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DEMOGRAPHIC STATISTICS THIRD QUARTER 2019, MALAYSIA

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third quarter 2019

population
Malaysia’s population for the third quarter 2019 was estimated at 32.63 million, increased by 0.6 per cent as compared to the third quarter 2018 (32.43 million).

population by sex
- Male: 16.65 million (Q3 2019), 16.34 million (Q3 2018)
- Female: 15.78 million (Q3 2019), 15.60 million (Q3 2018)
- Sex ratio in Q3 2019: 107 males per 100 females

population by citizenship
- Citizen: 29.46 million (Q3 2019), 29.24 million (Q3 2018)
- Non-citizen: 3.18 million (Q3 2019), 3.28 million (Q3 2018)

population by age group
- 0-14 years: 7.57 million (Q3 2019), 7.68 million (Q3 2018)
- 15-64 years: 22.85 million (Q3 2019), 22.64 million (Q3 2018)
- 65+ years: 2.21 million (Q3 2019), 2.12 million (Q3 2018)

Live Births
124,150 live births were recorded in the third quarter 2019, decreased by 3.0 per cent as compared to the third quarter 2018 (127,956).

- 64,028 male babies in Q3 2019 (56,274 in Q3 2018)
- 60,122 female babies in Q3 2019 (61,682 in Q3 2018)

Deaths
41,772 deaths were recorded in the third quarter 2019, decreased by 0.9 per cent as compared to the third quarter 2018 (42,156).

- Male: 24,061 (Q3 2019), 24,423 (Q3 2018)
- Female: 17,711 (Q3 2019), 17,739 (Q3 2018)

Chart 1: Demographic statistics by quarter 2017–2019, Malaysia

[Graph showing live births, deaths, and natural increase over the quarters of 2017 and 2018, with a projection for 2019.]
Exhibit 1: Demographic statistics by state, third quarter 2019, Malaysia

Table 1: Number and percentage change of live births and deaths, 2018 & 2019p, Malaysia

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<th>2018</th>
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<th>2019p</th>
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<td>42,355</td>
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<td>July-September</td>
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Chart 2: Live births and deaths [number and rate] by quarter, 2011–2019p, Malaysia

Notes:
- p Preliminary
- The number of live births and deaths refer to preliminary figures. Total population refers to estimates.
- Quarterly period: Q1=January–March; Q2=April–June; Q3=July–September; Q4=October–December.
- The difference is due to rounding.
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