

Rankings of Metropolitan Areas by Percent Change in Construction Employment, December 2024–December 2025
 (not seasonally adjusted)

| <u>Area¹</u> | <u>Industry²</u> | <u>December '24</u> | <u>December '25</u> | 12-month | | 12-month | | Rank ³ based on: | |
|---|-----------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|-----------|----------|-----------|----------|-----------------------------|----------|
| | | | | gain/loss | % change | gain/loss | % change | gain/loss | % change |
| Elizabethtown, KY | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 1,900 | 2,200 | 300 | 16% | 75 | 1 | | |
| Bowling Green, KY | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 4,300 | 4,800 | 500 | 12% | 49 | 2 | | |
| Washington, DC-MD Div. | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 48,900 | 54,700 | 5,800 | 12% | 1 | 2 | | |
| Paducah, KY-IL | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 4,100 | 4,500 | 400 | 10% | 58 | 4 | | |
| Kahului-Wailuku, HI | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 4,800 | 5,300 | 500 | 10% | 49 | 4 | | |
| Wilmington, NC | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 14,100 | 15,500 | 1,400 | 10% | 24 | 4 | | |
| Urban Honolulu, HI | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 28,200 | 31,100 | 2,900 | 10% | 11 | 4 | | |
| Boise City, ID | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 37,800 | 41,700 | 3,900 | 10% | 6 | 4 | | |
| Huntington-Ashland, WV-KY-OH | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 9,000 | 9,800 | 800 | 9% | 33 | 9 | | |
| Kansas City, MO-KS | Construction | 60,000 | 65,600 | 5,600 | 9% | 2 | 9 | | |
| Springfield, OH | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 1,300 | 1,400 | 100 | 8% | 117 | 11 | | |
| Pocatello, ID | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 2,600 | 2,800 | 200 | 8% | 87 | 11 | | |
| Owensboro, KY | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 2,500 | 2,700 | 200 | 8% | 87 | 11 | | |
| Jackson, MI | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 2,600 | 2,800 | 200 | 8% | 87 | 11 | | |
| Rocky Mount, NC | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 2,700 | 2,900 | 200 | 7% | 87 | 15 | | |
| Las Cruces, NM | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 4,600 | 4,900 | 300 | 7% | 75 | 15 | | |
| Des Moines-West Des Moines, IA | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 24,400 | 26,200 | 1,800 | 7% | 19 | 15 | | |
| Lewiston, ID-WA | Construction | 1,700 | 1,800 | 100 | 6% | 117 | 18 | | |
| Kankakee, IL | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 1,700 | 1,800 | 100 | 6% | 117 | 18 | | |
| Muncie, IN | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 1,600 | 1,700 | 100 | 6% | 117 | 18 | | |
| Bay City, MI | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 1,600 | 1,700 | 100 | 6% | 117 | 18 | | |
| Burlington, NC | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 3,300 | 3,500 | 200 | 6% | 87 | 18 | | |
| Charleston, WV | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 7,100 | 7,500 | 400 | 6% | 58 | 18 | | |
| Bozeman, MT | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 7,700 | 8,200 | 500 | 6% | 49 | 18 | | |
| Bend, OR | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 9,000 | 9,500 | 500 | 6% | 49 | 18 | | |
| Akron, OH | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 15,600 | 16,500 | 900 | 6% | 32 | 18 | | |
| Omaha, NE-IA | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 32,100 | 33,900 | 1,800 | 6% | 19 | 18 | | |
| North Port-Bradenton-Sarasota, FL | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 32,200 | 34,200 | 2,000 | 6% | 18 | 18 | | |
| Columbus, OH | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 53,400 | 56,700 | 3,300 | 6% | 10 | 18 | | |
| Miami-Miami Beach-Kendall, FL Div. | Construction | 61,100 | 64,800 | 3,700 | 6% | 7 | 18 | | |
| Charlotte-Concord-Gastonia, NC-SC | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 81,900 | 86,700 | 4,800 | 6% | 4 | 18 | | |
| Arlington-Alexandria-Reston, VA-WV Div. | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 85,800 | 91,100 | 5,300 | 6% | 3 | 18 | | |
| Kokomo, IN | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 2,200 | 2,300 | 100 | 5% | 117 | 33 | | |
| Battle Creek, MI | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 2,000 | 2,100 | 100 | 5% | 117 | 33 | | |
| Pinehurst-Southern Pines, NC | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 1,900 | 2,000 | 100 | 5% | 117 | 33 | | |
| Mansfield, OH | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 2,200 | 2,300 | 100 | 5% | 117 | 33 | | |
| Sandusky, OH | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 2,100 | 2,200 | 100 | 5% | 117 | 33 | | |
| Yuma, AZ | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 3,900 | 4,100 | 200 | 5% | 87 | 33 | | |
| Champaign-Urbana, IL | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 3,900 | 4,100 | 200 | 5% | 87 | 33 | | |
| Elkhart-Goshen, IN | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 4,400 | 4,600 | 200 | 5% | 87 | 33 | | |
| Columbia, MO | Construction | 4,200 | 4,400 | 200 | 5% | 87 | 33 | | |
| Greenville, NC | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 4,300 | 4,500 | 200 | 5% | 87 | 33 | | |
| La Crosse-Onalaska, WI-MN | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 3,700 | 3,900 | 200 | 5% | 87 | 33 | | |
| Idaho Falls, ID | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 6,400 | 6,700 | 300 | 5% | 75 | 33 | | |
| Rockford, IL | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 6,100 | 6,400 | 300 | 5% | 75 | 33 | | |
| South Bend-Mishawaka, IN-MI | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 6,400 | 6,700 | 300 | 5% | 75 | 33 | | |
| Coeur d'Alene, ID | Construction | 7,600 | 8,000 | 400 | 5% | 58 | 33 | | |
| Peoria, IL | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 8,300 | 8,700 | 400 | 5% | 58 | 33 | | |
| Gulfport-Biloxi, MS | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 8,200 | 8,600 | 400 | 5% | 58 | 33 | | |
| Youngstown-Warren, OH | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 8,500 | 8,900 | 400 | 5% | 58 | 33 | | |
| Huntsville, AL | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 11,700 | 12,300 | 600 | 5% | 41 | 33 | | |
| Lexington-Fayette, KY | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 14,900 | 15,700 | 800 | 5% | 33 | 33 | | |
| Toledo, OH | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 14,800 | 15,600 | 800 | 5% | 33 | 33 | | |
| Greensboro-High Point, NC | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 19,500 | 20,500 | 1,000 | 5% | 29 | 33 | | |
| Cincinnati, OH-KY-IN | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 54,000 | 56,800 | 2,800 | 5% | 14 | 33 | | |
| Warren-Troy-Farmington Hills, MI Div. | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 58,000 | 60,900 | 2,900 | 5% | 11 | 33 | | |
| Raleigh-Cary, NC | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 53,000 | 55,900 | 2,900 | 5% | 11 | 33 | | |
| Indianapolis-Carmel-Greenwood, IN | Construction | 64,900 | 68,400 | 3,500 | 5% | 9 | 33 | | |
| Fort Worth-Arlington-Grapevine, TX Div. | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 85,700 | 90,200 | 4,500 | 5% | 5 | 33 | | |
| Fairbanks-College, AK | Construction | 2,600 | 2,700 | 100 | 4% | 117 | 60 | | |
| Dover, DE | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 2,800 | 2,900 | 100 | 4% | 117 | 60 | | |
| Bloomington, IL | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 2,700 | 2,800 | 100 | 4% | 117 | 60 | | |
| Michigan City-La Porte, IN | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 2,300 | 2,400 | 100 | 4% | 117 | 60 | | |
| Muskegon Norton Shores, MI | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 2,500 | 2,600 | 100 | 4% | 117 | 60 | | |
| Chambersburg, PA | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 2,800 | 2,900 | 100 | 4% | 117 | 60 | | |
| Sheboygan, WI | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 2,500 | 2,600 | 100 | 4% | 117 | 60 | | |
| Lake Havasu City-Kingman, AZ | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 4,500 | 4,700 | 200 | 4% | 87 | 60 | | |
| Traverse City, MI | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 5,700 | 5,900 | 200 | 4% | 87 | 60 | | |
| Oshkosh-Neenah, WI | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 5,600 | 5,800 | 200 | 4% | 87 | 60 | | |
| Prescott Valley-Prescott, AZ | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 7,000 | 7,300 | 300 | 4% | 75 | 60 | | |
| Spartanburg, SC | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 8,300 | 8,600 | 300 | 4% | 75 | 60 | | |
| Davenport-Moline-Rock Island, IA-IL | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 10,400 | 10,800 | 400 | 4% | 58 | 60 | | |
| Lafayette, LA | Construction | 10,200 | 10,600 | 400 | 4% | 58 | 60 | | |
| Asheville, NC | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 9,800 | 10,200 | 400 | 4% | 58 | 60 | | |

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| | | | | gain/loss | % change | gain/loss | % change |
| Durham-Chapel Hill, NC | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 11,100 | 11,500 | 400 | 4% | 58 | 60 |
| Canton-Massillon, OH | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 9,900 | 10,300 | 400 | 4% | 58 | 60 |
| Winston-Salem, NC | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 13,500 | 14,100 | 600 | 4% | 41 | 60 |
| New Orleans-Metairie, LA | Construction | 26,800 | 27,800 | 1,000 | 4% | 29 | 60 |
| Louisville/Jefferson County, KY-IN | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 37,100 | 38,500 | 1,400 | 4% | 24 | 60 |
| Cleveland, OH | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 40,900 | 42,500 | 1,600 | 4% | 21 | 60 |
| Milwaukee-Waukesha, WI | Construction | 36,700 | 38,300 | 1,600 | 4% | 21 | 60 |
| Salt Lake City-Murray, UT | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 59,900 | 62,100 | 2,200 | 4% | 17 | 60 |
| Springfield, IL | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 3,600 | 3,700 | 100 | 3% | 117 | 83 |
| Bloomington, IN | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 3,300 | 3,400 | 100 | 3% | 117 | 83 |
| Terre Haute, IN | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 4,000 | 4,100 | 100 | 3% | 117 | 83 |
| Iowa City, IA | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 3,800 | 3,900 | 100 | 3% | 117 | 83 |
| Lewiston-Auburn, ME | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 3,200 | 3,300 | 100 | 3% | 117 | 83 |
| Saginaw, MI | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 3,500 | 3,600 | 100 | 3% | 117 | 83 |
| Helena, MT | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 2,900 | 3,000 | 100 | 3% | 117 | 83 |
| Santa Fe, NM | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 3,000 | 3,100 | 100 | 3% | 117 | 83 |
| Grand Forks, ND-MN | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 3,100 | 3,200 | 100 | 3% | 117 | 83 |
| Altoona, PA | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 3,100 | 3,200 | 100 | 3% | 117 | 83 |
| Eau Claire, WI | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 4,000 | 4,100 | 100 | 3% | 117 | 83 |
| Racine-Mount Pleasant, WI | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 3,500 | 3,600 | 100 | 3% | 117 | 83 |
| Wausau, WI | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 3,100 | 3,200 | 100 | 3% | 117 | 83 |
| Tuscaloosa, AL | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 7,400 | 7,600 | 200 | 3% | 87 | 83 |
| Flint, MI | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 6,600 | 6,800 | 200 | 3% | 87 | 83 |
| St. Cloud, MN | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 7,800 | 8,000 | 200 | 3% | 87 | 83 |
| Cedar Rapids, IA | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 8,800 | 9,100 | 300 | 3% | 75 | 83 |
| Rockingham County-Strafford County, NH Div. | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 10,400 | 10,700 | 300 | 3% | 75 | 83 |
| Jackson, MS | Construction | 14,200 | 14,600 | 400 | 3% | 58 | 83 |
| Sioux Falls, SD-MN | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 12,200 | 12,600 | 400 | 3% | 58 | 83 |
| Fayetteville-Springdale-Rogers, AR | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 18,200 | 18,700 | 500 | 3% | 49 | 83 |
| Wilmington, DE-MD-NJ Div. | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 18,100 | 18,600 | 500 | 3% | 49 | 83 |
| Lancaster, PA | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 19,700 | 20,200 | 500 | 3% | 49 | 83 |
| Hartford-West Hartford-East Hartford, CT | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 22,200 | 22,800 | 600 | 3% | 41 | 83 |
| Columbia, SC | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 18,900 | 19,500 | 600 | 3% | 41 | 83 |
| Madison, WI | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 19,800 | 20,400 | 600 | 3% | 41 | 83 |
| Memphis, TN-MS-AR | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 25,100 | 25,800 | 700 | 3% | 38 | 83 |
| Birmingham, AL | Construction | 31,600 | 32,400 | 800 | 3% | 33 | 83 |
| Charleston-North Charleston, SC | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 24,400 | 25,200 | 800 | 3% | 33 | 83 |
| Oklahoma City, OK | Construction | 36,000 | 37,100 | 1,100 | 3% | 28 | 83 |
| San Francisco-San Mateo-Redwood City, CA Div. | Construction | 38,700 | 40,000 | 1,300 | 3% | 27 | 83 |
| St. Louis, MO-IL | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 77,200 | 79,900 | 2,700 | 3% | 15 | 83 |
| Florence-Muscle Shoals, AL | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 4,300 | 4,400 | 100 | 2% | 117 | 115 |
| Redding, CA | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 4,600 | 4,700 | 100 | 2% | 117 | 115 |
| Sebastian-Vero Beach-West Vero Corridor, FL | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 5,000 | 5,100 | 100 | 2% | 117 | 115 |
| Lafayette-West Lafayette, IN | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 4,900 | 5,000 | 100 | 2% | 117 | 115 |
| Houma-Bayou Cane-Thibodaux, LA | Construction | 5,500 | 5,600 | 100 | 2% | 117 | 115 |
| Hagerstown-Martinsburg, MD-WV | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 4,900 | 5,000 | 100 | 2% | 117 | 115 |
| Ann Arbor, MI | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 5,100 | 5,200 | 100 | 2% | 117 | 115 |
| Rochester, MN | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 5,300 | 5,400 | 100 | 2% | 117 | 115 |
| Fayetteville, NC | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 5,900 | 6,000 | 100 | 2% | 117 | 115 |
| Hickory-Lenoir-Morganton, NC | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 6,000 | 6,100 | 100 | 2% | 117 | 115 |
| Bismarck, ND | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 4,900 | 5,000 | 100 | 2% | 117 | 115 |
| Erie, PA | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 4,300 | 4,400 | 100 | 2% | 117 | 115 |
| Burlington-South Burlington, VT | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 5,900 | 6,000 | 100 | 2% | 117 | 115 |
| Janesville-Beloit, WI | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 4,200 | 4,300 | 100 | 2% | 117 | 115 |
| Ocala, FL | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 10,400 | 10,600 | 200 | 2% | 87 | 115 |
| Tallahassee, FL | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 10,400 | 10,600 | 200 | 2% | 87 | 115 |
| Lake County, IL Div. | Construction | 12,700 | 12,900 | 200 | 2% | 87 | 115 |
| Shreveport-Bossier City, LA | Construction | 8,900 | 9,100 | 200 | 2% | 87 | 115 |
| Lincoln, NE | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 10,800 | 11,000 | 200 | 2% | 87 | 115 |
| Myrtle Beach-Conway-North Myrtle Beach, SC-NC | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 9,600 | 9,800 | 200 | 2% | 87 | 115 |
| McAllen-Edinburg-Mission, TX | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 9,300 | 9,500 | 200 | 2% | 87 | 115 |
| Green Bay, WI | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 8,700 | 8,900 | 200 | 2% | 87 | 115 |
| Bridgeport-Stamford-Danbury, CT | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 13,900 | 14,200 | 300 | 2% | 75 | 115 |
| Harrisburg-Carlisle, PA | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 12,600 | 12,900 | 300 | 2% | 75 | 115 |
| Wichita, KS | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 17,400 | 17,800 | 400 | 2% | 58 | 115 |
| Rochester, NY | Construction | 23,000 | 23,400 | 400 | 2% | 58 | 115 |
| Ogden, UT | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 22,100 | 22,600 | 500 | 2% | 49 | 115 |
| St. Petersburg-Clearwater-Largo, FL Div. | Construction | 25,300 | 25,900 | 600 | 2% | 41 | 115 |
| Greenville-Anderson-Greer, SC | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 24,600 | 25,200 | 600 | 2% | 41 | 115 |
| San Jose-Sunnyvale-Santa Clara, CA | Construction | 52,700 | 53,700 | 1,000 | 2% | 29 | 115 |
| Baltimore-Columbia-Towson, MD | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 79,500 | 81,100 | 1,600 | 2% | 21 | 115 |
| Phoenix-Mesa-Chandler, AZ | Construction | 178,100 | 181,700 | 3,600 | 2% | 8 | 115 |
| Gainesville, FL | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 7,300 | 7,400 | 100 | 1% | 117 | 147 |
| Elgin, IL Div. | Construction | 15,400 | 15,500 | 100 | 1% | 117 | 147 |

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| | | | | gain/loss | % change | gain/loss | % change |
| Evansville, IN | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 10,100 | 10,200 | 100 | 1% | 117 | 147 |
| Lake County-Porter County-Jasper County, IN Div. | Construction | 17,200 | 17,300 | 100 | 1% | 117 | 147 |
| Worcester, MA | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 17,100 | 17,200 | 100 | 1% | 117 | 147 |
| Kalamazoo-Portage, MI | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 7,000 | 7,100 | 100 | 1% | 117 | 147 |
| Lansing-East Lansing, MI | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 10,300 | 10,400 | 100 | 1% | 117 | 147 |
| Billings, MT | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 7,700 | 7,800 | 100 | 1% | 117 | 147 |
| Manchester-Nashua, NH | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 9,100 | 9,200 | 100 | 1% | 117 | 147 |
| Fargo, ND-MN | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 9,200 | 9,300 | 100 | 1% | 117 | 147 |
| Dayton-Kettering-Beavercreek, OH | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 15,500 | 15,600 | 100 | 1% | 117 | 147 |
| York-Hanover, PA | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 12,400 | 12,500 | 100 | 1% | 117 | 147 |
| Longview, TX | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 14,700 | 14,800 | 100 | 1% | 117 | 147 |
| Tyler, TX | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 7,300 | 7,400 | 100 | 1% | 117 | 147 |
| Mobile, AL | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 14,700 | 14,900 | 200 | 1% | 87 | 147 |
| Lakeland-Winter Haven, FL | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 16,500 | 16,700 | 200 | 1% | 87 | 147 |
| Naples-Marco Island, FL | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 21,100 | 21,300 | 200 | 1% | 87 | 147 |
| Odessa, TX | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 20,200 | 20,400 | 200 | 1% | 87 | 147 |
| Midland, TX | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 41,700 | 42,100 | 400 | 1% | 58 | 147 |
| Providence-Warwick, RI-MA | Construction | 33,400 | 33,900 | 500 | 1% | 49 | 147 |
| Jacksonville, FL | Construction | 54,100 | 54,700 | 600 | 1% | 41 | 147 |
| Tampa, FL Div. | Construction | 71,300 | 72,000 | 700 | 1% | 38 | 147 |
| San Antonio-New Braunfels, TX | Construction | 69,000 | 69,700 | 700 | 1% | 38 | 147 |
| Chicago-Naperville-Schaumburg, IL Div. | Construction | 128,300 | 129,700 | 1,400 | 1% | 26 | 147 |
| Houston-Pasadena-The Woodlands, TX | Construction | 234,700 | 237,000 | 2,300 | 1% | 16 | 147 |
| Baton Rouge, LA | Construction | 50,600 | 50,800 | 200 | 0.4% | 87 | 172 |
| Austin-Round Rock-San Marcos, TX | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 89,900 | 90,200 | 300 | 0.3% | 75 | 173 |
| Cape Coral-Fort Myers, FL | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 43,100 | 43,200 | 100 | 0.2% | 117 | 174 |
| Boston, MA Div. | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 52,200 | 52,300 | 100 | 0.2% | 117 | 174 |
| Dallas-Plano-Irving, TX Div. | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 169,300 | 169,700 | 400 | 0.2% | 58 | 174 |
| Anniston-Oxford, AL | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 1,400 | 1,400 | 0 | 0% | 177 | 177 |
| Auburn-Opelika, AL | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 3,700 | 3,700 | 0 | 0% | 177 | 177 |
| Decatur, AL | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 4,900 | 4,900 | 0 | 0% | 177 | 177 |
| Dothan, AL | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 2,900 | 2,900 | 0 | 0% | 177 | 177 |
| Gadsden, AL | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 1,200 | 1,200 | 0 | 0% | 177 | 177 |
| Montgomery, AL | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 7,700 | 7,700 | 0 | 0% | 177 | 177 |
| Flagstaff, AZ | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 3,100 | 3,100 | 0 | 0% | 177 | 177 |
| Sierra Vista-Douglas, AZ | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 2,100 | 2,100 | 0 | 0% | 177 | 177 |
| El Centro, CA | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 2,000 | 2,000 | 0 | 0% | 177 | 177 |
| Yuba City, CA | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 2,600 | 2,600 | 0 | 0% | 177 | 177 |
| Orlando-Kissimmee-Sanford, FL | Construction | 96,500 | 96,500 | 0 | 0% | 177 | 177 |
| Panama City-Panama City Beach, FL | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 8,000 | 8,000 | 0 | 0% | 177 | 177 |
| Pensacola-Ferry Pass-Brent, FL | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 13,700 | 13,700 | 0 | 0% | 177 | 177 |
| Punta Gorda, FL | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 5,700 | 5,700 | 0 | 0% | 177 | 177 |
| West Palm Beach-Boca Raton-Delray Beach, FL Div. | Construction | 44,900 | 44,900 | 0 | 0% | 177 | 177 |
| Columbus, GA-AL | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 5,100 | 5,100 | 0 | 0% | 177 | 177 |
| Decatur, IL | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 4,000 | 4,000 | 0 | 0% | 177 | 177 |
| Columbus, IN | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 1,900 | 1,900 | 0 | 0% | 177 | 177 |
| Ames, IA | Construction | 2,500 | 2,500 | 0 | 0% | 177 | 177 |
| Bangor, ME | Construction | 3,900 | 3,900 | 0 | 0% | 177 | 177 |
| Amherst Town-Northampton, MA | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 2,400 | 2,400 | 0 | 0% | 177 | 177 |
| Pittsfield, MA | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 3,000 | 3,000 | 0 | 0% | 177 | 177 |
| Springfield, MA | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 8,200 | 8,200 | 0 | 0% | 177 | 177 |
| Grand Rapids-Wyoming-Kentwood, MI | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 30,200 | 30,200 | 0 | 0% | 177 | 177 |
| Monroe, MI | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 2,000 | 2,000 | 0 | 0% | 177 | 177 |
| Niles, MI | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 2,000 | 2,000 | 0 | 0% | 177 | 177 |
| Elmira, NY | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 1,700 | 1,700 | 0 | 0% | 177 | 177 |
| Ithaca, NY | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 1,100 | 1,100 | 0 | 0% | 177 | 177 |
| Utica-Rome, NY | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 3,100 | 3,100 | 0 | 0% | 177 | 177 |
| Watertown-Fort Drum, NY | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 1,900 | 1,900 | 0 | 0% | 177 | 177 |
| Minot, ND | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 3,500 | 3,500 | 0 | 0% | 177 | 177 |
| Lima, OH | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 2,200 | 2,200 | 0 | 0% | 177 | 177 |
| Weirton-Steubenville, WV-OH | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 1,800 | 1,800 | 0 | 0% | 177 | 177 |
| Lawton, OK | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 1,800 | 1,800 | 0 | 0% | 177 | 177 |
| Corvallis, OR | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 1,500 | 1,500 | 0 | 0% | 177 | 177 |
| Grants Pass, OR | Construction | 1,100 | 1,100 | 0 | 0% | 177 | 177 |
| Gettysburg, PA | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 1,600 | 1,600 | 0 | 0% | 177 | 177 |
| Johnstown, PA | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 1,700 | 1,700 | 0 | 0% | 177 | 177 |
| Reading, PA | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 8,100 | 8,100 | 0 | 0% | 177 | 177 |
| Rapid City, SD | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 6,200 | 6,200 | 0 | 0% | 177 | 177 |
| Clarksville, TN-KY | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 4,900 | 4,900 | 0 | 0% | 177 | 177 |
| Cleveland, TN | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 2,200 | 2,200 | 0 | 0% | 177 | 177 |
| Jackson, TN | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 4,400 | 4,400 | 0 | 0% | 177 | 177 |
| Johnson City, TN | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 3,200 | 3,200 | 0 | 0% | 177 | 177 |
| Brownsville-Harlingen, TX | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 4,100 | 4,100 | 0 | 0% | 177 | 177 |
| College Station-Bryan, TX | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 7,800 | 7,800 | 0 | 0% | 177 | 177 |

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 (not seasonally adjusted)

| <u>Area¹</u> | <u>Industry²</u> | <u>December '24</u> | <u>December '25</u> | <u>12-month</u> | <u>12-month</u> | <u>Rank³ based on:</u> | |
|--|-----------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|------------------|-----------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------|
| | | | | <u>gain/loss</u> | <u>% change</u> | <u>gain/loss</u> | <u>% change</u> |
| San Angelo, TX | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 4,200 | 4,200 | 0 | 0% | 177 | 177 |
| Texarkana, TX-AR | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 2,900 | 2,900 | 0 | 0% | 177 | 177 |
| Wichita Falls, TX | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 3,000 | 3,000 | 0 | 0% | 177 | 177 |
| Logan, UT-ID | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 4,200 | 4,200 | 0 | 0% | 177 | 177 |
| St. George, UT | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 11,100 | 11,100 | 0 | 0% | 177 | 177 |
| Olympia-Lacey-Tumwater, WA | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 6,700 | 6,700 | 0 | 0% | 177 | 177 |
| Walla Walla, WA | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 1,200 | 1,200 | 0 | 0% | 177 | 177 |
| Fond du Lac, WI | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 3,300 | 3,300 | 0 | 0% | 177 | 177 |
| Kenosha, WI | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 2,200 | 2,200 | 0 | 0% | 177 | 177 |
| Tulsa, OK | Construction | 27,600 | 27,500 | -100 | -0.4% | 232 | 232 |
| Richmond, VA | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 42,900 | 42,700 | -200 | -0.5% | 268 | 233 |
| Oakland-Fremont-Berkeley, CA Div. | Construction | 71,200 | 70,200 | -1,000 | -1% | 333 | 234 |
| Pittsburgh, PA | Construction | 56,400 | 55,800 | -600 | -1% | 314 | 234 |
| Portland-South Portland, ME | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 14,700 | 14,500 | -200 | -1% | 268 | 234 |
| Frederick-Gathersburg-Bethesda, MD Div. | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 31,800 | 31,600 | -200 | -1% | 268 | 234 |
| Philadelphia City, PA Div. | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 25,000 | 24,800 | -200 | -1% | 268 | 234 |
| New Haven, CT | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 10,400 | 10,300 | -100 | -1% | 232 | 234 |
| Waterbury-Shelton, CT | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 8,100 | 8,000 | -100 | -1% | 232 | 234 |
| Crestview-Fort Walton Beach-Destin, FL | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 8,300 | 8,200 | -100 | -1% | 232 | 234 |
| Deltona-Daytona Beach-Ormond Beach, FL | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 14,900 | 14,800 | -100 | -1% | 232 | 234 |
| Springfield, MO | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 11,300 | 11,200 | -100 | -1% | 232 | 234 |
| Allentown-Bethlehem-Easton, PA-NJ | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 13,500 | 13,400 | -100 | -1% | 232 | 234 |
| Scranton-Wilkes-Barre, PA | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 10,500 | 10,400 | -100 | -1% | 232 | 234 |
| Chattanooga, TN-GA | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 14,700 | 14,600 | -100 | -1% | 232 | 234 |
| Amarillo, TX | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 8,500 | 8,400 | -100 | -1% | 232 | 234 |
| Roanoke, VA | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 10,000 | 9,900 | -100 | -1% | 232 | 234 |
| Appleton, WI | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 10,000 | 9,900 | -100 | -1% | 232 | 234 |
| Minneapolis-St. Paul-Bloomington, MN-WI | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 85,600 | 83,500 | -2,100 | -2% | 343 | 250 |
| Fort Lauderdale-Pompano Beach-Sunrise, FL Div. | Construction | 55,900 | 54,800 | -1,100 | -2% | 336 | 250 |
| Marietta, GA Div. | Construction | 45,400 | 44,400 | -1,000 | -2% | 333 | 250 |
| Cambridge-Newton-Framingham, MA Div. | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 58,100 | 57,200 | -900 | -2% | 330 | 250 |
| Provo-Orem-Lehi, UT | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 30,500 | 29,800 | -700 | -2% | 321 | 250 |
| Tacoma-Lakewood, WA Div. | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 25,000 | 24,400 | -600 | -2% | 314 | 250 |
| Little Rock-North Little Rock-Conway, AR | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 21,700 | 21,200 | -500 | -2% | 307 | 250 |
| Albuquerque, NM | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 28,300 | 27,800 | -500 | -2% | 307 | 250 |
| Everett, WA Div. | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 25,700 | 25,200 | -500 | -2% | 307 | 250 |
| El Paso, TX | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 16,100 | 15,700 | -400 | -2% | 306 | 250 |
| Knoxville, TN | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 22,900 | 22,500 | -400 | -2% | 298 | 250 |
| Corpus Christi, TX | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 24,500 | 24,100 | -400 | -2% | 298 | 250 |
| Palm Bay-Melbourne-Titusville, FL | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 17,200 | 16,900 | -300 | -2% | 287 | 250 |
| Port St. Lucie, FL | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 15,200 | 14,900 | -300 | -2% | 287 | 250 |
| Kiryas Joel-Poughkeepsie-Newburgh, NY | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 13,500 | 13,200 | -300 | -2% | 287 | 250 |
| Fort Wayne, IN | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 13,200 | 13,000 | -200 | -2% | 268 | 250 |
| Killeen-Temple, TX | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 8,600 | 8,400 | -200 | -2% | 268 | 250 |
| Lubbock, TX | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 12,000 | 11,800 | -200 | -2% | 268 | 250 |
| Waco, TX | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 9,600 | 9,400 | -200 | -2% | 268 | 250 |
| Fort Smith, AR-OK | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 5,100 | 5,000 | -100 | -2% | 232 | 250 |
| Chico, CA | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 4,100 | 4,000 | -100 | -2% | 232 | 250 |
| Napa, CA | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 4,200 | 4,100 | -100 | -2% | 232 | 250 |
| Athens-Clarke County, GA | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 4,200 | 4,100 | -100 | -2% | 232 | 250 |
| Macon-Bibb County, GA | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 4,200 | 4,100 | -100 | -2% | 232 | 250 |
| Topeka, KS | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 6,100 | 6,000 | -100 | -2% | 232 | 250 |
| Slidell-Mandeville-Covington, LA | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 6,600 | 6,500 | -100 | -2% | 232 | 250 |
| Binghamton, NY | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 4,300 | 4,200 | -100 | -2% | 232 | 250 |
| Charlottesville, VA | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 5,500 | 5,400 | -100 | -2% | 232 | 250 |
| Lynchburg, VA | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 6,200 | 6,100 | -100 | -2% | 232 | 250 |
| Yakima, WA | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 4,200 | 4,100 | -100 | -2% | 232 | 250 |
| Cheyenne, WY | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 4,100 | 4,000 | -100 | -2% | 232 | 250 |
| Denver-Aurora-Centennial, CO | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 112,900 | 109,300 | -3,600 | -3% | 349 | 281 |
| Atlanta-Sandy Springs-Roswell, GA Div. | Construction | 105,600 | 102,900 | -2,700 | -3% | 346 | 281 |
| Montgomery-Bucks-Chester County, PA Div. | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 57,100 | 55,300 | -1,800 | -3% | 341 | 281 |
| Detroit-Dearborn-Livonia, MI Div. | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 25,900 | 25,000 | -900 | -3% | 330 | 281 |
| Camden, NJ Div. | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 22,900 | 22,100 | -800 | -3% | 325 | 281 |
| Beaumont-Port Arthur, TX | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 24,100 | 23,300 | -800 | -3% | 325 | 281 |
| Tucson, AZ | Construction | 20,400 | 19,700 | -700 | -3% | 321 | 281 |
| Syracuse, NY | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 13,100 | 12,700 | -400 | -3% | 298 | 281 |
| Savannah, GA | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 10,000 | 9,700 | -300 | -3% | 287 | 281 |
| Duluth, MN-WI | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 9,200 | 8,900 | -300 | -3% | 287 | 281 |
| Grand Junction, CO | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 6,300 | 6,100 | -200 | -3% | 268 | 281 |
| Barnstable Town, MA | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 7,000 | 6,800 | -200 | -3% | 268 | 281 |
| Kingsport-Bristol, TN-VA | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 7,000 | 6,800 | -200 | -3% | 268 | 281 |
| Merced, CA | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 3,400 | 3,300 | -100 | -3% | 232 | 281 |
| Norwich-New London-Willimantic, CT | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 3,500 | 3,400 | -100 | -3% | 232 | 281 |
| Salisbury, MD | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 2,900 | 2,800 | -100 | -3% | 232 | 281 |

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 (not seasonally adjusted)

| <u>Area¹</u> | <u>Industry²</u> | <u>December '24</u> | <u>December '25</u> | 12-month | | Rank ³ based on: | |
|--|-----------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|-----------|----------|-----------------------------|----------|
| | | | | gain/loss | % change | gain/loss | % change |
| Vineland-Bridgeton, NJ | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 3,500 | 3,400 | -100 | -3% | 232 | 281 |
| Kingston, NY | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 3,000 | 2,900 | -100 | -3% | 232 | 281 |
| Laredo, TX | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 3,200 | 3,100 | -100 | -3% | 232 | 281 |
| Sherman-Denison, TX | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 3,700 | 3,600 | -100 | -3% | 232 | 281 |
| Victoria, TX | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 3,900 | 3,800 | -100 | -3% | 232 | 281 |
| Wenatchee- East Wenatchee, WA | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 3,700 | 3,600 | -100 | -3% | 232 | 281 |
| Anaheim-Santa Ana-Irvine, CA Div. | Construction | 103,100 | 99,200 | -3,900 | -4% | 352 | 303 |
| San Diego-Chula Vista-Carlsbad, CA | Construction | 90,600 | 86,900 | -3,700 | -4% | 350 | 303 |
| Nashville-Davidson-Murfreesboro-Franklin, TN | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 66,200 | 63,700 | -2,500 | -4% | 345 | 303 |
| Fresno, CA | Construction | 25,300 | 24,300 | -1,000 | -4% | 333 | 303 |
| Santa Rosa-Petaluma, CA | Construction | 16,200 | 15,500 | -700 | -4% | 321 | 303 |
| Stockton-Lodi, CA | Construction | 14,600 | 14,000 | -600 | -4% | 314 | 303 |
| Spokane-Spokane Valley, WA | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 15,300 | 14,700 | -600 | -4% | 314 | 303 |
| Anchorage, AK | Construction | 11,300 | 10,800 | -500 | -4% | 307 | 303 |
| Modesto, CA | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 11,300 | 10,800 | -500 | -4% | 307 | 303 |
| Fort Collins-Loveland, CO | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 11,200 | 10,700 | -500 | -4% | 307 | 303 |
| San Luis Obispo-Paso Robles, CA | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 9,000 | 8,600 | -400 | -4% | 298 | 303 |
| Kennewick-Richland, WA | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 11,300 | 10,900 | -400 | -4% | 298 | 303 |
| Atlantic City-Hammonton, NJ | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 8,500 | 8,200 | -300 | -4% | 287 | 303 |
| Gainesville, GA | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 5,100 | 4,900 | -200 | -4% | 268 | 303 |
| Medford, OR | Construction | 5,300 | 5,100 | -200 | -4% | 268 | 303 |
| Abilene, TX | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 5,100 | 4,900 | -200 | -4% | 268 | 303 |
| Glens Falls, NY | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 2,700 | 2,600 | -100 | -4% | 232 | 303 |
| Morristown, TN | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 2,500 | 2,400 | -100 | -4% | 232 | 303 |
| Los Angeles-Long Beach-Glendale, CA Div. | Construction | 147,900 | 139,900 | -8,000 | -5% | 357 | 321 |
| Seattle-Bellevue-Kent, WA Div. | Construction | 71,700 | 68,000 | -3,700 | -5% | 350 | 321 |
| Virginia Beach-Chesapeake-Norfolk, VA-NC | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 41,500 | 39,600 | -1,900 | -5% | 342 | 321 |
| Buffalo-Cheektowaga, NY | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 20,900 | 19,800 | -1,100 | -5% | 336 | 321 |
| Oxnard-Thousand Oaks-Ventura, CA | Construction | 18,000 | 17,100 | -900 | -5% | 330 | 321 |
| Bakersfield-Delano, CA | Construction | 15,800 | 15,000 | -800 | -5% | 325 | 321 |
| Augusta-Richmond County, GA-SC | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 15,100 | 14,300 | -800 | -5% | 325 | 321 |
| Salem, OR | Construction | 13,300 | 12,700 | -600 | -5% | 314 | 321 |
| Salinas, CA | Construction | 7,500 | 7,100 | -400 | -5% | 298 | 321 |
| San Rafael, CA Div. | Construction | 7,400 | 7,000 | -400 | -5% | 298 | 321 |
| Eugene-Springfield, OR | Construction | 7,400 | 7,000 | -400 | -5% | 298 | 321 |
| Boulder, CO | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 5,600 | 5,300 | -300 | -5% | 287 | 321 |
| Trenton-Princeton, NJ | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 6,000 | 5,700 | -300 | -5% | 287 | 321 |
| Pueblo, CO | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 3,800 | 3,600 | -200 | -5% | 268 | 321 |
| Lexington Park, MD | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 4,200 | 4,000 | -200 | -5% | 268 | 321 |
| Longview-Kelso, WA | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 4,000 | 3,800 | -200 | -5% | 268 | 321 |
| New York City, NY | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 142,800 | 134,200 | -8,600 | -6% | 359 | 337 |
| Portland-Vancouver-Hillsboro, OR-WA | Construction | 79,300 | 74,800 | -4,500 | -6% | 353 | 337 |
| Lakewood-New Brunswick, NJ Div. | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 53,100 | 50,000 | -3,100 | -6% | 348 | 337 |
| Albany-Schenectady-Troy, NY | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 21,700 | 20,400 | -1,300 | -6% | 338 | 337 |
| Santa Maria-Santa Barbara, CA | Construction | 10,200 | 9,600 | -600 | -6% | 314 | 337 |
| Lake Charles, LA | Construction | 10,400 | 9,800 | -600 | -6% | 314 | 337 |
| Santa Cruz-Watsonville, CA | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 5,100 | 4,800 | -300 | -6% | 287 | 337 |
| Bremerton-Silverdale-Port Orchard, WA | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 4,800 | 4,500 | -300 | -6% | 287 | 337 |
| Albany, OR | Construction | 3,300 | 3,100 | -200 | -6% | 268 | 337 |
| Casper, WY | Construction | 3,300 | 3,100 | -200 | -6% | 268 | 337 |
| Riverside-San Bernardino-Ontario, CA | Construction | 113,800 | 105,600 | -8,200 | -7% | 358 | 347 |
| Sacramento--Roseville--Folsom, CA | Construction | 75,400 | 70,300 | -5,100 | -7% | 355 | 347 |
| Jersey City-White Plains, NY-NJ | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 69,800 | 64,900 | -4,900 | -7% | 354 | 347 |
| Newark, NJ Div. | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 38,900 | 36,100 | -2,800 | -7% | 347 | 347 |
| Greeley, CO | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 19,500 | 18,200 | -1,300 | -7% | 338 | 347 |
| Vallejo, CA | Construction | 11,000 | 10,200 | -800 | -7% | 325 | 347 |
| Visalia, CA | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 7,200 | 6,700 | -500 | -7% | 307 | 347 |
| Mount Vernon-Anacortes, WA | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 4,600 | 4,300 | -300 | -7% | 287 | 347 |
| Nassau County-Suffolk County, NY Div. | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 80,100 | 73,800 | -6,300 | -8% | 356 | 355 |
| Colorado Springs, CO | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 18,000 | 16,600 | -1,400 | -8% | 340 | 355 |
| Hanford-Corcoran, CA | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 1,200 | 1,100 | -100 | -8% | 232 | 355 |
| Reno, NV | Construction | 24,400 | 22,300 | -2,100 | -9% | 343 | 358 |
| Bellingham, WA | Mining, Logging, and Construction | 7,900 | 7,200 | -700 | -9% | 321 | 358 |
| Las Vegas-Henderson-North Las Vegas, NV | Construction | 79,200 | 70,600 | -8,600 | -11% | 359 | 360 |

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. Employment in several large MSAs (listed in **bold**) is presented in two or more divisions (Div). MSA totals are shown but not included in rankings to avoid double counting of the divisions.

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.

³**Rank:** BLS currently provides construction (or combined construction, mining and logging) employment data for 360 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%.)

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 (not seasonally adjusted)

| <u>Area¹</u> | <u>Industry²</u> | <u>December '24</u> | <u>December '25</u> | <u>12-month gain/loss</u> | <u>12-month % change</u> | <u>Rank³ based on: gain/loss</u> | <u>Rank³ based on: % change</u> |
|-------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------|---|--|
|-------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------|---|--|

⁴New York City: BLS posts mining, logging, and construction data for the New York-Jersey City-White Plains metro division and for the New York City "special area," which is part of the metro division. To avoid double counting, these tables treat New York City and Jersey City-White Plains (excluding NYC) as separate areas.