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MALAYSIA'S TRADE PERFORMANCE, MAY 2026

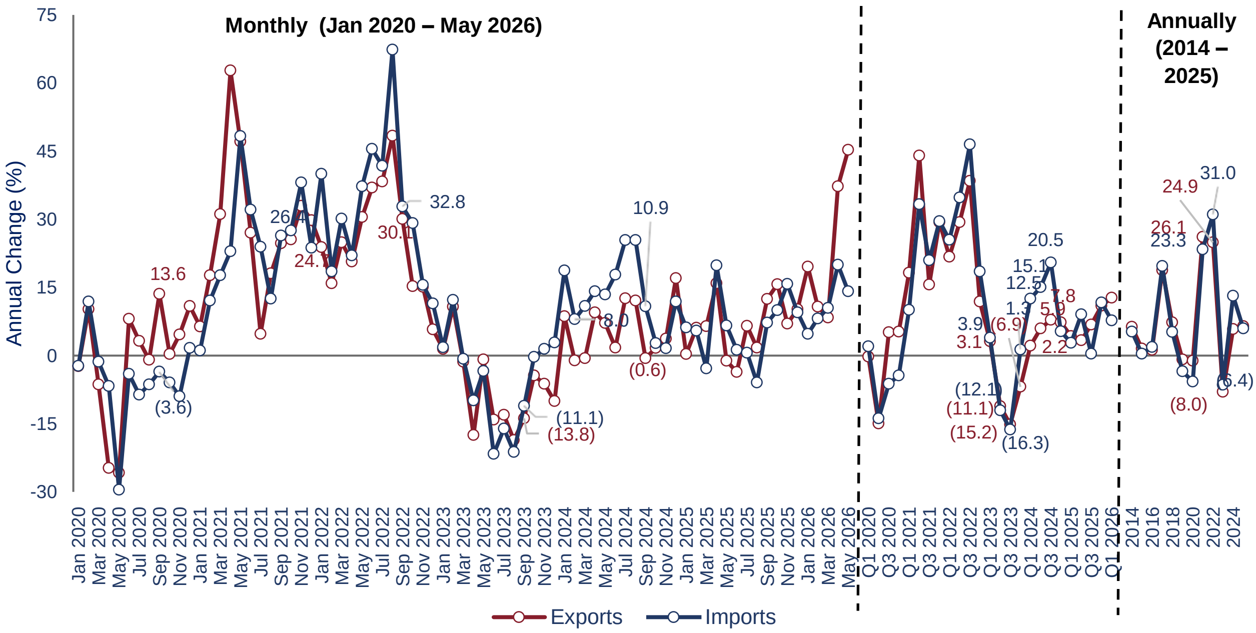
Malaysia's trade performance sustained a positive trend in May 2026, consistent with the double digit rise in export (+45.3%) and imports (+14.1%), year-on-year (y-o-y). Total trade increased by RM75.2 billion or 29.8 per cent, reached RM327.6 billion.

Furthermore, trade balance rose by 5,214.0 per cent or RM39.6 billion from RM759.9 million to RM40.4 billion as compared to the same period in the previous year.

The monthly comparison shows that exports and trade surplus increased by 0.4 per cent, and 38.2 per cent, respectively. However imports and total trade declined by 6.8 per cent, and 2.9 per cent, respectively.

Total trade, exports, imports and trade surplus all showed positive trend from January to May 2026, compared to the corresponding period in the previous year. Total trade climbed by 18.3 per cent to RM1.5 trillion, driven by increases in exports (+24.3%) and imports (+11.8%). In addition, trade surplus up by 182.9 per cent to RM132.8 billion.

Chart 1: Trade Performance: Monthly, Quarterly & Annually



EXPORTS

Malaysia's export performance in May 2026 recorded a growth to RM184.0 billion, grew by 45.3 per cent

Performance of Exports

Malaysia's exports surged by 45.3 per cent y-o-y to RM184.0 billion in May 2026, recording the highest monthly record to date.

The encouraging export growth was mainly contributed by the increase in domestic exports and re-exports. Domestic exports valued at RM143.1 billion (77.8% of total exports), uplift by 42.0 per cent or RM42.3 billion.

Re-exports (22.2% of total exports) expanded 58.4 per cent or RM15.1 billion from RM25.8 billion to RM40.9 billion.

Alongside this, monthly comparison showed exports increased marginally by 0.4 per cent or RM733.3 million from RM183.3 billion to RM184.0 billion. Based on month-on-month seasonally adjusted terms analysis, exports also rose marginally 0.8 per cent to RM189.5 billion.

Chart 2: Domestic Exports, Re-Exports (RM billion) and Annual Change (%)

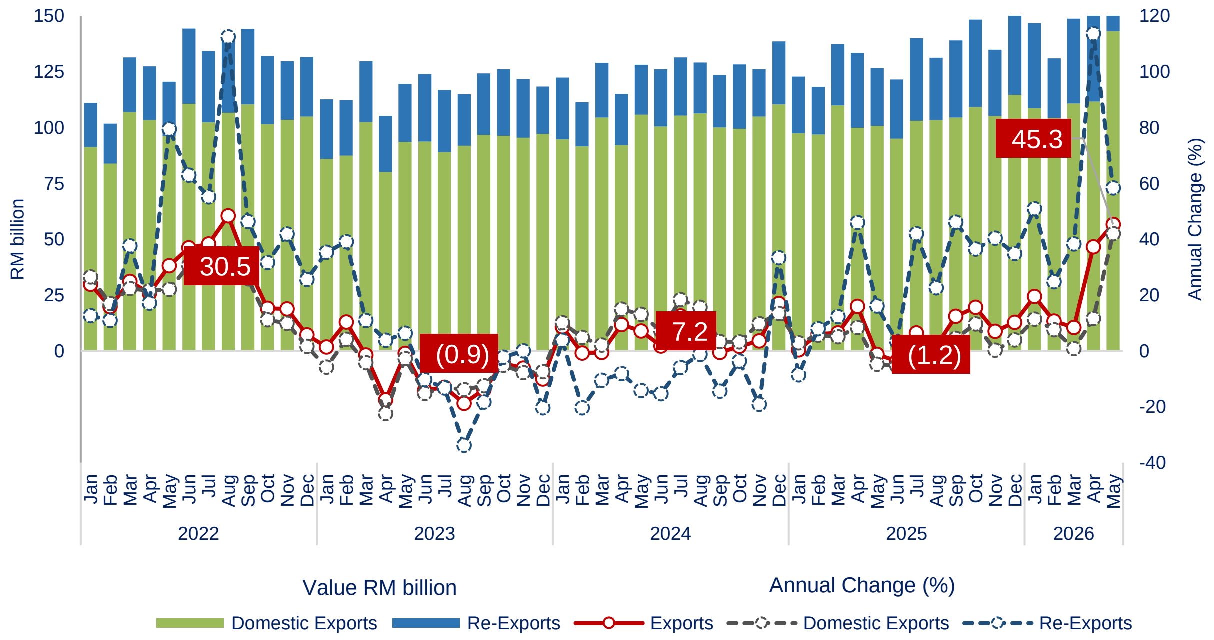
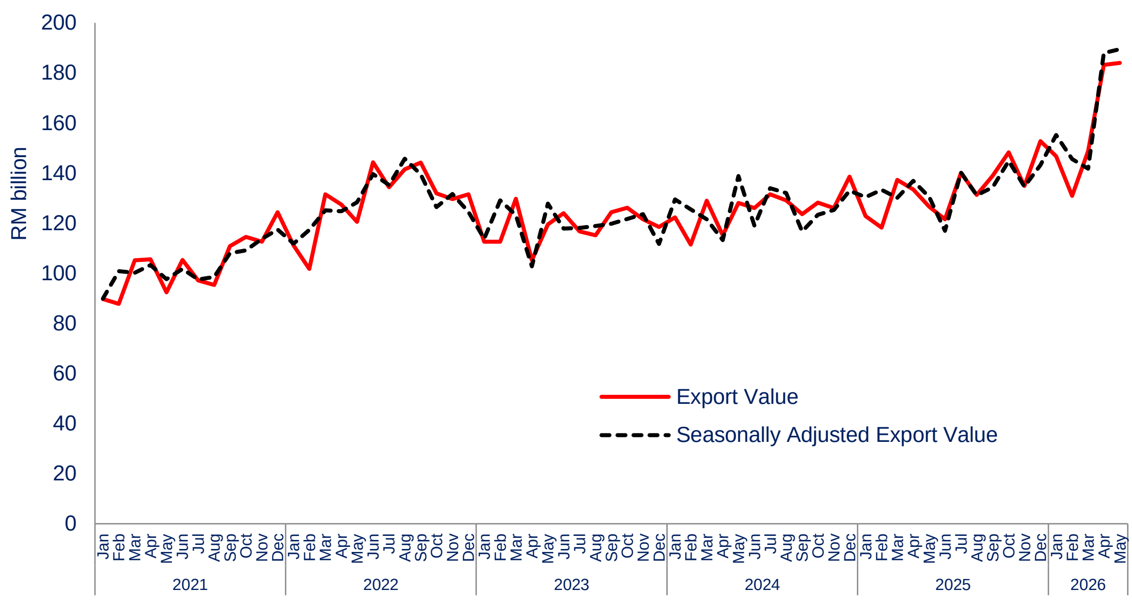


Chart 3: Actual Export Value and Seasonally Adjusted Export Value, RM billion



Export Performance for Major Country of Destination

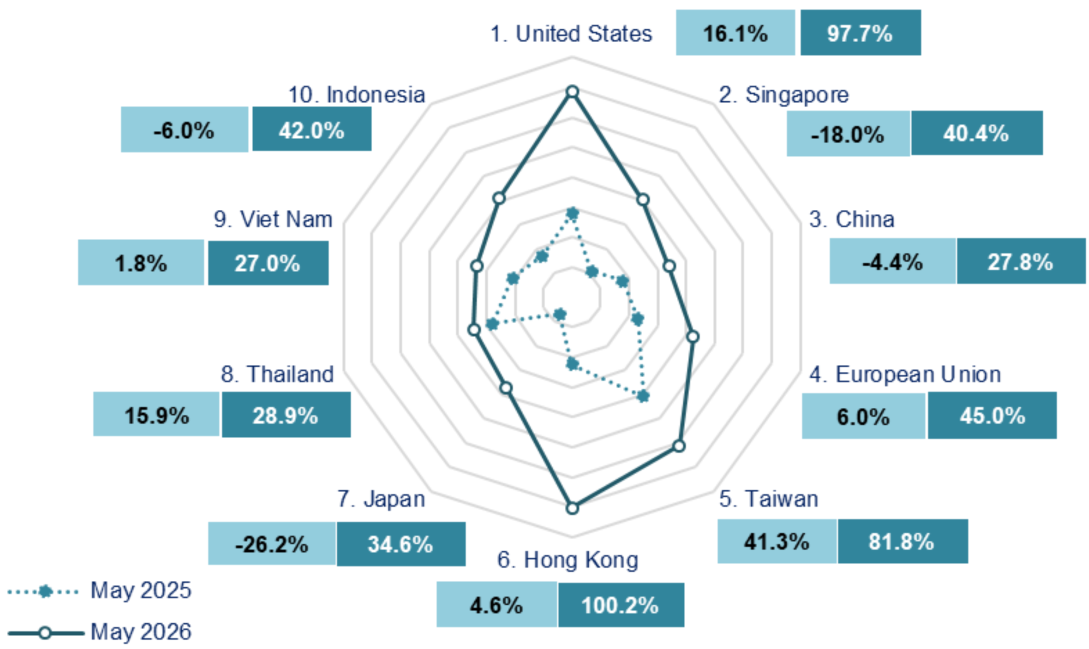
The United States and Singapore were the main destination countries with a contribution of 34.0 per cent to Malaysia's total exports in May 2026.

The United States dominated the main destination countries with a value of RM36.9 billion and contributed 20.1 per cent to Malaysia's total exports, soared by 97.7 per cent or RM18.3 billion, y-o-y. This increase was due to higher exports of electrical & electronic (E&E) products (+RM13.5 billion, +119.5%), other manufactures (+RM4.5 billion, +293.0%) and optical & scientific equipment (+RM577.3 million, +66.2%).

Exports to Singapore contributed 13.9 per cent to total exports valued at RM25.6 billion, increased by 40.4 per cent or RM7.4 billion. The increase was driven by higher exports of E&E products (+RM5.6 billion, +62.1%), petroleum products (+RM935.6 million, +51.1%), other manufactures (+RM542.6 million, +162.9%) and machinery, equipment & parts (+RM298.1 million, +16.1%).

Exports to all ten major destinations registered a growth in May 2026, led by the United States, Singapore, China, the European Union, Taiwan, Hong Kong, Japan, Thailand, Viet Nam and Indonesia.

Chart 4: Annual Change of Exports for Major Country of Destination, May 2025 and May 2026



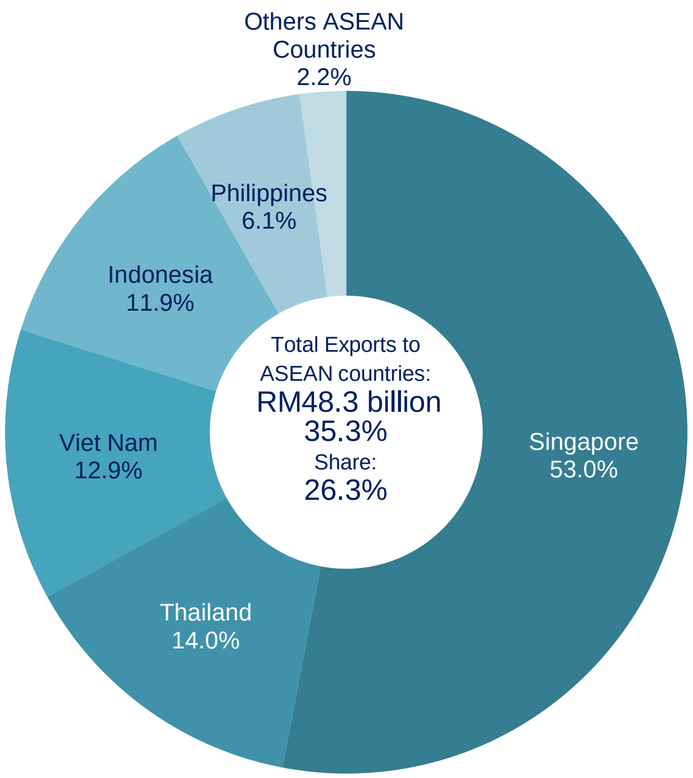
Exports to ASEAN Countries

Malaysia's exports to ASEAN countries accounted for 26.3 per cent of overall exports, amounting RM48.3 billion, improved by 35.3 per cent in the same month last year.

This increase was mainly contributed by exports of E&E products (+RM6.9 billion, +48.8%), petroleum products (+RM3.9 billion, +85.0%), other manufactures (+RM1.2 billion, +161.5%), liquefied natural gas (LNG) (+RM566.4 million, +221.8%), optical & scientific equipment (+RM380.3 million, +40.4%) and machinery, equipment & parts (+RM366.0 million, +13.4%).

Singapore led the ASEAN member states in overall exports, accounting 53.0 per cent, with a value of RM25.6 billion, a 40.4 per cent increase from the previous year.

Chart 5: Percentage Share of Exports to ASEAN Countries, May 2026



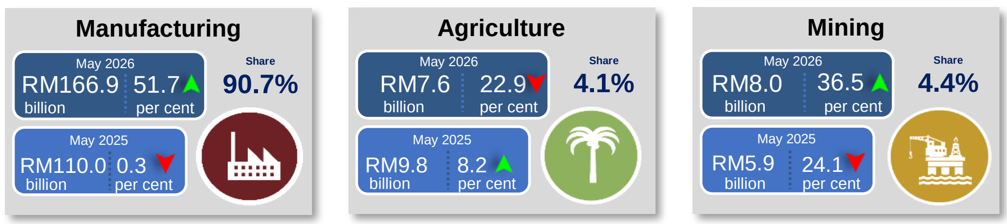
Export Performance for Economic Sectors

Exports of manufactured goods (90.7% of total exports) registered a double digit increased by 51.7 per cent or RM56.9 billion. The main contributors to positive growth were E&E products (+RM37.9 billion; +70.5%), other manufactures (+RM10.3 billion; +200.4%), and petroleum products (+RM6.0 billion; +74.2%).

Exports of mining products (4.4% of total exports) rose by 36.5 per cent to RM8.0 billion, caused by higher exports of LNG (+RM2.7 billion, +111.5%), metalliferous ores & metal scrap (+RM719.1 million, +95.3%), and tin (+RM100.0 million, +67.9%).

Exports of agricultural products (4.1% of total exports) downed by 22.9 per cent to RM7.6 billion. The decrease was consistent with the slower exports of palm oil & palm-based agriculture products (-RM1.8 billion, -24.6%), other agriculture (-RM224.2 million, -20.2%), and natural rubber (-RM71.6 million, -22.9%)

Exhibit 1: Exports by Sector, May 2025 and May 2026



Exports of Selected Major Products

Export performance showed positive growth in May 2026 for the following products:

- E&E products (49.8% of total exports) increased by 70.5 per cent or RM37.9 billion to RM91.6 billion;

- Refined petroleum products (7.0% of total exports) up by 80.6 per cent or RM5.8 billion to RM13.0 billion in line with the increase in export volume (+3.8%) and average unit value (+74.0%); and

- LNG (2.7% of total exports) soared by 111.5 per cent or RM2.7 billion to RM5.1 billion, in line with the increase in export volume (+99.3%) and average unit value (+6.1%).

However, negative growth was recorded for the following products:

- Palm oil & palm-based agriculture products (5.2% of total exports) fell by 11.8 per cent or RM1.3 billion to RM9.5 billion. Exports of palm oil, the main commodity within this group, registered a decline of RM1.7 billion (-29.4%). Export volume downed by 30.1 per cent, while the average unit value rose by 1.0 per cent. In addition, the domestic price of crude palm oil increased by 15.9 per cent to RM4,498.5 per metric tonne;

- Timber & timber-based products (0.8% of total exports) contracted by 15.8 per cent or RM291.1 million to RM1.6 billion.

- Crude petroleum (0.3% of total exports) fell by RM1.2 billion or 67.1 per cent to RM594.5 million. This was in line with 81.2 per cent decrease in export volume, although the average unit value rose by 74.9 per cent. Brent oil prices in May 2026 also increased to RM425.1 per barrel (+55.3%) compared to the same month of the previous year; and

- Natural rubber (0.1% of total exports) decreased by 22.9 per cent or RM71.6 million to RM241.0 million. This was in line with a 3.6 per cent drop in average unit value and a 20.0 per cent contraction in export volume. In addition, rubber prices (SMR20) rose m-o-m from April 2026, increasing from RM830.2 to RM887.5 (+19.2%).

Exhibit 2: Exports of Selected Major Product, May 2025 and May 2026

Product	Share (per cent)	May 2026 RM billion	May 2026 y-o-y (%)	May 2025 RM billion	May 2025 y-o-y (%)
Electrical & Electronic Products	49.8	91.6	+70.5	53.7	+7.1
Refined Petroleum Products	7.0	13.0	+80.6	7.2	-30.4
Palm Oil & Palm Oil-based Products	5.2	9.5	-11.8	10.7	+8.9
Liquefied Natural Gas	2.7	5.1	+111.5	2.4	-43.0
Crude Petroleum	0.3	0.6	-67.1	1.8	-28.5
Timber & Timber-based Products	0.8	1.6	-15.8	1.8	-10.3
Natural Rubber	0.1	0.2	-22.9	0.3	-20.3

Note: Share | May 2026 | May 2025

IMPORTS

Imports recorded double-digit growth of 14.1 per cent, rising from RM125.9 billion to RM143.6 billion

Performance of Imports

Imports recorded double-digit growth of 14.1 per cent or RM17.8 billion, rising from RM125.9 billion to RM143.6 billion in May 2026. On a m-o-m basis, imports downed by 6.8 per cent or RM10.4 billion.

According to the m-o-m seasonally adjusted terms analysis, imports decline 11.7 per cent to RM139.4 billion.

Imports by End Use increased, y-o-y, with an increase in intermediate goods (+14.4%), whereas capital goods and consumption goods decreased 18.3 per cent and 2.7 per cent, respectively.

Chart 6: Imports Value (RM billion) and Annual Change (%)

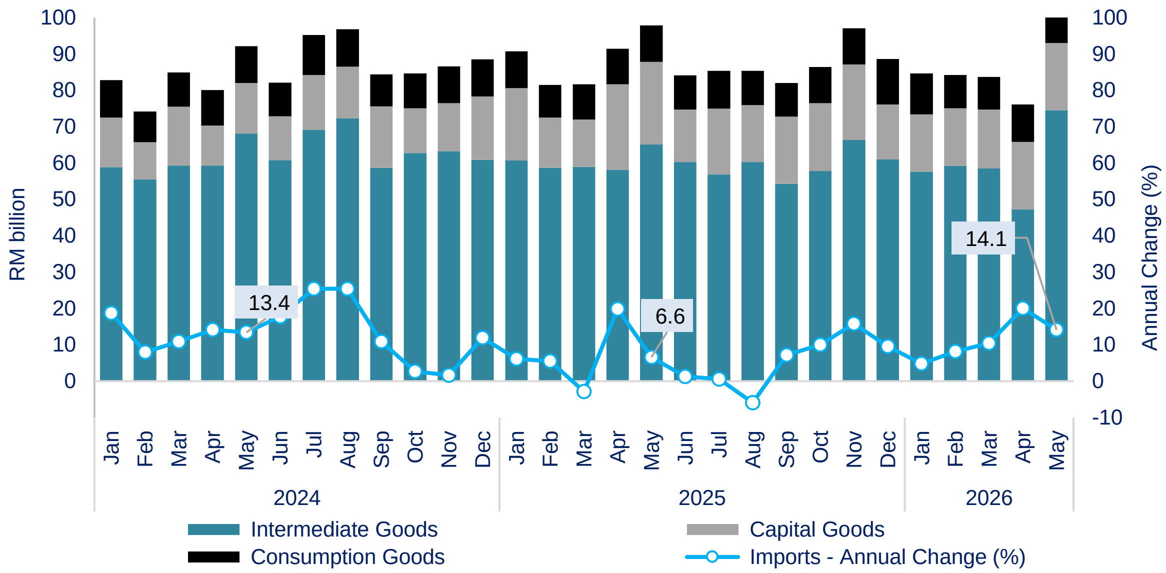
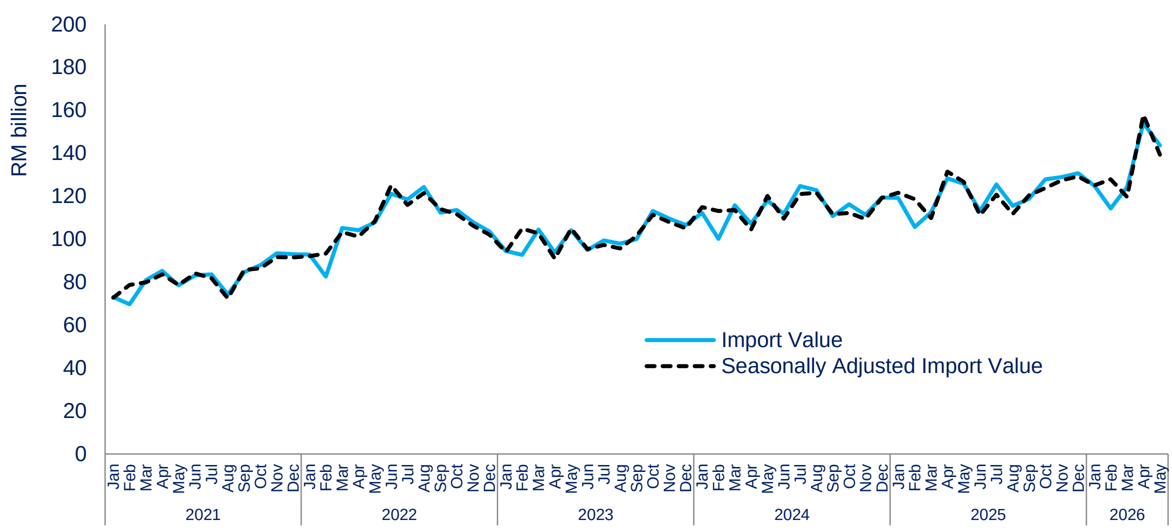


Chart 7: Actual Import Value and Seasonally Adjusted Imports Value, RM billion



Import Performance for Major Country of Origin

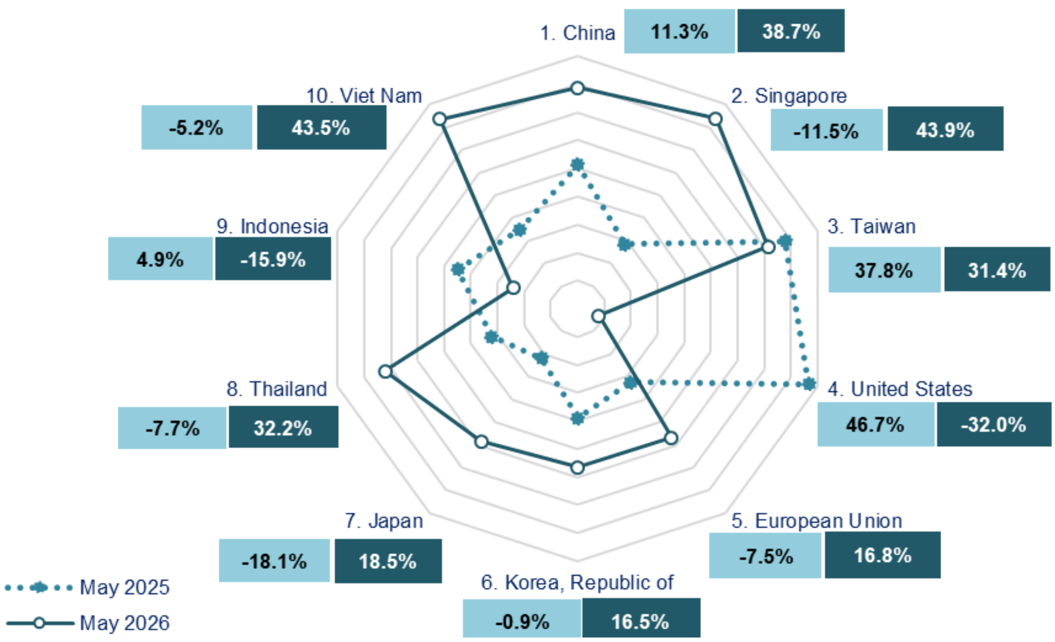
China and Singapore were Malaysia's two major countries of origin for imports in May 2026, accounting for 41.0 per cent of total imports.

Imports from China (28.2% of total imports) climbed by 38.7 per cent to RM40.5 billion. This growth is driven by E&E products (+RM8.5 billion, +67.2%), followed by chemical & chemical products (+RM1.3 billion, +66.5%) and machinery, equipment & parts (+RM798.4 million, +23.7%).

Imports from Singapore (12.8% of total imports) were worth RM18.4 billion, increased by 43.9 per cent, y-o-y. This expansion was primarily driven by increased imports of E&E products (+RM3.0 billion, +63.0%), petroleum products (+RM1.8 billion, +60.8%) and other manufactures (+RM821.8 million, +295.5%).

Imports from top ten major countries registered double-digit growth in May 2026, with notable increases from China, Singapore, Taiwan, the European Union, the Republic of Korea, Japan, Thailand and Viet Nam. However, the United States and Indonesia recorded declines in May 2026.

Chart 8: Annual Change in Imports by Major Country of Origin, May 2025 and May 2026



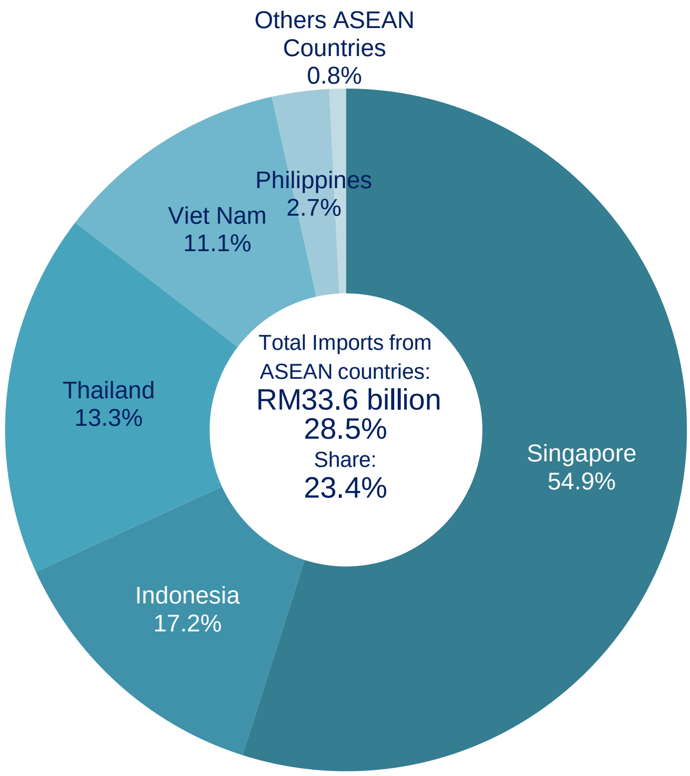
Imports from ASEAN Countries

Imports from ASEAN countries accounted for 23.4 per cent of total imports, increasing by 28.5 per cent in May 2026 to RM33.6 billion compared to RM26.1 billion in the same month of the previous year.

The increase was mainly driven by higher imports of E&E products (+RM4.7 billion, +59.7%), petroleum products (+RM2.3 billion, +67.9%), other manufactures (+RM1.0 billion, +166.4%), other vegetables oil (+RM254.7 million, +230.7%) and crude petroleum (+RM155.1 million, +1,263.5%).

Among ASEAN countries, 54.9 per cent of imports were from Singapore, surged by 43.9 per cent to RM18.4 billion.

Chart 9: Percentage Share of Imports from ASEAN Countries, May 2026



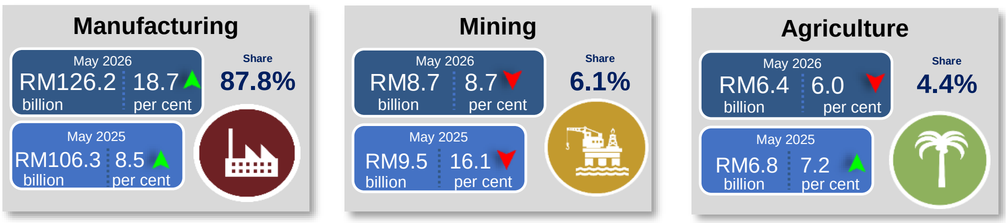
Import Performance for Economic Sectors

Imports of manufactured goods (87.8% of total imports), increased 18.7 per cent from RM106.3 billion to RM126.2 billion. This performance was driven by higher imports of E&E products (+RM11.6 billion, +23.0%), petroleum products (+RM3.0 billion, +41.7%), other manufactures (+RM2.2 billion, +84.8%), machinery, equipment & parts (+RM1.3 billion, +12.6%), and chemical & chemical products (+RM985.8 million, +12.1%).

Imports of mining products (6.1% of total imports) valued at RM8.7 billion in May 2026, declined by 8.7 per cent or RM828.6 million compared to the previous year. The decrease was driven by slower imports of other mining (-RM501.5 million, -30.3%) and metalliferous ores & metal scrap (-RM207.8 million, -9.4%).

Imports of agricultural products (4.4 per cent of total imports) declined 6.0 per cent to RM6.4 billion. The decrease was driven by lower imports of other agriculture (-RM541.2 million, -11.5%) and palm oil & palm-based agriculture products (-RM204.4 million, -33.6%).

Exhibit 3: Imports by Sector, May 2025 and May 2026



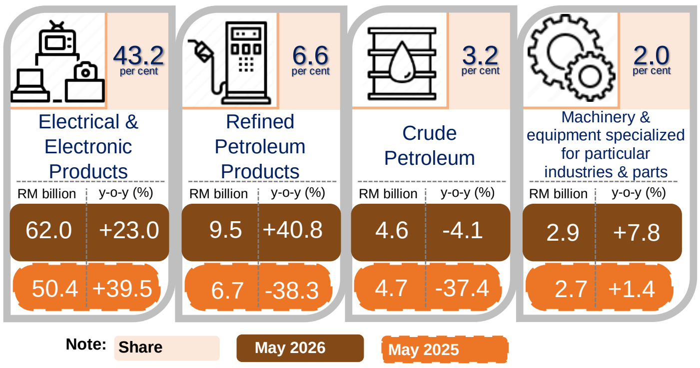
Imports of Selected Major Products

Imports maintained their upward momentum in May 2026, spurred by higher inflows of the following products:

- E&E products (43.2% of total imports), expanded 23.0 per cent or RM11.6 billion to RM62.0 billion;
- Refined petroleum products (6.6% of total imports) increased by RM2.7 billion or 40.8 per cent, consistent with the rise in average unit value (63.0%). However, import volume declined by 13.7 per cent; and
- Machinery & equipment specialised for particular industries & parts (2.0% of total imports), up by 7.8 per cent or RM213.0 million to RM2.9 billion.

However, crude petroleum (3.2% of total imports) registered negative growth in May 2026, falling by 4.1 per cent or RM193.2 million. This decline was attributable to a sharp 41.3 per cent drop in import volume, despite the average unit value rising by 63.4 per cent.

Exhibit 4: Imports of Selected Major Product, May 2025 and May 2026



Imports for End Use & Broad Economic Categories (BEC) Classification

Imports increased by 14.1 per cent to RM143.6 billion, with the three main import categories by End Use contributing 71.6 per cent to total imports as follows:

Intermediate goods, valued at RM74.5 billion (51.9 per cent of total imports), increased by 14.4 per cent, following a sharp rise in imports of parts and accessories of capital goods (except transport equipment) (+RM11.0 billion, +47.8%).

Capital goods, valued at RM18.5 billion (12.9 per cent of total imports), contracted by 18.3 per cent, driven by lower imports of capital goods (excluding transport equipment) (-RM5.3 billion, -24.0%).

Consumption goods, amounting to RM9.8 billion (6.8 per cent of total imports) drop by 2.7 per cent or RM274.2 million, driven by slower imports of food & beverages, process, mainly for household consumption (-RM539.3 million, -16.6%) and food & beverages, primary, mainly for household consumption (-RM72.2 million, -5.9%).

Exhibit 5: Imports for End Use & Broad Economic Categories (BEC) Classification, May 2026

Intermediate Goods

RM74.5 billion

14.4% ↑

Share: 51.9%

Capital Goods

RM18.5 billion

18.3% ↓

12.9%

Consumption Goods

RM9.8 billion

2.7% ↓

6.8%

STATISTICAL TABLE

Table I : Exports, Domestic Exports, Imports, Total Trade And Balance of Trade

PERIOD	Value RM million					Annual Change (%)				
	Exports	Domestic Exports	Imports	Total Trade	Balance of Trade	Exports	Domestic Exports	Imports	Total Trade	Balance of Trade
2021	1,241,022	1,012,001	987,344	2,228,366	253,678	26.1	26.6	23.3	24.9	38.4
2022	1,550,009	1,222,034	1,293,811	2,843,821	256,198	24.9	20.8	31.0	27.6	1.0
2023	1,426,199	1,111,065	1,211,044	2,637,243	215,155	(8.0)	(9.1)	(6.4)	(7.3)	(16.0)
2024	1,509,291	1,216,060	1,370,237	2,879,528	139,053	5.8	9.4	13.1	9.2	(35.4)
2025	1,606,473	1,240,126	1,451,880	3,058,353	154,593	6.4	2.0	6.0	6.2	11.2
2025 (JAN-MAY)	638,476	505,113	591,542	1,230,018	46,934	5.4	3.3	6.9	6.1	(10.9)
2026 (JAN-MAY)	793,842	578,614	661,073	1,454,916	132,769	24.3	14.6	11.8	18.3	182.9
2023										
Q1	355,092	276,446	291,680	646,772	63,413	3.1	(2.0)	3.9	3.5	(0.3)
Q2	348,623	267,560	292,800	641,423	55,823	(11.1)	(13.8)	(12.1)	(11.6)	(6.0)
Q3	356,280	277,863	297,245	653,525	59,035	(15.2)	(13.0)	(16.3)	(15.7)	(9.1)
Q4	366,203	289,195	329,319	695,521	36,884	(6.9)	(6.7)	1.3	(3.2)	(46.0)
2024										
Q1	362,794	291,018	328,199	690,993	34,594	2.2	5.3	12.5	6.8	(45.4)
Q2	369,338	298,561	336,911	706,248	32,427	5.9	11.6	15.1	10.1	(41.9)
Q3	384,227	311,724	358,245	742,473	25,982	7.8	12.2	20.5	13.6	(56.0)
Q4	392,932	314,757	346,882	739,814	46,050	7.3	8.8	5.3	6.4	24.9
2025										
Q1	378,359	304,338	337,315	715,674	41,045	4.3	4.6	2.8	3.6	18.6
Q2	381,667	295,882	367,372	749,039	14,294	3.3	(0.9)	9.0	6.1	(55.9)
Q3	410,407	310,915	359,722	770,130	50,685	6.8	(0.3)	0.4	3.7	95.1
Q4	436,039	328,991	387,470	823,510	48,569	11.0	4.5	11.7	11.3	5.5
2026										
Q1	426,568	323,878	363,405	789,973	63,163	12.7	6.4	7.7	10.4	53.9

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2023										
JAN	112,666	86,053	94,508	207,174	18,157	1.4	(5.9)	1.8	1.6	(0.4)
FEB	112,682	87,854	92,703	205,385	19,979	10.8	4.7	12.2	11.4	4.3
MAR	129,745	102,539	104,469	234,213	25,276	(1.3)	(4.1)	(0.7)	(1.1)	(3.7)
APR	105,166	80,176	93,821	198,986	11,345	(17.5)	(22.5)	(9.9)	(14.1)	(51.5)
MAY	119,516	93,623	104,105	223,620	15,411	(0.9)	(2.7)	(3.4)	(2.1)	20.4
JUN	123,942	93,761	94,875	218,817	29,067	(14.1)	(15.2)	(21.7)	(17.5)	25.4
JUL	116,765	89,040	99,458	216,224	17,307	(13.1)	(13.0)	(16.1)	(14.5)	9.3
AUG	115,181	92,099	97,850	213,031	17,330	(18.6)	(13.7)	(21.2)	(19.8)	0.2
SEP	124,334	96,725	99,937	224,271	24,398	(13.8)	(12.4)	(11.1)	(12.6)	(23.4)
OCT	126,152	96,392	113,187	239,339	12,964	(4.4)	(5.1)	(0.3)	(2.5)	(29.8)
NOV	121,604	95,540	109,501	231,105	12,103	(6.2)	(7.7)	1.5	(2.7)	(44.5)
DEC	118,447	97,263	106,631	225,078	11,816	(10.0)	(7.4)	2.9	(4.3)	(57.8)
2024										
JAN	122,381	94,760	112,238	234,619	10,143	8.6	10.1	18.8	13.2	(44.1)
FEB	111,445	91,683	100,116	211,561	11,329	(1.1)	4.4	8.0	3.0	(43.3)
MAR	128,967	104,575	115,845	244,812	13,122	(0.6)	2.0	10.9	4.5	(48.1)
APR	115,155	92,181	107,088	222,243	8,067	9.5	15.0	14.1	11.7	(28.9)
MAY	128,100	105,866	118,083	246,182	10,017	7.2	13.1	13.4	10.1	(35.0)
JUN	126,083	100,513	111,740	237,824	14,343	1.7	7.2	17.8	8.7	(50.7)
JUL	131,503	105,427	124,716	256,219	6,788	12.6	18.4	25.4	18.5	(60.8)
AUG	129,094	106,299	122,740	251,834	6,354	12.1	15.4	25.4	18.2	(63.3)
SEP	123,630	99,997	110,790	234,420	12,840	(0.6)	3.4	10.9	4.5	(47.4)
OCT	128,224	99,528	116,269	244,493	11,954	1.6	3.3	2.7	2.2	(7.8)
NOV	126,105	104,903	111,270	237,374	14,835	3.7	9.8	1.6	2.7	22.6
DEC	138,603	110,327	119,343	257,946	19,260	17.0	13.4	11.9	14.6	63.0
2025										
JAN	122,814	97,546	119,155	241,969	3,659	0.4	2.9	6.2	3.1	(63.9)
FEB	118,242	96,899	105,625	223,867	12,617	6.1	5.7	5.5	5.8	11.4
MAR	137,304	109,894	112,535	249,838	24,769	6.5	5.1	(2.9)	2.1	88.8
APR	133,499	99,962	128,369	261,869	5,130	15.9	8.4	19.9	17.8	(36.4)
MAY	126,618	100,812	125,858	252,475	760	(1.2)	(4.8)	6.6	2.6	(92.4)
JUN	121,550	95,108	113,145	234,695	8,404	(3.6)	(5.4)	1.3	(1.3)	(41.4)
JUL	140,063	103,049	125,458	265,520	14,605	6.5	(2.3)	0.6	3.6	115.2
AUG	131,318	103,367	115,469	246,787	15,850	1.7	(2.8)	(5.9)	(2.0)	149.4
SEP	139,026	104,499	118,796	257,822	20,230	12.5	4.5	7.2	10.0	57.6
OCT	148,330	109,176	127,912	276,242	20,418	15.7	9.7	10.0	13.0	70.8
NOV	134,935	105,174	128,850	263,785	6,085	7.0	0.3	15.8	11.1	(59.0)
DEC	152,775	114,641	130,708	283,483	22,066	10.2	3.9	9.5	9.9	14.6
2026										
JAN	146,828	108,682	124,869	271,697	21,958	19.6	11.4	4.8	12.3	500.1
FEB	130,952	104,314	114,244	245,197	16,708	10.7	7.7	8.2	9.5	32.4
MAR	148,788	110,882	124,291	273,079	24,497	8.4	0.9	10.4	9.3	(1.1)
APR	183,270	111,605	154,044	337,315	29,226	37.3	11.6	20.0	28.8	469.7
MAY	184,004	143,130	143,624	327,628	40,380	45.3	42.0	14.1	29.8	5,214.0

Table II: Exports by Country Destination

Rank	Country	Value RM million (FOB) May 2025	Apr 2026	May 2026	Share (%)	Annual Change Val RM million (FOB)	%	Value RM million (FOB) Jan-May 2025	Jan-May 2026	Share (%)
	Total Exports	**126,618**	**183,270**	**184,004**	**100.0**	**57,386.2**	**45.3**	**638,476**	**793,842**	**100.0**
1	United States	18,678	26,906	36,933	20.1	18,255.2	97.7	95,316	138,655	17.5
2	Singapore	18,245	28,283	25,618	13.9	7,372.6	40.4	101,582	109,020	13.7
3	China	15,048	20,145	19,235	10.5	4,187.1	27.8	71,968	86,988	11.0
4	E.U.	10,372	13,649	15,036	8.2	4,664.3	45.0	49,819	63,924	8.1
5	Hong Kong	6,785	12,314	13,586	7.4	6,800.7	100.2	37,559	57,621	7.3
6	Taiwan, Province Of China	7,562	13,497	13,749	7.5	6,187.8	81.8	32,300	55,610	7.0
7	Japan	5,347	6,586	7,198	3.9	1,851.1	34.6	32,690	33,646	4.2
8	Thailand	5,253	7,564	6,771	3.7	1,518.2	28.9	26,374	32,068	4.0
9	Viet Nam	4,898	7,531	6,220	3.4	1,322.5	27.0	20,867	29,089	3.7
10	Korea, Republic Of	4,236	6,612	4,639	2.5	403.5	9.5	20,098	26,049	3.3
11	India	4,522	6,024	5,033	2.7	511.8	11.3	20,327	24,961	3.1
12	Indonesia	4,046	5,767	5,747	3.1	1,701.2	42.0	20,794	22,628	2.9
13	Australia	4,217	6,208	5,106	2.8	888.9	21.1	19,491	21,086	2.7
14	Mexico	1,543	3,406	3,440	1.9	1,897.3	123.0	10,172	14,876	1.9
15	Philippines	2,256	3,042	2,927	1.6	671.3	29.8	11,151	12,583	1.6
16	Turkiye	1,752	2,226	1,528	0.8	(223.1)	(12.7)	8,760	8,536	1.1
17	Bangladesh	892	1,552	783	0.4	(109.4)	(12.3)	4,697	5,778	0.7
18	United Arab Emirates	1,386	976	928	0.5	(458.8)	(33.1)	6,355	4,967	0.6
19	United Kingdom	785	1,205	893	0.5	108.5	13.8	3,527	4,541	0.6
20	Canada	549	645	601	0.3	52.2	9.5	2,886	2,736	0.3
21	New Zealand	336	845	679	0.4	342.4	101.8	2,191	2,726	0.3
22	Cambodia	297	476	359	0.2	62.4	21.0	1,458	2,134	0.3
23	Kenya	272	500	310	0.2	38.6	14.2	2,193	2,055	0.3
24	Pakistan	509	419	735	0.4	225.7	44.3	2,042	1,983	0.2
25	Myanmar	245	378	473	0.3	227.4	92.7	1,391	1,860	0.2
26	Switzerland	204	290	274	0.1	70.5	34.6	1,760	1,817	0.2
27	Brazil	430	398	341	0.2	(89.8)	(20.9)	1,468	1,740	0.2
28	South Africa	253	177	589	0.3	335.9	132.5	1,389	1,614	0.2
29	Brunei Darussalam	480	373	215	0.1	(265.2)	(55.2)	1,900	1,591	0.2
30	Sri Lanka	298	405	245	0.1	(53.8)	(18.0)	1,693	1,414	0.2
	Top 30 Country	**121,695**	**178,399**	**180,192**	**97.9**	**58,497.3**	**48.1**	**614,217**	**774,296**	**97.5**
	Other Countries	**4,922**	**4,872**	**3,811**	**2.1**	**(1,111.1)**	**(22.6)**	**24,259**	**19,547**	**2.5**

Table III: Imports by Country of Origin

Rank	Country	Value RM million (CIF) May 2025	Apr 2026	May 2026	Share (%)	Annual Change Val RM million (CIF)	%	Value RM million (CIF) Jan-May 2025	Jan-May 2026	Share (%)
	Total Imports	**125,858**	**154,044**	**143,624**	**100.0**	**17,766.4**	**14.1**	**591,542**	**661,073**	**100.0**
1	China	29,163	40,709	40,463	28.2	11,299.9	38.7	134,164	174,330	26.4
2	Singapore	12,810	20,409	18,433	12.8	5,622.7	43.9	64,345	80,885	12.2
3	Taiwan, Province Of China	11,701	15,600	15,379	10.7	3,678.6	31.4	60,470	68,871	10.4
4	United States	16,028	9,580	10,906	7.6	(5,122.9)	(32.0)	63,981	46,532	7.0
5	E.U.	8,248	8,739	9,634	6.7	1,386.4	16.8	39,343	42,710	6.5
6	Korea, Republic Of	5,284	7,254	6,155	4.3	871.0	16.5	24,061	33,012	5.0
7	Japan	5,086	7,242	6,029	4.2	943.4	18.5	26,898	30,081	4.6
8	Indonesia	5,300	6,540	4,455	3.1	(844.8)	(15.9)	25,640	24,992	3.8
9	Thailand	4,372	5,123	5,778	4.0	1,406.6	32.2	20,707	24,532	3.7
10	Viet Nam	2,602	4,229	3,733	2.6	1,131.8	43.5	13,334	18,686	2.8
11	India	2,335	5,283	3,075	2.1	740.1	31.7	12,235	15,246	2.3
12	Australia	2,596	3,310	2,314	1.6	(281.8)	(10.9)	12,389	13,399	2.0
13	Hong Kong	1,710	2,121	1,894	1.3	184.6	10.8	7,483	10,018	1.5
14	United Arab Emirates	2,688	3,087	1,175	0.8	(1,513.0)	(56.3)	9,694	9,330	1.4
15	Saudi Arabia	2,828	2,586	473	0.3	(2,355.2)	(83.3)	15,131	6,687	1.0
16	Switzerland	1,234	1,148	986	0.7	(248.6)	(20.1)	4,066	6,001	0.9
17	Brazil	1,158	1,216	980	0.7	(177.9)	(15.4)	5,303	5,722	0.9
18	Philippines	686	820	909	0.6	222.6	32.4	4,111	4,127	0.6
19	Costa Rica	177	94	117	0.1	(60.1)	(33.9)	1,165	3,853	0.6
20	United Kingdom	662	607	560	0.4	(102.6)	(15.5)	2,907	2,835	0.4
21	Mexico	697	694	581	0.4	(115.5)	(16.6)	3,276	2,742	0.4
22	Argentina	657	602	606	0.4	(51.0)	(7.8)	3,101	2,700	0.4
23	Oman	504	444	1,322	0.9	818.0	162.3	823	2,548	0.4
24	Russian Federation	509	662	429	0.3	(79.5)	(15.6)	2,115	2,448	0.4
25	Cote D'Ivoire	438	435	577	0.4	138.7	31.6	3,820	2,174	0.3
26	Canada	464	377	386	0.3	(78.2)	(16.8)	2,552	1,867	0.3
27	New Zealand	379	340	359	0.2	(20.3)	(5.4)	1,835	1,807	0.3
28	Sudan	190	409	830	0.6	639.5	336.6	1,159	1,707	0.3
29	Turkiye	487	233	424	0.3	(62.6)	(12.9)	1,612	1,498	0.2
30	Ecuador	248	155	136	0.1	(111.7)	(45.0)	3,005	1,292	0.2
	Top 30 Country	**121,243**	**150,049**	**139,102**	**96.9**	**17,858.4**	**14.7**	**570,727**	**642,632**	**97.2**
	Other Countries	**4,615**	**3,995**	**4,523**	**3.1**	**(92.0)**	**(2.0)**	**20,815**	**18,441**	**2.8**

Table IV: Exports by Sector and Sub-sector

Sector and Sub-sector	Value RM million (FOB) May 2025	Value RM million (FOB) Apr 2026	Value RM million (FOB) May 2026	Share (%)	Annual Change (%) Val RM million (FOB)	Annual Change (%) %	Value RM million (FOB) Jan-May 2025	Value RM million (FOB) Jan-May 2026	Share (%)
Total Exports	**126,618**	**183,270**	**184,004**	**100.0**	**57,386.2**	**45.3**	**638,476**	**793,842**	**100.0**
MANUFACTURING	**110,007**	**162,692**	**166,874**	**90.7**	**56,867.2**	**51.7**	**550,508**	**701,873**	**88.4**
Electrical & Electronic Products (E&E)	53,707	88,294	91,568	54.9	37,861.2	70.5	274,095	382,889	54.6
Petroleum Products	8,027	14,470	13,984	8.4	5,957.4	74.2	43,093	52,960	7.5
Machinery, Equipment And Parts	6,340	8,182	7,331	4.4	990.5	15.6	31,506	35,093	5.0
Optical & Scientific Equipment	5,044	7,543	7,313	4.4	2,269.3	45.0	24,171	34,002	4.8
Manufacture Of Metal	5,842	7,284	6,359	3.8	516.6	8.8	26,537	30,339	4.3
Chemical And Chemical Products (Exclude Plastics In Non-Primary Forms)	5,352	6,537	5,489	3.3	137.0	2.6	27,641	26,525	3.8
Palm Oil-Based Manufactured Products	3,380	4,137	3,917	2.3	537.2	15.9	16,487	17,267	2.5
Processed Food	3,408	3,060	2,684	1.6	(723.5)	(21.2)	15,871	14,073	2.0
Rubber Products	2,050	2,344	1,984	1.2	(65.9)	(3.2)	10,454	9,505	1.4
Iron And Steel Products	2,477	2,301	1,338	0.8	(1,138.8)	(46.0)	11,227	8,641	1.2
Transport Equipment	1,581	1,457	1,671	1.0	89.9	5.7	7,915	7,615	1.1
Manufacture Of Plastics	1,526	1,616	1,598	1.0	71.8	4.7	7,047	7,215	1.0
Textiles, Apparels And Footwear	1,437	1,517	1,496	0.9	59.3	4.1	6,730	7,005	1.0
Non-Metallic Mineral Products	1,254	1,537	1,505	0.9	250.9	20.0	5,628	6,376	0.9
Wood Products	1,275	1,137	1,029	0.6	(246.2)	(19.3)	6,099	5,265	0.8
Paper & Pulp Products	1,007	1,067	1,066	0.6	59.0	5.9	5,417	5,007	0.7
Jewellery	927	968	827	0.5	(100.3)	(10.8)	4,251	4,047	0.6
Beverages & Tobacco	211	243	208	0.1	(2.7)	(1.3)	1,203	1,162	0.2
Other Manufactures	5,162	8,998	15,507	9.3	10,344.7	200.4	25,136	46,886	6.7
AGRICULTURE	**9,806**	**8,866**	**7,557**	**4.1**	**(2,248.4)**	**(22.9)**	**44,231**	**40,144**	**5.1**
Palm Oil and Palm-Based Products	7,367	6,534	5,558	73.5	(1,808.8)	(24.6)	32,478	29,596	73.7
Other Vegetables Oil	400	535	403	5.3	2.7	0.7	1,683	2,151	5.4
Natural Rubber	313	302	241	3.2	(71.6)	(22.9)	2,021	1,385	3.4
Sawn Timber & Moulding	300	230	249	3.3	(51.2)	(17.1)	1,180	1,151	2.9
Seafood, fresh, chilled or frozen	263	217	197	2.6	(66.1)	(25.1)	1,082	981	2.4
Sawlog	50	21	21	0.3	(29.1)	(57.8)	184	159	0.4
Other Agriculture	1,112	1,027	888	11.7	(224.2)	(20.2)	5,603	4,720	11.8
MINING	**5,873**	**10,149**	**8,019**	**4.4**	**2,146.2**	**36.5**	**38,480**	**43,815**	**5.5**
Liquefied Natural Gas (LNG)	2,388	4,789	5,050	63.0	2,662.1	111.5	22,442	22,788	52.0
Metalliferous Ores and Metal Scrap	754	2,677	1,473	18.4	719.1	95.3	3,294	10,841	24.7
Crude Petroleum	1,807	1,837	595	7.4	(1,212.6)	(67.1)	8,928	6,595	15.1
Condensates and other petroleum oil	648	436	529	6.6	(118.3)	(18.3)	2,369	2,110	4.8
Tin	147	287	247	3.1	100.0	67.9	911	942	2.1
Crude Fertilizers And Crude Minerals	127	122	124	1.5	(3.1)	(2.4)	532	537	1.2
Other Mining	1	1	0	0.0	(1.1)	(96.6)	4	2	0.0
Others	**932**	**1,563**	**1,553**	**0.8**	**621.2**	**66.7**	**5,258**	**8,011**	**1.0**

Table V: Imports by Sector and Sub-sector

Sector and Sub-sector	Value RM million (CIF) May 2025	Apr 2026	May 2026	Share (%)	Annual Change (%) Val RM million (FOB)	%	Value RM million (CIF) Jan-May 2025	Jan-May 2026	Share (%)
Total Imports	**125,858**	**154,044**	**143,624**	**100.0**	**17,766.4**	**14.1**	**591,542**	**661,073**	**100.0**
MANUFACTURING	**106,252**	**136,011**	**126,170**	**87.8**	**19,917.4**	**18.7**	**498,446**	**576,739**	**87.2**
Electrical & Electronic Products (E&E)	50,420	61,304	61,997	49.1	11,577.1	23.0	229,500	276,446	47.9
Machinery, Equipment And Parts	10,088	11,750	11,360	9.0	1,272.5	12.6	48,104	53,923	9.3
Petroleum Products	7,105	18,135	10,064	8.0	2,959.7	41.7	39,198	51,941	9.0
Chemical And Chemical Products (Exclude Plastics In Non-Primary Forms)	8,149	10,211	9,135	7.2	985.8	12.1	39,576	41,682	7.2
Manufacture Of Metal	5,809	6,571	6,388	5.1	578.4	10.0	25,969	29,540	5.1
Transport Equipment	4,578	4,463	4,799	3.8	221.5	4.8	24,436	20,003	3.5
Optical & Scientific Equipment	2,803	4,020	3,553	2.8	750.1	26.8	13,213	17,002	2.9
Iron And Steel Products	2,628	3,084	2,252	1.8	(376.0)	(14.3)	11,897	11,688	2.0
Processed Food	2,852	2,130	2,171	1.7	(680.8)	(23.9)	12,579	11,365	2.0
Textiles, Apparels And Footwear	1,765	1,778	1,929	1.5	164.3	9.3	8,817	9,090	1.6
Manufacture Of Plastics	1,506	1,611	1,703	1.4	196.9	13.1	6,714	7,381	1.3
Palm Oil-Based Manufactured Products	1,036	1,560	1,152	0.9	115.4	11.1	5,186	6,493	1.1
Jewellery	1,061	1,354	1,035	0.8	(26.0)	(2.5)	4,710	5,849	1.0
Paper & Pulp Products	1,173	1,108	1,092	0.9	(81.2)	(6.9)	5,471	5,173	0.9
Rubber Products	989	1,148	1,255	1.0	265.8	26.9	4,486	5,059	0.9
Non-Metallic Mineral Products	851	791	644	0.5	(207.1)	(24.3)	3,375	3,516	0.6
Wood Products	567	535	560	0.4	(6.6)	(1.2)	2,486	2,542	0.4
Beverages & Tobacco	262	262	257	0.2	(5.5)	(2.1)	1,282	1,295	0.2
Other Manufactures	2,611	4,194	4,824	3.8	2,213.2	84.8	11,444	16,750	2.9
AGRICULTURE	**6,764**	**6,320**	**6,358**	**4.4**	**(406.0)**	**(6.0)**	**38,848**	**31,886**	**4.8**
Other Vegetables Oil	443	547	687	10.8	243.3	54.9	2,372	2,934	9.2
Natural Rubber	487	441	607	9.5	119.8	24.6	3,540	2,814	8.8
Palm Oil and Palm-Based Products	609	741	404	6.4	(204.4)	(33.6)	3,314	2,765	8.7
Seafood, fresh, chilled or frozen	436	377	431	6.8	(4.5)	(1.0)	2,073	2,080	6.5
Sawn Timber & Moulding	78	59	63	1.0	(14.8)	(18.9)	360	285	0.9
Sawlog	5	2	1	0.0	(4.1)	(88.8)	37	25	0.1
Other Agriculture	4,707	4,153	4,166	65.5	(541.2)	(11.5)	27,152	20,983	65.8
MINING	**9,523**	**8,899**	**8,694**	**6.1**	**(828.6)**	**(8.7)**	**41,588**	**38,023**	**5.8**
Crude Petroleum	4,744	3,161	4,550	52.3	(193.2)	(4.1)	21,791	15,016	39.5
Metalliferous Ores and Metal Scrap	2,203	2,599	1,996	23.0	(207.8)	(9.4)	7,733	12,502	32.9
Liquefied Natural Gas (LNG)	511	402	637	7.3	126.4	24.7	2,725	2,361	6.2
Crude Fertilizers And Crude Minerals	263	265	273	3.1	9.3	3.5	1,142	1,343	3.5
Tin	55	79	84	1.0	28.6	51.8	248	402	1.1
Condensates and other petroleum oil	90	-	0	0.0	(90.3)	(99.9)	273	0	0.0
Other Mining	1,656	2,394	1,154	13.3	(501.5)	(30.3)	7,677	6,398	16.8
Others	**3,318**	**2,814**	**2,402**	**1.7**	**(916.3)**	**(27.6)**	**12,660**	**14,425**	**2.2**

Table VI: Imports by End Use & Broad Economic Categories (BEC) Classification

BEC Category	Value RM million (CIF)				Annual Change		Value RM million (CIF)		
	May 2025	Apr 2026	May 2026	Share (%)	Val RM million (CIF)	%	Jan-May 2025	Jan-May 2026	Share (%)
Gross Imports	**125,858**	**154,044**	**143,624**	**100.0**	**17,766.4**	**14.1**	**591,542**	**661,073**	**100.0**
Capital Goods	**22,651**	**18,636**	**18,500**	**12.9**	**(4,150.9)**	**(18.3)**	**92,976**	**84,945**	**12.8**
Capital good (except transport equipment)	22,224	17,817	16,882	11.8	(5,342.4)	(24.0)	86,858	80,318	12.1
Transport equipment, industrial	426	819	1,618	1.1	1,191.5	279.4	6,118	4,627	0.7
Consumption Goods	**10,101**	**10,261**	**9,827**	**6.8**	**(274.2)**	**(2.7)**	**48,661**	**49,515**	**7.5**
Durables	1,757	1,970	1,857	1.3	100.4	5.7	7,794	9,118	1.4
Food & beverages, primary, mainly for household consumption	1,224	1,167	1,151	0.8	(72.2)	(5.9)	6,433	6,389	1.0
Food & beverages, process, mainly for household consumption	3,251	2,964	2,712	1.9	(539.3)	(16.6)	15,837	14,358	2.2
Non-durables	2,075	2,395	2,286	1.6	210.8	10.2	9,924	10,944	1.7
Semi-durables	1,600	1,597	1,664	1.2	63.9	4.0	7,911	8,000	1.2
Transport equipment, non-industrial	195	167	157	0.1	(37.7)	(19.4)	761	706	0.1
Dual Use Goods	**1,531**	**5,806 -**	**535**	**(0.4)**	**(2,065.3)**	**(134.9)**	**12,259**	**11,638**	**1.8**
Fuel & lubricants, processed motor spirit	351	4,994 -	1,152 -	0.8	(1,503.3)	(427.8)	7,610	8,742	1.3
Transport equipment, passenger motor cars	1,179	813	617	0.4	(562.0)	(47.7)	4,649	2,895	0.4
Goods n.e.s.	**601**	**462**	**435**	**0.3**	**(166.4)**	**(27.7)**	**2,564**	**2,555**	**0.4**
Intermediate Goods	**65,169**	**47,215**	**74,524**	**51.9**	**9,355.0**	**14.4**	**301,718**	**297,192**	**45.0**
Food & beverages, primary, mainly for industries	1,740	1,321	1,438	1.0	(302.4)	(17.4)	11,812	6,880	1.0
Food & beverages, processed, mainly for industries	1,373	782	1,087	0.8	(286.1)	(20.8)	6,298	4,890	0.7
Fuel & lubricants, primary	6,049	5,223	5,520	3.8	(529.5)	(8.8)	27,844	19,596	3.0
Fuel & lubricants, processed, other	1,829	3,014	1,276	0.9	(552.4)	(30.2)	12,122	9,857	1.5
Industrial supplies, n.e.s. primary	3,878	2,440	3,081	2.1	(797.8)	(20.6)	16,942	15,671	2.4
Industrial supplies, n.e.s. processed	22,317	24,465	22,982	16.0	665.7	3.0	101,558	108,081	16.3
Parts and accessories of capital goods (except transport equipment)	23,034	4,457	34,042	23.7	11,007.8	47.8	103,652	108,157	16.4
Parts and accessories of transport equipment	4,948	5,512	5,098	3.5	149.7	3.0	21,489	24,059	3.6
Transaction Below RM5,000	**-**	**-**	**-**	**-**	**-**	**-**	**-**	**-**	**-**
Retain Imports	**100,052**	**82,379**	**102,751**	**71.5**	**2,698.3**	**2.7**	**458,178**	**445,845**	**67.4**
Re-exports	**25,805**	**71,665**	**40,873**	**28.5**	**15,068.1**	**58.4**	**133,364**	**215,229**	**32.6**