

**Metros with New Construction Employment Highs and Lows in November 2020 Relative to November 1990–November 2019**  
 (not seasonally adjusted; multistate metros are listed in roman type for their primary state, *italic* type for additional states)

| Area <sup>1</sup>                            | Industry <sup>2</sup>                    | Nov. '20      | Previous November High |               |           |
|--|--|---------------|------------------------|---------------|-----------|
|  |  |               | Year                   | Employment    | % Change  |
| <b>New Highs–40</b>                          |  |               |                        |               |           |
| Auburn-Opelika, AL                           | Mining, Logging, and Construction        | 2,900         | 2019                   | 2,800         | 4%        |
| Huntsville, AL                               | Mining, Logging, and Construction        | 10,200        | 2018                   | 9,700         | 5%        |
| Colorado Springs, CO                         | Mining, Logging, and Construction        | 19,300        | 2019                   | 18,800        | 3%        |
| Fort Collins, CO                             | Mining, Logging, and Construction        | 12,000        | 2019                   | 11,800        | 2%        |
| Augusta-Richmond County, GA-SC               | Mining, Logging, and Construction        | 21,300        | 2019                   | 20,500        | 4%        |
| Boise City, ID                               | Mining, Logging, and Construction        | 30,900        | 2019                   | 26,600        | 16%       |
| Lewiston, ID-WA                              | Construction                             | 1,800         | 2019                   | 1,700         | 6%        |
| Fort Wayne, IN                               | Mining, Logging, and Construction        | 12,400        | 2000                   | 12,200        | 2%        |
| Indianapolis-Camel-Anderson, IN              | Construction                             | 58,400        | 2007                   | 55,800        | 5%        |
| Kansas City, KS                              | Mining, Logging, and Construction        | 23,900        | 2019                   | 23,400        | 2%        |
| Clarksville, TN-KY                           | Mining, Logging, and Construction        | 3,600         | 2018                   | 3,400         | 6%        |
| Lewiston-Auburn, ME NECTA                    | Mining, Logging, and Construction        | 3,100         | 2019                   | 3,000         | 3%        |
| Portland-South Portland, ME NECTA            | Mining, Logging, and Construction        | 10,700        | 2005                   | 10,500        | 2%        |
| Baltimore-Columbia-Towson, MD                | Mining, Logging, and Construction        | 87,300        | 2006                   | 86,700        | 1%        |
| Nashua, NH-MA NECTA Div.                     | Mining, Logging, and Construction        | 6,000         | 2019                   | 5,900         | 2%        |
| Grand Rapids-Wyoming, MI                     | Mining, Logging, and Construction        | 27,500        | 2019                   | 26,800        | 3%        |
| Niles-Benton Harbor, MI                      | Mining, Logging, and Construction        | 2,800         | 1998                   | 2,700         | 4%        |
| St. Cloud, MN                                | Mining, Logging, and Construction        | 7,500         | 2019                   | 7,100         | 6%        |
| Kansas City, MO                              | Mining, Logging, and Construction        | 34,300        | 2019                   | 31,100        | 10%       |
| Springfield, MO                              | Mining, Logging, and Construction        | 11,000        | 2006                   | 10,500        | 5%        |
| <i>Nashua, NH-MA NECTA Div.</i>              | <i>Mining, Logging, and Construction</i> | <i>6,000</i>  | <i>2019</i>            | <i>5,900</i>  | <i>2%</i> |
| Dutchess County-Putnam County, NY Div.       | Mining, Logging, and Construction        | 10,100        | 2007                   | 9,700         | 4%        |
| Raleigh, NC                                  | Mining, Logging, and Construction        | 43,300        | 2019                   | 41,200        | 5%        |
| Corvallis, OR                                | Mining, Logging, and Construction        | 1,700         | 2007                   | 1,600         | 6%        |
| Lancaster, PA                                | Mining, Logging, and Construction        | 18,800        | 2019                   | 18,600        | 1%        |
| <i>Augusta-Richmond County, GA-SC</i>        | <i>Mining, Logging, and Construction</i> | <i>21,300</i> | <i>2019</i>            | <i>20,500</i> | <i>4%</i> |
| <i>Clarksville, TN-KY</i>                    | <i>Mining, Logging, and Construction</i> | <i>3,600</i>  | <i>2018</i>            | <i>3,400</i>  | <i>6%</i> |
| Nashville-Davidson-Murfreesboro-Franklin, TN | Mining, Logging, and Construction        | 52,000        | 2019                   | 49,100        | 6%        |
| Amarillo, TX                                 | Mining, Logging, and Construction        | 7,500         | 2008                   | 7,400         | 1%        |
| College Station-Bryan, TX                    | Mining, Logging, and Construction        | 8,100         | 2018                   | 8,000         | 1%        |
| Dallas-Plano-Irving, TX Div.                 | Mining, Logging, and Construction        | 158,700       | 2019                   | 155,000       | 2%        |
| Lubbock, TX                                  | Mining, Logging, and Construction        | 9,400         | 2019                   | 9,000         | 4%        |
| San Antonio-New Braunfels, TX                | Construction                             | 58,600        | 2019                   | 58,000        | 1%        |
| Waco, TX                                     | Mining, Logging, and Construction        | 8,700         | 2019                   | 8,000         | 9%        |
| Ogden-Clearfield, UT                         | Mining, Logging, and Construction        | 21,500        | 2019                   | 21,100        | 2%        |
| Provo-Orem, UT                               | Mining, Logging, and Construction        | 27,600        | 2019                   | 26,000        | 6%        |
| Salt Lake City, UT                           | Mining, Logging, and Construction        | 50,700        | 2019                   | 50,100        | 1%        |
| St. George, UT                               | Mining, Logging, and Construction        | 9,200         | 2007                   | 9,000         | 2%        |
| Kennewick-Richland, WA                       | Mining, Logging, and Construction        | 10,900        | 2019                   | 10,500        | 4%        |
| Seattle-Bellevue-Everett, WA Div.            | Construction                             | 109,500       | 2019                   | 105,900       | 3%        |
| <i>Lewiston, ID-WA</i>                       | <i>Construction</i>                      | <i>1,800</i>  | <i>2019</i>            | <i>1,700</i>  | <i>6%</i> |
| Fond du Lac, WI                              | Mining, Logging, and Construction        | 3,800         | 2008                   | 3,400         | 12%       |
| Madison, WI                                  | Mining, Logging, and Construction        | 20,000        | 2005                   | 18,700        | 7%        |
| Oshkosh-Neenah, WI                           | Mining, Logging, and Construction        | 6,600         | 2019                   | 5,700         | 16%       |

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|-----------------------------------|--|----------|-----------------------|------------|----------|
|                                   |  |          | Year                  | Employment |          |
| <b>New Lows-15</b>                |  |          |                       |            |          |
| Decatur, IL                       | Mining, Logging, and Construction        | 2,400    | 1992                  | 2,800      | -14%     |
| Springfield, IL                   | Mining, Logging, and Construction        | 2,800    | 2019                  | 3,300      | -15%     |
| Lafayette, LA                     | Construction                             | 9,200    | 2019                  | 9,300      | -1%      |
| New Orleans-Metairie, LA          | Construction                             | 24,500   | 2019                  | 27,600     | -11%     |
| Shreveport-Bossier City, LA       | Construction                             | 6,600    | 2018                  | 7,500      | -12%     |
| Atlantic City-Hammonton, NJ       | Mining, Logging, and Construction        | 4,300    | 2012                  | 4,500      | -4%      |
| Binghamton, NY                    | Mining, Logging, and Construction        | 3,400    | 1996                  | 3,800      | -11%     |
| Utica-Rome, NY                    | Mining, Logging, and Construction        | 2,800    | 1995                  | 3,200      | -13%     |
| Youngstown-Warren-Boardman, OH-PA | Mining, Logging, and Construction        | 7,200    | 2009                  | 8,700      | -17%     |
| Altoona, PA                       | Mining, Logging, and Construction        | 2,000    | 1991                  | 2,200      | -9%      |
| East Stroudsburg, PA              | Mining, Logging, and Construction        | 1,400    | 2013                  | 1,600      | -13%     |
| Erie, PA                          | Mining, Logging, and Construction        | 3,600    | 2009                  | 4,000      | -10%     |
| Johnstown, PA                     | Mining, Logging, and Construction        | 1,800    | 2016                  | 1,900      | -5%      |
| Youngstown-Warren-Boardman, OH-PA | <i>Mining, Logging, and Construction</i> | 7,200    | 2009                  | 8,700      | -17%     |
| Wichita Falls, TX                 | Mining, Logging, and Construction        | 2,400    | 2018                  | 2,900      | -17%     |
| Charleston, WV                    | Mining, Logging, and Construction        | 6,700    | 2019                  | 6,800      | -1%      |

**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. 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 employers. Metro data is not seasonally adjusted.