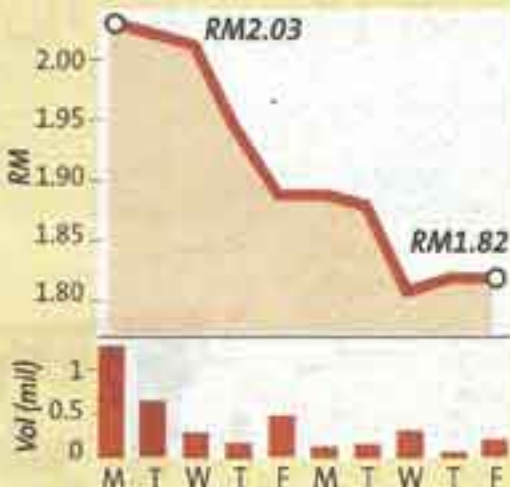


Tradewinds Plantation



Despite the recent interest in plantation counters, AmSecurities Sdn Bhd believes that this counter's weak results could restrain its share price.

For its second quarter ended June 30, it posted a net loss of RM1.6mil on revenue of RM102.6mil due to the lower-than-expected crude palm oil production.

Nevertheless, the group plans to build another three mills over the next five years to facilitate the expansion in fresh fruit bunches production.

AmSecurities noted that the group also planned to develop oil palm on 4,000ha to 5,000ha every year.