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Main Highlights



32.5 million population
in third quarter 2018



127.9 thousand live births
in third quarter 2018



41.3 thousand deaths in
third quarter 2018



Increase by 1.0 per cent
compared to third quarter
2017



Decrease by 2.2 per cent
compared to third quarter
2017



Decrease by 0.5 per cent
compared to third quarter
2017

Demographic Statistics by Selected Variables

Table 1: Demographic statistics by sex, third quarter (Q3) 2017 and 2018, Malaysia

	Third quarter (Q3) 2018 ^a	Third quarter (Q3) 2017	Year-on-year change (%)
Total population ('000)	32,475.8	32,154.1	1.0
Male	16,767.5	16,615.6	0.9
Female	15,708.3	15,538.5	1.1
Live births ('000)	127.9	130.8	-2.2
Male	66.3	67.4	-3.1
Female	61.6	63.4	-3.2
Deaths ('000)	41.3	41.5	-0.5
Male	24.0	23.8	0.8
Female	17.3	17.7	-2.1

Chart 1: Demographic statistics by quarter 2017 and 2018, Malaysia

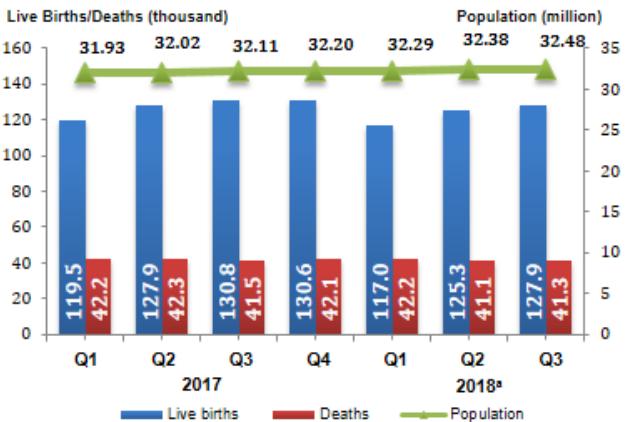
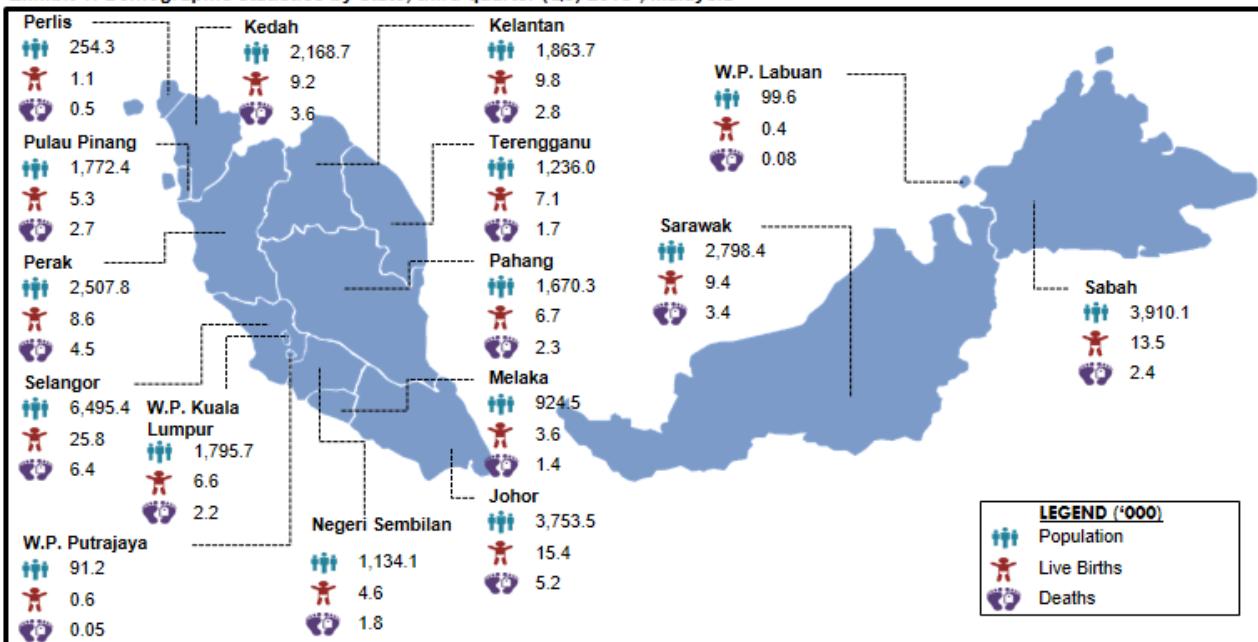


Exhibit 1: Demographic statistics by state, third quarter (Q3) 2018^a, Malaysia



Live Births and Deaths

Table 2: Number and percentage change of live births and deaths

Indicator		2016	2017				2018 ^p			
			July	August	Sept.	July-Sept.	July	August	Sept.	July-Sept.
Live births	Number ('000)	508.2	43.0	43.7	44.1	130.8	42.1	41.3	44.5	127.9
	Year-on-year change (%)	-2.5	1.3	-0.5	1.1	0.6	-2.1	-5.3	0.9	-2.2
Deaths	Number ('000)	162.2	14.6	13.6	13.3	41.5	14.1	13.8	13.4	41.3
	Year-on-year change (%)	4.1	6.9	-0.2	4.5	1.7	-3.8	1.6	1.1	-0.5

Chart 2: Number of live births and deaths by quarter, 2010–2018, Malaysia

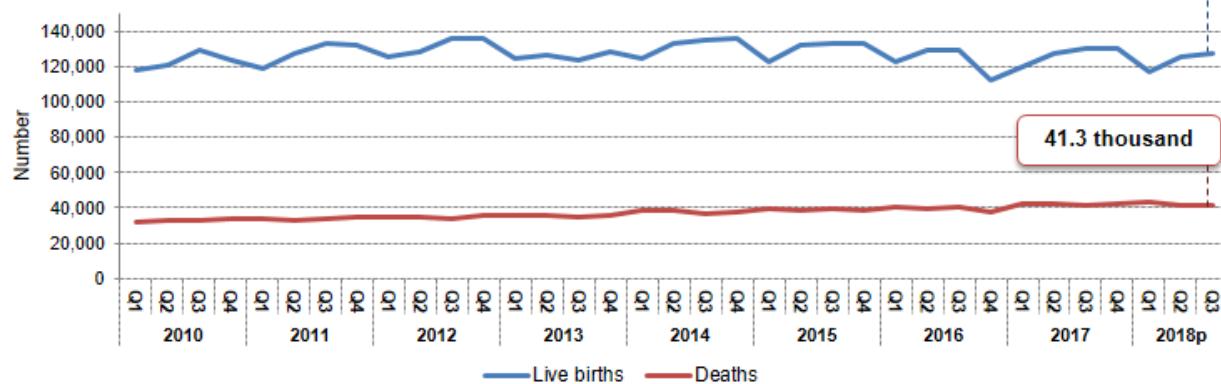
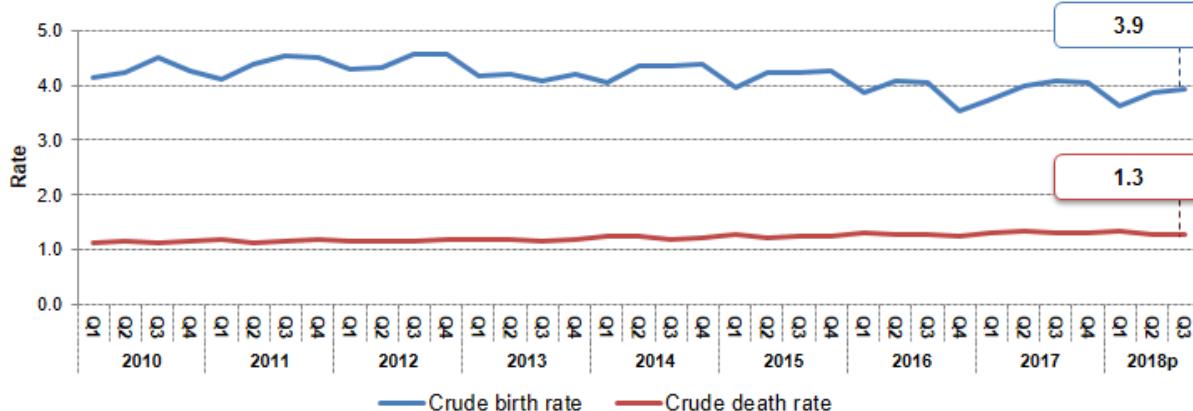


Chart 3: Crude birth rate and crude death rate by quarter, 2010–2018, Malaysia



Notes:

- Preliminary.
- The number of live births and deaths refer to preliminary figure. Total population refers to estimate figure.
- The total population of Q1 2017 – Q2 2018 is revised figure based on population data, 2017 (final) and 2018 (estimate) distributed on July 31, 2018.
- Quarterly period: Q1=January–March; Q2=April–June; Q3=July–September; Q4=October–December.
- The difference is due to rounding.

✓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 live birth has taken place

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