

Selected Statistics for the Industrial Sector (except Mining and Quarrying) in 2018

HK\$ million (unless otherwise specified)

Industry grouping	Number of establishments	Number of persons engaged	Sales and other receipts	Compensation of employees ⁽¹⁾	Operating expenses ⁽²⁾	Gross surplus	Value added
Manufacturing	7 411 (-2.7)	89 696 (-2.3)	232,063 (+2.6)	22,534 (+2.7)	194,767 (+2.7)	14,762 (+0.1)	35,529 (+2.6)
Food, beverages and tobacco	1 060 (+11.5)	33 751 (+0.8)	44,156 (+2.6)	7,483 (+5.7)	31,276 (+2.2)	5,398 (+0.6)	11,591 (+4.8)
Textiles and wearing apparel	648 (-11.2)	4 907 (-11.4)	4,097 (-11.2)	954 (-3.4)	2,817 (-13.2)	326 (-14.1)	1,189 (-13.2)
Paper products, printing and reproduction of recorded media	1 907 (-4.9)	12 773 (-4.6)	12,535 (+0.6)	2,617 (-3.4)	8,926 (+2.5)	992 (-4.7)	3,628 (-3.2)
Chemicals, rubber, plastics and non-metallic mineral products	666 (-2.0)	10 343 (+0.4)	24,662 (+1.9)	3,087 (+5.6)	17,988 (+0.7)	3,586 (+5.3)	6,282 (+3.5)
Metal products, machinery and equipment	1 627 (-2.9)	18 818 (-3.3)	125,992 (+3.1)	6,238 (+0.2)	116,802 (+3.3)	2,952 (+4.2)	9,232 (+4.2)
Electrical, electronic and optical products	190 (-8.7)	3 356 (-8.6)	5,963 (-1.6)	938 (-0.7)	4,594 (-2.3)	431 (+4.1)	1,345 (-0.2)
Other manufacturing industries	1 313 (-3.7)	5 749 (-3.4)	14,659 (+6.8)	1,216 (+12.1)	12,365 (+9.0)	1,077 (-17.3)	2,264 (+3.8)
Electricity and gas supply	10 (+25.0)	7 833 (-0.3)	65,756 (+5.2)	5,223 (+2.3)	32,509 (+9.6)	28,024 (+1.0)	34,583 (+1.5)
Sewerage, waste management and remediation activities	326 (+5.2)	3 857 (+4.7)	5,115 (+20.6)	961 (+18.3)	3,336 (+23.0)	818 (+14.1)	1,667 (+17.6)

Notes: Figures in brackets represent percentage changes in 2018 compared with 2017.

Percentage changes are derived from unrounded figures.

Because of rounding, the sum of individual items may not be exactly equal to the corresponding total.

(1) Compensation of employees includes wages and salaries as well as payments in kind and employer's social security expenditure such as contributions to Mandatory Provident Fund schemes and premiums for employee's compensation insurance.

(2) Operating expenses include consumption of materials and supplies, rent and rates for land and buildings, interest payments, payments for repair and maintenance services, transport and travelling expenses, communications expenses, insurance premiums, entertainment expenses, accounting fees and other expenses for business services, etc. Provision, gain/loss on disposal of fixed assets, bad debts, penalties, write-off, donations to charities, insurance excesses, depreciation, amortisation and taxation payments are not included in operating expenses.