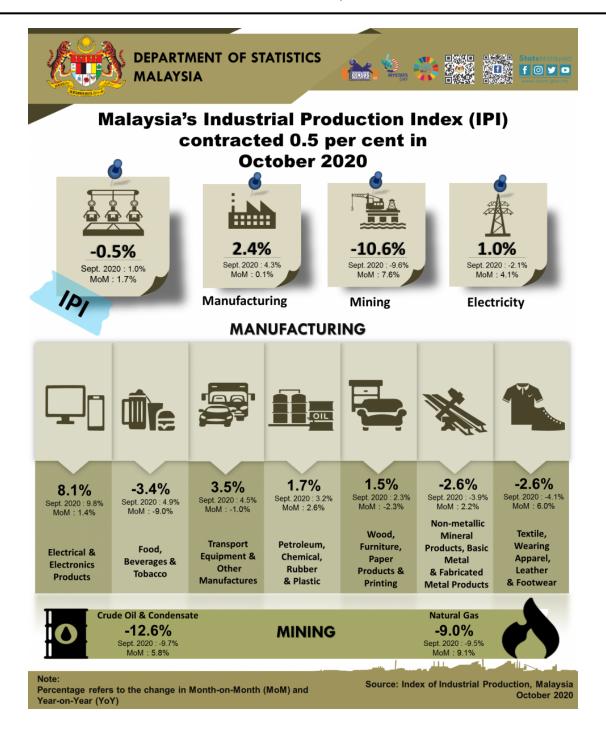


# INDEX OF INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION, MALAYSIA OCTOBER 2020



## Malaysia's Industrial Production Index (IPI) contracted 0.5 per cent in October 2020

The Industrial Production Index (IPI) contracted **0.5 per cent** in October 2020 as compared to the same month of the previous year. The deterioration of IPI in October 2020 was due to the significant decrease of **10.6 per cent** in Mining index. Meanwhile the Manufacturing and Electricity index recorded a growth of **2.4 per cent** and **1.0 per cent** respectively.

The Manufacturing sector output based on year-on-year comparison grew by **2.4 per cent** in October 2020 after recording a growth of 4.3 per cent in September 2020. The major sub-sectors contributing to the growth in Manufacturing sector in October 2020 were Electrical & Electronics Products (**8.1%**),

Transport Equipment & Other Manufactures (3.5%) and Petroleum, Chemical, Rubber & Plastic Products (1.7%)

The Mining sector output dropped **10.6 per cent** in October 2020 as compared to the same period of the previous year. The deterioration was due to the decrease in Crude Oil & Condensate index (**-12.6%**) and Natural Gas index (**-9.0%**).

The Electricity sector output increased **1.0 per cent** in October 2020 as compared to the same month of the previous year.

The full publication of the Industrial Production Index, October 2020 can be downloaded through eStatistik portal.

#### \*Notes:

Data for October 2020 is **provisional**. The data will be updated based on the latest available figures and subsequently published in the November 2020 publication.

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