

**Rankings of Metropolitan Areas by Percent Change in Construction Employment, August 2018–August 2019**  
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<u>Area</u> <sup>1</sup>	<u>Industry</u> <sup>2</sup>	<u>August '18</u>	<u>August '19</u>	<u>12-month % change</u>	<u>12-month gain/loss</u>	<u>Rank</u> <sup>3</sup>
Spokane-Spokane Valley, WA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	15,800	18,200	15%	2,400	1
Auburn-Opelika, AL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,600	3,000	15%	400	1
Omaha-Council Bluffs, NE-IA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	30,100	34,400	14%	4,300	3
Tacoma-Lakewood, WA Div.	Construction	25,600	29,000	13%	3,400	4
Davenport-Moline-Rock Island, IA-IL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	10,600	12,000	13%	1,400	4
Logan, UT-ID	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,200	3,600	13%	400	4
Naples-Immokalee-Marco Island, FL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	17,500	19,600	12%	2,100	7
Sioux Falls, SD	Mining, Logging, and Construction	9,500	10,600	12%	1,100	7
Bend-Redmond, OR	Mining, Logging, and Construction	7,300	8,200	12%	900	7
Punta Gorda, FL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	4,200	4,700	12%	500	7
Merced, CA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,600	2,900	12%	300	7
Bergen-Hudson-Passaic, NJ	Mining, Logging, and Construction	31,700	35,300	11%	3,600	12
Reno, NV	Construction	18,500	20,600	11%	2,100	12
Anchorage, AK	Construction	11,400	12,700	11%	1,300	12
Yuba City, CA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,700	3,000	11%	300	12
Madera, CA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	1,900	2,100	11%	200	12
Pocatello, ID	Mining, Logging, and Construction	1,800	2,000	11%	200	12
St. Louis, MO-IL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	69,500	76,600	10%	7,100	18
Port St. Lucie, FL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	11,600	12,800	10%	1,200	18
Springfield, MA-CT NECTA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	12,500	13,700	10%	1,200	18
St. Cloud, MN	Mining, Logging, and Construction	7,800	8,600	10%	800	18
South Bend-Mishawaka, IN-MI	Mining, Logging, and Construction	6,200	6,800	10%	600	18
Monroe, MI	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,100	2,300	10%	200	18
Hanford-Corcoran, CA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	1,000	1,100	10%	100	18
Phoenix-Mesa-Scottsdale, AZ	Construction	126,000	137,000	9%	11,000	25
Cape Coral-Fort Myers, FL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	30,900	33,700	9%	2,800	25
Oklahoma City, OK	Construction	30,700	33,500	9%	2,800	25
Rochester, NY	Construction	23,000	25,000	9%	2,000	25
Toledo, OH	Mining, Logging, and Construction	15,500	16,900	9%	1,400	25
Deltona-Daytona Beach-Ormond Beach, FL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	14,000	15,300	9%	1,300	25
San Rafael, CA Div.	Construction	7,900	8,600	9%	700	25
Yakima, WA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	4,500	4,900	9%	400	25
Peabody-Salem-Beverly, MA NECTA Div.	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,500	3,800	9%	300	25
Kokomo, IN	Mining, Logging, and Construction	1,100	1,200	9%	100	25
Dallas-Plano-Irving, TX Div.	Mining, Logging, and Construction	147,300	159,700	8%	12,400	35
Orlando-Kissimmee-Sanford, FL	Construction	83,200	89,500	8%	6,300	35
Oakland-Hayward-Berkeley, CA Div.	Construction	76,500	82,300	8%	5,800	35
Sacramento-Roseville--Arden-Arcade, CA	Construction	67,600	73,000	8%	5,400	35
San Francisco-Redwood City-South San Francisco, CA Div.	Construction	43,000	46,600	8%	3,600	35
Jacksonville, FL	Construction	45,000	48,600	8%	3,600	35
Virginia Beach-Norfolk-Newport News, VA-NC	Mining, Logging, and Construction	38,800	41,800	8%	3,000	35
Kansas City, MO	Mining, Logging, and Construction	29,600	32,000	8%	2,400	35
Camden, NJ Div.	Mining, Logging, and Construction	23,800	25,700	8%	1,900	35
Ogden-Clearfield, UT	Mining, Logging, and Construction	20,500	22,200	8%	1,700	35
El Paso, TX	Mining, Logging, and Construction	16,200	17,500	8%	1,300	35
Palm Bay-Melbourne-Titusville, FL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	14,500	15,700	8%	1,200	35
Stockton-Lodi, CA	Construction	13,200	14,200	8%	1,000	35
Salem, OR	Construction	11,900	12,900	8%	1,000	35
Duluth, MN-WI	Mining, Logging, and Construction	10,200	11,000	8%	800	35
Chico, CA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	4,900	5,300	8%	400	35
Columbus, GA-AL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	4,800	5,200	8%	400	35
Bismarck, ND	Mining, Logging, and Construction	5,200	5,600	8%	400	35
Medford, OR	Construction	5,000	5,400	8%	400	35
Flagstaff, AZ	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,500	2,700	8%	200	35
Muskegon, MI	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,500	2,700	8%	200	35
Nassau County-Suffolk County, NY Div.	Mining, Logging, and Construction	85,400	91,400	7%	6,000	56
San Diego-Carlsbad, CA	Construction	86,400	92,100	7%	5,700	56
Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater, FL	Construction	78,800	84,000	7%	5,200	56
San Antonio-New Braunfels, TX	Construction	53,900	57,700	7%	3,800	56
Newark, NJ-PA Div.	Mining, Logging, and Construction	47,800	51,200	7%	3,400	56
Columbus, OH	Mining, Logging, and Construction	44,100	47,300	7%	3,200	56
Cleveland-Elyria, OH	Mining, Logging, and Construction	41,000	43,900	7%	2,900	56
New Orleans-Metairie, LA	Construction	30,700	32,700	7%	2,000	56
North Port-Sarasota-Bradenton, FL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	25,700	27,600	7%	1,900	56
Fresno, CA	Construction	19,400	20,800	7%	1,400	56
Greenville-Anderson-Mauldin, SC	Mining, Logging, and Construction	19,400	20,700	7%	1,300	56

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Lake County-Kenosha County, IL-WI Div.	Construction	16,400	17,600	7%	1,200	56
Bridgeport-Stamford-Norwalk, CT NECTA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	13,200	14,100	7%	900	56
Portland-South Portland, ME NECTA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	10,500	11,200	7%	700	56
Myrtle Beach-Conway-North Myrtle Beach, SC-NC	Mining, Logging, and Construction	10,300	11,000	7%	700	56
Appleton, WI	Mining, Logging, and Construction	9,700	10,400	7%	700	56
Huntsville, AL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	8,800	9,400	7%	600	56
Santa Maria-Santa Barbara, CA	Construction	9,000	9,600	7%	600	56
Lubbock, TX	Mining, Logging, and Construction	8,600	9,200	7%	600	56
Barnstable Town, MA NECTA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	7,000	7,500	7%	500	56
Prescott, AZ	Mining, Logging, and Construction	6,000	6,400	7%	400	56
Elkhart-Goshen, IN	Mining, Logging, and Construction	4,100	4,400	7%	300	56
Laredo, TX	Mining, Logging, and Construction	4,100	4,400	7%	300	56
Mount Vernon-Anacortes, WA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	4,500	4,800	7%	300	56
Bloomington, IN	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,900	3,100	7%	200	56
Los Angeles-Long Beach-Glendale, CA Div.	Construction	148,400	158,000	6%	9,600	81
Las Vegas-Henderson-Paradise, NV	Construction	65,700	69,900	6%	4,200	81
Louisville/Jefferson County, KY-IN	Mining, Logging, and Construction	30,900	32,600	6%	1,700	81
Wilmington, DE-MD-NJ Div.	Mining, Logging, and Construction	17,400	18,400	6%	1,000	81
Santa Rosa, CA	Construction	15,900	16,800	6%	900	81
Delaware County, PA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	12,300	13,000	6%	700	81
Asheville, NC	Mining, Logging, and Construction	10,100	10,700	6%	600	81
Winston-Salem, NC	Mining, Logging, and Construction	10,900	11,500	6%	600	81
Ocala, FL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	7,900	8,400	6%	500	81
Cedar Rapids, IA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	8,500	9,000	6%	500	81
Lake Havasu City-Kingman, AZ	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,300	3,500	6%	200	81
Waterbury, CT NECTA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,100	3,300	6%	200	81
Bangor, ME NECTA	Construction	3,500	3,700	6%	200	81
Kingston, NY	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,200	3,400	6%	200	81
Greenville, NC	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,500	3,700	6%	200	81
Albany, OR	Construction	3,200	3,400	6%	200	81
Racine, WI	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,400	3,600	6%	200	81
Sierra Vista-Douglas, AZ	Mining, Logging, and Construction	1,700	1,800	6%	100	81
Lewiston, ID-WA	Construction	1,600	1,700	6%	100	81
Muncie, IN	Mining, Logging, and Construction	1,700	1,800	6%	100	81
Lynn-Saugus-Marblehead, MA NECTA Div.	Mining, Logging, and Construction	1,600	1,700	6%	100	81
Dover-Durham, NH-ME NECTA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	1,800	1,900	6%	100	81
Corvallis, OR	Mining, Logging, and Construction	1,600	1,700	6%	100	81
Bloomsburg-Berwick, PA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	1,600	1,700	6%	100	81
Cleveland, TN	Mining, Logging, and Construction	1,800	1,900	6%	100	81
Atlanta-Sandy Springs-Roswell, GA	Construction	127,600	133,700	5%	6,100	106
Minneapolis-St. Paul-Bloomington, MN-WI	Mining, Logging, and Construction	90,900	95,000	5%	4,100	106
Pittsburgh, PA	Construction	63,000	66,000	5%	3,000	106
Orange-Rockland-Westchester, NY	Mining, Logging, and Construction	45,900	48,000	5%	2,100	106
West Palm Beach-Boca Raton-Delray Beach, FL Div.	Construction	38,100	39,900	5%	1,800	106
Provo-Orem, UT	Mining, Logging, and Construction	25,700	27,100	5%	1,400	106
Des Moines-West Des Moines, IA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	22,100	23,200	5%	1,100	106
Colorado Springs, CO	Mining, Logging, and Construction	18,500	19,500	5%	1,000	106
Charleston-North Charleston, SC	Mining, Logging, and Construction	22,100	23,100	5%	1,000	106
Oxnard-Thousand Oaks-Ventura, CA	Construction	17,100	18,000	5%	900	106
Tucson, AZ	Construction	17,100	17,900	5%	800	106
Lakeland-Winter Haven, FL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	13,700	14,400	5%	700	106
Philadelphia City, PA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	12,800	13,500	5%	700	106
Lowell-Billerica-Chelmsford, MA-NH NECTA Div.	Mining, Logging, and Construction	9,700	10,200	5%	500	106
Tallahassee, FL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	8,600	9,000	5%	400	106
Savannah, GA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	8,400	8,800	5%	400	106
Dutchess County-Putnam County, NY Div.	Mining, Logging, and Construction	8,600	9,000	5%	400	106
Spartanburg, SC	Mining, Logging, and Construction	7,600	8,000	5%	400	106
St. George, UT	Mining, Logging, and Construction	8,000	8,400	5%	400	106
Salinas, CA	Construction	6,600	6,900	5%	300	106
Boulder, CO	Mining, Logging, and Construction	5,900	6,200	5%	300	106
Coeur d'Alene, ID	Construction	5,800	6,100	5%	300	106
Rockford, IL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	5,800	6,100	5%	300	106
Flint, MI	Mining, Logging, and Construction	6,200	6,500	5%	300	106
Fayetteville, NC	Mining, Logging, and Construction	5,700	6,000	5%	300	106
Redding, CA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,700	3,900	5%	200	106
Norwich-New London-Westerly, CT-RI NECTA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	4,100	4,300	5%	200	106

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Sebastian-Vero Beach, FL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	4,400	4,600	5%	200	106
Kahului-Wailuku-Lahaina, HI	Mining, Logging, and Construction	4,100	4,300	5%	200	106
Janesville-Beloit, WI	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,800	4,000	5%	200	106
Columbus, IN	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,000	2,100	5%	100	106
Michigan City-La Porte, IN	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,200	2,300	5%	100	106
Pittsfield, MA NECTA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,200	2,300	5%	100	106
Lima, OH	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,200	2,300	5%	100	106
Gettysburg, PA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	1,900	2,000	5%	100	106
Northern Virginia, VA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	78,400	81,600	4%	3,200	141
Miami-Miami Beach-Kendall, FL Div.	Construction	52,200	54,500	4%	2,300	141
Montgomery County-Bucks County-Chester County, PA Div.	Mining, Logging, and Construction	55,500	57,800	4%	2,300	141
Cincinnati, OH-KY-IN	Mining, Logging, and Construction	49,000	51,000	4%	2,000	141
Birmingham-Hoover, AL	Construction	28,500	29,600	4%	1,100	141
Detroit-Dearborn-Livonia, MI Div.	Mining, Logging, and Construction	24,600	25,500	4%	900	141
Kansas City, KS	Mining, Logging, and Construction	21,900	22,700	4%	800	141
Madison, WI	Mining, Logging, and Construction	19,200	19,900	4%	700	141
Elgin, IL Div.	Construction	15,300	15,900	4%	600	141
Fayetteville-Springdale-Rogers, AR-MO	Mining, Logging, and Construction	11,800	12,300	4%	500	141
Fort Collins, CO	Mining, Logging, and Construction	12,000	12,500	4%	500	141
Dayton, OH	Mining, Logging, and Construction	13,800	14,300	4%	500	141
Chattanooga, TN-GA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	11,400	11,900	4%	500	141
Kennewick-Richland, WA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	9,700	10,100	4%	400	141
Eugene, OR	Construction	7,700	8,000	4%	300	141
Santa Cruz-Watsonville, CA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	4,500	4,700	4%	200	141
Ann Arbor, MI	Mining, Logging, and Construction	4,700	4,900	4%	200	141
Rochester, MN	Mining, Logging, and Construction	5,200	5,400	4%	200	141
Manchester, NH NECTA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	5,400	5,600	4%	200	141
Bremerton-Silverdale, WA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	5,300	5,500	4%	200	141
Owensboro, KY	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,500	2,600	4%	100	141
Leominster-Gardner, MA NECTA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,300	2,400	4%	100	141
Portsmouth, NH-ME NECTA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,700	2,800	4%	100	141
Mansfield, OH	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,400	2,500	4%	100	141
Chambersburg-Waynesboro, PA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,400	2,500	4%	100	141
Texarkana, TX-AR	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,800	2,900	4%	100	141
Sheboygan, WI	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,400	2,500	4%	100	141
Seattle-Bellevue-Everett, WA Div.	Construction	105,500	108,700	3%	3,200	168
Fort Worth-Arlington, TX Div.	Mining, Logging, and Construction	76,600	78,900	3%	2,300	168
Portland-Vancouver-Hillsboro, OR-WA	Construction	76,100	78,200	3%	2,100	168
Indianapolis-Carmel-Anderson, IN	Construction	53,200	54,800	3%	1,600	168
Raleigh, NC	Mining, Logging, and Construction	40,700	41,800	3%	1,100	168
Urban Honolulu, HI	Mining, Logging, and Construction	26,600	27,300	3%	700	168
Providence-Warwick, RI-MA NECTA	Construction	25,700	26,400	3%	700	168
Odessa, TX	Mining, Logging, and Construction	21,300	22,000	3%	700	168
Albany-Schenectady-Troy, NY	Mining, Logging, and Construction	21,400	22,000	3%	600	168
Lancaster, PA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	18,700	19,300	3%	600	168
Memphis, TN-MS-AR	Mining, Logging, and Construction	24,000	24,600	3%	600	168
Gary, IN Div.	Construction	18,000	18,500	3%	500	168
Syracuse, NY	Mining, Logging, and Construction	15,100	15,600	3%	500	168
Washington, DC	Mining, Logging, and Construction	15,700	16,100	3%	400	168
New Haven, CT NECTA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	11,700	12,100	3%	400	168
Worcester, MA-CT NECTA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	12,000	12,400	3%	400	168
Modesto, CA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	10,400	10,700	3%	300	168
Salisbury, MD-DE	Mining, Logging, and Construction	9,300	9,600	3%	300	168
Pensacola-Ferry Pass-Brent, FL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	11,800	12,100	3%	300	168
Framingham, MA NECTA Div.	Mining, Logging, and Construction	9,600	9,900	3%	300	168
Lansing-East Lansing, MI	Mining, Logging, and Construction	8,700	9,000	3%	300	168
Scranton--Wilkes-Barre--Hazleton, PA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	11,700	12,000	3%	300	168
Roanoke, VA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	8,600	8,900	3%	300	168
Visalia-Porterville, CA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	6,200	6,400	3%	200	168
Grand Junction, CO	Mining, Logging, and Construction	7,200	7,400	3%	200	168
Crestview-Fort Walton Beach-Destin, FL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	6,900	7,100	3%	200	168
Kalamazoo-Portage, MI	Mining, Logging, and Construction	6,600	6,800	3%	200	168
Nashua, NH-MA NECTA Div.	Mining, Logging, and Construction	5,800	6,000	3%	200	168
Amarillo, TX	Mining, Logging, and Construction	7,300	7,500	3%	200	168
Killeen-Temple, TX	Mining, Logging, and Construction	6,800	7,000	3%	200	168
Waco, TX	Mining, Logging, and Construction	7,600	7,800	3%	200	168

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Decatur, AL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	4,000	4,100	3%	100	168
Pueblo, CO	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,600	3,700	3%	100	168
Bloomington, IL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,900	3,000	3%	100	168
Champaign-Urbana, IL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	4,000	4,100	3%	100	168
Lafayette-West Lafayette, IN	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,700	3,800	3%	100	168
Bowling Green, KY	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,400	3,500	3%	100	168
Lewiston-Auburn, ME NECTA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,900	3,000	3%	100	168
Lawrence-Methuen Town-Salem, MA-NH NECTA Div.	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,600	3,700	3%	100	168
Taunton-Middleborough-Norton, MA NECTA Div.	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,500	3,600	3%	100	168
Vineland-Bridgeton, NJ	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,900	3,000	3%	100	168
Las Cruces, NM	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,700	3,800	3%	100	168
Clarksville, TN-KY	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,300	3,400	3%	100	168
Wenatchee, WA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,200	3,300	3%	100	168
Fond du Lac, WI	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,400	3,500	3%	100	168
Casper, WY	Construction	2,900	3,000	3%	100	168
Houston-The Woodlands-Sugar Land, TX	Construction	223,500	227,100	2%	3,600	214
Denver-Aurora-Lakewood, CO	Mining, Logging, and Construction	110,600	112,900	2%	2,300	214
Baltimore-Columbia-Towson, MD	Mining, Logging, and Construction	82,500	84,500	2%	2,000	214
Warren-Troy-Farmington Hills, MI Div.	Mining, Logging, and Construction	55,300	56,500	2%	1,200	214
Austin-Round Rock, TX	Mining, Logging, and Construction	65,800	67,000	2%	1,200	214
Calvert-Charles-Prince George's, MD	Mining, Logging, and Construction	34,400	35,000	2%	600	214
Corpus Christi, TX	Mining, Logging, and Construction	24,400	25,000	2%	600	214
Grand Rapids-Wyoming, MI	Mining, Logging, and Construction	26,200	26,700	2%	500	214
Augusta-Richmond County, GA-SC	Mining, Logging, and Construction	17,300	17,700	2%	400	214
Columbia, SC	Mining, Logging, and Construction	17,600	18,000	2%	400	214
Lexington-Fayette, KY	Mining, Logging, and Construction	13,100	13,400	2%	300	214
Akron, OH	Mining, Logging, and Construction	15,400	15,700	2%	300	214
Peoria, IL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	8,100	8,300	2%	200	214
Lincoln, NE	Mining, Logging, and Construction	9,600	9,800	2%	200	214
Durham-Chapel Hill, NC	Mining, Logging, and Construction	8,800	9,000	2%	200	214
Montgomery, AL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	6,300	6,400	2%	100	214
Napa, CA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	4,900	5,000	2%	100	214
Gainesville, FL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	6,000	6,100	2%	100	214
Panama City, FL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	5,600	5,700	2%	100	214
Idaho Falls, ID	Mining, Logging, and Construction	4,400	4,500	2%	100	214
Topeka, KS	Mining, Logging, and Construction	5,800	5,900	2%	100	214
Hickory-Lenoir-Morganton, NC	Mining, Logging, and Construction	4,400	4,500	2%	100	214
Rapid City, SD	Mining, Logging, and Construction	5,500	5,600	2%	100	214
Burlington-South Burlington, VT NECTA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	6,400	6,500	2%	100	214
Eau Claire, WI	Mining, Logging, and Construction	4,300	4,400	2%	100	214
Oshkosh-Neenah, WI	Mining, Logging, and Construction	5,700	5,800	2%	100	214
Anaheim-Santa Ana-Irvine, CA Div.	Construction	109,300	110,500	1%	1,200	240
New York City, NY	Mining, Logging, and Construction	160,200	161,100	1%	900	240
Milwaukee-Waukesha-West Allis, WI	Construction	34,500	35,000	1%	500	240
Wichita, KS	Mining, Logging, and Construction	17,300	17,500	1%	200	240
Allentown-Bethlehem-Easton, PA-NJ	Mining, Logging, and Construction	14,500	14,700	1%	200	240
Greensboro-High Point, NC	Mining, Logging, and Construction	15,800	15,900	1%	100	240
Youngstown-Warren-Boardman, OH-PA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	10,500	10,600	1%	100	240
Reading, PA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	8,300	8,400	1%	100	240
College Station-Bryan, TX	Mining, Logging, and Construction	8,100	8,200	1%	100	240
Greeley, CO	Mining, Logging, and Construction	20,400	20,500	1%	100	249
San Jose-Sunnyvale-Santa Clara, CA	Construction	50,600	50,800	0.4%	200	250
Albuquerque, NM	Mining, Logging, and Construction	24,000	24,100	0.4%	100	250
Salt Lake City, UT	Mining, Logging, and Construction	45,400	45,500	0.2%	100	252
Anniston-Oxford-Jacksonville, AL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	1,100	1,100	0%	0	253
Florence-Muscle Shoals, AL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,700	3,700	0%	0	253
Gadsden, AL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	1,200	1,200	0%	0	253
Yuma, AZ	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,500	2,500	0%	0	253
Bakersfield, CA	Construction	16,600	16,600	0%	0	253
El Centro, CA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	1,800	1,800	0%	0	253
Dover, DE	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,700	2,700	0%	0	253
Danville, IL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	600	600	0%	0	253
Decatur, IL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,300	3,300	0%	0	253
Springfield, IL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	4300	4300	0%	0	253

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Terre Haute, IN	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,900	3,900	0%	0	253
Elizabethtown-Fort Knox, KY	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,000	2,000	0%	0	253
Brockton-Bridgewater-Easton, MA NECTA Div.	Mining, Logging, and Construction	5,600	5,600	0%	0	253
New Bedford, MA NECTA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,700	2,700	0%	0	253
Battle Creek, MI	Mining, Logging, and Construction	1,800	1,800	0%	0	253
Bay City, MI	Mining, Logging, and Construction	1,400	1,400	0%	0	253
Jackson, MI	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,100	2,100	0%	0	253
Niles-Benton Harbor, MI	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,300	2,300	0%	0	253
Saginaw, MI	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,400	3,400	0%	0	253
Springfield, MO	Mining, Logging, and Construction	9,100	9,100	0%	0	253
Atlantic City-Hammonton, NJ	Mining, Logging, and Construction	5,600	5,600	0%	0	253
Trenton, NJ	Mining, Logging, and Construction	5,700	5,700	0%	0	253
Ithaca, NY	Mining, Logging, and Construction	1,300	1,300	0%	0	253
Utica-Rome, NY	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,900	3,900	0%	0	253
Burlington, NC	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,900	2,900	0%	0	253
Rocky Mount, NC	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,600	2,600	0%	0	253
Grand Forks, ND-MN	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,300	3,300	0%	0	253
Canton-Massillon, OH	Mining, Logging, and Construction	9,800	9,800	0%	0	253
Springfield, OH	Mining, Logging, and Construction	1,300	1,300	0%	0	253
Weirton-Steubenville, WV-OH	Mining, Logging, and Construction	1,700	1,700	0%	0	253
Lawton, OK	Mining, Logging, and Construction	1,700	1,700	0%	0	253
Grants Pass, OR	Construction	1,200	1,200	0%	0	253
Altoona, PA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,200	3,200	0%	0	253
East Stroudsburg, PA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,000	2,000	0%	0	253
Erie, PA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	4,500	4,500	0%	0	253
Johnstown, PA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,500	2,500	0%	0	253
Morristown, TN	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,000	2,000	0%	0	253
Abilene, TX	Mining, Logging, and Construction	5,100	5,100	0%	0	253
Midland, TX	Mining, Logging, and Construction	38,500	38,500	0%	0	253
Sherman-Denison, TX	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,200	3,200	0%	0	253
Bellingham, WA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	8,500	8,500	0%	0	253
Longview, WA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,500	3,500	0%	0	253
Walla Walla, WA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	1,100	1,100	0%	0	253
Green Bay, WI	Mining, Logging, and Construction	8,800	8,800	0%	0	253
La Crosse-Onalaska, WI-MN	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,100	3,100	0%	0	253
Wausau, WI	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,800	2,800	0%	0	253
Riverside-San Bernardino-Ontario, CA	Construction	108,200	108,100	-0.1%	-100	299
Boston-Cambridge-Newton, MA NECTA Div.	Mining, Logging, and Construction	74,100	73,900	-0.3%	-200	300
Beaumont-Port Arthur, TX	Mining, Logging, and Construction	20,700	20,600	-1%	-100	301
Mobile, AL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	11,600	11,500	-1%	-100	302
Little Rock-North Little Rock-Conway, AR	Mining, Logging, and Construction	17,400	17,300	-1%	-100	302
Wilmington, NC	Mining, Logging, and Construction	8,900	8,800	-1%	-100	302
Fargo, ND-MN	Mining, Logging, and Construction	9,800	9,700	-1%	-100	302
Harrisburg-Carlisle, PA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	12,900	12,800	-1%	-100	302
York-Hanover, PA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	12,300	12,200	-1%	-100	302
Tyler, TX	Mining, Logging, and Construction	6,800	6,700	-1%	-100	302
Boise City, ID	Mining, Logging, and Construction	25,800	25,600	-1%	-200	302
Tulsa, OK	Construction	25,300	25,100	-1%	-200	302
Richmond, VA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	40,900	40,600	-1%	-300	302
Chicago-Naperville-Arlington Heights, IL Div.	Construction	139,900	138,700	-1%	-1,200	302
Tuscaloosa, AL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	6,500	6,400	-2%	-100	313
Hagerstown-Martinsburg, MD-WV	Mining, Logging, and Construction	5,000	4,900	-2%	-100	313
Binghamton, NY	Mining, Logging, and Construction	4,600	4,500	-2%	-100	313
San Angelo, TX	Mining, Logging, and Construction	4,100	4,000	-2%	-100	313
Charlottesville, VA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	6,000	5,900	-2%	-100	313
Fort Wayne, IN	Mining, Logging, and Construction	11,700	11,500	-2%	-200	313
Jackson, MS	Construction	9,800	9,600	-2%	-200	313
Huntington-Ashland, WV-KY-OH	Mining, Logging, and Construction	8,700	8,500	-2%	-200	313
Buffalo-Cheektowaga-Niagara Falls, NY	Mining, Logging, and Construction	23,200	22,800	-2%	-400	313
Knoxville, TN	Mining, Logging, and Construction	18,600	18,200	-2%	-400	313
Middlesex-Monmouth-Ocean, NJ	Mining, Logging, and Construction	41,300	40,500	-2%	-800	313
Nashville-Davidson--Murfreesboro--Franklin, TN	Mining, Logging, and Construction	47,200	46,100	-2%	-1,100	313
Santa Fe, NM	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,900	2,800	-3%	-100	325
Jackson, TN	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,900	2,800	-3%	-100	325
Wichita Falls, TX	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,000	2,900	-3%	-100	325
Cheyenne, WY	Mining, Logging, and Construction	4,000	3,900	-3%	-100	325

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Kingsport-Bristol-Bristol, TN-VA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	6,300	6,100	-3%	-200	325
Lynchburg, VA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	6,000	5,800	-3%	-200	325
Charleston, WV	Mining, Logging, and Construction	7,400	7,200	-3%	-200	325
Lafayette, LA	Construction	10,000	9,700	-3%	-300	325
Vallejo-Fairfield, CA	Construction	12,100	11,700	-3%	-400	325
Lake Charles, LA	Construction	27,400	26,500	-3%	-900	325
Fort Lauderdale-Pompano Beach-Deerfield Beach, FL Div.	Construction	48,600	47,300	-3%	-1,300	325
Dothan, AL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,600	2,500	-4%	-100	336
Glens Falls, NY	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,800	2,700	-4%	-100	336
Johnson City, TN	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,400	2,300	-4%	-100	336
Fort Smith, AR-OK	Mining, Logging, and Construction	5,400	5,200	-4%	-200	336
Haverhill-Newburyport-Amesbury Town, MA-NH NECTA Div.	Mining, Logging, and Construction	5,100	4,900	-4%	-200	336
Shreveport-Bossier City, LA	Construction	8,000	7,700	-4%	-300	336
Olympia-Tumwater, WA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	7,000	6,700	-4%	-300	336
Silver Spring-Frederick-Rockville, MD Div.	Mining, Logging, and Construction	35,700	34,300	-4%	-1,400	336
Charlotte-Concord-Gastonia, NC-SC	Mining, Logging, and Construction	65,800	62,900	-4%	-2,900	336
Watertown-Fort Drum, NY	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,000	1,900	-5%	-100	345
McAllen-Edinburg-Mission, TX	Mining, Logging, and Construction	8,400	8,000	-5%	-400	345
Baton Rouge, LA	Construction	55,000	52,400	-5%	-2,600	345
Elmira, NY	Mining, Logging, and Construction	1,700	1,600	-6%	-100	348
Victoria, TX	Mining, Logging, and Construction	4,800	4,500	-6%	-300	348
San Luis Obispo-Paso Robles-Arroyo Grande, CA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	8,100	7,600	-6%	-500	348
Kankakee, IL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	1,500	1,400	-7%	-100	351
Brownsville-Harlingen, TX	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,900	2,700	-7%	-200	351
Gulfport-Biloxi-Pascagoula, MS	Mining, Logging, and Construction	7,600	7,100	-7%	-500	351
Evansville, IN-KY	Mining, Logging, and Construction	10,500	9,800	-7%	-700	351
Hartford-West Hartford-East Hartford, CT NECTA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	20,800	19,300	-7%	-1,500	351
Houma-Thibodaux, LA	Construction	5,100	4,700	-8%	-400	356
Fairbanks, AK	Construction	3,500	3,200	-9%	-300	357
Longview, TX	Mining, Logging, and Construction	14,900	13,600	-9%	-1,300	357
Atlantic City-Hammonton, NJ	Mining, Logging, and Construction	6,700	5,700	-15%	-1,000	358

<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. 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 Metro Divisions tab for employment in those metros and each of their divisions. Click [here](#) for a list of counties in each MSA and division.

<sup>2</sup>**Industry:** The Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS) only reports construction employment combined with mining and logging in most metros, because of small sample sizes or to preserve confidentiality for industries with few

<sup>3</sup>**Rank:** BLS currently provides construction (or combined construction, mining and logging) employment data for 358 metro areas, rounded to the nearest 100. Thus, it is not possible to calculate percent changes more

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