

**PIDATO PEMBUKAAN  
YANG MULIA JOKO WIDODO  
PRESIDEN REPUBLIK INDONESIA  
PADA KTT KE-15 INDONESIA-MALAYSIA-THAILAND  
GROWTH TRIANGLE (IMT-GT)  
LABUAN BAJO, 11 MEI 2023**

*Yang Mulia Perdana Menteri Malaysia,  
Menteri Keuangan Thailand  
Yang Mulia Sekjen ASEAN,  
Yang Mulia Masatsugu Asakawa, Presiden Bank  
Pembangunan Asia,  
Para Delegasi yang terhormat,*

Selamat datang di KTT ke-15 *Indonesia-Malaysia-Thailand Growth Triangle*.

Di usianya yang ke-30 tahun, IMT-GT menjadi kerja sama segitiga emas bagi 85 juta penduduk di 3 negara. Saya senang meskipun dilanda krisis global, volume perdagangan IMT-GT berhasil capai \$ 618 miliar di tahun 2021.

Ke depan IMT-GT harus semakin mampu mendorong percepatan pertumbuhan ekonomi yang inklusif dan berkelanjutan.

Karena tantangan kedepan tidak mudah. Ketidakpastian masih tinggi. Rivalitas masih tajam. Dan efek domino guncangan ekonomi global masih terus mengancam.

Mari kobarkan semangat kolaborasi, khususnya dengan peningkatkan daya saing, konektivitas, pariwisata dan investasi, untuk mencapai Visi IMT-GT tahun 2036. Terima kasih.

**OPENING REMARKS**  
**HIS EXCELLENCY JOKO WIDODO**  
**PRESIDENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF INDONESIA**  
**AT THE 15<sup>TH</sup> SUMMIT OF THE INDONESIA-MALAYSIA-**  
**THAILAND GROWTH TRIANGLE (IMT-GT)**  
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*His Excellency Prime Minister of Malaysia,  
His Excellency Minister of Finance of Thailand,  
His Excellency Secretary General of ASEAN,  
President Masatsugu Asakawa of the Asia Development Bank,  
Distinguished Delegates,*

Welcome to the 15<sup>th</sup> *Indonesia-Malaysia-Thailand Growth Triangle Summit.*

Entering its 30<sup>th</sup> year, IMT-GT is a golden triangle of cooperation for 85 million people across 3 countries.

I am pleased despite the recent global crisis, the IMT-GT trading volume managed to reach 618 billion US dollars in 2021.

In the future IMT-GT must be more capable to encourage accelerated economic growth, that is inclusive and sustainable.

Because the challenges ahead are not easy. Uncertainty remains high. Rivalry is still sharp, and the domino effect of global economic shocks continues to threaten.

Let us spread the spirit of collaboration, especially with increasing competitiveness, connectivity, tourism, and investment, to achieve the IMT GT Vision 2036. Thank you.