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concerning the publishing of a prolonged house price index series

Dear Sirs/Mesdames,

In order to fulfil users' needs, a prolonged house price index series for the period from the first quarter of 2002 to the fourth quarter of 2007 has been issued along with the house price index data for the first quarter of 2018. The prolonged series was calculated in cooperation with the Croatian National Bank on the basis of data submitted by the Tax Administration.

The prolonged series was calculated for three defined geographical areas – the City of Zagreb, the Adriatic coast and Other on the basis of defined time-dummy hedonic models. Due to a lack of information on the year of construction, indices for categories new and existing dwellings are not available.

Since 20 January 2016, pursuant to the Regulation (EU) 2016/792 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 11 May 2016 on harmonised indices of consumer prices and the house price index, and repealing Council Regulation (EC) No 2494/95 and Commission Regulation (EU) No 93/2013 of 1 February 2013 laying down detailed rules for the implementation of Council Regulation (EC) No 2494/95 concerning harmonised indices of consumer prices, as regards establishing owner-occupied housing price indices, the Croatian Bureau of Statistics has issued quarterly [house price indices](#). In line with this Regulation, quarterly house price indices were calculated and issued beginning with the fourth quarter of 2007.

Quarterly house price index data as well as prolonged house price index data series are available on the web pages of the Croatian Bureau of Statistics under [Statistics in Line](#).

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