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MY Value Up Programme

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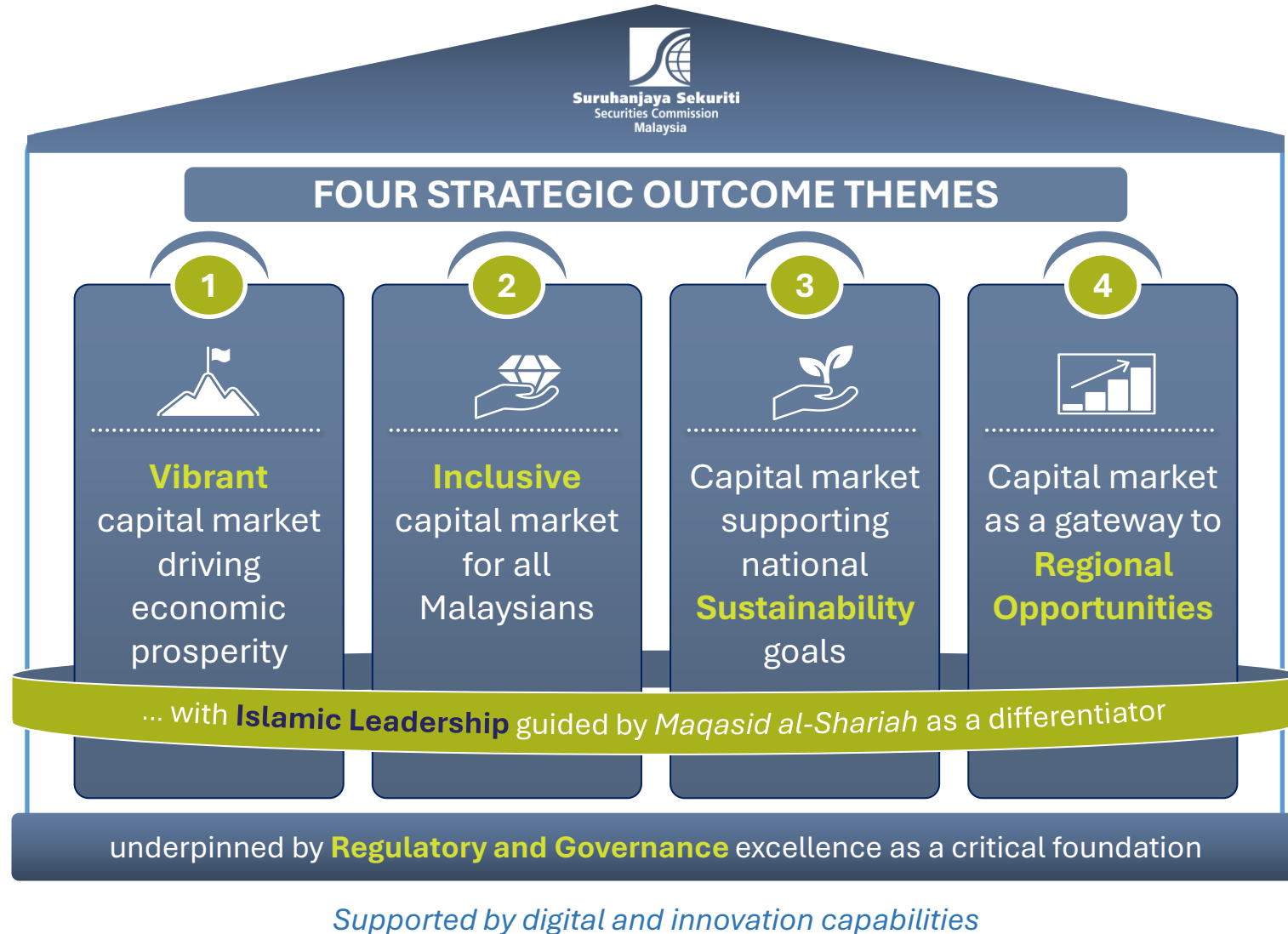
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Capital Market Masterplan 2026 - 2030



Reshape and recalibrate

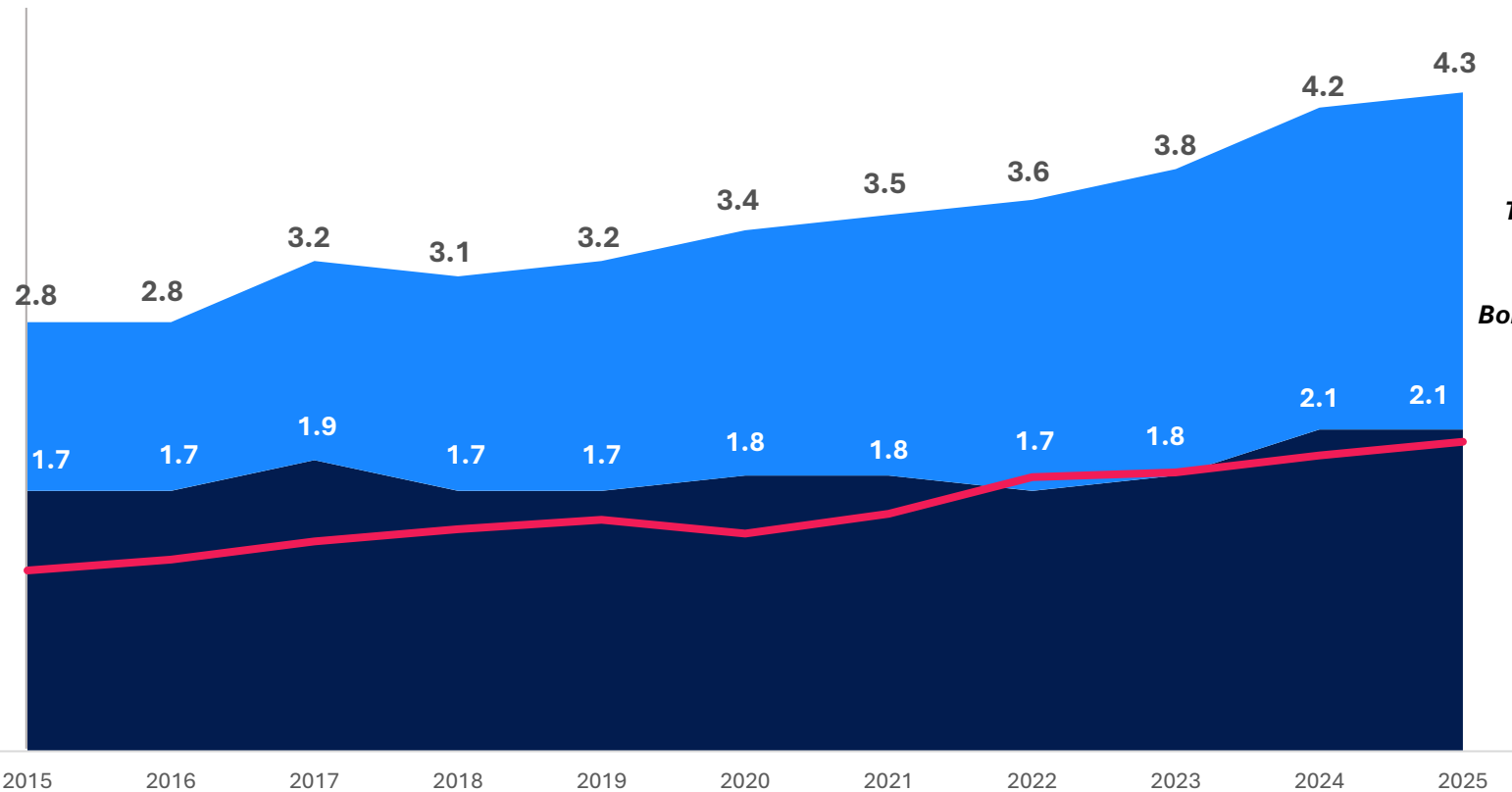


Developmental progress : Malaysia

Total capital market size in comparison to GDP

(2015 – 2025)

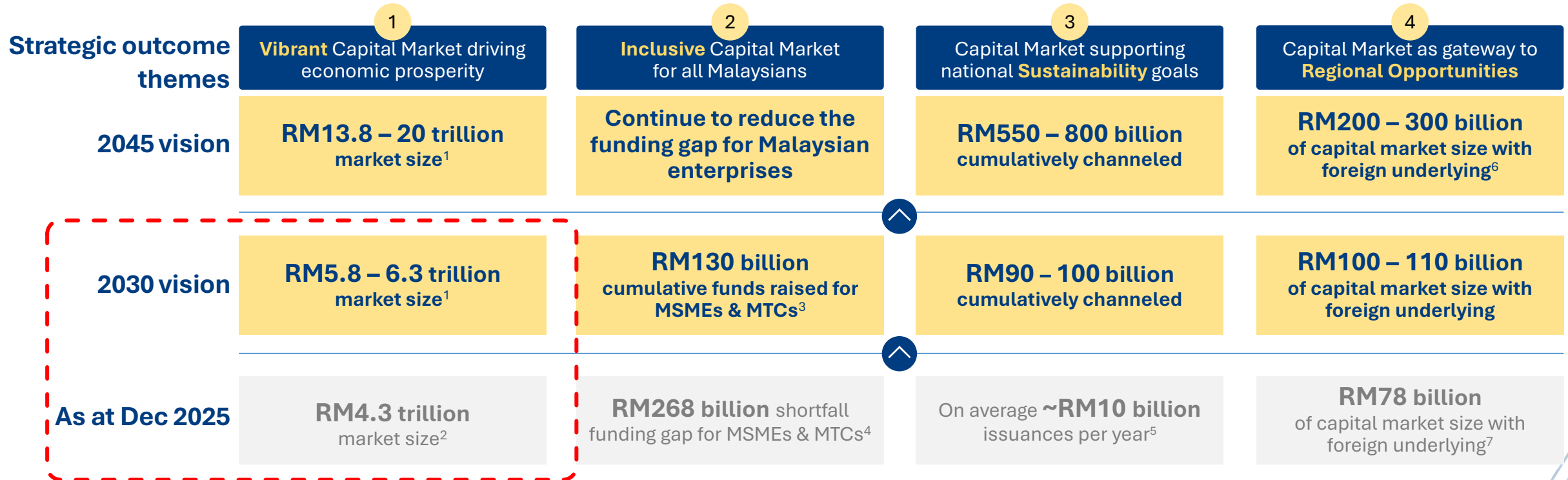
RM trillion



	2025 RM trillion	10Y CAGR (2016-2025)	5Y CAGR (2021-2025)
Total capital market size	4.3	4.8%	5.1%
Bonds & sukuk	2.2	7.5%	6.6%
Equities	2.1	2.4%	3.6%
GDP	2.0	5.5%	6.9%

Source: SC, DOSM

Reshape and recalibrate



... underpinned by **Islamic Leadership, guided by Maqasid al-Shariah** as a differentiator and **Regulatory and Governance excellence** as foundation

1 Compound Annual Growth Rate (CAGR) between 6 – 8%. This includes assets under management by VC and PE.

2 RM2.2 trillion bonds and sukuk outstanding and RM2.1 trillion equity market capitalisation. Source: SC

3 Funding gap of RM130 billion, of which RM25 billion expected via VC and PE. Projected 5-year CAGR of VC and PE industry is 13%

4 MSME funding gap in 2022 was RM290 billion. Between 2023 – 2025, approximately RM22 billion has been raised by MSMEs/MTCs through the capital market. Source: SC

5 As reference, over the past 5 years, ~RM10 billion average of annual funds raised for sustainability. Source: ASEAN Green, Social, and Sustainability Bond Standards (ASEAN GSSB) issuance data

6 Foreign underlying is defined as listed companies with foreign parents, and products with foreign assets, issuer or currency

7 Equities: ~RM75 billion. Bonds: ~RM2.9 billion. Source: SC

...and strategies towards achieving the targets

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Vibrant Capital Market driving economic prosperity

- 1.1 Unlocking **private credit** to broaden funding options
- 1.2 Introducing & scaling **new alternative asset classes** for investment diversification (e.g. digital assets including tokenised bonds, renewable energy certificates)
- 1.3 Enhance the value proposition of **the equity, bond and sukuk** market to uplift valuation and catalyse new issuances through targeted facilitation especially for **new economy**
- 1.4 Growing **Venture Capital (VC) & Private Equity (PE) industry** to increase competitiveness

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Inclusive Capital Market for all Malaysians

- 2.1 **Broadening retail access** to capital market (e.g. government guaranteed retail bonds) by leveraging Artificial Intelligence (AI) to empower investors know-how
- 2.2 **Innovating products & services** for stronger financial security in **retirement**
- 2.3 Strengthening **MSME and MTC fund raising** ecosystem including holistic review of funding escalator, as well as capacity building of eligible Bumiputera companies for listing

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Capital Market supporting national **Sustainability** goals

- 3.1 **Mobilising capital** aligned with **NETR** and the proposed **National Adaptation Plan** for climate mitigation, transition, adaptation and social initiatives
- 3.2 Creating a **robust ecosystem** to support Malaysia's sustainability goals

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Capital Market as gateway to **Regional Opportunities**

- 4.1 Expanding **regional product offerings** promoting ASEAN as an asset class leveraging Malaysia's differentiators to attract global capital
- 4.2 Establishing Malaysia as the **preferred fund-raising destination** for regional needs

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Islamic Capital Market (ICM) as a differentiator

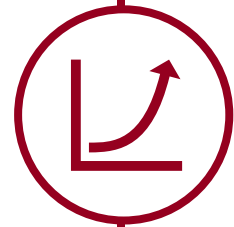
- 5.1 Strengthening Malaysia's thought-leadership across key ICM ecosystem; Maqasid al-Shariah will be anchored and manifested in Shariah governance, products and services, regulatory frameworks and industry skillsets
- 5.2 Increasing attractiveness and competitiveness of Islamic assets including pioneering innovative Shariah-compliant solutions that demonstrate the Halal-Toyyib towards achieving Maqasid al-Shariah; expanding offerings beyond traditional assets to alternative Islamic assets including Islamic social finance

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Regulatory & Governance Excellence as foundation

- 6.1 Review of SC's laws, regulations and frameworks and strengthening governance across capital market participants
- 6.2 Scale up the use of data & AI for more predictive insights
- 6.3 Review & strengthen development of capital market ecosystem players and preparing for twin peak regulations

Vibrant Capital Market: Driving Economic Prosperity



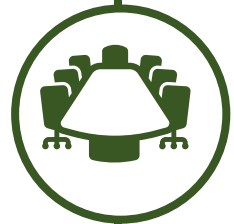
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1. **Strategic value creation targeted at large PLCs**



Size & Liquidity

1. Attracting **new large IPOs** as well as Bumiputera companies through a facilitative regulatory and operational framework
2. Strategy formulation to enhance attractiveness by addressing factors impacting **liquidity** e.g. free float and tradability of the PLCs
3. Promotional activities to **attract global investors** and drive direct retail participation
4. **Activating corporate bonds and sukuk issuances** by high-potential listed and non-listed companies, states, municipals and MOF Inc. companies



Corporate Governance

1. Reinforce board accountability for **sustainable value creation**, recognising broader stakeholder interests and long-term sustainability.
2. Strengthen board **oversight of technology governance** and the strategic adoption of emerging technologies.
3. **Elevate key governance functions**, including the company secretary and auditors, in supporting effective board oversight and compliance.

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Overview of Capital Market: Case for Change



The Need for MY Value Up Programme



Limited returns and the need to strengthen the value proposition of Malaysia PLCs

Key challenges observed

Performance:
Malaysia's PLCs performance trails behind peers

Valuation:
Broad-based undervaluation across PLCs

Investor Appeal:
Low foreign shareholding and trading activity

Innovation:
Need to invest more in innovation to unlock value

Key opportunities to unlock

Improving individual PLCs performance across all return dimensions

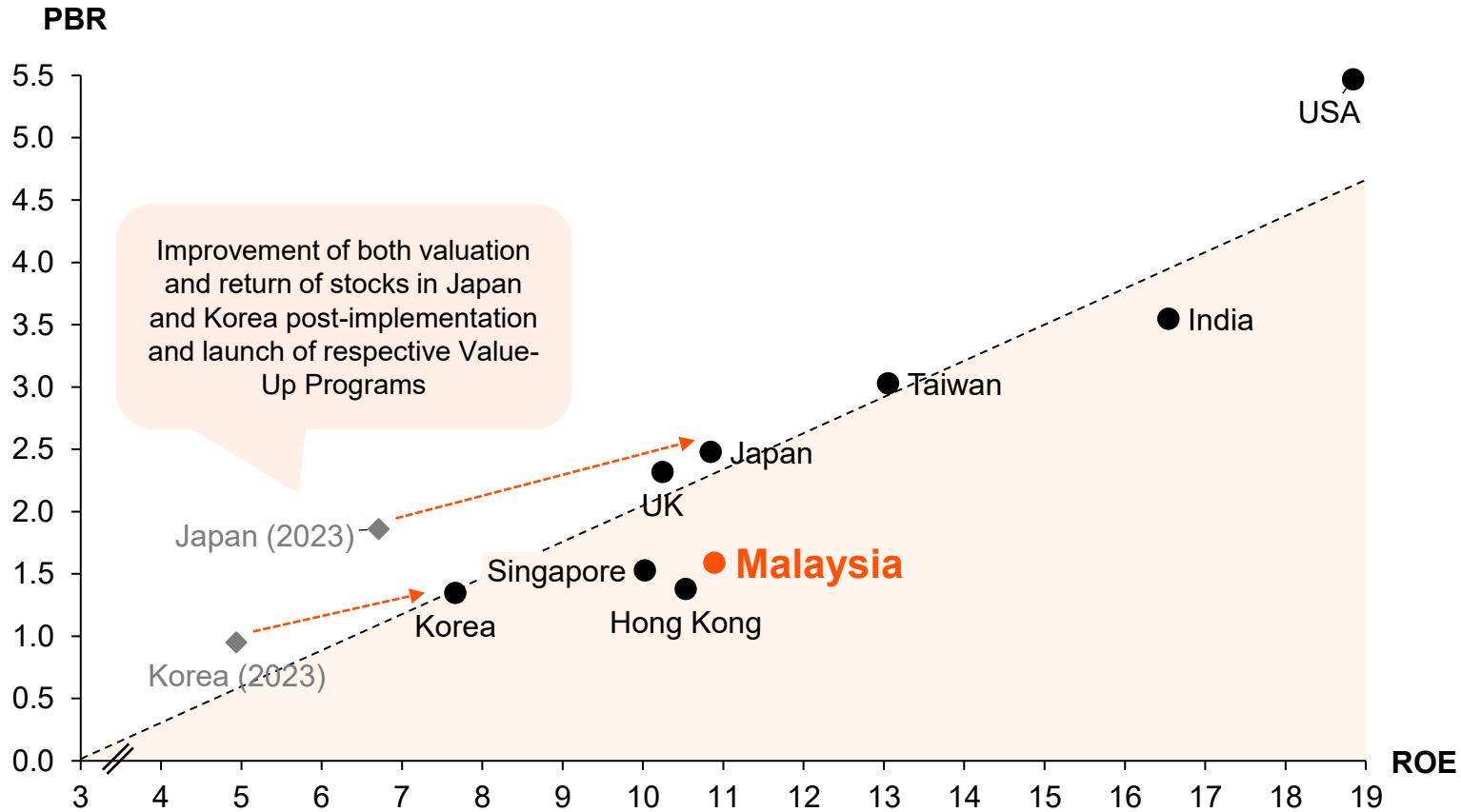
Improving investor's perception and market confidence

Increasing index representations and foreign shareholding and Malaysia's trading activity

Driving further value creation particularly through innovation

Malaysian PLCs suffer broad-based undervaluation

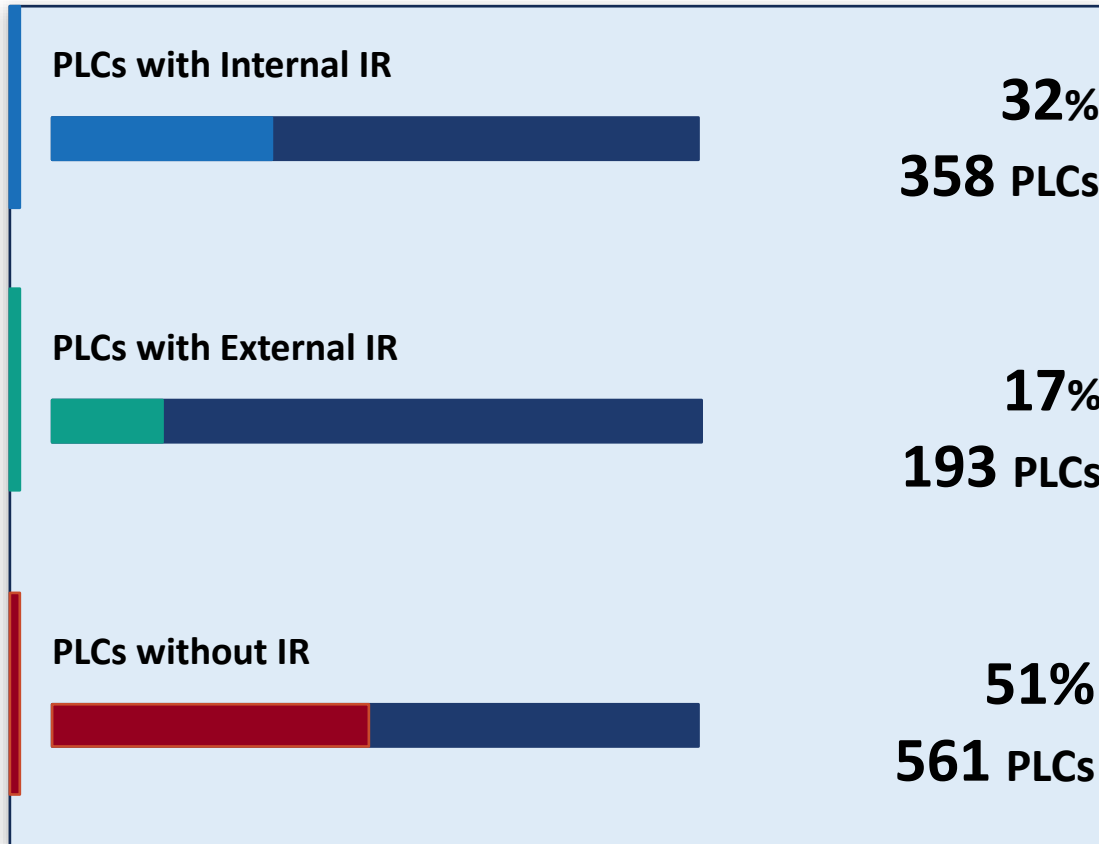
ROE-PBR Matrix of Countries Key Indexes Globally
As at 31 Dec 2025



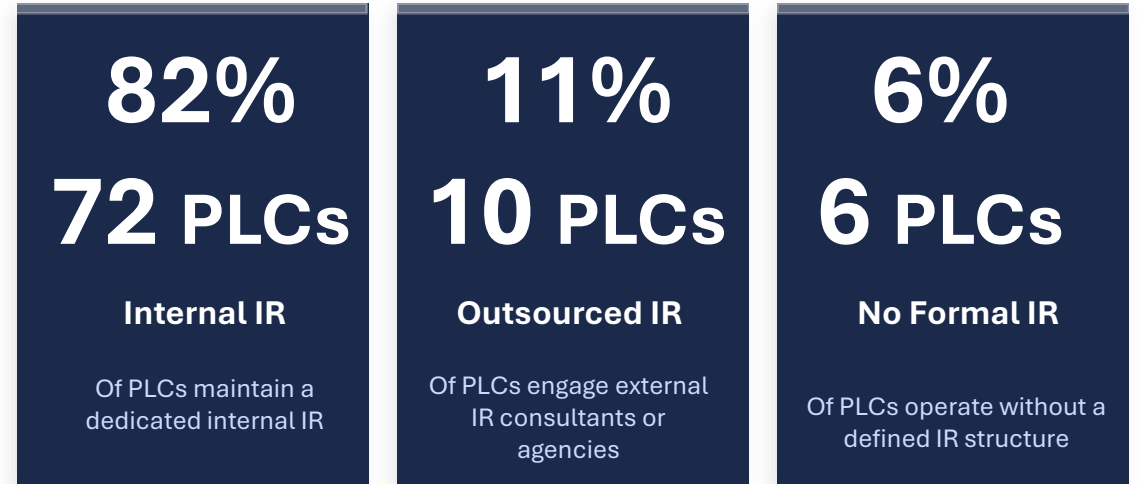
Note: 5 Year Average - Malaysia stock index includes the top 88 companies in Malaysia by market cap. Analysis based on top stock market indexes for respective countries, i.e. KOSPI (Korea), STI (Singapore), HSI (Hong Kong), FTSE 100 (UK), N225 (Japan), TAIEX (Taiwan), SENSEX (India), S&P500 (USA)

How are Investor Relations Currently Managed?

The Full Universe



88 MY Value Up PLCs

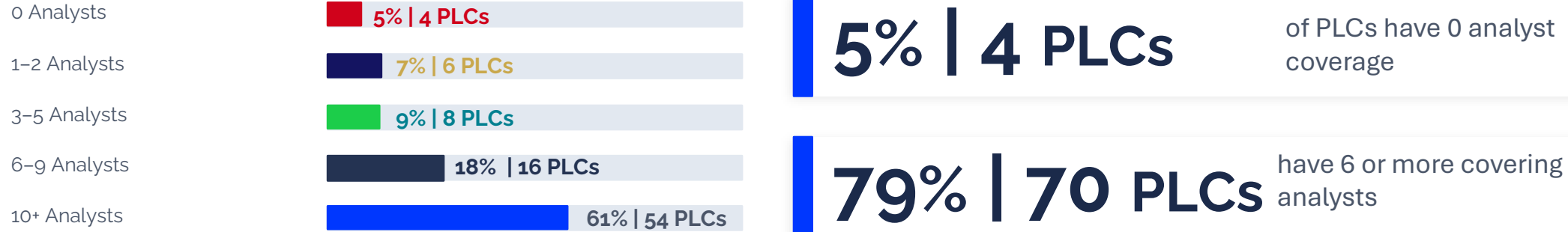


Effective and meaningful analyst engagement

Source: Bursa Malaysia, April 2026

Research Coverage: Analyst Coverage per PLC (with market cap >RM4B)

Coverage Distribution



Source: Bursa Malaysia, April 2026

Importance of IR and Analyst Coverage

Share Liquidity and Valuation

Investor Confidence

Greater Visibility

Obligation to minority shareholders

Better Capital Access

Crisis Resilience

Excess cash holdings – Opportunities for capital reallocation?

Capacity and opportunities for growth, expansion, or reinvestment strategies for excess cash

Companies with >30% Cash and Cash Equivalent / Net Assets	No. of PLCs
Construction	1
Consumer Products & Services	4
Energy	1
Financial Services	7
Health Care	1
Industrial Products & Services	1
Property	1
Technology	3
Utilities	3



25% or 22 PLCs

Cash and cash equivalent >30% of net assets

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MY Value Up: Driving Impact from the leading PLCs



Main Market (98%)

Total market cap:
RM2,010.1B
No. of PLCs: 811

ACE Market (2%)

Total market cap:
RM44.8B
No. of PLCs: 249

Market Cap Range	PLCs	Market Cap (RM billion)	Percentage
Above RM40B	9	673.8	33%
Between RM20B to RM40B	20	533.8	26%
Between RM4B to RM20B	59	469.5	23%
Between RM1B to RM4B	97	188.9	9%
Between RM0.5B to RM1B	111	78.5	4%
Between RM0.2B to RM0.5B	199	63.0	3%
Below RM0.2B	565	47.3	2%

RM1.7T or 82% of market cap

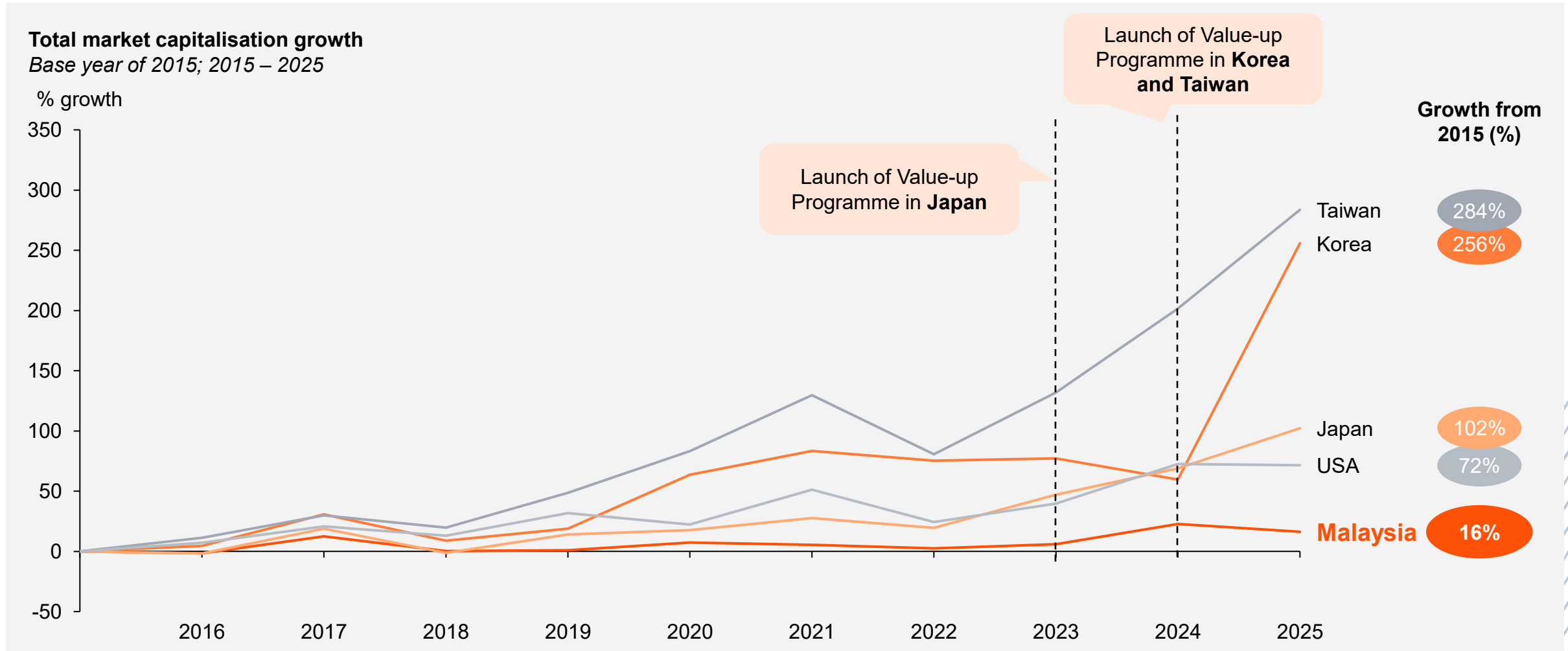
~50% of companies listed on Bursa Malaysia represent only 2% of market cap

¹ Market Data as at 31 March 2026 and limited to market capitalisation of local ordinary shares, foreign ordinary shares, REITs, and stapled security listed on Main and ACE Market

What MY Value Up means for you

- 1** The value creation narrative has evolved from an exchange-centric initiative to a **Malaysia Capital Market narrative**
- 2** This is not mandatory for the broader market at this time and will be revisited at the end of 2027. However, as market leaders among the 88 PLCs, you are expected to lead by example and **inspire higher standards** across the market.
- 3** **Tell your story better** – communicate your growth and value-creation story more clearly to shape informed stakeholder engagement (e.g. investors, analysts, roadshows etc.)
- 4** Boards are expected to adopt a more **strategic stance on value creation**, with a rebalanced focus between compliance and risk oversight and growth-oriented strategies. This will be reinforced in the upcoming revision of the MCCG, which is expected to further strengthen boards' accountability for long-term value creation and provide guidance on expectations in delivering sustainable outcomes.

The value-up conversation is not unique to Malaysia



Note: 2015 represents the base year. Stock market capitalisation based on main listing boards of respective countries, i.e. Bursa Malaysia; KOSE (Korea); TSE (Japan); NYSE (USA) and TWSE (Taiwan)
Source: S&P Capital IQ, PwC Analysis

Illustrative: What should PLCs consider to disclose?

Formulation and Disclosure of Value Up Plans

Company Overview

- Business Sector, Business Model, History
- Primary products & services, financial performance
- Capital structure – to provide context for value creation

Current State Analysis

- Business Assessment – Business model, stage of growth, competitive positioning
- Indicator Selection – ROE-COE spread, ROIC-WACC spread, sector-specific metrics
- Self Assessment – Historical trends, value drivers, time-series analysis

Value-Up Strategies

Capital Allocation

- Growth and investment priorities
- Portfolio rationalisation and non-core asset disposals
- Balance sheet and debt management considerations
- Shareholder return framework

Operations

- Business unit considerations and key operating risks
- Medium to long term operational initiatives (e.g. R&D, digitalisation (AI), etc.)

Governance

- Board expertise and accountability
- Board and management role clarity
- Talent and succession planning to support business continuity

Communications

- Investor engagement and feedback mechanisms
- Senior-level communications with investors and analysts
- Articulation of Value Up objectives with progress updates

Monitoring and Review

- Periodic assessment and evaluating progress against objectives
- Highlight achievements, challenges & deviations with corrections made through appropriate corrective disclosure
- Provide rationale for changes and revised strategies, drawing on selected quantitative and qualitative indicators

Phased Approach



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Familiarisation and alignment of requirements

1. **Engagement and workshop series** with C-Suites of 88 PLCs
2. Building the foundation for a mindset shift through the establishment of a mid-to-long term strategy.
3. Submission and engagement with the SC and Bursa to build familiarity with applicable disclosure requirements.



2027

Publication and Stakeholder Engagement

1. **Voluntary public release** of the MY Value Up report.
2. Allow for better familiarisation by the market and facilitate enhanced investor engagement to gain clearer insights into investor information needs and concerns regarding PLC strategies.



Beyond 2028

Mandatory Disclosure Requirements

1. Introduction of a mandatory disclosure framework for MY Value-Up PLCs will be considered beyond 2028.

Next Steps

- 1 Clinic and workshop series** with the CEOs, CFOs, and CSOs of the 88 PLCs to collaboratively finalise the MY Value Up proposal over the next two months
- 2 Finalise the proposal and accompanying implementation guidebook**, incorporating feedback received from stakeholder engagements
- 3 Submission** of the MY Value Up report by the 88 PLCs by the end-2026 to SC / Bursa to familiarise and alignment requirements

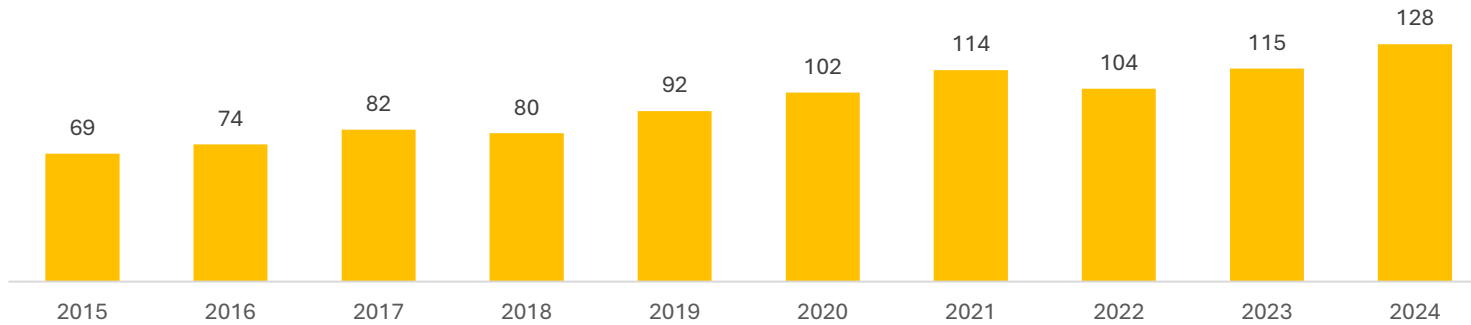
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Overview and Malaysia's representation on MSCI Emerging Market Index



Global funds AUM has doubled in the last 10 years, 40% are now passive funds

Global Assets under Management (AUM) (\$Tril)



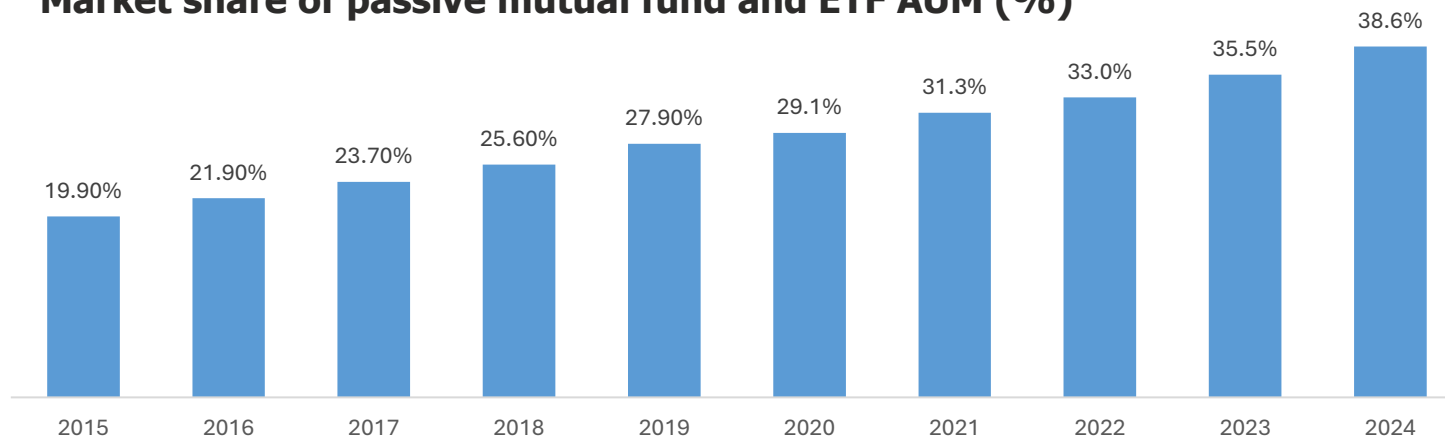
Global assets under management (AUM) exceeded USD128 trillion.

Passive Funds are **index trackers**, buying and selling securities purely based on index.

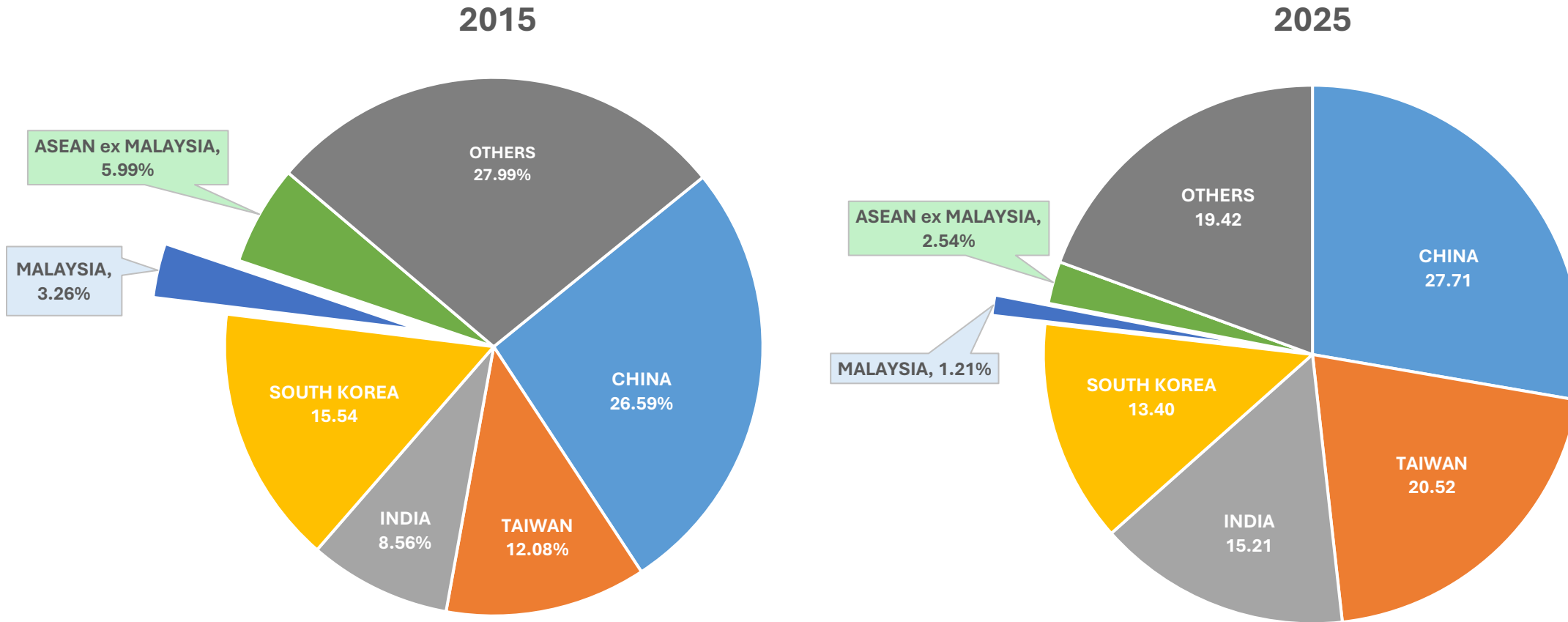
Index changes is now a big **driver of global capital flows and now have far bigger impact to a security's price and liquidity.**

For Malaysian equities, a major index is the **Emerging Market index by MSCI**

Market share of passive mutual fund and ETF AUM (%)



Malaysia and other ASEAN's share of the MSCI Emerging Markets Index have been on a decline



>USD1.4 trillion in AUM is benchmarked to the MSCI EM Index

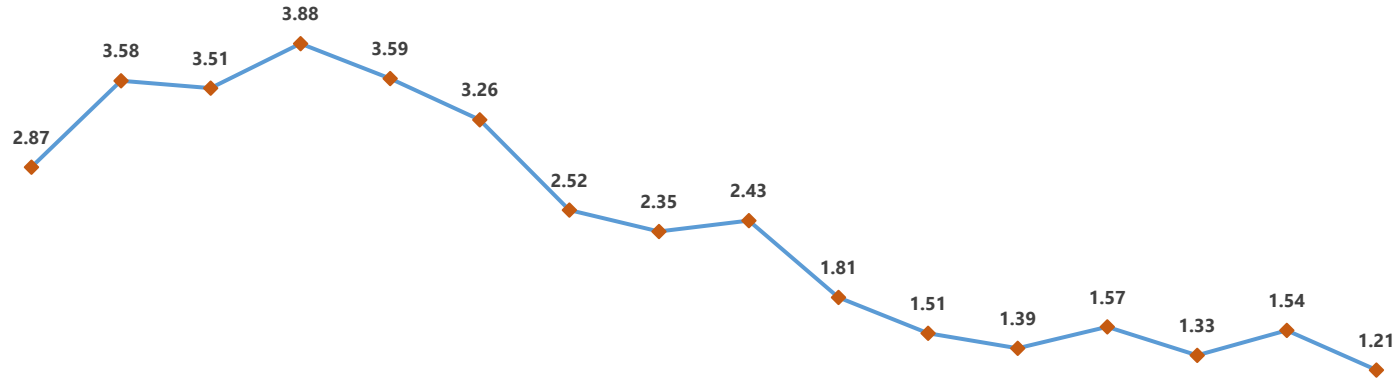
Notes:

- i) 2025 updated as of 30 Dec 2025
- ii) Russia was removed from MSCI EM in 2022, Saudi Arabia was added to MSCI EM in 2019
- iii) ASEAN ex Malaysia: Indonesia (2015: 2.55%, 2025: 1.17%), Thailand (2015: 2.00%, 2025: 1.00%), Philippines (2015: 1.44%, 2025: 0.37%)
- iv) 2015 "OTHERS" includes South Africa (6.81%), Brazil (4.91%), Mexico (4.47%) and Russia (3.42%), among others
- v) 2025 "OTHERS" includes Brazil (4.26%), South Africa (3.80%), Saudi Arabia (2.86%) and Mexico (1.97%), among others

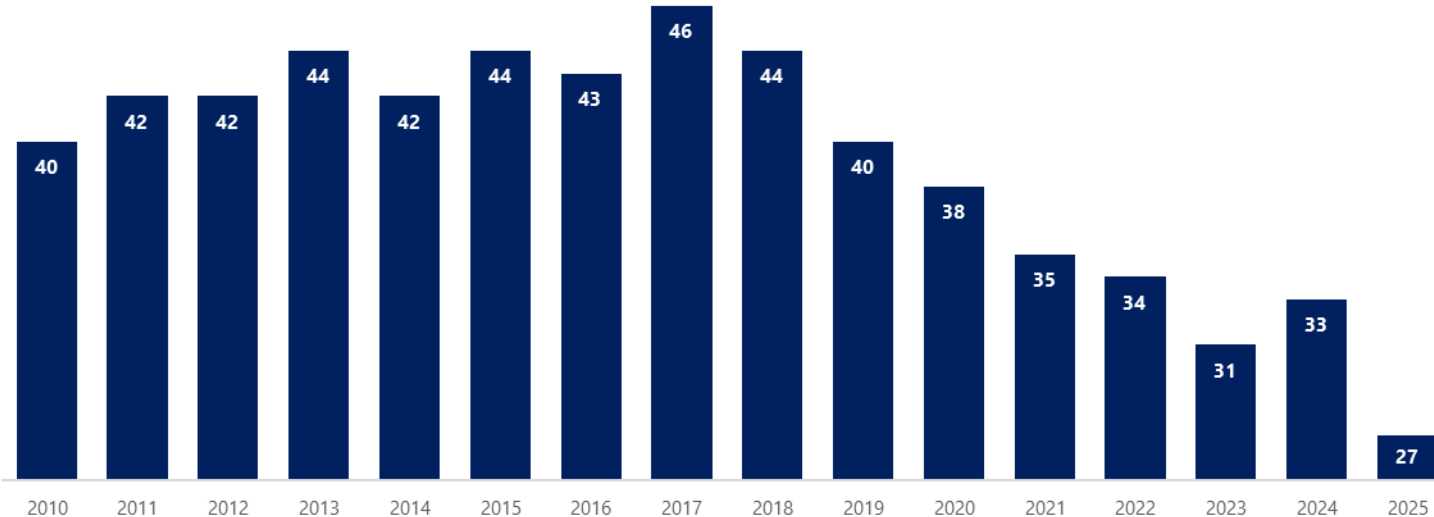
Source: Bloomberg

27 stocks represent Malaysia in the MSCI Emerging Markets Index

Weightage (in %)



Number of constituents



There are 1,196 constituents in the MSCI EM Index. A total of 24 markets are included.

Malaysia's share **peaked at 3.88%** weightage in 2013. Since then, our representation has been steadily declining.

2025 is our **smallest weightage yet** at 1.21% with only 27 constituents

Notes: 2025 updated as of 30 Dec 2025

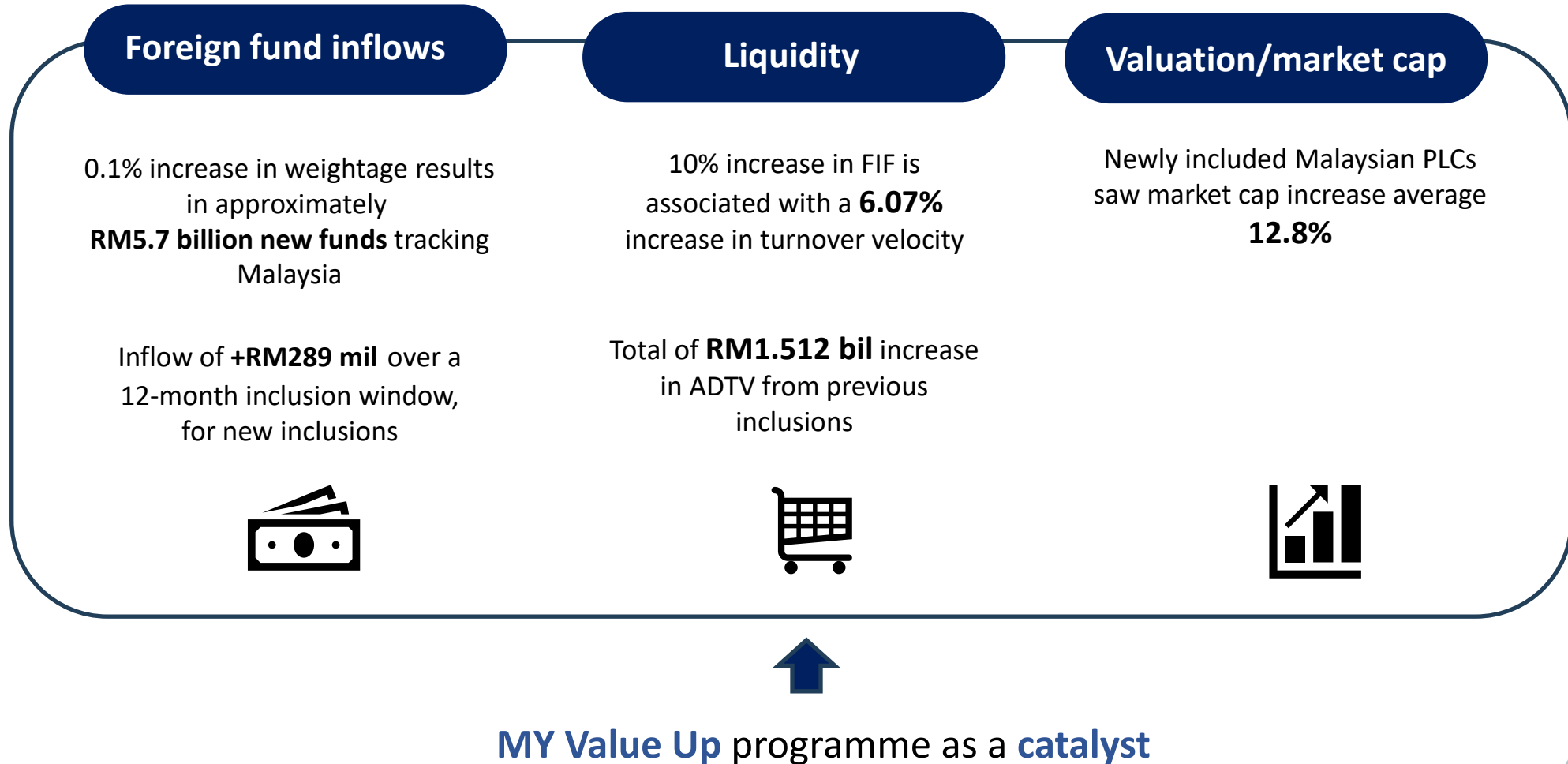
Current Malaysian Constituents in MSCI EM Index

No	NAME	SECTOR	Market Cap (RM bil)	MSCI FIF	Weight (%)
1	CIMB GROUP HOLDINGS BHD	FINANCIAL SERVICES	89.03	0.75	0.161
2	PUBLIC BANK BHD	FINANCIAL SERVICES	88.12	0.75	0.159
3	MALAYAN BANKING BHD	FINANCIAL SERVICES	126.61	0.50	0.153
4	TENAGA NASIONAL BHD	UTILITIES	79.98	0.45	0.087
5	PRESS METAL ALUMINIUM HOLDINGS BHD	INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTS & SERVICES	58.67	0.45	0.064
6	GAMUDA BHD	CONSTRUCTION	29.39	0.80	0.056
7	IHH HEALTHCARE BHD	HEALTH CARE	77.32	0.25	0.047
8	AMMB HOLDINGS BHD	FINANCIAL SERVICES	21.54	0.75	0.039
9	HONG LEONG BANK BHD	FINANCIAL SERVICES	47.99	0.30	0.035
10	PETRONAS GAS BHD	UTILITIES	35.89	0.40	0.035
11	SUNWAY BHD	INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTS & SERVICES	38.25	0.40	0.034
12	RHB BANK BHD	FINANCIAL SERVICES	33.63	0.40	0.032
13	SD GUTHRIE BHD	PLANTATION	39.63	0.30	0.029
14	CELCOMDIGI BHD	TELECOMMUNICATIONS & MEDIA	37.42	0.30	0.027
15	MISC BHD	TRANSPORTATION & LOGISTICS	34.82	0.30	0.025
16	YTL POWER INTERNATIONAL BHD	UTILITIES	28.75	0.35	0.024
17	KUALA LUMPUR KEPONG BHD	PLANTATION	22.32	0.45	0.024
18	IOI CORPORATION BHD	PLANTATION	25.14	0.40	0.024
19	TELEKOM MALAYSIA BHD	TELECOMMUNICATIONS & MEDIA	30.89	0.30	0.022
20	PETRONAS CHEMICALS GROUP BHD	INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTS & SERVICES	29.04	0.30	0.021
21	MAXIS BHD	TELECOMMUNICATIONS & MEDIA	29.69	0.30	0.021
22	NESTLE (M) BHD	CONSUMER PRODUCTS & SERVICES	26.73	0.30	0.019
23	AXIATA GROUP BHD	TELECOMMUNICATIONS & MEDIA	23.15	0.30	0.017
24	QL RESOURCES BHD	CONSUMER PRODUCTS & SERVICES	13.84	0.45	0.015
25	PETRONAS DAGANGAN BHD	CONSUMER PRODUCTS & SERVICES	19.83	0.30	0.014
26	YTL CORPORATION BHD	UTILITIES	23.79	0.25	0.014
27	MR D.I.Y. GROUP (M) BHD	CONSUMER PRODUCTS & SERVICES	14.5	0.35	0.012
Total			1,125.96		1.211

Source: Bloomberg, SC [Data as at 31 Dec 2025]

Why is inclusion to a major index important?

Our observations...





Thank you

