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BAGI PERANGKAAN PERDAGANGAN LUAR NEGERI MALAYSIA,
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Jumlah Dagangan Malaysia Berkembang 21.3 peratus pada April 2022,
Mengekalkan Prestasi Positif bagi 17 bulan Berturut-turut

PUTRAJAYA, 19 Mei 2022 – Prestasi dagangan Malaysia meneruskan momentum pertumbuhan pada April 2022, dengan dagangan meningkat 21.3 peratus daripada RM190.8 bilion pada tahun sebelumnya kepada RM231.4 bilion. Jumlah dagangan mencatatkan pertumbuhan dua digit yang kukuh untuk bulan ke-15 berturut-turut sejak Februari 2021. Seiring dengan itu, eksport mencatatkan pertumbuhan kukuh 20.7 peratus berbanding April 2021, merupakan peningkatan tahun ke tahun yang ke-20 bulan berturut-turut sejak September 2020. Import meningkat 22.0 peratus kepada RM103.9 bilion dan imbalan dagangan mencatatkan lebih RM23.5 bilion, meningkat 15.7 peratus pada April 2022 sebagai mana dilaporkan dalam **BULETIN PERANGKAAN PERDAGANGAN LUAR NEGERI MALAYSIA, APRIL 2022** hari ini. Buletin ini turut memaparkan prestasi produk bagi import dan eksport dan rakan dagangannya.

Ketua Perangkawan Malaysia, Dato' Sri Dr. Mohd Uzir Mahidin berkata "Eksport Malaysia melonjak 20.7 peratus daripada RM105.6 bilion kepada RM127.5 bilion, bulan kesembilan berturut-turut pertumbuhan dua angka tahun ke tahun. Pertumbuhan ini didorong oleh kedua-dua eksport domestik dan eksport semula. Eksport domestik bernilai RM103.4 bilion menyumbang 81.1 peratus kepada jumlah eksport, meningkat 21.7 peratus, tahun ke tahun. Sementara itu, eksport semula mencatatkan RM24.1 bilion, meningkat 16.8 peratus. Selari dengan prestasi eksport, import pada April 2022 juga mencatatkan pertumbuhan dua angka 22.0 peratus daripada RM85.2 bilion kepada RM103.9 bilion, mengatasi pertumbuhan eksport untuk empat bulan berturut-turut. Walau bagaimanapun, berbanding Mac 2022, prestasi jumlah dagangan, eksport, import dan lebih dagangan menunjukkan penurunan masing-masing 2.1 peratus, 3.1 peratus, 0.9 peratus dan 11.6 peratus."

Selaras dengan pertumbuhan tahunan, 191 daripada 255 kumpulan barangan untuk eksport menunjukkan peningkatan berbanding bulan yang sama tahun sebelumnya, dipaju oleh injap & tiub termionik. Bagi import, 176 daripada 258 kumpulan mencatatkan pertumbuhan positif.

Jabatan Perangkaan Malaysia juga melaporkan bahawa peningkatan eksport disumbangkan terutamanya oleh eksport yang lebih tinggi ke Kesatuan Eropah (+RM2.7 bilion), Amerika Syarikat (+RM2.2 bilion), China (+RM1.9 bilion), Australia (+RM1.9 bilion), Republik Korea (+RM1.5 bilion), Taiwan (+RM1.4 bilion), Singapura (+RM1.4 bilion), India (+RM1.4 bilion), Jepun (+RM1.4 bilion) dan Hong Kong (+RM1.2 bilion). Sementara itu, penyumbang utama kepada peningkatan import telah berubah sekali lagi, diterajui oleh Indonesia, dengan peningkatan RM2.8 bilion. Diikuti oleh Taiwan (+RM1.8 bilion), Singapura (+RM1.8 bilion), China (+RM1.7 bilion), Amerika Syarikat (+RM1.7 bilion), Republik Korea (+RM1.4 bilion), Arab Saudi (+RM1.2 bilion) dan Emiriah Arab Bersatu (+RM1.0 bilion).

Mengulas lebih lanjut mengenai eksport, peningkatan mengikut produk didorong oleh barangan elektrik & elektronik (+RM10.0 bilion); barangan perkilangan logam (+RM2.5 bilion); minyak kelapa sawit & keluaran pertanian berasaskan minyak kelapa sawit (+RM2.1 bilion); kimia & bahan kimia (+RM1.8 bilion); barangan perkilangan berasaskan minyak kelapa sawit (+RM1.8 bilion); gas asli cecair (+RM1.7 bilion) dan petroleum mentah (+RM1.1 bilion). Sementara itu, kenaikan import dicatatkan bagi barangan elektrik & elektronik (+RM7.2 bilion); petroleum mentah (+RM2.9 bilion); kimia & bahan kimia (+RM1.8 bilion); biji logam & serpihan logam (+RM1.7 bilion) dan barangan perkilangan logam (+RM1.1 bilion).

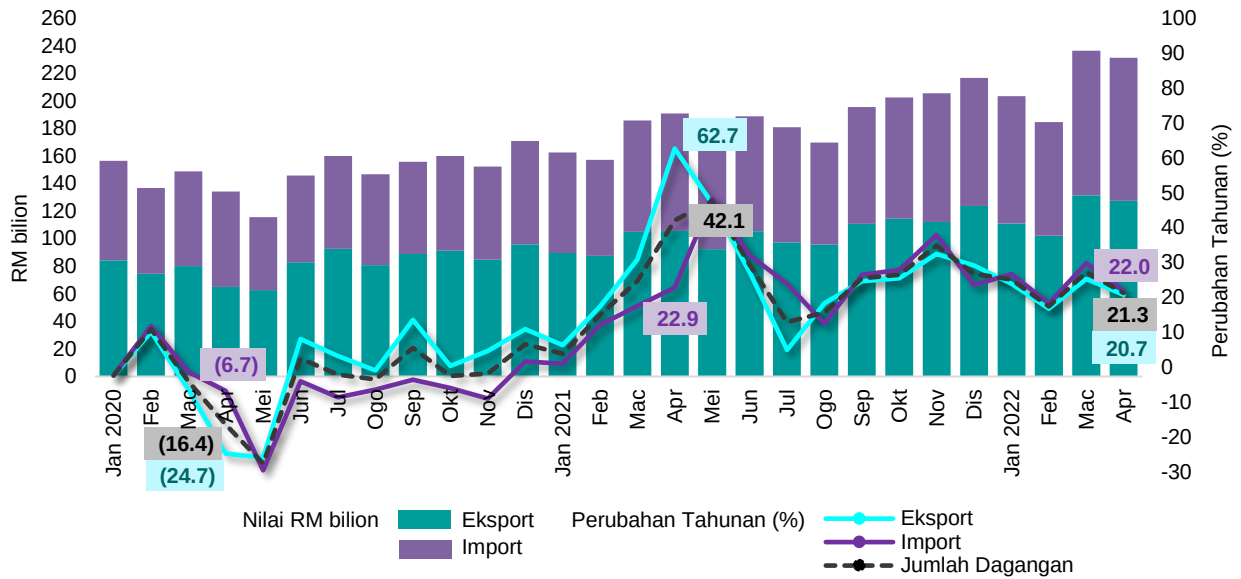
Pertumbuhan import mengikut Penggunaan Akhir disokong oleh permintaan tinggi bagi barangan perantaraan dan barangan penggunaan. Import barangan perantaraan (57.3% daripada jumlah import) berjumlah RM59.6 bilion, meningkat RM13.1 bilion atau 28.1 peratus. Barangan penggunaan (8.0% daripada jumlah import) mencatatkan kenaikan 9.7 peratus daripada RM7.5 bilion pada tahun sebelumnya kepada RM8.3 bilion. Sebaliknya, import barangan modal yang berjumlah RM9.1 bilion, menurun 2.4 peratus berbanding April 2021, dan merangkumi 8.8 peratus daripada jumlah import.

Di samping itu, prestasi bagi Januari sehingga April 2022, jumlah dagangan, eksport, import dan lebihan dagangan kekal kukuh dengan pertumbuhan dua angka. Jumlah dagangan meningkat 22.9 peratus, disokong oleh perkembangan eksport (+21.8%) serta import (+24.3%). Pada masa yang sama, lebihan dagangan mencatatkan nilai yang lebih tinggi pada RM88.6 bilion.

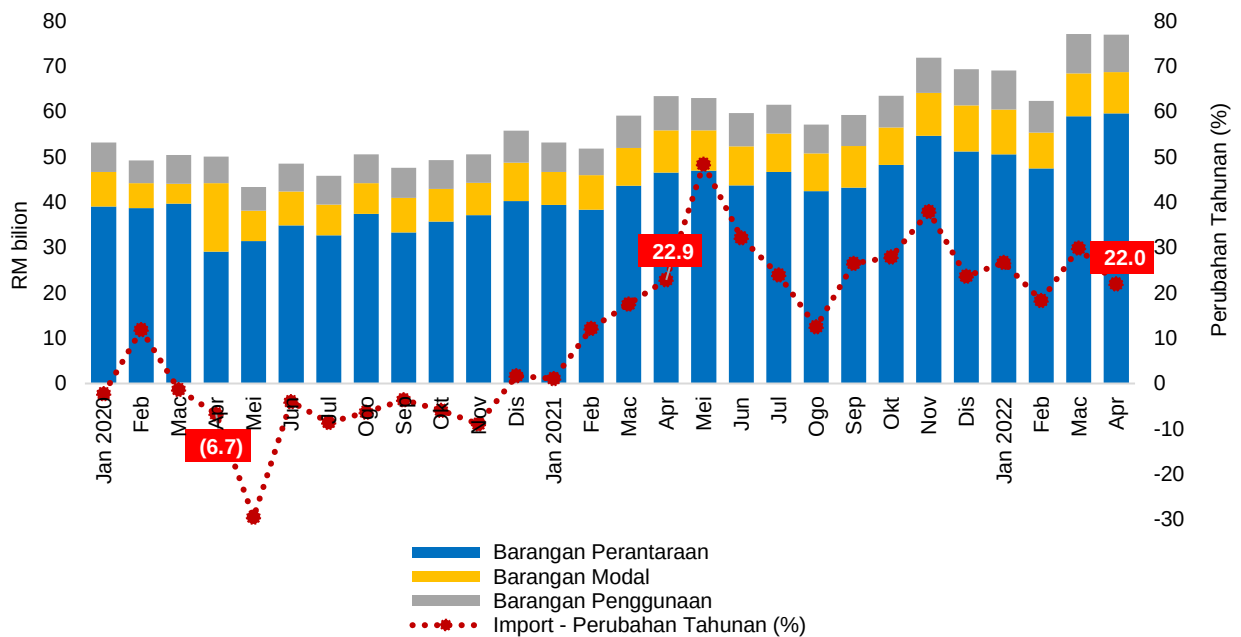
Jabatan Perangkaan Malaysia (DOSM) sedang menjalankan Survei Pendapatan, Perbelanjaan Isi Rumah dan Kemudahan Asas (HIES/BA) 2022 bermula dari 1 Januari 2022 sehingga 31 Disember 2022 dan Survei Ekonomi Tahunan 2022 (AES 2022) bermula 15 April sehingga 30 September 2022. DOSM amat menghargai kerjasama daripada responden yang terpilih untuk memberikan maklumat kepada DOSM serta menjayakan survei ini. Sila layari www.dosm.gov.my untuk maklumat lanjut.

DOSM juga menerbitkan statistik ekonomi dan sosial iaitu PocketStats yang mengandungi statistik suku tahunan dan tahunan yang boleh diperolehi dari portal DOSM atau melalui pautan https://bit.ly/PocketStatsS1_2022.

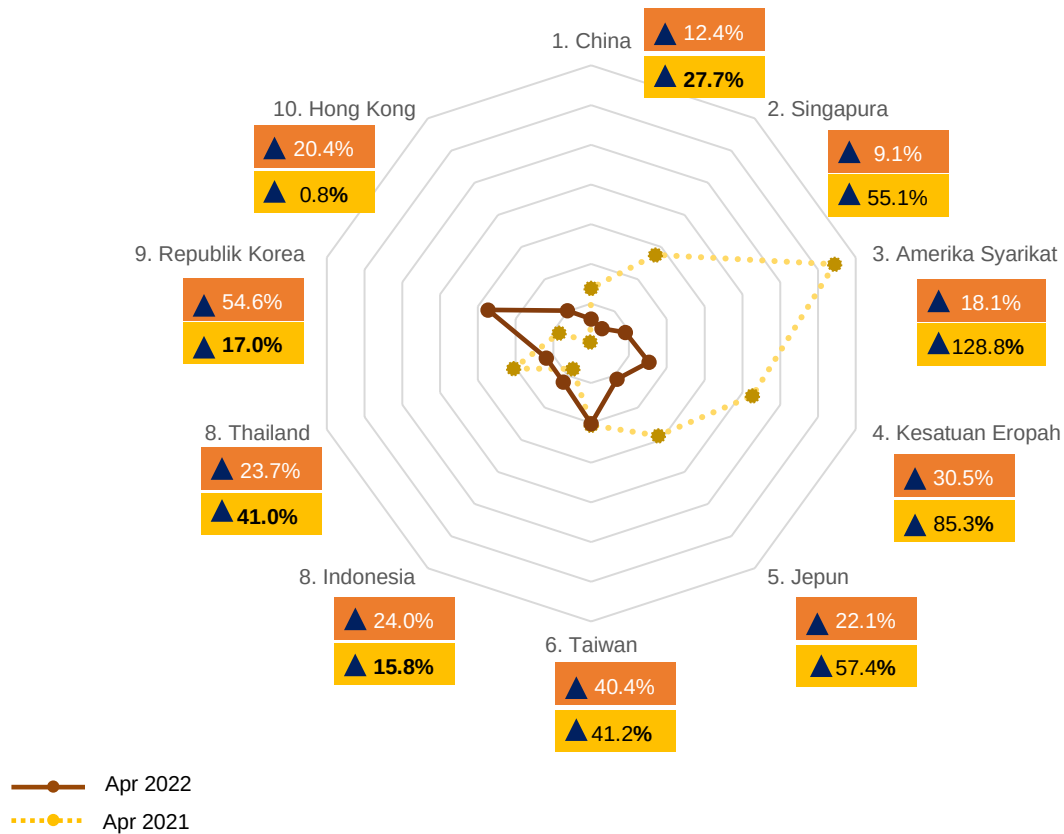
Carta 1: Perangkaan Perdagangan Luar Negeri, Jan 2020 – Apr 2022
(Nilai dan Peratus Perubahan Tahunan)



Carta 2: Import mengikut Klasifikasi Penggunaan Akhir & Kategori Ekonomi Umum (BEC), Jan 2020 – Apr 2022
(Nilai dan Peratus Perubahan Tahunan)



Carta 3: Prestasi Eksport mengikut Rakan Dagang Utama, Apr 2021 dan Apr 2022
(Peratus Perubahan Tahunan)



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**MEDIA STATEMENT
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***Malaysia's Total Trade Expanded by 21.3 per cent in April 2022, Maintaining
the Positive Momentum for the 17th Consecutive Month***

PUTRAJAYA, May 19, 2022 – Malaysia's trade performance continued the growth momentum in April 2022, with trade increasing by 21.3 per cent from RM190.8 billion in the preceding year to RM231.4 billion. Total trade registered a strong double-digit growth for 15th consecutive months since February 2021. In accordance, exports registering a strong growth of 20.7 per cent as compared to April 2021, marked the 20th consecutive month of year-on-year (y-o-y) expansion since September 2020. Imports increased by 22.0 per cent to RM103.9 billion and trade balance registered a surplus of RM23.5 billion, grew by 15.7 per cent in April 2022 as reported today in **MALAYSIA EXTERNAL TRADE STATISTICS BULLETIN, APRIL 2022**. This bulletin also presents the performance of products for imports and exports and its trading partners.

Chief Statistician Malaysia, Dato' Sri Dr. Mohd Uzir Mahidin said "Malaysia's exports surged by 20.7 per cent from RM105.6 billion to RM127.5 billion, the ninth successive month of double-digit y-o-y growth. The expansion was driven by both domestic exports and re-exports. Domestic exports was valued at RM103.4 billion contributed 81.1 per cent to total exports, grew by 21.7 per cent, y-o-y. Meanwhile, re-exports registered RM24.1 billion, increased by 16.8 per cent. Consistent with export performance, imports in April 2022 also registered double-digit growth of 22.0 per cent from RM85.2 billion to RM103.9 billion, outpacing export growth for four consecutive months. However, in comparison to March 2022, the performance of total trade, exports, imports and trade surplus showed declines of 2.1 per cent, 3.1 per cent, 0.9 per cent and 11.6 per cent, respectively."

In conjunction to the annual growth, 191 out of 255 commodity groups in exports showed increases as compared to the same month of the previous year and lead by thermionic valves & tubes. As for imports, 176 of 258 groups posted positive growths.

Department of Statistics Malaysia also reported, the rise in exports was attributable mainly to the higher exports to the European Union (+RM2.7 billion), the United States (+RM2.2 billion), China (+RM1.9 billion), Australia (+RM1.9 billion), Republic of Korea (+RM1.5 billion), Taiwan (+RM1.4 billion), Singapore (+RM1.4 billion), India (+RM1.4 billion), Japan (+RM1.4 billion) and Hong Kong (+RM1.2 billion). On top of that, the top contributor to the increase in imports has shifted once again, led by Indonesia with a RM2.8 billion increase. It was followed by Taiwan (+RM1.8 billion), Singapore (+RM1.8 billion), China (+RM1.7 billion), the United States (+RM1.7 billion), Republic of Korea (+RM1.4 billion), Saudi Arabia (+RM1.2 billion) and the United Arab Emirates (+RM1.0 billion).

Commenting further on exports, the expansion by products was driven by electrical & electronic products (+RM10.0 billion); manufacture of metal (+RM2.5 billion); palm oil & palm oil-based agriculture products (+RM2.1 billion); chemical & chemical products (+RM1.8 billion); palm oil-based manufactured products (+RM1.8 billion); liquefied natural gas (+RM1.7 billion) and crude petroleum (+RM1.1 billion). Meanwhile, the rise in imports were noted for electrical & electronic products (+RM7.2 billion); crude petroleum (+RM2.9 billion); chemical & chemical products (+RM1.8 billion); metalliferous ores & metal scrap (+RM1.7 billion) and manufacture of metal (+RM1.1 billion).

On the same note, the expansion in imports by End Use sustained by higher demand primarily for intermediate goods and consumption goods. Imports of intermediate goods (57.3% of the total imports) totalled RM59.6 billion, expanded by RM13.1 billion or 28.1 per cent. Consumption goods (8.0% of total imports) registered an increase of 9.7 per cent from RM7.5 billion in the preceding year to RM8.3 billion. In contrary, imports of capital goods amounted RM9.1 billion, shrank by 2.4 per cent as compared to April 2021, and comprised of 8.8 per cent of total imports.

In addition, the performance for January to April 2022, total trade, exports, imports and trade surplus continued to record strong double-digit growths. The total trade went up by 22.9 per cent, supported by the expansion in exports (+21.8%) as well as imports (+24.3%). Consequently, trade surplus recorded a higher value of RM88.6 billion.

The Department of Statistics Malaysia (DOSM) is conducting the Household Income, Expenditure and Basic Amenities Survey (HIES/BA) 2022 from 1st January 2022 to 31st December 2022 and the Annual Economic Survey 2022 (AES 2022) from 15th April 2022 to 30th September 2022. DOSM greatly appreciates the cooperation given by selected respondents by sharing their information with DOSM and making the survey a success. Please visit www.dosm.gov.my for more information.

DOSM also released economic and social statistics, namely PocketStats which contain quarterly and annual statistics that can be obtained from the DOSM portal or via the link https://bit.ly/PocketStatsQ1_2022.

Chart 1: External Trade Statistics, Jan 2020 – Apr 2022
(Value and Annual Percentage Change)

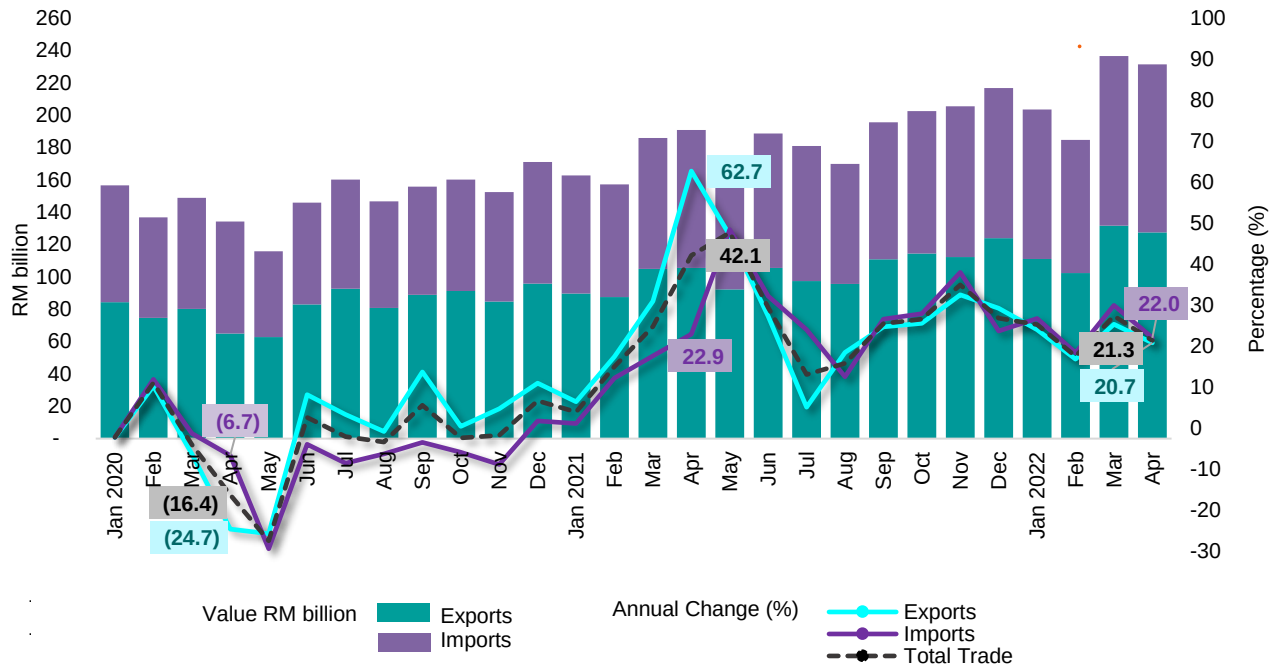


Chart 2: Imports for End Use & Broad Economic Categories (BEC) Classification, Jan 2020 – Apr 2022
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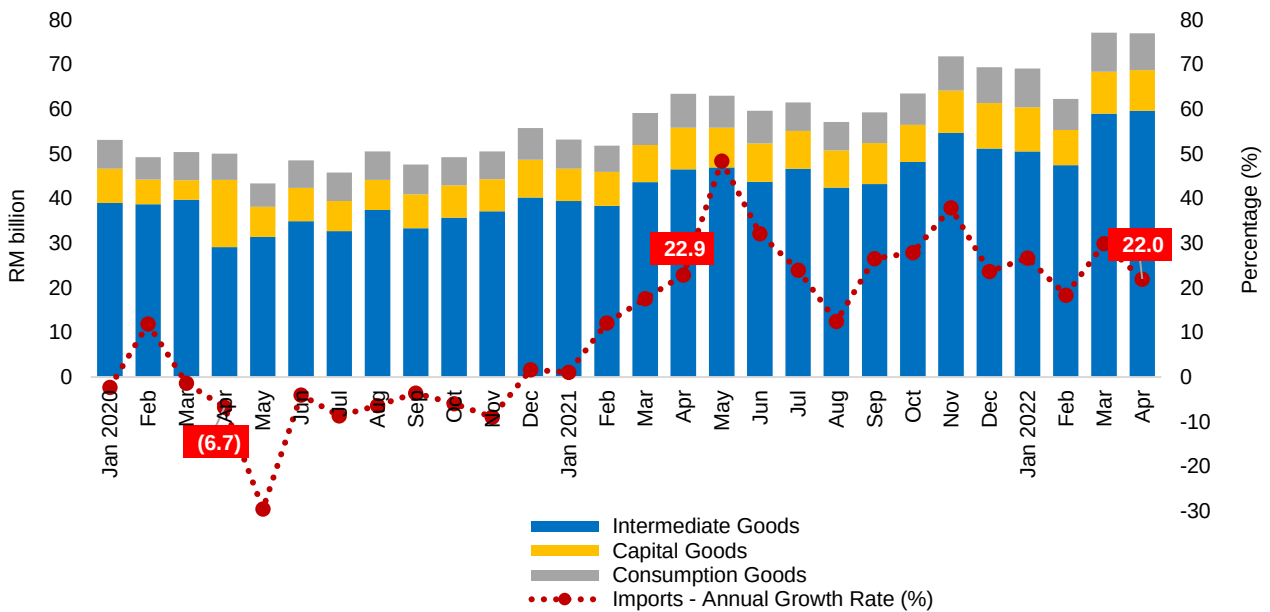
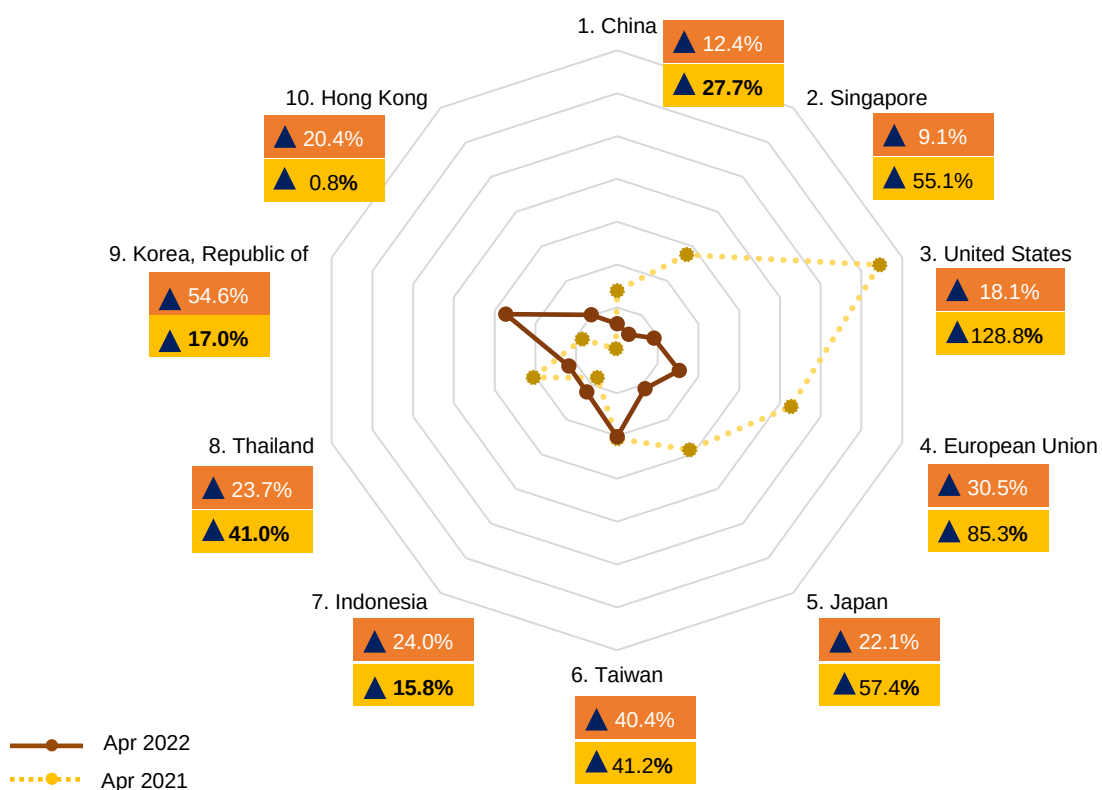


Chart 3: Performance of Exports for Major Trading Partners, Apr 2021 and Apr 2022
(Annual Percentage Change)



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