





## DRIVING TRANSFORMATION AND VALUE CREATION



The United
States of America





APPROVED INVESTMENTS (New Project) RM200.0 million



MANPOWER
Total: 88
100% Malaysians



MANAGERIAL, TECHNICAL & SUPERVISORY (MTS) 32.95%



LOCATION
Iskandar Puteri,
Johor



LIFE SCIENCES &
MEDICAL TECHNOLOGY
Pharmaceutical Industry

## COLORCON MALAYSIA SDN. BHD.

Colorcon Asia Pacific Pte Ltd (Singapore) is making a landmark investment in Malaysia's pharmaceutical industry—the highest-value investment in the sector for 2024. Specialising in dry release film coatings, a key excipient used in drug formulation, Colorcon enhances pharmaceutical stability by protecting drugs from moisture, light, and oxygen, while also improving taste-masking and controlled release properties.

With the establishment of Colorcon Malaysia Sdn. Bhd., the company is set to strengthen Malaysia's pharmaceutical ecosystem by introducing a critical raw material to the local industry.

Beyond manufacturing, the investment will create high-value employment opportunities, with over 30% of positions in managerial, technical, and supervisory roles. The facility will also integrate advanced production automation, exposing local talent to high-end pharmaceutical technologies.

By reducing reliance on imported pharmaceutical materials, with 97% of its output is intended for export, the project will enhance Malaysia's trade balance while reinforcing the country's engineering and machinery industries through locally sourced equipment. Additionally, Colorcon plans to collaborate with local universities to advance expertise in pharmaceutical sciences.

This investment plays a pivotal role in advancing Malaysia's pharmaceutical sector by supporting the production of advanced generic drugs, biologics, and biosimilars. It aligns with the National Investment Aspirations (NIA) and the New Industrial Master Plan (NIMP) 2030, reinforcing Malaysia's ambitions to become a regional leader in high-tech, high-value pharmaceutical manufacturing.

