

MORNING BREAK

STOCK MARKET INDEX

FBM KLCI
1787.58
▲ **+4.11**
▲ **+0.23%**

SHANGHAI
2698.47
▲ **+29.50**
▲ **+1.11%**

NIKKEI
22,090.67
▼ **-108.20**
▼ **-0.49%**

DJIA
25,758.69
▲ **+89.37**
▲ **+0.35%**

FTSE
7591.26
▲ **+32.67**
▲ **+0.43%**



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Over 2,400 medium and small enterprises to enjoy AirAsia MyCorporate services (NST)

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Sino-Malaysia ties should look beyond existing issues — Li (The Edge)

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Elon Musk could learn a lesson from Henry Ford: One person can't run a car company (CNBC)

U.S. sanctions bring stress to already battered emerging markets (Bloomberg)

Some Tesla suppliers fret about getting paid (WSJ)

Bank of England chief economist warns on AI jobs threat (BBC)

COMMENT

MALAYSIAN ECONOMIC INDICATORS: LEADING, COINCIDENT & LAGGING INDEXES

The Malaysian Economic Indicators: Leading, Coincident & Lagging Indexes for June 2018 shows a better performance as compared to the previous month. However, the moderate current trend anticipates that the economy will continue expanding at a slower pace between October to December 2018. The monthly change of Leading Index (LI) recorded an increase of 0.5 per cent to 118.4 points from 117.8 points in May 2018.

The Coincident Index (CI) which represent the current economic performance, increased 1.2 per cent in June 2018. For more info, click [HERE](#).

Source: DOSM

ECONOMIC INDICATOR	MALAYSIA LEADING, COINCIDENT & LAGGING INDEXES
Actual	118.4 points (+0.5%)
Coverage	June/18
Previous	117.8 points (May/18)
Frequency	Monthly
Data Release	Aug/18