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PERFORMANCE OF WHOLESALE & RETAIL TRADE

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Sales value of Wholesale & Retail Trade recorded **RM142.7 billion** in September 2023, registered a growth of **6.5 per cent** year-on-year. The positive growth was contributed by all sub-sectors, namely Motor Vehicles **7.0 per cent**, Wholesale Trade **6.9 per cent**, and Retail Trade **5.9 per cent**. Meanwhile, for month-on-month comparison, sales value increased **0.1 per cent**.

In terms of volume index, Wholesale & Retail Trade registered **4.5 per cent** year-on-year to record **152.7 points**. The increase was supported by Motor Vehicles **5.9 per cent**, Wholesale Trade **5.7 per cent**, and Retail Trade **3.8 per cent**. As for seasonally adjusted volume index, it went down **-0.5 per cent** month-on-month in September 2023.

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