













# LABOUR FORCE MALAYSIA, APRIL 2024

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## **UNEMPLOYMENT**

THE NUMBER OF UNEMPLOYED PERSONS AND UNEMPLOYMENT RATE, MALAYSIA, APR 2023 - APR 2024 3.5 3.4 3.4 3.4 3.4 3.4 3.3 3.3 3.3 3.3 3.3 **3.3** FEB MAR APR MAY JUNE JULY AUG SEP OCT NOV DEC JAN 2023 2024 Unemployment persons (thousand) Unemployment rate (%)

April's unemployment rate stood ad 3.3 per cent, as recorded last month

**▼** 0.2pp ) ( ↔ 0.0pp

### **Unemployment by category**

Actively unemployed Inactively unemployed

> 79.7% 20.3%

> > **APR 2024**

**0.03**9

Employees

451.4 thousand

115.0 thousand

**▼ 0.1%** 0.05%

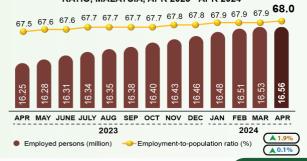
MAR 2024

451.5 thousand

115.0 thousand

#### EMPLOYED PERSON

THE NUMBER OF EMPLOYED PERSONS AND EMPLOYMENT-TO-POPULATION RATIO, MALAYSIA, APR 2023 - APR 2024





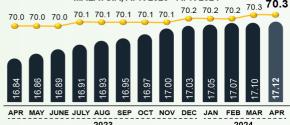
#### Employed person by status 75.1% in employment **1.3**% Out of the total employed **▲** 0.1% persons in April 2024, 75.1 per cent were in the employees' category 18.4% 3.6% 3.0% **4.1% 4.8**% **▲ 0.3**% **^ 0.4**% **▲ 0.5**% **V** 0.2%

Own-account

Unpaid family

#### LABOUR FORCE

LABOUR FORCE AND LABOUR FORCE PARTICIPATION RATE (LFPR), **MALAYSIA, APR 2023 - APR 2024** 



2023 2024

 Labour force (million) 

Labour force participation rate was unchanged at 70.3 per cent as in the prior month



Employers

#### **OUTSIDE LABOUR FORCE**

The main reason for being outside the labour force was due to housework/ family responsibilities





**APR 2024 0.1% 4** 0.01%



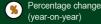
**▲** 0.1%

Household/ family responsibilities 42.7%



Schooling/ training

41.4%



Percentage change (month-on-month)

pp Percentage Point

