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## PERFORMANCE OF WHOLESALE & RETAIL TRADE

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Sales value of Wholesale & Retail Trade recorded RM134.3 billion in February 2023, registered a growth of 14.7 per cent year-on-year. The positive growth was contributed by all sub-sectors, namely Motor Vehicles 36.1 per cent, Retail Trade 19.2 per cent and Wholesale Trade 5.9 per cent.

In terms of volume index, Wholesale & Retail Trade registered 10.6 per cent year-on-year to record 145.4 points. The increment was supported by the increase in Motor Vehicles 24.0 per cent, Retail Trade 13.9 per cent and Wholesale Trade 3.4 per cent. As for seasonally adjusted volume index, it went up 5.5 per cent month-on-month in February 2023.

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