Commentary

Trend of prices of construction works and constructions in 3rd quarter 2014

In the 3rd quarter 2014, **compared to the previous quarter**, price index of **construction works and constructions** increased by 0.3% (increased by 0.2% in the 2nd quarter 2014). The biggest increase for one-digit TSKPstat price indices was in 'Other structures and works, demolition works' (+0.6%). There was no growth for one-digit TSKPstat price indices.

Price indices of **constructions** by the classification CC in the 3rd quarter 2014, **compared to the previous quarter**, were ranging between 100.3 and 100.4 in 'Buildings' and were ranging between 100.2 and 100.5 in 'Civil engineering works'.

In the 3rd quarter 2014, **compared to the previous year**, price index of **construction works and constructions** increased by 0.7%. Price indices for one-digit TSKPstat were ranging between +0.1% in 'Horizontal structures' and +1.1% in 'Structures and works of affiliated construction output'.

Four-digit CC price indices of **constructions**, **compared to the previous year**, were ranging between 100.4 in 'Long-distance telecommunication lines' together with 'Local electricity and telecommunication cables' and 101.4 in 'Tunnels and subways'. In two-digit CC price indices were the most increasing 'Non-residential buildings' reaching the value 100.9. There was not decline for two-digit CC price indices.

In long-term point of view, **compared to the average of 2005**, price index of **construction works and constructions** increased the value on 111.1. One-digit CC price indices of **constructions** increased the value on 110.7 in 'Buildings' and increased the value on 111.8 in 'Civil engineering works', compared to the average of 2005.

Construction costs of construction output, **compared to the previous quarter**, increased by 0.3%. **Material inputs of construction output** increased by 0.3%. In long-term point of view, **compared to the average of 2005**, the value for index of **construction costs of construction output** increased the value on 119.7; index of **material inputs of construction output** increased the value on 111.4.

Published data is calculated from the 8,621 processed survey sample forms from 'Ceny Stav 1-04' sent by 574 respondents in this calendar quarter.

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