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Columbus, IN	Const, mining, logging	2.1	2.4	14%	300	1
Weirton-Steubenville, WV-OH	Const, mining, logging	3.2	3.6	13%	400	2
Anderson, IN	Const, mining, logging	1.7	1.8	6%	100	3
Baton Rouge, LA	Construction	40.0	42.3	6%	2,300	3
Longview, WA	Const, mining, logging	3.4	3.5	3%	100	5
Evansville, IN-KY	Const, mining, logging	13.1	13.3	2%	200	6
Bismarck, ND	Const, mining, logging	4.1	4.2	2%	100	6
Tulsa, OK	Construction	23.6	24.0	2%	400	6
Fayetteville-Springdale-Rogers, AR-MO	Const, mining, logging	10.4	10.5	1%	100	9
Davenport-Moline-Rock Island, IA-IL	Const, mining, logging	9.5	9.6	1%	100	9
Odessa, TX	Const, mining, logging	13.2	13.3	1%	100	9
Lewiston, ID-WA	Construction	1.4	1.4	0%	0	12
Danville, IL	Const, mining, logging	0.9	0.9	0%	0	12
Kankakee-Bradley, IL	Const, mining, logging	1.8	1.8	0%	0	12
Owensboro, KY	Const, mining, logging	2.8	2.8	0%	0	12
Monroe, MI	Const, mining, logging	2.4	2.4	0%	0	12
Sandusky, OH	Const, mining, logging	1.1	1.1	0%	0	12
Little Rock-North Little Rock-Conway, AR	Const, mining, logging	20.1	19.9	-1%	-200	18
Shreveport-Bossier City, LA	Construction	9.1	9.0	-1%	-100	18
Syracuse, NY	Const, mining, logging	15.0	14.8	-1%	-200	18
Fargo, ND-MN	Const, mining, logging	8.6	8.5	-1%	-100	18
Fort Worth-Arlington, TX Div.	Const, mining, logging	68.2	67.8	-1%	-400	18
San Antonio, TX	Construction	53.9	53.5	-1%	-400	18
Fort Smith, AR-OK	Const, mining, logging	9.1	8.9	-2%	-200	24
Decatur, IL	Const, mining, logging	4.1	4.0	-2%	-100	24
Omaha-Council Bluffs, NE-IA	Const, mining, logging	27.1	26.5	-2%	-600	24
Utica-Rome, NY	Const, mining, logging	4.1	4.0	-2%	-100	24
Oklahoma City, OK	Construction	28.4	27.9	-2%	-500	24
Longview, TX	Const, mining, logging	13.8	13.5	-2%	-300	24
Lafayette, LA	Construction	7.1	6.9	-3%	-200	30
Lake Charles, LA	Construction	10.3	10.0	-3%	-300	30
Kingston, NY	Const, mining, logging	2.9	2.8	-3%	-100	30
Putnam-Rockland-Westchester, NY	Const, mining, logging	38.9	37.6	-3%	-1,300	30
York-Hanover, PA	Const, mining, logging	12.6	12.2	-3%	-400	30
San Angelo, TX	Const, mining, logging	3.5	3.4	-3%	-100	30
Tyler, TX	Const, mining, logging	6.6	6.4	-3%	-200	30
Charleston, WV	Const, mining, logging	17.8	17.2	-3%	-600	30
Casper, WY	Construction	3.2	3.1	-3%	-100	30
Anchorage, AK	Construction	12.8	12.3	-4%	-500	39
Champaign-Urbana, IL	Const, mining, logging	5.1	4.9	-4%	-200	39
Des Moines-West Des Moines, IA	Const, mining, logging	17.8	17.0	-4%	-800	39
Gulfport-Biloxi, MS	Const, mining, logging	6.9	6.6	-4%	-300	39
Lincoln, NE	Const, mining, logging	8.2	7.9	-4%	-300	39
Manchester, NH NECTA	Const, mining, logging	5.0	4.8	-4%	-200	39
Binghamton, NY	Const, mining, logging	5.0	4.8	-4%	-200	39
Rochester, NY	Construction	20.8	19.9	-4%	-900	39
Reading, PA	Const, mining, logging	9.3	8.9	-4%	-400	39
Rapid City, SD	Const, mining, logging	5.3	5.1	-4%	-200	39
El Paso, TX	Const, mining, logging	15.7	15.1	-4%	-600	39
Sherman-Denison, TX	Const, mining, logging	2.7	2.6	-4%	-100	39
Appleton, WI	Const, mining, logging	8.4	8.1	-4%	-300	39
Madison, WI	Const, mining, logging	17.2	16.5	-4%	-700	39
Deltona-Daytona Beach-Ormond Beach, FL	Const, mining, logging	11.2	10.6	-5%	-600	53
Ocala, FL	Const, mining, logging	9.5	9.0	-5%	-500	53
Coeur d'Alene, ID	Construction	5.6	5.3	-5%	-300	53
Muncie, IN	Const, mining, logging	2.0	1.9	-5%	-100	53
Elizabethtown, KY	Const, mining, logging	2.1	2.0	-5%	-100	53
Houma-Bayou Cane-Thibodaux, LA	Construction	5.9	5.6	-5%	-300	53
New Orleans-Metairie-Kenner, LA	Construction	33.0	31.3	-5%	-1,700	53
Bethesda-Frederick-Rockville, MD Div.	Const, mining, logging	40.4	38.5	-5%	-1,900	53
Rochester, MN	Const, mining, logging	4.3	4.1	-5%	-200	53
Jackson, MS	Construction	12.9	12.2	-5%	-700	53
Edison-New Brunswick, NJ Div.	Const, mining, logging	46.4	44.0	-5%	-2,400	53
Elmira, NY	Const, mining, logging	2.0	1.9	-5%	-100	53
Poughkeepsie-Newburgh-Middletown, NY	Const, mining, logging	12.2	11.6	-5%	-600	53
Columbia, SC	Const, mining, logging	20.3	19.2	-5%	-1,100	53
Abilene, TX	Const, mining, logging	6.0	5.7	-5%	-300	53
Beaumont-Port Arthur, TX	Const, mining, logging	19.6	18.6	-5%	-1,000	53
Dallas-Plano-Irving, TX Div.	Const, mining, logging	128.8	122.0	-5%	-6,800	53
Lubbock, TX	Const, mining, logging	6.2	5.9	-5%	-300	53
McAllen-Edinburg-Mission, TX	Const, mining, logging	10.7	10.2	-5%	-500	53
Midland, TX	Const, mining, logging	16.7	15.9	-5%	-800	53
Roanoke, VA	Const, mining, logging	10.8	10.3	-5%	-500	53
Gadsden, AL	Const, mining, logging	1.7	1.6	-6%	-100	74
Fairbanks, AK	Construction	3.5	3.3	-6%	-200	74
Grand Junction, CO	Const, mining, logging	10.4	9.8	-6%	-600	74

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Bloomington-Normal, IL	Const, mining, logging	3.4	3.2	-6%	-200	74
Peoria, IL	Const, mining, logging	10.5	9.9	-6%	-600	74
Wichita, KS	Const, mining, logging	17.4	16.3	-6%	-1,100	74
Portsmouth, NH-ME NECTA	Const, mining, logging	1.6	1.5	-6%	-100	74
Rochester-Dover, NH-ME NECTA	Const, mining, logging	1.8	1.7	-6%	-100	74
Trenton-Ewing, NJ	Const, mining, logging	6.4	6.0	-6%	-400	74
Cincinnati-Middletown, OH-KY-IN	Const, mining, logging	49.4	46.2	-6%	-3,200	74
Springfield, OH	Const, mining, logging	1.6	1.5	-6%	-100	74
Pittsburgh, PA	Construction	60.9	57.5	-6%	-3,400	74
Sioux Falls, SD	Const, mining, logging	8.5	8.0	-6%	-500	74
Cleveland, TN	Const, mining, logging	1.7	1.6	-6%	-100	74
Austin-Round Rock, TX	Const, mining, logging	48.1	45.0	-6%	-3,100	74
Waco, TX	Const, mining, logging	6.2	5.8	-6%	-400	74
Oshkosh-Neenah, WI	Const, mining, logging	3.4	3.2	-6%	-200	74
Cheyenne, WY	Const, mining, logging	3.4	3.2	-6%	-200	74
New Haven, CT NECTA	Const, mining, logging	11.7	10.9	-7%	-800	92
Gainesville, FL	Const, mining, logging	5.7	5.3	-7%	-400	92
Sebastian-Vero Beach, FL	Const, mining, logging	4.2	3.9	-7%	-300	92
Rockford, IL	Const, mining, logging	7.4	6.9	-7%	-500	92
Springfield, IL	Const, mining, logging	5.5	5.1	-7%	-400	92
Kansas City, MO	Const, mining, logging	29.7	27.5	-7%	-2,200	92
Newark-Union, NJ-PA Div.	Const, mining, logging	44.5	41.2	-7%	-3,300	92
New York City, NY	Const, mining, logging	135.8	126.0	-7%	-9,800	92
Lancaster, PA	Const, mining, logging	17.7	16.4	-7%	-1,300	92
Memphis, TN-MS-AR	Const, mining, logging	25.5	23.6	-7%	-1,900	92
Amarillo, TX	Const, mining, logging	8.4	7.8	-7%	-600	92
Killeen-Temple-Fort Hood, TX	Const, mining, logging	6.1	5.7	-7%	-400	92
Wichita Falls, TX	Const, mining, logging	4.3	4.0	-7%	-300	92
Northern Virginia, VA	Const, mining, logging	81.0	75.3	-7%	-5,700	92
Green Bay, WI	Const, mining, logging	8.4	7.8	-7%	-600	92
Dothan, AL	Const, mining, logging	3.7	3.4	-8%	-300	107
Florence-Muscle Shoals, AL	Const, mining, logging	3.9	3.6	-8%	-300	107
Hanford-Corcoran, CA	Const, mining, logging	1.3	1.2	-8%	-100	107
Colorado Springs, CO	Const, mining, logging	16.9	15.5	-8%	-1,400	107
Port St. Lucie, FL	Const, mining, logging	10.9	10.0	-8%	-900	107
Cedar Rapids, IA	Const, mining, logging	9.8	9.0	-8%	-800	107
Lewiston-Auburn, ME NECTA	Const, mining, logging	2.5	2.3	-8%	-200	107
Peabody, MA NECTA Div.	Const, mining, logging	3.8	3.5	-8%	-300	107
Springfield, MO	Const, mining, logging	10.2	9.4	-8%	-800	107
Camden, NJ Div.	Const, mining, logging	25.6	23.5	-8%	-2,100	107
Ithaca, NY	Const, mining, logging	1.3	1.2	-8%	-100	107
Akron, OH	Const, mining, logging	14.3	13.2	-8%	-1,100	107
Allentown-Bethlehem-Easton, PA-NJ	Const, mining, logging	16.9	15.6	-8%	-1,300	107
Charleston-North Charleston-Summerville, SC	Const, mining, logging	19.9	18.4	-8%	-1,500	107
College Station-Bryan, TX	Const, mining, logging	7.8	7.2	-8%	-600	107
Virginia Beach-Norfolk-Newport News, VA-NC	Const, mining, logging	46.8	43.2	-8%	-3,600	107
Sheboygan, WI	Const, mining, logging	2.5	2.3	-8%	-200	107
Decatur, AL	Const, mining, logging	4.4	4.0	-9%	-400	124
Mobile, AL	Const, mining, logging	15.4	14.0	-9%	-1,400	124
San Luis Obispo-Paso Robles, CA	Const, mining, logging	6.5	5.9	-9%	-600	124
Fort Wayne, IN	Const, mining, logging	11.7	10.7	-9%	-1,000	124
Bowling Green, KY	Const, mining, logging	3.4	3.1	-9%	-300	124
Grand Rapids-Wyoming, MI	Const, mining, logging	17.5	15.9	-9%	-1,600	124
Vineland-Millville-Bridgeton, NJ	Const, mining, logging	3.2	2.9	-9%	-300	124
Nassau-Suffolk, NY Div.	Const, mining, logging	76.2	69.2	-9%	-7,000	124
Lima, OH	Const, mining, logging	2.2	2.0	-9%	-200	124
Harrisburg-Carlisle, PA	Const, mining, logging	12.8	11.7	-9%	-1,100	124
Greenville-Mauldin-Easley, SC	Const, mining, logging	18.1	16.4	-9%	-1,700	124
Johnson City, TN	Const, mining, logging	3.4	3.1	-9%	-300	124
Houston-Sugar Land-Baytown, TX	Construction	203.3	185.4	-9%	-17,900	124
Olympia, WA	Const, mining, logging	5.7	5.2	-9%	-500	124
Birmingham-Hoover, AL	Construction	33.8	30.4	-10%	-3,400	138
Huntsville, AL	Const, mining, logging	7.9	7.1	-10%	-800	138
Visalia-Porterville, CA	Const, mining, logging	6.3	5.7	-10%	-600	138
Fort Collins-Loveland, CO	Const, mining, logging	10.4	9.4	-10%	-1,000	138
Greeley, CO	Const, mining, logging	12.2	11.0	-10%	-1,200	138
Pueblo, CO	Const, mining, logging	4.0	3.6	-10%	-400	138
Bridgeport-Stamford-Norwalk, CT NECTA	Const, mining, logging	15.7	14.1	-10%	-1,600	138
Waterbury, CT NECTA	Const, mining, logging	2.9	2.6	-10%	-300	138
Lexington-Fayette, KY	Const, mining, logging	13.2	11.9	-10%	-1,300	138
Barnstable Town, MA NECTA	Const, mining, logging	6.3	5.7	-10%	-600	138
Lowell-Billerica-Chelmsford, MA-NH NECTA Div.	Const, mining, logging	6.8	6.1	-10%	-700	138
Worcester, MA-CT NECTA	Const, mining, logging	9.8	8.8	-10%	-1,000	138
Nashua, NH-MA NECTA Div.	Const, mining, logging	5.2	4.7	-10%	-500	138
Dayton, OH	Const, mining, logging	14.7	13.2	-10%	-1,500	138
Corpus Christi, TX	Const, mining, logging	22.4	20.2	-10%	-2,200	138

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Bremerton-Silverdale, WA	Const, mining, logging	5.9	5.3	-10%	-600	138
La Crosse, WI-MN	Const, mining, logging	2.9	2.6	-10%	-300	138
Wausau, WI	Const, mining, logging	3.0	2.7	-10%	-300	138
Auburn-Opelika, AL	Const, mining, logging	2.8	2.5	-11%	-300	156
Madera-Chowchilla, CA	Const, mining, logging	1.8	1.6	-11%	-200	156
Modesto, CA	Const, mining, logging	9.6	8.5	-11%	-1,100	156
Lakeland-Winter Haven, FL	Const, mining, logging	13.5	12.0	-11%	-1,500	156
Palm Bay-Melbourne-Titusville, FL	Const, mining, logging	13.0	11.6	-11%	-1,400	156
Pensacola-Ferry Pass-Brent, FL	Const, mining, logging	12.8	11.4	-11%	-1,400	156
Punta Gorda, FL	Const, mining, logging	3.7	3.3	-11%	-400	156
Tallahassee, FL	Const, mining, logging	8.7	7.7	-11%	-1,000	156
Honolulu, HI	Const, mining, logging	26.0	23.2	-11%	-2,800	156
Elkhart-Goshen, IN	Const, mining, logging	4.5	4.0	-11%	-500	156
Terre Haute, IN	Const, mining, logging	3.7	3.3	-11%	-400	156
Albany-Schenectady-Troy, NY	Const, mining, logging	20.0	17.8	-11%	-2,200	156
Buffalo-Niagara Falls, NY	Const, mining, logging	23.6	21.0	-11%	-2,600	156
Columbus, OH	Const, mining, logging	37.1	33.0	-11%	-4,100	156
Lawton, OK	Const, mining, logging	1.8	1.6	-11%	-200	156
Providence-Fall River-Warwick, RI-MA NECTA	Construction	27.3	24.3	-11%	-3,000	156
Laredo, TX	Const, mining, logging	4.6	4.1	-11%	-500	156
Milwaukee-Waukesha-West Allis, WI	Construction	36.2	32.2	-11%	-4,000	156
Tuscaloosa, AL	Const, mining, logging	9.1	8.0	-12%	-1,100	174
Bakersfield, CA	Construction	16.6	14.6	-12%	-2,000	174
Los Angeles-Long Beach-Glendale, CA Div.	Construction	145.2	127.2	-12%	-18,000	174
Yuba City, CA	Const, mining, logging	2.5	2.2	-12%	-300	174
Boulder, CO	Const, mining, logging	6.7	5.9	-12%	-800	174
Lake County-Kenosha County, IL-WI Div.	Construction	19.9	17.5	-12%	-2,400	174
Michigan City-La Porte, IN	Const, mining, logging	2.6	2.3	-12%	-300	174
Baltimore-Towson, MD	Const, mining, logging	84.4	74.3	-12%	-10,100	174
Hagerstown-Martinsburg, MD-WV	Const, mining, logging	5.9	5.2	-12%	-700	174
St. Cloud, MN	Const, mining, logging	5.2	4.6	-12%	-600	174
St. Louis, MO-IL	Const, mining, logging	82.6	72.8	-12%	-9,800	174
Scranton--Wilkes-Barre, PA	Const, mining, logging	11.6	10.2	-12%	-1,400	174
Kingsport-Bristol-Bristol, TN-VA	Const, mining, logging	8.3	7.3	-12%	-1,000	174
Nashville-Davidson--Murfreesboro--Franklin, TN	Const, mining, logging	40.2	35.5	-12%	-4,700	174
Brownsville-Harlingen, TX	Const, mining, logging	4.2	3.7	-12%	-500	174
Texarkana, TX-Texarkana, AR	Const, mining, logging	2.5	2.2	-12%	-300	174
Racine, WI	Const, mining, logging	3.3	2.9	-12%	-400	174
Montgomery, AL	Const, mining, logging	8.5	7.4	-13%	-1,100	191
Merced, CA	Const, mining, logging	2.3	2.0	-13%	-300	191
San Diego-Carlsbad-San Marcos, CA	Construction	77.3	66.9	-13%	-10,400	191
Bradenton-Sarasota-Venice, FL	Const, mining, logging	20.8	18.0	-13%	-2,800	191
Fort Walton Beach-Crestview-Destin, FL	Const, mining, logging	4.7	4.1	-13%	-600	191
Bloomington, IN	Const, mining, logging	4.0	3.5	-13%	-500	191
Lafayette, IN	Const, mining, logging	3.9	3.4	-13%	-500	191
South Bend-Mishawaka, IN-MI	Const, mining, logging	6.8	5.9	-13%	-900	191
Kansas City, KS	Const, mining, logging	22.8	19.9	-13%	-2,900	191
Bangor, ME NECTA	Construction	3.2	2.8	-13%	-400	191
Framingham, MA NECTA Div.	Const, mining, logging	7.8	6.8	-13%	-1,000	191
Haverhill-North Andover-Amesbury, MA-NH NECTA Div.	Const, mining, logging	4.6	4.0	-13%	-600	191
Holland-Grand Haven, MI	Const, mining, logging	5.4	4.7	-13%	-700	191
Glens Falls, NY	Const, mining, logging	3.2	2.8	-13%	-400	191
Hickory-Lenoir-Morganton, NC	Const, mining, logging	5.2	4.5	-13%	-700	191
Winston-Salem, NC	Const, mining, logging	10.0	8.7	-13%	-1,300	191
Bend, OR	Const, mining, logging	6.3	5.5	-13%	-800	191
Knoxville, TN	Const, mining, logging	18.9	16.5	-13%	-2,400	191
Chico, CA	Const, mining, logging	3.5	3.0	-14%	-500	209
Santa Ana-Anaheim-Irvine, CA Div.	Construction	92.1	79.0	-14%	-13,100	209
Santa Barbara-Santa Maria-Goleta, CA	Construction	9.9	8.5	-14%	-1,400	209
Vallejo-Fairfield, CA	Construction	9.0	7.7	-14%	-1,300	209
Jacksonville, FL	Construction	42.1	36.2	-14%	-5,900	209
Panama City-Lynn Haven-Panama City Beach, FL	Const, mining, logging	5.6	4.8	-14%	-800	209
Augusta-Richmond County, GA-SC	Const, mining, logging	12.7	10.9	-14%	-1,800	209
Savannah, GA	Const, mining, logging	9.0	7.7	-14%	-1,300	209
Pocatello, ID	Const, mining, logging	2.1	1.8	-14%	-300	209
Chicago-Naperville-Joliet, IL Div.	Construction	174.8	150.2	-14%	-24,600	209
Gary, IN Div.	Construction	20.4	17.5	-14%	-2,900	209
Durham-Chapel Hill, NC	Const, mining, logging	10.2	8.8	-14%	-1,400	209
Canton-Massillon, OH	Const, mining, logging	8.6	7.4	-14%	-1,200	209
Mansfield, OH	Const, mining, logging	2.2	1.9	-14%	-300	209
Youngstown-Warren-Boardman, OH-PA	Const, mining, logging	10.6	9.1	-14%	-1,500	209
Eugene-Springfield, OR	Construction	7.8	6.7	-14%	-1,100	209
Erie, PA	Const, mining, logging	5.0	4.3	-14%	-700	209
Victoria, TX	Const, mining, logging	7.9	6.8	-14%	-1,100	209
Bellingham, WA	Const, mining, logging	8.4	7.2	-14%	-1,200	209
Mount Vernon-Anacortes, WA	Const, mining, logging	4.2	3.6	-14%	-600	209

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Seattle-Bellevue-Everett, WA Div.	Construction	99.6	85.7	-14%	-13,900	209
Spokane, WA	Const, mining, logging	14.7	12.7	-14%	-2,000	209
Tacoma, WA Div.	Construction	24.2	20.7	-14%	-3,500	209
Janesville, WI	Const, mining, logging	3.5	3.0	-14%	-500	209
Oakland-Fremont-Hayward, CA Div.	Construction	65.5	55.5	-15%	-10,000	233
Santa Rosa-Petaluma, CA	Construction	13.3	11.3	-15%	-2,000	233
Topeka, KS	Const, mining, logging	6.5	5.5	-15%	-1,000	233
Portland-South Portland-Biddeford, ME NECTA	Const, mining, logging	10.2	8.7	-15%	-1,500	233
Bay City, MI	Const, mining, logging	1.3	1.1	-15%	-200	233
Asheville, NC	Const, mining, logging	11.0	9.4	-15%	-1,600	233
Burlington, NC	Const, mining, logging	3.4	2.9	-15%	-500	233
Grand Forks, ND-MN	Const, mining, logging	3.3	2.8	-15%	-500	233
Toledo, OH	Const, mining, logging	14.4	12.2	-15%	-2,200	233
Philadelphia, PA Div.	Const, mining, logging	82.4	70.0	-15%	-12,400	233
Chattanooga, TN-GA	Const, mining, logging	10.6	9.0	-15%	-1,600	233
Burlington-South Burlington, VT NECTA	Const, mining, logging	6.0	5.1	-15%	-900	233
Eau Claire, WI	Const, mining, logging	3.3	2.8	-15%	-500	233
Fond du Lac, WI	Const, mining, logging	3.9	3.3	-15%	-600	233
Denver-Aurora-Broomfield, CO	Const, mining, logging	94.6	79.5	-16%	-15,100	247
Wilmington, DE-MD-NJ Div.	Const, mining, logging	20.5	17.3	-16%	-3,200	247
Miami-Miami Beach-Kendall, FL Div.	Construction	46.9	39.6	-16%	-7,300	247
Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater, FL	Construction	75.3	63.3	-16%	-12,000	247
West Palm Beach-Boca Raton-Boynton Beach, FL Div.	Construction	35.2	29.4	-16%	-5,800	247
Boise City-Nampa, ID	Const, mining, logging	19.4	16.2	-16%	-3,200	247
Detroit-Livonia-Dearborn, MI Div.	Const, mining, logging	21.5	18.0	-16%	-3,500	247
Kalamazoo-Portage, MI	Const, mining, logging	6.2	5.2	-16%	-1,000	247
Saginaw-Saginaw Township North, MI	Const, mining, logging	3.7	3.1	-16%	-600	247
Atlantic City-Hammonton, NJ	Const, mining, logging	7.0	5.9	-16%	-1,100	247
Albuquerque, NM	Const, mining, logging	28.8	24.1	-16%	-4,700	247
Las Cruces, NM	Const, mining, logging	4.3	3.6	-16%	-700	247
Fresno, CA	Construction	18.5	15.4	-17%	-3,100	259
San Jose-Sunnyvale-Santa Clara, CA	Construction	45.1	37.3	-17%	-7,800	259
Indianapolis-Carmel, IN	Construction	52.1	43.0	-17%	-9,100	259
Louisville-Jefferson County, KY-IN	Const, mining, logging	35.7	29.8	-17%	-5,900	259
New Bedford, MA NECTA	Const, mining, logging	2.9	2.4	-17%	-500	259
Battle Creek, MI	Const, mining, logging	2.3	1.9	-17%	-400	259
Bergen-Hudson-Passaic, NJ	Const, mining, logging	33.0	27.3	-17%	-5,700	259
Rocky Mount, NC	Const, mining, logging	3.0	2.5	-17%	-500	259
Richmond, VA	Const, mining, logging	43.3	35.8	-17%	-7,500	259
Oxnard-Thousand Oaks-Ventura, CA	Construction	16.8	13.8	-18%	-3,000	268
Fort Lauderdale-Pompano Beach-Deerfield Beach, FL Div.	Construction	50.1	41.1	-18%	-9,000	268
Calvert-Charles-Prince George's, MD	Const, mining, logging	40.3	33.0	-18%	-7,300	268
Boston-Cambridge-Quincy, MA NECTA Div.	Construction	64.9	53.0	-18%	-11,900	268
Springfield, MA-CT NECTA	Const, mining, logging	11.2	9.2	-18%	-2,000	268
Lansing-East Lansing, MI	Const, mining, logging	7.9	6.5	-18%	-1,400	268
Fayetteville, NC	Const, mining, logging	6.1	5.0	-18%	-1,100	268
Yakima, WA	Const, mining, logging	4.5	3.7	-18%	-800	268
Yuma, AZ	Const, mining, logging	4.2	3.4	-19%	-800	276
Napa, CA	Const, mining, logging	4.3	3.5	-19%	-800	276
San Francisco-San Mateo-Redwood City, CA Div.	Construction	45.4	36.9	-19%	-8,500	276
Stockton, CA	Construction	11.9	9.6	-19%	-2,300	276
Dover, DE	Const, mining, logging	3.2	2.6	-19%	-600	276
Naples-Marco Island, FL	Const, mining, logging	14.3	11.6	-19%	-2,700	276
Orlando-Kissimmee, FL	Construction	71.8	58.0	-19%	-13,800	276
Brockton-Bridgewater-Easton, MA NECTA Div.	Const, mining, logging	5.4	4.4	-19%	-1,000	276
Ann Arbor, MI	Const, mining, logging	4.7	3.8	-19%	-900	276
Jackson, MI	Const, mining, logging	2.1	1.7	-19%	-400	276
Pascagoula, MS	Const, mining, logging	5.3	4.3	-19%	-1,000	276
Medford, OR	Construction	4.8	3.9	-19%	-900	276
Portland-Vancouver-Beaverton, OR-WA	Construction	63.8	51.4	-19%	-12,400	276
Salem, OR	Construction	9.5	7.7	-19%	-1,800	276
Morristown, TN	Const, mining, logging	2.6	2.1	-19%	-500	276
Ogden-Clearfield, UT	Const, mining, logging	16.5	13.4	-19%	-3,100	276
El Centro, CA	Const, mining, logging	1.5	1.2	-20%	-300	292
Salinas, CA	Construction	6.1	4.9	-20%	-1,200	292
Norwich-New London, CT-RI NECTA	Const, mining, logging	4.6	3.7	-20%	-900	292
Atlanta-Sandy Springs-Marietta, GA	Construction	129.1	103.9	-20%	-25,200	292
Kokomo, IN	Const, mining, logging	1.5	1.2	-20%	-300	292
Flint, MI	Const, mining, logging	5.1	4.1	-20%	-1,000	292
Muskegon-Norton Shores, MI	Const, mining, logging	2.0	1.6	-20%	-400	292
Minneapolis-St. Paul-Bloomington, MN-WI	Const, mining, logging	76.5	61.0	-20%	-15,500	292
Charlotte-Gastonia-Concord, NC-SC	Const, mining, logging	55.0	43.8	-20%	-11,200	292
Wilmington, NC	Const, mining, logging	11.3	9.0	-20%	-2,300	292
Corvallis, OR	Const, mining, logging	1.5	1.2	-20%	-300	292
Salt Lake City, UT	Const, mining, logging	46.5	37.0	-20%	-9,500	292
Kennewick-Pasco-Richland, WA	Const, mining, logging	7.6	6.1	-20%	-1,500	292

**Construction Employment by Metropolitan Area or Division, July 2008-July 2009**

<u>Area</u> <sup>1</sup>	<u>Industry</u> <sup>2</sup>	<u>Jul 08</u>	<u>Jul 09</u>	<u>12-mon. % change</u>	<u>12-mon. gain/loss</u>	<u>Rank</u> <sup>3</sup>
Hartford-West Hartford-East Hartford, CT NECTA	Const, mining, logging	22.5	17.7	-21%	-4,800	305
Cape Coral-Fort Myers, FL	Const, mining, logging	24.3	19.2	-21%	-5,100	305
Palm Coast, FL	Const, mining, logging	1.4	1.1	-21%	-300	305
Idaho Falls, ID	Const, mining, logging	4.7	3.7	-21%	-1,000	305
Jackson, TN	Const, mining, logging	3.4	2.7	-21%	-700	305
Riverside-San Bernardino-Ontario, CA	Construction	92.2	71.5	-22%	-20,700	310
Pittsfield, MA NECTA	Const, mining, logging	1.8	1.4	-22%	-400	310
Niles-Benton Harbor, MI	Const, mining, logging	2.3	1.8	-22%	-500	310
Greensboro-High Point, NC	Const, mining, logging	18.5	14.5	-22%	-4,000	310
Greenville, NC	Const, mining, logging	4.1	3.2	-22%	-900	310
Raleigh-Cary, NC	Const, mining, logging	38.3	29.7	-22%	-8,600	310
Warren-Troy-Farmington Hills, MI Div.	Const, mining, logging	47.7	36.9	-23%	-10,800	316
Las Vegas-Paradise, NV	Construction	96.0	74.4	-23%	-21,600	316
Santa Fe, NM	Const, mining, logging	4.8	3.7	-23%	-1,100	316
Provo-Orem, UT	Const, mining, logging	15.8	12.1	-23%	-3,700	316
Anniston-Oxford, AL	Const, mining, logging	1.7	1.3	-24%	-400	320
Lake Havasu City-Kingman, AZ	Const, mining, logging	5.1	3.9	-24%	-1,200	320
Sacramento--Arden-Arcade--Roseville, CA	Construction	59.1	44.8	-24%	-14,300	320
Clarksville, TN-KY	Const, mining, logging	3.8	2.9	-24%	-900	320
Logan, UT-ID	Const, mining, logging	3.3	2.5	-24%	-800	320
Prescott, AZ	Const, mining, logging	7.2	5.4	-25%	-1,800	325
Cleveland-Elyria-Mentor, OH	Const, mining, logging	41.9	31.5	-25%	-10,400	325
St. George, UT	Const, mining, logging	6.5	4.9	-25%	-1,600	325
Flagstaff, AZ	Const, mining, logging	3.1	2.3	-26%	-800	328
Santa Cruz-Watsonville, CA	Const, mining, logging	4.7	3.5	-26%	-1,200	328
Phoenix-Mesa-Scottsdale, AZ	Construction	142.8	103.3	-28%	-39,500	330
Redding, CA	Const, mining, logging	4.3	3.0	-30%	-1,300	331
Leominster-Fitchburg-Gardner, MA NECTA	Const, mining, logging	2.3	1.6	-30%	-700	331
Tucson, AZ	Construction	23.8	16.3	-32%	-7,500	333
Duluth, MN-WI	Const, mining, logging	9.3	6.3	-32%	-3,000	333
Wenatchee-East Wenatchee, WA	Const, mining, logging	3.4	2.3	-32%	-1,100	333
Reno-Sparks, NV	Construction	17.4	11.7	-33%	-5,700	336

**Footnotes:**

<sup>1</sup> **Area:** Metropolitan statistical areas (MSAs) are designated by the Office of Management and Budget. MSAs generally cover one or more entire counties or county equivalents or New England City and Town Area (NECTA) in the six New England states. Each MSA is listed under the state in which the largest part of its population lives, even though the first (most populous) city in the MSA's name may be in an adjoining state. There are 11 MSAs with more than 2,500,000 people. Employment in these MSAs is presented in two or more Div.s (MDs) or subdivisions of MDs, rather than for the MSA as a whole.

<sup>2</sup> **Industry:** The Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS) reports employment for construction, mining and logging combined for six states, the District of Columbia and MSAs in which mining and logging have only a small number of employers. To facilitate comparisons between MSAs and the states they are in, AGC has calculated combined employment change in states for which BLS reports the industries separately.

<sup>3</sup> **Rank:** AGC calculated ranks based on the 12-month percent change, rounded to the nearest whole percent. Because BLS reports employment rounded to the nearest 100, it is not possible to calculate percent changes more accurately than to the nearest whole percent. Thus, all MSAs with the same whole-percent change in employment are ranked the same.