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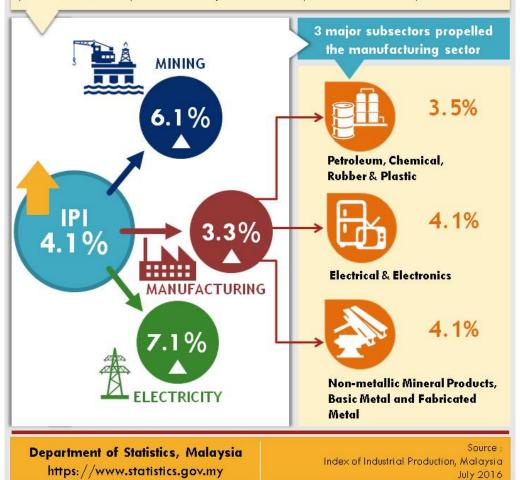
# INDEX OF INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION, MALAYSIA JULY 2016



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The Manufacturing sector output registered modest growth of **3.3**% in July 2016 after an increase of 4.7% recorded in June 2016. The major sub-sectors which recorded expansions in July 2016 were: Petroleum, Chemical, Rubber and Plastic Products (**3.5**%); Electrical and Electronics Products (**4.1**%) and Nonmetallic Mineral Products, Basic Metal and Fabricated Metal Products (**4.1**%).

The Mining sector output recorded a growth of **6.1**% in July 2016 after a 6.3% increase in June 2016. This expansion was contributed by the higher growth in Crude Oil index by **13.9**%. The Natural Gas index, however, declined by **2.7**%.

The Electricity sector output increased further by **7.1**% in July 2016 after registering a 8.7% expansion in June 2016.

#### \*Notes:

Data for July 2016 is **provisional**. The data wil be updated based on the latest available figures and subsequently published in the publication August 2016.

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