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Building permits and notification of building work

The first quarter 2023

In the first quarter of 2023, in Montenegro were issued 93 building permits and notification of building work. Out of the total number of building permits issued and notification of building work, 58 building permits refer to natural persons, while 35 building permits were issued for legal persons. If we look at the number of dwellings and their floor area, according to issued permits for notification of building work, in the first quarter of 2023, number of dwellings provided for construction was 502 with floor area of 34 140 m².

Graph 1. Number of building permits issued and notification of building work

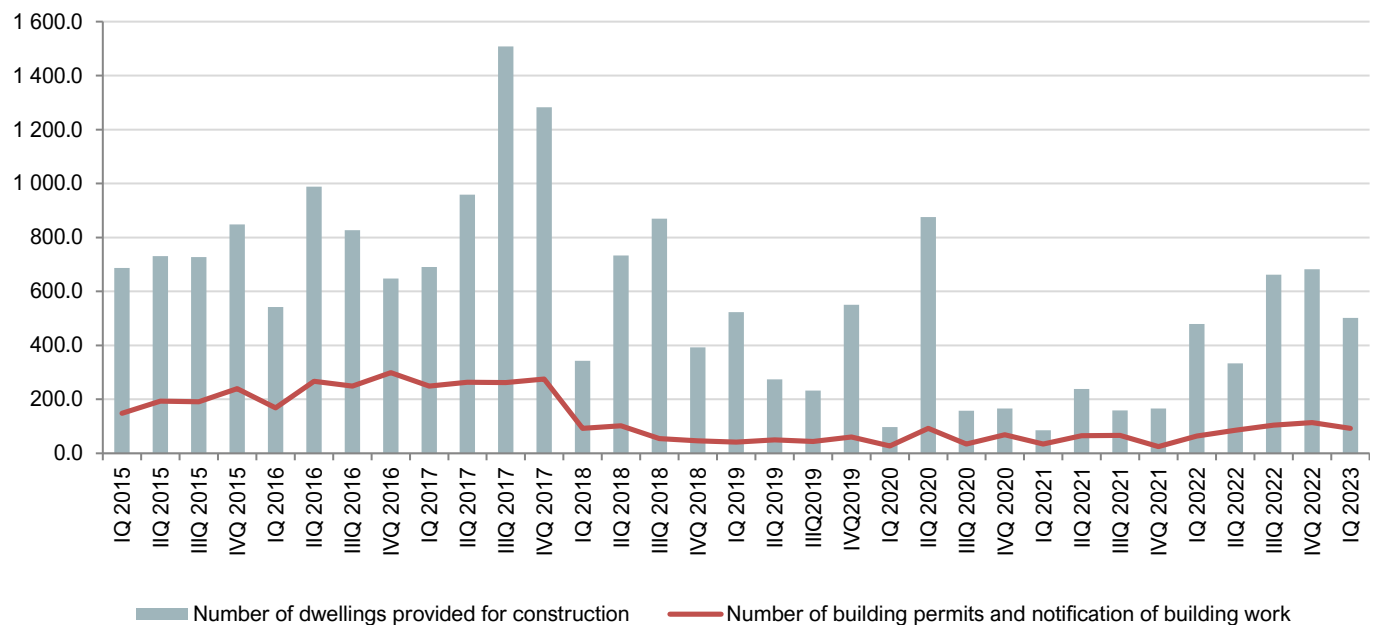


Table 1. Number of issued building permits and notification of building work, number of dwellings, I quarter 2023

Year	Total	Natural person	Legal person	Number of dwellings	Floor area in m ²
2023					
IQ	93	58	35	502	34 140
2022	368	230	138	2 156	136 558
IQ	64	42	22	479	28 304
IIQ	86	55	31	333	23 184
IIIQ	104	70	34	662	44 654
IVQ	114	63	51	682	40 416
2021	190	121	69	649	40 122
IQ	34	16	18	86	5 938
IIQ	65	42	23	238	16 238
IIIQ	66	45	21	159	10 156
IVQ	25	18	7	166	7 790
2020	224	95	129	1 297	74 311
IQ	27	6	21	97	5 740
IIQ	93	47	46	876	50 125
IIIQ	35	11	24	158	8 213
IVQ	69	31	38	166	10 233
2019	197	77	120	1 580	89 187
IQ	42	19	23	523	29 152
IIQ	50	16	34	274	17 191
IIIQ	44	13	31	233	13 864
IVQ	61	29	32	550	28 980
2018	295	123	172	2 339	133 782
IQ	92	50	42	343	23 234
IIQ	102	27	75	733	41 611
IIIQ	55	22	33	870	48 444
IVQ	46	24	22	393	20 493
2017	1 050	652	398	4 439	295 889
IQ	249	167	82	690	47 474
IIQ	264	163	101	959	65 432
IIIQ	262	151	111	1 508	101 113
IVQ	275	171	104	1 282	81 870
2016	983	664	319	3 005	215 229
IQ	168	116	52	542	39 836
IIQ	267	186	81	988	68 505
IIIQ	249	177	72	827	56 615
IVQ	299	185	114	648	50 273

Table 2. Dwellings in buildings for which building permits and permits for notification of building work, by types of constructions, I quarter 2023

Residential buildings	Number of dwellings	Floor area in m ²
Total	502	34 140
With one dwelling	32	5 960
With two dwellings	8	970
With three and more dwellings	406	23 979
Addition (extension)	56	3 231

METHODOLOGICAL NOTES

The presented data covered the number of building permits, as well as number and floor area of dwellings in building for who's the building permits and notification of building work are issued. The source of data is Ministry of Ecology, Spatial Planning and Urbanism.

The investor is a person for whose needs a construction is built, i.e. a person who finance the construction and on whose name the building permit is issued. Investor may be legal or natural person.

Building is a structure that has a roof and external walls, whether they are independent or shared walls in cases where one building leans to the other, with one or more entrance, and it was built like an independent usable units and purposes of the for housing.

Dwelling is any connected unity in construction permits, intended for dwelling, consisted of one or more rooms with appropriate additional premises (kitchen, bathroom, lobby, pantry, toilet, and similar), or without additional rooms, and it can have one or more separate entrances.

Floor area is useful floor area measured inside the dwelling walls.

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