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REGIONAL CITIES Q1 2026

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## KEY INFORMATION

- A marked slowdown in development activity
- Greater focus on the delivery of smaller-scale projects
- Limited new supply and stable demand are expected to support a reduction in vacancy levels
- Gross transaction volume has slowed, with new leases and renegotiations dominating
- The highest tenant activity was recorded in the Tricity, Wrocław and Kraków (over 75% of total volume).
- Prime office rents remain stable



## EXPERT COMMENT



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The regional office markets in Q1 2026 saw a marked slowdown in development activity, with new projects increasingly concentrated in key core cities. As of the end of March, the total volume under construction stood at just under 190,000 sqm, reflecting a decline both quarter-on-quarter (down 18%) and year-on-year (down 46%), with 65% of the pipeline located in Kraków and Poznań.

Total modern office stock exceeded 6.76 million sqm (down 0.1% year-on-year). Approximately 47,200 sqm was delivered in Q1 2026; however, annual completions are expected to remain below the level of 100,000 sqm, marking one of the weakest results since 2006. The structure of new supply is shifting towards smaller-scale developments, with a limited number of projects exceeding 10,000 sqm.

### Economic indicators - Poland

	2023	2024	2025	2026	2027
Gross Domestic Product (% y/y)	0.2	2.9	3.5	3.5	3.2
CPI Inflation (% y/y)	11.6	3.7	3.7	2.3	2.5
Average gross salary (% y/y)	13.1	13.8	8.5	6.0	5.5
Registered unemployment rate (%)	5.2	5.1	5.7	5.5	5.4
NBP main interest rate (%)	5.75	5.75	4.00	3.50	3.50
EUR PLN	4.34	4.27	4.20	4.20	4.30
USD PLN	3.94	4.10	3.59	3.50	3.52

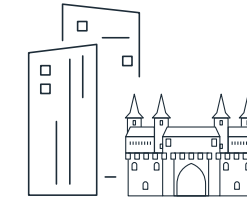
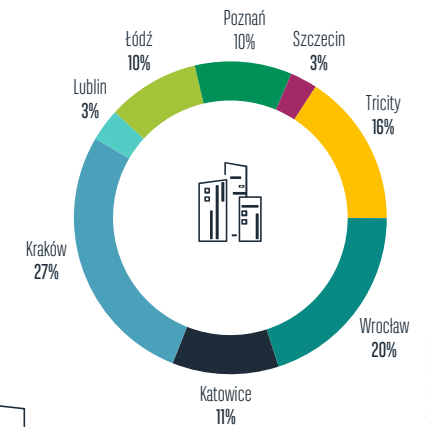
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Following a very strong end to 2025, tenant activity weakened significantly, with total **gross transaction volume** reaching approximately 121,500 sqm (down 51% quarter-on-quarter and 30% year-on-year), driven primarily by new leases, with a notable share of renegotiations. The highest activity was recorded in the Tricity, Wrocław and Kraków, which together accounted for over 75% of leasing volume.

The vacancy rate stood at 17.4% at the end of March (up 0.5 pp q-o-q; down 0.1 pp y-o-y), with the highest levels observed in Katowice and Wrocław (exceeding 22%). The total volume of available space reached approximately 1.18 million sqm. Despite elevated vacancy levels, limited new supply and persistent market fundamentals are expected to support a gradual reduction in available space in the coming quarters.

The regional office market is currently in a stabilisation phase, characterised by low supply, selective developer activity, and a concentration of tenant demand in prime locations. Solid economic fundamentals of the Polish economy, combined with ongoing supply constraints, are expected to support a return to equilibrium across regional office markets, following the rise in vacancy rates driven by their rapid expansion in recent years.

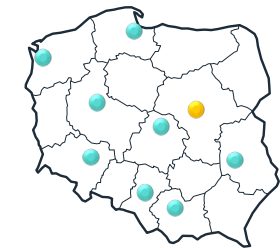
## Existing office space by city



**6.76 M sqm**  
EXISTING OFFICE SPACE

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## Existing Office Space: Regional cities vs. Warsaw



**52%**  
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**48%**  
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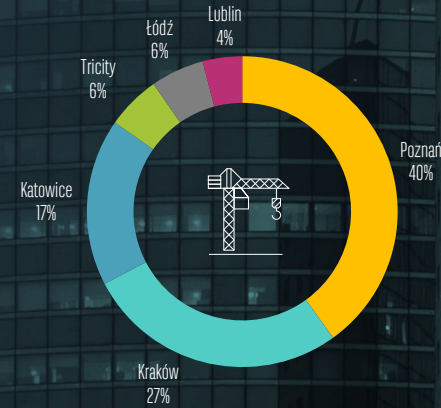
### KEY FIGURES

**47,200 sqm** +1861.1% y/y +1787.4% q/q  
NEW SUPPLY, Q1 2026

**65,300 sqm** -29.0% y/y +217.9% q/q  
NEW SUPPLY, LAST 4 QUARTERS

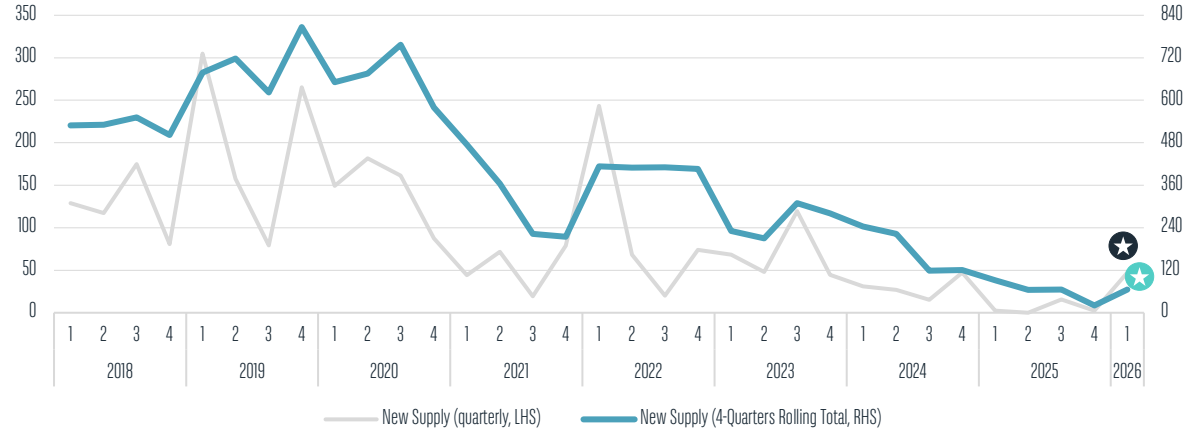
**189,200 sqm** -46.4% y/y -18.4% q/q  
SPACE UNDER CONSTRUCTION\* (2026-2027)

### Office space under construction (2026-2027)



### NEW SUPPLY

#### New supply (000's sqm)



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### Office buildings completed, last 4 quarters

BUILDING	CITY	GLA (sqm)	DEVELOPER
Swobodna SPOT	Wrocław	14,600	Echo Inv.
.PUNKT	Gdańsk	12,700	Torus
Stella Office	Kraków	9,900	Grupa Zasada
The Park Wrocław II	Wrocław	9,500	Projektmanagement Polska
Fabryczna Office Park B7	Kraków	8,400	Inter-Bud

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Hangar	Szczecin	2,000	Marina Deweloper

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### Largest office buildings under construction (2026-2027)

BUILDING	CITY	GLA (sqm)	DEVELOPER	DATE OF OPENING
AND2	Poznań	37,900	Von der Heyden Group	Q2 2027
Nowy Rynek C	Poznań	25,700	Skanska	Q4 2027
Tischnera Green Park I	Kraków	24,000	Stalprodukt	Q4 2027
Wita build. C	Kraków	13,800	Archicom & Echo Investment	Q1 2026
Industrial	Poznań	9,250	TMT SA	Q4 2026

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### KEY FIGURES

**1,178,300 sqm**  
VACANT SPACE, Q1 2026

**-0.5% y/y** **+3.5% q/q**

VACANCY RATE, Q1 2026:

**17.4%**  
Regional cities average

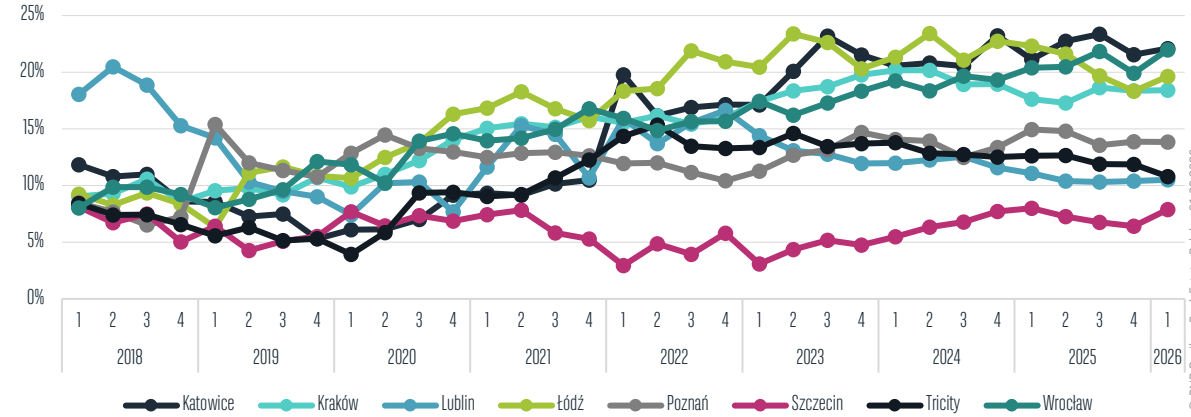
### PRIME RENT (EUR/sqm/mth)

		Change y/y
Kraków	17.00	0.0 EUR
Wrocław	17.00	-0.25 EUR
Katowice	16.00	-0.50 EUR
Łódź	15.25	-0.75 EUR
Tricity	16.75	0.0 EUR
Poznań	17.25	0.0 EUR
Szczecin	16.00	-0.25 EUR
Lublin	15.25	-0.25 EUR



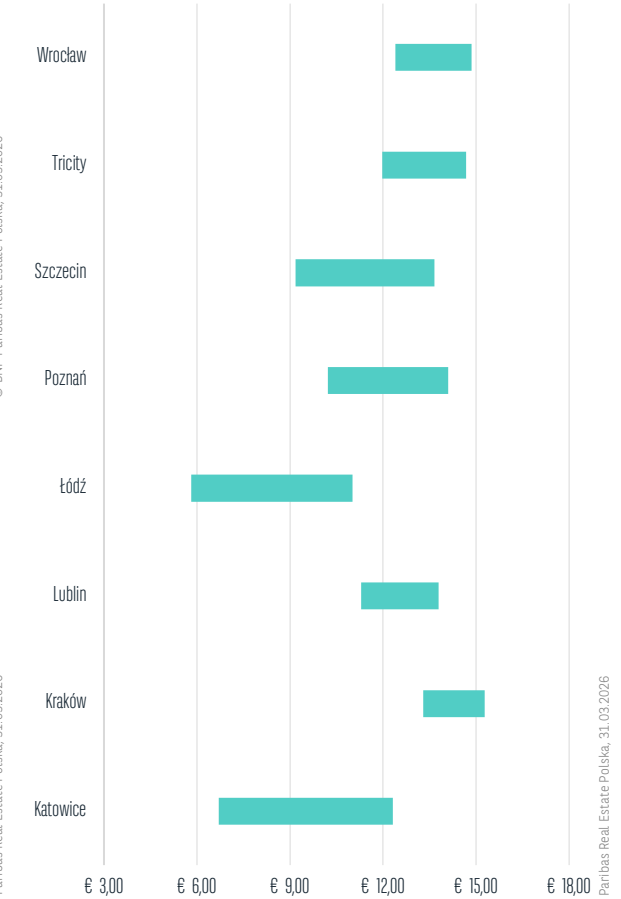
### VACANCY RATE

#### Vacancy rate

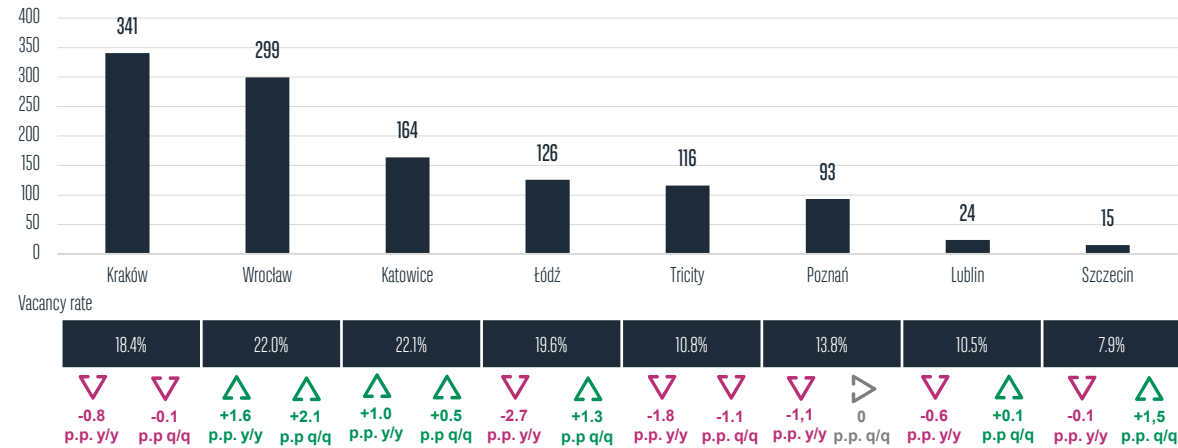


### RENTS

#### Asking rent\*



#### Vacant space (000's sqm) and vacancy rate by city



\* interquartile range, determined from the asking rents of the available units



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### KEY FIGURES

### 121,500 sqm

GROSS TRANSACTION VOLUME, Q1 2026



-28.8% y/y



-51.3% q/q

### 718,000 sqm

GROSS TRANSACTION VOLUME,  
LAST 4 QUARTERS



-2.5% y/y



-6.4% q/q

### GROSS TRANSACTION VOLUME BY CITY, Q1 2026

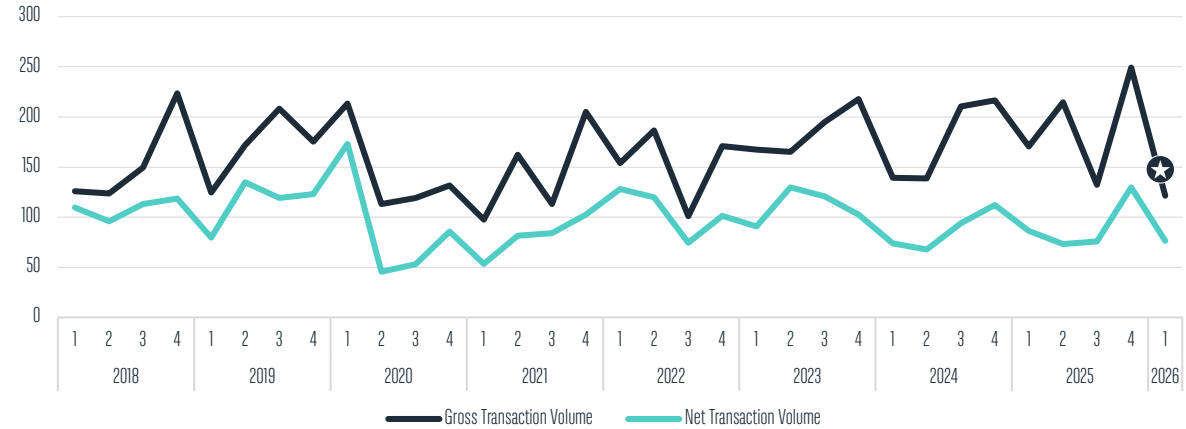


1. Tricity - 41%
2. Wrocław - 21%
3. Kraków - 14%



### TRANSACTION VOLUME

#### Net / gross transaction volume (000's sqm)



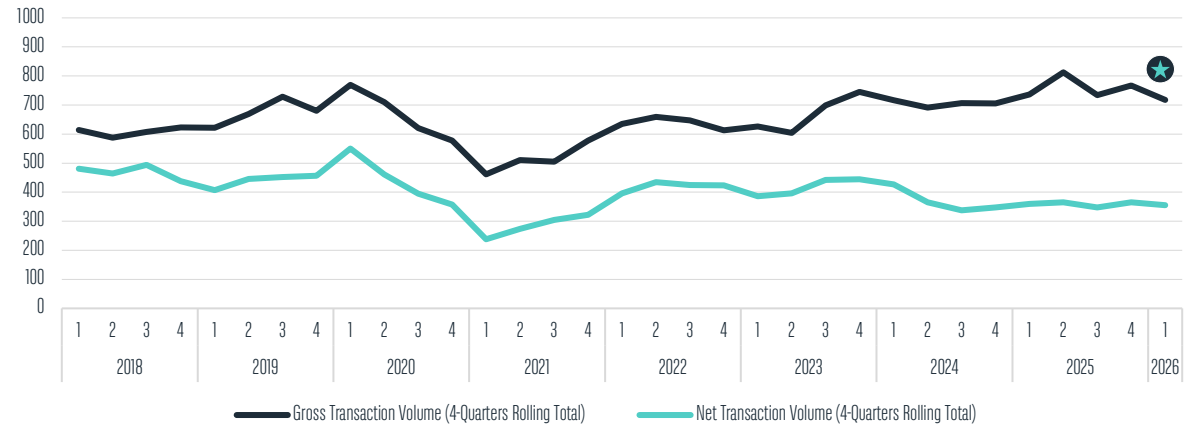
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#### ★ Top 5 lease transactions, Q1 2026

TENANT	BUILDING	CITY	GLA (sqm)	TYPE OF AGREEMENT
Confidential	Business Garden Wrocław	Wrocław	13,000	renewal
Adtran	Tensor Y	Tricity	6,800	renewal
Confidential	Alchemia IV Neon	Tricity	6,100	new
Commerzbank	Ogrodowa 8 Office	Łódź	5,500	expansion
Pepsico	Brain Park A	Kraków	5,400	renewal + expansion

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#### Net / gross transaction volume, rolling total (000's sqm)



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#### ★ Top 5 lease transactions, last 4 quarters

TENANT	BUILDING	CITY	GLA (sqm)	TYPE OF AGREEMENT
Aptiv	Enterprise Park A	Kraków	14,300	renewal
Samorząd Województwa Łódzkiego	Brama Miasta II (A)	Łódź	14,150	rental for own use
Confidential	Business Garden Wrocław	Wrocław	13,000	renewal
Align Technology	Wrocławski Park Biznesu Bierutowaska	Wrocław	12,600	renewal
Confidential	Olivia Star	Gdańsk	12,200	renewal + expansion

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### Structure of Gross Transaction Volume, by Type

	NEW	RENEWAL	EXPANSION	RENTAL FOR OWN USE
Share, Q1 2026	51.0%	37.0%	11.4%	0.6%
YoY change	0,1	-0,1	0	0
Share, last 4 quarters	39.3%	50.3%	7.6%	2.8%
YoY change	0,4	0,5	+0,1	0

**0.4%**  
SHARE OF PRE-LETS  
IN THE GROSS TRANSACTION VOLUME, Q1 2026

0.0 p.p. y/y

**1.3%**  
SHARE OF PRE-LETS  
IN THE GROSS TRANSACTION VOLUME,  
LAST 4 QUARTERS

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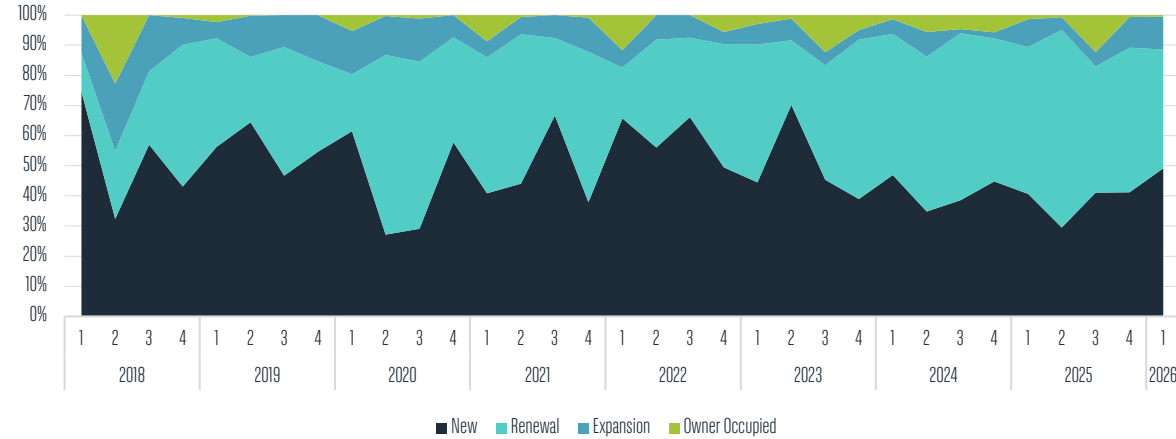
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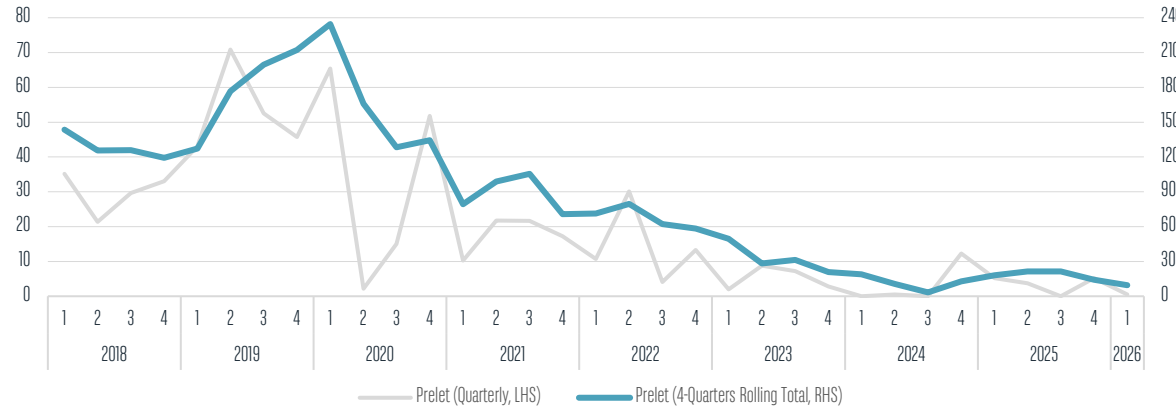
## TRANSACTION VOLUME

### Structure of gross transaction volume quarterly in 2018–2025, by type



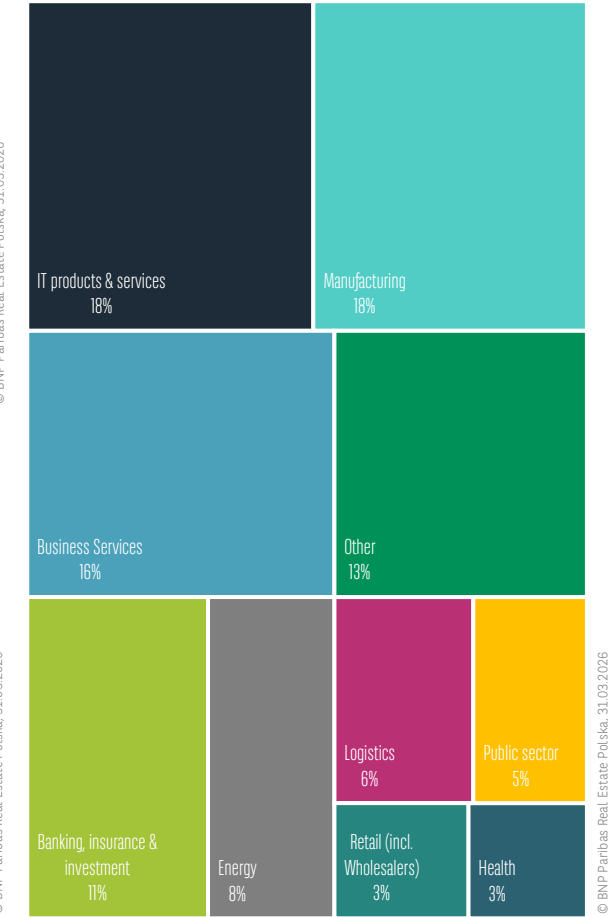
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### Pre-let transaction volume (000's sqm)



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### Structure of gross transaction volume by sector, the last 4 quarters



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## REGIONAL OFFICE MARKET BY CITY

### LEGEND

- Existing office space
- Under construction
- Vacancy rate
- New supply, current quarter
- Rent (EUR /sqm /month)

Prime office rents in regional cities remain stable at EUR 16.00–18.00 per sqm/month, reflecting a balance between demand and constrained new supply. At the same time, the availability of large office units exceeding 3,000–5,000 sqm is declining, driven by limited development activity and the ongoing absorption of existing space.

Given the relatively high vacancy rate across regional markets, competition for tenants remains intense. In order to maintain headline rental levels, landlords are offering increasingly attractive incentive packages, including rent-free periods and fit-out contributions.

In the medium term, upward pressure on prime rents in top-tier projects can also be expected.

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### SZCZECIN

Existing office space	191,600
Under construction	0
Vacancy rate	7.9%
New supply, current quarter	2,000
Rent (EUR /sqm /month)	9.2 – 13.7

### POZNAŃ

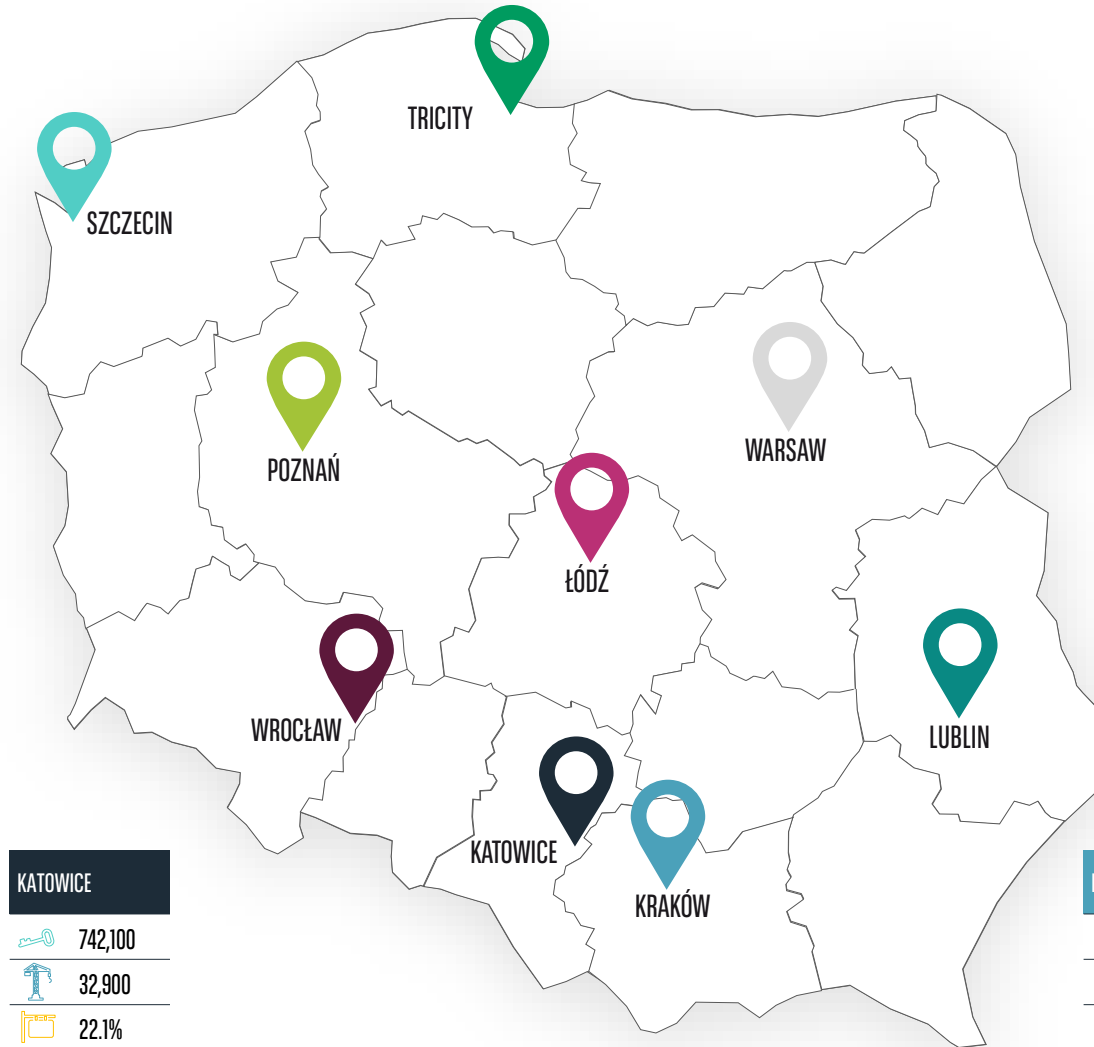
Existing office space	673,200
Under construction	75,800
Vacancy rate	13.8%
New supply, current quarter	0
Rent (EUR /sqm /month)	10.2 – 14.1

### WROCŁAW

Existing office space	1,361,800
Under construction	0
Vacancy rate	22.0%
New supply, current quarter	24,100
Rent (EUR /sqm /month)	12.4 – 14.9

### KATOWICE

Existing office space	742,100
Under construction	32,900
Vacancy rate	22.1%
New supply, current quarter	0
Rent (EUR /sqm /month)	6.7 – 12.3



### TRICITY

Existing office space	1,075,000
Under construction	10,600
Vacancy rate	10.8%
New supply, current quarter	12,700
Rent (EUR /sqm /month)	12.0 – 14.7

### ŁÓDŹ

Existing office space	641,300
Under construction	10,500
Vacancy rate	19.6%
New supply, current quarter	0
Rent (EUR /sqm /month)	5.8 – 11.0

### KRAKÓW

Existing office space	1,851,100
Under construction	51,600
Vacancy rate	18.4%
New supply, current quarter	8,400
Rent (EUR /sqm /month)	13.3 – 15.3

### LUBLIN

Existing office space	224,600
Under construction	7,800
Vacancy rate	10.5%
New supply, current quarter	0
Rent (EUR /sqm /month)	11.3 – 13.8

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