Palestinian Central Bureau of Statistics (PCBS)

Decrease in the Industrial Production Index (IPI) in Palestine during May, 05/2021

The overall IPI in Palestine reached 97.34 during May 2021 with a decrease of 4.94% compared to April 2021 (Base Year 2019 = 100).

IPI for May 2021 decreased due to the Decrease in the **activities of Water Supply, Sewerage, Waste Management and Remediation** by 12.20% which had a share of 1.84% of the total industry, the **activities of Manufacturing Industry** decreased by 4.97% which had a share of 87.89% of the total industry, and the **activities of Electricity, Gas, Steam and Air Conditioning Supply** by 4.50% which had a share of 7.38% of the total industry, While the **activities of Mining and Quarrying** increased by 3.02% which had a share of 2.89% of the total industry.

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