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Area[1]	Industry[2]	Jan '17	Jan '18	12-mo. % change	12-mo. gain/loss	Rank[3]
Merced, CA	Const, mining, logging	2,100	2,900	38%	800	1
Lawrence-Methuen Town-Salem, MA-NH NECTA Div.	Const, mining, logging	2,700	3,400	26%	700	2
Midland, TX	Const, mining, logging	24,500	30,400	24%	5,900	3
Greeley, CO	Const, mining, logging	15,000	18,500	23%	3,500	4
Danville, IL	Const, mining, logging	500	600	20%	100	5
Grand Junction, CO	Const, mining, logging	5,500	6,600	20%	1,100	5
Kalamazoo-Portage, MI	Const, mining, logging	5,500	6,600	20%	1,100	5
Provo-Orem, UT	Const, mining, logging	20,600	24,700	20%	4,100	5
Kennewick-Richland, WA	Const, mining, logging	7,200	8,600	19%	1,400	9
Odessa, TX	Const, mining, logging	15,000	17,800	19%	2,800	9
Wenatchee, WA	Const, mining, logging	2,100	2,500	19%	400	9
Lewiston, ID-WA	Construction	1,100	1,300	18%	200	12
Vallejo-Fairfield, CA	Construction	9,500	11,200	18%	1,700	12
Corvallis, OR	Const, mining, logging	1,200	1,400	17%	200	14
Bellingham, WA	Const, mining, logging	7,000	8,100	16%	1,100	15
Bend-Redmond, OR	Const, mining, logging	5,600	6,500	16%	900	15
Chico, CA	Const, mining, logging	3,200	3,700	16%	500	15
Lake Havasu City-Kingman, AZ	Const, mining, logging	2,500	2,900	16%	400	15
Sacramento--Roseville--Arden-Arcade, CA	Construction	51,400	59,800	16%	8,400	15
Lynn-Saugus-Marblehead, MA NECTA Div.	Const, mining, logging	1,300	1,500	15%	200	20
Modesto, CA	Const, mining, logging	8,100	9,300	15%	1,200	20
Redding, CA	Const, mining, logging	2,600	3,000	15%	400	20
Santa Cruz-Watsonville, CA	Const, mining, logging	4,000	4,600	15%	600	20
St. George, UT	Const, mining, logging	6,100	7,000	15%	900	20
Stockton-Lodi, CA	Construction	10,300	11,800	15%	1,500	20
Yuba City, CA	Const, mining, logging	2,000	2,300	15%	300	20
Coeur d'Alene, ID	Construction	4,300	4,900	14%	600	27
Lake Charles, LA	Construction	22,500	25,700	14%	3,200	27
Napa, CA	Const, mining, logging	3,600	4,100	14%	500	27
Weirton-Steubenville, WV-OH	Const, mining, logging	1,400	1,600	14%	200	27
East Stroudsburg, PA	Const, mining, logging	1,600	1,800	13%	200	31
Evansville, IN-KY	Const, mining, logging	8,900	10,100	13%	1,200	31
Grants Pass, OR	Construction	800	900	13%	100	31
Johnstown, PA	Const, mining, logging	1,500	1,700	13%	200	31
Madera, CA	Const, mining, logging	1,600	1,800	13%	200	31
Oxnard-Thousand Oaks-Ventura, CA	Construction	14,200	16,000	13%	1,800	31
San Luis Obispo-Paso Robles-Arroyo Grande, CA	Const, mining, logging	6,700	7,600	13%	900	31
Albany, OR	Construction	2,500	2,800	12%	300	38
Binghamton, NY	Const, mining, logging	3,300	3,700	12%	400	38
Fresno, CA	Construction	15,500	17,400	12%	1,900	38
Riverside-San Bernardino-Ontario, CA	Construction	86,700	97,300	12%	10,600	38
Springfield, MA-CT NECTA	Const, mining, logging	9,700	10,900	12%	1,200	38
Anchorage, AK	Construction	7,500	8,300	11%	800	43
Knoxville, TN	Const, mining, logging	17,100	19,000	11%	1,900	43
Walla Walla, WA	Const, mining, logging	900	1,000	11%	100	43
Akron, OH	Const, mining, logging	11,500	12,700	10%	1,200	46
Deltona-Daytona Beach-Ormond Beach, FL	Const, mining, logging	12,500	13,700	10%	1,200	46
Harrisburg-Carlisle, PA	Const, mining, logging	10,200	11,200	10%	1,000	46
Johnson City, TN	Const, mining, logging	2,000	2,200	10%	200	46
Mansfield, OH	Const, mining, logging	2,000	2,200	10%	200	46
Medford, OR	Construction	3,900	4,300	10%	400	46
Peabody-Salem-Beverly, MA NECTA Div.	Const, mining, logging	2,900	3,200	10%	300	46
Pittsburgh, PA	Construction	47,800	52,800	10%	5,000	46
Salem, OR	Construction	9,100	10,000	10%	900	46
Boise City, ID	Const, mining, logging	19,100	20,800	9%	1,700	55
Bremerton-Silverdale, WA	Const, mining, logging	4,300	4,700	9%	400	55
Erie, PA	Const, mining, logging	3,400	3,700	9%	300	55
Las Vegas-Henderson-Paradise, NV	Construction	56,500	61,600	9%	5,100	55
Oakland-Hayward-Berkeley, CA Div.	Construction	65,700	71,300	9%	5,600	55
Orlando-Kissimmee-Sanford, FL	Construction	70,300	76,600	9%	6,300	55
Phoenix-Mesa-Scottsdale, AZ	Construction	106,800	116,700	9%	9,900	55
Reno, NV	Construction	14,500	15,800	9%	1,300	55
Richmond, VA	Const, mining, logging	35,700	39,000	9%	3,300	55
San Antonio-New Braunfels, TX	Construction	50,000	54,300	9%	4,300	55
San Rafael, CA Div.	Construction	6,600	7,200	9%	600	55
Scranton--Wilkes-Barre--Hazleton, PA	Const, mining, logging	9,000	9,800	9%	800	55
Seattle-Bellevue-Everett, WA Div.	Construction	92,300	100,600	9%	8,300	55
Springfield, IL	Const, mining, logging	3,300	3,600	9%	300	55
Tacoma-Lakewood, WA Div.	Construction	21,500	23,500	9%	2,000	55
Terre Haute, IN	Const, mining, logging	3,200	3,500	9%	300	55
Vineland-Bridgeton, NJ	Const, mining, logging	2,300	2,500	9%	200	55

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Yakima, WA	Const, mining, logging	3,300	3,600	9%	300	55
Altoona, PA	Const, mining, logging	2,500	2,700	8%	200	73
Anaheim-Santa Ana-Irvine, CA Div.	Construction	94,700	102,400	8%	7,700	73
Cincinnati, OH-KY-IN	Const, mining, logging	42,900	46,300	8%	3,400	73
Crestview-Fort Walton Beach-Destin, FL	Const, mining, logging	6,400	6,900	8%	500	73
Huntsville, AL	Const, mining, logging	7,700	8,300	8%	600	73
Janesville-Beloit, WI	Const, mining, logging	2,600	2,800	8%	200	73
Kingston, NY	Const, mining, logging	2,500	2,700	8%	200	73
Lake County-Kenosha County, IL-WI Div.	Construction	12,500	13,500	8%	1,000	73
Lakeland-Winter Haven, FL	Const, mining, logging	12,800	13,800	8%	1,000	73
Laredo, TX	Const, mining, logging	3,800	4,100	8%	300	73
Manchester, NH NECTA	Const, mining, logging	4,900	5,300	8%	400	73
Northern Virginia, VA	Const, mining, logging	70,100	75,400	8%	5,300	73
Panama City, FL	Const, mining, logging	4,900	5,300	8%	400	73
Portland-Vancouver-Hillsboro, OR-WA	Construction	61,100	65,800	8%	4,700	73
Raleigh, NC	Const, mining, logging	35,700	38,700	8%	3,000	73
San Angelo, TX	Const, mining, logging	3,600	3,900	8%	300	73
Santa Rosa, CA	Construction	11,900	12,900	8%	1,000	73
Sierra Vista-Douglas, AZ	Const, mining, logging	1,300	1,400	8%	100	73
Watertown-Fort Drum, NY	Const, mining, logging	1,300	1,400	8%	100	73
Albuquerque, NM	Const, mining, logging	21,700	23,200	7%	1,500	92
Charleston-North Charleston, SC	Const, mining, logging	19,600	20,900	7%	1,300	92
Columbus, GA-AL	Const, mining, logging	4,200	4,500	7%	300	92
Dover-Durham, NH-ME NECTA	Const, mining, logging	1,500	1,600	7%	100	92
Fayetteville, NC	Const, mining, logging	4,300	4,600	7%	300	92
Fort Lauderdale-Pompano Beach-Deerfield Beach, FL Div.	Construction	45,000	48,100	7%	3,100	92
Framingham, MA NECTA Div.	Const, mining, logging	8,800	9,400	7%	600	92
Greenville, NC	Const, mining, logging	2,800	3,000	7%	200	92
Jacksonville, FL	Construction	40,800	43,700	7%	2,900	92
Lincoln, NE	Const, mining, logging	8,100	8,700	7%	600	92
Los Angeles-Long Beach-Glendale, CA Div.	Construction	129,700	138,700	7%	9,000	92
Myrtle Beach-Conway-North Myrtle Beach, SC-NC	Const, mining, logging	9,200	9,800	7%	600	92
Olympia-Tumwater, WA	Const, mining, logging	5,500	5,900	7%	400	92
Reading, PA	Const, mining, logging	7,000	7,500	7%	500	92
Salinas, CA	Construction	5,600	6,000	7%	400	92
Sherman-Denison, TX	Const, mining, logging	2,800	3,000	7%	200	92
Tucson, AZ	Construction	15,200	16,200	7%	1,000	92
Tulsa, OK	Construction	21,700	23,300	7%	1,600	92
Boulder, CO	Const, mining, logging	5,300	5,600	6%	300	110
Chattanooga, TN-GA	Const, mining, logging	9,500	10,100	6%	600	110
Cleveland, TN	Const, mining, logging	1,700	1,800	6%	100	110
Colorado Springs, CO	Const, mining, logging	15,900	16,800	6%	900	110
Denver-Aurora-Lakewood, CO	Const, mining, logging	95,800	101,700	6%	5,900	110
Eau Claire, WI	Const, mining, logging	3,100	3,300	6%	200	110
Fayetteville-Springdale-Rogers, AR-MO	Const, mining, logging	10,600	11,200	6%	600	110
Flint, MI	Const, mining, logging	4,700	5,000	6%	300	110
Gettysburg, PA	Const, mining, logging	1,800	1,900	6%	100	110
Grand Rapids-Wyoming, MI	Const, mining, logging	21,400	22,700	6%	1,300	110
Huntington-Ashland, WV-KY-OH	Const, mining, logging	6,400	6,800	6%	400	110
Lawton, OK	Const, mining, logging	1,600	1,700	6%	100	110
Leominster-Gardner, MA NECTA	Const, mining, logging	1,800	1,900	6%	100	110
Lima, OH	Const, mining, logging	1,700	1,800	6%	100	110
Longview, TX	Const, mining, logging	14,000	14,900	6%	900	110
Pensacola-Ferry Pass-Brent, FL	Const, mining, logging	11,000	11,700	6%	700	110
Prescott, AZ	Const, mining, logging	4,800	5,100	6%	300	110
Providence-Warwick, RI-MA NECTA	Construction	20,700	21,900	6%	1,200	110
San Diego-Carlsbad, CA	Construction	75,000	79,700	6%	4,700	110
San Jose-Sunnyvale-Santa Clara, CA	Construction	47,100	49,900	6%	2,800	110
Santa Maria-Santa Barbara, CA	Construction	7,800	8,300	6%	500	110
Spartanburg, SC	Const, mining, logging	7,000	7,400	6%	400	110
Washington, DC	Const, mining, logging	14,500	15,300	6%	800	110
West Palm Beach-Boca Raton-Delray Beach, FL Div.	Construction	34,900	36,900	6%	2,000	110
Wilmington, DE-MD-NJ Div.	Const, mining, logging	16,300	17,300	6%	1,000	110
Allentown-Bethlehem-Easton, PA-NJ	Const, mining, logging	12,000	12,600	5%	600	135
Ann Arbor, MI	Const, mining, logging	3,800	4,000	5%	200	135
Augusta-Richmond County, GA-SC	Const, mining, logging	11,400	12,000	5%	600	135
Austin-Round Rock, TX	Const, mining, logging	58,900	61,800	5%	2,900	135
Bakersfield, CA	Construction	14,300	15,000	5%	700	135
Brockton-Bridgewater-Easton, MA NECTA Div.	Const, mining, logging	4,400	4,600	5%	200	135
Charlottesville, VA	Const, mining, logging	5,500	5,800	5%	300	135
Duluth, MN-WI	Const, mining, logging	8,000	8,400	5%	400	135
El Paso, TX	Const, mining, logging	14,700	15,500	5%	800	135
Flagstaff, AZ	Const, mining, logging	2,200	2,300	5%	100	135
Hagerstown-Martinsburg, MD-WV	Const, mining, logging	3,700	3,900	5%	200	135

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Houma-Thibodaux, LA	Construction	4,300	4,500	5%	200	135
Lowell-Billerica-Chelmsford, MA-NH NECTA Div.	Const, mining, logging	8,200	8,600	5%	400	135
Mount Vernon-Anacortes, WA	Const, mining, logging	3,900	4,100	5%	200	135
Muskegon, MI	Const, mining, logging	1,900	2,000	5%	100	135
Punta Gorda, FL	Const, mining, logging	3,800	4,000	5%	200	135
Rapid City, SD	Const, mining, logging	4,400	4,600	5%	200	135
Salisbury, MD-DE	Const, mining, logging	8,100	8,500	5%	400	135
Salt Lake City, UT	Const, mining, logging	37,700	39,600	5%	1,900	135
Sheboygan, WI	Const, mining, logging	2,000	2,100	5%	100	135
Silver Spring-Frederick-Rockville, MD Div.	Const, mining, logging	32,900	34,700	5%	1,800	135
Tyler, TX	Const, mining, logging	5,800	6,100	5.0%	300	135
Victoria, TX	Const, mining, logging	4,100	4,300	5%	200	135
Worcester, MA-CT NECTA	Const, mining, logging	10,000	10,500	5%	500	135
Asheville, NC	Const, mining, logging	8,200	8,500	4%	300	159
Atlanta-Sandy Springs-Roswell, GA	Construction	116,700	121,100	4%	4,400	159
Atlantic City-Hammonton, NJ	Const, mining, logging	5,000	5,200	4%	200	159
Bangor, ME NECTA	Construction	2,600	2,700	4%	100	159
Bergen-Hudson-Passaic, NJ	Const, mining, logging	28,600	29,700	4%	1,100	159
Burlington, NC	Const, mining, logging	2,500	2,600	4%	100	159
College Station-Bryan, TX	Const, mining, logging	7,100	7,400	4%	300	159
Dallas-Plano-Irving, TX Div.	Const, mining, logging	135,400	141,100	4%	5,700	159
Houston-The Woodlands-Sugar Land, TX	Construction	210,100	219,300	4%	9,200	159
Jackson, TN	Const, mining, logging	2,500	2,600	4%	100	159
Kansas City, MO	Const, mining, logging	26,900	28,100	4%	1,200	159
La Crosse-Onalaska, WI-MN	Const, mining, logging	2,400	2,500	4%	100	159
Lancaster, PA	Const, mining, logging	16,100	16,800	4%	700	159
Lynchburg, VA	Const, mining, logging	5,500	5,700	4%	200	159
Madison, WI	Const, mining, logging	15,700	16,300	4%	600	159
McAllen-Edinburg-Mission, TX	Const, mining, logging	8,100	8,400	4%	300	159
New Bedford, MA NECTA	Const, mining, logging	2,300	2,400	4%	100	159
New York City, NY	Const, mining, logging	144,500	150,800	4%	6,300	159
North Port-Sarasota-Bradenton, FL	Const, mining, logging	22,600	23,500	4%	900	159
Portsmouth, NH-ME NECTA	Const, mining, logging	2,400	2,500	4%	100	159
Rocky Mount, NC	Const, mining, logging	2,300	2,400	4%	100	159
Saginaw, MI	Const, mining, logging	2,500	2,600	4%	100	159
Santa Fe, NM	Const, mining, logging	2,700	2,800	4%	100	159
Springfield, MO	Const, mining, logging	8,500	8,800	4%	300	159
Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater, FL	Construction	70,900	73,600	4%	2,700	159
Texarkana, TX-AR	Const, mining, logging	2,700	2,800	4.0%	100	159
Trenton, NJ	Const, mining, logging	4,800	5,000	4%	200	159
Visalia-Porterville, CA	Const, mining, logging	5,300	5,500	4%	200	159
Warren-Troy-Farmington Hills, MI Div.	Const, mining, logging	43,500	45,200	4%	1,700	159
Waterbury, CT NECTA	Const, mining, logging	2,300	2,400	4%	100	159
Yuma, AZ	Const, mining, logging	2,300	2,400	4%	100	159
Amarillo, TX	Const, mining, logging	6,900	7,100	3%	200	190
Barnstable Town, MA NECTA	Const, mining, logging	6,000	6,200	3%	200	190
Beaumont-Port Arthur, TX	Const, mining, logging	18,600	19,100	3%	500	190
Boston-Cambridge-Newton, MA NECTA Div.	Const, mining, logging	62,300	64,300	3%	2,000	190
Charlotte-Concord-Gastonia, NC-SC	Const, mining, logging	59,300	61,300	3%	2,000	190
Cheyenne, WY	Const, mining, logging	3,200	3,300	3%	100	190
Columbus, OH	Const, mining, logging	35,200	36,200	3%	1,000	190
Dayton, OH	Const, mining, logging	11,500	11,800	3%	300	190
Decatur, AL	Const, mining, logging	3,400	3,500	3%	100	190
Elgin, IL Div.	Construction	10,900	11,200	3%	300	190
Eugene, OR	Construction	6,300	6,500	3%	200	190
Gary, IN Div.	Construction	14,900	15,400	3%	500	190
Hickory-Lenoir-Morganton, NC	Const, mining, logging	3,800	3,900	3%	100	190
Idaho Falls, ID	Const, mining, logging	3,400	3,500	3%	100	190
Indianapolis-Carmel-Anderson, IN	Construction	45,800	47,400	3%	1,600	190
Kahului-Wailuku-Lahaina, HI	Const, mining, logging	3,900	4,000	3%	100	190
Lansing-East Lansing, MI	Const, mining, logging	6,600	6,800	3%	200	190
Lubbock, TX	Const, mining, logging	7,500	7,700	3%	200	190
Naples-Immokalee-Marco Island, FL	Const, mining, logging	15,100	15,500	3%	400	190
Ogden-Clearfield, UT	Const, mining, logging	17,000	17,500	3%	500	190
Omaha-Council Bluffs, NE-IA	Const, mining, logging	25,000	25,700	3%	700	190
Pueblo, CO	Const, mining, logging	3,300	3,400	3%	100	190
Rochester, MN	Const, mining, logging	3,800	3,900	3%	100	190
Rochester, NY	Construction	18,000	18,500	3%	500	190
Tallahassee, FL	Const, mining, logging	7,500	7,700	3%	200	190
Taunton-Middleborough-Norton, MA NECTA Div.	Const, mining, logging	3,100	3,200	3%	100	190
Youngstown-Warren-Boardman, OH-PA	Const, mining, logging	7,600	7,800	3%	200	190
Baltimore-Columbia-Towson, MD	Const, mining, logging	74,800	76,500	2%	1,700	217
Chicago-Naperville-Arlington Heights, IL Div.	Construction	113,500	115,300	2%	1,800	217
Killeen-Temple, TX	Const, mining, logging	6,600	6,700	2%	100	217

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Miami-Miami Beach-Kendall, FL Div.	Construction	45,300	46,300	2%	1,000	217
Milwaukee-Waukesha-West Allis, WI	Construction	27,400	28,000	2%	600	217
Nashua, NH-MA NECTA Div.	Const, mining, logging	5,000	5,100	2%	100	217
Oshkosh-Neenah, WI	Const, mining, logging	4,700	4,800	2%	100	217
Palm Bay-Melbourne-Titusville, FL	Const, mining, logging	13,200	13,500	2%	300	217
St. Cloud, MN	Const, mining, logging	5,400	5,500	2%	100	217
Toledo, OH	Const, mining, logging	12,300	12,500	2%	200	217
Urban Honolulu, HI	Const, mining, logging	26,600	27,100	2%	500	217
Appleton, WI	Const, mining, logging	7,700	7,800	1%	100	229
Birmingham-Hoover, AL	Construction	24,900	25,200	1%	300	229
Buffalo-Cheektowaga-Niagara Falls, NY	Const, mining, logging	18,200	18,300	1%	100	229
Corpus Christi, TX	Const, mining, logging	25,700	26,000	1%	300	229
Des Moines-West Des Moines, IA	Const, mining, logging	18,000	18,200	1%	200	229
Fargo, ND-MN	Const, mining, logging	7,400	7,500	1%	100	229
Green Bay, WI	Const, mining, logging	7,100	7,200	1%	100	229
Greensboro-High Point, NC	Const, mining, logging	14,300	14,500	1%	200	229
Greenville-Anderson-Mauldin, SC	Const, mining, logging	17,800	18,000	1%	200	229
Gulfport-Biloxi-Pascagoula, MS	Const, mining, logging	7,400	7,500	1%	100	229
Kansas City, KS	Const, mining, logging	19,400	19,500	1%	100	229
Lexington-Fayette, KY	Const, mining, logging	12,800	12,900	1%	100	229
Minneapolis-St. Paul-Bloomington, MN-WI	Const, mining, logging	69,000	69,400	1%	400	229
New Orleans-Metairie, LA	Construction	28,800	29,100	1%	300	229
Oklahoma City, OK	Construction	28,700	29,100	1%	400	229
Shreveport-Bossier City, LA	Construction	8,300	8,400	1%	100	229
Sioux Falls, SD	Const, mining, logging	7,200	7,300	1%	100	229
Waco, TX	Const, mining, logging	7,100	7,200	1%	100	229
Winston-Salem, NC	Const, mining, logging	10,200	10,300	1%	100	229
Nashville-Davidson--Murfreesboro--Franklin, TN	Const, mining, logging	40,400	40,600	1%	200	248
Albany-Schenectady-Troy, NY	Const, mining, logging	17,600	17,600	0%	0	249
Anniston-Oxford-Jacksonville, AL	Const, mining, logging	1,000	1,000	0%	0	249
Bay City, MI	Const, mining, logging	900	900	0%	0	249
Bloomington, IL	Const, mining, logging	2,400	2,400	0%	0	249
Bloomsburg-Berwick, PA	Const, mining, logging	900	900	0%	0	249
Canton-Massillon, OH	Const, mining, logging	8,000	8,000	0%	0	249
Casper, WY	Construction	2,500	2,500	0%	0	249
Chambersburg-Waynesboro, PA	Const, mining, logging	2,100	2,100	0%	0	249
Champaign-Urbana, IL	Const, mining, logging	2,900	2,900	0%	0	249
Charleston, WV	Const, mining, logging	6,600	6,600	0%	0	249
Clarksville, TN-KY	Const, mining, logging	3,000	3,000	0%	0	249
Dothan, AL	Const, mining, logging	2,400	2,400	0%	0	249
Dutchess County-Putnam County, NY Div.	Const, mining, logging	7,500	7,500	0%	0	249
El Centro, CA	Const, mining, logging	1,800	1,800	0%	0	249
Elizabethtown-Fort Knox, KY	Const, mining, logging	1,800	1,800	0%	0	249
Elkhart-Goshen, IN	Const, mining, logging	3,200	3,200	0%	0	249
Elmira, NY	Const, mining, logging	1,300	1,300	0%	0	249
Fairbanks, AK	Construction	1,900	1,900	0%	0	249
Florence-Muscle Shoals, AL	Const, mining, logging	3,000	3,000	0%	0	249
Fort Collins, CO	Const, mining, logging	10,700	10,700	0%	0	249
Fort Smith, AR-OK	Const, mining, logging	5,200	5,200	0%	0	249
Fort Wayne, IN	Const, mining, logging	9,800	9,800	0%	0	249
Gadsden, AL	Const, mining, logging	1,100	1,100	0%	0	249
Gainesville, FL	Const, mining, logging	5,500	5,500	0%	0	249
Grand Forks, ND-MN	Const, mining, logging	2,500	2,500	0%	0	249
Hanford-Corcoran, CA	Const, mining, logging	800	800	0%	0	249
Haverhill-Newburyport-Amesbury Town, MA-NH NECTA D	Const, mining, logging	4,100	4,100	0%	0	249
Jackson, MI	Const, mining, logging	1,700	1,700	0%	0	249
Jackson, MS	Construction	10,100	10,100	0%	0	249
Lewiston-Auburn, ME NECTA	Const, mining, logging	2,400	2,400	0%	0	249
Mobile, AL	Const, mining, logging	11,300	11,300	0%	0	249
Morristown, TN	Const, mining, logging	1,900	1,900	0%	0	249
Niles-Benton Harbor, MI	Const, mining, logging	1,700	1,700	0%	0	249
Owensboro, KY	Const, mining, logging	2,700	2,700	0%	0	249
Pittsfield, MA NECTA	Const, mining, logging	2,000	2,000	0%	0	249
Pocatello, ID	Const, mining, logging	1,600	1,600	0%	0	249
Racine, WI	Const, mining, logging	2,500	2,500	0%	0	249
Savannah, GA	Const, mining, logging	7,200	7,200	0%	0	249
South Bend-Mishawaka, IN-MI	Const, mining, logging	5,100	5,100	0%	0	249
Springfield, OH	Const, mining, logging	1,000	1,000	0%	0	249
Wausau, WI	Const, mining, logging	2,200	2,200	0%	0	249
Wilmington, NC	Const, mining, logging	7,100	7,100	0%	0	249
Nassau County-Suffolk County, NY Div.	Const, mining, logging	74,300	74,100	0%	-200	291
Virginia Beach-Norfolk-Newport News, VA-NC	Const, mining, logging	36,300	36,200	0%	-100	291
Delaware County, PA	Const, mining, logging	11,400	11,300	-1%	-100	293

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Area[1]	Industry[2]	Jan '17	Jan '18	12-mo. % change	12-mo. gain/loss	Rank[3]
Durham-Chapel Hill, NC	Const, mining, logging	7,900	7,800	-1%	-100	293
Memphis, TN-MS-AR	Const, mining, logging	21,600	21,400	-1%	-200	293
Newark, NJ-PA Div.	Const, mining, logging	42,800	42,200	-1%	-600	293
Ocala, FL	Const, mining, logging	7,100	7,000	-1%	-100	293
Orange-Rockland-Westchester, NY	Const, mining, logging	38,300	38,100	-1%	-200	293
Abilene, TX	Const, mining, logging	4,500	4,400	-2%	-100	299
Cape Coral-Fort Myers, FL	Const, mining, logging	26,900	26,300	-2%	-600	299
Detroit-Dearborn-Livonia, MI Div.	Const, mining, logging	20,500	20,000	-2%	-500	299
Fort Worth-Arlington, TX Div.	Const, mining, logging	69,900	68,500	-2%	-1,400	299
Louisville/Jefferson County, KY-IN	Const, mining, logging	26,600	26,200	-2%	-400	299
Montgomery, AL	Const, mining, logging	6,200	6,100	-2%	-100	299
Port St. Lucie, FL	Const, mining, logging	9,900	9,700	-2%	-200	299
Portland-South Portland, ME NECTA	Const, mining, logging	9,100	8,900	-2%	-200	299
Roanoke, VA	Const, mining, logging	8,400	8,200	-2%	-200	299
Tuscaloosa, AL	Const, mining, logging	6,100	6,000	-2%	-100	299
Bowling Green, KY	Const, mining, logging	2,900	2,800	-3%	-100	309
Brownsville-Harlingen, TX	Const, mining, logging	2,900	2,800	-3%	-100	309
Cedar Rapids, IA	Const, mining, logging	7,100	6,900	-3%	-200	309
Cleveland-Elyria, OH	Const, mining, logging	31,900	31,100	-3%	-800	309
Decatur, IL	Const, mining, logging	2,900	2,800	-3%	-100	309
Hartford-West Hartford-East Hartford, CT NECTA	Const, mining, logging	18,200	17,700	-3%	-500	309
Lafayette, LA	Construction	9,900	9,600	-3%	-300	309
Lafayette-West Lafayette, IN	Const, mining, logging	3,200	3,100	-3%	-100	309
Las Cruces, NM	Const, mining, logging	3,700	3,600	-3%	-100	309
Logan, UT-ID	Const, mining, logging	3,000	2,900	-3%	-100	309
Longview, WA	Const, mining, logging	3,100	3,000	-3%	-100	309
Peoria, IL	Const, mining, logging	6,400	6,200	-3%	-200	309
Sebastian-Vero Beach, FL	Const, mining, logging	3,900	3,800	-3%	-100	309
Wichita Falls, TX	Const, mining, logging	2,900	2,800	-3%	-100	309
Wichita, KS	Const, mining, logging	15,800	15,400	-3%	-400	309
Bloomington, IN	Const, mining, logging	2,400	2,300	-4%	-100	324
Burlington-South Burlington, VT NECTA	Const, mining, logging	5,400	5,200	-4%	-200	324
Calvert-Charles-Prince George's, MD	Const, mining, logging	35,600	34,200	-4%	-1,400	324
Dover, DE	Const, mining, logging	2,500	2,400	-4%	-100	324
Fond du Lac, WI	Const, mining, logging	2,800	2,700	-4%	-100	324
Glens Falls, NY	Const, mining, logging	2,500	2,400	-4%	-100	324
Middlesex-Monmouth-Ocean, NJ	Const, mining, logging	36,200	34,700	-4%	-1,500	324
Rockford, IL	Const, mining, logging	4,600	4,400	-4%	-200	324
San Francisco-Redwood City-South San Francisco, CA Div.	Construction	39,200	37,600	-4%	-1,600	324
Syracuse, NY	Const, mining, logging	11,200	10,700	-4%	-500	324
Topeka, KS	Const, mining, logging	5,200	5,000	-4%	-200	324
Utica-Rome, NY	Const, mining, logging	2,700	2,600	-4%	-100	324
York-Hanover, PA	Const, mining, logging	11,000	10,600	-4%	-400	324
Montgomery County-Bucks County-Chester County, PA Di	Const, mining, logging	49,500	46,900	-5%	-2,600	337
New Haven, CT NECTA	Const, mining, logging	9,800	9,300	-5%	-500	337
Norwich-New London-Westerly, CT-RI NECTA	Const, mining, logging	3,800	3,600	-5%	-200	337
Philadelphia City, PA	Const, mining, logging	11,800	11,200	-5%	-600	337
Spokane-Spokane Valley, WA	Const, mining, logging	11,700	11,100	-5%	-600	337
St. Louis, MO-IL	Const, mining, logging	62,800	59,500	-5%	-3,300	337
Columbus, IN	Const, mining, logging	1,700	1,600	-6%	-100	343
Davenport-Moline-Rock Island, IA-IL	Const, mining, logging	8,900	8,400	-6%	-500	343
Michigan City-La Porte, IN	Const, mining, logging	1,800	1,700	-6%	-100	343
Battle Creek, MI	Const, mining, logging	1,400	1,300	-7%	-100	346
Bismarck, ND	Const, mining, logging	4,300	4,000	-7%	-300	346
Muncie, IN	Const, mining, logging	1,400	1,300	-7%	-100	346
Camden, NJ Div.	Const, mining, logging	21,300	19,600	-8%	-1,700	349
Ithaca, NY	Const, mining, logging	1,200	1,100	-8%	-100	349
Kingsport-Bristol-Bristol, TN-VA	Const, mining, logging	7,400	6,800	-8%	-600	349
Kankakee, IL	Const, mining, logging	1,100	1,000	-9%	-100	352
Kokomo, IN	Const, mining, logging	1,100	1,000	-9%	-100	352
Bridgeport-Stamford-Norwalk, CT NECTA	Const, mining, logging	11,100	9,900	-11%	-1,200	354
Columbia, SC	Const, mining, logging	20,700	18,200	-12.0%	-2,500	355
Baton Rouge, LA	Construction	51,300	44,700	-13%	-6,600	356
Monroe, MI	Const, mining, logging	1,900	1,600	-16%	-300	357
Auburn-Opelika, AL	Const, mining, logging	3,700	2,500	-32%	-1,200	358

Footnotes:

[1]**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. Areas that cover parts of multiple states are listed in Roman font under the state in which the largest part of its population lives and also *in italic font at the bottom of the listings for other states covered by the MSA or division.* There are 11 MSAs with more than 2,500,000 people. Employment in these MSAs is presented in two or more divisions (Div.) or subdivisions rather than for the MSA as a whole. See U.S. Census Bureau for definitions of MSAs and divisions.

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[2]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. Because MSA data is not seasonally adjusted, state data is also shown on this basis.

[3]Rank: BLS currently provides construction (or combined construction, mining and logging) employment data for 358 metro areas. AGC calculated rankings 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 metro areas with the same whole-percent change in employment are ranked the same.