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PRESS STATEMENT

FOR EXPORT IMPORT STATISTICS BY STATE SEPTEMBER 2024

FIVE STATES REGISTERED A CONTRIBUTION OF 84.6 PER CENT OF TOTAL TRADE IN SEPTEMBER 2024

PUTRAJAYA, 28 October 2024 – Malaysia's total trade for September 2024 amounted to RM234.8 billion with exports and imports recorded RM124.0 billion and RM110.8 billion, respectively as reported today in **EXPORT IMPORT STATISTICS BY STATE SEPTEMBER 2024**.

Chief Statistician Malaysia, Dato' Sri Dr. Mohd Uzir Mahidin said exports was valued at RM124.0 billion in September 2024, decreased RM319.5 million (-0.3%) as compared to the same month of the previous year. The decrease in exports was attributed to the lower exports in most states such as Selangor (-RM2.0 billion), Kedah (-RM1.5 billion), Negeri Sembilan (-RM769.4 million), Pahang (-RM501.1 million), W.P. Labuan (-RM353.9 million), Sarawak (-RM347.3 million), Melaka (-RM313.2 million), Terengganu (-RM193.5 million), W.P. Kuala Lumpur (-RM172.8 million) and Perlis (-RM22.4 million). However, exports increased in Pulau Pinang by RM3.6 billion, Johor (+RM1.5 billion), Perak (+RM1.0 billion), Sabah (+RM187.0 million) and Kelantan (+RM28.1 million).

Pulau Pinang remained as the top exporter with 37.5 per cent share, followed by Johor (20.6%), Selangor (15.6%), Sarawak (6.5%) and W.P. Kuala Lumpur (4.5%).

Looking at the performance of imports by state, Dato' Sri Dr. Mohd Uzir Mahidin said imports in September 2024 increased RM10.9 billion (+10.9%) as compared to the

same month in 2023. The increase in imports was attributed by the higher imports in most states such as Johor (+RM4.7 billion), Pulau Pinang (+RM4.2 billion), W.P. Kuala Lumpur (+RM3.1 billion), Selangor (+RM2.6 billion), Perak (+RM210.0 million), Kedah (+RM201.5 million) and Terengganu (+RM123.6 million). However, imports decreased in Melaka by RM1.6 billion, Negeri Sembilan (-RM1.1 billion), Pahang (-RM464.9 million), Sarawak (-RM177.3 million), W.P. Labuan (-RM107.7 million), Kelantan (-RM27.4 million), Sabah (-RM25.2 million) and Perlis (-RM13.5 million).

Selangor dominates Malaysia's imports with a share of 26.5 per cent, followed by Johor (23.3%), Pulau Pinang (22.6%), W.P. Kuala Lumpur (9.5%) and Kedah (5.6%).

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. MyStats Day theme is "Statistics is the Essence of Life". DOSM commemorates its 75th Diamond Jubilee in 2024.

**Chart 1: Exports and Imports in Johor, Pulau Pinang and Selangor,
September 2023 – September 2024 (RM Billion)**

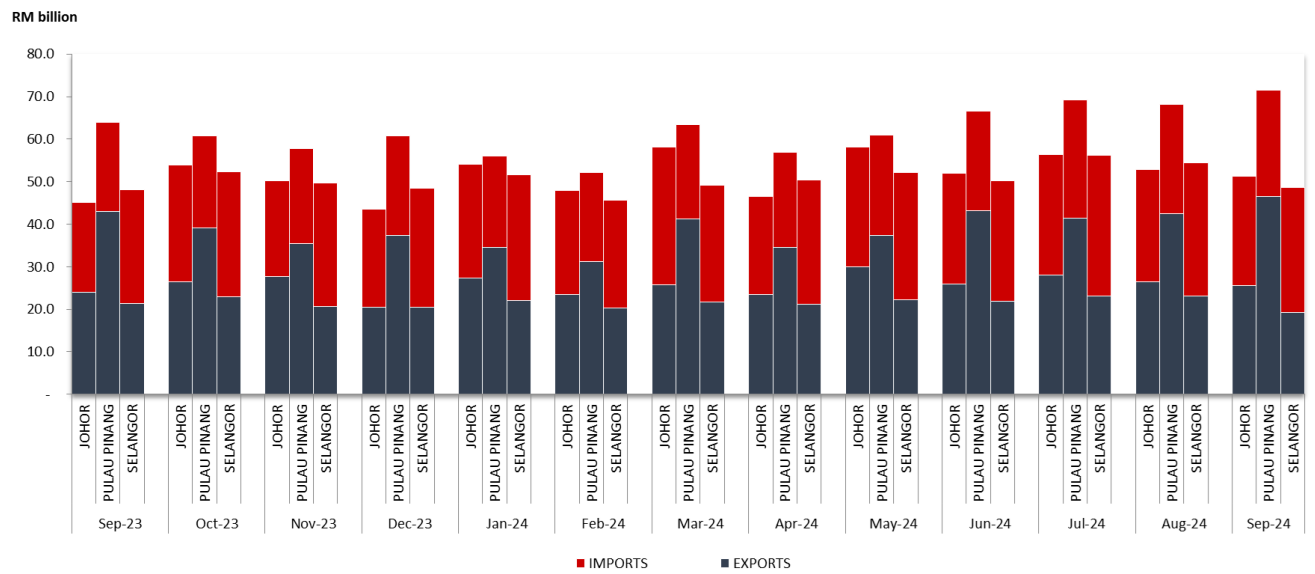
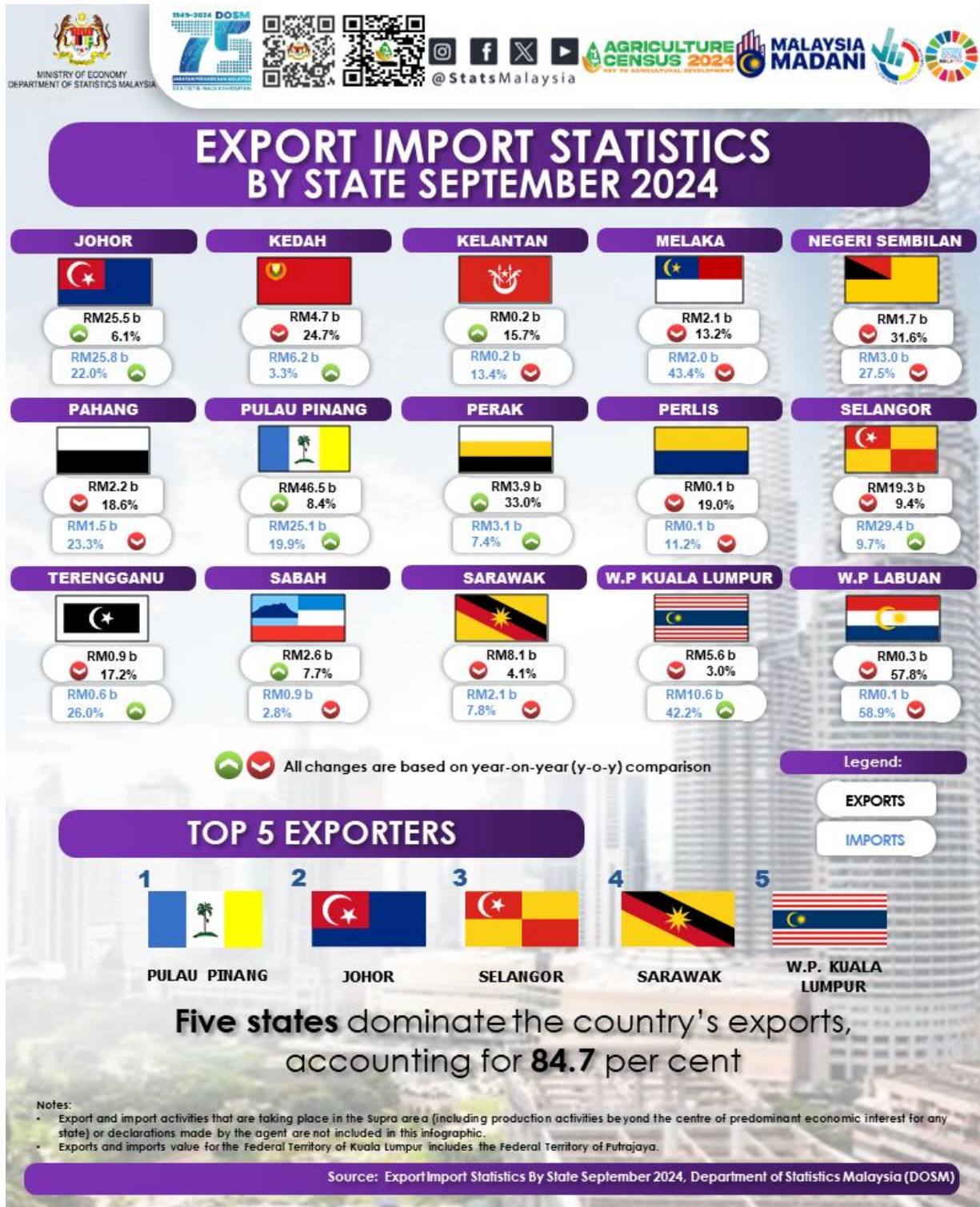


Exhibit 1: Infographic on Export Import Statistics by State, September 2024



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