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GDP (q/q seasonally adjusted) 8 December 2020

Real gross domestic product (production) at market prices by increased by 66.1% quarter on quarter in Q3 2020, seasonally adjusted and annualized, from a revised -51.7% in Q2 2020.

Seasonally Adjusted Real Annualised	**Change in GDP**			
Previous Quarter (percentage)	**2019**		**2020**	
	Q4	**Q1**	**Q2**	**Q3**
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	-7.6	35.9	19.6	**18.5**
Mining and quarring	1.8	-21.5	-72.0	**288.3**
Manufacturing	1.8	-8.5	-74.9	**210.2**
Electricity, gas and water	-4.0	-5.6	-36.4	**58.0**
Construction	-5.9	-4.7	-76.5	**71.1**
Wholesale and retail trade, hotels, restaurants	-3.8	-0.7	-67.6	**137.0**
Transport, storage and communication	-7.2	0.5	-69.4	**79.3**
Finance, real estate and services	2.7	3.7	-34.2	**16.5**
General government	-0.4	1.2	-1.0	**0.9**
Personal services	0.7	0.5	-32.7	**38.6**
Total value added	-1.3	-1.6	-50.5	**64.4**
Taxes less subsidies	-3.0	-2.9	-63.2	**86.1**
GDP at market prices	-1.4	-1.7	-51.7	**66.1**

Source: Statssa

- Manufacturing increased by 210.2%, all ten manufacturing divisions reported positive growth rates in the third quarter
- Mining and quarring increased by 288.3%, owing to easing of lockdown restrictions, higher production in platinum group metals
- Transport, storage and communication industry increased by 79.3%, as a result of increases in land transport, air transport and transport services
- Trade catering and accommodation industry increased by 137%, increased economic activity in the wholesale-, retail-, motor trade, catering
- Construction increased by 71.1%, increases for residential buildings, non-residential buildings and construction works

Source: http://www.statssa.gov.za/