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The main preliminary results of Enterprises Statistics indicate that, in 2007, the Portuguese business sector consisted of approximately 1.1 million enterprises (companies, sole proprietors and self employed) in activity. These were mostly concentrated in Wholesale and retail Trade (27,3%), Real Estate, renting and Business Activities (20,9%), and Construction (11,3%) sectors. The number of persons employed by the non-financial enterprises was around 3.9 million workers, and the Gross Value Added (GVA), at current prices, reached 84,4 thousand million Euros.
