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**EXPORT AND IMPORT STATISTICS BY STATE
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**Exports for eight states recorded an increase amounting to
RM62.0 billion in August 2026**

PUTRAJAYA, 28TH SEPTEMBER 2026 – Pulau Pinang, Johor and Selangor accounted for 80.4 per cent of Malaysia's total trade in August 2026, according to the **EXPORT AND IMPORT STATISTICS BY STATE, AUGUST 2026**, released today.

Malaysia's total trade in August 2026 amounted to RM354.0 billion, with exports and imports valued at RM191.0 billion and RM163.0 billion, respectively. Pulau Pinang remained as the top exporter with a contribution of 51.1 per cent, followed by Johor (17.5%), Selangor (13.4%), Sarawak (5.4%) and W.P. Kuala Lumpur (3.2%). Pulau Pinang also recorded the largest share of Malaysia's imports at 32.9 per cent, followed by Johor (24.5%), Selangor (21.2%), W.P. Kuala Lumpur (6.9%) and Kedah (4.4%).

Malaysia's exports in August 2026 increased by RM59.7 billion (+45.5%) compared with August 2025. The increase in exports was attributed to higher exports in Pulau Pinang (+RM49.2 billion), Johor (+RM6.2 billion), Selangor (+RM3.0 billion), Sarawak (+RM2.2 billion), Perak (+RM587.9 million), W.P. Kuala Lumpur (+RM426.4 million), Negeri Sembilan (+RM188.5 million) and Pahang (+RM101.6 million).

However, exports decreased in Perlis (-RM31.4 million), Kelantan (-RM62.5 million), Melaka (-RM128.7 million), Kedah (-RM166.8 million), W.P. Labuan (-RM333.5 million), Terengganu (-RM624.1 million) and Sabah (-RM974.1 million).

Malaysia's imports in August 2026 increased by RM47.5 billion (+41.1%) compared with August 2025. The increase in imports was attributed to higher imports in Pulau Pinang (+RM24.7 billion), Johor (+RM14.5 billion), Selangor (+RM3.1 billion), W.P. Kuala Lumpur (+RM2.6 billion), Kedah (+RM1.7 billion), Negeri Sembilan (+RM1.6 billion), Terengganu (+RM550.0 million), Pahang (+RM444.1 million) and Sabah (+RM22.7 million).

However, imports decreased in Kelantan (-RM8.4 million), Perlis (-RM25.3 million), Perak (-RM26.5 million), Sarawak (-RM51.0 million), W.P. Labuan (-RM114.9 million) and Melaka (-RM825.2 million).

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