

Press Release Central Agency for Public Mobilization And Statistics

0.84 % Increase in Manufacturing and extractive index during November 2020

Central Agency for public Mobilization and Statistics (CAPMAS) issued on 20 /1/2021 a press release of primary data of manufacturing and extractive industries of production index of November 2020.

CAPMAS has updated the index methodology using the base year 2012/2013 and at the level of main divisions of industrial activity according to Industrial Activity Manual (ISIC Rev.4) and by using the monthly figure (for producer prices based on 2012/2013).

Manufacturing and extractive industries index (excluding crude oil and petroleum products) reached 97.76 during November 2020 (primary) compared to 96.94 during

Manufacturing and Extractive Index (excluding petroluem) from November 2019 to November 2020



October 2020 (final) an increase by $0.84\ \%$.

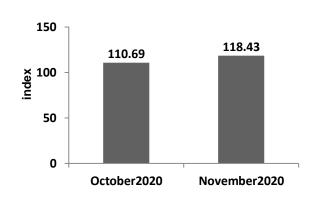
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Economic Activities that witness an increase are as followed:



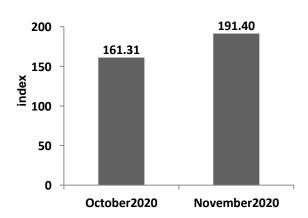
Manufacture of basic pharmaceutical products and its preparations

 Manufacture of basic pharmaceutical products and its preparations reached 118.43 during November 2020, compared to October 2020, reaching 110.69 an increase by 7.00%, due to Increasing demand for medicine, industrial detergents and disinfectants as a result of Corona pandemic.



Manufacture of other mining and quarrying

 The manufacture of other mining and quarrying reached 191.40 during November 2020, compared to October 2020, reaching 161.31, an increase by 18.65% due to the increased demand for salts and minerals in line with the repercussions of Corona.



A decrease in the level of the following economic activities:

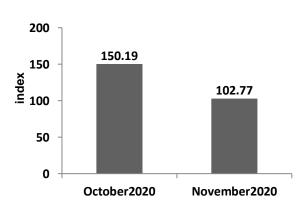


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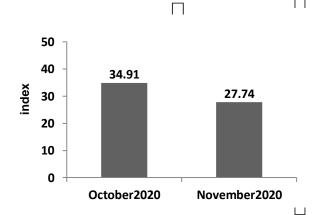
${\bf Manufacture\ of\ beverages}$

 Manufacture of beverages reached 102.77 during November 2020, compared to October 2020, reaching 150.19 a decrease by 31.58 %, due to due to lower demand with the entry of the winter season.



Manufacture of coke

 Manufacture of coke reached 27.74 during November 2020, compared to October 2020, reaching 34.91, a decrease by 20.54% due to a shortage of raw materials.



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