



Index of Industrial Production

"Manufacturing Sector" (2018=100)

Emirates of Dubai

2019



| Index of Industrial Production "Manufacturing Sector" 2019

The Dubai Statistics Center releases for the first time the preliminary results of the index of industrial production for the manufacturing sector for the year 2019, due to its constant desire and since its establishment to provide the economic social, and population statistical data necessary for decision makers, policy makers and those interested in studies of various forms.

The index of industrial production is concerned with studying changes in the volume of production domestically and that are dealt with in the markets, and the consequent identification of price trends and the quantities produced, so it is considered an important indicator in studying the development of changes in the added value of production during short periods. It is also considered an important indicator related to the performance of the economy, as it reflects the ability of national products to compete based on the commercial capabilities of the local economy, As the competitiveness of local products increases, the trade balance improves.

| Movement of Industrial production Index for manufacturing sector during 2019

The index of industrial production for the manufacturing sector for the year 2019 recorded a decrease of 0.46% compared to 2018, according to a report issued by the Dubai Statistics Center in the emirate with a new series based on 2018, starting in 2019. This is in accordance with the International Standard Industrial Classification ISIC 4 and based on the data gathered from the field survey of manufacturing sector establishments in the Emirate of Dubai, where the number of 167 facilities completed for the survey covering 24 major economic activities was limited to the second limit of the ISIC 4 classification and 74 economic activities on the fourth border. Where data is collected in the production of industry from establishments on a monthly basis to calculate indices and the data is published in the media and newspapers quarterly throughout the year.

The decline in industrial production index is due to a decrease in the production of other manufacturing by 20.37%, food products by 12.86%, other non-metallic mineral products by 9.23%, paper and paper products by 5.51%, basic metals by 4.16%, chemicals and chemical products by 4.05%, fabricated metal products except machinery and equipment by 3.84%, machinery and equipment not classified elsewhere by 3.73%, and basic pharmaceutical products by 2.76%, and textiles by 2.05%, and refined petroleum products by 0.22%.

On the other hand, some industries recorded an increase in their production compared to 2018, where the production of leather and related products 78.71%, motor vehicles, trailer and semi-trailers increased by 27.76%, other transportation equipment by 21.43%, furniture by 17.20%, repair and installation of machinery and equipment by 13.06%, wearing apparel by 12.48%, beverages by 9.68%, wood and products of wood and cork, except furniture by 7.08%, electrical equipment by 6.76%, tobacco products by 4.35%, rubber and plastics products by 4.14%, printing and reproduction of recorded media by 2.23%.

| Indices of industrial production and percent changes "Manufacturing sector" during 2019

(2018=100)

ISIC 4	Economic activity	Weight	Index of Industrial production 2019	Annual percentage change 2019
C	General index	100.00	99.54	-0.46
10	Food products	13.24	87.14	-12.86
11	Beverages	1.85	109.68	9.68
12	Tobacco products	1.30	104.35	4.35
13	Textiles	0.27	97.95	-2.05
14	Wearing apparel	2.56	112.48	12.48
15	Leather and related products	0.01	178.71	78.71
16	Wood and products of wood and cork, except furniture	1.56	107.08	7.08
17	Paper and paper products	1.55	94.49	-5.51
18	Printing and reproduction of recorded media	3.21	102.23	2.23
19	Refined petroleum products	12.44	99.78	-0.22
20	Chemicals and chemical products	7.76	95.95	-4.05
21	Basic pharmaceutical products and pharmaceutical preparations	0.23	97.24	-2.76
22	Rubber and plastics products	3.92	104.14	4.14
23	Other non-metallic mineral products	6.02	90.77	-9.23
24	Manufacture of basic metals	14.20	95.84	-4.16
25	Fabricated metal products, except machinery and equipment	10.47	96.16	-3.84
26	Computers, electronic and optical products	0.00	—	—
27	Electrical equipment	4.08	106.76	6.76
28	Machinery and equipment n.e.c.	4.73	96.27	-3.73
29	Motor vehicles, trailers and semi-trailers	1.24	127.76	27.76
30	Other transport equipment	1.38	121.43	21.43
31	Furniture	2.48	117.20	17.20
32	Other manufacturing	1.63	79.63	-20.37
33	Repair and installation of machinery and equipment	3.86	113.06	13.06