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## GROSS DOMESTIC PRODUCT THIRD QUARTER OF 2015

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Malaysia's economy grew 4.7 per cent in the third quarter of 2015 (Q2 2015: 4.9%). The quarter-on-quarter seasonally adjusted Gross Domestic Product (GDP) increased 0.7 per cent from 1.1 per cent in the preceding quarter.

For the three quarters of 2015, GDP posted a growth of 5.1 per cent with a value of RM853.0 billion at current and RM784.9 billion at constant prices.

Table 1: GDP at Constant 2010 Prices

|     | PERCENTAGE CHANGE FROM CORRESPONDING QUARTER OF PRECEDING YEAR |         |         |         |         |         |         |
|-----|--|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
|     | Q1 2014  | Q2 2014 | Q3 2014 | Q4 2014 | Q1 2015 | Q2 2015 | Q3 2015 |
| GDP | 6.3  | 6.5     | 5.6     | 5.7     | 5.6     | 4.9     | 4.7     |

Seasonally Adjusted GDP 1.4 1.6 0.8 1.8 1.2 1.1 0.7

Chart 1: GDP - Value Added and Annual Percentage Change

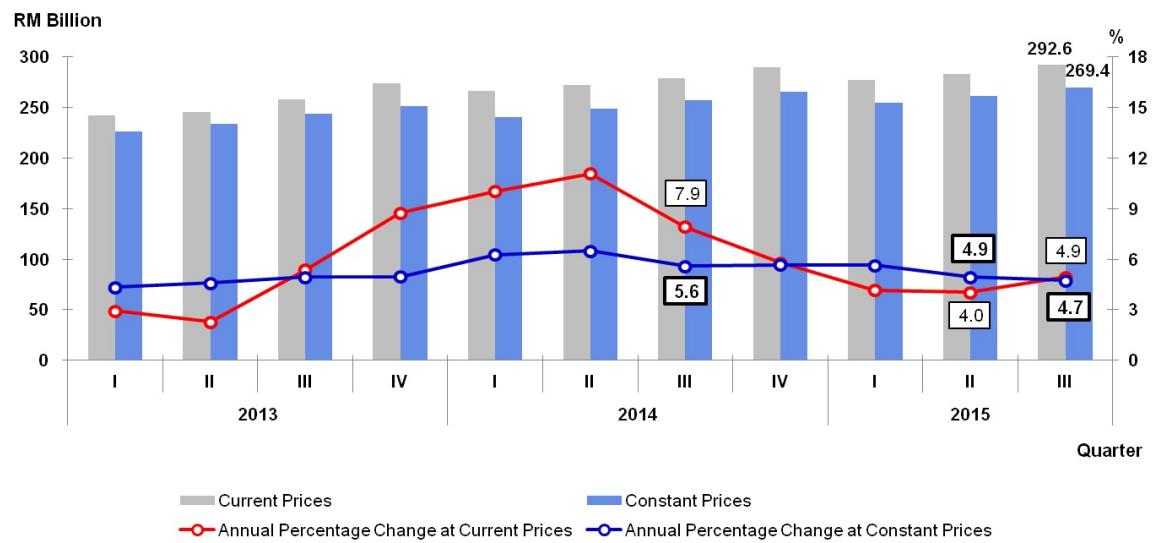
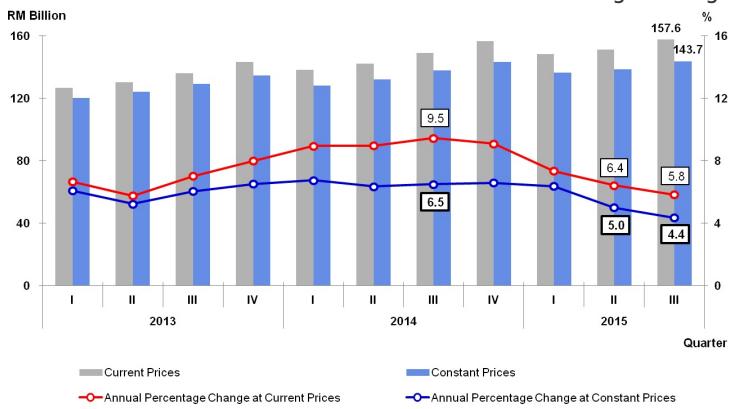
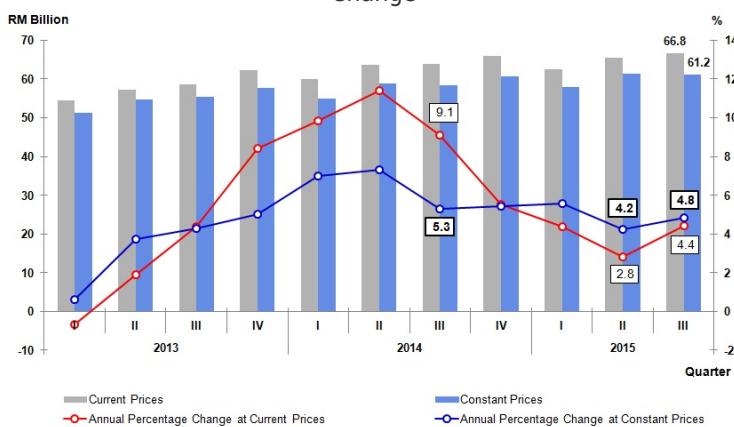


Chart 2: Services - Value Added and Annual Percentage Change



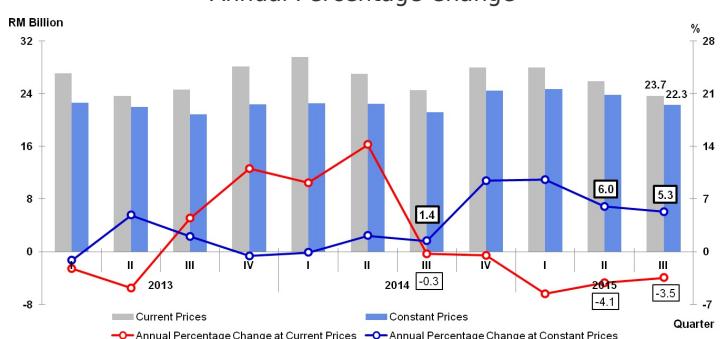
**Services** sector grew 4.4 per cent as compared with 5.0 per cent in second quarter of 2015. Wholesale & Retail Trade continued to drive the Services sector by registering a growth of 5.7 per cent. The sturdy momentum in data communication activities has spurred Information & Communication sub-sector to increase 9.5 per cent. Meanwhile, Business Services augmented to 7.6 per cent boosted by the better performance in professional activities.

Chart 3: Manufacturing - Value Added and Annual Percentage Change



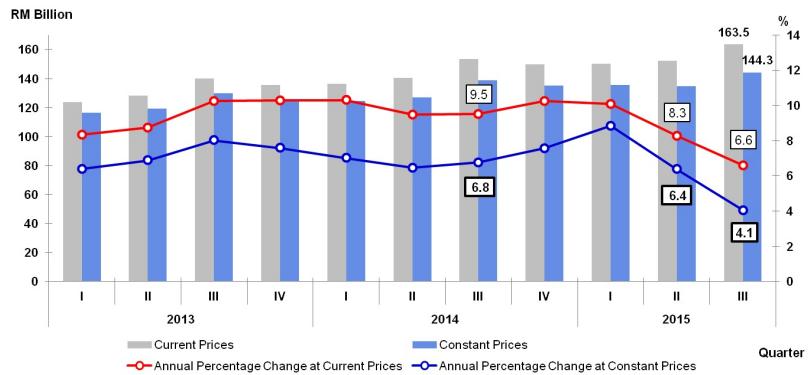
**Manufacturing** sector rose to 4.8 per cent from 4.2 per cent in the preceding quarter. The better performance of Manufacturing sector was underpinned by Electrical, Electronic & Optical products (10.3%), particularly in manufacture of consumer electronics, printed circuit boards and computer peripheral equipment. Petroleum, Chemical, Rubber & Plastic products (share: 31.0%) continued to support Manufacturing sector by registering a growth of 2.4 per cent.

Chart 4: Mining & Quarrying - Value Added and Annual Percentage Change



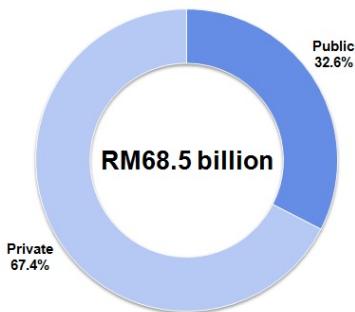
**Mining and Quarrying** sector which accounted for 8.3 per cent of Malaysia's economy, eased to 5.3 per cent (Q2 2015: 6.0%). The moderation was largely due to the lower production of crude oil despite a rebound in production of natural gas and condensate.

Chart 5: Private Final Consumption Expenditure - Value and Annual Percentage Change



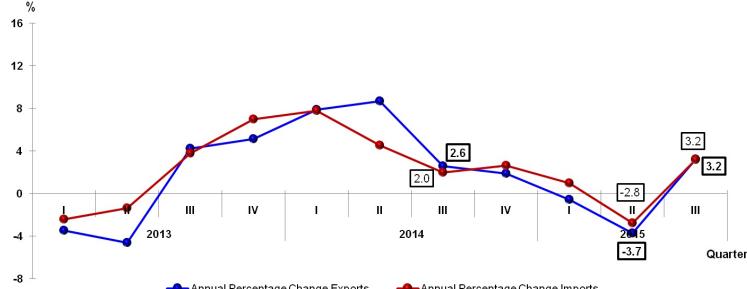
**Private Final Consumption Expenditure** posted a growth of 4.1 per cent (Q2 2015: 6.4%). The growth was underpinned by consumption on food & beverages, transportation and communication.

Chart 6: GFCF - Value and Percentage Share at Constant 2010 prices



**Gross Fixed Capital Formation (GFCF)** grew at a higher rate of 4.2 per cent from 0.5 per cent in second quarter of 2015. The growth of GFCF was stimulated by Structure (7.0%) which was in line with the performance of the Construction sector. Private sector (share: 67.4%) rose to 5.5 per cent and Public sector rebounded to 1.8 per cent (Q2 2015: -8.0%).

Chart 7: Exports & Imports - Annual Percentage Change



**Exports** posted a growth of 3.2 per cent, reversing from 3.7 per cent decline in the second quarter of 2015. **Imports** turned around to 3.2 per cent from negative 2.8 per cent.

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