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### FIRST QUARTER 2019

#### POPULATION

Malaysia's population for the **first quarter 2019** was estimated at **32.66 million**, **increased by 1.1 per cent** as compared to first quarter 2018 (32.29 million).

#### Population by sex



#### LIVE BIRTHS

**116,850 live births** were recorded in the **first quarter 2019**, **decreased by 0.2 per cent** as compared to first quarter 2018 (117,032).

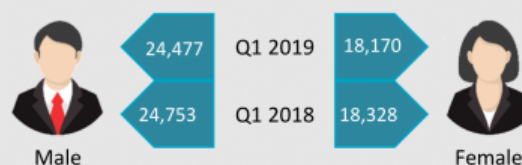


#### Population by citizenship



#### DEATHS

**42,647 deaths** were recorded in the **first quarter 2019**, **decreased by 1.0 per cent** as compared to first quarter 2018 (43,081).



#### Population by age group

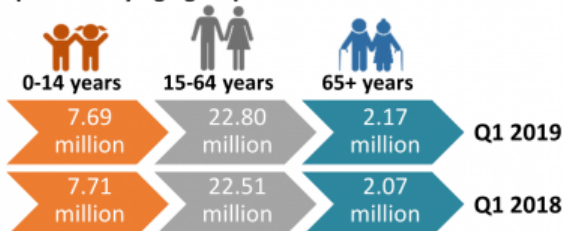
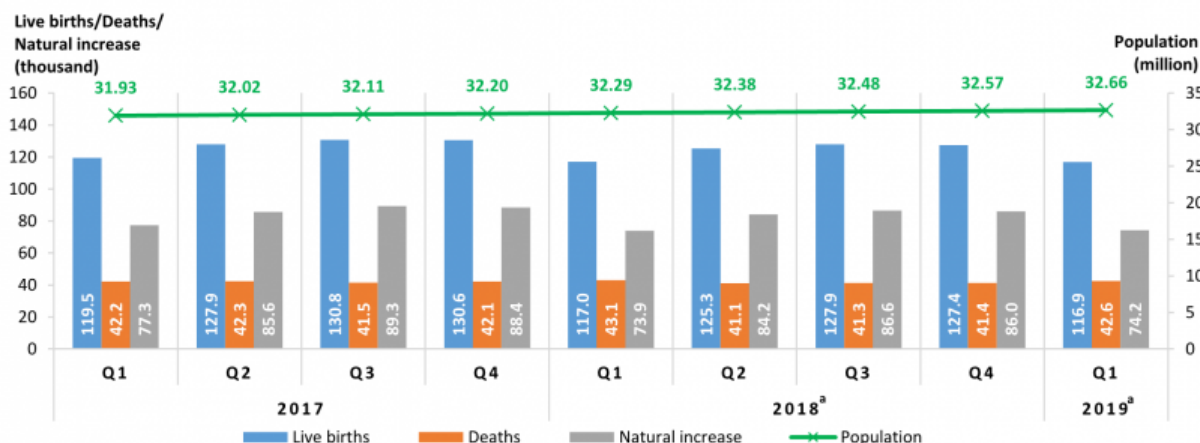





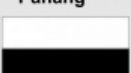



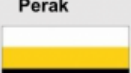



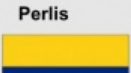
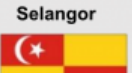
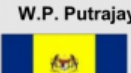





Chart 1: Demographic statistics by quarter 2017–2019<sup>a</sup>, Malaysia



Source: Demographic Statistics First Quarter 2019, Malaysia  
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**Exhibit 1: Demographic statistics by state, first quarter 2019<sup>a</sup>, Malaysia**

<b>Johor</b>  Population: 3,776.2* Live Births: 14,185 Deaths: 5,150	<b>Negeri Sembilan</b>  Population: 1,142.2* Live Births: 4,159 Deaths: 1,866	<b>Pulau Pinang</b>  Population: 1,783.9* Live Births: 4,748 Deaths: 2,810	<b>Terengganu</b>  Population: 1,247.3* Live Births: 6,647 Deaths: 1,817
<b>Kedah</b>  Population: 2,178.7* Live Births: 8,277 Deaths: 3,608	<b>Pahang</b>  Population: 1,679.7* Live Births: 6,331 Deaths: 2,376	<b>Sabah</b>  Population: 3,932.0* Live Births: 12,264 Deaths: 2,933	<b>W.P. Kuala Lumpur</b>  Population: 1,796.7* Live Births: 6,233 Deaths: 2,241
<b>Kelantan</b>  Population: 1,877.7* Live Births: 8,966 Deaths: 2,954	<b>Perak</b>  Population: 2,513.6* Live Births: 7,875 Deaths: 4,558	<b>Sarawak</b>  Population: 2,811.4* Live Births: 8,743 Deaths: 3,636	<b>W.P. Labuan</b>  Population: 100.5* Live Births: 380 Deaths: 94
<b>Melaka</b>  Population: 929.1* Live Births: 3,414 Deaths: 1,392	<b>Perlis</b>  Population: 255.2* Live Births: 935 Deaths: 480	<b>Selangor</b>  Population: 6,541.7* Live Births: 23,116 Deaths: 6,673	<b>W.P. Putrajaya</b>  Population: 92.6* Live Births: 576 Deaths: 59

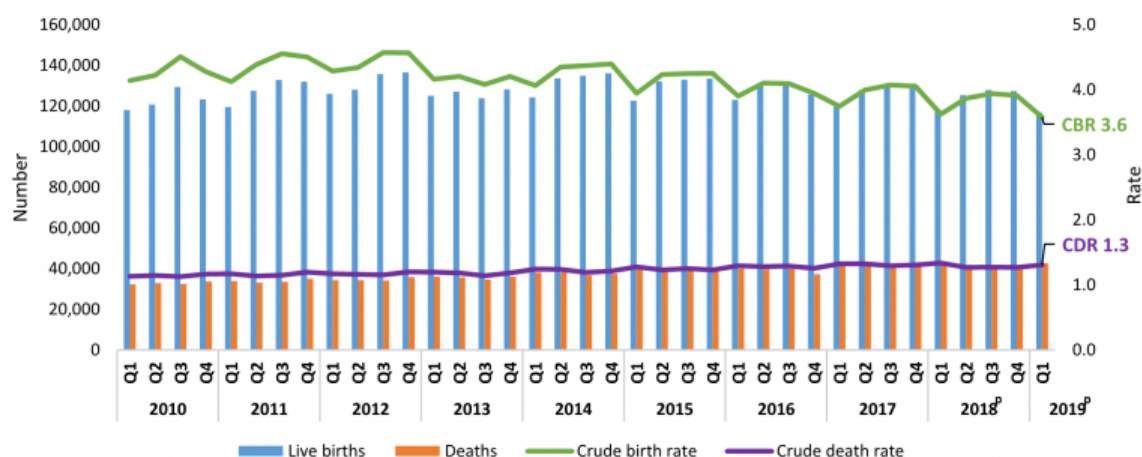
 Population  
  Live Births  
  Deaths

Note: \* thousand

**Table 1: Number and percentage change of live births and deaths, 2018<sup>p</sup> & 2019<sup>p</sup>, Malaysia**

Indicator		2018 <sup>p</sup>		2019 <sup>p</sup>	
		Number	Year-on-year change (%)	Number	Year-on-year change (%)
Live births	January	42,376	5.5	40,577	-4.2
	February	34,208	-6.8	33,286	-2.7
	March	40,448	-5.0	42,987	6.3
	January - March	117,032	-2.0	116,850	-0.2
Deaths	January	14,460	4.4	14,370	-0.6
	February	13,480	4.4	12,885	-4.4
	March	15,141	5.2	15,392	1.7
	January - March	43,081	4.7	42,647	-1.0

**Chart 2: Live births and deaths (number and rate) by quarter, 2010–2019<sup>p</sup>, Malaysia**



Notes:

<sup>a</sup> Preliminary.

<sup>a</sup> The number of live births and deaths refer to preliminary figure. Total population refers to estimate.

• Births and deaths statistics 2018 will be finalised after 24<sup>th</sup> October 2019 through the publication of Vital Statistics, Malaysia, 2019.

• Quarterly period: Q1=January–March; Q2=April–June; Q3=July–September; Q4=October–December.

• The difference is due to rounding.

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