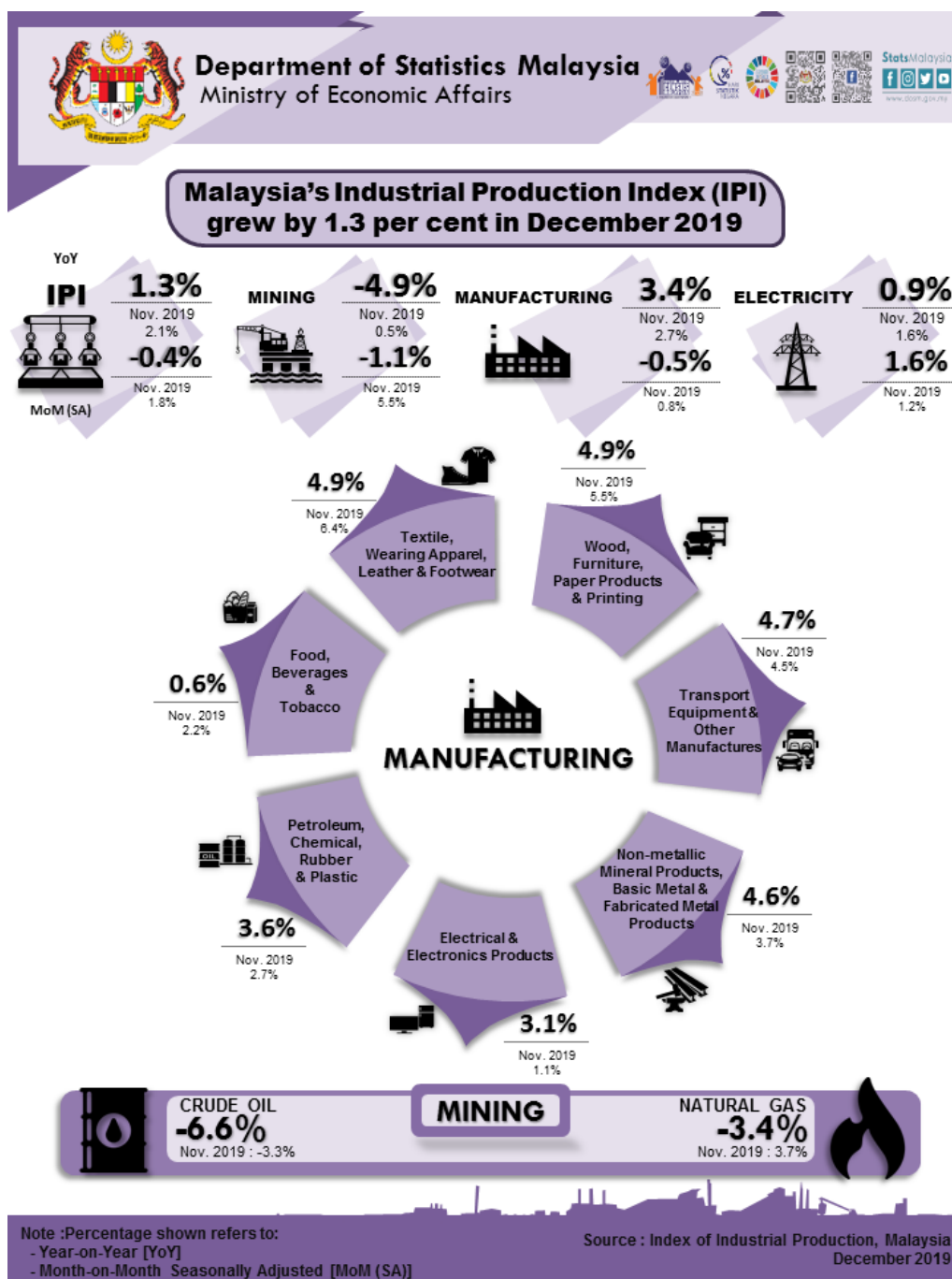




INDEX OF INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION, MALAYSIA DECEMBER 2019



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On year-on-year basis, the Manufacturing sector output rose by **3.4 per cent** in December 2019 after

recording a growth of 2.7 per cent in November 2019. The major sub-sectors contributing to the increase in December 2019 were Non-metallic Mineral Products, Basic Metal and Fabricated Metal Products (**4.6%**), Petroleum, Chemical, Rubber and Plastic Products (**3.6%**) and Electrical and Electronics Products (**3.1%**).

The Mining sector output dropped **4.9 per cent** in December 2019 as compared to the same period of the previous year. The decline was due to the decrease in both indices under Mining sector which were Crude Oil and Condensate index (**-6.6%**) and Natural Gas index (**-3.4%**).

The Electricity sector output increased by **0.9 per cent** in December 2019 as compared to the same month of the previous year

The IPI for the year of 2019 recorded a growth of **2.4 per cent** as compared to the previous year. The increase was contributed by the growth in Manufacturing and Electricity sector which were **3.6 per cent** and **3.3 per cent** respectively. Meanwhile, the Mining sector declined by **1.7 per cent**.

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

***Notes:**

Data for December 2019 is **provisional**. The data will be updated based on the latest available figures and subsequently published in the January 2020 publication.

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