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Building an A.I. program is easy. The hard part comes after (CNBC)

Alibaba, Hollywood Studios are among those pouring \$1 billion into a mobile-video startup (Wall Street Journal)

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#### ABRIDGED LIFE TABLES, MALAYSIA, 2016-2018

Abridged Life Tables, Malaysia, 2016–2018 contains the latest life tables by age, ethnic group and sex at Malaysia and state level. The life tables are generated based on the mortality statistics for the three-year period and midyear population estimates.

A new born baby in 2018 is expected to live 2.8 years longer to 75.0 years, up from 72.2 years in 2000. Both male and female who reach the age of 15 years in 2018 are expected to live for another 58.5 and 63.3 years. A male who reach the age of 65 years in 2018 is expected to live for another 15.0 years and female for 17.2 years, increased by 0.5 years and 0.8 years respectively as compared to 2012. For more info, click HERE.

Source: DOSM