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JOHOR GROSS DOMESTIC PRODUCT (GDP), 2025

Johor led Malaysia's economic growth in 2025 with 8.0 per cent growth

PUTRAJAYA, 1ST JULY, 2026 – The Department of Statistics Malaysia (DOSM) released the **JOHOR GROSS DOMESTIC PRODUCT (GDP), 2025** which highlighted the insights of economic sectoral and structure at the state level.

According to the Chief Statistician Malaysia, Dato' Sri Dr. Mohd Uzir Mahidin, "Johor led the state economic growth in 2025 by recording the highest growth for two consecutive years by 8.0 per cent (2024: 6.5%). Johor's economic growth was reflected in the GDP value in 2025 of RM170.9 billion as compared to RM158.3 billion in 2024. The state contributes almost 10 per cent of Malaysia's GDP."

The Service Sector dominates the state's economy with a contribution of 54.8 per cent. Next, the Manufacturing and Agriculture sectors contributed 28.0 per cent and 10.8 per cent respectively. The Construction sector recorded a contribution of 4.7 per cent, while the Mining & quarrying sector contributed 0.4 per cent to the composition of the Johor economy.

Turning to sectoral economic performance, Johor's economic growth was driven by the Services, Manufacturing and Construction sectors. The Services sector strengthened by 9.9 per cent as compared to the previous year with a GDP of RM93.6 billion. The strong growth of this sector was driven by the Utilities, transport & storage and ICT sub-sectors (20.8%) and Wholesale & retail trade, food & beverages and accommodation (6.7%). The rapid development of data centres emerged as the main driver of Johor's economic growth in 2025. This exceptional performance reflects the rapid development of digital infrastructure following the growth of data centre development in Johor, in addition to the continued strengthening of logistics-related activities in the state.

In addition, the Manufacturing sector increased by 4.0 per cent, with a value added of RM47.9 billion. Growth in this sector was driven by Electrical, electronic and optical products which was the largest component of the Manufacturing sector in Johor which increased by 4.9 per cent.

Construction sector also showed impressive performance with double-digit growth of 26.7 per cent (2024: 42.4%). The increase in this sector was driven by the Building construction sub-sector (47.4%). Meanwhile, the Agriculture sector also grew by 1.1 per cent, but slower as compared to 5.2 per cent in the previous year, influenced by the production of oil palm which grew slowly.

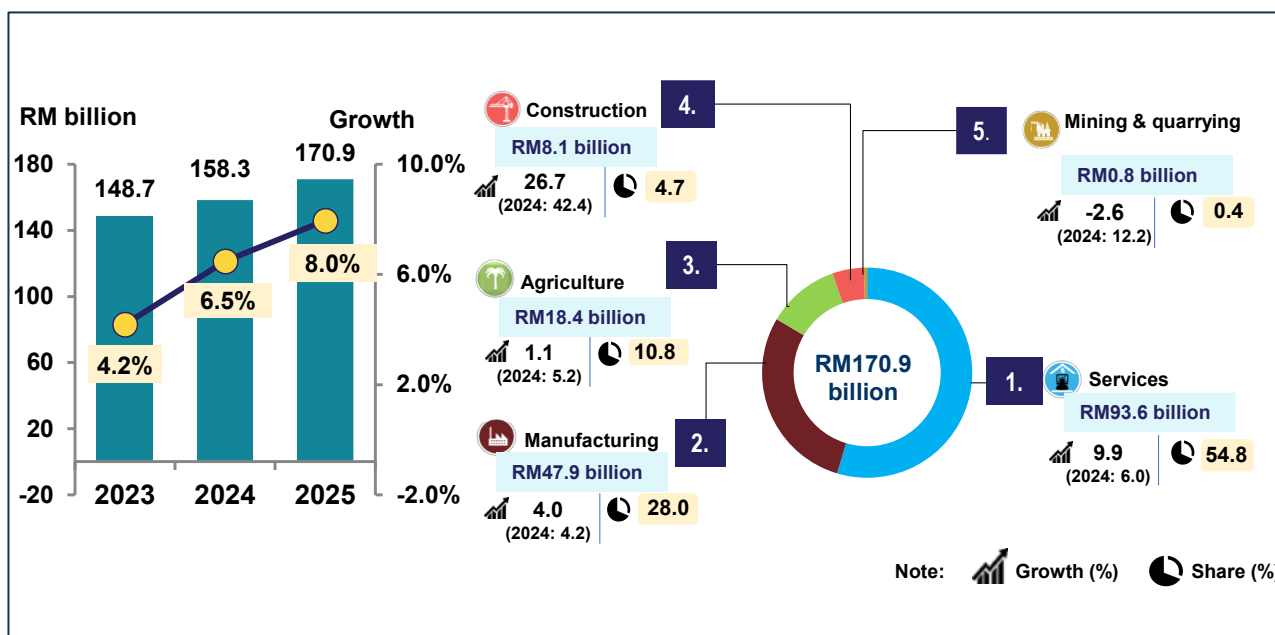
For GDP per capita performance, Johor recorded a GDP per capita of RM48,031 in 2025, an increase of RM3,203 as compared to the previous year which was worth RM44,828.

The Department of Statistics Malaysia (DOSM) is conducting the **Economic Census 2026 (BE2026)**, with themed “**Data Nadi Ekonomi Rakyat**”. The sixth Economic Census, will be carried out from **5th January to 31st October 2026**. BE2026 aims to collect comprehensive and structured data from all registered and unregistered business establishments in Malaysia to assess the nation’s economic performance, structure and characteristics in an evidence-based manner.

Malaysia has, for the first time, successfully secured the **top position** globally in the biennial **Open Data Inventory (ODIN) 2024/25** report released by Open Data Watch (ODW), surpassing 197 other countries. This achievement marks a significant leap from its 67th position in the ODIN 2022/23 assessment.

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Chart: Johor's GDP, contribution and growth by sector, 2025



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