

## Appendix i

1) Real GDP growth for each year from 1992 to 1999 to obtain GDP growth *Graph 1*

Year	Real GDP growth (%)
1992	7.8
1993	8.3
1994	9.3
1995	9.4
1996	8.6
1997	7.7
1998	-7.5
1999	5.4

2) Quarterly GDP growth from 1997 to 1999 to obtain quarterly GDP growth *Graph 2*

### Quarterly GDP growth (%)

Year	1Q	2Q	3Q	4Q	Total GDP
1997	8.6	8.4	7.7	5.6	7.6
1998	-3.1	-5.2	-10.9	-10.3	-7.4
1999	-1.3	4.1	8.2	10.6	5.4

## Appendix 2

Percentage change (%) for retrenchments from 1996 – 2000 calculated base on the total number of retrenchment for 1996 – 2000 (for each quarter and total) for *Table 10*

	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	Percentage Change (%)			
						1996 / 1997	1997 / 1998	1998 / 1999	1999 / 2000
First Quarter	1369	2607	20818	11454	8351	90	699	-45	-27
Second Quarter	2362	4463	18693	10304	4329	89	319	-45	-58
Third Quarter	1541	4370	26238	7690	5617	184	500	-71	-27
Fourth Quarter	2501	7423	18116	7909		197	144	-56	
Total	7773	18863	83865	37357	18297	143	345	-55	

*Source : Labour Market Report 1998 and 1999 , Ministry of Human Resource Malaysia*

Monthly retrenchment from 1996 to 2000, to obtain the number of retrenchment on a quarterly and yearly basis for Table 7

Malaysia : Monthly Retrenchment, 1996 - 2000														
1996			1997			1998			1999			2000		
	Month	Quarter												
January	112	1369	197	2607	1774	20818	3237	11454	4014	8351				
February	106		1441		7395		2855		2360					
March	1151		969		11649		5362		1977					
April	171	2362	1879	4463	6326	18693	4311	10304	2396	4329				
May	24		2349		6366		3547		826					
June	2167		235		6001		2446		1107					
July	133	1541	648	4370	12335	26238	2278	7690	1937	5617				
August	473		1510		7125		1328		1159					
September	935		2212		6778		4084		2521					
October	2244	2501	2193	7423	7102	18116	2808	7909	2467	2467				
November	195		2841		5458		1518							
December	62		2389		5556		3583							
Total	7773		18863		83865		37357		20764					

*Appendix 4*

1) Percentage change in the amount of registered job seekers from 1997 – 1999 for professional and non-professional category calculated base on the total amount for respective year.

Registered Job Seekers	1997	1998	1999	% change	
				1997/1998	1998/1999
Professional	5634	12938	15396	129.6	19.0
Non-Professional	85858	108458	107524	26.3	-0.9
Total	91492	121396	122920	32.7	1.3

2) Percentage change in the amount of vacancies from 1997 – 1999 for professional and non-professional category calculated base on the total amount for respective year.

Vacancies	1997	1998	1999	% change	
				1997/1998	1998/1999
Professional	1574	1497	1702	-4.9	13.7
Non-Professional	62889	73113	106616	16.3	45.8
Total	64463	74610	108318	15.7	45.2

3) Percentage change in the amount of placements from 1997 – 1999 for professional and non-professional category calculated base on the total amount for respective year.

Placement	1997	1998	1999	% change	
				1997/1998	1998/1999
Professional	399	481	507	20.6	5.4
Non-Professional	25834	22130	22588	-14.3	2.1
Total	26233	22611	23095	-13.8	2.1