# Commentary

**Trend of prices of construction works and constructions in 1stquarter 2015**

In the 1stquarter 2015, **compared to the previous quarter**, price index of **construction works and constructions** increased by 0.3%(increased by 0.3%in the 4th quarter 2014). The biggest increase for one-digit TSKPstat price indices was in ´Earthworks´, ´Transport infrastructures´, ´Trunk line and supply line´ and ´Structures and works of affiliated construction output´ (+0.4%). There was no growth for one-digit TSKPstat price indices.

Price indices of **constructions** by the classification CC in the 1st quarter 2015, **compared to the previous quarter**, were ranging between 100.1 and 100.4 in ´Buildings´ and were ranging between 100.1 and 100.6 in ´Civil engineering works´.

In the 1st quarter 2015, **compared to the previous year**, price index of **construction works and constructions** increased by 1.0%. Price indices for one-digit TSKPstat were ranging between
+0.5% in ´Horizontal structures´ and +1.3% in ´Foundations and rock reinforcement´.

Four-digit CC price indices of **constructions**, **compared to the previous year**, were ranging between 100.7 in ´Reservoirs, silos and warehouses´ together with ´Dams´ and ´Harbours and navigable canals´ and 101.6 in ´Urban railways´. In two-digit CC price indices were the most increasing ´Transport infrastructures´ together with ´Pipelines, communication and electricity lines´ reaching the value 101.1. 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 111.7. One-digit CC price indices of **constructions** increased the value on 111.2 in ´Buildings´ and increased the value on 112.5 in ´Civil engineering works´, compared to the average of 2005.

**Construction costs of construction output**, **compared to the previous quarter**, decreased by 0.7%. **Material inputs of construction output** decreased by 0.2%. In long-term point of view, **compared to the average of 2005**, the value for index of **construction costs of construction output** decreased the value on 119.2; index of **material inputs of construction** **output** decreased the value on 111.1.

Published data is calculated from the 8,709 processed survey sample forms from ´Ceny Stav 1-04´ sent by 574 respondents in this calendar quarter.

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