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Hanford-Corcoran, CA	Const, mining, logging	900	1,100	22%	200	1
Eau Claire, WI	Const, mining, logging	3,100	3,700	19%	600	2
Kansas City, KS	Const, mining, logging	18,700	21,200	13%	2,500	3
Haverhill-North Andover-Amesbury, MA-NH NECTA Division	Const, mining, logging	4,100	4,600	12%	500	4
Lawton, OK	Const, mining, logging	1,800	2,000	11%	200	5
Chattanooga, TN-GA	Const, mining, logging	8,500	9,200	8%	700	6
Johnson City, TN	Const, mining, logging	2,500	2,700	8%	200	6
Rochester-Dover, NH-ME NECTA	Const, mining, logging	1,500	1,600	7%	100	8
Green Bay, WI	Const, mining, logging	7,200	7,600	6%	400	9
Oshkosh-Neenah, WI	Const, mining, logging	3,400	3,600	6%	200	9
Bismarck, ND	Const, mining, logging	4,100	4,300	5%	200	11
Cedar Rapids, IA	Const, mining, logging	7,600	8,000	5%	400	11
Elmira, NY	Const, mining, logging	1,900	2,000	5%	100	11
Sheboygan, WI	Const, mining, logging	2,000	2,100	5%	100	11
Topeka, KS	Const, mining, logging	5,600	5,900	5%	300	11
Greeley, CO	Const, mining, logging	9,100	9,500	4%	400	16
Kingston, NY	Const, mining, logging	2,500	2,600	4%	100	16
La Crosse, WI-MN	Const, mining, logging	2,700	2,800	4%	100	16
Odessa, TX	Const, mining, logging	10,300	10,700	4%	400	16
Pittsburgh, PA	Construction	55,100	57,100	4%	2,000	16
Racine, WI	Const, mining, logging	2,600	2,700	4%	100	16
Springfield, MO	Const, mining, logging	8,000	8,300	4%	300	16
Waterbury, CT NECTA	Const, mining, logging	2,400	2,500	4%	100	16
Wausau, WI	Const, mining, logging	2,500	2,600	4%	100	16
Appleton, WI	Const, mining, logging	8,000	8,200	3%	200	25
Calvert-Charles-Prince George's, MD	Const, mining, logging	34,800	36,000	3%	1,200	25
Corpus Christi, TX	Const, mining, logging	18,600	19,200	3%	600	25
Decatur, AL	Const, mining, logging	3,700	3,800	3%	100	25
Fond du Lac, WI	Const, mining, logging	2,900	3,000	3%	100	25
Grand Forks, ND-MN	Const, mining, logging	2,900	3,000	3%	100	25
Modesto, CA	Const, mining, logging	6,800	7,000	3%	200	25
Washington, D.C.	Const, mining, logging	11,300	11,600	3%	300	25
Abilene, TX	Const, mining, logging	4,600	4,700	2%	100	33
Albany-Schenectady-Troy, NY	Const, mining, logging	19,000	19,400	2%	400	33
Amarillo, TX	Const, mining, logging	6,300	6,400	2%	100	33
Beaumont-Port Arthur, TX	Const, mining, logging	17,100	17,500	2%	400	33
Columbus, OH	Const, mining, logging	31,400	31,900	2%	500	33
Houma-Bayou Cane-Thibodaux, LA	Construction	5,300	5,400	2%	100	33
Huntsville, AL	Const, mining, logging	6,600	6,700	2%	100	33
Lubbock, TX	Const, mining, logging	6,100	6,200	2%	100	33
Syracuse, NY	Const, mining, logging	13,800	14,100	2%	300	33
Tulsa, OK	Construction	20,200	20,600	2%	400	33
Allentown-Bethlehem-Easton, PA-NJ	Const, mining, logging	13,500	13,600	1%	100	43
Bethesda-Rockville-Frederick, MD Metropolitan Division	Const, mining, logging	33,400	33,700	1%	300	43
Charleston, WV	Const, mining, logging	14,800	14,900	1%	100	43
El Paso, TX	Const, mining, logging	15,600	15,700	1%	100	43
Jackson, MS	Construction	11,200	11,300	1%	100	43
Longview, TX	Const, mining, logging	12,200	12,300	1%	100	43
Midland, TX	Const, mining, logging	14,300	14,400	1%	100	43
New Haven, CT NECTA	Const, mining, logging	10,000	10,100	1%	100	43
Newark-Union, NJ-PA Metropolitan Division	Const, mining, logging	37,100	37,300	1%	200	43
Oklahoma City, OK	Construction	26,100	26,400	1%	300	43
Reading, PA	Const, mining, logging	7,700	7,800	1%	100	43
Richmond, VA	Const, mining, logging	35,500	36,000	1%	500	43
Shreveport-Bossier City, LA	Construction	8,600	8,700	1%	100	43
Virginia Beach-Norfolk-Newport News, VA-NC	Const, mining, logging	38,300	38,700	1%	400	43
Anderson, IN	Const, mining, logging	1,400	1,400	0%	0	57
Anniston-Oxford, AL	Const, mining, logging	1,400	1,400	0%	0	57
Battle Creek, MI	Const, mining, logging	2,000	2,000	0%	0	57
Bay City, MI	Const, mining, logging	1,100	1,100	0%	0	57
Bremerton-Silverdale, WA	Const, mining, logging	4,400	4,400	0%	0	57
Buffalo-Niagara Falls, NY	Const, mining, logging	21,500	21,500	0%	0	57
Champaign-Urbana, IL	Const, mining, logging	3,900	3,900	0%	0	57
Danville, IL	Const, mining, logging	900	900	0%	0	57
Florence-Muscle Shoals, AL	Const, mining, logging	3,300	3,300	0%	0	57
Gainesville, FL	Const, mining, logging	4,700	4,700	0%	0	57
Ithaca, NY	Const, mining, logging	1,400	1,400	0%	0	57
Jackson, TN	Const, mining, logging	2,600	2,600	0%	0	57
Janesville, WI	Const, mining, logging	2,800	2,800	0%	0	57
Kankakee-Bradley, IL	Const, mining, logging	1,500	1,500	0%	0	57
Kokomo, IN	Const, mining, logging	1,000	1,000	0%	0	57
Lafayette, LA	Construction	7,400	7,400	0%	0	57
Lima, OH	Const, mining, logging	1,800	1,800	0%	0	57
Mansfield, OH	Const, mining, logging	1,800	1,800	0%	0	57
Muskegon-Norton Shores, MI	Const, mining, logging	1,600	1,600	0%	0	57
New Bedford, MA NECTA	Const, mining, logging	2,400	2,400	0%	0	57

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Palm Coast, FL	Const, mining, logging	1,000	1,000	0%	0	57
Peoria, IL	Const, mining, logging	9,300	9,300	0%	0	57
Pittsfield, MA NECTA	Const, mining, logging	1,500	1,500	0%	0	57
Portsmouth, NH-ME NECTA	Const, mining, logging	1,400	1,400	0%	0	57
San Angelo, TX	Const, mining, logging	2,900	2,900	0%	0	57
Sandusky, OH	Const, mining, logging	1,000	1,000	0%	0	57
Sherman-Denison, TX	Const, mining, logging	2,500	2,500	0%	0	57
Springfield, OH	Const, mining, logging	1,400	1,400	0%	0	57
Terre Haute, IN	Const, mining, logging	3,100	3,100	0%	0	57
Texarkana, TX-Texarkana, AR	Const, mining, logging	2,300	2,300	0%	0	57
Tuscaloosa, AL	Const, mining, logging	7,800	7,800	0%	0	57
Tyler, TX	Const, mining, logging	5,700	5,700	0%	0	57
Victoria, TX	Const, mining, logging	6,200	6,200	0%	0	57
Waco, TX	Const, mining, logging	6,100	6,100	0%	0	57
Wichita Falls, TX	Const, mining, logging	3,800	3,800	0%	0	57
Youngstown-Warren-Boardman, OH-PA	Const, mining, logging	9,200	9,200	0%	0	57
Baton Rouge, LA	Construction	40,900	40,700	-0.5%	-200	93
Austin-Round Rock-San Marcos, TX	Const, mining, logging	40,600	40,300	-1%	-300	94
Canton-Massillon, OH	Const, mining, logging	6,800	6,700	-1%	-100	94
Cincinnati-Middletown, OH-KY-IN	Const, mining, logging	41,200	40,900	-1%	-300	94
Davenport-Moline-Rock Island, IA-IL	Const, mining, logging	8,800	8,700	-1%	-100	94
Lancaster, PA	Const, mining, logging	15,500	15,400	-1%	-100	94
Madison, WI	Const, mining, logging	13,900	13,700	-1%	-200	94
Nassau-Suffolk, NY Metropolitan Division	Const, mining, logging	67,000	66,300	-1%	-700	94
New York City, NY	Const, mining, logging	122,500	121,500	-1%	-1,000	94
Poughkeepsie-Newburgh-Middletown, NY	Const, mining, logging	10,400	10,300	-1%	-100	94
Scranton--Wilkes-Barre, PA	Const, mining, logging	10,300	10,200	-1%	-100	94
Toledo, OH	Const, mining, logging	12,500	12,400	-1%	-100	94
York-Hanover, PA	Const, mining, logging	10,600	10,500	-1%	-100	94
Akron, OH	Const, mining, logging	12,700	12,400	-2%	-300	106
Anchorage, AK	Construction	12,200	11,900	-2%	-300	106
Augusta-Richmond County, GA-SC	Const, mining, logging	10,900	10,700	-2%	-200	106
Binghamton, NY	Const, mining, logging	5,100	5,000	-2%	-100	106
Brockton-Bridgewater-Easton, MA NECTA Division	Const, mining, logging	4,600	4,500	-2%	-100	106
Burlington-South Burlington, VT NECTA	Const, mining, logging	5,400	5,300	-2%	-100	106
Eugene-Springfield, OR	Construction	5,800	5,700	-2%	-100	106
Framingham, MA NECTA Division	Const, mining, logging	6,400	6,300	-2%	-100	106
Gary, IN Metropolitan Division	Construction	15,500	15,200	-2%	-300	106
Hagerstown-Martinsburg, MD-WV	Const, mining, logging	4,900	4,800	-2%	-100	106
Harrisburg-Carlisle, PA	Const, mining, logging	11,100	10,900	-2%	-200	106
Knoxville, TN	Const, mining, logging	16,300	15,900	-2%	-400	106
Lake Charles, LA	Construction	8,800	8,600	-2%	-200	106
Mobile, AL	Const, mining, logging	13,300	13,000	-2%	-300	106
Providence-Fall River-Warwick, RI-MA NECTA	Construction	21,800	21,400	-2%	-400	106
Roanoke, VA	Const, mining, logging	8,900	8,700	-2%	-200	106
San Diego-Carlsbad-San Marcos, CA	Construction	60,200	58,700	-2%	-1,500	106
St. Cloud, MN	Const, mining, logging	4,900	4,800	-2%	-100	106
Worcester, MA-CT NECTA	Const, mining, logging	8,400	8,200	-2%	-200	106
Bellingham, WA	Const, mining, logging	6,300	6,100	-3%	-200	125
Bloomington, IN	Const, mining, logging	3,500	3,400	-3%	-100	125
Bloomington-Normal, IL	Const, mining, logging	3,100	3,000	-3%	-100	125
Bowling Green, KY	Const, mining, logging	2,900	2,800	-3%	-100	125
Brownsville-Harlingen, TX	Const, mining, logging	3,700	3,600	-3%	-100	125
Clarksville, TN-KY	Const, mining, logging	3,300	3,200	-3%	-100	125
College Station-Bryan, TX	Const, mining, logging	6,600	6,400	-3%	-200	125
Crestview-Fort Walton Beach-Destin, FL	Const, mining, logging	3,900	3,800	-3%	-100	125
Dayton, OH	Const, mining, logging	12,200	11,800	-3%	-400	125
Dothan, AL	Const, mining, logging	3,300	3,200	-3%	-100	125
Evansville, IN-KY	Const, mining, logging	11,500	11,200	-3%	-300	125
Fairbanks, AK	Construction	3,200	3,100	-3%	-100	125
Fort Smith, AR-OK	Const, mining, logging	7,700	7,500	-3%	-200	125
Glens Falls, NY	Const, mining, logging	3,000	2,900	-3%	-100	125
Gulfport-Biloxi, MS	Const, mining, logging	6,400	6,200	-3%	-200	125
Killeen-Temple-Fort Hood, TX	Const, mining, logging	5,900	5,700	-3%	-200	125
Laredo, TX	Const, mining, logging	3,600	3,500	-3%	-100	125
Las Cruces, NM	Const, mining, logging	3,700	3,600	-3%	-100	125
Lincoln, NE	Const, mining, logging	7,800	7,600	-3%	-200	125
Longview, WA	Const, mining, logging	2,900	2,800	-3%	-100	125
Lowell-Billerica-Chelmsford, MA-NH NECTA Division	Const, mining, logging	5,800	5,600	-3%	-200	125
Manchester, NH NECTA	Const, mining, logging	4,000	3,900	-3%	-100	125
McAllen-Edinburg-Mission, TX	Const, mining, logging	8,900	8,600	-3%	-300	125
Milwaukee-Waukesha-West Allis, WI	Construction	30,500	29,500	-3%	-1,000	125
Montgomery, AL	Const, mining, logging	7,100	6,900	-3%	-200	125
Mount Vernon-Anacortes, WA	Const, mining, logging	3,100	3,000	-3%	-100	125
Norwich-New London, CT-RI NECTA	Const, mining, logging	3,600	3,500	-3%	-100	125
Orlando-Kissimmee-Sanford, FL	Construction	52,700	51,100	-3%	-1,600	125

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Provo-Orem, UT	Const, mining, logging	11,900	11,500	-3%	-400	125
Pueblo, CO	Const, mining, logging	3,300	3,200	-3%	-100	125
Redding, CA	Const, mining, logging	3,300	3,200	-3%	-100	125
Rockford, IL	Const, mining, logging	5,800	5,600	-3%	-200	125
Saginaw-Saginaw Township North, MI	Const, mining, logging	3,200	3,100	-3%	-100	125
San Antonio-New Braunfels, TX	Construction	47,700	46,400	-3%	-1,300	125
Sebastian-Vero Beach, FL	Const, mining, logging	3,100	3,000	-3%	-100	125
Sioux Falls, SD	Const, mining, logging	7,700	7,500	-3%	-200	125
Wichita, KS	Const, mining, logging	15,400	14,900	-3%	-500	125
Yakima, WA	Const, mining, logging	3,700	3,600	-3%	-100	125
Auburn-Opelika, AL	Const, mining, logging	2,400	2,300	-4%	-100	163
Bangor, ME NECTA	Construction	2,600	2,500	-4%	-100	163
Bridgeport-Stamford-Norwalk, CT NECTA	Const, mining, logging	12,400	11,900	-4%	-500	163
Camden, NJ Metropolitan Division	Const, mining, logging	21,300	20,400	-4%	-900	163
Denver-Aurora-Broomfield, CO	Const, mining, logging	76,900	73,500	-4%	-3,400	163
Fayetteville, NC	Const, mining, logging	5,500	5,300	-4%	-200	163
Fort Wayne, IN	Const, mining, logging	9,600	9,200	-4%	-400	163
Fort Worth-Arlington, TX Metropolitan Division	Const, mining, logging	56,200	54,200	-4%	-2,000	163
Honolulu, HI	Const, mining, logging	22,200	21,300	-4%	-900	163
Kingsport-Bristol-Bristol, TN-VA	Const, mining, logging	6,800	6,500	-4%	-300	163
Lakeland-Winter Haven, FL	Const, mining, logging	11,300	10,800	-4%	-500	163
Little Rock-North Little Rock-Conway, AR	Const, mining, logging	17,400	16,700	-4%	-700	163
Logan, UT-ID	Const, mining, logging	2,700	2,600	-4%	-100	163
Louisville-Jefferson County, KY-IN	Const, mining, logging	31,000	29,800	-4%	-1,200	163
New Orleans-Metairie-Kenner, LA	Construction	31,400	30,200	-4%	-1,200	163
Olympia, WA	Const, mining, logging	4,800	4,600	-4%	-200	163
Pensacola-Ferry Pass-Brent, FL	Const, mining, logging	10,500	10,100	-4%	-400	163
Punta Gorda, FL	Const, mining, logging	2,500	2,400	-4%	-100	163
Rapid City, SD	Const, mining, logging	5,200	5,000	-4%	-200	163
Savannah, GA	Const, mining, logging	7,500	7,200	-4%	-300	163
Warren-Troy-Farmington Hills, MI Metropolitan Division	Const, mining, logging	36,600	35,000	-4%	-1,600	163
Wenatchee-East Wenatchee, WA	Const, mining, logging	2,500	2,400	-4%	-100	163
Atlanta-Sandy Springs-Marietta, GA	Construction	97,800	92,500	-5%	-5,300	185
Bergen-Hudson-Passaic, NJ	Const, mining, logging	27,800	26,400	-5%	-1,400	185
Boston-Cambridge-Quincy, MA NECTA Division	Construction	53,300	50,500	-5%	-2,800	185
Charleston-North Charleston-Summerville, SC	Const, mining, logging	15,500	14,700	-5%	-800	185
Columbia, SC	Const, mining, logging	16,800	16,000	-5%	-800	185
Erie, PA	Const, mining, logging	4,400	4,200	-5%	-200	185
Fargo, ND-MN	Const, mining, logging	7,800	7,400	-5%	-400	185
Flint, MI	Const, mining, logging	4,300	4,100	-5%	-200	185
Grand Rapids-Wyoming, MI	Const, mining, logging	14,500	13,800	-5%	-700	185
Greenville-Mauldin-Easley, SC	Const, mining, logging	13,700	13,000	-5%	-700	185
Jacksonville, FL	Construction	31,400	29,800	-5%	-1,600	185
Kennewick-Pasco-Richland, WA	Const, mining, logging	6,600	6,300	-5%	-300	185
Lexington-Fayette, KY	Const, mining, logging	11,000	10,500	-5%	-500	185
Miami-Miami Beach-Kendall, FL Metropolitan Division	Construction	35,500	33,800	-5%	-1,700	185
Michigan City-La Porte, IN	Const, mining, logging	2,100	2,000	-5%	-100	185
Morristown, TN	Const, mining, logging	1,900	1,800	-5%	-100	185
Nashville-Davidson--Murfreesboro--Franklin, TN	Const, mining, logging	31,600	30,000	-5%	-1,600	185
Panama City-Lynn Haven-Panama City Beach, FL	Const, mining, logging	4,200	4,000	-5%	-200	185
Phoenix-Mesa-Glendale, AZ	Construction	93,300	88,300	-5%	-5,000	185
Salt Lake City, UT	Const, mining, logging	37,500	35,500	-5%	-2,000	185
St. Louis, MO-IL	Const, mining, logging	67,000	63,500	-5%	-3,500	185
Tacoma, WA Metropolitan Division	Construction	19,300	18,400	-5%	-900	185
Yuba City, CA	Const, mining, logging	1,900	1,800	-5%	-100	185
Asheville, NC	Const, mining, logging	8,300	7,800	-6%	-500	208
Atlantic City-Hamilton, NJ	Const, mining, logging	5,100	4,800	-6%	-300	208
Barnstable Town, MA NECTA	Const, mining, logging	5,000	4,700	-6%	-300	208
Birmingham-Hoover, AL	Construction	26,600	24,900	-6%	-1,700	208
Dallas-Plano-Irving, TX Metropolitan Division	Const, mining, logging	110,800	104,100	-6%	-6,700	208
Deltona-Daytona Beach-Ormond Beach, FL	Const, mining, logging	8,700	8,200	-6%	-500	208
Des Moines-West Des Moines, IA	Const, mining, logging	15,000	14,100	-6%	-900	208
Duluth, MN-WI	Const, mining, logging	7,700	7,200	-6%	-500	208
Elizabethtown, KY	Const, mining, logging	1,800	1,700	-6%	-100	208
Houston-Sugar Land-Baytown, TX	Construction	179,600	168,400	-6%	-11,200	208
Jackson, MI	Const, mining, logging	1,800	1,700	-6%	-100	208
Lafayette, IN	Const, mining, logging	3,100	2,900	-6%	-200	208
Lansing-East Lansing, MI	Const, mining, logging	6,500	6,100	-6%	-400	208
Memphis, TN-MS-AR	Const, mining, logging	21,600	20,300	-6%	-1,300	208
Muncie, IN	Const, mining, logging	1,600	1,500	-6%	-100	208
Naples-Marco Island, FL	Const, mining, logging	10,000	9,400	-6%	-600	208
North Port-Bradenton-Sarasota, FL	Const, mining, logging	16,200	15,200	-6%	-1,000	208
South Bend-Mishawaka, IN-MI	Const, mining, logging	5,300	5,000	-6%	-300	208
Springfield, MA-CT NECTA	Const, mining, logging	10,000	9,400	-6%	-600	208
Tallahassee, FL	Const, mining, logging	7,100	6,700	-6%	-400	208
Burlington, NC	Const, mining, logging	2,700	2,500	-7%	-200	228

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Cleveland, TN	Const, mining, logging	1,400	1,300	-7%	-100	228
Columbus, IN	Const, mining, logging	1,500	1,400	-7%	-100	228
Gadsden, AL	Const, mining, logging	1,500	1,400	-7%	-100	228
Hickory-Lenoir-Morganton, NC	Const, mining, logging	4,100	3,800	-7%	-300	228
Lake Havasu City-Kingman, AZ	Const, mining, logging	2,900	2,700	-7%	-200	228
Los Angeles-Long Beach-Glendale, CA Metropolitan Division	Construction	114,400	106,500	-7%	-7,900	228
Madera-Chowchilla, CA	Const, mining, logging	1,500	1,400	-7%	-100	228
Portland-South Portland-Biddeford, ME NECTA	Const, mining, logging	8,800	8,200	-7%	-600	228
Rochester, NY	Construction	19,400	18,100	-7%	-1,300	228
San Francisco-San Mateo-Redwood City, CA Metropolitan Division	Construction	34,600	32,200	-7%	-2,400	228
San Jose-Sunnyvale-Santa Clara, CA	Construction	33,500	31,100	-7%	-2,400	228
Santa Barbara-Santa Maria-Goleta, CA	Construction	7,600	7,100	-7%	-500	228
Tampa-St. Petersburg-Clearwater, FL	Construction	58,500	54,200	-7%	-4,300	228
Trenton-Ewing, NJ	Const, mining, logging	6,000	5,600	-7%	-400	228
Vineland-Millville-Bridgeton, NJ	Const, mining, logging	3,000	2,800	-7%	-200	228
Wilmington, DE-MD-NJ Metropolitan Division	Const, mining, logging	16,500	15,300	-7%	-1,200	228
Winston-Salem, NC	Const, mining, logging	8,200	7,600	-7%	-600	228
Yuma, AZ	Const, mining, logging	2,900	2,700	-7%	-200	228
Albuquerque, NM	Const, mining, logging	24,400	22,500	-8%	-1,900	248
Ann Arbor, MI	Const, mining, logging	4,000	3,700	-8%	-300	248
Corvallis, OR	Const, mining, logging	1,200	1,100	-8%	-100	248
Decatur, IL	Const, mining, logging	3,800	3,500	-8%	-300	248
Elkhart-Goshen, IN	Const, mining, logging	3,600	3,300	-8%	-300	248
Fresno, CA	Construction	13,700	12,600	-8%	-1,100	248
Greensboro-High Point, NC	Const, mining, logging	14,700	13,500	-8%	-1,200	248
Idaho Falls, ID	Const, mining, logging	3,700	3,400	-8%	-300	248
Kalamazoo-Portage, MI	Const, mining, logging	4,900	4,500	-8%	-400	248
Kansas City, MO	Const, mining, logging	26,000	24,000	-8%	-2,000	248
Lewiston, ID-WA	Construction	1,200	1,100	-8%	-100	248
Lewiston-Auburn, ME NECTA	Const, mining, logging	2,400	2,200	-8%	-200	248
Owensboro, KY	Const, mining, logging	2,500	2,300	-8%	-200	248
Portland-Vancouver-Hillsboro, OR-WA	Construction	50,400	46,600	-8%	-3,800	248
Prescott, AZ	Const, mining, logging	5,300	4,900	-8%	-400	248
Rocky Mount, NC	Const, mining, logging	2,600	2,400	-8%	-200	248
Salem, OR	Construction	7,400	6,800	-8%	-600	248
San Luis Obispo-Paso Robles, CA	Const, mining, logging	5,000	4,600	-8%	-400	248
Spokane, WA	Const, mining, logging	12,600	11,600	-8%	-1,000	248
Stockton, CA	Construction	8,300	7,600	-8%	-700	248
Vallejo-Fairfield, CA	Construction	7,700	7,100	-8%	-600	248
Baltimore-Towson, MD	Const, mining, logging	72,600	65,900	-9%	-6,700	269
Cape Coral-Fort Myers, FL	Const, mining, logging	17,300	15,800	-9%	-1,500	269
Colorado Springs, CO	Const, mining, logging	13,900	12,700	-9%	-1,200	269
Greenville, NC	Const, mining, logging	3,400	3,100	-9%	-300	269
Hartford-West Hartford-East Hartford, CT NECTA	Const, mining, logging	19,300	17,600	-9%	-1,700	269
Northern Virginia, VA	Const, mining, logging	70,300	63,900	-9%	-6,400	269
Oakland-Fremont-Hayward, CA Metropolitan Division	Construction	53,800	48,800	-9%	-5,000	269
Oxnard-Thousand Oaks-Ventura, CA	Construction	13,200	12,000	-9%	-1,200	269
Raleigh-Cary, NC	Const, mining, logging	29,700	27,100	-9%	-2,600	269
Santa Ana-Anaheim-Irvine, CA Metropolitan Division	Construction	72,000	65,300	-9%	-6,700	269
Wilmington, NC	Const, mining, logging	9,000	8,200	-9%	-800	269
Bakersfield-Delano, CA	Construction	12,600	11,300	-10%	-1,300	280
Boulder, CO	Const, mining, logging	5,200	4,700	-10%	-500	280
Fort Collins-Loveland, CO	Const, mining, logging	8,600	7,700	-10%	-900	280
Putnam-Rockland-Westchester, NY	Const, mining, logging	32,500	29,100	-10%	-3,400	280
Salinas, CA	Construction	4,800	4,300	-10%	-500	280
Utica-Rome, NY	Const, mining, logging	4,000	3,600	-10%	-400	280
Boise City-Nampa, ID	Const, mining, logging	14,800	13,200	-11%	-1,600	286
Cleveland-Elyria-Mentor, OH	Const, mining, logging	35,600	31,800	-11%	-3,800	286
Coeur d'Alene, ID	Construction	4,600	4,100	-11%	-500	286
Edison-New Brunswick, NJ Metropolitan Division	Const, mining, logging	39,200	34,800	-11%	-4,400	286
Fayetteville-Springdale-Rogers, AR-MO	Const, mining, logging	8,800	7,800	-11%	-1,000	286
Fort Lauderdale-Pompano Beach-Deerfield Beach, FL Metropolitan Division	Construction	36,200	32,200	-11%	-4,000	286
Holland-Grand Haven, MI	Const, mining, logging	4,600	4,100	-11%	-500	286
Indianapolis-Carmel, IN	Construction	41,500	36,900	-11%	-4,600	286
Nashua, NH-MA NECTA Division	Const, mining, logging	4,700	4,200	-11%	-500	286
Niles-Benton Harbor, MI	Const, mining, logging	1,900	1,700	-11%	-200	286
Ocala, FL	Const, mining, logging	7,300	6,500	-11%	-800	286
Omaha-Council Bluffs, NE-IA	Const, mining, logging	25,100	22,300	-11%	-2,800	286
Palm Bay-Melbourne-Titusville, FL	Const, mining, logging	9,600	8,500	-11%	-1,100	286
Philadelphia, PA Metropolitan Division	Const, mining, logging	69,100	61,700	-11%	-7,400	286
Pocatello, ID	Const, mining, logging	1,800	1,600	-11%	-200	286
Port St. Lucie, FL	Const, mining, logging	8,700	7,700	-11%	-1,000	286
Rochester, MN	Const, mining, logging	3,800	3,400	-11%	-400	286
Steubenville-Weirton, OH-WV	Const, mining, logging	2,700	2,400	-11%	-300	286
Cheyenne, WY	Const, mining, logging	3,300	2,900	-12%	-400	304

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

<u>Area</u> ¹	<u>Industry</u> ²	<u>August 09</u>	<u>August 10</u>	<u>12-mon. % change</u>	<u>12-mon. gain/loss</u>	<u>Rank</u> ³
Detroit-Livonia-Dearborn, MI Metropolitan Division	Const, mining, logging	18,100	15,900	-12%	-2,200	304
Durham-Chapel Hill, NC	Const, mining, logging	8,300	7,300	-12%	-1,000	304
Minneapolis-St. Paul-Bloomington, MN-WI	Const, mining, logging	61,300	53,800	-12%	-7,500	304
Ogden-Clearfield, UT	Const, mining, logging	13,300	11,700	-12%	-1,600	304
Seattle-Bellevue-Everett, WA Metropolitan Division	Construction	75,400	66,300	-12%	-9,100	304
Tucson, AZ	Construction	16,200	14,300	-12%	-1,900	304
Peabody, MA NECTA Division	Const, mining, logging	3,100	2,700	-13%	-400	311
Riverside-San Bernardino-Ontario, CA	Construction	67,600	59,100	-13%	-8,500	311
Santa Cruz-Watsonville, CA	Const, mining, logging	3,200	2,800	-13%	-400	311
Santa Rosa-Petaluma, CA	Construction	10,000	8,700	-13%	-1,300	311
Springfield, IL	Const, mining, logging	4,700	4,100	-13%	-600	311
El Centro, CA	Const, mining, logging	1,400	1,200	-14%	-200	316
Grand Junction, CO	Const, mining, logging	7,300	6,300	-14%	-1,000	316
Medford, OR	Construction	3,500	3,000	-14%	-500	316
Sacramento--Arden-Arcade--Roseville, CA	Construction	43,500	37,400	-14%	-6,100	316
Charlotte-Gastonia-Rock Hill, NC-SC	Const, mining, logging	42,300	35,900	-15%	-6,400	320
Leominster-Fitchburg-Gardner, MA NECTA	Const, mining, logging	2,000	1,700	-15%	-300	320
Monroe, MI	Const, mining, logging	2,000	1,700	-15%	-300	320
Santa Fe, NM	Const, mining, logging	3,300	2,800	-15%	-500	320
Chicago-Joliet-Naperville, IL Metropolitan Division	Construction	143,000	120,400	-16%	-22,600	324
Pascagoula, MS	Const, mining, logging	5,100	4,300	-16%	-800	324
West Palm Beach-Boca Raton-Boynton Beach, FL Metro	Construction	27,000	22,600	-16%	-4,400	324
Bend, OR	Const, mining, logging	4,200	3,500	-17%	-700	327
St. George, UT	Const, mining, logging	4,100	3,300	-20%	-800	328
Visalia-Porterville, CA	Const, mining, logging	4,600	3,700	-20%	-900	328
Dover, DE	Const, mining, logging	2,400	1,900	-21%	-500	330
Lake County-Kenosha County, IL-WI Metropolitan Division	Construction	15,600	12,300	-21%	-3,300	330
Las Vegas-Paradise, NV	Construction	60,600	47,100	-22%	-13,500	332
Flagstaff, AZ	Const, mining, logging	2,100	1,600	-24%	-500	333
Merced, CA	Const, mining, logging	1,700	1,300	-24%	-400	333
Reno-Sparks, NV	Construction	11,400	8,700	-24%	-2,700	333
Chico, CA	Const, mining, logging	2,700	2,000	-26%	-700	336
Napa, CA	Const, mining, logging	3,000	2,100	-30%	-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 divisions (Div.) or subdivisions, 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.