

FIGURES | FINLAND RESIDENTIAL | Q2 2025

Prime yield in residential market shifted towards compression

RESIDENTIAL INVESTMENT VOLUME YTD

€0.62bn ттм

▲ +31% (y-o-y %)

€330mn Q2/2025

+2% (y-o-y %)

INVESTMENT MARKET KEY FIGURES Q2 2025

Cross-border share

Share of total investment

Number of transactions

The HMA Share

Prime yield

Vs. 58% (5-year avg.)

Vs. 4.50% in Q1 2025

Vs. 47% (5-year avg.)

A 73%

Vs. 29% (5-year avg.)

Vs. 9 (5-year avg.)

Investment market

- The residential investment volume reached €330 million in the second guarter of the year. The large majority of the investment volume (73%) came from crossborder investors, while only 27% of the total investment was located in the Helsinki Metropolitan Area (HMA).
- Residential prime yields compressed by 10 bps in the second guarter to 4.40% in the HMA, while remaining at 5.00% in Turku and Tampere. The outlook for further yield development is positive.
- The most notable investment of the quarter, and the largest deal since August 2022, was the acquisition of a portfolio of 44 residential properties by Apollo Global Management and Avant Capital Partners from Kojamo for €242 million. This portfolio comprises over 1,900 apartments located in larger cities across Finland, with a significant share (~80%) situated outside the HMA. Additionally, United Bankers acquired a residential property in Jätkäsaari, Helsinki, from Nordea Life Assurance.

RESIDENTIAL TRANSACTIONS IN Q2 2025

SALE OF 1944 APARTMENT **PORTFOLIO**

Sale price: €242 million

Sale date: 6/2025

Buyer: Apollo Global Management

and Avant Capital Partners

Seller: Kojamo Oyj

Apartments: 1,944

Location: Nationwide

SALE OF RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY IN JÄTKÄSAARI

Sale price: Conf.

Sale date: 6/2025

Buyer: United Bankers

Seller: Nordea Life Assurance

Apartments: 120

Location: Jätkäsaari. Helsinki

Source: CBRF Research

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THE HELSINKI METROPOLITAN AREA KEY FIGURES

Construction starts TTM (May 2025)

New completions TTM (May 2025)

Average monthly rent (Q2 2025) Aver

Average sales price (Q2 2025)

6,370 units

7,500 units

7 21.06 €/m² ▼

√4,296 €/m²

-15% (Y-o-Y)

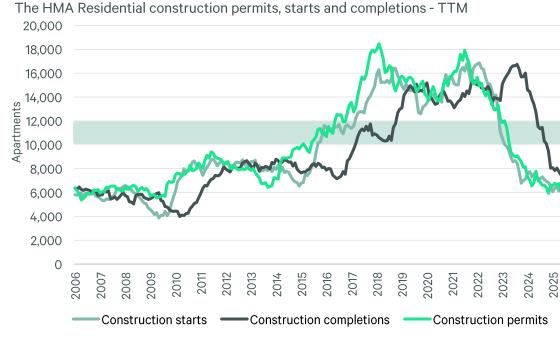
-42% (Y-o-Y)

-0.3% (Y-o-Y)

-1.0% (Y-o-Y)

Rental market & construction activity

- The average sales prices of old dwellings decreased by 1.0% (y-o-y) in the HMA, with declines of 2.1% in Tampere and 2.9% in Turku. However, the housing market is expected to gradually recover, with prices projected to shift towards growth during the remainder of the year, supported by decreasing interest rates.
- Average rents decreased by 0.3% in the HMA but increased by 0.8% in Turku and 1.3% in Tampere (y-o-y) in Q2. Despite the decrease in rents, occupancy levels in the HMA have risen. While the availability of new apartments remains high, it has slightly declined from the previous year and is expected to continue decreasing gradually due to positive net immigration and limited new supply.
- Construction starts have decreased by 15% (y-o-y), with an even more significant decline of 42% in new completions within the HMA. Current levels are well below long-term market needs, and a quick recovery in construction activity is not anticipated, as the number of permits has fallen to the lowest levels in over a decade. This trend could lead to a supply shortage in the long run.



Source: CBRE Research, KTI, Statistics Finland, long-term demand highlighted.

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