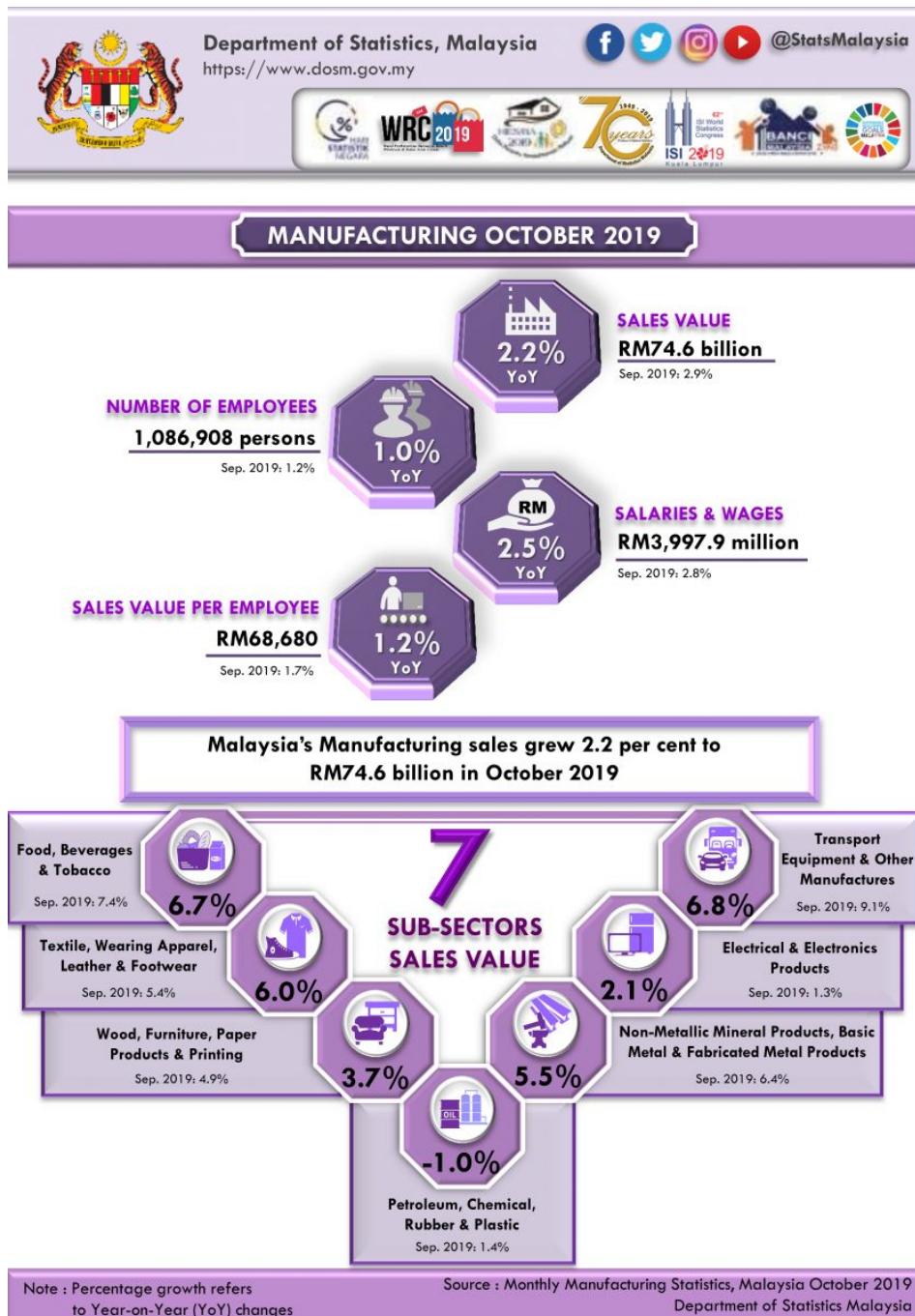




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HIGHLIGHTS

Malaysia's Manufacturing sales grew by 2.2 per cent to RM74.6 billion in October 2019

Malaysia's Manufacturing sales grew by **2.2 per cent** in October 2019 to register at **RM74.6 billion** as compared to RM73.1 billion reported a year ago. The year-on-year growth was driven by the increase in Transport Equipment & Other Manufactures Products (**6.8%**), Non-Metallic Mineral Products, Basic Metal & Fabricated Metal Products (**5.5%**) and Electrical & Electronics Products (**2.1%**).

Total employees engaged in the Manufacturing sector in October 2019 was **1,086,908 persons**, an increase of **1.0 per cent** or **10,531 persons** as compared to 1,076,377 persons in October 2018. Salaries & wages paid amounted to **RM3,997.9 million**, went up **2.5 per cent** or **RM96.3 million** in October 2019 as against the same month of the preceding year.

The sales value per employee grew by **1.2 per cent** to record **RM68,680** as compared with the same month in 2018. Meanwhile, the average salaries & wages per employee was **RM3,678** in October 2019.

The full publication of the Monthly Manufacturing Statistics, October 2019 can be downloaded through eStatistik portal.

***Notes:**

Data for October 2019 is **provisional**. The data will be updated based on the latest available figures and subsequently published in the November 2019 publication.

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