

## TRANSPORT AND COMMUNICATIONS

|                                                                         | 1999    | 2000    | 2001    | 2002    |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| Goods transported by public means of transport (thous. t) <sup>1)</sup> |         |         |         |         |
| Rail                                                                    | 90 734  | 98 253  | 97 218  | 92 005  |
| Road                                                                    | 207 763 | 199 565 | 248 490 | 263 910 |
| Inland waterway                                                         | 1 890   | 1 906   | 1 594   | 1 602   |
| Air                                                                     | 17      | 19      | 16      | 18      |
| Passengers transported by (mil.) <sup>1)</sup>                          |         |         |         |         |
| Rail                                                                    | 177,0   | 184,7   | 190,7   | 177,2   |
| Road                                                                    | 446,9   | 438,9   | 435,6   | 406,1   |
| Air                                                                     | 2,9     | 3,5     | 3,9     | 4,3     |
| Telephones in public networks (thous. ) <sup>2)</sup>                   | 5 751   | 8 218   | 10 808  | 12 286  |
| Residential                                                             | 2 687   | 2 663   | 2 632   | 2 516   |
| Business                                                                | 1 007   | 984     | 1 194   | 1 127   |
| Per 100 population                                                      | 56,0    | 80,0    | 105,2   | 120,4   |
| Outstanding applications for main telephone lines (thous.)              | 78      | 35      | 31      | 25      |
| Mobile subscriptions, total (thous.)                                    | 1 945   | 4 346   | 6 947   | 8 610   |
| Per 100 population                                                      | 18,9    | 42,3    | 67,6    | 84,4    |
| Radio transmitters                                                      | 168     | 169     | 162     | 166     |
| TV transmitters                                                         | 182     | 199     | 209     | 211     |
| Number of payers (thous.)                                               |         |         |         |         |
| Radio fee                                                               | 3 202   | 2 868   | 2 832   | 2 774   |
| TV fee                                                                  | 3 438   | 3 289   | 3 209   | 3 210   |
| Postal services (mil.)                                                  |         |         |         |         |
| Ordinary letters <sup>3)</sup>                                          | 701,4   | 715,7   | 596,6   | 613,2   |
| Registered letters                                                      | 102,2   | 99,8    | 100,4   | 102,0   |
| Parcels and insured letters                                             | 18,3    | 16,3    | 16,5    | 16,3    |
| Internet access services                                                |         |         |         |         |
| Number of users (thous.)                                                | 199,4   | 418,4   | 1 256,7 | 1 644,4 |
| Computers permanently connected to Internet                             | .       | 1 199   | 11 595  | 93 132  |

<sup>1)</sup> Domestic carriers only

<sup>2)</sup> Incl. mobile subscriptions and public phones

<sup>3)</sup> Change in methodology since 2001

**ACCIDENTS IN ROAD TRANSPORT**

