

PENINSULAR MALAYSIA: EMPLOYMENT BY SECTOR AND RACE, 1970-75

Sector	Malay			Chinese			Indian			Others			Total		
	1970 (000)	1975 (000)	Average annual rate of growth (%)	1970 (000)	1975 (000)	Average annual rate of growth (%)	1970 (000)	1975 (000)	Average annual rate of growth (%)	1970 (000)	1975 (000)	Average annual rate of growth (%)	1970 (000)	1975 (000)	Average annual rate of growth (%)
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	951.1	1,032.6	1.7	300.9	317.6	1.1	142.0	170.3	3.7	12.0	13.8	2.8	1,406.0	1,534.3	1.8
Mining ..	21.1	27.7	5.6	56.3	47.6	-3.3	7.2	8.0	2.1	0.7	0.4	-10.6	85.3	83.7	-0.4
Manufacturing ..	76.3	120.1	9.5	172.6	217.3	4.7	14.0	24.3	11.7	1.0	1.1	1.9	263.9	362.8	6.6
Construction ..	16.8	28.1	10.8	55.9	58.6	0.9	4.7	10.2	16.8	0.2	0.5	20.1	77.6	97.4	4.7
Utilities ..	8.0	13.1	10.4	3.0	3.0	0	5.4	5.1	-1.1	0.2	0.2	0	16.6	21.4	5.2
Transport, storage and com- munications	50.9	76.0	8.4	47.3	60.4	5.0	20.4	23.5	2.9	0.8	1.1	6.6	119.4	161.0	6.2
Commerce ..	82.5	145.2	12.0	229.1	281.8	4.2	37.5	32.3	-2.9	1.8	0.5	-22.6	350.9	459.8	5.6
Services ..	229.9	302.0	5.6	169.2	217.8	5.2	66.4	68.0	0.5	8.5	9.0	1.1	474.0	596.8	4.7
TOTAL ..	1,436.6	1,744.8	4.0	1,034.3	1,204.1	3.1	297.6	341.7	2.8	25.2	26.6	1.1	2,793.7	3,317.2	3.5