



MINISTRY OF ECONOMY
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DEMOGRAPHIC STATISTICS MALAYSIA SECOND QUARTER 2025

POPULATION



34.2 million

population growth as compared to the second quarter of 2024 (34.1 million)

0.5%

Citizenship



Citizens

30.9 million

30.7 million



Non-citizens

3.4 million

3.4 million

Sex



Male

18.0 million

Q2 2025

17.9 million

Q2 2024

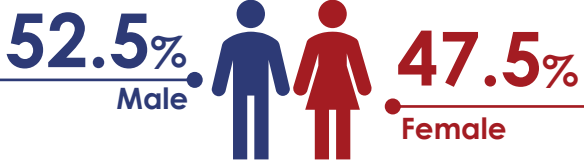


Female

16.3 million

16.2 million

Sex Ratio



110 males per **100** female

Age Group



Total



Male



Female

	0-14 years	15-64 years	65+ years	60+ years
Q2 2025	7.4 mil.	24.1 mil.	2.7 mil.	4.1 mil.
Q2 2024	7.6 mil.	23.9 mil.	2.6 mil.	3.9 mil.
Q2 2025	3.8 mil.	12.8 mil.	1.3 mil.	2.0 mil.
Q2 2024	3.9 mil.	12.7 mil.	1.3 mil.	1.9 mil.
Q2 2025	3.6 mil.	11.3 mil.	1.4 mil.	2.1 mil.
Q2 2024	3.7 mil.	11.2 mil.	1.3 mil.	2.0 mil.

Dependency Ratio

Q2 2024

Q2 2025

Total

42.5

42.1

Young Age

31.6

30.7

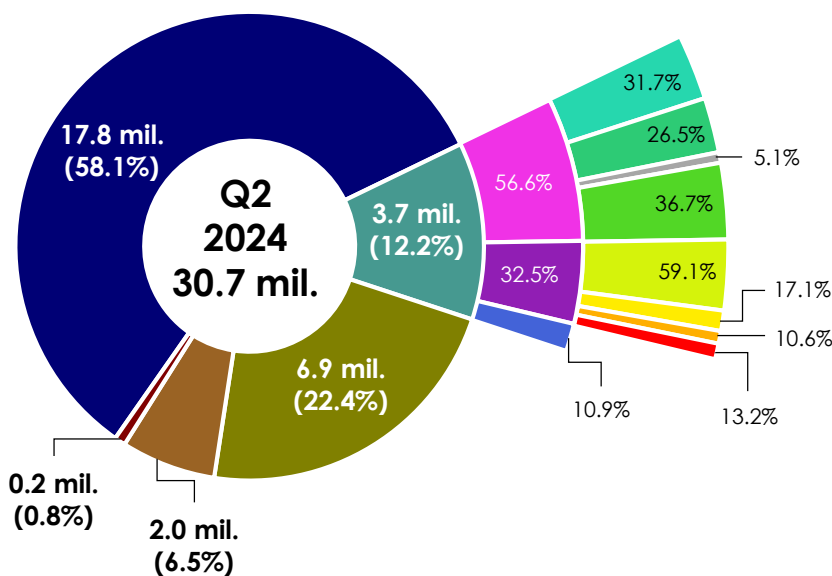
Old Age

10.9

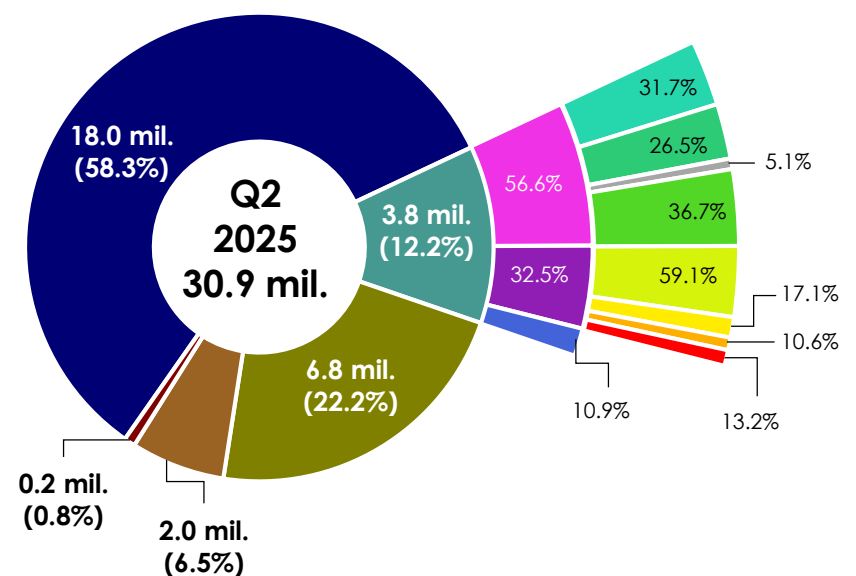
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Note: The dependency ratio is a measure of the number of dependents of young age (0-14 years) and/ or old age (65 years and over) for every 100 population of working age (15-64 years).

Citizens by Ethnic Group



- Malay
- Other Bumiputera
- Chinese
- Indians
- Others
- Sabah Bumiputera
- Sarawak Bumiputera
- Other Bumiputera
- Peninsular Malaysia
- Kadazan/ Dusun
- Bajau
- Murut
- Other Sabah Bumiputera
- Iban
- Bidayuh
- Melanau
- Other Sarawak Bumiputera



Source: Demographic Statistics Malaysia, Second Quarter 2025, Department of Statistics Malaysia (DOSM)

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LIVE BIRTHS



93,435



-7.1%



1,027

Live births for the second quarter of 2025

Decreased as compared to the second quarter of 2024 (100,558)

Daily average of live births

Sex



Male Babies

48,444

Q2 2025

51,766

Q2 2024

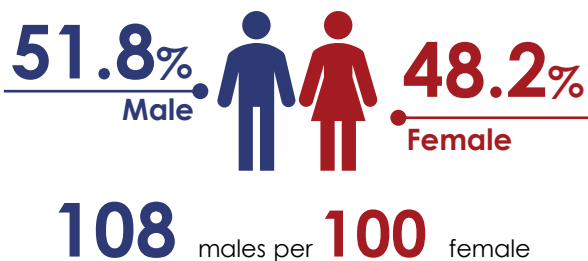


Female Babies

44,991

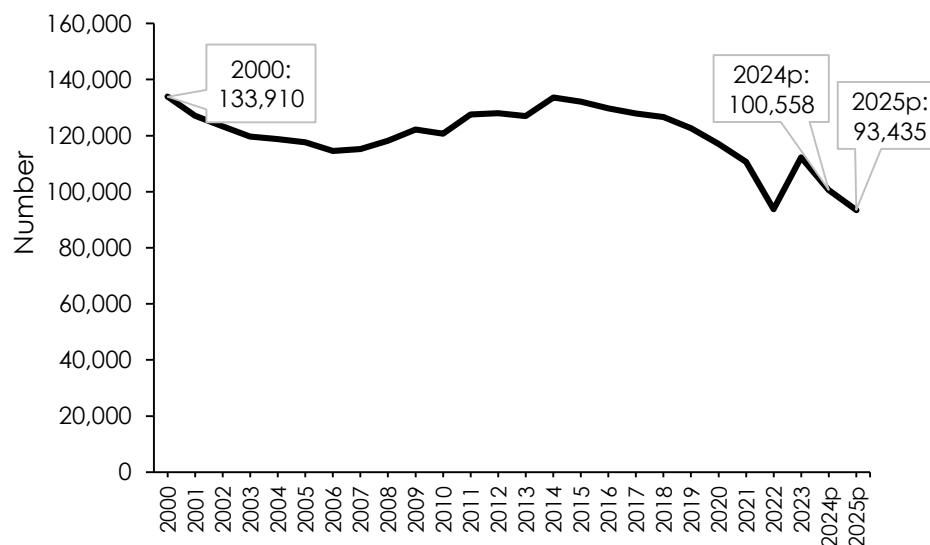
48,792

Sex Ratio at Births



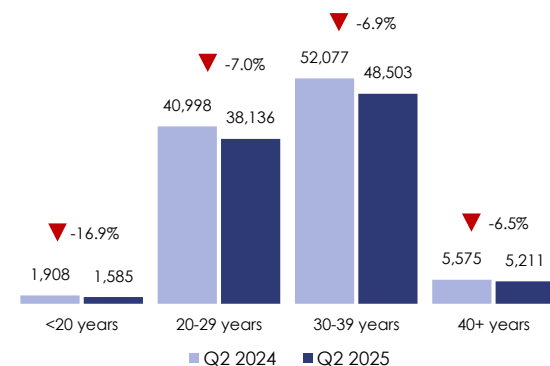
Live Births by Second Quarter, Malaysia, 2000-2025^p

- A total of 93,435 live births was recorded in the second quarter 2025, a decrease of 7.1 per cent as compared to the second quarter 2024 (100,558 births).
- Second quarter of 2000 recorded the highest number of births as compared to the same quarter in the period of 2000 to 2025.

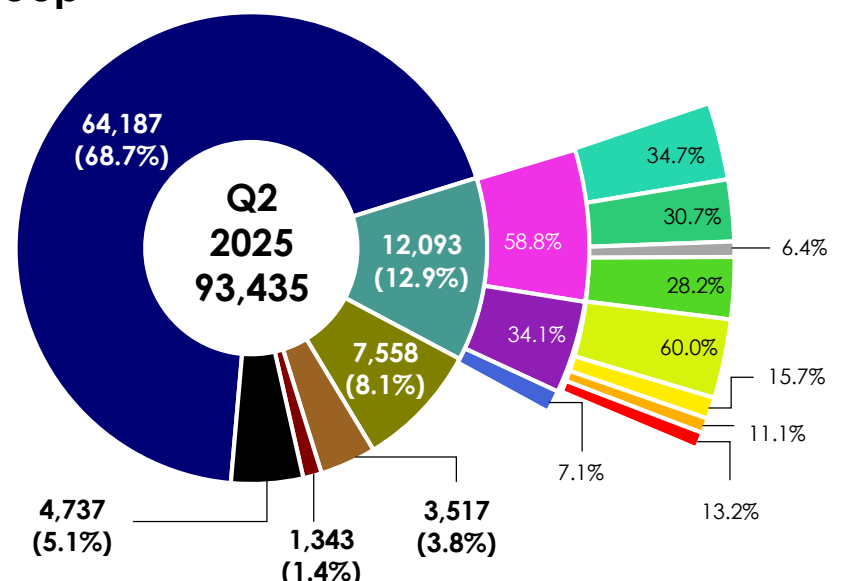
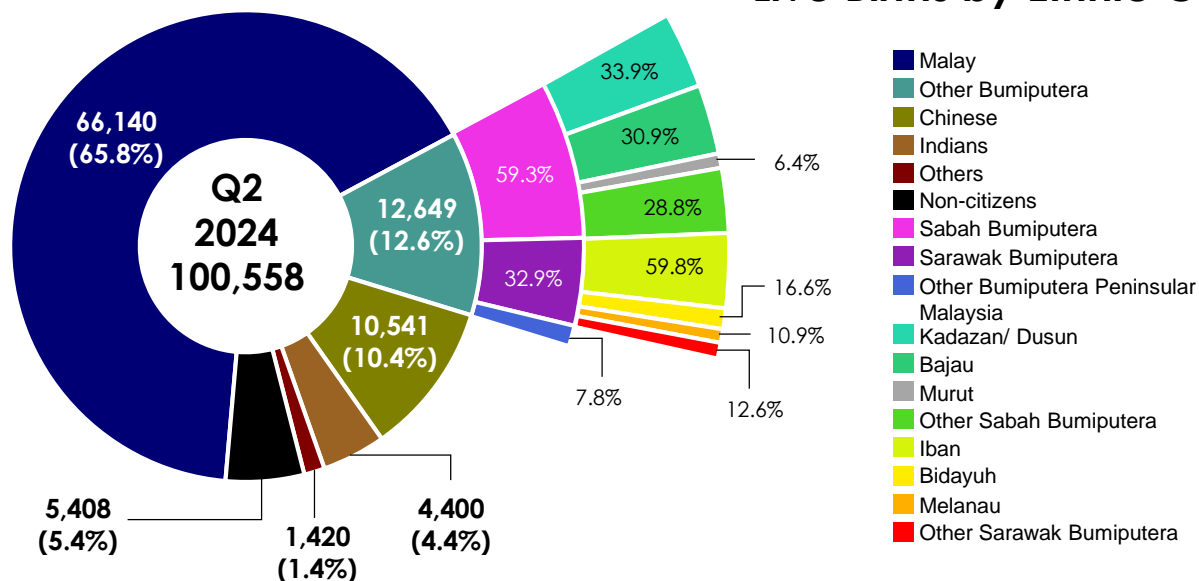


Year	Month	Change (YoY)	Number
2024 ^p	April	-6.1	33,576
	May	-9.9	34,671
	June	-14.9	32,311
	Q2	-10.4	100,558
2025 ^p	April	-6.2	31,492
	May	-11.2	30,798
	June	-3.6	31,145
	Q2	-7.1	93,435

Mother's Age Group



Live Births by Ethnic Group



Source: Demographic Statistics Malaysia, Second Quarter 2025, Department of Statistics Malaysia (DOSM)





DEATHS



48,408



-3.0%



532

Deaths for the second
quarter of 2025

Decreased as compared
to the second quarter of
2024 (49,906)

Daily average of deaths

Sex



Male

27,607

Q2 2025

28,409

Q2 2024

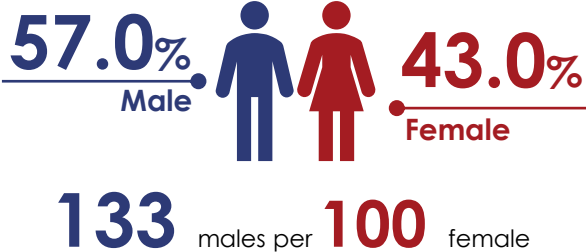


Female

20,801

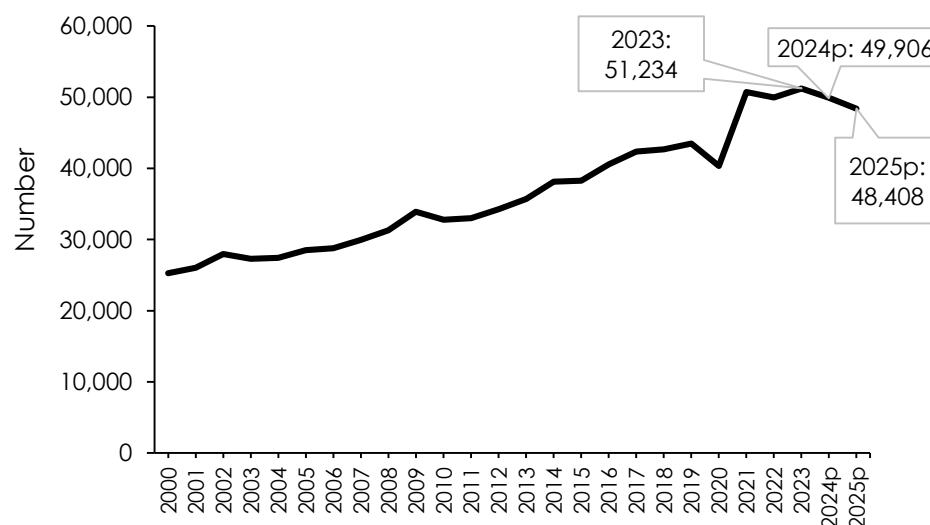
21,497

Sex Ratio



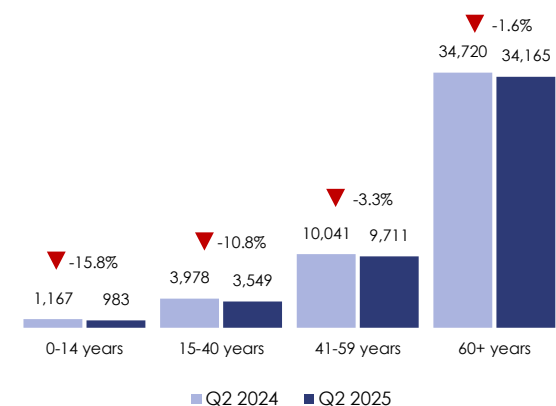
Deaths by Second Quarter, Malaysia, 2000-2025p

- A total of 48,408 deaths was recorded for the second quarter 2025, a decrease of 3.0 per cent as compared to the second quarter 2024 (49,906 deaths).
- Second quarter of 2023 recorded the highest number of deaths as compared to the same quarter in the period of 2000 to 2025.

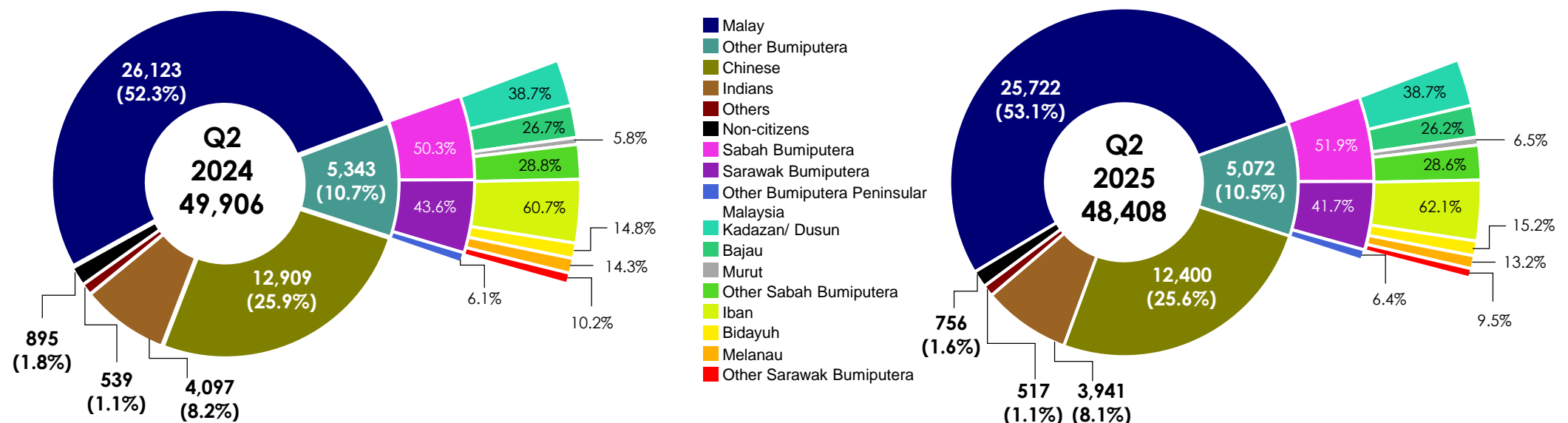


Year	Month	Change (YoY)	Number
2024p	April	-2.8	16,325
	May	-8.3	16,734
	June	3.3	16,847
	Q2	-2.8	49,906
2025p	April	-1.3	16,114
	May	0.7	16,844
	June	-8.3	15,450
	Q2	-3.0	48,408

Age Group



Deaths by Ethnic Group

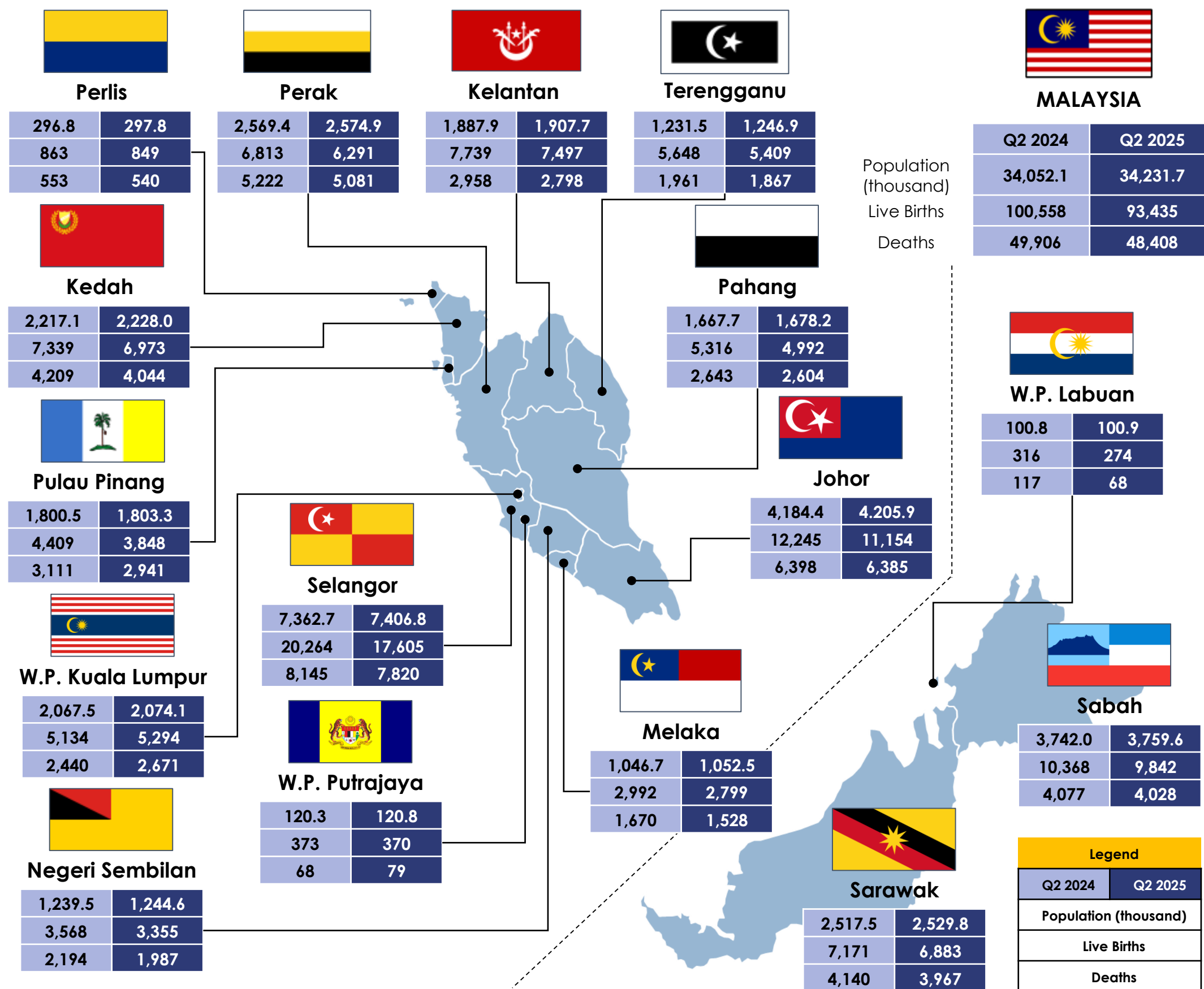


Source: Demographic Statistics Malaysia, Second Quarter 2025, Department of Statistics Malaysia (DOSM)





Demographic Statistics by State, Second Quarter 2025, Malaysia



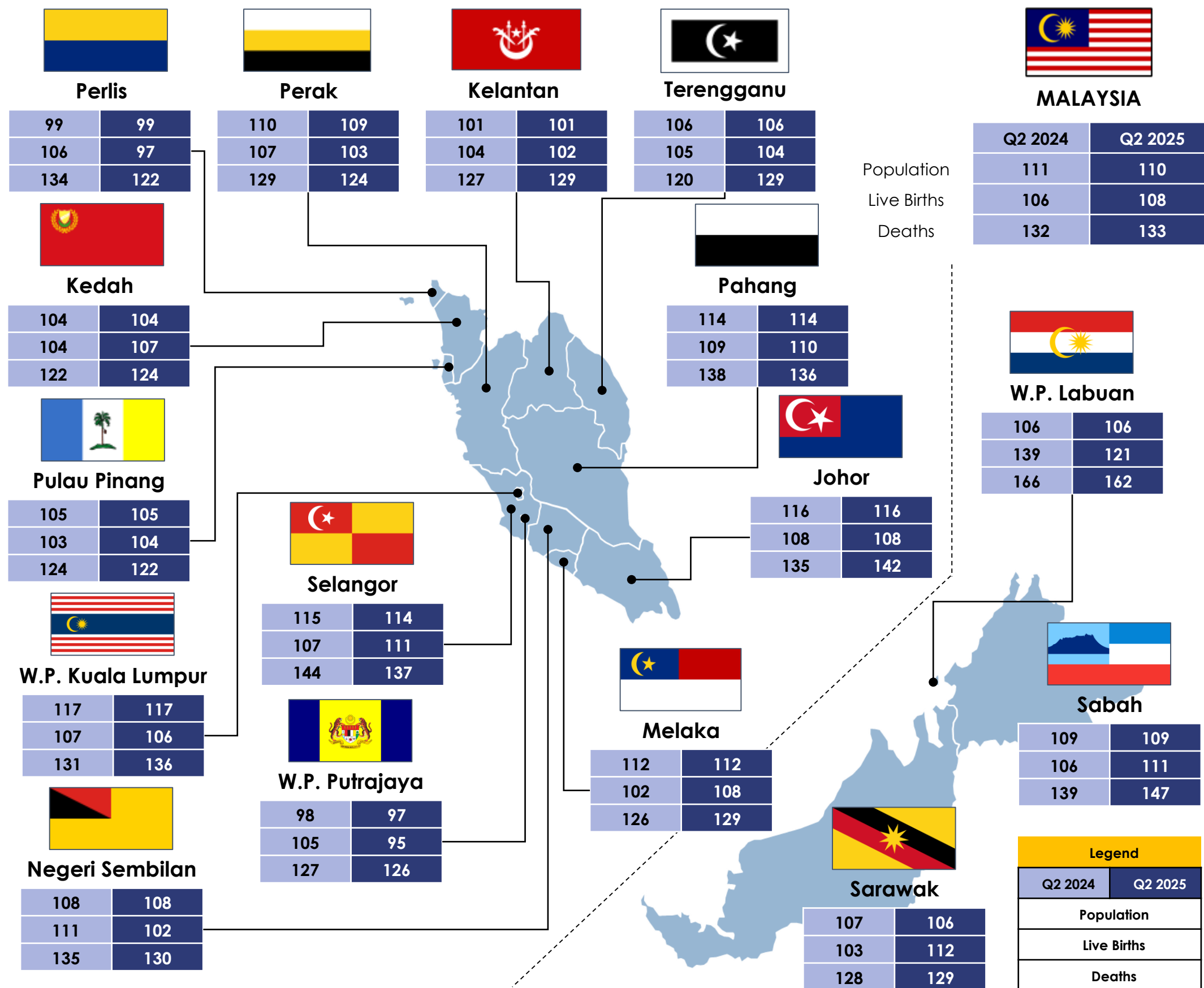
- Selangor (21.6%), Johor (12.3%) and Sabah (11.0%) recorded higher number of population in the second quarter 2025.
- Selangor recorded the highest number of live births with 17,605 births (18.8%) while Wilayah Persekutuan Labuan recorded the lowest births with 274 births (0.3%).
- In terms of death, Selangor recorded the highest number with 7,820 deaths (16.2%) while Wilayah Persekutuan Labuan recorded the lowest deaths with 68 deaths (0.1%).

Source: Demographic Statistics Malaysia, Second Quarter 2025, Department of Statistics Malaysia (DOSM)





Sex Ratio by State, Second Quarter 2025, Malaysia



- W.P. Kuala Lumpur has a highest population sex ratio with 117, while W.P. Putrajaya recorded the lowest with 97 males per 100 females in the second quarter 2025.
- W.P. Labuan recorded the highest sex ratio at births with 121 while W.P. Putrajaya recorded the lowest with 95 males per 100 females.
- In terms of deaths, W.P. Labuan recorded the highest sex ratio at deaths with 162 while Perlis and Pulau Pinang recorded the lowest with 122 males per 100 females, respectively.

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