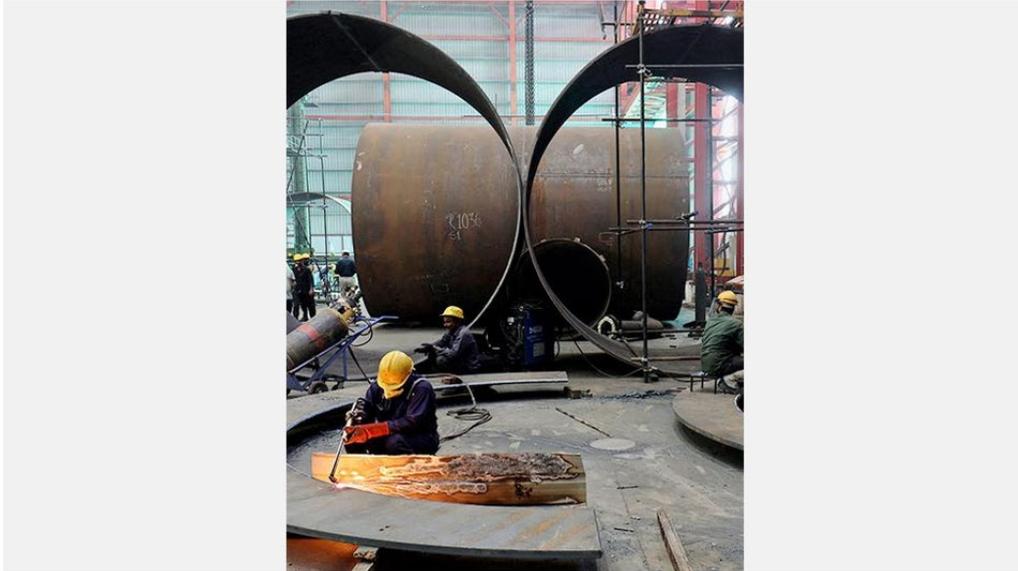


Industrial production index growth slows to three-month low of 4.8%, dragged by slowdown across sectors

The only broad sector in the IIP to show growth was infrastructure, which quickened to 13.7% in January 2026, the highest since August 2023

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the manufacturing sector saw growth slow to 4.8% in January 2026 from 8% in December 2025 and 5.8% in January 2025. File | Photo Credit: Reuters

Brickwork Ratings said India's industrial production growth slowed to a three-month low in January, with moderating output across manufacturing, mining and capital goods reflecting weakening demand momentum. Slower expansion in consumer and intermediate goods segments highlighted uneven recovery dynamics in the economy. Vikrant Chaturvedi, Associate Director – Research at Brickwork Ratings, noted that subdued domestic demand and global uncertainties could keep near-term industrial performance under pressure despite pockets of strength.