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## PERFORMANCE OF WHOLESALE & RETAIL TRADE

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Sales value of Wholesale & Retail Trade recorded **RM138.5 billion** in March 2023, registered a growth of **11.9 per cent** year-on-year. The positive growth was contributed by all sub-sectors, namely Motor Vehicles **9.3 per cent**, Retail Trade **17.7 per cent** and Wholesale Trade **7.6 per cent**.

In terms of volume index, Wholesale & Retail Trade registered **9.4 per cent** year-on-year to record **149.8 points**. The increment was supported by the increase in Motor Vehicles **5.6 per cent**, Retail Trade **13.8 per cent** and Wholesale Trade **6.7 per cent**. As for seasonally adjusted volume index, it went down **-0.9 per cent** month-on-month in March 2023.

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