

Metros with New Construction Employment Highs and Lows in November 2021 Relative to November 1990–November 2020

(not seasonally adjusted; multistate metros are listed in roman type for their primary state, *italic* type for additional states)

Area ¹	Industry ²	Nov. '21	Previous November High		
			Year	Employment	% Change
New Highs—45					
Auburn-Opelika, AL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,000	2020	2,800	7%
Sierra Vista-Douglas, AZ	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,900	2020	3,300	18%
Fayetteville-Springdale-Rogers, AR-MO	Mining, Logging, and Construction	14,300	2020	13,300	8%
Sacramento--Roseville--Arden-Arcade, CA	Construction	78,600	2005	76,600	3%
San Luis Obispo-Paso Robles-Arroyo Grande, CA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	8,900	2019	8,700	2%
Santa Rosa, CA	Construction	17,900	2019	17,400	3%
Colorado Springs, CO	Mining, Logging, and Construction	19,200	2019	18,800	2%
Waterbury, CT NECTA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,600	2007	3,400	6%
Springfield, MA-CT NECTA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	13,500	2019	12,700	6%
Worcester, MA-CT NECTA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	12,500	2006	12,000	4%
Washington, DC	Mining, Logging, and Construction	16,100	2015	15,800	2%
Gainesville, FL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	6,700	2006	6,600	2%
Boise City, ID	Mining, Logging, and Construction	31,000	2020	30,000	3%
Coeur d'Alene, ID	Construction	6,500	2020	6,300	3%
Davenport-Moline-Rock Island, IA-IL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	11,100	1998	11,000	1%
Indianapolis-Carmel-Anderson, IN	Construction	62,300	2020	57,400	9%
<i>Davenport-Moline-Rock Island, IA-IL</i>	<i>Mining, Logging, and Construction</i>	<i>11,100</i>	<i>1998</i>	<i>11,000</i>	<i>1%</i>
Clarksville, TN-KY	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,700	2020	3,500	6%
Portsmouth, NH-ME NECTA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,000	2020	2,900	3%
Boston-Cambridge-Newton, MA NECTA Div.	Mining, Logging, and Construction	79,300	2019	76,300	4%
Lowell-Billerica-Chelmsford, MA-NH NECTA Div.	Mining, Logging, and Construction	11,200	2020	10,300	9%
Lynn-Saugus-Marblehead, MA NECTA Div.	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,000	2020	1,900	5%
<i>Springfield, MA-CT NECTA</i>	<i>Mining, Logging, and Construction</i>	<i>13,500</i>	<i>2019</i>	<i>12,700</i>	<i>6%</i>
<i>Worcester, MA-CT NECTA</i>	<i>Mining, Logging, and Construction</i>	<i>12,500</i>	<i>2006</i>	<i>12,000</i>	<i>4%</i>
St. Cloud, MN	Mining, Logging, and Construction	7,900	2020	7,800	1%
Kansas City, MO	Mining, Logging, and Construction	31,900	2007	31,800	0.3%
<i>Fayetteville-Springdale-Rogers, AR-MO</i>	<i>Mining, Logging, and Construction</i>	<i>14,300</i>	<i>2020</i>	<i>13,300</i>	<i>8%</i>
Lincoln, NE	Mining, Logging, and Construction	10,200	2020	10,000	2%
<i>Portsmouth, NH-ME NECTA</i>	<i>Mining, Logging, and Construction</i>	<i>3,000</i>	<i>2020</i>	<i>2,900</i>	<i>3%</i>
<i>Lowell-Billerica-Chelmsford, MA-NH NECTA Div.</i>	<i>Mining, Logging, and Construction</i>	<i>11,200</i>	<i>2020</i>	<i>10,300</i>	<i>9%</i>
Rochester, NY	Construction	23,300	2019	23,100	1%
Raleigh, NC	Mining, Logging, and Construction	44,200	2020	42,300	4%
Columbus, OH	Mining, Logging, and Construction	49,500	2019	46,000	8%
Tulsa, OK	Construction	27,400	2019	25,800	6%
Portland-Vancouver-Hillsboro, OR-WA	Construction	78,600	2019	77,800	1%
Salem, OR	Construction	13,900	2020	13,400	4%
Lancaster, PA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	19,100	2019	18,600	3%
Sioux Falls, SD	Mining, Logging, and Construction	11,200	2020	9,600	17%
<i>Clarksville, TN-KY</i>	<i>Mining, Logging, and Construction</i>	<i>3,700</i>	<i>2020</i>	<i>3,500</i>	<i>6%</i>
Cleveland, TN	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,300	2020	2,200	5%
Austin-Round Rock, TX	Mining, Logging, and Construction	71,400	2019	70,000	2%
El Paso, TX	Mining, Logging, and Construction	18,800	2020	17,700	6%
Killeen-Temple, TX	Mining, Logging, and Construction	7,200	2019	7,000	3%
Lubbock, TX	Mining, Logging, and Construction	9,200	2019	8,900	3%
Waco, TX	Mining, Logging, and Construction	8,900	2020	8,000	11%
Provo-Orem, UT	Mining, Logging, and Construction	27,800	2020	26,400	5%
Salt Lake City, UT	Mining, Logging, and Construction	53,700	2020	51,800	4%
St. George, UT	Mining, Logging, and Construction	10,300	2020	9,800	5%
Kennewick-Richland, WA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	11,300	2020	10,600	7%
Seattle-Bellevue-Everett, WA Div.	Construction	110,200	2019	104,900	5%
<i>Portland-Vancouver-Hillsboro, OR-WA</i>	<i>Construction</i>	<i>78,600</i>	<i>2019</i>	<i>77,800</i>	<i>1%</i>
Madison, WI	Mining, Logging, and Construction	19,700	2006	18,800	5%
Oshkosh-Neenah, WI	Mining, Logging, and Construction	6,200	2020	5,700	9%

<u>Area</u> ¹	<u>Industry</u> ²	Previous November Low			
		<u>Nov. '21</u>	<u>Year</u>	<u>Employment</u>	<u>% Change</u>
New Lows-11					
Springfield, IL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,600	2020	3,800	-5%
Evansville, IN-KY	Mining, Logging, and Construction	8,100	1992	9,100	-11%
Gary, IN Div.	Construction	14,700	2009	15,900	-8%
Owensboro, KY	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,100	2020	2,200	-5%
<i>Evansville, IN-KY</i>	<i>Mining, Logging, and Construction</i>	<i>8,100</i>	<i>1992</i>	<i>9,100</i>	<i>-11%</i>
Huntington-Ashland, WV-KY-OH	Mining, Logging, and Construction	7,200	2019	7,800	-8%
Houma-Thibodaux, LA	Construction	4,200	2020	4,300	-2%
New Orleans-Metairie, LA	Construction	24,700	2005	25,800	-4%
Shreveport-Bossier City, LA	Construction	7,200	2020	7,400	-3%
<i>Huntington-Ashland, WV-KY-OH</i>	<i>Mining, Logging, and Construction</i>	<i>7,200</i>	<i>2019</i>	<i>7,800</i>	<i>-8%</i>
Victoria, TX	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,100	1993	3,200	-3%
Wichita Falls, TX	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,600	2020	2,800	-7%
Charleston, WV	Mining, Logging, and Construction	5,900	2020	6,000	-2%
<i>Huntington-Ashland, WV-KY-OH</i>	<i>Mining, Logging, and Construction</i>	<i>7,200</i>	<i>2019</i>	<i>7,800</i>	<i>-8%</i>

Footnotes:

¹Area: 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.

²Industry: 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.