# Palestinian Central Bureau of Statistics (PCBS)

**Increase in the Industrial Production Index (IPI) in Palestine during April,04/2019**

The overall IPI in Palestine reached 104.58 during April 2019 with an increase of 0.28% compared to March 2019 (Base Year 2018 = 100).

IPI for April 2019 increased due to the increase in the **activities of Mining and Quarrying** by 33.79% which had a share of 2.68% of the total industry, and the **activities of Water Supply, Sewerage, Waste Management and Remediation** by 0.39% which had a share of 2.39% of the total industry, while the **activities of Electricity, Gas, Steam and Air Conditioning Supply** decreasedby 4.22% which had a share of 11.95% of the total industry, and the **activities of** **Manufacturing Industry** decreased by 0.16% which had a share of 82.98% of the total industry.

**Note**:

* The base year of Industrial Production Index has been updated to be 2018.