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PRESS STATEMENT FOR EXPORT IMPORT STATISTICS BY STATE OCTOBER 2025

TOTAL TRADE FOR SEVEN STATES RECORDED A POSITIVE GROWTH WITH A VALUE OF RM235.9 BILLION IN OCTOBER 2025

PUTRAJAYA, 28 NOVEMBER 2025 – Malaysia's total trade for October 2025 amounted to RM277.6 billion with exports and imports recording RM148.3 billion and RM129.3 billion, respectively as reported today in **EXPORT IMPORT STATISTICS BY STATE OCTOBER 2025**.

Chief Statistician Malaysia, Dato' Sri Dr. Mohd Uzir Mahidin unveiled that Malaysia's exports in October 2025 reached RM148.3 billion, marking a year-on-year increase of RM20.1 billion (+15.7%). The increase in exports was to the higher exports in Pulau Pinang (+RM15.0 billion). Johor (+RM6.8 billion), Perak (+RM690.0 million), Terengganu (+RM405.9 million), Melaka (+RM160.9 million) and Kelantan (+RM111.1 million). RM722.8 However. exports decreased in Pahang by million. Kedah (-RM632.3 million), W.P. Kuala (-RM618.6 million), Lumpur Sabah (-RM215.7 million), Sarawak (-RM172.3 million), W.P. (-RM159.6 Labuan million), Selangor (-RM144.7 million), Negeri Sembilan (-RM80.9 million), and Perlis (-RM9.6 million).

Pulau Pinang remained as the top exporter with a contribution of 40.0 per cent, followed by Johor (20.9%), Selangor (16.5%), Sarawak (6.2%) and W.P. Kuala Lumpur (3.4%).

Elaborating on imports performance, Dato' Sri Dr. Mohd Uzir Mahidin stated that imports in October 2025 increased RM13.1 billion (+11.2%) as compared to the same month in year 2024. The increase in imports was attributed by the higher imports in most states such as Pulau Pinang (+RM7.2 W.P. Kuala Lumpur (+RM3.8 billion), Johor (+RM3.3 billion), Selangor (+RM1.9 billion), Perak (+RM478.7 million), W.P. Labuan (+RM133.4 million), Sabah (+RM128.1 million), Pahang (+RM97.1)million) and Terengganu (+RM44.6 million). However, imports decreased in Kedah by RM2.3 billion, million), Melaka (-RM840.0 Negeri Sembilan (-RM513.9 million), Sarawak (-RM318.8 million), Kelantan (-RM37.8 million) and Perlis (-RM3.5 million).

Pulau Pinang dominates Malaysia's imports with a share of 27.6 per cent, followed by Selangor (24.2%), Johor (22.4%), W.P. Kuala Lumpur (9.9%) and Kedah (5.3%).

Malaysia has, for the first time, successfully secured the top position globally in the biennial Open Data Inventory (ODIN) 2024/25 report released by Open Data Watch (ODW), surpassing 197 other countries. This achievement marks a significant leap from its 67th position in the ODIN 2022/23 assessment.

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Chart 1: Exports and Imports in Johor, Pulau Pinang and Selangor,
October 2024 – October 2025 (RM Billion)

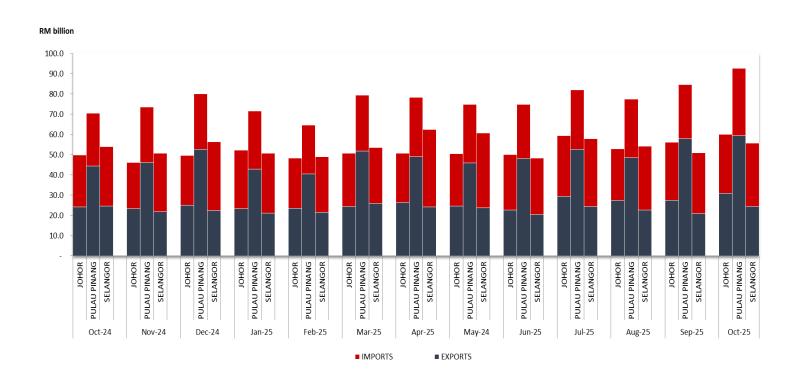


Exhibit 1: Infographic on Export Import Statistics by State, October 2025



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