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Eau Claire, WI	Const, mining, logging	2,100	2,700	29%	600	1
Ithaca, NY	Const, mining, logging	1,000	1,100	10%	100	2
Haverhill-North Andover-Amesbury, MA-NH NECTA Div.	Const, mining, logging	3,200	3,500	9%	300	3
Grand Forks, ND-MN	Const, mining, logging	2,000	2,100	5%	100	4
Lafayette, LA	Construction	7,000	7,200	3%	200	5
Syracuse, NY	Const, mining, logging	10,400	10,700	3%	300	5
Bismarck, ND	Const, mining, logging	3,000	3,100	3%	100	5
El Paso, TX	Const, mining, logging	15,200	15,600	3%	400	5
Shreveport-Bossier City, LA	Construction	8,400	8,600	2%	200	9
Albany-Schenectady-Troy, NY	Const, mining, logging	14,700	14,900	1%	200	10
Gadsden, AL	Const, mining, logging	1,400	1,400	0%	0	11
Fairbanks, AK	Construction	1,900	1,900	0%	0	11
Hanford-Corcoran, CA	Const, mining, logging	900	900	0%	0	11
Yuba City, CA	Const, mining, logging	1,700	1,700	0%	0	11
Danville, IL	Const, mining, logging	700	700	0%	0	11
Kankakee-Bradley, IL	Const, mining, logging	1,100	1,100	0%	0	11
Kokomo, IN	Const, mining, logging	900	900	0%	0	11
Michigan City-La Porte, IN	Const, mining, logging	1,700	1,700	0%	0	11
Bay City, MI	Const, mining, logging	900	900	0%	0	11
Binghamton, NY	Const, mining, logging	3,400	3,400	0%	0	11
Elmira, NY	Const, mining, logging	1,300	1,300	0%	0	11
La Crosse, WI-MN	Const, mining, logging	2,100	2,100	0%	0	11
Baton Rouge, LA	Construction	40,900	40,800	-0.2%	-100	23
Rochester, NY	Construction	14,900	14,700	-1%	-200	24
Buffalo-Niagara Falls, NY	Const, mining, logging	16,600	16,300	-2%	-300	25
Oklahoma City, OK	Construction	25,800	25,400	-2%	-400	25
Chattanooga, TN-GA	Const, mining, logging	8,700	8,500	-2%	-200	25
Decatur, AL	Const, mining, logging	3,600	3,500	-3%	-100	28
Modesto, CA	Const, mining, logging	6,600	6,400	-3%	-200	28
New Haven, CT NECTA	Const, mining, logging	8,900	8,600	-3%	-300	28
Lincoln, NE	Const, mining, logging	6,600	6,400	-3%	-200	28
Erie, PA	Const, mining, logging	3,300	3,200	-3%	-100	28
Bloomington-Normal, IL	Const, mining, logging	2,400	2,300	-4%	-100	33
Elkhart-Goshen, IN	Const, mining, logging	2,800	2,700	-4%	-100	33
Terre Haute, IN	Const, mining, logging	2,700	2,600	-4%	-100	33
Trenton-Ewing, NJ	Const, mining, logging	5,000	4,800	-4%	-200	33
Utica-Rome, NY	Const, mining, logging	2,800	2,700	-4%	-100	33
Johnson City, TN	Const, mining, logging	2,600	2,500	-4%	-100	33
Sherman-Denison, TX	Const, mining, logging	2,400	2,300	-4%	-100	33
Waterbury, CT NECTA	Const, mining, logging	2,100	2,000	-5%	-100	40
Peoria, IL	Const, mining, logging	7,400	7,000	-5%	-400	40
Houma-Bayou Cane-Thibodaux, LA	Construction	5,500	5,200	-5%	-300	40
Lewiston-Auburn, ME NECTA	Const, mining, logging	2,000	1,900	-5%	-100	40
Kingston, NY	Const, mining, logging	2,100	2,000	-5%	-100	40
Rapid City, SD	Const, mining, logging	4,300	4,100	-5%	-200	40
Janesville, WI	Const, mining, logging	2,200	2,100	-5%	-100	40
Dothan, AL	Const, mining, logging	3,300	3,100	-6%	-200	47
Anchorage, AK	Construction	8,600	8,100	-6%	-500	47
Merced, CA	Const, mining, logging	1,600	1,500	-6%	-100	47
Honolulu, HI	Const, mining, logging	23,400	22,000	-6%	-1,400	47
Kansas City, KS	Const, mining, logging	17,300	16,300	-6%	-1,000	47
New Orleans-Metairie-Kenner, LA	Construction	31,900	30,000	-6%	-1,900	47
St. Cloud, MN	Const, mining, logging	3,600	3,400	-6%	-200	47
Fayetteville, NC	Const, mining, logging	5,400	5,100	-6%	-300	47
Lawton, OK	Const, mining, logging	1,700	1,600	-6%	-100	47
Scranton--Wilkes-Barre, PA	Const, mining, logging	8,700	8,200	-6%	-500	47
Charleston-North Charleston-Summerville, SC	Const, mining, logging	15,900	15,000	-6%	-900	47
Clarksville, TN-KY	Const, mining, logging	3,100	2,900	-6%	-200	47
Austin-Round Rock-San Marcos, TX	Const, mining, logging	42,000	39,400	-6%	-2,600	47
College Station-Bryan, TX	Const, mining, logging	6,900	6,500	-6%	-400	47
Anniston-Oxford, AL	Const, mining, logging	1,400	1,300	-7%	-100	61
Huntsville, AL	Const, mining, logging	6,700	6,200	-7%	-500	61
Mobile, AL	Const, mining, logging	13,600	12,700	-7%	-900	61
Madera-Chowchilla, CA	Const, mining, logging	1,400	1,300	-7%	-100	61
Leominster-Fitchburg-Gardner, MA NECTA	Const, mining, logging	1,400	1,300	-7%	-100	61
Memphis, TN-MS-AR	Const, mining, logging	21,400	20,000	-7%	-1,400	61
Tyler, TX	Const, mining, logging	6,000	5,600	-7%	-400	61
Burlington-South Burlington, VT NECTA	Const, mining, logging	4,300	4,000	-7%	-300	61
Virginia Beach-Norfolk-Newport News, VA-NC	Const, mining, logging	39,200	36,500	-7%	-2,700	61
Spokane, WA	Const, mining, logging	10,900	10,100	-7%	-800	61
Green Bay, WI	Const, mining, logging	6,000	5,600	-7%	-400	61
Cheyenne, WY	Const, mining, logging	2,700	2,500	-7%	-200	61
Vallejo-Fairfield, CA	Construction	7,400	6,800	-8%	-600	73
Pensacola-Ferry Pass-Brent, FL	Const, mining, logging	10,900	10,000	-8%	-900	73
Anderson, IN	Const, mining, logging	1,200	1,100	-8%	-100	73
Topeka, KS	Const, mining, logging	5,100	4,700	-8%	-400	73

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Pittsfield, MA NECTA	Const, mining, logging	1,200	1,100	-8%	-100	73
Jackson, MS	Construction	11,200	10,300	-8%	-900	73
Manchester, NH NECTA	Const, mining, logging	3,800	3,500	-8%	-300	73
Portsmouth, NH-ME NECTA	Const, mining, logging	1,300	1,200	-8%	-100	73
Bergen-Hudson-Passaic, NJ	Const, mining, logging	26,800	24,700	-8%	-2,100	73
Vineland-Millville-Bridgeton, NJ	Const, mining, logging	2,500	2,300	-8%	-200	73
Glens Falls, NY	Const, mining, logging	2,500	2,300	-8%	-200	73
Nassau-Suffolk, NY Div.	Const, mining, logging	62,300	57,400	-8%	-4,900	73
Columbia, SC	Const, mining, logging	17,200	15,800	-8%	-1,400	73
Texarkana, TX-Texarkana, AR	Const, mining, logging	2,400	2,200	-8%	-200	73
Waco, TX	Const, mining, logging	6,200	5,700	-8%	-500	73
Wichita Falls, TX	Const, mining, logging	3,900	3,600	-8%	-300	73
Logan, UT-ID	Const, mining, logging	2,500	2,300	-8%	-200	73
Kennewick-Pasco-Richland, WA	Const, mining, logging	6,100	5,600	-8%	-500	73
Casper, WY	Construction	2,600	2,400	-8%	-200	73
Montgomery, AL	Const, mining, logging	7,400	6,700	-9%	-700	92
Little Rock-North Little Rock-Conway, AR	Const, mining, logging	17,500	15,900	-9%	-1,600	92
Wichita, KS	Const, mining, logging	15,200	13,800	-9%	-1,400	92
Bethesda-Rockville-Frederick, MD Div.	Const, mining, logging	34,100	31,200	-9%	-2,900	92
Flint, MI	Const, mining, logging	3,400	3,100	-9%	-300	92
Greenville, NC	Const, mining, logging	3,300	3,000	-9%	-300	92
Springfield, OH	Const, mining, logging	1,100	1,000	-9%	-100	92
Corvallis, OR	Const, mining, logging	1,100	1,000	-9%	-100	92
Eugene-Springfield, OR	Construction	5,700	5,200	-9%	-500	92
Salem, OR	Construction	6,900	6,300	-9%	-600	92
Knoxville, TN	Const, mining, logging	16,000	14,600	-9%	-1,400	92
Killeen-Temple-Fort Hood, TX	Const, mining, logging	5,800	5,300	-9%	-500	92
San Antonio-New Braunfels, TX	Construction	49,000	44,700	-9%	-4,300	92
Richmond, VA	Const, mining, logging	36,200	32,800	-9%	-3,400	92
Wenatchee-East Wenatchee, WA	Const, mining, logging	2,200	2,000	-9%	-200	92
Yakima, WA	Const, mining, logging	3,400	3,100	-9%	-300	92
Gainesville, FL	Const, mining, logging	4,900	4,400	-10%	-500	108
Tallahassee, FL	Const, mining, logging	7,300	6,600	-10%	-700	108
Idaho Falls, ID	Const, mining, logging	3,100	2,800	-10%	-300	108
Lewiston, ID-WA	Construction	1,000	900	-10%	-100	108
Rockford, IL	Const, mining, logging	4,900	4,400	-10%	-500	108
Bloomington, IN	Const, mining, logging	3,100	2,800	-10%	-300	108
Bangor, ME NECTA	Construction	2,100	1,900	-10%	-200	108
Brockton-Bridgewater-Easton, MA NECTA Div.	Const, mining, logging	3,900	3,500	-10%	-400	108
New Bedford, MA NECTA	Const, mining, logging	2,000	1,800	-10%	-200	108
Gulfport-Biloxi, MS	Const, mining, logging	6,800	6,100	-10%	-700	108
Albuquerque, NM	Const, mining, logging	24,000	21,600	-10%	-2,400	108
Poughkeepsie-Newburgh-Middletown, NY	Const, mining, logging	9,200	8,300	-10%	-900	108
Columbus, OH	Const, mining, logging	28,200	25,400	-10%	-2,800	108
Allentown-Bethlehem-Easton, PA-NJ	Const, mining, logging	12,600	11,300	-10%	-1,300	108
Lancaster, PA	Const, mining, logging	14,900	13,400	-10%	-1,500	108
Pittsburgh, PA	Construction	48,900	44,000	-10%	-4,900	108
Sioux Falls, SD	Const, mining, logging	6,300	5,700	-10%	-600	108
Lubbock, TX	Const, mining, logging	6,300	5,700	-10%	-600	108
Appleton, WI	Const, mining, logging	7,200	6,500	-10%	-700	108
Oshkosh-Neenah, WI	Const, mining, logging	3,000	2,700	-10%	-300	108
Florence-Muscle Shoals, AL	Const, mining, logging	3,500	3,100	-11%	-400	128
Tuscaloosa, AL	Const, mining, logging	8,300	7,400	-11%	-900	128
Augusta-Richmond County, GA-SC	Const, mining, logging	11,400	10,200	-11%	-1,200	128
Savannah, GA	Const, mining, logging	7,900	7,000	-11%	-900	128
Fort Wayne, IN	Const, mining, logging	8,800	7,800	-11%	-1,000	128
Bowling Green, KY	Const, mining, logging	2,700	2,400	-11%	-300	128
Portland-South Portland-Biddeford, ME NECTA	Const, mining, logging	7,900	7,000	-11%	-900	128
Framingham, MA NECTA Div.	Const, mining, logging	5,500	4,900	-11%	-600	128
Springfield, MA-CT NECTA	Const, mining, logging	7,900	7,000	-11%	-900	128
Saginaw-Saginaw Township North, MI	Const, mining, logging	2,700	2,400	-11%	-300	128
Springfield, MO	Const, mining, logging	8,100	7,200	-11%	-900	128
Omaha-Council Bluffs, NE-IA	Const, mining, logging	22,400	19,900	-11%	-2,500	128
Las Cruces, NM	Const, mining, logging	3,800	3,400	-11%	-400	128
Tulsa, OK	Construction	21,500	19,100	-11%	-2,400	128
Reading, PA	Const, mining, logging	7,200	6,400	-11%	-800	128
York-Hanover, PA	Const, mining, logging	10,100	9,000	-11%	-1,100	128
Jackson, TN	Const, mining, logging	2,700	2,400	-11%	-300	128
Amarillo, TX	Const, mining, logging	6,500	5,800	-11%	-700	128
Brownsville-Harlingen, TX	Const, mining, logging	3,800	3,400	-11%	-400	128
Longview, TX	Const, mining, logging	13,200	11,700	-11%	-1,500	128
Roanoke, VA	Const, mining, logging	9,000	8,000	-11%	-1,000	128
Olympia, WA	Const, mining, logging	4,600	4,100	-11%	-500	128
Fort Smith, AR-OK	Const, mining, logging	8,300	7,300	-12%	-1,000	150
Oakland-Fremont-Hayward, CA Div.	Construction	54,000	47,500	-12%	-6,500	150
Redding, CA	Const, mining, logging	2,500	2,200	-12%	-300	150

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San Diego-Carlsbad-San Marcos, CA	Construction	64,200	56,500	-12%	-7,700	150
Boulder, CO	Const, mining, logging	5,000	4,400	-12%	-600	150
Norwich-New London, CT-RI NECTA	Const, mining, logging	3,300	2,900	-12%	-400	150
Crestview-Fort Walton Beach-Destin, FL	Const, mining, logging	4,200	3,700	-12%	-500	150
Lakeland-Winter Haven, FL	Const, mining, logging	12,300	10,800	-12%	-1,500	150
Port St. Lucie, FL	Const, mining, logging	8,900	7,800	-12%	-1,100	150
Davenport-Moline-Rock Island, IA-IL	Const, mining, logging	7,600	6,700	-12%	-900	150
Elizabethtown, KY	Const, mining, logging	1,700	1,500	-12%	-200	150
Lexington-Fayette, KY	Const, mining, logging	10,300	9,100	-12%	-1,200	150
Lowell-Billerica-Chelmsford, MA-NH NECTA Div.	Const, mining, logging	5,100	4,500	-12%	-600	150
Nashua, NH-MA NECTA Div.	Const, mining, logging	4,100	3,600	-12%	-500	150
Newark-Union, NJ-PA Div.	Const, mining, logging	34,500	30,200	-12%	-4,300	150
New York City, NY	Const, mining, logging	120,500	106,200	-12%	-14,300	150
Raleigh-Cary, NC	Const, mining, logging	31,100	27,300	-12%	-3,800	150
Rocky Mount, NC	Const, mining, logging	2,600	2,300	-12%	-300	150
Fargo, ND-MN	Const, mining, logging	5,700	5,000	-12%	-700	150
Toledo, OH	Const, mining, logging	10,700	9,400	-12%	-1,300	150
Youngstown-Warren-Boardman, OH-PA	Const, mining, logging	7,700	6,800	-12%	-900	150
Midland, TX	Const, mining, logging	15,800	13,900	-12%	-1,900	150
Northern Virginia, VA	Const, mining, logging	68,500	60,200	-12%	-8,300	150
Fond du Lac, WI	Const, mining, logging	2,600	2,300	-12%	-300	150
Prescott, AZ	Const, mining, logging	5,400	4,700	-13%	-700	174
Fayetteville-Springdale-Rogers, AR-MO	Const, mining, logging	8,700	7,600	-13%	-1,100	174
Hartford-West Hartford-East Hartford, CT NECTA	Const, mining, logging	17,100	14,800	-13%	-2,300	174
Wilmington, DE-MD-NJ Div.	Const, mining, logging	15,500	13,500	-13%	-2,000	174
Deltona-Daytona Beach-Ormond Beach, FL	Const, mining, logging	9,200	8,000	-13%	-1,200	174
Coeur d'Alene, ID	Construction	3,800	3,300	-13%	-500	174
Pocatello, ID	Const, mining, logging	1,500	1,300	-13%	-200	174
Decatur, IL	Const, mining, logging	3,200	2,800	-13%	-400	174
Evansville, IN-KY	Const, mining, logging	10,900	9,500	-13%	-1,400	174
Owensboro, KY	Const, mining, logging	2,400	2,100	-13%	-300	174
Hagerstown-Martinsburg, MD-WV	Const, mining, logging	4,600	4,000	-13%	-600	174
Barnstable Town, MA NECTA	Const, mining, logging	4,500	3,900	-13%	-600	174
Worcester, MA-CT NECTA	Const, mining, logging	7,200	6,300	-13%	-900	174
Ann Arbor, MI	Const, mining, logging	3,200	2,800	-13%	-400	174
Battle Creek, MI	Const, mining, logging	1,600	1,400	-13%	-200	174
Holland-Grand Haven, MI	Const, mining, logging	3,800	3,300	-13%	-500	174
Jackson, MI	Const, mining, logging	1,500	1,300	-13%	-200	174
Niles-Benton Harbor, MI	Const, mining, logging	1,500	1,300	-13%	-200	174
Sandusky, OH	Const, mining, logging	800	700	-13%	-100	174
Greenville-Mauldin-Easley, SC	Const, mining, logging	14,700	12,800	-13%	-1,900	174
Fort Worth-Arlington, TX Div.	Const, mining, logging	61,200	53,400	-13%	-7,800	174
Houston-Sugar Land-Baytown, TX	Construction	194,900	169,400	-13%	-25,500	174
Ogden-Clearfield, UT	Const, mining, logging	12,400	10,800	-13%	-1,600	174
Provo-Orem, UT	Const, mining, logging	11,100	9,700	-13%	-1,400	174
Tacoma, WA Div.	Construction	19,800	17,200	-13%	-2,600	174
Madison, WI	Const, mining, logging	12,100	10,500	-13%	-1,600	174
Salinas, CA	Construction	4,900	4,200	-14%	-700	200
North Port-Bradenton-Sarasota, FL	Const, mining, logging	17,300	14,800	-14%	-2,500	200
Sebastian-Vero Beach, FL	Const, mining, logging	3,500	3,000	-14%	-500	200
Lafayette, IN	Const, mining, logging	2,800	2,400	-14%	-400	200
Warren-Troy-Farmington Hills, MI Div.	Const, mining, logging	32,100	27,500	-14%	-4,600	200
Rochester, MN	Const, mining, logging	2,900	2,500	-14%	-400	200
St. Louis, MO-IL	Const, mining, logging	63,300	54,400	-14%	-8,900	200
Rochester-Dover, NH-ME NECTA	Const, mining, logging	1,400	1,200	-14%	-200	200
Cleveland, TN	Const, mining, logging	1,400	1,200	-14%	-200	200
Longview, WA	Const, mining, logging	2,900	2,500	-14%	-400	200
Racine, WI	Const, mining, logging	2,200	1,900	-14%	-300	200
Wausau, WI	Const, mining, logging	2,200	1,900	-14%	-300	200
Oxnard-Thousand Oaks-Ventura, CA	Construction	13,600	11,500	-15%	-2,100	212
Stockton, CA	Construction	8,400	7,100	-15%	-1,300	212
Colorado Springs, CO	Const, mining, logging	13,900	11,800	-15%	-2,100	212
Fort Collins-Loveland, CO	Const, mining, logging	8,600	7,300	-15%	-1,300	212
Panama City-Lynn Haven-Panama City Beach, FL	Const, mining, logging	4,600	3,900	-15%	-700	212
Punta Gorda, FL	Const, mining, logging	2,700	2,300	-15%	-400	212
Champaign-Urbana, IL	Const, mining, logging	3,400	2,900	-15%	-500	212
Springfield, IL	Const, mining, logging	4,100	3,500	-15%	-600	212
Grand Rapids-Wyoming, MI	Const, mining, logging	12,900	11,000	-15%	-1,900	212
Lansing-East Lansing, MI	Const, mining, logging	5,500	4,700	-15%	-800	212
Winston-Salem, NC	Const, mining, logging	8,600	7,300	-15%	-1,300	212
Akron, OH	Const, mining, logging	10,900	9,300	-15%	-1,600	212
Cincinnati-Middletown, OH-KY-IN	Const, mining, logging	39,100	33,400	-15%	-5,700	212
Portland-Vancouver-Hillsboro, OR-WA	Construction	50,400	42,600	-15%	-7,800	212
Harrisburg-Carlisle, PA	Const, mining, logging	10,600	9,000	-15%	-1,600	212
Nashville-Davidson--Murfreesboro--Franklin, TN	Const, mining, logging	32,700	27,700	-15%	-5,000	212
Corpus Christi, TX	Const, mining, logging	22,200	18,800	-15%	-3,400	212

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Dallas-Plano-Irving, TX Div.	Const, mining, logging	116,400	98,400	-15%	-18,000	212
Bremerton-Silverdale, WA	Const, mining, logging	4,600	3,900	-15%	-700	212
Auburn-Opelika, AL	Const, mining, logging	2,500	2,100	-16%	-400	231
San Francisco-San Mateo-Redwood City, CA Div.	Construction	36,700	30,900	-16%	-5,800	231
Santa Barbara-Santa Maria-Goleta, CA	Construction	8,000	6,700	-16%	-1,300	231
Denver-Aurora-Broomfield, CO	Const, mining, logging	78,500	66,200	-16%	-12,300	231
Miami-Miami Beach-Kendall, FL Div.	Construction	39,500	33,300	-16%	-6,200	231
Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater, FL	Construction	62,700	52,900	-16%	-9,800	231
Gary, IN Div.	Construction	14,400	12,100	-16%	-2,300	231
South Bend-Mishawaka, IN-MI	Const, mining, logging	4,900	4,100	-16%	-800	231
Greensboro-High Point, NC	Const, mining, logging	15,600	13,100	-16%	-2,500	231
Wilmington, NC	Const, mining, logging	9,300	7,800	-16%	-1,500	231
Medford, OR	Construction	3,200	2,700	-16%	-500	231
Morristown, TN	Const, mining, logging	1,900	1,600	-16%	-300	231
McAllen-Edinburg-Mission, TX	Const, mining, logging	10,000	8,400	-16%	-1,600	231
Chico, CA	Const, mining, logging	2,400	2,000	-17%	-400	244
Ocala, FL	Const, mining, logging	7,800	6,500	-17%	-1,300	244
Cedar Rapids, IA	Const, mining, logging	7,600	6,300	-17%	-1,300	244
Lake Charles, LA	Construction	10,300	8,600	-17%	-1,700	244
Kansas City, MO	Const, mining, logging	25,300	21,100	-17%	-4,200	244
Burlington, NC	Const, mining, logging	2,900	2,400	-17%	-500	244
Bend, OR	Const, mining, logging	4,100	3,400	-17%	-700	244
Abilene, TX	Const, mining, logging	5,300	4,400	-17%	-900	244
Laredo, TX	Const, mining, logging	4,100	3,400	-17%	-700	244
Salt Lake City, UT	Const, mining, logging	35,400	29,400	-17%	-6,000	244
Milwaukee-Waukesha-West Allis, WI	Construction	27,000	22,300	-17%	-4,700	244
Sheboygan, WI	Const, mining, logging	1,800	1,500	-17%	-300	244
Birmingham-Hoover, AL	Construction	28,000	23,100	-18%	-4,900	256
Fresno, CA	Construction	14,100	11,600	-18%	-2,500	256
Santa Ana-Anaheim-Irvine, CA Div.	Construction	78,500	64,100	-18%	-14,400	256
Pueblo, CO	Const, mining, logging	3,400	2,800	-18%	-600	256
Bridgeport-Stamford-Norwalk, CT NECTA	Const, mining, logging	12,200	10,000	-18%	-2,200	256
Naples-Marco Island, FL	Const, mining, logging	11,400	9,300	-18%	-2,100	256
Palm Coast, FL	Const, mining, logging	1,100	900	-18%	-200	256
Atlanta-Sandy Springs-Marietta, GA	Construction	109,300	89,200	-18%	-20,100	256
Boise City-Nampa, ID	Const, mining, logging	13,600	11,200	-18%	-2,400	256
Des Moines-West Des Moines, IA	Const, mining, logging	13,100	10,800	-18%	-2,300	256
Boston-Cambridge-Quincy, MA NECTA Div.	Construction	49,400	40,700	-18%	-8,700	256
Detroit-Livonia-Dearborn, MI Div.	Const, mining, logging	16,300	13,300	-18%	-3,000	256
Kalamazoo-Portage, MI	Const, mining, logging	4,500	3,700	-18%	-800	256
Pascagoula, MS	Const, mining, logging	4,900	4,000	-18%	-900	256
Atlantic City-Hammonton, NJ	Const, mining, logging	4,900	4,000	-18%	-900	256
Asheville, NC	Const, mining, logging	9,000	7,400	-18%	-1,600	256
Durham-Chapel Hill, NC	Const, mining, logging	8,700	7,100	-18%	-1,600	256
Hickory-Lenoir-Morganton, NC	Const, mining, logging	4,500	3,700	-18%	-800	256
Dayton, OH	Const, mining, logging	11,100	9,100	-18%	-2,000	256
Lima, OH	Const, mining, logging	1,700	1,400	-18%	-300	256
Mansfield, OH	Const, mining, logging	1,700	1,400	-18%	-300	256
Kingsport-Bristol-Bristol, TN-VA	Const, mining, logging	7,300	6,000	-18%	-1,300	256
San Angelo, TX	Const, mining, logging	3,300	2,700	-18%	-600	256
Charleston, WV	Const, mining, logging	15,700	12,800	-18%	-2,900	256
Lake Havasu City-Kingman, AZ	Const, mining, logging	3,200	2,600	-19%	-600	280
Los Angeles-Long Beach-Glendale, CA Div.	Construction	123,600	100,600	-19%	-23,000	280
Riverside-San Bernardino-Ontario, CA	Construction	70,000	57,000	-19%	-13,000	280
Greeley, CO	Const, mining, logging	10,000	8,100	-19%	-1,900	280
Palm Bay-Melbourne-Titusville, FL	Const, mining, logging	10,700	8,700	-19%	-2,000	280
Louisville-Jefferson County, KY-IN	Const, mining, logging	30,600	24,700	-19%	-5,900	280
Reno-Sparks, NV	Construction	11,100	9,000	-19%	-2,100	280
Camden, NJ Div.	Const, mining, logging	20,800	16,900	-19%	-3,900	280
Philadelphia, PA Div.	Const, mining, logging	65,600	53,300	-19%	-12,300	280
Bellingham, WA	Const, mining, logging	6,700	5,400	-19%	-1,300	280
Phoenix-Mesa-Glendale, AZ	Construction	105,100	84,500	-20%	-20,600	290
Jacksonville, FL	Construction	35,700	28,600	-20%	-7,100	290
Chicago-Joliet-Naperville, IL Div.	Construction	128,100	102,900	-20%	-25,200	290
Columbus, IN	Const, mining, logging	1,500	1,200	-20%	-300	290
Indianapolis-Carmel, IN	Construction	39,400	31,400	-20%	-8,000	290
Muncie, IN	Const, mining, logging	1,500	1,200	-20%	-300	290
Calvert-Charles-Prince George's, MD	Const, mining, logging	35,200	28,100	-20%	-7,100	290
Peabody, MA NECTA Div.	Const, mining, logging	3,000	2,400	-20%	-600	290
Putnam-Rockland-Westchester, NY	Const, mining, logging	30,700	24,600	-20%	-6,100	290
Providence-Fall River-Warwick, RI-MA NECTA	Construction	19,500	15,600	-20%	-3,900	290
Beaumont-Port Arthur, TX	Const, mining, logging	20,000	16,100	-20%	-3,900	290
Tucson, AZ	Construction	17,800	14,000	-21%	-3,800	301
Bakersfield-Delano, CA	Construction	14,000	11,000	-21%	-3,000	301
Sacramento--Arden-Arcade--Roseville, CA	Construction	44,200	34,900	-21%	-9,300	301
San Jose-Sunnyvale-Santa Clara, CA	Construction	36,200	28,700	-21%	-7,500	301

**Table 2: Construction Employment by Metropolitan Area or Division, February 2009-February 2010
(not seasonally adjusted)**

Area¹	Industry²	Feb 09	Feb 10	12-mon. % change	12-mon. gain/loss	Rank³
Santa Rosa-Petaluma, CA	Construction	10,000	7,900	-21%	-2,100	301
Cape Coral-Fort Myers, FL	Const, mining, logging	19,800	15,700	-21%	-4,100	301
West Palm Beach-Boca Raton-Boynton Beach, FL Div.	Construction	29,400	23,100	-21%	-6,300	301
Lake County-Kenosha County, IL-WI Div.	Construction	14,500	11,500	-21%	-3,000	301
Edison-New Brunswick, NJ Div.	Const, mining, logging	36,100	28,400	-21%	-7,700	301
Santa Fe, NM	Const, mining, logging	3,400	2,700	-21%	-700	301
Victoria, TX	Const, mining, logging	7,200	5,700	-21%	-1,500	301
Mount Vernon-Anacortes, WA	Const, mining, logging	3,400	2,700	-21%	-700	301
Seattle-Bellevue-Everett, WA Div.	Construction	79,000	62,300	-21%	-16,700	301
San Luis Obispo-Paso Robles, CA	Const, mining, logging	5,800	4,500	-22%	-1,300	314
Visalia-Porterville, CA	Const, mining, logging	4,900	3,800	-22%	-1,100	314
Orlando-Kissimmee-Sanford, FL	Construction	60,700	47,400	-22%	-13,300	314
Baltimore-Towson, MD	Const, mining, logging	72,000	56,300	-22%	-15,700	314
Minneapolis-St. Paul-Bloomington, MN-WI	Const, mining, logging	51,100	40,100	-22%	-11,000	314
Canton-Massillon, OH	Const, mining, logging	6,400	5,000	-22%	-1,400	314
Odessa, TX	Const, mining, logging	12,400	9,700	-22%	-2,700	314
Fort Lauderdale-Pompano Beach-Deerfield Beach, FL Div.	Construction	41,200	31,700	-23%	-9,500	321
Charlotte-Gastonia-Rock Hill, NC-SC	Const, mining, logging	45,100	34,800	-23%	-10,300	321
Yuma, AZ	Const, mining, logging	3,600	2,700	-25%	-900	323
El Centro, CA	Const, mining, logging	1,600	1,200	-25%	-400	323
Dover, DE	Const, mining, logging	2,400	1,800	-25%	-600	323
Muskegon-Norton Shores, MI	Const, mining, logging	1,600	1,200	-25%	-400	323
Cleveland-Elyria-Mentor, OH	Const, mining, logging	29,900	22,300	-25%	-7,600	323
Napa, CA	Const, mining, logging	3,000	2,200	-27%	-800	328
Washington, D.C.	Const, mining, logging	12,600	9,200	-27%	-3,400	328
Duluth, MN-WI	Const, mining, logging	7,300	5,300	-27%	-2,000	328
Santa Cruz-Watsonville, CA	Const, mining, logging	3,400	2,400	-29%	-1,000	331
St. George, UT	Const, mining, logging	4,500	3,200	-29%	-1,300	331
Grand Junction, CO	Const, mining, logging	9,400	6,600	-30%	-2,800	333
Las Vegas-Paradise, NV	Construction	74,200	51,300	-31%	-22,900	334
Flagstaff, AZ	Const, mining, logging	2,300	1,500	-35%	-800	335
Steubenville-Weirton, OH-WV	Const, mining, logging	3,100	1,900	-39%	-1,200	336
Monroe, MI	Const, mining, logging	2,200	1,300	-41%	-900	337

Footnotes:

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. Each MSA is listed under the state in which the largest part of its population lives, even though the first (most populous) city in the MSA's name may be in an adjoining state. There are 11 MSAs with more than 2,500,000 people. Employment in these MSAs is presented in two or more Div.s (Div.) or subDiv.s, rather than for the MSA as a whole.

² **Industry:** The Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS) reports employment for construction, mining and logging combined for six states, the District of Columbia and MSAs in which mining and logging have only a small number of employers. To facilitate comparisons between MSAs and the states they are in, AGC has calculated combined employment change in states for which BLS reports the industries separately.

³ **Rank:** BLS currently provides construction (or combined construction, mining and logging) employment data for 337 metro areas. AGC calculated ranks based on the 12-month percent change, rounded to the nearest whole percent. Because BLS reports employment rounded to the nearest 100, it is not possible to calculate percent changes more accurately than to the nearest whole percent. Thus, all metro areas with the same whole-percent change in employment are ranked the same.