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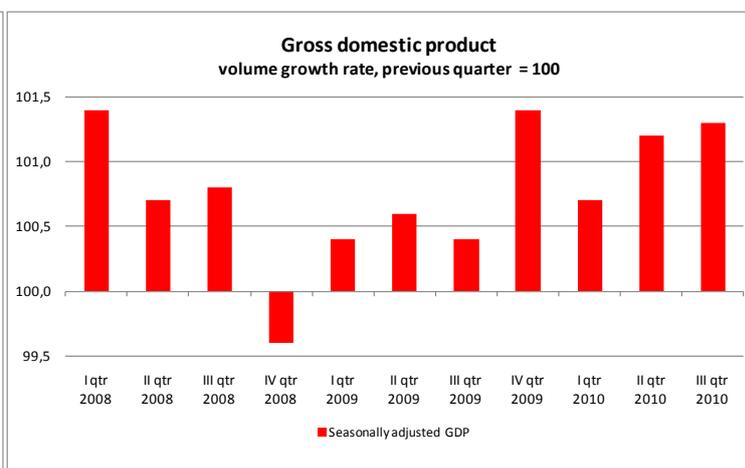
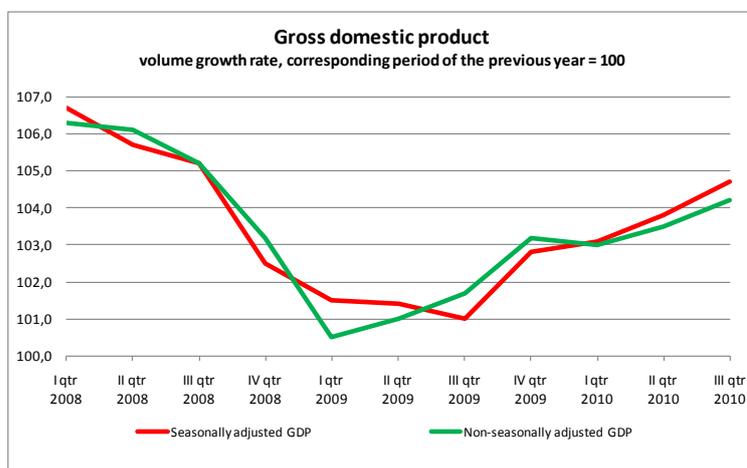
**Current information**

**PRELIMINARY RESULTS**

**Gross Domestic Product in the 3<sup>rd</sup> quarter of 2010**  
**Preliminary estimate**

In the 3<sup>rd</sup> quarter of 2010 seasonally adjusted GDP (constant prices, reference year 2000) was higher by 1.3 % than in the 2<sup>nd</sup> quarter of 2010 and 4.7 % higher than in 3<sup>rd</sup> quarter of the previous year.

Non-seasonally adjusted GDP (constant average prices of the previous year) was higher by 4.2 % than in the corresponding quarter of the previous year. In the third quarter of 2010 the economic growth was supported by domestic uses which impact on GDP growth was 4.2 percentage points. The impact of total consumption expenditure amounted to 2.9 percentage points and gross capital formation to 1.3 percentage points (out of it 0.1 percentage points of the impact of gross fixed capital formation and 1.2 percentage points of the impact of changes in inventories). The impact of net exports on the GDP growth was neutral.



According to the European Commission recommendations for the EU Member States national accounts data is presented by NACE Rev. 1.1. Data by NACE Rev. 2 will be published since September 2011.

**Seasonally adjusted GDP; constant prices, reference year 2000**

2008				2009				2010		
I qtr	II qtr	III qtr	IV qtr	I qtr	II qtr	III qtr	IV qtr	I qtr	II qtr	III qtr
change (%) on the previous quarter										
+1,4	+0,7	+0,8	-0,4	+0,4	+0,6	+0,4	+1,4	+0,7	+1,2	+1,3
change (%) on the corresponding quarter of the previous year										
+6,7	+5,7	+5,2	+2,5	+1,5	+1,4	+1,0	+2,8	+3,1	+3,8	+4,7

**Non-seasonally adjusted GDP; constant average prices of the previous year**

2008				2009				2010		
I qtr	II qtr	III qtr	IV qtr	I qtr	II qtr	III qtr	IV qtr	I qtr	II qtr	III qtr
change (%) on the corresponding quarter of the previous year										
+6,3	+6,1	+5,2	+3,2	+0,5	+1,0	+1,7	+3,2	+3,0	+3,5	+4,2

***Seasonally adjusted GDP (previous quarter = 100, constant prices, reference year 2000)***

In comparison with the previous quarter in the third quarter of 2010 **seasonally adjusted GDP** was **1.3 %** higher.

**Gross value added in national economy** in the third quarter of 2010 was 0.9 % higher.

**Gross value added in industry** in the third quarter of 2010 was 0.2 % higher.

**Gross value added in construction** in the third quarter of 2010 was 0.8 % higher.

**Gross value added in market services sector** in the third quarter of 2010 was 0.9 % higher.

**Domestic uses** in the third quarter of 2010 was 1.4 % higher.

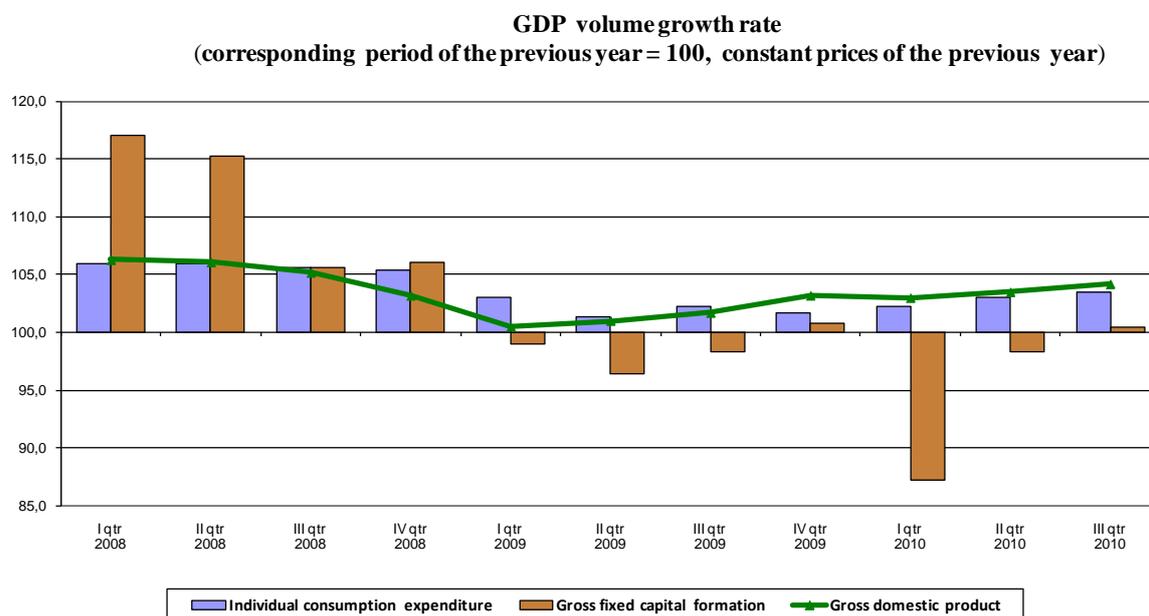
**Total consumption expenditure** in the third quarter of 2010 was 1.3 % higher, while **individual consumption expenditure** grew for 1.1 %.

**Gross fixed capital formation** in the third quarter rose by 0.6 %.

*Tables 1 and 2 present indices in constant prices with reference to the year 2000 for GDP time series and its main aggregates for non-seasonally adjusted data, seasonally adjusted data as well as trend. Table 1 presents indices on the previous quarter and table 2 presents indices on the corresponding quarter of the previous year.*

### *Non-seasonally adjusted GDP (constant average prices of the previous year)*

According to the preliminary estimate **gross domestic product (GDP)** in the third quarter of 2010 was **4.2 %** higher than in the corresponding quarter of the previous year.



**Gross value added in national economy** in the third quarter of 2010 was 3.8 % higher than in the corresponding quarter of 2009.

**Gross value added in industry** was 10.2 % higher than in the corresponding quarter of 2009, while in **construction** was 6.1 % higher respectively.

**Gross value added in market services sector** in the third quarter of 2010 was 2.0 % higher year-on-year. Gross value added in **trade and repair** grew by 4.5 % and in **transport, storage and communication** grew by 4.9 %. In the third quarter of 2010 the considerable improvement of real growth of financial intermediation was noted although, the significant fall is still observed in comparison with the corresponding quarter of 2009 - 14.3 %.

**Domestic uses** in the third quarter of 2010 was 4.2 % higher than in the corresponding quarter of the previous year.

**Total consumption expenditure** in the third quarter of 2010 in comparison with the corresponding quarter of the previous year was 3.6 % higher, in which **individual consumption expenditure** – 3.5 % and **public consumption expenditure** – 4.3 %.

**Gross fixed capital formation** in the third quarter of 2010 in comparison with the same quarter of the previous year increased by 0.4 %. **Investment ratio** (relation of gross fixed capital formation to gross domestic product at current prices) was 18.8 % (19.9 % in previous year).

*Detailed data for GDP time series and its aggregates at current prices as well as volume growth rate (corresponding quarter of the previous year = 100, constant average prices of the previous year) is presented in tables 3 and 4. Table 5 includes information on contribution to GDP volume growth rate.*

*The methodology of calculating quarterly GDP estimates is included in the publication 'Quarterly National Accounts– methodological rules' published in October 2010. The publication is available on the CSO website – [www.stat.gov.pl](http://www.stat.gov.pl).*