

Index numbers of construction and assembly production in February 2020¹

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According to preliminary data construction and assembly production (in constant prices) carried out domestically by construction enterprises employing more than 9 persons was in February 2020 by 5.5% higher than a year before (against an increase by 15.1% the year before) and by 14.1% higher compared with January 2020 (against an increase by 15.1% the year before).

Table 1. Index numbers of construction and assembly production (constant prices)

SPECIFICATION	II 2020		I-II 2020 ²
	l 2020=100	II 2019=100	l 2020=100
CONSTRUCTION	114.1	105.5	108.3
Construction of buildings [△]	115.7	97.9	103.2
Civil engineering works ^A	112.7	109.9	111.8
Specialised construction activities	113.8	111.7	111.6

[△]Abbreviated form according PKD 2007.

In comparison to February 2019 an increase in the value of construction and assembly production was recorded in entities performing specialised construction activities (11.7%) and whose basic type of activity were civil engineering works (9.9%). The value of construction and assembly was lower in entities dealing mainly with construction of buildings (2.1%).

In February this year in comparison to February 2019 the highest increase in the value of construction and assembly production was noted among entities performing specialised construction activities

¹ Reported data; comprise enterprises employing over 9 persons, whose the main type of activity is included in the section F "Construction" in accordance with the Polish Classification of Activities (PKD 2007).

² Data including final information on production and prices in January and reported data in February.

Compared with January 2020, an increase in the value of works carried out were noted in all divisions of construction, i.e. in entities whose basic type of activity was construction of buildings by 15.7%, in entities performing specialised construction activities by 13.8% and in whose basic type of activity were civil engineering works by 12.7%.

In the period January-February 2020 the highest increase in the value of construction and assembly production (11.8%) was recorded in entities whose basic type of activity were civil engineering works. Increases were also noted in entities performing specialised construction activities (11.6%) and dealing mainly with construction of buildings (3.2%).

Value of construction and assembly production including investment works in February 2020 was by 5.1% higher than in the corresponding period of 2019 (against an increase by 18.0% in the year before), whereas works with a restoration character increased by 6.1% (an increase by 10.1% the year before).

In the period January-February 2020 an increase in the value of investment works and works with a restoration character was by 8.3% higher than in the corresponding period of 2019 (against corresponding increases by 6.9% and 11.2% in 2019).

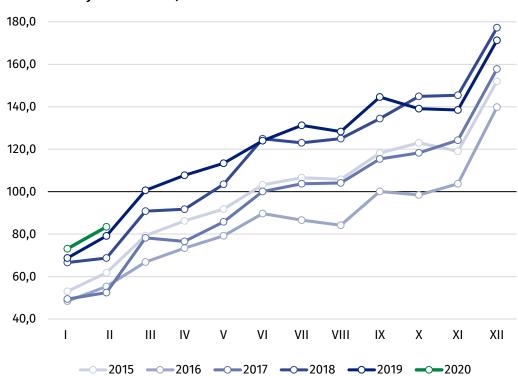


Chart 1. Index numbers of construction and assembly production (constant prices; average monthly base 2015=100)³

Index number of construction and assembly production in February 2020 (in constant prices) compared to the average monthly value of 2015 was 83.4.

After eliminating the seasonal factors, construction and assembly production reached the level by 5.8% higher than in February 2019 and by 3.3% in comparison to January 2020.

³ Reported data for February 2020.

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Sale of construction and assembly production

Seasonally unadjusted index of sale of construction and assembly production in constant prices

Seasonally adjusted index of sale of construction and assembly production

Sale of construction works with an investment character

Sale of construction works with a restoration character and other works