

PRODUKTIVITI BURUH BERKEMBANG 4.8 PERATUS PADA SUKU PERTAMA 2026 - DOSM

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PUTRAJAYA, 21 Mei (Bernama) -- Produktiviti buruh di Malaysia mencatatkan RM45.5 per jam bekerja pada suku pertama 2026, berkembang 4.8 peratus berbanding 5.8 peratus suku yang sama tahun lepas.

Menurut Statistik Produktiviti Buruh Malaysia Suku Pertama 2026 yang dikeluarkan Jabatan Perangkaan Malaysia (DOSM), produktiviti itu disokong oleh pertumbuhan ekonomi Malaysia sebanyak 5.4 peratus serta keadaan pasaran buruh yang kekal stabil dan menggalakkan.

Ketua Perangkawan Datuk Seri Dr Mohd Uzir Mahidin berkata produktiviti buruh per pekerja mencatatkan pertumbuhan 4.3 peratus kepada RM26,171 per pekerja pada suku pertama 2026 berbanding suku sebelumnya.

"Prestasi ini disebabkan jumlah pekerja meningkat 1.0 peratus dengan merekodkan 16.7 juta orang pada suku pertama 2026.

"Jumlah jam bekerja meningkat secara marginal 0.5 peratus kepada 9.6 bilion jam berbanding pertumbuhan 0.3 peratus dengan 9.6 bilion jam pada suku keempat 2025," katanya dalam kenyataan hari ini.

Beliau berkata dari segi prestasi sektoral bagi produktiviti buruh yang diukur sebagai nilai ditambah per jam bekerja, sektor pembinaan memacu prestasi keseluruhan dengan mencatatkan peningkatan 7.8 peratus berbanding 10.8 peratus pada suku keempat 2025.

Ini diikuti sektor pembuatan sebanyak 5.8 peratus berbanding 6.7 peratus, sektor perkhidmatan 4.5 peratus berbanding 5.4 peratus dan sektor pertanian 3.6 peratus berbanding 5.8 peratus.

"Sementara itu, sektor perlombongan dan pengkuarian turun 2.4 peratus berbanding pertumbuhan 1.2 peratus pada suku tahun sebelumnya," katanya.

Mohd Uzir berkata dari segi produktiviti buruh yang diukur sebagai nilai ditambah per pekerja, setiap sektor menunjukkan kadar pertumbuhan yang sama pada suku ini.

"Sektor pembinaan memacu prestasi keseluruhan dengan mencatatkan 7.0 peratus berbanding 10.2 peratus, diikuti sektor pembuatan yang kekal 5.8 peratus, sektor perkhidmatan 4.1 peratus berbanding 4.8 peratus dan sektor pertanian 2.5 peratus berbanding 5.8 peratus.

“Sementara, sektor perlombongan dan pengkuarian turun 2.5 peratus berbanding 0.8 peratus pada suku keempat 2025,” katanya.

Mohd Uzir berkata produktiviti buruh dijangka terus mencatatkan prospek positif susulan prestasi ekonomi Malaysia yang berdaya tahan dalam persekitaran global yang mencabar.

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DOSM: LABOUR PRODUCTIVITY UP 4.8 PCT IN Q1 2026

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PUTRAJAYA, May 21 (Bernama) -- Malaysia's labour productivity stood at RM45.5 per hour worked in the first quarter of 2026, growing by 4.8 per cent compared with 5.8 per cent in the same quarter last year.

According to the Malaysia Labour Productivity Statistics for the first quarter of 2026 released by the Department of Statistics Malaysia (DOSM), the increase was supported by economic growth of 5.4 per cent, as well as a stable and favourable labour market.

Chief Statistician Datuk Seri Dr Mohd Uzir Mahidin said labour productivity per worker rose by 4.3 per cent to RM26,171 in the first quarter of 2026 compared with the previous quarter.

"The performance was driven by a 1.0 per cent increase in the number of workers, which stood at 16.7 million in the first quarter of 2026.

"Total hours worked rose marginally by 0.5 per cent to 9.6 billion hours, compared with a 0.3 per cent increase in the fourth quarter of 2025, when total hours also stood at 9.6 billion," he said in a statement today.

He said that in terms of sectoral performance, labour productivity measured as value added per hour worked showed that the construction sector led overall growth, with a 7.8 per cent increase compared with 10.8 per cent in the fourth quarter of 2025.

This was followed by the manufacturing sector, which grew by 5.8 per cent compared with 6.7 per cent previously, the services sector at 4.5 per cent compared with 5.4 per cent, and the agriculture sector at 3.6 per cent compared with 5.8 per cent.

"Meanwhile, the mining and quarrying sector fell by 2.4 per cent, compared with growth of 1.2 per cent in the previous quarter," he said.

Mohd Uzir said that in terms of labour productivity, measured as value added per worker, all sectors recorded the same growth rate this quarter, noting that the construction sector led overall performance with 7.0 per cent, down from 10.2 per cent, followed by manufacturing at a steady 5.8 per cent, services at 4.1 per cent (4.8 per cent previously) and agriculture at 2.5 per cent (5.8 per cent previously).

"Meanwhile, the mining and quarrying sector fell by 2.5 per cent, compared with a 0.8 per cent decline in the fourth quarter of 2025," he said.

Mohd Uzir said labour productivity is expected to stay on a positive path, supported by Malaysia's resilient economic performance in a challenging global environment.

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