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BAGI PENUNJUK EKONOMI MALAYSIA
INDEKS PELOPOR, SERENTAK & SUSULAN
OGOS 2023**

Ekonomi Malaysia dijangka terus menyederhana dengan Indeks Pelopor mencatatkan marginal negatif 0.5 peratus pada Ogos 2023

PUTRAJAYA, 25 Oktober 2023 – Pada hari ini, Jabatan Perangkaan Malaysia menerbitkan **Penunjuk Ekonomi Malaysia: Indeks Pelopor, Serentak & Susulan bagi Ogos 2023**. Indeks Pelopor (IP) ialah alat yang digunakan untuk meramalkan arah aliran ekonomi secara purata empat hingga enam bulan ke hadapan.

Ketua Perangkawan Malaysia, Dato' Sri Dr. Mohd Uzir Mahidin berkata, “Kadar pertumbuhan tahunan Indeks Pelopor terus menyederhana pada Ogos 2023 dengan mencatatkan marginal negatif 0.5 peratus kepada 109.7 mata berbanding negatif 1.0 peratus pada bulan sebelumnya (**Paparan I**). Empat komponen menyumbang secara positif kepada indeks tersebut terutamanya Bilangan Unit Kediaman yang Diluluskan Pembinaan (245.7%), diikuti oleh Indeks Perusahaan Bursa Malaysia (15.2%), Bilangan Syarikat Baru Didaftar (13.1%) dan Import Benar Logam Asas Berharga & Logam Bukan Ferus Lain (3.6%). Sebaliknya, Import Benar Semi Konduktor terus menunjukkan penurunan (-31.9%). Melihat kepada prestasi bulanan, LI menunjukkan negatif 0.8 peratus pada Julai 2023 tetapi melonjak semula kepada 0.7 peratus pada bulan rujukan, akibat daripada peningkatan ketara dalam Import Benar Logam Asas Berharga & Logam Bukan Ferus Lain (0.9%)”.

Kadar pertumbuhan IP terlicin Ogos 2023 kekal di bawah aliran 100.0 mata, menjangkakan ekonomi Malaysia akan terus menyederhana disebabkan oleh ketidakpastian ekonomi global walaupun permintaan domestik kukuh (**Paparan II**).

Merujuk kepada senario ekonomi semasa, Indeks Serentak (IS) mencatatkan pertumbuhan 2.1 peratus kepada 123.6 mata pada Ogos 2023 berbanding 121.0 mata pada bulan yang sama tahun sebelumnya. Peningkatan itu disumbangkan oleh semua komponen kecuali Indeks Pengeluaran Perindustrian (-0.4%). Perubahan bulanan IS pula mencatatkan 0.04 peratus untuk mencapai 123.6 mata berbanding 123.5 mata pada Julai 2023, disokong terutamanya oleh peningkatan Jumlah Guna Tenaga, Pembuatan (0.4%).

DOSM telah melancarkan OpenDOSM NextGen sebagai medium yang menyediakan katalog data dan visualisasi bagi memudahkan pengguna menganalisis pelbagai data. OpenDOSM NextGen ialah platform perkongsian data sumber terbuka dan boleh diakses melalui portal <https://open.dosm.gov.my>.

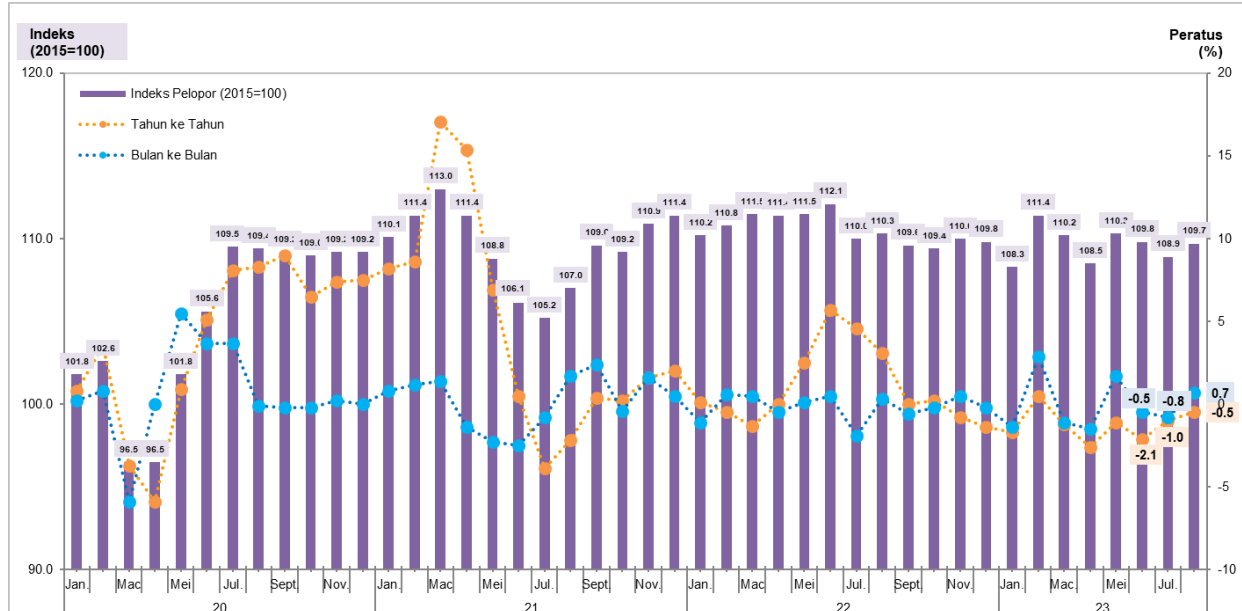
Jabatan Perangkaan Malaysia (DOSM) akan menjalankan Banci Pertanian pada tahun 2024. Mohon layari <https://www.myagricensus.gov.my/> untuk maklumat lanjut. “Banci Pertanian, Kunci Kemajuan Pertanian”.

Kerajaan Malaysia telah mengisytiharkan Hari Statistik Negara (MyStats Day) pada 20 Oktober setiap tahun. Tema sambutan MyStats Day adalah “*Statistik Nadi Kehidupan*”.

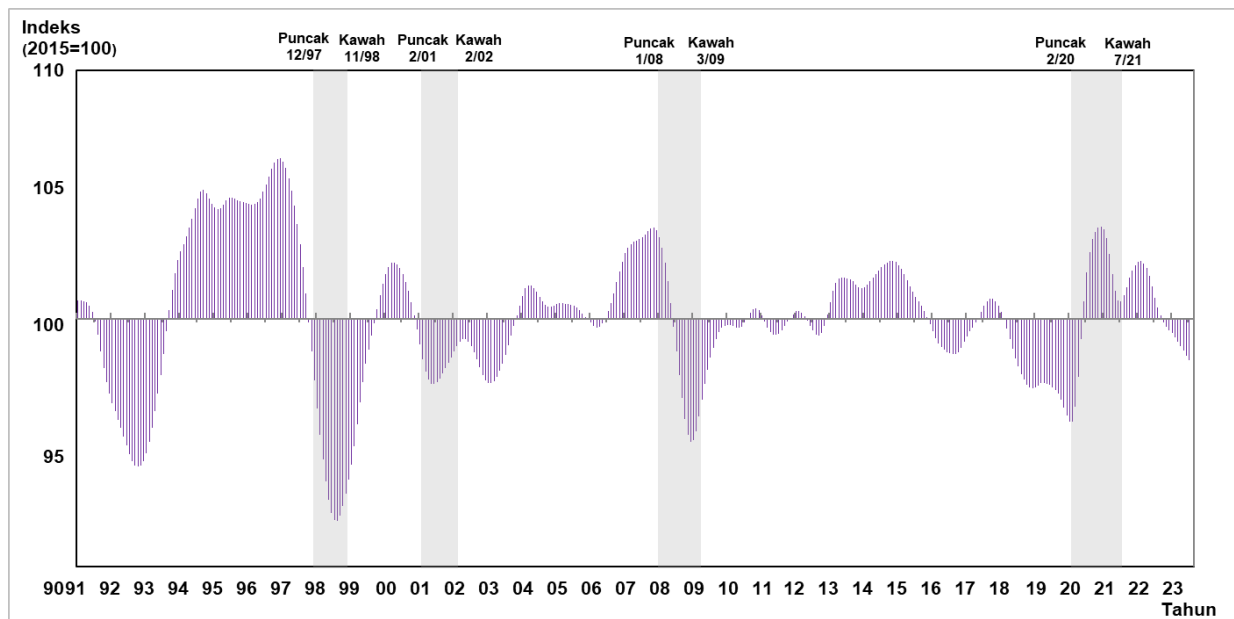
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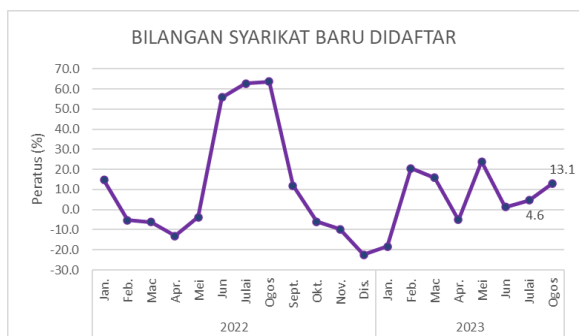
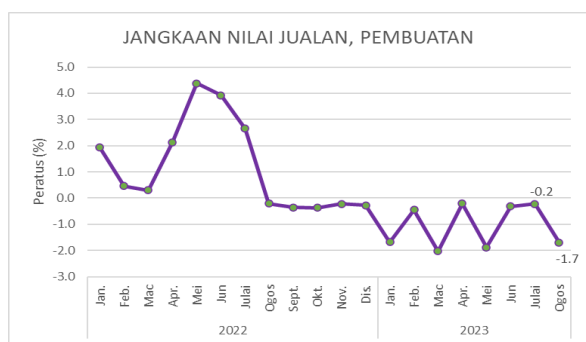
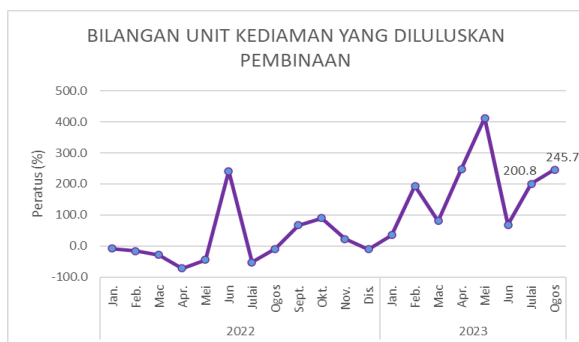
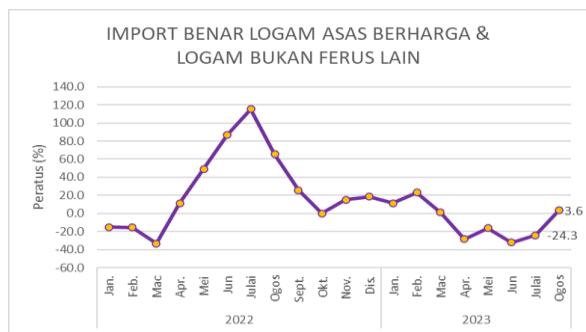
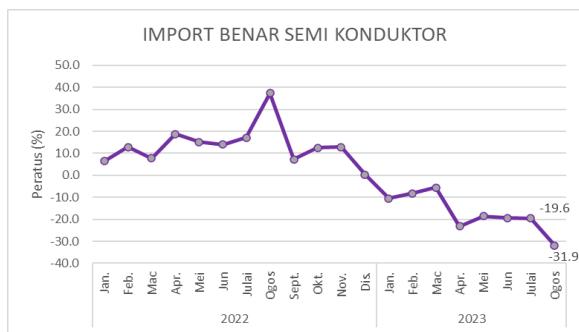
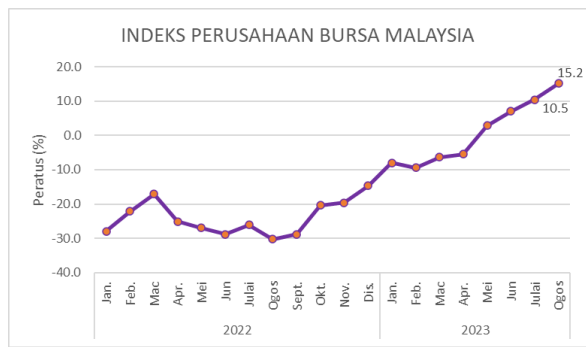
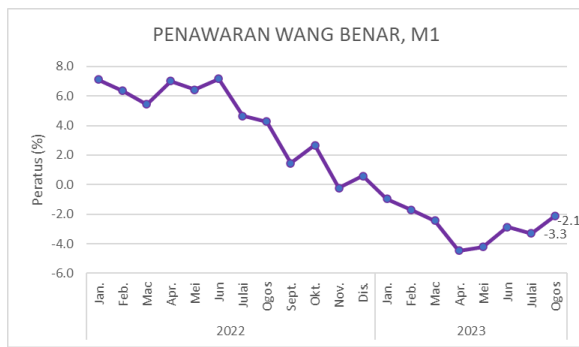
Paparan I: Indeks Komposit Pelopor



Paparan II: Indeks Komposit Pelopor (Arah Aliran Jangka Panjang = 100) dan Kitaran Perniagaan



Paparan III: Perubahan Tahunan Bagi Komponen Dalam Indeks Pelopor



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**MEDIA STATEMENT
FOR MALAYSIAN ECONOMIC INDICATORS
LEADING, COINCIDENT & LAGGING INDEXES
AUGUST 2023**

Malaysia's economy is expected to moderate further, with the Leading Index recording a marginal negative 0.5 per cent in August 2023

PUTRAJAYA, October 25, 2023 - Today, the Department of Statistics Malaysia released the **Malaysian Economic Indicators: Leading, Coincident & Lagging Indexes for August 2023**. The Leading Index (LI) is a tool utilised for predicting economic trends an average of four to six months ahead.

Chief Statistician Malaysia, Dato' Sri Dr. Mohd Uzir Mahidin said, "The annual growth rate in the Leading Index moderated further in August 2023 by registering a marginal negative 0.5 per cent to 109.7 points as compared to negative 1.0 per cent in the previous month (**Exhibit I**). Four components contributed positively to the index notably the Number of Housing Units Approved (245.7%), followed by Bursa Malaysia Industrial Index (15.2%), Number of New Companies Registered (13.1%) and Real Imports of Other Basic Precious & Other Non-ferrous Metals (3.6%). Conversely, Real Imports of Semi Conductors continued to demonstrate a decline (-31.9%). Looking at the monthly performance, the LI showed negative 0.8 per cent in July 2023 but rebounded to 0.7 per cent in the reference month, as a result of significant increase in Real Imports of Other Basic Precious & Other Non-ferrous Metals (0.9%)".

The August 2023 smoothed LI growth rate remained below the 100.0 points trend, expecting that the Malaysian economy will continue to moderate attributed by global economic uncertainties albeit strong domestic demand (**Exhibit II**).

Referring to the current economic scenario, the Coincident Index (CI) recorded a growth of 2.1 per cent to 123.6 points in August 2023 as compared to 121.0 points in the same month of the previous year. The uptick was contributed by all components except the Industrial Production Index (-0.4%). The monthly change in CI registered 0.04 per cent to reach 123.6 points as compared to 123.5 points in July 2023, primarily backed by the increase of Total Employment of Manufacturing (0.4%).

DOSM has launched OpenDOSM NextGen as a medium that provides a catalogue of data and visualisation to facilitate users in analysing various data. OpenDOSM NextGen is an open source data sharing platform and accessible through <https://open.dosm.gov.my> portal.

The Department of Statistics Malaysia (DOSM) will conduct the Agricultural Census in 2024. Please visit <https://www.myagricensus.gov.my/> for more information. “Agriculture Census, Key to Agriculture Development”.

*The Government of Malaysia has declared National Statistics Day (MyStats Day) on October 20 each year. MyStats Day theme is “**Statistics is the Essence of Life**”.*

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Exhibit I: Leading Composite Index

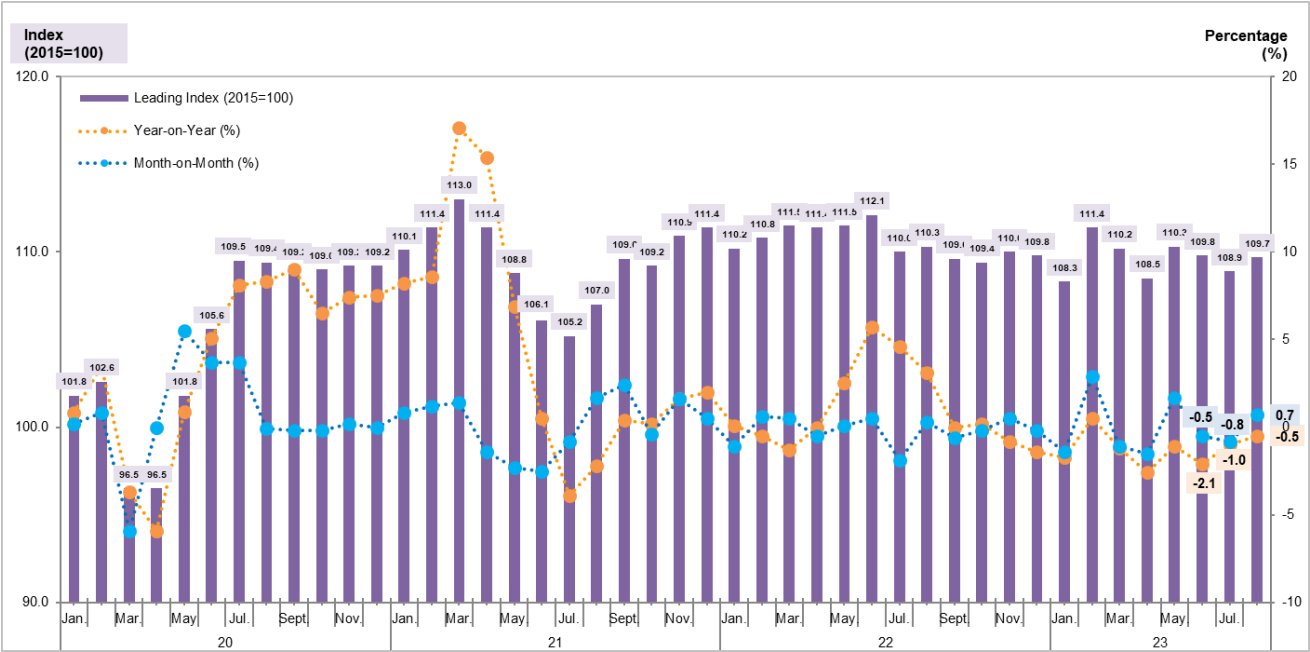


Exhibit II: Leading Composite Index (Long Term Trend = 100) and Business Cycle

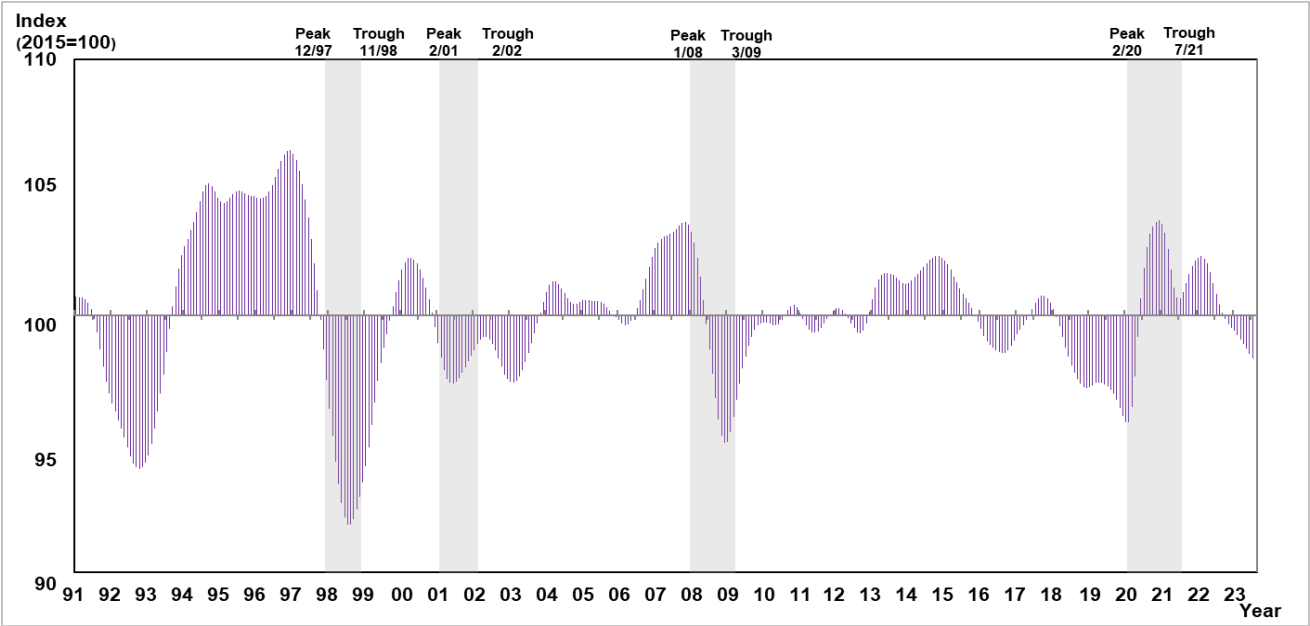


Exhibit III: Annual Changes of Leading Index Components

