**Palestinian Central Bureau of Statistics (PCBS)**

**Increase in the Industrial Production Index (IPI) in Palestine during August, 08/2021**

The overall IPI in Palestine reached 114.96 during August 2021 with an increase of 14.47% compared to July 2021 (Base Year 2019 = 100).

IPI for August 2021 increased due to the increase in the **activities of** **Manufacturing Industry** by 15.62% which had a share of 87.89% of the total industry, the **activities of Electricity, Gas, Steam and Air Conditioning Supply** by 11.27% which had a share of 7.38% of the total industry, the **activities of Water Supply, Sewerage, Waste Management and Remediation** by 1.81% which had a share of 1.84% of the total industry, and the **activities of Mining and Quarrying** slightly increased by 0.04% which had a share of 2.89% of the total industry.

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