

Senate Community Affairs Committee
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Topic: Australia's housing construction rate

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Senator Payne asked:

What is Australia's current housing construction rate?

Answer:

The Australian Bureau of Statistics (ABS) reported that in the financial year 2009-10 there were 147,447 dwelling construction completions in Australia. (Source: ABS catalogue number 8572.0 'Building Activity September 2010': Table 23).