STATISTICS OF WARSAW



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LABOUR MARKET

Average employment in Warsaw in enterprise sector in February 2017 amounted to 1032.6 thousand people and was by 3.3 thousand people higher than in January 2017, and by 49.2 thousand people higher compared with February 2016.

At the end of February 2017 the number of **registered unemployed persons** equated to 33899 and was lower by 381 persons, i.e. 1.1% than at the end of January 2017 and by 7040 persons, i.e. 17.2% lower than during the similar period of the year 2016.

The number of **unemployed women** amounted to 16834 which constituted 49.7% of all unemployed residents (in the previous month 49.8% and in the previous year 48.1%).

The registered unemployment rate equaled 2.8% (2.8% in January 2017 and 3.4% in February 2016).

TRADE

Retail sales in trade and non–trade enterprises in February 2017 (in current prices) was by 4.5% lower than in January 2017 and by 4.6% higher compared with February 2016.

Wholesale in trade enterprises in February 2017 (in current prices) increased by 4.3% as compared with the previous month and increased by 12.1% as compared with February 2016; in wholesale enterprises it was higher by 0.4% and 7.5% respectively.

INDUSTRY AND CONSTRUCTION

Sold production of industry in February 2017 amounted to (in current prices) 8703.3 mln zl (2016.2 mln EUR¹) and was lower by 0.1% (in constant prices) compared with February 2016.

In January to February 2017 sold production of industry reached 18286.5 mln zl (4236.3 mln EUR¹) (in current prices) and was (in constant prices) higher by 5.4% compared with the same period of 2016.

Sold production of construction in February 2017 stood at (in current prices) 2130.2 mln zl (493.5 mln EUR¹) and was by 15.3% higher than in January 2017 and by 0.8% lower than over the same period of the previous year.

In January–February 2017 sold production of construction reached 4038.3 mln zl (935.5 mln EUR¹), i.e. by 1.4% lower than over the same period of 2016.

WAGES AND SALARIES

Average monthly gross wages and salaries in enterprise sector in February 2017 amounted to 5612.75 zl (1300.3 EUR¹) and were 1.5% higher than in January 2017, and 2.7% higher than in the similar period of 2016.

HOUSING CONSTRUCTION

According to preliminary data, 2976 dwellings were completed in Warsaw in January–February 2017 (3.8% more than in the same period of 2016).

In January–February 2017 construction of 1957 dwellings was initiated (22.8% less than during the similar period of 2016).

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March 8 International Women's Day

International Women's Day is celebrated on March 8 every year. It was established in 1910.

At the end of June 2016 there were 945.9 thous. women living in Warsaw representing 54.1% of total population. The number of women compared to the same period of 2015 increased by 0.5%.

- There were 118 women per 100 men.
- Median age of women amounted to 42.7 years.
- In the first half of 2016, 10306 children
 were born, of these 5042 were girls.
- A girl born in 2015 will live 82.3 years on average, i.e. by 6.2 years longer than a boy.
- Median age of mothers was 31.8 years,
 of these giving birth for the first time was
 30.4 years.
- At the end of 2016 from the total unemployed women the majority were 35-44 years old (29.7%) and had higher education (36.1%).
- The highest share of female students in the total number of students, by type of school, was in teacher education schools (93.0%), and the lowest in technical universities (34.2%).

¹ Average monthly exchange rate for the end of February 2017 as published by the National Bank of Poland 1 EUR = 4.3166 zl.

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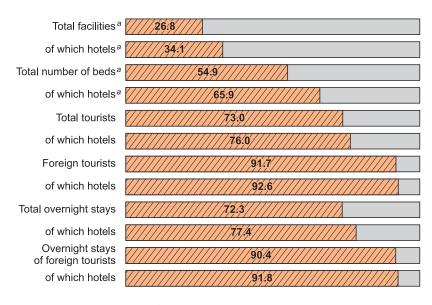
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TOURISM IN 2016

As a capital city and a business, financial, educational, political and cultural centre of Poland, Warsaw is a popular destination for domestic and foreign tourists. Due to its functions the city offers well developed and diversified accommodation.

Tourist accommodation establishments in Warsaw and their share (%) in total tourist accommodation in the Mazowieckie voivodship in 2014



a As of 31 July.

According to the initial data there were 132 tourist accommodation establishments with 27,200 bed places in Warsaw at the end of July 2016. Most of them were hotels – 79 properties constituted 59.8% of accommodation supply in Warsaw. Hotels offered 84.2% of bed places in Warsaw. Occupancy of bed places in accommodation establishments amounted to 54.9% and in hotels 58.3%.

3,194,100 guests stayed in tourist accommodation establishments in Warsaw in 2016 (6.1% more than in 2015). It corresponded to 73.0% of tourists visiting the Mazowieckie voivodship. 1,251,100 guests of Warsaw tourist accommodation establishments came from abroad (growth by 8.2% in comparison to 2015). Most of them came from Europe (850,000, that is 67.9% of all foreign tourists). This group was dominated by tourists from the United Kingdom (113,700), Germany (107,200) France (66,700) and Spain (63,100). Warsaw attracted also guests from beyond Europe: the USA (106,500), Israel (61,400), China (32,900) and Japan (28,800). The majority of foreign tourists (94,0%) preferred hotel accommodation.

Tourists visiting Warsaw in 2016 spent here 5,426,600 nights, that is 5.1% more than in the preceding year. Number of overnight stays by overseas tourists reached 2,318,200 (growth by 7,6% than in 2015), that is 42.7% of all tourist overnight stays in Warsaw. The average length of stay in Warsaw remained at the same level than in the preceding year and was 1.7 days, whereas in case of foreign tourists 1.9 days.