

**APPROVED MANUFACTURING PROJECTS IN SABAH
1998 TO 2008**

Year	Approved FML		Job Opportunities		Capital Investment	
	Number	(% change)	Number	(% change)	(RM million)	(% change)
1998	43	39%	5,521	63%	926.0	-49%
1999	7	-84%	854	-84%	27.3	-97%
2000	14	100%	1,241	45%	369.3	1,253%
2001	24	71%	2,181	76%	276.4	-25%
2002	20	-17%	2,015	-8%	348.6	26%
2003	20	-	1,099	-45%	153.5	-56%
2004	40	100%	3,237	194%	338.5	120%
2005	41	2%	2,233	-31%	1,204.5	256%
2006	75	83%	4,628	107%	5,068.8	321%
2007	41	n.a.	2,820	n.a.	3,257.0	n.a.
2008 Jan-Jun	22	n.a.	2,198	n.a.	630.1	n.a.

Source: MIDA.

EXTERNAL TRADE
(RM Million)

Year	Import		Export		Balance of Trade
	Amount (Million)	Growth Rate (%)	Amount (Million)	Growth Rate (%)	(Million)
Mar '07	2,221	43.0	2,370	3.2	149
Jan '08	2,299	25.6	3,819	74.7	1,520
Feb '08	2,329	43.7	3,387	60.1	1,058
Mar '08	2,480	11.7	3,804	60.5	1,324
Jan-Mar '07	5,673	20.7	6,671	9.9	998
Jan-Mar '08	7,109	25.3	11,011	65.1	3,902

Note: Growth rate based on corresponding period of the previous year.

Source: Monthly Statistical Bulletin Sabah, September 2008.

**IMPORTS BY COMMODITY SECTIONS
(RM '000)**

Commodity	Jan–Mar 2007		Jan–Mar 2008	
Machinery and Transport Equipment	1,670,252	29.4%	1,845,532	26.0%
Manufactured Goods	878,469	15.5%	881,217	12.4%
Food	473,436	8.3%	568,565	8.0%
Chemicals	551,673	9.7%	808,547	11.4%
Mineral Fuels, lubricants, etc.	1,337,738	23.6%	2,128,791	29.9%
Misc. Manufactured Articles	318,645	5.6%	362,068	5.1%
Beverages and Tobacco	117,030	2.1%	149,076	2.1%
Crude Materials Inedible	262,588	4.6%	256,842	3.6%
Misc. Transactions & Commodities	57,790	1.0%	56,315	0.8%
Animal/Vegetable Oils and Fats	5,871	0.1%	51,752	0.7%
TOTAL IMPORT	5,673,491	100.0%	7,108,706	100.0%

Source: Monthly Statistical Bulletin Sabah, September 2008.

IMPORTS OF SELECTED COMMODITIES

Commodity	Jan–Mar 2007		Jan–Mar 2008	
	Quantity	RM '000	Quantity	RM '000
Rice (tonne)	52,602	63,860	37,705	51,541
Refined Beet & Cane Sugar (tonne)	13,539	19,733	15,121	21,845
Petroleum Products ('000 tonne)	689	1,275,052	803	2,055,466
Fertilizers, Manufactured (tonne)	234,742	157,936	343,247	385,385
Flat-Rolled Products of Iron or Steel (tonne)	30,099	93,836	16,457	58,285
Tubes, Pipes & Fittings of Iron or Steel (tonne)	26,861	164,760	30,188	208,451
Excavators, Leveller's, Bulldozers, etc. (unit)	358	48,433	540	73,304
Motor Cars, Completely Built-up	4,757	198,641	5,625	240,610
Other Passengers Motor Vehicles	968	48,594	1,340	62,825
4-Wheel Drive Vehicles, Completely Built-up	521	32,723	668	40,431
Motor Buses and Goods Vehicles, Completely Built-up	1,579	123,266	1,976	148,742

Source: Monthly Statistical Bulletin Sabah, September 2008.

EXPORTS BY COMMODITY SECTIONS (RM '000)

Commodity	Jan–Mar 2007		Jan–Mar 2008	
Crude Materials Inedible	513,924	7.7%	496,707	4.5%
Manufactured Goods	974,591	14.6%	815,126	7.4%
Mineral Fuels, Lubricants, etc.	1,445,850	21.7%	4,150,729	37.7%
Animal/Vegetable Oils and Fats	2,391,175	35.8%	4,574,364	41.5%
Machinery and Transport Equipment	558,762	8.4%	272,079	2.5%
Food	246,105	3.7%	297,734	2.7%
Chemicals	371,487	5.6%	291,500	2.6%
Misc. Manufactured Articles	131,186	2.0%	64,229	0.6%
Misc. Transactions and Commodities	26,385	0.4%	23,660	0.2%
Beverages and Tobacco	12,189	0.2%	25,134	0.2%
TOTAL EXPORT	6,671,654	100.0%	11,011,262	100.0%

**EXPORTS OF MAJOR COMMODITIES
(RM Million)**

Commodity	Jan–Mar 2007		Jan–Mar 2008	
Sawn Timber	220.8	3.3%	157.1	1.4%
Crude Petroleum	1,366.6	20.5%	4,052.7	36.8%
Plywood Plain	468.1	7.0%	324.8	2.9%
Palm Oil*	2,119.4	31.8%	4,055.8	36.8%
Cocoa Beans	19.1	0.3%	5.8	0.1%
Methanol	247.6	3.7%	234.4	2.1%
Hot Briquetted Iron	248.6	3.7%	292.1	2.7%
Uncoated Printing and Writing Paper	57.5	0.9%	79.7	0.7%
Rubber	92.0	1.4%	135.0	1.2%
Sub-Total	4,839.7	72.6%	9,337.4	84.8%
Others	1,831.9	27.4%	1,673.9	15.2%
TOTAL EXPORT	6,671.6	100.0%	11,011.3	100.0%

* Crude and Processed Palm Oil, Crude and Processed Palm Stearin and Palm Fatty Acid.

Source: Monthly Statistical Bulletin Sabah, September 2008.

SABAH'S MAIN TRADING PARTNERS (RM Million)

Country	Jan–Mar 2007			Jan–Mar 2008		
	Import	Export	Balance of Trade	Import	Export	Balance of Trade
P. Malaysia	3,195.2	788.6	-2,406.6	4,165.4	1,292.5	-2,872.9
Japan	296.6	419.0	122.4	247.3	480.3	233.0
China	252.4	1,267.0	1,014.6	368.3	2,755.0	2,386.7
Singapore	430.3	193.4	-236.9	618.9	508.1	-110.8
Sarawak	82.3	668.0	585.7	65.9	259.4	193.5
Korea, Rep.	45.7	461.2	415.5	62.1	663.3	601.2
USA	456.0	365.3	-90.7	303.7	624.4	320.7
Taiwan	38.3	128.1	89.8	52.1	152.7	100.6
Thailand	131.5	78.0	-53.5	155.8	442.3	286.5
Netherlands	21.4	442.6	421.2	17.9	370.3	352.4
Sub–Total	4,949.7	4,811.2	-138.5	6,057.4	7,548.3	1,490.9
Others	723.8	1,860.4	1,136.6	1,051.3	3,463.0	2,411.7
TOTAL	5,673.5	6,671.6	998.1	7,108.7	11,011.3	3,902.6

Source: Monthly Statistical Bulletin Sabah, September 2008.

AVERAGE EXPORT PRICES OF MAJOR COMMODITIES, SABAH

Period	Wooden Moulding (RM/Cubic Meter)	Crude Petroleum (RM/Tonne)	Palm Kernel Oil (RM/Tonne)
Mar '07	2,800.4	1,589.7	2,173.2
Jan '08	2,742.1	2,364.1	3,662.7
Feb '08	2,795.8	2,125.2	4,075.6
Mar '08	2,440.5	2,267.2	4,289.5
Jan–Mar '07	2,808.4	1,540.7	2,093.4
Jan–Mar '08	2,657.4	2,245.1	3,950.5

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AVERAGE EXPORT PRICES OF MAJOR COMMODITIES, SABAH

Period	Methanol (RM/Tonne)	Hot Briquetted Iron (RM/Tonne)	Uncoated Printing & Writing Paper (RM/Tonne)
Mar '07	1,522.4	1,053.9	2,624.1
Jan '08	1,711.2	1,306.3	2,650.8
Feb '08	1,472.3	1,364.0	2,876.9
Mar '08	1,335.6	1,574.6	2,880.2
Jan–Mar '07	1,575.1	1,008.1	2,632.3
Jan–Mar '08	1,519.2	1,393.9	2,807.5

Source: Monthly Statistical Bulletin Sabah, September 2008.

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AVERAGE EXPORT PRICES OF MAJOR COMMODITIES, SABAH

Period	Palm Oil* (RM/Tonne)	Cocoa Beans (RM/Kg.)	Rubber (Cents/Kg.)
Mar '07	1,854.8	5.2	700.5
Jan '08	2,940.8	6.3	776.9
Feb '08	2,977.0	6.6	802.6
Mar '08	3,285.4	7.0	831.7
Jan–Mar '07	1,848.5	5.2	651.0
Jan–Mar '08	3,077.9	6.8	806.1

Note: * Crude and processed palm oil, crude and processed palm stearin and palm fatty acid.

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AVERAGE EXPORT PRICES OF MAJOR COMMODITIES, SABAH

Period	Sawn Timber (RM/Cu. metre)	Veneer Sheets (RM/Cu. metre)	Plywood Plain (RM/Cu. metre)
Mar '07	1,559.8	1,429.5	1,451.6
Jan '08	1,669.3	1,560.5	1,277.0
Feb '08	1,460.3	1,233.0	1,279.6
Mar '08	1,650.7	1,309.9	1,247.4
Jan–Mar '07	1,587.2	1,479.7	1,500.8
Jan–Mar '08	1,554.8	1,306.4	1,269.5

Source: Monthly Statistical Bulletin Sabah, September 2008.

COMMODITY PRICES MONTHLY AVERAGE PRICES OF COCOA BEANS

Centre	2008					
	Apr	May	Jun	July	Aug	Sept
TAWAU						
Wet Beans (RM/kg.)	2.24	2.25	2.58	2.46	2.32	2.31
Dry Beans (RM/tonne)						
SMC 1	7,675	7,898	8,956	8,579	8,182	8,283
SMC 2	7,469	7,680	8,687	8,302	7,890	8,072
SMC 3	-	-	-	-	-	-
LAHAD DATU						
Wet Beans (RM/kg.)	2.01	2.12	2.16	2.11	1.85	1.74
Dry Beans (RM/tonne)						
SMC 1	-	-	-	-	-	-
SMC 2	6,501	6,872	7,392	7,517	6,942	6,848
SMC 3	-	-	-	-	-	-

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COMMODITY PRICES MONTHLY AVERAGE PRICES OF COCOA BEANS

Centre	2008					
	Apr	May	Jun	July	Aug	Sept
TENOM						
Wet Beans (RM/kg.)	1.28	1.28	1.36	1.39	1.29	1.26
Dry Beans (RM/tonne)						
SMC 1	-	-	-	-	-	-
SMC 2	6,704	7,054	8,032	8,132	7,703	7,683
SMC 3	6,235	6,540	7,342	7,603	7,221	7,208

Source: Malaysian Cocoa Board.

AVERAGE PRICES OF PALM OIL PRODUCTS (RM/TONNE)

Products	2008				
	May	Jun	July	Aug	Sept
Crude Palm Oil (Lcl Deld)	3,514.50	3,594.50	3,456.00	2,673.00	2,350.50
Crude Palm Oil (Lcl Deld) Regional					
North	3,482.50	3,587.00	3,397.00	2,655.50	2,306.00
South	3,513.00	3,607.50	3,482.00	2,693.00	2,361.00
Central	3,540.00	3,581.00	3,463.00	2,649.50	2,343.50
East Coast	3,361.50	3,505.00	3,095.50	2,591.50	2,262.00
Sabah	3,535.50	3,595.00	3,474.00	2,669.50	2,360.00
RBD Palm Stearin (Lcl Deld)	3,245.00	3,251.50	3,088.00	2,380.50	2,066.50
Palm Kernel (Lcl Ex-Mill)	2,011.00	2,063.00	1,856.00	1,488.00	1,436.00

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AVERAGE PRICES OF PALM OIL PRODUCTS (RM/TONNE)

Products	2008				
	May	Jun	July	Aug	Sept
Crude Palm Kernel Oil (Lcl Deld)	4,106.50	4,362.50	4,036.50	3,139.00	3,094.50
RBD Palm Oil (FOB)	3,890.00	3,858.50	3,750.50	2,909.00	2,559.00
RBD Palm Olein (FOB)	3,995.00	4,025.00	3,838.50	3,035.50	2,645.50
RBD Palm Stearin (FOB)	3,205.00	3,178.00	3,092.00	2,359.50	2,057.00
Palm Fatty Acid Distillate (FOB)	1,681.50	2,178.50	2,225.00	1,763.00	1,693.00

Source: Lembaga Minyak Sawit Malaysia (Malaysian Palm Oil Board).

**THE CONSUMER PRICE INDEX, INDEX NUMBERS FOR MAIN GROUPS, SABAH
(2005=100)**

Period	Total	Food & non- alcoholic beverages	Alcoholic beverages and tobacco	Clothing and footwear	Housing, water, electricity, gas & other fuels	Furnishings, household equipment & routine household maintenance
Weight :	100.0	36.0	1.5	3.2	26.4	3.6
2005	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
2006	103.7	103.8	106.5	98.3	102.0	100.3
2007	105.9	107.4	114.8	97.3	103.4	100.8
2007 Jan-July	105.4	106.7	111.3	97.7	103.2	100.7
2008 Jan-July	110.2	114.4	119.9	96.9	105.3	102.2

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**THE CONSUMER PRICE INDEX, INDEX NUMBERS FOR MAIN GROUPS, SABAH
(2005=100)**

Period	Health	Transport	Communication	Recreation & Culture
Weight :	1.0	11.7	3.6	3.8
2005	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
2006	101.3	112.9	98.5	99.6
2007	103.1	114.9	97.5	100.3
2007 Jan-July	102.6	114.8	97.7	99.5
2008 Jan-July	105.5	122.4	96.8	101.5

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**THE CONSUMER PRICE INDEX, INDEX NUMBERS FOR MAIN GROUPS, SABAH
(2005=100)**

Period	Education	Restaurants & hotels	Miscellaneous goods & services
Weight :	2.2	2.6	4.4
2005	100.0	100.0	100.0
2006	102.0	104.7	101.4
2007	102.5	109.5	102.3
2007 Jan-July	102.5	107.2	102.0
2008 Jan-July	103.0	116.0	104.6

Source: Monthly Statistical Bulletin Sabah, August 2008.

**THE CONSUMER PRICE INDEX, INDEX NUMBERS FOR DURABLE, SEMI-DURABLE
AND NON-DURABLE GOODS AND SERVICES, SABAH, (2005=100)**

Period	Total	Durable Goods	Semi-durable Goods	Non-durable Goods	Services
Weight:	100.0	5.4	4.2	44.4	46.0
2005	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
2006	103.7	98.1	98.8	106.0	102.6
2007	105.9	95.8	98.2	109.2	104.6
2007 Jan-July	105.4	96.0	98.4	108.6	104.1
2008 Jan-July	110.2	96.3	98.0	116.1	107.2

Source: Monthly Statistical Bulletin Sabah, August 2008.

**THE CONSUMER PRICE INDEX, INDEX NUMBERS FOR SELECTED SUB-GROUPS
OF FOOD INDEX, SABAH
(2005=100)**

Period	Total Food	Rice, Bread & Other Cereals	Meat	Fish & Seafood	Milk, Cheese & Eggs	Oils & Fats
Weight :	33.9	8.1	3.0	4.9	2.2	0.8
2005	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
2006	103.9	101.1	100.0	109.6	102.7	100.0
2007	107.6	103.0	107.2	116.8	105.3	101.4
2007 Jan-July	106.9	102.2	106.2	115.8	104.8	101.3
2008 Jan-July	114.7	116.2	111.1	123.8	112.5	102.2

Source: Monthly Statistical Bulletin Sabah, August 2008.

NUMBER OF ARRIVALS BY CITIZENSHIP, SABAH

Permanent Place of Residence	January 2007	January 2008
Malaysia	135,552	144,473
Brunei Darussalam	4,178	5,122
Singapore	824	976
Australia & New Zealand	1,557	1,405
Canada	308	473
Hong Kong	106	173
India	194	128
UK & Ireland	1,819	1,330
USA	555	658
China	2,803	5,601
Western & Eastern Europe	718	1,154
Philippines	5,081	5,081
Indonesia	25,339	30,637
Japan	2,657	3,349
Taiwan	2,311	2,900

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NUMBER OF ARRIVALS BY CITIZENSHIP, SABAH

Permanent Place of Residence	January 2007	January 2008
South Korea	7,484	8,699
Thailand	567	90
Others	1,313	1,737
TOTAL	193,366	213,986
Period	2006	2007
Total Arrivals	2,107,288	2,592,007

Notes: Arrival and departure statistics are compiled based on the arrival and departure monthly returns provided by the Immigration Department Sabah.

These statistics are obtained by the Immigration Officers stationed at all the various immigration entry/exit points in Sabah.

According to Sabah Immigration and Passport (Exemption) Order, 1984, all arrivals `those persons whose place of embarkation is Sarawak are excluded. However, all departures from Sabah (includes who place of disembarkation is Sarawak) are being recorded.

In view of the above, users are cautioned to take note when making comparisons of the arrivals/departures data series.

Source: Monthly Statistical Bulletin Sabah, September 2008.

PALM OIL STATISTICS, MALAYSIA

(a) Oil Palm Planted Area: 1975 – 2007 (Hectares)

Year	Peninsular Malaysia	Sabah	Sarawak	Total
1975	568,561	59,139	14,091	641,791
1980	906,590	93,967	22,749	1,023,306
1985	1,292,399	161,500	28,500	1,482,399
1990	1,698,498	276,171	54,795	2,029,464
1995	1,903,171	518,133	118,783	2,540,087
2000	2,045,500	1,000,777	330,387	3,376,664
2005	2,298,608	1,209,368	543,398	4,051,374
2006	2,334,247	1,239,497	591,471	4,165,215
2007 ^P	2,362,057	1,278,244	664,612	4,304,913
2007 (%)	54.9	29.7	15.4	100.0

^P provisional

Source: Malaysian Palm Oil Board (MPOB).

(b) Distribution of Oil Palm Planted Area by Category: 2007 (Hectares)

Category	Peninsular Malaysia	Sabah	Sarawak	Total
Smallholders	334,770	106,186	29,199	470,155
Felda	555,422	113,874	7,681	676,977
Felcra	126,363	14,690	22,838	163,891
Risda	81,486	0	0	81,486
State schemes/ Govt. agencies	141,249	94,087	78,209	313,545
Private estates	1,122,767	949,407	526,685	2,598,859
TOTAL	2,362,057	1,278,244	664,612	4,304,913

Source: MPOB.

(c) Area under Oil Palm (Mature and Immature) by States: 2007 (Hectares)

State	Mature	Immature	Total
Johor	595,524	75,117	670,641
Kedah	71,934	3,162	75,096
Kelantan	79,146	20,617	99,763
Melaka	45,816	3,297	49,113
N. Sembilan	149,879	20,964	170,843
Pahang	563,809	77,643	641,452
P. Pinang	13,010	294	13,304
Perak	323,535	27,448	350,983
Perlis	258	2	260
Selangor	120,563	8,752	129,315
Terengganu	135,911	25,376	161,287
Pen. Malaysia	2,099,385	262,672	2,362,057
Sabah	1,151,698	126,546	1,278,244
Sarawak	513,306	151,306	664,612
Sabah/Sarawak	1,665,004	277,852	1,942,856
TOTAL (Ha)	3,764,389	540,524	4,304,913
TOTAL (%)	87.4	12.6	100.0

Source: MPOB.

(d) Number of Mills and Capacities: December 2007

Sector	Peninsular Malaysia		Sabah		Sarawak	
	No.	Capacity in operation	No.	Capacity in operation	No.	Capacity in operation
FFB Mills	249	52,582,200	115	27,760,200	42	8,940,400
Palm Kernel Crushers	27	3,441,600	13 ¹	2,017,500 ¹	n.a	n.a.
Refineries	37	11,206,400	11	6,337,800	4	1,648,000
Oleochemicals	18	2,598,971	0	0	0	0

¹ Figures include Sabah and Sarawak.

Source: MPOB.

(e) Annual Production of Oil Palm Products: 1975 – 2007 (Metric Tonnes)

Year	Crude Palm Oil	Palm Kernel	Crude Palm Kernel Oil	Palm Kernel Cake
1975	1,257,573	232,821	108,260	n.a.
1980	2,573,173	557,066	222,285	278,559
1985	4,134,463	1,211,887	511,908	633,316
1990	6,094,622	1,844,737	827,233	1,038,221
1995	7,810,546	2,395,588	1,036,538	1,293,144
2000	10,842,095	3,162,760	1,384,685	1,639,227
2005	14,961,654	3,964,031	1,842,628	2,095,876
2006	15,880,786	4,125,124	1,955,634	2,200,225
2007 ^P	15,823,745	4,096,989	1,907,613	2,152,488

^P provisional

Source: MPOB.

(f) Annual Export of Oil Palm Products: 1975 – 2007 (Tonnes)

Year	Crude Palm Oil	Processed Palm Oil	Crude Palm Kernel Oil	Processed Palm Kernel Oil	Palm Kernel Cake
1975	957,411	215,515	109,153 [@]	n.a.	n.a.
1980	197,659	2,073,563	218,937 [@]	n.a.	259,593
1985	13,051	3,420,974	409,395	27,720	683,683
1990	93,949	5,633,502	297,152	392,575	868,591
1995	17,274	6,495,682	36,544	354,713	910,036
2000	398,352	8,683,201	20,072	500,208	1,349,945
2005	1,611,621	11,833,890	121,618	729,172	2,031,995
2006	2,376,542	12,046,626	96,719	833,956	2,134,723
2007 ^P	1,935,927	11,810,896	185,912	874,800	2,093,500

^P provisional

[@] Crude and processed palm kernel oil

Source: MPOB

(g) Export Volume and Value of Oil Palm Products: 2006 and 2007

Product	2006		2007	
	Volume (Tonnes)	Value (RM Million)	Volume (Tonnes)	Value (RM Million)
Crude palm oil	2,376,542	3,440.5	1,935,927	4,245.4
Processed palm oil	12,046,626	19,246.4	11,810,896	28,941.3
Total Palm Oil	14,423,168	22,687.0	13,746,823	33,186.7
Crude palm kernel oil	96,719	178.0	185,912	492.4
Processed palm kernel oil	833,956	1,979.8	874,800	2,612.5
Total Palm Kernel Oil	930,676	2,157.8	1,060,713	3,104.9
Palm kernel cake	2,134,723	424.9	2,093,500	761.7
Oleochemicals	2,111,271	5,484.5	2,140,173	6,679.6
Biodiesel	47,986	120.9	95,013	253.2
Finished products	420,650	896.3	351,183	1,098.3
Others	91,420	79.3	86,837	84.7
Total Oil Palm Products	20,159,893	31,850.7	19,574,242	45,169.1

Source: MPOB.

(h) Annual Average Prices of Oil Palm Products: 1980 – 2008 (RM/Tonne)

Year	Crude Palm Oil (Local Delivered)	Palm Kernel (Ex-Mill)	Crude Palm Kernel Oil (Local Delivered)	RBD Palm Oil (FOB Bulk)	RBD Palm Olein (FOB Bulk)	RBD Palm Stearin (FOB Bulk)
1980	919.00	571.00	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
1985	1,045.50	534.00	1,154.50	1,258.00	1,253.00	995.00
1990	700.50	394.50	763.00	753.00	787.50	653.00
1995	1,472.50	737.00	1,583.00	1,586.00	1,628.00	1,343.50
2000	996.50	706.50	1,707.50	1,030.00	1,083.50	786.50
2001	894.50	447.50	1,009.50	936.50	968.00	784.00
2002	1,363.50	661.00	1,409.50	1,354.00	1,447.50	1,275.50
2003	1,544.00	732.00	1,585.00	1,613.50	1,695.00	1,399.50
2004	1,610.00	1,063.00	2,306.00	1,676.00	1,752.00	1,541.00
2005	1,394.00	1,017.00	2,183.00	1,454.00	1,497.00	1,298.00
2006	1,510.50	892.00	1,907.50	1,534.00	1,621.50	1,496.00
2007	2,530.50	1,461.50	2,807.50	2,640.00	2,588.00	2,511.50
2008*	3,222.50	1,860.50	3,899.00	3,561.50	3,682.00	3,091.50

* Average for January-September 2008

Source: MPOB.

WORLD OILS AND FATS

(a) World Production of 17 Oils and Fats: 1995, 2000 and 2007 ('000 tonnes)

Oils/Fats	1995	2000	2007
Palm oil	15,211	21,867	38,246
Palm kernel oil	1,945	2,698	4,397
Soyabean oil	20,404	25,563	37,481
Cottonseed oil	3,905	3,850	5,119
Groundnut oil	4,423	4,539	4,156
Sunflower oil	8,556	9,745	10,997
Rapeseed oil	10,955	14,502	18,521
Corn oil	1,855	1,966	2,337
Coconut oil	3,350	3,261	3,033
Olive oil	1,888	2,540	2,993
Castor oil	483	497	529
Sesame oil	589	705	863
Linseed oil	701	705	702
Total Vegetable Oil	74,265	92,438	129,374
Butter	5,677	5,967	6,911
Tallow	7,507	8,202	8,686
Fish oil	1,285	1,411	1,069
Lard	5,692	6,739	8,067
Total Animal Oils/Fats	20,161	22,319	24,733
GRAND TOTAL	94,426	114,757	154,107

(b) World Imports of 17 Oils and Fats: 1995, 2000 and 2007 ('000 tonnes)

Oils/Fats	1995	2000	2007
Palm oil	10,457	15,223	29,952
Palm kernel oil	801	1,242	2,608
Soyabean oil	5,392	6,548	11,330
Cottonseed oil	272	198	147
Groundnut oil	261	239	186
Sunflower oil	2,903	2,959	4,211
Rapeseed oil	1,888	1,778	2,222
Corn oil	622	790	707
Coconut oil	1,635	1,851	1,899
Olive oil	404	510	769
Castor oil	296	266	311
Sesame oil	22	25	33
Linseed oil	191	143	115
Total Vegetable Oil	25,144	31,772	54,490
Butter	606	627	769
Tallow	2,570	2,260	2,257
Fish oil	906	819	749
Lard	179	204	116
Total Animal Oils/Fats	4,261	3,910	3,891
GRAND TOTAL	29,405	35,682	58,381

(c) World Major Producers of Palm Oil: 1995, 2000 and 2007

Country	1995		2000		2007	
	'000 tonnes	%	'000 tonnes	%	'000 tonnes	%
Malaysia	7,810	51.3	10,842	49.6	15,824	41.4
Indonesia	4,220	27.7	7,050	32.2	16,800	43.9
Nigeria	660	4.3	740	3.4	835	2.2
Colombia	353	2.3	524	2.4	780	2.0
Cote d'Ivoire	300	2.0	278	1.3	320	0.8
Thailand	316	2.1	525	2.4	1,020	2.7
Papua New Guinea	225	1.5	336	1.5	395	1.0
Ecuador	178	1.2	218	1.0	385	1.0
Costa Rica	90	0.6	137	0.6	215	0.6
Honduras	76	0.5	101	0.5	205	0.5
Brazil	75	0.5	108	0.5	190	0.5
Venezuela	34	0.2	70	0.3	76	0.2
Guatemala	22	0.1	65	0.3	137	0.4
Others	852	5.6	873	4.0	1,064	2.8
TOTAL	15,211	100.0	21,867	100.0	38,246	100.0

Source: MPOB.

(d) World Major Exporters of Palm Oil: 1995, 2000 and 2007

Country	1995		2000		2007	
	'000 tonnes	%	'000 tonnes	%	'000 tonnes	%
Malaysia	6,513	63.9	9,081	60.5	13,747	46.3
Indonesia	1,856	18.2	4,139	27.5	12,530	42.2
Papua New Guinea	220	2.2	336	2.2	385	1.3
Cote d'Ivoire	120	1.2	72	0.5	104	0.4
Colombia	21	0.2	97	0.6	290	1.0
Singapore*	399	3.9	240	1.6	188	0.6
Hong Kong*	275	2.7	158	1.1	29	0.1
Others	790	7.7	896	6.0	2,421	8.1
TOTAL	10,194	100.0	15,019	100.0	29,694	100.0

Note: * - Includes Re-Exporting Countries

Source: MPOB.

(e) World Major Importers of Palm Oil: 1995, 2000 and 2007

Country	1995		2000		2007	
	'000 tonnes	%	'000 tonnes	%	'000 tonnes	%
China, P.R.	1,595	15.3	1,764	11.6	5,730	19.1
EU	1,738	16.6	2,419	15.9	4,803	16.0
Pakistan	1,122	10.7	1,107	7.3	1,654	5.5
Egypt	353	3.4	524	3.4	849	2.8
India	863	8.2	3,650	24.0	3,690	12.3
Japan	351	3.3	373	2.5	519	1.7
Malaysia	38	0.4	57	0.4	267	0.9
Turkey	201	1.9	208	1.4	373	1.3
South Korea	156	1.5	200	1.3	217	0.7
Myanmar	305	2.9	202	1.3	354	1.2
USA	102	1.0	165	1.1	720	2.4
Bangladesh	39	0.4	226	1.5	791	2.7
Indonesia	55	0.5	7	0.1	31	0.1
South Africa	128	1.2	168	1.1	312	1.0
Saudi Arabia	164	1.6	201	1.3	214	0.7
Kenya	177	1.7	216	1.4	354	1.2
Ex-USSR	58	0.5	192	1.3	854	2.9
Others	3,012	28.8	3,544	23.2	8,220	27.4
TOTAL	10,457	100.0	15,223	100.0	29,952	100.0

PALM OIL STATISTICS, SABAH

(a) Area Planted with Oil Palm by Major District in Sabah, 1995, 2000 and 2006

District/Division	1995		2000		2006	
	Area (Ha)	%	Area (Ha)	%	Area (Ha)	%
Tawau	71,365	11.3	93,182	9.6	119,139	9.6
Semporna	24,854	3.9	42,508	4.4	48,859	3.9
Lahad Datu	131,901	21.0	205,610	21.2	237,629	19.1
Kunak	38,067	6.0	59,065	6.1	74,027	5.9
Sandakan	75,229	12.0	98,417	10.1	111,372	8.9
Kinabatangan	190,625	30.3	299,174	30.8	304,063	24.4
Tongod	301	0.0	2,152	0.2	27,080	2.2
Beluran	62,288	9.9	98,990	10.2	201,008	16.1
Telupid	21,846	3.5	33,782	3.5	53,513	4.3
Kudat Division	5,260	0.8	10,030	1.0	14,684	1.2
West Coast Division	2,330	0.4	4,077	0.4	5,709	0.5
Interior Division	5,365	0.9	23,728	2.4	47,708	3.8
TOTAL	629,431	100.0	970,715	100.0	1,244,791	100.0

Sources: Agricultural Statistic of Sabah, 1995 – 1996 & 1999 – 2000 and Yearbook of Statistics Sabah 2007.

(b) Oil Palm Planted Area by Category, 2006

Category	Area (Ha)	%
Estate	995,110	79.9
Land Scheme	167,861	13.5
Smallholding	81,820	6.6
TOTAL	1,244,791	100.0

Source: Department of Agriculture, Sabah.

(c) Production of Crude Palm Oil and Palm Kernel, 1995 – 2008 July

Year	Crude Palm Oil (Tonne)	Palm Kernel (Tonne)
1995	1,493,623	361,475
2000	3,110,320	712,377
2001	3,716,168	867,840
2002	4,152,428	941,418
2003	4,523,397	1,012,927
2004	4,765,561	1,053,490
2005	5,333,764	1,214,901
2006	5,405,617	1,204,625
2007 ^P	5,561,485	1,273,063
2008 (Jan-July) ^P	3,162,297	723,074

^P provisional

Source: Monthly Statistical Bulletin Sabah (various issues),
Department of Statistics Malaysia, Sabah.

(d) Exports of Palm Oil and Palm Kernel Oil, 1995 – 2008 March

Year	Palm Oil ¹		Palm Kernel Oil ²	
	Tonne	RM Mil.	Tonne	RM Mil.
1995	1,464,445	2,148	n.a	n.a.
2000	2,824,609	3,019	266,205	435
2001	3,806,706	3,347	373,261	379
2002	4,073,481	5,401	399,619	529
2003	4,454,727	6,939	452,603	714
2004	4,506,743	7,578	416,679	920
2005	5,010,151	7,052	512,373	1,135
2006	5,410,498	8,060	535,319	1,036
2007	5,459,921	12,686	537,223	1,475
2008 (Jan-Mar)	1,317,699	4,056	126,711	501

¹ Crude and processed palm oil, crude and processed palm stearin and palm fatty acid.

² Crude and processed palm kernel oil.

Source: Monthly Statistical Bulletin Sabah (various issues),
Department of Statistics Malaysia, Sabah

(e) Exports of Palm Oil by Major Countries, 2007

Country	Quantity (Tonne)	Value (RM'000)
China, P.R	2,433,836	5,902,321
India	241,326	525,797
Japan	224,771	537,784
South Korea	211,699	491,776
Peninsular Malaysia	92,982	208,346
Netherlands	988,762	2,012,879
Pakistan	278,974	684,996
Philippines	87,007	191,781
Taiwan	118,239	283,281
USA	471,250	1,115,263
Others	311,075	731,710
TOTAL	5,459,921	12,685,934

Source: Department of Statistics Malaysia, Sabah.

(f) Export of Palm Kernel Oil by Major Countries, 2007

Country	Quantity (Tonne)	Value (RM'000)
China, P.R	92,356	281,397
Brazil	5,499	17,835
Egypt	4,246	13,652
India	4,249	11,915
Japan	24,975	70,230
South Korea	7,428	21,498
Peninsular Malaysia	282,730	741,684
Netherlands	26,501	78,454
USA	85,488	227,622
Others	3,751	10,894
TOTAL	537,223	1,475,181

Source: Department of Statistics Malaysia, Sabah.

**(g) Contribution of Major Agricultural Commodities to the State's GDP, 2006
(At Constant 2000 Prices)**

Commodity	Value (RM Million)	Percentage (%)	
		State's GDP	Sector's contribution
Palm oil	4,520.5	17.02	84.62
Cocoa	23.1	0.09	0.43
Rubber	113.1	0.43	2.12
Other agricultural commodities	454.6	1.71	8.51
Livestock	231.0	0.87	4.32
Total Agriculture and Livestock	5,342.3	20.11	100.00

Source: Department of Statistics Malaysia, Sabah.