



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

**Increase in the Industrial Production
Index (IPI) in Palestine during March,
03/2021**

The overall IPI in Palestine reached 102.93 during March 2021 with an increase of 3.90% compared to February 2021 (Base Year 2019 = 100).

IPI for March 2021 increased due to the increase in the **activities of Mining and Quarrying** by 24.99% which had a share of 2.89% of the total industry, the **activities of Water Supply, Sewerage, Waste Management and Remediation** by 18.11% which had a share of 1.84% of the total industry, and the **activities of Manufacturing Industry** by 4.09% which had a share of 87.89% of the total industry, while the **activities of Electricity, Gas, Steam and Air Conditioning Supply** decreased by 6.78% which had a share of 7.38% of the total industry.

Notice:

1. The base year of Industrial Production Index has been updated to be 2019.

Please note that the press release in English is brief compared to the Arabic version.

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