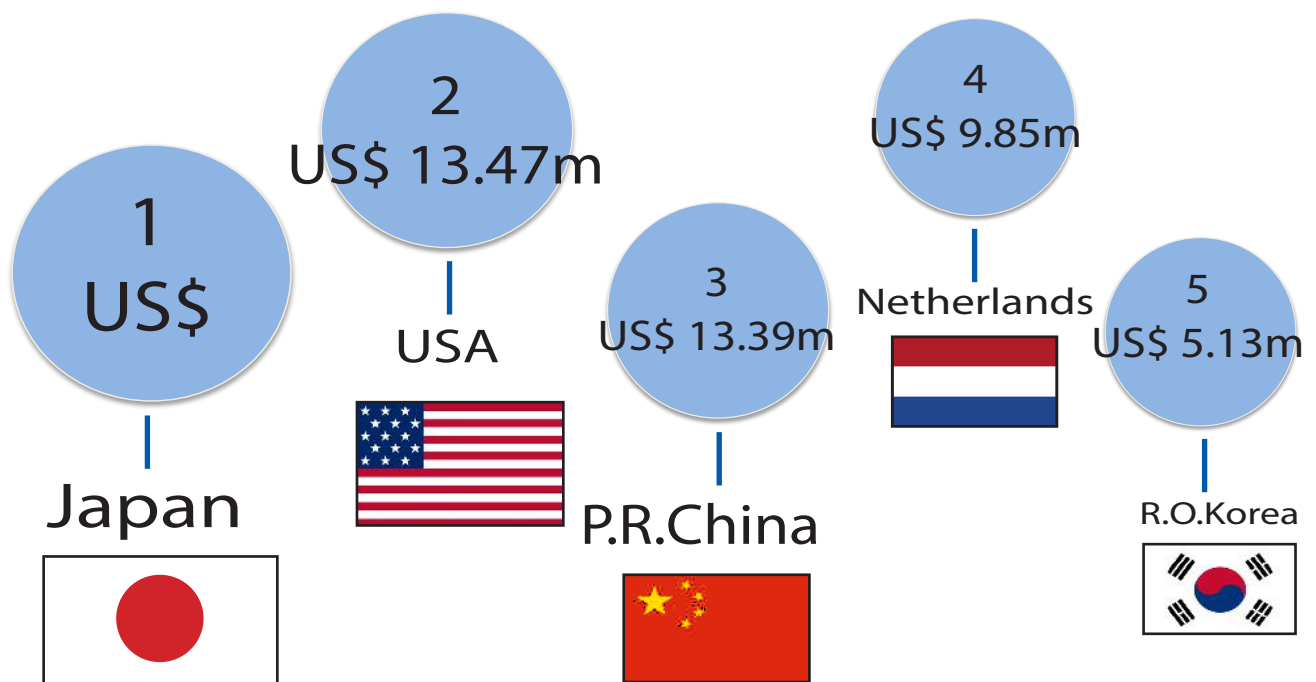
Source: Performance of Wholesale & Retail Trade January 2022,
Department of Statistics, Malaysia

MALAYSIA'S AS SECOND LARGEST EXPORTERS IN THE WORLD OF DODECAN-1-OL "LAURYL ALCOHOL", HEXADECAN-1-OL "CETYL ALCOHOL" AND OCTADECAN-1-OL "STEARYL ALCOHOL"

In 2020, Malaysia's export of Dodecan-1-ol "lauryl alcohol", hexadecan-1-ol "cetyl alcohol" and octadecan-1-ol "stearyl alcohol" recorded US\$ 91.0 million which was 14.3% share of the world exports.



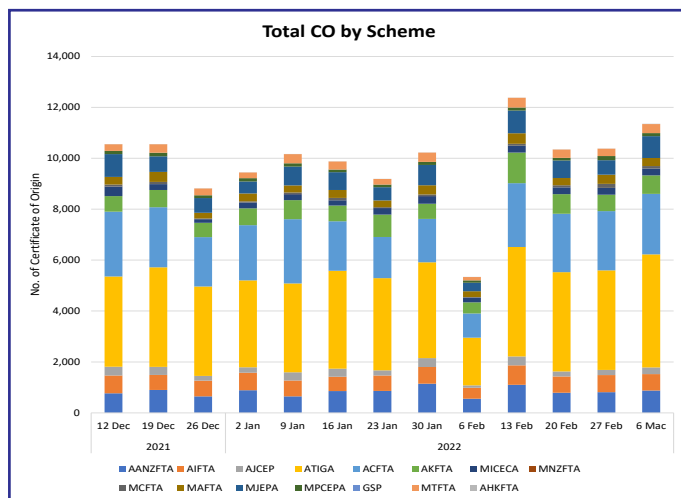
MALAYSIA'S TOP EXPORT DESTINATIONS



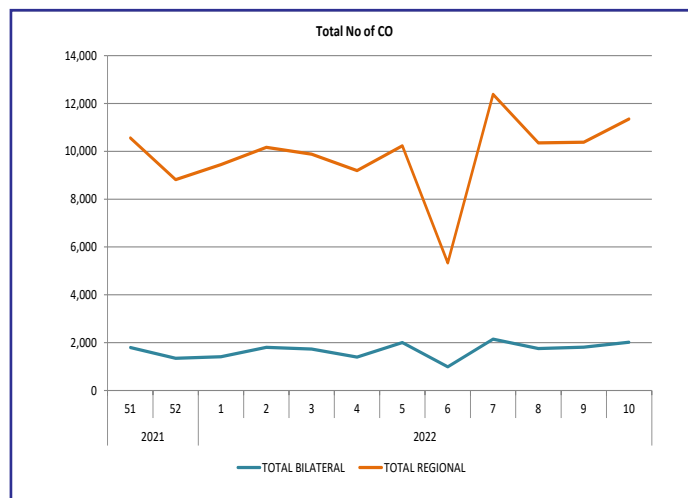
Source: <https://www.trademap.org/index.aspx>

Number and FOB Value of PCO as at 6 Mac 2022 Weekly / Monthly/ Annually

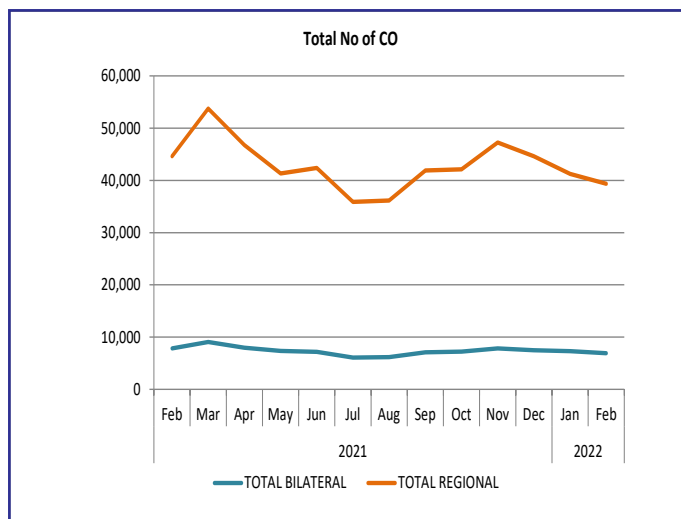
Weekly Total Scheme



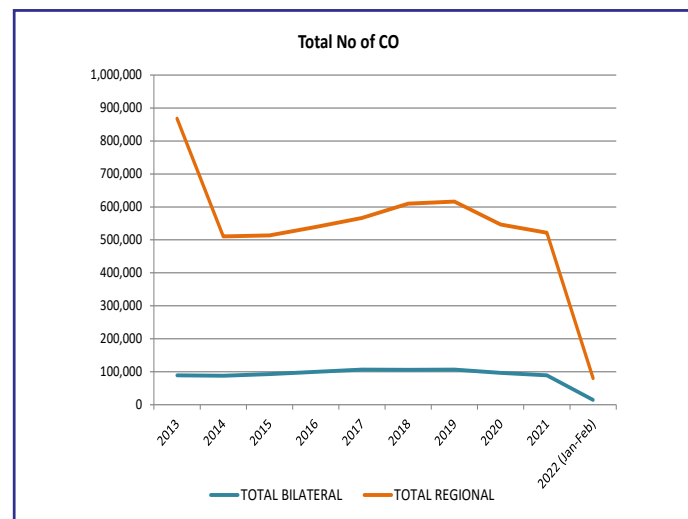
Weekly



Monthly



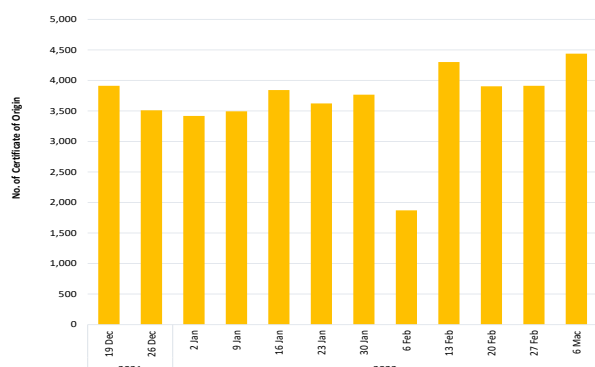
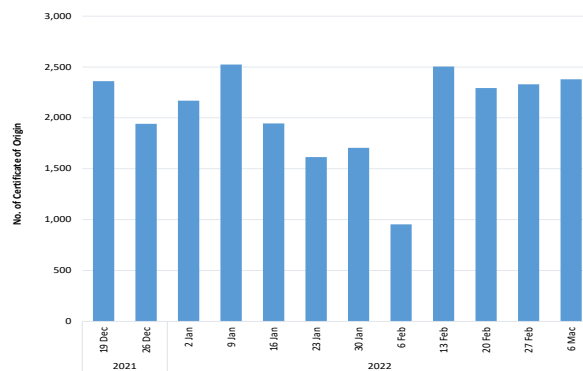
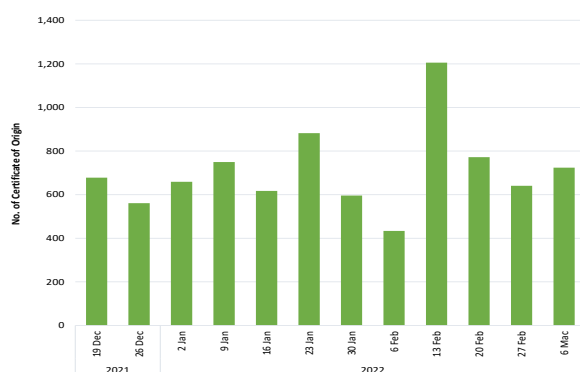
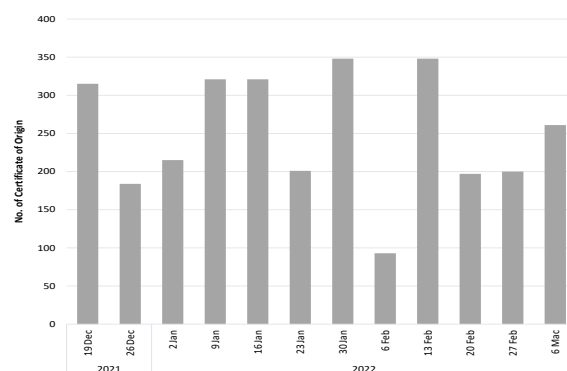
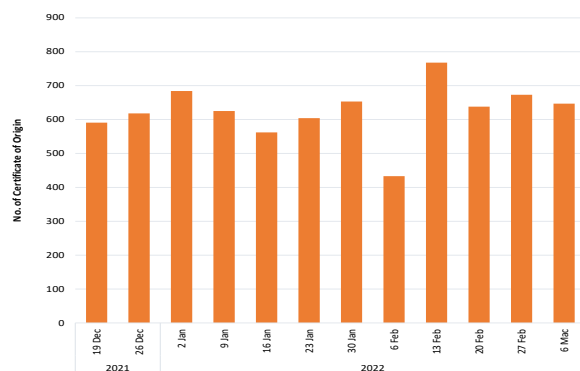
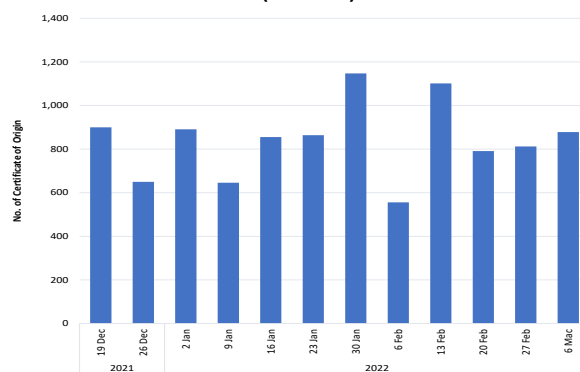
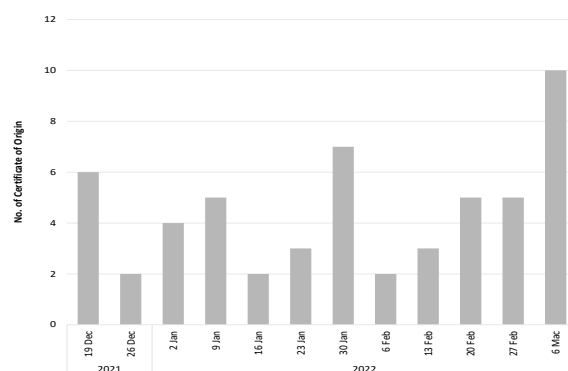
Annually



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Source: Ministry of International Trade and Industry, Malaysia

Regional FTA

Number of Preferential Certificates of Origin (PCOs) as at 6 Mac 2022

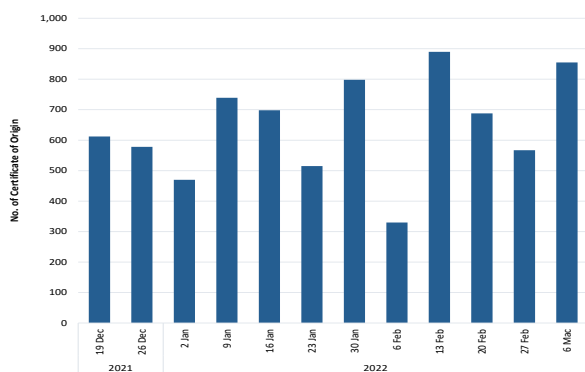
ASEAN Trade in Goods Agreement (ATIGA)

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)


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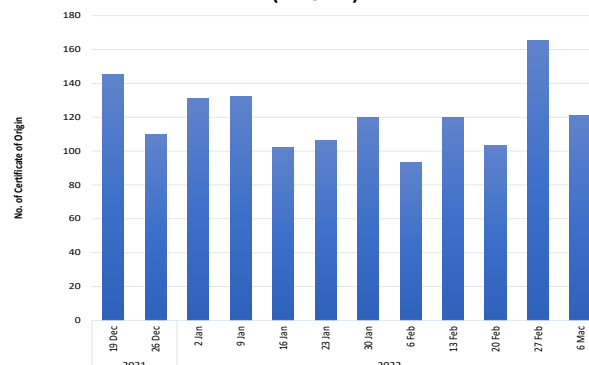
Bilateral FTA

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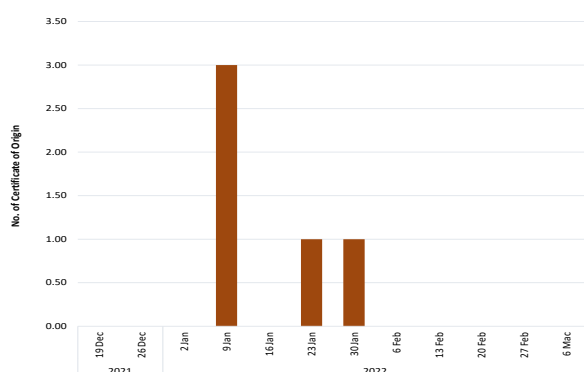
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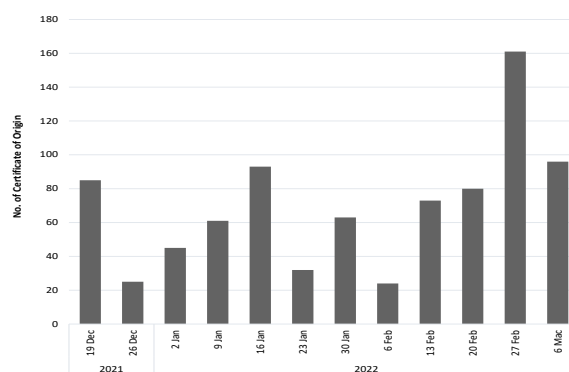
Malaysia-Pakistan Closer Economic Partnership Agreement (MPCEPA)



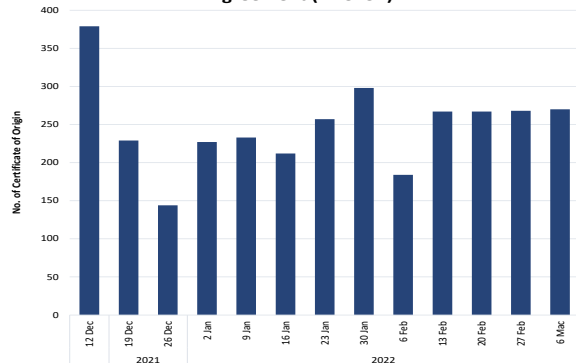
Malaysia-New Zealand Free Trade Agreement (MNZFTA)



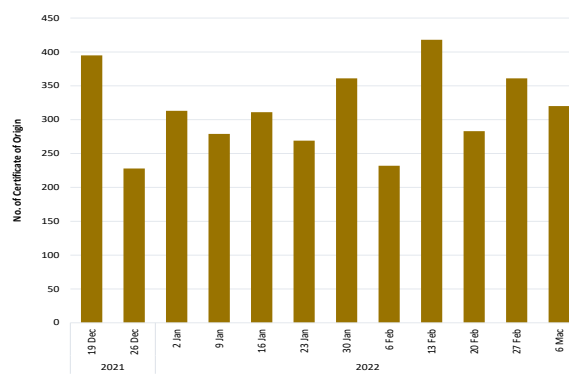
Malaysia-Chile Free Trade Agreement (MCFTA)



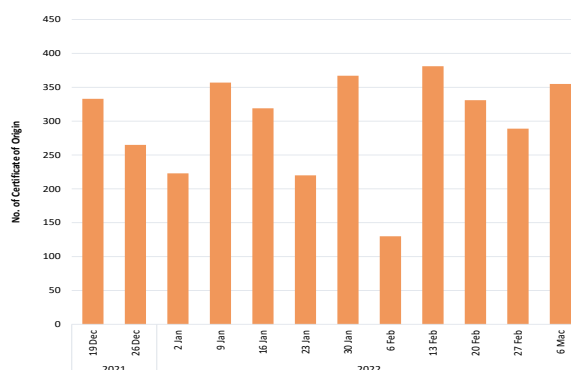
Malaysia-India Comprehensive Economic Cooperation Agreement (MICECA)



Malaysia-Australia Free Trade Agreement (MAFTA)



Malaysia-Turkey Free Trade Agreement (MTFTA)

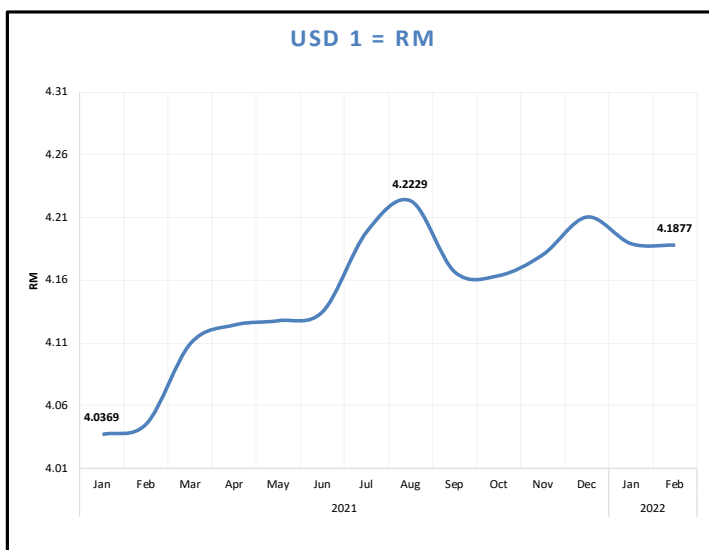


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Malaysian Ringgit Exchange Rate with Selected Countries, January 2021 - February 2022

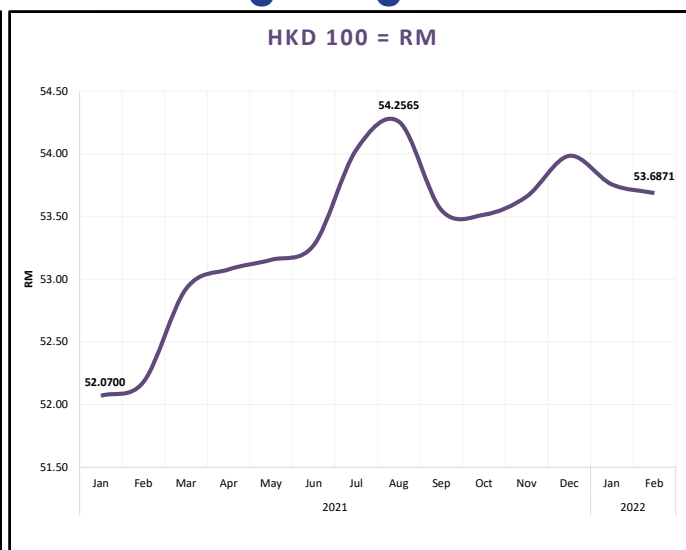
US Dollar

USD 1 = RM



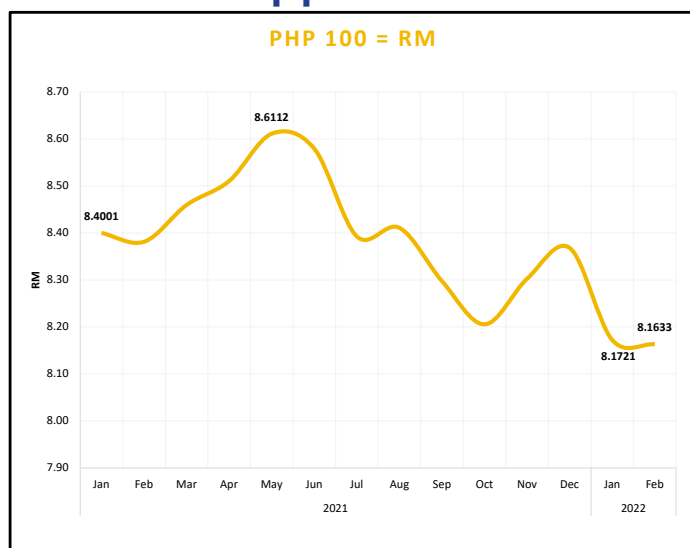
Hong Kong Dollar

HKD 100 = RM



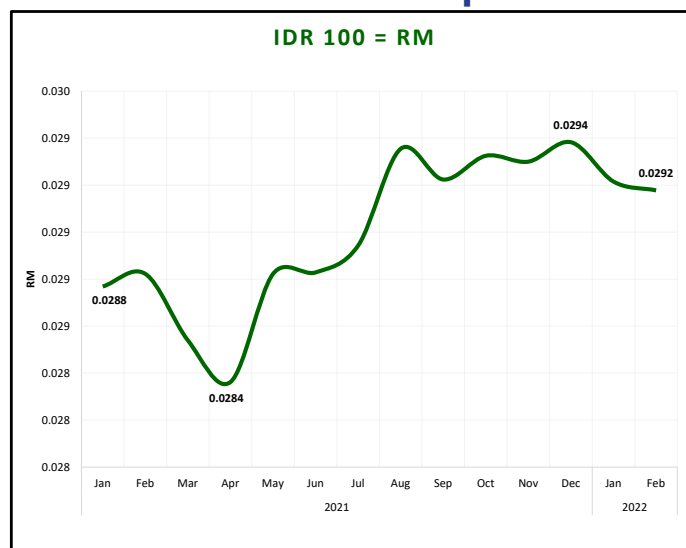
Philippine Peso

PHP 100 = RM



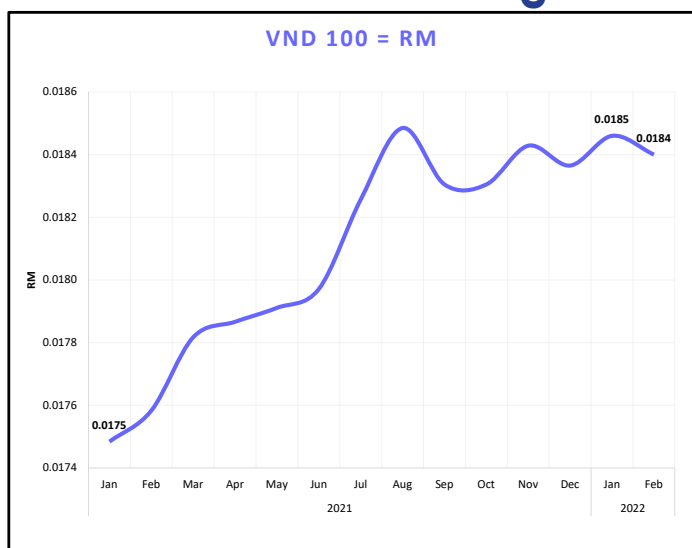
Indonesian Rupiah

IDR 100 = RM



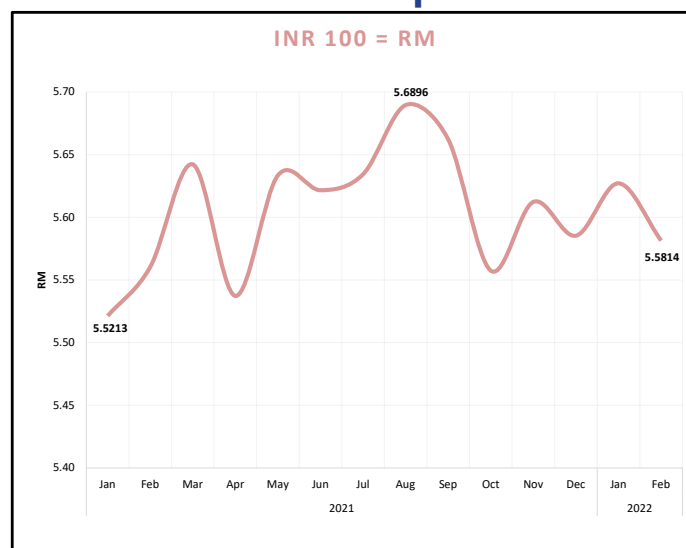
Vietnamese Dong

VND 100 = RM



Indian Rupee

INR 100 = RM



Source : Bank Negara Malaysia

Commodity Prices

CRUDE PETROLEUM (BRENT) -per bbl-



▼ 4.6%*
US\$112.7
11 Mac 2022

Highest
2021/2022

4 Mac 2022 : US\$118.1
22 Oct 2021 : US\$85.5

7 Jan 2022 : US\$81.8
15 Jan 2021 : US\$55.1

Lowest
2021/2022

Average Price 2021 ⁱ: US\$71.1

CRUDE PALM OIL -per MT-



▲ 8.5%*
US\$1,774.7
11 Mac 2022

Highest
2021/2022

11 Mac 2022 : US\$1,774.7
29 Oct 2021 : US\$1,302.0

14 Jan 2022 : US\$1,267.7
18 Jun 2021 : US\$844.6

Lowest
2021/2022

Average Price 2021 ⁱ: US\$1,075.3

RUBBER SMR 20 -per MT-



▲ 1.0%*
US\$1,782.5
11 Mac 2022

COCOA SMC 2 -per MT-



▲ 5.9%*
US\$1,657.7
11 Mac 2022

SUGAR -per lbs-



▼ 0.6%*
US\$19.2
11 Mac 2022

Average Price 2021 ⁱ: US\$1,689.1

Average Price 2021 ⁱ: US\$1,505.9

Average Price 2021 ⁱ: US\$17.9

COAL -per MT-



▼ 15.8%*
US\$364.0
11 Mac 2022

Average Price 2021 ⁱ: US\$120.5

SCRAP IRON HMS -per MT-



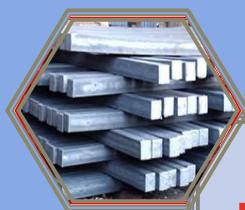
⊖ %*
US\$623.0
(high)
11 Mac 2022

⊖ %*
US\$529.0
(low)

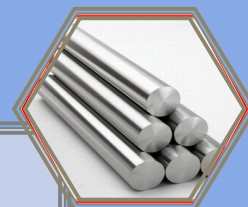
Average Price 2021 ⁱ: US\$486.4 (high)
Average Price 2021 ⁱ: US\$468.1 (low)

Domestic Prices

11 Mac 2022



**Billets
(per MT)**
RM3,000- RM3,100



**Steel Bars
(per MT)**
RM3,200 – RM3,350

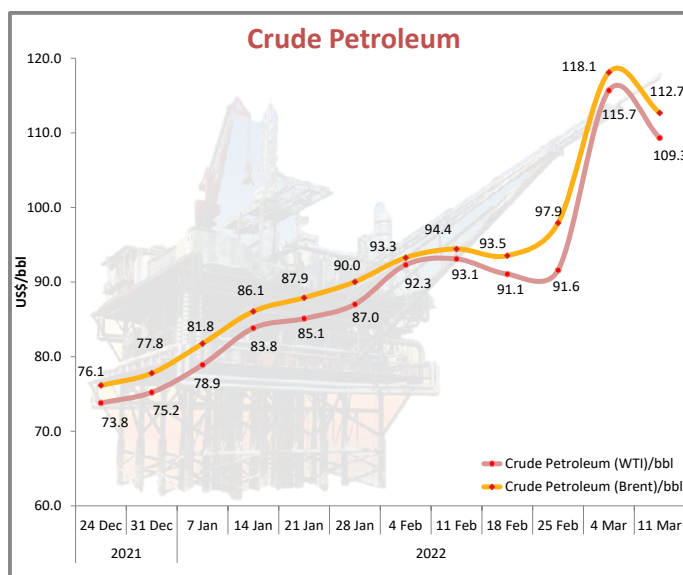
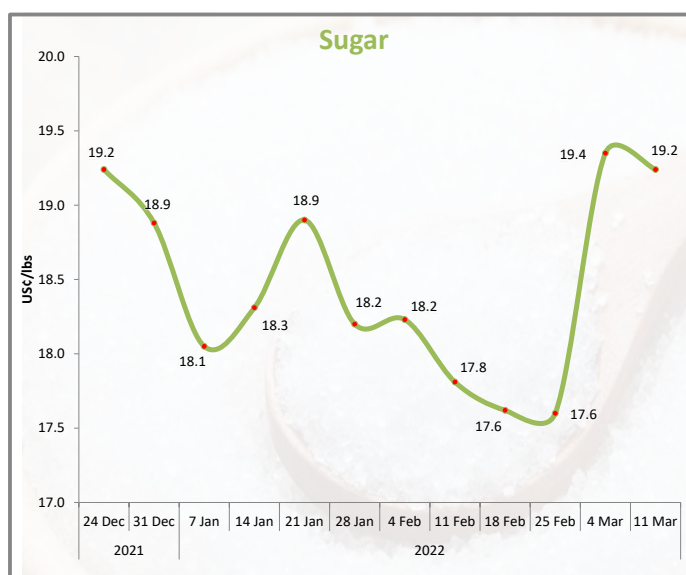
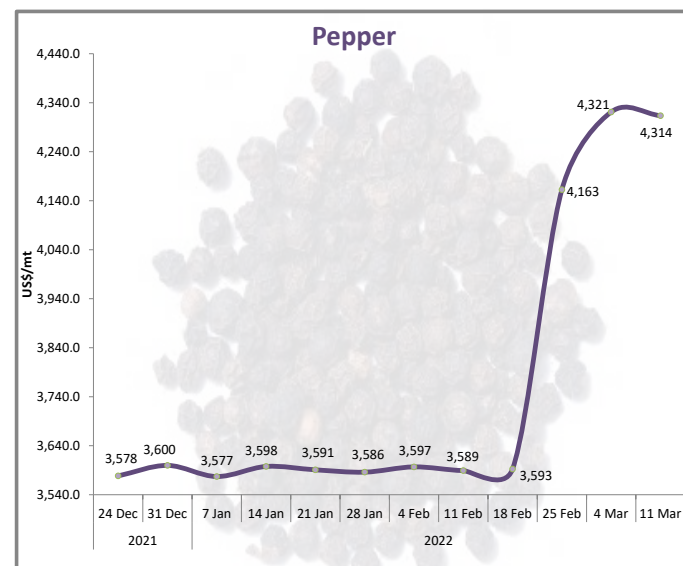
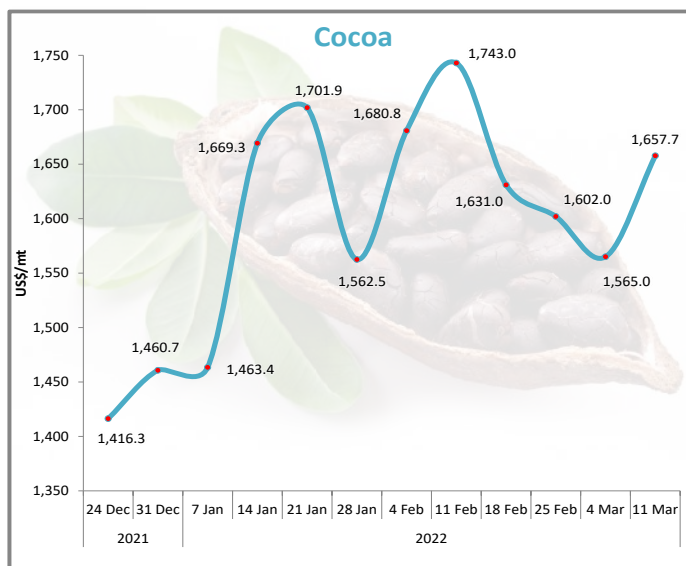
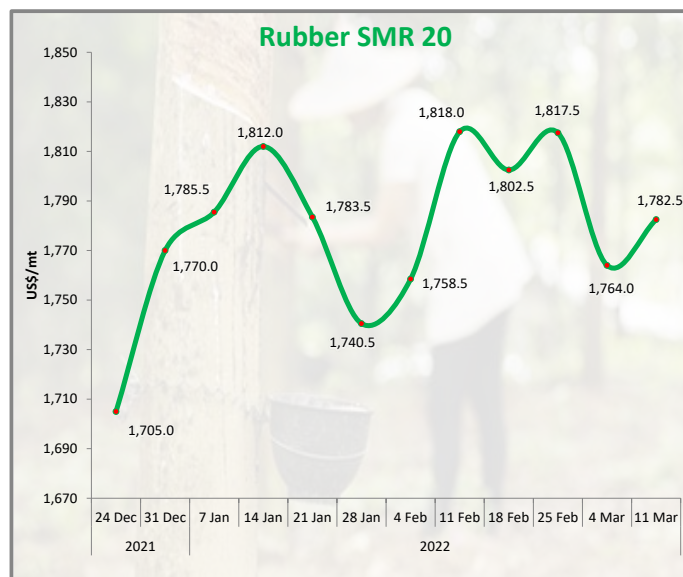
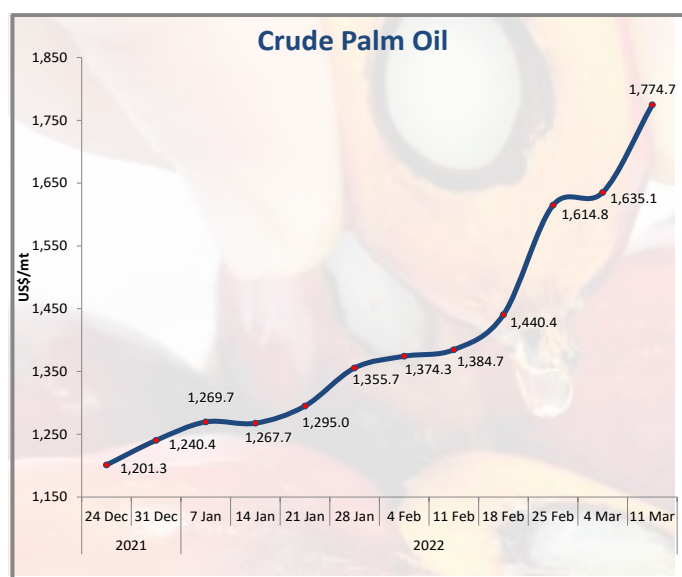
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* Refer to % change from the previous week's price

ⁱ Average price in the year except otherwise indicated

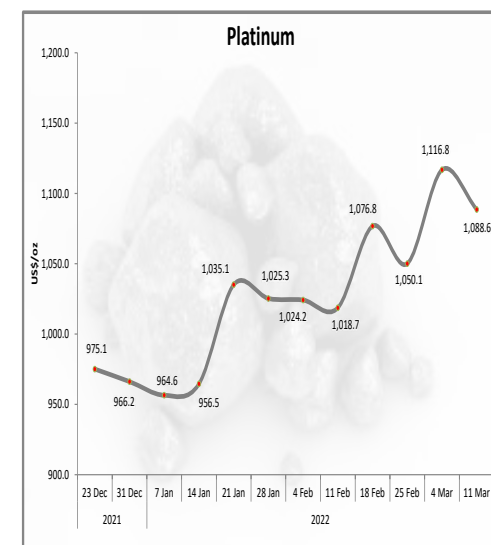
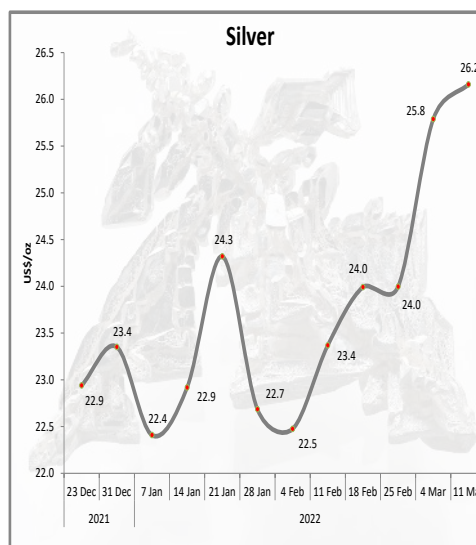
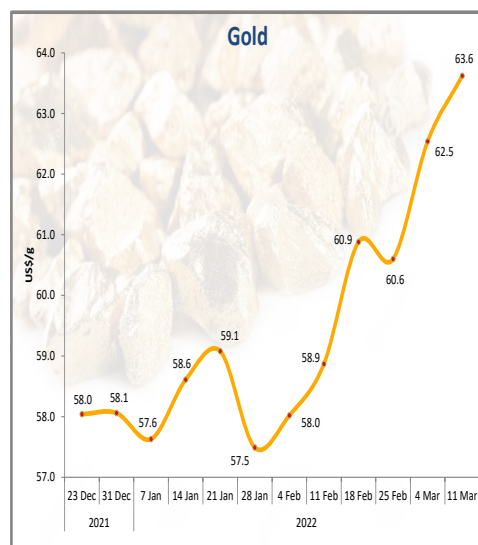
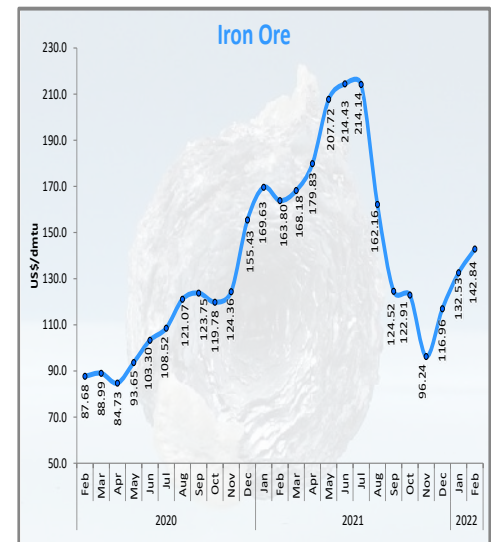
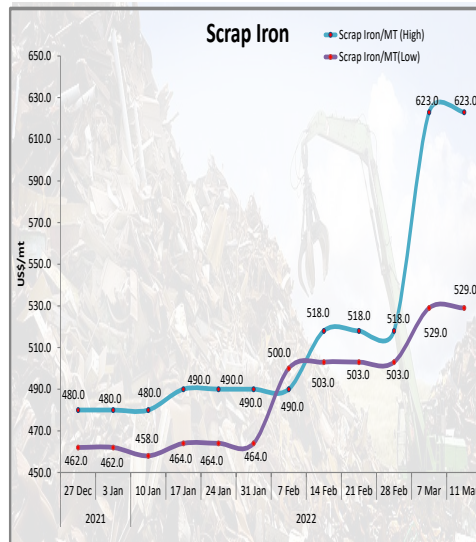
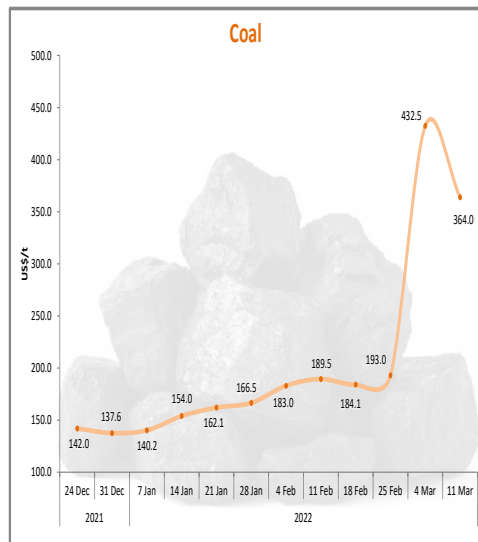
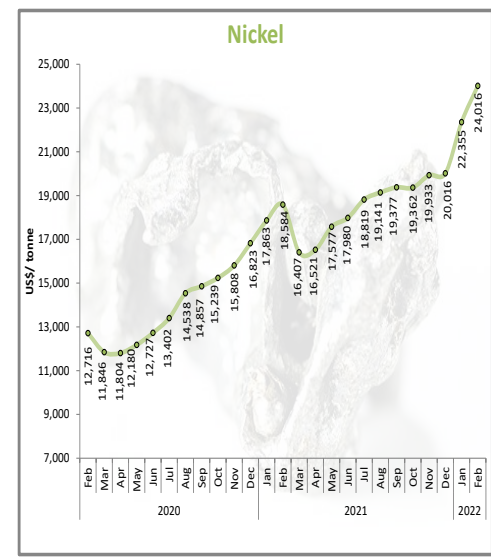
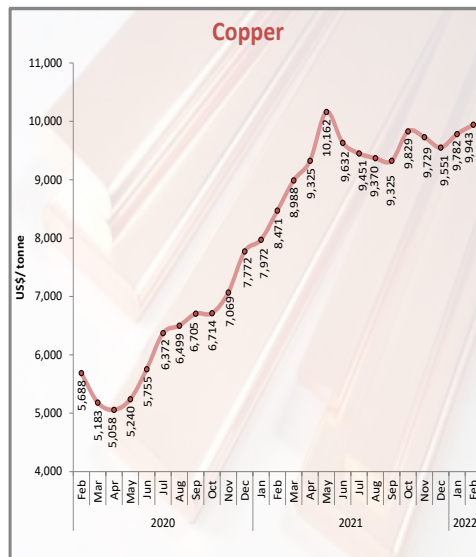
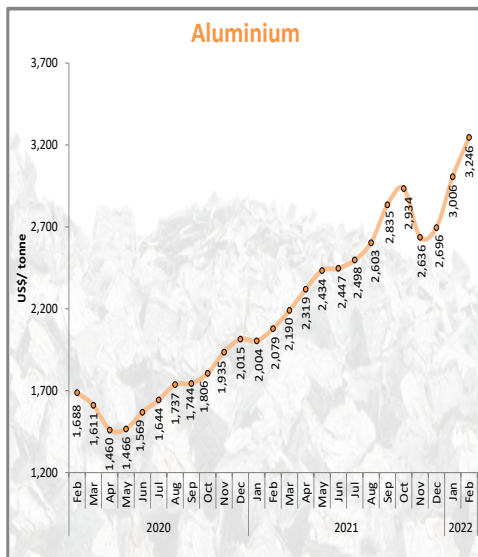
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Commodity Price Trends



Sources: Ministry of International Trade and Industry Malaysia, Malaysian Palm Oil Board, Malaysian Rubber Board, Malaysian Cocoa Board, Malaysian Pepper Board, Bloomberg and Czarnikow Group, World Bank, World Gold Council, The Wall Street Journal.

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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

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

02 | GRANTS

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:

https://www.miti.gov.my/index.php/pages/view/industry4WRD?mid=559#tab_547_2202



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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



Process Flow

A FEW SIMPLE STEPS

Readiness Assessment



Apply online at www.miti.gov.my/industry4wrd

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Evaluation by Committees

3



Onsite Assessment

4



Receive RA Report

Business Intervention

5



Develop Intervention Proposal

6



Apply for Financial Incentives

7



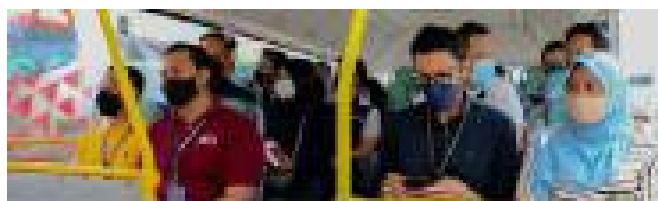
Implement the Intervention Plan

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VTL-LAND

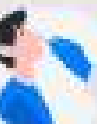
(VACCINATED TRAVEL LANE)



REQUIREMENTS FOR MALAYSIA-SINGAPORE VTL-LAND TRAVELLERS

TO ENTER MALAYSIA

TO ENTER SINGAPORE

	Digital Vaccination Certificate Download MySejahtera app or Singapore Trace-Together app	 		
	Vaccinated Travel Pass (VTP) via url https://go.gov.sg/vtl-portal (only for long-term pass holder travelling from Malaysia to Singapore)			
	Register at www.mysafetravel.gov.my (Singapore to Malaysia)			
	Print Vaccination Certificate with QR code			
	Print Vaccinated Travel Pass (VTP) (only for long-term pass holder travelling from Malaysia to Singapore)			
	Purchase bus ticket(s) on www.causewaylink.com.my www.transit.travel			
	Take professionally administered ART/PCR Test 2 days before departure			
	On-arrival RTK Test at Larkin Sentral Bus Terminal			
	Submit Self Arrival Card (SAC) under Foreign Visitors			
	Electronic Health Declaration Card (eHDC) via MySejahtera			
Note: Travellers are advised to have adequate travel / medical insurance coverage for COVID-19 related medical treatment and hospitalization costs, if required.				

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ALL YOU NEED TO KNOW

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(VACCINATED TRAVEL LANE)



VTL-LAND TRAVELLER'S JOURNEY



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Pre-Departure

Prepare these softcopies:

- 1) Digital vaccination certificate
- 2) Vaccinated Travel Pass
(only for long-term pass holder travelling from Malaysia to Singapore)

Download MySejahtera app or Singapore Trace Together app



2

Register at www.mysafetravel.gov.my (Singapore to Malaysia) or <https://go.gov.sg/vtl-portal> (Malaysia to Singapore)



3

Print Vaccination Certificate with QR code, Vaccinated Travel Pass (for long-term pass holder travelling from Malaysia to Singapore), Travel/Medical insurance is required too



4

Purchase bus ticket(s) via www.causewaylink.com.my or www.transtar.travel



5

Take RTK or ART / PCR Test 48 hours before departure

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On departure day arrive at least 1 hour earlier at boarding points



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At Departure Points



Ensure these documents are in-hand:

- Proof of VTL-Land Registration for travellers entering Malaysia
- Proof of Vaccinated Travel Pass (only for long-term pass holder travelling from Malaysia to Singapore)
- RTK or ART / PCR Test results
- Vaccination Certificate
- Passport
- Travel/Medical Insurance
- Bus Ticket



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- For Malaysians, please submit the SG Arrival Card (SGAC) under Foreign Visitors

- For Singapore Citizens, please submit electronic Health Declaration Card (eHDC) under Singapore Citizens, Permanent Residents & Long-Term Pass Holders, and upload your vaccination certificate QR code during the submission if you were vaccinated overseas



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Upon-Arrival

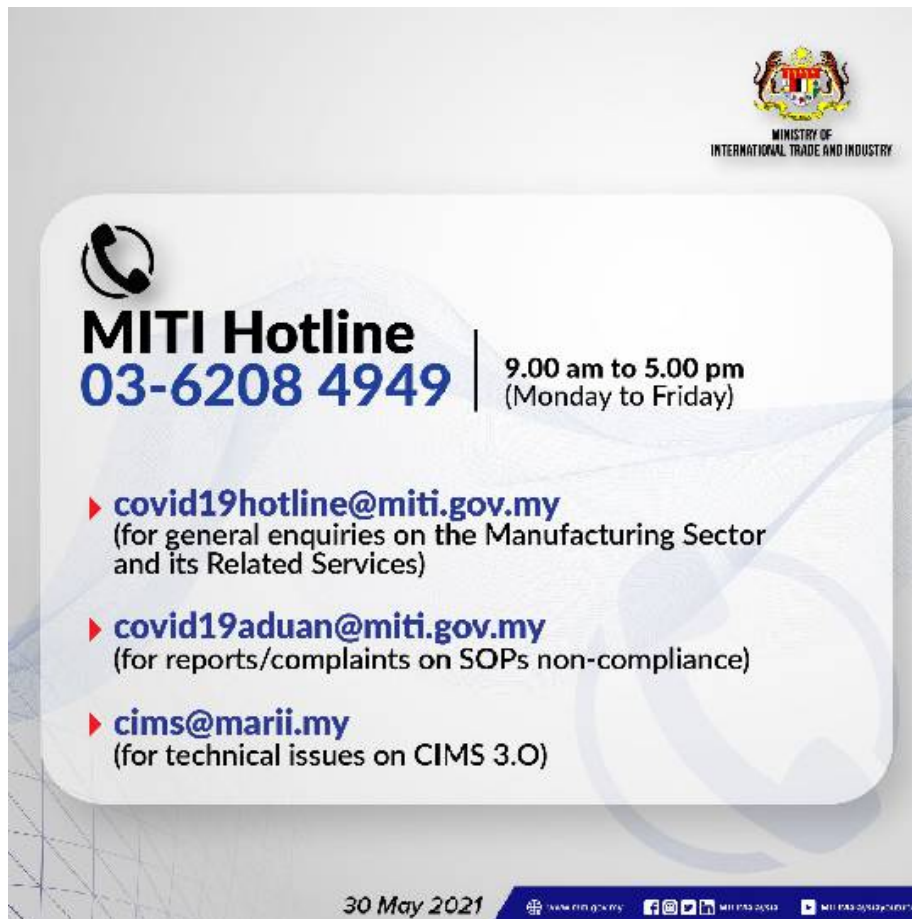
- For travellers arriving at the Larkin Sentral Bus Terminal, proceed to do the On-Arrival Test
- Present all documentations at the immigration for clearance



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Post-Arrival

Check traveller's status on MySejahtera app or Singapore Trace Together app



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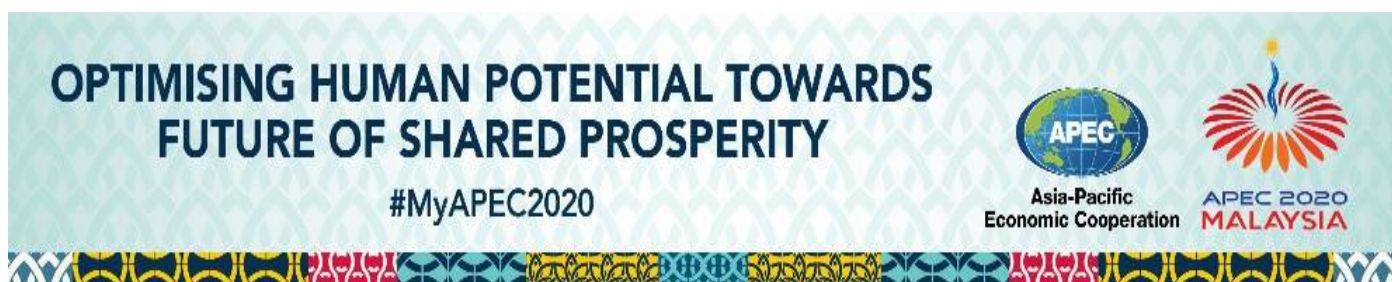
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