



Area (sq. km) - **6 414.7**

Municipalities - **12**

Villages - **538**

## DEMOGRAPHY

**2023**

Number of Population (thousand) - **463.1**

Number of Births (persons) - **4 837**

Number of Deaths (persons) - **7 008**

Marriages - **3 334**

Divorce - **2 285**



## EDUCATION

**2023/2024 School Year**

Number of Schools - **392**

Number of Pupils - **80 702**

Number of Higher Education Institutions - **4**

Number of Students - **11 014**



## GROSS DOMESTIC PRODUCT AND ECONOMIC STRUCTURE

**2022**

GDP, at current prices (Mil. GEL) - **6 556**

GDP per capita (USD) - **4 837.1**

**Economic Structure**

Manufacturing - **21.9%**

Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing - **11.2%**

Real Estate Activities - **8.9%**

Other Sectors - **58%**



## EMPLOYMENT AND WAGES

**2022**

Unemployment Rate (%) - **19.4**

Number of Employees - Business Sector (thousand) - **59.4**

Average Monthly Earnings - Business Sector (GEL) - **1 290.3**



## BUSINESS STATISTICS

**By 1st March Of 2024**

Registered economic entities (Unit) - **122 510**

Active economic entities (Unit) - **31 138**

Newly registered economic entities (Unit) - **1 109**

**2022**

Turnover (Mil. GEL) - **7 951.4**

Production Value (Mil. GEL) - **5 112.4**

Personnel Costs (Mil. GEL) - **781**

Purchases of Goods and Services (Mil. GEL) - **6 063.9**



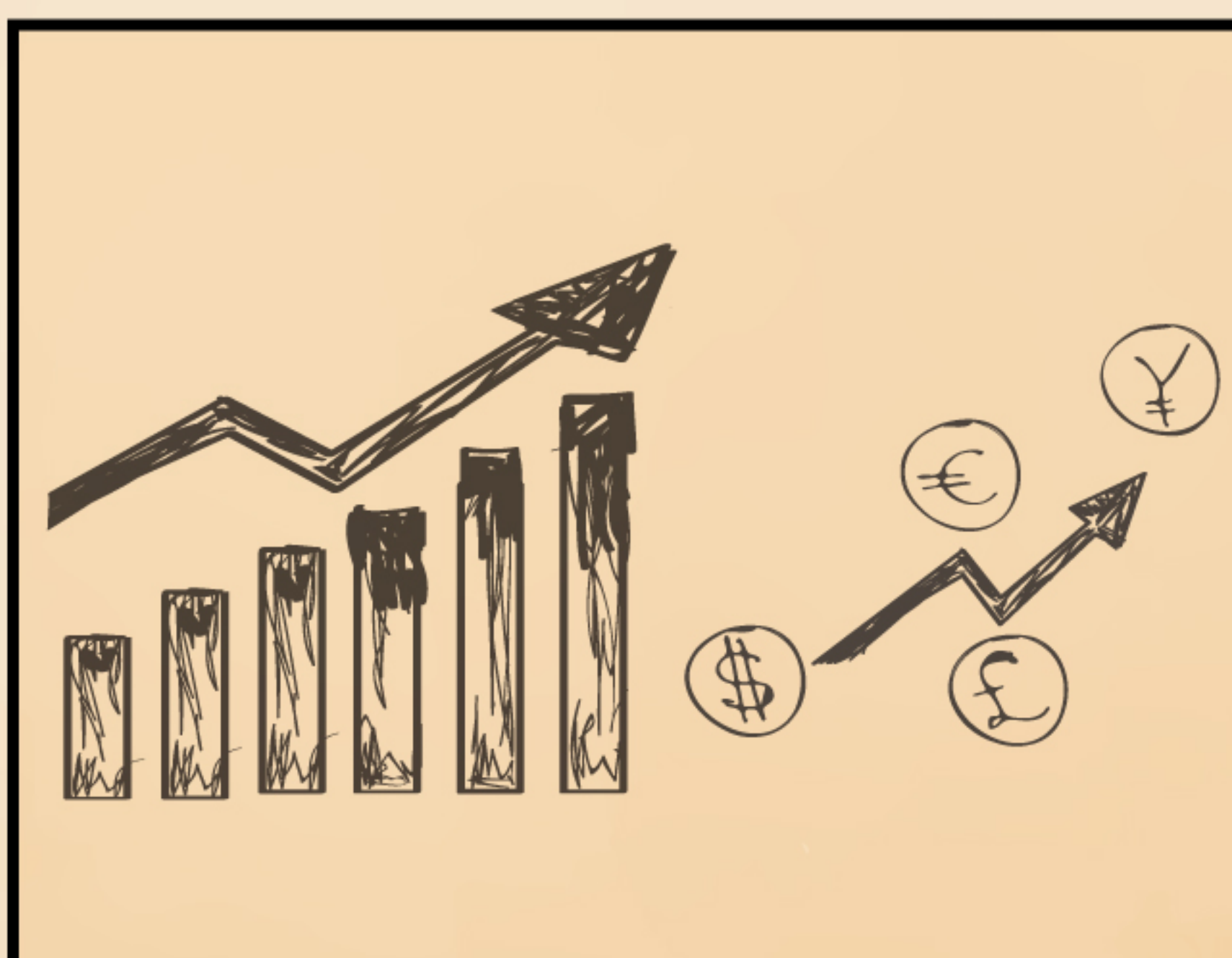
## FOREIGN DIRECT INVESTMENTS (FDI)

**2023**

FDI - **20 739.6** thousand USD

Major investor countries: **China, Luxembourg and France**

Major economic sectors: **Construction, Manufacturing and Energy**



## CONSTRUCTION

**2023**

**Permissions granted for construction**

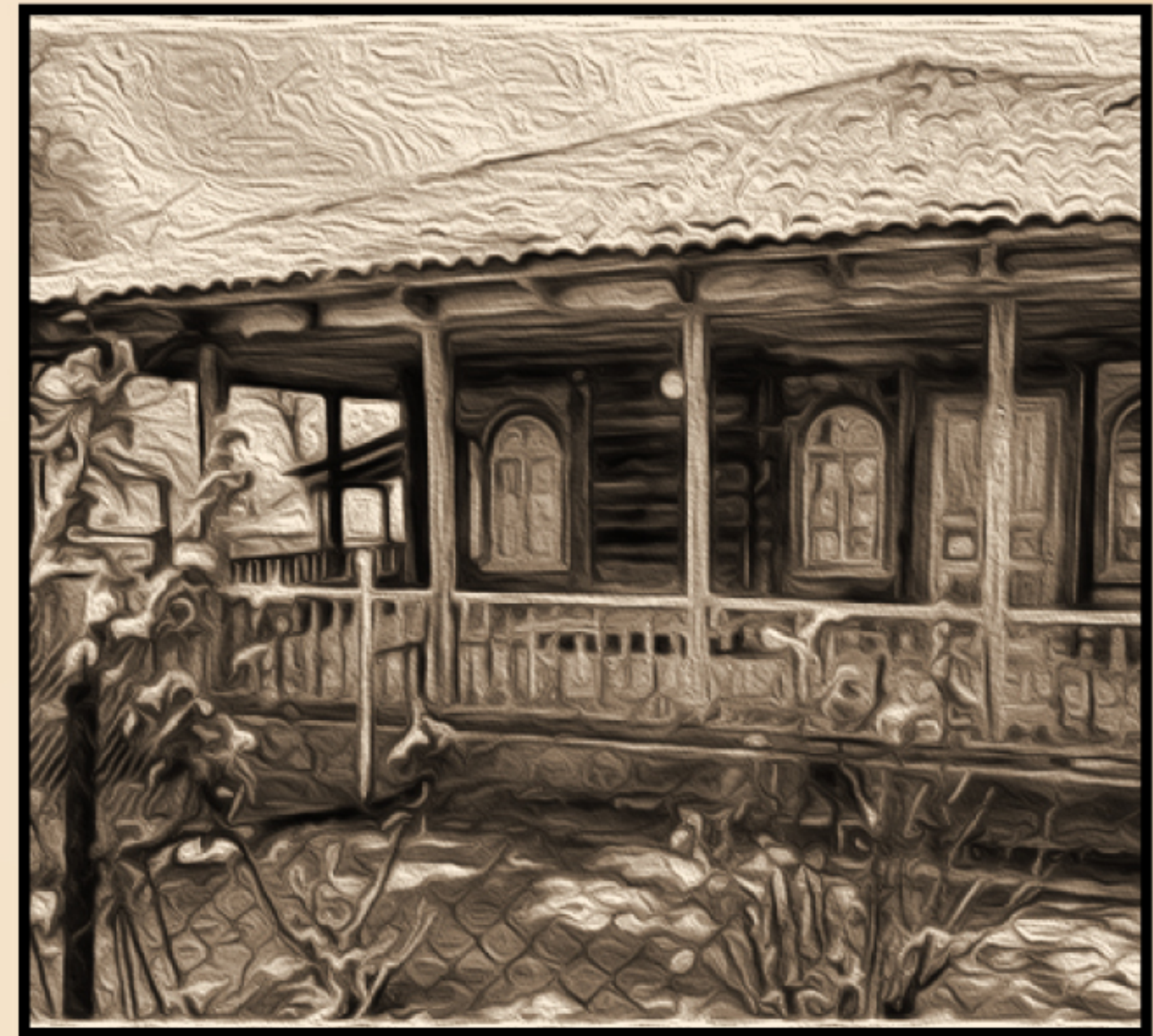
Number - **752**

Total Area - **574 350 m<sup>2</sup>**

**Completed construction objects**

Number - **269**

Total Area - **134 131 m<sup>2</sup>**



## TOURISM

**2023**

**Domestic Tourism**

Number of domestic visitors (thousand) - **230.7**

Number of domestic visits (thousand) - **342.6**

Average length of stay - **1.1** nights

Number of domestic visits from Imereti region (thousand) - **349.6**

**Inbound tourism**

Number of inbound visits (thousand) - **39.1**

**2022**

Number of hotels and hotel type enterprises - **215**

Number of guests (thousand) - **225.9**



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