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MALAYSIAN ECONOMIC INDICATORS: LEADING, COINCIDENT & LAGGING INDEXES JULY 2018

The Malaysia's economy is expected to continue growing at a slow rate between November 2018 to January 2019 according to the performance of Malaysian Economic Indicators: Leading, Coincident & Lagging Indexes for July 2018. The monthly change of Leading Index (LI) increased 0.2 per cent in July 2018. The LI was recorded at 118.6 points in the reference month as compared to 118.4 points in June 2018. Five out of seven components of LI make up the increased with the highest contribution by Real Imports of Semi Conductors (0.5%).

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