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DEPARTMENT OF STANDARDS MALAYSIA

STANDARDS MALAYSIA

AT A GLANCE

Governed by the Standards of Malaysia Act 1996 (Act 549), the Department of Standards Malaysia (Standards Malaysia) is an agency established on 28 August 1996 under the purview of Ministry of Science, Technology and Innovation (MOSTI). Standards Malaysia is the National Standards and Accreditation Body of Malaysia providing confidence to various stakeholders, through credible standardisation and accreditation services for global competitiveness. Our aspiration is to create a culture of quality amongst Malaysians, to make standards an accepted component of businesses locally and to achieve global recognition for our products and services; thus improving the overall quality of life. As a custodian and authoritative body, we continually engage with our stakeholders to develop Malaysian Standards (MS), which will protect the interest of consumers by providing an assurance of health and safety. For more than 20 years, we have successfully developed more than 6,000 MS and provided credible accreditation services to positively contribute to the economic, societal, environmental and national well being. Standards Malaysia is also a signatory to the regional and international Mutual Recognition Arrangements and Multilateral Recognition Agreements, and are subject to rigorous evaluation processes. This further enhances Malaysia's competitive edge by facilitating trade through international recognition of our products and services through Standards and Accreditation.

VISION

Accepted by Malaysians, Recognised by the World

MISSION

To provide credible standardisation and accreditation services to enhance economic, societal and environmental well-being

PERFORMANCE HIGHLIGHTS Snapshots



Organised an inaugural Standards Malaysia Open day with Conformity Assessment Bodies, 23 May, Cyberjaya, Selangor

Standards Malaysia successfully organised an open day with Conformity Assessment Bodies, in conjunction with World Accreditation Day 2016. Attended by 150 companies/agency representatives, the programme provided an interactive platform for our customers with the aim to improve the quality of accreditation services offered by Standards Malaysia.

Snapshots

Under the patronage of Standards Malaysia, two Malaysian schools excelled in the international competition. Sekolah Menengah Kebangsaan St. Joseph (M), Kuching, Sarawak won the gold medal for the middle school category, while Sekolah Menengah Kebangsaan Seri Pagi, Seremban, Negeri Sembilan won the silver medal for high school category. The competition is aimed at raising awareness on standards amongst the youth, helping them to acquire standardisation skills.

Malaysian delegation to The 11th International Standards Olympiad, 4-5 August, Anseong Korea



PERFORMANCE HIGHLIGHTS Snapshots



Standards Malaysia showed its continued commitment in creating and humanising quality culture by organising Standards Awareness Programme (PKS) with the aim to inculcate and increase awareness on the importance of standards in daily life. It is also a great platform for the Rakyat to voice out their opinions on standards-related issues.

YB Datuk Wira Dr. Abu Bakar Mohamad Diah, Deputy Minister of Science, Technology and Innovation launched the Standards Awareness Programme (PKS) on 28 August in Malacca

PERFORMANCE HIGHLIGHTS

Snapshots

In a breakthrough initiative utilising National Blue Ocean Strategy (NBOS), Standards Malaysia has partnered with the Malaysian Communications and Multimedia Commission (MCMC) in celebrating World Standards Day 2016. We have organised an inaugural World Standards Day Fun Run event on 16 October, which aimed for a subtle and relaxed manner of promoting the importance of standards in everyday life. It was in line with the message 'Standards Build Trust', which was the theme for World Standards Day 2016 celebrated globally. The event was an overwhelming success, with more than 1,000 attendees who have participated in the run.

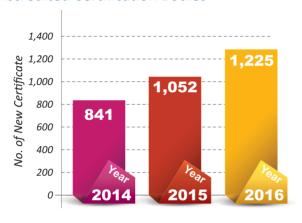
YB Datuk Seri Panglima Wilfred Madius Tangau, Minister of Science, Technology and Innovation and YB Datuk Jailani Johari, Deputy Minister of Communications and Multimedia Malaysia taking a photo with the crowd at the starting





Key Performance Indicator (KPI) for Strategic Reform
Initiatives - Competition, Standards and Liberalisation (SRI CSL)

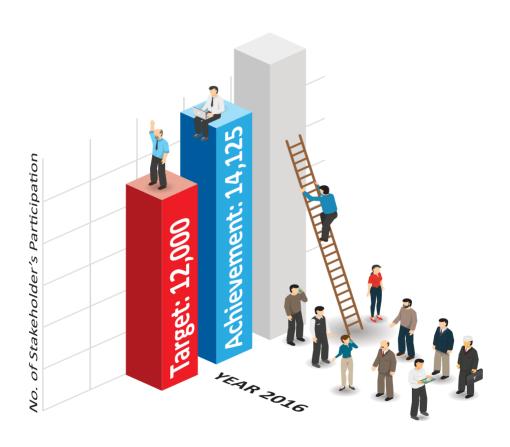
New Certifications Obtained by the Companies from **Accredited Certification Bodies**





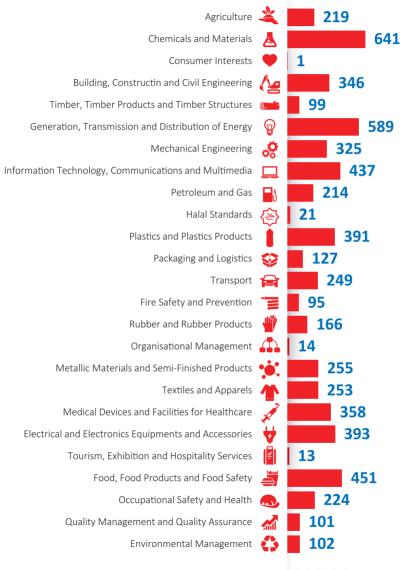


Number of Stakeholder's Participation in STI Development Activities





Number of MS by Sector



TOTAL: 6,084



Alignment of Cumulative MS to International Standards

3,586

Experts in Standardisation





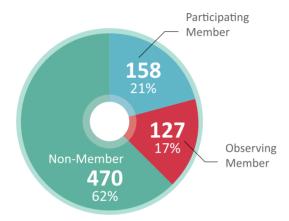
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Number of Mandatory Standards

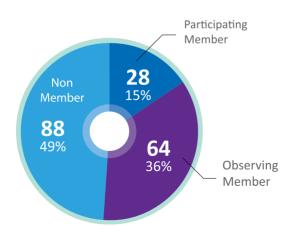




Malaysia's Membership in International Organization for Standardization (ISO) for Technical Committee / Sub-Committee



Malaysia's Membership in International Electrotechnical Commission (IEC) Technical Committee / Sub-Committee





Malaysia's Chairmanship, Convenorship, Secretariatship of ISO/IEC TC/SC/PC/WG

Chairmanship

- 1. ISO/TC 45 Rubber and rubber products
- 2. ISO/TC 157 Non-systematic contraceptives and STI barrier prophylactics
- 3. ISO/TC 207/SC 7 Greenhouse gas management and related activities
- 4. ISO/TC 45/SC4 Products (other than hoses)
- 5. ISO/PC 273 Customer contact centres
- 6. ISO/PC 278 Anti-bribery management systems
- 7. ISO/TC 176/SC 2 Quality systems
- 8. ISO/PC 303 Guidelines on consumer warranties and guarantees

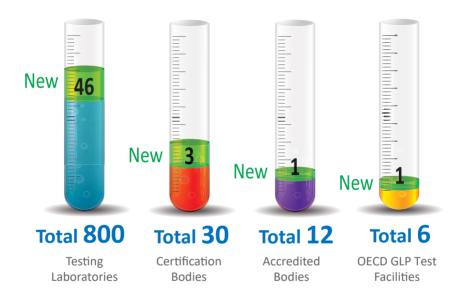
Convenorship

- 1. IEC/TC 82/JWG1 Photovoltaic off grid systems, including decentralized rural electrification and hybrid systems
- 2. IEC/TC 115/WG4 Guidelines on Asset Management of HVDC Installations
- 3. ISO/TC 45/SC 3/WG 4 Natural rubber
- 4. ISO/TC 45/SC 4/WG 5 Gloves and other latex products
- 5. ISO/TC 45/SC 4/WG 14 Elastomeric bridge bearings
- 6. ISO/TC 61/SC 2/WG 2 Hardness and surface properties
- 7. ISO/TC 61/SC 9/WG 6 Polyolefins
- 8. ISO/TC 218/WG 4 Test methods
- 9. ISO/TC 241/WG 5 ISO 39002 Good practices for commuting safety systems

Secretariatship

- 1. ISO/TC 45 Rubber and rubber products
- 2. ISO/TC 45/SC 1 Rubber and plastics hoses and hose assemblies
- 3. ISO/TC 45/SC 4 Products (other than hoses)
- 4. ISO/TC 157 Non-systematic contraceptives and STI barrier prophylactics
- 5. ISO/PC 303 Guidelines on consumer warranties and guarantees

Number of Accredited Conformity Assessment Bodies

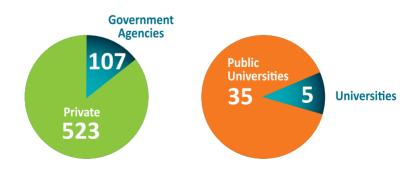




Number of Accredited Laboratories



Number of Accredited Laboratories by Sector





Number of Accredited Certification Bodies (CBs) **Based on Programmes Offered**



Total 80



Newly Accredited Inspection Bodies in 2016



Newly OECD GLP Compliance Test Facilities in 2016



Newly Accredited Certification Bodies (CBs/Scope) in 2016





ISO Technical **Management Board** (TMB):

5 terms 1996-1998, 2000-2002, 2003-2005, 2010-2012, 2015-2017

ISO Council:

7 terms 1991-1993, 1995-1996, 1999-2000, 2002-2003, 2007-2008, 2010-2011, 2013-2014

Developing Country

ISO Committee on

MEMBERSHIP

IEC Conformity Assessment Board (CAB): 1 term 2015-2017

> **APLAC Board of** Management (BOM): 1 term 2016 - 2017

Chairman of ISO COPOLCO (Committee on Consumer Policy): 2 terms 2014-2015, 2015-2017

GROWING IMPORTANCE OF STANDARDISATION AND ACCREDITATION ACTIVITIES

Despite the economic challenges faced by the nation, the number of certified companies recorded a steady growth in 2016. A total of 1225 companies have been successful in obtaining certification for internationally recognised standards such as Quality Management System (QMS), Environmental Management Systems (EMS), Food Safety Management System (FSMS), Information Security Management System (ISMS) and Hazard Analysis and Critical Control Points (HACCP).

This reflected that standardisation has become a strategic tool for companies to remain competitive, especially during the economic downturn. The demand for standards utilisation is supported by the increase in number of conformity assessment bodies accredited by Standards Malaysia.

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