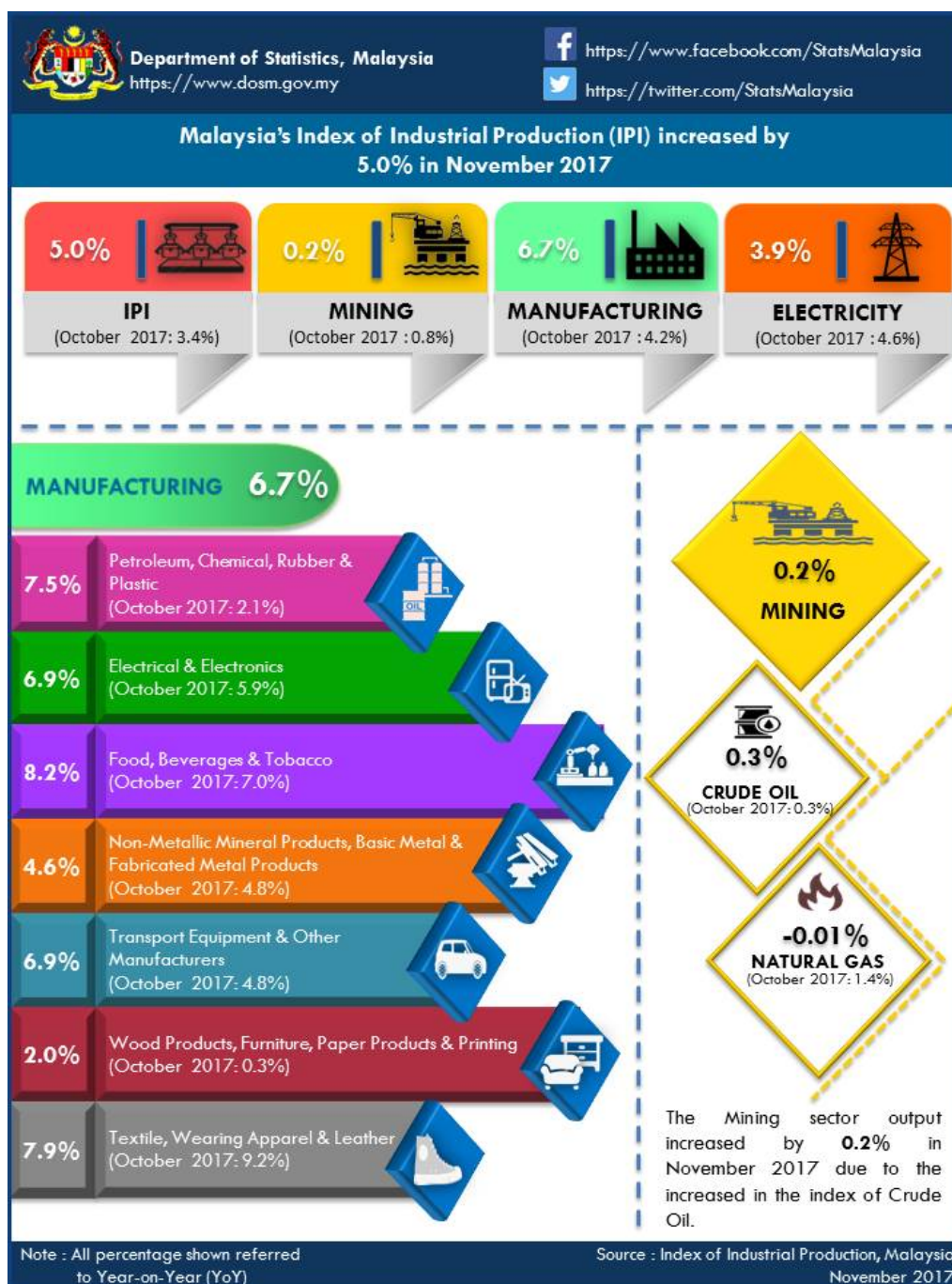


INDEX OF INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION, MALAYSIA NOVEMBER 2017



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Year-on-year basis, the output of the manufacturing sector in November increased strongly by **6.7 per cent** after registered an increase of 4.2 per cent in October 2017. The major sub-sectors which recorded an expansion in November 2017 were: Petroleum, Chemical, Rubber and Plastic Products (**7.5%**), Electrical

and Electronic Products (**6.9%**) and Food, Beverages and Tobacco Products (**8.2%**).

The Mining sector output grew by **0.2 per cent** in November 2017 (October 2017: 0.8%). This was mainly due to the increase of Crude Oil index (**0.3%**). Meanwhile Natural Gas Index decline **0.01 per cent**.

The Electricity sector output expanded **3.9 per cent** in November 2017 on yearly basis.

***Notes:**

Data for November 2017 is **provisional**. The data will be updated based on the latest available figures and subsequently published in the publication December 2017.

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