

## V. INVESTMENT AND CONSTRUCTION

In January-December 2018, the development of the economy and social sphere of the Republic of Uzbekistan from the sources of financing mastered 107333.0 billion soums of investments in fixed assets (in dollars equivalent to 13.3 billion dollars), or 118.1 % to the corresponding period of 2017.

*During the reporting period of 2018, a high level of investment activity was observed in the Republic of Uzbekistan with an increase of 18.1 % compared with the previous year. In the dynamics of investment in fixed assets in 2005 amounted to 2.0 tln. soums, or increased by 12.0 %, 2010 - 10.8 trillion soums, or increased by 9.0 %, in 2015 they reached 28.5 trillion soums, or by 8.1 %.*

The most important factor in achieving high growth rates of investments in fixed assets in the current year were the largest projects included in the State Development Program, namely:

*construction of the Shurtan Gas Chemical Complex for the production of synthetic liquid fuels based on purified methane;*

*development of the Kandym group of fields with the construction of a modern gas processing plant, as well as the Khauzak and Shady fields in the Bukhara region;*

*development of deposits and the extraction of hydrocarbons in the territories of the Gissar Investment Block and the Ustyurt Region in the Kashkadarya Region;*

*construction of a new thermal power plant with a total capacity of 900 MW as part of two blocks of combined-cycle plants with a capacity of 450 MW each in the Turakurgan district of the Namangan region;*

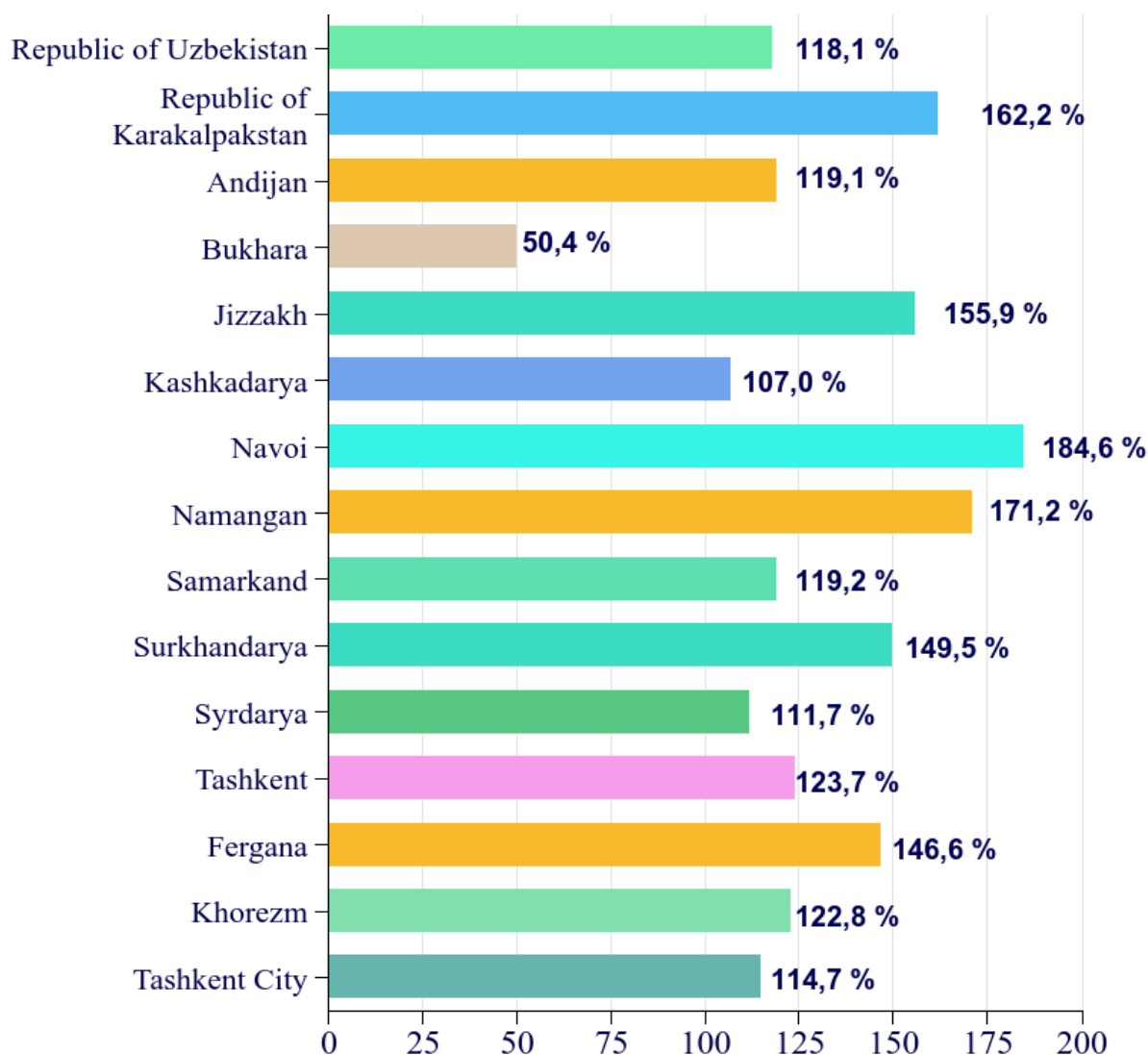
*construction of two combined-cycle plants with a capacity of 230-280 MW at the Takhiatash TPP;*

*expansion with the construction of a second combined-cycle gas turbine unit with a capacity of 450 MW in Navoi Thermal Power Plant;*

*construction of a complex for the production of polyvinyl chloride (PVC), caustic soda and methanol at Navoiazot JSC.*

*The ratio of investments in fixed assets to GDP was 26.3 %, which is by 3.7 percentage points more than in comparison with the same period of 2017.*

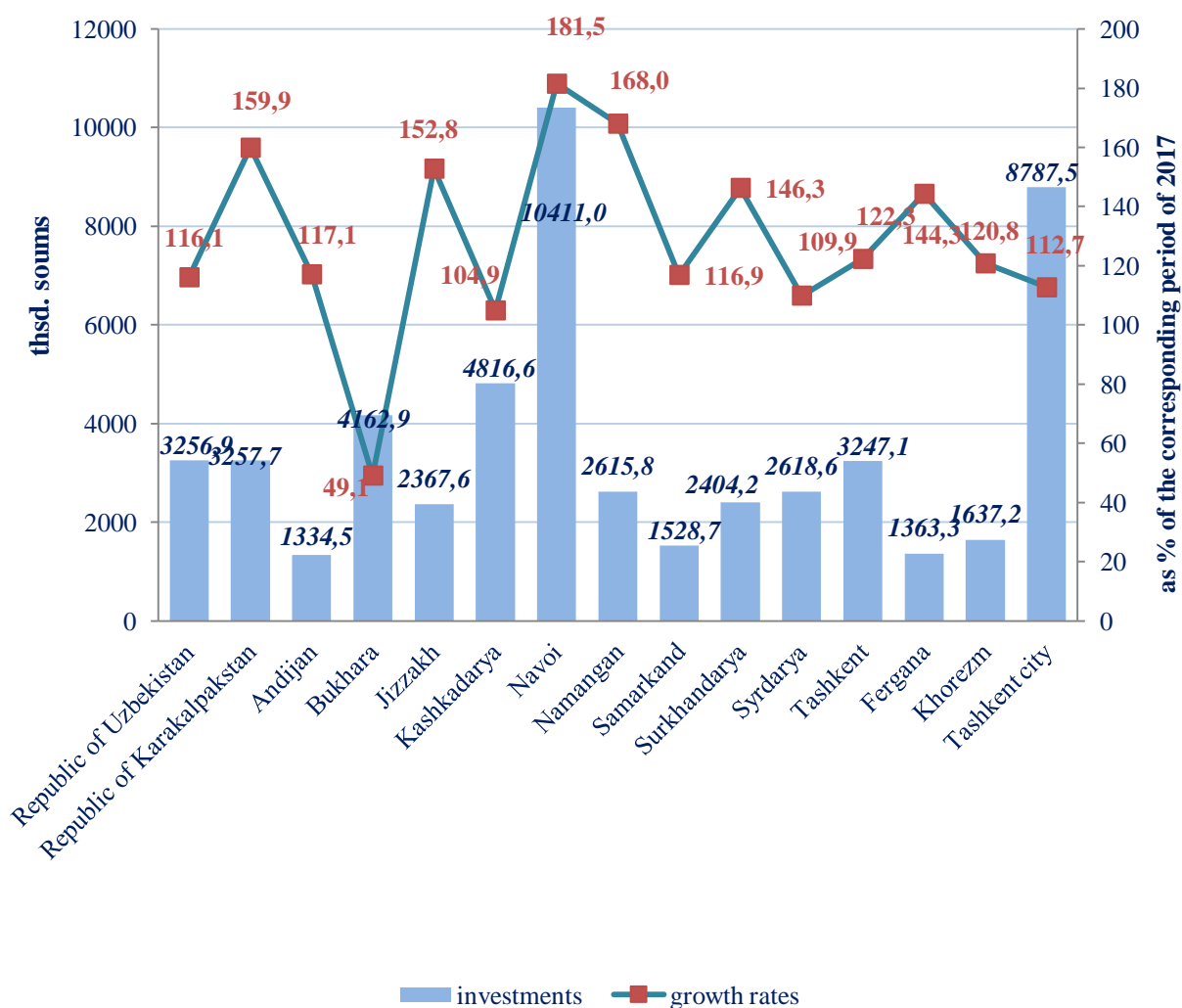
### Growth rate of investment in fixed assets



In January-December 2018, a large part - 66.7 % of all investments in fixed assets were mastered in six regions of the republic, particularly in the Tashkent city - 20.4 %, in the Kashkadarya region - 14.3 %, in the Navoi region – 9.4 %, Tashkent region - 8.7 %, Bukhara region - 7.3 % and Namangan region - 6.6 %.

High growth rates of utilized investments in fixed assets were observed in the following regions: in the Navoi region - 184.6 % (the volume of investments in fixed assets - 10059.1 billion soums), Namangan region - 171.2 % (7131.0 billion soums), The Republic of Karakalpakstan - 162.2 % (6046.4 billion soums), Jizzakh region - 155.9 % (3169.2 billion soums), Surkhandarya region - 149.5 % (6111.0 billion soums), Fergana region - 146.6 % (4978.4 billion soums), Tashkent region - 123.7 % (9351.4 billion soums), Khorezm region - 122.8 % (2980.0 billion soums) and Tashkent city - 114.7 % (21861.5 billion soums).

## Capital investment per capita

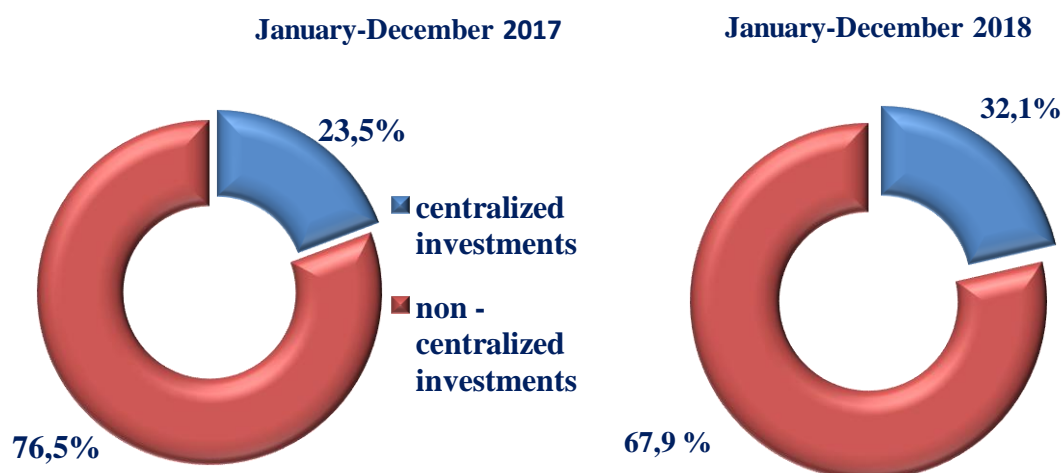


The first position in terms of investments in fixed capital per capita in January-December 2018 is occupied by the Navoi region - 10411.0 thousand soums (or 181.5 % compared to the corresponding period of the last year), respectively, Tashkent city - 8787.5 thousand soums (or 112.7 %), Kashkadarya region - 4816.6 thousand soums (or 104.9 %), Bukhara region - 4162.9 thousand soums (or 49.7 %), the Republic of Karakalpakstan – 3257.7 thousand soums (or 159.9 %), Tashkent region - 3247.1 thousand soums (or 122.3 %) and Namangan region - 2615.8 thousand soums (or 168.0 %).

**Distribution of investments in fixed capital by sources of financing**  
(January-December 2018)

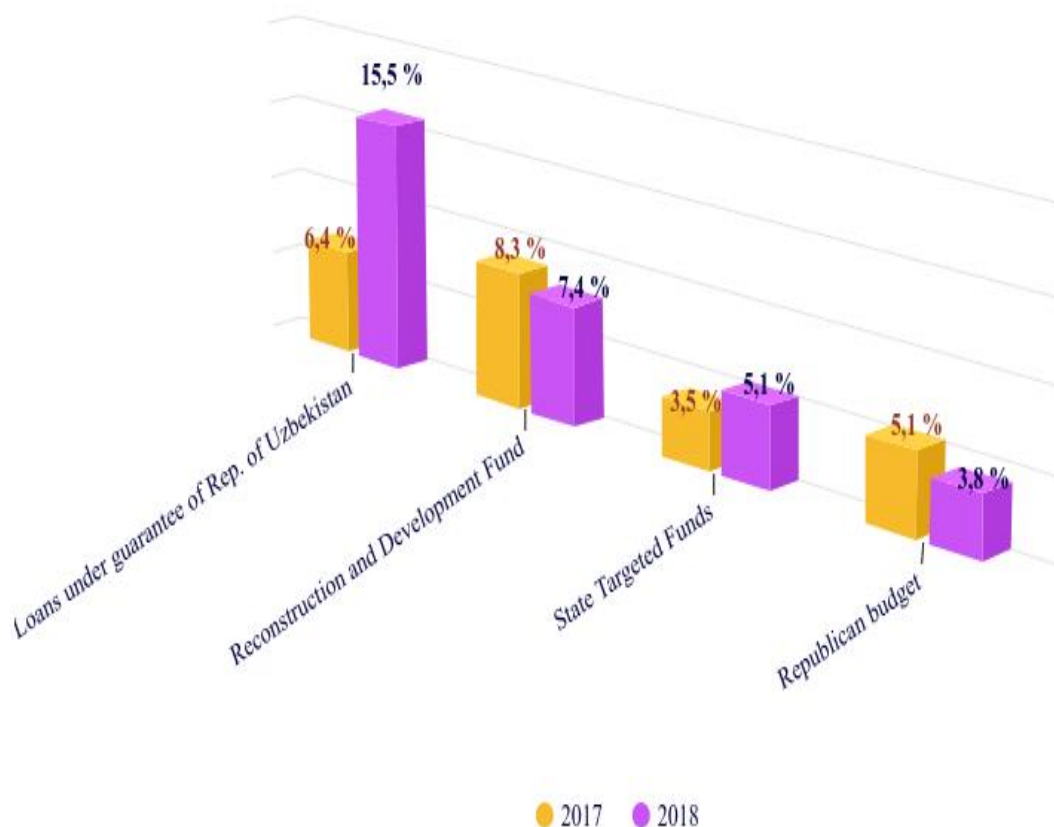
	<i>billion soums</i>	<i>Growth rate, %</i>	<i>In % to the total</i>
<b>Fixed investment</b>	<b>107333,0</b>	<b>118,1</b>	<b>100,0</b>
<i>including:</i>			
<b>Centralized investments:</b>	<b>34448,4</b>	<b>159,9</b>	<b>32,1</b>
Budget resources	4124,1	88,7	3,8
Government trust funds	5468,7	170,6	5,1
Children sport development funds	271,2	129,0	0,3
Funds of the Fund for Reconstruction and Development	7894,8	103,7	7,4
foreign investments and loans under the guarantee of the government	16689,6	2,8 t.	15,5
<b>Non-centralized investment:</b>	<b>72884,6</b>	<b>105,3</b>	<b>67,9</b>
funds of enterprises	30062,9	106,5	28,0
public funds	12127,8	104,1	11,3
foreign direct investment and loans	14660,4	85,8	13,7
loans from commercial banks and other borrowed funds	16033,5	131,3	14,9

**The share of centralized and non-centralized investments in the total investment in primary capital**



34448.4 billion soums, or 159.9 % of the corresponding period of 2017 (32.1 % of the total investment, which is more, compared to the same period last year, by 8.6 p.p), respectively, due to decentralized sources - 72884.6 billion soums, or 105.3 % (67.9 %).

### Centralized sources of financing investment in fixed assets



Compared to the same period in 2017, the share of foreign investments and loans under the state guarantee of the Republic of Uzbekistan increased by 9.1 percentage points.

**The main factors for achieving high growth rates of foreign investments and loans under the state guarantee of the Republic of Uzbekistan throughout the current year were the following projects:**

*the construction of the Shurtan Gas Chemical Complex for the production of synthetic liquid fuels based on purified methane;*

*expansion with the construction of a second combined-cycle gas turbine unit with a capacity of 450 MW in Navoi Thermal Power Plant;*

*construction of a complex of production of polyvinyl chloride, caustic soda and methanol in JSC «Navoiazot»;*

*organization of production of conveyor belts, agricultural and automobile tires, free economic zone "Angren" II stage;*

*electrification of railway sections: Pap-Namangan - Andijan, Karshi-Termez;*

*construction of an electrified Angren- Pap railway line with electrification of the Pap -Kokand-Andijan section;*

*modernization with bringing the design capacity to 900 thousand tons of coal per year of JSC " Shargunkumir»;*

*reconstruction of treatment facilities and sewerage systems in the cities of Bukhara and Samarkand;*

*improvement of water supply in towns and rural settlements Bayaout, Xavas, Mirzaabad, Sardoba and Akhaltin districts in the Syrdarya region;*

*improvement of drinking water supply in Alat and Karakul districts of Bukhara region;*

*rehabilitation of main irrigation canals of Tashasak system in Khorezm region, etc.*

At the expense of the Fund for reconstruction and development in strategic sectors of the economy disbursed investment in the amount of 7894.8 billion soums (in dollar terms-978.4 million US dollars) with an increase of 3.7 % compared to the same period of the last year.

**During the reporting period, the following major projects were implemented at the expense of the Fund for reconstruction and development:**

*Takhiatash thermal power plant is the construction of two combined-cycle plants with a capacity of 230-280 MW;*

*improvement of technology of extraction of gold from ores of deposits "Kokpatas and Daugystau».*

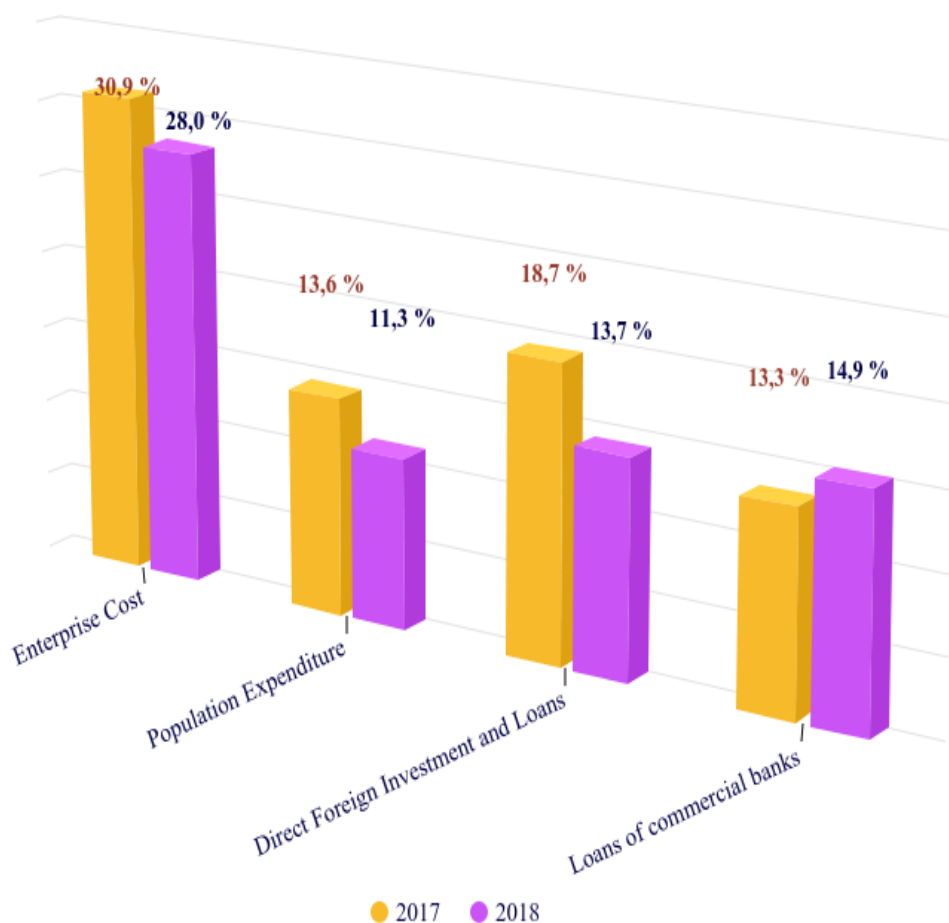
*construction of the mine for the extraction and processing of gold ore deposits, Auminzo-Amantay ore field (I-II stages);*

*construction of cement plant in Sherabad district;*

*the development of the field 1 Yoshlik in Tashkent region (Almalyk city);*

*development of the quarry "Muruntau" (V turn).*

### Non-centralized sources of funding investment in fixed capital



The main sources of financing of non-centralized investments were enterprise funds (28.0% of the total investment), Bank loans and other borrowed funds (14.9%).

***At the expense of Bank loans and other borrowed funds the construction of social housing was carried out:***

*according to the program of building affordable houses in the cities of LLC "invest Uzshaharsozlik».*

***The following major investment projects were carried out at the expense of direct and other foreign investments and loans:***

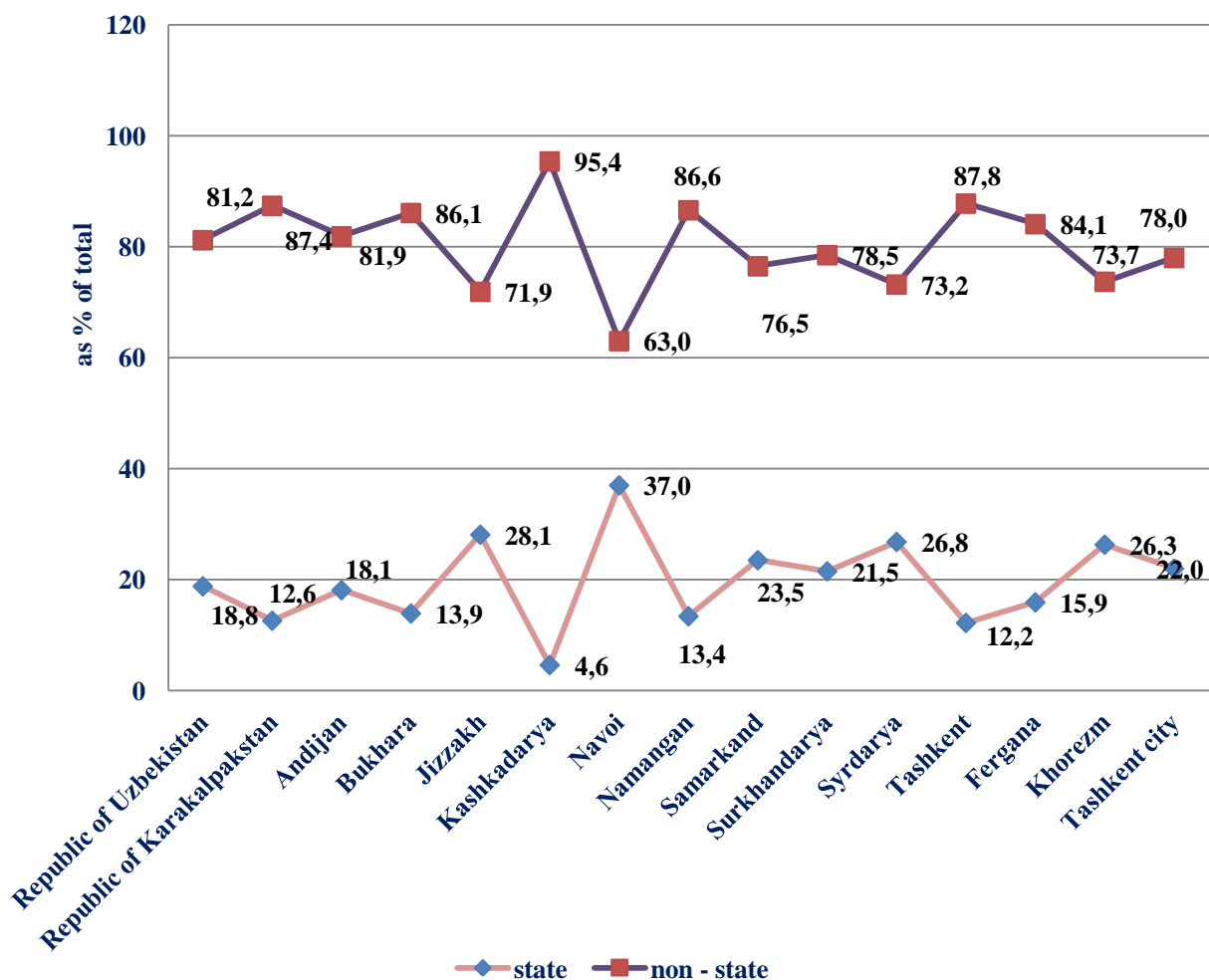
*construction of the gas processing plant complex and arrangement of the Kandym group of fields;*

*development of Khauzak and Shady fields, as well as expansion of Kuvachi-Alat field;*

*development of fields and production of hydrocarbons in the territories of the Hissar investment block and the Ustyurt region on the terms of agreement on sharing production;*

the arrangement of the plot Hodjisayat gas condensate fields , Dengizkul, Khodjidavlat and Eastern Ala in Bukhara region.

### Structure of fixed capital investments by ownership



During the reporting period, the volume of investments of the non-state sector of the economy, compared with the corresponding period of 2017, increased by 12.6 %. The share in the total volume of the Republic of Uzbekistan amounted to 81.2%, including in Kashkadarya region reached 95.4%, the Republic of Karakalpakstan-87.4 %, Tashkent region-87.8 %, Namangan region-86.6 %, Bukhara region - 86.1%, Fergana region-84.1%, Andijan region-81.9% and Surkhandarya region-78.5 %.



## Structure of fixed capital investments by funding sources

	Total investment, billion soums	Including funded at the expense of funds ( % of total volume)						
		republican budget's	state trust fund	enterprises and population	Bank and other loans borrowed funds	foreign investments and loans	Fund for reconstruction and development	children's sports development Fund
<b>Republic of Uzbekistan <sup>1)</sup></b>	<b>107333,0</b>	<b>3,8</b>	<b>5,1</b>	<b>39,3</b>	<b>14,9</b>	<b>29,2</b>	<b>7,4</b>	<b>0,3</b>
Republic of Karakalpakstan	6046,4	2,8	7,8	37,9	10,0	25,0	16,1	0,4
<i>regions:</i>								
Andijan	4055,9	3,9	7,0	48,4	18,4	21,7	-	0,6
Bukhara	7846,1	3,0	4,5	29,2	9,4	53,4	-	0,5
Jizzakh	3169,2	9,4	10,5	40,9	26,4	12,4	-	0,4
Kashkadarya	15321,1	1,4	2,6	30,4	6,4	54,4	4,5	0,3
Navoi	10059,1	0,8	1,7	38,2	5,6	36,4	17,3	-
Namangan	7131,0	2,8	4,7	26,6	10,7	39,6	15,5	0,1
Samarkand	5746,9	3,0	9,2	56,6	24,4	6,7	-	0,1
Surkhandarya	6111,0	3,1	8,3	34,2	19,5	29,3	5,4	0,2
Syrdarya	2154,6	10,1	11,0	34,4	31,7	12,1	-	0,7
Tashkent	9351,4	3,6	5,7	39,9	19,8	18,8	12,1	0,1
Fergana	4978,4	2,8	7,0	46,2	18,0	25,1	-	0,9
Khorezm	2980,0	4,8	10,5	55,0	15,7	11,9	1,6	0,5
Tashkent city	21861,5	4,9	2,9	46,5	19,8	17,2	8,6	0,1

<sup>1)</sup> Including unallocated volumes by region

**Technological structure of investments in fixed assets**  
**by ownership**  
*(for January-December 2018)*

	<i>Total</i>	<i>State</i>	<i>Non-state</i>
<b>Total, billion soums</b>	<b>107333,0</b>	<b>20126,7</b>	<b>87206,3</b>
<i>including % of total volume:</i>			
construction and installation works	49,7	65,2	46,1
machinery, equipment, inventory	39,7	28,7	42,3
other costs	10,6	6,1	11,6

In the technological structure of investments in fixed assets, the share of construction and installation works in the Republic amounted to 49.7 %, the share of costs for the purchase of machinery and equipment – 39.7 %, the share of other costs-10.6 %.

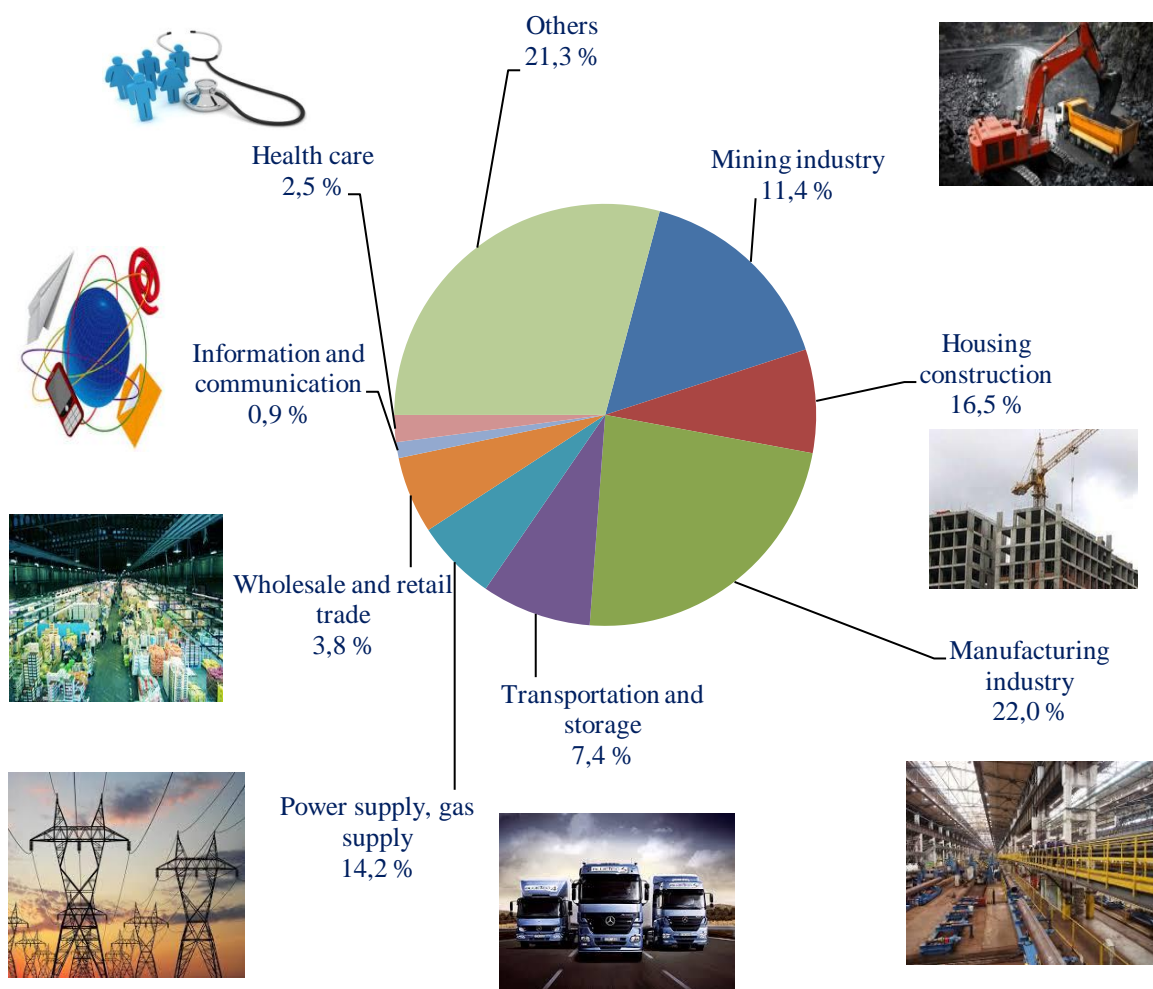
**Development of fixed capital investments by type**  
**economic activity** *(billion soums)*

	<i>Billion soums</i>	<i>as a % of total</i>	
		<i>January-December 2017</i>	<i>January-December 2018</i>
<b>Investments in fixed capital, total</b>	<b>107333,0</b>	<b>100,0</b>	<b>100,0</b>
<i>including by types of economic activities:</i>			
agriculture, forestry and fisheries	3561,1	3,5	3,3
mining industry	12253,9	20,8	11,4
manufacturing industry	23661,6	17,9	22,0
electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning	15241,1	8,0	14,2

	<i>Billion soums</i>	<i>as a % of total</i>	
		<i>January- December 2017</i>	<i>January- December 2018</i>
water supply, sewerage, collection and recycling	2587,8	1,4	2,4
construction	2436,2	2,1	2,3
wholesale and retail trade, repair motor vehicles and motorcycles	4042,2	3,7	3,8
transportation and storage	7969,5	9,3	7,4
accommodation and food services	1296,8	0,8	1,2
information and communication	920,1	2,8	0,9
financial and insurance activities	1064,3	1,2	1,0
professional, scientific and technical activity	1354,1	0,8	1,3
education	2772,1	2,2	2,6
health and provision social service	2720,4	2,3	2,5
arts, entertainment and recreation	2157,3	0,8	2,0
besides all kinds of activities: investment in housing	17695,8	16,2	16,5
other activities	5598,7	6,2	5,2

The development of investments in fixed capital by kinds of economic activities: mining industry – 12253.9 billion soums (11.4 % of total investments), including extraction of crude petroleum and natural gas – 8871.7 billion soums (8.3 %), manufacturing – 23661.6 billion soums (22.0 %), including the production of food, beverages and tobacco – 3041.5 billion soums (2.8 %) and manufacture of textiles and clothing – 4636.6 billion soums (up 4.4 %), manufacture of chemical products – 4097.2 billion soums (3.8 %), manufacture of other non-metallic mineral products 2776.8 billion soums (2,6 %), metallurgical industry – 4299.8 billion soums (4,0 %), electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning – 15241.1 billion soums (14.2 %), water supply, Sewerage, collection and recycling – 2587.8 billion soums (2.4 %), construction – 2436.2 billion soums (2.3 %), transportation and storage-7969.5 billion soums (7.4 %), wholesale and retail trade, repair of motor vehicles and motorcycles – 4042.2 billion soums (3.8 %), information and communication – 920.1 billion soums (0.9 %), professional, scientific and technical activities – 1354.1 billion soums (1.3 %), education 2772.1 billion soums (2.6 %), in addition, all activities: investment in housing construction 17695.8 billion soums (up 16.5 %).

**Investments in fixed assets for certain types of economic activities**  
(for January-December 2018).



## Commissioning of production facilities and facilities

For January-December 2018, the commissioning of the main production facilities and facilities through new construction, expansion, modernization and reconstruction is presented by the following data:

	<i>Introduced</i>	<i>Value of fixed assets, million soums</i>
<b>"Uzbekenergo"</b>		
Power lines-0,4-6-10 kW (new construction and reconstruction), km	1179,3	210455,1
Wind farm power line 110 kV (new construction), km	38,5	22765,8
Transformers (new construction and reconstruction), pieces	426	40436,0
Substation (new construction and reconstruction), object	9	7370,8
<b>"Uzbekneftgaz"</b>		
Complex of gas processing plant and his arrangement of Kandym group of fields (new construction), pieces	41	11742201,3
Gas field wells (new construction and reconstruction), pieces	74	1528720,5
Wells (new construction and reconstruction), pieces	77	2204893,3
Construction of gas pipeline (new construction and reconstruction), km	109,5	442119,2
<b>Navoi mining and metallurgical combine</b>		
The construction of the plant emulsion explosives to providing blasting underground works (new construction), the object	1	45 880,9

	<i>Introduced</i>	<i>Value of fixed assets, million soums</i>
Construction of the mine from the horizon 720 m to the horizon 540 m of mine (new construction), object	1	26 203,8
Opening and working off of the horizon (new construction), m	600	78 794,7
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Technical and technological re-equipment (reconstruction), facilities	<i>Specified power</i>	79 575,1
For priority projects for implementation (reconstruction), the object	<i>Specified power</i>	49 217,0
<b>Almalyk mining and metallurgical combine</b>		
Cement plant construction (new construction), thousand tons / year	1,5	1 558 782,9
Expansion of production capacities for extraction and processing of raw materials( overhaul), t/ore	1	307 388,6
<b>"Uzbektelecom"</b>		
Fiber-optic communication line (new construction and reconstruction), km	<b>898,6</b>	<b>16176,9</b>
Base stations, units	213,0	36 576,0
Base station (expansion), units	1684	201 396,9
<b>"Uzbekoziqovqatxolding"</b>		
The drying chamber (reconstruction), set	60	27210,4
<b>"Uzpaxtayog"</b>		
Equipment for high-protein granulated feed (new construction and reconstruction), t/day.	142	14577,0

	<i>Introduced</i>	<i>Value of fixed assets, million soums</i>
Equipment for the production of dried fruits (new construction), thousand tons / year	900	3 542,0
Packing shop (reconstruction), bottle / hour	3 000	3 182,3
<b>Engineering company "Yagona buyurtmachi xizmati" in Navoi region</b>		
Water pipe for drinking water supply (new construction), km	61,1	15 796,0
<b>Ministry of water resources</b>		
Irrigation networks (reconstruction), km	24,3	9451,2
Canal (reconstruction), km	42,4	7105,5
Closed irrigation systems (new construction), km	12,5	11 764,9
The construction of the barrage (new construction), pieces	4	5 967,2
Pumping station (new construction), m <sup>3</sup> /sec.	0,7	6 035,0
<b>AK "Uzdonmaxsulot"</b>		
Re-equipment of energy-efficient equipment (reconstruction), t/day	250	11 200,2
<b>"Uzkimyosanoat"</b>		
Limestone quarry from two objects (new construction), thousand tons / year	870	28 664,2
Production of soda ash (new construction), thousand tons / year	200	329 637,2
<b>"Uzsanoateksport"</b>		
Poultry farm (new construction), object	-	3 640,5
Agro-industrial complex (new construction), object	-	25 113,0

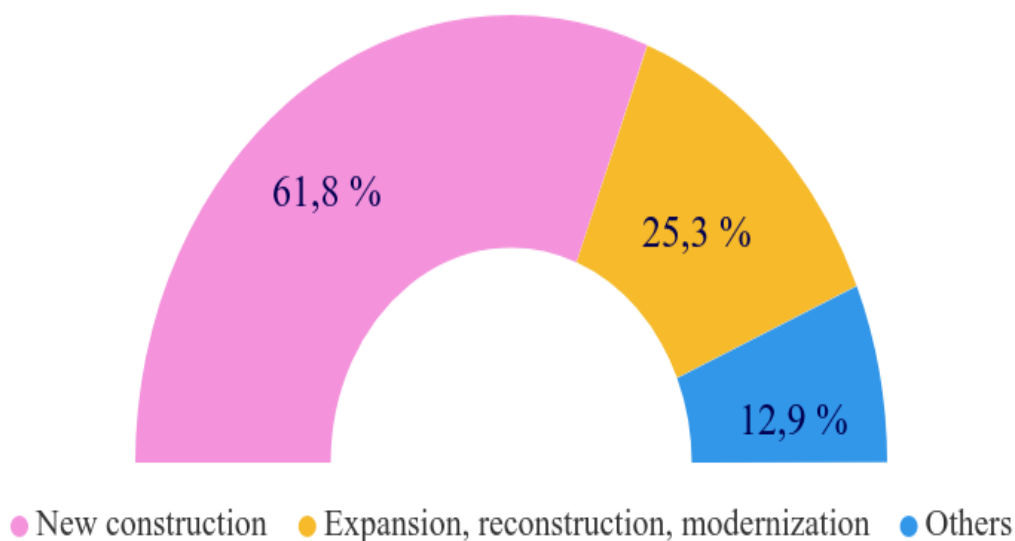
**Reproduction structure of investments in fixed assets**  
(without subjects of small business for January-December 2018)

	<i>Investments in modernization, technical and technological re-equipment of enterprises</i>	
	<i>Volume, billion soums</i>	<i>in % to total</i>
<b>Republic of Uzbekistan</b>	<b>17303,6</b>	<b>100,0</b>
Republic of Karakalpakstan	2551,4	14,7
<i>regions:</i>		
Andijan	685,2	4,0
Bukhara	958,2	5,5
Jizzakh	690,1	4,0
Kashkadarya	952,9	5,5
Navoi	2473,8	14,3
Namangan	705,1	4,1
Samarkand	802,7	4,6
Surkhandarya	1629,6	9,4
Syrdarya	265,4	1,5
Tashkent	1558,7	9,0
Fergana	920,7	5,3
Khorezm	598,3	3,5
Tashkent city	2428,5	14,0

In the reproductive structure of investments in fixed assets, the share of new construction in the country amounted to 61.8%, the share of costs for expansion, reconstruction, modernization and technical re – equipment – 25.3%, the share of other areas –12.9 %.



## Reproduction structure of investments in fixed assets



*Investments in modernization, technical and technological re-equipment and expansion of enterprises and organizations in the reporting period increased in the country, compared to the same period in 2017 by 47.2 %. The share in the total volume of investments in modernization, technical and technological re – equipment and expansion of enterprises and organizations of investments in fixed assets in the Republic of Uzbekistan amounted to 25.3 %, including in the Republic of Karakalpakstan it reached 55.0 %, Khorezm region – 42.7 %, Ferghana region – 41.1 % and Surkhandarya region – 39.2 %.*

## Foreign investment and loans in fixed assets

In January-December 2018, the volume of foreign investments disbursed and credits to fixed capital made up 31350.0 billion soums (in dollars – 3.9 billion USD), or 136.6 % by January-December 2017.

The share of foreign investments and loans in fixed assets in the total volume of disbursed investments during the reporting period reached 29.2 %.

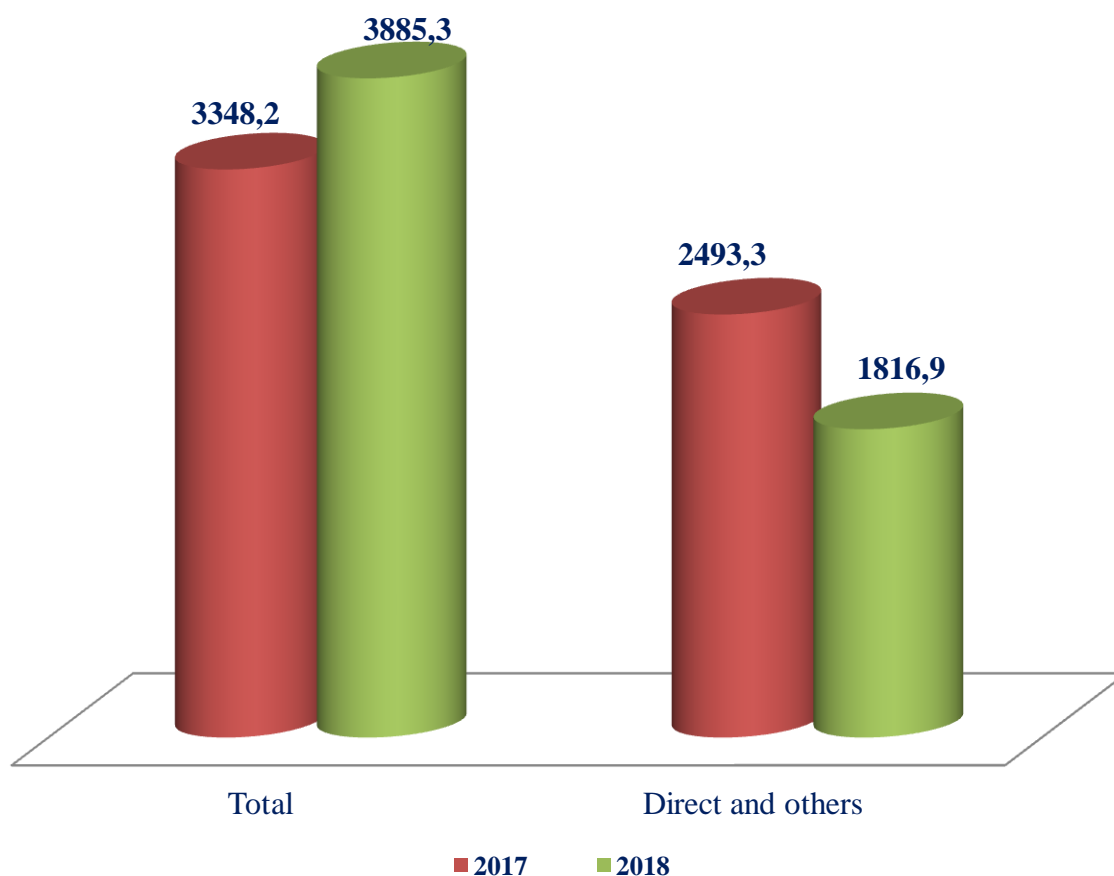
The highest share of foreign investments and loans was observed in Kashkadarya region – 26.6 %, Bukhara region – 13.4 % and Navoi region – 11.7 %.

**Development of foreign investments,  
including loans**

	<i>The development of foreign investments, bln. soums</i>		<i>Foreign investment, as a % to</i>	
	<i>total</i>	<i>among them loans</i>	<i>total</i>	<i>investments in fixed capital</i>
<b>Republic of Uzbekistan</b>	<b>31350,0</b>	<b>18264,9</b>	<b>100,0</b>	<b>29,2</b>
Republic of Karakalpakstan	1512,1	1067,8	4,8	25,0
<i>regions:</i>				
Andijan	878,6	299,2	2,8	21,7
Bukhara	4189,9	344,6	13,4	53,4
Jizzakh	392,3	74,7	1,3	12,4
Kashkadarya	8339,2	6835,5	26,6	54,4
Navoi	3662,1	3571,8	11,7	36,4
Namangan	2822,6	2369,0	9,0	39,6
Samarkand	384,1	147,6	1,2	6,7
Surkhandarya	1788,8	1059,9	5,7	29,3
Syrdarya	261,1	120,8	0,8	12,1
Tashkent	1760,1	509,6	5,6	18,8
Fergana	1250,3	219,3	4,0	25,1
Khorezm	355,5	202,9	1,1	11,9
Tashkent city	3753,3	1442,2	12,0	17,2

Share of foreign investments and loans in fixed capital in GDP in January-December 2018, it amounted to 7.7 % and increased by 2.0 percentage points compared to the same period last year.

### Utilization of foreign investments and credits (million USD)

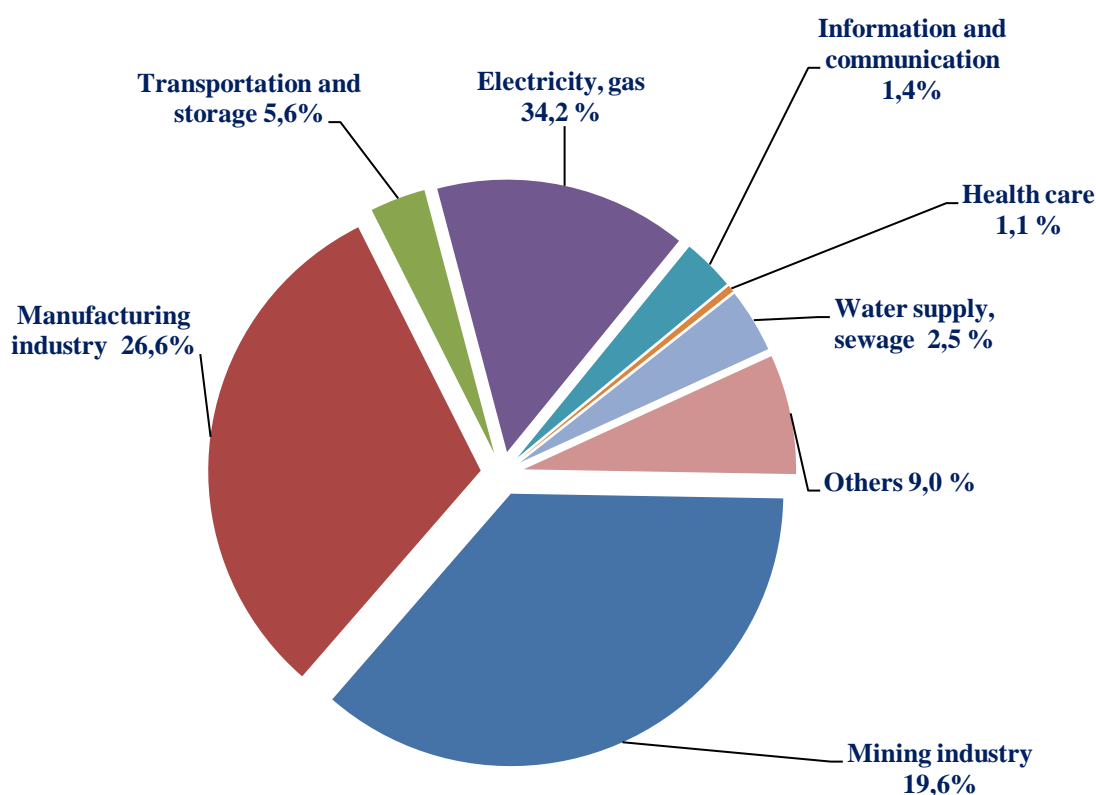


The total volume of foreign investments and loans disbursed in dollar terms amounted to 3885.3 million USD, of which 1816.9 million USD direct and other foreign investments and loans, or 46.8 % of their total volume.

The volume of disbursed direct and other foreign investments and loans in January-December 2018 amounted to 14660.4 billion soums, or 85,8 % compared to the same period last year.

*The share of direct and other foreign investments and loans in fixed assets in GDP in January-December 2018 amounted to 3.6 % and decreased by 0.6 percentage points compared to the same period last year.*

## The structure of foreign investment and loans for certain types of economic activity



Significant amounts of foreign investments and loans have been disbursed for the following types of economic activities: crude oil and natural gas – 17.2 % of the total volume of foreign investments and loans, decreased by January-September 2018, by 4.8 p.p, respectively, information and communication-1.4 % (0.6 p.p), water supply, Sewerage, waste collection and disposal – 2.5 % (by 0.6 percentage points).

At the same time, the volume of the following economic activities increased: production of textiles and clothing – 5.8 % (1.6 percentage points), transportation and storage – 5.6 % (0.1 percentage points), production of food, beverages and tobacco – 1.2 % (0.5 percentage points).

### Construction of social facilities

Of the total investments in housing construction are mastered 17695.8 billion soums, or 16.5 % .

**Commissioning of residential houses and social facilities through new construction and reconstruction**

	<i>At the expense of all sources</i>			
	<i>introduced</i>		<i>in % to January-December 2017.</i>	
	<i>total</i>	<i>including in rural areas</i>	<i>total</i>	<i>including in rural areas</i>
Residential houses, thousand square meters total area	12078,1	8359,8	105,4	106,7
<i>from them:</i>				
<i>individual houses</i>	10370,3	6898,0	114,9	110,5
<i>individual houses on standard projects</i>				
<i>in urban and rural areas</i>	1653,7	1453,3	99,5	92,0
Hospitals, beds	6032	570	141,3	132,6
Polyclinics (including rural medical station), visits	19368	10150	251,4	261,9
General and specialized schools, pupils ' places	77436	35204	82,0	69,4
Overhaul of secondary and specialized schools, units.	156	x	102,6	x
Water supply networks, km	3951,4	3508,9	159,9	177,9
Gas networks, km	165,0	131,7	54,1	80,3

In January-December 2018, 79.2 thousand houses were put into operation, or 88.0 thousand apartments with a total area of 12078.1 thousand sq. m ( or 105,4 % to the same period of 2017), including in rural areas 8359 thousand sq.m (or 106,7 %).

In municipal construction, 3951.4 km of water supply (3508.9 km in rural areas) and 165.0 km of gas (131.7 km in rural areas) networks were put into operation, which amounted to 159.9 % and 54.1 % respectively by January-December 2017. Rural areas account for 177.9 % of water supply and 80.3 % of gas networks.

### Commissioning of residential buildings

(in January-December 2018)

	<i>introduced, total</i>		<i>From them: introduced individual residential building</i>	
	<i>thousand sq. m</i>	<i>in % to January-December 2017</i>	<i>thousand sq. m</i>	<i>in % to January-December 2017</i>
<b>Republic of Uzbekistan</b>	<b>12078,1</b>	<b>105,4</b>	<b>10370,3</b>	<b>114,9</b>
Republic of Karakalpakstan	812,6	115,8	712,8	124,0
<i>regions:</i>				
Andijan	1018,9	126,5	847,2	128,6
Bukhara	1209,5	148,6	1064,7	164,6
Jizzakh	588,0	106,4	457,0	103,9
Kashkadarya	1137,2	96,4	948,0	104,3
Navoi	668,0	104,8	595,8	125,8
Namangan	1151,1	106,7	1024,4	105,8
Samarkand	990,9	100,5	828,6	111,0
Surkhandarya	1071,0	105,6	955,2	108,6
Syrdarya	128,6	75,3	82,0	129,6
Tashkent	919,5	89,5	826,4	95,0
Ferghana	1086,8	137,0	887,2	146,0
Khorezm	700,9	79,6	614,8	85,1
Tashkent city	576,7	70,8	526,2	112,8

Individual developers commissioned houses on 10370.3 thousand square meters of total area, or 114.9 % to the same period of the last year.

However, the program for the construction of affordable homes according to the updated standard projects in urban and rural areas in January-December 2018, the construction of 16.7 thousand houses with a total area of 1653.7 thousand square meters, or 99.5 % of the same period of the last year, was completed.

For new construction and capital reconstruction of hospitals, outpatient clinics, rural medical institutions and other health facilities used 1148.0 billion soums of investment, which amounted to 42,3 % of the investments made by type of health care.

For the construction and reconstruction of professional colleges mastered 61.1 billion soums of investments, which amounted to 2.2 % of investments by type of activity of education.

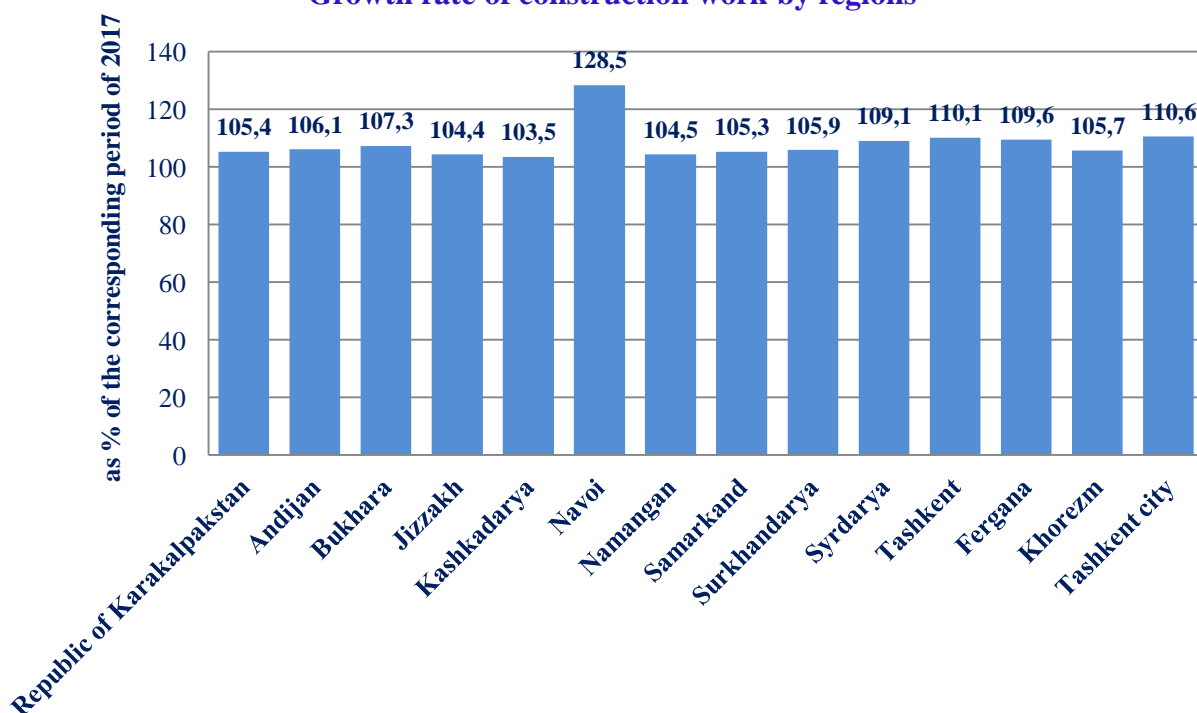
As part of the ongoing measures to further improve the quality of the educational process for the construction and reconstruction of secondary and specialized schools mastered 627.4 billion soums of investment, or 22.6 % of the investment made by type of education.

For the construction of water supply networks mastered 966.4 billion soums, and the construction of a gas network – 9.1 billion soums.

### Construction activity

In January-December 2018, construction works were carried out for 47260.7 billion soums, which amounted to 109.9 % compared to January-December 2017.

#### Growth rate of construction work by regions



Significant growth rates of construction works were performed in the following regions: Navoi region-128.5 % and this figure is compared to with the corresponding period of the last year, increased by 23.1 percentage points, respectively, in the Samarkand region-105.3 % (10.0 percentage points), Tashkent region – 110.1 % (9.8 percentage points) and Kashkadarya region – 103.5 % (3.6 percentage points).

### Construction work on the regions

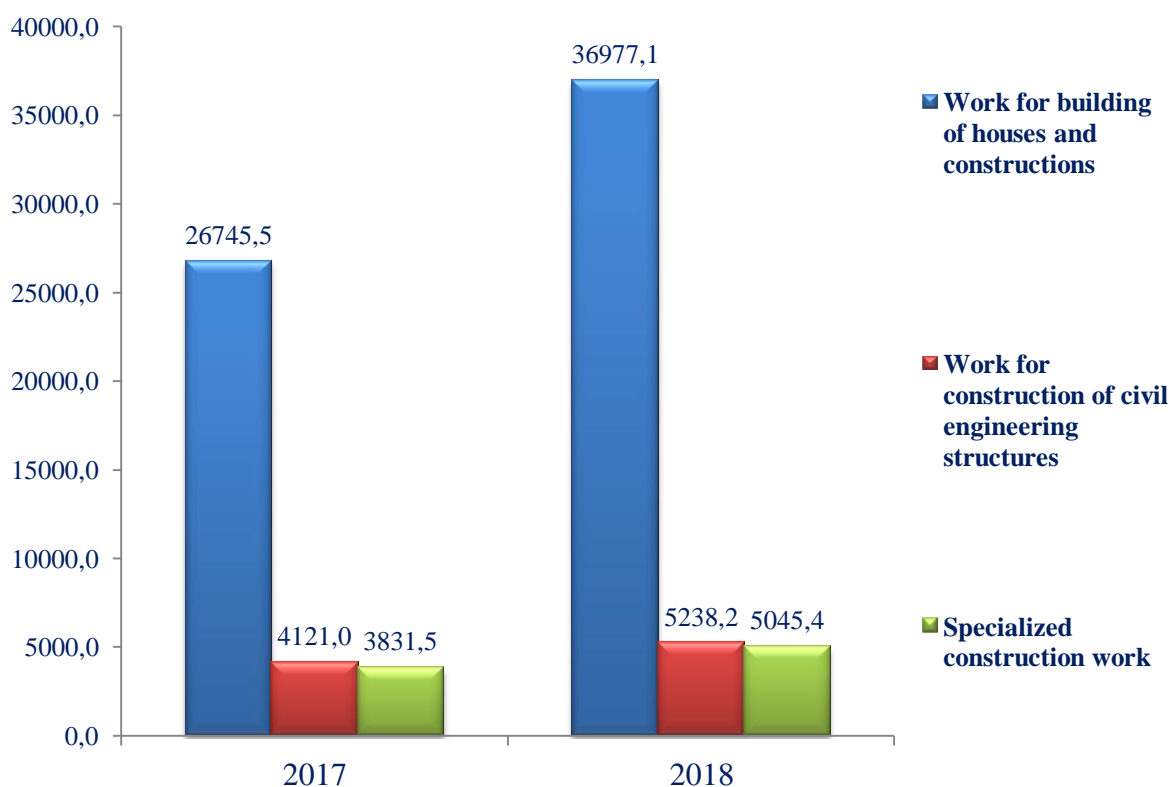
	<i>Total, billion soums</i>	<i>Including the forms property, in % the total volume of</i>	
		<i>State</i>	<i>Non-state</i>
<b>Republic of Uzbekistan <sup>1)</sup></b>	<b>47260,7</b>	<b>4,6</b>	<b>95,4</b>
Republic of Karakalpakstan	1831,5	4,5	95,5
<i>regions:</i>			
Andijan	2442,5	4,1	95,9
Bukhara	3231,0	5,3	94,7
Jizzakh	1273,4	5,9	94,1
Kashkadarya	3458,2	5,1	94,9
Navoi	2004,6	25,6	74,4
Namangan	1917,7	6,8	93,2
Samarkand	2918,5	1,1	98,9
Surkhandarya	2366,9	3,0	97,0
Syrdarya	733,3	7,0	93,0
Tashkent	2543,2	6,7	93,3
Fergana	2682,7	2,2	97,8
Khorezm	1748,5	6,1	93,9
Tashkent city	8765,1	5,2	94,8

<sup>1)</sup> Including unallocated volumes by region



For construction works of the non-state sector of the economy has increased, compared to January-December 2017, by 1.4 p.p, in total in the Republic of Uzbekistan it was 95.4 %, including in the Samarkand region reached 98.9 %, Ferghana region – 97.8 %, Surkhandarya region – 97.0 %, Andijan region – 95.9 % and the Republic of Karakalpakstan – 95.5 %.

### Construction work by kinds of economic activities ( billion soums)



Of the total volume of construction works, 79.6 % are accounted for new construction, reconstruction, expansion and technical re – equipment of enterprises, and the share of capital, current repairs and other contract works-20.4 %.

During the reporting period, construction works were carried out on the construction of buildings and structures for 36977.1 billion soums, or 111.4 % to the corresponding period of 2017, respectively, construction work on the construction of civil facilities – by 5238.2 billion soums (or 102.4 %), specialized construction work – by 5045.4 billion soums (or 107.9 %).

## Construction work by economic activity in January-December 2018 by regions

(billion soums)

	<i>Building works, amenities - total</i>	<i>Including by types of economic activities:</i>		
		<i>construction of buildings and structures</i>	<i>construction of civil facilities</i>	<i>specialized construction works</i>
<b>Republic of Uzbekistan</b>	<b>47260,7</b>	<b>36977,1</b>	<b>5238,2</b>	<b>5045,4</b>
Republic of Karakalpakstan	1831,5	1236,9	217,7	376,9
<i>regions:</i>				
Andijan	2442,5	1931,4	145,3	365,8
Bukhara	3231,0	2279,4	426,9	524,6
Jizzakh	1273,4	999,6	193,0	80,8
Kashkadarya	3458,2	2731,7	254,3	472,2
Navoi	2004,6	1746,4	141,6	116,6
Namangan	1917,7	1 370,8	284,7	262,3
Samarkand	2918,5	2432,0	320,6	165,8
Surkhandarya	2366,9	1632,2	606,4	128,3
Syrdarya	733,3	523,1	135,6	74,6
Tashkent	2543,2	1973,9	307,1	262,1
Fergana	2682,7	2139,8	173,1	369,8
Khorezm	1748,5	1408,3	206,9	133,3
Tashkent city	8765,1	5227,8	1825,0	1712,3

The main part of construction works by types of economic activity was carried out due to the construction of buildings and structures. Their share in the total volume of construction works amounted to 78.2 % and increased by 1.1 p.p compared to the same period of the last year.

The share in the volume of construction works for such type of economic activity as civil facilities amounted to 11.1 % and, compared to the same period last year, decreased by 0.8 p.p, respectively, the share of specialized construction works reached 10.7 %, or increased by 0.3 p.p.

