Session 10
Measuring Tourism Industries and Employment
OBJECTIVE

To measure the number of employment in tourism industries in Malaysia
ENTITIES INVOLVED

DOSM’s surveys
METHOD

Household-based sample survey
Labour Force Survey

Establishment-based sample surveys
Quarterly Services Statistics
Annual Economic Statistics

Establishment-based
Economic Census (once every 5 years)
OBJECTIVE

To collect information on the structure and distribution of labour force, employment and unemployment

AVAILABILITY

- National and state
- Urban and rural
- Annually

FREQUENCY

- Monthly
- January - December

COVERAGE

- Annually
- National, state, strata (urban & rural)
LABOUR FORCE SURVEY: Coverage

01  URBAN & RURAL
Covers both urban and rural
areas of administrative district
within all states in Malaysia

02  LIVING QUARTERS
persons who live in
private Living Quarters
(LQ)

03  EXCLUDE
persons residing in institutional
LQs such as hotels, hostels,
prisons, boarding houses and
construction work site

04  15 TO 64 YEARS
comprises the economically
active and inactive population
between the aged of 15 to 64
years
Refers to those who are between **15 to 64 years** during the reference week, and who are either in labour force or outside labour force.

**Labour force**

Labour force refers to those who, during the reference week, are in the **15 to 64 years** and who are either employed or unemployed.

**Outside labour force**

All persons **not classified as employed or unemployed** are classified as outside labour force. (example: housewives, students, retireds, disabled persons and **those not interested** in looking for a job)

**Employed**

All persons who, at any time **during the reference week** worked at least one hour for pay, profit or family gain.

**Unemployed**

Classified into two groups that is the **Actively** unemployed and **Inactively** unemployed.
Employment covers all persons engaged during December or the last pay period of the reference year.

- Working proprietors and active business partners
- Unpaid family workers
- Paid employees (full-time)
- Paid employees (part-time)