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PENGENALAN

Arkib Negara Malaysia (ANM) telah memperoleh Koleksi Digital Colonial Office: Asia pada 1 November 2025. Koleksi ini merujuk kepada kumpulan rekod rasmi yang diwujudkan oleh Colonial Office iaitu jabatan kerajaan yang menguruskan pentadbiran tanah jajahan empayar British dari abad ke-19 hingga pertengahan abad ke-20. Ia berkaitan pentadbiran dan tadbir urus, hubungan antarabangsa, perubahan demografi dan kehidupan di negara tanah jajahan British. Terdapat dua (2) bahagian koleksi iaitu:

Bahagian II – Singapura, Malaysia Timur dan Brunei

Bahagian III – Negeri-Negeri Melayu Bersekutu, Malaya dan Negeri-Negeri Selat

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INTRODUCTION

National Archive of Malaysia acquire Digital Collection of the Colonial Office: Asia on November 1, 2025. This collection refers to a group of official records created by the Colonial Office, the government department that managed the administration of the British Empire's colonies from the 19th century to the mid-20th century. It deals with administration and governance, international relations, demographic change and life in British colonies. There are two (2) parts of the collection, namely:

Part II – Singapore, Malaysia and Brunei

Part III - Federated Malay States, Malaya and the Straits Settlements

The digital collection consists of correspondence, documents, manuscripts, maps, plans, photographs, agreements, reports, newspapers, magazines and so on. It contains almost 8,507 files with 1,131,112 image/ pages which can be access using Gale Primary Sources Platform.

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BAHAGIAN II – SINGAPURA, MALAYSIA TIMUR DAN BRUNEI***PART II - SINGAPORE, MALAYSIA TIMUR AND BRUNEI***

Siri <i>Series</i>	Tajuk Siri <i>Series Title</i>	Tahun <i>Year</i>	Jumlah Fail <i>Number of File</i>	Jumlah Muka Surat/ Imej <i>Number of Pages/ Image</i>
CO 144	Labuan, Original Correspondence	1844-1906	81	41,149
CO 352	Labuan Register of Correspondence	1849-1914	7	1,652
CO 404	Labuan Entry Books	1847-1872	5	1,206
CO 487	Labuan Register of Out-Letters	1871-1914	4	359
CO 531	British North Borneo Original Correspondence	1907-1951	416	35,200
CO 777	British North Borneo: Register of Correspondence	1915-1941	4	688
CO 778	British North Borneo: Register of Out-Letters	1915-1926	1	92

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CO 874	British North Borneo Company: Papers	1865-1949	1,128	257,507
CO 938	Sarawak: Original Correspondence	1946-1951	122	7,445
CO 1040	The Rajah of Sarawak Fund: Papers	1921-1966	9	1,341
CO 943	Brunei: Original Correspondence	1946-1951	35	1,346
CO 953	Singapore Original Correspondence	1936-1951	139	13,658
CO 1010	Singapore: Registers of Correspondence	1946-1951	5	1,863
CO 991	Malayan Union and Singapore: Registers of Correspondence	1946-1951	8	4,327
CO 954	Borneo Territories: Original Correspondence	1946-1951	43	4,585
CO 992	North Borneo, Brunei and Sarawak: Register of Correspondence	1942-1951	5	2,203

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CO 947	Commission of Enquiry in North Borneo and Sarawak Regarding Malaysian Federation (Cobbold Commission 1962)	1962	61	8,185
CO 1022	South East Asia Department: Original Correspondence	1950-1956	193	14,455
CO 1030	Far Eastern Department and Successors: Original Correspondence	1941-1967	809	88,479
CO 537	Colonial Office and Predecessors: Confidential Original Correspondence	1759-1955	178	18,005
CO 700	Map and Plans: Series I	1849-1909	27	80
CO 1047	Map and Plans: Series II	1779-1947	11	38
CO 1054	Map and Plans: Post-1940 Collection	1897-1984	8	16
CO 1069	Photographs	1863-1960	52	2,214
TOTAL			3,351	506,093

BAHAGIAN III –
NEGERI-NEGERI MELAYU BERSEKUTU, MALAYA DAN NEGERI-NEGERI SELAT
PART III - FEDERATED MALAY STATES, MALAYA AND THE STRAITS SETTLEMENTS

Siri <i>Series</i>	Tajuk Siri <i>Series Title</i>	Tahun <i>Year</i>	Jumlah Fail <i>Number of File</i>	Jumlah Muka Surat/ Imej <i>Number of Pages/ Image</i>
CO 273	Straits Settlements Original Correspondence	1836-1946	2,383	328,500
CO 425	Straits Settlements Entry Books	1867-1873	8	3,446
CO 426	Straits Settlements Register of Correspondence	1867-1945	42	31,513
CO 486	Straits Settlements Register of Out-Letters	1873-1926	17	9,105
CO 717	Federated Malay States: Original Correspondence	1919-1952	1,964	157,792
CO 786	Federated Malay States: Register of Correspondence	1919-1951	19	10,191

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CO 889	Federated of Malaya Constitutional (Reid Commission): Minutes and Papers	1956	3	993
CO 1022	South East Asia Department: Original Correspondence	1951-1956	260	25,802
CO 1030	Far Eastern Department and Successors: Original Correspondence	1954-1965	397	56,429
CO 700	Map and Plans: Series I	1807-1906	7	21
CO 1047	Map and Plans: Series II	1906-1938	31	83
CO 1069	Photographs	1882-1961	25	1,144
TOTAL			5,156	625,019