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# **Building permits issued**

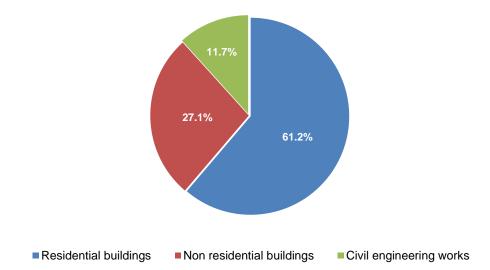
### Second quarter, 2019

**Tirana, 30 August 2019:** In the second quarter 2019 are approved 310 building permits issued for new buildings, from 270 building permits issued approved in the second quarter 2018, increasing this indicator by 14.8 %.

Building permits issued total area for new buildings in second quarter 2019 is 409,548 m<sup>2</sup>, from 292,895 m<sup>2</sup> approved in the second quarter 2018, increasing this indicator by 39.8 %.

The approximate value of building permits issued for buildings and civil engineering works, in the second quarter 2019, is 16,8 milliard lekë, from 11,4 milliard lekë approved in the second quarter 2018, increasing this indicator by 47.0 %.

Fig. 1 Approximate value of building permits issued sctructure



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Tab.1 Building permits issued for buildings and civil engineering works, Q2 - 2019

Construction Types		Total area	New constructions	Reconstructions	
	Number	<b>m</b> <sup>2</sup>	000 / ALL	000 / ALL	
Total			14,808,707	1,983,465	
I. Buildings	310	409,548	13,670,481	1,155,771	
1.Residential buildings	194	256,295	9,774,342	507,321	
a. With one dwelling	55	8,333	239,056	143,042	
b. With two dwellings	103	28,376	825,779	206,160	
c. With three or more dwellings	34	200,974	7,985,142	107,631	
d. Residences for communities	2	18,612	724,365	50,488	
2.Non residential buildings	116	153,253	3,896,139	648,450	
a. Hotels and similar buildings	11	25,301	941,568	185,054	
b. Office buildings	2	731	21,701	8,087	
c. Wholesale and retail trade buildings	25	45,565	852,834	174,074	
d. Industrial buildings	38	70,741	1,717,495	15,543	
e. Other buildings	40	10,915	362,541	265,692	
II. Civil Engineering Works			1,138,226	827,694	
1. Transport infrastructure; Roads and highways			667,922	789,242	
2. Pipelines, telecommunication and electricity lines			124,657	37,048	
3. Complex constructions on industrial sites			0	0	
4. Other engineering works			345,647	1,404	

\* The data of number and total area for buildings refers only to the new constructions.

#### Tab.2 Number of building permits issued for new buildings

Prefectures	II - 18	III - 18	IV - 18	l - 19	II - 19
Albania	270	343	360	245	310
Berat	8	20	12	7	6
Dibër	6	16	5	1	2
Durrës	38	51	44	26	55
Elbasan	10	30	29	24	29
Fier	32	34	30	20	20
Gjirokastër	7	13	16	8	7
Korçë	26	24	35	17	22
Kukës	1	2	3	1	6
Lezhë	18	10	19	24	10
Shkodër	14	27	29	8	24
Tiranë	99	104	120	94	111
Vlorë	11	12	18	15	18

\* The data of number for buildings refers only to the new constructions. \*\* In the information of Tiranë prefecture, data for Kamëz municipality are missing.

#### Tab.3 Total area of building permits issued for new buildings

				m²	
II - 18	III - 18	IV - 18	I - 19	II - 19	
292,895	330,725	618,219	581,236	409,548	
8,868	5,702	13,571	3,089	1,856	
1,973	3,671	1,189	681	503	
17,634	81,802	47,154	21,580	60,708	
2,391	8,061	16,978	18,836	11,847	
11,616	26,977	6,572	14,062	6,928	
1,429	2,530	6,520	1,448	8,168	
7,683	5,957	20,380	4,182	11,322	
320	2,423	740	359	4,423	
3,273	3,126	14,585	26,567	6,062	
7,322	9,123	26,211	2,543	11,514	
214,636	165,725	456,480	479,954	273,133	
15,750	15,628	7,839	7,935	13,084	
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\* The data of total area for buildings refers only to the new constructions. \*\* In the information of Tiranë prefecture, data for Kamëz municipality are missing.

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Prefectures	II - 18	III - 18	IV - 18	I - 19	II - 19	
Albania	11,426,712	15,240,853	22,140,540	25,216,754	16,792,172	
Berat	634,464	302,057	584,440	215,209	301,059	
Dibër	73,361	220,312	87,914	22,863	84,834	
Durrës	577,965	2,700,649	2,093,900	692,523	2,309,790	
Elbasan	715,010	1,065,704	599,773	1,034,810	1,050,083	
Fier	608,423	3,159,743	1,354,519	931,316	807,316	
Gjirokastër	41,217	105,838	333,949	222,707	274,051	
Korçë	581,727	261,501	853,060	455,475	440,280	
Kukës	10,554	122,175	34,626	11,800	195,183	
Lezhë	82,900	212,870	495,780	2,862,205	277,277	
Shkodër	749,499	374,712	1,039,427	735,623	421,698	
Tiranë	6,762,677	6,361,955	14,329,332	17,678,507	9,880,140	
Vlorë	588,915	353,337	333,820	353,716	750,461	

\* The Approximate value includes the value of new constructions and reconstructions.

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## Methodology

#### Definitions

**Building permits issued** is an authorization to start work on a building project. The building permit is the final stage of planning and building authorization prior to start the work.

**Buildings** are roofed constructions which can be used separately, have been built for permanent purposes, can be entered for persons and are suitable or intended for protecting persons, animals or objects. The buildings are classified in two different kinds of categories: 1) Residential buildings, 2) Non residential buildings, where are included hotels and similar, office buildings, wholesale and retail trade buildings, industrial buildings and other buildings.

Building permits total area is the area in square meters where the approved project is implemented.

**Civil Engineering Works** are all constructions not classified under buildings: railways, roads, bridges, highways, pipelines, telecommunication and electricity lines, etc.

Client is the person or structure which realize the construction.

#### Source of data

Administrative source, the statistical information on Building permits issued is collected by INSTAT regional statistical offices in cooperation with the respective municipalities.