

KEY ECONOMIC INDICATORS

Production Indicators

Indicator / Month	2002											
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
Agriculture sector												
- Palm oil ('000 tonnes)	935.4	774.0	892.6	864.5	925.0	943.5	1,009.6	1,115.5	1,241.0	1,224.9	1,058.7	922.3
- Rubber ('000 tonnes)	56.8	51.1	37.4	34.4	39.3	47.9	55.2	53.2	52.8	58.0	53.6	49.6
- Fish landing ('000 tonnes)	88.7	95.3	104.3	108.6	115.3	107.6	111.9	119.5	124.9	123.5	103.2	90.8
Industrial Production Index (% p.a.) ¹	-5.2	1.9	-2.4	4.5	4.8	5.7	8.3	6.5	9.2	7.9	6.2	8.2
Mining sector												
- Production index (% p.a.)	-0.5	-1.3	-3.3	-3.9	-15.5	2.2	4.5	5.9	5.0	13.7	9.5	6.2
- Crude oil and condensates ('000 bpd ²)	703	712	706	695	598	695	715	701	707	702	726	724
- Natural gas (mmscfd ³)	4,907	4,874	4,559	4,709	3,752	4,220	4,882	4,713	4,647	5,067	4,924	5,135
Manufacturing sector												
- Production index (% p.a.)	-8.5	2.5	-3.9	5.3	8.0	6.1	8.8	6.6	10.3	6.6	5.2	8.2
- Sales (% p.a.)	-9.2	-16.7	-5.7	-4.7	-4.3	-0.2	3.0	5.6	8.0	5.0	6.6	11.7
Electricity sector												
- Production index (% p.a.)	19.0	3.4	14.2	12.1	11.9	8.3	9.8	7.1	7.9	10.1	9.2	12.0
- Maximum demand recorded (MW)	9,893	9,870	10,301	10,436	10,730	10,602	10,783	10,742	10,548	10,678	10,562	10,629
- Sales (GW hour)	4,865	4,762	4,655	5,163	5,109	5,389	5,150	5,493	5,334	5,075	5,481	5,032
Construction sector												
- Number of houses approved	19,424	11,321	18,150	15,549	21,836	20,769	12,388	19,491	14,432	17,130	24,996	3,484
- Number of new advertising and sales permit	100	67	107	79	151	112	92	106	78	77	118	47
Transport sector												
- Highway (million of vehicles)	63.5	57.3	64.9	61.7	67.3	65.3	68.9	68.9	67.4	69.9	79.9	86.4
- Rail (RM million)												
Commuter revenue	4.3	3.8	4.0	3.8	4.2	4.1	4.3	4.2	4.2	4.1	4.2	4.6
Cargo revenue	8.6	7.3	9.1	8.5	8.3	8.3	8.8	8.4	8.4	6.2	8.1	8.0
- Air (MAS)												
Number of passengers ('000)	1,179	1,208	1,279	1,203	1,342	1,333	1,352	1,398	1,396	1,326	1,253	1,517
Domestic	618	677	678	622	735	720	698	725	777	720	681	854
International	562	531	601	581	608	613	653	673	619	606	572	663
Cargo (million of tonnes)	24.3	23.5	27.7	27.6	28.9	33.1	34.5	34.5	34.7	38.4	38.6	35.2
- Port (container '000 FWT) ⁴	8,220	7,735	9,110	9,150	9,556	9,196	10,196	10,033	9,485	10,332	9,371	9,120
Tourism sector												
- Tourist arrivals ('000)	834.5	968.4	1,272.8	1,106.1	1,153.0	1,297.5	1,135.7	1,163.7	1,029.1	1,015.9	1,061.2	1,253.9

Note : 1/ Consists of mining, manufacturing and electricity sectors

2/ Barrels per day

3/ Million standard cubic foot per day

4/ Covers only Kelang, Pulau Pinang, Johor, Kuantan, Bintulu, Kuching, Miri, Rajang and Sabah ports (FWT : Freight Weight Tonnes)