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DEMOGRAPHIC STATISTICS THIRD QUARTER (Q3) 2017, MALAYSIA



32.2 million population
in third quarter **2017**

129.5 thousand live births
in third quarter **2017**

40.7 thousand deaths
in third quarter **2017**

increase by **1.3 per cent**
compared to third quarter
2016

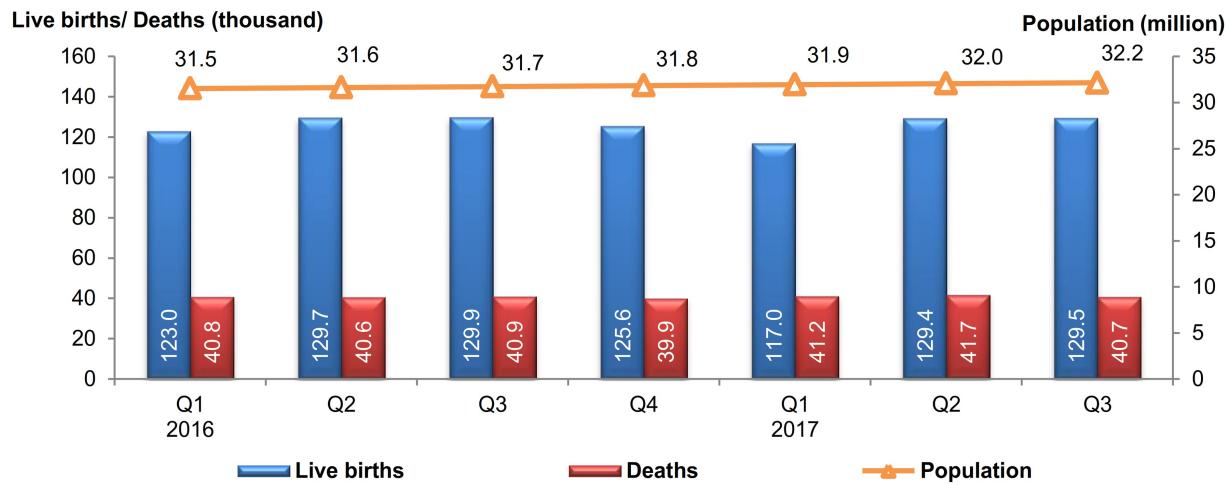
decrease by **0.3 per cent**
compared to third quarter
2016

decrease by **0.6 per cent**
compared to third quarter
2016

[Table 1] Demographic statistics by sex, third quarter (Q3) 2017, Malaysia

	Third quarter (Q3) 2017 ^a	Third quarter (Q3) 2016	Year-on-year change (%)
Total population ('000)	32,154.1	31,737.6	1.3
Male	16,615.6	16,398.1	1.3
Female	15,538.5	15,339.4	1.3
Live births ('000)	129.5	129.9	-0.3
Male	66.6	67.0	-0.5
Female	62.9	62.9	-0.2
Deaths ('000)	40.7	40.9	-0.6
Male	23.4	23.6	-1.1
Female	17.3	17.3	0.2

[Chart 1] Demographic statistics third quarter (Q3) 2017, Malaysia



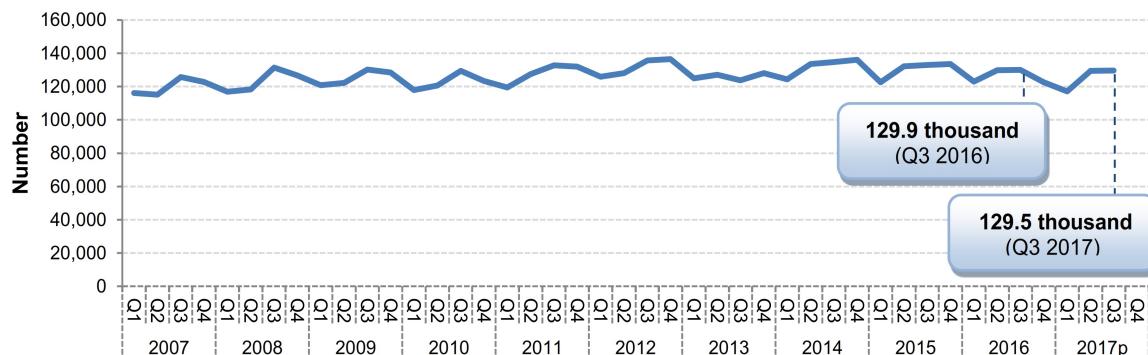
[Table 2] Number of live births and percentage change

Live births	2015	2016				2017 ^p			
		Jul.	Aug.	Sep.	Jul. – Sep.	Jul.	Aug.	Sep.	Jul. – Sep.
Number ('000)	521.1	42.4	43.9	43.6	129.9	42.6	42.7	44.2	129.5
Year-on-year change (%)	-1.4	-4.6	0.1	-2.3	-2.3	0.5	-2.7	1.3	-0.3

[Table 3] Number of deaths and percentage change

Kematian	2015	2016				2017 ^p			
		Jul.	Aug.	Sep.	Jul. – Sep.	Jul.	Aug.	Sep.	Jul. – Sep.
Number ('000)	155.8	14.0	13.9	13.0	40.9	14.2	13.1	13.4	40.7
Year-on-year change (%)	3.6	3.6	4.5	5.9	4.6	1.3	-5.9	3.1	-0.6

[Chart 2] Number of live births by quarter, 2007–2017, Malaysia



[Chart 3] Number of deaths by quarter, 2007–2017, Malaysia



Notes:

1. ^pPreliminary.
2. ^aThe number of live births and deaths refer to preliminary figure. Total population refers to estimate figure.
3. Births and deaths statistics 2017 do not include late registrations.
4. Quarterly period: Q1=January–March; Q2=April–June; Q3=July–September; Q4=October–December.
5. The difference is due to rounding.

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Live births refers to births with signs of life during delivery although for a very short period ✓ Deaths refers to disappearance of all evidence of life at any time after life birth has taken place

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