17. TRANSPORT

The data on transport are taken from external sources – the Ministry of Transport and Road and Motorway Directorate of the CR.

Motorways are roads dedicated to fast long-distance and international transport by means of road motor vehicles without any at-grade crossroad. Depending on their dedication and importance to transport, they are classified to motorways of 1st and 2nd class. **Roads** are surface communications open to the public and dedicated to the use by road and other vehicles and pedestrians. They form a road network. Depending on their dedication and importance to transport, they are classified to roads of 1st, 2nd, and 3rd class, including sections in cities and municipalities which are involved into the road network.

The length of operated **railway lines** is the length of continuous rail tracks. It does not include other transport, marshalling, and handling tracks. The total **length of navigable inland waterways** for regular transport includes also inland waterways on reservoirs and lakes serving mostly for recreational passenger transport and navigation for sport.

The **numbers of motor vehicles** are taken over from the Central Register of Motor Vehicles updated according to the registers of municipal authorities of municipalities with extended powers. There are only road motor vehicles having valid license plates as at 31 December.