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ECONOMIC CENSUS 2023: ARTS, ENTERTAINMENT AND RECREATION SERVICES



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BANCI EKONOMI 2023
DATA PEMANGKIN EKONOMI NEGARA

MAIN STATISTICS ARTS, ENTERTAINMENT AND RECREATION SERVICES

Number of Establishments

2022: 7,561 establishments
2015: 6,683 establishments
CAGR: 1.8%



Value of Gross Output

2022: RM22.5 billion
2015: RM20.0 billion
CAGR: 1.7%



Value of Intermediate Input

2022: RM13.1 billion
2015: RM11.3 billion
CAGR: 2.1%



Value Added

2022: RM9.4 billion
2015: RM8.6 billion
CAGR: 1.3%



Number of Persons Engaged

2022: 71,004 persons
2015: 57,975 persons
CAGR: 2.9%



Salaries & Wages

2022: RM1.7 billion
2015: RM1.3 billion
CAGR: 3.5%



Value of Fixed Assets

2022: RM7.5 billion
2015: RM6.4 billion
CAGR: 2.2%



Number of Women-owned Establishments

2022: 1,189 establishments
2015: 776 establishments
CAGR: 6.3%



HIGHEST VALUE ADDED

BY ACTIVITY

Sports & recreation

2022: RM7.2 billion
2015: RM7.2 billion
CAGR: 0.1%



Museums, amusement & cultural

2022: RM1.6 billion
2015: RM1.1 billion
CAGR: 4.9%



Creative, arts & entertainment

2022: RM0.6 billion
2015: RM0.3 billion
CAGR: 9.5%



BY STATE

W.P. Kuala Lumpur

2022: RM4.0 billion
2015: RM3.8 billion
CAGR: 0.7%



Pahang

2022: RM2.5 billion
2015: RM2.4 billion
CAGR: 0.8%



Selangor

2022: RM1.1 billion
2015: RM0.9 billion
CAGR: 2.3%



CAGR 2022/2015

Source: Economic Census 2023, Arts, Entertainment and Recreation Services
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This publication presents statistics for Arts, entertainment, and recreation services based on the Economic Census conducted in 2023 for the reference year 2022. These services comprise Creative, arts and entertainment; Museums, amusement and cultural; and Sports & recreation.

In 2022, the number of establishments operating in Arts, entertainment, and recreation services was 7,561 establishments. These services generated a gross output value of RM22.5 billion and intermediate input of RM13.1 billion. Subsequently, total value added for these services was RM9.4 billion. For number of persons engaged, these services recorded 71,004 persons in 2022 with salaries & wages of RM1.7 billion. Meanwhile, fixed assets owned by establishments in the Arts, entertainment, and recreation services registered RM7.5 billion in 2022.

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