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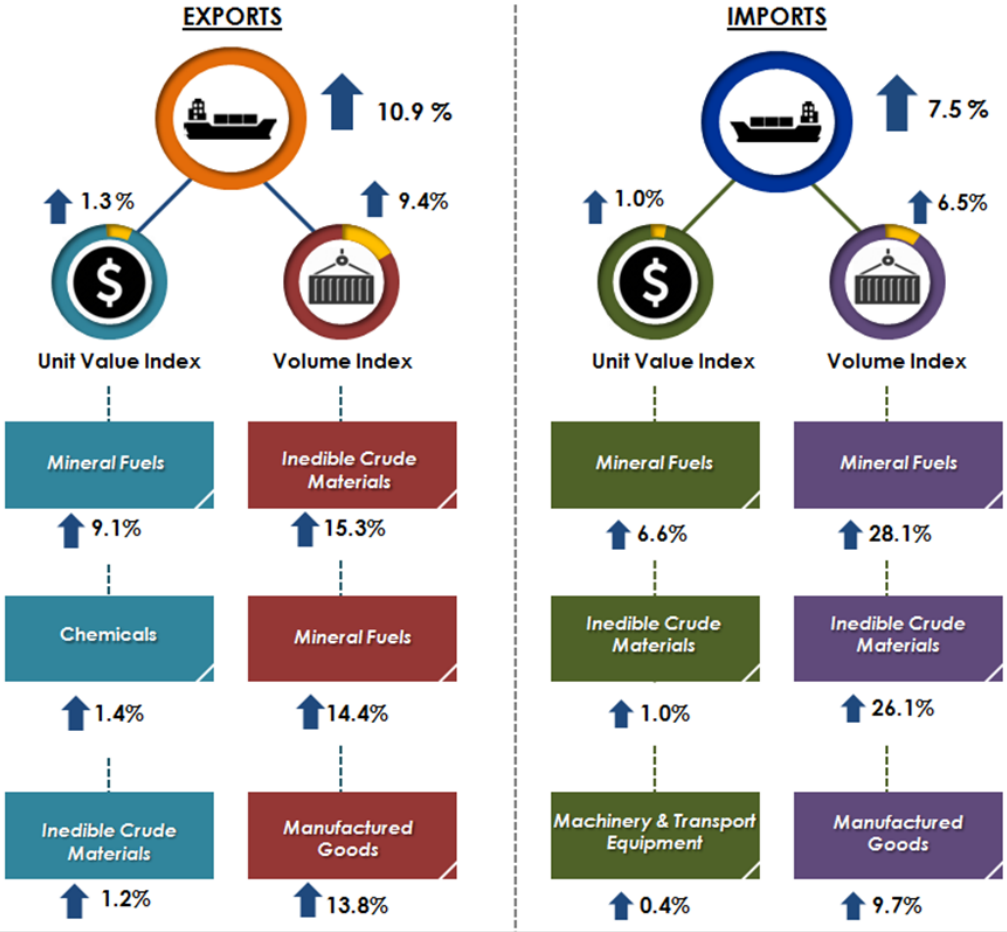
MALAYSIA EXTERNAL TRADE INDICES JUNE 2016

Snapshot, June 2016

Export & Import Unit Value Index, both recorded increases when compared with May 2016.



Exports

On a-month-on-month basis, in June 2016, the **export unit value index** rose 1.3% to 103.8 points. The rise was mainly attributed to mineral fuels (+9.1%), chemicals (+1.4%) and inedible crude materials (+1.2%). On a similar trend, the **export volume index** also increased 9.4% to 120.3 points which was led by inedible crude materials (+15.3%), mineral fuels (+14.4%) and manufactured goods (+13.8%). In seasonally adjusted terms, the **export volume index** increased 10.1%.

When compared to the previous year, the **export unit value index** registered a decrease of 1.7%. In contrast, the **export volume index** increased 5.2%.

Imports

In June 2016, the **import unit value index** increased 1.0% to 107.9 points. The increase was attributed to mineral fuels (+6.6%), inedible crude materials (+1.0%) and machinery & transport equipment (+0.4%). The **import volume index** also expanded 6.5% to 128.2 points. This expansion was led by mineral fuels (+28.1%), inedible crude materials (+26.1%) and manufactured goods (+9.7%). In seasonally adjusted terms, the **import volume index** registered a rise of 8.9%

On a-year-on-year basis, the **import unit value index** registered a marginal decrease of 0.04%, whereas the **import volume index** registered an increase of 8.3%.

Terms of trade

In June 2016, Malaysia's **terms of trade** expanded 0.3% to 96.2 points when compared with the preceding month, while a reduction of 1.7% was recorded year-on-year.

For more details, please refer to the Department's portal: www.statistics.gov.my

***Notes:**
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