

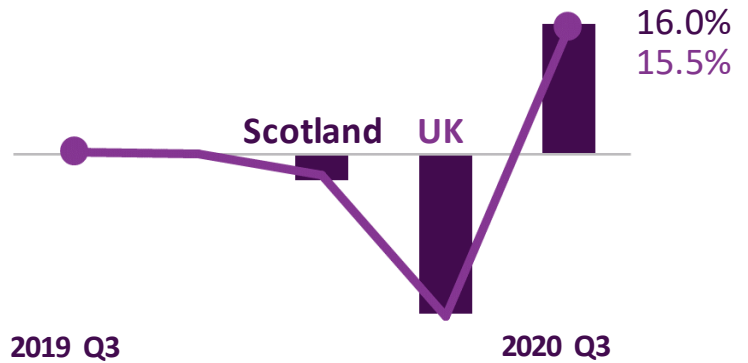


GDP rose 16.0% in the third quarter of 2020

Gross Domestic Product has increased by 16.0% during July to September.

During this period UK GDP increased by 15.5%.

Change in GDP compared to last quarter

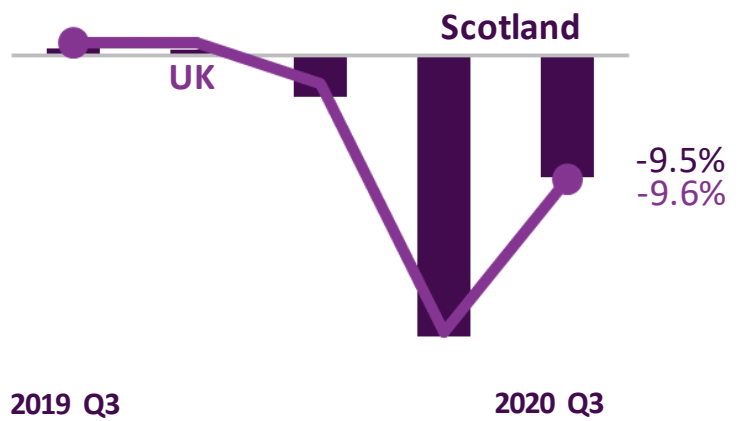


Scottish GDP fell by -9.5% over the year

Compared to the same time last year (2019 Q3), Scottish GDP has decreased -9.5%.

Equivalent UK change over the year was -9.6%.

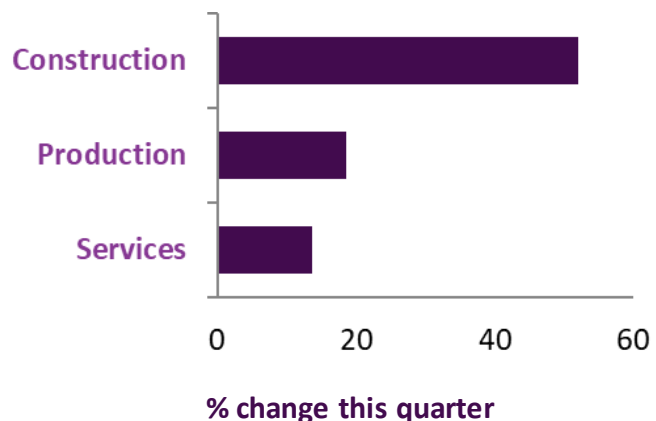
Change in GDP compared to the same quarter last year



Weak quarter for all sectors

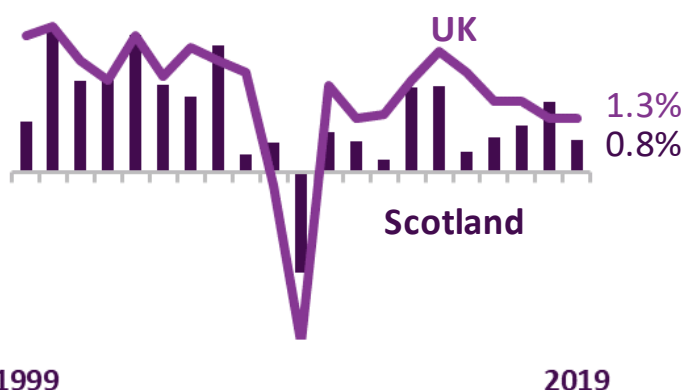
In 2020 Q3, output in the Construction sector increased by 52.0%, output in the Production sector increased by 18.6% and Services sector output increased by 13.8%.

Quarterly growth in industry sectors





Calendar year GDP growth



GDP grew 0.8% in 2019

Between 2018 and 2019 (taking all four quarters of each year), Scottish GDP grew by 0.8%.

Equivalent UK growth in 2019 was 1.3%.

Supporting documents

What are you looking for?	Where is it?
Longer summary	Main publication
The data underlying this summary back in time	Open data platform or Excel tables
Information on revisions	Revision policy
How the figures are calculated	Methodology paper
What data sources are used	Sources catalogue

More information is available in supporting documents

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

18 December

Monthly GDP, October 2020

27 January

Monthly GDP, November 2020

3 February

QNAS/Scotland's GDP 2nd estimate, 2020 Q3

24 February

Monthly GDP, December 2021

17 March

Scotland's GDP 1st estimate, 2020 Q4

24 March

Monthly GDP, January 2021

Revisions to GDP

This publication has no revisions since the 2020 Q2 second estimate, published on 28 October 2020.

The 3 February publication of Quarterly National Accounts Scotland (QNAS) will include a second estimate of GDP growth for 2020 Q3 and revisions to previous quarters.