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PENUNJUK EKONOMI MALAYSIA INDEKS PELOPOR, SERENTAK & SUSULAN OGOS 2024

**Ekonomi Malaysia dijangkakekal berdaya tahan
dengan indeks pelopor mencatatkan 4.0 peratus pada Ogos 2024**

PUTRAJAYA, 25 OKTOBER 2024 – Pada hari ini, Jabatan Perangkaan Malaysia menerbitkan **Penunjuk Ekonomi Malaysia: Indeks Pelopor, Serentak & Susulan bagi Ogos 2024**. Indeks Pelopor (IP) memberi petunjuk awal tentang titik perubahan yang ketara dalam kitaran perniagaan dan arah tuju ekonomi bagi tempoh terdekat.

Ketua Perangkawan Malaysia, Dato' Sri Dr. Mohd Uzir Mahidin menyatakan, “Prestasi IP Malaysia terus memperlihatkan momentum pertumbuhan yang kukuh pada Ogos 2024, dengan mencatatkan 4.0 peratus, mencapai 114.3 mata berbanding 109.9 mata pada bulan yang sama tahun sebelumnya (**Paparan I**). Pertumbuhan ini mencerminkan peningkatan yang meluas merentas semua komponen IP. Namun begitu, dari segi prestasi bulanan, IP mengalami penyusutan 0.7 peratus disebabkan oleh penurunan yang signifikan dalam Import Benar Semi Konduktor (-0.8%), Jangkaan Nilai Jualan dalam Pembuatan (-0.6%) dan Indeks Perusahaan Bursa Malaysia (-0.3%).”

Melihat kepada trend jangka panjang terlicin pada Ogos 2024, IP konsisten melepas 100.0 mata (**Paparan II**), mencerminkan ekonomi Malaysia yang berkembang disokong oleh asas ekonomi yang kukuh dan prospek positif terhadap perdagangan luar.

Indeks Serentak (IS) yang menggambarkan landskap ekonomi semasa, merekodkan pertumbuhan tahunan yang positif sebanyak 2.1 peratus pada Ogos 2024, mencapai 126.5 mata berbanding 123.9 mata pada bulan yang sama tahun sebelumnya. Kenaikan ini sebahagian besarnya didorong oleh pertumbuhan dalam kebanyakan komponen kecuali Gaji dan Upah Benar dalam Pembuatan yang mengalami penyusutan sebanyak 0.3 peratus. Merujuk kepada prestasi bulanan, IS menunjukkan penurunan marginal sebanyak 0.6 peratus, dipengaruhi oleh kemerosotan dalam empat daripada enam komponen terutamanya Nilai Caruman Benar, KWSP (-0.3%).

Jabatan Perangkaan Malaysia (DOSM) telah melancarkan OpenDOSM NextGen sebagai medium yang menyediakan katalog data dan visualisasi bagi memudahkan pengguna menganalisis pelbagai data dan boleh diakses melalui portal <https://open.dosm.gov.my>.

Kerajaan Malaysia telah mengisytiharkan Hari Statistik Negara (MyStats Day) pada 20 Oktober setiap tahun. Tema sambutan MyStats Day adalah “Statistik Nadi Kehidupan”. DOSM menyambut ulang tahun ke-75 Jubli Intan pada tahun 2024.

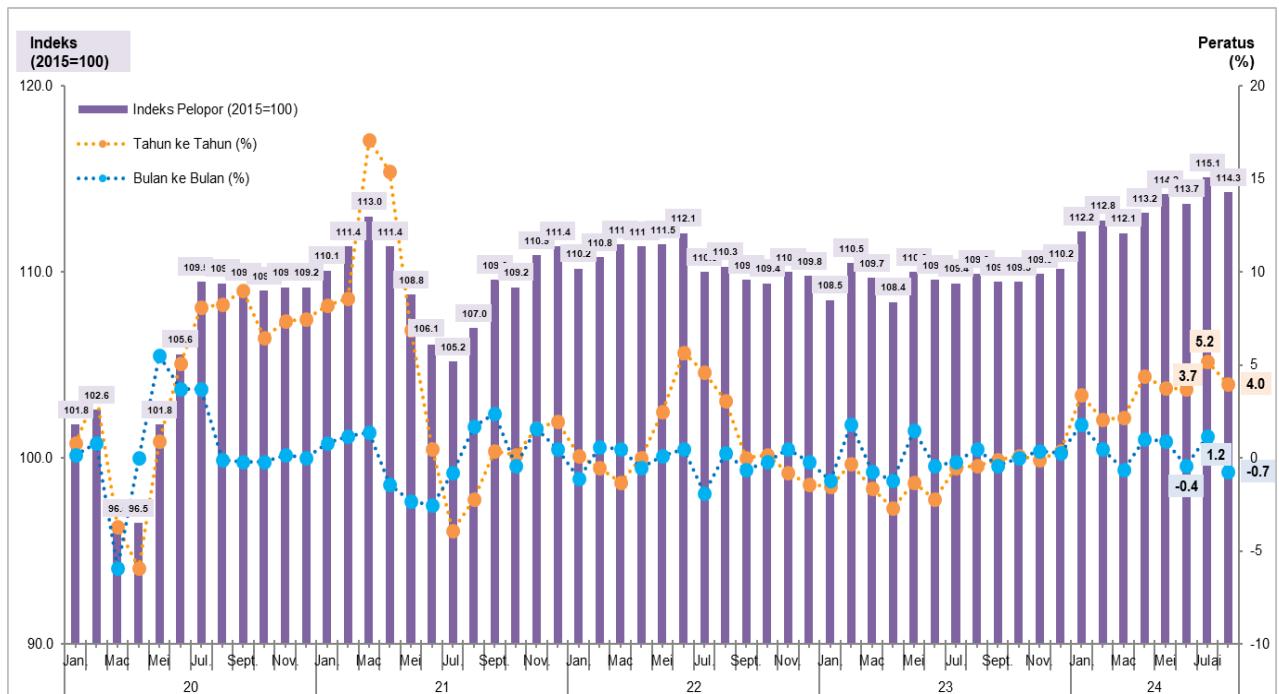
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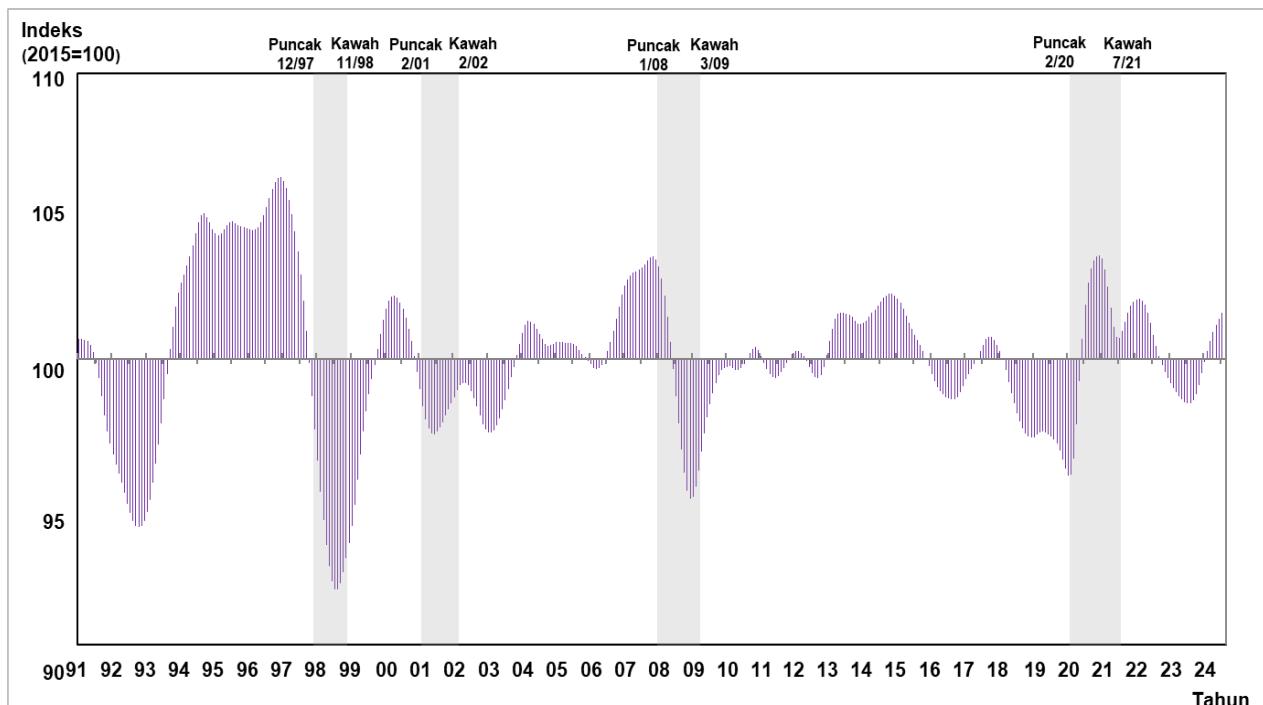
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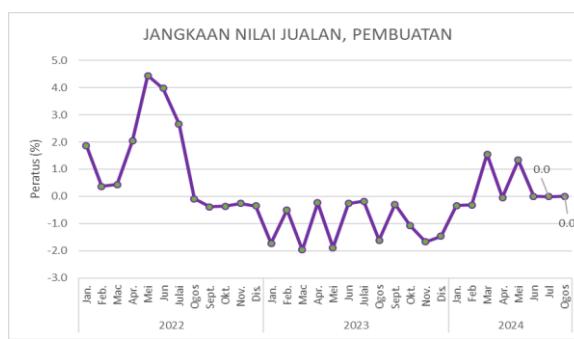
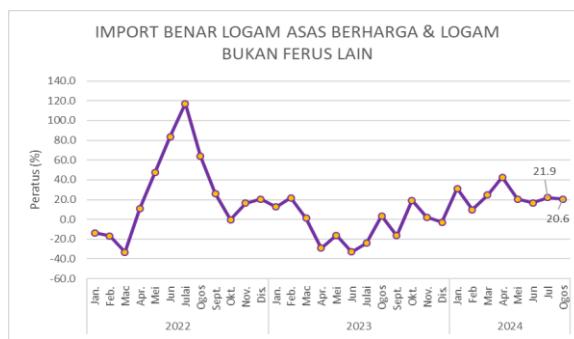
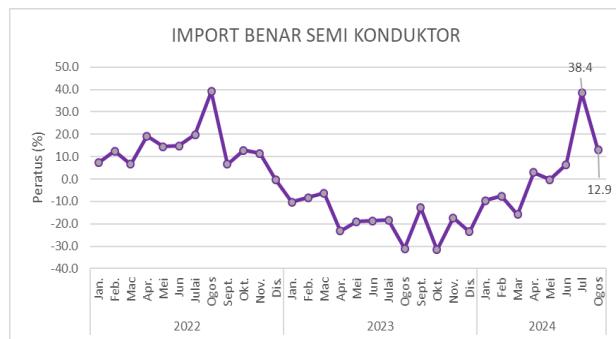
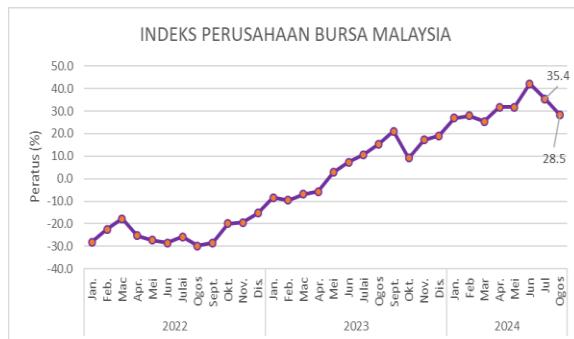
Paparan I: Indeks Komposit Pelopor



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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MALAYSIAN ECONOMIC INDICATORS LEADING, COINCIDENT & LAGGING INDEXES AUGUST 2024

***Malaysia's economy is expected to remain resilient
with the leading index recording 4.0 per cent in August 2024***

PUTRAJAYA, OCTOBER 25, 2024 – Today, the Department of Statistics Malaysia released the **Malaysian Economic Indicators: Leading, Coincident & Lagging Indexes for August 2024**. The Leading Index (LI) provides an early indication of significant turning points in the business cycle and the direction of the economy in the near term.

Chief Statistician Malaysia, Dato' Sri Dr. Mohd Uzir Mahidin mentioned, “Malaysia's LI continued to demonstrate a strong growth momentum in August 2024 by recording an increase of 4.0 per cent, reaching 114.3 points as compared to 109.9 points in the same month of the previous year (**Exhibit I**). This growth reflected widespread improvements across all components of the LI. Nevertheless, on a monthly basis, the LI experienced a decline of 0.7 per cent due to significant reductions in the Real Imports of Semi Conductors (-0.8%), Expected Sales Value in Manufacturing (-0.6%) and Bursa Malaysia Industrial Index (-0.3%)”.

Looking at the smoothed long-term trend in August 2024, the LI consistently exceeded 100.0 points (**Exhibit II**), indicating that the Malaysian economy is growing

steadily bolstered by strong economic fundamentals and positive outlook of external trade.

The Coincidence Index (CI) which reflects the current economic landscape, recorded a positive annual growth of 2.1 per cent in August 2024, reaching 126.5 points as compared to 123.9 points in the same month of the preceding year. This increase was largely driven by growth in most components except for the Real Salaries and Wages in Manufacturing, which saw a decline of 0.3 per cent. Referring to the monthly performance, the CI showed a marginal decrease of 0.6 per cent, affected by downturns in four out of six components, notably in the Real Contributions, EPF (-0.3%).

The Department of Statistics Malaysia (DOSM) has launched OpenDOSM NextGen as a medium that provides data catalogue and visualisations to facilitate users' analysis and can be accessed through <https://open.dosm.gov.my>.

The Government of Malaysia has declared National Statistics Day (MyStats Day) on October 20th each year. MyStats Day theme is "Statistics is the Essence of Life". DOSM commemorates its 75th Diamond Jubilee in 2024.

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APPENDIX I

Exhibit I: Leading Composite Index

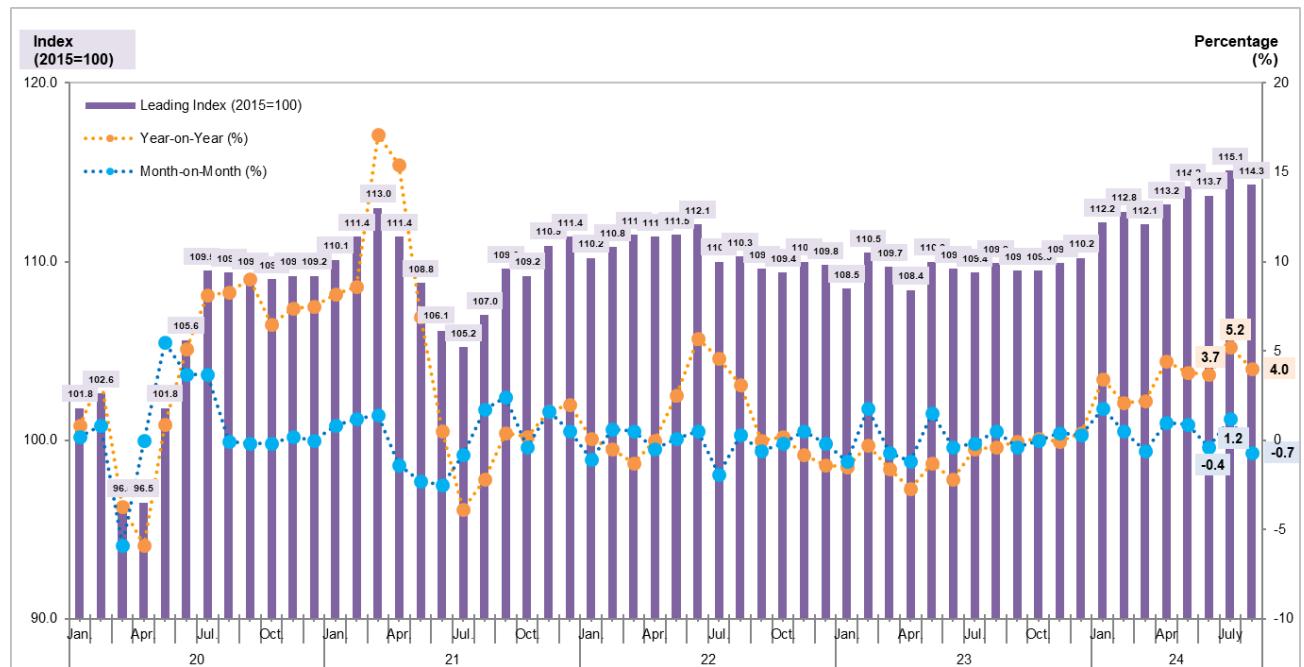


Exhibit II: Leading Composite Index (Long Term Trend = 100) and Business Cycle

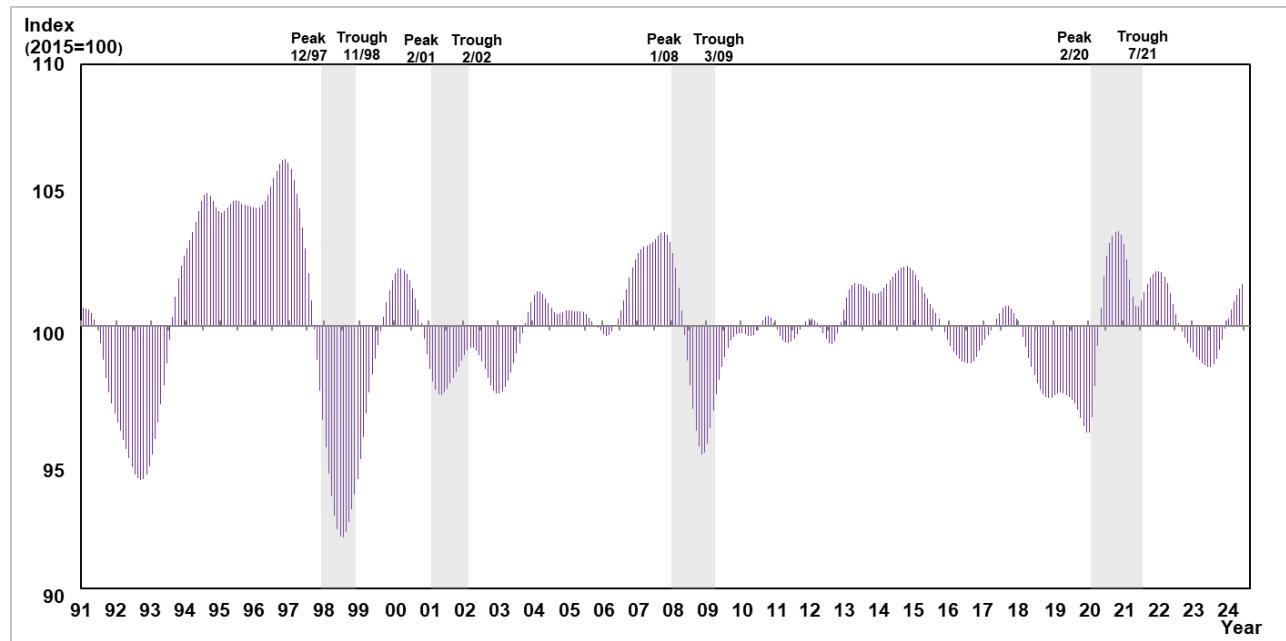


Exhibit III: Annual Changes of Leading Index Components

