

**Rankings of Metropolitan Areas by Percent Change in Construction Employment, April 2025–April 2026**  
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Area <sup>1</sup>	Industry <sup>2</sup>	April '25	April '26	12-month		Rank <sup>3</sup> based on:	
				gain/loss	% change	gain/loss	% change
Davenport-Moline-Rock Island, IA-IL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	10,200	11,900	1,700	17%	18	1
Kankakee, IL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	1,600	1,800	200	13%	90	2
Baton Rouge, LA	Construction	49,000	55,500	6,500	13%	3	2
Eau Claire, WI	Mining, Logging, and Construction	4,000	4,500	500	13%	51	2
Bloomington, IN	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,300	3,700	400	12%	60	5
Las Cruces, NM	Mining, Logging, and Construction	5,100	5,700	600	12%	43	5
Weirton-Stuebenville, WV-OH	Mining, Logging, and Construction	1,800	2,000	200	11%	90	7
Michigan City-La Porte, IN	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,100	2,300	200	10%	90	8
Ithaca, NY	Mining, Logging, and Construction	1,000	1,100	100	10%	122	8
Columbus, OH	Mining, Logging, and Construction	59,200	64,900	5,700	10%	5	8
Wausau, WI	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,000	3,300	300	10%	75	8
Mobile, AL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	13,900	15,100	1,200	9%	23	12
Idaho Falls, ID	Mining, Logging, and Construction	6,600	7,200	600	9%	43	12
Terre Haute, IN	Mining, Logging, and Construction	4,400	4,800	400	9%	60	12
Houma-Bayou Cane-Thibodaux, LA	Construction	5,400	5,900	500	9%	51	12
Lafayette, LA	Construction	11,000	12,000	1,000	9%	25	12
Springfield, MA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	8,100	8,800	700	9%	37	12
St. Louis, MO-IL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	78,200	85,500	7,300	9%	2	12
Sandusky, OH	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,200	2,400	200	9%	90	12
Amherst Town-Northampton, MA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,400	2,600	200	8%	90	20
Omaha, NE-IA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	34,300	36,900	2,600	8%	12	20
Canton-Massillon, OH	Mining, Logging, and Construction	10,000	10,800	800	8%	31	20
Charleston-North Charleston, SC	Mining, Logging, and Construction	24,900	26,800	1,900	8%	16	20
Racine-Mount Pleasant, WI	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,800	4,100	300	8%	75	20
Sheboygan, WI	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,600	2,800	200	8%	90	20
Anniston-Oxford, AL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	1,400	1,500	100	7%	122	26
San Jose-Sunnyvale-Santa Clara, CA	Construction	51,300	55,100	3,800	7%	8	26
Pocatello, ID	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,700	2,900	200	7%	90	26
Peoria, IL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	8,500	9,100	600	7%	43	26
Bay City, MI	Mining, Logging, and Construction	1,500	1,600	100	7%	122	26
Elmira, NY	Mining, Logging, and Construction	1,500	1,600	100	7%	122	26
Charlotte-Concord-Gastonia, NC-SC	Mining, Logging, and Construction	82,800	88,700	5,900	7%	4	26
Greenville, NC	Mining, Logging, and Construction	4,100	4,400	300	7%	75	26
Corvallis, OR	Mining, Logging, and Construction	1,400	1,500	100	7%	122	26
Green Bay, WI	Mining, Logging, and Construction	9,100	9,700	600	7%	43	26
Oshkosh-Neenah, WI	Mining, Logging, and Construction	5,500	5,900	400	7%	60	26
Kahului-Wailuku, HI	Mining, Logging, and Construction	4,800	5,100	300	6%	75	37
Columbus, IN	Mining, Logging, and Construction	1,800	1,900	100	6%	122	37
New Orleans-Metairie, LA	Construction	24,300	25,800	1,500	6%	20	37
Slidell-Mandeville-Covington, LA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	6,800	7,200	400	6%	60	37
Saginaw, MI	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,400	3,600	200	6%	90	37
Lincoln, NE	Mining, Logging, and Construction	10,800	11,500	700	6%	37	37
Rochester, NY	Construction	23,000	24,400	1,400	6%	21	37
Burlington, NC	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,300	3,500	200	6%	90	37
Raleigh-Cary, NC	Mining, Logging, and Construction	53,500	56,500	3,000	6%	9	37
Wilmington, NC	Mining, Logging, and Construction	14,400	15,300	900	6%	28	37
Akron, OH	Mining, Logging, and Construction	15,500	16,500	1,000	6%	25	37
Amarillo, TX	Mining, Logging, and Construction	8,600	9,100	500	6%	51	37
Paducah, KY-IL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	4,000	4,200	200	5%	90	49
Lake Charles, LA	Construction	11,100	11,600	500	5%	51	49
Shreveport-Bossier City, LA	Construction	9,300	9,800	500	5%	51	49
Baltimore-Columbia-Towson, MD	Mining, Logging, and Construction	81,300	85,700	4,400	5%	7	49
Cambridge-Newton-Framingham, MA Div.	Mining, Logging, and Construction	57,600	60,400	2,800	5%	11	49
Worcester, MA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	16,400	17,200	800	5%	31	49
Battle Creek, MI	Mining, Logging, and Construction	1,900	2,000	100	5%	122	49
Columbia, MO	Construction	4,400	4,600	200	5%	90	49
Binghamton, NY	Mining, Logging, and Construction	4,200	4,400	200	5%	90	49
Lima, OH	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,100	2,200	100	5%	122	49
Mansfield, OH	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,200	2,300	100	5%	122	49
Toledo, OH	Mining, Logging, and Construction	14,700	15,400	700	5%	37	49
Erie, PA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	4,300	4,500	200	5%	90	49
Scranton--Wilkes-Barre, PA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	10,300	10,800	500	5%	51	49
Columbia, SC	Mining, Logging, and Construction	19,000	19,900	900	5%	28	49
Austin-Round Rock-San Marcos, TX	Mining, Logging, and Construction	91,900	96,500	4,600	5%	6	49
Lynchburg, VA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	6,300	6,600	300	5%	75	49
Huntington-Ashland, WV-KY-OH	Mining, Logging, and Construction	9,400	9,900	500	5%	51	49
Janesville-Beloit, WI	Mining, Logging, and Construction	4,200	4,400	200	5%	90	49
La Crosse-Onalaska, WI-MN	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,800	4,000	200	5%	90	49
Dothan, AL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,800	2,900	100	4%	122	69
Montgomery, AL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	7,800	8,100	300	4%	75	69
Lake County, IL Div.	Construction	12,900	13,400	500	4%	51	69
Elkhart-Goshen, IN	Mining, Logging, and Construction	4,600	4,800	200	4%	90	69
Indianapolis-Carmel-Greenwood, IN	Construction	67,700	70,600	2,900	4%	10	69
Lafayette-West Lafayette, IN	Mining, Logging, and Construction	4,700	4,900	200	4%	90	69
Ames, IA	Construction	2,600	2,700	100	4%	122	69

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Lexington-Fayette, KY	Mining, Logging, and Construction	15,300	15,900	600	4%	43	69
Jackson, MI	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,500	2,600	100	4%	122	69
Muskegon Norton Shores, MI	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,600	2,700	100	4%	122	69
Rochester, MN	Mining, Logging, and Construction	5,200	5,400	200	4%	90	69
St. Cloud, MN	Mining, Logging, and Construction	7,800	8,100	300	4%	75	69
Springfield, MO	Mining, Logging, and Construction	11,400	11,800	400	4%	60	69
Bozeman, MT	Mining, Logging, and Construction	7,700	8,000	300	4%	75	69
Durham-Chapel Hill, NC	Mining, Logging, and Construction	10,800	11,200	400	4%	60	69
Bend, OR	Mining, Logging, and Construction	9,100	9,500	400	4%	60	69
Myrtle Beach-Conway-North Myrtle Beach, SC-NC	Mining, Logging, and Construction	10,000	10,400	400	4%	60	69
Abilene, TX	Mining, Logging, and Construction	5,300	5,500	200	4%	90	69
Houston-Pasadena-The Woodlands, TX	Construction	253,900	262,800	8,900	4%	1	69
Appleton, WI	Mining, Logging, and Construction	10,000	10,400	400	4%	60	69
Kenosha, WI	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,300	2,400	100	4%	122	69
Madison, WI	Mining, Logging, and Construction	20,800	21,600	800	4%	31	69
Auburn-Opelika, AL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,800	3,900	100	3%	122	91
Huntsville, AL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	11,700	12,100	400	3%	60	91
Fayetteville-Springdale-Rogers, AR	Mining, Logging, and Construction	18,300	18,800	500	3%	51	91
Fort Collins-Loveland, CO	Mining, Logging, and Construction	11,300	11,600	300	3%	75	91
Pueblo, CO	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,900	4,000	100	3%	122	91
Norwich-New London-Willimantic, CT	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,600	3,700	100	3%	122	91
Urban Honolulu, HI	Mining, Logging, and Construction	28,900	29,900	1,000	3%	25	91
Bloomington, IL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,000	3,100	100	3%	122	91
Springfield, IL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,700	3,800	100	3%	122	91
Iowa City, IA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,600	3,700	100	3%	122	91
Wichita, KS	Mining, Logging, and Construction	18,100	18,700	600	3%	43	91
Lewiston-Auburn, ME	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,200	3,300	100	3%	122	91
Lexington Park, MD	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,900	4,000	100	3%	122	91
Pittsfield, MA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,000	3,100	100	3%	122	91
Helena, MT	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,900	3,000	100	3%	122	91
Las Vegas-Henderson-North Las Vegas, NV	Construction	78,600	81,200	2,600	3%	12	91
Santa Fe, NM	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,100	3,200	100	3%	122	91
Utica-Rome, NY	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,100	3,200	100	3%	122	91
Rocky Mount, NC	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,100	3,200	100	3%	122	91
Grand Forks, ND-MN	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,900	3,000	100	3%	122	91
Dayton-Kettering-Beavercreek, OH	Mining, Logging, and Construction	15,100	15,500	400	3%	60	91
Tulsa, OK	Construction	28,300	29,100	800	3%	31	91
Johnson City, TN	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,200	3,300	100	3%	122	91
Fort Worth-Arlington-Grapevine, TX Div.	Mining, Logging, and Construction	87,400	89,800	2,400	3%	14	91
Killeen-Temple, TX	Mining, Logging, and Construction	8,900	9,200	300	3%	75	91
Texarkana, TX-AR	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,900	3,000	100	3%	122	91
Burlington-South Burlington, VT	Mining, Logging, and Construction	6,000	6,200	200	3%	90	91
Fond du Lac, WI	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,500	3,600	100	3%	122	91
Florence-Muscle Shoals, AL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	4,100	4,200	100	2%	122	119
San Francisco-San Mateo-Redwood City, CA Div.	Construction	37,800	38,600	800	2%	31	119
Grand Junction, CO	Mining, Logging, and Construction	6,300	6,400	100	2%	122	119
Hartford-West Hartford-East Hartford, CT	Mining, Logging, and Construction	23,500	23,900	400	2%	60	119
New Haven, CT	Mining, Logging, and Construction	10,300	10,500	200	2%	90	119
Athens-Clarke County, GA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	4,200	4,300	100	2%	122	119
Chicago-Naperville-Schaumburg, IL Div.	Construction	131,900	133,900	2,000	2%	15	119
Rockford, IL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	6,200	6,300	100	2%	122	119
Bowling Green, KY	Mining, Logging, and Construction	4,200	4,300	100	2%	122	119
Hagerstown-Martinsburg, MD-WV	Mining, Logging, and Construction	5,100	5,200	100	2%	122	119
Traverse City, MI	Mining, Logging, and Construction	5,600	5,700	100	2%	122	119
Minneapolis-St. Paul-Bloomington, MN-WI	Mining, Logging, and Construction	89,700	91,600	1,900	2%	16	119
Kansas City, MO-KS	Construction	64,500	66,100	1,600	2%	19	119
Reno, NV	Construction	24,000	24,400	400	2%	60	119
Asheville, NC	Mining, Logging, and Construction	10,500	10,700	200	2%	90	119
Hickory-Lenoir-Morganton, NC	Mining, Logging, and Construction	5,800	5,900	100	2%	122	119
Winston-Salem, NC	Mining, Logging, and Construction	13,800	14,100	300	2%	75	119
Cleveland, OH	Mining, Logging, and Construction	41,700	42,500	800	2%	31	119
Youngstown-Warren, OH	Mining, Logging, and Construction	8,400	8,600	200	2%	90	119
York-Hanover, PA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	12,300	12,600	300	2%	75	119
Spartanburg, SC	Mining, Logging, and Construction	8,200	8,400	200	2%	90	119
Waco, TX	Mining, Logging, and Construction	9,300	9,500	200	2%	90	119
Logan, UT-ID	Mining, Logging, and Construction	4,200	4,300	100	2%	122	119
Richmond, VA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	45,400	46,300	900	2%	28	119
Milwaukee-Waukesha, WI	Construction	37,800	38,400	600	2%	43	119
Colorado Springs, CO	Mining, Logging, and Construction	18,000	18,100	100	1%	122	144
Denver-Aurora-Centennial, CO	Mining, Logging, and Construction	111,300	112,400	1,100	1%	24	144
Wilmington, DE-MD-NJ Div.	Mining, Logging, and Construction	18,900	19,000	100	1%	122	144
Fort Lauderdale-Pompano Beach-Sunrise, FL Div.	Construction	53,900	54,300	400	1%	60	144
Tampa, FL Div.	Construction	71,700	72,400	700	1%	37	144
Marietta, GA Div.	Construction	47,500	48,200	700	1%	37	144
Coeur d'Alene, ID	Construction	7,500	7,600	100	1%	122	144

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Fort Wayne, IN	Mining, Logging, and Construction	13,500	13,700	200	1%	90	144
Des Moines-West Des Moines, IA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	25,700	25,900	200	1%	90	144
Billings, MT	Mining, Logging, and Construction	7,500	7,600	100	1%	122	144
Buffalo-Cheektowaga, NY	Mining, Logging, and Construction	20,800	21,100	300	1%	75	144
Kiryas Joel-Poughkeepsie-Newburgh, NY	Mining, Logging, and Construction	13,800	14,000	200	1%	90	144
Cincinnati, OH-KY-IN	Mining, Logging, and Construction	54,500	54,900	400	1%	60	144
Harrisburg-Carlisle, PA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	13,000	13,100	100	1%	122	144
Lancaster, PA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	20,500	20,800	300	1%	75	144
Reading, PA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	8,300	8,400	100	1%	122	144
Memphis, TN-MS-AR	Mining, Logging, and Construction	25,400	25,600	200	1%	90	144
El Paso, TX	Mining, Logging, and Construction	16,600	16,700	100	1%	122	144
McAllen-Edinburg-Mission, TX	Mining, Logging, and Construction	9,600	9,700	100	1%	122	144
Midland, TX	Mining, Logging, and Construction	43,400	44,000	600	1%	43	144
Provo-Orem-Lehi, UT	Mining, Logging, and Construction	31,200	31,400	200	1%	90	144
Arlington-Alexandria-Reston, VA-WV Div.	Mining, Logging, and Construction	92,100	93,400	1,300	1%	22	144
Roanoke, VA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	10,000	10,100	100	1%	122	144
Warren-Troy-Farmington Hills, MI Div.	Mining, Logging, and Construction	60,600	60,900	300	1%	75	167
Washington, DC-MD Div.	Mining, Logging, and Construction	46,600	46,800	200	0.4%	90	168
St. Petersburg-Clearwater-Largo, FL Div.	Construction	26,800	26,900	100	0.4%	122	168
Dallas-Plano-Irving, TX Div.	Mining, Logging, and Construction	177,300	178,000	700	0.4%	37	168
Tacoma-Lakewood, WA Div.	Mining, Logging, and Construction	24,900	25,000	100	0.4%	122	168
Montgomery-Bucks-Chester County, PA Div.	Mining, Logging, and Construction	58,700	58,900	200	0.3%	90	172
Gadsden, AL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	1,200	1,200	0	0%	173	173
Tuscaloosa, AL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	7,500	7,500	0	0%	173	173
Sierra Vista-Douglas, AZ	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,100	2,100	0	0%	173	173
Fort Smith, AR-OK	Mining, Logging, and Construction	4,900	4,900	0	0%	173	173
Chico, CA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,900	3,900	0	0%	173	173
Hanford-Corcoran, CA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	1,200	1,200	0	0%	173	173
Dover, DE	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,700	2,700	0	0%	173	173
Jacksonville, FL	Construction	53,700	53,700	0	0%	173	173
Panama City-Panama City Beach, FL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	7,900	7,900	0	0%	173	173
Pensacola-Ferry Pass-Brent, FL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	13,800	13,800	0	0%	173	173
Champaign-Urbana, IL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	4,200	4,200	0	0%	173	173
Kokomo, IN	Mining, Logging, and Construction	1,800	1,800	0	0%	173	173
Muncie, IN	Mining, Logging, and Construction	1,600	1,600	0	0%	173	173
South Bend-Mishawaka, IN-MI	Mining, Logging, and Construction	6,500	6,500	0	0%	173	173
Owensboro, KY	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,400	2,400	0	0%	173	173
Bangor, ME	Construction	3,700	3,700	0	0%	173	173
Rockingham County-Strafford County, NH Div.	Mining, Logging, and Construction	10,400	10,400	0	0%	173	173
Newark, NJ Div.	Mining, Logging, and Construction	39,000	39,000	0	0%	173	173
Vineland-Bridgeton, NJ	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,500	3,500	0	0%	173	173
Kingston, NY	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,000	3,000	0	0%	173	173
Syracuse, NY	Mining, Logging, and Construction	12,600	12,600	0	0%	173	173
Watertown-Fort Drum, NY	Mining, Logging, and Construction	1,800	1,800	0	0%	173	173
Pinehurst-Southern Pines, NC	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,100	2,100	0	0%	173	173
Springfield, OH	Mining, Logging, and Construction	1,300	1,300	0	0%	173	173
Albany, OR	Construction	3,200	3,200	0	0%	173	173
Eugene-Springfield, OR	Construction	7,200	7,200	0	0%	173	173
Gettysburg, PA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	1,700	1,700	0	0%	173	173
Johnstown, PA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	1,700	1,700	0	0%	173	173
Rapid City, SD	Mining, Logging, and Construction	6,400	6,400	0	0%	173	173
Jackson, TN	Mining, Logging, and Construction	4,300	4,300	0	0%	173	173
Morristown, TN	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,600	2,600	0	0%	173	173
Corpus Christi, TX	Mining, Logging, and Construction	27,100	27,100	0	0%	173	173
Laredo, TX	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,500	3,500	0	0%	173	173
San Angelo, TX	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,900	3,900	0	0%	173	173
Sherman-Denison, TX	Mining, Logging, and Construction	4,000	4,000	0	0%	173	173
Wichita Falls, TX	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,000	3,000	0	0%	173	173
Walla Walla, WA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	1,200	1,200	0	0%	173	173
Yakima, WA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	4,100	4,100	0	0%	173	173
Jersey City-White Plains, NY-NJ	Mining, Logging, and Construction	69,800	69,800	0	0%	173	173
Nashville-Davidson–Murfreesboro–Franklin, TN	Mining, Logging, and Construction	66,300	66,200	-100	-0.2%	212	212
Salt Lake City-Murray, UT	Mining, Logging, and Construction	61,000	60,900	-100	-0.2%	212	212
Boise City, ID	Mining, Logging, and Construction	38,200	38,100	-100	-0.3%	212	214
Ogden, UT	Mining, Logging, and Construction	22,000	21,900	-100	-0.5%	212	215
Birmingham, AL	Construction	31,300	31,000	-300	-1%	285	216
Phoenix-Mesa-Chandler, AZ	Construction	180,800	178,300	-2,500	-1%	352	216
Prescott Valley-Prescott, AZ	Mining, Logging, and Construction	7,400	7,300	-100	-1%	212	216
Little Rock-North Little Rock-Conway, AR	Mining, Logging, and Construction	21,500	21,200	-300	-1%	285	216
Fresno, CA	Construction	24,500	24,300	-200	-1%	254	216
San Rafael, CA Div.	Construction	7,300	7,200	-100	-1%	212	216
Stockton-Lodi, CA	Construction	14,200	14,000	-200	-1%	254	216
Vallejo, CA	Construction	11,100	11,000	-100	-1%	212	216
Visalia, CA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	7,200	7,100	-100	-1%	212	216
Bridgeport-Stamford-Danbury, CT	Mining, Logging, and Construction	14,200	14,000	-200	-1%	254	216

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Waterbury-Shelton, CT	Mining, Logging, and Construction	7,900	7,800	-100	-1%	212	216
Deltona-Daytona Beach-Ormond Beach, FL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	15,100	15,000	-100	-1%	212	216
Gainesville, FL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	7,500	7,400	-100	-1%	212	216
Lakeland-Winter Haven, FL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	16,900	16,800	-100	-1%	212	216
Miami-Miami Beach-Kendall, FL Div.	Construction	61,400	60,800	-600	-1%	323	216
North Port-Bradenton-Sarasota, FL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	33,700	33,500	-200	-1%	254	216
Tallahassee, FL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	10,600	10,500	-100	-1%	212	216
West Palm Beach-Boca Raton-Delray Beach, FL Div.	Construction	44,100	43,500	-600	-1%	323	216
Boston, MA Div.	Mining, Logging, and Construction	50,600	50,000	-600	-1%	323	216
Grand Rapids-Wyoming-Kentwood, MI	Mining, Logging, and Construction	30,900	30,700	-200	-1%	254	216
Manchester-Nashua, NH	Mining, Logging, and Construction	8,900	8,800	-100	-1%	212	216
New York City, NY	Mining, Logging, and Construction	137,300	136,300	-1,000	-1%	339	216
Fargo, ND-MN	Mining, Logging, and Construction	9,700	9,600	-100	-1%	212	216
Oklahoma City, OK	Construction	35,200	34,800	-400	-1%	299	216
Allentown-Bethlehem-Easton, PA-NJ	Mining, Logging, and Construction	13,500	13,400	-100	-1%	212	216
Greenville-Anderson-Greer, SC	Mining, Logging, and Construction	25,500	25,300	-200	-1%	254	216
Kingsport-Bristol, TN-VA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	8,300	8,200	-100	-1%	212	216
Tyler, TX	Mining, Logging, and Construction	7,300	7,200	-100	-1%	212	216
St. George, UT	Mining, Logging, and Construction	10,900	10,800	-100	-1%	212	216
Decatur, AL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	4,700	4,600	-100	-2%	212	245
Yuma, AZ	Mining, Logging, and Construction	4,100	4,000	-100	-2%	212	245
Redding, CA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	4,500	4,400	-100	-2%	212	245
Crestview-Fort Walton Beach-Destin, FL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	8,300	8,100	-200	-2%	254	245
Naples-Marco Island, FL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	20,700	20,200	-500	-2%	310	245
Orlando-Kissimmee-Sanford, FL	Construction	93,400	91,500	-1,900	-2%	348	245
Palm Bay-Melbourne-Titusville, FL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	16,800	16,400	-400	-2%	299	245
Sebastian-Vero Beach-West Vero Corridor, FL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	5,100	5,000	-100	-2%	212	245
Atlanta-Sandy Springs-Roswell, GA Div.	Construction	108,800	106,800	-2,000	-2%	349	245
Macon-Bibb County, GA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	4,300	4,200	-100	-2%	212	245
Cedar Rapids, IA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	9,100	8,900	-200	-2%	254	245
Louisville/Jefferson County, KY-IN	Mining, Logging, and Construction	35,700	35,100	-600	-2%	323	245
Frederick-Gathersburg-Bethesda, MD Div.	Mining, Logging, and Construction	32,200	31,500	-700	-2%	334	245
Detroit-Dearborn-Livonia, MI Div.	Mining, Logging, and Construction	25,800	25,400	-400	-2%	299	245
Kalamazoo-Portage, MI	Mining, Logging, and Construction	6,500	6,400	-100	-2%	212	245
Lansing-East Lansing, MI	Mining, Logging, and Construction	10,200	10,000	-200	-2%	254	245
Camden, NJ Div.	Mining, Logging, and Construction	22,900	22,500	-400	-2%	299	245
Trenton-Princeton, NJ	Mining, Logging, and Construction	6,000	5,900	-100	-2%	212	245
Albany-Schenectady-Troy, NY	Mining, Logging, and Construction	21,600	21,100	-500	-2%	310	245
Greensboro-High Point, NC	Mining, Logging, and Construction	19,400	19,100	-300	-2%	285	245
Philadelphia City, PA Div.	Mining, Logging, and Construction	25,500	25,000	-500	-2%	310	245
Sioux Falls, SD-MN	Mining, Logging, and Construction	12,100	11,800	-300	-2%	285	245
Clarksville, TN-KY	Mining, Logging, and Construction	4,700	4,600	-100	-2%	212	245
College Station-Bryan, TX	Mining, Logging, and Construction	8,200	8,000	-200	-2%	254	245
San Antonio-New Braunfels, TX	Construction	69,300	68,100	-1,200	-2%	342	245
Charlottesville, VA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	5,300	5,200	-100	-2%	212	245
Virginia Beach-Chesapeake-Norfolk, VA-NC	Mining, Logging, and Construction	42,800	42,100	-700	-2%	331	245
Seattle-Bellevue-Kent, WA Div.	Construction	70,400	68,700	-1,700	-2%	347	245
Anaheim-Santa Ana-Irvine, CA Div.	Construction	105,100	101,600	-3,500	-3%	356	273
Bakersfield-Delano, CA	Construction	16,200	15,700	-500	-3%	310	273
Los Angeles-Long Beach-Glendale, CA Div.	Construction	148,000	143,000	-5,000	-3%	360	273
Merced, CA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,500	3,400	-100	-3%	212	273
Modesto, CA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	11,200	10,900	-300	-3%	285	273
Oxnard-Thousand Oaks-Ventura, CA	Construction	17,900	17,400	-500	-3%	310	273
Salinas, CA	Construction	7,900	7,700	-200	-3%	254	273
San Luis Obispo-Paso Robles, CA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	8,700	8,400	-300	-3%	285	273
Santa Rosa-Petaluma, CA	Construction	16,200	15,700	-500	-3%	310	273
Cape Coral-Fort Myers, FL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	42,400	41,000	-1,400	-3%	345	273
Ocala, FL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	11,300	11,000	-300	-3%	285	273
Port St. Lucie, FL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	16,200	15,700	-500	-3%	310	273
Decatur, IL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,900	3,800	-100	-3%	212	273
Lake County-Porter County-Jasper County, IN Div.	Construction	18,600	18,100	-500	-3%	310	273
Topeka, KS	Mining, Logging, and Construction	6,800	6,600	-200	-3%	254	273
Portland-South Portland, ME	Mining, Logging, and Construction	15,200	14,800	-400	-3%	299	273
Salisbury, MD	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,900	2,800	-100	-3%	212	273
Barnstable Town, MA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	7,200	7,000	-200	-3%	254	273
Flint, MI	Mining, Logging, and Construction	6,900	6,700	-200	-3%	254	273
Duluth, MN-WI	Mining, Logging, and Construction	8,900	8,600	-300	-3%	285	273
Atlantic City-Hammonton, NJ	Mining, Logging, and Construction	8,800	8,500	-300	-3%	285	273
Nassau County-Suffolk County, NY Div.	Mining, Logging, and Construction	81,000	78,700	-2,300	-3%	350	273
Minot, ND	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,300	3,200	-100	-3%	212	273
Salem, OR	Construction	12,700	12,300	-400	-3%	299	273
Altoona, PA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,300	3,200	-100	-3%	212	273
Chattanooga, TN-GA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	14,600	14,100	-500	-3%	310	273
Beaumont-Port Arthur, TX	Mining, Logging, and Construction	23,100	22,400	-700	-3%	331	273
Lubbock, TX	Mining, Logging, and Construction	11,900	11,600	-300	-3%	285	273

**Rankings of Metropolitan Areas by Percent Change in Construction Employment, April 2025–April 2026**  
 (not seasonally adjusted)

Area <sup>1</sup>	Industry <sup>2</sup>	April '25	April '26	12-month		Rank <sup>3</sup> based on:	
				gain/loss	% change	gain/loss	% change
Odessa, TX	Mining, Logging, and Construction	19,600	19,000	-600	-3%	323	273
Olympia-Lacey-Tumwater, WA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	6,800	6,600	-200	-3%	254	273
Spokane-Spokane Valley, WA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	15,400	15,000	-400	-3%	299	273
Charleston, WV	Mining, Logging, and Construction	6,000	5,800	-200	-3%	254	273
Oakland-Fremont-Berkeley, CA Div.	Construction	71,000	68,400	-2,600	-4%	353	305
Riverside-San Bernardino-Ontario, CA	Construction	112,400	107,900	-4,500	-4%	358	305
San Diego-Chula Vista-Carlsbad, CA	Construction	89,500	86,200	-3,300	-4%	355	305
Yuba City, CA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,600	2,500	-100	-4%	212	305
Boulder, CO	Mining, Logging, and Construction	5,300	5,100	-200	-4%	254	305
Greeley, CO	Mining, Logging, and Construction	20,400	19,600	-800	-4%	335	305
Punta Gorda, FL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	5,500	5,300	-200	-4%	254	305
Augusta-Richmond County, GA-SC	Mining, Logging, and Construction	15,300	14,700	-600	-4%	323	305
Columbus, GA-AL	Mining, Logging, and Construction	5,200	5,000	-200	-4%	254	305
Gainesville, GA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	5,400	5,200	-200	-4%	254	305
Savannah, GA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	9,900	9,500	-400	-4%	299	305
Elgin, IL Div.	Construction	16,400	15,800	-600	-4%	323	305
Ann Arbor, MI	Mining, Logging, and Construction	5,100	4,900	-200	-4%	254	305
Lakewood-New Brunswick, NJ Div.	Mining, Logging, and Construction	53,400	51,100	-2,300	-4%	350	305
Albuquerque, NM	Mining, Logging, and Construction	27,500	26,300	-1,200	-4%	342	305
Glens Falls, NY	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,500	2,400	-100	-4%	212	305
Medford, OR	Construction	5,200	5,000	-200	-4%	254	305
Chambersburg, PA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,800	2,700	-100	-4%	212	305
Pittsburgh, PA	Construction	57,900	55,300	-2,600	-4%	353	305
Providence-Warwick, RI-MA	Construction	34,700	33,300	-1,400	-4%	345	305
Knoxville, TN	Mining, Logging, and Construction	22,600	21,800	-800	-4%	335	305
Bremerton-Silverdale-Port Orchard, WA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	4,700	4,500	-200	-4%	254	305
Everett, WA Div.	Mining, Logging, and Construction	25,000	24,000	-1,000	-4%	339	305
Kennewick-Richland, WA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	11,400	11,000	-400	-4%	299	305
Cheyenne, WY	Mining, Logging, and Construction	4,700	4,500	-200	-4%	254	305
Tucson, AZ	Construction	21,000	20,000	-1,000	-5%	339	330
El Centro, CA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,100	2,000	-100	-5%	212	330
Napa, CA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	4,200	4,000	-200	-5%	254	330
Santa Maria-Santa Barbara, CA	Construction	10,400	9,900	-500	-5%	310	330
Elizabethtown, KY	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,000	1,900	-100	-5%	212	330
Niles, MI	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,100	2,000	-100	-5%	212	330
Fayetteville, NC	Mining, Logging, and Construction	6,300	6,000	-300	-5%	285	330
Portland-Vancouver-Hillsboro, OR-WA	Construction	77,900	73,800	-4,100	-5%	357	330
Cleveland, TN	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,100	2,000	-100	-5%	212	330
Brownsville-Harlingen, TX	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,800	3,600	-200	-5%	254	330
Victoria, TX	Mining, Logging, and Construction	4,000	3,800	-200	-5%	254	330
Wenatchee- East Wenatchee, WA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,700	3,500	-200	-5%	254	330
Flagstaff, AZ	Mining, Logging, and Construction	3,300	3,100	-200	-6%	254	342
Sacramento--Roseville--Folsom, CA	Construction	75,400	70,700	-4,700	-6%	359	342
Santa Cruz-Watsonville, CA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	5,200	4,900	-300	-6%	285	342
Lewiston, ID-WA	Construction	1,700	1,600	-100	-6%	212	342
Evansville, IN	Mining, Logging, and Construction	9,600	9,000	-600	-6%	323	342
Gulfport-Biloxi, MS	Mining, Logging, and Construction	8,300	7,800	-500	-6%	310	342
Jackson, MS	Construction	14,200	13,300	-900	-6%	337	342
Bismarck, ND	Mining, Logging, and Construction	4,700	4,400	-300	-6%	285	342
Casper, WY	Construction	3,200	3,000	-200	-6%	254	342
Anchorage, AK	Construction	11,800	10,900	-900	-8%	337	351
Lake Havasu City-Kingman, AZ	Mining, Logging, and Construction	5,100	4,700	-400	-8%	299	351
Grants Pass, OR	Construction	1,200	1,100	-100	-8%	212	351
Longview, TX	Mining, Logging, and Construction	15,500	14,300	-1,200	-8%	342	351
Bellingham, WA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	9,000	8,300	-700	-8%	331	351
Longview-Kelso, WA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	4,000	3,700	-300	-8%	285	351
Mount Vernon-Anacortes, WA	Mining, Logging, and Construction	4,900	4,500	-400	-8%	299	351
Monroe, MI	Mining, Logging, and Construction	2,200	2,000	-200	-9%	254	358
Fairbanks-College, AK	Construction	2,800	2,300	-500	-18%	310	359
Lawton, OK	Mining, Logging, and Construction	1,900	1,400	-500	-26%	310	360

<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. Employment in these MSAs is presented in two or more divisions (Div). MSA totals are shown but not included in rankings to avoid double counting of the divisions.

<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.

<sup>3</sup>**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%.)

<sup>4</sup>**New 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.

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<u>Area</u> <sup>1</sup>	<u>Industry</u> <sup>2</sup>	<u>April '25</u>	<u>April '26</u>	<u>12-month gain/loss</u>	<u>12-month % change</u>	<u>Rank<sup>3</sup> based on:</u>	
						<u>gain/loss</u>	<u>% change</u>