

## 8.2 Construction indicators

	2022	2023	2024	1Q2024	2Q2024	3Q2024	4Q2024	Sep 2024	Oct 2024	Nov 2024	Dec 2024	Jan 2025	Feb 2025
	Percentage changes from previous year, value												
<b>Short Term Statistics<sup>1</sup></b>													
<b>Production</b>													
Total construction	+ 10.3	- 0.2	.	- 8.2	- 2.3	+ 0.4	.	- 0.3	+ 3.5	- 1.9	.	.	.
Building construction	+ 7.4	- 8.3	.	- 14.8	- 6.9	- 4.2	.	- 1.0	- 5.1	- 6.3	.	.	.
Civil engineering	+ 10.0	- 4.5	.	- 4.3	- 0.1	+ 3.4	.	+ 1.3	+ 7.4	+ 7.6	.	.	.
Specialised construction activities	+ 12.5	+ 6.3	.	- 5.5	- 0.1	+ 2.2	.	- 0.3	+ 7.3	- 2.0	.	.	.
Order backlog, total construction	+ 8.1	- 4.9	.	+ 7.6	+ 13.8	+ 17.5	.	+ 19.5	+ 18.2	+ 19.6	.	.	.
New orders, total construction	- 6.9	- 4.6	.	+ 3.4	+ 2.6	+ 4.8	.	+ 8.9	+ 5.3	+ 9.6	.	.	.
<b>Labour Market</b>													
Employees	+ 1.5	- 0.2	- 2.9	- 3.0	- 2.9	- 3.2	- 2.4	- 2.8	- 3.0	- 3.6	- 0.1	.	.
Unemployed	- 12.8	+ 5.8	+ 8.6	+ 9.3	+ 19.9	+ 13.5	- 0.8	+ 13.5	+ 7.2	+ 5.0	- 5.5	.	.
Vacancies	+ 3.1	- 26.5	- 20.1	- 29.0	- 25.0	- 15.2	- 4.4	- 10.5	- 2.1	- 6.2	- 5.6	+ 0.1	- 6.6
<b>Construction Price Index</b>													
Building construction and civil engineering	+ 9.8	+ 5.1	+ 1.3	+ 2.0	+ 0.8	+ 1.2	+ 1.2	.	.	.	.	.	.
Building construction	+ 15.5	+ 7.5	+ 1.6	+ 2.5	+ 0.9	+ 1.4	+ 1.6	.	.	.	.	.	.
Residential construction	+ 15.0	+ 7.5	+ 1.4	+ 2.4	+ 0.6	+ 1.2	+ 1.3	.	.	.	.	.	.
Non-residential construction	+ 16.3	+ 7.6	+ 1.9	+ 2.6	+ 1.4	+ 1.8	+ 1.9	.	.	.	.	.	.
Civil Engineering	+ 1.1	+ 1.0	+ 0.8	+ 1.0	+ 0.8	+ 0.9	+ 0.7	.	.	.	.	.	.
<b>Construction Cost Index</b>													
Residential construction, total costs	+ 10.1	+ 1.1	+ 3.6	+ 3.0	+ 3.1	+ 4.2	+ 4.0	+ 4.0	+ 4.1	+ 4.0	+ 3.9	+ 3.0	.

Source: Statistics Austria, Public Employment Service Austria, Federation of Austrian Social Insurance Institutions, WDS - WIFO Data System, Macrobond. – <sup>1</sup> Short-Term Survey in Construction (monthly population data). Until 2023: rates of change of final data at time t compared to previous year. From 2024: rates of change of provisional data at time t compared to previous year.

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