

STATISTICS OF WARSAW



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LABOUR MARKET

Average employment in Warsaw in enterprise sector in March 2016 amounted to 985.5 thousand people and was by 2.0 thousand people, i.e. 0.2% higher than in February 2016, and by 24.6 thousand people, i.e. 2.6% higher compared with March 2015.

At the end of March 2016 the number of **registered unemployed persons** equated to 40179 and was lower by 760 persons, i.e. 1.9% than at the end of February 2016 and by 8364 persons, i.e. 17.2% lower than during the similar period of the year 2015.

The number of **unemployed women** amounted to 19423 which constituted 48.3% of all unemployed residents (in the previous month 48.1% and in the previous year 47.6%).

The registered unemployment rate equaled 3.4% (in the previous month 3.5% and in the previous year 4.2%).

TRADE

Retail sales in trade and non-trade enterprises in March 2016 (in current prices) was by 10.9% higher than in February 2016 and by 5.1% lower compared with March 2015.

Wholesale in trade enterprises in March 2016 (in current prices) increased by 18.0% as compared with the previous month and by 8.1% as compared with March 2015; in wholesale enterprises it was higher by 18.4% and 3.7% respectively.

INDUSTRY AND CONSTRUCTION

Sold production of industry in March 2016 amounted to (in current prices) 9447.9 mln zł (2213.5 mln EUR¹) and was higher by 1.2% (in constant prices) compared with March 2015.

In January to March 2016 sold production of industry reached 27293.0 mln zł (6394.2 mln EUR¹) (in current prices) and was (in constant prices) higher by 2.0% compared with the same period of 2015.

Sold production of construction in March 2016 stood at (in current prices) 2627.7 mln zł (615.6 mln EUR¹) and compared with February 2016 increased by 22.4%, and compared with the same period of the previous year it was by 16.5% higher.

In January–March 2016 sold production of construction reached 6949.6 mln zł (1628.2 mln EUR¹), i.e. by 13.7% higher than over the same period of 2015.

WAGES AND SALARIES

Average monthly gross wages and salaries in enterprise sector in March 2016 amounted to 5896.93 zł (1381.5 EUR¹) and were 7.9% higher than in February 2016, and 4.8% higher than in the similar period of 2015.

HOUSING CONSTRUCTION

According to preliminary data, 4876 dwellings were completed in Warsaw in January-March 2016 (89.3% more than in the same period of 2015).

In January-March 2016 construction of 3606 dwellings was initiated (75.6% more than during the similar period of 2015).

¹ Average monthly exchange rate for the end of March 2016 as published by the National Bank of Poland 1 EUR = 4.2684 zł

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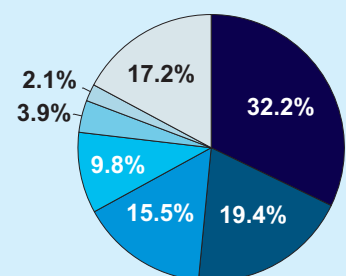
April 11 National Unemployment Day

An average unemployed Warsaw resident is male aged 35–33 years and has higher education, he has been out of work for over 24 months and his work seniority is up to 1 year.

Amount of Labour Fund expenditures in Warsaw amounted to 107.5 mln zł, whereas majority of expenditures was spend on unemployment benefits – 67.7%.

Labour Fund expenditures on employment promotion in 2015

30.1 mln zł



- internships
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CULTURE

In Warsaw there are numerous institutions enabling inhabitants and visitors to participate in the capital city's cultural and artistic life.

Cinemas are the most popular among the institutions of culture. At the end of 2014, in Warsaw there were 27 permanent cinemas with 139 screens and 29.1 thousand seats. The offer of the cinemas attracted 6552.6 thousand viewers (195.0 thousand, i.e. 3.1% more than in 2013); there were 237.1 thousand screenings (5.4 thousand, i.e. 2.2% less than in the preceding year).

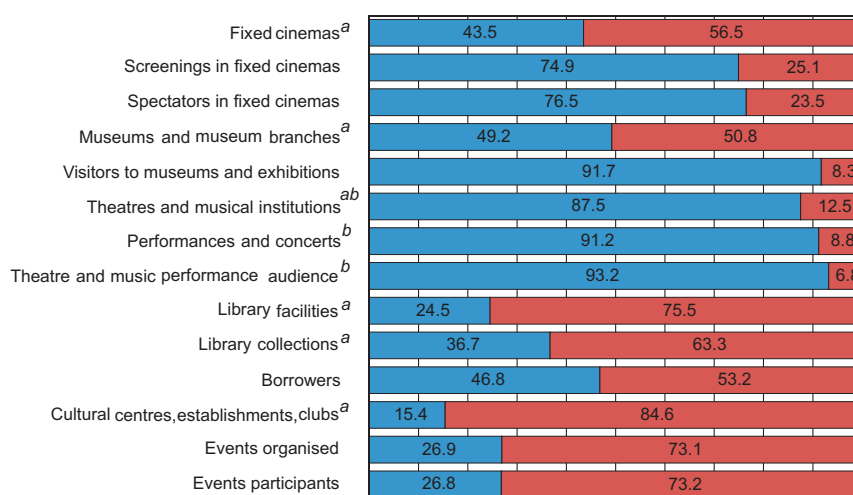
Also museums were very popular. In 2014, in Warsaw there were 59 museums and museum branches. They were visited by 8276.3 thousand persons, of which 5636.4 thousand – for free (a year earlier 7933.8 thousand and 5314.4 thousand respectively). Almost 10.5% of the total number of visitors were school youth in organised groups.

In 2014, in Warsaw there were 35 theatres and musical institutions, which organised 12.7 thousand performances. Theatre spectators and concert audience equalled 3225.0 thousand in 2014 (108.7 thousand, i.e. 3.5% more than a year earlier).

As of December, 31 2014 in Warsaw there were 196 public libraries (including branches) and 74 library service points; their total collection amounted to 6447.7 volumes. In these library facilities there were 449.6 thousand registered borrowers (a decrease by 3.6 thousand, i.e. 0.8% in comparison with 2013), and the number of library loans equated to 6373.9 thousand items (333.5 thousand, i.e. 5.0% less than in the previous year).

Social and cultural activities targeted at wide public are run by cultural centres, establishments, clubs and community centres. These institutions organise i.a.: speeches, lectures, shows by professional artists, amateur performances, theatre performances, exhibitions, competitions, excursions, sports and recreation events, film screenings. In 2014, in Warsaw functioned 23 cultural centres, 18 cultural establishments and 2 culture and art clubs. These institutions organized in total 5.6 thousand events, with 1006.9 thousand participants; a year earlier – 5.3 thousand events with 860.6 thousand participants.

Cultural institutions and their activities – share (in %) of capital city of Warsaw in Mazowieckie voivodship in 2014



^a As of 31 December

^b By official location of the institution