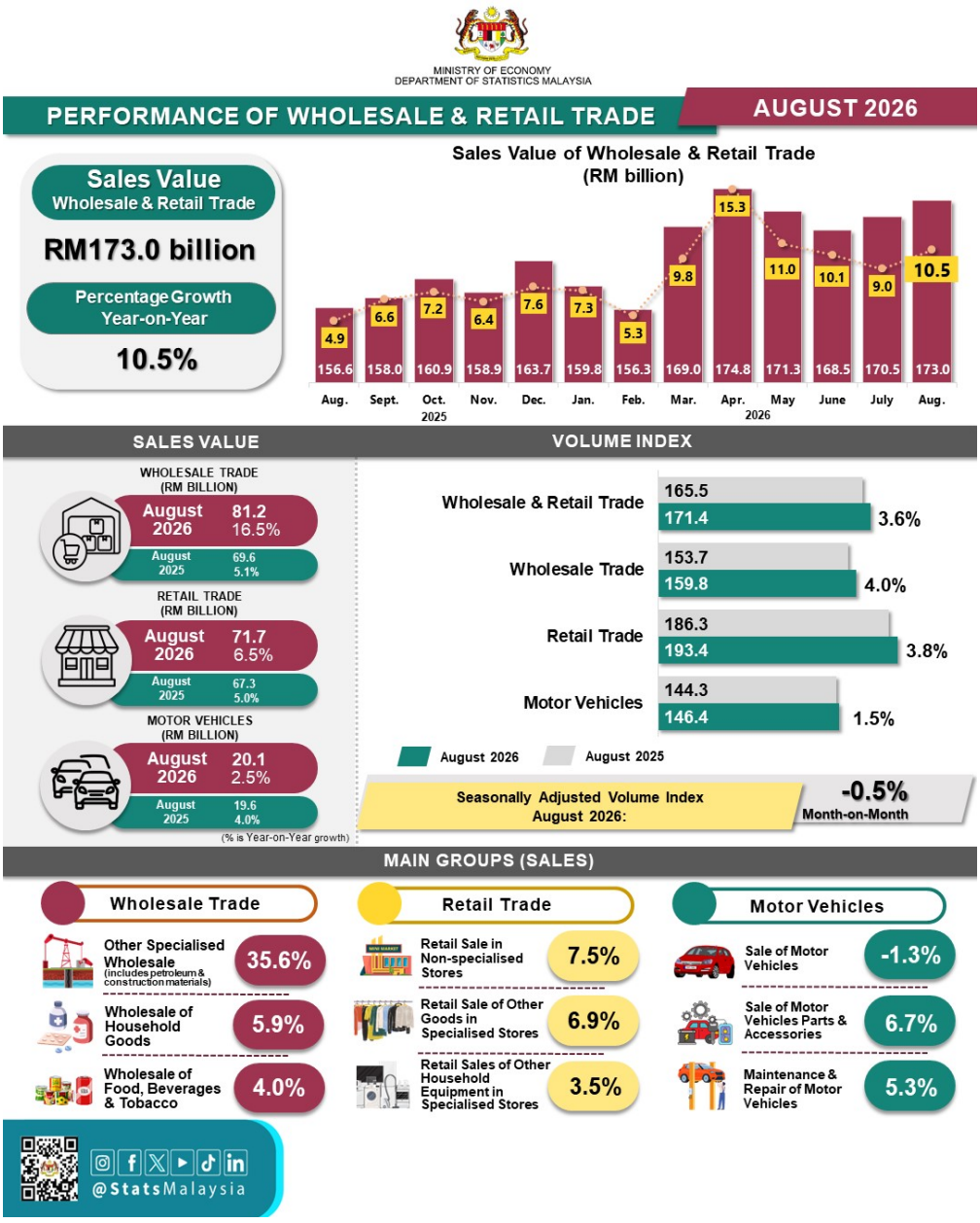
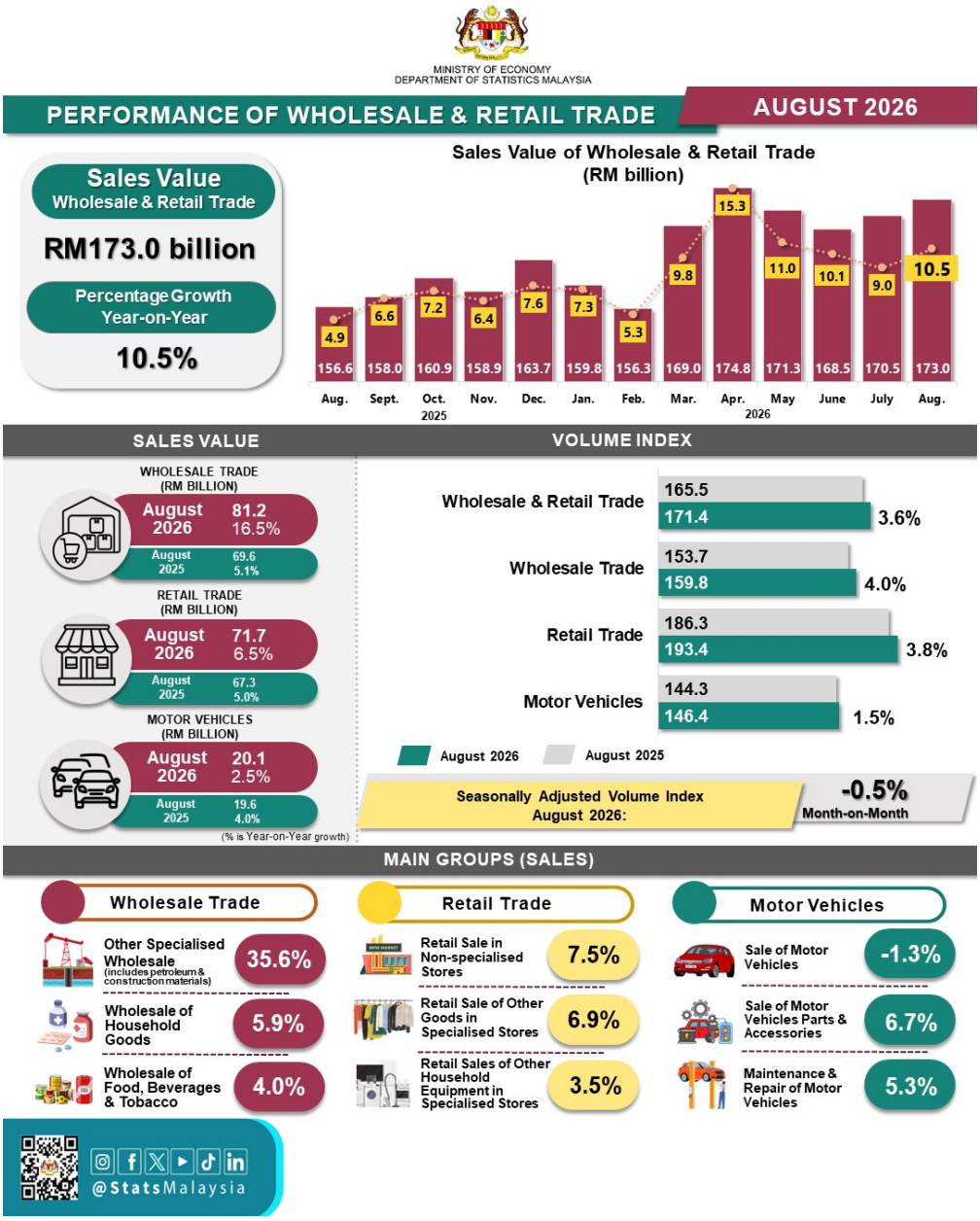
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PERFORMANCE OF WHOLESALE & RETAIL TRADE, AUGUST 2026





Wholesale & retail trade sales value recorded **RM173.0 billion** in August 2026, registering a year-on-year growth of **10.5 per cent**. This positive growth was contributed by all sub-sectors, namely Wholesale trade **16.5 per cent**, Retail trade **6.5 per cent**, and Motor vehicles **2.5 per cent**. Meanwhile, on a month-on-month basis, sales value increased by **1.5 per cent**.

In terms of volume index, Wholesale & retail trade registered a year-on-year growth of **3.6 per cent** to reach **171.4 points**. The increase was driven by Wholesale trade **4.0 per cent**, Retail trade **3.8 per cent**, and Motor vehicles **1.5 per cent**. For monthly comparison, volume index decreased by **0.5 per cent**, contributed by Motor vehicles **(-3.2%)**, Wholesale trade **(-0.3%)**, and Retail trade **(-0.02%)**.

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