

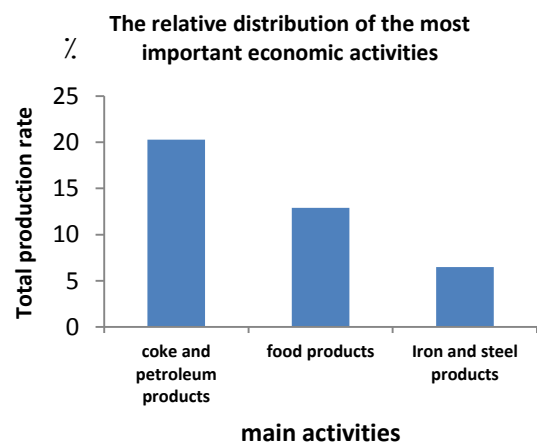


**5.6% an increase in the value of industrial production During the Third quarter (July / September) 2015 compared with the third quarter 2014**

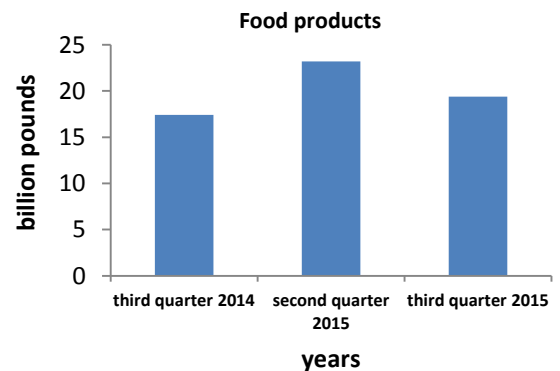
Central Agency for public mobilization and statistics(CAPMAS) issued on 23 /3 /2016 quarterly bulletin of industrial production public/ public business and private sector enterprises, 25 workers or more for the third quarter (July / September) 2015.

- Total industrial production value (without petroleum) reached 84.8billion pounds during the third quarter of 2015 compared to 93.9 billion pounds in the second quarter of 2015, an decrease of 9.2%, while the production value for the third quarter of 2014 (same quarter) was 80.4 billion pounds, an increase of 5.6%

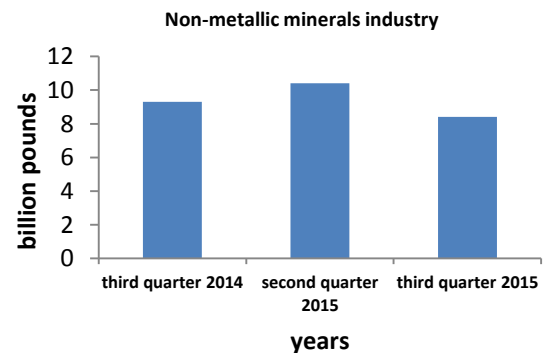
• Coke and Petroleum products activity represents most important economic activities which contribute by 20.4% of industrial production value, followed by food products industrial activity by 12.9%, iron and steel industrial activity by 5.9%.□



- The total production value for food products manufacture reached 19.4 billion pounds for the third quarter of 2015 compared to 23.2 billion pounds, for the second quarter of 2015, a decrease of 16.2% because of the seasonal of sugar companies, decreasing the supplies of crude oil to the labs of Refining edible oils, and the decreasing of the supplies of the wheat to the mills. while the production value reached 17.4 billion pounds for the third quarter of 2014, an increase of 11.8%



- The total production value for manufacture of the Non-metallic (Bricks, glass, and cement) minerals industry reached 8.4 billion pounds for the third quarter of 2015 compared to 10.4 billion pounds for the second quarter of 2015, an decrease of 18.9%, while the production value reached 9.3 billion pounds for the third quarter of 2014, a decrease of 9.3% due to the stability of cement prices Since the beginning of the year, so the companies reduce their production.



- The total production value of the iron and steel industry reached 8.9billion pounds for the third quarter of 2015 compared to 10.3 billion pounds in the second quarter of 2015, decrease of 13.5%, while the production value reached 9.1 billion pounds for the third quarter of 2014,a decrease of 1.5%because of making rehabilitation for some factories.

