

# NEWSLETTER





DOSM/BIPD/5.2021/Series 25

# BRITISH MALAYA

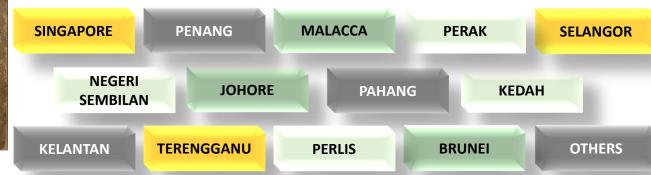
# A REPORT ON THE 1931 CENSUS



the Department has implemented DOSM Digitization Modernization".



# THE REPORT COVERS 14 STATES IN MALAYA



#### DEMOGRAPHIC CHARACTERISTIC OF THE MALAY PENINSULAR















#### **CENSUS OPERATION PHASES**



# The enumeration of dwellings phase

- the objective is to record the dwelling so that no dwelling is left behind during the census in each building that can be used as human residence.



# The preliminary enumeration phase -

to obtain, in advance ands relatively at leisure, a record, in full detail, approximating, as closely as possible, to the exact "snapshot" which will be obtained by the final enumeration.

The total population of British Malaya in 1931 increased by

**30.6%** 

as compared to year 1921



#### The final or "instantaneous" enumeration

**phase** at which an endeavour is made to record the actual position at the theoretical instant of census-taking.

# **POPULATION BY GENDER IN BRITISH MALAYA, 1931**





2.60 million



1.79 million



**4.39** million population

NUMBER OF THE POPULATION ENUMERATED BY RACIAL DIVISIONS, 1931

Europeans 17,768

Eurasians 16,043

Malaya 1,644,173

Other Malaysians

317,848

Chinese

1,709,392

**Indians** 

624,009

Others 56,113

**Total Population = 4,385,346** 



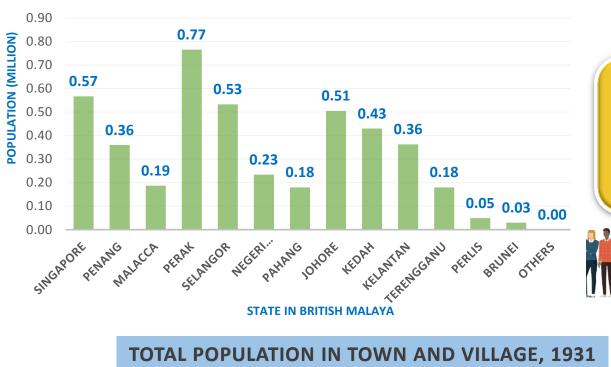








### **TOTAL POPULATION IN BRITISH MALAYA BY STATES, 1931**



Perak has the highest number of population in 1931 which are **0.77** million population



# **TOTAL POPULATION IN TOWN AND VILLAGE, 1931**







Town 1.30 million

**Village** 3.09 million

# TOTAL POPULATION OF EACH 1,000 PEOPLE BY SEX, AGE AND **CIVIL CONDITION IN BRITISH MALAYA**













