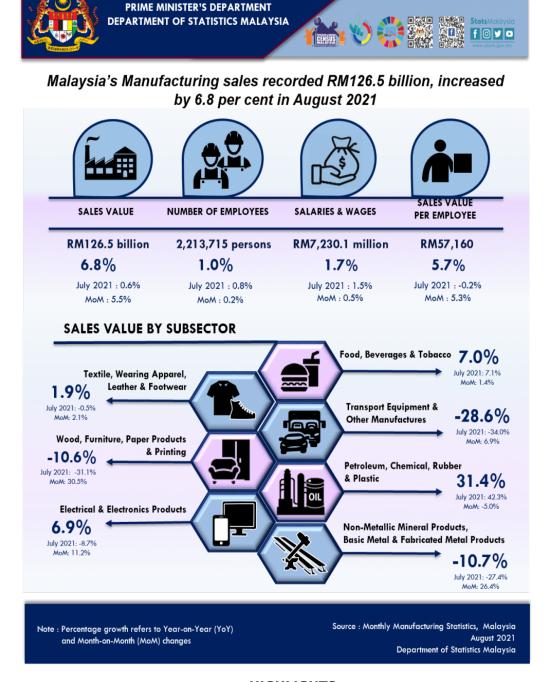
MONTHLY MANUFACTURING STATISTICS MALAYSIA, AUGUST 2021



HIGHLIGHTS

Malaysia's Manufacturing sales recorded RM126.5 billion, increased by 6.8 per cent in August 2021

Malaysia's Manufacturing sales in August 2021 stood at **RM126.5 billion**, grew **6.8 per cent** as compared to the same month of the previous year. The rise in sales value was driven by the Petroleum, Chemical, Rubber & Plastic Products **(31.4%)**, the Food, Beverages & Tobacco Products **(7.0%)** and the Electrical & Electronics Products **(6.9%)**. Meanwhile, on month-on-month basis, the sales value increased

5.5 per cent.

Total employees engaged in the Manufacturing sector in August 2021 was **2,213,715 persons**, an increase of **1.0 per cent** as compared to **2,190,787 persons** in August 2020. Salaries & wages paid amounted to **RM7,230.1 million**, increased by **1.7 per cent** or **RM117.5 million** in August 2021 as against the same month of the preceding year.

The sales value per employee increased by **5.7 per cent** to record **RM57,160** as compared with the same month in 2020. Meanwhile, the average salaries & wages per employee was **RM3,266** in August 2021.

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