



**I Z S**

INŽENIRSKA ZBORNICA SLOVENIJE

**SPREMINJAMO  
GRADBENO  
KULTURO**

# Recognition of Professional Qualifications in Slovenia

Renata Gomboc Podmenik,  
inž. mat., mag. posl. ved

# Implementation of Directive on recognition of professional qualification in Slovenia

- Recognition of professional qualification Act
- Construction Act
- Land Survey Act

# Regulated professions in Slovenia

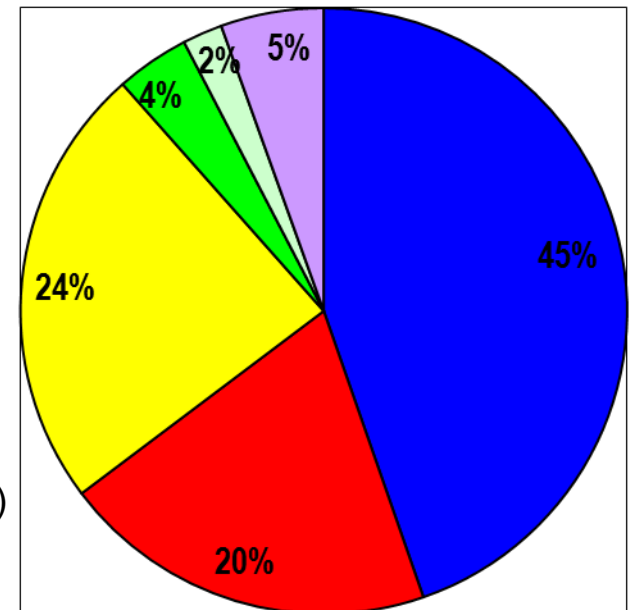
- IZS is competent authority for following regulated professions:
  - the responsible project designer
  - the responsible manager of works and the responsible manager of individual works
  - the responsible supervisor of works and the responsible supervisor of individual works
  - the responsible auditor
  - the responsible surveyor
  - surveyor

# IZS's statistical overview

- population **2,06 M**, registered professional engineers **6684** in the Slovenian Chamber of Engineers, **184** engineers are from EU, 17 engineers are from foreign countries

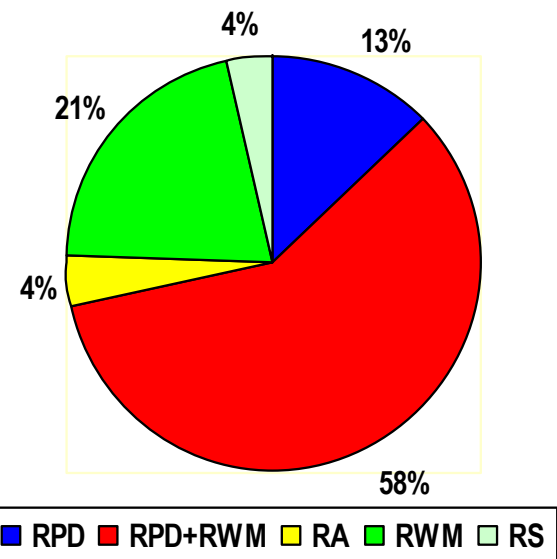
- professional engineers are members of 6 sections:

- Civil engineers (MSG-45%)
- Mechanical engineers (MSS-20%)
- Electro engineers (MSE-24%)
- Engineers of technology and other engineers (MST-4%)
- Engineers of mining and geotechnology (MSR-2%)
- Land surveyors (MSGGeo-5%)



■ MSG ■ MSS ■ MSE ■ MST ■ MSR ■ MSGGeo

- Compulsory membership in Chamber
- Continuing education is organised by our chamber in the form of different lectures, seminars, symposiums, etc., but it is not obligatory
- Code of conduct is obligatory (Chamber's Act)
- Disciplinary measures



responsible project designers (RPD)  
 responsible auditors (RA)  
 responsible works managers (RWM)  
 responsible land surveyors (RS)

# Differences in Slovenia

- Prior check of professional qualifications
- Check the professional qualifications of the service provider prior to the first provision of service
- Knowledge of language

# Applications for recognition

- The application must contain:
  - proof of citizenship,
  - diploma, certificate and other evidence of education,
  - evidence of the content and completion of training
  - evidence of professional qualifications
  - proof of insurance for liability for damages in accordance with the provisions of the Construction Act

- competence and experience,
  - evidence of other qualifications,
  - evidence of payment of the fee in the amount of 50,00 EUR
- 
- Provision of services on a temporary basis:
    - evidence and information on the project, the likely duration of the service, the project designer, the auditor, and the executor and supervisor on whose behalf service will be conducted



# Recognition under the general system

- Decision on the recognition of professional qualification
- adaptation period of up to three years
- aptitude test
- partial access

# Statistical overview of decision

	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	SUM
Civil Engineers	27	5	3	22	25	9	91
Mechanical Engineers	3	0	1	2	3	5	14
Electrical Engineers	11	5	3	9	8	2	38
Technology Engineers	3	2	1	0	0	0	6
Mechanical Engineers	2	0	0	0	1	0	3
Land surveyor Engineers	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>SUM</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>152</b>



# Recognition of Professional Qualifications for other foreign countries

- Condition:
  - the basis of reciprocity
  - the right to pursue a profession or provide a service in country of origin
  - he/she fulfils the conditions required for the performance of those engineering services they wish to perform in the Republic of Slovenia

# Membership from other foreign countries

	Serbia	Macedonia	Bosnia and Herzgovina	<b>SUM</b>
Civil Engineers	3	6	1	<b>10</b>
Electrical Engineers	1	0	1	<b>2</b>
Mechanical Engineers	3	0	2	<b>5</b>
Technology Engineers	0	0	0	<b>0</b>
Land surveyor Engineers	0	0	0	<b>0</b>
Mining and geotechnology Engineers	0	0	0	<b>0</b>
<b>SUM</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>17</b>

- Thank you for your attention