



Press release

Embargo: 06.10.2022, 8:30

09 Construction and housing

Buildings and Dwellings Statistics 2021

In 2021, 58% of buildings were heated by fossil fuels

In 2021, there were 1.77 million residential buildings and 4.69 million dwellings in Switzerland. 58% of buildings were heated by fossil fuels (heating oil and gas) and 17% were equipped with heat pumps. The share of the latter has quadrupled since 2000. In terms of the population, one person in four had gas heating. These are some of the findings from the Buildings and Dwellings Statistics of the Federal Statistical Office (FSO).

You can find the complete text of the press release in German, French or Italian:

For German see: www.bfs.admin.ch/news/de/2022-0075

For French see: www.bfs.admin.ch/news/fr/2022-0075

For Italian see: www.bfs.admin.ch/news/it/2022-0075