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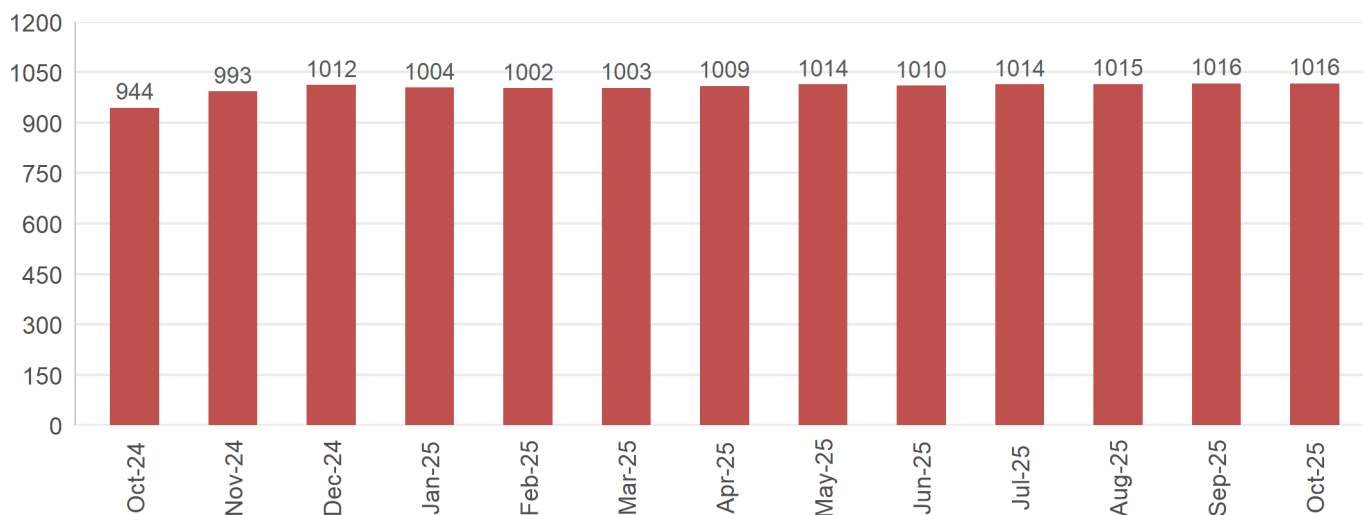
## Average earnings (wages)

### October 2025

The average earnings (gross) in Montenegro in October 2025 are 1 211 Euro, while the average earnings without taxes and contributions (net) are 1 016 Euro. The average earnings without taxes and contributions (net) in October 2025 comparing to September 2025 stayed on same level, while the average earnings without taxes and contributions (net) in October 2025 comparing to the same month of the previous year increased for 7.6%.

Having in mind that consumer prices in October 2025 comparing to September 2025 decreased for 0.2% the results is that real earnings without taxes and contributions (net) in the same period increased for 0.2%.

**Graph 1.** Average earnings without taxes and contributions (net) in EUR



**Table 1. Wages without taxes and contributions (net)**

		Wages without taxes and contributions (net)		Index of nominal wages without taxes and contributions (net)
		Oct-2025	Sep-2025	$\frac{\text{Oct-2025}}{\text{Sep-2025}}$
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>1 016</b>	<b>1 016</b>	<b>100.0</b>
A	Agriculture, forestry and fishing	947	990	95.7
B	Mining and quarrying	1 175	1 169	100.5
C	Manufacturing	894	877	101.9
D	Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply	1 388	1 363	101.8
E	Water supply, sewerage, waste management and remediation activities	908	911	99.7
F	Construction	1 002	1 001	100.1
G	Wholesale and retail trade and repair of motor vehicles and motorcycles	948	952	99.6
H	Transportation and storage	987	998	98.9
I	Accommodation and food service activities	1 004	1 017	98.7
J	Information and communication	1 359	1 366	99.5
K	Financial and insurance activities	1 641	1 604	102.3
L	Real estate activities	1 233	1 272	96.9
M	Professional, scientific and technical activities	1 061	1 042	101.8
N	Administrative and support service activities	832	851	97.8
O	Public administration and defence; compulsory social security	1 039	1 056	98.4
P	Education	954	953	100.1
Q	Human health and social work activities	1 016	1 014	100.2
R	Arts, entertainment and recreation	909	888	102.4
S	Other service activities	917	899	102.0

At the sector level, the average earnings without taxes and contributions (net) in October 2025 compared to September 2025 increased in the following sectors: Arts, entertainment and recreation (2.4%), Financial and insurance activities (2.3%), Other service activities (2.0%), Manufacturing (1.9%), Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply (1.8%), Professional, scientific and technical activities (1.8%), Mining and quarrying (0.5%), Human health and social work activities (0.2%), Construction (0.1%) and Education (0.1%).

There was a decrease in the following sectors: Agriculture, forestry and fishing (4.3%), Real estate activities (3.1%), Administrative and support service activities (2.2%), Public administration and defence; compulsory social security (1.6%), Accommodation and food service activities (1.3%), Transportation and storage (1.1%), Information and communication (0.5%), Wholesale and retail trade and repair of motor vehicles and motorcycles (0.4%) and Water supply, sewerage, waste management and remediation activities (0.3%).

## METHODOLOGICAL NOTES

The data on average monthly earnings present earnings paid within a month, and they are received by the regular monthly survey Monthly report on employees and earnings (RAD-1 form).

The average earnings (gross) are calculated dividing the total earnings paid off in a month by the number of number of employees the paid earnings refer to. Earnings without taxes and contributions (net) comprise earnings (gross) reduced by taxes and contributions paid by employee.

The index on real average earnings without taxes and contributions (net) represent the ratio between index on nominal average earnings without taxes and contributions (net), and consumer price index.

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*More data, as well as detailed methodological notes can be found in the section: [Wages](#)*