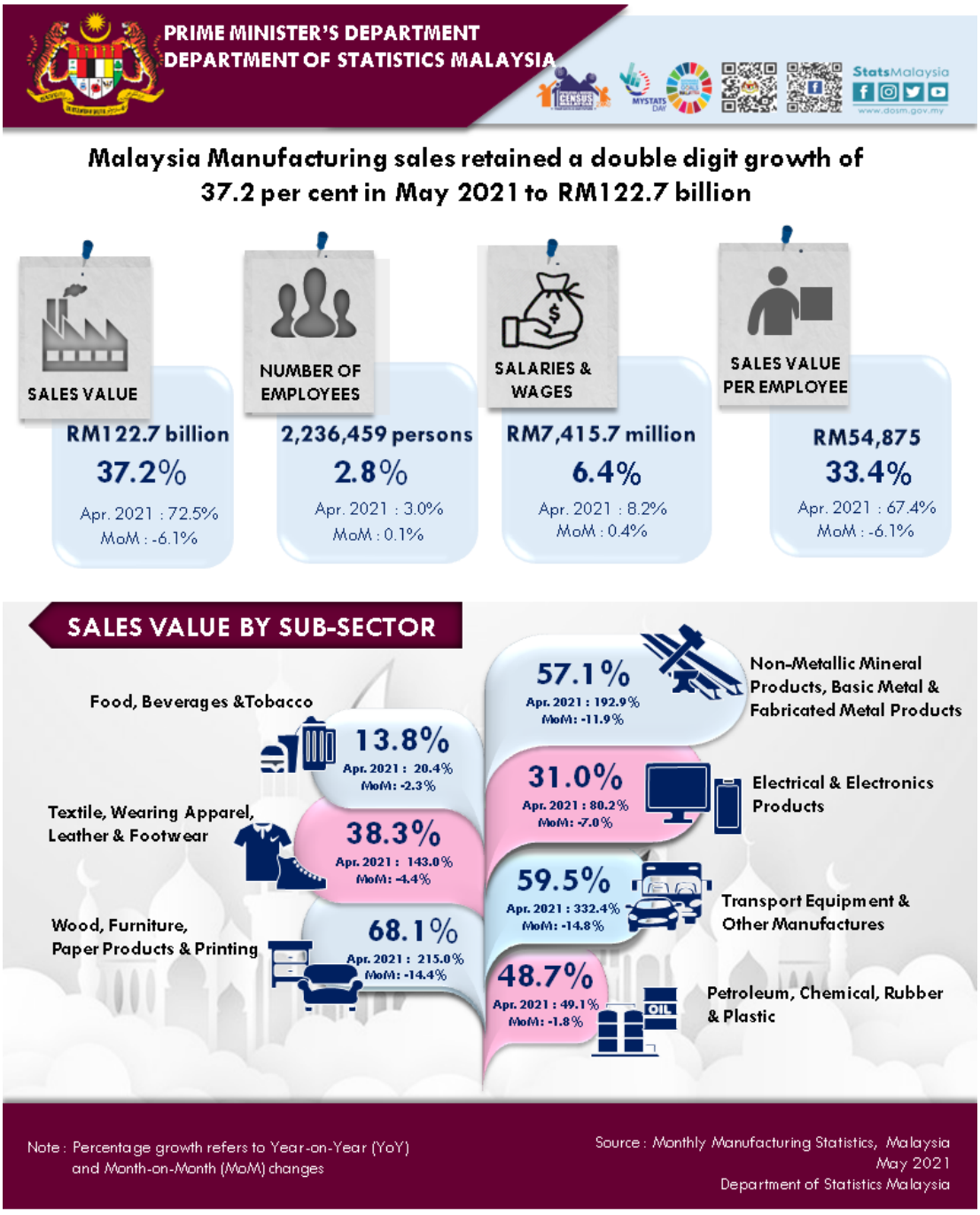
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HIGHLIGHTS

Malaysia Manufacturing sales retained a double digit growth of

37.2 per cent in May 2021 to RM122.7 billion

Malaysia's Manufacturing sales in May 2021 stood at **RM122.7 billion**, grew **37.2 per cent** as compared to previous year. The rise in sales value in May 2021 was driven by the increase in Transport Equipment & Other Manufactures Products (**59.5%**), Petroleum, Chemical, Rubber & Plastic Products (**48.7%**) and Electrical & Electronics Products (**31.0%**). Meanwhile, on month-on-month basis, the sales value decreased **6.1 per cent**.

Total employees engaged in the Manufacturing sector in May 2021 was **2,236,459 persons**, an increase of **2.8 per cent** as compared to 2,175,145 persons in May 2020. Salaries & wages paid amounted to **RM7,415.7 million**, increased by **6.4 per cent** or **RM447.8 million** in May 2021 as against the same month of the preceding year.

The sales value per employee rose by **33.4 per cent** to record **RM54,875** as compared with the same month in 2020. Meanwhile, the average salaries & wages per employee was **RM3,316** in May 2021.

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