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

**Decrease in the Industrial Production Index (IPI) in Palestine during**

 **September, 09/2021**

The overall IPI in Palestine reached 109.71 during September 2021 with a decrease of 4.57% compared to August 2021 (Base Year 2019 = 100).

IPI for September 2021 decreased due to the decrease in the **activities of Water Supply, Sewerage, Waste Management and Remediation** by 7.30% which had a share of 1.84% of the total industry, the **activities of Electricity, Gas, Steam and Air Conditioning Supply** by 5.23% which had a share of 7.38% of the total industry, and the **activities of** **Manufacturing Industry** by 4.66% which had a share of 87.89% of the total industry. While the **activities of Mining and Quarrying** increased by 4.96% which had a share of 2.89% of the total industry.

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