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## Construction: building permits and completed buildings

$2^{\text {nd }}$ Quarter 2010

## Building permits and completed buildings trending downwards

In the second quarter of 2010, about 7,100 building permits were licensed, and approximately 10,200 buildings were completed. These figures represent an annual average of $-12,9 \%$ and $3,7 \%$, respectively, maintaining the trend registered in the previous quarters, with a narrower range on the annual rates.

From the previous quarter, the number of building permits increased by $1,5 \%$ and completed buildings decreased by 4,0\%.

