Construction activity

III quarter of 2020

The value of finalised construction works in the III quarter of 2020 is lower for 9.6% compared with the III quarter of 2019, while it is 13.7% higher compared with the II quarter of 2020.

Effective hours worked on construction site in the III quarter of 2020 are lower for 7.6% compared with the III quarter of 2019, while it is 4.3% higher compared with the II quarter of 2020.

Graph 1. Indices of construction work values and effective hours worked, 2015=100

Table 1. Indices of construction activities, III quarter 2020

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<th>Indicators</th>
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<td>Value of finalised construction works</td>
<td>273.3</td>
<td>90.4</td>
<td>113.7</td>
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<tr>
<td>Effective hours worked on construction sites</td>
<td>160.9</td>
<td>92.4</td>
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1 More detailed data on construction activity are available at the following link: Data
METHODOLOGICAL EXPLANATIONS

The presented data are collected through survey on construction activity (GRADJ-31). The survey is realised on a sample basis. The frame for a sample is enterprises with 5 and more employees who are in a Statistical Business register according to the Classification of activities classified in sector F – Construction, as well as companies (KAU) whose business units engaged in construction works. Survey covers all large and medium enterprises (class 2 and 3), while small enterprises (class 1) is selected by random simple sample.

Value of finalised construction works are including: material costs, labour costs, demolition and preparation of field, installation costs, general costs and profit. The value does not include expenses of buying the land, engineering, monitoring and VAT. The data on value of finalised construction work refer to works performed in the reporting period on finished and unfinished constructions. The value of finalised construction works is expressed in current prices.

Effective hours worked presents hours actually worked by workers engaged at the construction sites during regular working hours, as well as overtime work.

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