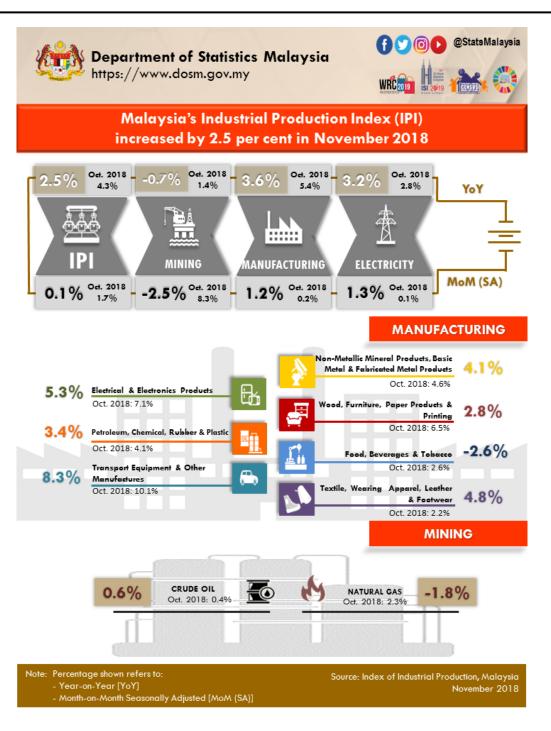


INDEX OF INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION, MALAYSIA NOVEMBER 2018



The Industrial Production Index (IPI) rose by **2.5 per cent** in November 2018 as compared with the same month of the previous year. The growth in November 2018 was supported by the increase in Manufacturing index (**3.6**%) and Electricity index (**3.2**%). Meanwhile, the Mining index declined by **0.7** per cent.

The Manufacturing sector output expanded by **3.6 per cent** in November 2018 after registering a growth of 5.4 per cent in October 2018. The major sub – sectors that contributed to the growth in November 2018 were: Transport Equipment and Other Manufactures Products (**8.3**%), Electrical and Electronic Equipment Products (**5.3**%) and Petroleum, Chemical, Rubber and Plastic Products (**3.4**%).

The Mining sector output recorded a decline of **0.7 per cent** in November 2018 as compared to the same period of the previous year. This was due to a decrease in Natural Gas index (**-1.8**%). Meanwhile, Crude Oil index increased marginally by **0.6 per cent**.

The Electricity sector index increased by **3.2 per cent** in November 2018 as against November 2017.

*Notes:

Data for November 2018 is provisional. The data will be updated based on the latest available figures and subsequently published in the December 2018 publication.

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