

# Malaysia's Trade Performance August 2021\*

## August 2021- Highest Trade, Exports and Trade Surplus for the Month of August

Trade, exports and trade surplus recorded the highest monthly value for the month of August. Exports registered 12 consecutive months of y-o-y expansion. Trade sustained a double-digit growth for seventh successive month.

### TOTAL TRADE

RM169.79 bil  
(↑15.7%)

### EXPORTS

RM95.59 bil  
(↑18.4%)

### IMPORTS

RM74.20 bil  
(↑12.5%)






### TRADE BALANCE






RM21.39 bil  
(↑44.7%)

69.5%  
of  
exports

71.7%  
of  
imports

### MAJOR MARKETS

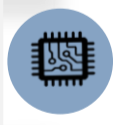




	<b>ASEAN</b> RM26.40 bil (↑25.0%)
	<b>China</b> RM15.19 bil (↑5.7%)
	<b>USA</b> RM10.84 bil (↑12.1%)
	<b>EU</b> RM7.68 bil (↑6.4%)
	<b>Japan</b> RM6.31 bil (↑40.8%)

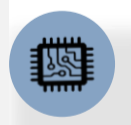


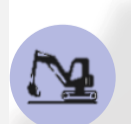

	<b>ASEAN</b> RM17.81 bil (↑22.3%)
	<b>China</b> RM16.99 bil (↑23.4%)
	<b>EU</b> RM6.45 bil (↑29.9%)
	<b>Taiwan</b> RM6.00 bil (↑14.2%)
	<b>USA</b> RM5.91 bil (↓4.2%)

60.1%  
of  
exports

63.9%  
of  
imports

### MAJOR PRODUCTS

	<b>E&amp;E Products</b> RM34.27 bil (↑6.8%)
	<b>Petroleum Products</b> RM7.14 bil (↑56.5%)
	<b>Chemical Products</b> RM5.81 bil (↑59.1%)
	<b>Palm Oil Agriculture</b> RM5.54 bil (↑35.1%)
	<b>Manufactures of Metal</b> RM4.67 bil (↑69.8%)

	<b>E&amp;E Products</b> RM25.08 bil (↑14.9%)
	<b>Chemical Products</b> RM7.92 bil (↑35.1%)
	<b>Petroleum Products</b> RM5.43 bil (↑23.2%)
	<b>Machinery, Equipment &amp; Parts</b> RM4.94 bil (↓1.3%)
	<b>Manufactures of Metal</b> RM4.01 bil (↑3.5%)

\* % Growth in August 2021 compared to August 2020

Source: DOSM

# Malaysia's Trade Performance January-August 2021\*

## January to August 2021- Fastest Export Growth since 1998

Trade, exports, imports and trade surplus registered a double-digit growth for the period of January to August 2021. Exports grew by 24.9%, the fastest growth since 1998. Almost all products recorded export expansion. Exports and imports to all major markets grew.

### TOTAL TRADE

RM1.407 tril  
(↑22.9%)

### EXPORTS

RM778.49 bil  
(↑24.9%)

### IMPORTS

RM628.29 bil  
(↑20.4%)

### TRADE BALANCE

RM150.20 bil  
(↑48.2%)

69.4%  
of  
exports

69.3%  
of  
imports

### MAJOR MARKETS



**ASEAN**  
RM215.98 bil  
(↑23.4%)



**China**  
RM118.48 bil  
(↑19.0%)



**USA**  
RM89.95 bil  
(↑34.2%)



**EU**  
RM66.51 bil  
(↑24.9%)



**Japan**  
RM49.19 bil  
(↑19.8%)



**China**  
RM147.16 bil  
(↑35.8%)



**ASEAN**  
RM143.45 bil  
(↑28.8%)



**EU**  
RM48.87 bil  
(↑25.7%)



**Japan**  
RM48.28 bil  
(↑24.2%)

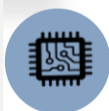


**USA**  
RM47.63 bil  
(↑1.2%)

61.9%  
of  
exports

62.3%  
of  
imports

### MAJOR PRODUCTS



**E&E Products**  
RM282.72 bil  
(↑18.8%)



**Petroleum Products**  
RM59.91 bil  
(↑37.1%)



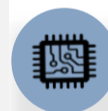
**Rubber Products**  
RM50.57 bil  
(↑110.6%)



**Chemical Products**  
RM44.70 bil  
(↑36.5%)



**Palm Oil Agriculture**  
RM43.77 bil  
(↑39.3%)



**E&E Products**  
RM194.22 bil  
(↑19.2%)



**Chemical Products**  
RM61.85 bil  
(↑28.4%)



**Petroleum Products**  
RM55.47 bil  
(↑35.8%)



**Machinery,  
Equipment & Parts**  
RM44.08 bil  
(↑14.3%)



**Manufactures of  
Metal**  
RM35.75 bil  
(↑18.9%)

\* % Growth in  
January-August 2021  
compared to  
January-August 2020

Source: DOSM