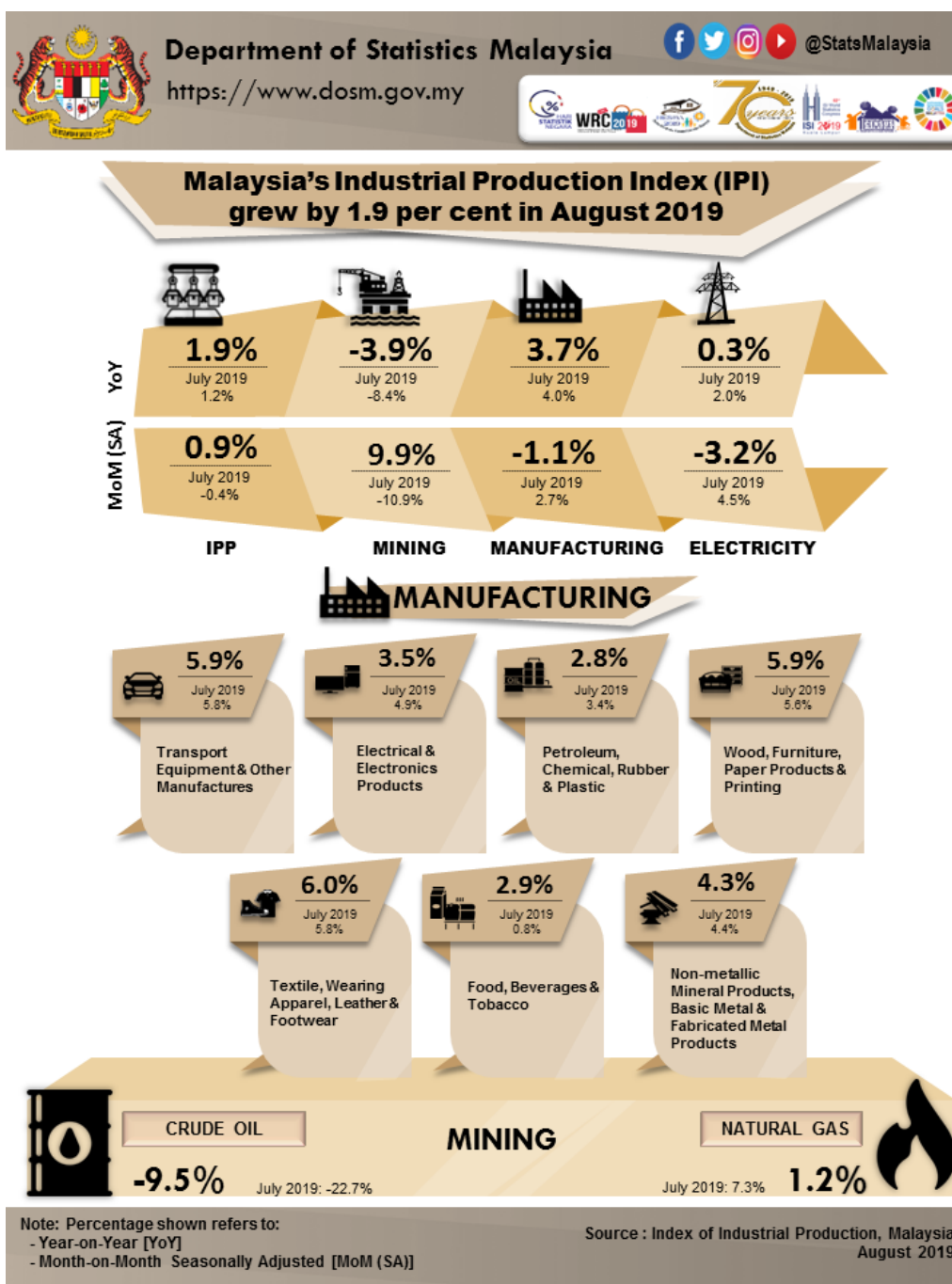




## INDEX OF INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION, MALAYSIA AUGUST 2019



### Malaysia's Industrial Production Index (IPI) grew by 1.9 per cent in August 2019

The Industrial Production Index (IPI) grew by **1.9 per cent** in August 2019 as compared with the same month of the previous year. The growth in August 2019 was driven by the increase in the index of Manufacturing (**3.7%**) and Electricity (**0.3%**). Meanwhile index of Mining recorded a decline of **3.9 per cent**.

On year-on-year basis, the Manufacturing sector output rose by **3.7 per cent** in August 2019 after

recording a growth of 4.0 per cent in July 2019. The major sub-sectors contributing to the increase in August 2019 were Non-metallic Mineral Products, Basic Metal and Fabricated Metal Products (**4.3%**), Electrical and Electronics Products (**3.5%**) and Petroleum, Chemical, Rubber and Plastic Products (**2.8%**).

The Mining sector index recorded a **3.9 per cent** drop in August 2019 as compared to the same period of the previous year. The decline was due to the decrease in the Crude Oil and Condensate index (**-9.5%**). Meanwhile Natural Gas index increased by **1.2 per cent**.

The Electricity sector output increased by **0.3 per cent** in August 2019 as compared to the same month of the previous year.

The full publication of the Industrial Production Index, August 2019 can be downloaded through [eStatistik](#) portal.

**\*Notes:**

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