

IV EXTERNAL INDICATORS

Indicator / Month	2022											
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
• RM (bil.)												
- Total exports	111.1	101.7	131.5	127.5	120.6	144.3	134.3	141.5	144.2	132.0	129.7	131.6
- Total imports	92.8	82.6	105.2	104.1	107.8	121.1	118.5	124.2	112.4	113.5	107.9	103.6
- Trade balance	18.2	19.2	26.2	23.4	12.8	23.2	15.8	17.3	31.8	18.5	21.8	28.0
<i>Growth rate (% p.a.)</i>												
- Total exports	23.8	15.9	25.0	20.7	30.5	37.0	38.3	48.4	30.1	15.3	15.1	5.8
- Total imports	27.1	18.5	30.1	22.1	37.3	45.5	41.8	67.3	32.8	29.1	15.5	11.5
• US\$ (bil.)												
- Total exports	26.5	24.3	31.3	29.9	27.5	32.8	30.2	31.7	31.7	28.1	28.1	29.8
- Total imports	22.2	19.7	25.1	24.4	24.6	27.5	26.7	27.8	24.7	24.2	23.3	23.5
- Trade balance	4.4	4.6	6.2	5.5	2.9	5.3	3.6	3.9	7.0	3.9	4.7	6.3
• Net international reserves (end period)												
- RM bil.	483.7	482.3	485.8	472.6	474.2	480.1	480.8	476.5	491.9	487.8	509.0	503.3
- US\$ bil.	116.1	115.8	115.6	112.5	112.8	109.0	109.2	108.2	106.1	105.2	109.7	114.6
- Mths. of retained imports	7.5	6.1	6.1	5.9	5.7	5.8	5.8	5.4	5.6	5.5	5.3	5.2

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