



GDP grew 0.3% in the third quarter of 2018

Gross Domestic Product has grown by 0.3% during the July to September period.

UK GDP growth during this period was 0.6%.

Change in GDP compared to last quarter

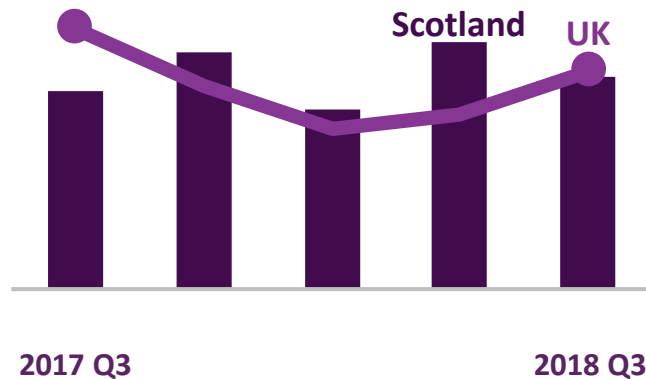


Scottish GDP grew by 1.5% over the year

Compared to the same time last year (2017 Q3), Scottish GDP has increased by 1.5%.

Equivalent UK growth over the year was also 1.5%.

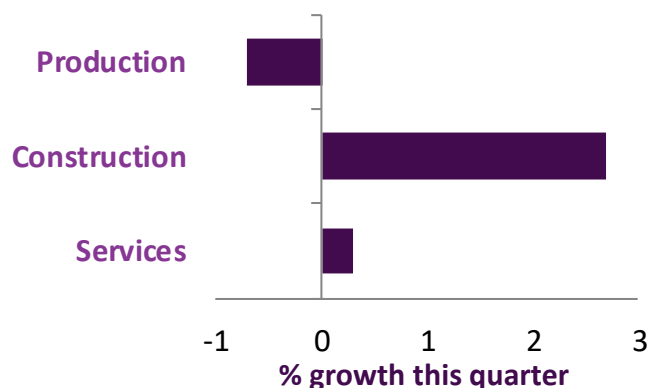
Change in GDP compared to the same quarter last year



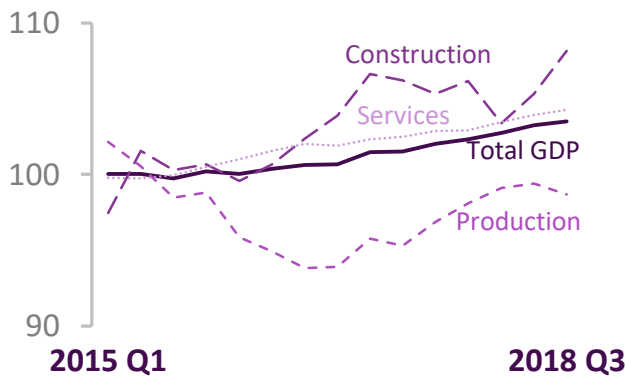
Strong quarter for construction

In 2018 Q3, output in the Services sector increased by 0.3%, output in the Production sector decreased by 0.7% and output in Construction sector grew by 2.7%

Quarterly growth in industry sectors



Output by industry sector (2015=100)



GDP growth driven by steady Services growth

Services industries continue to grow steadily.

Production industries saw growth in 2017 and the first half of 2018. In recent quarters Production has fallen while Construction has grown.

Supporting documents

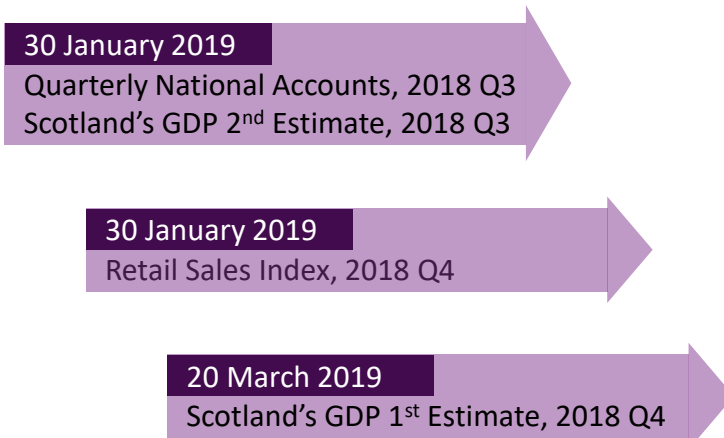
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Information on the data behind this summary and on the methodology used for calculating these figures is available.

Links to key documents are available at gov.scot/gdp

Upcoming Scottish Economic Statistics



New publication schedule for GDP

The January publication of Quarterly National Accounts Scotland will include a second estimate of GDP growth for 2018 Q3 and revisions to previous quarters.