Construction and housing

Figures from 2019 unless another year is specified



12 190 New buildings with dwellings, 2018

53 199 Newly built dwellings, 2018

4 528 902

Total number of dwellings, 2018

3 784 230 Occupied dwellings, 2018

333 507

of which single-person households. 2018



Residential buildings, 2018

997 999 of which single-family houses, 2018

1 storey 123 212

2 storeys 814264

3-5 storeys 759 659

6 + storeys 51 342





CHF 1329 Average rent, 2017



1.7 Number of rooms per person, 2018

46 m² Living space per person, 2018





111 38.0% Home ownership rate, 2017

Sources: FSO - Buildings and Dwellings statistic, Structural Survey, Empty dwellings census, Housing construction statistics