

The total number of manual workers engaged at construction sites increased from 74,521 in the 1st quarter 2000 to 79,261 in the 2nd quarter 2000, or about 6.4%.

During the 2nd quarter 2000, the Civil Engineering Works Index (CEWI), Highways Department Construction Cost Index (HyD CCI) and Building Cost Index (BCI) increased by about 1.1%, 0.2% and 0.2% respectively. Building Works Tender Price Index (BWTPI) and Building Services Tender Price Index (BSTPI) decreased by about 9.0% and 1.6% respectively.

The 1994/95 based Consumer Price Index (CPI(C)) dropped from 109.4 at the end of the 1st quarter 2000 to 109.3 at the end of 2nd quarter 2000, or about 0.1%.

在二零零零年第二季內，建築地盤工人總數為 79,261，比對二零零零年第一季所錄得的數字 74,521，上升約 6.4%。

在二零零零年第二季內，土木工程指數、路政署建造成本指數和建築成本指數，分別上升約 1.1%、0.2% 和 0.2%。建築工程投標價格指數和屋宇設備投標價格指數則分別下降約 9.0% 和 1.6%。

以一九九四/五年為基準的丙類消費物價指數，在二零零零年第二季尾時為 109.3 點，比對二零零零年第一季尾時的 109.4 點，下降約 0.1%。