

Costs index for residential building and for road construction

March 2015

The construction costs index for residential building approximates the monthly evolution of costs of the residential construction sector. Since January 2013 the indices are calculated with reference to the base year 2010.

In March 2015 the index decreased by 0.1% compared with the previous month and increased by 0.4% compared with March 2014.

Construction costs index for residential building. March 2015 (a)

	Percentage changes	
	Mar 2015 Feb 2015	Mar 2015 Mar 2014
General index	-0.1	+0.4
Labour cost index in construction	0.0	+0.9
Material cost index in construction	-0.4	-0.6
Transport cost	0.0	-0.3
Renting costs	0.0	-0.3

(a) Data are provisional and subject to revisions.

The costs index for road construction approximates the monthly evolution of costs of two types of roads: with and without tunnel section. Since January 2013 the indices are calculated with reference to the base year 2010.

In March 2015 the index with tunnel section decreased by 0.1% compared with the previous month and by 0.7% compared with March 2014. The index without tunnel section decreased by 0.1% compared with the previous month and by 0.8% compared with March 2014.

Costs index for road construction. March 2015 (a)

	Mar 15 Feb 15	Mar 15 Mar 14
With tunnel section	-0.1	-0.7
Without tunnel section	-0.1	-0.8

(a) Data are provisional and subject to revisions

For more details please refer to the Italian version

Time series are available at <http://dati.istat.it/?lang=en>

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