

## **Key Indicators of Small Business Entities in Uzbekistan**

*For January-September 2026*

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### **I. Information on Small Business Entities in Uzbekistan**

As of October 1, 2026, the number of operating small businesses is 1,264.5 thousand, of which the number of small enterprises and microfirms (including farms and dekhkan farms) is 551.1 thousand, the number of individual entrepreneurs is 357.9 thousand, the number of dekhkan farms is 330.8 thousand, family entrepreneurs 4.9 thousand, artisans 18.8 thousand and sellers of imported goods 0.9 thousand.

#### **Number of Active Small Enterprises and Microfirms by Region** as of October 1, 2026, units

| Regions                       | Total            | of which:                                                            |                                                                                                                     |
|-------------------------------|------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
|                               |                  | small enterprises and microfirms (including farms and dekhkan farms) | individual entrepreneurs, dekhkan farms, family entrepreneurs, artisans, and sellers of imported goods <sup>1</sup> |
| <b>Republic of Uzbekistan</b> | <b>1 264 501</b> | <b>551 093</b>                                                       | <b>713 408</b>                                                                                                      |
| Republic of Karakalpakstan    | 63 517           | 27 419                                                               | 36 098                                                                                                              |
| Andijan reg.                  | 116 117          | 32 699                                                               | 83 418                                                                                                              |
| Bukhara reg.                  | 74 703           | 33 489                                                               | 41 214                                                                                                              |
| Jizzakh reg.                  | 55 945           | 25 251                                                               | 30 694                                                                                                              |
| Kashkadarya reg.              | 99 508           | 42 505                                                               | 57 003                                                                                                              |
| Navoi reg.                    | 43 273           | 22 839                                                               | 20 434                                                                                                              |
| Namangan reg.                 | 83 667           | 31 555                                                               | 52 112                                                                                                              |
| Samarkand reg.                | 122 304          | 50 659                                                               | 71 645                                                                                                              |
| Surkhandarya reg.             | 74 652           | 30 246                                                               | 44 406                                                                                                              |
| Syrdarya reg.                 | 39 830           | 15 685                                                               | 24 145                                                                                                              |
| Tashkent reg.                 | 109 014          | 52 646                                                               | 56 368                                                                                                              |
| Fergana reg.                  | 117 164          | 45 927                                                               | 71 237                                                                                                              |
| Khorezm reg.                  | 96 095           | 32 193                                                               | 63 902                                                                                                              |
| Tashkent city                 | 168 712          | 107 980                                                              | 60 732                                                                                                              |

<sup>1</sup> Compiled based on the Tax Committee database

**Number of active business entities without legal entity status by region**  
as of October 1 2026 units

| Regions                       | Total          | Individual<br>entrepre-<br>neurships | Family<br>entrepre-<br>neurs | Artisans      | Sellers<br>of<br>imported<br>goods | Dekhkan<br>farms |
|-------------------------------|----------------|--------------------------------------|------------------------------|---------------|------------------------------------|------------------|
| <b>Republic of Uzbekistan</b> | <b>713 408</b> | <b>357 883</b>                       | <b>4 911</b>                 | <b>18 847</b> | <b>937</b>                         | <b>330 830</b>   |
| Republic of Karakalpakstan    | 36 098         | 21 631                               | 513                          | 1 062         | 7                                  | 12 885           |
| Andijan reg.                  | 83 418         | 30 569                               | 127                          | 1 908         | 39                                 | 50 775           |
| Bukhara reg.                  | 41 214         | 21 214                               | 290                          | 1 165         | 14                                 | 18 531           |
| Jizzakh reg.                  | 30 694         | 13 499                               | 57                           | 850           | 7                                  | 16 281           |
| Kashkadarya reg.              | 57 003         | 25 817                               | 219                          | 1 339         | 6                                  | 29 622           |
| Navoi reg.                    | 20 434         | 9 328                                | 39                           | 368           | 7                                  | 10 692           |
| Namangan reg.                 | 52 112         | 25 105                               | 37                           | 1 665         | 416                                | 24 889           |
| Samarkand reg.                | 71 645         | 36 037                               | 476                          | 1 765         | 24                                 | 33 343           |
| Surkhandarya reg.             | 44 406         | 19 130                               | 103                          | 1 069         | 12                                 | 24 092           |
| Syrdarya reg.                 | 24 145         | 9 864                                | 36                           | 332           | 3                                  | 13 910           |
| Tashkent reg.                 | 56 368         | 34 719                               | 985                          | 1 340         | 50                                 | 19 274           |
| Fergana reg.                  | 71 237         | 36 981                               | 130                          | 2 345         | 33                                 | 31 748           |
| Khorezm reg.                  | 63 902         | 17 131                               | 478                          | 1 626         | 9                                  | 44 658           |
| Tashkent city                 | 60 732         | 56 858                               | 1 421                        | 2 013         | 310                                | 130              |

As of October 1 2026 the number of active small business entities per 1 000 people was 32.2 units.

By region the highest indicator for the number of small business entities (per 1 000 people) was recorded in Tashkent city at 51.9 units Khorezm Region at 44.7 units Syrdarya Region at 41.5 units and Jizzakh Region at 36.5 units.

## **II. Newly established small enterprises and microfirms**

In January-September 2026 66.3 thousand new small enterprises and microfirms were established (excluding dekhkan farms and private farms).

In January-September 2026 by type of economic activity the highest number of newly established small enterprises and microfirms was in trade 22 823 agriculture forestry and fisheries 8 716 industry 7 924 and accommodation and food services 5 921.

Related indicators:

[Number of active small business entities](#)

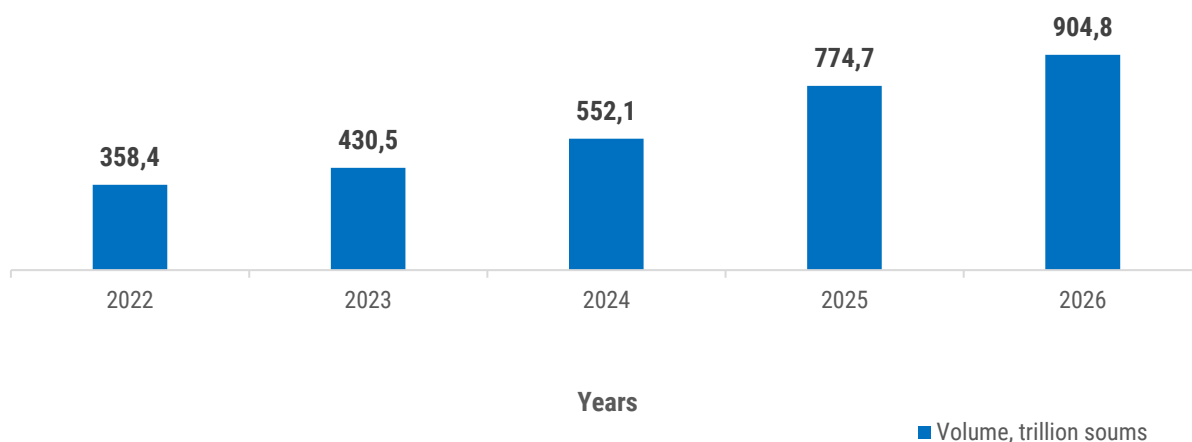
[Number of newly established small business entities \(monthly\)](#)

[Number of newly established small business entities \(annually\)](#)

## **III. Main Economic Indicators of Small Business Entities**

In January-September 2026 the output of small business entities within the GDP structure amounted to 904 834.2 billion soums with their share of total GDP reaching 53.8%.

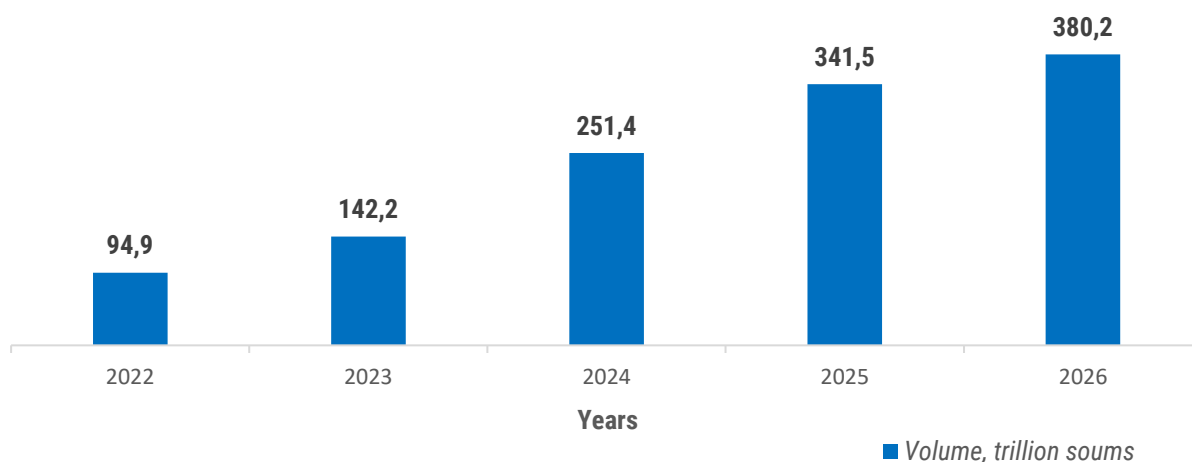
### Share of small business entities in GDP



By type of economic activity in January-September 2026 the largest share of small business in GDP was in agriculture forestry and fisheries at **93.2%** transportation and storage information and communication at **78.3%** and construction at **75.4%**.

During January–September 2026 small businesses produced industrial products worth 380 218.5 billion soums accounting for 35.0% of total industrial production. The growth rate compared with the same period in 2025 was 106.9%.

### Dynamics of Industrial Production Volume by Small Businesses

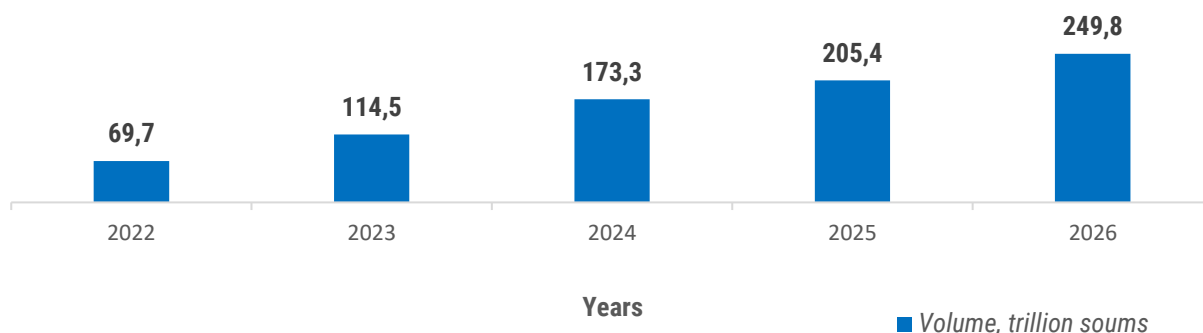


Related Indicators:

[Volume of Industrial Production \(Works Services\) by Small Businesses](#)  
[Share of Small Businesses in Total Production Volume](#)

In January–September 2026 small businesses performed construction work worth 249 785.5 billion soums accounting for 73.6% of the total volume. The growth rate compared with the same period in 2025 was 115.3%.

### **Dynamics of the Volume of Small Businesses in Construction**



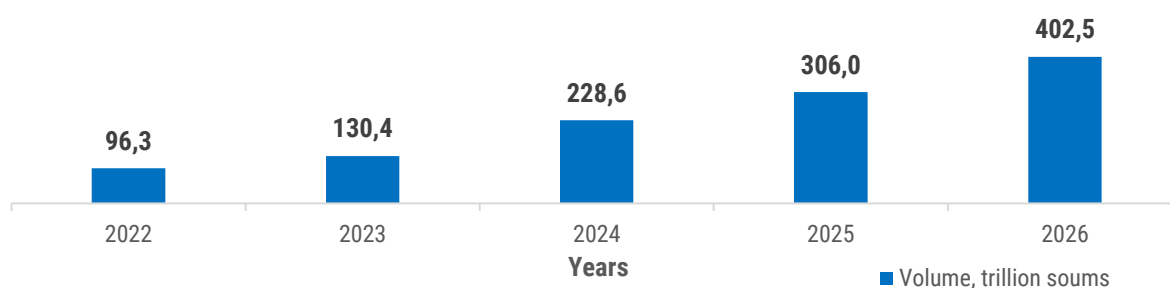
Related Indicators:

[Volume of Construction Work by Small Businesses](#)

[Share of Small Businesses in the Total Volume of Construction Work](#)

In January-September 2026 the volume of assimilated investments in fixed assets by small businesses amounted to 402 537.7 billion soums or 68.9% of their total volume. The growth rate compared to the corresponding period in 2025 was 127.5%.

### **Dynamics of Investment Volume in Fixed Assets by Small Businesses**



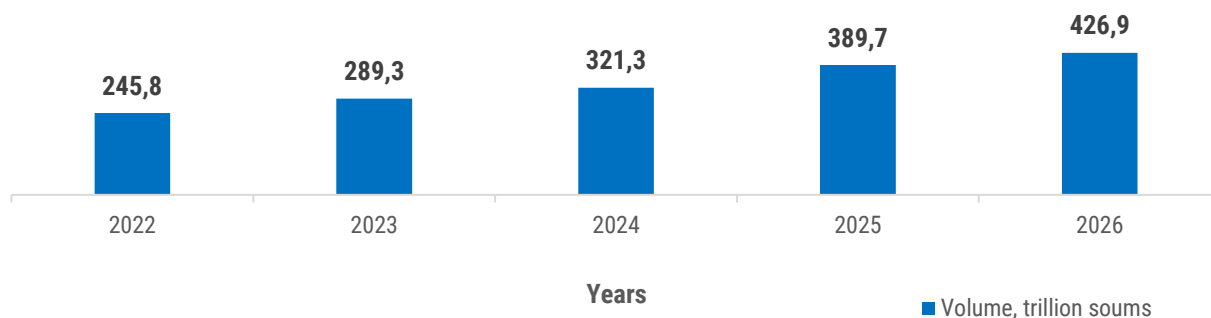
Related Indicators:

[Volume of Investments in Fixed Assets by Small Businesses](#)

[Share of Small Businesses in the Total Volume of Investments in Fixed Assets](#)

In January–September 2026 small businesses produced agricultural forestry and fishery products and services worth 426 877.3 billion soums accounting for 91.7% of the total volume. The growth rate compared with the same period in 2025 was 102.1%.

### **Dynamics of production volume in agriculture forestry and fisheries produced by small business entities**



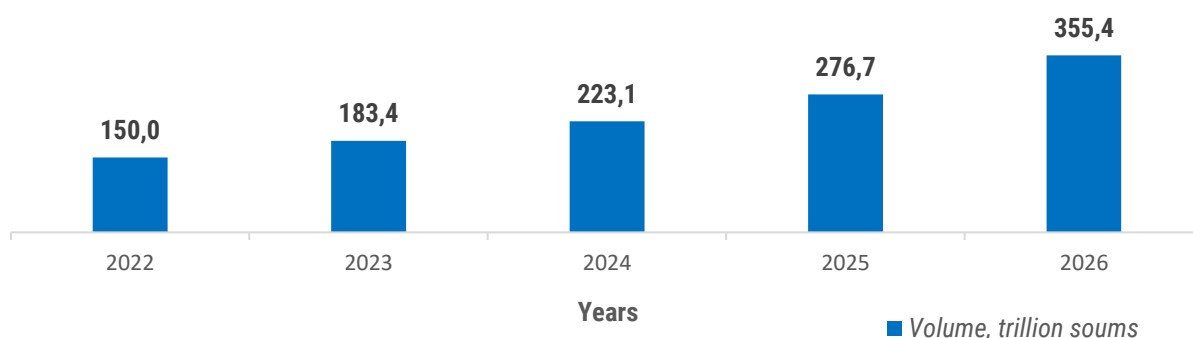
Related indicators:

[Volume of production \(services\) in agriculture forestry and fisheries by small business entities](#)

[Share of small business entities in the total production volume of agriculture forestry and fisheries](#)

In January-September 2026 the volume of retail trade turnover of small businesses amounted to 355 396.9 billion soums or 82.2% of the total volume. The growth rate compared to the corresponding period in 2025 was 121.5%.

#### **Dynamics of retail trade turnover of small business entities**



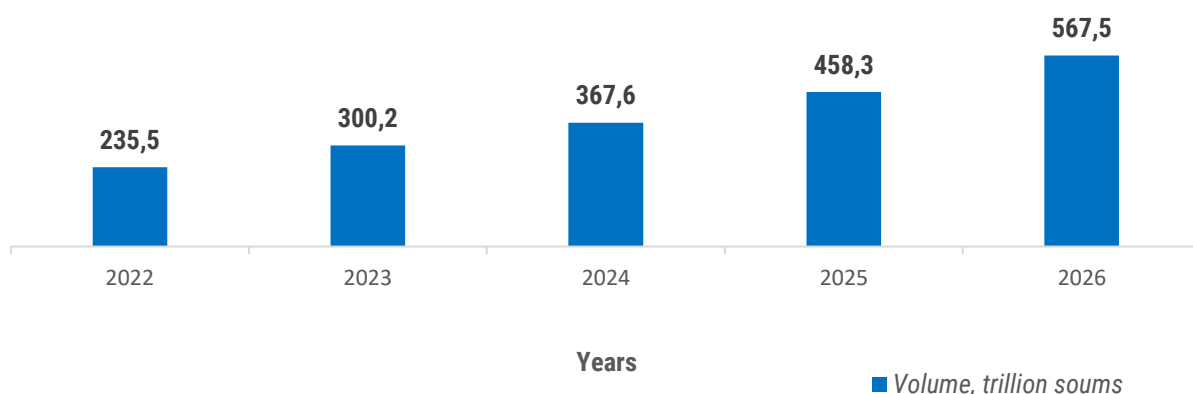
Related indicators:

[Volume of retail trade turnover of small business entities](#)

[Share of small business entities in the total retail trade turnover](#)

In January–September 2026 small businesses provided services worth 567 476.3 billion soums accounting for 56.6% of the total volume. Compared with the same period in 2025 the volume grew by 117.4%.

#### **Dynamics of the volume of services provided by small business entities**



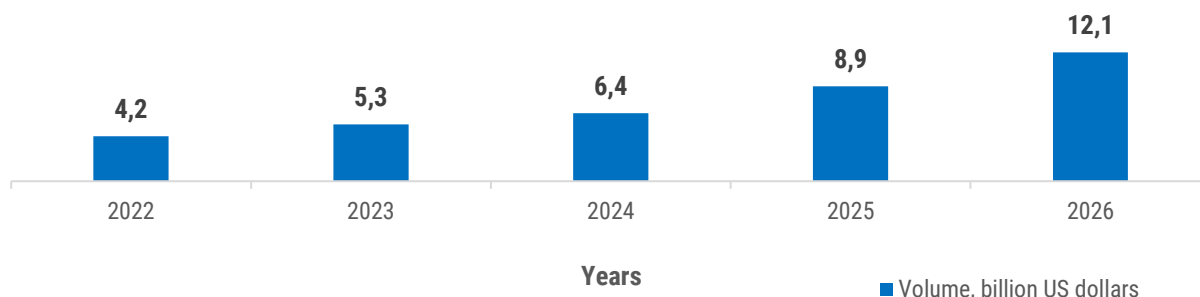
Related indicators:

[Volume of services provided by small business entities](#)

[Share of small business entities in the total volume of services provided](#)

In January-September 2026 the volume of exports of products (goods works and services) carried out by small businesses amounted to 12 135.7 million US dollars or 47.0% of the total export volume.

### Dynamics of export volume of products (goods works and services) by small business entities



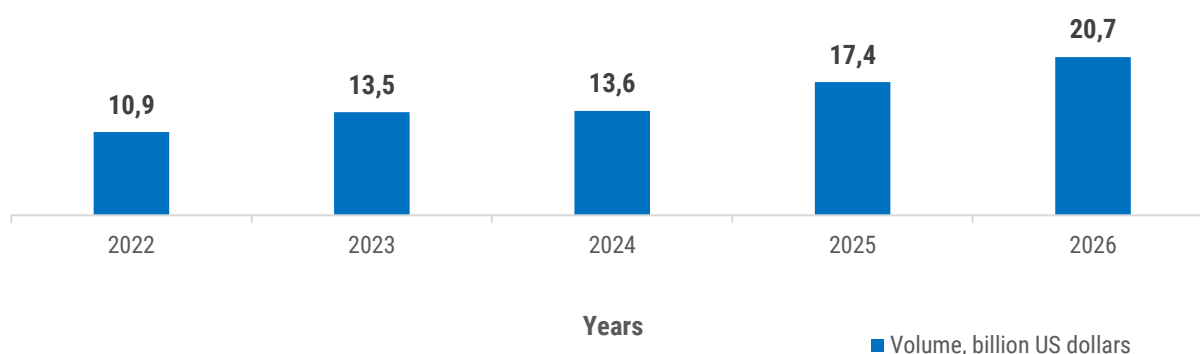
Topic indicators:

[Export volume of products \(goods works and services\) of small business entities](#)

[Share of small business entities in the total export volume of goods \(works services\)](#)

In January-September 2026 the volume of imports of products (works and services) carried out by small businesses amounted to 20 698.3 million US dollars or **52.3%** of total imports.

### Dynamics of import volume of products (goods works and services) by small business entities



Topic indicators:

[Import volume of products \(goods works and services\) of small business entities](#)

[Share of small business entities in the total import volume of goods \(works services\)](#)

#### IV. Main indicators of small business entities in the transport sector

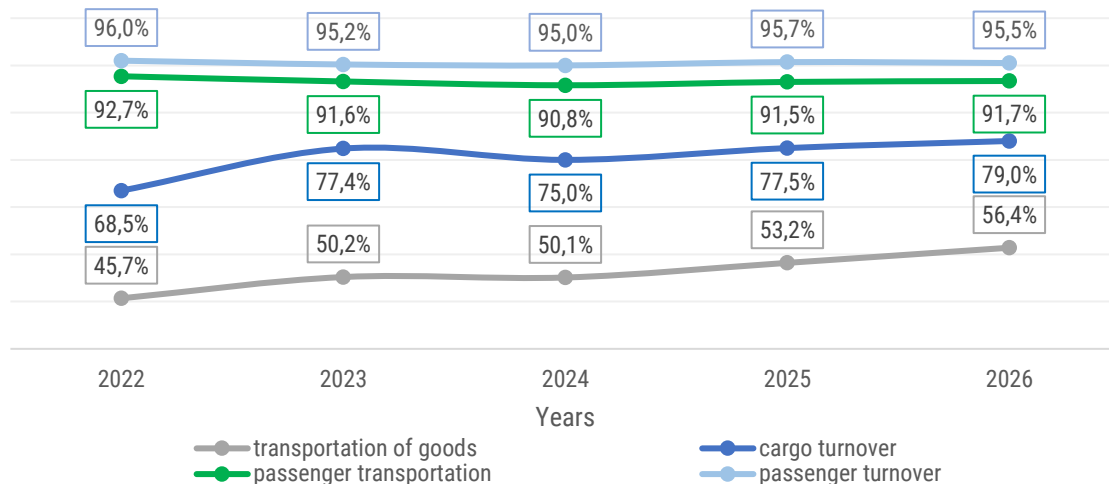
In January-September 2026 the share of small businesses in the total volume of cargo transportation by road amounted to **56.4%**. The growth rate compared to the corresponding period in 2025 was **112.5%**.

In January-September 2026 the share of small businesses in the total volume of cargo turnover by road amounted to **79.0%** the growth rate compared to the corresponding period in 2025 was **110.6%**.

### Dynamics of main indicators for small business entities in transport services

In January-September 2026 the share of small businesses in the total volume of passenger transportation services by road amounted to **91.7%** the growth rate compared to the corresponding period in 2025 was **105.9%**.

In January-September 2026 the share of small businesses in the total volume of passenger turnover by road amounted to **95.5%** the growth rate compared to the corresponding period in 2025 was **103.8%**.



Related indicators:

[Volume of freight transported by small business entities](#)

[Share of small business entities in the total volume of freight transported](#)

[Freight turnover of small business entities](#)

[Share of small business entities in the total freight turnover](#)

[Volume of passengers transported by small business entities](#)

[Share of small business entities in the total volume of passengers transported](#)

[Passenger turnover of small business entities](#)

[Share of small business entities in the total passenger turnover](#)

## **V. Methodological notes and metadata on small business statistics**

The share of small businesses by industry is determined in accordance with the relevant methodological provisions of the respective industry departments.

According to the rules the main indicators of small business development are available at current prices taking into account the activities of sole proprietors. Changes in volume compared to the same period of the previous year are calculated taking into account the price index change.

### **Links for metadata:**

[Number of enterprises and organizations – metadata](#)

[Small business indicators – metadata](#)

[Share of small business by economic sector – metadata](#)

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