Malaysia Investment Performance 2023

Total Approved Investments

- Foreign Investments (FI)
  - RM 188.4 billion (57.2%)
- Domestic Investments (DI)
  - RM 141.1 billion (42.8%)

5,101 Projects
127,332 New Jobs

FIVE STATES RECORDED HIGHEST APPROVED INVESTMENTS (RM BIL)

- Pulau Pinang: 71.9
- W. P. Kuala Lumpur: 58.3
- Selangor: 55.3
- Johor: 43.1
- Kedah: 28.7

FIVE MAJOR SOURCES OF FOREIGN INVESTMENT (RM BIL)

- Singapore: 43.7
- The Netherlands: 35.5
- USA: 21.5
- Cayman Islands: 17.5
- The People’s Republic of China: 14.5

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Note: Compilation of foreign investments is based on immediate source country.
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SERVICES

Total Approved Investments
RM168.4 billion (51.1%)

Projects
4,143

New Jobs
52,732

MANUFACTURING

Total Approved Investments
RM152.0 billion (46.1%)

Projects
883

New Jobs
73,939

PRIMARY

Total Approved Investments
RM9.1 billion (2.8%)

Projects
75

New Jobs
661

TOP SERVICES SUB-SECTORS

- Information and Communications: RM63.7 billion
- Real Estate: RM61.0 billion
- Utilities: RM11.1 billion
- Distributive Trade: RM11.1 billion
- Support Services: RM10.5 billion
- Financial Services: RM6.3 billion
- Transport Services: RM1.3 billion
- Hotel and Tourism: RM1.2 billion
- Global Establishments: RM878.2 million
- Health Services: RM727.4 million

TOP MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES

- Electrical and Electronics (E&E): RM85.4 billion
- Machinery and Equipment: RM22.6 billion
- Chemicals and Chemical Products: RM8.9 billion
- Non-Metallic Mineral Products: RM8.8 billion
- Transport Equipment: RM7.1 billion
- Plastic Products: RM4.1 billion
- Fabricated Metal Products: RM4.1 billion
- Food Manufacturing: RM3.2 billion

PRIMARY SUB-SECTORS

- Mining: RM8.8 billion
- Plantation and Commodities: RM312.6 million

Note: No projects approved for agriculture

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