

Breakfast Cereals in Malaysia

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Budget consciousness and competition from alternative products hit breakfast cereals

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Hot cereals seen as nutritious and affordable

WHAT'S NEXT?

Range of affordable alternatives hinders potential growth

Health, value, and taste drive choice.

Affordability and transparency amidst shrinkflation

COMPETITIVE LANDSCAPE

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Consumers remain price sensitive

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Strong focus on value for money

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