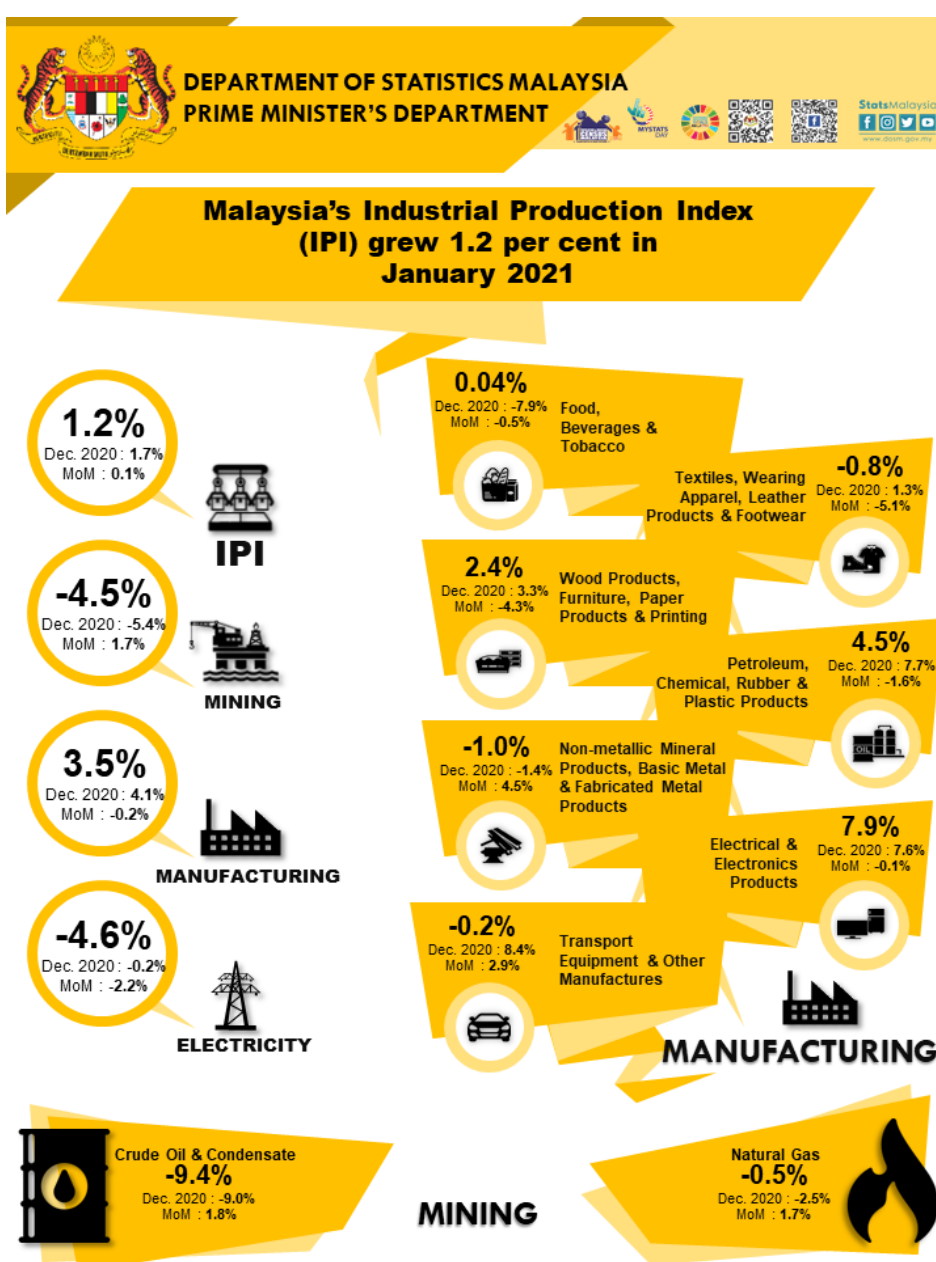




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 INDEX OF INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION, MALAYSIA
 JANUARY 2021*



Note:
 Percentage refers to the change in
 Month-on-Month (MoM) and Year-on-Year (YoY)

Source:
 Index of Industrial Production Malaysia, January 2021
 Department of Statistics Malaysia

Malaysia's Industrial Production Index (IPI) grew 1.2 per cent in January 2021

The Industrial Production Index (IPI) grew **1.2 per cent** in January 2021 as compared to the same month of the previous year. The growth of IPI in January 2021 was driven by the Manufacturing index with an increase of **3.5 per cent**. Meanwhile, Mining and Electricity index dropped **4.5 per cent** and **4.6 per cent** respectively.

The Manufacturing sector output based on year-on-year comparison rose by **3.5 per cent** in January 2021 after recording a growth of 4.1 per cent in December 2020. The major sub-sectors contributing to the growth in Manufacturing sector in January 2021 were Electrical & Electronics Products (**7.9%**), Petroleum, Chemical, Rubber & Plastic Products (**4.5%**) and Wood Products, Furniture, Paper Products & Printing (**2.4%**).

The Mining sector output dropped **4.5 per cent** in January 2021 as compared to the same period of the previous year. The deterioration was due to the decrease in Crude Oil & Condensate index (**-9.4%**) and Natural Gas index (**-0.5%**).

The Electricity sector output contracted **4.6 per cent** in January 2021 as compared to the same month of the previous year.




The full publication of the Industrial Production Index, January 2021 can be downloaded through [eStatistik](#) portal.

* Notes:

Data for January 2021 is **provisional**. The data will be updated based on the latest available figures and subsequently published in the February 2021 publication.

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