

IV EXTERNAL INDICATORS

Indicator / Month	2024											
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
• RM (bil.)												
- Total exports	122.4	111.4	128.6	114.7	128.0	126.0	131.1	129.0	123.6	128.1	126.3	138.5
- Total imports	112.2	100.1	115.8	107.0	118.1	111.7	124.7	123.5	110.8	116.3	111.3	119.3
- Trade balance	10.2	11.2	12.7	7.7	10.0	14.3	6.4	5.5	12.8	11.9	15.1	19.1
<i>Growth rate (% p.a.)</i>												
- Total exports	8.6	-1.2	-0.9	9.1	7.1	1.7	12.3	12.0	-0.6	1.6	3.9	16.9
- Total imports	18.8	8.0	10.9	14.0	13.4	17.8	25.4	26.2	10.9	2.7	1.6	11.9
• US\$ (bil.)												
- Total exports	26.1	23.3	27.3	24.1	27.1	26.8	28.0	29.2	29.0	29.8	28.5	31.0
- Total imports	24.0	21.0	24.6	22.4	25.0	23.7	26.7	28.0	26.0	27.1	25.1	26.8
- Trade balance	2.2	2.4	2.7	1.6	2.1	3.0	1.4	1.2	3.0	2.8	3.4	4.3
• Net international reserves (end period)												
- RM bil.	527.2	524.4	539.0	534.3	538.1	537.3	541.3	550.5	491.6	482.8	486.2	520.2
- US\$ bil.	114.8	114.3	113.8	112.8	113.6	113.8	114.7	116.8	119.7	117.6	109.6	116.6
- Mths. of retained imports	5.4	5.4	5.6	5.5	5.4	5.4	5.5	5.4	4.8	4.8	4.6	5.0

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