



Malaysia External Trade Statistics by State
(Reference Year: 2024)



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BY STATE 2024

Exports
RM1,507.7 b
▲ 5.7%



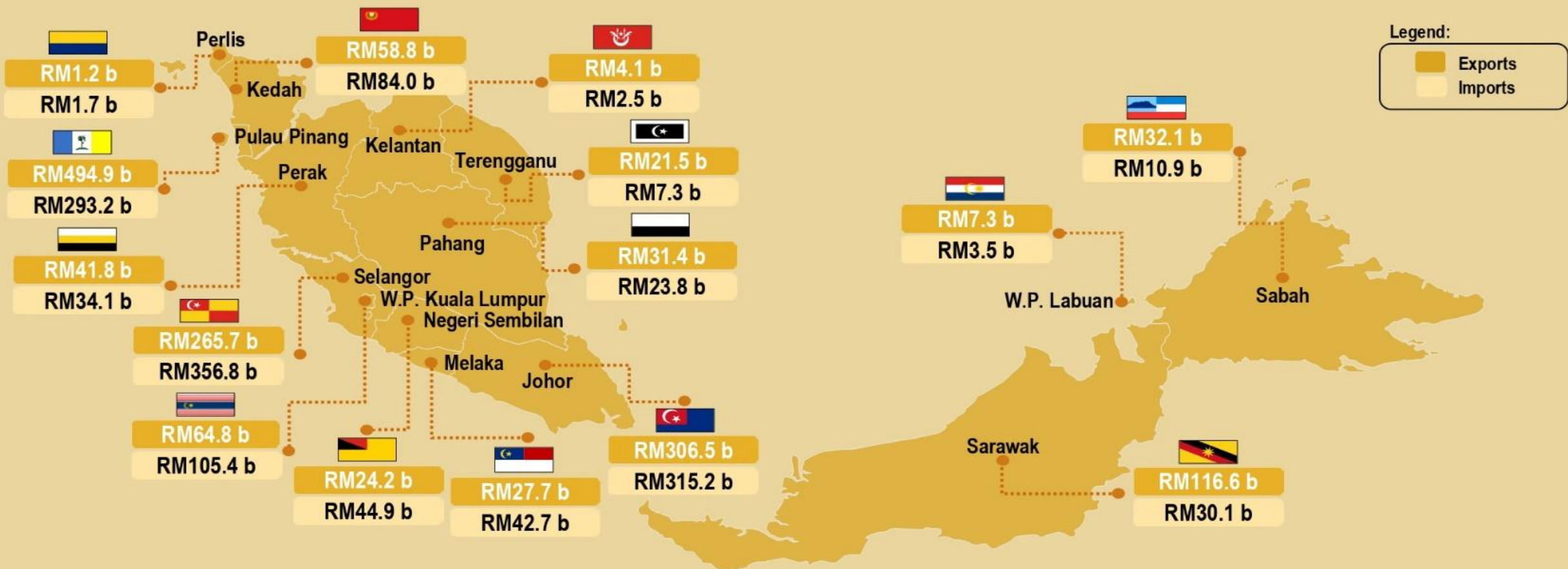
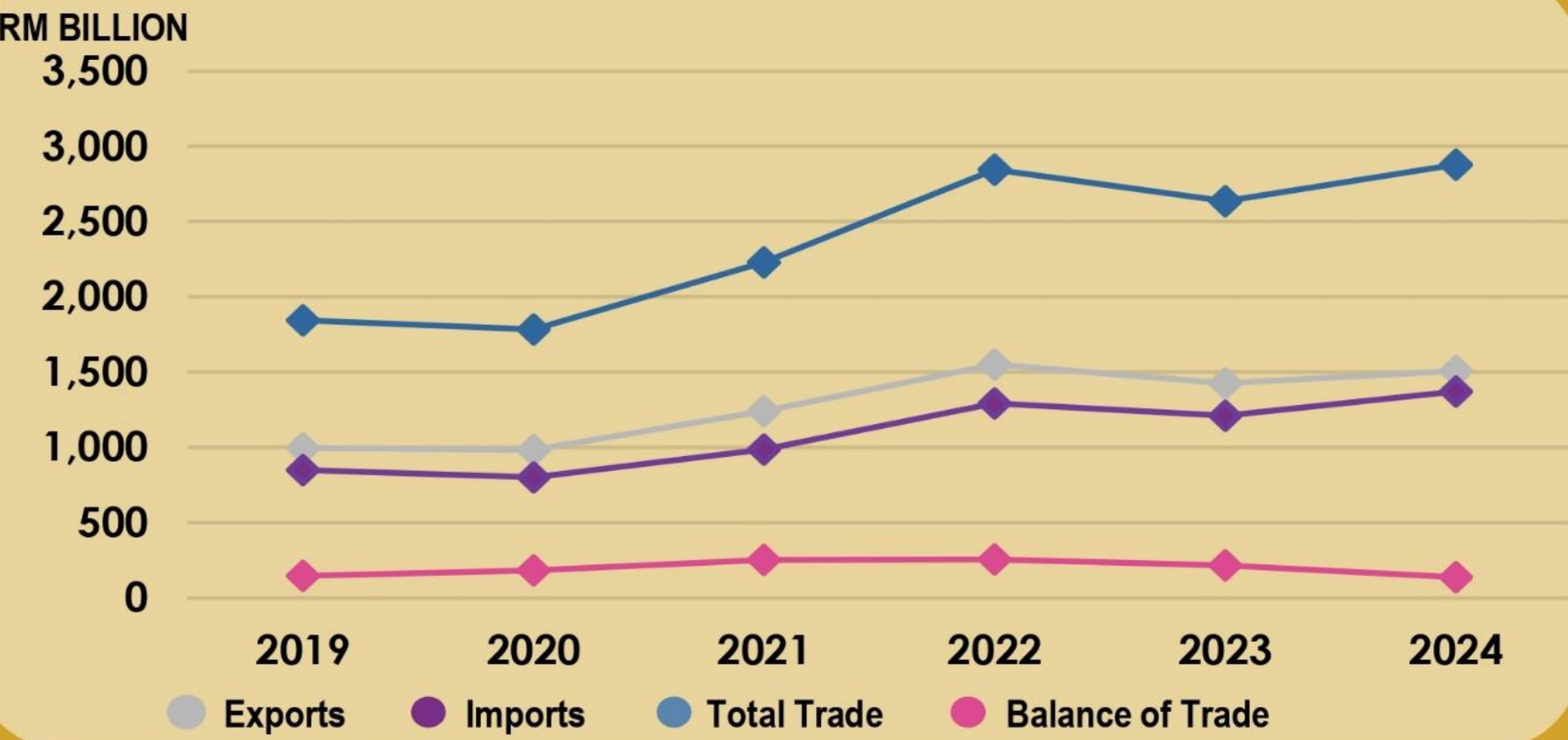
Imports
RM1,370.8 b
▲ 13.2%

Total Trade
RM2,878.5 b
▲ 9.1%



Trade Balance
RM136.8 b
▼ 36.4%

▲ ▼ All changes are based on year-on-year (y-o-y) comparison



Notes:

- Export and import activities that are taking place in the Supra area (including production activities beyond the centre of predominant economic interest for any state) or declarations made by the forwarding agent are not included in this infographic.
- Exports or imports value for W.P. Kuala Lumpur includes W.P. Putrajaya.
- The statistics displayed for 2024 refer to provisional statistics and subject to revision in later issues.

Source: Malaysia External Trade Statistics by State 2025, Department of Statistics Malaysia (DOSM)

Malaysia's trade openness index (TOI) for 2024 increased to 149.0 with Pulau Pinang and Johor recorded the highest TOI at 542.6 and 326.8 respectively in 2023

- Malaysia's total trade in year 2024 amounted to RM2.9 trillion with exports of RM1.5 trillion and imports worth RM1.4 trillion.
- Malaysia's trade openness index in 2024 was recorded at 149.0 as compared to 144.6 in the previous year. In 2023, four (4) states registered a higher index as compared to the national level which were Pulau Pinang 542.6 (2022: 626.9), Johor 326.8 (2022: 367.4), W.P. Labuan 229.3 (2022: 336.9) and Kedah 220.1 (2022: 227.7).
- Malaysia's exports in year 2024 registered an increase of 5.7 per cent to RM1.5 trillion as compared to the previous year. Higher exports were recorded in most states such as Pulau Pinang (+RM61.7 billion), Johor (+RM28.3 billion), Selangor (+RM28.0 billion), Perak (+RM10.8 billion), Terengganu (+RM6.4 billion), Sarawak (+RM4.4 billion), Kedah (+RM1.8 billion), Pahang (+RM1.0 billion), Melaka (+RM457.5 million), Kelantan (+RM311.4 million) and Negeri Sembilan (+RM272.1 million). However, exports decreased in Sabah (-RM59.3 billion), W.P. Kuala Lumpur (-RM3.4 billion), W.P. Labuan (-RM896.4 million) and Perlis (-RM112.8 million).
- Pulau Pinang remained as the top exporter with a share of 32.8 per cent share, followed by Johor (20.3%), Selangor (17.6%), Sarawak (7.7%) and W.P. Kuala Lumpur (4.3%).
- On the same note, Malaysia's imports in year 2024 registered an increase of 13.2 per cent or RM159.8 billion as compared to the previous year. The increase in imports was led by higher imports by most states such as Pulau Pinang (+RM53.1 billion), Johor (+RM52.5 billion), Selangor (+RM51.3 billion), Kedah (+RM23.7 billion), W.P. Kuala Lumpur (+RM21.5 billion), Negeri Sembilan (+RM3.1 billion), Melaka (+RM2.5 billion), Perak (+RM2.4 billion), Pahang (+RM1.4 billion), Terengganu (+RM1.4 billion), W.P. Labuan (+RM626.2 million), Kelantan (+RM486.2 million) and Perlis (+RM438.0 million). However, imports decreased in Sabah (-RM57.1 billion) and Sarawak (-RM619.5 million).
- Meanwhile, as for imports, Selangor remained as the largest contributor with a share of 26.0 per cent, followed by Johor (23.0%), Pulau Pinang (21.4%), W.P. Kuala Lumpur (7.7%) and Kedah (6.1%).

