BALANCE OF PAYMENTS STATISTICS

TOPICS	ELEMENTS	SUBJECT: STATISTICS OF INTERNATIONAL TRADE IN SERVICES (SITS)
		INFORMATION
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	Data sources used:	i) Enterprise survey ii) Administrative data
	Name of collection/ source used:	i) Survey of international trade in services ii) Border town expenditure survey
	Direct source:	 Department of Statistics Malaysia Bank Negara Malaysia (Central Bank) Economic Planning Unit Tourism Malaysia

- Immigration Department
- Malaysia Healthcare Travel Council
- Ministry of Foreign Affairs
- Ministry of Higher Education
- National Archives of Malaysia
- National Audit Department
- Royal Malaysian Customs Department
- Attorney General's Chamber of Malaysia
- Ministry of Higher Education
- Public Services Department
- Ministry of Finance Malaysia
- Ministry of Health Malaysia
- Ministry of Youth and Sports Malaysia
- Ministry of Home Affairs
- Ministry of Urban Wellbeing, Housing and Local Government
- Ministry of Education Malaysia
- Ministry of Transport
- Ministry Of Communications and Multimedia Malaysia
- Ministry of Women, Family and Community Development
- Ministry of International Trade and Industry
- Ministry of Domestic Trade, Co-operatives and Consumerism
- Ministry of Defence Malaysia
- Ministry of Agriculture and Agro-Based Industry Malaysia
- Ministry of Plantation Industries & Commodities
- Ministry of Science Technology & Innovation Malaysia
- Ministry of Natural Resources and Environment Home
- Ministry of Human Resource
- Minister of Energy, Green Technology and Water
- Parliament of Malaysia
- Majlis Keselamatan Negara
- MIMOS
- Malaysian Investment Development Authority
- Marine Department Malaysia

		 Minerals & Geoscience Department Malaysia (JMG) Malaysian Rubber Board Malaysian Palm Oil Board National Library of Malaysia Implementation Coordination Unit International Organisations in Malaysia
	Source periodicity:	Annually
	Source of Metadata:	Under development
	Date last input received from source:	Eight months after reference year
2. Data Characteristic and Collection	Variables collected:	i) Manufacturing services on physical inputs owned by others ii) Maintenance and Repair services n.i.e. iii) Transport iv) Travel v) Construction vi) Insurance and Pension services vii) Financial Services viii) Charges for the use of Intellectual Property n.i.e ix) Telecommunications, Comp. and Info. Services x) Other business services xi) Personal, Cultural and Recreational services xii) Government Goods and services n.i.e.
	Sampling:	Cut-off

	Periodicity:	Quarterly
	Reference period:	Calendar year
	Base period:	n.a.
	Date last updated:	Annually
	Link to release calendar:	Advance Release calendar
	Other data characteristics and collection:	n.a.
Statistical Population and Scope of the Data	Statistical population:	Enterprise
	Geographical coverage:	Malaysia
	Sector coverage:	Cross economic sectors as statistics are compiled based on components.
	Institutional coverage:	Government agencies, private and public corporation, foreign embassies and international organisation reside in Malaysia

	Item coverage:	Exports and imports of twelve components of services
	Population coverage:	1,200 enterprises
	Product coverage:	n.a
	Other coverage:	n.a
4. Statistical Concepts and Classifications Used	Key statistical concepts used	i) Balance of Payments and International Investment Position Manual, IMF, Sixth Edition ii) Manual on Statistics of International Trade in Services (MSITS)
	Classifications used	Standard components of Balance of Payments and International Investment Position Manual, IMF, Sixth Edition
5. Statistical Computation and Dissemination	Aggregation and consolidation:	National level
	Estimation:	n.a.
	Imputation:	n.a.
	Transformations:	n.a.

	Validation:	Structure, consistency, range and logical checks
	Index type	n.a.
	Weights:	n.a.
	Seasonal Adjustment:	n.a.
	Other computation and adjustments:	Component of manufacturing services on physical inputs owned by others is introduced in this statistics with back series of 2010 onwards, reflected to the recognition of ownership principle in goods account.
	Dissemination formats	Free download and printed
6. Other Aspects	Recommended uses and limitations:	The previous year data are revised during the reference year release of the following year.
	History:	Data available from 2010 onwards, with 12 components according to standard components underline in BPM6.