

#### IV EXTERNAL INDICATORS

Indicator / Month	2019											
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
• <b>RM (bil.)</b>	86.3	67.7	85.7	86.2	84.7	76.7	89.8	81.5	78.3	90.9	80.9	86.4
- Total exports	73.9	55.6	69.7	74.4	75.1	65.6	73.8	70.5	69.4	73.3	74.3	73.9
- Total imports	12.4	12.1	16.0	11.9	9.6	11.1	16.0	11.1	8.8	17.6	6.7	12.6
- Trade balance												
<i>Growth rate (% p.a.)</i>												
- Total exports	3.7	-4.1	1.0	1.9	2.2	-2.7	3.8	-0.6	-6.1	-6.4	-5.4	2.8
- Total imports	1.0	-9.5	-0.3	4.2	1.4	-9.8	-5.8	-12.5	2.5	-8.7	-3.6	1.0
• <b>US\$ (bil.)</b>												
- Total exports	21.0	16.6	21.0	21.0	20.3	18.4	21.8	19.5	18.7	21.7	19.5	20.8
- Total imports	18.0	13.6	17.1	18.1	18.0	15.8	17.9	16.8	16.6	17.5	17.9	17.8
- Trade balance	3.0	3.0	3.9	2.9	2.3	2.7	3.9	2.6	2.1	4.2	1.6	3.0
• <b>Net international reserves (end period)</b>												
- RM bil.	422.3	423.3	420.2	421.9	417.4	425.4	430.3	428.7	431.3	432.2	432.0	424.1
- US\$ bil.	102.1	102.4	103.0	103.4	102.3	102.7	103.9	103.5	103.0	103.2	103.2	103.6
- Mths. of retained imports	7.4	7.4	7.5	7.4	7.3	7.3	7.6	7.6	7.6	7.6	7.7	7.5

Source: Department of Statistics Malaysia, Malaysia External Trade Development Corporation, Bank Negara Malaysia