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LABOUR MARKET

Average employment in Warsaw in enterprise sector in September 2016 amounted to 998.1 thousand people and was by 2.3 thousand people higher than in August 2016, and by 34.1 thousand people higher compared with September 2015.

At the end of September 2016 the number of **registered unemployed persons** equated to 35590 and was lower by 795 persons, i.e. 2.2% than at the end of August 2016 and by 7459 persons, i.e. 17.3% lower than during the similar period of the year 2015.

The number of **unemployed women** amounted to 17902 which constituted 50.3% of all unemployed residents (in the previous month 50.5% and in the previous year 48.8%).

The registered unemployment rate equaled 3.0% (3.0% in August 2016 and 3.7% in September 2015).

TRADE

Retail sales in trade and non-trade enterprises in September 2016 (in current prices) was by 1.6% lower than in August 2016 and by 2.0% higher compared with September 2015.

Wholesale in trade enterprises in September 2016 (in current prices) increased by 11.8% as compared with the previous month and by 11.8% as compared with September 2015; in wholesale enterprises it was higher by 9.5% and by 9.4% respectively.

INDUSTRY AND CONSTRUCTION

Sold production of industry in September 2016 amounted to (in current prices) 9178.3 mln zł (2128.5 mln EUR¹) and was higher by 1.2% (in constant prices) compared with September 2015.

In January to September 2016 sold production of industry reached 78223.2 mln zł (18140.8 mln EUR¹) (in current prices) and was (in constant prices) higher by 3.3% compared with the same period of 2015.

Sold production of construction in September 2016 stood at (in current prices) 3810.1 mln zł (883.6 mln EUR¹) and was by 31.8% higher than in August 2016 and by 19.6% higher than over the same period of the previous year.

In January–September 2016 sold production of industry reached 28894.4 mln zł (6700.9 mln EUR¹), i.e. by 12.2% higher than over the same period of 2015.

WAGES AND SALARIES

Average monthly gross wages and salaries in enterprise sector in September 2016 amounted to 5378.29 zł (1247.3 EUR¹) and were 0.1% higher than in August 2016, and 2.4% higher than in the similar period of 2015.

HOUSING CONSTRUCTION

According to preliminary data, 14915 dwellings were completed in Warsaw in January–September 2016 (56.1% more than in the same period of 2015).

In January–September 2016 construction of 15377 dwellings was initiated (6.7% more than during the similar period of 2015).

¹ Average monthly exchange rate for the end of September 2016 as published by the National Bank of Poland 1 EUR = 4.3120 zł

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14 OCTOBER NATIONAL EDUCATION DAY

National Education Day commonly referred to as Teacher's Day is a Polish national celebration of education and higher education. It was established on 27th April 1972 as Teacher's Day, then in 1982 renamed for National Education Day.

- At the end of 2015 there were 78 339 persons employed in education sector, by 2.0% more compared with 2014.
- Average monthly gross wages and salaries in 2015 amounted for 4723.22 zł and were by 4.8% higher than in 2014.
- The majority of teachers were employed in higher education institutions (15 661), the least of them were employed at basic vocational schools (297).
- Females in pre-primary education facilities represented the most numerous group among teachers (98.7%); while the least numerous group in higher education institutions (41.4%).
- Academic teachers employed as professors represented 26.2% of total persons employed in higher education institutions.
- The majority of teaching staff were teachers with diploma (33.1%).
- The highest number of students per 1 teacher was observed at post-secondary schools (36.3), while the lowest in basic vocational schools (8.0).

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In the school year 2015/16 in Warsaw there were 926 pre-primary education facilities, including nursery schools, pre-primary education complexes, pre-primary points and pre-primary sections in primary schools. Pre-primary education covered 64 107 children, i.e. by 7.5% less than in the previous year. Nursery schools accounted for 74.7% of all facilities by offering 65 629 places. The average number of children per 1 nursery school was 84.

In the school year 2015/16 primary education for children was organised in 330 establishments, attended by 112 997 children. The number of pupils in primary schools in Warsaw has increased by 10.5% in comparison with the preceding year. In lower secondary schools for children and youth (241 establishments) the number of students increased to 41 455 in the school year 2015/16 (increase by 5.7% in relation to the previous year).

After finishing lower secondary school, the youth continue education in a variety of schools. In the school year 2015/16 in Warsaw there were 233 establishments for graduates of lower secondary schools (excluding post-secondary schools); in 136 general secondary schools there were 36 948 students, i.e. by 0.8% less than in the school year 2014/15; and in 54 technical secondary schools – 16 620 students, i.e. by 1.2% more.

In the academic year 2015/16 in 76 higher education institutions^a located in Warsaw there were 250 312 students; of the total number of students the majority were females (56.3%). Out of the total number of students, 149 225 people, i.e. 59.6% attended full-time programmes. Women also prevailed among the full-time students (55.6%).

The number of foreigners studying in Warsaw's higher education institutions has been increasing. In the 2015/16 academic year 16 628 foreigners studied in Warsaw. Among them, the most popular institutions were academies of economics and universities (chosen by, respectively, 40.7% and 14.4% of all foreign students). In the population of foreign students women prevailed slightly (52.0%). The majority of foreigners came from European countries, mostly from Ukraine and Belarus.

In Warsaw's higher education institutions there were 3 236 students with disability, among them the largest number attended universities – 26.9% of the total number.

In the academic year 2014/15 higher education institutions^a had 60 815 graduates with a decisive majority of women (63.4%). The proportion of foreigners among all graduates was 3.2%. Graduates of full-time programmes constituted 54.5% of all graduates and of part-time studies – 45.5%.

a Including academies of the Ministry of National Defence and the Ministry of Interior.

CHILDREN ATTENDING NURSERY SCHOOLS PER 1 NURSERY SCHOOL IN THE 2015/16 SCHOOL YEAR

