

Rankings of Metropolitan Areas by Percent Change in Construction Employment, May 2018–May 2019
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<u>Area</u> ¹	<u>Industry</u> ²	<u>May '18</u>	<u>May '19</u>	<u>12-month % change</u>	<u>12-month gain/loss</u>	<u>Rank</u> ³
Monroe, MI	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,000	2,500	25%	500	1
Auburn-Opelika, AL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,500	3,000	20%	500	2
Spokane-Spokane Valley, WA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	14,600	17,200	18%	2,600	3
Davenport-Moline-Rock Island, IA-IL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	10,300	12,000	17%	1,700	4
St. Cloud, MN	Mining, Logging, and Construction	6,700	7,800	16%	1,100	5
San Francisco-Redwood City-South San Francisco, CA Div.	Construction	41,700	47,600	14%	5,900	6
Naples-Immokalee-Marco Island, FL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	16,700	19,100	14%	2,400	6
Port St. Lucie, FL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	11,100	12,600	14%	1,500	6
South Bend-Mishawaka, IN-MI	Mining, Logging, and Construction	5,600	6,400	14%	800	6
Chico, CA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	4,400	5,000	14%	600	6
Sierra Vista-Douglas, AZ	Mining, Logging, and Construction	1,600	1,800	13%	200	11
Phoenix-Mesa-Scottsdale, AZ	Construction	122,100	137,200	12%	15,100	12
Camden, NJ Div.	Mining, Logging, and Construction	23,000	25,700	12%	2,700	12
El Paso, TX	Mining, Logging, and Construction	15,600	17,400	12%	1,800	12
Toledo, OH	Mining, Logging, and Construction	14,400	16,100	12%	1,700	12
Bismarck, ND	Mining, Logging, and Construction	4,900	5,500	12%	600	12
Punta Gorda, FL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	4,100	4,600	12%	500	12
Birmingham-Hoover, AL	Construction	27,600	30,700	11%	3,100	18
Omaha-Council Bluffs, NE-IA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	29,200	32,300	11%	3,100	18
Columbus, IN	Mining, Logging, and Construction	1,800	2,000	11%	200	18
Las Vegas-Henderson-Paradise, NV	Construction	62,700	69,000	10%	6,300	21
Reno, NV	Construction	18,100	20,000	10%	1,900	21
Kennewick-Richland, WA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	9,400	10,300	10%	900	21
Appleton, WI	Mining, Logging, and Construction	9,100	10,000	10%	900	21
Elkhart-Goshen, IN	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,900	4,300	10%	400	21
Waterbury, CT NECTA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,000	3,300	10%	300	21
Logan, UT-ID	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,100	3,400	10%	300	21
Hanford-Corcoran, CA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	1,000	1,100	10%	100	21
Cape Coral-Fort Myers, FL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	30,100	32,900	9%	2,800	29
Oklahoma City, OK	Construction	29,800	32,400	9%	2,600	29
Deltona-Daytona Beach-Ormond Beach, FL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	13,800	15,100	9%	1,300	29
Salem, OR	Construction	11,100	12,100	9%	1,000	29
Huntington-Ashland, WV-KY-OH	Mining, Logging, and Construction	7,600	8,300	9%	700	29
Prescott, AZ	Mining, Logging, and Construction	5,800	6,300	9%	500	29
Napa, CA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	4,700	5,100	9%	400	29
Lake Havasu City-Kingman, AZ	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,200	3,500	9%	300	29
Greenville, NC	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,300	3,600	9%	300	29
Janesville-Beloit, WI	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,400	3,700	9%	300	29
Kokomo, IN	Mining, Logging, and Construction	1,100	1,200	9%	100	29
Bergen-Hudson-Passaic, NJ	Mining, Logging, and Construction	30,900	33,300	8%	2,400	40
Des Moines-West Des Moines, IA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	21,200	23,000	8%	1,800	40
New Haven, CT NECTA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	10,900	11,800	8%	900	40
Asheville, NC	Mining, Logging, and Construction	9,600	10,400	8%	800	40
Ocala, FL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	7,700	8,300	8%	600	40
Bend-Redmond, OR	Mining, Logging, and Construction	7,200	7,800	8%	600	40
Norwich-New London-Westerly, CT-RI NECTA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,800	4,100	8%	300	40
Las Cruces, NM	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,600	3,900	8%	300	40
Laredo, TX	Mining, Logging, and Construction	4,000	4,300	8%	300	40
Flagstaff, AZ	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,400	2,600	8%	200	40
Yuba City, CA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,500	2,700	8%	200	40
Muskegon, MI	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,400	2,600	8%	200	40
Atlanta-Sandy Springs-Roswell, GA	Construction	125,000	133,600	7%	8,600	52
Pittsburgh, PA	Construction	60,300	64,500	7%	4,200	52
Cleveland-Elyria, OH	Mining, Logging, and Construction	39,000	41,700	7%	2,700	52
North Port-Sarasota-Bradenton, FL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	25,100	26,900	7%	1,800	52
Memphis, TN-MS-AR	Mining, Logging, and Construction	23,100	24,800	7%	1,700	52
Rochester, NY	Construction	21,500	23,100	7%	1,600	52
Greenville-Anderson-Mauldin, SC	Mining, Logging, and Construction	19,100	20,400	7%	1,300	52
Santa Rosa, CA	Construction	14,900	16,000	7%	1,100	52
Palm Bay-Melbourne-Titusville, FL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	14,200	15,200	7%	1,000	52
Bridgeport-Stamford-Norwalk, CT NECTA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	12,800	13,700	7%	900	52
Springfield, MA-CT NECTA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	12,000	12,800	7%	800	52
Winston-Salem, NC	Mining, Logging, and Construction	10,700	11,400	7%	700	52
Lubbock, TX	Mining, Logging, and Construction	8,400	9,000	7%	600	52
San Rafael, CA Div.	Construction	7,600	8,100	7%	500	52
Fayetteville, NC	Mining, Logging, and Construction	5,500	5,900	7%	400	52

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Yakima, WA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	4,300	4,600	7%	300	52
Lynn-Saugus-Marblehead, MA NECTA Div.	Mining, Logging, and Construction	1,500	1,600	7%	100	52
Corvallis, OR	Mining, Logging, and Construction	1,500	1,600	7%	100	52
Los Angeles-Long Beach-Glendale, CA Div.	Construction	144,700	153,900	6%	9,200	70
Dallas-Plano-Irving, TX Div.	Mining, Logging, and Construction	143,800	152,000	6%	8,200	70
Oakland-Hayward-Berkeley, CA Div.	Construction	75,100	79,600	6%	4,500	70
Miami-Miami Beach-Kendall, FL Div.	Construction	51,400	54,500	6%	3,100	70
Montgomery County-Bucks County-Chester County, PA Div.	Mining, Logging, and Construction	53,600	56,600	6%	3,000	70
Louisville/Jefferson County, KY-IN	Mining, Logging, and Construction	30,200	32,100	6%	1,900	70
Colorado Springs, CO	Mining, Logging, and Construction	17,800	18,900	6%	1,100	70
Tucson, AZ	Construction	16,600	17,600	6%	1,000	70
Oxnard-Thousand Oaks-Ventura, CA	Construction	16,700	17,700	6%	1,000	70
Lakeland-Winter Haven, FL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	13,500	14,300	6%	800	70
Elgin, IL Div.	Construction	14,100	14,900	6%	800	70
Stockton-Lodi, CA	Construction	12,600	13,300	6%	700	70
Delaware County, PA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	12,000	12,700	6%	700	70
Chattanooga, TN-GA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	11,000	11,700	6%	700	70
Santa Maria-Santa Barbara, CA	Construction	8,700	9,200	6%	500	70
Tallahassee, FL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	8,400	8,900	6%	500	70
Cedar Rapids, IA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	8,200	8,700	6%	500	70
Sioux Falls, SD	Mining, Logging, and Construction	9,000	9,500	6%	500	70
St. George, UT	Mining, Logging, and Construction	7,800	8,300	6%	500	70
Columbus, GA-AL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	4,800	5,100	6%	300	70
Rockford, IL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	5,400	5,700	6%	300	70
Medford, OR	Construction	4,800	5,100	6%	300	70
Redding, CA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,400	3,600	6%	200	70
Clarksville, TN-KY	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,200	3,400	6%	200	70
Fond du Lac, WI	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,100	3,300	6%	200	70
Racine, WI	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,100	3,300	6%	200	70
Cheyenne, WY	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,600	3,800	6%	200	70
Ei Centro, CA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	1,700	1,800	6%	100	70
Madera, CA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	1,800	1,900	6%	100	70
Pocatello, ID	Mining, Logging, and Construction	1,700	1,800	6%	100	70
Dover-Durham, NH-ME NECTA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	1,700	1,800	6%	100	70
Lawton, OK	Mining, Logging, and Construction	1,600	1,700	6%	100	70
Bloomsburg-Berwick, PA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	1,600	1,700	6%	100	70
Gettysburg, PA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	1,800	1,900	6%	100	70
Seattle-Bellevue-Everett, WA Div.	Construction	101,600	106,600	5%	5,000	104
Nassau County-Suffolk County, NY Div.	Mining, Logging, and Construction	84,900	89,200	5%	4,300	104
Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater, FL	Construction	77,200	81,400	5%	4,200	104
St. Louis, MO-IL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	67,600	71,300	5%	3,700	104
Portland-Vancouver-Hillsboro, OR-WA	Construction	71,200	74,800	5%	3,600	104
Sacramento--Roseville--Arden-Arcade, CA	Construction	63,000	66,400	5%	3,400	104
Columbus, OH	Mining, Logging, and Construction	42,400	44,700	5%	2,300	104
West Palm Beach-Boca Raton-Delray Beach, FL Div.	Construction	36,800	38,600	5%	1,800	104
Tacoma-Lakewood, WA Div.	Construction	24,500	25,800	5%	1,300	104
Albany-Schenectady-Troy, NY	Mining, Logging, and Construction	20,100	21,100	5%	1,000	104
Fresno, CA	Construction	18,600	19,500	5%	900	104
Gary, IN Div.	Construction	17,500	18,400	5%	900	104
Bakersfield, CA	Construction	15,900	16,700	5%	800	104
Wilmington, DE-MD-NJ Div.	Mining, Logging, and Construction	16,900	17,700	5%	800	104
Lake County-Kenosha County, IL-WI Div.	Construction	15,900	16,700	5%	800	104
Syracuse, NY	Mining, Logging, and Construction	13,700	14,400	5%	700	104
Allentown-Bethlehem-Easton, PA-NJ	Mining, Logging, and Construction	13,700	14,400	5%	700	104
Duluth, MN-WI	Mining, Logging, and Construction	9,400	9,900	5%	500	104
Myrtle Beach-Conway-North Myrtle Beach, SC-NC	Mining, Logging, and Construction	10,400	10,900	5%	500	104
Lansing-East Lansing, MI	Mining, Logging, and Construction	8,300	8,700	5%	400	104
Dutchess County-Putnam County, NY Div.	Mining, Logging, and Construction	8,300	8,700	5%	400	104
College Station-Bryan, TX	Mining, Logging, and Construction	7,800	8,200	5%	400	104
Boulder, CO	Mining, Logging, and Construction	5,800	6,100	5%	300	104
Coeur d'Alene, ID	Construction	5,600	5,900	5%	300	104
Flint, MI	Mining, Logging, and Construction	5,800	6,100	5%	300	104
Tyler, TX	Mining, Logging, and Construction	6,500	6,800	5%	300	104
Decatur, AL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,900	4,100	5%	200	104
Sebastian-Vero Beach, FL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	4,300	4,500	5%	200	104
Kahului-Wailuku-Lahaina, HI	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,900	4,100	5%	200	104

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Pittsfield, MA NECTA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,100	2,200	5%	100	104
Lima, OH	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,100	2,200	5%	100	104
Minneapolis-St. Paul-Bloomington, MN-WI	Mining, Logging, and Construction	84,000	87,100	4%	3,100	135
Orlando-Kissimmee-Sanford, FL	Construction	81,200	84,200	4%	3,000	135
Austin-Round Rock, TX	Mining, Logging, and Construction	64,400	67,100	4%	2,700	135
Warren-Troy-Farmington Hills, MI Div.	Mining, Logging, and Construction	53,100	55,300	4%	2,200	135
Newark, NJ-PA Div.	Mining, Logging, and Construction	46,900	48,800	4%	1,900	135
Midland, TX	Mining, Logging, and Construction	36,300	37,600	4%	1,300	135
Boise City, ID	Mining, Logging, and Construction	24,400	25,400	4%	1,000	135
Charleston-North Charleston, SC	Mining, Logging, and Construction	22,000	22,900	4%	900	135
Odessa, TX	Mining, Logging, and Construction	20,600	21,500	4%	900	135
Ogden-Clearfield, UT	Mining, Logging, and Construction	20,000	20,700	4%	700	135
Little Rock-North Little Rock-Conway, AR	Mining, Logging, and Construction	17,000	17,600	4%	600	135
Huntsville, AL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	9,000	9,400	4%	400	135
Anchorage, AK	Construction	10,000	10,400	4%	400	135
Lowell-Billerica-Chelmsford, MA-NH NECTA Div.	Mining, Logging, and Construction	9,400	9,800	4%	400	135
Grand Junction, CO	Mining, Logging, and Construction	7,000	7,300	4%	300	135
Barnstable Town, MA NECTA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	7,100	7,400	4%	300	135
Amarillo, TX	Mining, Logging, and Construction	7,100	7,400	4%	300	135
Brockton-Bridgewater-Easton, MA NECTA Div.	Mining, Logging, and Construction	5,300	5,500	4%	200	135
Ann Arbor, MI	Mining, Logging, and Construction	4,500	4,700	4%	200	135
Rochester, MN	Mining, Logging, and Construction	4,900	5,100	4%	200	135
Manchester, NH NECTA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	5,200	5,400	4%	200	135
Nashua, NH-MA NECTA Div.	Mining, Logging, and Construction	5,600	5,800	4%	200	135
Mount Vernon-Anacortes, WA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	4,600	4,800	4%	200	135
Oshkosh-Neenah, WI	Mining, Logging, and Construction	5,400	5,600	4%	200	135
Merced, CA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,600	2,700	4%	100	135
Dover, DE	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,600	2,700	4%	100	135
Bloomington, IN	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,800	2,900	4%	100	135
Lewiston-Auburn, ME NECTA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,800	2,900	4%	100	135
Portsmouth, NH-ME NECTA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,600	2,700	4%	100	135
Rocky Mount, NC	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,600	2,700	4%	100	135
Mansfield, OH	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,300	2,400	4%	100	135
Texarkana, TX-AR	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,700	2,800	4%	100	135
Sheboygan, WI	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,300	2,400	4%	100	135
Casper, WY	Construction	2,700	2,800	4%	100	135
Northern Virginia, VA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	75,900	78,000	3%	2,100	169
Indianapolis-Carmel-Anderson, IN	Construction	50,900	52,600	3%	1,700	169
Cincinnati, OH-KY-IN	Mining, Logging, and Construction	48,700	50,000	3%	1,300	169
Virginia Beach-Norfolk-Newport News, VA-NC	Mining, Logging, and Construction	38,200	39,200	3%	1,000	169
New Orleans-Metairie, LA	Construction	30,800	31,700	3%	900	169
Tulsa, OK	Construction	24,400	25,200	3%	800	169
Fayetteville-Springdale-Rogers, AR-MO	Mining, Logging, and Construction	11,700	12,100	3%	400	169
Fort Collins, CO	Mining, Logging, and Construction	11,700	12,100	3%	400	169
Dayton, OH	Mining, Logging, and Construction	13,300	13,700	3%	400	169
Philadelphia City, PA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	12,900	13,300	3%	400	169
Mobile, AL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	11,400	11,700	3%	300	169
Modesto, CA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	10,100	10,400	3%	300	169
Salisbury, MD-DE	Mining, Logging, and Construction	9,200	9,500	3%	300	169
Canton-Massillon, OH	Mining, Logging, and Construction	9,000	9,300	3%	300	169
Salinas, CA	Construction	6,500	6,700	3%	200	169
Gainesville, FL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	5,800	6,000	3%	200	169
Kalamazoo-Portage, MI	Mining, Logging, and Construction	6,300	6,500	3%	200	169
Killeen-Temple, TX	Mining, Logging, and Construction	6,800	7,000	3%	200	169
Champaign-Urbana, IL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,700	3,800	3%	100	169
Lafayette-West Lafayette, IN	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,600	3,700	3%	100	169
Terre Haute, IN	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,800	3,900	3%	100	169
Peabody-Salem-Beverly, MA NECTA Div.	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,500	3,600	3%	100	169
Saginaw, MI	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,100	3,200	3%	100	169
Kingston, NY	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,100	3,200	3%	100	169
Utica-Rome, NY	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,500	3,600	3%	100	169
Sherman-Denison, TX	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,100	3,200	3%	100	169
Wenatchee, WA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,000	3,100	3%	100	169
Houston-The Woodlands-Sugar Land, TX	Construction	221,700	226,800	2%	5,100	196
Fort Worth-Arlington, TX Div.	Mining, Logging, and Construction	74,700	76,000	2%	1,300	196
Nashville-Davidson--Murfreesboro--Franklin, TN	Mining, Logging, and Construction	45,700	46,800	2%	1,100	196

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Richmond, VA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	39,400	40,100	2%	700	196
Urban Honolulu, HI	Mining, Logging, and Construction	26,200	26,700	2%	500	196
Grand Rapids-Wyoming, MI	Mining, Logging, and Construction	25,300	25,800	2%	500	196
Provo-Orem, UT	Mining, Logging, and Construction	25,200	25,700	2%	500	196
Lancaster, PA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	18,300	18,700	2%	400	196
Columbia, SC	Mining, Logging, and Construction	17,700	18,100	2%	400	196
Madison, WI	Mining, Logging, and Construction	18,500	18,900	2%	400	196
Greeley, CO	Mining, Logging, and Construction	19,800	20,100	2%	300	196
Augusta-Richmond County, GA-SC	Mining, Logging, and Construction	17,100	17,400	2%	300	196
Akron, OH	Mining, Logging, and Construction	14,700	15,000	2%	300	196
Harrisburg-Carlisle, PA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	12,200	12,500	2%	300	196
Pensacola-Ferry Pass-Brent, FL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	11,700	11,900	2%	200	196
Lexington-Fayette, KY	Mining, Logging, and Construction	12,900	13,100	2%	200	196
Portland-South Portland, ME NECTA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	10,300	10,500	2%	200	196
Worcester, MA-CT NECTA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	11,600	11,800	2%	200	196
Lincoln, NE	Mining, Logging, and Construction	9,400	9,600	2%	200	196
Roanoke, VA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	8,500	8,700	2%	200	196
Montgomery, AL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	6,300	6,400	2%	100	196
Santa Cruz-Watsonville, CA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	4,500	4,600	2%	100	196
Panama City, FL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	5,500	5,600	2%	100	196
Hickory-Lenoir-Morganton, NC	Mining, Logging, and Construction	4,300	4,400	2%	100	196
Erie, PA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	4,200	4,300	2%	100	196
Charlottesville, VA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	5,900	6,000	2%	100	196
Bremerton-Silverdale, WA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	5,100	5,200	2%	100	196
New York City, NY	Mining, Logging, and Construction	158,200	160,000	1.0%	1,800	223
Denver-Aurora-Lakewood, CO	Mining, Logging, and Construction	107,900	109,000	1%	1,100	223
Baltimore-Columbia-Towson, MD	Mining, Logging, and Construction	80,900	81,900	1%	1,000	223
Riverside-San Bernardino-Ontario, CA	Construction	105,300	106,200	1%	900	223
Boston-Cambridge-Newton, MA NECTA Div.	Mining, Logging, and Construction	72,400	73,100	1%	700	223
San Diego-Carlsbad, CA	Construction	84,600	85,200	1%	600	223
San Antonio-New Braunfels, TX	Construction	52,900	53,500	1%	600	223
Calvert-Charles-Prince George's, MD	Mining, Logging, and Construction	33,200	33,600	1%	400	223
Kansas City, MO	Mining, Logging, and Construction	29,200	29,600	1%	400	223
Kansas City, KS	Mining, Logging, and Construction	21,100	21,400	1%	300	223
Providence-Warwick, RI-MA NECTA	Construction	24,900	25,100	1%	200	223
Crestview-Fort Walton Beach-Destin, FL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	6,900	7,000	1%	100	223
Savannah, GA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	8,700	8,800	1%	100	223
Peoria, IL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	7,700	7,800	1%	100	223
Wichita, KS	Mining, Logging, and Construction	16,600	16,700	1%	100	223
Durham-Chapel Hill, NC	Mining, Logging, and Construction	8,700	8,800	1%	100	223
Greensboro-High Point, NC	Mining, Logging, and Construction	15,600	15,700	1%	100	223
Youngstown-Warren-Boardman, OH-PA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	10,000	10,100	1%	100	223
Eugene, OR	Construction	7,300	7,400	1%	100	223
Scranton--Wilkes-Barre--Hazleton, PA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	11,700	11,800	1%	100	223
Spartanburg, SC	Mining, Logging, and Construction	7,500	7,600	1%	100	223
Waco, TX	Mining, Logging, and Construction	7,500	7,600	1%	100	223
Middlesex-Monmouth-Ocean, NJ	Mining, Logging, and Construction	40,600	40,800	1%	200	245
Orange-Rockland-Westchester, NY	Mining, Logging, and Construction	43,800	44,000	1%	200	245
Raleigh, NC	Mining, Logging, and Construction	40,300	40,500	1%	200	245
Buffalo-Cheektowaga-Niagara Falls, NY	Mining, Logging, and Construction	21,700	21,800	1%	100	245
Beaumont-Port Arthur, TX	Mining, Logging, and Construction	20,500	20,600	1%	100	245
Fort Lauderdale-Pompano Beach-Deerfield Beach, FL Div.	Construction	48,100	48,300	0%	200	250
San Jose-Sunnyvale-Santa Clara, CA	Construction	49,200	49,300	0.2%	100	251
Anniston-Oxford-Jacksonville, AL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	1,100	1,100	0%	0	252

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Dothan, AL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,500	2,500	0%	0	252
Florence-Muscle Shoals, AL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,500	3,500	0%	0	252
Gadsden, AL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	1,100	1,100	0%	0	252
Fairbanks, AK	Construction	2,600	2,600	0%	0	252
Yuma, AZ	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,500	2,500	0%	0	252
Vallejo-Fairfield, CA	Construction	11,100	11,100	0%	0	252
Visalia-Porterville, CA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	6,100	6,100	0%	0	252
Pueblo, CO	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,500	3,500	0%	0	252
Idaho Falls, ID	Mining, Logging, and Construction	4,300	4,300	0%	0	252
Lewiston, ID-WA	Construction	1,500	1,500	0%	0	252
Bloomington, IL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,900	2,900	0%	0	252
Decatur, IL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,100	3,100	0%	0	252
Kankakee, IL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	1,300	1,300	0%	0	252
Muncie, IN	Mining, Logging, and Construction	1,700	1,700	0%	0	252
Bowling Green, KY	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,300	3,300	0%	0	252
Elizabethtown-Fort Knox, KY	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,000	2,000	0%	0	252
Bangor, ME NECTA	Construction	3,400	3,400	0%	0	252
Lawrence-Methuen Town-Salem, MA-NH NECTA Div.	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,500	3,500	0%	0	252
Leominster-Gardner, MA NECTA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,200	2,200	0%	0	252
New Bedford, MA NECTA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,600	2,600	0%	0	252
Bay City, MI	Mining, Logging, and Construction	1,300	1,300	0%	0	252
Springfield, MO	Mining, Logging, and Construction	9,000	9,000	0%	0	252
Vineland-Bridgeton, NJ	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,800	2,800	0%	0	252
Binghamton, NY	Mining, Logging, and Construction	4,200	4,200	0%	0	252
Elmira, NY	Mining, Logging, and Construction	1,500	1,500	0%	0	252
Glens Falls, NY	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,700	2,700	0%	0	252
Ithaca, NY	Mining, Logging, and Construction	1,200	1,200	0%	0	252
Burlington, NC	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,900	2,900	0%	0	252
Wilmington, NC	Mining, Logging, and Construction	8,900	8,900	0%	0	252
Fargo, ND-MN	Mining, Logging, and Construction	8,800	8,800	0%	0	252
Grand Forks, ND-MN	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,000	3,000	0%	0	252
Weirton-Steubenville, WV-OH	Mining, Logging, and Construction	1,600	1,600	0%	0	252
Albany, OR	Construction	3,100	3,100	0%	0	252
Grants Pass, OR	Construction	1,100	1,100	0%	0	252
Chambersburg-Waynesboro, PA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,400	2,400	0%	0	252
East Stroudsburg, PA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	1,900	1,900	0%	0	252
Johnstown, PA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,300	2,300	0%	0	252
Rapid City, SD	Mining, Logging, and Construction	5,400	5,400	0%	0	252
Cleveland, TN	Mining, Logging, and Construction	1,800	1,800	0%	0	252
Jackson, TN	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,800	2,800	0%	0	252
Johnson City, TN	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,300	2,300	0%	0	252
San Angelo, TX	Mining, Logging, and Construction	4,000	4,000	0%	0	252
Lynchburg, VA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	5,800	5,800	0%	0	252
Bellingham, WA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	8,700	8,700	0%	0	252
Longview, WA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,300	3,300	0%	0	252
Walla Walla, WA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	1,100	1,100	0%	0	252
Eau Claire, WI	Mining, Logging, and Construction	4,100	4,100	0%	0	252
La Crosse-Onalaska, WI-MN	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,000	3,000	0%	0	252
Wausau, WI	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,600	2,600	0%	0	252
Milwaukee-Waukesha-West Allis, WI	Construction	32,600	32,500	0%	-100	302
Detroit-Dearborn-Livonia, MI Div.	Mining, Logging, and Construction	23,500	23,400	0%	-100	303
Lafayette, LA	Construction	9,800	9,700	-1%	-100	304
Framingham, MA NECTA Div.	Mining, Logging, and Construction	9,500	9,400	-1%	-100	304
York-Hanover, PA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	12,000	11,900	-1%	-100	304
Charleston, WV	Mining, Logging, and Construction	7,300	7,200	-1%	-100	304
Green Bay, WI	Mining, Logging, and Construction	8,500	8,400	-1%	-100	304
Washington, DC	Mining, Logging, and Construction	15,900	15,700	-1%	-200	304
Albuquerque, NM	Mining, Logging, and Construction	24,200	23,900	-1%	-300	304
Salt Lake City, UT	Mining, Logging, and Construction	43,900	43,600	-1%	-300	304
Jacksonville, FL	Construction	46,600	46,200	-1%	-400	304
Anaheim-Santa Ana-Irvine, CA Div.	Construction	105,900	105,300	-1%	-600	304
Tuscaloosa, AL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	6,500	6,400	-2%	-100	314
Topeka, KS	Mining, Logging, and Construction	5,700	5,600	-2%	-100	314
Hagerstown-Martinsburg, MD-WV	Mining, Logging, and Construction	4,800	4,700	-2%	-100	314
Trenton, NJ	Mining, Logging, and Construction	5,600	5,500	-2%	-100	314
Burlington-South Burlington, VT NECTA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	6,100	6,000	-2%	-100	314

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Fort Wayne, IN	Mining, Logging, and Construction	11,300	11,100	-2%	-200	314
Reading, PA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	8,200	8,000	-2%	-200	314
McAllen-Edinburg-Mission, TX	Mining, Logging, and Construction	8,400	8,200	-2%	-200	314
Lake Charles, LA	Construction	26,600	26,000	-2%	-600	314
Silver Spring-Frederick-Rockville, MD Div.	Mining, Logging, and Construction	34,600	34,000	-2%	-600	314
Chicago-Naperville-Arlington Heights, IL Div.	Construction	135,300	132,500	-2%	-2,800	314
Taunton-Middleborough-Norton, MA NECTA Div.	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,500	3,400	-3%	-100	325
Altoona, PA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,200	3,100	-3%	-100	325
Knoxville, TN	Mining, Logging, and Construction	18,600	18,100	-3%	-500	325
Charlotte-Concord-Gastonia, NC-SC	Mining, Logging, and Construction	64,500	62,600	-3%	-1,900	325
Michigan City-La Porte, IN	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,300	2,200	-4%	-100	329
Owensboro, KY	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,600	2,500	-4%	-100	329
Niles-Benton Harbor, MI	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,400	2,300	-4%	-100	329
Fort Smith, AR-OK	Mining, Logging, and Construction	5,400	5,200	-4%	-200	329
Houma-Thibodaux, LA	Construction	5,000	4,800	-4%	-200	329
Haverhill-Newburyport-Amesbury Town, MA-NH NECTA Div.	Mining, Logging, and Construction	4,900	4,700	-4%	-200	329
Abilene, TX	Mining, Logging, and Construction	5,200	5,000	-4%	-200	329
Victoria, TX	Mining, Logging, and Construction	4,600	4,400	-4%	-200	329

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Jackson, MS	Construction	10,000	9,600	-4%	-400	329
Jackson, MI	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,100	2,000	-5%	-100	338
Watertown-Fort Drum, NY	Mining, Logging, and Construction	1,900	1,800	-5.0%	-100	338
Morristown, TN	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,000	1,900	-5%	-100	338
Springfield, IL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	4,300	4,100	-5%	-200	338
San Luis Obispo-Paso Robles-Arroyo Grande, CA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	7,800	7,400	-5%	-400	338
Shreveport-Bossier City, LA	Construction	8,200	7,800	-5%	-400	338
Corpus Christi, TX	Mining, Logging, and Construction	25,700	24,300	-5%	-1,400	338
Battle Creek, MI	Mining, Logging, and Construction	1,800	1,700	-6%	-100	345
Wichita Falls, TX	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,100	2,900	-6%	-200	345
Kingsport-Bristol-Bristol, TN-VA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	6,500	6,100	-6%	-400	345
Olympia-Tumwater, WA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	6,700	6,300	-6%	-400	345
Baton Rouge, LA	Construction	55,500	52,400	-6%	-3,100	345
Santa Fe, NM	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,900	2,700	-7%	-200	350
Brownsville-Harlingen, TX	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,900	2,700	-7%	-200	350
Springfield, OH	Mining, Logging, and Construction	1,300	1,200	-8%	-100	352
Evansville, IN-KY	Mining, Logging, and Construction	10,800	9,900	-8%	-900	352
Hartford-West Hartford-East Hartford, CT NECTA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	20,300	18,700	-8%	-1,600	352
Longview, TX	Mining, Logging, and Construction	15,300	13,900	-9%	-1,400	355
Gulfport-Biloxi-Pascagoula, MS	Mining, Logging, and Construction	8,800	7,600	-14%	-1,200	356
Atlantic City-Hammonton, NJ	Mining, Logging, and Construction	6,600	5,600	-15%	-1,000	357
Danville, IL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	600	500	-17%	-100	358

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. 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.

²**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.

³**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 accurately than to the nearest whole percent and all metro areas with the same whole-percent change in employment are ranked the same. (Exception: Employment changes of less than 0.5% are shown and ranked based on the nearest 0.1%.)