

Malaysia at a glance

POVERTY and SOCIAL

2002

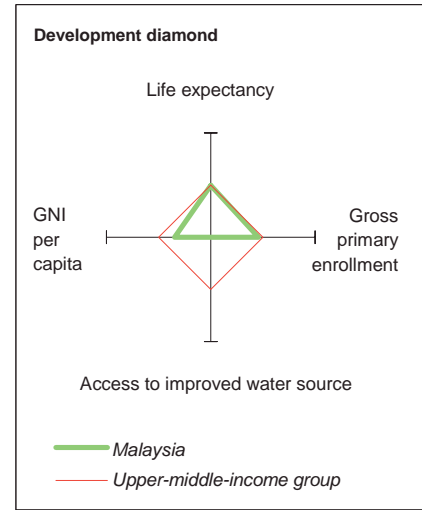
	Malaysia	East Asia & Pacific	Upper-middle-income
Population, mid-year (<i>millions</i>)	24.3	1,838	329
GNI per capita (<i>Atlas method, US\$</i>)	3,540	960	5,110
GNI (<i>Atlas method, US\$ billions</i>)	86.1	1,768	1,682

Average annual growth, 1996-02

	Malaysia	East Asia & Pacific	Upper-middle-income
Population (%)	2.3	1.0	1.2
Labor force (%)	3.2	1.2	1.8

Most recent estimate (latest year available, 1996-02)

	Malaysia	East Asia & Pacific	Upper-middle-income
Poverty (% of population below national poverty line)	..	..	..
Urban population (% of total population)	59	38	75
Life expectancy at birth (<i>years</i>)	73	69	73
Infant mortality (<i>per 1,000 live births</i>)	8	32	19
Child malnutrition (% of children under 5)	..	15	..
Access to an improved water source (% of population)	..	76	..
Literacy (% of population age 15+)	89	87	93
Gross primary enrollment (% of school-age population)	95	111	104
Male	95	112	104
Female	95	111	104

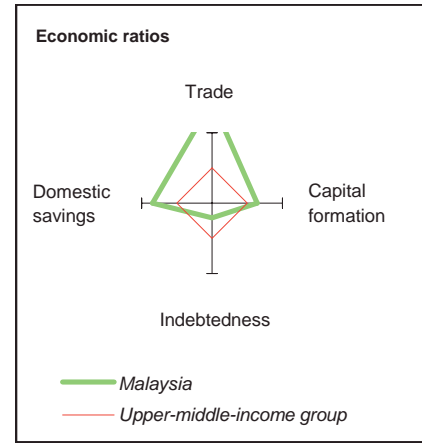


KEY ECONOMIC RATIOS and LONG-TERM TRENDS

	1982	1992	2001	2002
GDP (<i>US\$ billions</i>)	27.3	59.2	88.0	94.9
Gross capital formation/GDP	33.6	35.4	24.0	24.5
Exports of goods and services/GDP	50.1	76.0	116.4	114.1
Gross domestic savings/GDP	24.9	36.7	42.3	41.9
Gross national savings/GDP	20.3	31.7	32.3	32.2
Current account balance/GDP	-13.1	-3.7	8.3	7.6
Interest payments/GDP	2.7	1.6	2.2	1.8
Total debt/GDP	48.9	33.8	50.7	51.2
Total debt service/exports	10.7	9.1	6.0	7.3
Present value of debt/GNI	..	..	..	54.6
Present value of debt/exports	..	..	..	44.0

(average annual growth)

	1982-92	1992-02	2001	2002
GDP	6.3	5.3	0.3	4.1
GDP per capita	3.3	2.8	-1.9	1.9
Exports of goods and services	12.3	9.0	-7.5	3.6

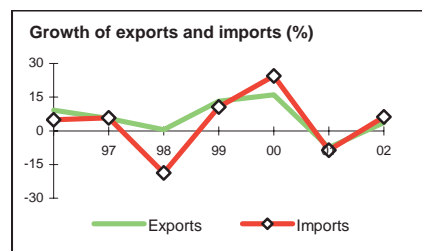
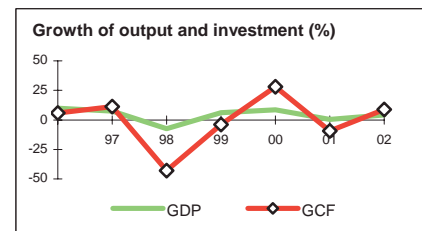


STRUCTURE of the ECONOMY

	1982	1992	2001	2002
(% of GDP)				
Agriculture	21.1	14.6	8.1	9.0
Industry	37.9	41.1	48.3	47.4
Manufacturing	19.1	25.8	30.5	30.6
Services	41.0	44.3	43.7	43.6
Household consumption expenditure	57.3	50.3	45.1	44.2
General government consumption expenditure	17.7	13.0	12.6	13.9
Imports of goods and services	58.8	74.6	98.0	96.6

(average annual growth)

	1982-92	1992-02	2001	2002
Agriculture	3.1	0.1	-0.9	3.0
Industry	7.7	6.7	-3.8	8.0
Manufacturing	11.6	8.0	-5.8	..
Services	6.4	5.2	4.8	0.6
Household consumption expenditure	5.4	4.2	2.3	4.4
General government consumption expenditure	3.3	5.3	17.0	12.2
Gross capital formation	6.5	0.7	-9.4	8.9
Imports of goods and services	10.6	6.8	-8.6	6.2

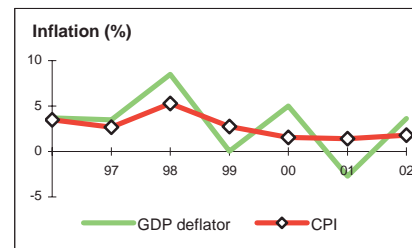


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Note: Figures in italics are for years other than those specified. The diamond charts show four key indicators in the country (in bold) compared with its income-group average. If data are missing, the diamond will be incomplete.

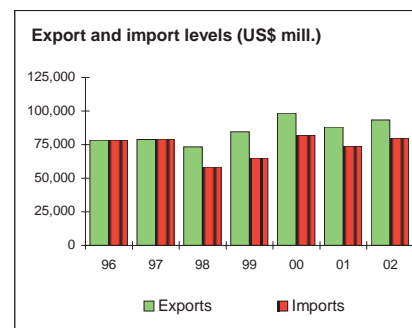
PRICES and GOVERNMENT FINANCE

	1982	1992	2001	2002
Domestic prices				
(% change)				
Consumer prices	5.8	4.8	1.4	1.8
Implicit GDP deflator	2.5	2.4	-2.7	3.6
Government finance				
(% of GDP)				
Current revenue	26.0	28.3	..	..
Current budget balance	1.0	5.4	..	..
Overall surplus/deficit	-15.8	-0.4	..	..



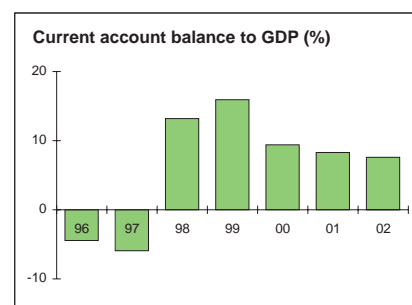
TRADE

	1982	1992	2001	2002
(US\$ millions)				
Total exports (fob)	12,031	40,772	88,005	93,265
Food	1,918	4,277	5,332	7,046
Agricultural raw materials	3,130	4,175	1,854	..
Fuels	3,449	5,262	8,559	8,087
Ores and metals	752	626	902	873
Manufactures	2,749	26,261	70,501	74,111
Total imports (cif)	12,395	39,855	73,866	79,869
Food	1,449	2,642	3,952	4,260
Agricultural raw materials	169	437	987	947
Fuels	1,874	1,710	3,900	3,785
Ores and metals	437	1,330	2,238	2,301
Manufactures	8,394	33,520	61,398	66,670



BALANCE of PAYMENTS

	1982	1992	2001	2002
(US\$ millions)				
Exports of goods and services	13,649	44,812	102,436	108,261
Imports of goods and services	16,071	44,008	86,254	91,696
Net trade in goods and services	-2,421	804	16,182	16,565
Net income	-1,147	-3,143	-6,743	-6,595
Net current transfers	-17	172	-2,152	-2,781
Current account balance	-3,585	-2,167	7,287	7,190
Financing items (net)	3,322	8,785	-6,052	-3,359
Changes in net reserves	264	-6,618	-1,235	-3,831
Memo:				
Reserves including gold (US\$ millions)	4,832	18,024	30,798	34,623
Conversion rate (DEC, local/US\$)	2.3	2.5	3.8	3.8



EXTERNAL DEBT and RESOURCE FLOWS

	1982	1992	2001	2002
(US\$ millions)				
Total debt outstanding and disbursed	13,354	20,018	44,612	48,557
IBRD	660	1,072	788	719
IDA	0	0	0	0
Total debt service	1,525	4,209	6,229	8,082
IBRD	90	278	141	180
IDA	0	0	0	0
Composition of net resource flows				
Official grants	5	49	8	12
Official creditors	166	-26	2,071	-204
Private creditors	3,749	502	951	1,853
Foreign direct investment	1,397	5,183	554	3,203
Portfolio equity	0	2,695	-673	-250
World Bank program				
Commitments	152	235	0	0
Disbursements	124	148	60	56
Principal repayments	44	191	83	126
Net flows	80	-43	-23	-70
Interest payments	46	87	59	55
Net transfers	34	-130	-81	-125

