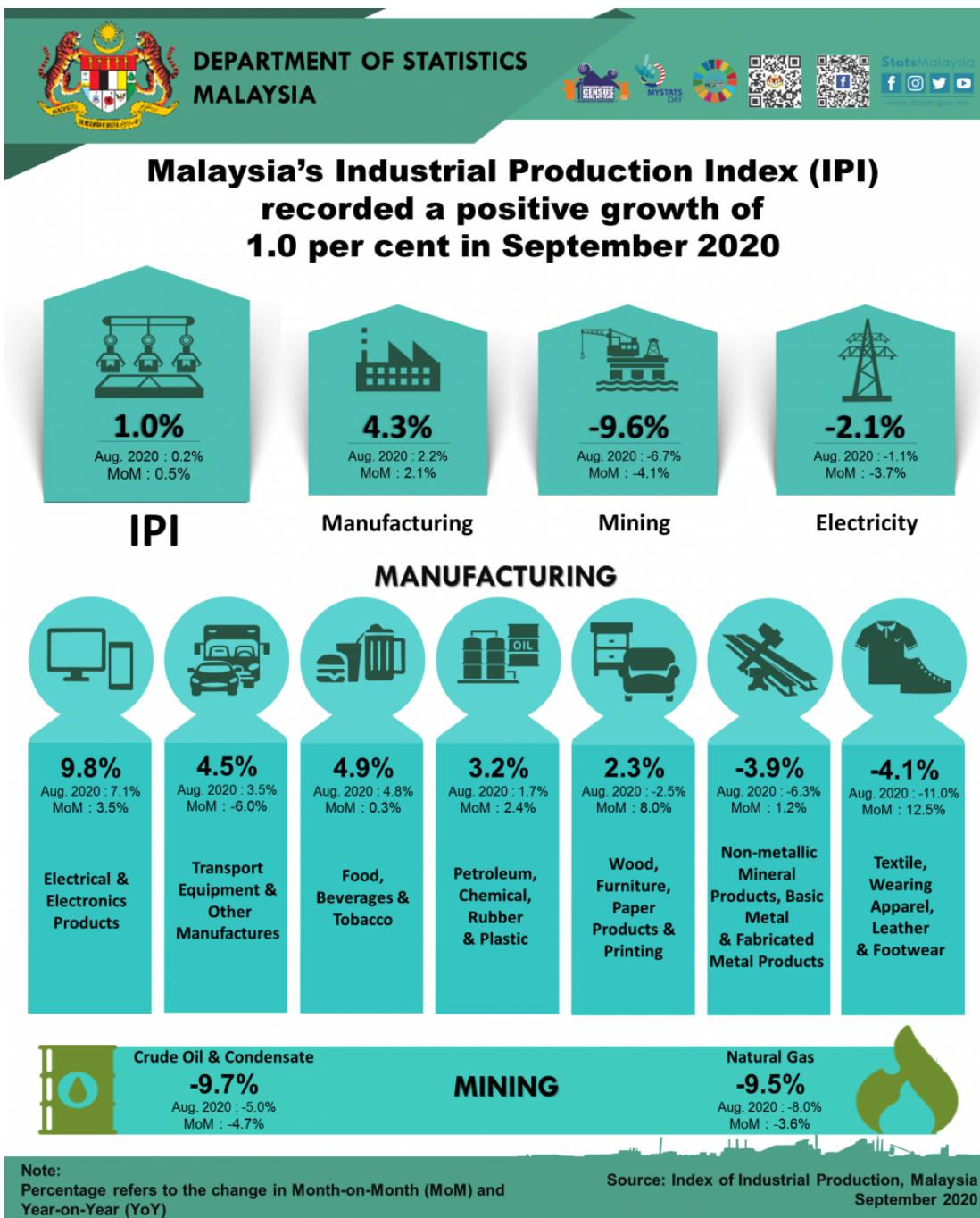




INDEX OF INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION, MALAYSIA SEPTEMBER 2020



Malaysia's Industrial Production Index (IPI) recorded a positive growth of 1.0 per cent in September 2020

The Industrial Production Index (IPI) increased **1.0 per cent** in September 2020 as compared to the same month of the previous year. The increment of IPI in September 2020 was driven by the positive growth of **4.3 per cent** in Manufacturing index. Meanwhile the Mining and Electricity index recorded a decrease of **9.6 per cent** and **2.1 per cent** respectively.

The Manufacturing sector output based on year-on-year comparison grew by **4.3 per cent** in September 2020 after recording a growth of 2.2 per cent in August 2020. The major sub-sectors contributing to the

growth in Manufacturing sector in September 2020 were Electrical & Electronics Products (**9.8%**), Food, Beverages & Tobacco (**4.9%**) and Petroleum, Chemical, Rubber & Plastic Products (**3.2%**).

The Mining sector output dropped **9.6 per cent** in September 2020 as compared to the same period of the previous year. The deterioration was due to the decrease in Crude Oil & Condensate index (**-9.7%**) and Natural Gas index (**-9.5%**).

The Electricity sector output decreased **2.1 per cent** in September 2020 as compared to the same month of the previous year.

The IPI for the third quarter 2020 recorded a growth of **0.8 per cent** as compared to the same period of the previous year. This increase was due to the increment of **3.1 per cent** in Manufacturing index. However, Mining and Electricity index recorded a decline of **6.5 per cent** and **2.8 per cent** respectively.

The full publication of the Industrial Production Index, September 2020 can be downloaded through [eStatistik](#) portal.

***Notes:**

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

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